US HISTORY

CHAPTER 7.1 READING

Directions: Use the textbook pages 254 – 259 in order to complete the following questions. (Worth 15 Points)

1. Give three reasons why people would immigrate to America?

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2. What were two reasons why Chinese immigrants come to America? (two reasons

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3. Why did many Mexican immigrants move to America?

4. How did most immigrants travel to America? How long did it take?

5. Where did immigrants to New York enter the country?

6. What percent were detained? Denied entry?

7. What was a disease that sent immigrants back to their home?

8. Other than medical reasons, what other requirements did immigrants have to meet? (two examples)

9. How was the processing at Angel Island different from Ellis Island?

10. Give two examples of how immigrants worked together once they arrived in America.

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11. What did Nativism give rise to?

12. What areas were seen at the “right” countries and the “wrong” countries when it came to immigration?

**“Right” Countries “Wrong” Countries**

13. What was an immigrant required to do after 1897?

14. What Chinese citizens was allowed in after the passage of the Chinese Exclusion Act?