

Business and Labor Quiz

Answer four of the following questions to the best of your ability. Remember it is not how much you write but what you say...examples and details are essential.

- 1.) Explain Carnegie's rise to power and how he controlled / ran his business (types of integration).
- 2.) Explain Rockefeller's rise to power and how he controlled / ran his business (types of integration).
- 3.) What tie does Social Darwinism have to the expansion of business and industry in the late 1800's? How do you think this idea helps to push business in a direction it was already headed?
- 4.) How does the Sherman Anti-Trust Act change business for both the producer and the consumer?
- 5.) Explain three major protections / goals of labor unions. Also explain why these unions were needed in the late 1800's but can be detrimental to business in the present day.
- 6.) Explain all of the circumstances surrounding a labor strike (why it happens, when it happens, who is involved, etc).
- 7.) Explain your stance on where government should stand in regards to business. You can explore a number of different issues but concentrate on how much intervention government should have over true "capitalist" business.
- 8.) How do any of the issues we covered in class concerning business affect us today? Pick one (or more) and explain how events of the past have changed the future we currently live in.
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