Turn of the Century: Study Guide

transcontinental railroad:

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supply:

demand:

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| **Texas Cattle** |
| - brought to North \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- cattle could live far from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, eating nothing but \_\_\_\_\_\_\_- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Mexican cowhands, taught methods of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ cattle to other cowhands and ranchers in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Supply and Demand** |
| - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is a situation in which people buy and sell goods- in good market, producers find buyers, and consumers buy goods- demand in Southwest U.S. was low because there was a great deal of cattle- demand in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ part of U.S. was high because they wanted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- since cattle were in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ demand, ranchers could sell for a higher \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the north and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Supply and Demand/Cattle Drives** |
| - since \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was high in north and eastern part of U.S., ranchers had to move cattle to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- from railheads, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_could be transported by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to other parts of the U.S.- moving \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ over the land great distances were know has cattle \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- traveled 1,000 of miles on trails where \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were available- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Trail and Great \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Trail were two of the most popular trails used during cattle drives- trails led up to the railheads in the Great \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

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| **Life on the Drives** |
| - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_men watched over approximately 3,000 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- road horseback for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hours a day- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or when cattle run as a group, many startled due to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_noises- slept on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, pulling watch at night from\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and thieves |

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| **End of Drives** |
| - cattle drives ended after about 20 years1. barbed wire: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- new settlers put up fences and blocked trails that crossed great plains.2. more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were built closer to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, no need to move \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ over great distances3. too many cattle \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the ranges (grass fields) and were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with sheepherders, not enough \_\_\_\_\_\_\_for all the cattle and sheep |

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| **Transcontinental Railroad** |
| - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were built by former soldiers and freed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Americans.- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ built the railroad from west coast- Chinese dealt with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ due to their ethnic backround- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is a negative opinion that can lead to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ treatmentEffects of the Railroad:1. railroads made it easier to move \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ across the country2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on the west coast and Great Plains could ship goods to other markets |

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| **Settling the Great Plains** |
| - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – is a settler’s home and land- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ encouraged people to move to the Great Plains1. offered \_\_\_\_\_\_acres of land to U.S. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or wanted to become citizens2. paid small amount of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and live on land for 5 years and it was theirs\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – freed African-Americans that settled the Great Plains during after the Reconstruction |

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| **Hardships on the Great Plains** |
| - harsh \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ made life difficult1. long cold \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_2. violent \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ during Spring3. hot dry summers with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- due to dry conditions, farmers had to watch for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Fires- ground made of ­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – grass-covered dirt held together by a thick mass of roots- homes created from sod due to the lack of trees (sodhouses)- dry conditions made it difficult to grow crops- had to carry water great distances or dug deep wells for water |

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| **War on the Great Plains** |
| - As settlers moved west, Native American were forced onto \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by the government- reservations – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that the government set aside for American Indians- U.S. government hoped Native Americans would become \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but many fought back- At Sand \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ many Plains Indians were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (killed) even after they surrendered - At the ­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Little Bighorn, the Lakota and Cheyenne tribe protected their land from Colonel Cluster’s soldiers. ­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ battle and killed all the U.S. soldiers- Native Americans began following a new religion called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- Ghost Dancing was a vision of hope that their previous way of life would return.- U.S. considered Ghost Dancing a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and began killing Ghost Dancers- Many began to flee to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of South Dakota. U.S. Soldiers caught up to them and tried to return them to the reservation. A gun accidentally went off and the soldiers began killing all the Native Americans, including woman and children.- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ also were killed and almost became extinct |

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| **Government Policy** |
| - Native Americans were forced to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the customs of settlers- Assimilate – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - Forced to change \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Ghost Dancing was illegal- Native American children sent to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, had to speak \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and were not allowed to wear their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ clothing.- Many forced to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as their way of life, when they were used to farming |