

Teacher Guide to Student Worksheet 4-Progressive and Populist Reform Through Chautauquas

ISSUE	Describe	Speaker	Does change occur?
Female Suffrage	<i>Giving women the right to vote</i>	William Jennings Bryan, Susan B. Anthony	20 th Amendment: <i>Lets females vote</i>
No alcohol/temperance	<i>Prohibiting or stopping the use of alcohol in the United States</i>	William Jennings Bryan, Susan B. Anthony	21 st Amendment: <i>Prohibition of Alcohol</i>
Improving filth of cities; working conditions of women and children	<i>Providing clean housing for urban dwellers living in slums and tenement houses</i> <i>Creating laws, so young children are not forced to work</i>	Jane Addams	Settlement houses; Child Labor Laws
Representative government – voting reforms	<i>Instead of letting state legislatures pick the senators of each state, let the people do it</i>	Senator Robert Lafollette	17 th Amendment: Direct election of senators by the people
Racial Equality	<i>Wanted African Americans to work, gain skills in order to be a part of society</i>	Booker T. Washington	Challenge by W.E.B. DuBois and N.A.A.C.P
Regulation of corporations, business	<i>Make factories follow rules about production and filth. Meat should not have rat droppings (as suggested in <u>The Jungle</u></i>	Theodore Roosevelt	Pure Food and Drug Act Meat Inspection Act
Improving working conditions of miners	<i>The miner's program called for a shorter work week. Through union work, Brophy supported reform to improve miner working conditions and to uphold their rights. Used Chautauquas to educate and improve worker morale.</i>	John Brophy	Labor laws, Miner's Program
Environmentalism, Conservation	<i>Fought to preserve the nation's forests</i>	Gifford Pinchot	1905 – the creation of the U.S. or National Forest Service Antiquities Act of 1906 let presidents protect wild

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			lands, wildlife, and national monuments.
Regulation of corporations, business Muckraking	<i>Investigated and exposed the wrongs of the Standard Oil Trust.</i>	Ida M. Tarbell	Anti-trust laws