

★ **Content Vocabulary Activity 13**

Urban America, 1865–1896

DIRECTIONS: Circle the term that best completes each sentence. Then answer the question at the bottom of the page.

1. In the South, laws enforcing segregation of African Americans were called
A. grandfather clauses. **B.** Jim Crow laws. **C.** Exclusion Acts.
2. Many party bosses grew rich as a result of fraud or
A. monopoly. **B.** philanthropy. **C.** graft.
3. In some urban areas, this system provided essential city services in exchange for votes.
A. political parties **B.** settlement houses **C.** political machine
4. This taxes different income levels at different rates.
A. graduated income tax **B.** poll tax **C.** adjustable tax
5. “Survival of the Fittest” was the catchphrase of this philosophy.
A. Social Darwinism **B.** Nativism **C.** laissez-faire
6. Dark, crowded multi-family city apartment buildings are
A. settlement houses. **B.** skyscrapers. **C.** tenements.
7. A political movement to increase farmers’ political power was known as
A. patronage. **B.** Social Darwinism. **C.** populism.
8. A fee that had to be paid before a person was allowed to vote was called a
A. poll tax. **B.** grandfather clause. **C.** Jim Crow laws.
9. Most immigrants booked passage to America in this part of the steamship.
A. cooperative **B.** steerage **C.** greenback
10. Legalized separation of the races in public places is known as
A. sharecropping **B.** lynching **C.** segregation
11. The philosophy behind the Horatio Alger stories was
A. individualism. **B.** Americanization. **C.** realism.
12. Describe the differences between the following pair of terms:
deflation / inflation _____

