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"We're going to give it more study!"



1)

Which region of the United States has been most harmed by the problem shown in the cartoon?

- A) Southeast
- B) Far West
- C) Midwest
- D) Northeast

2) Which feature of the United States governmental system was inherited from England?

- A) system of checks and balances
- B) a two-house legislature
- C) judicial review
- D) direct election of Senators

3) Which provided the legal basis for racial segregation in late 19th-century United States?

- A) adoption of laws by the United States Congress
- B) laws in northern states that prevented blacks from working in factories
- C) passage of "Jim Crow" laws by state legislatures
- D) Supreme Court decisions that excluded blacks from voting

4) Most of the immigrants who came to the United States in the late 19th century were

- A) middle-class families with investment capital
- B) members of religious groups seeking to establish ideal religious communities
- C) educated persons well prepared to face the problems of resettlement
- D) peasants and laborers seeking to better their lives

5) Most of the immigrants to the United States came in order to

- A) attain economic advancement
- B) practice their religious beliefs openly
- C) promote their political philosophy
- D) search for adventure

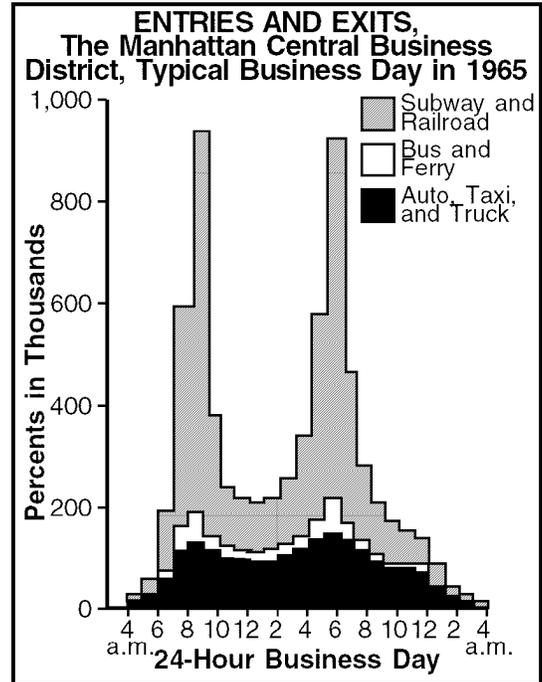
6) In the period between World War I and World War II, which group made the *greatest* gains in political rights?

- A) new immigrants
- B) Native American Indians
- C) women
- D) blacks

7) A demographic study of a town would be most useful to the

- A) county government in determining sales tax rates
- B) school board in planning for future needs
- C) local firefighters in locating fires
- D) dog warden in controlling strays

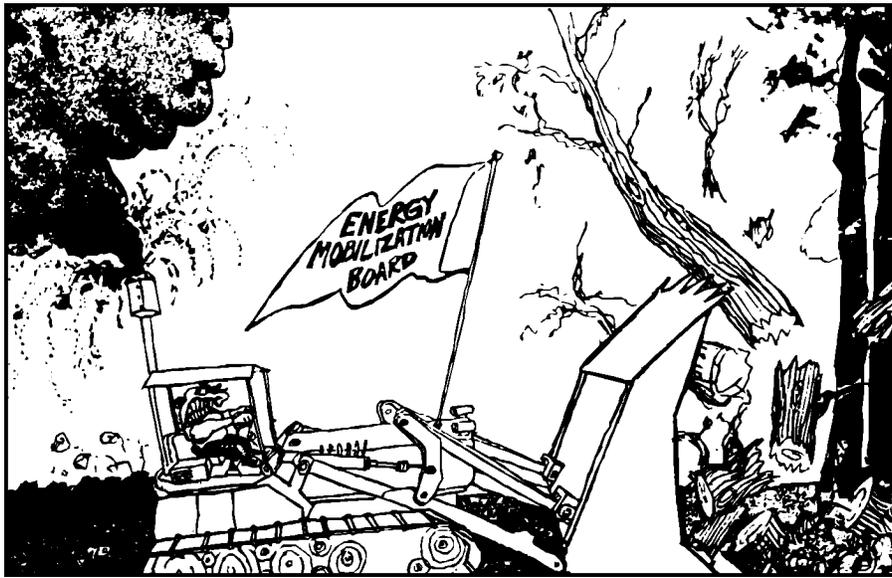
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Which action would most likely have helped to improve the quality of the air in Manhattan?

- A) building more high-speed highways to reduce the time spent by autos entering and leaving the business district
- B) providing more extensive bus service in the business district
- C) increasing subway and railroad fares while decreasing tolls for autos between midnight and 6:00 a.m.
- D) reducing subway and railroad fares while increasing tolls for autos

9)



According to the cartoonist, which is a likely result of permitting the Energy Mobilization Board to determine government policy?

- A) a massive rebuilding program to aid urban areas
- B) nullification of the benefits of current environmental laws
- C) an increase in lumbering to lessen our dependence on foreign oil
- D) land clearing and home building projects to relieve unemployment among construction workers

10)



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The issue pictured in the cartoon was resolved in the 20th century by

- A) an act of Congress
- B) a constitutional amendment
- C) a Supreme Court decision
- D) an executive order