Zinn Chapter 10

1. What was the point of the Anti-Rent Associations?
2. What was Dorr’s rebellion?
3. What do these rebellions show about class struggles in the 1800’s?
4. How does the term Jacksonian Democracy illustrate a change in political policy in the 1800s?
5. What were some of the problems people faced in the cities like Philadelphia in the 1800’s?
6. How was farming changing?
7. How was travel and the transport of goods changing?
8. What business model was becoming more common among the big businesses?
9. How did big business secure its hold on the US government according to Zinn?
10. Why did some of the early labor unions form?
11. What was the government’s reasoning for saying that some labor unions were illegal?
12. What was the Lowell system?
13. How did financial panics hurt the strikes and the striker’s cause?
14. What effect did the Civil War have on the labor unions?
15. What was the New York Draft riot about and how was it brought under order?
16. What class struggles were prevalent in the conscription of the Civil War?
17. What is eminent domain and how did it cause controversy?
18. How did the conditions of the cities after the war cause a need for change?
19. What issues did African Americans struggle with when considering unions?
20. Why was the National Railroad Strike such a different type of strike then had been seen up to that point?