

The Labor Movement in the Labor Moment

1. Immigrant waves and early attempts at building labor movement
 - (a) Irish, Germans
 - (b) Industrialization and Urbanization- population booms
 - i. Industrial Hubs–cities
 - (c) Tensions between industrialism and democracy
 - (d) Lowell Mills, native white women workers 1820s
 - (e) Industrialization brings strikes.
2. Big Business
 - (a) Factories
Bessemer Process
 - (b) The industrialists
Andrew Carnegie
Gospel of Wealth
John D. Rockefeller/Standard Oil
George Pullman
Free Labor
3. **Knights of Labor** and the **American Federation of Labor**
 - (a) Craft vs Industrial Unionism
4. Labor Convulsions
 - (a) Goals
 - i. The 3/8ths Movement
 - (b) **Haymarket Affair**
 - i. Americanism and the fear of foreign influence
 - ii. Strike Wave
 - (c) **Homestead Strike**
Scabs
Pinkerton
Lockout