Chapter 10 Study Guide

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Lesson 1
1. Why was Pike's Peak popular in the late 1800s?

2. At what city were cattle butchered and put on refrigerated cars?

3. Why was the steel plow important to homesteaders?

4. What happened at Little Bighorn River?

Lesson 2
1. Where does the transcontinental railroad go?

2. How did Westinghouse help railroads?

3. What product does the Bessemer process help make?

4. What company once controlled most of the oil refining in the U.S.?

5. What inventions is Thomas Edison most famous for?

Lesson 3
1. What was the problem with tenements in cities?

2. What is the Great Migration?

Lesson 4
1. Who did we buy Alaska from?

2. What resources were found in Alaska?

3. What caused the population to double in Alaska?

4. Did many Americans get rich from the gold there?

5. What new land did the U.S. gain in the Pacific Ocean?

6. What event caused the U.S. to become a world power?

7. Why is the Panama Canal important?

8. What is imperialism and who was accused of doing this after acquiring new territories?

SHORT ANSWER – Describe people's reaction to the following:
Gold is discovered!

Cities in the East want more beef!

Congress passes the Homestead Act!

Farmers and ranchers fence their land!

Settlers in the West take away Native American lands!

SHORT ANSWER
What new lands did the United States gain and how did we gain them?

What problems did the rapid growth of cities cause in the early 1900s?

ESSAY – What was life like for immigrants who came to America around the 1900s?

***STUDY EVERYTHING ELSE FOR THE **BONUS** QUESTIONS!!!