

THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN  
Department of History

History 102  
United States, 1877 to Present

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Mr. Risjord

REQUIRED BOOKS

Risjord, America, vol. II  
Davidson & Lytle, After the Fact, vol. II  
Livesay, Andrew Carnegie  
Fass, The Damned and the Beautiful  
Rovere, Senator Joseph McCarthy  
Malcolm X, Autobiography of Malcolm X

WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS

I. THE GILDED AGE: POLITICS

Risjord, America, Chapter 17  
Hacker, Shaping of American Tradition, pp. 590-593  
(On Reserve, Helen White Library, and in State  
Historical Society)

II. THE GILDED AGE: SOCIAL AND INTELLECTUAL CURRENTS

Risjord, America, Chapter 18  
Davidson and Lytle, After the Fact, Chapter 7

III. INDUSTRIAL AND AGRICULTURAL FRONTIERS

Risjord, America, Chapter 19  
Livesay, Andrew Carnegie, pp. 1-106

IV. THE POPULIST REVOLT

Risjord, America, Chapter 20  
Livesay, Andrew Carnegie, pp. 109-189

V. RISE OF THE UNITED STATES TO WORLD POWER

First hour exam (in discussion sections)  
Risjord, America, Chapter 21

VI. THE PROGRESSIVE MOVEMENT

Risjord, America, Chapter 22  
Davidson and Lytle, After the Fact, Chapter 8

VII. THE NEW FREEDOM

Risjord, America, Chapter 23  
Davidson and Lytle, After the Fact, Chapter 9

VIII. WAR AND PEACE

Risjord, America, Chapter 24  
Davidson and Lytle, After the Fact, Chapter 10

IX. THE ROARING TWENTIES

Risjord, America, Chapter 25  
Fass, The Damned and the Beautiful

X. DEPRESSION AND THE NEW DEAL

Risjord, America, Chapter 26  
Davidson and Lytle, After the Fact, Chapter 11

XI. WORLD WAR II

Risjord, America, Chapter 27  
Davidson and Lytle, After the Fact, Chapter 12

XII. ORIGINS OF THE COLD WAR

Risjord, America, Chapter 28 (to p. 800)  
Second hour exam (in discussion sections)

XIII. TRUMAN AND EISENHOWER

Risjord, America, Chapter 28 (pp. 800-811), Chapter 29  
Rovere, Senator Joseph McCarthy

XIV. A SLUM OF A DECADE

Risjord, America, Chapter 30  
Malcolm X, Autobiography

XV. THE NEW CONSERVATISM

Risjord, America, Chapter 31  
Davidson and Lytle, After the Fact, Chapter 13