

RUSSIA IN THE 19TH CENTURY



Sergei Witte

CRIMEAN WAR

1853-1856
CAUSES?
RESULTS FOR RUSSIA?
WEAKNESSES EXPOSED?

EMANCIPATION OF THE SERFS

1861—Alexander II
“It is better to abolish serfdom from above than to wait until the serfs liberate themselves from below”

PURPOSE?
Why restructure the social order?

SUCCESS?

HUMANITARIANISM?
What is big picture of 19th century?

What is the connection?

INDUSTRIALIZATION

- What was Segei Witte’s plan for Russian industrialization? (FOUR major points)
- What industries were developed?
- Influence of the West? Why needed?
- What were conditions for the workers in Russian factories?
 - How compares to England?
 - What was unique to Russia?
- How did Russian industrialization compare to the U.S. and Canada? (similarities/differences)
- How did Russian industrialization to compare to Latin America?
- What was the overall success of Russian industrialization?

BLOODY SUNDAY PROTESTS

1905
CAUSES?
DEMANDS?
RESULTS?

What is the connection?

RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR

1904-1905
CAUSES/
TIES TO INDUSTRIALIZATION?
RESULTS?