This guide is designed to provide seventh-grade social studies teachers with materials needed to present instruction in reading skills and to teach those facts, concepts, and attitudes which are the aim of social studies education. Entries on the subject of Long Island and New York City are arranged by topic, and material within each topic is arranged according to two texts: "Living in New York" by Flierl and Urell, to be used with modified classes, and "New York: The Empire State" by Ellis, Frost, and Fink, to be used with honors and average classes. To promote the development of comprehension, vocabulary, critical thinking, and study skills, the guide presents exercises in categorizing, reading for main ideas and supporting details, organization, and map-reading. Questions are designed to evaluate the students's mastery of these skills and of content subject matter. Some questions are designed to cover collateral chapters in the two books. (RT)
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TO THE TEACHER

This volume is one of a six-unit series designed to correlate with the two seventh grade social studies textbooks we use in Central High School District No. Two. The textbooks were examined by social studies teachers and organized into the following topical units:

**Unit I** - New York State Geography: Regions, Resources, and Communities.

**Unit II** - Early New York History: Settlement to Statehood (Indians; Dutch; English; Revolutionary War)

**Unit III** - New York State Government and Local Government; Social and Cultural Progress

**Unit IV** - Westward Expansion and Transportation in New York State

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**Unit VI** - The Local Community: Long Island and New York City

Each of these six units embraces several chapters of each of our two texts. The chart which precedes this page gives the details of this breakdown into units.

This series is based on three assumptions:

1. Teachers can not take for granted that pupils enter junior high school fully trained for the reading tasks they will encounter.

2. Secondary school pupils need continuing developmental reading instruction which will enable them to cope with the textbooks of constantly increasing difficulty which they will encounter as they progress through school.

3. The person best equipped to teach the special reading skills needed in as specialized a course as social studies is the social studies teacher.
The purpose of this volume and its collateral material is to provide the teacher of seventh grade social studies with the aids he needs to instruct his students in the skills they require for reading their texts and supplementary books. This volume is designed to accomplish the dual objectives of providing instruction in reading skills, and, at the same time, teaching those facts and concepts, and developing those attitudes which are the aim of social studies instruction.

The following information will help you to use this material more effectively.

1. **Nature of the material:** All of the pages in this volume are addressed directly to the pupil (except, of course, for these few prefatory remarks), and all can be requisitioned in any quantity desired.

2. **Ordering material:** Material should be requisitioned through your department chairman, who, in turn, will order it from the I.M.C. Order all the material for an entire chapter at one time. Allow two weeks for delivery.

3. **Format:** This material follows a consistent format. It is arranged by topics, and within each topic arranged according to the two texts; the Ellis book for honors and average classes, and the Flierl book for modified classes. (If you are teaching only modified classes, for example, you may want to fold under the pages of Ellis material until next year, and vice versa.)

The material corresponding to a chapter in either text consists of the following:

A. A list of new vocabulary words and a separate list of the proper nouns in the chapter. Asterisks mark words which the authors of the textbooks themselves indicate need explanation. Some of the words have been underscored to show they appear in context immediately below. This provision of a context in which the word's real meaning is revealed is an important part of the guide.

B. A test of the new vocabulary words.
A reading guide which, by directing the student's reading to the salient features given under each bold-faced sub-heading of the text, provides purpose and direction.

An exercise designed to develop a specific reading skill.

Questions designed to evaluate the pupil's mastery of the chapter's reading, critical thinking skills and the subject matter content of the chapter. NOTE: SOME QUESTIONS ARE DESIGNED TO COVER COLLATERAL CHAPTERS IN THE TWO BOOKS (ELLIS AND Flierl) AND ARE SO IDENTIFIED.

4. Page identification Each page is marked to indicate:

A. The book on which it is based (whether Ellis or Flierl).

B. The chapter number and title of the text to which it corresponds.

C. The function (reading skills taught, etc.) of the material presented on the page.

D. The type of class (honors, average or modified) for which the exercise is intended.

E. The page numbers in the text to which it corresponds.

A specimen page showing the labeling and coding of each page follows.
The letter in the lower left hand corner of each page designates the type of class for which the exercise is geared: \( A \) - average class; \( H \) - honors; \( M \) - modified.

Sometimes when some of the questions on a sheet are intended for the average group and others for the honors group, only, they will be so coded. The lower left hand corner designation \( \{ A: 1-6 \} \) \( H: 1-10 \), for example, indicates that in the opinion of the person who composed the exercise, average pupils should be able to handle only the first six questions, but honor pupils should be able to handle all ten.

This material, if made a vital part of the daily structure of your teaching, should be a valuable aid in improving reading skills generally and social studies skills particularly.
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### Words Used in Context

- **nationalities**: People from England, France, Italy and Germany represent different nationalities. New York City's population consists of people of many nationalities, races and faiths.

- **immigrants**: Immigrants come to the United States from many different lands. There are many reasons why these immigrants settle in a new country.

- **displaced persons**: Following WW.II many displaced persons sought refuge in America. These displaced persons were forced to leave their homes because of the war.

- **discriminated**: Some native born Americans looked down upon the immigrants and discriminated against them. The Ku Klux Klan not only stirred up hatred against the immigrant but discriminated against some native-born Americans as well, especially Negroes, Catholics and Jews.
Until a person acquires citizenship, he is an alien. An alien must meet certain requirements before he obtains citizenship.

Before an alien can become a citizen, he must declare his desire for naturalization. Naturalization is the process through which the alien becomes a citizen.

A large number of people crowded into a small area creates high population density. On the other hand, a small number of people in a large area makes for a low population density.
FLERL, CHAPTER 18, THE PEOPLE OF NEW YORK

VOCABULARY TEST

1. Population density refers to
   a. average weight of people in an area
   b. concentration of people in an area
   c. low mental ability of people
   d. immigration quotas

2. An alien is
   a. anyone who is Chinese
   b. anyone who is sick
   c. someone who plans to overthrow the government
   d. non-citizen living in country

3. The process through which an alien becomes a citizen is called:
   a. emigration
   b. discrimination
   c. naturalization
   d. nationalization

4. When we say that people have different nationalities, we mean that
   a. they eat different foods
   b. they were born in different lands
   c. they are immigrants
   d. they have different faiths

5. Immigrants are people who
   a. come into a country
   b. are displaced persons
   c. know less than other people
   d. are poor and seek money

6. If a person is discriminated against, he
   a. is accused of a crime
   b. is a Negro
   c. is set apart as different and inferior
   d. is an immigrant

7. A displaced person is a
   a. refugee
   b. confused individual
   c. person who likes to travel
   d. person who settles in one area

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DIRECTED READING

READ TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS:

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23. What are some opinions made by immigrant writers about life in America?

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24. What qualities often possessed by immigrants contributed to the growth of our country?

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READING A BAR GRAPH (Rereading)

On page 286 of your text, you will find a chart entitled "The Population of New York State." This chart is called a bar graph because the areas which are shaded form bars. On the bottom of the chart running horizontally and represented in 10-year periods are the dates during which New York's population grew. On the left side running vertically and represented in millions is the number of people. For example, if you will look at the year 1830, you will notice that the bar almost goes up to the line which stretches from the number 2. In reading this bar graph, you would say that in the year 1830, there were almost 2 million people in New York State.

Using this graph, answer the following questions:

1. What was New York State's population in the years:
   a. 1810  
   b. 1860  
   c. 1910  
   d. 1940  

2. By how many millions of people did the population increase in the ten year period between 1920 and 1930? ________

3. By how many millions of people did the population increase in the ten year period between 1950 and 1960? ________

4. By what year was New York's population approximately 4 million? ________

5. In which ten year period did New York's population grow most? ________
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<td>b. Certain laws were passed to protect workers from unfair labor practices.</td>
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Words Used in Context

**population** The population of New York State is large and varied. One reason population has risen is due to the decline in the death rate.

**suburbs** Increase in the number of automobiles has enabled more people to live on the outskirts of the city in the suburbs. Great Neck and Lynbrook are suburbs.

**mother countries** The country in which one is born is his mother country. In World War I, many men returned to the lands of their birth to defend their mother countries.

**poverty-stricken** There was little to eat in the poverty-stricken island of Sicily. Poverty-stricken people from all over Europe came to America.
The children of parents coming from Italy are of Italian descent. Fiorello La Guardia, famous mayor of New York, was of Italian descent.

An apartment house in a poor section of town is called a tenement house. Tenements were dirty and overcrowded.

Traditional ways of doing things are known as customs. Immigrants from all countries enriched American life with their varied customs.

Each national group brought its separate, special skills and arts to America. Puerto Rico has a distinct culture different from that of other Spanish-speaking countries.

Negroes have suffered from much discrimination, or unfair bias, in their search for housing and jobs. Fortunately, this discrimination is declining.

The "Amsterdam News," a Harlem paper, applies itself to the purpose of printing news of particular concern to Negroes. It is devoted to furthering the interests of its Negro readers.
### Vocabulary Test

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<td>3. population</td>
<td>c. favorable openings</td>
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<td>4. descent</td>
<td>d. to apply (oneself)</td>
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<td>5. suburb</td>
<td>e. strongly attractive</td>
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<td>6. tenements</td>
<td>f. all the people</td>
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<td>7. culture</td>
<td>g. one who moves from place to place</td>
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<td>k. national origin</td>
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<td>12. poverty-stricken</td>
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ELLIS, CHAPTER 20, THE POPULATION OF NEW YORK INCREASES

DIRECTED READING

READ TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS:

1. What part of the nation's population has lived in New York?
2. What are three reasons that account for the growth in population since 1940?
3. What is the "Population Belt?"
4. What happened to the population increase after New York City became crowded?

p. 272, Immigrants Settle in the Empire State
5. Why did Europeans leave their native countries?
6. Why did few immigrants come during the Civil War?
7. How had the newcomers heard about the opportunities in America?
8. Why were fewer people admitted to this country after World War I?
9. What kinds of people came to New York after World War II?

p. 274, Italians and Slavs Contribute to Business and Cultural Life
10. What occupations did the Italians enter?
11. Who are three outstanding Italians?
   What did they do?
12. From what countries did the Slavs come?
13. What were the two principal occupations of the Poles?
   What different nationalities were included under the category "Russian?"

p. 276, Jews, Greeks, Scandinavians, and Spanish-speaking People Settle in New York
14. From which countries did the Jews come?
15. What occupations did they enter?
16. Who were four famous Jews?
   What did they do?
17. What business did many Greeks enter?
18. Where did most Scandinavians settle?
19. Why are so many Puerto Ricans coming to New York?
20. What kinds of work are they doing?

p. 278, Negroes Help Build New York
21. In what ways have Negroes met with discrimination?
22. What caused them to come north after World War I?
23. What are living conditions in Harlem like?
24. Who are four outstanding Negroes in the fields of either sports, music, or politics?

p. 279, Young People and Famous People Come to New York
25. What kinds of work attract capable young people from other states to N.Y.?
26. Who are six people who fit into this group and what did they do?

REVIEW THE CHAPTER BY ANSWERING THE QUESTIONS IN YOUR TEXT ON PAGE 280.
Below is a partially completed chart showing the different people who have come to live and work in New York. Part of this information was obtained from Chapter 13. Complete the chart by filling in the missing information as indicated.

**PEOPLE COMING INTO NEW YORK STATE**

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<td>Germany</td>
<td>skilled craftsmen, mechanics, brewers</td>
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<td>After 1890</td>
<td>Italy, especially Sicily</td>
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<td>After 1880</td>
<td>Poland</td>
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<td>Portugal &amp; Spain, Germany, Russia, Jews</td>
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<td>After 1880</td>
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<td>Scandinavians</td>
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<td>During World War II and after</td>
<td>Southern States- Negroes</td>
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A. Give the names of three cities located in the "Population Belt" of N.Y.  
1. 
2. 
3.  

B. Give four reasons why Europeans left their mother countries. 
4. 
5. 
6. 
7. 

C. N.Y.'s population has increased since 1940 for all of the following reasons EXCEPT: (a) rise in birth rate, (b) immigration from Europe, (c) an excellent harbor, (d) decline in death rate. 
8. 

D. After 1890 there was a change in immigration. The new immigrants came from (a) northern and eastern Europe, (b) southern and eastern Europe, (c) southern and western Europe, (d) northern and western Europe. 
9. 

E. Give two reasons why many people wanted to restrict immigration after World War II. 
10. 
11. 

F. Write in the blanks the chief occupations engaged in by the following peoples: 
   a. Italians 
   b. Jews 
   c. Greeks 
   d. Scandinavians 
   e. Negroes 
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G. Write in the blanks the kinds of job opportunities which attract young people from other states to New York. 
26. 
27. 

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## Vocabulary

| p. 258 gifted, legends, generations, frontier |
| People, Places, Events, et cetera |
| p. 260 dramatized, literary, foremost, colonial, publishing, well-to-do |
| p. 261 foreign, domestic, libraries, circulating |
| William Sidney Porter, Madison Square, Cabbages and Kings |
| p. 262 developed, professional |
| Melvil Dewey |
| p. 263 troupe, stage properties, upstate |
| Bowery Theatre, Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo, Troy |
| p. 264 legitimate stage, make-shift |
| The Indian Princess, Uncle Tom's Cabin, Joseph Jefferson, Broadway, Manhattan |
| p. 265 native |
| Eugene O'Neill, Strange Interlude |
| p. 266 vaudeville, resorts, mass communication industries |
| Chautauqua Institution |
| p. 267 port of entry |
| Metropolitan Opera House |
| p. 268 Edward MacDowell, George Gershwin, Rhapsody in Blue, Porgy and Bess, Aaron Copland, Paul Creston, Norman Dello Joio, Virgil Thompson |
| p. 269 John Trumbull, Currier and Ives, Jackson Pollock |
| p. 270 "Grandma" Moses, Augustus Saint-Gaudens |
| p. 272 Cadwallader Colden, Benjamin Franklin, DeWitt Clinton, Rensselaer Institute |

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Legends Some of the legends of the Dutch settlers, stories of wonderful events that were told by fathers to sons each generation, were used by Washington Irving in his stories. Legends are part of the folklore of a people.

Generation The average time of a generation is about thirty years. All the people born at about the same time are considered in the same generation. A father and a son represent two different generations.

Literary Literary men are engaged in writing stories, poems, essays, and other such literature. New York has many poets, and authors whose literary works have brought them fame.

Foreign A foreign language comes from a country other than your own. The United States imports many articles made in foreign countries.

Domestic A dog is a domestic animal because it is usually kept around the home or farm. Similarly, domestic trade or domestic news refers to business or happenings in the home country.

Legitimate stage The legitimate stage features live actors in serious plays and musical comedies. Many actors who became famous on the legitimate stage also act in vaudeville, movies and T.V.

Communication The way in which we let others know what we think is communication. There can be communication by speaking, writing, using the radio, telephone, newspapers and T.V.

Port of entry New York City is a port of entry for many people and goods from foreign lands. Its excellent harbor and good docking arrangements make it a choice port of entry through which people and goods come into our country.

Resources New York has many natural resources which have been used to make it a great state. Among its resources are its location, its minerals and its population.

Specialist A doctor who is a specialist concentrates on one kind of sickness, or field of medicine. By constantly working in one area he becomes a specialist in his field.
The blanks in each sentence are to be filled with words from the list below. Read each sentence, find the words that fit the blanks and write them in the correct blanks. **REREAD THE COMPLETED SENTENCE TO BE SURE IT MAKES SENSE.**

A. communication  
B. generation  
C. port of entry  
D. domestic  
E. legends  
F. resources  
G. foreign  
H. legitimate stage  
I. specialist  
J. literary

1. Each __________ of people tells the __________ of the area to its children. Sometimes these tales are of __________ origin, coming to the new country with its immigrants.

2. The stories often form part of the __________ works of the authors and poets of the country.

3. Some of the works of one of our __________ authors, Washington Irving, who was born in N.Y., were made into plays and performed on the __________.

4. Irving was a __________ in the folklore of the Catskill Mountains area, using that background in many of his stories.

5. New York leads in the mass __________ industries with its many newspapers, radio and television stations.

6. Among New York's natural __________ is the harbor of New York City that makes New York the major __________ for immigrants and raw materials into this country.
FLIERL, CHAPTER 17, NEW YORK: CULTURAL CENTER OF THE NATION

DIRECTED READING

READ TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS:

1. What two strange and ghostly stories were written by Washington Irving?
2. Who was the author of the novels known as the Leatherstocking Tales?
3. Who was the nature poet who wrote "Thanatopsis" and "To a Waterfowl"?
4. Who wrote the poem of mourning, "O Captain, My Captain!"
5. Who are four novelists whose works are based on events in New York State history?
6. Who are three authors who lived in New York at one time or another?
7. Why did publishers locate in New York City?
8. Why is it necessary that citizens be educated?
9. Why were the inexpensive papers and magazines called "Penny Dreadfuls"?
10. What is a circulating library?
11. Why could publishers reduce the price of books?
12. How many foreign-language papers are published in New York State?
13. What was O. Henry's real name?
14. How did Melvil Dewey make it easier for people to find books in a library?
15. What caused many early theatres to burn down?
16. When did N.Y. City become the leading theatrical city?
17. What were traveling troupes?
18. What are the names of two early plays based on life in the United States?
19. Why did the number of legitimate theaters in New York decrease?
20. How has the "Little Theatre" Movement contributed to the fact that most plays today are presented "Off Broadway"?
21. What is an experimental play?
22. Who is Eugene O'Neill?
23. What is a stock company?
24. What does vaudeville include?
25. What kind of an organization is the Chautauqua Institution?
26. What part did N.Y. State play in the growth of motion-picture production?

27. What has strengthened N.Y. City's position as the entertainment capital of the nation?

28. Name two outstanding conductors of the New York City Philharmonic Orchestra.

29. What kinds of musical organizations are found in our state?

30. Who was the first New York composer to win fame?

31. What two musical compositions of George Gershwin are very popular?

32. Who are four current composers of native American music?

33. Who was the first great painter in New York?

34. What were Currier and Ives known for?

35. Why were a group of New York artists called the "Ash Can School"?

36. What different approach did Jackson Pollock take in painting?

37. Who is the outstanding sculptor of New York?

38. Where did New York's museums get much of their works of art?

39. What can a study of old buildings tell you about the past?

40. What was the modern teaching method used by Rensselaer Institute back in the 1820's?

41. What did the first survey study?

42. What were two results of the scientific survey of N.Y. State?

43. In what six ways has the state helped the growth of culture?
Use your book to determine into which category each of the following people would fit. Place each name in one of the categories indicated below.

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FLIERL, CHAPTER 17, NEW YORK: CULTURAL CENTER OF THE NATION

QUESTIONS FOR REVIEW

A.1. The great writer from Cooperstown who wrote about Indians and the frontier was (a) Washington Irving, (b) O. Henry, (c) James Madison, (d) James Fenimore Cooper.

2. All of the following were New York writers EXCEPT (a) Washington Irving, (b) Carl Carmer, (c) Calvin Coolidge, (d) Walt Whitman.

3. All of the following were causes of the closing of many Broadway theatres in the 1930's EXCEPT (a) the cost of producing shows was high, (b) many theatres burned down, (c) talking pictures were invented, (d) actors left Broadway for bigger salaries in Hollywood.

4. The term "legitimate stage" refers to (a) a folklore play, (b) a play with live actors, (c) a pioneer wagon, (d) a political platform.

5. "Tin-Pan Alley" is a (a) musical district, (b) a restaurant, (c) disc jockey, (d) aluminum factory.

6. O. Henry's real name was ______.

7. Eugene O'Neill is regarded as America's greatest ______.

8. Two outstanding conductors of New York City's Philharmonic Orchestra are: ______.

9. Augustus Saint Gaudens was an outstanding ______.

10. The first school of scientific engineering in the U.S. was ______.

B. Match the author or composer in Column II with the title in Column I. Place the number of the creator's name next to the title.

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<td>e. Strange Interlude</td>
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ELLIS, CHAPTER 25, NEW YORK BECOMES THE NATION'S CULTURAL CENTER

WORDS TO LEARN

Vocabulary

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People, Places, Events, et cetera

- Boston, O. Henry, John Burroughs, Walt Whitman, Theodore Roosevelt
- Guggenheim Museum, Whitney Museum of American Art, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Trinity Church, Henry Richardson, Mackim, Mead, and White, Rockefeller Center
- Museum of Modern Art, Secretariat, United Nations, Frank Lloyd Wright
- Eero Saarinen, Metropolitan Opera Association, Enrico Caruso, Arturo Toscanini, N.Y. Philharmonic, Leonard Bernstein, Juilliard School of Music, Eastman School of Music

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WORDS TO LEARN (Continued)

Vocabulary

p. 347 *symphonic interpretation, bebop, *folk opera

People, Places, Events, et cetera


p. 348 cultivate extension courses congregations persecution

Franklin D. Roosevelt, Roman Catholic Church, Protestants, Protestant Episcopal, Presbyterian, Baptist, Lutheran, Methodist

p. 349 *federations *"social gospel"

Christian Scientists, Jehovah's Witnesses, Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America

Words Used in Context

Cultural New York City with its many fine libraries and museums, is the cultural center of the state. Ballet companies, operas, and theaters are some of its other cultural attractions.

Metropolis New York City, the main city of our state, is a metropolis. Another metropolis with a large population and cultural center is San Francisco.

tabloid A tabloid is a small-sized newspaper with many pictures and short news stories. The Daily News is a popular tabloid published in New York City.

cameo Cutting a cameo is one of the skills of a sculptor who works with gems. This cameo, with its profile of a face cut into it, is a popular form of jewelry.
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ELLIS, CHAPTER 25, NEW YORK BECOMES THE NATION'S CULTURAL CENTER

DIRECTED READING

READ TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS:

p. 338, New York's Role in Literature and Journalism

1. What are the names of five New York writers?
   What is the title of one work of each author?
2. What are three N.Y. City newspapers?

p. 341, Art Flourishes in New York

3. Describe the paintings of (a) the Hudson River School, (b) the Ashcan School, (c) Abstract-expressionist School.
4. What are three famous N.Y. City museums?
5. Why was the Armory Show of 1913 important?
6. Who are two famous N.Y. Philharmonic conductors?
7. Who are two famous modern writers of plays?

p. 348, New Yorkers Cultivate the Mind and the Spirit

8. What problems did church leaders face after the Civil War?
9. What are five gains in education New York has made in the last century?
Ellis, Chapter 25, New York Becomes the Nation's Cultural Center

Organization through Categorizing (rereading)

Place the names of the following people under the profession to which each one contributed:

7. Richard Rodgers, 8. Edith Wharton, 9. Ella Fitzgerald,

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## Matching Column

Write the letter of the item in Column II which most closely matches the name in Column I.

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A (Open Book)  
H (Recall)
ELLIS, CHAPTER 32, NEW YORK CITY HAS ITS OWN GOVERNMENT

WORDS TO LEARN

Vocabulary

p. 450 *employees

p. 451 charter, *amended "at large", councilmen

p. 453 comptroller, *administrative officer

p. 455 *prosecute

p. 456 *zoning regulations, *facilities

p. 457

p. 458 *public hearing

p. 459 *adopted

p. 461

p. 462 *pollution

p. 463 radiological, muck, pontoons

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People, Places, Events, et cetera

Board of Estimate, Local Improvement Board, Advisory Planning Board

City Council

Thomas E. Dewey, Frank S. Hogan, Fire Department, Police Department, Health Department, Park Department

Department of Investigation, City Planning Commission

Richmond, Charter of 1938

Department of Traffic

Expense Budget, Capital Budget, City Budget Director

Lincoln Center

New York City Housing Authority, Department of Air Pollution Control, Department of Water, Gas, and Electricity, Department of Sanitation, Department of Housing and Building

Fire Commissioner, Marine Division, Harbor Precinct

Police Athletic League, New York City Transit Authority

Words Used in Context

charter Before the boroughs could be organized into Greater New York City, it was necessary to draw up a charter. This charter gave written permission for the organization of Greater New York City.

comptroller When crooks left the city treasury empty, Andrew Green was made comptroller and put in charge of the city's expenses. Within a few years as comptroller he had straightened out this financial problem.

administrative officer The mayor is the chief administrative officer of New York City. As administrative officer he oversees all parts of the operation of the city government.
It is the job of the district attorney to prosecute people who break the law. When the district attorney wishes to prosecute a criminal, he must bring him to court and try to prove him guilty.

Zoning regulations keep neighborhoods of homes from being overrun by stores and factories. It is wise to check zoning regulations before buying a house to be sure the regulations do not permit factories to be built in your neighborhood.

The mayor of New York is required to hold a public hearing on a proposed law before he signs it. At this public hearing interested persons may make suggestions and ask questions.

Automobile exhaust, smoke, and dust, cause air pollution. The N.Y. City Department of Air Pollution Control has the job of keeping the city's air pure by checking on chimneys that smoke too much, etc.
1. A charter is a
   a. boat
   b. written grant
   c. small chart
   d. lively dance

2. A comptroller is in charge of the city's
   a. finances
   b. housing
   c. recreation
   d. transportation

3. The chief administrative officer of N.Y. City is the
   a. City Council
   b. Board of Estimate
   c. Mayor
   d. Planning Commission

4. In order to prosecute a criminal, the district attorney must
   a. defend him
   b. sentence him
   c. convict him
   d. bring him to court

5. The purpose of zoning regulations is to
   a. separate farmers from city dwellers
   b. separate residential and business areas
   c. determine the fare on buses
d. draw up parcel post rates

6. A public hearing is a
   a. hospital clinic for the hard of hearing
   b. public opinion poll
   c. meeting at which people make suggestions and ask questions
d. meeting of the City Council to decide on issues which affect the public

7. Pollution means
   a. impurities
   b. cleanliness
   c. pollen from plants
   d. air control

VOCABULARY TEST

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ELLIOTT, CHAPTER 32, NEW YORK HAS ITS OWN GOVERNMENT

DIRECTED READING

READ TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS:

p. 451, The City Government Serves the People
1. How does the city charter provide for the protection of local interests?
2. What are the responsibilities of each of the following officials?
   (a) Mayor, (b) Comptroller, (c) President of the Council, (d) Borough President
3. What is the function of the Board of Estimate?

p. 455, The City Government Manages the City's Affairs
4. What is the function of each of the following?
   (a) Department of Investigation, (b) City Planning Commission, (c) Board of Education

p. 457, The City Government Makes Laws and Handles Finances
5. How are local laws passed in N.Y. City?
6. Explain the differences between Expense Budget and Capital Budget?

p. 460, The City Government Offers Many Services
7. What educational and recreational services does N.Y. City offer?
8. What is the function of each of the following?
   (a) Department of Health, (b) Department of Air Pollution Control,
   (c) Department of Water, Gas, and Electricity, (d) Department of Sanitation,
   (e) Fire Department, (f) Police Department, (g) Transit Authority.

REVIEW THIS CHAPTER BY ANSWERING THE QUESTIONS ON PAGE 465
ELLIS, CHAPTER 32, NEW YORK CITY HAS ITS OWN GOVERNMENT

ORGANIZATION THROUGH CATEGORIZING (Rereading)

I Place the kinds of trials or cases listed below under the correct city or county courts. (Some items may be listed under more than one heading)

1. Tries civil cases involving large claims
2. Handles cases concerning children under sixteen
3. Handles minor law violations
4. Handles only criminal cases
5. Tries civil cases involving small claims
6. Listens only to appeals from Magistrates Court
7. Hears cases involving family matters
8. Handles the settling of estates

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II Place each of the duties or jobs listed below under the city department which has charge of it:

1. Watches over the city's food  
2. Keeps the city's air pure  
3. Cleans the streets  
4. Inspects all structures for fire hazards  
5. Fights fires  
6. Runs the New York subway system  
7. Provides protection against crime  
8. Tests milk and inspects restaurants  
9. Hauls away garbage and rubbish  
10. Inspects structures to insure reasonable living conditions  
11. Enforces traffic regulations  

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**ELLIS, CHAPTER 32, NEW YORK CITY HAS ITS OWN GOVERNMENT**

**QUESTIONS FOR REVIEW**

Write in the blanks before Column I the letter of the responsibilities in Column II which correctly match the city offices listed in Column I:

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<td>7. County Court Judge</td>
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<td>9. City Planning Commission</td>
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<td>10. Transit Authority</td>
<td>j. Keeps county court records</td>
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<td>k. Runs subways, buses and elevated lines</td>
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FLIERL, CHAPTER 20, NEW YORK CITY: WORLD METROPOLIS

WORDS TO LEARN

Vocabulary

p. 310 dynamic, intent, metropolis

p. 311 *commute

p. 312 site, navigable *borough

p. 313 *carfloats

p. 314 *heliport

p. 316 nudging

p. 317 *curios, *knishes

p. 318 *congested

p. 319 bottlenecks, trestles

p. 320 *processed

p. 321 *reservoirs, *leis

p. 322 *cloisters, planetarium

p. 323 "zipper"

p. 324 medieval, monastery gilt

p. 325

p. 326 *conventioneers, synagogues

People, Places, Events, et cetera

East R., Harlem R., Long Island Sound

Columbia University, New York Stock Exchange

Hudson R., Erie Canal, Manhattan, Long Island, Brooklyn, Queens, New Jersey, Staten Island, Richmond, Bronx, Westchester County, Nassau County, Rockland County

Boston, Philadelphia

Brooklyn Bridge, Holland Tunnel, La Guardia Field, N.Y. International Airport, Civil War

St. Lawrence Seaway

George Washington Bridge

Statue of Liberty, Empire State Building

Metropolitan Museum of Art, Cloisters, American Museum of Natural History, Hayden Planetarium, Museum of the American Indian Museum of Modern Art, Bartholdi

Guggenheim Museum, New York Times, "Times Square"

Metropolitan Opera, Lincoln Center, Juilliard School of Music, Yankees, Mets, Madison Square Garden, Forest Hills

World Trade Fair

St. Paul's Chapel, Marble Collegiate Church, Trinity Church, Alexander Hamilton, Robert Fulton, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Temple Emanu-El, Cathedral of St. John the Divine, Riverside Church, Little Church Around the Corner, Columbia University, New York University

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p. 328

United Nations

Words Used in Context

metropolis New York City, the main city of our state, is a metropolis. Another metropolis with a large population and cultural center is San Francisco.

dynamic Someone who returns to N.Y. City after a few years absence is impressed with the many new buildings and new groups of immigrants that have become part of this dynamic metropolis. Other dynamic features which impress visitors are the hustle and bustle of daily living and working in this large city.

commute Many people who live on Long Island commute to work in New York City. Some commute by bus and subway, and others by railroad or car.

site Manhattan is the site of the United Nations. Flushing Meadows has been the site of two World's Fairs.

navigable Since the Hudson River is so deep and wide it is easily navigable. It is navigable even by a large ocean liner as far north as Albany.

borough Manhattan is a borough, or division, of New York City. Queens is the New York City borough closest to Nassau County.

congested The subways are congested during rush hour. Passengers find it difficult to push through the congested subway cars in order to get off.

processed Supermarkets sell large quantities of processed foods. There are many varieties of canned, dried, and frozen foods to choose from on the processed food counters.

reservoirs New York City depends on upstate lakes and streams to fill its reservoirs. The billions of gallons of water which New Yorkers use daily come from the large reservoirs.

cloisters In medieval times monks and nuns often lived in cloisters which were shut off from the rest of the world. The New York City Cloisters, with its quiet surroundings resembles the medieval monasteries.
Many people who live on Long Island ________ to Manhattan, the leading business ________ of New York City. They travel to this great ________ on ________ roads and trains. Visitors to this ________ city are impressed with busy 42nd Street, which is the ________ of the United Nations, and with the freighters and barges sailing on the easily ________ Hudson River. They are delighted with the many varieties of ________ foods offered to them in huge supermarkets.

Sometimes visitors will seek relaxation walking in the quiet gardens of the ________. New York's water which is stored in upstate ________ is among the purest in the world.

dynamic
metropolis
commute
site
Navigable

borough
congested
processed
reservoirs
cloisters
READ TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS:

1. In what ways is New York City a leading city?

2. How has New York City's location contributed to its greatness?

3. What is meant by "Greater New York"?

4. What are the names of the five boroughs?

5. What communities are around New York City?

6. What fact originally prevented New York City from becoming a great port?

7. How did the Erie Canal help New York City's growth?

8. What land transportation problems did New York City have?

9. What was the purpose of carfloats?

10. What were two solutions to the problem of bringing surface vehicles into and out of the city?

11. What are New York City's two major airports?

12. Why did manufacturing boom in New York City after the Civil War?

13. Which port is a big competitor of New York City today?

14. What is the Port of New York Authority?

15. Which is the most heavily populated borough?

16. What immigrant groups formed their own neighborhoods?

17. What special quality does each borough have?

18. What has New York City done to eliminate slums?

19. Why are New York City's problems far worse than those of other great cities?

20. Why do people frequently not know their neighbors in New York City?

21. What transportation problems does New York City have?

22. Why were elevated railroads built?

23. List two advantages of subways.

24. About how many job holders in New York City live outside the city?
25. Name four other forms of local transportation.

26. Why would there be a serious food problem in New York City if long distance land transportation broke down for several days?

27. What services does upstate New York provide for New York City?

28. How does New York City benefit upstate New York?

29. Why do so many people visit New York City each year?

30. What five museums are in New York City?

31. What is the "Great White Way"?

32. How did Times Square get its name?

33. What is the purpose of the Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts?

34. What sports attractions does New York City have?

35. What are some of the business matters that bring visitors to New York City?

36. What are four famous houses of worship in New York City?

37. What educational institutions is New York City proud of?

38. About how many volumes are in the libraries of New York City?

39. Why is New York City a fine place for the headquarters of the United Nations?
If you look carefully at the map of New York City on page 315 of your text, you will see that it is laid out in squares called grids. The horizontal sides of the squares are labeled with numbers, and the vertical sides with letters. It is much easier to pinpoint the specific location of a place on the map if you describe it in terms of these numbers and letters. For instance, you can find the location of Floyd Bennett Field, the airport, by seeing where the number 3 and the letter C meet or intersect. Similarly, New York International Airport is located in the square enclosed by sides "4" and "c."

Notice that on this map the Hudson River starts in grid 3-A, and continues into grid 3-B, 2B and 2C.

Notice, also, that in the legend (the black-bordered square at the top left corner of the map) there is an explanation of the different markings, symbols and colors used on the map. For instance, orange areas, as you have already noticed, are airports, and green areas are parks.

Answer the following questions about this New York City map (page 315), referring to the legend to find your answers:

1. How are principal points of interest indicated?
2. How are bridges indicated?
3. How are tunnels indicated?
4. How are state lines indicated?
5. How are expressways indicated?
6. How are principal streets indicated?
7. How are borough border lines indicated?
8. What is the scale of miles of this map?

Answer the following questions about New York City, referring to the map on page 315 to find your answers:

9. In the line before each of the places below, write in the grid in which the place is located. Give the letter and the number.
   a. Long Island City
   b. Central Park
   c. La Guardia Airport
   d. The Narrows
   e. Cross Island Parkway
   f. Van Cortlandt Park
   g. Harlem
   h. Orchard Beach

10. In what two grids is Staten Island located? (a)______, (b)______

11. In what three grids is Nassau County located? (a)______, (b)______, (c)______

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WORDS TO LEARN

Vocabulary

| p. 422 | *wards, freeholders, alderman |
| p. 423 | monopoly, synagogue, representatives |
| p. 424 | federal |
| p. 425 | |
| p. 426 | *depression |
| p. 428 | financial, immigration |
| p. 429 | |
| p. 431 | *blackguard, *draft, extension, inhabitants |

People, Places, Events, et cetera

| | Dutch West India Company |
| | Kings Bridge, Manhattan, Bronx, Brooklyn, Staten Island, Long Island, New Jersey, Jacob Leisler, John Peter Zenger, Columbia University |
| | British East India Company, Sugar Act, Stamp Act, Intolerable Acts, Sons of Liberty |
| | Robert Morris, Empress of China, China Trade |
| | Duncan Phyfe, New York Stock Exchange |
| | Tammany Society |
| | Croton Aqueduct |

Words Used in Context

freeholders Because they owned land, freeholders played an important role in the development of the state's government. Freeholders were able to elect officers who could make laws to protect their rights as landowners.

alderman Freeholders elected an alderman to represent their district. An alderman would then meet with the mayor and other officials to help make laws.

monopoly New York City had a monopoly on packing all the flour exported from the colony. Because of this monopoly, all the flour merchants of other cities were forced to ship their flour to New York City.

federal All the fifty states are united in one federal government. The people of each of the states elect representatives to the federal government.

depression During the depression in 1929, many businesses failed. There were few jobs, and many people were unemployed until the end of the depression.
Words Used in Context (Continued)

financial New York City, the home of the Stock Exchange, is the nation's leading financial center. Many bankers, stockbrokers and businessmen make New York the financial center of the country.

bankrupt A shopkeeper went bankrupt when his business failed to make a profit for several years. Because he was bankrupt, he was unable to pay the people he owed money.

aqueduct The Croton Aqueduct carries water from Croton Lake to New York City. The aqueduct was built to supply the city with a larger quantity of water than it could get from its local wells.
ELLIS, CHAPTER 30, NEW YORK BECOMES THE EMPIRE CITY

VOCABULARY TEST

Write the letter of the definition from Column II in the space before the word it defines in Column I.

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<td>j. letdown in business activity</td>
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<td>k. water-carrier</td>
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Fill in the blanks using the words from Column I.

A. Before the Constitution was written and a ________ government was created, freemen and ________ elected a(n) ________ to represent them in their local government.

B. Many businessmen fear a ________ which would cause them to lose much money and possibly cause them to go ________ and become unable to pay their debts.

C. Since New York City did not have all the water it needed, the city decided to build an ________. In order to undertake this expensive project, the city had to have much ________ support.
ELLIS, CHAPTER 30, NEW YORK BECOMES THE EMPIRE CITY

DIRECTED READING

READ TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS:

1. What facts show that New York became an important trading center?

2. If you were living in colonial New York City, what would you have disliked about it?

3. How were the merchants important in the revolt against British rule?

4. What manufacturing businesses contributed to the growth of New York as a business empire?

5. What factors were important in making New York the nation's financial center?

6. What living conditions did the immigrant face when he arrived in New York in the 1880's? What conditions does the immigrant face today?

7. How was the cultural life of the city improved?

8. Why was the 1860 draft law unfair?

9. What problems did the draft law cause?

REVIEW THE CHAPTER BY ANSWERING THE QUESTIONS ON PAGE 432 OF YOUR TEXT.
ELLIS, CHAPTER 30, NEW YORK BECOMES THE EMPIRE CITY

MAIN IDEAS and SUPPORTING DETAILS

Place the letter before each detail under the main idea it helps support:

1. Clothing and shoemaking were important industries in New York City.
2. First bank in the state was built in the city.
3. Two-thirds of all American imports passed through the city.
4. Merchants offered a wide variety of goods for sale.
5. Furniture was made in the city.
6. By 1814 there were ten banks in the city.
7. Large ironworks manufactured heavy machinery.
8. Trade with California and the Far East was controlled by the city.
9. The city was noted for its workmanship in copper, silver, gold, and jewels.
10. The New York Stock Exchange was founded in the city.
11. New York had a monopoly to pack all flour exported from the colony.
12. Insurance companies were located in the city.

New York City: The Empire City

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WORDS TO LEARN

Vocabulary

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Words Used in Context

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charter Before the boroughs could be organized into Greater New York City, it was necessary to draw up a charter. The charter gave written permission for the organization of Greater New York City.

coastal Because New York City is located on the Atlantic Ocean, it has much coastal trade. People living near the ocean often see a number of coastal liners bringing in cargoes.

terminal Cargoes and passengers are unloaded at a terminal. The railroads deliver their cargoes to the Union Freight Terminal in New York City.
Words Used in Context (Continued)

specialists Because they study and work only in a particular field, some people are called specialists. Brain surgeons and corporation lawyers study for many years to become specialists in their fields.

suspension span The Verrazano-Narrows Bridge has the longest suspension span in the world. This suspension span will stretch from Brooklyn to Staten Island and will be high above the sea level.

scandal Since several plots to steal money from the city were uncovered, the years after the Civil War were marked by scandal. One scandal involved the Tweed Ring which stole millions of dollars and an alderman who had been bribed to vote a certain way.

graft Even honest mayors sometimes had difficulty in preventing dishonesty and graft among the city officers. Two borough presidents were accused of graft when it was proven that they took advantage of their jobs to gain dishonest money.

corruption Bribery, graft and dishonesty were part of the corruption in the 1880's in the city. Years later, Mayor La Guardia fought crooked politicians and gangsters to end this corruption.

dwellers Dwellers in city areas are surrounded by large apartments and skyscrapers. Country dwellers on the other hand, make their homes in areas surrounded by woods and fields.
ELLIS, CHAPTER 31, NEW YORK BECOMES A WORLD CAPITAL

VOCABULARY TEST

1. At a terminal
   a. railroad ties cross
   b. the ocean meets the land
   c. cargoes and passengers are unloaded
   d. a light house is built

2. A controller is in charge of the city's
   a. finances
   b. housing
   c. recreation
   d. transportation

3. Political corruption nearly always involves
   a. railroads
   b. Republicans
   c. bribery
   d. Democrats

4. A charter is
   a. a boat
   b. a written grant
   c. the Gettysburg Address
   d. a small chart

5. Coastal areas are located near:
   a. a lighthouse
   b. a canal
   c. the sea
   d. the equator

6. The discovery of politicians taking money illegally usually results in
   a. a scandal
   b. a political ring
   c. arbitration
   d. appointment of new judges

7. Which of the following are specialists:
   a. farmers
   b. open-heart surgeons
   c. grave diggers
   d. Marine sergeants

8. The word suspension span is used when referring to:
   a. underclothes
   b. railroads
   c. bridges
   d. tunnels

9. Dwellers are
   a. people who live in houses
   b. people who dig wells
   c. people who own farms
   d. people who travel a lot

10. Taking advantage of a political office to get money is called
    a. scandal
    b. gerrymandering
    c. graft
    d. politicking

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DIRECTED READING

READ TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS:

1. What is meant by "Greater New York City"?
2. How was Andrew Haswell Green important in the formation of Greater New York City?
3. Why is the city accurately called the "Empire City"?
4. What are the functions of the Port of New York Authority?
5. Why was the Triborough Bridge and Tunnel Authority created?
6. How was Fiorello H. La Guardia important in the fight against corruption?
7. What poor conditions did the immigrant face?
8. How has the Housing Authority helped city dwellers?
9. Where in New York City is the United Nations located?
10. Why is New York City a good location for the United Nations?

REVIEW THE CHAPTER BY ANSWERING THE QUESTIONS ON PAGES 448 AND 449 OF YOUR TEXT.
CRITICAL READING (Judging Fact vs. Opinion)

When you read your textbook, you should read carefully and critically to weigh what the authors are telling you in light of what you have already read and know. You will want to know when the authors are stating facts and when they are giving opinions. A fact is a statement which can be proven. An opinion, on the other hand, is a judgment which may or may not be based on fact and which needs further proof before we can accept it as a fact. For example, on p. 443 of your textbook you will find the following sentence: "Fiorello H. La Guardia was elected mayor in 1933." This statement can easily be proven and is, therefore, a fact. On the same page of your text you will find another sentence: "La Guardia brought a new spirit to New York City." Notice that your authors are expressing an opinion. La Guardia may have brought a new spirit to New York, but we would need proof, specific facts, to show how he did this. We would also need to know what the authors mean by a "new spirit."

All of the following statements are quoted directly from your textbook. Read the statements critically and before each one put F for fact; O for opinion.

There may be some question or disagreement over whether some of the statements are facts or opinions.

1. "Over two million tons of goods are handled by the Port District in a single year."
2. "Mayor James J. Walker, better known to New Yorkers as Jimmy Walker, was loved dearly."
3. "The old New York families, the immigrants and their children, the people moving in from the southern states and other parts of the country—all have worked together to make the city a better place in which to live, work, and play."
4. "The foreign-born and native-born citizens who had at least one foreign-born parent made up more than half the population of the city in 1960."
5. "The city serves the representatives of all nations well."
6. "When a strike halted the printing of newspapers, he (La Guardia) read the comics over the radio to the children of the city."
7. "New York City dwellers are known as hard workers who do their jobs fast and well."
8. "At the time Greater New York City was created in 1898 it had a population of over three million."
9. "It is fitting that New York City should have been chosen as the home of the United Nations, because here millions of people of all races and creeds have learned to live together in peaceful co-operation."
10. "Automobiles and trucks traveling over the excellent network of roads in northeastern United States speed to the city."
11. "Today New York City is a much better place to live than it was a generation ago."
12. "People of all races and creeds live in New York City."
### Questions for Review

#### Matching Questions

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