

# CHRONOLOGY

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| <p><b>1889</b> Jane Addams founds Hull House in Chicago</p> <p><b>1890</b> Jacob Riis publishes <i>How the Other Half Lives</i></p> <p><b>1895</b> Booker T. Washington addresses Cotton States Exposition in Atlanta, emphasizing an accommodationist philosophy<br/>Lillian Wald establishes Henry Street Settlement in New York</p> <p><b>1898</b> Florence Kelley becomes general secretary of the new National Consumers' League</p> <p><b>1900</b> Robert M. La Follette elected governor of Wisconsin</p> <p><b>1901</b> Theodore Roosevelt succeeds the assassinated William McKinley as president</p> <p><b>1904</b> Lincoln Steffens publishes <i>The Shame of the Cities</i></p> <p><b>1905</b> President Roosevelt creates U.S. Forest Service and names Gifford Pinchot head<br/>Industrial Workers of the World is founded in Chicago</p> <p><b>1906</b> Upton Sinclair's <i>The Jungle</i> exposes conditions in the meatpacking industry<br/>Congress passes Pure Food and Drug Act and Meat Inspection Act and establishes Food and Drug Administration</p> <p><b>1908</b> In <i>Muller v. Oregon</i> the Supreme Court upholds a state law limiting maximum hours for working women</p> | <p><b>1909</b> Uprising of 20,000 garment workers in New York City's garment industries helps organize unskilled workers into unions<br/>National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is founded</p> <p><b>1911</b> Triangle Shirtwaist Company fire kills 146 garment workers in New York City<br/>Socialist critic Max Eastman begins publishing <i>The Masses</i></p> <p><b>1912</b> Democrat Woodrow Wilson wins presidency, defeating Republican William H. Taft, Progressive Theodore Roosevelt, and Socialist Eugene V. Debs<br/>Bread and Roses strike involves 25,000 textile workers in Lawrence, Massachusetts<br/>Margaret Sanger begins writing and speaking in support of birth control for women</p> <p><b>1913</b> Sixteenth Amendment, legalizing a graduated income tax, is ratified</p> <p><b>1914</b> Clayton Antitrust Act exempts unions from being construed as illegal combinations in restraint of trade<br/>Federal Trade Commission is established<br/>Ludlow Massacre occurs</p> <p><b>1916</b> National Park Service is established</p> |
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