

## Thomas A Edison Invented the lightbulb



This cartoon shows a shopper being told that if he buys from domestic good or foreign goods he has to pay

## **SECTION 1- RISE OF INDUSTRY**

How did the principles of the free enterprise system, laissez-faire, and profit motive encourage the rise of industry?

The free enterprise system was able to industrialize rapidly. Laissez-faire rely on supply and demand and believe a free market with competing companies will create more wealth for all and great efficiency. Profit motive made morral tariffs which was against laissez-faire but which foreign investor were interested.



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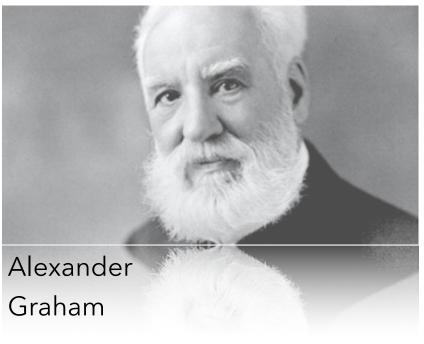
to trusts.

## Factory of women making clothes.

Choose one invention from the timeline and explain how it changed how it changed society.

The light bulb created a whole new view (literally) on technology. The light bulb sparked the modernism in America from depending on natural light, to electricity. Many people invested in the light bulb which also provided more jobs and more investments. What big role did the federal government play in increasing industrialization after the Civil war?

After the Civil War industries rapidly expanded , millions left their farms to work in mines and factories making them abandon their rights.



Inventor of the telegraph

Gross Nation Product (GNP)- in 1914 the nations GNP was the total value of all goods and services that a country produces.

Edwin Drake- drilled the fist oil well in Titusville, Pennsylvania

Alexander Bell- in 1874 suggested the idea of a telephone. in 1876 he succeeded in his invention and made a call to a friend next door to him.

Thomas Alva Edison- Leading pioneer in new technology, has a lab located in Menlo Park, New Jersey.

Laissez-Faire-late 1800's french phrase meaning "let people do as they choose", supporters of this phrase believed the the government should not interfere with the economy.

Morral Tariff- Policy passed by congress but was controlled by the Republicans.

How did the abundance of natural resources contribute to economic growth in the United States in the late 1800's?

Being that the U.S. had cast natural resources like timber, coal, iron and copper, American companies can obtain these resources cheaply and not have to trade with other

## **Primary Source**

"Population growth stemmed from two causes- large families and flood of immigrants, Because of better living conditions, more children survived and grew to adulthood." Because of the many inventions that were created it gave many immigrants to seek a better life and find jobs in factories that constructed the new inventions.