

World History since 1500



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March 2	Article Review Due - NOW
March 7& 9 Spring Break	
March 13	Review Session 4-6 pm Ben May Hall
March 14	Exam Two
March 20	Online Quiz Ch. 21
March 21	Article 3 Approval

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Social Structure

"The Middle Class Ideals"

The "Cult of Domesticity"

- The cult of domesticity was a cultural ideal that emerged as a central ideal or view within the middle class
 - this ideology stressed the importance of and role of the home as a site of social and cultural "reproduction"
 - Working class women did work and couldn't uphold such norms
- Home considered a retreat or refuge
 - Linked to a concern with social change
 - Home and outside world became "opposites"
- Home a place of affection which was new in 19th century



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Suffrage Who gets to vote?



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Who gets to vote?

Religion Wealth (lack thereof) Knowledge Race Gender Age Criminality Residency



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Women's Suffrage in the UK

- 1866: John Stuart Mill MP presents the first mass women's suffrage petition to the House of Commons. It contains over 1500 signatures.
- 1870: The Married Women's Property Act gives married women the right to own their own property and money.
- 1907: Dora Thewlis and 75 other suffragettes are arrested when the WSPU attempt to storm the Houses of Parliament.
- 1909: Marion Wallace Dunlop becomes the first imprisoned suffragette to go on hunger strike. Later that year prisons begin to force feed inmates on hunger strike.
- 1914: The outbreak of World War One brings a suspension to the WSPU's and NUWSS's campaigns.
- 1918: The Representation of the People Bill is passed, allowing women over the age of 30 and men over the age of 21 to vote. Women must be married or a member of the Local Government Register.

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Science Guys

Louis Pasteur

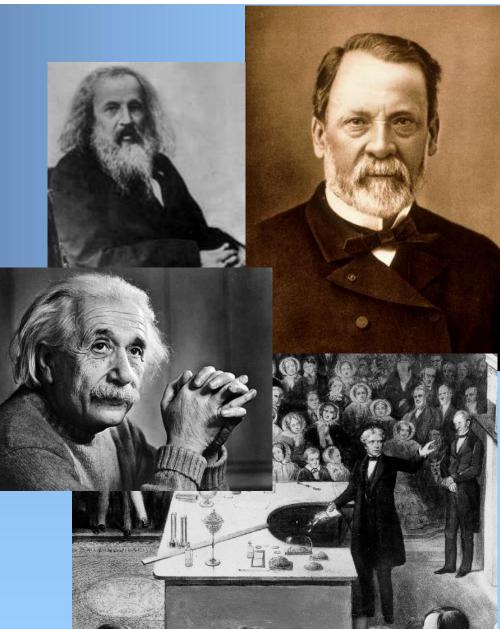
Dmitri Mendeleev

Michael Faraday

Marie Curie

Max Planck

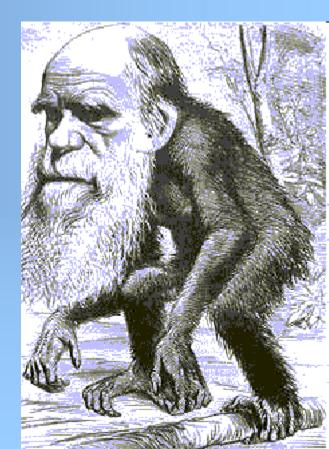
Albert Einstein



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Understandings of Nature & Society

Charles Darwin *On the Origin of Species (1859)*



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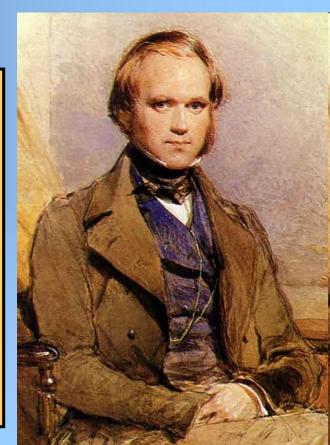
Understandings of Nature & Society

Charles Darwin *On the Origin of Species (1859)*

Voyage of HMS Beagle (1831-6) – 22 years old

Writes on Zoology and Geology – develops private theory on natural selection

Pushed to publish by Alfred Wallace's writing (50 years old)



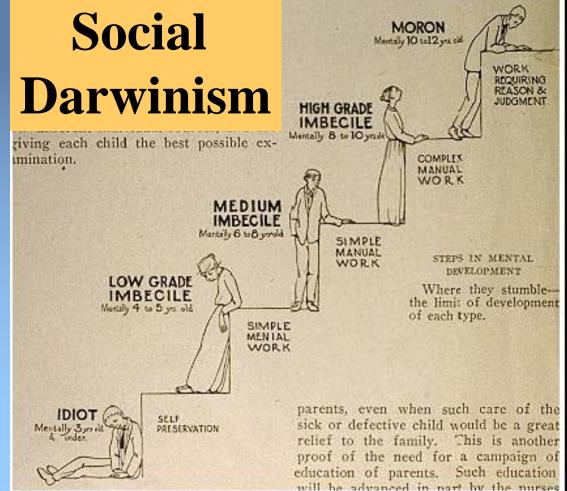
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Understandings of Nature & Society

Thomas Huxley Herbert Spencer Francis Galton

Darwin applied to business, eugenics, race

"Justified" anti-Semitism, persecutions, and pogroms



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The New Imperialism

Darwin's Theories

Support for European Superiority
1. biological roots
2. permanent feature

of global order

Race Scientists

Eugenics, Biometry, Genetics, Anthropology



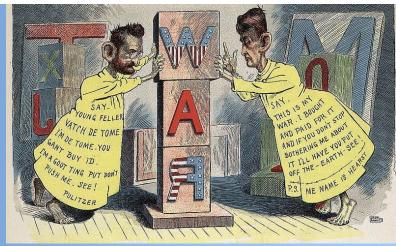
wenn Minderwertige 4 kinder und ficherwertige 2 kinder haben. Eugenics propaganda, Nazi style. Partial

translation of text :" Qualitative decline in the population...It will come to this if individuals with lesser value have four children and those of higher value have two."

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Yellow Journalism

To the artist who cabled from Cuba, "There is no trouble here. There will be no war. I wish to return." Hearst replied "Please remain. You furnish the pictures and I'll furnish the war."



Hearst's Journal described the Spanish Commander as "Butcher" Weyler, "the devastator of Haciendas, the destroyer of families, and the outrager of women."

Pulitzer's World printed such reports as: "The horrors of a barbarous struggle for the extermination of the native population are witnessed in all parts of the country. Blood on the roadsides, blood on the fields, blood on the doorsteps, blood, blood, blood! The old, the young, the weak, the crippled all are butchered without mercy. There is scarcely a hamlet that has not witnessed the dreadful work. Is there no nation wise enough, brave enough to aid this blood-smitten land?"

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Feb. 15, 1898 USS Maine explosion in Havana, Cuba

"Splendid Little War"

April 25 – August 12, 1898 332 combat deaths 2,957 deaths by disease

Cuba Philippines Guam Puerto Rico





THE GREAT NAVAL BATTLE OFF CAVITE (MANILA BAY)

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