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Western Civilization since 1500



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HI 102 – Western Civilization

History 102 Western Civilization from 1500

Feb. 20	Article Review 2 – DUE TODAY
Feb. 21	Chapter 22 Online Quiz
Feb. 22	Class 2 nd Floor - Bedsole Library
Feb. 27	EXAM 2 (Chapters 19-22)
Feb. 29	Online Quiz Chapter 23 YES – We WILL have class
March 5 & 7	SPRING BREAK NO CLASSES
March 12	Online Quiz Chapter 24
March 14	Article 3 Approval (Ch. 23-26)

Chapter 21 - Reaction, Revolution & Romanticism

Utopia

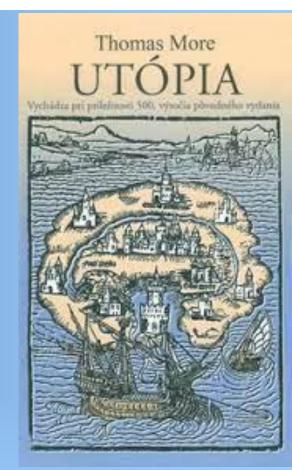
Greek prefix "ou-" (oὔ), meaning "not", and *topos* (τόπος), "place"

Thomas More

1516 (Latin), 1551 (English)

Modern:

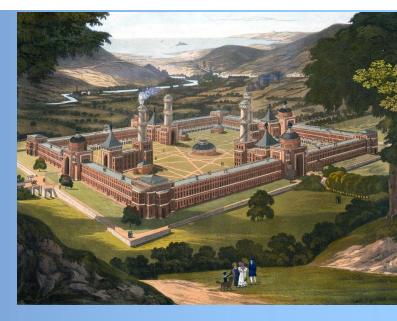
"any imagined place or state of things in which everything is perfect."



Chapter 21 - Reaction, Revolution & Romanticism

Utopian Socialism

hypothetical visions of egalitarian, communal, meritocratic, or other notions of perfect societies without considering how these societies could be created or sustained



Robert Owen

New Lanark, Scotland, 1786 New Harmony, Indiana, 1814

Other Reasons & Places

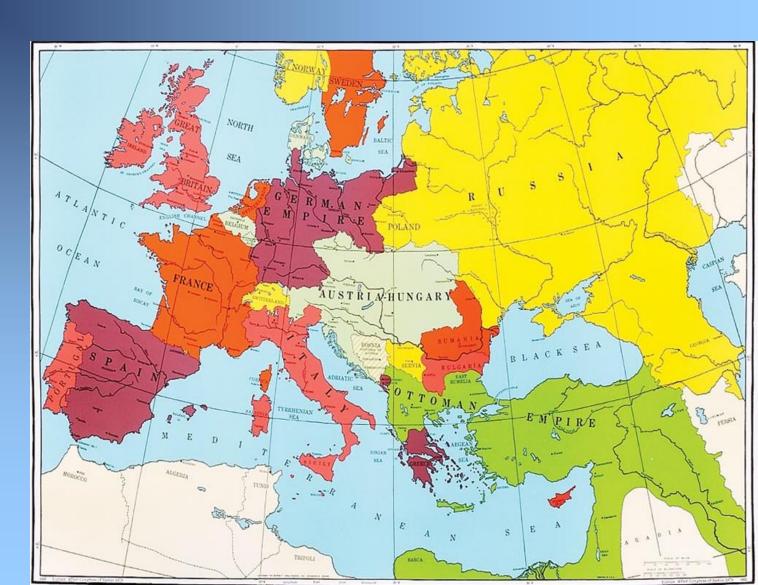
Oneida Community, NY, 1848 Perfectionist, religious society

Fairhope, Alabama, 1894 Single Tax – economic theory

Guardian
Of
Palestine's
Holy
Places

French Catholic

Russian Orthodox



Crimean War 1853-56

Charge of the Light Brigade

Florence Nightingale

Railways and Telegraphs

Photo-Journalists



Unification of Italy

(1820 - 1821)

Carbonari organized Failed insurrections in Kingdom of Two Sicilies and Piedmont

Revolutions of 1848–1849 (1st War of Independence)

Lombardy – deny Austria taxes by stopping smoking and playing the lottery

Tuscany – non-violent – granted a constitution

War of 1859 (2nd War of Independence) French support for Piedmont against Austria

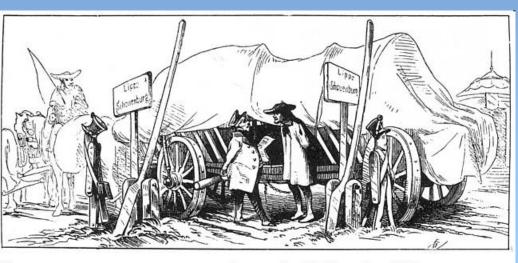
1866 (3rd War of Independence) Italians fight poorly as ally of Prussia, but gain Venetia in Austro-Prussian War

1870 – Rome becomes capital of Italy
Franco-Prussian War results in French leaving Rome

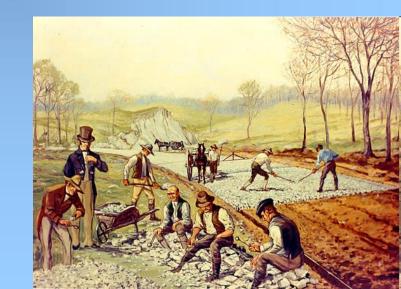




- 1806 over 300 German-speaking political entities
- 1815 Nationalism grows under Napoleon,
 Prussian cavalry seals Napoleon's fate at Waterloo
- 1834 eliminate tolls stimulate trade
- 1835 Built it and they will come... Roads, Rail, Riverboats



German cartoon on customs prior to the Zollverein, 1834



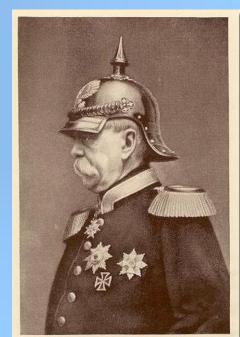
Unification of Germany

1848 – Frankfort Parliament & Prussian constitution, Friedrich Wilhelm, refuses to "pick up a crown from the gutter"

1862 – Otto von Bismarck becomes Prime Minister of Prussia. "the great questions of the day will not be settled by speeches and majority decisions... but by blood and iron."

1866 – Austro-Prussian War -

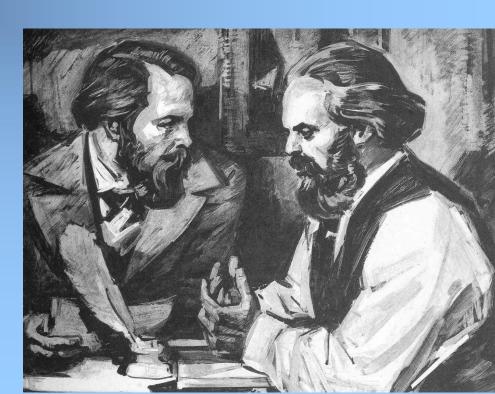
1870-1 – Franco-Prussian War – annex Alsace-Lorraine, France pays 5 billion francs – establishes enmity between France and Germany



Socialism (but not utopian) and Karl Marx

Karl Marx – lawyer and economist ("underemployed")

Friedrich Engels – wealthy industrialist (son)



Karl Marx

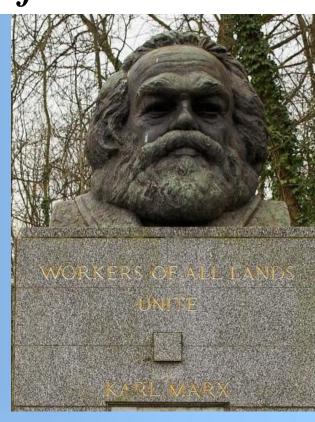
Communist Manifesto (1848) Das Kapital (1867)

Religion "opiate of the people"

Labor Theory of Value

Proletarian Revolution

To overcome the <u>fetters of private property</u> the working class must seize political power internationally through a social revolution and expropriate the capitalist classes around the world and place the productive capacities of society into <u>collective ownership</u>. Classes would be abolished and the basis for all forms of inequality between humankind would dissolve.



Science Guys

Louis Pasteur

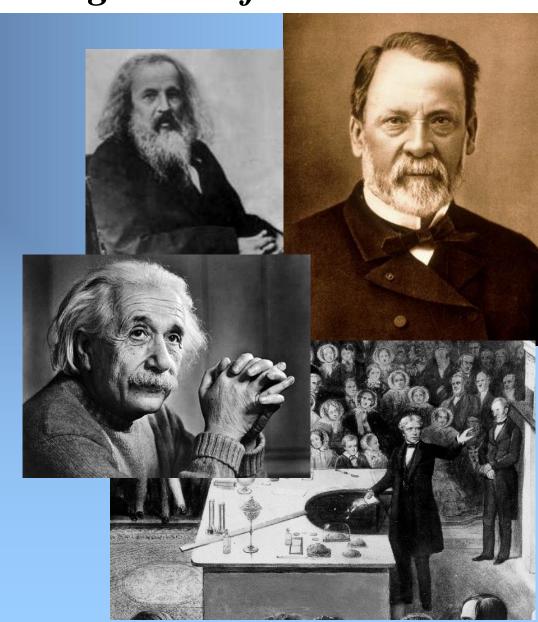
Dmitri Mendeleev

Michael Faraday

Marie Curie

Max Planck

Albert Einstein

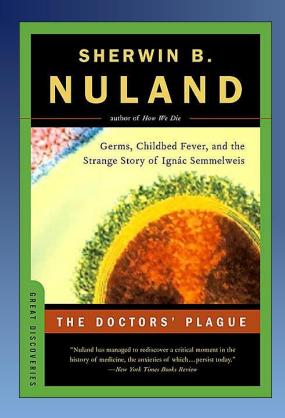


Public Health

1. Wash your hands

2. Don't drink sewer water







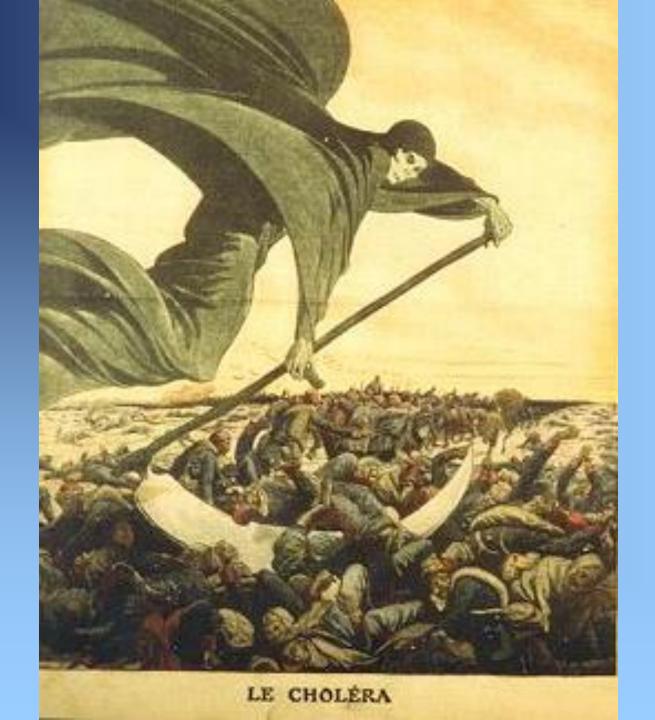
Ignaz Semmelweis, M.D.

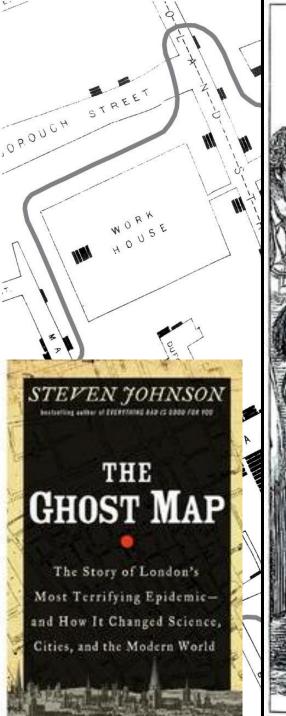
1844 - Vienna Lying-In Hospital

Doctor's Division – 16% death rate

Mid Wife Division – 2% death rate

May 1847 - all doctors and students wash their hands in chlorinated lime solution before starting ward work. The mortality rate from puerperal fever fell from 18% in May 1847 to less than 3% in June–November of the same year







Cholera

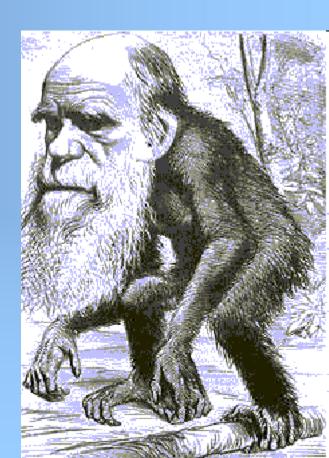
1849

Dr. John Snow

Understandings of Nature & Society

Charles Darwin

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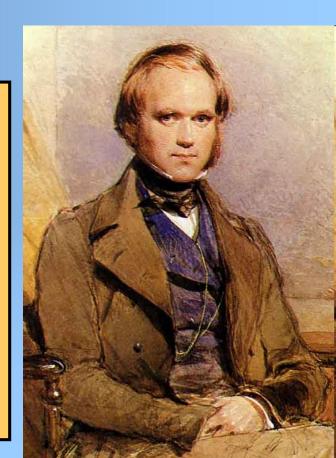
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Voyage of HMS Beagle (1831-6) – 22 years old

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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