
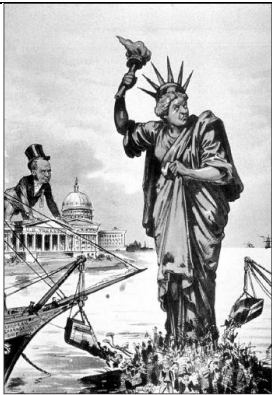




**Immigration Cartoons: Analyzing Attitudes About Immigration**

Directions: For each of the following political cartoons, answer the corresponding questions.

 <p><b>Cartoon A</b></p>	<p>Describe the people in this cartoon. What are they doing?</p> <p>Who does the man wearing the hat represent? The man with the pigtail? The man being eaten?</p> <p>Why is there a railroad between the two immigrants?</p> <p>What is the artist's feeling towards immigrants? How do you know</p>
 <p><b>Cartoon B</b></p>	<p>What are the ships dumping on liberty island?</p> <p>What is the Statue of Liberty thinking? Why?</p> <p>What is ironic about the statue's reaction in this cartoon?</p> <p>What is the artist's feeling towards immigrants? How do you know</p>
 <p><b>Cartoon C</b></p>	<p>What is happening in this cartoon?</p> <p>Why do people in the holes have traps set out? How do the immigrants seem to be reacting?</p> <p>Do you think the artist is sympathetic to problems facing immigrants? Why?</p> <p>Create a caption for this cartoon.</p>
 <p><b>Cartoon D</b></p>	<p>Describe what is happening in this cartoon. What biblical figure does Uncle Sam represent? Why?</p> <p>Who do the people walking between the parting waves represent? From where are they coming? What is their destination? What do the waves represent?</p> <p>How is Europe represented? The United States? Why?</p> <p>Would this cartoon appeal to people with anti-foreign feelings? Why or why not?</p>



**Cartoon E**

What is happening in this cartoon? Which biblical scene do you think the cartoonist wants us to remember?

What is Uncle Sam offering the immigrants? Why?

What might the features in the dark clouds in the upper right-hand corner of the cartoon represent?

How has the artist portrayed immigrants? Do they appear to be deserving of Uncle Sam's welcome? Explain.



**Cartoon F**

What is happening in this cartoon? What is the setting?

How is Uncle Sam portrayed? What is Uncle Sam holding? What is the significance of these people?

What is the artist's concerned will happen if the people on the list are allowed into the United States?

What is the meaning of the sign on the Statue of Liberty?



**Cartoon G**

What three groups are represented in this cartoon?

What are the written notices on the walls? Which legislative acts may they refer to?

Explain the caption of the cartoon and how the three characters relate to it.

Is the artist critical or supportive of anti-immigration laws? Explain.



**Cartoon H**

Whom do the bandits in this cartoon represent? Why?

What is Uncle Sam's reaction to what is happening?

Why does the image of President McKinley appear in the smoke of Uncle Sam's cigar?

Create your own caption for this cartoon.