

Gilded Age Political Cartoons



1. What is the main idea of this cartoon?
2. What was the first thing you noticed in this cartoon?
3. Who is depicted in this cartoon?
4. Develop two questions about this cartoon.
5. How could this cartoon be used as evidence in an essay concerning corruption in the Grant Administration?

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7. What was the first thing you noticed in this cartoon?
8. Who is Horace Greeley and what were his political beliefs?
9. Develop two questions about this cartoon.
10. How could this cartoon be used as evidence in an essay concerning the election of 1872?



THEY ARE SWALLOWING EACH OTHER.

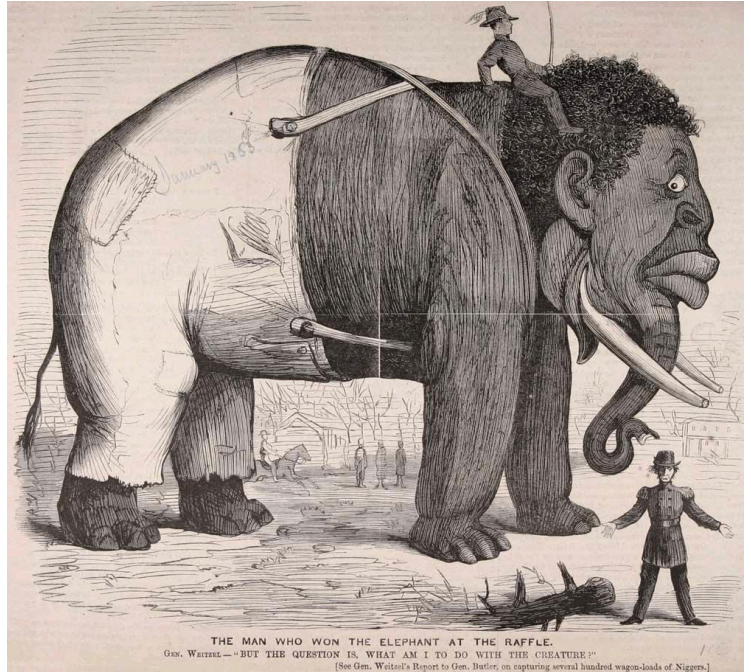
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11. What is the main idea of this cartoon?

12. What was the first thing you noticed in this cartoon?

13. What does this cartoon say about the relationship of the African-American vote and the Republican Party?

14. How could this cartoon be used as evidence in an essay concerning the election of 1872?

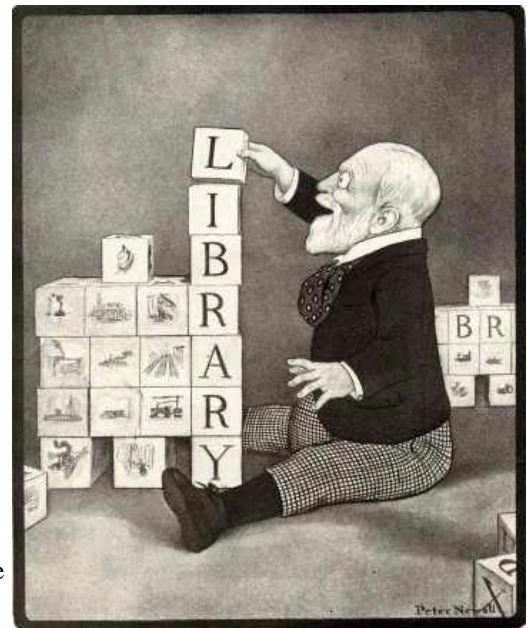


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16. What was the first thing you noticed in this cartoon?

17. What does this cartoon say about the intentions of Andrew Carnegie?

18. How could this cartoon be used as evidence in an essay concerning the use of wealth by industrialists?

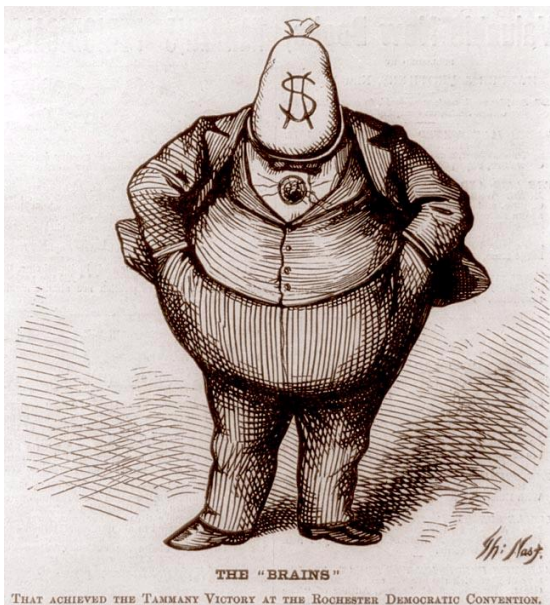


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19. What is the main idea of this cartoon?
20. What was the first thing you noticed in this cartoon?
21. Who is depicted in this cartoon?
22. How could this cartoon be used as evidence in an essay concerning political corruption?



23. The cartoon above is a commentary on the late-nineteenth century
- A. municipal corruption.
 - B. imperialism.
 - C. labor unrest.
 - D. business monopolies.
 - E. civil rights campaigns.



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26. Develop two questions about this cartoon.
27. How could this cartoon be used as evidence in an essay concerning political corruption?

28. The cartoon by Thomas Nast above presents Boss Tweed as
- A. a politician ruled by greed.
 - B. a benefactor of the public.
 - C. a political reformer.
 - D. a politician influenced by special interest groups.
 - E. a politician who rejected business influence.