

## Muckraker Article

**Objective:** Analyze how the Gilded Age led to many problems in early 20<sup>th</sup> Century USA by writing a news report as a Muckraker

As a muckraker, you uncovered alarming information about problems in American society at the turn of the century. You will now expose what you learned to the American public by writing a newspaper report that will stir your readers to action.

Your Article must improve the following

- An appropriate and appealing **title**
- An **introduction** with a brief explanation of muckraking and an overview of what you plan to expose in your article (A)
- One paragraph **describing each of the problems you discovered at your field site.** Use really shocking language (C, E)
- A conclusion summarizing how the Gilded Age led to these issues that you are reporting on(S)
- Any clever or creative touches to make your article more realistic.

Article will be graded according to ACES Rubric.

You must have this printed out and turned in by the end of this week .