

American History

An improved standard of living for many, combined with technological innovations in communication, transportation and industry, resulted in social and cultural changes and tensions.

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OH.2024.Q2

What was one factor that contributed to the movement of Americans from cities to suburbs from the 1920s to the 1950s?

- (A) increased automobile ownership
- (B) decreased employment opportunities
- (C) the rationing of materials during World War II
- (D) the construction of transcontinental railroad lines

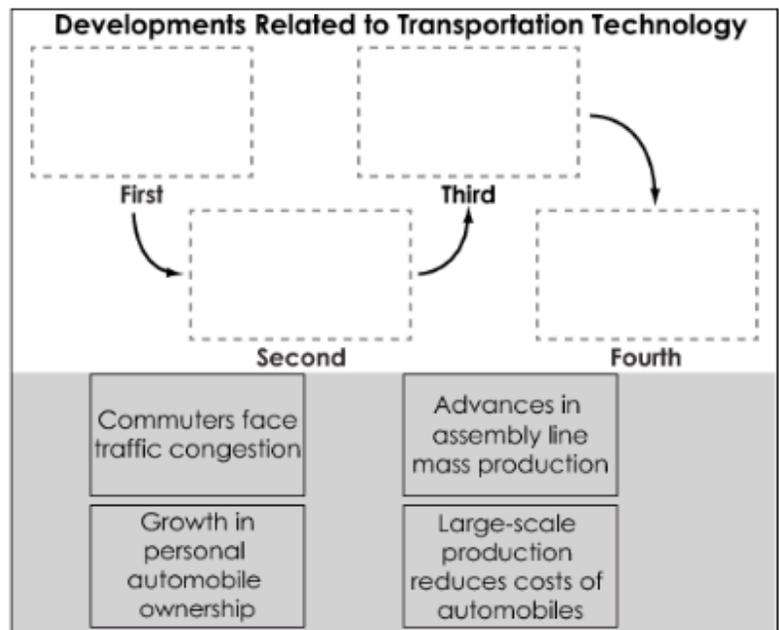
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OH.2018.Q24

Following World War I, technological advances in transportation greatly impacted American society.

Identify the developments that are related to advances in transportation technology.

Move each development into a blank box in the correct sequence in the chart.



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OH.2015.Q28

Which development contributed to the expansion of the suburbs in the United States in the 1920s?

- Ⓐ the use of the automobile
- Ⓑ the building of skyscrapers
- Ⓒ the expansion of farm acreage
- Ⓓ the increase in the immigrant population

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OH.2016.Q15

The following question has two parts. First, answer part A. Then, answer part B.

Part A

Following World War I, the United States experienced a period of technological advancement in transportation.

Which advancement in transportation occurred during this period?

- Ⓐ introduction of the electric streetcar
- Ⓑ increased availability of the automobile
- Ⓒ decreased cost of commercial air travel
- Ⓓ introduction of the transcontinental railroad

Part B

Select all of the consequences that resulted from the transportation advancement you identified in Part A.

- traffic congestion
- increased use of coal
- municipal budget deficits
- increased demand for gasoline
- construction of international airports

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OH.2017.Q14

The following question has two parts. First, answer part A. Then, answer part B.

Part A

Which change occurred in U.S. society during the 1920s?

- (A) The cost of commercial flights sharply declined.
- (B) Automobile production and ownership increased significantly.
- (C) Newspaper and magazine subscriptions decreased nationwide.
- (D) Steamboats replaced railroads as the primary mode of commercial transportation.

Part B

Select all of the factors that contributed to the change you identified in part A.

- The U.S. government funded the construction of radio broadcast towers.
- International airport construction projects reduced the cost of airline travel.
- A post-war economic boom raised the standard of living in the United States.
- Improved mass production techniques made manufactured goods more affordable.
- The raw materials used in railroad construction became very expensive following World War I.