Lesson 5 American History

C: Recent American History & Other Important Historical Information

Section: Civil Rights

Questions: 4, 48, 77, 38, 12, 84, 85, 51, 28

Voting Rights

- * a change (to the Constitution)
- * an addition (to the Constitution)

The 20th Amendment to the Constitution.

AMENDMENT 20 tified January 23, 1933) ection 1. The terms of the President an hall end at noon on the 20th day of terms of Senators and Representatives day of January, of years in which such ended if this article had not been rat of their successors shall then begin. Section 2. The Congress shall ass every year, and such meeting shall

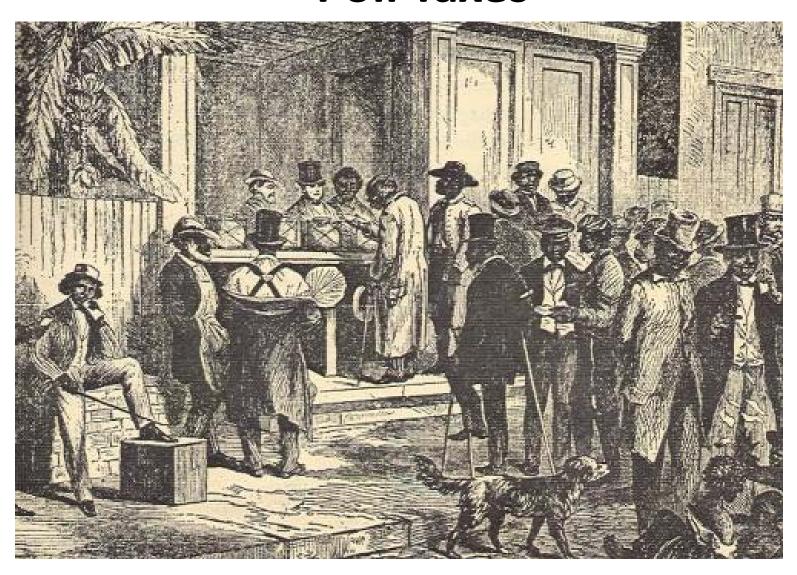


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A young woman casting her ballot in the 1964 presidential election. Courtesy of the Library of Congress, LC-DIG passes 04300.



Voter Discrimination, Literacy Tests, Poll Taxes



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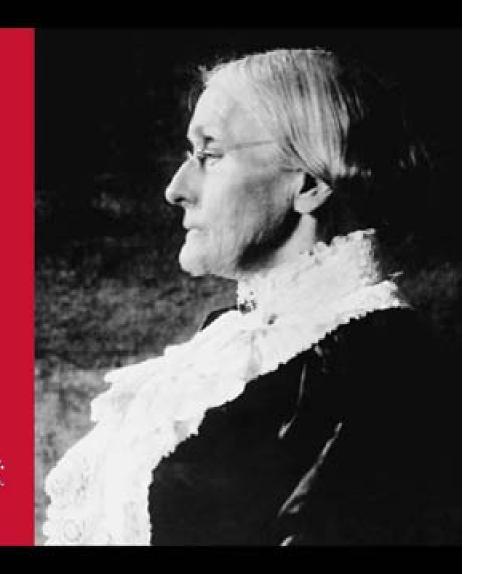
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- * fought for women's rights
- * fought for civil rights

Susan B. Anthony. Courtesy of the Library of Congress, LC-DIG-ggbain 30125.





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ACCOUNT OF THE PROCEEDINGS

ON THE

TRIAL OF

SUSAN B. ANTHONY,

ON THE

Charge of Illegal Voting,

AT THE

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION IN NOV., 1872,

AND ON THE

TRIAL OF

BEVERLY W. JONES, EDWIN T. MARSH AND WILLIAM B. HALL,

THE INSPECTORS OF ELECTION BY WHOM HER VOTE WAS RECEIVED.

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The Civil Rights Movement

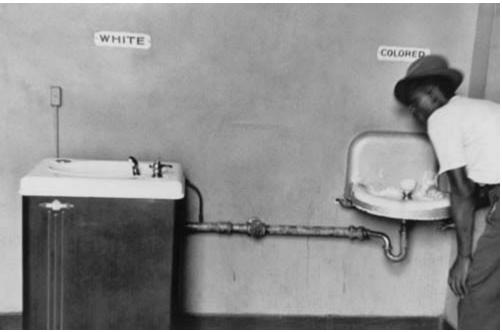


civil rights (movement)

Demonstrators at the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom in Washington, D.C., August 28, 1963. Courtesy of the Library of Congress, LC-DIG-pomeca-03128.

Segregation = Separation







Discrimination



the Supreme Court

West facade of the U.S. Supreme Court building in Washington, D.C. Courtesy of the Collection of the Supreme Court of the United States.

The Supreme Court's decision to end segregation in schools - 1954



The Little Rock Nine



Governor of Arkansas



Little Rock High School, Arkansas



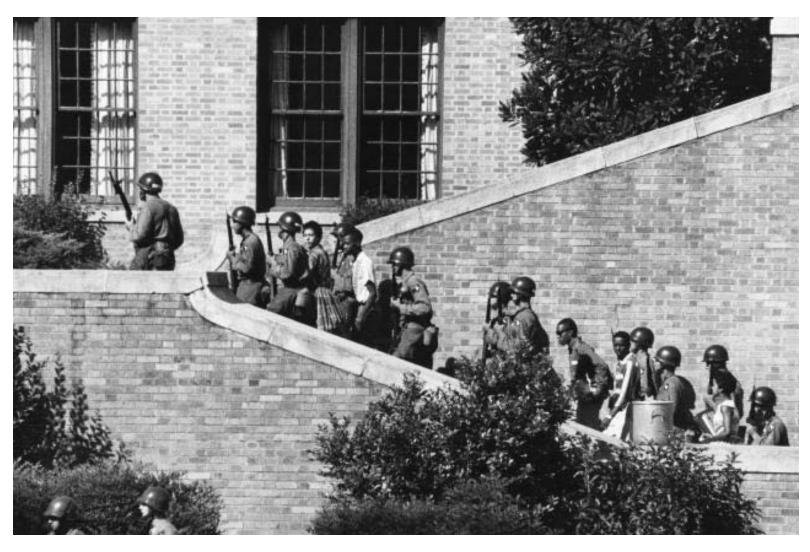


- Everyone must follow the law.
- Leaders must obey the law.
- ★ Government must obey the law.
- * No one is above the law.

The Contemplation of Justice statue outside the U.S. Supreme Court building in Washington, D.C.

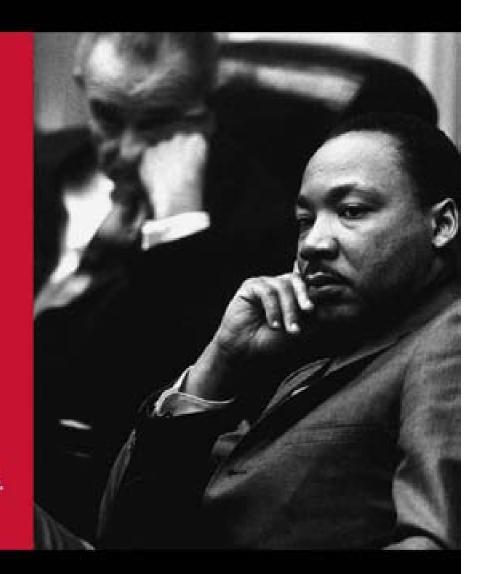
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The President Sends The Federal Army



- * fought for civil rights
- * worked for equality for all Americans

Martin Luther King, Jr.



March Birmingham, Alabama - 1963



March to Birmingham















MLK:

"AMERICA IS FREEDOM"

March to Washington D.C.





250,000 protesters



I Have A Dream Speech



Civil Rights Act - 1964

