

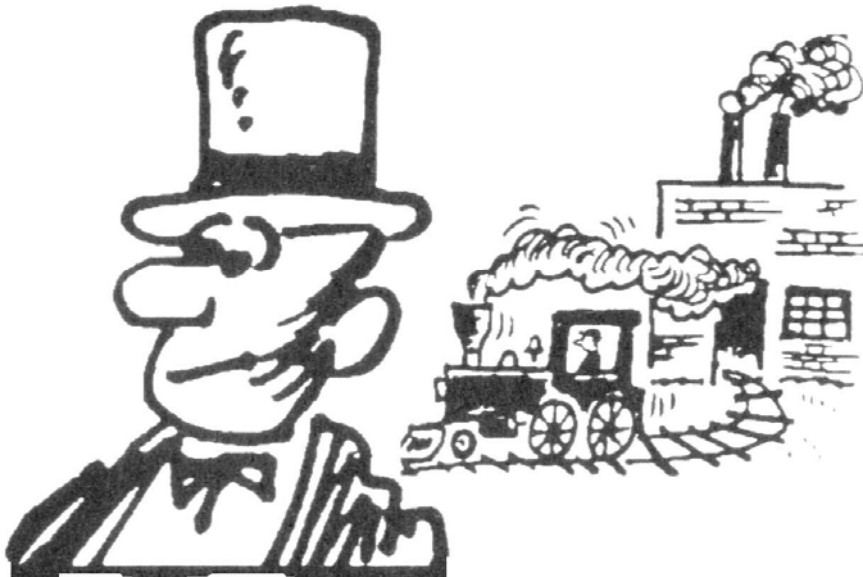
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DIRECTIONS: Use your textbook pages 386-390 to fill in the following blanks using the words in this box.

Robert Fulton	machinery	canals	31,000 miles
telegraph	thresher	factories	Samuel Morse
Steel-tipped plow	Peter Cooper	dividing	sewing machine
Mechanical reaper			

Technology and Industry

First, manufacturers made products by (1)_____ the tasks. Then manufactures built (2)_____ to bring specialized workers together. Finally, factory workers used (3)_____ to perform some of their work. After Elias Howe invented the (4)_____ in 1846, operators could produce clothing on a large scale form fabric made by machine. The invention of the steamboats by (5)_____ in 1807 meant that goods and passengers could be transported more quickly. In the 1840s (6)_____ were widened and deepened to accommodate steamboats. In 1830 (7)_____ built the first American steam locomotive. By 1860 the United States had almost (8)_____ if railway tracks that helped speed the flow of goods from the east to the Midwest. On May 24, 1844, (9)_____ successfully demonstrated the use of his (10)_____ system.



Agriculture

The (11)_____ easily cut through the hard-packed sod of the prairies; the (12)_____ sped up the harvesting of wheat; and the (13)_____ quickly separated the grain from the stalk.

