# Innovations (Inventions)

Today, you will be able to: Explain how the Industrial Revolution changed the way goods were manufactured and innovations influenced the daily life



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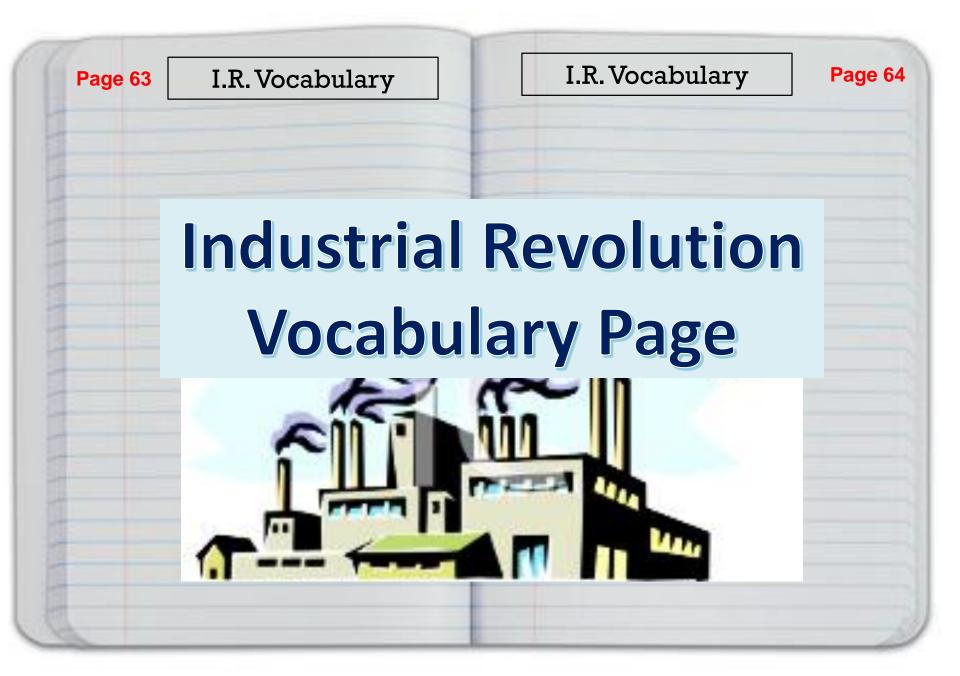
- 1. Write vocabulary words on page 63-64
- 2. Read the Invention summaries
- Write who is the Inventor, How does it function, and the Impact of industrialization



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# Industrial Revolution

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# Transportation

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## A way of traveling from one place to another



# Communication

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## Exchanging information or news



# Locomotive

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## Engine that provides motive power for a train



# Transcontinental Pages 63-64

Passing across a continent

## Transcontinental Railroad

# Canal

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## • A man-made water route

Along the Eric Canal, Buffalo, N. Y.

# Efficient

A way of doing something that makes the best use of time and energy

> In New York it may be more efficient to ride a bike to work

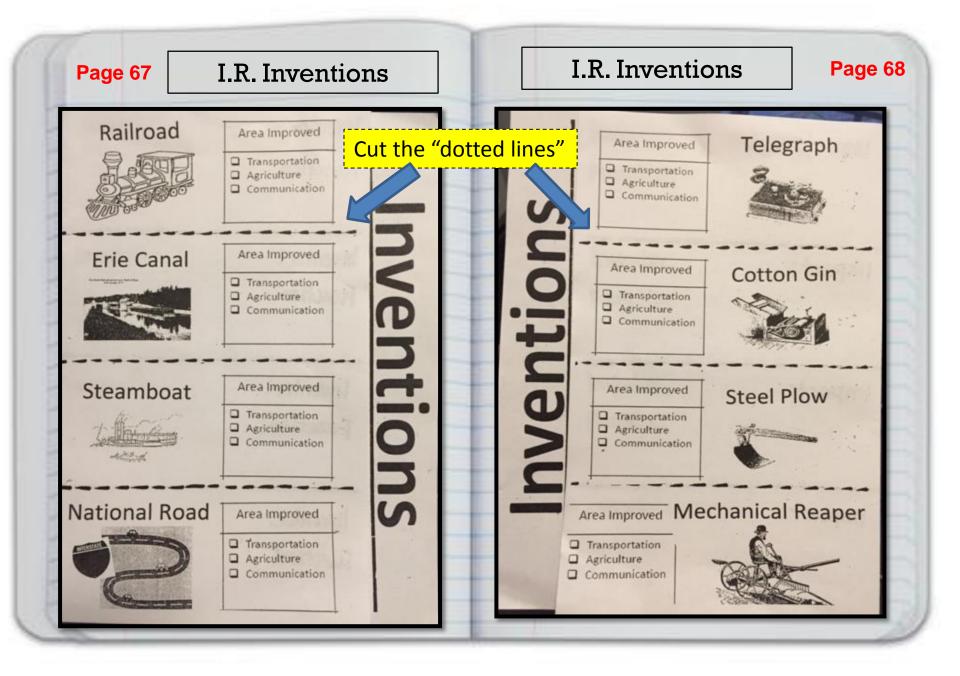
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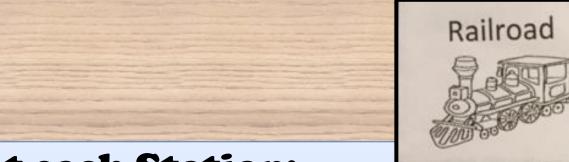
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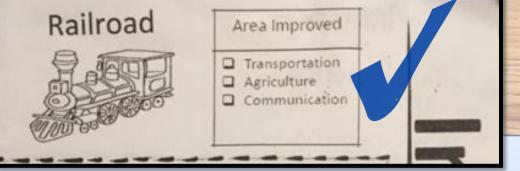
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## To gather crops







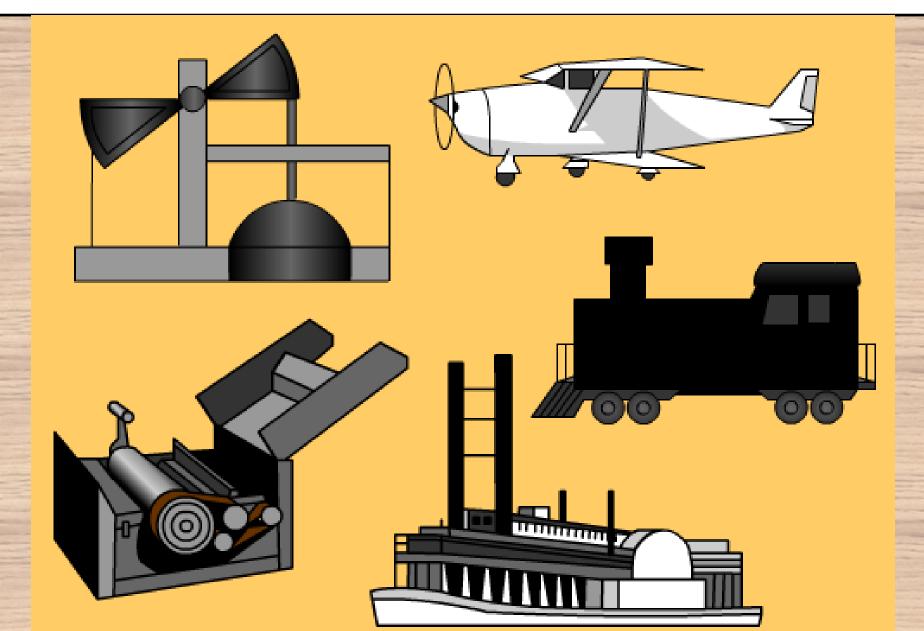


### At each Station:

- 1. Watch the video
- 2. Check the box of Area Improved
- 3. Read the Invention summaries
- 4. Write who is the Inventor, How does it function, and the Impact of industrialization

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# Industrial Revolution Inventions



# Railroad

Who is the inventor of railroads?How does the railroad function?

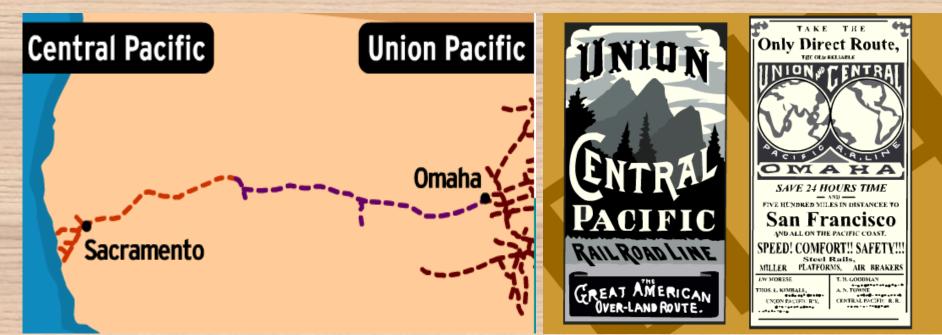
The railroad was first developed in Great Britain by the man named George Stephenson. He applied the steam engine to a wheeled wagon moving along a track, creating the first railroad **locomotive**. Railroads revolutionized land transportation.

# Railroads function by the steam engine

# Railroad

• What is the impact of railroads?

Companies from the West and East coast build the tracks to connect across the nation. This is called the **Transcontinental** Railroad. This fasten the time to travel from New York to San Francisco in 6 days, compared to 6 months by wagon!!



## Rocky Mt Video



# Erie Canal

Who is the inventor of the Erie Canal?
How does the Erie Canal function?

The railroad expanded land transportation just as the Erie **Canal** had expanded water transport. New York governor, Dewitt Clinton, was the driving force behind the project. Clinton wanted a safe and **efficient** way to transport goods to the Great Lake region.





# Erie Canal

 $\circ~$  What is the impact of the Erie Canal?

The Erie canal connected farmland around the Great Lakes to cities and markets in the east. The man-made river made the New York City the major port in the U.S. (and still today!)

# New York City port

### **Building the Erie Canal.**

### A canal is a man-made water route

## **Erie Canal Video**



# Steamboat

• Who is the inventor of the steamboat?

The **steam engine** led to the invention of the steamboat. The first successful steamboat was the Clermont, which was built by American inventor Robert Fulton.



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# Steamboat

How does the steamboat function?
What is the impact of the steamboat?

Fulton used the idea of the steam engine to power the boat for movement. This allowed faster water transportation and decreased travel time. The steamboat enabled goods to be transported both up and down the river system without the products (crops) spoiling during the trip.





## Steamboat Video



# National Road

Who is the inventor of the National Road?
How does the National Road function?

The national road was the first major improved highway in the U.S. to be built by the federal government. About 620 miles long, the National road connected cities to rivers. This played a major role in westward expansion for thousands of settlers. First National Road that started a pathway to cities and states.

# **National Road**

What is the impact of the national road?

The impact of the national road connected cities, rivers, and states that brought the nation closer. This road was the inspiration of the nation's first highway.

Bridge building was necessary to cross over rivers and streams.

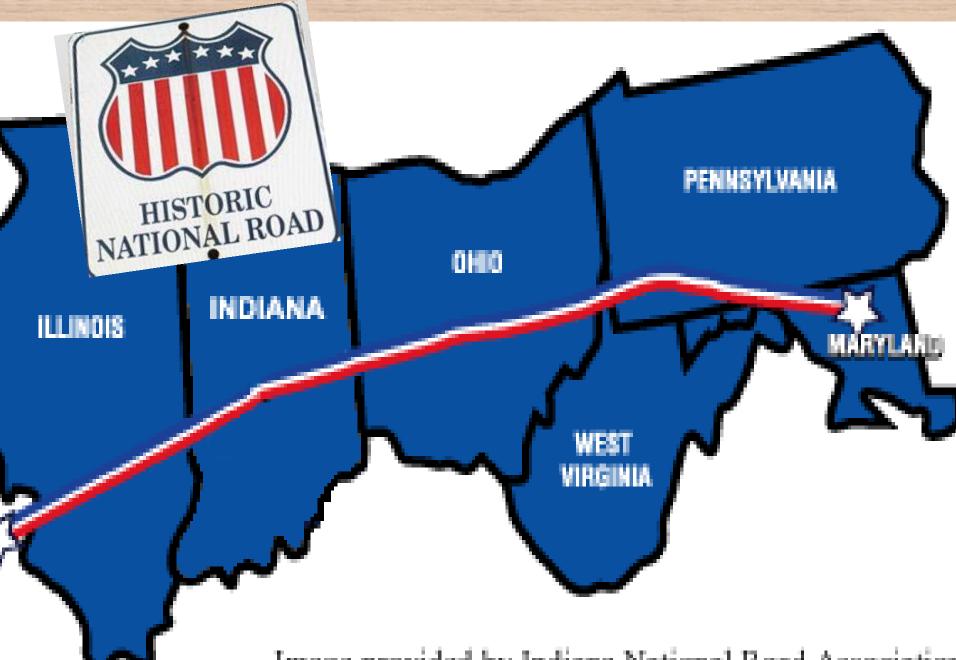


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# Telegraph

• Who is the inventor of the Telegraph?

Samuel Morse invented a faster way to communicate by inventing the **telegraph**. The telegraph made instant communication with the entire nation of reality.

Instant communication all over the nation

# Telegraph

• How does the telegraph function?

It function by the use of electronic beeping to send a coded message called "Morse code." This improved long distance communication by decoding

the message. N A O B C P Q **Morse Code that** E R decodes messages S  $\mathbf{F}$ G T H П

Instant communication all over the nation

## Telegraph

• What is the impact of the telegraph?

Thanks to the telegraph, daily newspapers could now publish next-day account of speeches, elections, and battles. This became very useful during the Civil War.



#### **Telegraph Civil War Video**



### Cotton Gin

- Who is the inventor of the cotton gin?
- o How does the cotton gin function?

Plantation owners in the South used slave labor to grow cotton, rice and tobacco. South often failed to develop new technologies to satisfy demand for raw cotton.

Until, the inventor Eli Whitney developed the cotton gin. One machine cold do the work of fifty workers separating the sharp seeds by hand.

Removing the seeds by hand took: 18 hours for 1 pound of cotton



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#### Cotton Gin

• What is the impact of the cotton gin?

Plantation owners began to use more slaves and the price of slaves doubled overnight. Over the next 40 years, plantation system of "King Cotton" spread throughout the South.

#### "King Cotton" in South Plantations

#### **Cotton Gin video**



### **Steel Plow**

• Who is the inventor of the steel plow?

It wasn't until the steel plow was introduced by John Deere, that western farmers were able to harvest their own crops more **efficiently**.

This makes farming so much easier!

### **Steel Plow**

How does the steel plow function?

Deere figured out a way to make things easier for western farms by creating a plow that was made of polished steel to break up tough soil without soil getting suck to it.

### **Steel Plow**

• What is the impact of the steel plow?

The steel edge allowed farmers to cut through the rocky soil and made planting crops in hard soil easier. Americans were able to plant enough crops to take care of our growing nation.







# Mechanical Reaper

Who is the inventor of the mechanical reaper?

Not long after the cotton gin was invented, Cyrus McCormick invented another significant agricultural invention that revolutionized farming, the mechanical reaper.

# Mechanical Reaper

How does the mechanical reaper function?
What is the impact of the mechanical reaper?

This machine was used by farmers to **harvest** crops mechanically and more efficiently by replacing the manual cutting of the crop. It was an automatic grain cutter that saved time tremendously. As the farmland expands to the Great Plains and the Midwest, the reaper was the tool to use.



#### **Mechanical Reaper in Action**

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Mechanical Reaper invented by Cyrus McCormick in 1831; used by farmers to harvest crops mechanically

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