

Railroads and American Politics

Agenda for Topic 7: Railroads and Government Regulation: 1887-1920

- 1. The “Railroad Problem”**
- 2. State Regulation of Railroads**
- 3. Supreme Court Rulings on Railroad Regulation by the States**
- 4. The Interstate Commerce Act of 1887**
- 5. Enforcement Problems**
- 6. Regulatory Acts of Congress and Strict Regulation after 1903**