

# LESSON 13

## TEXAS ALMANAC TEACHERS GUIDE

### Texas in Conflict, 1900–1920

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#### INSTRUCTIONAL SUGGESTIONS

- 1. GRID PUZZLE:** Students will use a blank grid (Appendix) and these clues to complete a **grid coordinates puzzle**. Number the **horizontal axis** from 1–22; letter the **vertical axis** from A–R. Write the answers in the grid according to the coordinates at the beginning of each clue. Use the “1900–1920” section of “A Brief Sketch of Texas History” in the Texas Almanac.

#### ACROSS

- C – 5 Because of raids by \_\_\_\_\_ in 1916, President Woodrow Wilson activated the National Guard.
- E – 3 By 1920, nearly one-third of the population of Texas lived in the \_\_\_\_\_.
- G – 5 \_\_\_\_\_ against black soldiers led to a riot in Houston in 1917.
- J – 7 In 1903, the Legislature passed laws to prohibit the abuse of \_\_\_\_\_ labor.
- L – 12 In 1900, a devastating hurricane struck \_\_\_\_\_.
- O – 3 Beginning in 1914, James E. \_\_\_\_\_ became one of the most dominant and colorful figures in Texas politics.
- P – 12 In 1917, the House approved 21 articles of \_\_\_\_\_ against Governor Ferguson for misappropriation of funds and embezzlement.
- R – 1 \_\_\_\_\_ were given the right to vote in state primaries in 1918.

#### DOWN

- A – 7 The Texas \_\_\_\_\_ were sent to the Valley in 1913 to offer protection from Mexican rebels.
- A – 13 In 1903, the Legislature imposed a \_\_\_\_\_ tax as a requisite for voting.
- F – 9 In the early twentieth century, the \_\_\_\_\_ movement gathered strength in Texas.
- F – 14 The election of \_\_\_\_\_ as Governor in 1906 marked a progressive period in Texas politics.
- F – 17 The United States entered \_\_\_\_\_ War I in 1917.
- F – 20 The \_\_\_\_\_ Ship Channel was built to provide an inland port.
- K – 16 The \_\_\_\_\_ Revolution broke out in 1911.
- M – 5 During World War I, intolerance was shown toward \_\_\_\_\_ - Texans because of their ancestry.



*Frank Hamer posed for this photo in 1906, shortly after he became a Texas Ranger. Courtesy of the Texas Ranger Hall of Fame and Museum.*

#### SOCIAL STUDIES TEKS

4 - 5, 12, 22, 23

7 - 7, 10, 11, 12, 21, 22, 23

8 - 29, 30

#### STAAR

4, 7 - Reading - 1, 2, 3