## New south quiz study guide

## You need to:

- 1. Know the definition of convict lease system.
- 2. Know the criticisms of the Bourbon Triumvirate.
- 3. Know the benefit of the convict lease system to the state.
- 4. Know the benefit of the convict lease system to businesses.
- 5. Know the issues Rebecca Felton fought for in her columns.

All of the first five will be found in the Challenge against the BT outline sheet.

You need to know the platforms of the groups on the New South matrix – this will be a matching section on the test.

The majority of the test -10 out of the 20 – will be short written summaries of some of the people or groups and you will have to name them. Here are a few examples:

As one of the members of the Bourbon Triumvirate, I reduced the state's war debt and brought new industry to GA. I also served two different terms in the US Senate. I wrote a book entitled Reminiscences about my service during the Civil War. Some people say I was a leader of the early KKK, but I also have a county and a college named after me. Who am I?

It's so easy getting my mail now! Before Rural Free Delivery (RFD) we had to hitch up the wagon and drive to the county seat in order to pick up our mail. Now it's just a short walk to the mailbox and the best part is – it doesn't cost a thing! I'm going to send a letter to the man that's made this all possible. To whom would you send that letter?

This group's name means the "people's" party. It worked for changes to the way things were done for the working class, including the 8-hour workday. It also wanted political unity between white and black farmers. Tom Watson was the most famous Populist from Georgia. What group is this?

I was a member of the powerful Bourbon Triumvirate. I was the only member to serve in all 3 branches of government. I lost popularity when I wanted to state to go along with Radical Reconstruction policies after I had led the state as governor during the Civil War. Who am I?

Who do those members of the Bourbon Triumvirate think they are? While I know they've done some good things, there are a lot of us working class folks who aren't seeing the benefits. I just got a copy of the Cartersville Courant and read a column by Dr. William Felton. He's giving a voice to those of us who feel we don't have one in Georgia politics. He's even started a political party to represent folks like us. I can't wait to put my support behind the candidates of this new party. What new political party is being described?