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Document Analysis Worksheet

What is the name or title of the document?

1. Describe the document:

- Newspaper Poster Congressional Record
 Letter Advertisement Transcript (of _____)
 Other (Describe) _____

2. Describe any unique physical characteristics of the original document: (interesting letterhead, handwritten, seals, stamps, notations, etc)

3. Date of Document:

4. Author, creator, or source of the document: (Include their position or title, if known)

5. For what audience was the document written?

6. List three things the author said that you think are important.

A.

B.

C.

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8. Why do you think this document was written?

9. What evidence in the document helps you know why it was written? Quote from the document.

10. List two things the document tells you about life in the United States at the time it was written.

A.

B.

11. Write a question to the author that is left unanswered by the document.