Crash Course European History: Viewing Guide
Episode 30: Women’s Activism and Modern Life

Terms to know from this episode:
- Karl Benz
- Bayer
- Birth Control Revolution
- Marie Sklodowska-Curie
- Feminists
- John Stuart Mill
- Women’s Social and Political Union
- Emily Wilding Davidson

1. Who invented the internal combustion engine?

2. Alongside revolutions in transportation and lighting, etc, there was also a __________________________ revolution taking place around 1900, which led to Bayer producing the first ________________________.

3. Despite a decline in fertility, name two reasons population was going up in Europe.
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4. The spread of ______________________________ gave women the skills to become telegraph operators, nurses, teachers, etc...

5. What did Marie Curie help pioneer before she died?

6. Why was Oscar Wilde imprisoned?

7. It was true that women had been making demands for change through the nineteenth century. They wanted ___________________________ and other property and access to ___________________________.

8. What did Marianne Hainisch define feminism as?

9. What right seemed to elude women?

10. Who spoke in front of Parliament in support of women’s suffrage and wrote On the Subjugation of Women?
11. What were the first 2 European countries to allow women to vote and when?

12. ______________________________________________________ and her daughters Sylvia and Cristabel founded the Women’s Social and Political Union in 1903.

13. Name two examples of protests that suffragettes used:
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14. “In 1913, militant suffragist Emily Wilding Davison cast herself in front of the king’s ______________ at a horse race and was killed.”

15. How do you define “modern life?” How does it compare to how people used the term around 1900?

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