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Historical Thinking Worksheet

Sourcing:

1. Is this a primary or secondary source?
2. What is your source or document? (format- letter, painting, object, etc.)
3. What is the title?
4. Who is the author/creator?
5. Where and when was it created?
6. Give the Chicago Style Citation for this source
7. Is it reliable?

Contextualization:

8. How would you contextualize the source?

Corroboration:

9. What other documents would you need to understand this source better or confirm its accuracy?
10. What do these other documents say?

(Turn Over)

Close Reading:

11. What claims does the author make?

12. What evidence does he or she use to support these claims?