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Q5(a)

Is the theory of cultural lag valid in present times? Discuss

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Ogburn

Cultural lag: adaptive culture trails material invention.

Gig work

A present case of platform technique ahead of labour protection.

Marx

Forces of production develop inside class relations, not in a vacuum.

Weber

Science and law as cultural rationalisation, not mere lagging custom.

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