Critical Thinking 8.1

1. Why could only peninsulares hold the highest offices?
2. How did the Spanish feel about Indians?
3. From the view of the colonial powers, why were the creoles the most dangerous part of the population?
4. What factors caused the revolution in Latin America?
5. What was there about Padre Miguel Hidalgo that inspired people to follow him in rebellion?
6. Why did Iturbide first defeat a revolution and then lead one?
7. Why did the Brazilians like having the Portuguese capital in Rio de Janiero?
8. Why didn’t King John VI object to giving Brazil its freedom?