Chapter 3: “Go West!”
Use pages 41-55 in the Gateway book to answer the following questions.

America’s Last Frontier
1. What was the **frontier** and what two groups/types of people were divided by the frontier?

2. According to Jackson Turner, how did the frontier shape American character?

The Last Frontier: The Great Plains and the Far West
3. Describe America’s final frontier.

4. How were the **Great Plains** changed in the second half of the 1800s?

Factors Leading to the Settlement of the Last Frontier
5. What were the two biggest **Pull Factors**

6. How much faster was the transcontinental railroad compared to taking a boat?

7. What had Congress ordered in 1830?

8. The **Indian Wars** lasted from ______________ and were fought between whom...

9. Who were Buffalo Soldiers?

10. Why were treaties with the Native Americans usually so easily broken?

11. How did the **reservation** system break-up Native American culture and way of life?

12. What are three examples of cheap land out West?

Stages in the Evolution of the American West
13. Due to mining, what was the male to female ratio in Colorado and Nevada?

14. Who did American Cowboys get their techniques from?

15. What percentage of Cowboys were African American?

16. What closed the concept of the “open range”?
17. The farmers and settlers faced more opposition and hardship from ____________________ than the Native Americans and ranchers.

**A Public Outcry against the Mistreatment of the Native Americans**

18. What was **Americanization** and what was one of its drawbacks?

19. The **Dawes Act**...

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