

Unit 4

After Confederation – Part 2

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Chapter 11, Lesson 1 Activity

Canada West

Answer the following questions. Type your responses between the blue brackets provided.

1. Why did Laurier feel that Canada needed more people in the West?

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2. What groups participated in the government's effort to bring more newcomers to Canada? Why were they interested in bringing newcomers to Canada's West?

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3. What **three** regions did the government target with Sifton's advertising campaign? Why were these regions targeted?

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4. Do you think the posters (on page 248 in *Voices and Visions: A Story of Canada*) would have convinced you to move to Canada's West? Explain.

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5. Why did many immigrants feel that the move to Canada's West was a trap?

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6. Identify and describe the push factors that encouraged immigrants to leave their homelands.

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7. Identify and describe the pull factors that encouraged immigrants to choose Canada as their new home.

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