

18.2 Ranchers and Farmers (534-541)

Section Outline: Complete the section outline as you read. Remember that an outline contains the most important facts from a reading, and is not usually written in complete sentences. An outline can be a way of creating organized notes.

- Cattle on the Plains
 - Railroads and Cow Towns
 - The Long Drive
- Life on the Trail
 - Spanish Influence
 - Hazards of the Trail
 - The “Wild West”
 - The Cattle Kingdom Ends
- Farmers Settle the Plains
 - The Homestead Act
 - Promoting the Plains
 - African American Settlers
 - The Farmers’ Frontier
 - Farm Families
 - New Farming Methods
 - The Oklahoma Land Rush
 - Closing the Frontier