**The Western Frontier Questions Study Guide**

1. What was the Morrill Land Grant Act?
2. What was the Homestead Act? What were the requirements?
3. Who were the Exodusters?
4. What type of homes did people live in out west? Why?
5. What was assimilation? What was started because of it? What law did the government pass that supported the idea of assimilation?
6. Who was Chief Joseph?
7. What was another name for the Battle of Little Big Horn?
8. What was significant about the Wounded Knee massacre?
9. What happened at Promontory Point, Utah?
10. What was the Grange? What were Farmer Alliances? What was the difference?
11. Who was William Jennings Bryan? What did he talk about in his Cross of Gold Speech?
12. What did the Populist Party want?
13. How did barbed wire change the open range?
    * You will find the answers in chapter 13 of your textbook, western frontier notes, guided readings