Chapter 8 Review

Time

1875

1882
Congress passes the Chinese Exclusion Act

1885

1892
Oil is discovered in Los Angeles

Reading Social Studies

A **conclusion** is a decision or an idea reached by using what you read and what you already know about a subject.

Focus Skill Draw Conclusions

Complete this graphic organizer to show you understand how California's population grew and changed in the late 1800s and early 1900s. A copy of this graphic organizer appears on page 92 of the Homework and Practice Book.

A Growing Economy

Evidence

California was seen by many immigrants as a land of opportunity.

Knowledge

People from different cultures can learn from each other's ways of life and traditions.

Conclusion

California Writing Prompts

Write a Narrative Imagine you are listening to a speech given by William Mulholland. Describe what he might have said to convince city officials to support the plan for bringing more water to Los Angeles.

Write a Summary Review the contributions made by newcomers to California. Summarize how immigrants and settlers helped California grow during the late 1800s and early 1900s.

1895 1905 1915

1906
A great earthquake and fire destroy much of San Francisco

1913
The Los Angeles Aqueduct is completed

Use Vocabulary

Identify the term that correctly matches each definition.

migration, p. 315
reservations, p. 319
derricks, p. 324
aqueduct, p. 325

1. A new _____ in southern California brought more water to Los Angeles.
2. Freed slaves formed part of a large _____ to California in the late 1800s.
3. After oil was discovered in Los Angeles, some people built _____ in their yards.
4. The United States government moved many American Indians onto _____ .

Use the Time Line

ANALYSIS SKILL **Use the summary time line above to answer the question.**

5. In what year did Congress pass the Chinese Exclusion Act?

Apply Skills

Read a Double-Bar Graph

6. Look at the graph on page 336.In which decade did the difference between the populations of San Francisco and Los Angeles drop below 100,000?

Recall Facts

Answer these questions.

7. In what way did Allen Allensworth try to solve the problem of discrimination?
8. What effect did the discovery of oil have on Los Angeles?
9. Why did certain parts of California need more water?

Write the letter of the best choice.

10. Which of these towns was started by Danish Americans?
    A Solvang
    B Yamato Colony
    C Florin
    D Anaheim
11. Where did the Los Angeles Aqueduct get most of its water from?
    A the Owens River
    B the Tuolumne River
    C the Hetch Hetchy Reservoir
    D the Salton Sea

Think Critically

12. ANALYSIS SKILL How are the water supply issues of the early 1900s like those of today? How are they different?
13. ANALYSIS SKILL In what ways have migrants and immigrants contributed to the unique character of California?