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Moving West

Directions: Read Lesson 24, Section 2 on pages 472-473. In each box, answer the question on the left side. Under Homestead Act, how did this act affect farmers and/or farming? Under the Pacific Railway Act, how did this act affect railroads? Answer in complete sentences. Use your own words.

Question	Homestead Act	Pacific Railway Act
What attracted farmers or railroads to an area?		
What did the farmers or the railroads need to do to get land?		
How did laws passed by Congress increase growth in the West?		