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Changes and Conflict in the American West

Directions: You will examine 8 different groups of people and see how the group might have been positively and negatively impacted by westward expansion. For each group you need to identify the positive and negative affects they experienced due to westward expansion. Examine each primary source placard and discuss with your group the impact of westward expansion, filling out the chart below as you go.

Positive Impact (Opportunities)	Group	Negative Impact (Challenges/Hardships)
	 African Americans	
	 Railroad Owners	
	 Populists	
	 Miners	

Positive Impact (Opportunities)	Group	Negative Impact (Challenges/Hardships)
	 <p data-bbox="940 456 1165 488">Railroad Workers</p>	
	 <p data-bbox="940 725 1165 758">American Indians</p>	
	 <p data-bbox="905 1024 1207 1057">Ranchers and Cowboys</p>	
	 <p data-bbox="1003 1338 1108 1370">Settlers</p>	