

Summarize for Comprehension

<p>Arthur Chapman "Out Where the West Begins"</p> <p><i>Out where the handclasp's a little stronger, Out where the smile dwells a little longer, That's where the West begins; Out where the sun is a little brighter, Where the snows that fall are a trifle whiter, Where the bonds of home are a wee bit tighter, That's where the West begins. Out where the skies are a trifle bluer, Out where the friendship's a little truer, That's where the West begins; Out where a fresher breeze is blowing, Where there's laughter in every streamlet flowing, Where there's more of reaping and less of sowing, That's where the West begins. Out where the world is in the making, Where fewer hearts in despair are aching, That's where the West begins. Where there's more of singing and less of sighing, Where there's more of giving and less of buying, And a man makes a friend without half trying— That's where the West begins.</i></p>	<p>Key Words:</p> <p>Summarize the meaning of the text:</p>
<p>The Lovely Ohio</p> <p>Come all ye brisk young fellows who have a mind to roam All in some foreign counteree, a long way from home All in some foreign counteree along with me to go And we'll settle on the banks of the lovely Ohio We'll settle on the banks of the lovely Ohio</p> <p>Come all you pretty fair maids, spin us some yarn To make us some nice clothing to keep ourselves warm For you can knit and sew, my loves, while we do reap and mow When we settle on the banks of the lovely Ohio When we settle on the banks of the lovely Ohio</p> <p>There are fishes in the river, just fitted for our use There's tall and lofty sugar cane that will give to us its juice There's every kind of game, my boys, also the buck and doe When we settle on the banks of the lovely Ohio When we settle on the banks of the lovely Ohio</p>	<p>Key Words:</p> <p>Summarize the meaning of the text:</p>

Horace Greeley to R. L. Sanders, Nov.15, 1871

Dear Sir:

So many people ask me what they shall do; so few tell me what they can do. Yet this is the pivot wherein all must turn. I believe that each of us who has his place to make should go where men are wanted, and where employment is not bestowed as alms. Of course, I say to all in want of work, Go West!

But what can you do? And how can your family help you? Your mother, I infer, is to be counted out as an effective worker. But what of the rest? And you – can you chop? Can you plow? Can you mow? Can you cut up Indian corn? I reckon not. And in the West it is hard to find such work as you have been accustomed to. The conditions of living are very rude there.

On the whole I say, stay where you are; do as well as you can; and devote every spare hour to making yourself familiar with the conditions and dexterity required for the efficient conservation of out-door industry in a new country. Having mastered these, gather up your family, and Go West! Yours,

Horace Greeley

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