



VOLGA GERMAN SETTLERS IN FRESNO COUNTY Discussion, Quick Write Response or Quiz Questions

1. Who are the Volga Germans? Where did they live before moving to the United States?
2. Why did many of the Volga German families choose to leave their homes?
3. What year did the first Volga German settlers arrive in Fresno County?
4. What attracted the first Volga German immigrants to choose to move to Fresno?
5. What industry did many of the new Volga German arrivals work in when they first settled in the area? Why was it a good choice for them?
6. What historic event ended the immigration of Volga Germans into the United States in 1914