

Background: The United States and Canada did not become developed countries overnight. There are several factors that contributed to their expansion and growth. You will learn about these factors by reading a few paragraphs and developing a concept map of the main ideas.

Directions: Using the "2 column notes" that you took on the *Natural Resources and Canada and How They Impact Trade and Industry*, transfer the information on the graphic organizer below. Then read the last two full paragraphs on page 136. Fill in the missing notes on the graphic organizer.

Graphic Organizer:

Factors That Helped the USA and Canada Grow and Expand

