



Vocabulary Words

Unit 5.2

plunging- diving or falling suddenly in a downward direction

prospector-an individual who explores for gold and other minerals

scoffed- made fun of; mocked; teased

settlement- a colony or new region where people start living

shrivel- to wrinkle and shrink

territories- large areas or regions of land

topple- to fall or make fall forward

withered- shriveled or dried up