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- II. Geographic Bases of rural settlements.
- III. Cultural bases of rural settlements.
- IV. Spatial Patterns and classification of rural settlements.
- V. Location of settlements-Central and new Central place.
- VI. Architecture and Housing.
- VII. Rural Land Use Patterns.
- VIII. Population and Social Organization.
- IX. Pioneer Settlement, Planning and pre-development.

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