

- _____ 1. _____ is the land that forms the farthest extent of a nation's settled regions.
- _____ 2. _____ are government gifts of land.
- _____ 3. _____ was the name given to owners of ranches.
- _____ 4. _____ means extending the nation beyond its existing borders.
- _____ 5. _____ were fur trappers of the Northwest.
- _____ 6. _____ is a meeting where the trappers would trade furs for supplies.
- _____ 7. _____ is a one-person rule.
- _____ 8. _____ is an attack in which one force surrounds a city or fort.
- _____ 9. _____ means to add on.
- _____ 10. _____ means to give up.
- _____ 11. _____ is the practice of having more than one wife at a time.
- _____ 12. _____ was the name given to these people who came to California in search of gold.
- _____ 13. _____ are the legal rights to use the water in a river, stream, or other body.
- _____ 14. _____ were self-appointed law enforcers.
- _____ 15. _____ were the first travelers along the Santa Fe Trail.
- _____ 16. American settlers in Texas came into conflict with Mexico in the 1830s because settlers wanted more representation in the _____ legislature.
- _____ 17. Women in the West often had more rights than women in other regions of the United States because their _____ was needed for their families to survive.
- _____ 18. The mountain men of the Oregon Territory were _____.
- _____ 19. The issue of water rights was important in early California because much of California is _____ with very little water.

- _____ 20. In the early 1800s, the Great Plains were unattractive to many settlers because the land was not considered suitable for _____.
- _____ 21. Before the lands in the _____ became part of the United States they were under the control of Mexico.
- _____ 22. List the two groups of people that benefited from land grants
- _____ 23. from the new Mexican government?
- _____ 24. The first area of the United States to grant women the right to vote was the _____ Territory.
- _____ 25. The major effect of the California gold rush was that there was a sudden increase in the population of _____.
- _____ 26. The Mormons settled in the late 1840s in _____.
- _____ 27. During the gold rush, people from what four continents came to
- _____ 28. California?
- _____ 29.
- _____ 30.
- _____ 31. List the four countries that claimed the area known as the
- _____ 32. Northwest.
- _____ 33.
- _____ 34.
- _____ 35. _____ was the leader of a wagon train who pioneered a route that became the Santa Fe Trail.
- _____ 36. _____ was the first president of the Republic of Texas.
- _____ 37. _____ was a German immigrant who sent the first fur trading expedition to Oregon.
- _____ 38. List the two Missionaries in Oregon who hoped to bring their
- _____ 39. religious beliefs to Native Americans.
- _____ 40. _____ was the man who led a group of some 300 settlers into a small colony in Texas.

- _____ 41. _____ was the president who solved the issue of Texas becoming a slave state by persuading Britain to give up Oregon.
- _____ 42. _____ was the leader of the rebels who declared California an independent republic.
- _____ 43. _____ is the New York farmer who founded a new church: the Mormon Church.
- _____ 44. _____ led the Mormons to the valley of Utah's Great Salt Lake.
- _____ 45. _____ was the General who won a victory at the Battle of Buena Vista.
- _____ 46. _____ was the General who captured Veracruz and then marched on to Mexico City.
- _____ 47. The Treaty of _____ formally ended the Mexican-American war.
- _____ 48. The _____ was the mission in San Antonio that Mexican troops laid siege to.
- _____ 49. List three constant threats that existed for settlers in the West.
- _____ 50.
- _____ 51.
- _____ 52. In the _____ of 1853, the United States paid Mexico \$10 million for a narrow strip of present-day Arizona and New Mexico.
- _____ 53. Mexico recognized Texas's independence and ceded a vast territory known as the _____ to the United States.
- _____ 54. The Texans defeated Santa Anna's army at _____.
- _____ 55. The year the Santa Fe Trail was opened.
- _____ 56. The year that Texas was admitted as a slave state.
- _____ 57. The year the Mexican-American War begins.
- _____ 58. The year the United States buys land from Mexico.
- _____ 59. The year that Texas declares independence from Mexico.

60. The year the California gold rush begins.

Chapter 13 Word Bank

Farming

Narcissa Whitman

Farmers

Sam Houston

Utah

Russia

Australia

James K. Polk

1836

Brigham Young

1845

Guadalupe-Hidalgo

Disease

Natural Disasters

Desert

Rancheros

Mexican

Rendezvous

Water rights

Annex

Stephen Austin

Ranchers

John Jacob Astor

California

Spain

Asia

United States

1849

Joseph Smith

1846

Winfield Scott

Alamo

Accidents

Gadsen Purchase

Land grants

Labor

Mountain men

Vigilantes

Siege

Polygamy

Southwest

Marcus Whitman

Wyoming

William Becknell

Europe

Great Britain

South America

John C. Frémont

1853

Zachary Taylor

1821

San Jacinto

Mexican Cession

Frontier

Trappers

Expansion

Traders

Dictatorship

Forty-niners

Cede