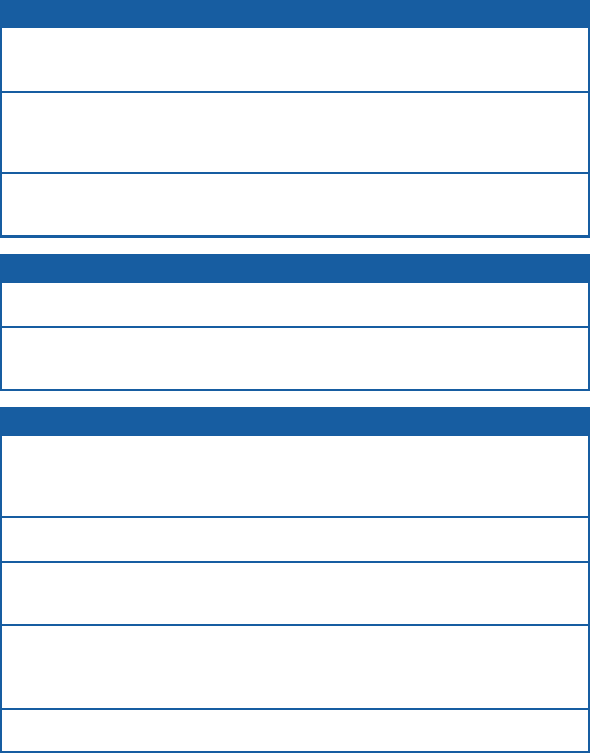
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| **Events Leading to Texas’s Independence** |
| American settlers in Texas came into conflict with the Mexican government because they were slaveholders , even though the Mexican government had abolished  . In 1830, Mexico banned further . |
| After Santa Anna established a(n) , Texans declared independence. Mexican troops laid siege to , a mission in San Antonio. Although the Texans were defeated, this event inspired . Later, the Texans defeated Santa Anna’s army at . |
| became president of the new Republic of Texas. He hoped that the United States would Texas. However, public opinion in the United States was divided because . |
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| **Annexing Texas and Oregon** |
| James K. Polk negotiated a treaty with Britain to divide Oregon, which became the states of , , and . |
| Tensions with Mexico increased because Mexico had never . Also, the United States claimed that the southern Texas border was the  , while Mexico claimed it was the . |
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| **The Mexican-American War** |
| When war broke out between Mexico and the United States, it was most popular among  and , who wanted . Many  , however, opposed the war because they thought it was an attempt to . |
| Stephen Kearny led troops that captured  and later . |
| won a victory at the Battle of Buena Vista. An American army under captured Veracruz and then marched on to   . |
| The Treaty of formally ended the war. Under the treaty, Mexico recognized and ceded a vast territory known as  to the United States. This territory included present-day  . |
| In the of 1853, the United States paid Mexico $10 million for a narrow strip of present-day . |

Chapter 13

**Part 1: Watch the Following BrainPOP, take the quiz; you will need to log in:** [**http://www.brainpop.com/socialstudies/ushistory/mexicanamericanwar/**](http://www.brainpop.com/socialstudies/ushistory/mexicanamericanwar/)

**Part 2:** Use these charts to record key information from the section. (Change the Color of Your Answers)

**Part 3: Go to** [**http://www.destination360.com/north-america/us/texas/san-antonio/the-alamo/virtual-tour**](http://www.destination360.com/north-america/us/texas/san-antonio/the-alamo/virtual-tour) **and tell me 3 things you notice about the Alamo Today.**

**Part 4: Take the following quiz and screenshot your score. You may take it as many times as you like:** [**http://www.phschool.com/webcodes10/index.cfm?wcprefix=mya&wcsuffix=4093&area=view&x=0&y=0**](http://www.phschool.com/webcodes10/index.cfm?wcprefix=mya&wcsuffix=4093&area=view&x=0&y=0)