



# TASK LIST

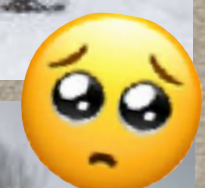
1. CHECK-IN and copy homework.
2. FOCUS: Map Practice

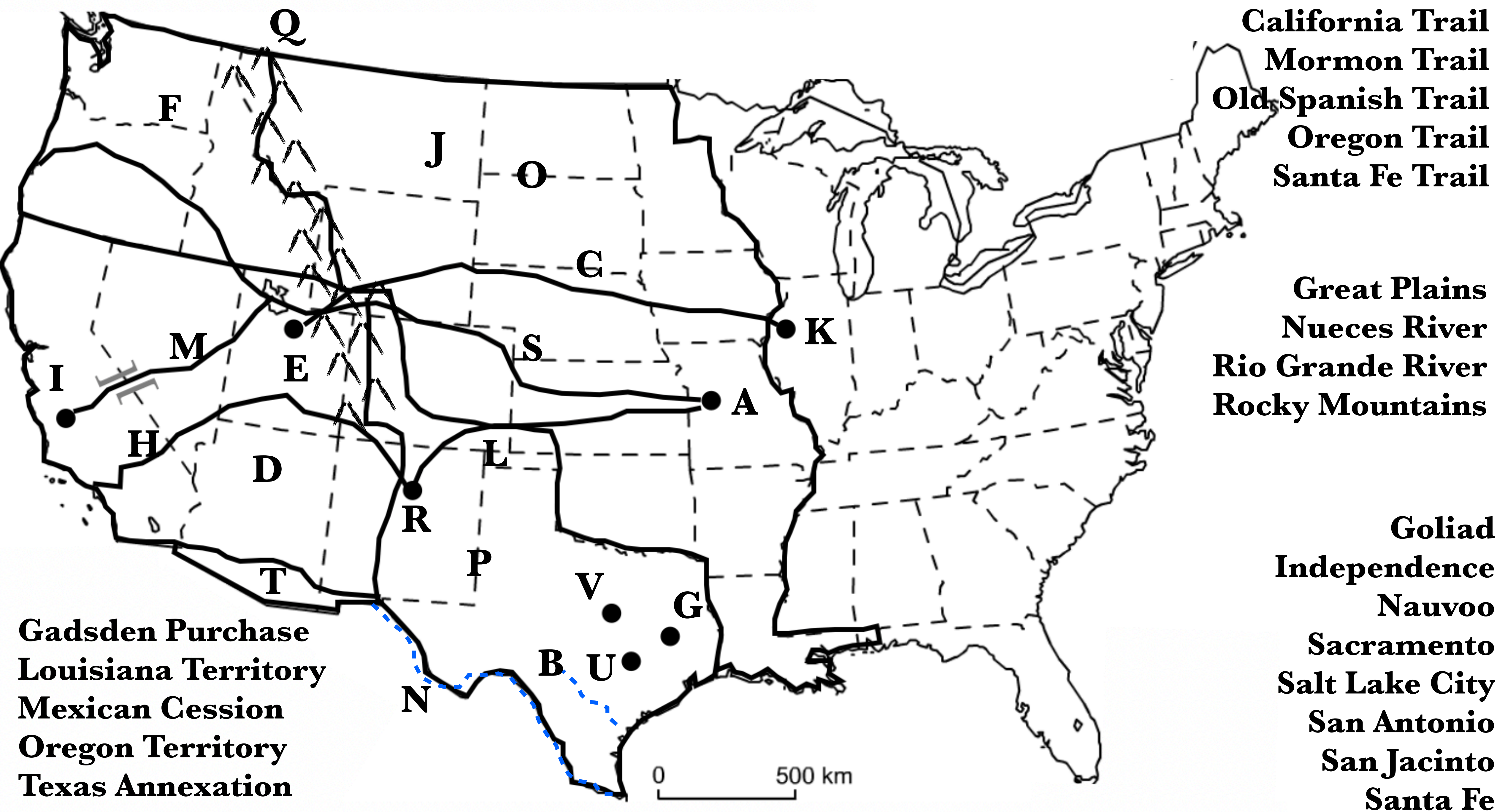
# OBJECTIVES

- Identify the reasons for war with Mexico.
- Identify the Mexican-American War as the training ground for Civil War leaders.

# HOMEWORK

- Read and take notes on...
  - 11.4 (p. 364-369) - due tomorrow
- Westward Expansion Map Test - tomorrow!
- Westward Expansion Test - Mon, Mar 4





**Gadsden Purchase**  
**Louisiana Territory**  
**Mexican Cession**  
**Oregon Territory**  
**Texas Annexation**

**California Trail**  
**Mormon Trail**  
**Old Spanish Trail**  
**Oregon Trail**  
**Santa Fe Trail**

**Great Plains**  
**Nueces River**  
**Rio Grande River**  
**Rocky Mountains**

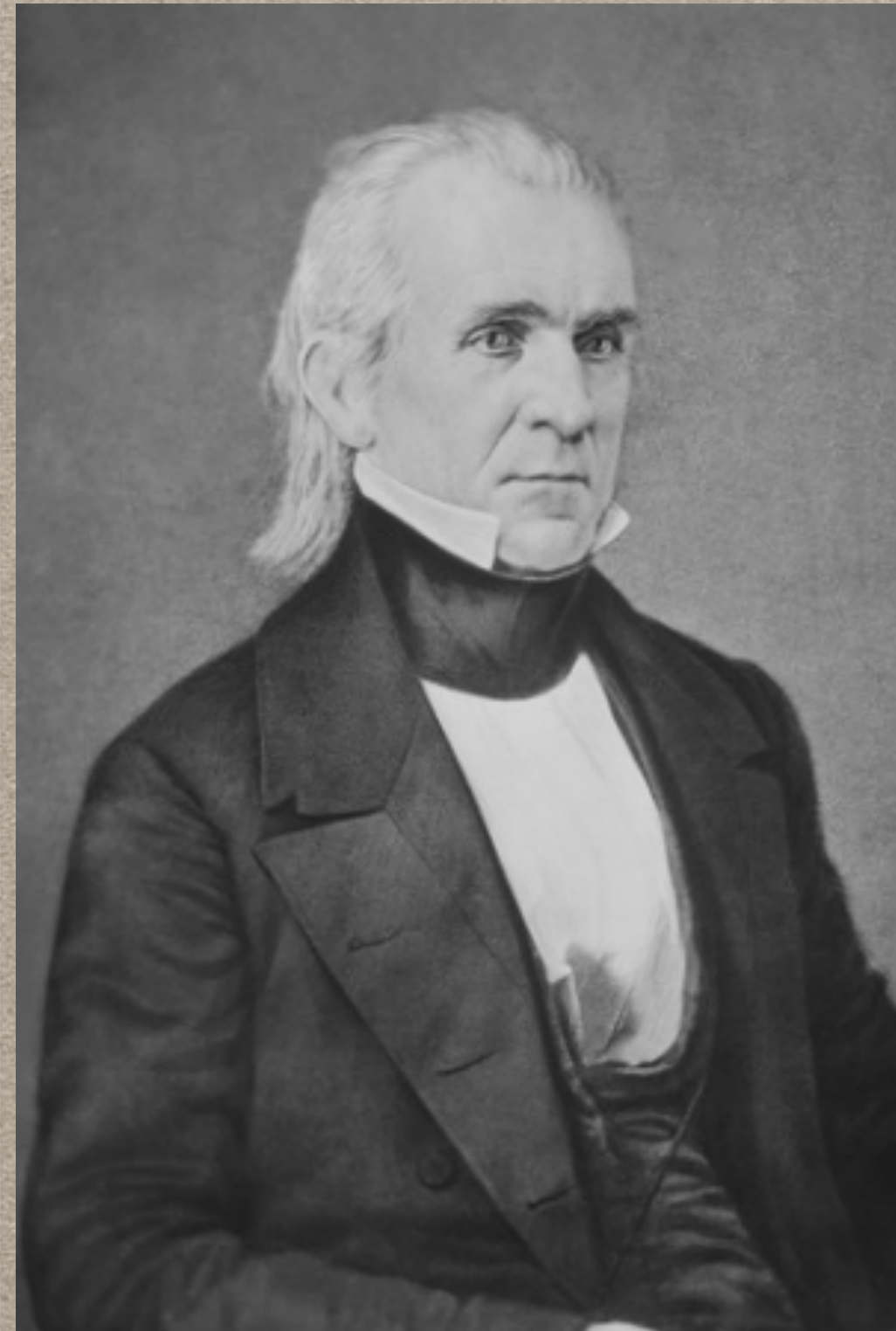
**Goliad**  
**Independence**  
**Nauvoo**  
**Sacramento**  
**Salt Lake City**  
**San Antonio**  
**San Jacinto**  
**Santa Fe**

0 500 km

# PRESIDENTS:

1840-1844: John Tyler

- “His Accidency”
- Annexes Texas at the end of his presidency after Sam Houston’s gets creative
- John C. Calhoun supports it!



1844-1848: James K. Polk  
(Democrat)

- Defeats Henry Clay (Whig)
- Goal: MANIFEST DESTINY
- Expand “from sea to shining sea”



Polk wanted the border to be here.

Polk compromised with Great Britain to avoid war.



Polk tries to buy the New Mexico and Utah territories for \$30 million  
**MEXICO: "No, thanks!"**

Polk disputes the Texas border with Mexico:  
Nueces River vs.  
Rio Grande River



# POLK EXPANDS AMERICA

# MAJOR GENERALS:

## ZACHARY TAYLOR

- Texas/Disputed Territory

## WINFIELD SCOTT

- Veracruz, Mexico City\*\*

## STEPHEN KEARNY

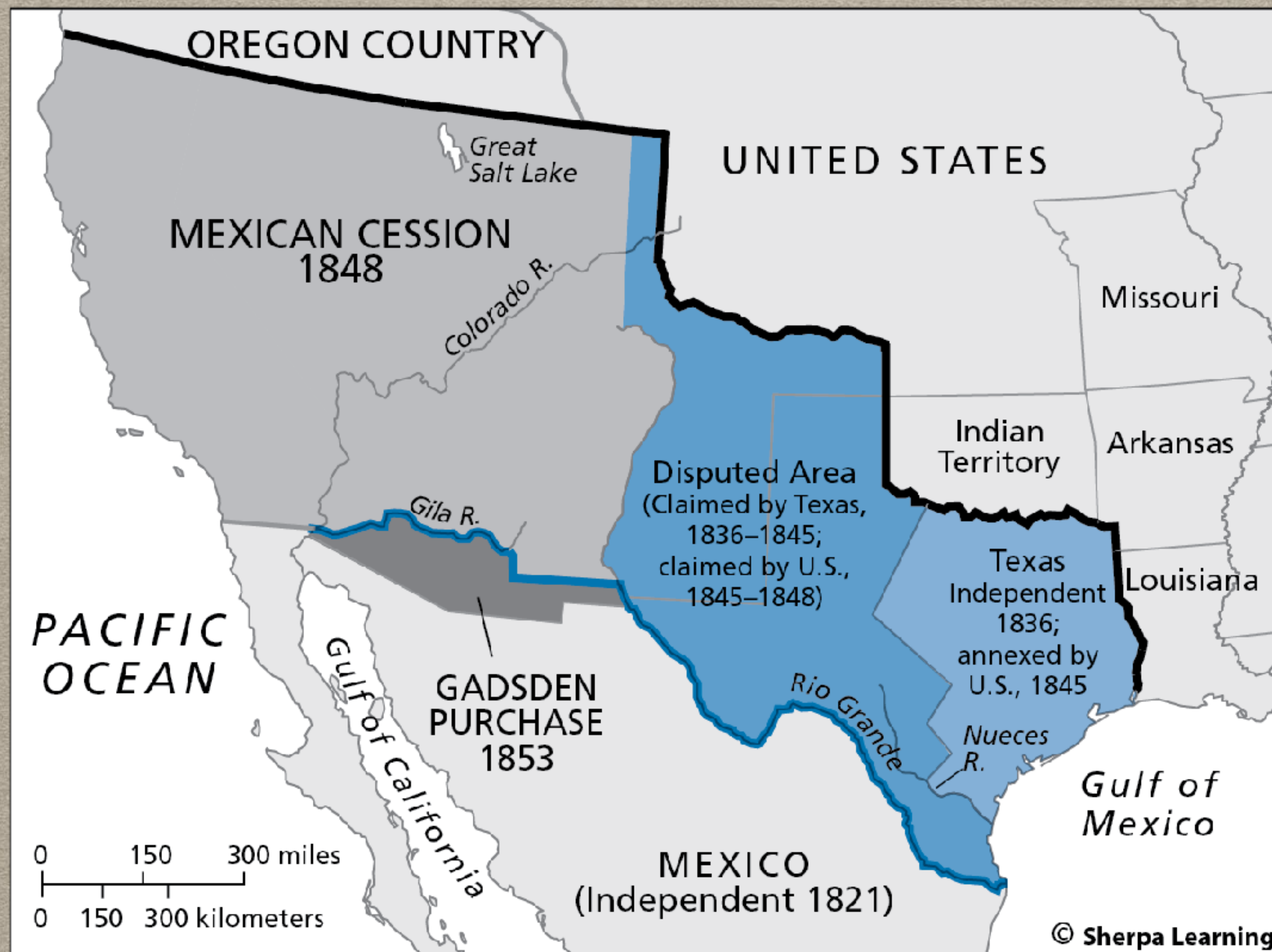
- Santa Fe

## JOHN C. FREMONT

- California
- "Bear Flag Republic"



# MANIFEST DESTINY



## Treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo

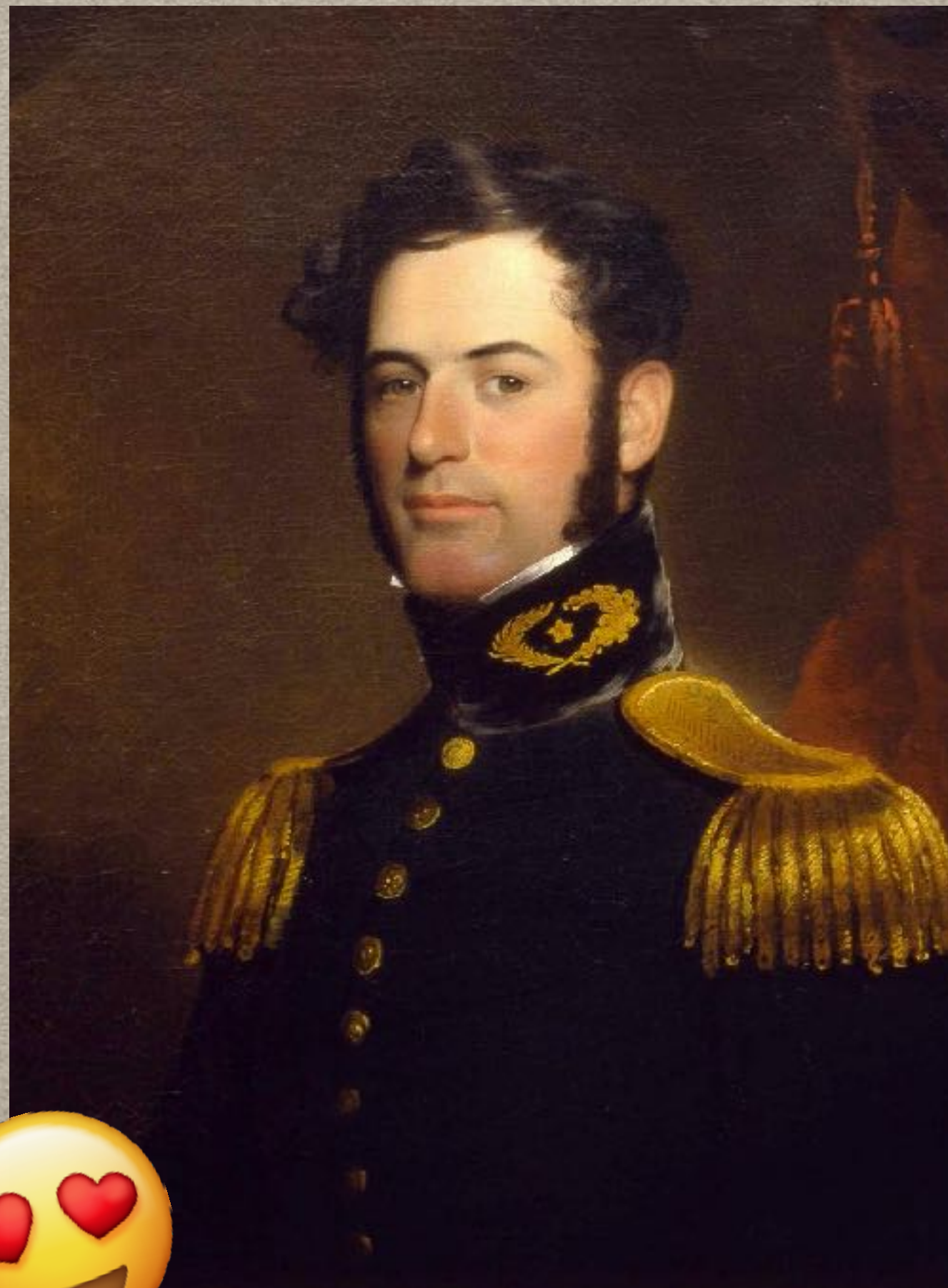
- Mexico will...
  - cede all of California and New Mexico territories to the US (Mexican Cession)
- US will...
  - Pay \$15 million
  - Respect the rights of those who spoke Spanish in the Mexican Cession



# STAY TUNED...



Ulysses S. Grant



Robert E. Lee



Thomas Jackson