

Chapter 9 Packet: Outline Notes

I. The Frontier

A. The Frontier

1. In 1801, _____ was elected U.S. President
2. _____ nations claimed land in North America. They were _____, _____, _____, and _____.
3. _____ claimed land from the Atlantic Ocean to the Mississippi River.
4. _____ claimed land between the Mississippi River and the Rocky Mountains.
5. _____ claimed land in the New Mexico and California regions.
6. _____ claimed land in the Oregon region.



II. The American Frontier

A. The American Frontier

1. Pioneers: _____
2. Frontier: _____
3. The land from the _____ to the _____ was America's frontier.
4. The first pioneers to move to the frontier were not farmers. Instead, most early pioneers were _____ and _____.
5. Daniel Boone: _____
6. Slowly, trails and paths made by early pioneers were widened into _____, making it easier for people to move west to the American frontier.

B. The Journey over the Mountains

1. The journey across the Appalachian Mountains was _____ and _____.

- Example #1: _____

- Example #2: _____

III. Life on the Frontier

A. Life on the Frontier

1. After traveling west, pioneers faced the hard job of _____ and _____.
2. Before families could plant their first crops, they had to _____.
3. The first home that most families built was a _____.
 - Detail #1: _____
 - Detail #2: _____

B. Disease on the Frontier

1. _____ was a constant problem on the frontier.
2. Some frontier practices helped germs spread quickly.
 - Example #1: _____

 - Example #2: _____

3. There were very few doctors on the frontier, so settlers _____.
4. Some settlers found that _____ made from plants helped cure some illnesses.

C. Frontier Gatherings

1. Frontier life was _____ and _____.
2. Most families lived _____ from their nearest neighbors.
3. _____ brought people together.
 - Example #1: _____

 - Example #2: _____

4. The biggest frontier gatherings were for _____.

IV. The Louisiana Territory

A. The Louisiana Territory

1. Louisiana Territory: _____

2. In 1800, _____ claimed the Louisiana Territory.

B. America Worries about France

1. Napoleon Bonaparte: _____

2. Americans feared that France wanted to build an empire in _____.
3. _____ were especially worried about the French. If France closed New Orleans to Americans, they would have no way to _____.

4. In 1803, President _____ sent _____ to France. His job was to speak to Napoleon about _____.

C. Bad News for France from Haiti

1. Haitian Revolt: _____
2. Toussaint L'Ouverture: _____

D. A Stunning Offer

1. Napoleon had planned to send thousands of _____ to the Louisiana Territory to raise _____ for the slaves in Haiti.
2. Now that France had lost Haiti, Napoleon had no use for _____.
3. Napoleon made Monroe a stunning offer: _____
4. Suddenly, Jefferson had a chance to _____ the size of the U.S.

V. The Louisiana Purchase

A. The Louisiana Purchase

1. Jefferson wanted to buy the Louisiana Territory, but he had some problems...
- He was a _____.
 - He believed that the powers of the national government should be _____.
 - He believed that the federal government should not do anything that _____.
2. Jefferson decided that _____ was more important than _____.
3. Many _____ opposed the purchase.
4. Jefferson did his best to convince Congress to buy the Louisiana Territory, even telling them that he had heard a report about a mountain made out of _____!

B. Congress Votes Yes

1. Louisiana Purchase: _____
2. The Louisiana Territory had a lot of natural resources that added to the wealth of the United States.
- Example #1: _____
 - Example #2: _____

VI. The Lewis and Clark Expedition

A. The Lewis and Clark Expedition

1. In the spring of _____, President Jefferson sent an expedition to explore the _____.
2. Two army officers named _____ and _____ led the expedition.
3. Along the way, the expedition would take notes about the _____, _____, and _____ of the territory.

B. Traveling up the Missouri

1. The expedition left _____, Missouri and traveled up the _____ River.
2. After five months, they reached current-day _____.
3. During the winter, they met a fur trader named _____ and his wife _____.
4. Sacajawea: _____

C. To the Pacific

1. By August, the expedition had reached the _____ Mountains and could no longer use their _____.
2. They were able to get horses and guides from the _____ Indians.
3. Once they reached the _____ River in current-day _____, they built boats to travel the rest of the way.
4. By December, they had reached the _____ Ocean.

D. The Journey Home

1. By the time the expedition finally returned to _____ (the same place that they started their journey), they had been gone _____ years and had traveled nearly _____ miles.

VII. The Spanish Frontier

A. The Spanish Frontier

1. West of the _____ was a huge area of land claimed by Spain.

B. The Spanish Southwest

1. The first Spanish settlements were in the _____ (which is current-day _____).
2. Spanish settled on land that belonged to the _____ Indians, who rebelled but were eventually conquered.
3. Although there were large settlements in _____, few settlers wanted to live on the dangerous Spanish _____.

C. Spanish California

1. In 1769, an expedition of _____ and _____ arrived in California.
2. Gaspar de Portola: _____
3. Junipero Serra: _____
4. At the missions, Spanish priests tried to convert Native Americans to _____. Native Americans received food, clothing, and shelter, but in return they were expected to _____.
5. Many Spanish settlers lived on _____ where they raised _____ and _____.
6. By 1848, a large number of the California Indians had died from...
 - Detail #1: _____
 - Detail #2: _____