

“Manifest Destiny”

- The **ideology** of growth & expansion



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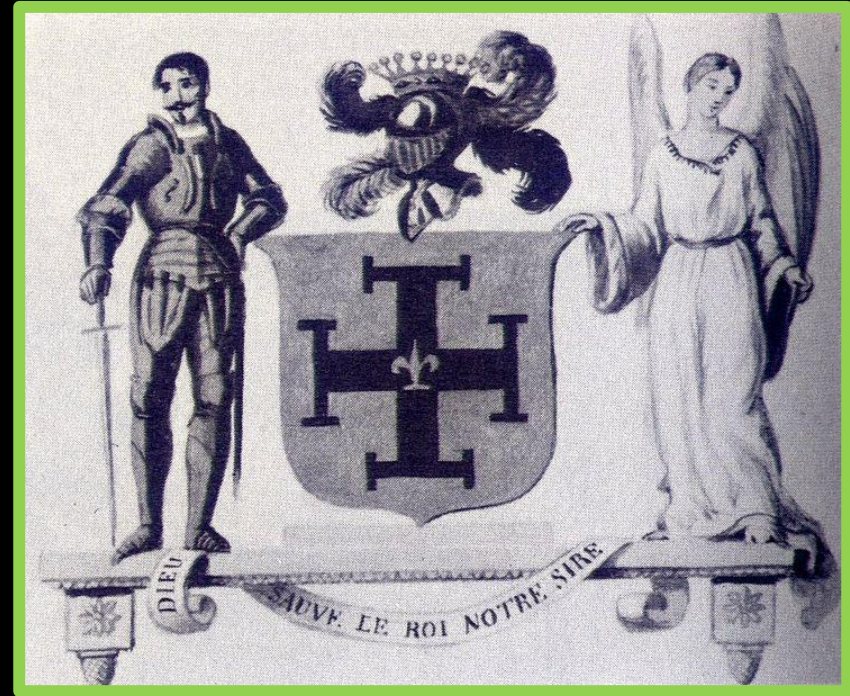
- Progress – what did this mean?
- Views on race
- Nationalism

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- Religion - Protestant
- Government - Democracy
- Economy - capitalist

“Manifest Destiny”

“noblesse oblige”
 (“nobility obliges”)

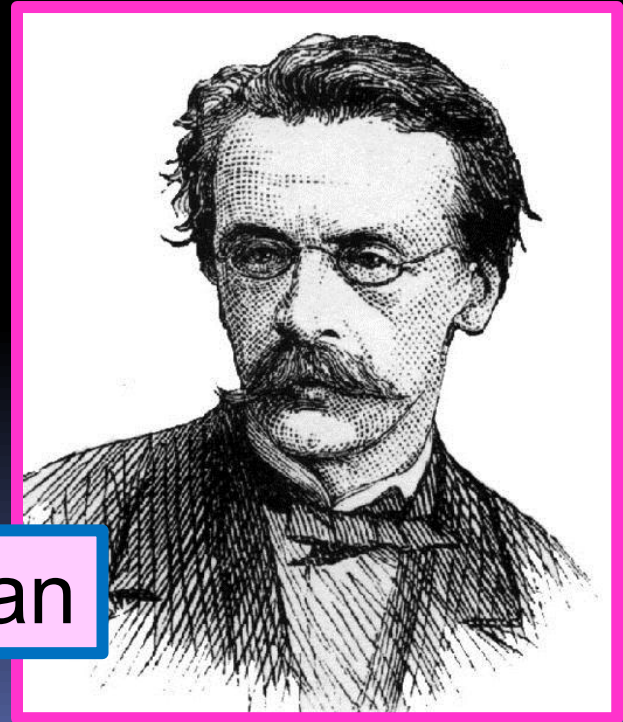


With wealth and power come responsibilities

“To whom much is given, much is expected”

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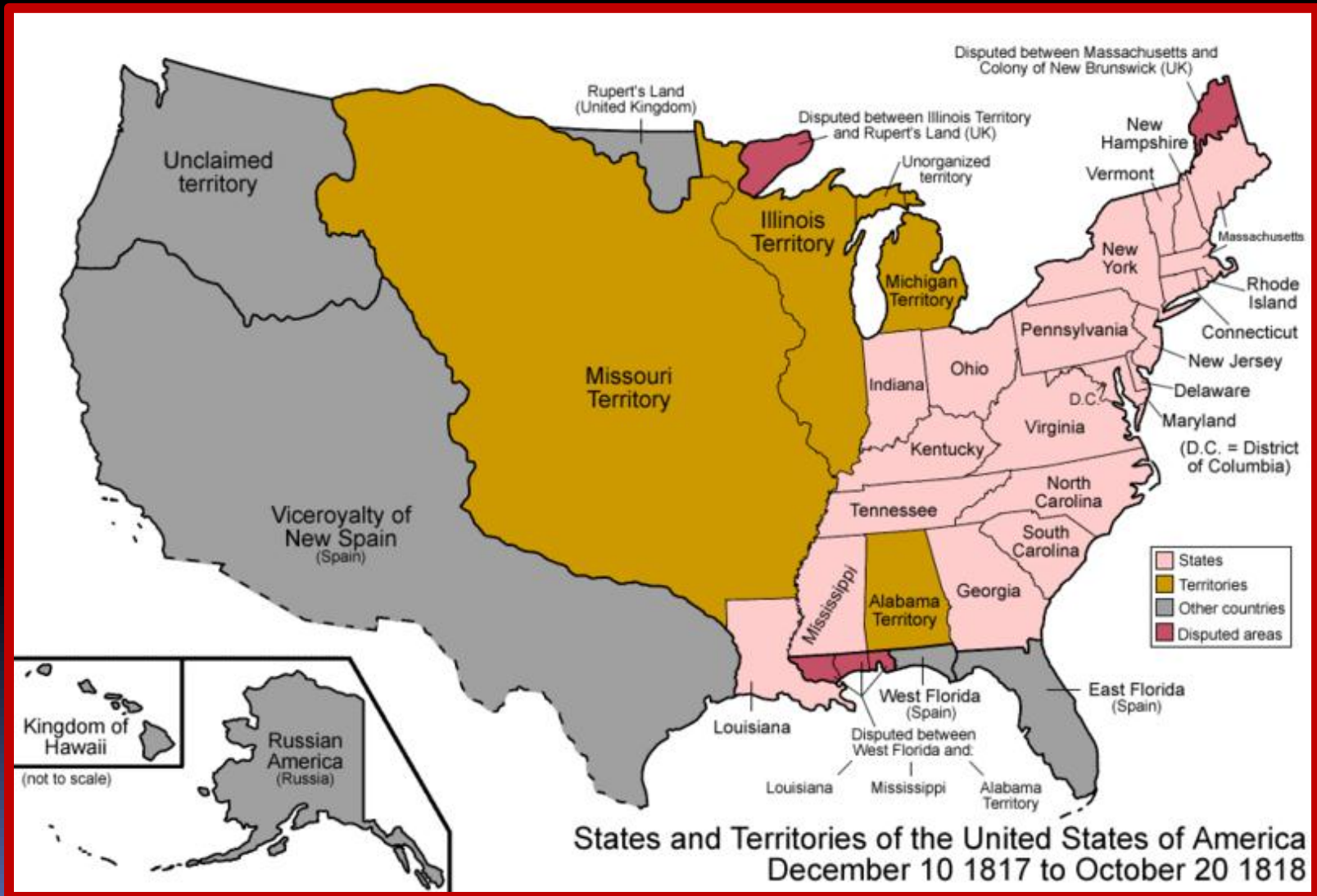
“...And that claim is by the right of our manifest destiny to overspread and to possess the whole of the continent which Providence has given us for the development of the great experiment of liberty and federated self-government entrusted to us.”



John L. O'Sullivan

Territorial Expansion – 1810s

➤ Spanish Florida



1819 - Adams-Onís Treaty

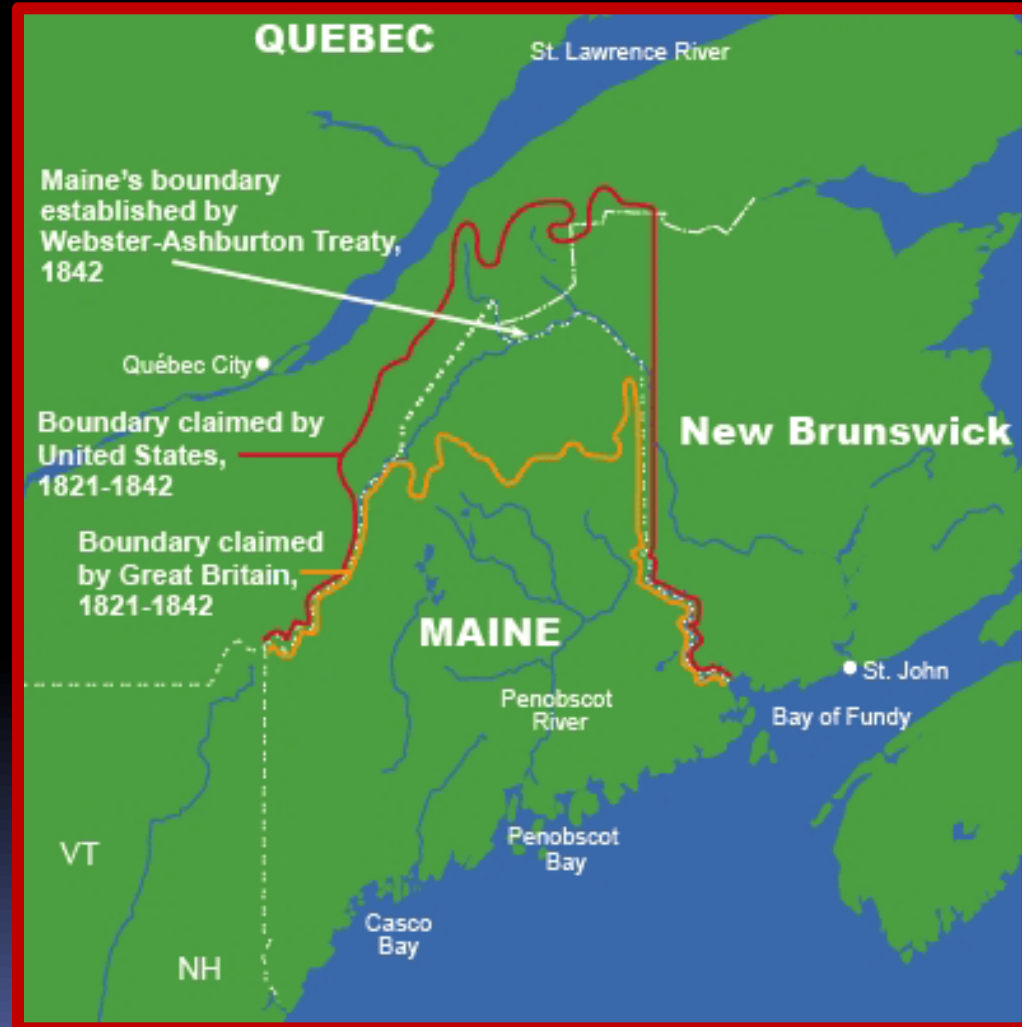
(“Transcontinental Treaty”)





1842 – Webster-Ashburton Treaty

➤ Maine



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Oregon Country



Oregon Trail



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➤ Columbia River



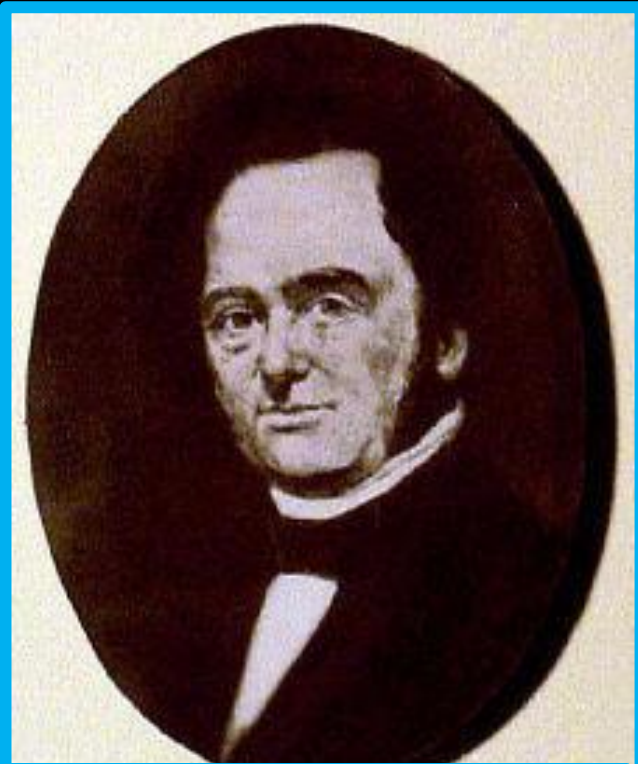
1846 - Oregon Treaty



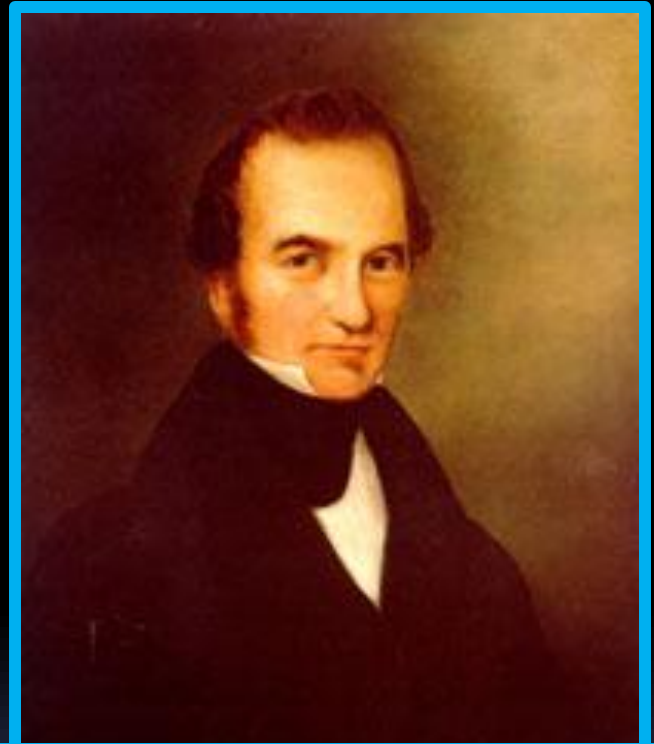
Texas (Coahuila y Tejas)



Texas Colonization -1820s



Moses Austin



Stephen F. Austin

Conflict with Mexican Government

➤ slavery

➤ immigration

➤ tariffs

“Home rule”

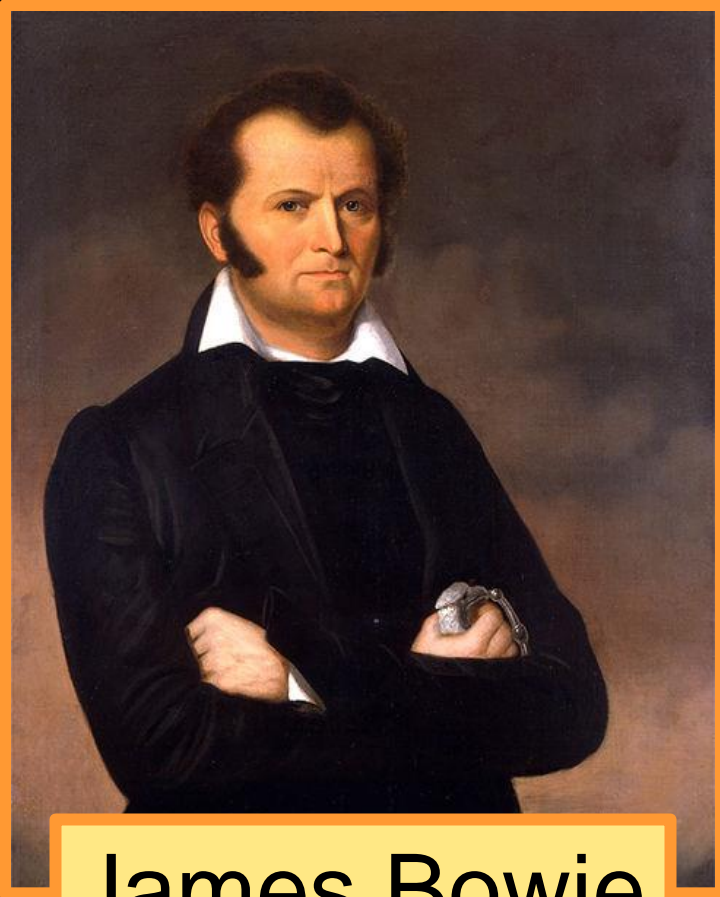


General Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna

Texas War of Independence



Alamo

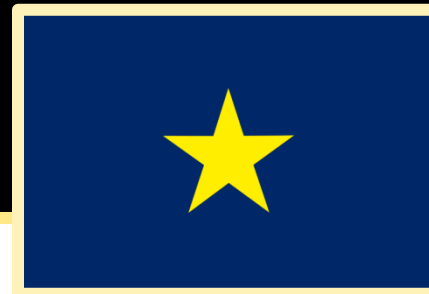


James Bowie



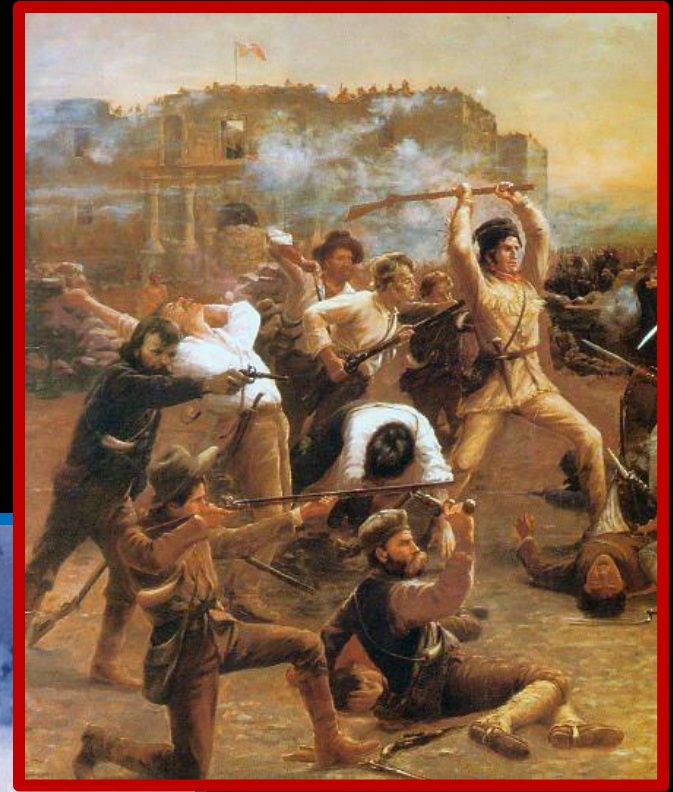
William B. Travis

Republic of Texas



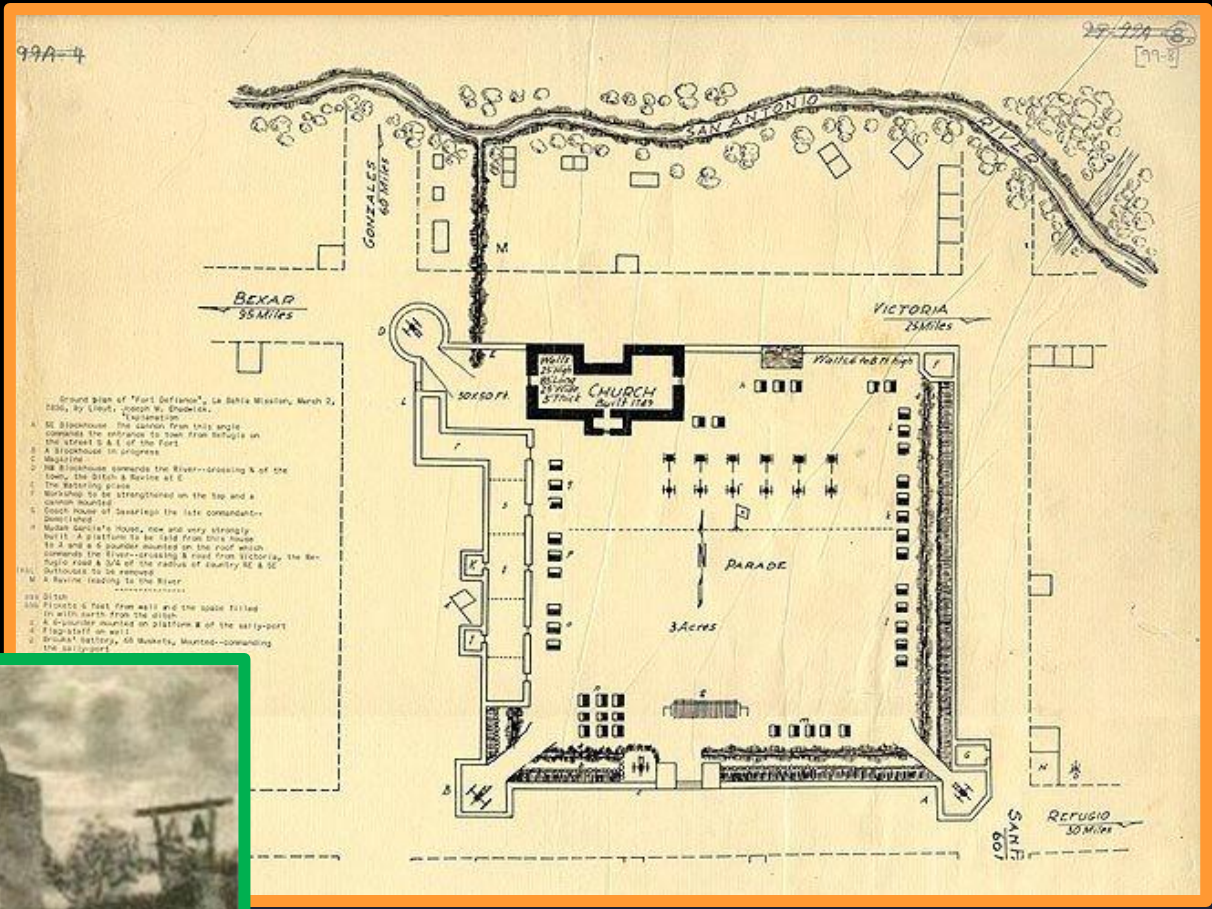
Battle of the Alamo

ended Mar 6, 1836



Battle at Goliad

Mar 20, 1836



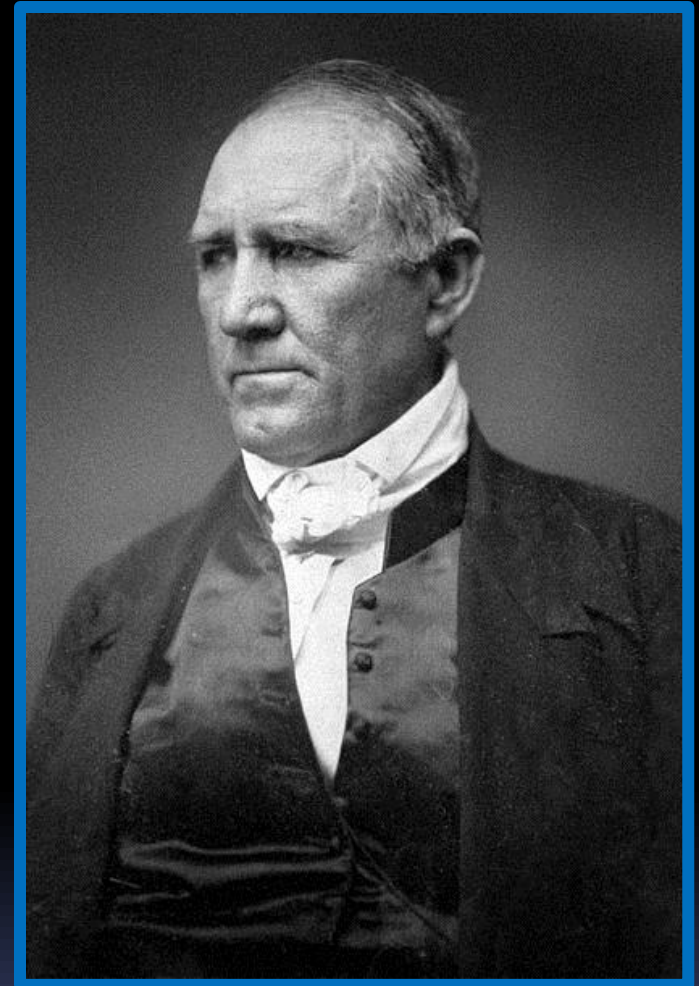
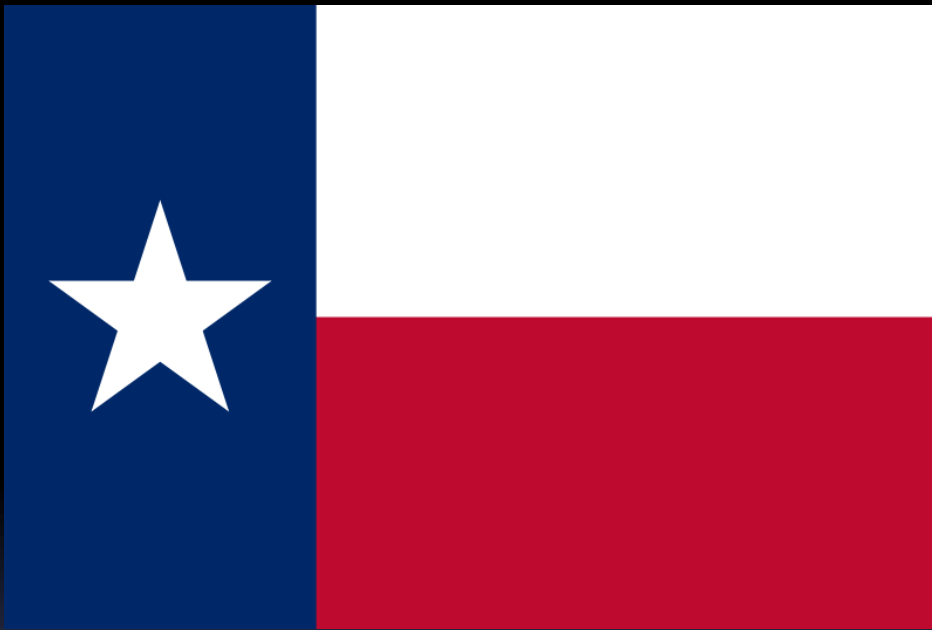
Battle at San Jacinto

April 21, 1836



Republic of Texas

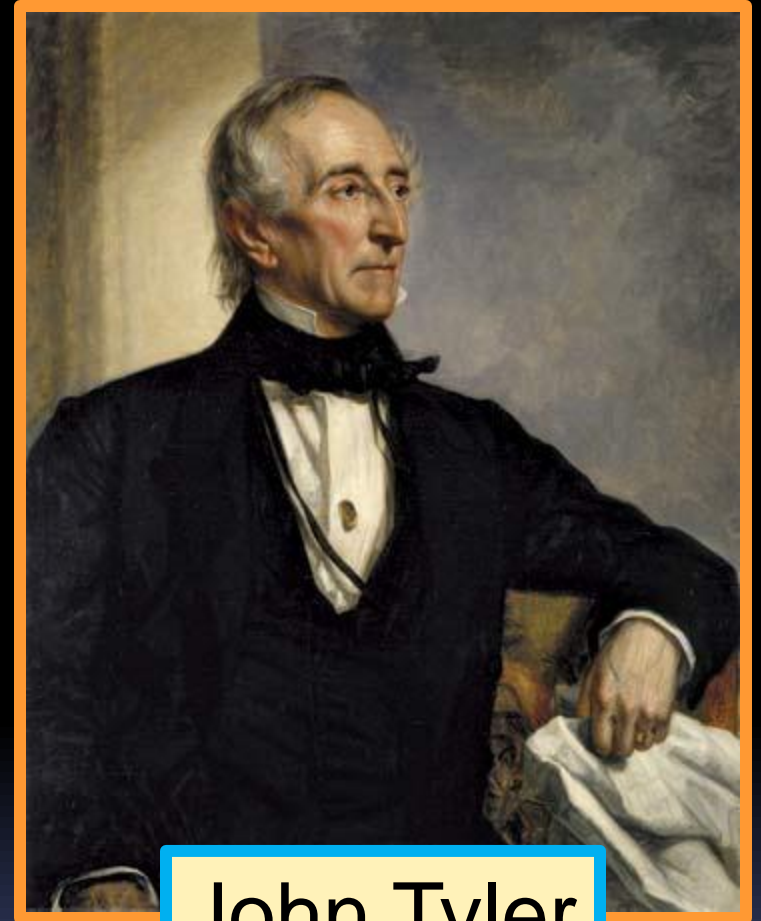
March 2, 1836



Sam Houston

Annexation of Texas

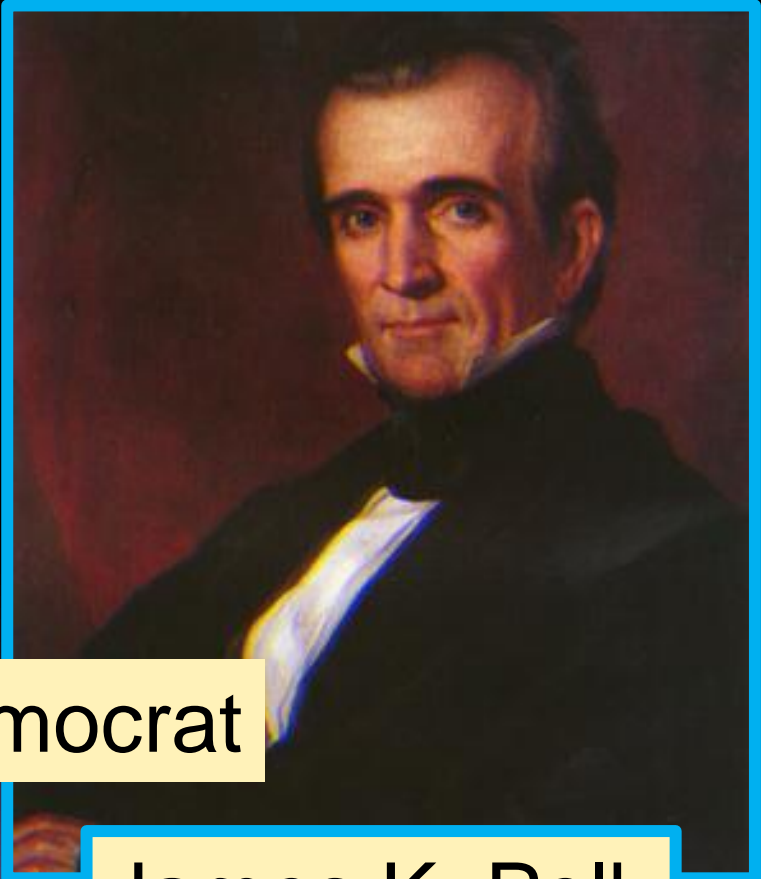
- Annexation treaty



John Tyler

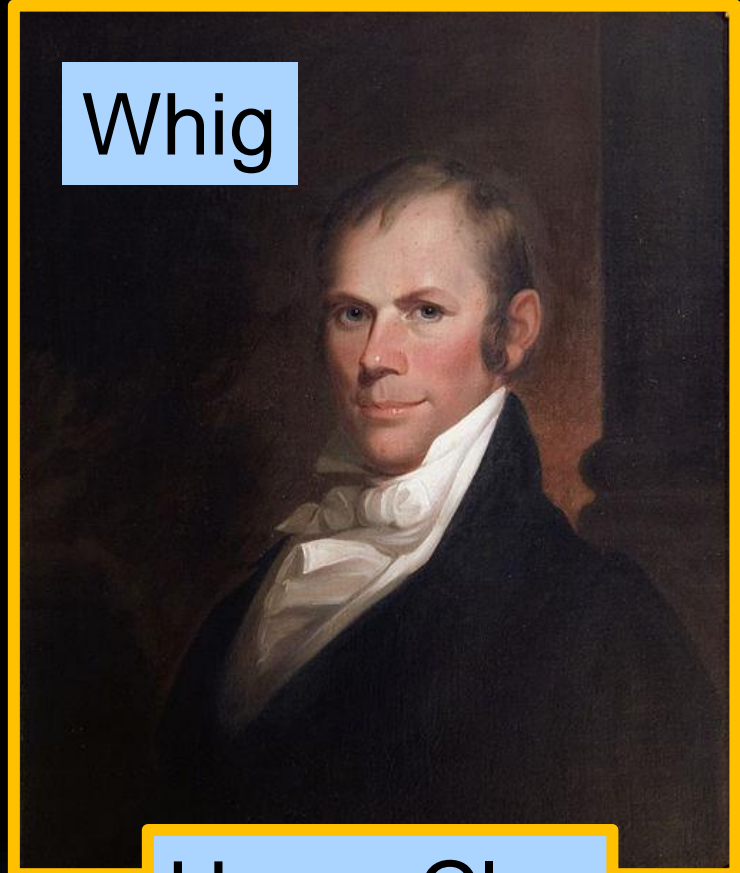
Election of 1844

➤ Texas Annexation



Democrat

James K. Polk



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Henry Clay

Mexican War, 1846 - 1848



Mexico City

Sept 1847



Cerro Gordo



Treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo

Feb 1848



“Mexican Cession” Territories



Territorial expansion Antebellum Era

