

Chapter 13: *Expansion, War, and Sectional Crisis*
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I. Introduction – issues caused by expansion of the United States

II. Manifest Destiny: South and North

A. The Push to the Pacific – define **Manifest Destiny**; what makes it problematic

B. Oregon Trail – what it was; significance

C. California – define **Californios**; how California was settled

D. The Plains Indians – effects of Europeans on Plains Indians (positive and negative); advantages of the Lakota Sioux

E. The Fateful Election of 1844 – define "**fifty-four forty or fight!**"

III. War, Expansion, and Slavery

A. The War with Mexico, 1846-1848 – cause and how it progressed; Battle of Buena Vista, Santa Anna

B. A Divisive Victory – define **conscience Whigs**

C. **Wilmot Proviso** – define; responses

D. **Free-soil Movement** – define

E. **Squatter sovereignty** – define; other name

F. California Gold and Racial Warfare – define **forty-niners**; living conditions, social attitudes

G. 1850: Crisis and Compromise – define "**slavery follows the flag**"

H. **Compromise of 1850** – define; key elements (5)

IV. The End of the Second Party System, 1850-1858

A. Resistance to the Fugitive Slave Act – forms of resistance; significance of Harriet Beecher Stowe's *Uncle Tom's Cabin*

B. **Personal-liberty laws** – define

C. The Whigs Disintegrate and New Parties Rise – define **Gadsden Purchase**

D. **Ostend Manifesto** – define

E. **Kansas-Nebraska Act** – define, consequences

F. **American, or Know-Nothing, Party** – define; views

G. **"Bleeding Kansas"** – define

H. Buchanan's Failed Presidency – define *Dred Scott v. Stanford*; broader implication concerning slavery

V. Abraham Lincoln and the Republican Triumph, 1858-1860

A. Lincoln's Political Career – Lincoln's general view on slavery; message of his famous "House Divided" speech

B. **Freeport Doctrine** – define; purpose

C. The Union Under Siege – Southern responses to Lincoln's election in 1860