

DIRECTIONS Read each term. On the lines provided, write the letter for definition that matches each term.

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| _____ 1. empresarios | a. a young agent who started a colony on the lower Colorado River |
| _____ 2. Stephen F. Austin | b. Mexican ruler during the Texas Revolution |
| _____ 3. Antonio López de Santa Anna | c. commander of the Continental army |
| _____ 4. Alamo | d. battle in which Texas gained its independence |
| _____ 5. Battle of San Jacinto | e. important battle site during the Texas Revolution |

DIRECTIONS Read each sentence. Fill in the blank with the word in the word pair that best completes the sentence.

6. In 1820 _____ (**Antonio López de Santa Anna/Father Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla**) led a rebellion of about 80,000 poor American Indians and mestizos hoping to win Mexico's independence from Spain.
7. _____ (**Stephen F. Austin/Sam Houston**) was one of the agents who helped bring settlers to Texas.
8. Sam Houston's Texas army defeated _____ (**Antonio López de Santa Anna/Father Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla**) at the Battle of San Jacinto.
9. The independent nation of Texas was called the _____ (**Alamo/Republic of Texas**).

Expanding West

Vocabulary Builder

Section 2

DIRECTIONS Use the five vocabulary words to write a summary of what you have learned in the section.

Stephen F. Austin	<i>empresarios</i>
Antonio López de Santa Anna	Battle of San Jacinto
Alamo	
