

CAUSES

1. United States annexes Texas
2. Mexico refuses U.S. offer to buy California and New Mexico for \$30 million
3. American and Mexican soldiers clash in disputed border area

MEXICAN WAR

EFFECTS

1. Treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo
2. United States acquires vast new lands
3. United States achieves dream of Manifest Destiny
4. Influx of American settlers affects culture and laws of all groups in the new lands