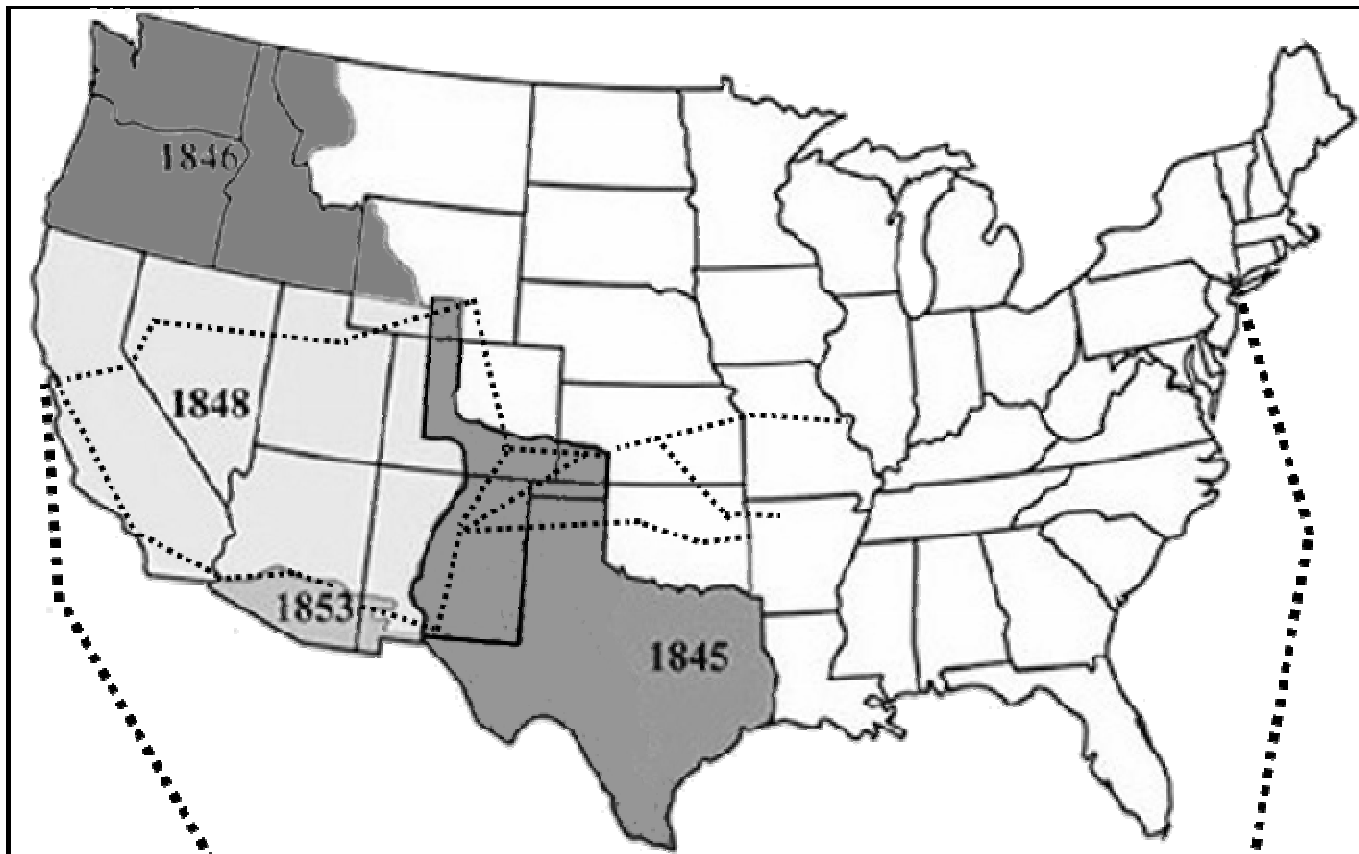


Directions: Write your response on the lined space provided on the back of this page. Your response must fit within the designated space. Answer all parts of the question. Use complete sentences; an outlined or bulleted list alone is not acceptable.



Using the map as a reference, answer (a), (b), and (c).

- What were the pluses and minuses of President James K. Polk's pro-expansion movement? (First, list all three major land additions during the Polk Administration [1845-1848], including a list of states created. Then, explain the consequences regarding Mexico and Great Britain.)
- Contrast the various routes taken to get to California during the Gold Rush. (Contrast [don't just list] the six routes to California. Do not include the Transcontinental Railroad.)
- Explain why the Transcontinental Railroad didn't go through Indian Territory as planned. (Detail both routes of the Transcontinental Railroad and the specific reason why one was chosen over the other [don't just use "Civil War politics.] )

