A Nation Emerges Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Enlarging the Nation**

How did the United States grow beyond its original territory? Complete the chart and the map to show the additional territories acquired and explain how they became part of the U.S.

**Cede:**

**Cession:**

**Annex:**

**Annexation:**

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| **Territory** | **Year**  **Acquired** | **Previous**  **Owner** | **Circumstances of Acquisition** |
| Original United States  (More than just the 13 Colonies) |  |  |  |
| Louisiana Purchase |  |  |  |
| Red River Basin (British Cession) |  |  |  |
| Florida (Florida Cession) |  |  |  |
| Northern Border of Maine |  |  |  |
| Texas Annexation |  |  |  |
| Oregon Country |  |  |  |
| Mexican Cession |  |  |  |
| Gadsden Purchase |  |  |  |
| Alaska |  |  |  |
| Hawaii |  |  |  |

