**Mexican Cession** (NBE #17)

1. Color the region of the map that made up the land gained through this deal
2. Label the region
3. Under the label, write the date that this region was gained
4. Below the map, write a *detailed summary* of the event. You must include the following terms in your summary:
* Spain
* territory
* Mexico
* Mexican independence
* President Polk
* Rio Grande River
* Nueces River
* 150 miles northeast
* 1846
* 16 Americans were killed
* Congress declared war on Mexico
* General Stephen Kearny
* Ordered to occupy New Mexico and California territories
* John C. Fremont
* rebellion
* Bear Flag Republic
* California
* America invaded Mexico
* General Zachary Taylor
* “Old Rough and Ready”
* 6000 troops
* 20,000 troops
* Buena Vista ranch
* 2 days
* Retreated
* General Winfield Scott
* “Old Fuss and Feathers”
* captured
* Capital
* Mexico City
* 1848
* Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo
* Mexico ceded a large territory
* California, Nevada, Utah, Arizona, New Mexico, and parts of Colorado and Wyoming
* $15 million
* Promise to protect