Mexican Republic

Independence

Plan of Iguala

Iturbide

dissolved congress

Plan of Casa Mata

Constitution of 1824

Guadalupe Victoria

Election of 1828

Manuel Gomez Pedraza conservative

Vicente Guerrero challenges

Spain invaded Mexico 1828

Anastacio Bustamante seizes government from Guerrero in 1830

Santa Anna seized the government from Bustamante in 1833

Gomez Farías

Santa Anna 1834

dissolved congress 1835

New constitution in 1836 dissolved states into departments

Rebellion on the frontier

Texas, 1835-1836

Independence

New Mexico, 1837

California, 1838

Resentment

Collapse of the missions

Secularization order in 1833

California missions did not immediately become secularized

A continuation of Bourbon policies

Frontier Indians and collapse of Indian policy

Erosion of Mexican military defenses in North

Disintegration of presidios

American presence and expansion

New Englanders in California

Santa Fe Trail

Mountain men

Texas

Intermarriage