AP US History Period 5 Timeline

Directions: Summarize the *causes* and *effects* for each event in no more than 2 sentences. This should be done continually throughout each ‘Period’ as each event is covered, either in class or through your reading and homework. This way, you will not have a giant timeline to complete at the end of each period. Take ten minutes to update it daily instead.

1. Lone Star Republic Established (1836)
2. Webster-Ashburton Treaty (1842)
3. Annexation of Texas (1845)
4. Oregon Treaty (1846)
5. Mexican American War (1846)
6. Wilmot Proviso (1846)
7. Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo (1848)
8. Gadsden Purchase (1853)
9. Gold Rush in California (1848-1849)
10. Compromise of 1850 (1850)
11. Publishing of Uncle Tom’s Cabin (1852)
12. Kansas-Nebraska Act (1854)
13. Birth of the Republican Party (1854)
14. Bleeding Kansas (1855-1866)
15. Dred Scott v. Sandford (1857)
16. Publishing of Impending Crisis of the South (1857)
17. John Brown’s Raid at Harpers Ferry (1859)
18. Election of Lincoln (1860)
19. Secession of the Deep South (1860)
20. Secession of the Upper South (1861)
21. Battle of Antietam (1862)
22. Emancipation Proclamation (1862)
23. Surrender at Appomattox (1865)
24. Assassination of Lincoln (1865)
25. Thirteenth Amendment (1865)
26. Civil Rights Act of 1866
27. Fourteenth Amendment (1868)
28. Impeachment of Andrew Johnson (1868)
29. Fifteenth Amendment (1870)
30. Civil Rights Act of 1875
31. Compromise of 1877/Ending of Reconstruction