

# Chapter 3

## Section 5

### The Spanish Colonies on the Borderlands

# Spanish Florida

- 1500s- Spanish arrived in FL
- Feared French would try to claim it- 1565 built  

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  - First \_\_\_\_\_ in present US
- 1693- Spain said any \_\_\_\_\_  
from English colonies that reached FL would be  

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  - Tried to compete with English power
- FL grew slowly- by 1763 only 3 settlements- all forts- all in northern FL- little control over the rest

# Settling the Spanish Borderlands

- Spain's most important colonies in Mexico and South America
- Area north of Mexico called \_\_\_\_\_ (areas along a frontier)
- Started with FL then extended to TX, NM, AZ, UT, NV, CO, and CA
- \_\_\_\_\_ varies greatly

# Settling the Spanish Borderlands

- \_\_\_\_\_ in New Mexico
  - Early explorers were trying to built colonies
  - Onate headed into borderlands to \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
  - No gold but did found \_\_\_\_\_ - first colony in region
  - Brought \_\_\_\_\_ - let Natives watch after them
    - Some fled, spread skill of horseback riding from tribe to tribe- became a major part of Native life
  - Natives suffered under Spanish rule
    - In 1680- NM they rebelled and forced Spanish out for 10 years

# Settling the Spanish Borderlands

- Missions in Texas and Arizona
  - Missions- \_\_\_\_\_ - aimed to convert Natives
  - Priests taught Christianity and strict rules
  - In TX and AZ- \_\_\_\_\_ led
  - Little success at first- only one that lasted was \_\_\_\_\_ - attracted settlers

# Settling the Spanish Borderlands

- Missions Along the California Coast
  - Began in 1769
  - \_\_\_\_\_ started first mission- \_\_\_\_\_
    - Later established \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
  - 1769-1800- 20 missions started in CA

# Settling the Spanish Borderlands

- Presidios and Pueblos
  - \_\_\_\_\_ - military posts- to protect missions
  - \_\_\_\_\_ - civilian towns- farmed and traded
    - \_\_\_\_\_ in center- market, church, and homes

# Life in Spanish Missions

- Life not exceptionally hard for Natives in missions at the time
  - Labored for 5-8 hours a day 5-6 days a week
  - BUT if they broke the rules they could be imprisoned, shackled, or whipped
  - Often rebelled
  - Many died- bad conditions/disease