



Notable People-Westward Expansion

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Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

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- A Sam Houston
- B Zebulon Pike
- C Davy Crockett
- D Jim Bowie



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- A Pike's Peak
- B Pike's Valley
- C Pike's Island
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- C Santa Anna
- D John Sutter



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B Abraham Lincoln
C Sam Houston
D Jim Bowie



- B James K. Polk
- C William Travis
- D Colin Powell



9 The **Tennessee Congressman** who died in the **Battle of the Alamo** was _____.

- A John Sutter
- B Thomas Jefferson
- C George Washington
- D Davy Crockett



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