## DAILY U.S. HISTORY- 7<sup>TH</sup> AND 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE WEEK 6= ERA 4

- 1. In 1820, Captain Stephen Long described the western plain as what?
- 2. What percent of the land in the United States was rural in 1820?
- 3. What year did Texas win it's independence from Mexico? (timeline)
- 4. In the early 1800s, what was the fastest and least expensive way to get around?
- 5. What animal did Americans rely on for long-distance travel?
- 6. What drew miners to California in 1849?
- 7. On page 47, what would be another name for a Mexican cowboy?
- 8. How much area of land in square miles did the United States have in 1860?