**Utah’s Struggle for Statehood: Chapter 9 Notes Utah War and Mountain Meadows Massacre**

**Proposed state of Deseret**

* Soon after arriving in Utah, Brigham Young and other leaders wrote a constitution
* Wanted the State of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ “Deseret” meant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – industry, hard work
* Petition turned down by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ government

**Compromise of 1850**

* Issue of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ divided North and South
	+ Evenly split in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – half of states were free and half were slave
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ asked to join as a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_state
	+ Would tip the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Henry Clay (Great Compromiser) said to allow CA in, and create 2 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – New Mexico and Utah – which could decide for themselves if they were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ territories. (The compromise also included the fugitive slave act)

**Utah becomes a Territory**

* Voted to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ slavery
* Run by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ government
* President Fillmore appoints \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ governor
* 3 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ appointed from the East
	+ This makes people \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**The Utah War**

* The 3 Judges return to D.C. and tell the president…
	+ Mormons are\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ non-Mormons
	+ Mormons are destroying \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ records
	+ Mormons treat non-Mormons \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* President Buchanan appointed a new \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and sent \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ army to escort him to the Utah Territory
* Brigham Young assumes it is an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, so he calls out the militia
* Mormon Militia prepare for Johnston’s army by…
	+ Destroying \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, animal \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and driving off animals
	+ Also burned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and Fort Supply
* Army forced to stop in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ due to snow and lack of supplies
* Mormons \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Salt Lake City and other northern communities
	+ Prepared their homes, food, and fields to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ foundations of Salt Lake Temple

**Mountain Meadows Massacre**

1857: Mormons are preparing for Johnston’s army. Meanwhile…. 120 Arkansas and Missouri immigrants (the Fancher party) cross southern Utah on their way to California. Mormons will not trade with the Fancher party. A Mormon leader had just been killed in Arkansas, and these immigrants started bragging about the murder. There was a rumor that the immigrants had poisoned a well, killing Paiutes and their animals. Paiutes attacked but were driven back. Isaac Haight sent a rider to SLC to ask Young for advice. Haight and John D. Lee decided to ally with the Paiutes and attack the immigrants. Paiutes encircled the immigrants, and then Lee approached with a white flag of truce. Mormons agreed to give the immigrants safe passage if they put their weapons away. Sent women and children ahead of the men . Had one soldier next to each male immigrant. “Halt, each man do your duty.” Turned and shot the immigrant, or stepped back and allowed the Paiutes to do it. Killed all of the men, then went and killed all of the women, and any children old enough to report. Only 18 small children were left alive

**Camp Floyd**

* Army entered in spring of 1858 to find SLC \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* Set up a military base in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Mountains; \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ things that Camp Floyd or the army brought to Utah
	+ Strengthened Utah’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, provided \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, soldiers had to buy supplies from Utahans
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	+ Brought the “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” to Utah… \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, saloons, prostitution, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, etc.
	+ Had to have a gun or didn’t feel safe
* Johnston’s army called\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ War started in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ War \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ without a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_fired
	+ Colonel Patrick \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ replaces Johnston’s army

**The New Governor**

* Alfred \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the new governor, tried to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to all people
	+ Won more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than enemies
* Abraham Lincoln sent Colonel Patrick Connor with a group of men to “protect overland \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”
	+ Probably to keep an eye on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ War

**Polygamy**

Did you know that Brigham Young had \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wives… many were widows that were older than him that he cared for. He had a total of 57 children with 16 of his wives.

**Issues with Polygamy**

* People in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ believed that if women in Utah could \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, they would \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ polygamy
	+ When they didn’t, the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ government took away the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_as punishment
* Republican Party’s platform was to eliminate the “twins of barbarism – slavery and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”
* Passed laws making polygamy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – could be arrested for 5 years and fined $500 (equal to $11,000 today).

**Reynolds vs. The United States**

* Mormons believed polygamy was protected under the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ amendment, and that the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Court would agree
* Took the case to the Supreme Court, but the Court decided that *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* not *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* were protected
* Polygamy declared \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* “Can a man excuse his practices…because of his beliefs? To permit this would be to…permit every citizen to become a law unto himself.” (Chief Justice Waite)

**Consequences**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hunting: informers were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ $20 for each polygamist they found ($450 of today’s money)
	+ Became a favorite pastime and source of income for Utahans
* Many Mormon men chose to go to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rather than give up polygamy
* Many polygamists went into \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Others went to Mexico or Canada. Others were called on missions to foreign countries.
	+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ became the leader in 1877, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_while in hiding in 1887

**The Manifesto**

* Impossible for Mormons to live \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* President Wilford \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (4th leader) issued the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in 1890, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ polygamy
* “Inasmuch as laws have been enacted by Congress forbidding plural marriages, which laws have been pronounced constitutional by the court of last resort, I hereby declare my intention to submit to those laws, and to use my influence with the members of the Church over which I preside to have them do likewise…I publicly declare that my advice to the Latter-day Saints is to refrain from contracting any marriages forbidden by the law of the land.” (Woodruff)