Oregon Country

Directions: Use the online textbook. Chapter 13 Lesson 1 to answer the following questions.

1. Why did fur trapping become an unprofitable business?
2. Why were mountain men important to Americans?
3. What were the push and pull factors affecting emigrants to Oregon?
4. Why was James Polk called the dark horse?

America Moves West Summaries
Use your America Moves West Graphic Organizer to write your summaries.
For each section, write a one sentence summary describing the reasons Americans moved west. You should have 7 in all.

2nd Great Awakening Writing Prompt
Which social reform issue is the most important in your opinion. Write an extended paragraph 8-10 sentences, explaining your reasons. Social Reform Issues: People with Disabilities, Hospital Reform, Slavery/Abolition, Education, Religion, Women’s Rights, Temperance, Transcendentalism (Civil Disobedience) and Prison Reform.

Political Cartoon
Choose any social reform topic discussed in class. You will create your own political cartoon based on your issue of choice. You may include key figures, symbolism, phrases, etc. in your cartoons. You should include some reference to the Second Great Awakening. Your political cartoon must be persuasive and covers only one topic.

2nd Great Awakening Social Reforms Chart
Answer the following questions in your chart.
What was the problem? Who helped solved the problem? You may use google or your online textbook.

| Education | People with Disabilities | Slavery | Prison Reform/Hospital Reform | Women’s Right |