

**C-NOTES: THE ROAD TO REVOLUTION** (Chapter 9)

Why did conflict arise between Texas and Mexico? How did these events lead to revolution?

<b>Mexican Fears</b>	<u>United States (U.S.)</u> <u>Mexico (MX)</u>
<b>U.S. Actions</b>	<u>1819:</u> <u>1825:</u>
<b>Different Views</b>	<u>American:</u>  <u>Mexican:</u>
<b>Settler Attitudes</b>	
<b>Fredonian Rebellion</b>	<u>1826:</u>
<b>Mier y Terán Report</b>	<u>1829:</u>
<b>Law of April 6, 1830</b>	<u>GOAL: Make TX more “Mexican”</u>    <b>  Law: TURNING POINT in colonists/MX relations</b>
<b>Skirmishes at Anahuac</b>	<u>1832:</u> MX Col. Bradburn attempts to enforce duties (taxes) on U.S. goods imported to TX   Angry colonists exchange gunfire with MX troops   Bradburn arrests two TX lawyers (Travis +1) for interference   Two skirmishes lead to Bradburn’s loss of command

<b>Turtle Bayou Resolutions</b>	<p><b><u>1832:</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>  <u>Resolutions: First organized protest against MX</u></b></p>
<b>Political Fighting in Mexico</b>	<p><b><u>Federalists:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Centralists:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>1832:</u></b></p>
<b>Convention of 1832</b>	<p>Meeting at San Felipe de Austin   Chose Stephen F. Austin as leader   Wanted TX to become separate state, resume immigration from U.S., and stop import duties for 3 years   Proposals never given to MX</p>
<b>Convention of 1833</b>	<p>Meeting at San Felipe de Austin <u>after Santa Anna gained power</u>   Same proposals as before   Committee led by Sam Houston drafted a state constitution   Austin to deliver proposals to Mexico City</p>
<b>Austin Arrested</b>	<p><b><u>1833:</u></b></p>
<b>Meanwhile...</b>	<p>Mexican leaders (Federalists) ended ban on immigration from U.S., increased number of local courts, extended some land grants, created new departments, and gave settlers more self-government   <b><u>Catholic Church and military</u></b> opposed new Federalist government because they lost power</p> <p><b><u>1834: Santa Anna seized all power and abolished Constitution of 1824, placed states under military rule and created a Centralist Mexico—he became a dictator</u></b></p>
<b>Anahuac Again</b>	<p><b><u>1835:</u></b> Dispute over duties again   Travis led forces to oppose MX troops   MX Gen. Cos angered by actions and called for arrests of Travis &amp; de Zavala   He was bringing a large force to TX on orders from Santa Anna to make the arrests</p>
<b>Consultation</b>	<p><b><u>1835:</u></b></p>
<b>Constitution of 1824</b>	<p><b><u>Patterned after U.S. Constitution</u></b>   Three branches of government   President’s power is limited   Catholic Church is state religion   States allowed to govern themselves similar to national govt   Texas combined with Coahuila into one state   Anglo-Americans <u>NOT</u> represented   Document <u>NOT</u> submitted to a vote of the people for ratification</p>