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Key Events in the Washington and Adams Administrations

Instructions: Fill out the chart below. Begin by identifying the presidential administration that was in power when the event took place. Give a general description of the event and the people or parties involved. Identify what precedent was established and how this event affected the United States' relationship with the European powers.

Event	Presidential Administration	Description of Event	Precedent Established	Effect on U.S. Foreign Relations
Neutrality Proclamation				
Receiving Minister Genet				
Jay Treaty				
Quasi-War with France				

Key Events of the Jefferson and Madison Administrations

Instructions: Many of the key events that took place leading up to the War of 1812 revolved around three themes: trade, territory, and impressment. Use this chart to record each event by considering how these themes were involved. Begin by identifying the presidential administration that was in power when the event took place. Check the shaded boxes to indicate which themes were central to the event. Then describe why the event was significant. For example, how did the event change which countries the United States could trade with? How did the event change U.S. territorial boundaries or reveal resistance to U.S. expansion? How did the event involve the controversial issue of impressment of U.S. sailors?

Event	Presidential Administration	Trade	Territory	Impressment	Significance of Event in Relation to Major Themes
Louisiana Purchase					
Berlin Decree and Orders in Council					
Monroe-Pinkney Treaty					
HMS <i>Leopard</i> and USS <i>Chesapeake</i>					

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Key Events of the Jefferson and Madison Administrations (continued)

Event	Presidential Administration	Trade	Territory	Impressment	Significance of Event in Relation to Major Themes
Embargo Act of 1807					
Nonintercourse Act					
Macon's Bill #2					
Battle at the Tippecanoe River					
Ninety-Day Embargo					