Golden Spike Ceremony at Promontory Point, Utah \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* During the Civil War, the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ passed laws that helped \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, because the Southern representatives couldn’t block them
* Congress passed the Pacific Railway Act of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: the government would give railroad companies free \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and loan them \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to build the transcontinental railroad. Afterward, the railroad companies were supposed to sell the land on both sides of the track and pay back the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ but they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ did that.
* Two companies competed to get the most land and money: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (built tracks from East to West) and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (built tracks from West to East).
* On May 10, 1869, the Central Pacific railway met the Union Pacific Railway in Promontory Point, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, marking the completion of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ railroad.
* Two groups who were discriminated against, the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, found jobs constructing the Railroad.
* The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ built from the Pacific towards the interior, using \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to blast through mountains to form \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.