**Fill in the Blank** Read each sentence. Fill in the blank with the word from the word pair that best completes the sentence.

 1. Native Americans died in large numbers because they had no resistance to European \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (food/diseases)

 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ led an expedition to the area that today is known as Mexico. (Hernán Cortés/Francisco Pizarro)

 3. When the Spanish conquered Montezuma II, it marked the end of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Empire. (Inca/Aztec)

 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was the home of the powerful Inca Empire. (Brazil/Peru)

 5. Men who led the Spanish conquest of the Americas in the 16th century were known as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (viceroys/conquistadors)

 6. In the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ system, a colonist was given land and a number of Native Americans to work the land for him. (encomienda/conquistador)

 7. A document called the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ divided the Americas between Spain and Portugal. (Treaty of Tordesillas/encomienda)

 8. The Dutch established the colony of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ along the Hudson River. (New Spain/New Netherland)

 9. The reformer Bartolomé de Las Casas was a Spanish \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who protested the unjust treatment of Native Americans. (king/priest)

 10. The first English colony was established at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in present-day Virginia in 1607. (Jamestown/Plymouth)