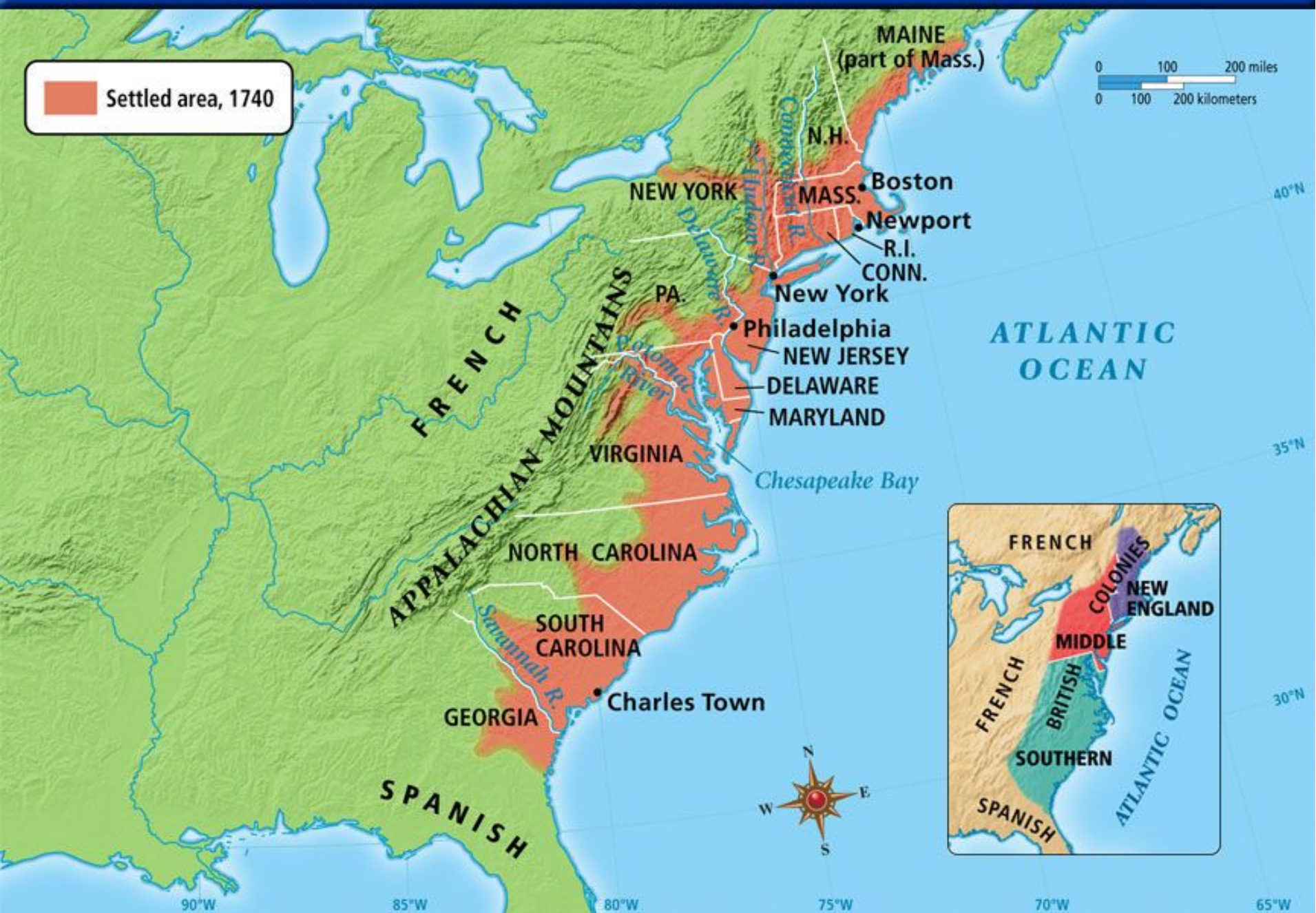


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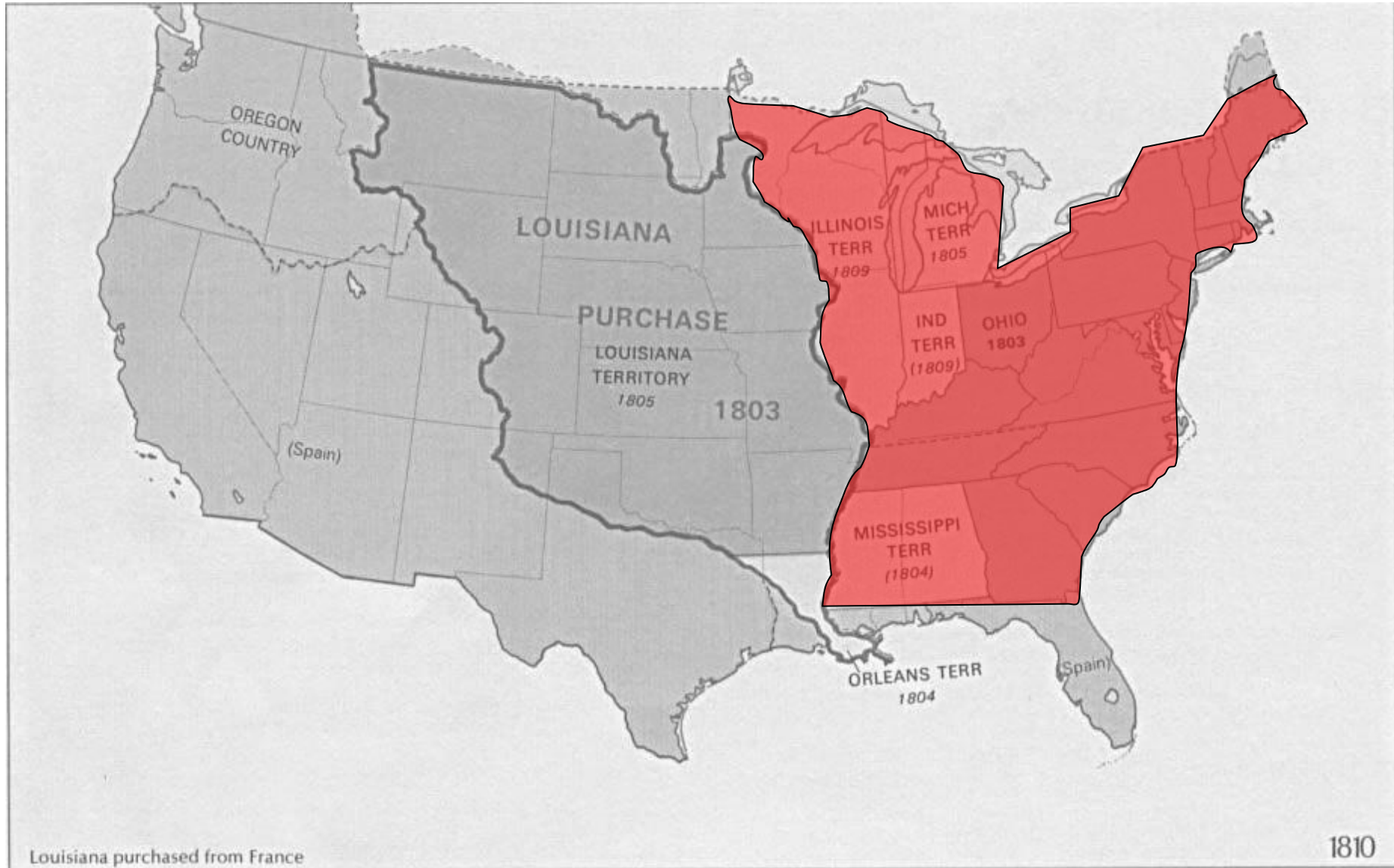
US Expansion 1789-1867

American Colonies 1740

Settled area, 1740



Post-Revolutionary America



Land Acquired between 1783-1867

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- ▶ Mexican Cession
- ▶ Gadsden Purchase
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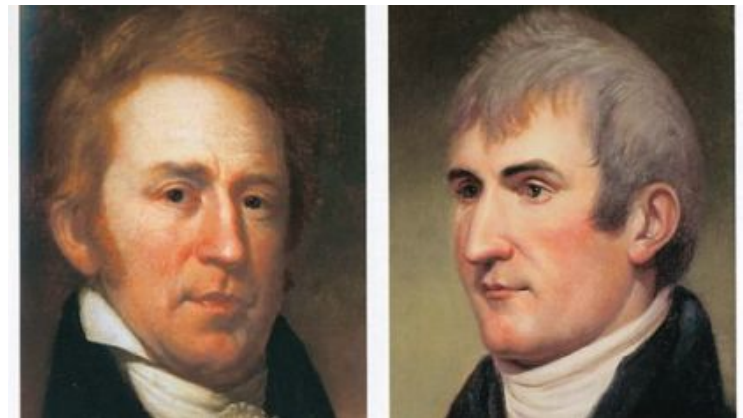
Major socio-economic trends

- ▶ Westward **migration**
 - ▶ movement from one part of something to another.
- ▶ **Industrialization**: the North
 - ▶ the development of industries in a country or region on a wide scale.
- ▶ Equipment produced in the North had an impact on the farming society in the South.
- ▶ The abolitionist movement
- ▶ The suffrage movement

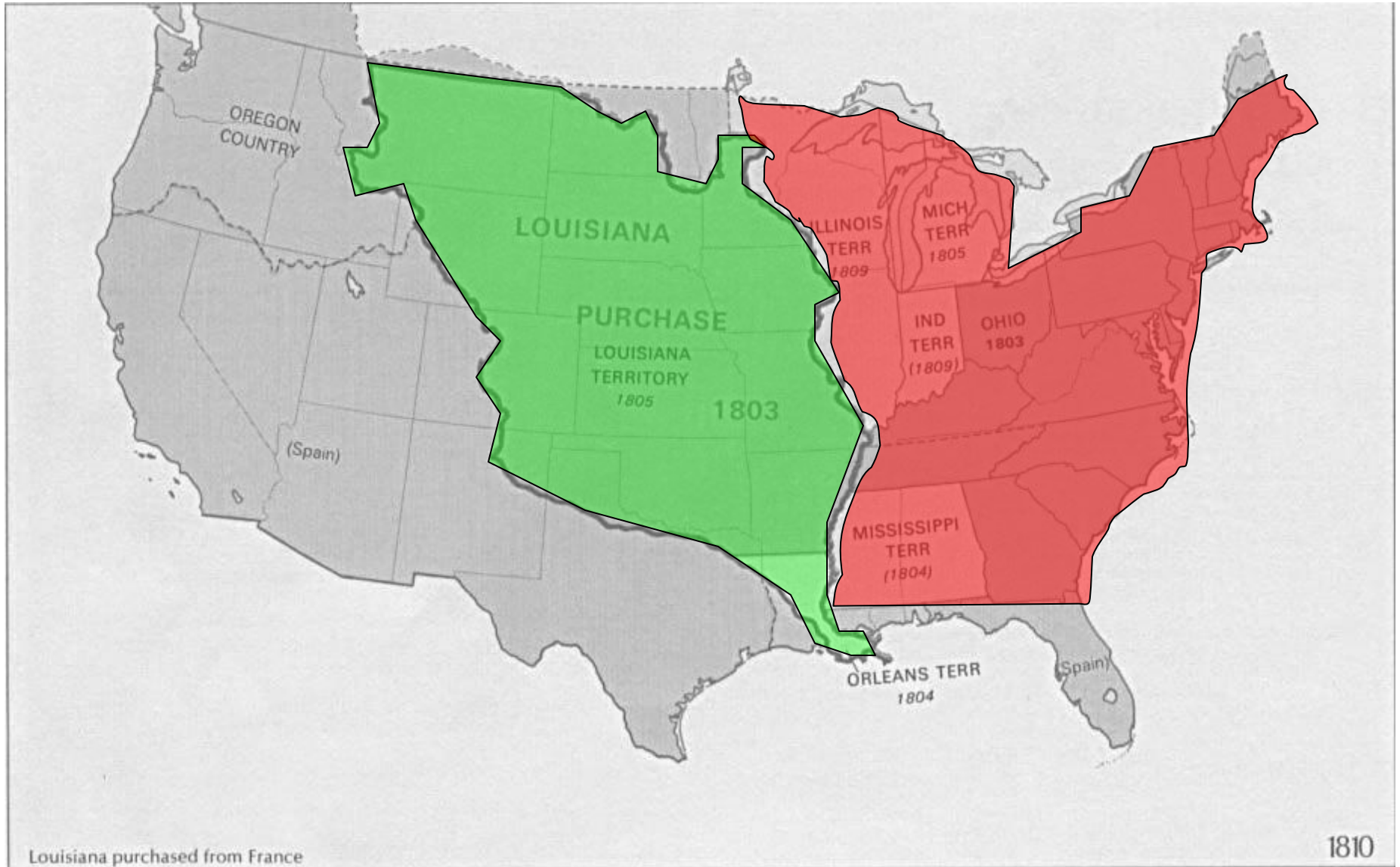


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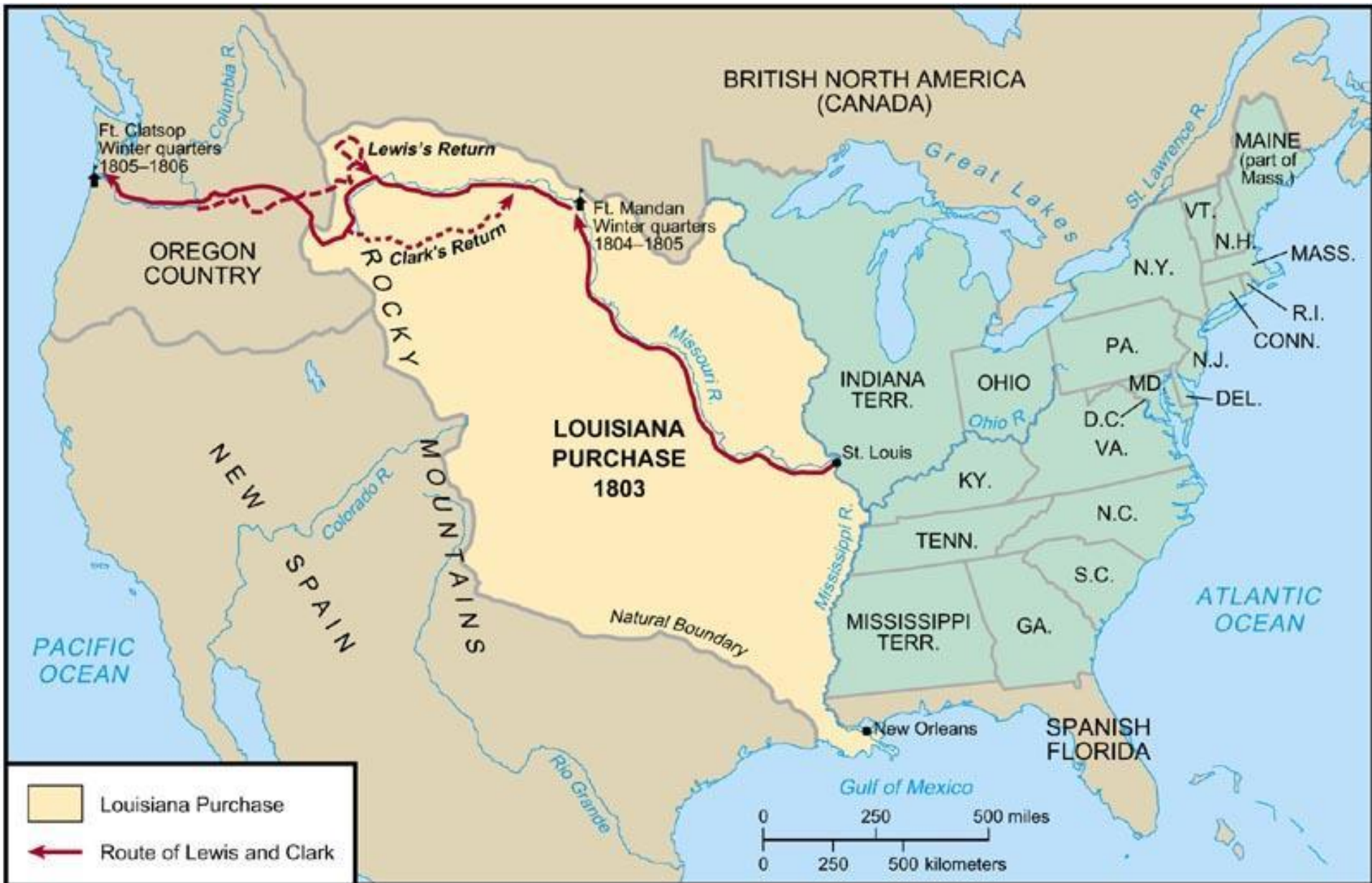
- ▶ New territories added to the United States after 1801:
Louisiana Purchase
- ▶ Jefferson bought land from France (the Louisiana Purchase), which doubled the size of the United States
- ▶ **Meriwether Lewis** and **William Clark** explored the Louisiana Purchase from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Ocean



Louisiana Purchase



Louisiana Purchase (1803)

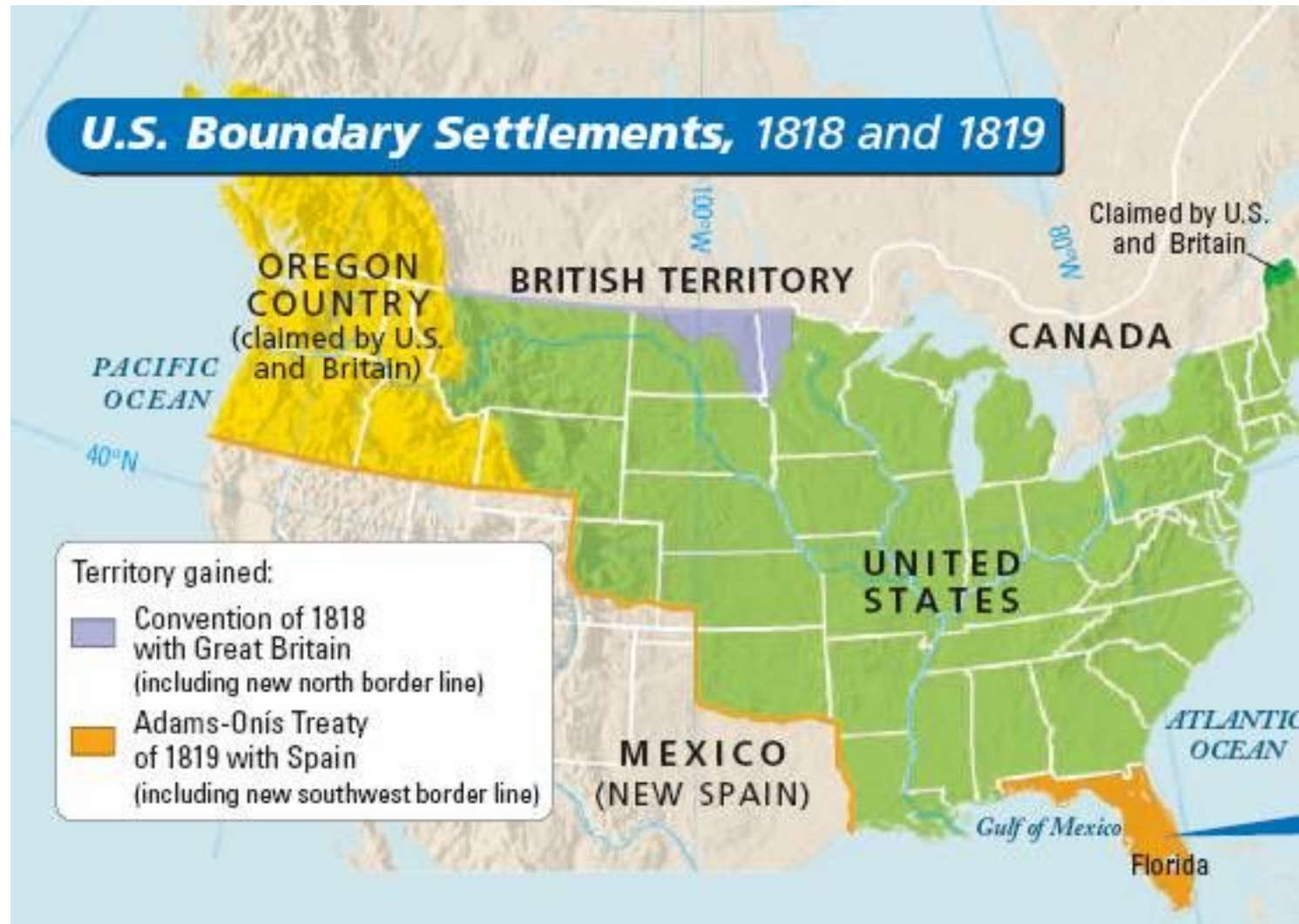


THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE AND THE ROUTE OF LEWIS AND CLARK

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U.S. Boundary Settlements, 1818 and 1819



Other Territories

- ▶ *Florida*

- ▶ Spain gave Florida to the United States through a treaty.

- ▶ *Texas*

- ▶ Texas was added after it became an independent republic.

- ▶ *Oregon*

- ▶ The Oregon Territory was divided by the United States and Great Britain.

- ▶ *California*

- ▶ War with Mexico resulted in California and the southwest territory becoming part of the United States.
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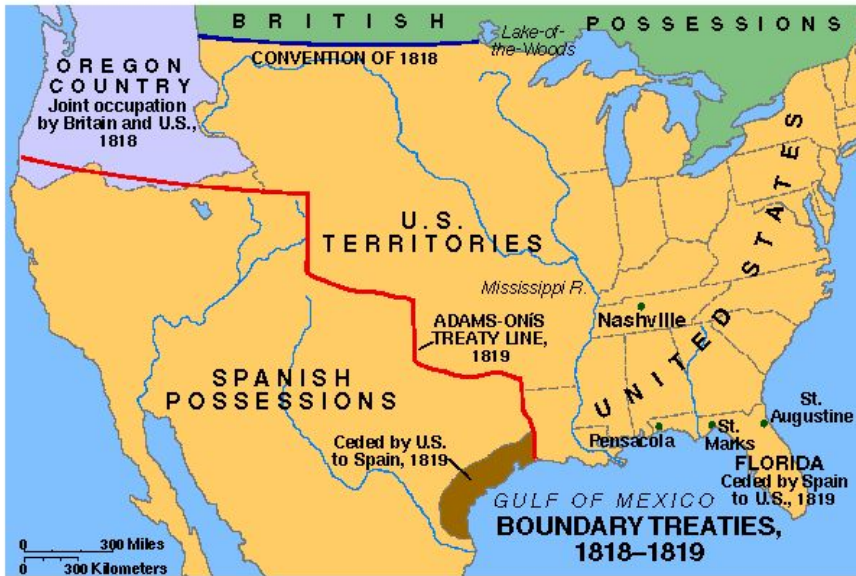


Manifest Destiny

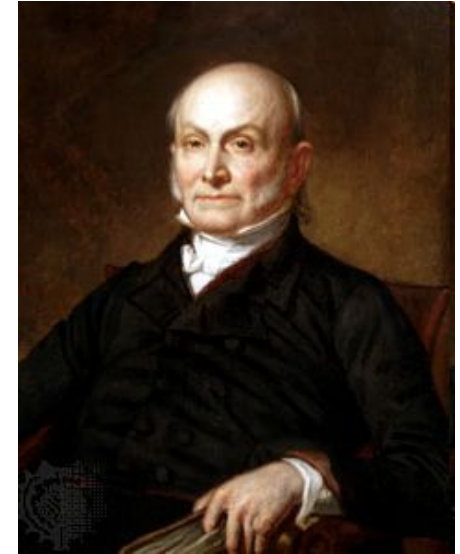
- ▶ Belief that the United States had a **mission to expand its borders** from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean





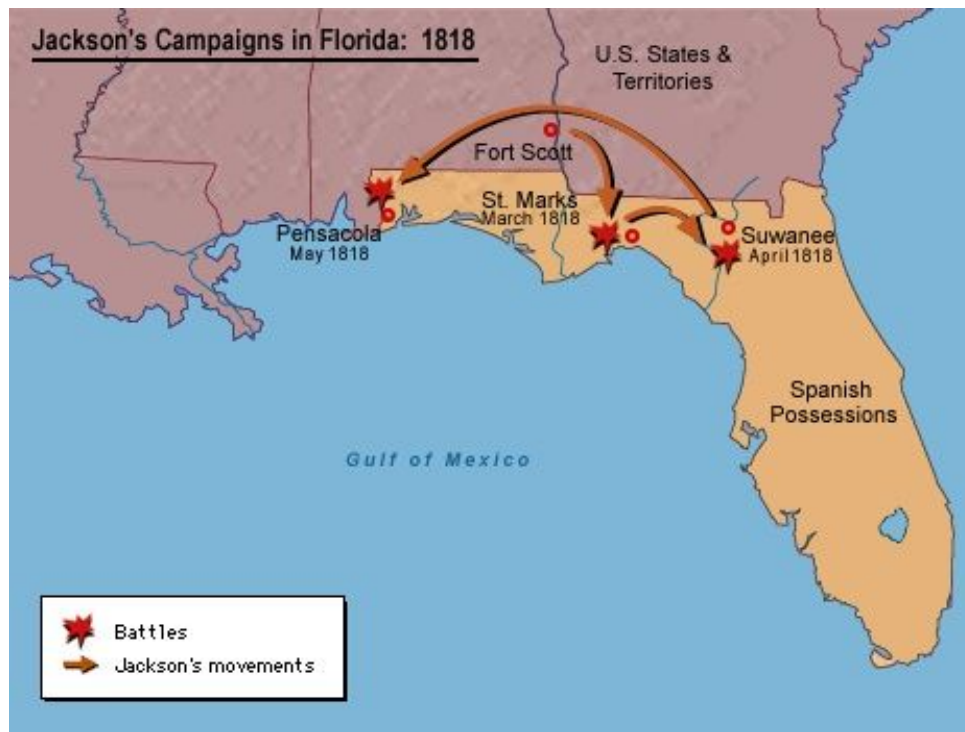


Florida



- ▶ 1819- Adams-Onis Treaty
- ▶ Spain was weak and could not protect it
- ▶ Andrew Jackson defied orders and captured Spanish Forts
- ▶ Signed Treaty giving up rights to Florida instead of losing militarily

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Texas War of Independence



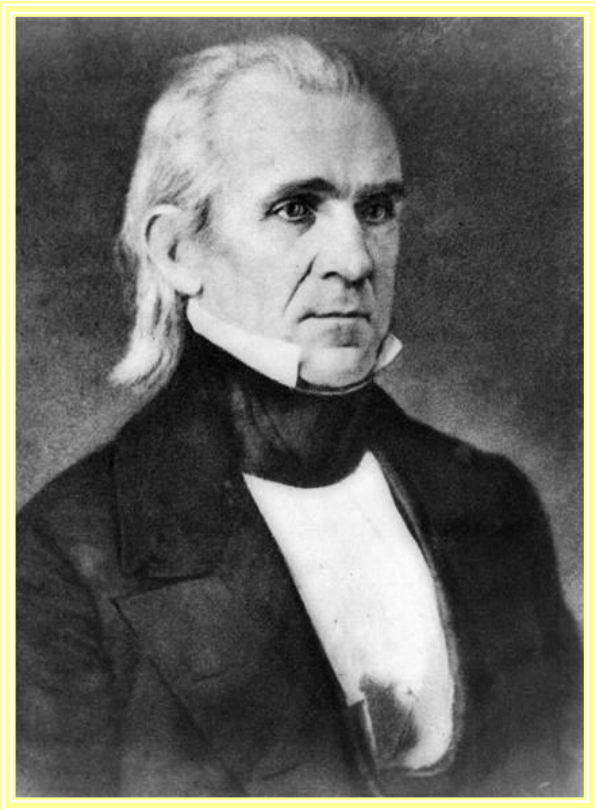
•Americans began moving into Texas in the 1820's and brought their slaves with them.

•War fought by Texans against Mexico because they believed their rights had been violated.

•Won by Texans in 1836 and requests to enter the U.S.

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- James K. Polk, Democrat
- President from 1845 to 1849
- Responsible for adding more land than any other President
- Annexed Texas
- Oregon Territory
- Mexican Cession



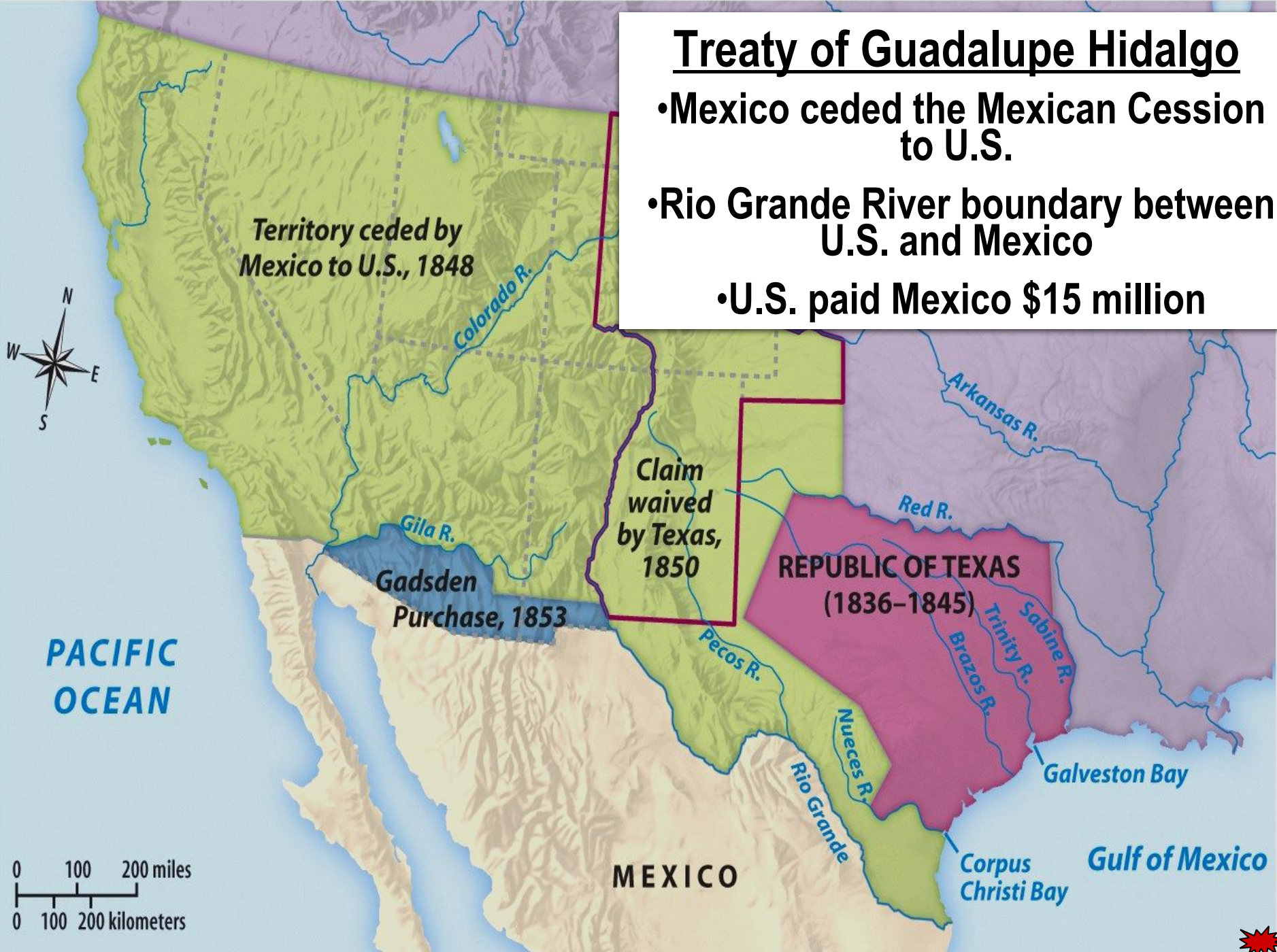
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Mexican War



Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo

- Mexico ceded the Mexican Cession to U.S.
- Rio Grande River boundary between U.S. and Mexico
- U.S. paid Mexico \$15 million



Mexican War

▶ **Causes:**

- Manifest Destiny
- California
- Texas statehood, 1845
- Mexico refusing to sell California
- Border dispute

▶ **Effects**

- US receives Mexican Cession
- Disputes over expansion of slavery will lead to the Civil War



Gadsden's Purchase- 1853



- ▶ Bought from Mexico for 10 Million
- ▶ Wanted to build Southern Transcontinental Railroad



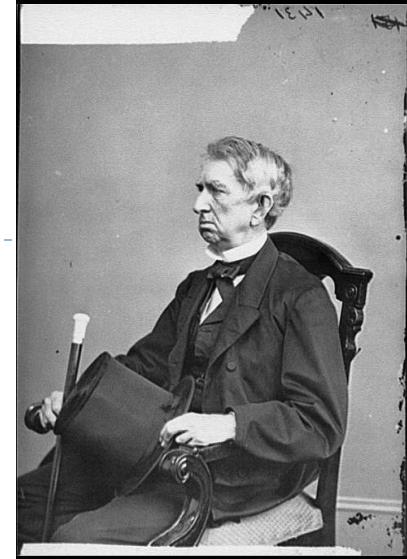
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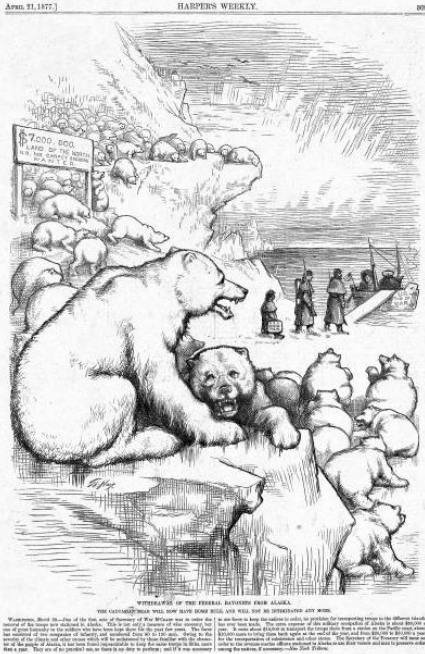
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Gadsden Purchase	(1853)	Mexico	Purchased to build a railroad
Alaska	(1867)	Russia	Purchased because Russia short of money

Alaska- Seward's Icebox

- ▶ 1867
- ▶ Purchased from Russia for 7 Million
- ▶ Heavily Criticized
- ▶ Purchased for Defensive and Strategic reasons
- ▶ Keep out of British hands
- ▶ Gold and Oil
- ▶ Seward's Day



Secretary of State



"THE BIG THING."
OLD MOTHER SEWARD. "I'll rub some of this on his sore spot: it may soothe him a little."