

THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

How Revolutionary Was It?

The Stories Behind the Story



HERE'S HOW I PLAN TO APPROACH THE COURSE

OUR FIRST CLASS...

- Introduction & Welcome
- What Do We Know about the Revolution?
- A look at British North America: 1750-1763

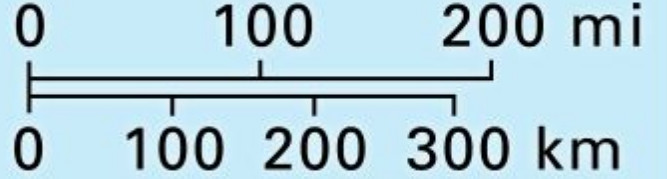
NEXT CLASSES...

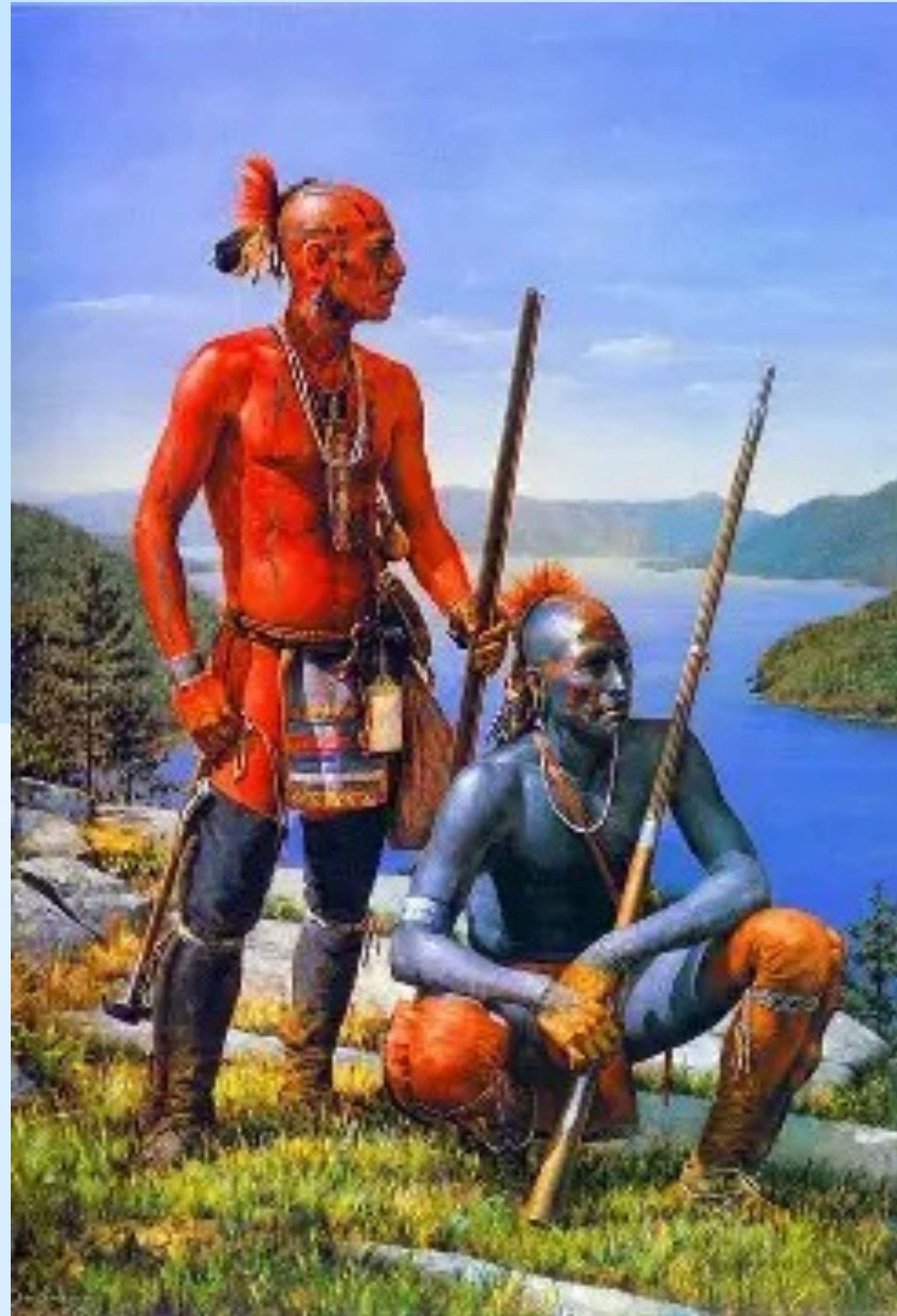
2. The Struggle Begins: 1763 - 1776
3. The War: 1775-1783
4. Successes, Failures, and Other Considerations



**Painting by Grant Wood
of the Parson Weems fable**

INDIGENOUS PEOPLES OF THE NORTHEAST





Haudenosaunee or Iroquois

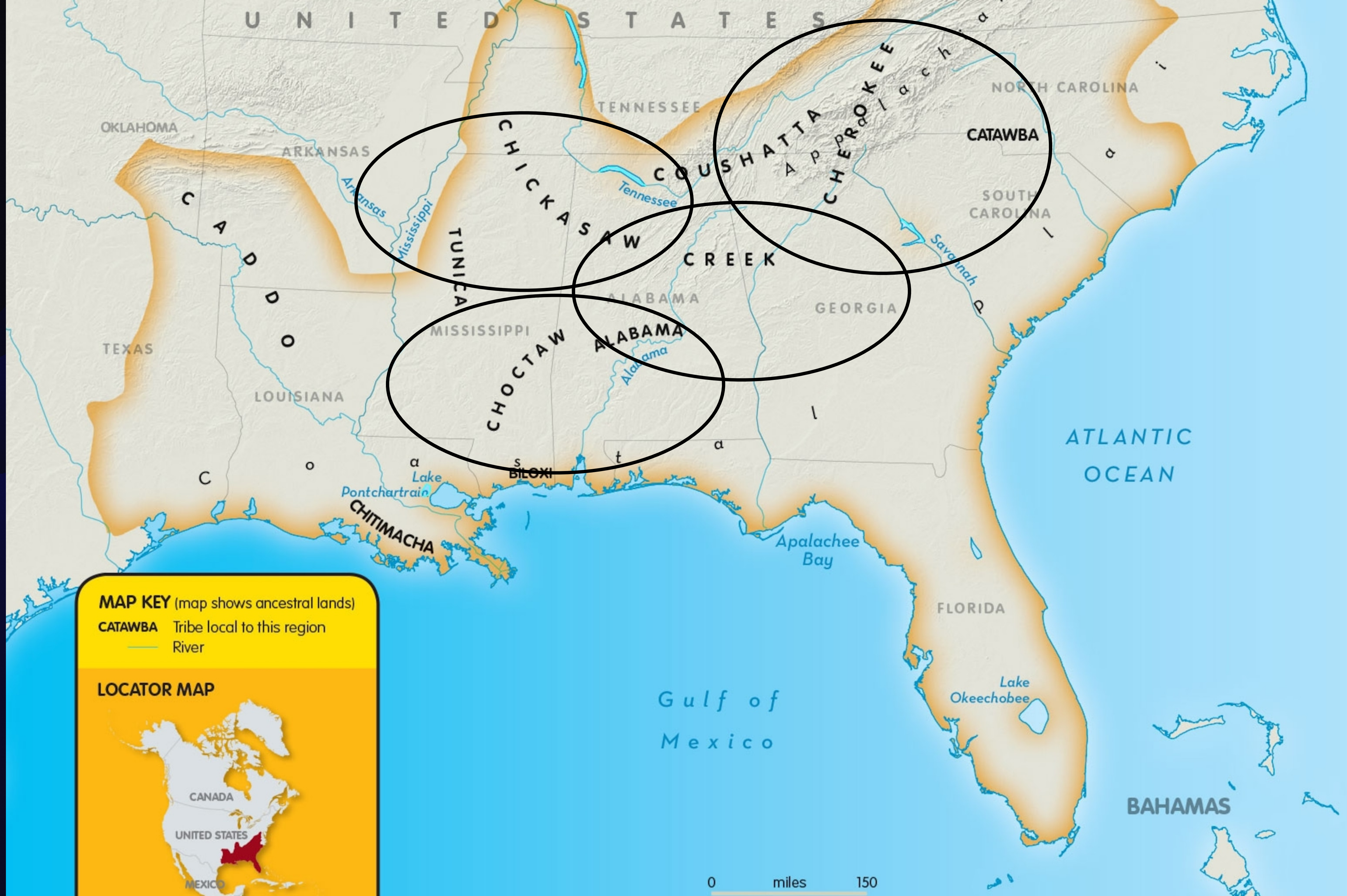




Shawnee



Lenape or Delaware



MAP KEY (map shows ancestral lands)

CATAWBA Tribe local to this region

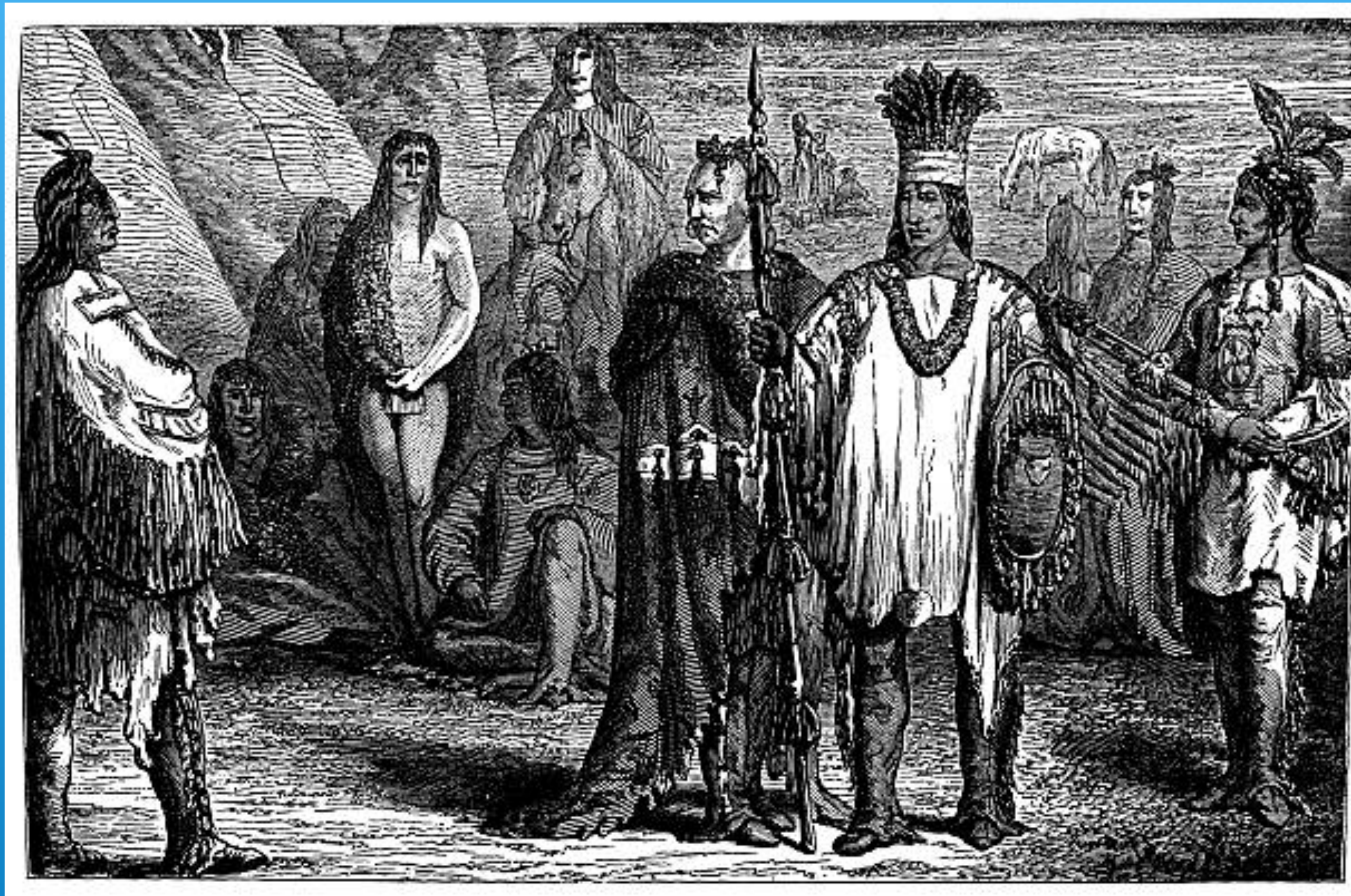
— River

LOCATOR MAP



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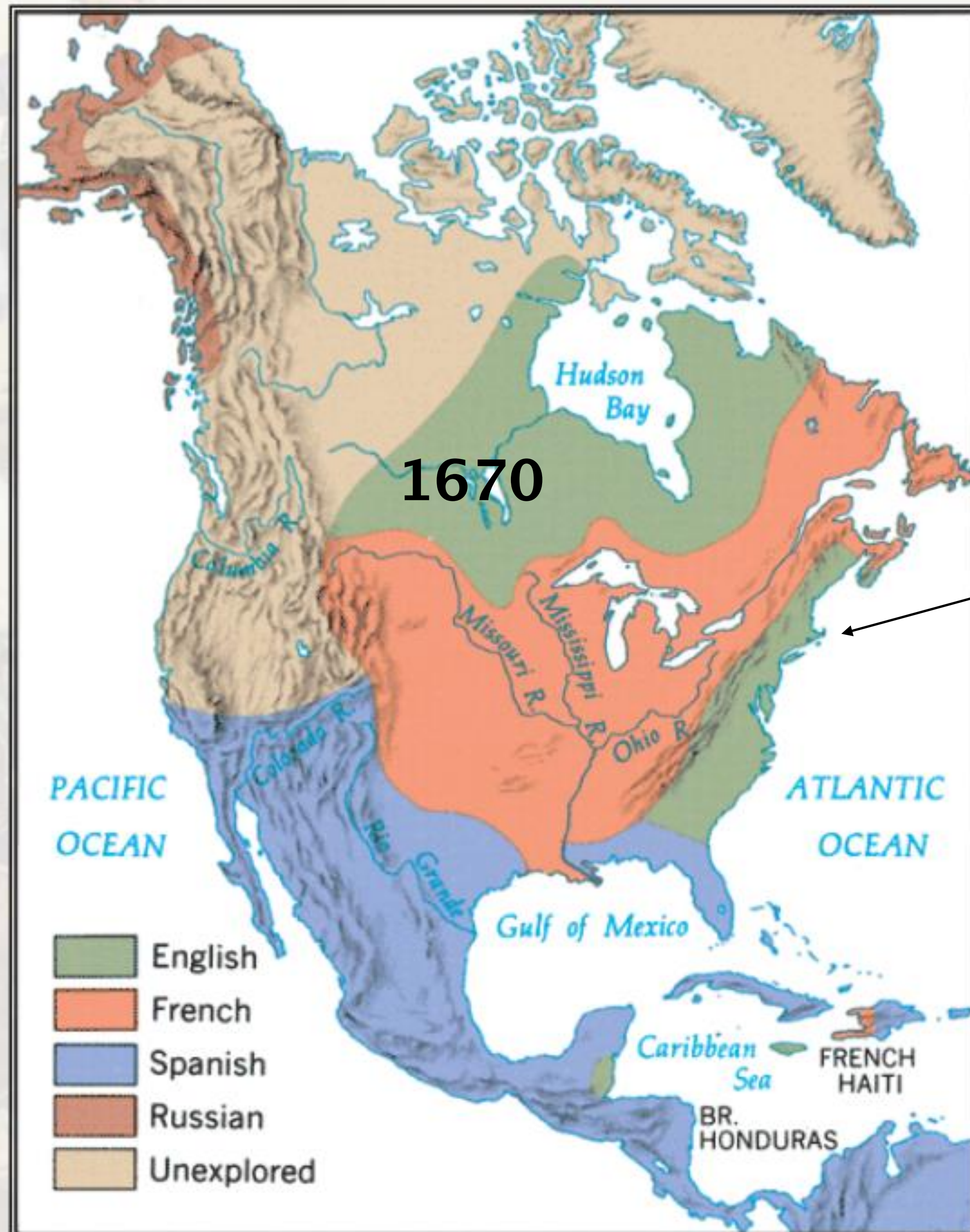
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Cherokee



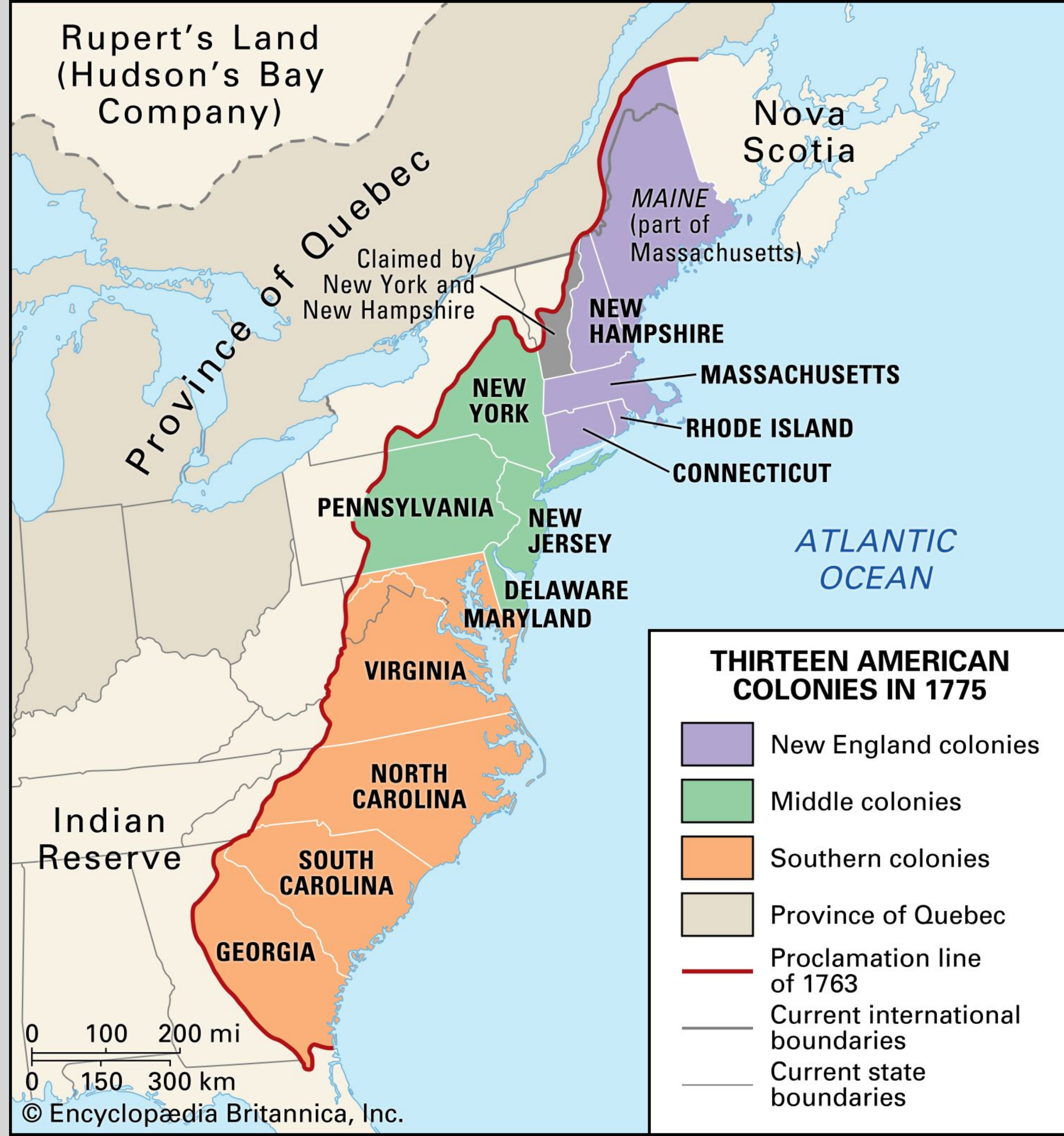
North America Before 1754



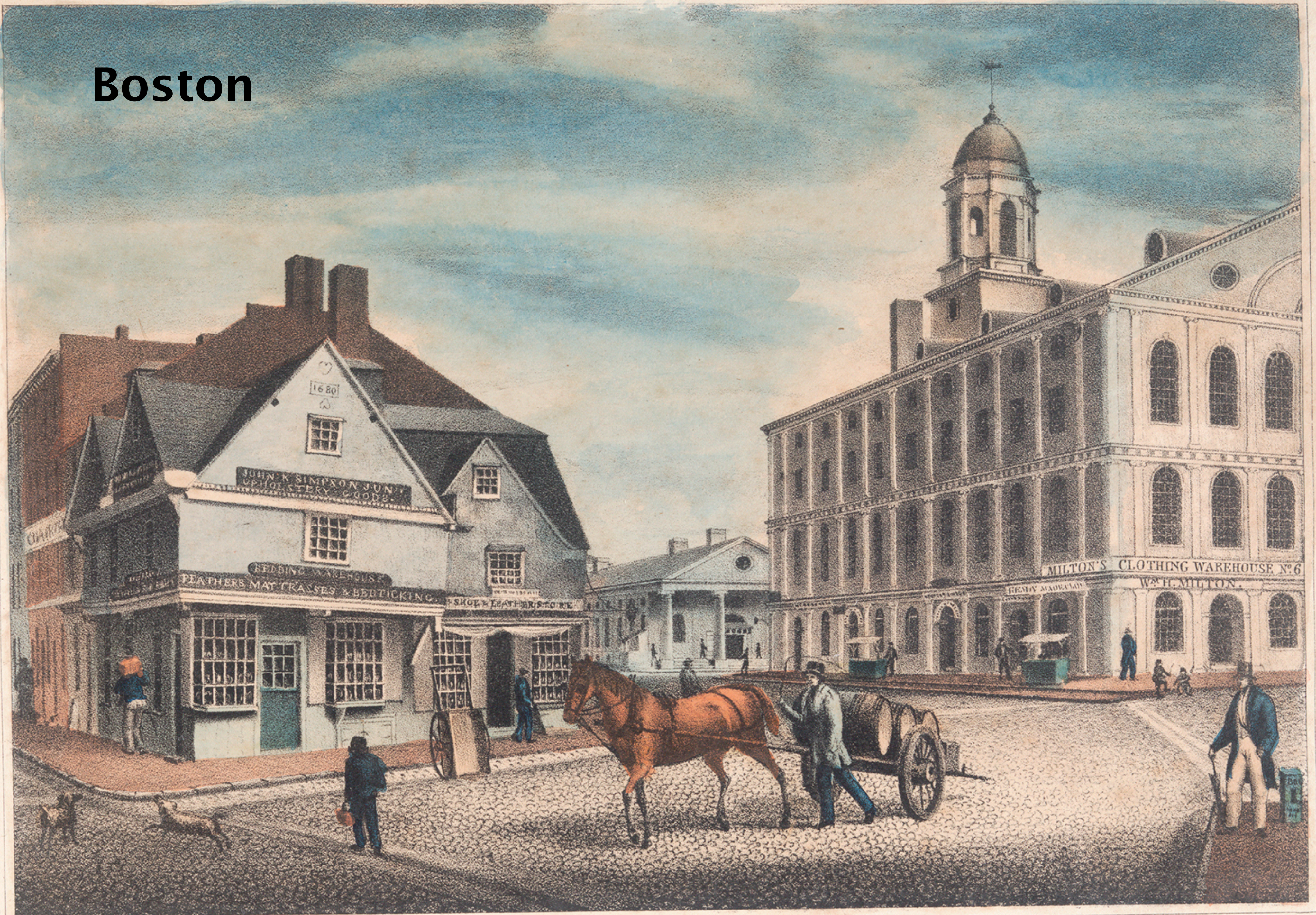
13 Mainland Colonies

Franklin's Dream, 1751 ??





Boston





Philadelphia



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German farms in Pennsylvania





Tobacco farming at Mount Vernon



Scenes in the Deep South





The Greater Appalachians

They did not have
their own colony

Most of the Scots-Irish settled in the Appalachian region highlighted above after leaving Ireland and Britain in the 18th century. Many populate that area today, but their intrinsic wanderlust led others to push on.



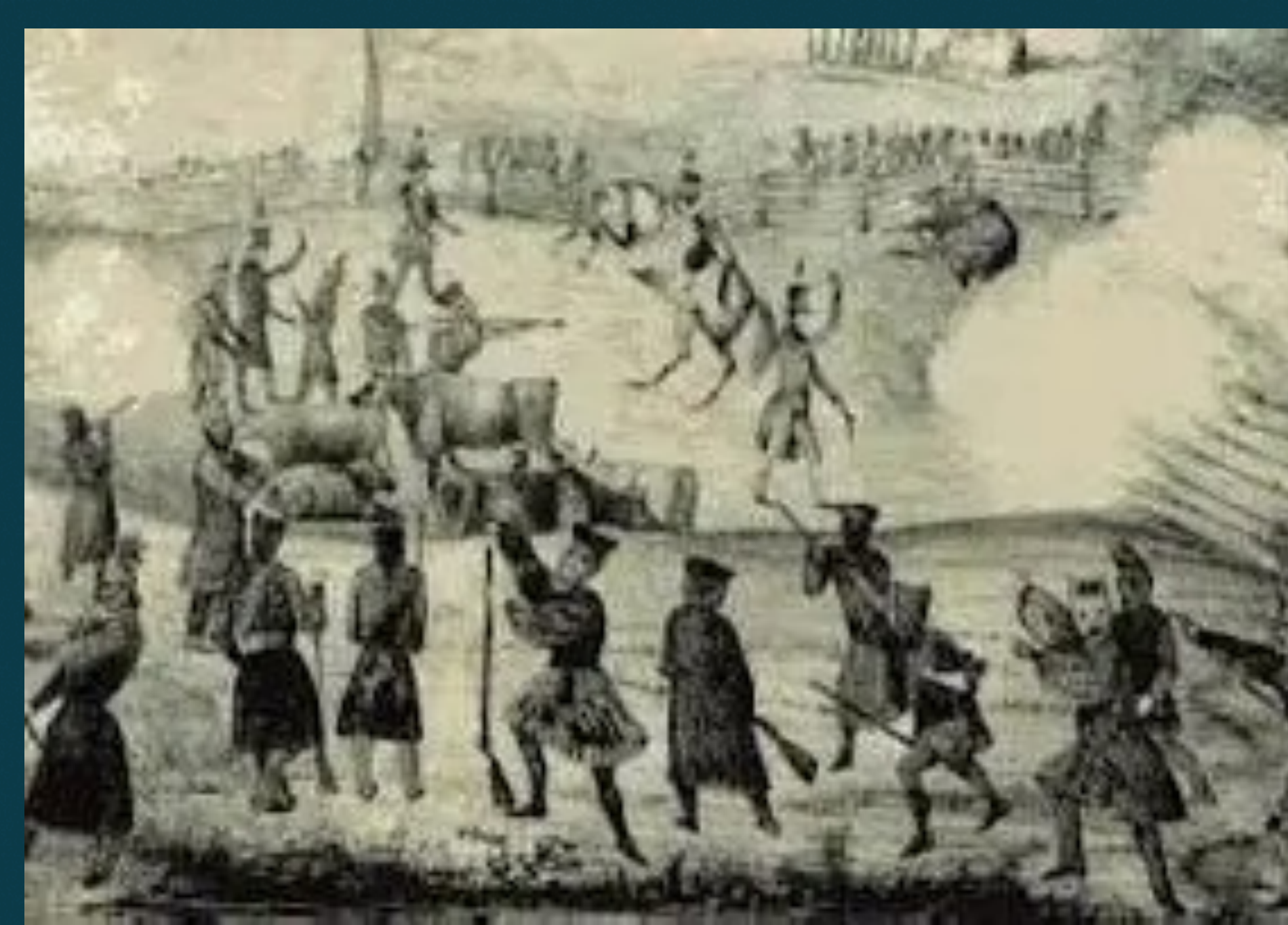
Scots-Irish settlers

THE AMERICAN NATIONS TODAY





THE OHIO COMPANY OF VIRGINIA



The Hudson River Valley And the Rent Riots



THE FRENCH and INDIAN WAR

1754 - 1763





Washington at Ft. Duquesne



William Pitt, the Elder

Prime Minister during the French and Indian War

NORTH AMERICA LAND CLAIM CHANGES AFTER THE FRENCH AND INDIAN WAR



1750



1763