

Objective: To examine the Scopes Trial, the election of 1928, and the intolerance of the 1920's. USHC 6.2

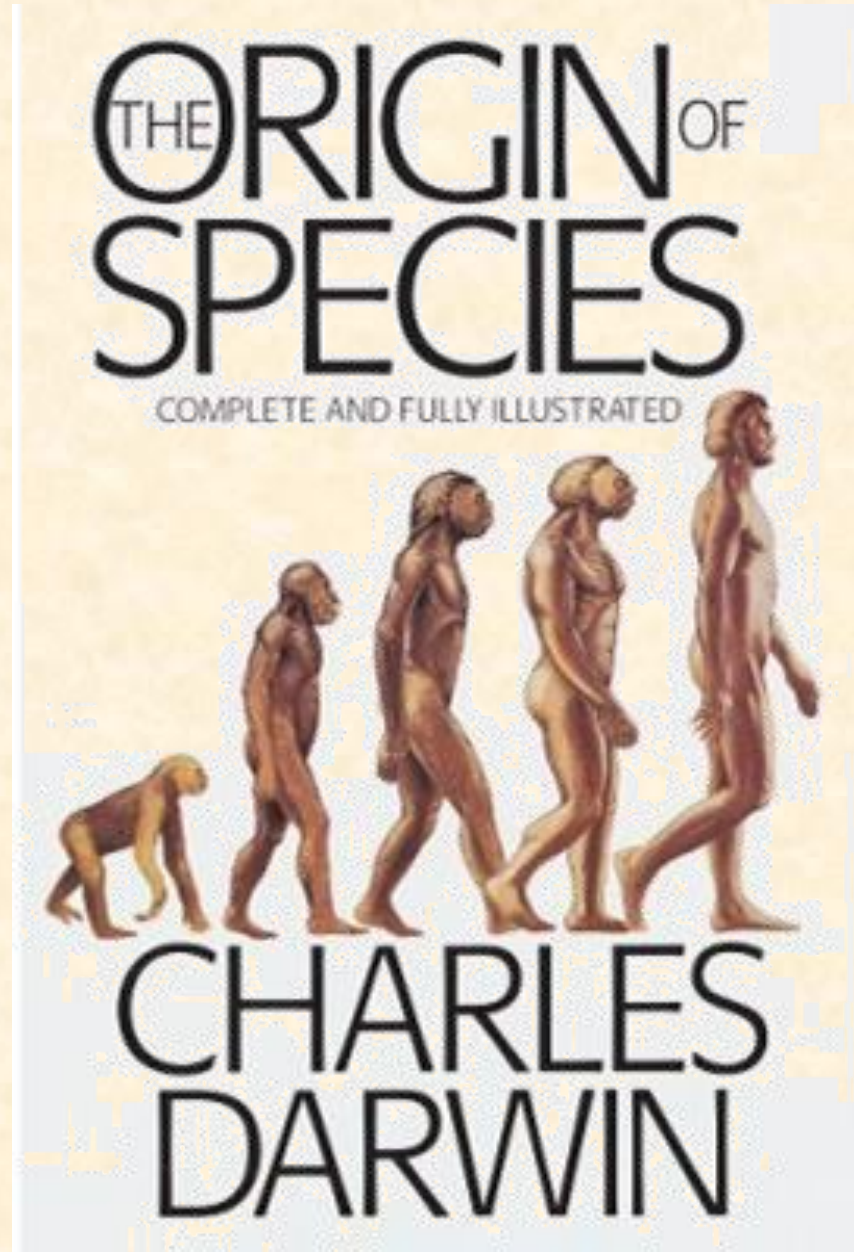


The Scopes Trial

- John Scopes, a Tennessee teacher, taught his students about Charles Darwin's theory of evolution in violation of state law.



John Scopes



- During his trial, attorney Clarence Darrow defended Scopes and William Jennings Bryan represented the state.



Clarence Darrow (left) and William Jennings Bryan (right) during the Scopes trial in 1925.

- Scopes was convicted and fined, and the law against teaching the theory of evolution remained.



Dayton teacher and football coach John Scopes, seen here during sentencing, was fined \$100 on July 21, 1925.



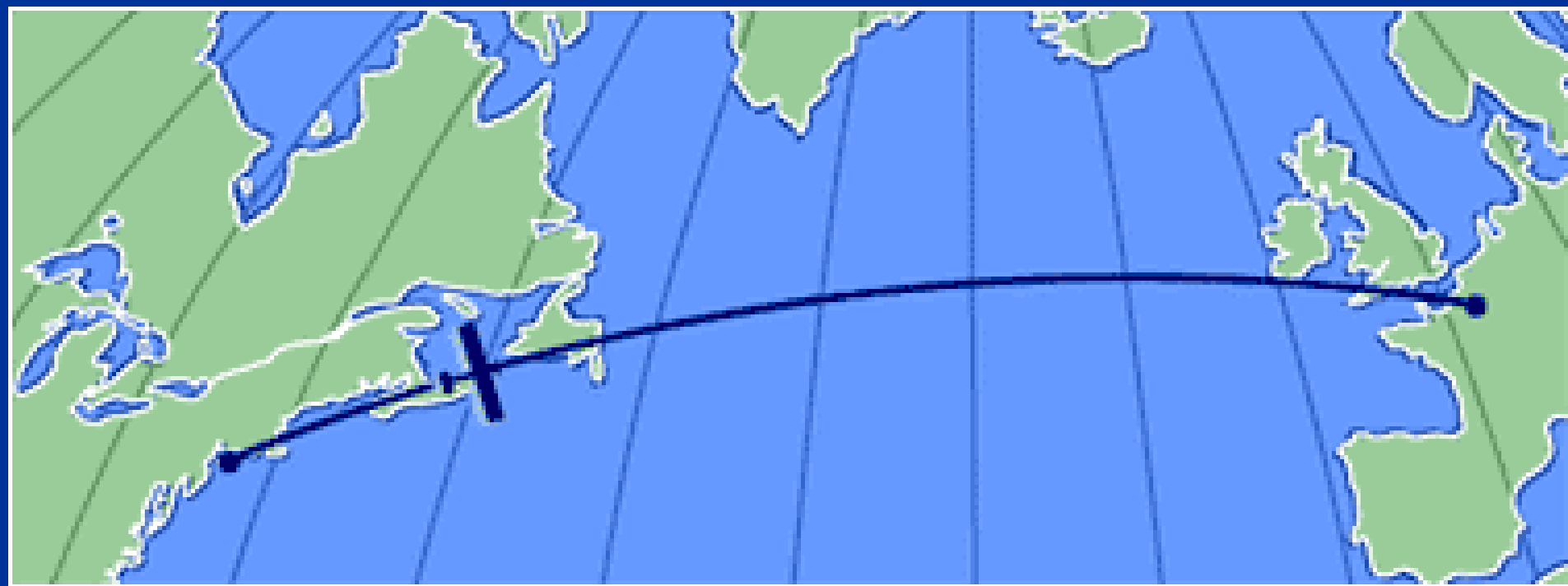
Lucky Lindy

- In 1927, Charles Lindbergh flew the Spirit of St. Louis on a solo flight across the Atlantic from Long Island (Roosevelt Field) to France.



Spirit
of
St. Louis

Lindbergh's Transatlantic Flight: New York to Paris



The New Klan

- The goals of the resurrected Ku Klux Klan were to preserve the U.S. for white native-born Protestants.



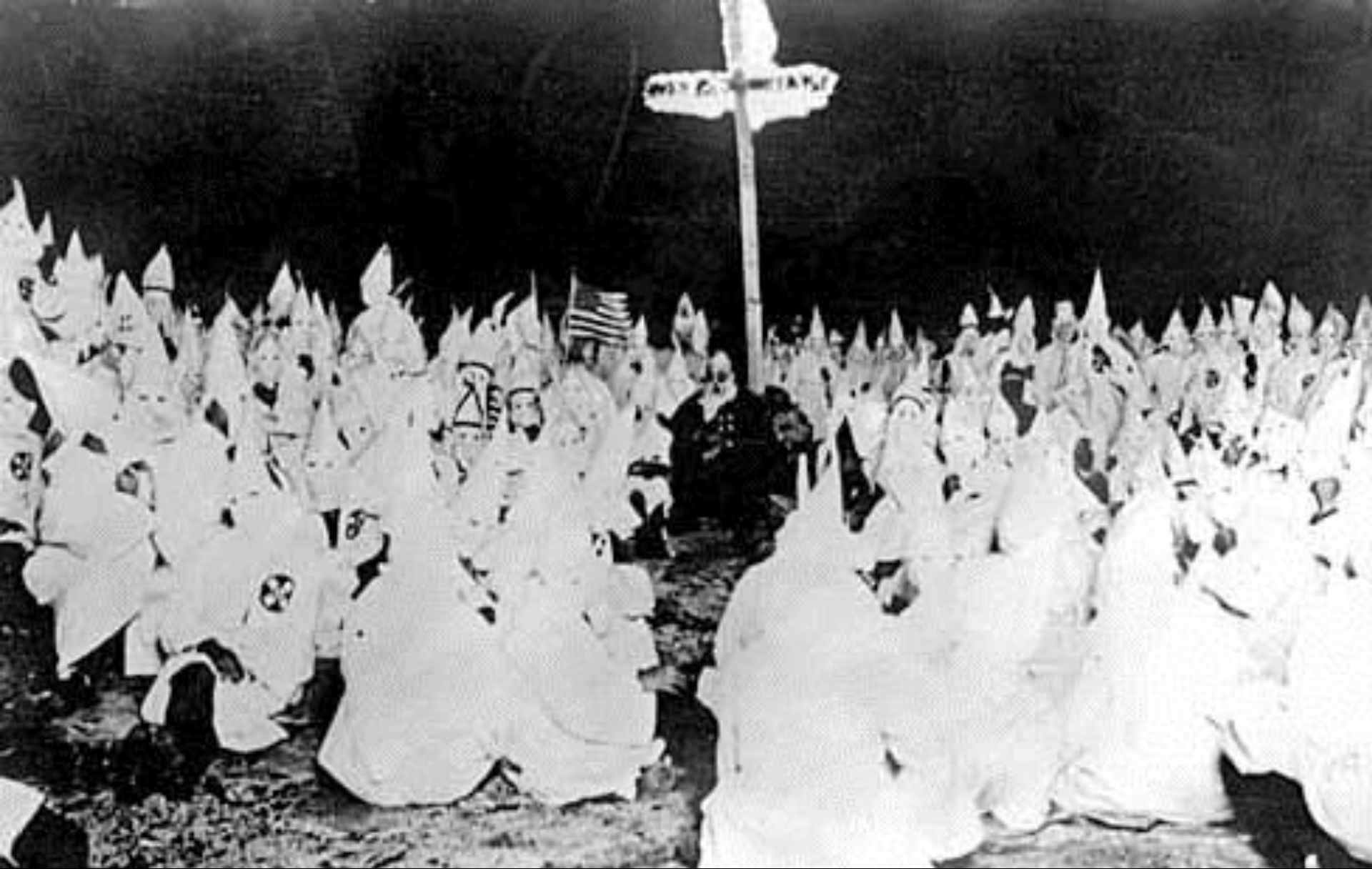
*Ku Klux Klan
members
parading
along
Pennsylvania
Ave. in
Washington,
D.C., Aug. 18,
1925*

1925 Ku Klux Klan march on Washington, D.C.



- The Klan targeted immigrants, Catholics, Jews, and African-Americans.





The Ku Klux Klan reached its greatest strength in the 1920's, with a membership of over three million people.

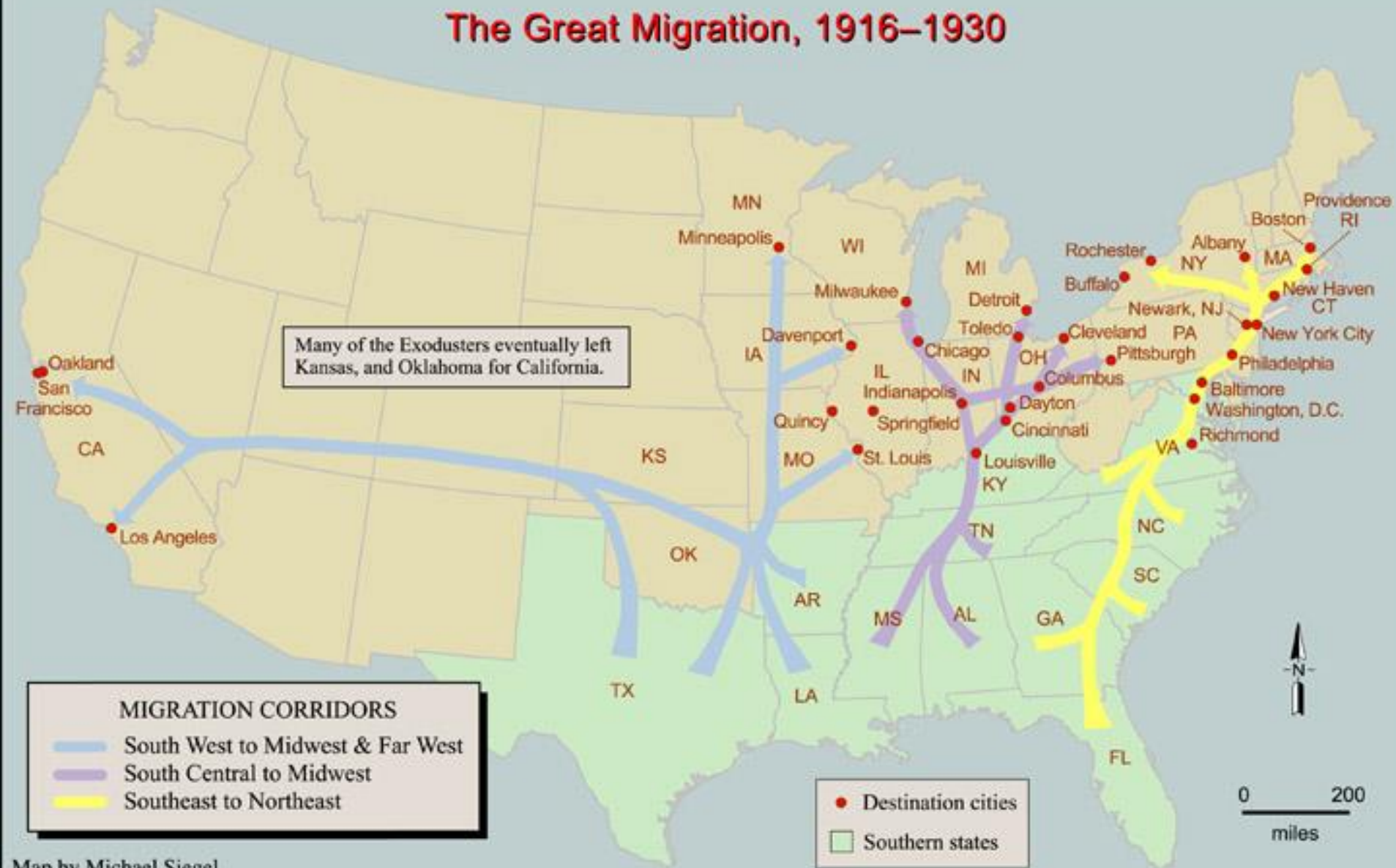
Responding to Racism

- Many African-Americans moved north during and after World War I in search of factory jobs.



Jacob Lawrence, The Migration Series (Panel 1)

The Great Migration, 1916–1930



Map by Michael Siegel
Rutgers Cartography 2005

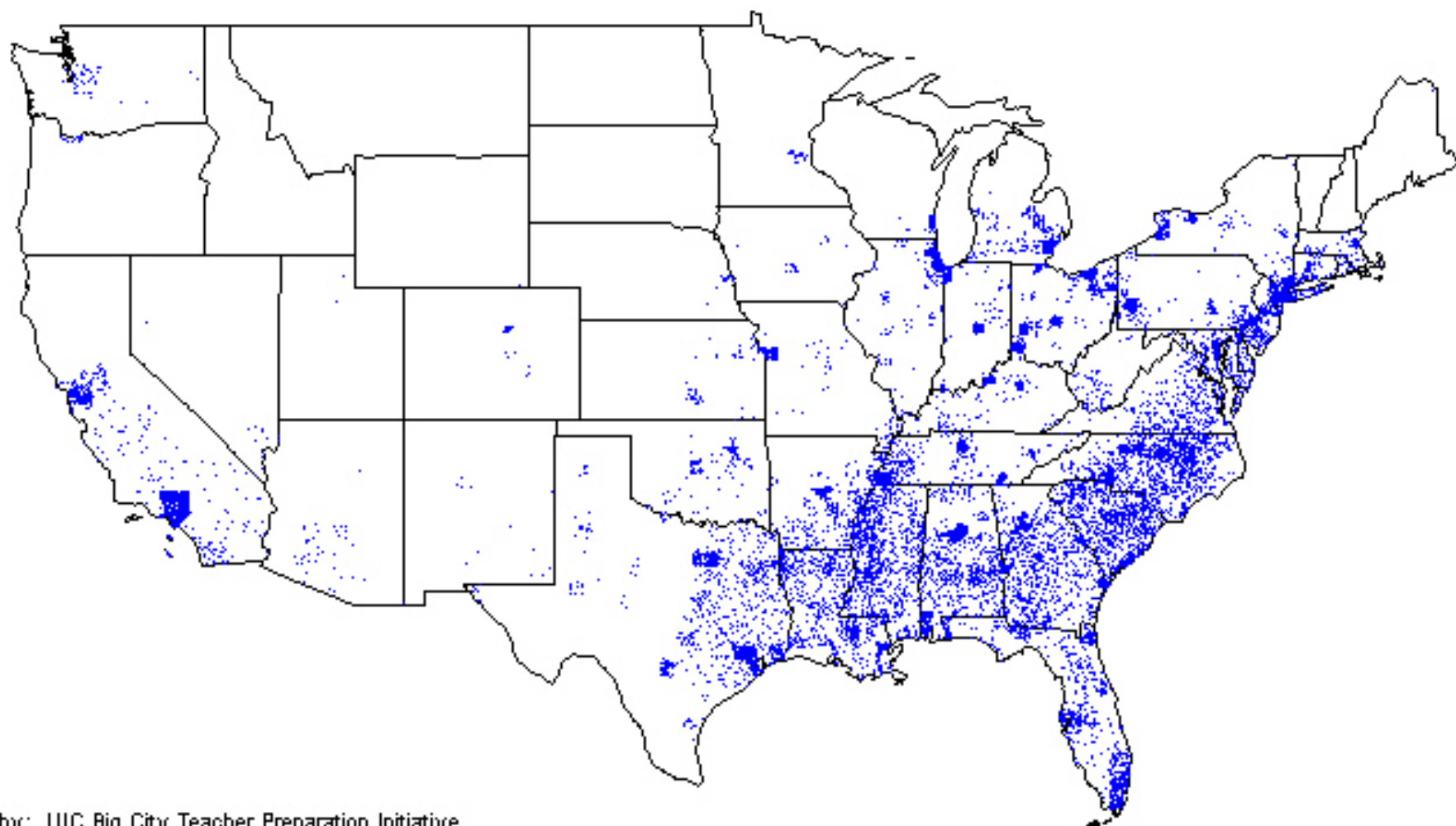
Source: "The Atlas of African-American History and Politics"

1960 African American population

Data source: U.S. Census, Historical Census Data web site
<http://fisher.lib.virginia.edu/census/>
1990 county shapes used: approximately 98% of historical counties represented

African American population
by county

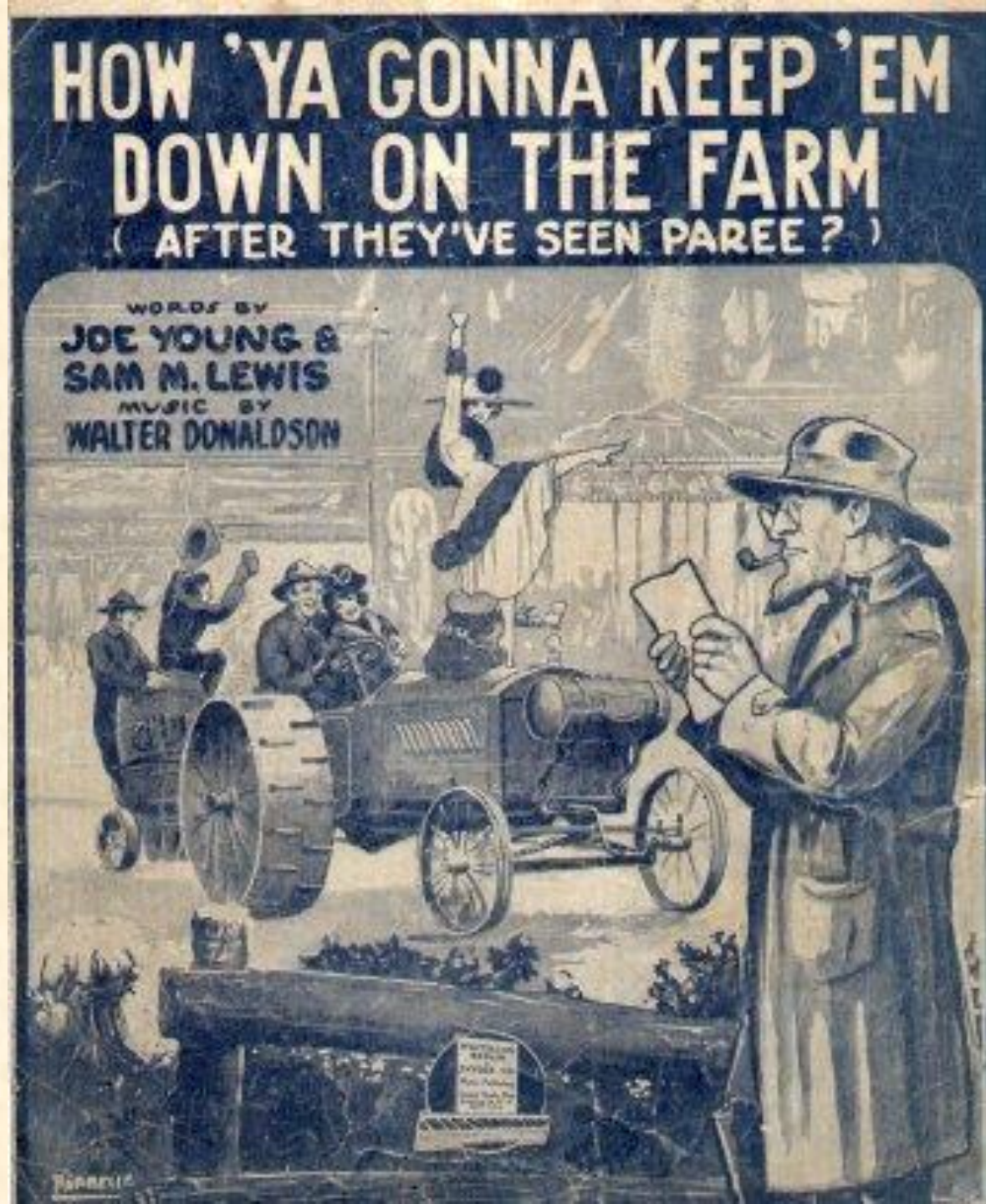
1 Dot = 1,000 people



Map by: UIC Big City Teacher Preparation Initiative

- While many found jobs, they also found racism and resentment from whites that competed with them for jobs.

- Race riots broke out in many cities, such as in Chicago, in which 38 people died in 1919.





***Caption: Rescuing a Negro During the Race Riots in Chicago
A Negro, pursued by a mob, ran to a mounted policeman who
kept the mob at bay until other officers arrived on the scene. This
Negro was armed for defense; the policeman is taking a weapon
from his hip pocket.***



Black Victim Stoned to Death, Chicago Race Riots, July 1919



The burning of Will Brown's body, Omaha, NE, Sept. 28, 1919.

Marcus Garvey



- Marcus Garvey formed the Universal Negro Improvement Association and promoted pride and unity among African-Americans.

*Marcus Garvey at a UNIA
March 1920*

- Garvey also promoted a “Back to Africa” movement, which few African-Americans followed.

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WILL NEGROES ALLOW THE WHITES TO TAKE AFRICA?



*Marcus Garvey
flanked by
Potentate
Gabriel M. John
son of Liberia,
Supreme Deputy
G. O. Marke of
Sierra
Leone, and
other UNIA
leaders
reviewing the
parade at the
opening of 1922
convention.*

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The Election of 1928



Republican candidate:
Herbert Hoover,
a Midwesterner

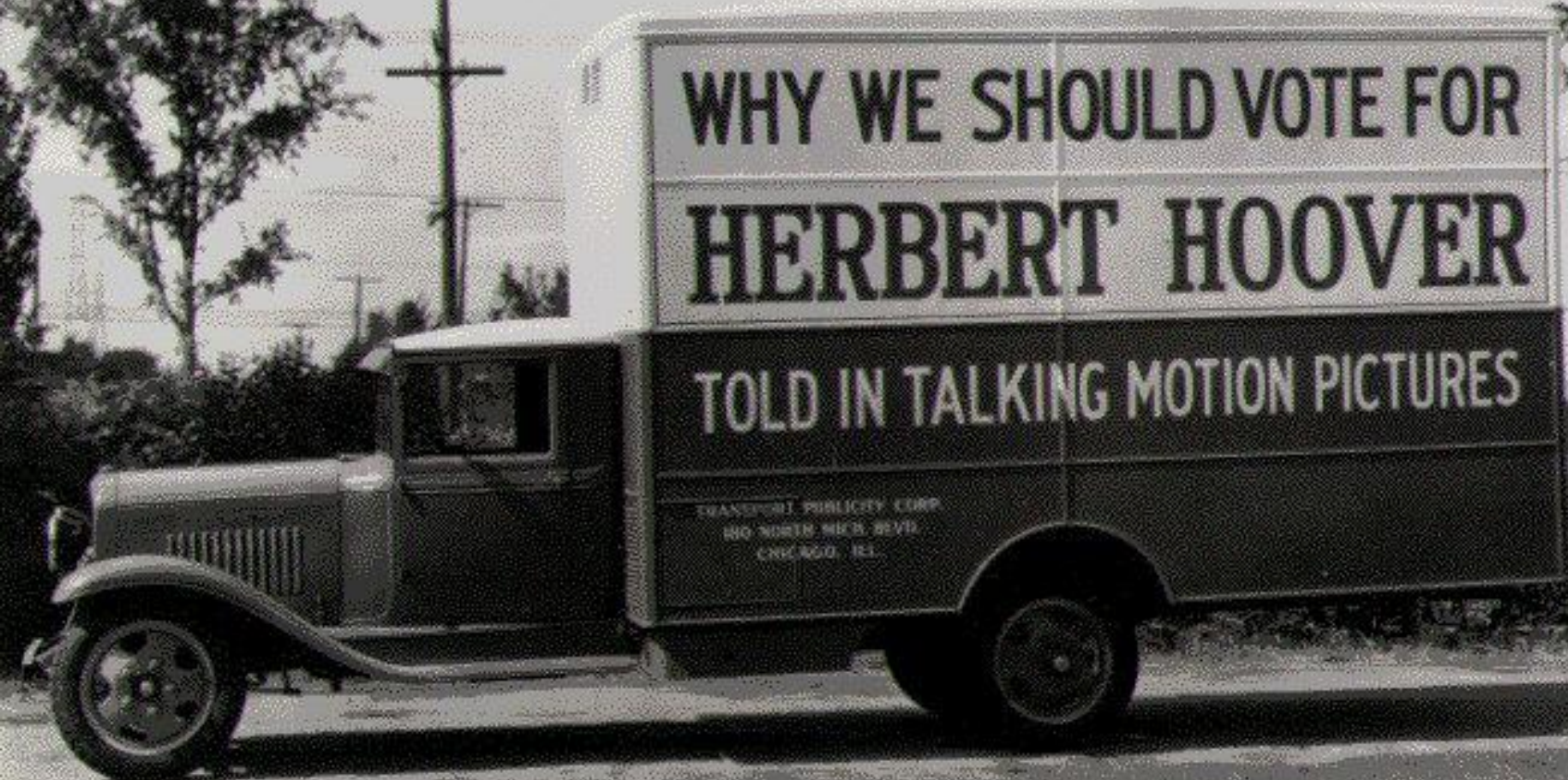


Democratic candidate:
Alfred E. Smith,
former governor of New York

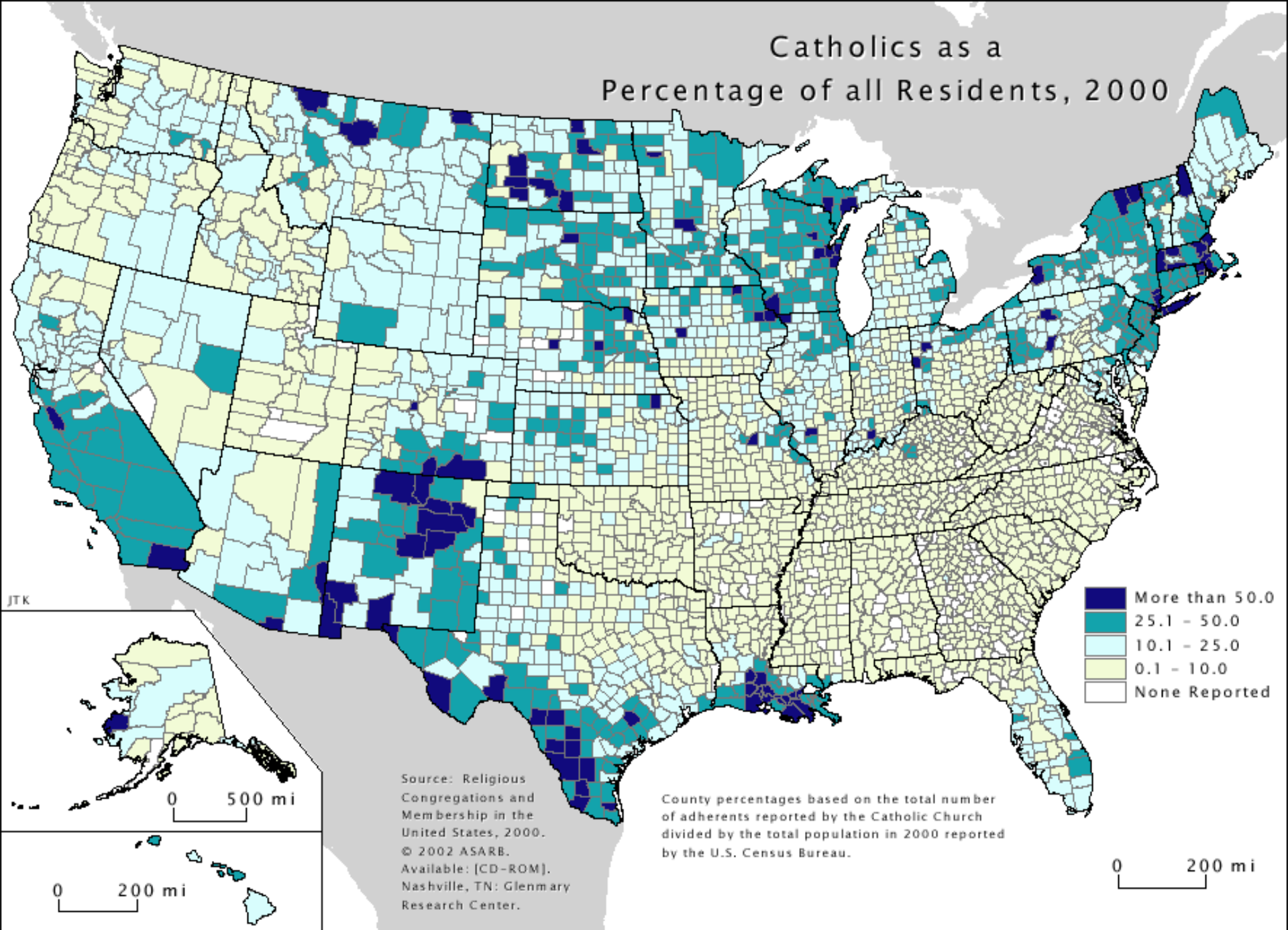
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Catholics as a Percentage of all Residents, 2000



Irish population of the United States: *1920 – 11%*

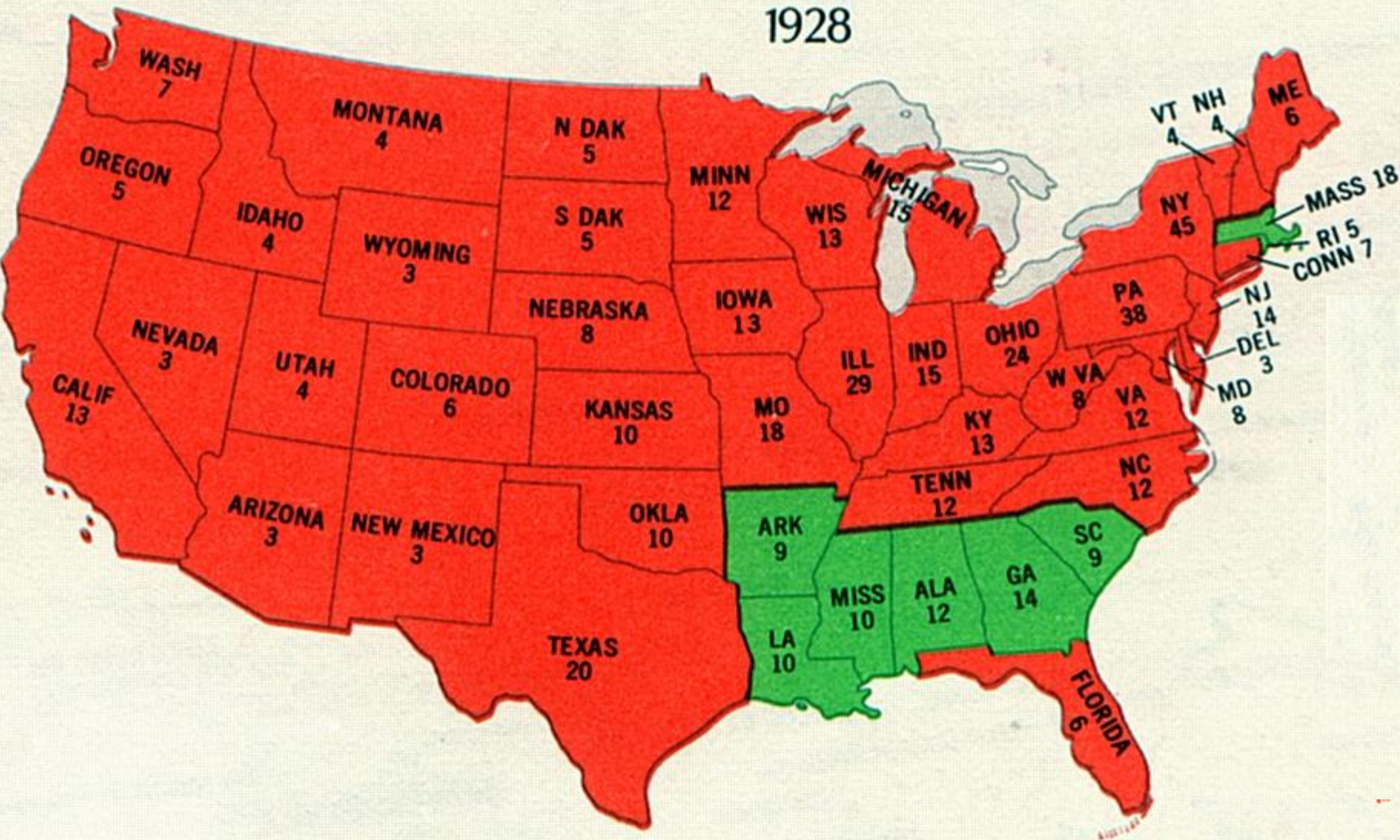
1930 Total Population - 123,202,624

Total Urban - 69,160,599 (56.1%)

Total Rural - 54,042,025 (43.9%)

- Alfred E. Smith, the first Catholic to run for President, received support among Catholics and city dwellers.
- Herbert Hoover received most of the support from Protestants and small-town voters.

1928



Republican (Hoover)



Democratic (Smith)



* Hoover won the election by a landslide.