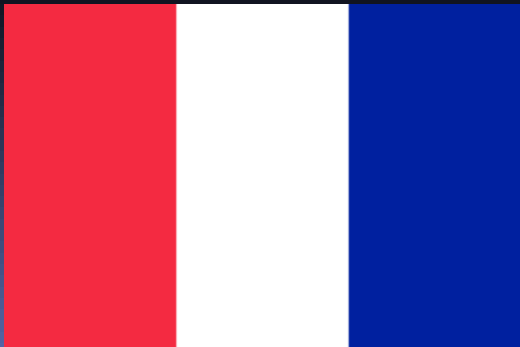


# 1740 - 1776: The Road to Revolution

- Foreign Affairs – English/French Conflicts
  - King George's War
  - Seven Years' War
- Conflicts between England and Colonies
  - Issues
  - Consequences



# 1740 - 1776: The Road to Revolution

- WHY did colonists declare independence?
- HOW did colonists come to see themselves as “Americans”?
- HOW did colonists from 13 very different colonies come together to fight for independence?

# 1740 - 1776: The Road to Revolution

- WHAT were the specific ISSUES at the root of the conflict?
  - Political
  - Economic
  - Ideological
  - Foreign Affairs

# 1740 - 1776: The Road to Revolution

## ➤ Economic conflict

- Restrictions on trade (mercantilism)
- Navigation Laws
- smuggling
- Increased enforcement



# 1740 - 1776: The Road to Revolution

## ➤ Foreign Affairs

- King William's War, 1689 - 1697
- Queen Anne's War, 1702 - 1713
- King George's War, 1740 - 1748
- French & Indian War, 1755 - 1763

# British Military

- “Regular” Army
- Navy
- Royal Marines (1755)





## ➤ British

- “regulars” – professional military

## ➤ Colonists

- militia



- France
- Great Britain
- Territories ceded by France to Great Britain by the Treaty of Utrecht in 1713
- Spain
- Cities
- Forts



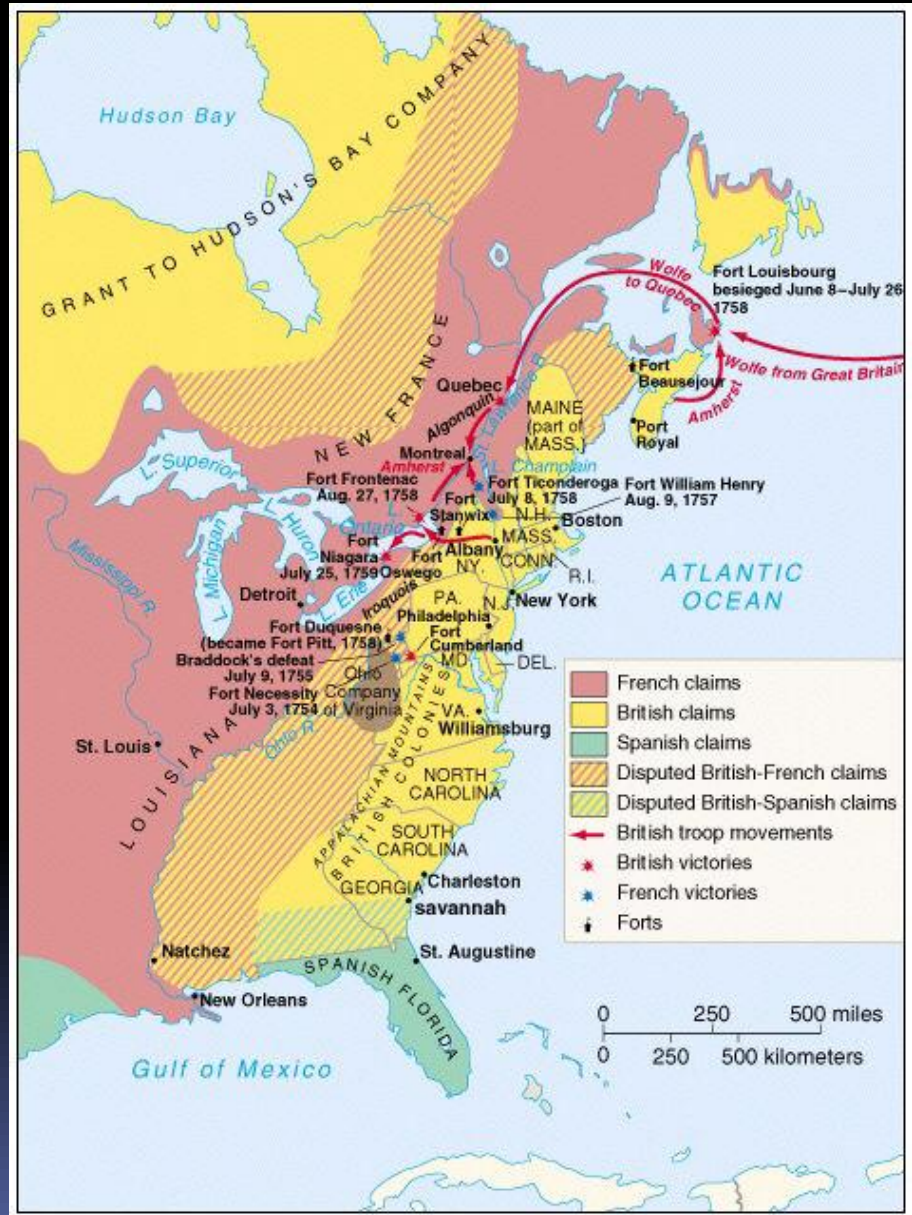


# King George's War, 1744

War of Austrian Succession



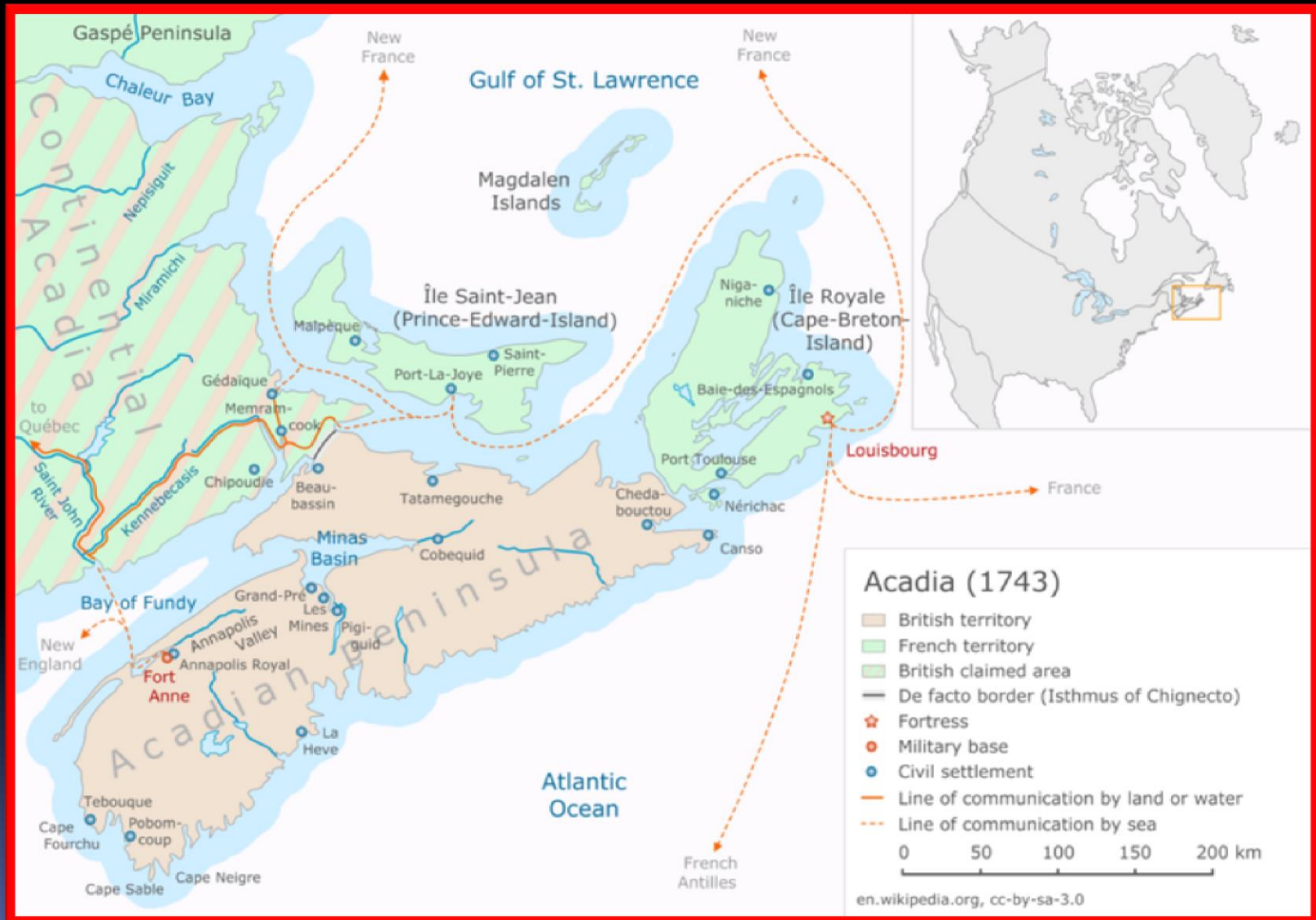
- New York
- New Hampshire
- Massachusetts
- Nova Scotia







# Fort Louisbourg







— Modern international boundaries  
- - - Modern state/province boundaries





# Iroquois

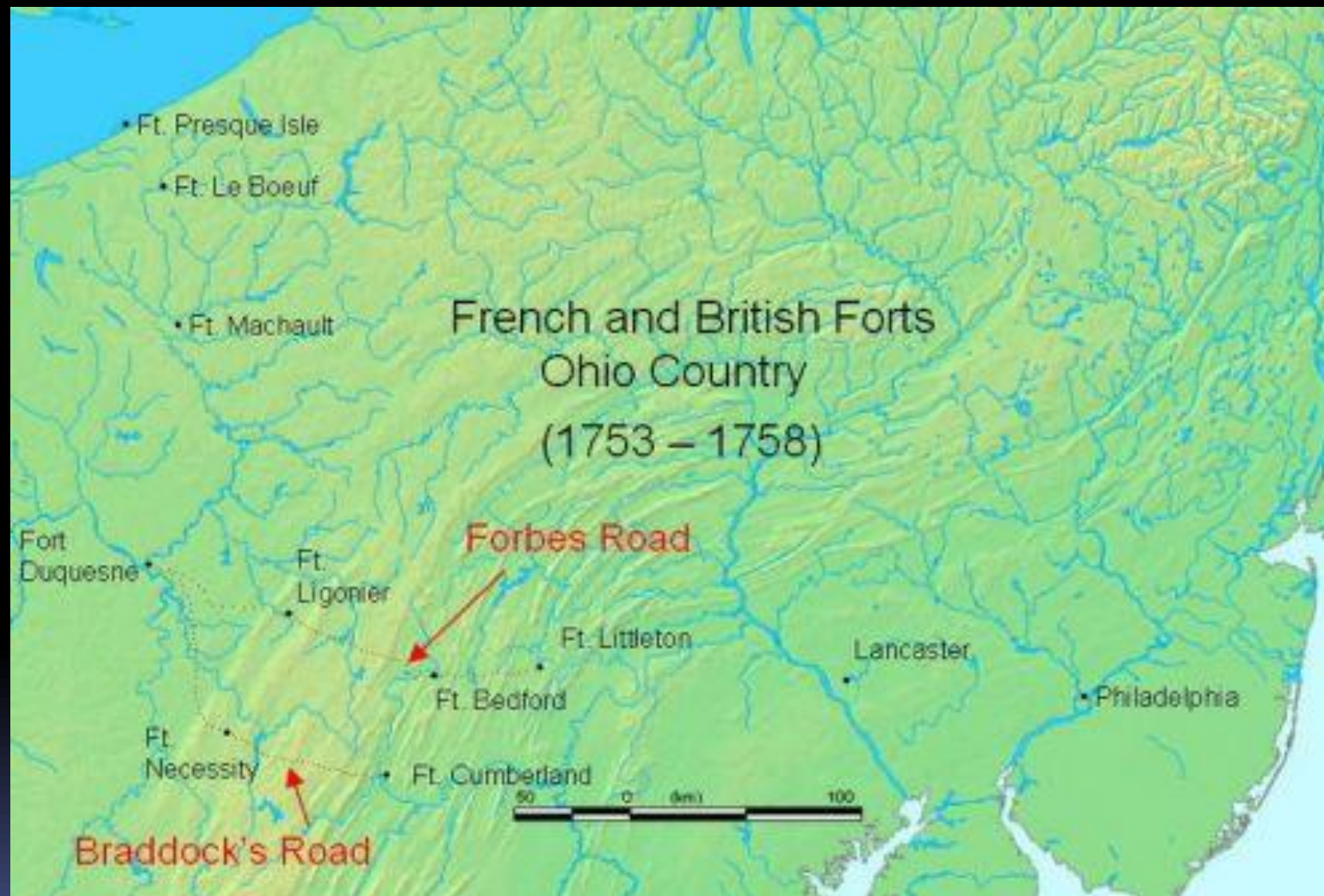


British

# Ohio River Valley











# Battle of Jumonville Glen (PA)

## May 1754



George Washington

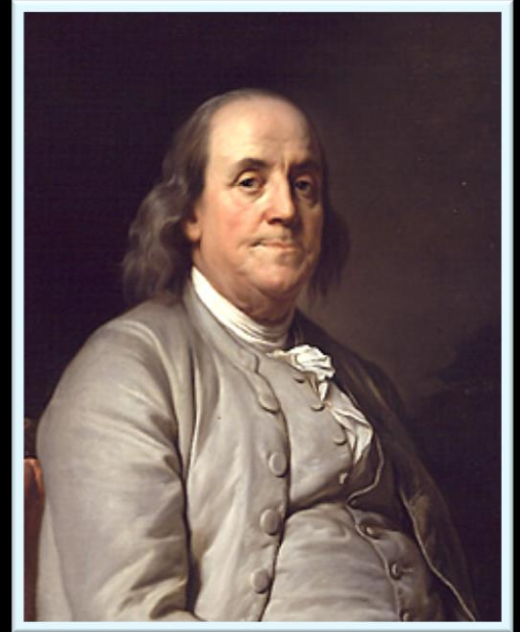
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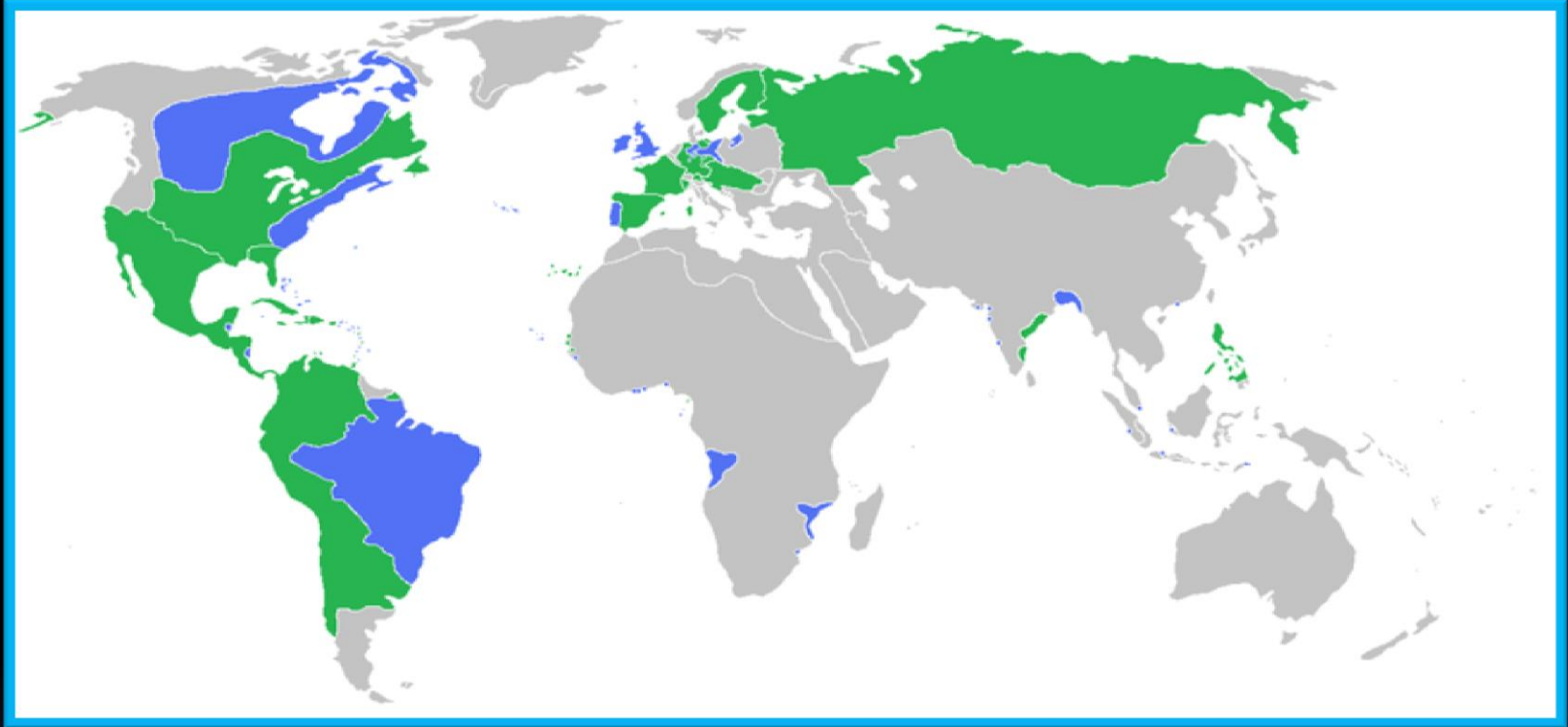


# Albany Congress



Benj. Franklin

# Seven Years' War



Great Britain, Portugal, Prussia & allies



France, Spain, Austria, Russia, Sweden, & allies

# French & Indian War





# French & Indian War

Fort Duquesne, July 1755

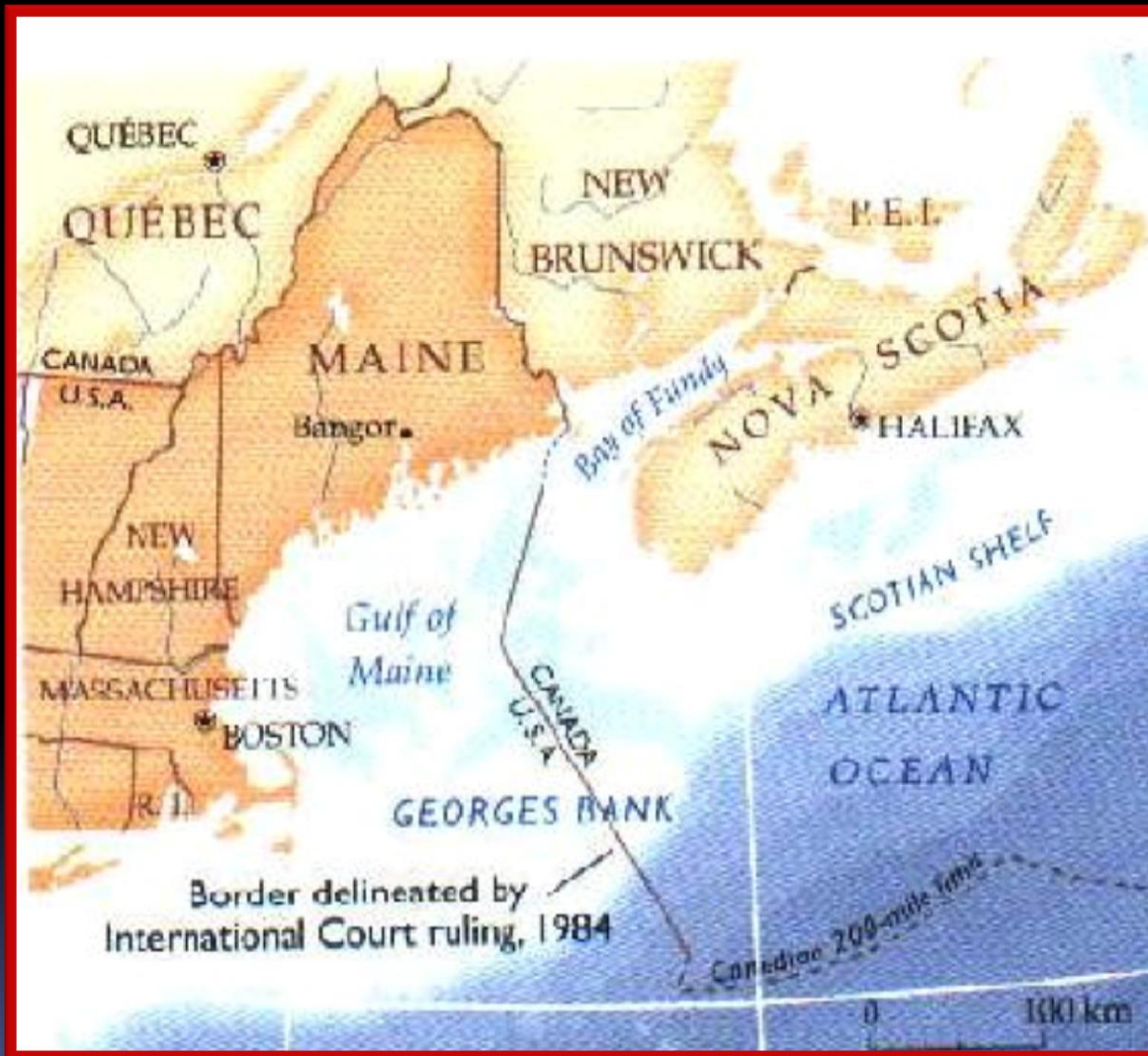


General Edward Braddock





# Nova Scotia



“Acadians”



# Expulsion of the Acadians



Les Acadiens = “Cajuns”

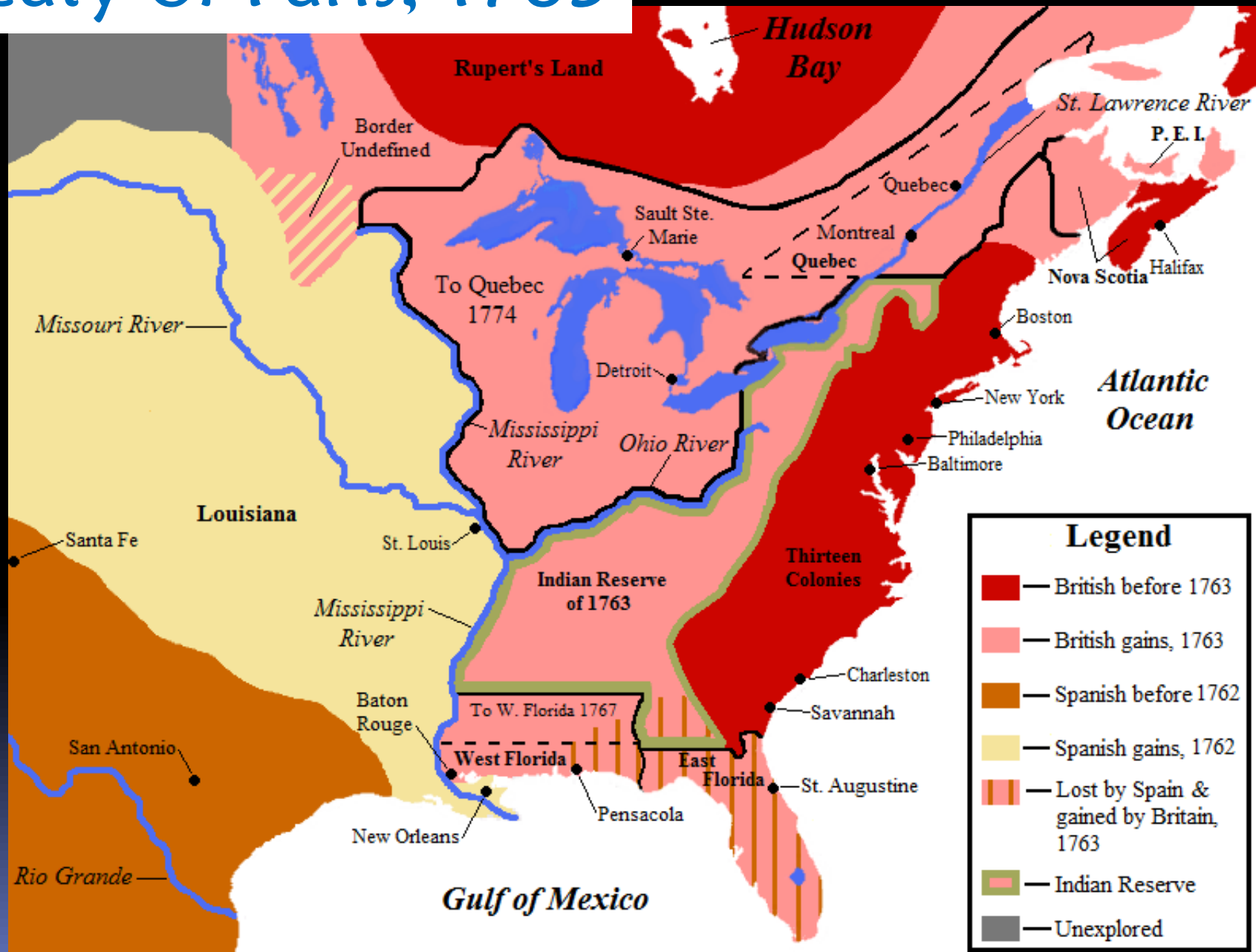
William Pitt







# Treaty of Paris, 1763





# French Revolution





# American Revolution

