

APUSH

1812-1824

**WAR OF 1812 &
ERA OF GOOD FEELINGS**

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WAR OF 1812

- **Initially the War of 1812 went poorly for the U.S.**
 - **Nation was divided**
 - **Failed invasion of Canada**
- **The British burned Washington D.C. and attempt to defeat Fort McHenry in Baltimore**
- **Treaty of Ghent** formally ended the war- nothing gained – stalemate!
- **Two weeks after the war ended Andrew Jackson** defeated the British at the **Battle of New Orleans**

The War of 1812

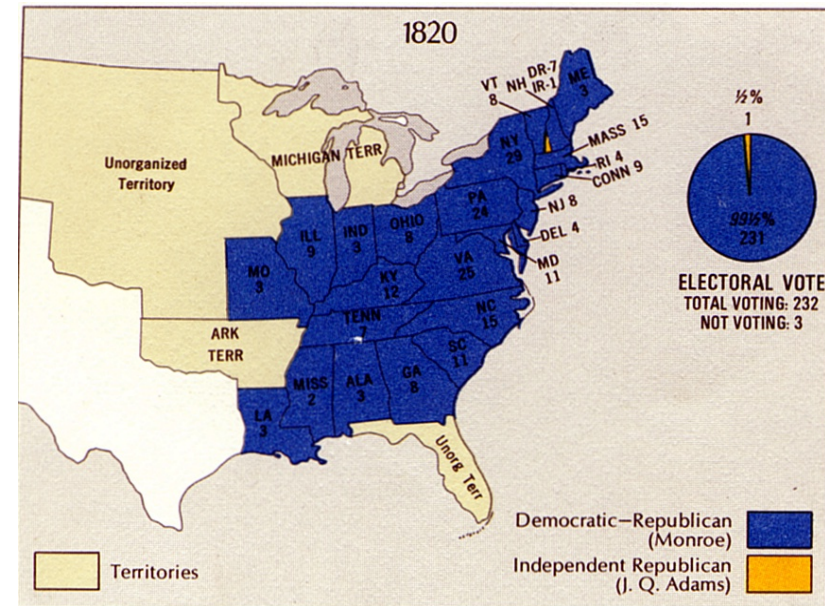


HARTFORD CONVENTION

- **Hartford Convention**
some Federalist met to discuss their concerns (December 1814)
 - Some radical Federalist encourage **secession**
 - Precedent later used by the south
- **Nail in the coffin for the Federalist party**

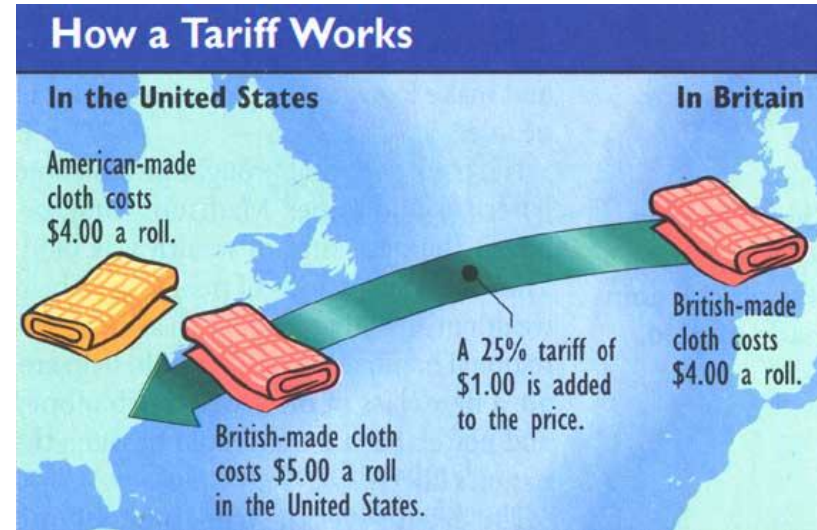
ERA OF GOOD FEELINGS

- Following the War of 1812 there was a huge increase in **nationalism**
- **James Monroe** elected in 1816
 - Period of only **ONE** political party, the Democratic-Republican party was known as “**The Era of Good Feelings**”
- **Not all good feelings**
 - Growing **sectionalism**
 - Debate over the American system (tariff, BUS, etc.)
 - Slavery
 - **Panic of 1819**
 - Caused by over-speculation of frontier lands



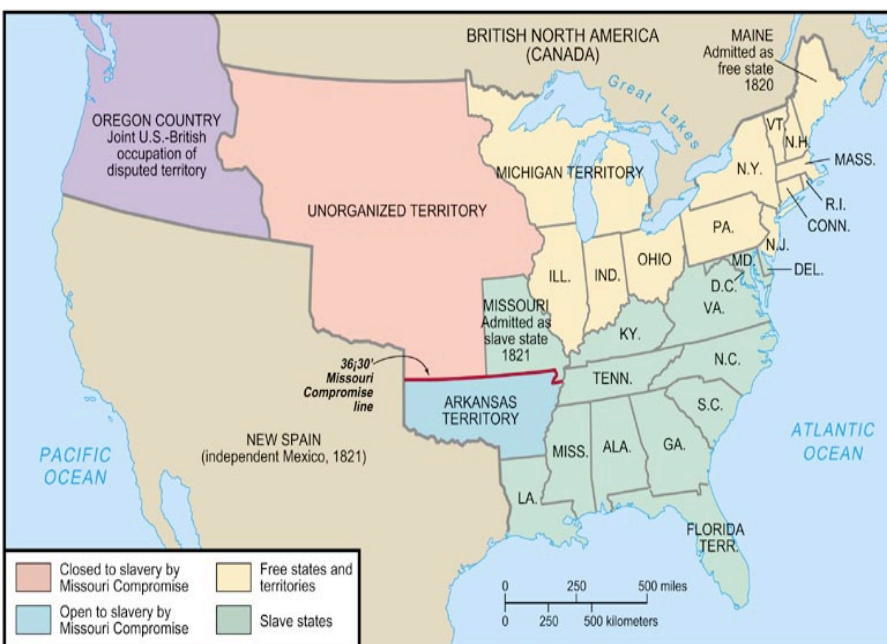
THE AMERICAN SYSTEM

- **Henry Clay** instituted the **“American System”**
 - National Republicans adopt policies similar to the Federalist
- **Tariff of 1816: 1st protective tariff**
 - Designed to help American industry / manufacturing
- **2nd Bank of the United States:** help ensure financial stability and provide credit
- **Internal Improvements:** development of canals and roads to link the nation together
 - Madison and Monroe vetoed proposals to use federal funds on roads and canals
 - NY completed Erie Canal 1825



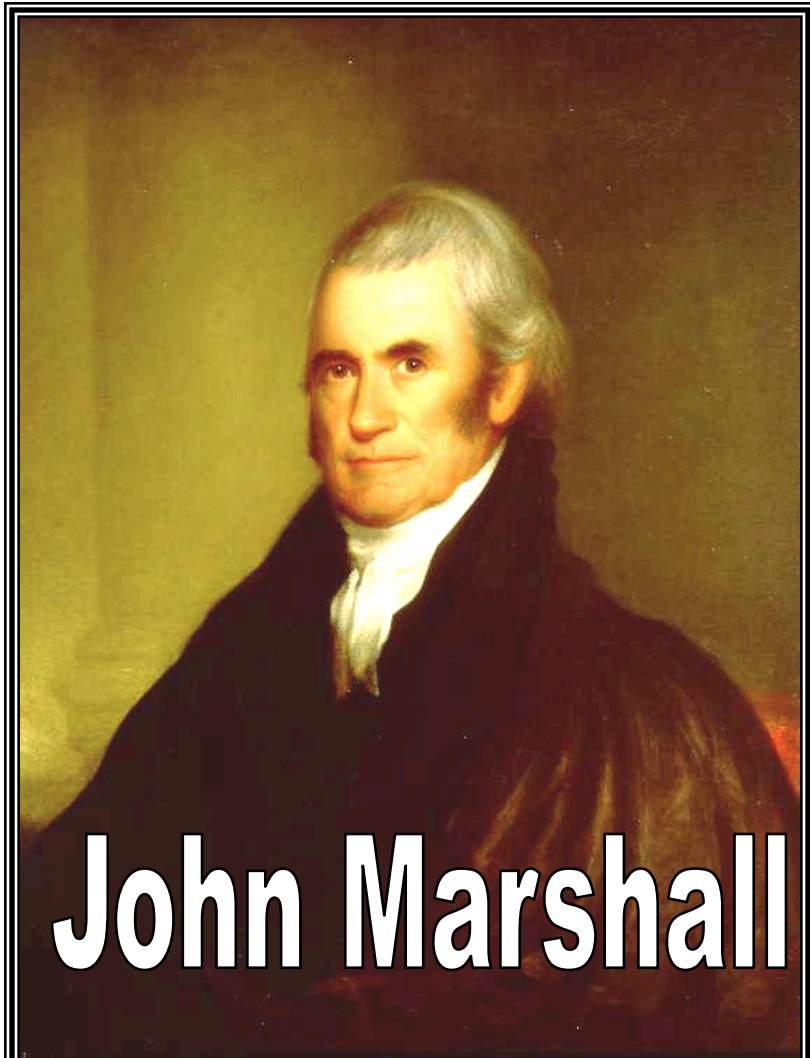
MISSOURI COMPROMISE

- **Missouri** petitions to enter the union as a slave state (part of the Louisiana territory)
 - This would upset the **sectional balance** between slave and free states
- **Tallmadge Amendment** proposed:
 - Gradual emancipation of slaves in Missouri
- **Missouri Compromise** by Henry Clay in 1820:
 - Missouri enters as slave state
 - Maine enters as a free state
 - **Above 36°30'** slavery would be prohibited
- Missouri Compromise temporarily stemmed growing tensions



THE MISSOURI COMPROMISE, 1820-1821

“Supreme Court decisions established the primacy of the judiciary in determining the meaning of the Constitution and asserted that federal laws took precedence over state laws.”

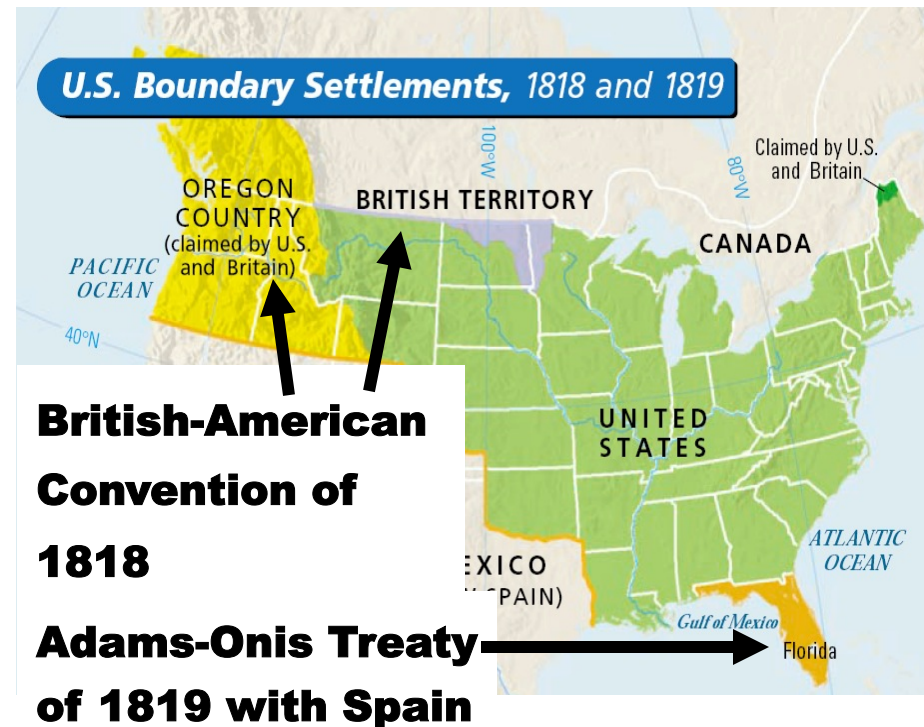


John Marshall

- **Marbury v. Madison (1803):** established judicial review
- **McCulloch v. Maryland (1819):** Maryland tries to tax the BUS
 - State could not tax a federal agency
- **Gibbons v. Ogden (1824)** ruled that only the federal govt. (Congress) could regulate **interstate** trade

FOREIGN POLICY DEVELOPMENTS

- The United States starts to have some stability in foreign affairs and diplomatic success
 - Hugely important is **Secretary of State John Quincy Adams**
- **Anglo-American Convention 1818** between U.S. and England
 - Joint occupation of **Oregon** territory for 10 years
 - Set northern boundary of Louisiana Territory at 49th parallel
- **Adams-Onis Treaty (1819)** the U.S. acquired Florida
 - The U.S. agreed to give up claim to Texas



MONROE DOCTRINE

- U.S. feared that Europe would try to **recolonize** territory in the western hemisphere
- **England** also wanted to keep Europe out of the Western Hemisphere
- **Monroe Doctrine** (1823) the U.S. warned Europe to stay out of the Western Hemisphere
 - The U.S. agreed to avoid European affairs
- **Not much immediate impact**
 - Later on (especially in 1890s onward) the U.S. will play a huge role in Latin American affairs



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