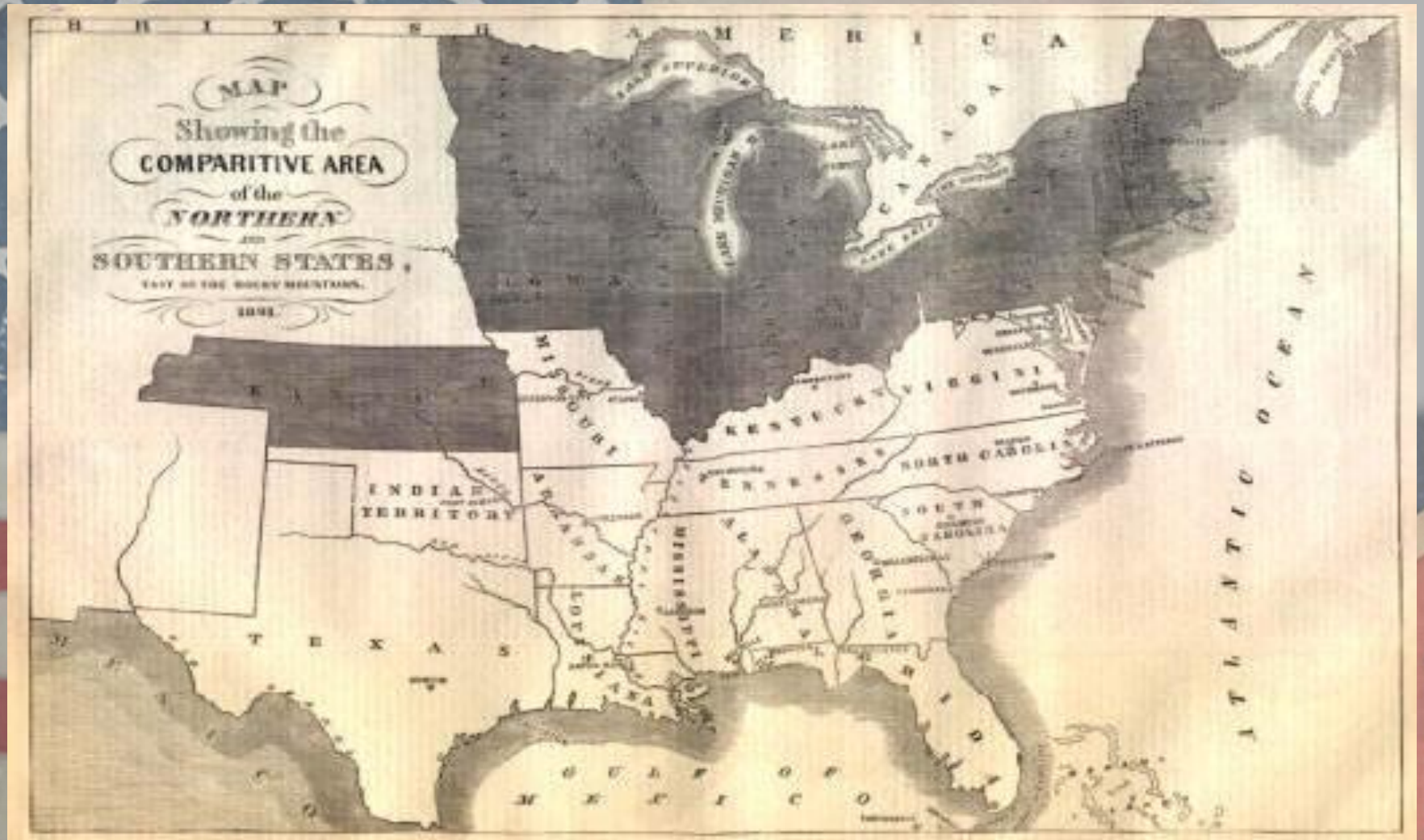
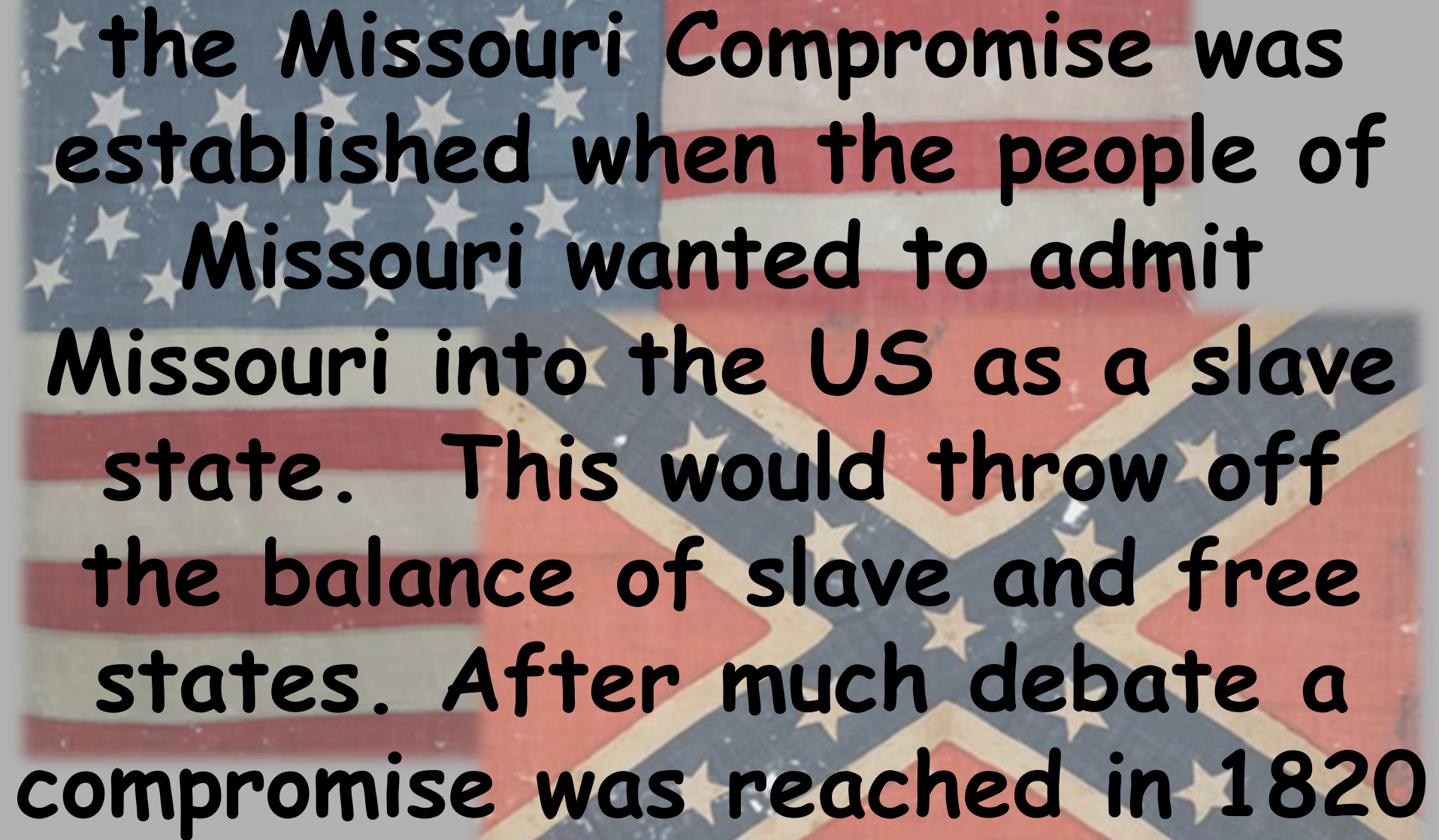




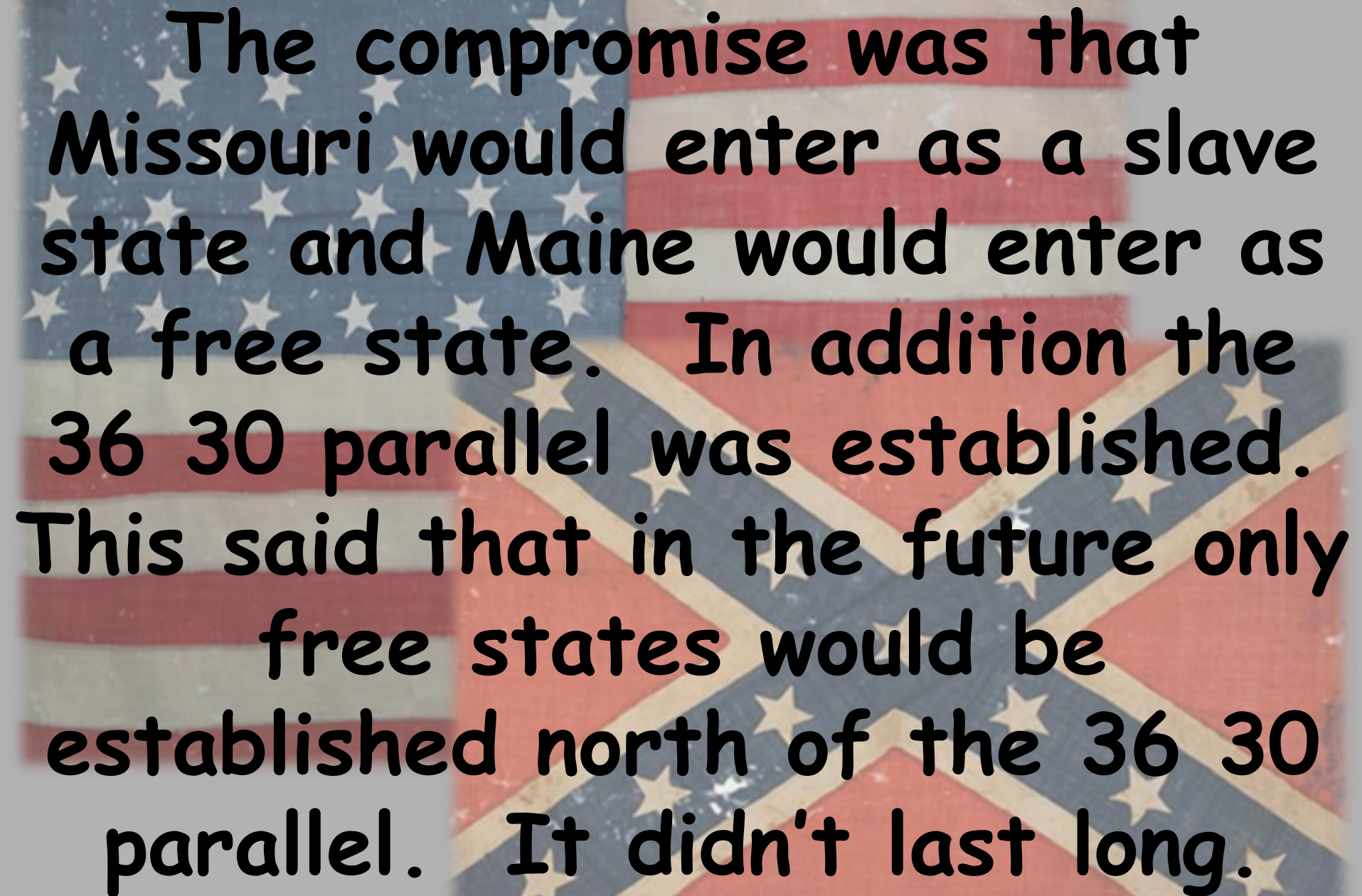
The Compromises



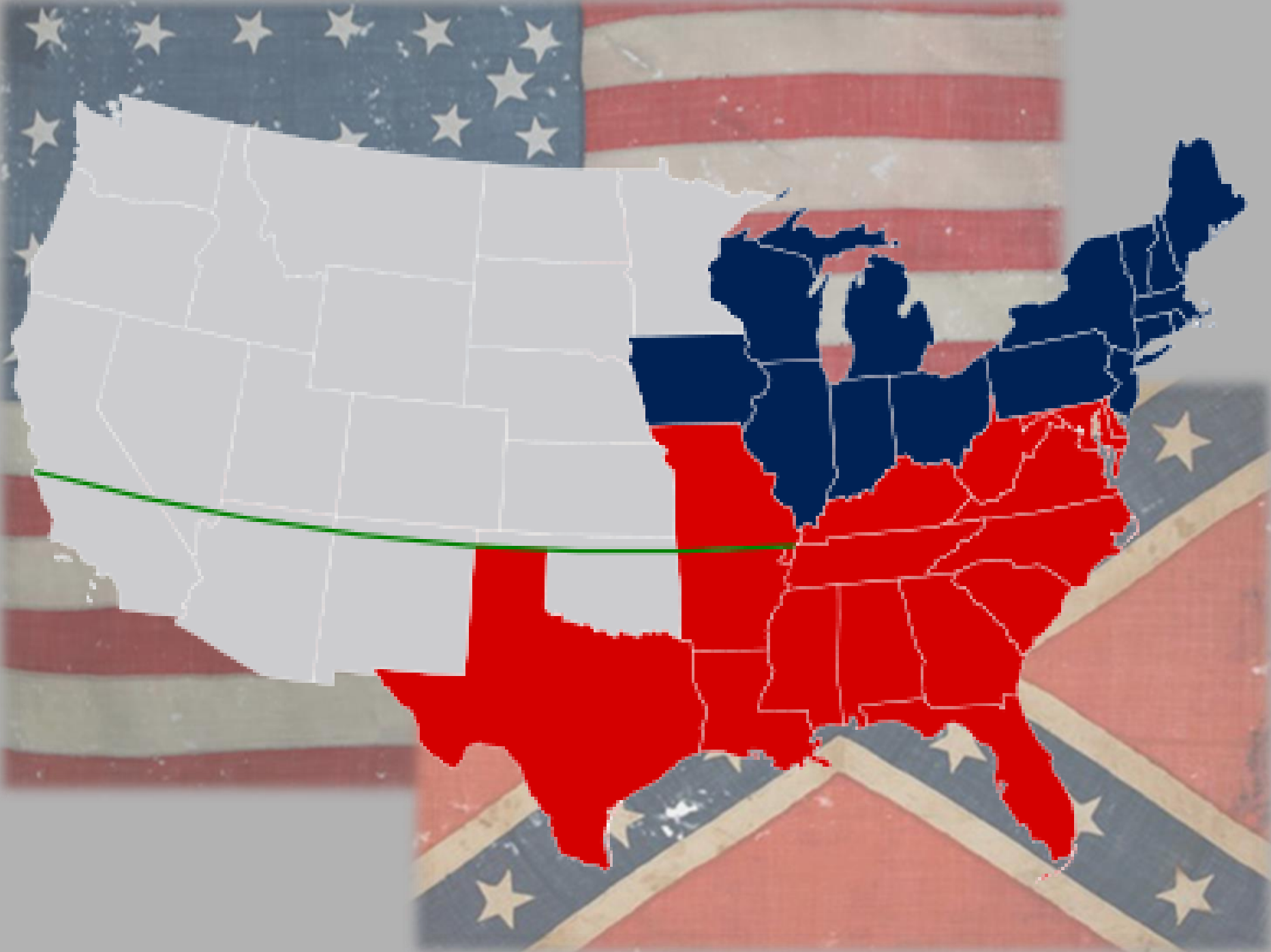
Missouri Compromise




the Missouri Compromise was established when the people of Missouri wanted to admit Missouri into the US as a slave state. This would throw off the balance of slave and free states. After much debate a compromise was reached in 1820



The compromise was that Missouri would enter as a slave state and Maine would enter as a free state. In addition the 36 30 parallel was established. This said that in the future only free states would be established north of the 36 30 parallel. It didn't last long.





MISSOURI
COMPROMISE

Missouri as Slave
State

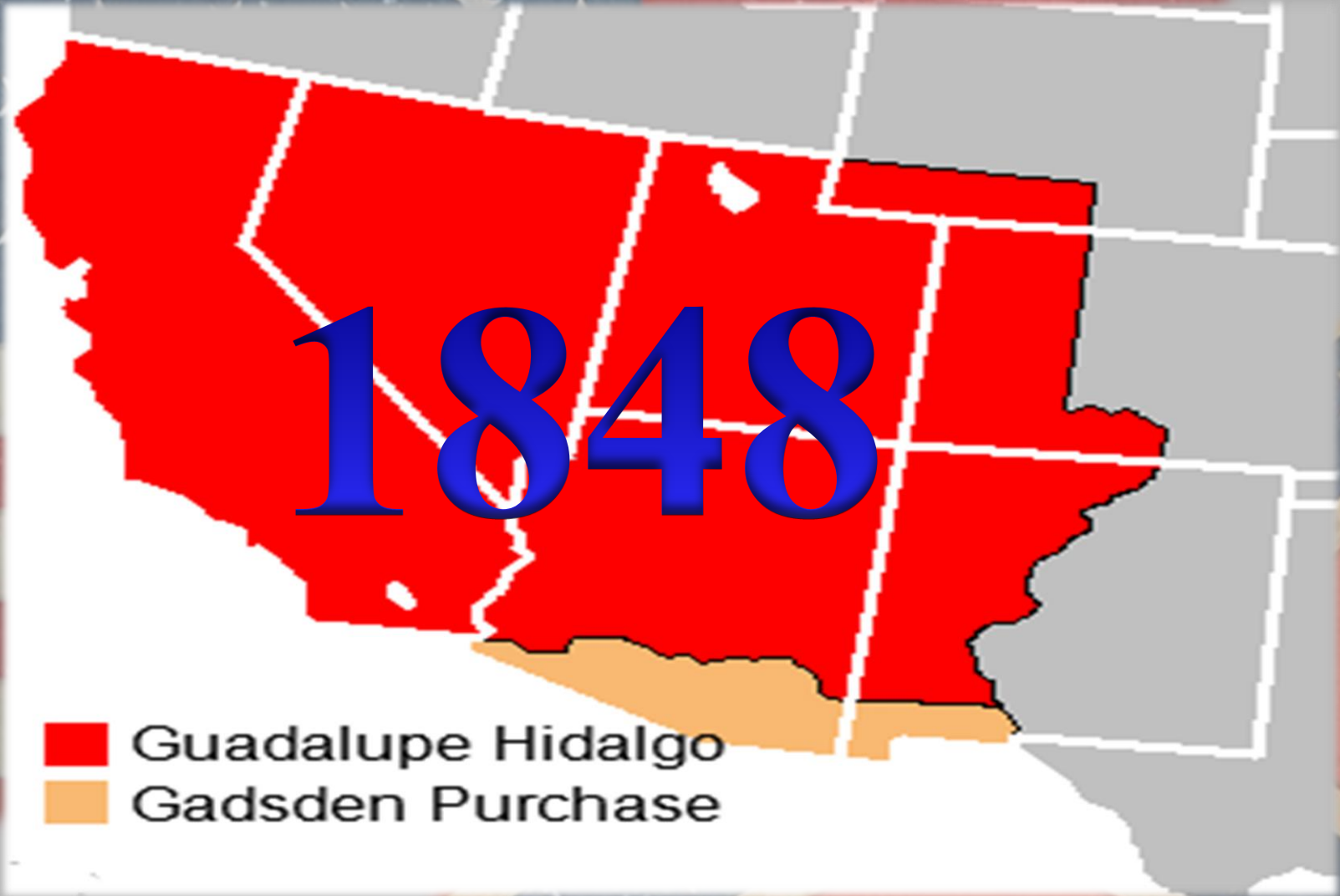
Maine as Free State

36 30 Parallel

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1848

-  Guadalupe Hidalgo
-  Gadsden Purchase





**"California
as we saw it"**

**Exploring
the California**

**Gold
Rush**



**California
wants in!!!
Free or
Slave?**

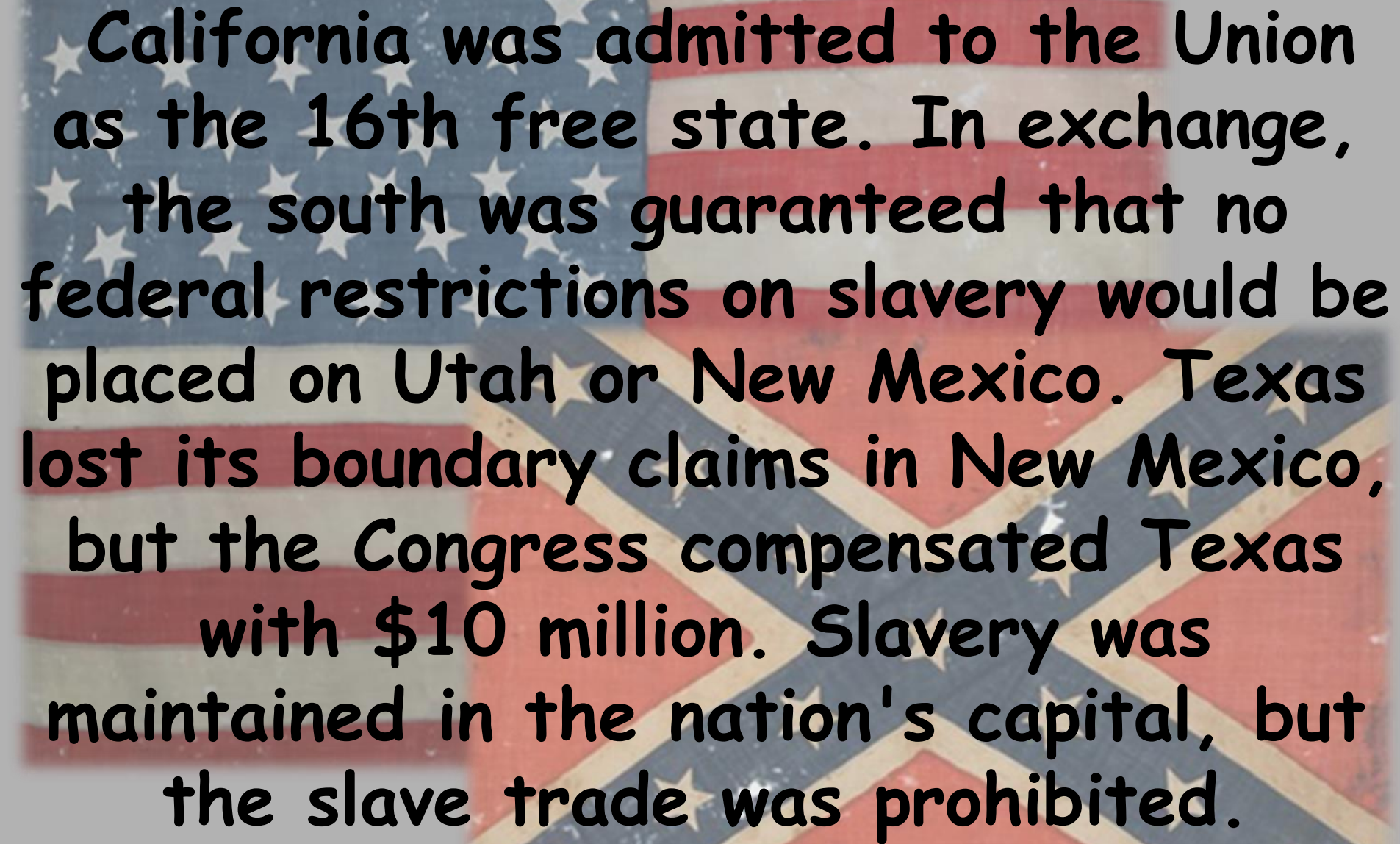


PROBLEM?

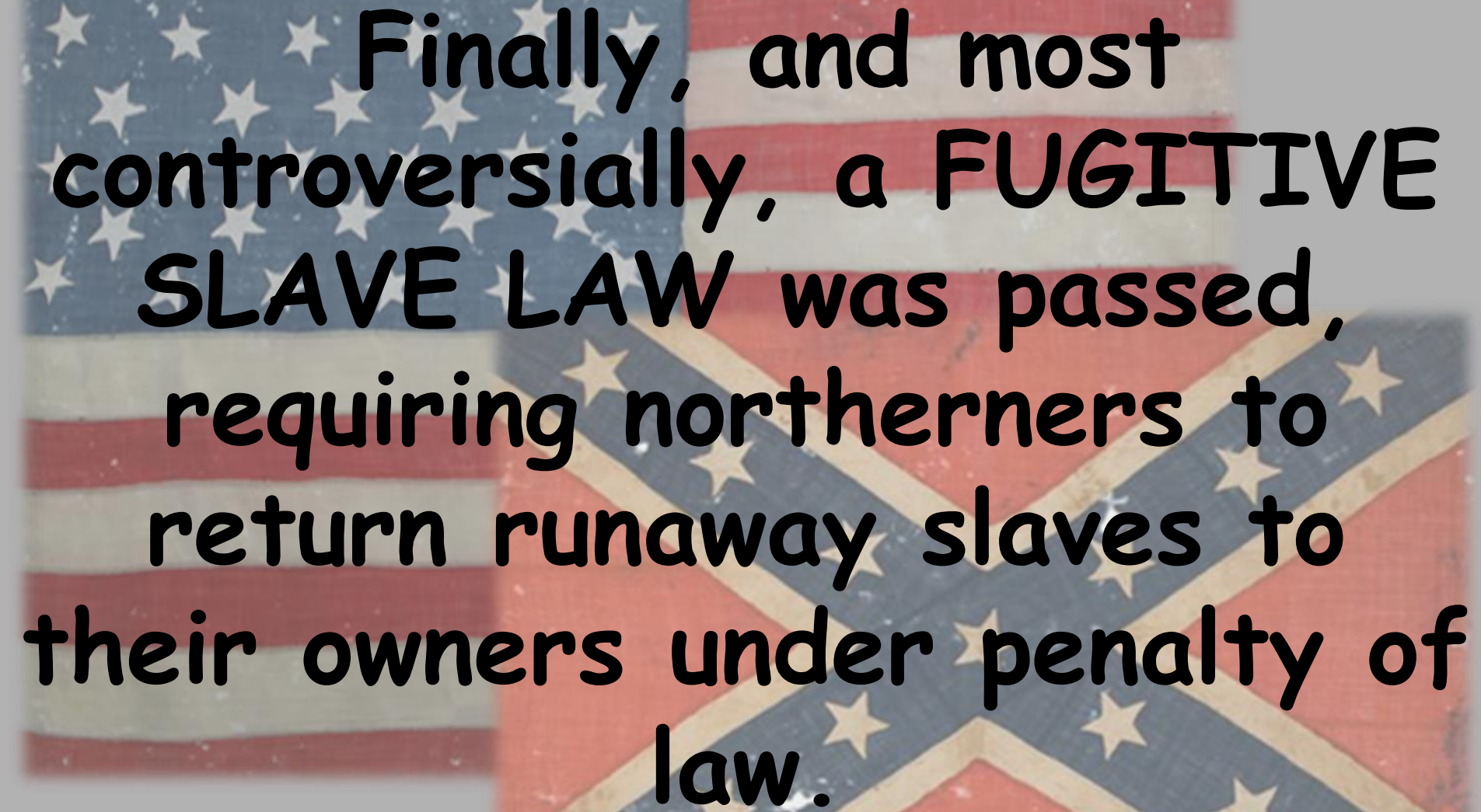
Compromise of 1850



Henry Clay at work



California was admitted to the Union as the 16th free state. In exchange, the south was guaranteed that no federal restrictions on slavery would be placed on Utah or New Mexico. Texas lost its boundary claims in New Mexico, but the Congress compensated Texas with \$10 million. Slavery was maintained in the nation's capital, but the slave trade was prohibited.

The background of the image is a composite of two historical flags. The top-left portion shows the stars and stripes of the United States flag, while the bottom-right portion shows the blue saltire (X-shape) of the Confederate battle flag, set against a red field with white stars. The text is overlaid on this background in a large, bold, black, sans-serif font.

Finally, and most controversially, a **FUGITIVE SLAVE LAW** was passed, requiring northerners to return runaway slaves to their owners under penalty of law.

FUGITIVE SLAVE LAW



OPERATIONS OF THE FUGITIVE-SLAVE LAW.



Fugitive Slave Act

In payment for Southern support for California's admission to the Union as a free state and ending the slave trade in the District of Columbia, Congress enacted the Fugitive Slave Act to assist the South with maintaining a tight rein on slaveholders' property.



Fugitive Slave Act

The new law created a force of federal commissioners empowered to pursue fugitive slaves in any state and return them to their owners. No statute of limitations applied, so that even those slaves who had been free for many years could be (and were) returned.



Compromise of 1850

CA as free state

Slave trade ends in

DC

Fugitive Slave Act

COMPROMISE OF 1850



- Free states and territories
- Slave states
- Open to slavery by popular sovereignty, compromise of 1850

The image features two flags: the United States flag in the upper left and the Confederate battle flag in the lower right. The text 'Dred Scott' is centered over the intersection of the two flags.

Dred Scott



*** Sued for his Freedom**

*** Court ruled that
property can't sue**

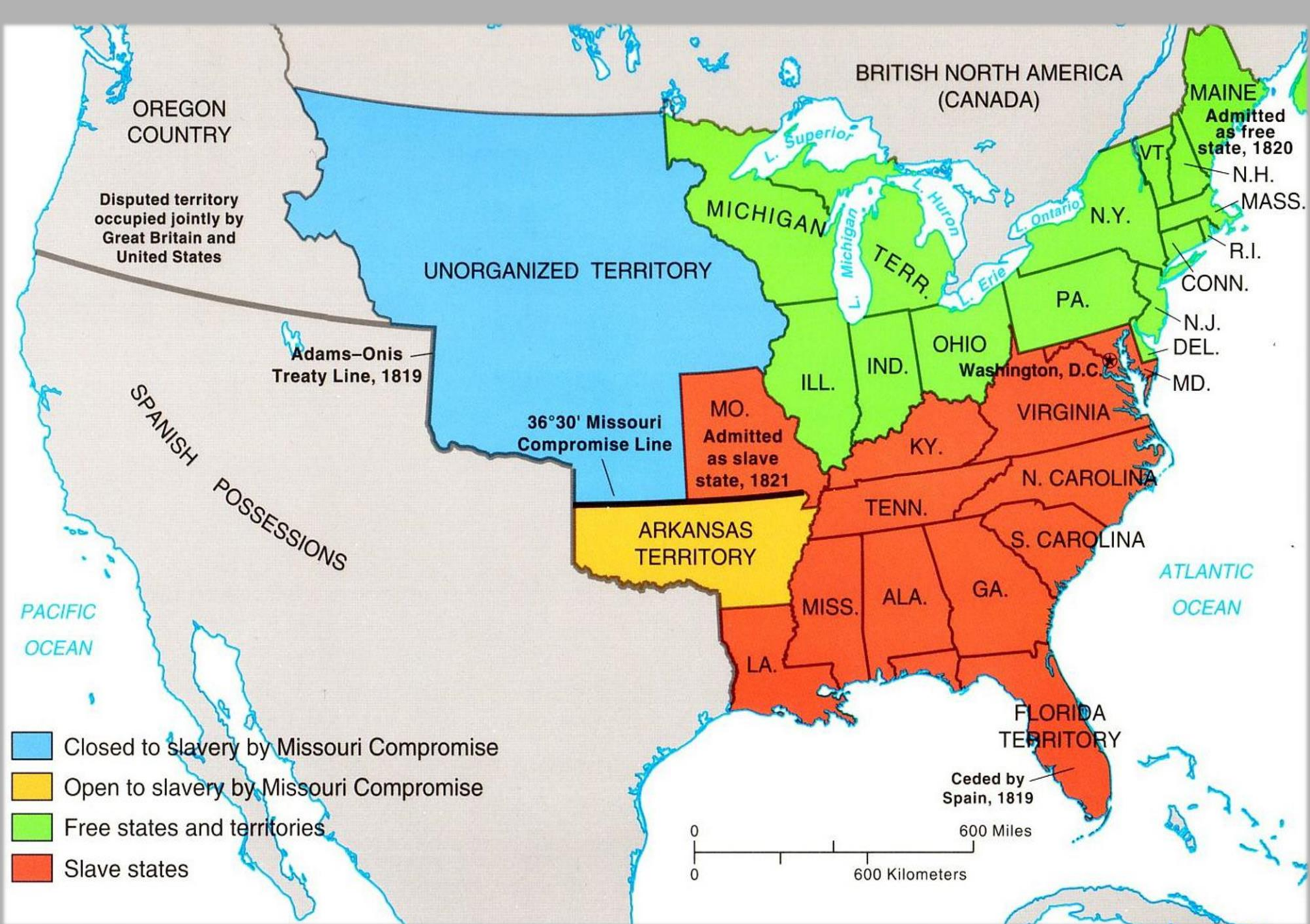
*** Said Missouri
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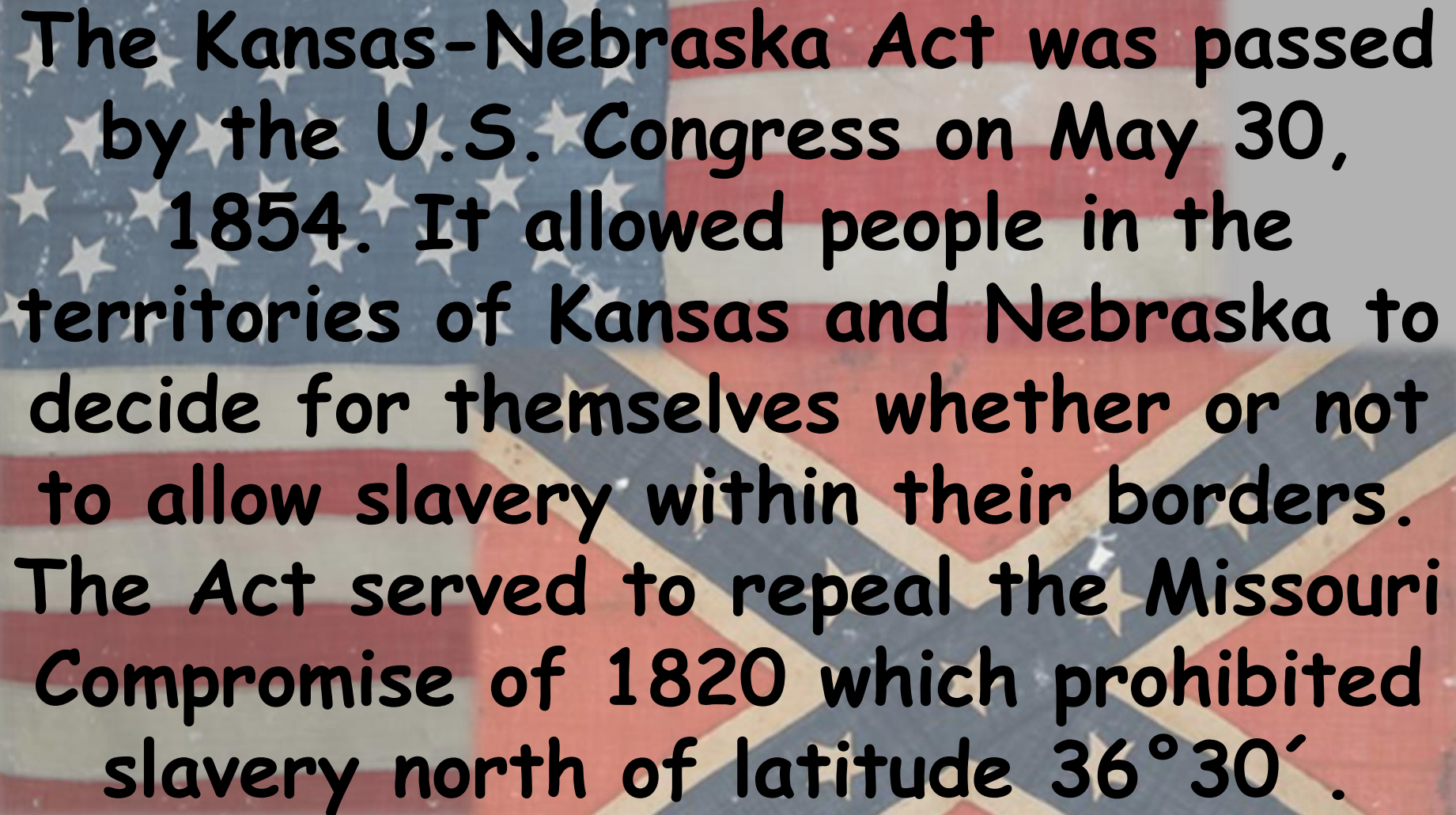


Kansas Nebraska Act 1854

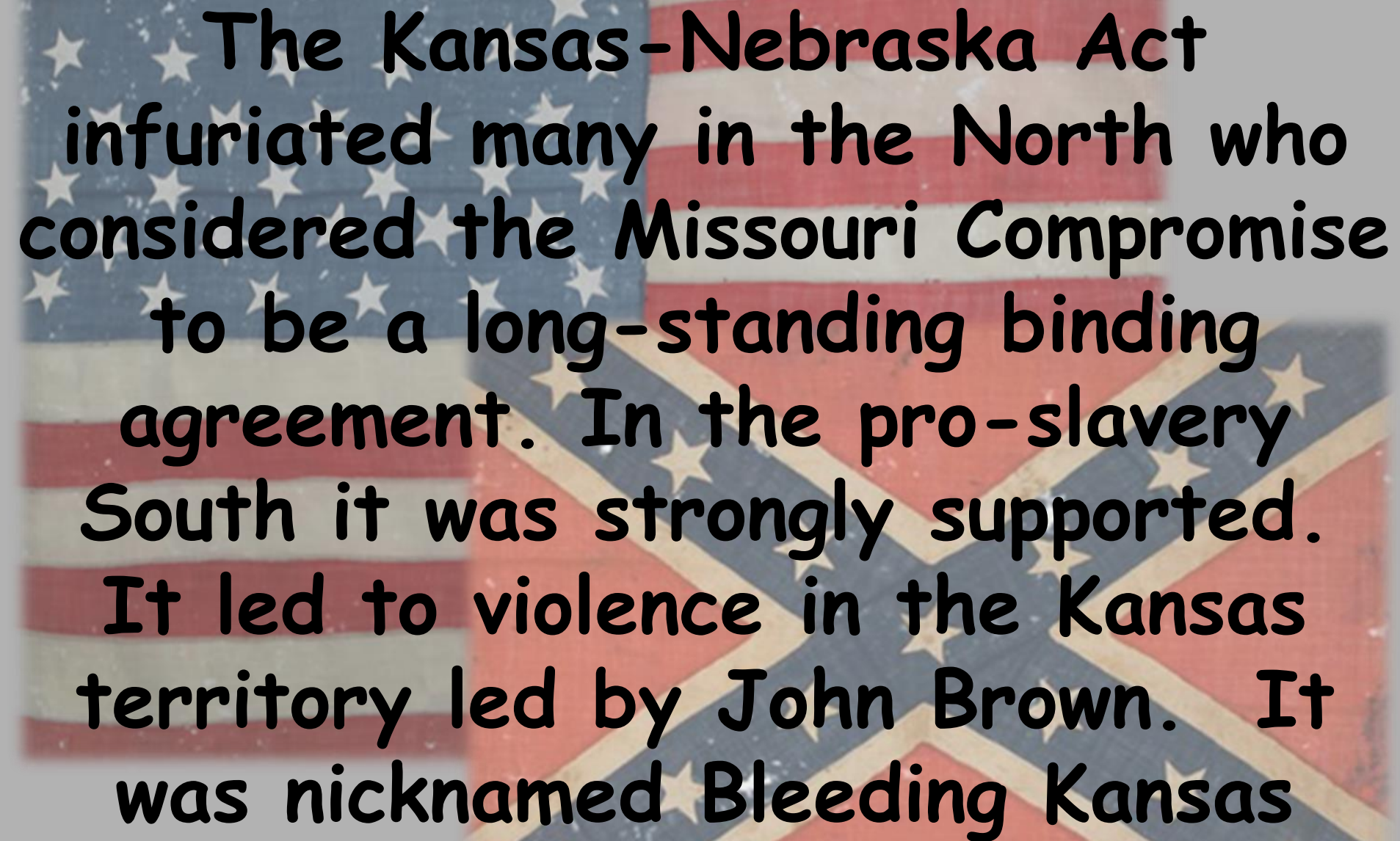


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The Kansas-Nebraska Act was passed by the U.S. Congress on May 30, 1854. It allowed people in the territories of Kansas and Nebraska to decide for themselves whether or not to allow slavery within their borders. The Act served to repeal the Missouri Compromise of 1820 which prohibited slavery north of latitude $36^{\circ}30'$.



The Kansas-Nebraska Act infuriated many in the North who considered the Missouri Compromise to be a long-standing binding agreement. In the pro-slavery South it was strongly supported. It led to violence in the Kansas territory led by John Brown. It was nicknamed Bleeding Kansas



KANSAS NEBRASKA

ACT

**Left Slavery to
Popular Sovereignty
Repealed MO Comp
Led to Bleeding
Kansas**

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