

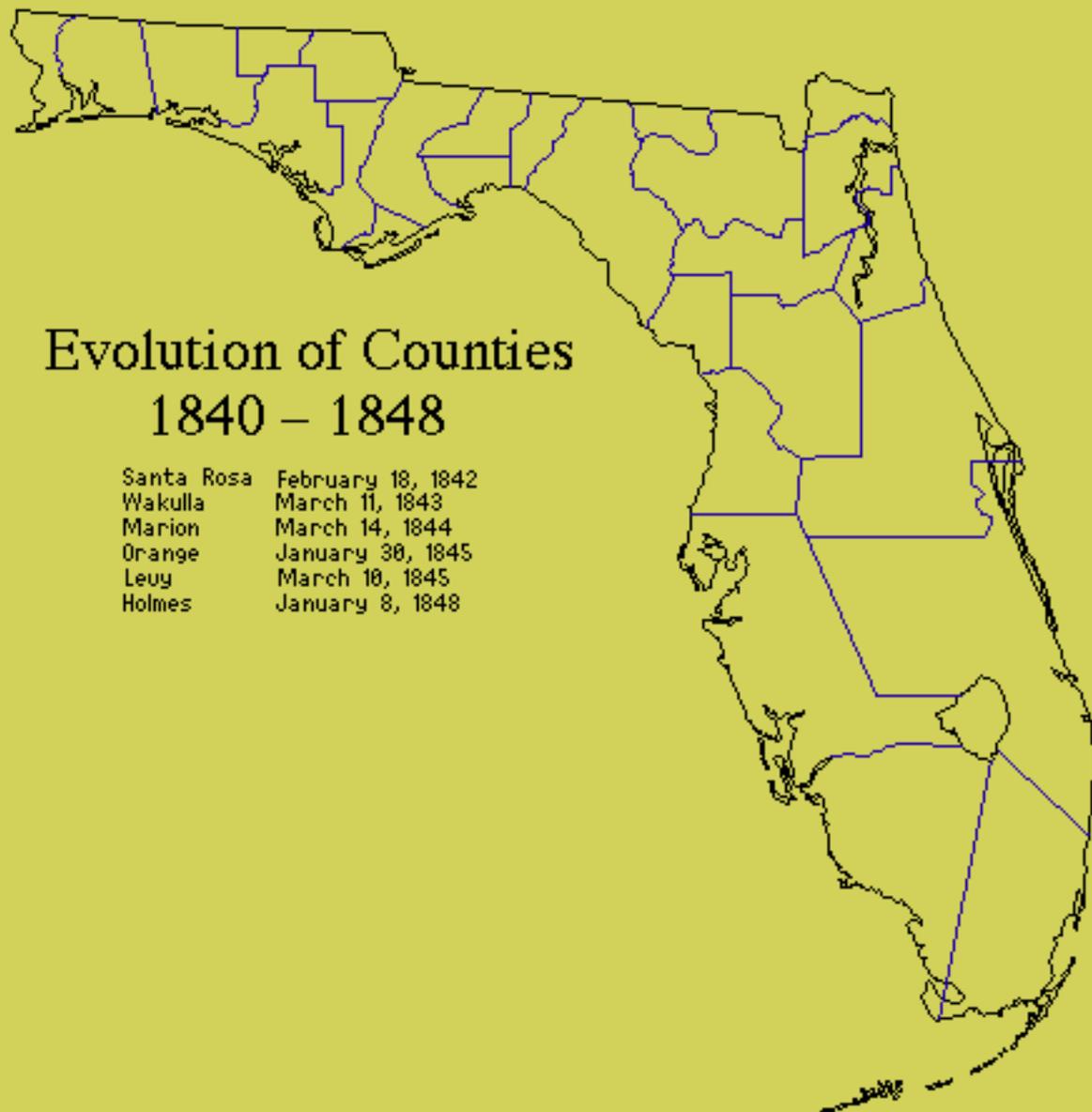
FORMATION OF COUNTIES AND CHANGES IN THEIR BOUNDARIES BY YEARS

- 1821** Escambia and St. Johns established.
- 1822** Jackson and Duval created, causing changes in Escambia and St. Johns.
- 1823** Gadsden created, causing changes to Duval.
- 1824** Alachua, Leon, Monroe, Mosquito, Nassau and Walton created, causing changes in most of the others.
- 1827** Hamilton, Madison and Jefferson created.
- 1832** Columbia and Franklin created.
- 1834** Hillsborough created.
- 1836** Dade created.
- 1838** Calhoun created from Jackson.
- 1842** Santa Rosa formed from Escambia.
- 1842** Benton was created from Alachua, and Wakulla was formed from Leon.
- 1844** Marion was formed from Alachua, Hillsborough and Mosquito; St. Lucie was created from Mosquito.
- 1846** Levy formed from Alachua and Hillsborough; Mosquito changed to Orange; part of Jackson added to Calhoun.
- 1846** Washington formed from Walton and Jackson.
- 1848** Holmes formed from Calhoun and Walton.
- 1849** Putnam formed from Alachua, Orange, Marion and St. Johns
- 1850** Benton changed to Hernando.
- 1853** Sumter created.
- 1854** Volusia created.
- 1855** St. Lucie changed to Brevard and territory divided among Brevard, Dade and Volusia; Manatee and Liberty created.
- 1856** Lafayette and Taylor created.
- 1858** New River and Suwanee created from Columbia and Clay formed from Duval.
- 1861** Baker formed from New River, and remaining portion of New River changed to Bradford; Polk formed from Brevard
- 1871** Boundaries of Polk and Sumter were changed.
- 1872** Part of Sumter given to Orange.
- 1873** Brevard boundary with Orange was changed; Jackson boundaries were changed; boundaries of Washington changed.
- 1874** The boundaries of Brevard with Dade and Manatee were changed.
- 1876** Boundries of Calhoun and Jackson were changed; boundaries of Duval and St. Johns were changed.
- 1877** Boundaries of Lafayette and Taylor changed; Levy acquired acquired territory from Marion.
- 1879** Brevard annexed part of Volusia; Jefferson and Leon boundaries were changed, and the boundaries of Orange with Polk and Sumter were changed.
- 1887** Citrus was formed from Hernando; De Soto formed from Manatee; Lee was formed from Monroe; Osceola was formed from Brevard and Orange; Pasco was formed from Hernando; Lake was formed from Orange and Sumter.
- 1905** St. Lucie was re-created, being formed from Brevard.
- 1909** Palm Beach was formed from Dade; Levy's boundary with Alachua was changed slightly, as also was boundary of Gadsden and Liberty.
- 1911** Pinellas was formed from Hillsborough.
- 1913** Bay was formed from Calhoun and Washington; Seminole was formed from Orange.
- 1915** Broward was formed from Dade and Palm Beach; Okaloosa was formed from Santa Rosa and Walton; slight boundary changes were made in Holmes, Jackson and Washington.
- 1917** Flagler was created from St. Johns and Volusia and Okeechobee from Osceola, St. Lucie and Palm Beach.
- 1921** Dixie County was created from Lafayette.
- 1921** Union County was created from Bradford.
- 1921** Sarasota County was created from Manatee.
- 1921** Charlotte County was created from De Soto.
- 1921** Hardee County was created from De Soto.
- 1921** Glades County was created from De Soto.
- 1921** Highlands County was created from De Soto.
- 1923** Hendry County was created from Lee.
- 1923** Collier County was created from Lee.
- 1925** Gulf County was created from Calhoun.
- 1925** Indian River County was created from St. Lucie.
- 1925** Martin County was created from Palm Beach and St. Lucie.
- 1925** Gilchrist County was created from Alachua.



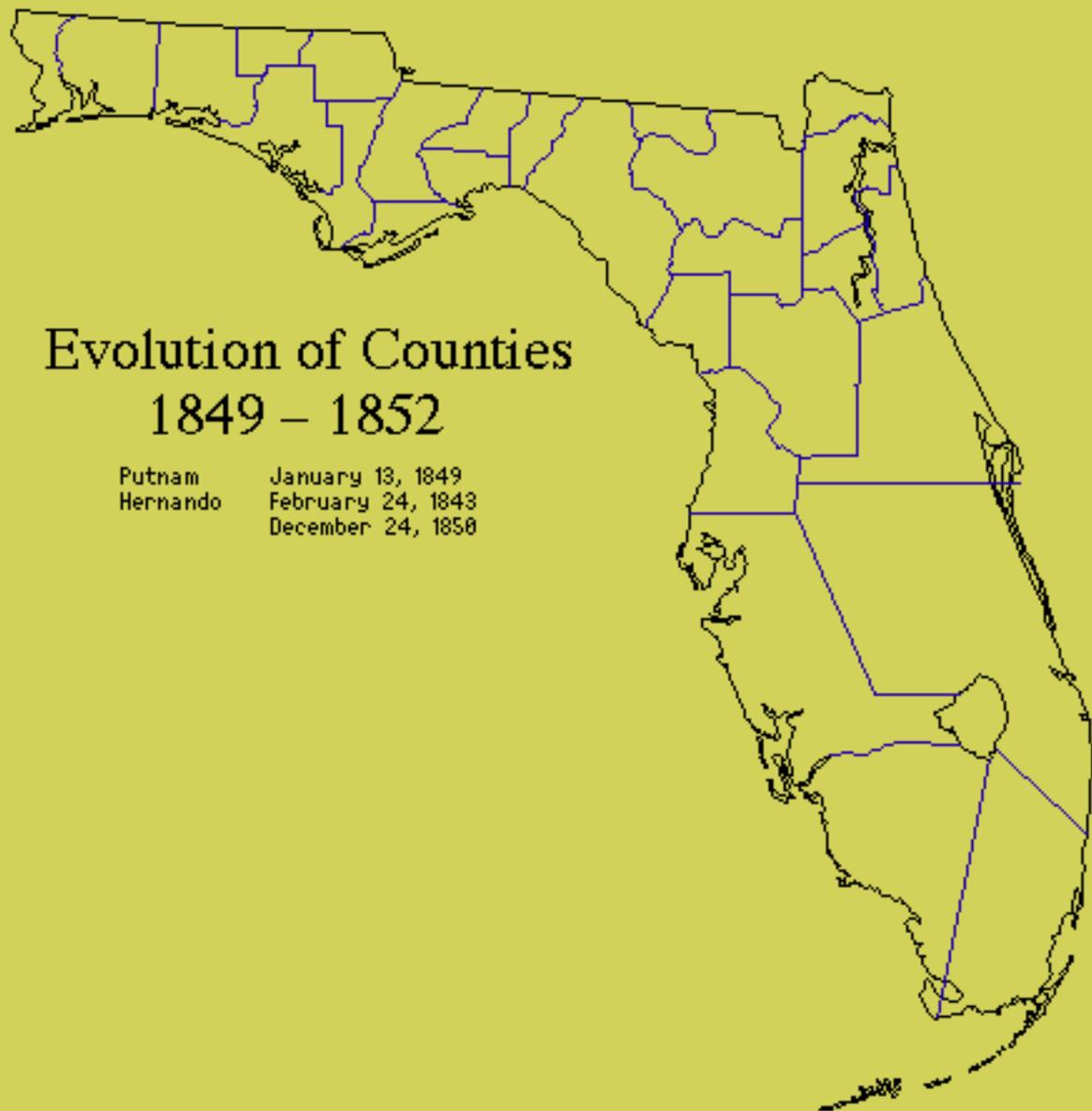
Evolution of Counties 1822 – 1839

Duval	August 12, 1822
Jackson	August 12, 1822
Gadsden	June 24, 1823
Monroe	July 3, 1823
Alachua	December 29, 1824
Leon	December 29, 1824
Mosquito	December 29, 1824
Nassau	December 29, 1824
Walton	December 29, 1824
Washington	December 9, 1825
Jefferson	January 20, 1827
Hamilton	December 26, 1827
Madison	December 26, 1827
Columbia	February 4, 1832
Franklin	February 8, 1832
Hillsborough	January 25, 1834
Dade	February 4, 1836
Calhoun	January 26, 1838



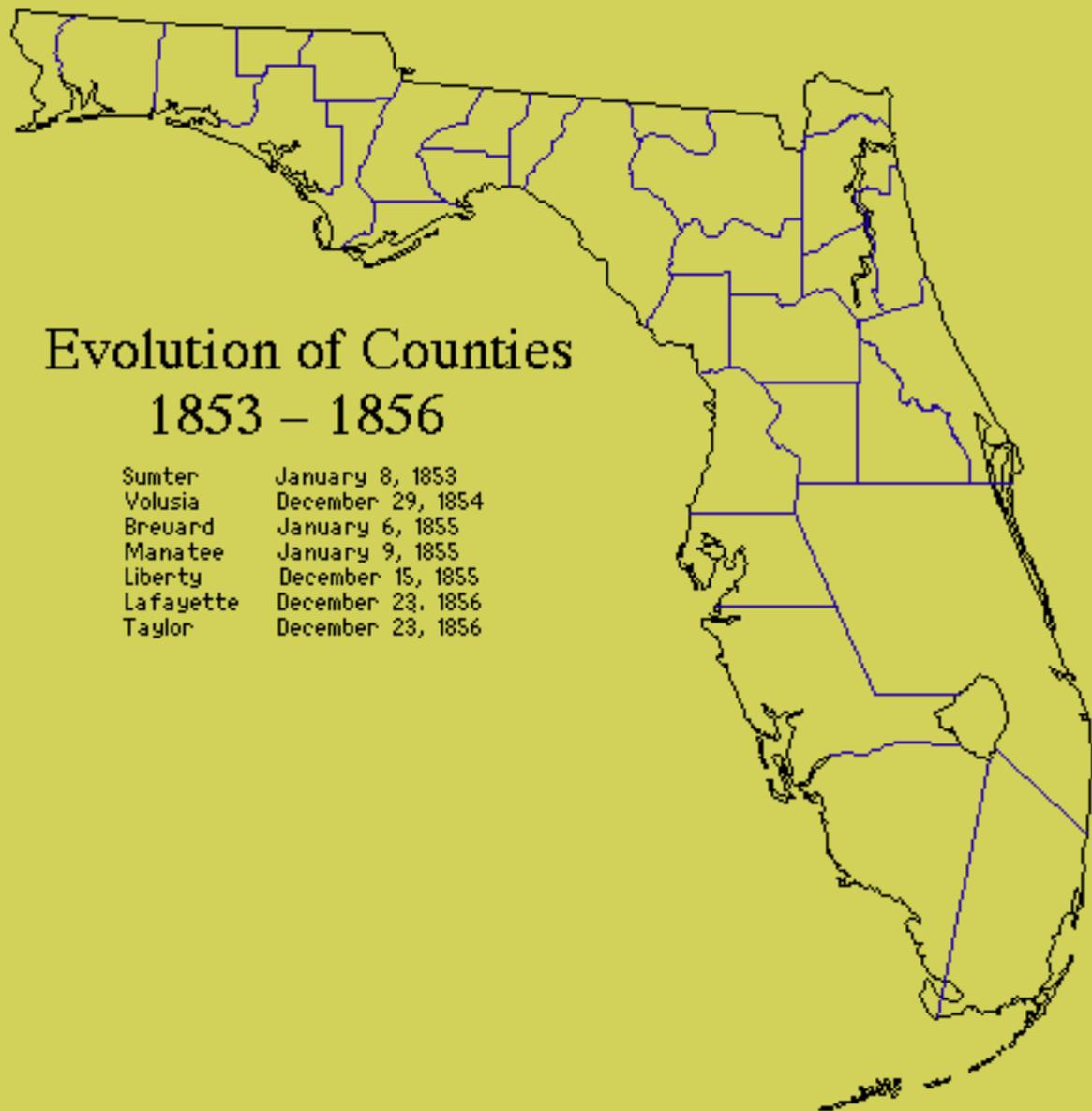
Evolution of Counties 1840 – 1848

Santa Rosa	February 18, 1842
Wakulla	March 11, 1843
Marion	March 14, 1844
Orange	January 30, 1845
Levy	March 10, 1845
Holmes	January 8, 1848



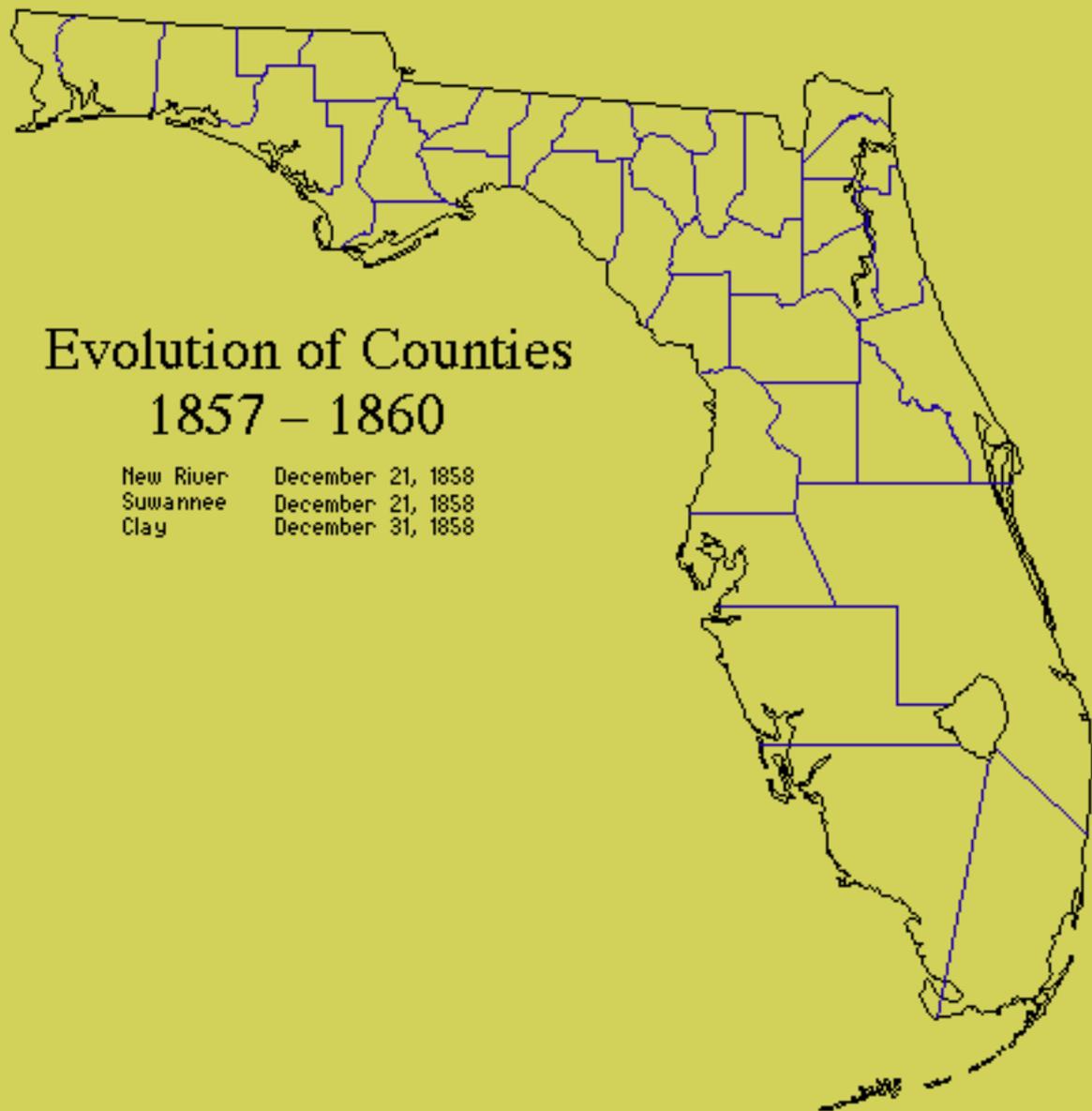
Evolution of Counties 1849 – 1852

Putnam	January 13, 1849
Hernando	February 24, 1843
	December 24, 1850



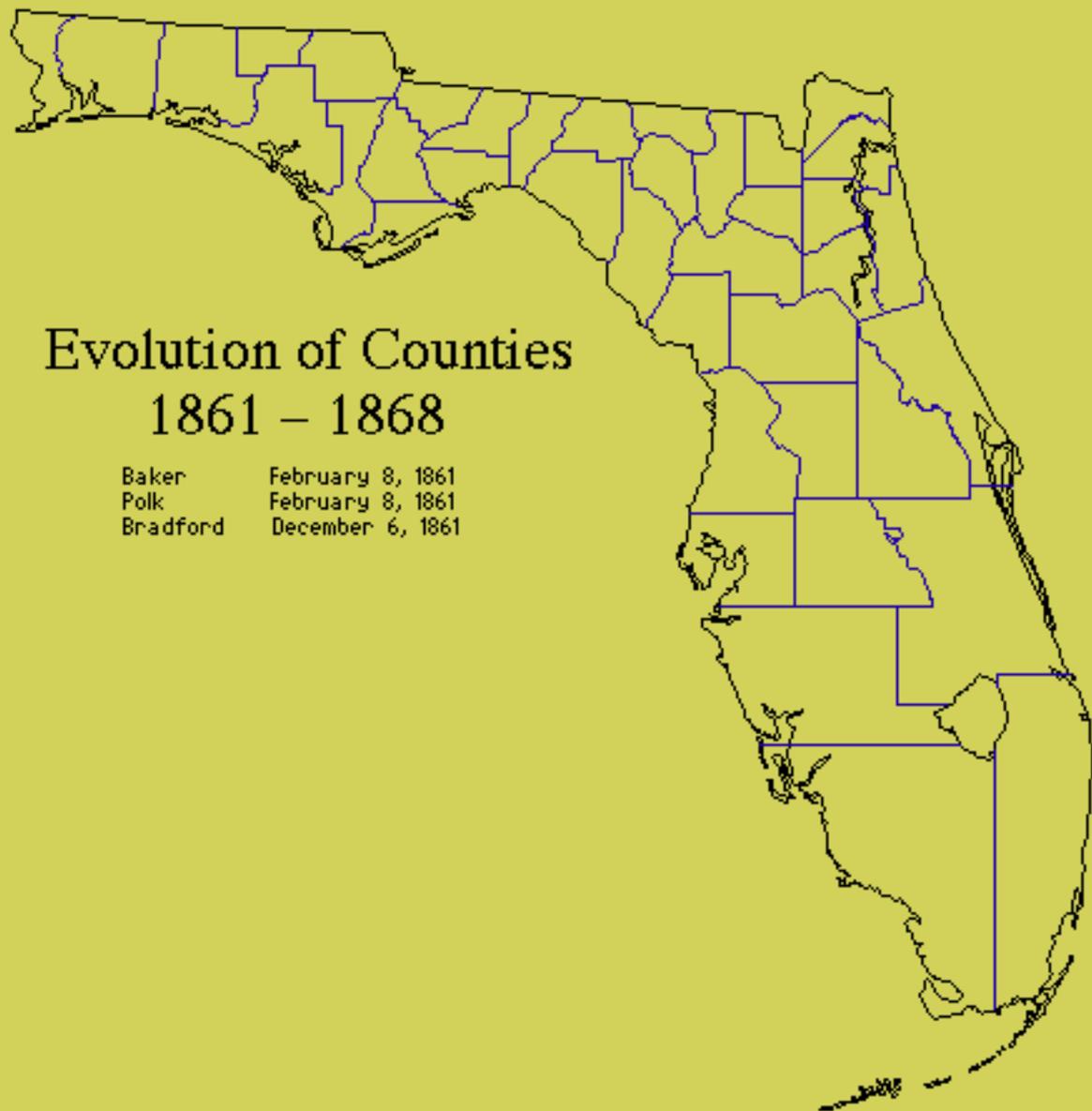
Evolution of Counties 1853 – 1856

Sumter	January 8, 1853
Volusia	December 29, 1854
Brevard	January 6, 1855
Manatee	January 9, 1855
Liberty	December 15, 1855
Lafayette	December 23, 1856
Taylor	December 23, 1856



Evolution of Counties 1857 – 1860

New River	December 21, 1858
Suwannee	December 21, 1858
Clay	December 31, 1858

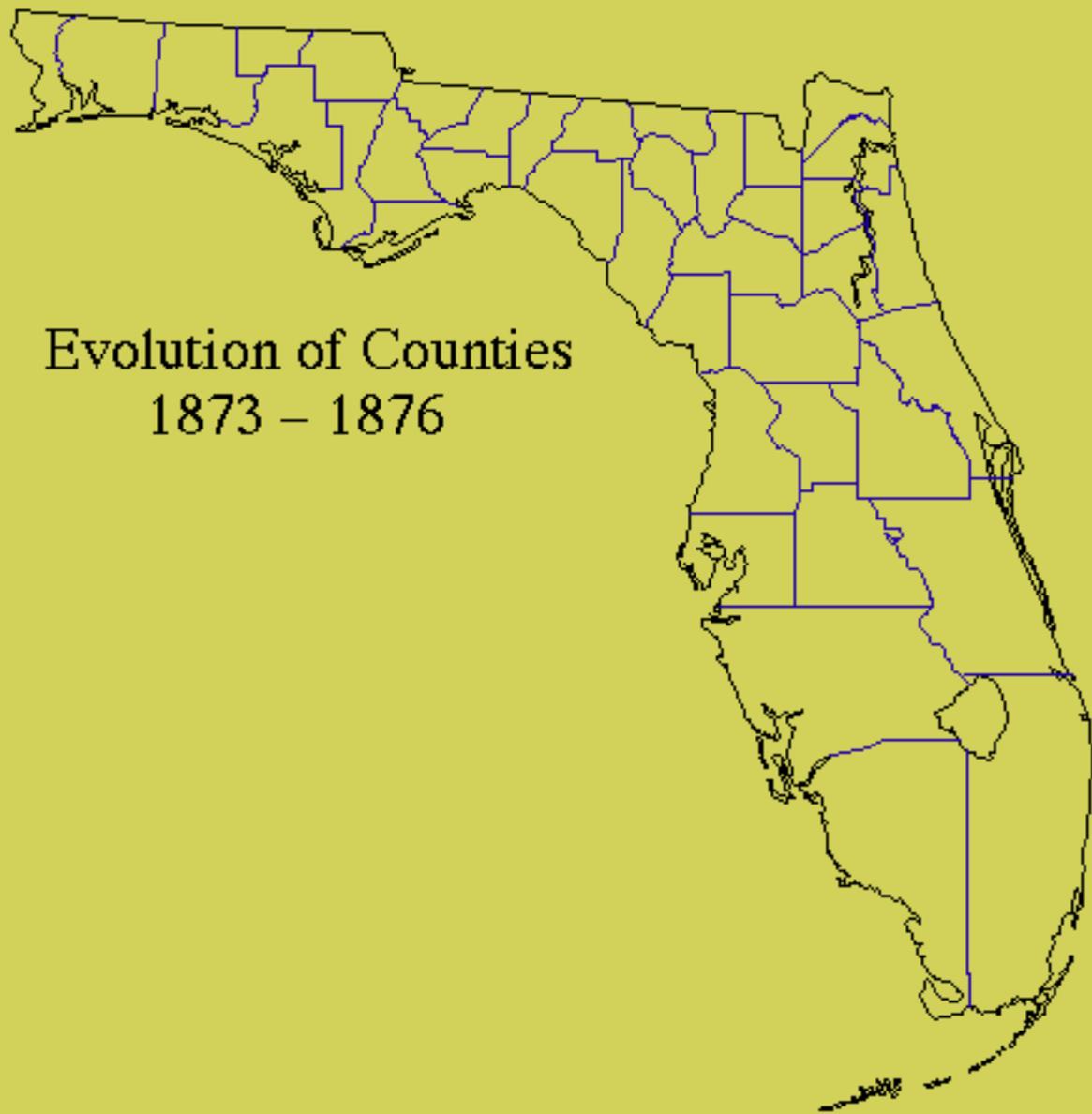


Evolution of Counties 1861 – 1868

Baker	February 8, 1861
Polk	February 8, 1861
Bradford	December 6, 1861



Evolution of Counties
1869 - 1872



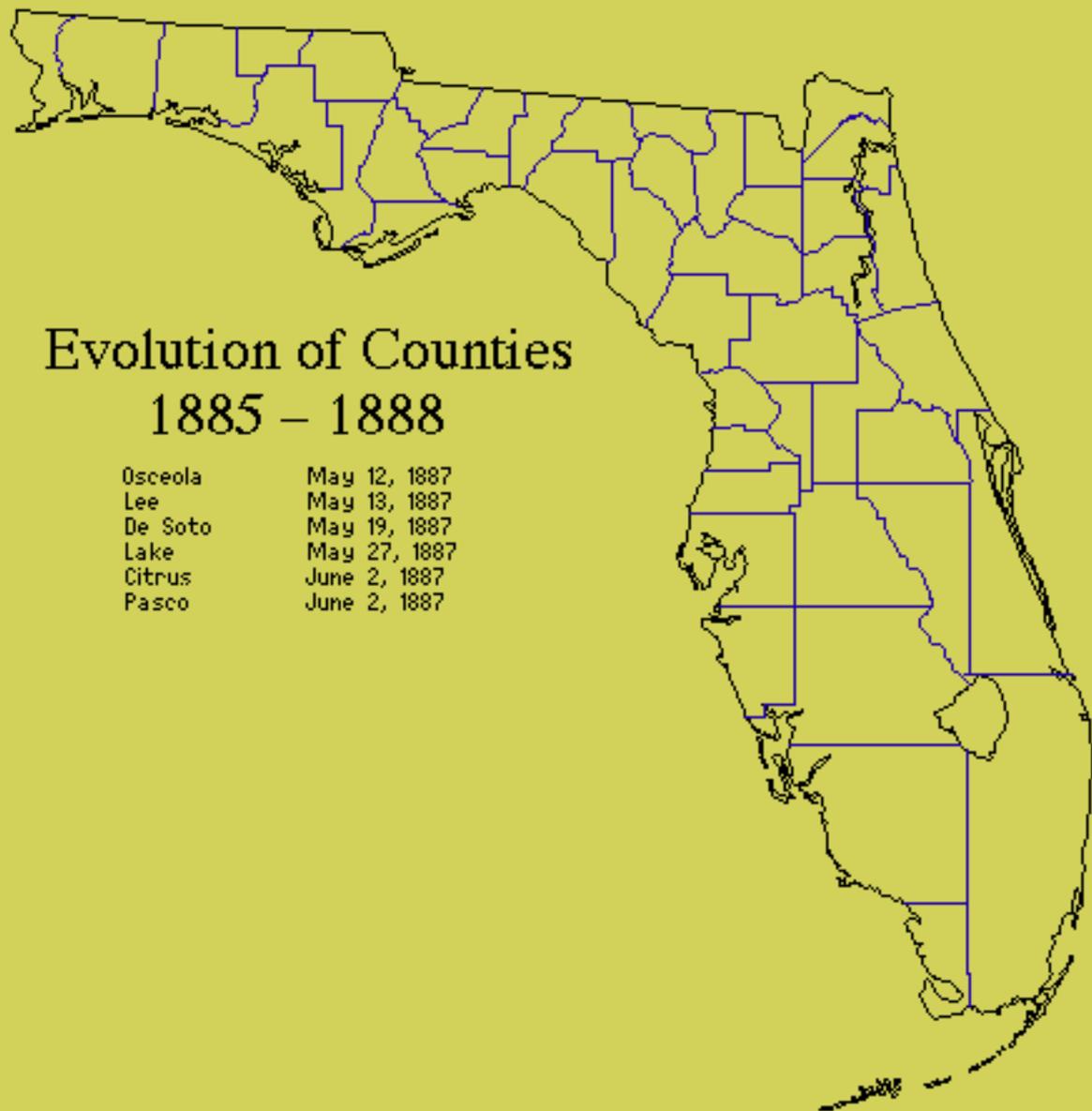
Evolution of Counties
1873 - 1876



Evolution of Counties
1877 - 1880



Evolution of Counties
1881 - 1884



Evolution of Counties 1885 – 1888

Osceola	May 12, 1887
Lee	May 13, 1887
De Soto	May 19, 1887
Lake	May 27, 1887
Citrus	June 2, 1887
Pasco	June 2, 1887



Evolution of Counties
1889 - 1899

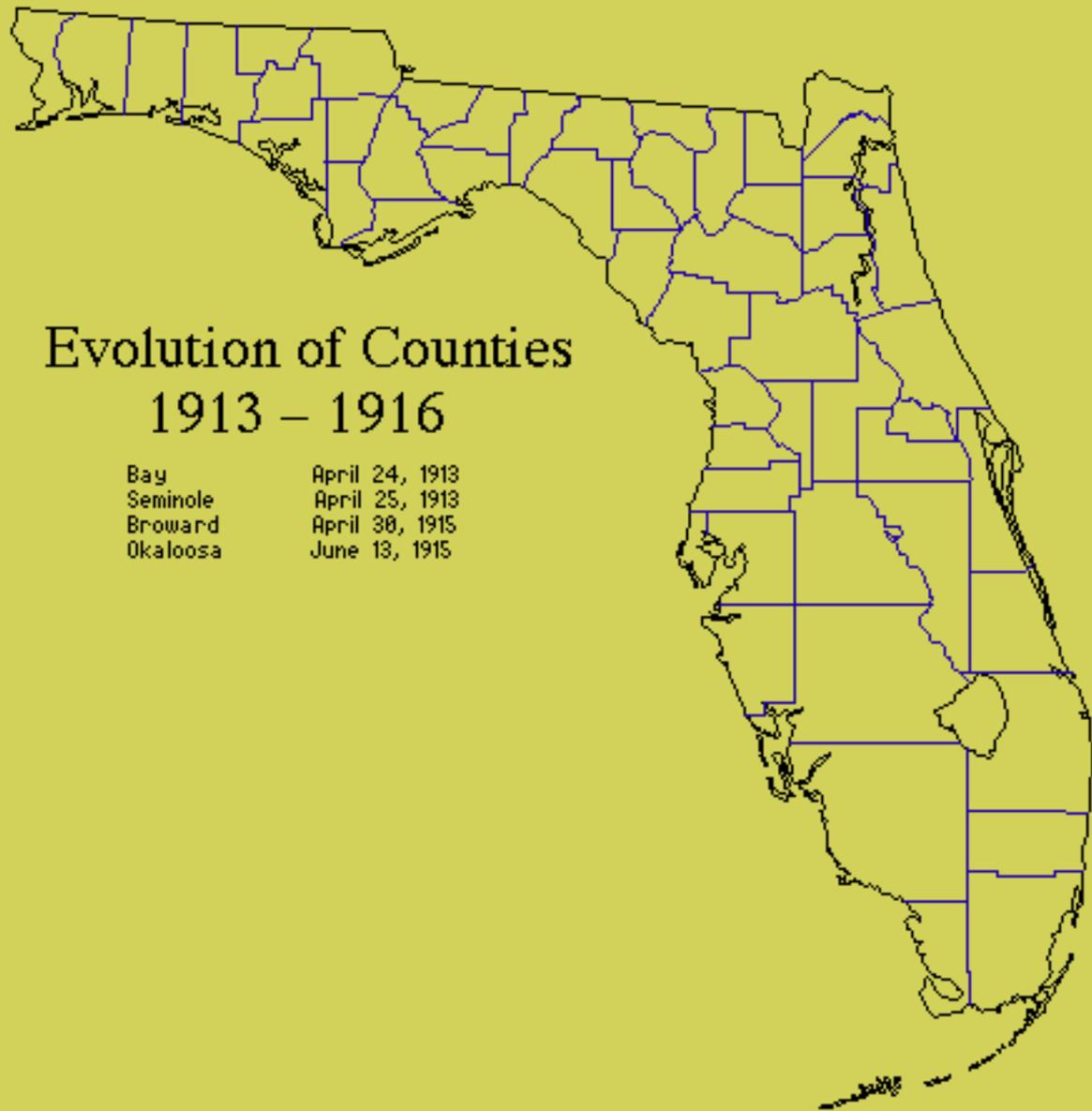


Evolution of Counties
1900 – 1908



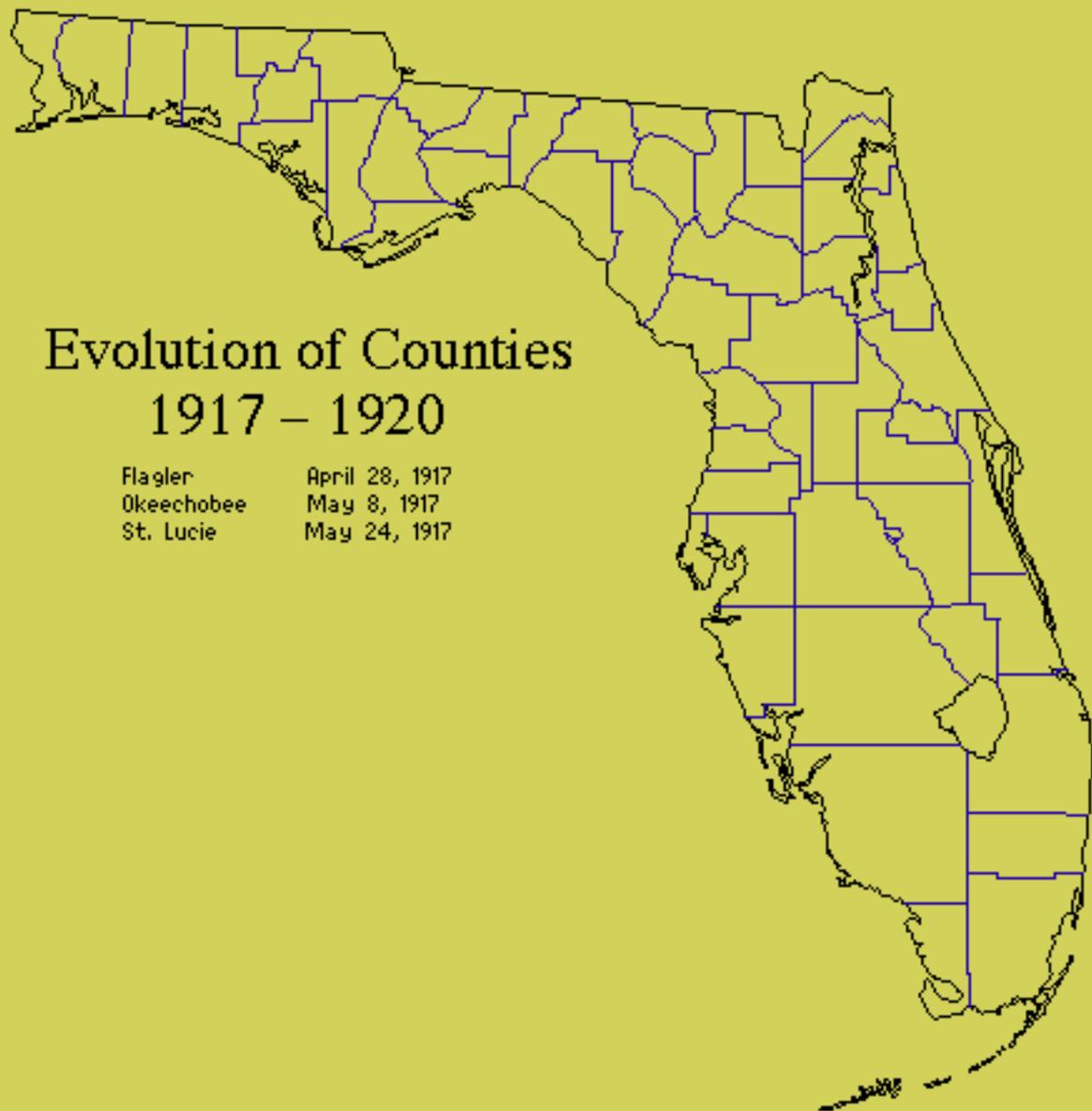
Evolution of Counties 1909 - 1912

Palm Beach	April 30, 1909
Pinellas	May 23, 1911



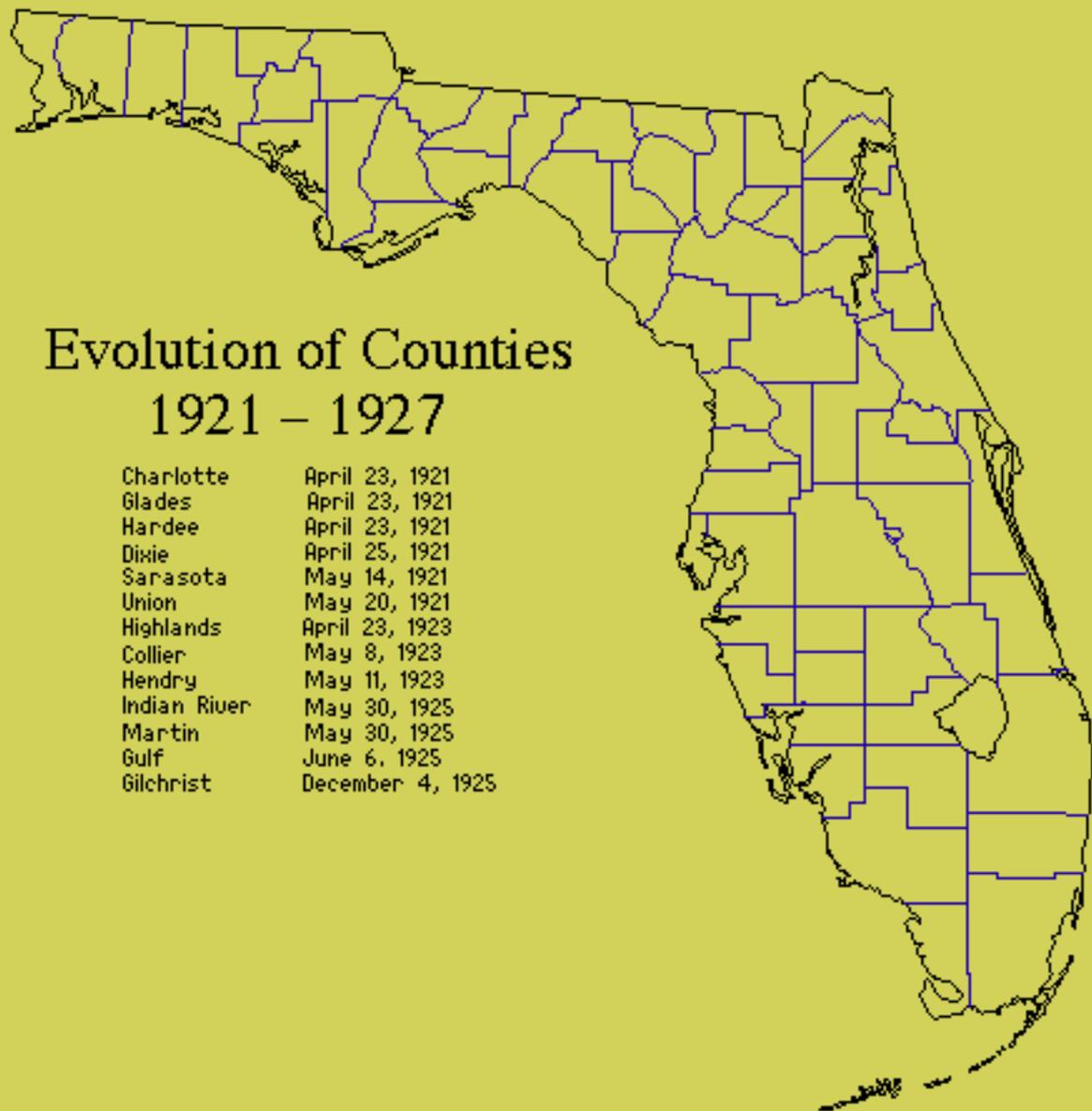
Evolution of Counties 1913 – 1916

Bay	April 24, 1913
Seminole	April 25, 1913
Broward	April 30, 1915
Okaloosa	June 13, 1915



Evolution of Counties 1917 - 1920

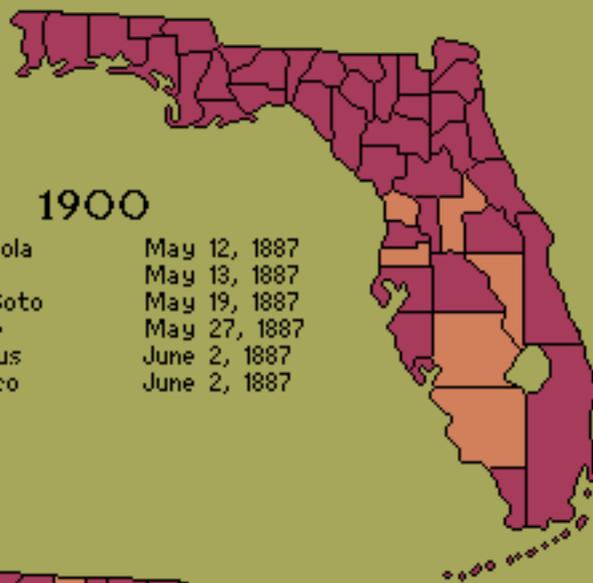
Flagler	April 28, 1917
Okeechobee	May 8, 1917
St. Lucie	May 24, 1917



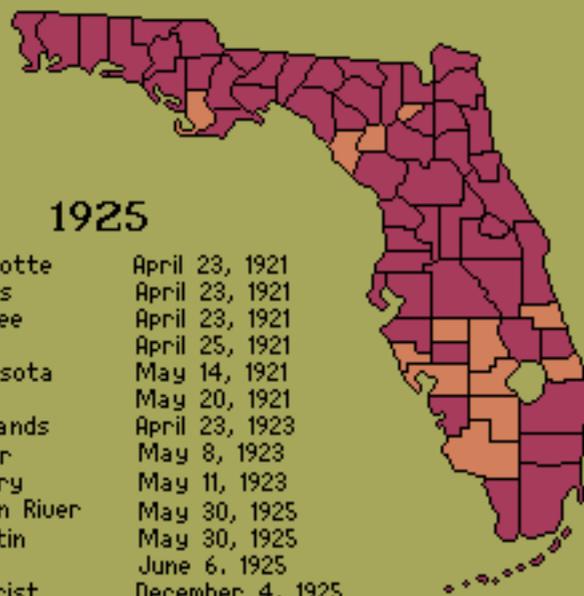
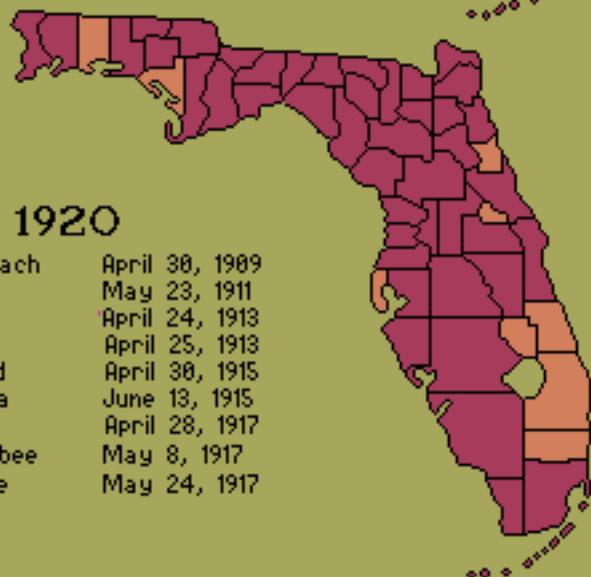
Evolution of Counties 1921 - 1927

Charlotte	April 23, 1921
Glades	April 23, 1921
Hardee	April 23, 1921
Dixie	April 25, 1921
Sarasota	May 14, 1921
Union	May 20, 1921
Highlands	April 23, 1923
Collier	May 8, 1923
Hendry	May 11, 1923
Indian River	May 30, 1925
Martin	May 30, 1925
Gulf	June 6, 1925
Gilchrist	December 4, 1925

Evolution of Counties



- Previously existing counties
- Newly established counties



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