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- Why were Japanese Americans placed in camps during WWII?

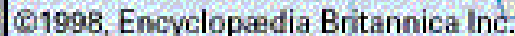
- AIM 78
- How did the Allies defeat NAZI GERMANY/JAPAN?

June 6, 1944 D-Day



Allied forces land in France and push towards Germany

OVERVIEW





I. **Allied** Success in Europe

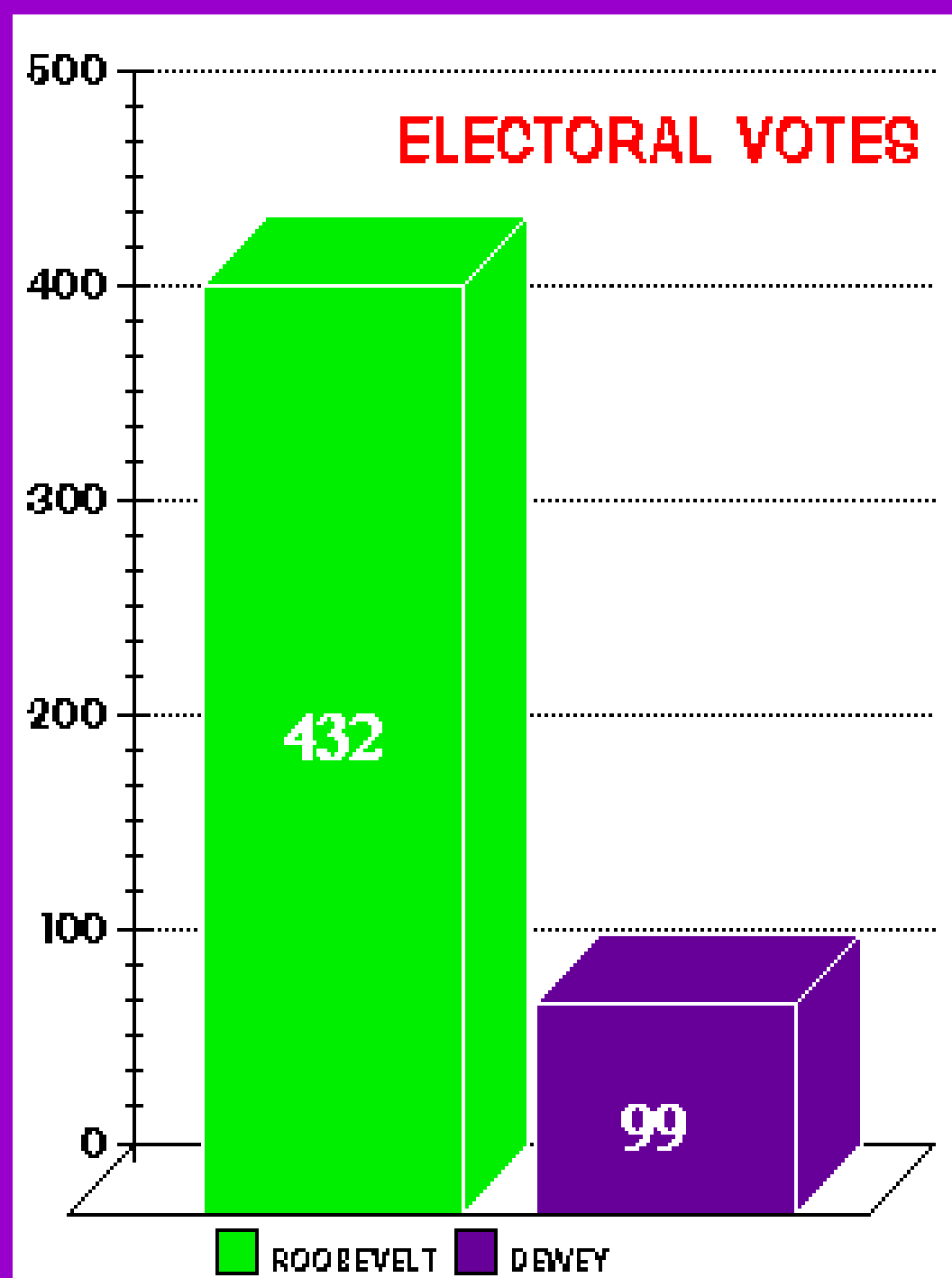
- successful landing on the beaches of Normandy (**June 6, 1944- D-Day**) led to a steady flow of troops towards **Germany**
- **Paris** liberated August 1944
- By December 1944 **Hitler** is pushed back to **Germany**



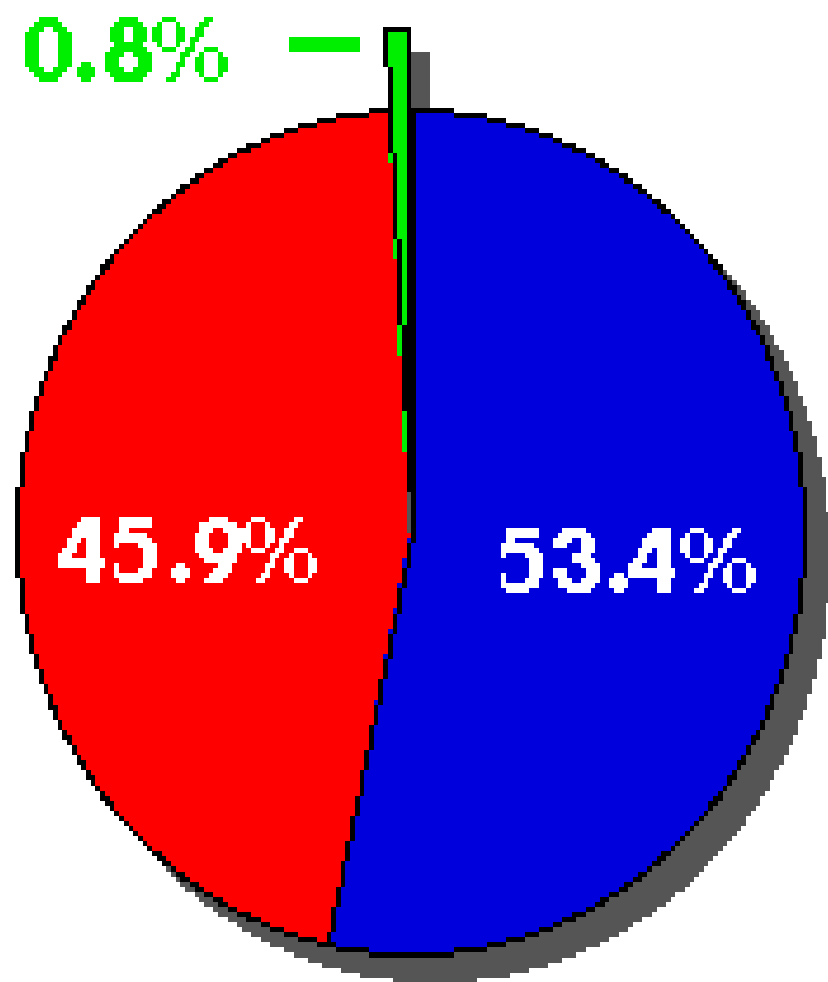
II. The Election of 1944

FDR (D)

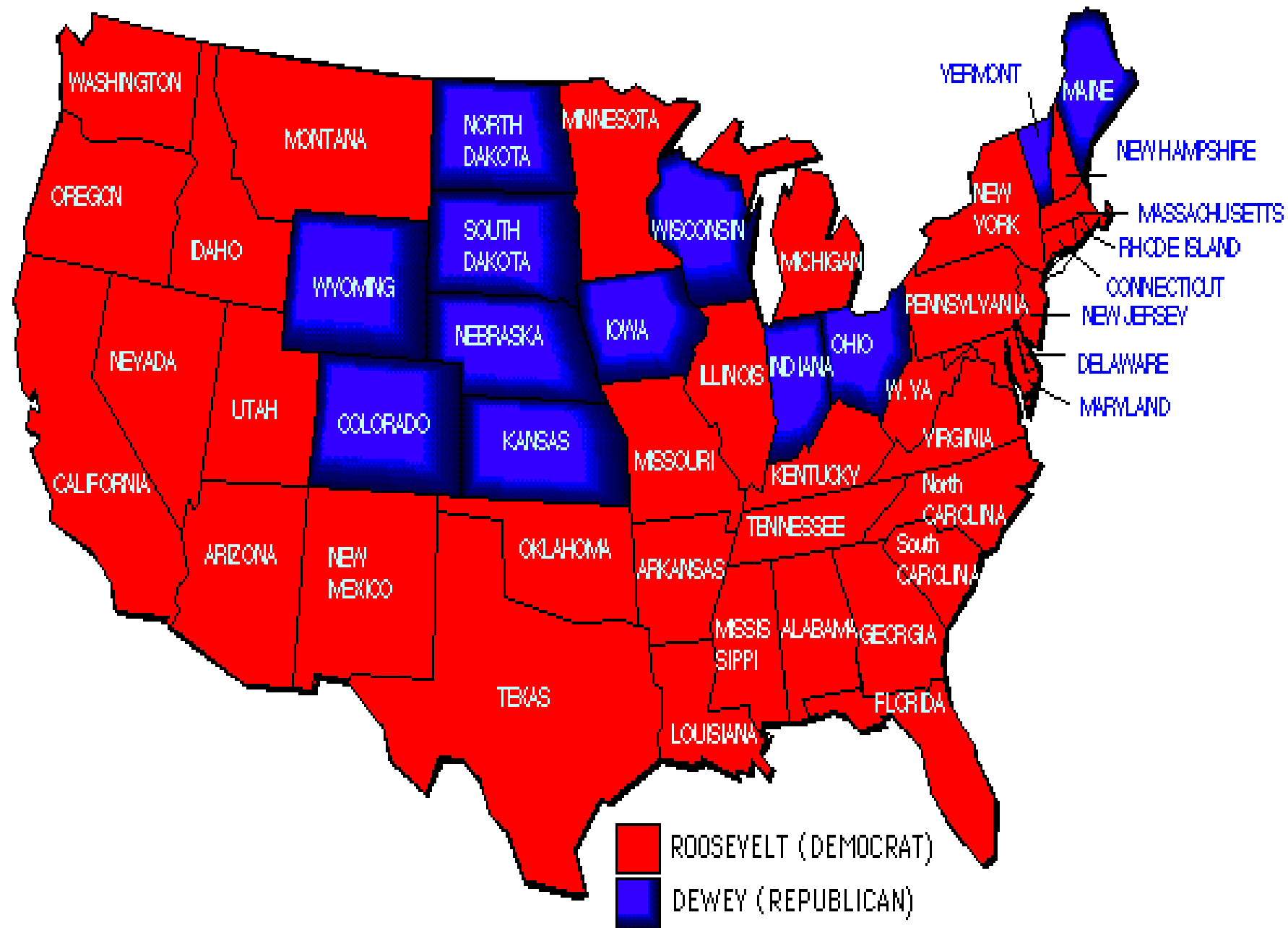
Thomas Dewey ®



POPULAR VOTE



■ Franklin D. Roosevelt (D) ■ Thomas E. Dewey (R) ■ Other



I. The Death of Roosevelt

- April 12, 1945.
- Dies of a massive stroke.
- Dies at the family vacation spot in Warm Springs, Georgia.
- Harry Truman sworn in as the 33 president.

II. The Last Days of Hitler & FDR

- Berlin Surrounded -- Russians to the East and Allies to the West
- Allied troops began to notice Holocaust Concentration Camps
- April 12, 1945 FDR dies -- Harry S. Truman assumes Presidency
- April 30, 1945 Hitler kills himself



Harry S. Truman





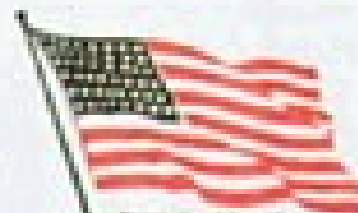
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'Big Three' Proclaim

V-E DAY

TEXT OF TRUMAN PROCLAMATION

By the President of the United States of America
I hereby proclaim that the day of Victory over the
Axis powers has been achieved and that the
war against them is over. I urge the people of
this country to observe this day with a sense of
solemnity and to give thanks to God for His
mercy and goodness. I also urge the people to
continue their efforts to support the war effort
and to maintain the peace and unity of this
country.

All Out War Against Japan Pledged By Truman, Churchill

Retifying of Surrender Pact
Will Be Made in Berlin,
Premier Asserts



'Stick to Jobs,' President
Urges; Sunday Set As
Day of Prayer

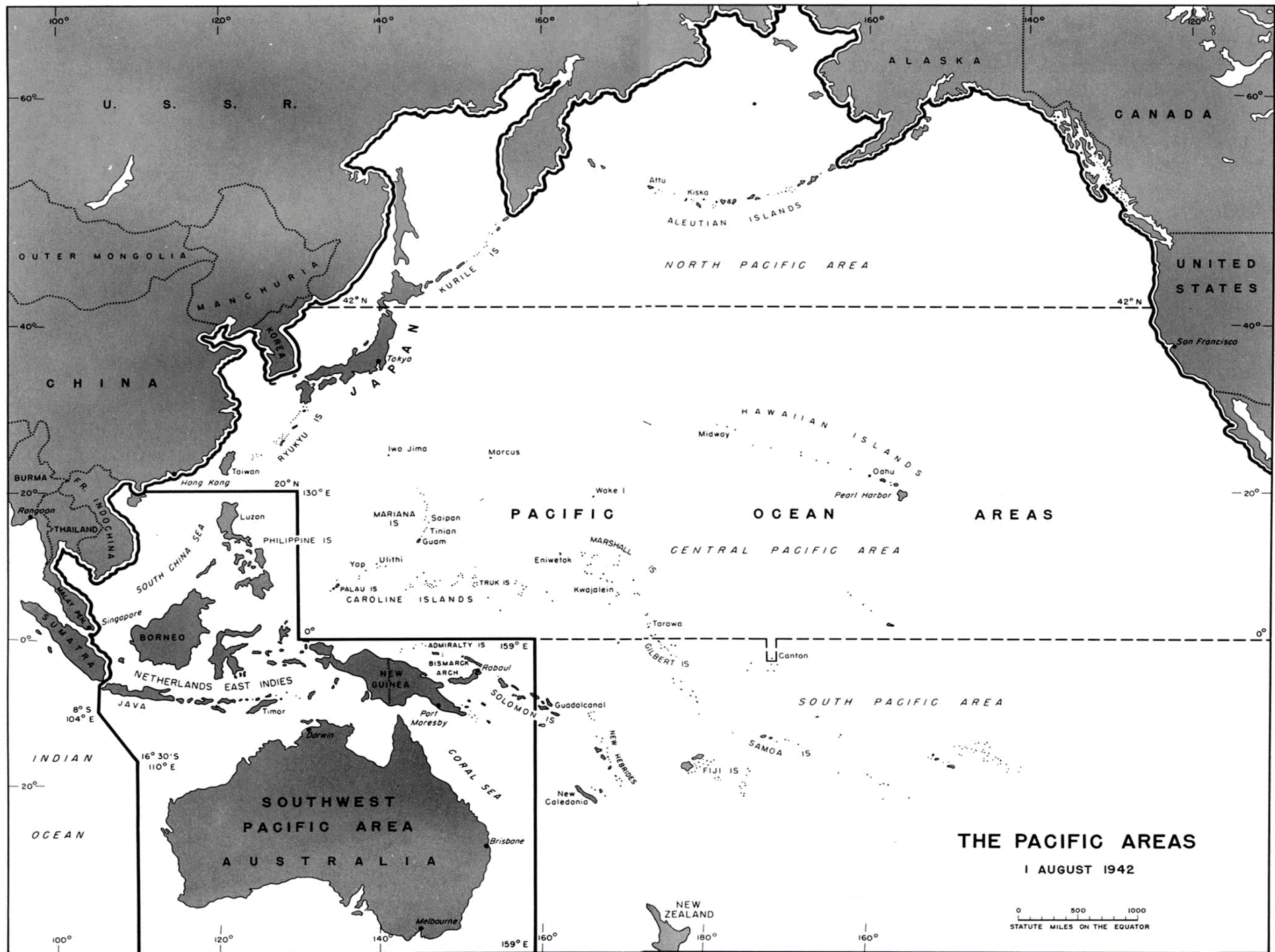
IV. War in Europe is Over

- May 7th, 1945 V-E DAY --

Germany Unconditionally
Surrenders

- Still many problems in Europe

- Holocaust, Communism,
Germany, Damage,





I. Japan by 1945

- Japan no longer has sea power
- American Navy is finally winning in the Pacific
- Iwo Jima and Okinawa fall by June 1945

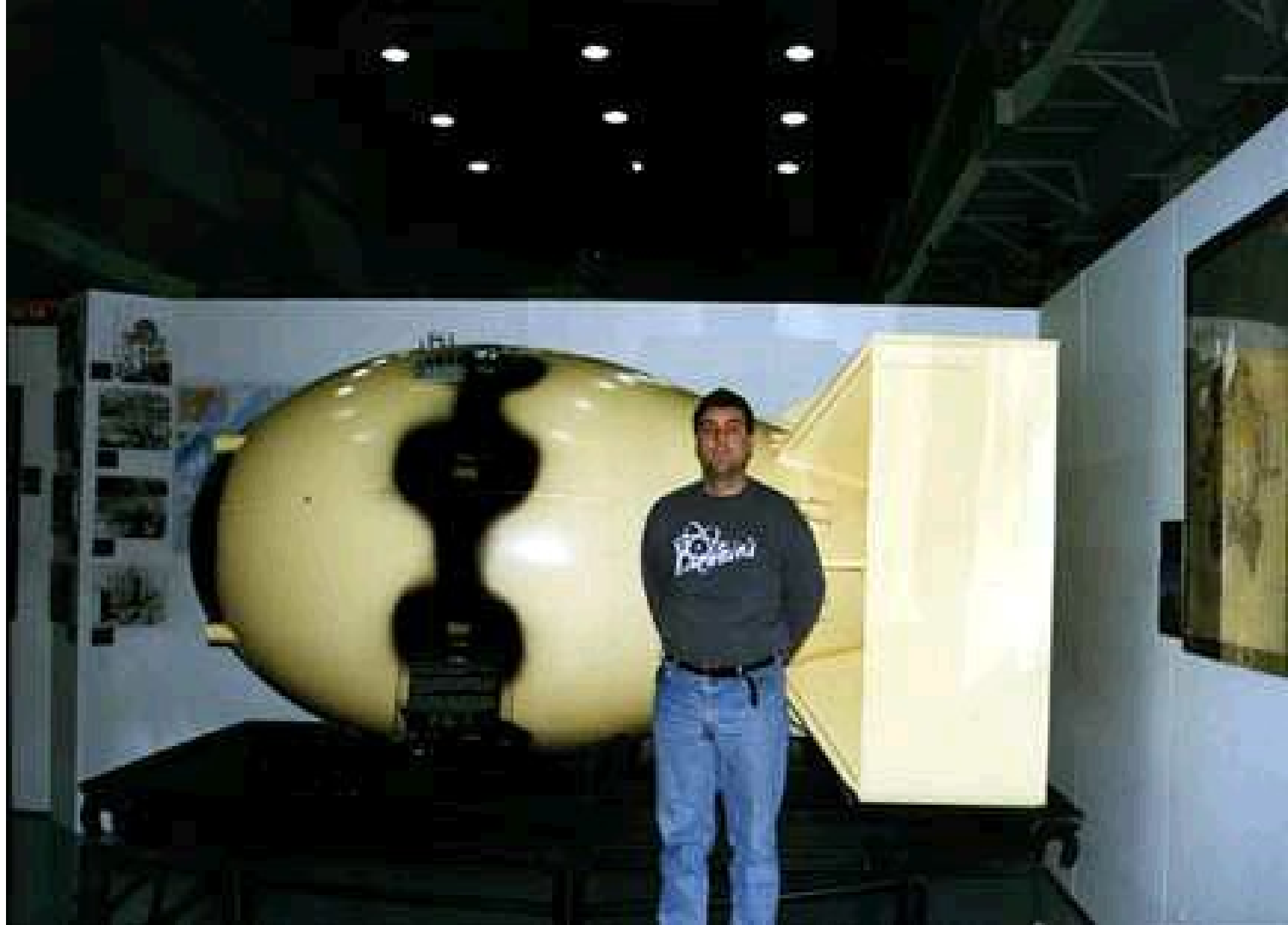
- 80,000 **American** Casualties taking those 2 islands
- Taking **Japan's** Home Islands will continue to be VERY COSTLY TO U.S.
- **Kamikaze** Pilots

- An estimated 1,000,000 **American** casualties would result in an assault on **Japan's** Home Islands
- Men, Women, and Children would fight to the death

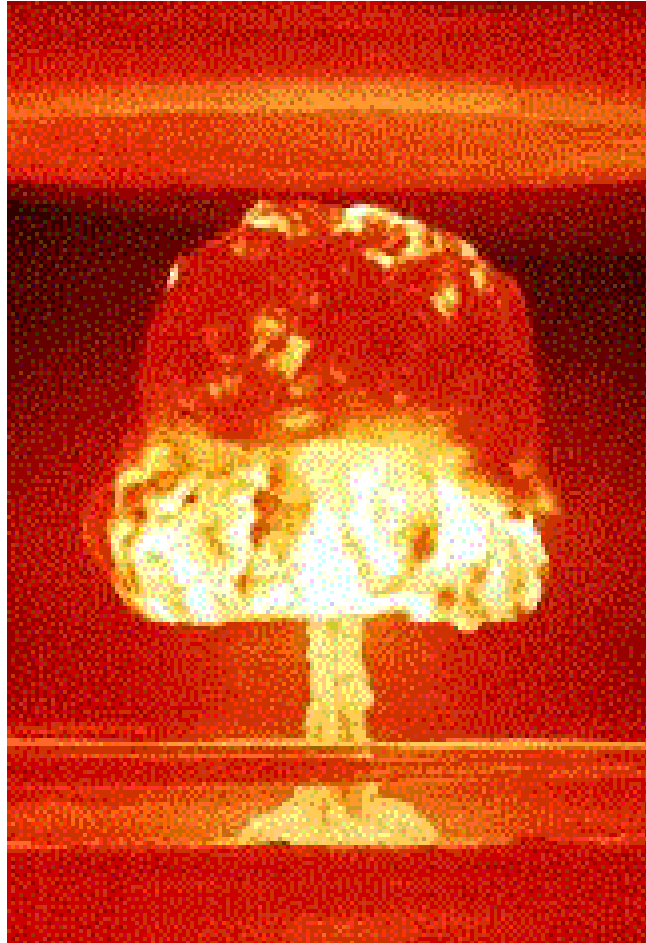


II. The Atomic Bomb

- Potsdam declaration: Truman to Japan, "surrender or face destruction."
- Japan continues to fight to the death.
- August 6, 1945 the Enola Gay drops the first bomb on Hiroshima.



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Bombing victim. Her skin is burned in a pattern corresponding to the dark and light portions of the kimono she was wearing.



After the blast



- August 9, second bomb dropped on Nagasaki.
- 120,000 civilians die instantly from the two blasts.
- Several thousand more will die days later.
- Both cities destroyed.

- V-J Day August 15, 1945.
- August 15, 1945 Japan surrenders.
- Japan will be occupied by American Troops for 2 years.



Signed at TOKYO BAY, JAPAN at 0946 1
on the SECOND day of SEPTEMBER, 1945.

重光葵

By Command and in behalf of the Emperor of Japan
and the Japanese Government.

梅津美治郎

By Command and in behalf of the Japanese
Imperial General Headquarters.

Accepted at TOKYO BAY, JAPAN at 0908 1
on the SECOND day of SEPTEMBER, 1945,
for the United States, Republic of China, United Kingdom and the
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and in the interests of the other
United Nations at war with Japan.

Douglas MacArthur

Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

W. H. H. H. H.

United States Representative

W. H. H. H. H.

Republic of China Representative

Bruce Fraser

United Kingdom Representative

Leonid Brezhnev

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
Representative

H. A. Blomley

Commonwealth of Australia Representative

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Dominion of Canada Representative

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Provisional Government of the French
Republic Representative

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Kingdom of the Netherlands Representative

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Dominion of New Zealand Representative



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III. The Cost of WWII

- Over 40 million dead. Half of these are civilians.
- The United states suffers 322,000 dead, 800,000 wounded.
- Soviet Union suffers the most: 20 million dead.