

Louisiana

Atlas of Historical County Boundaries

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Couba Island

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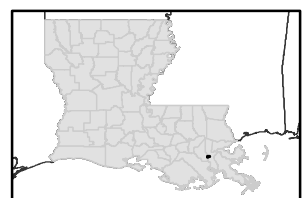
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Couba Island was left outside any county jurisdiction.

5 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Acadia County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

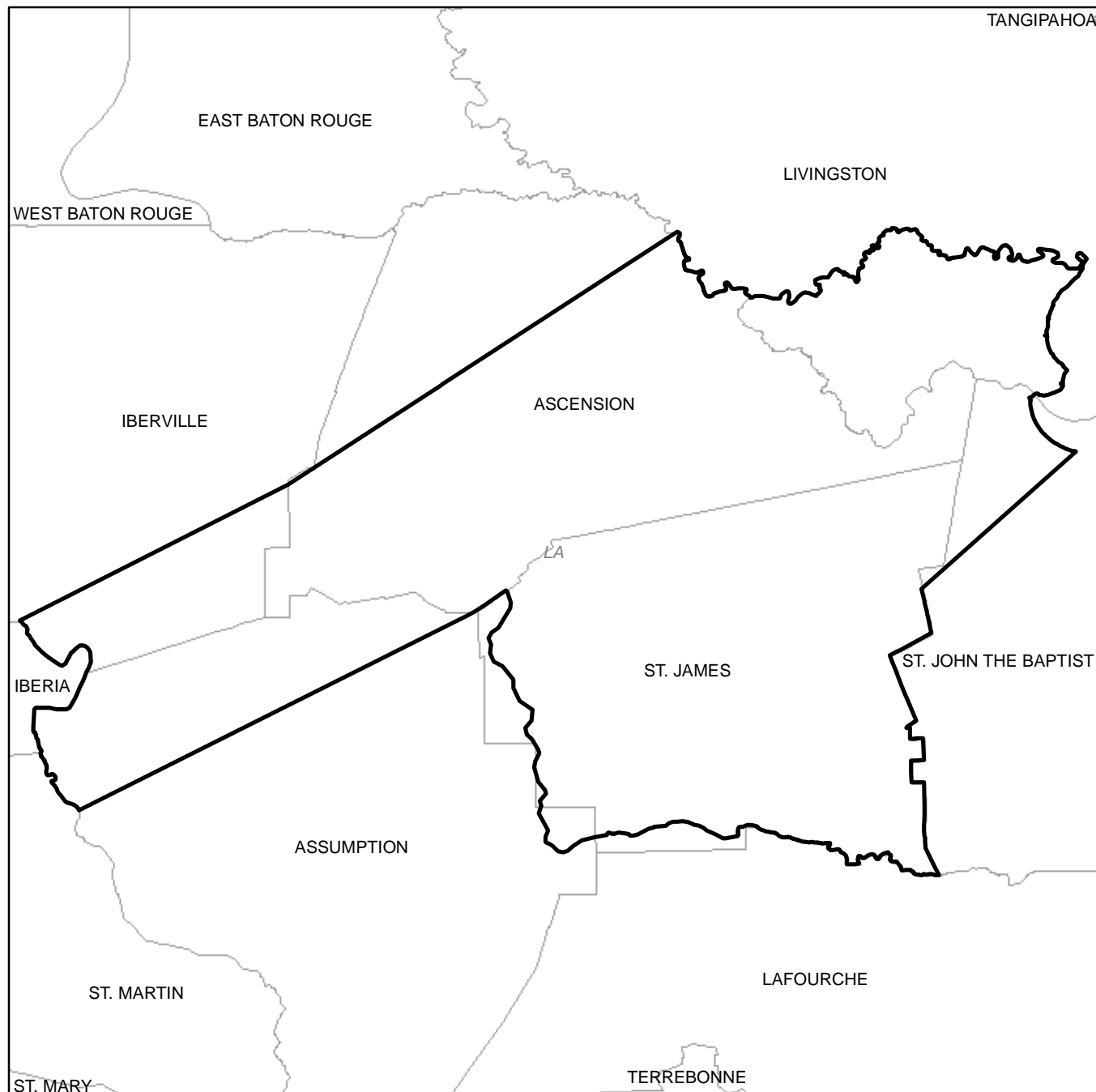
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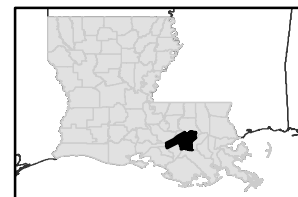
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Acadia County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend the [ecclesiastical] parishes of St. James and the Ascension, commonly called the first and second Acadian Coasts."

676 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Attakapas County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

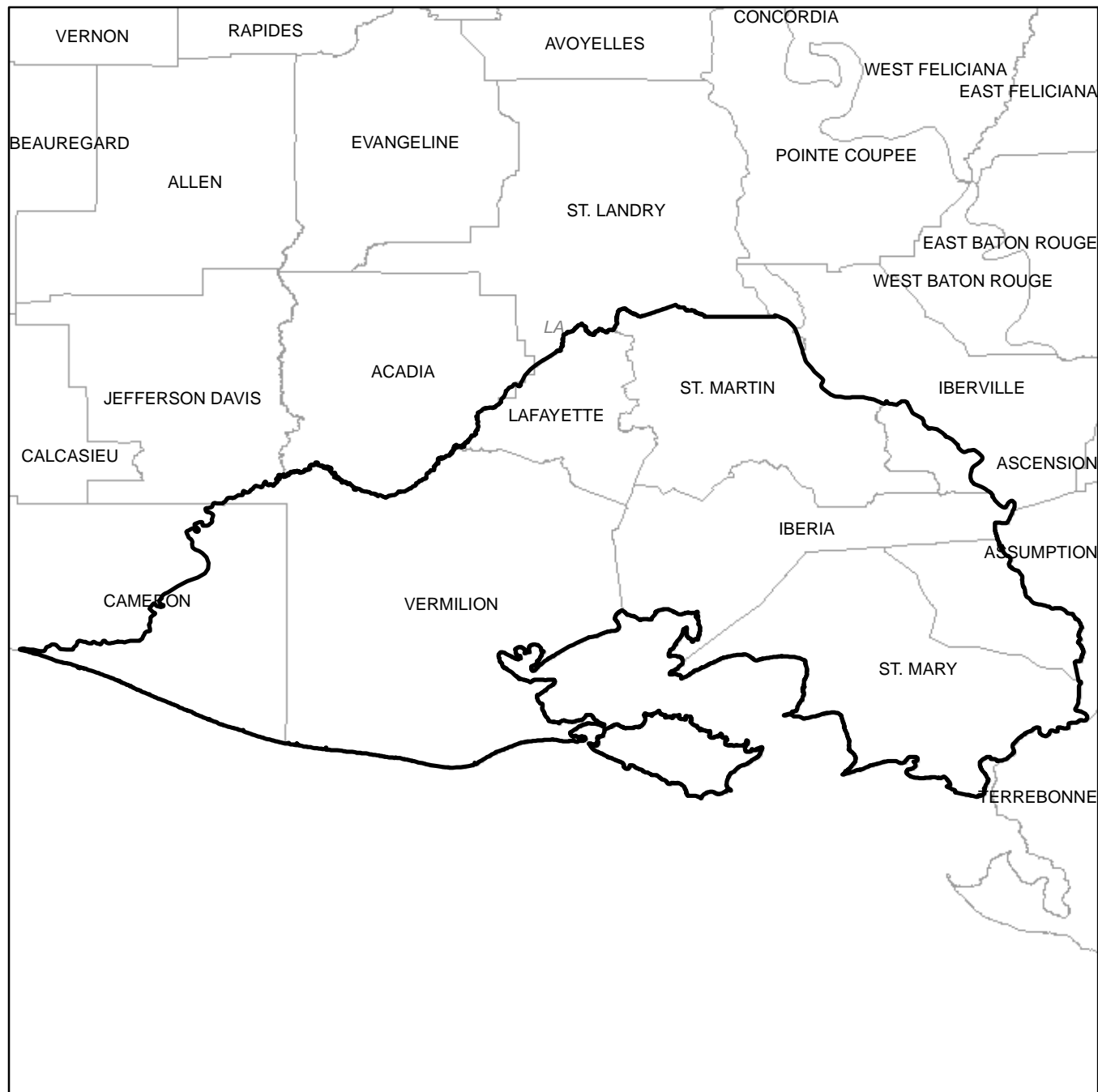
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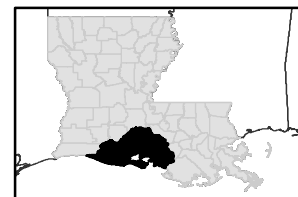
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Attakapas County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend the [ecclesiastical] parish of St. Martin, commonly called the parish of Attakapas."

4,180 sq. mi.

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Concordia County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

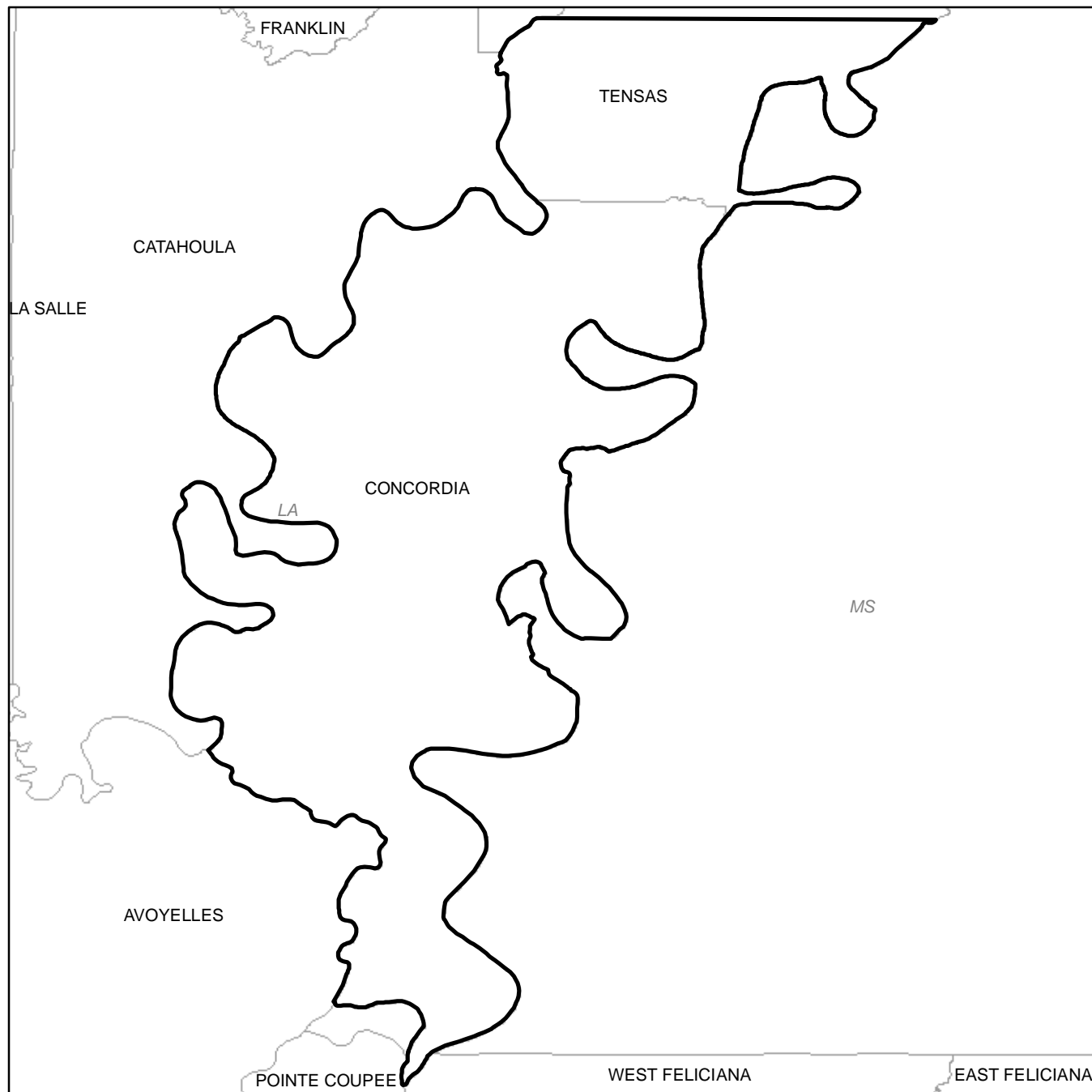
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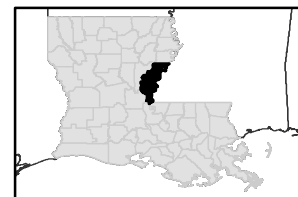
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Concordia County created by Orleans Territory from non-county area. Concordia County is the only one of the 12 original counties with a distinct boundary description because the area it encompassed was not part of any preexisting ecclesiastical parish.

930 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Concordia County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

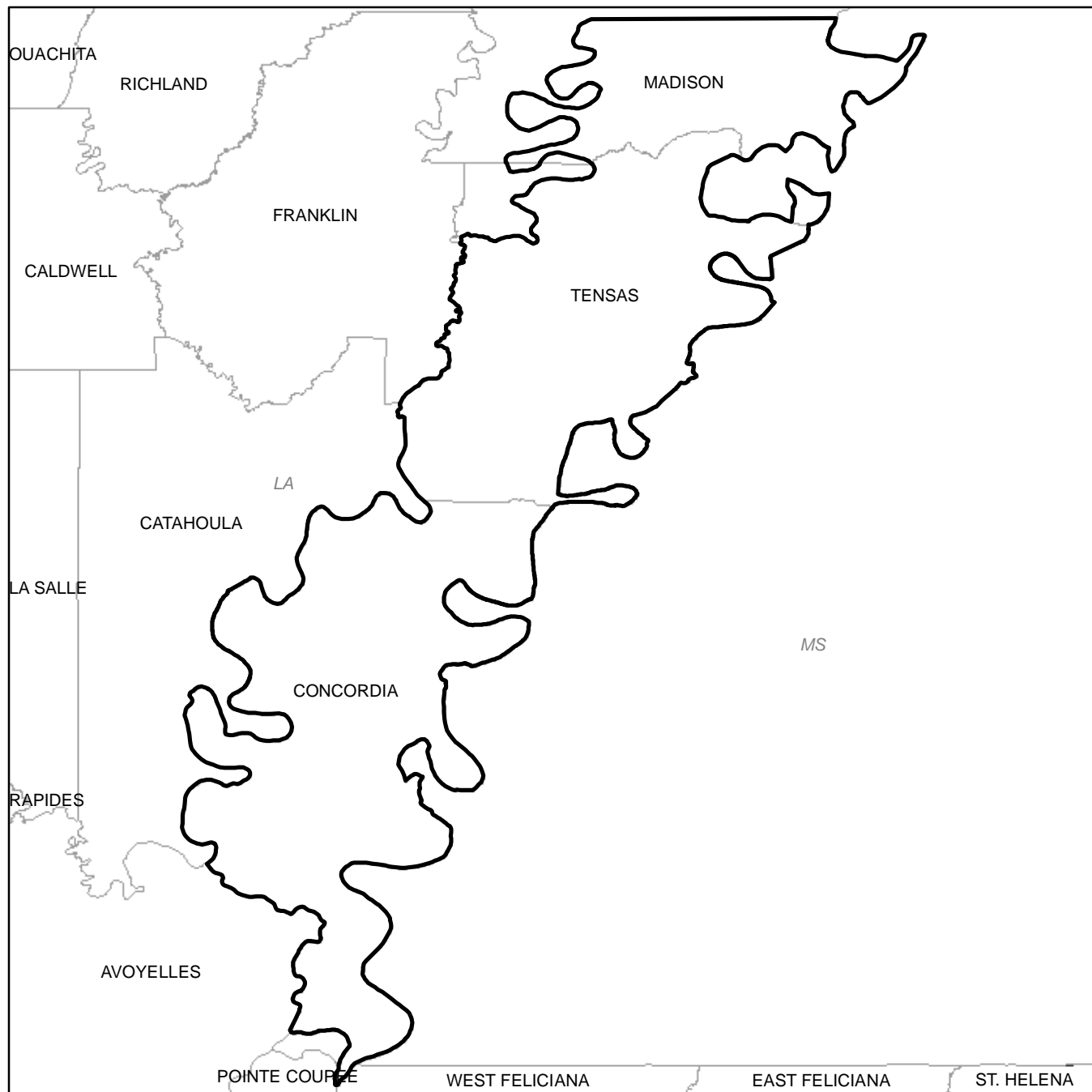
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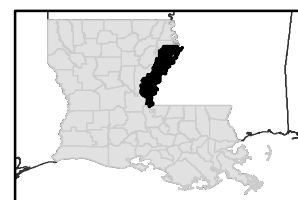
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Concordia County gained from Ouachita County.

1,634 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts. 1809, 2nd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 22/p. 54)





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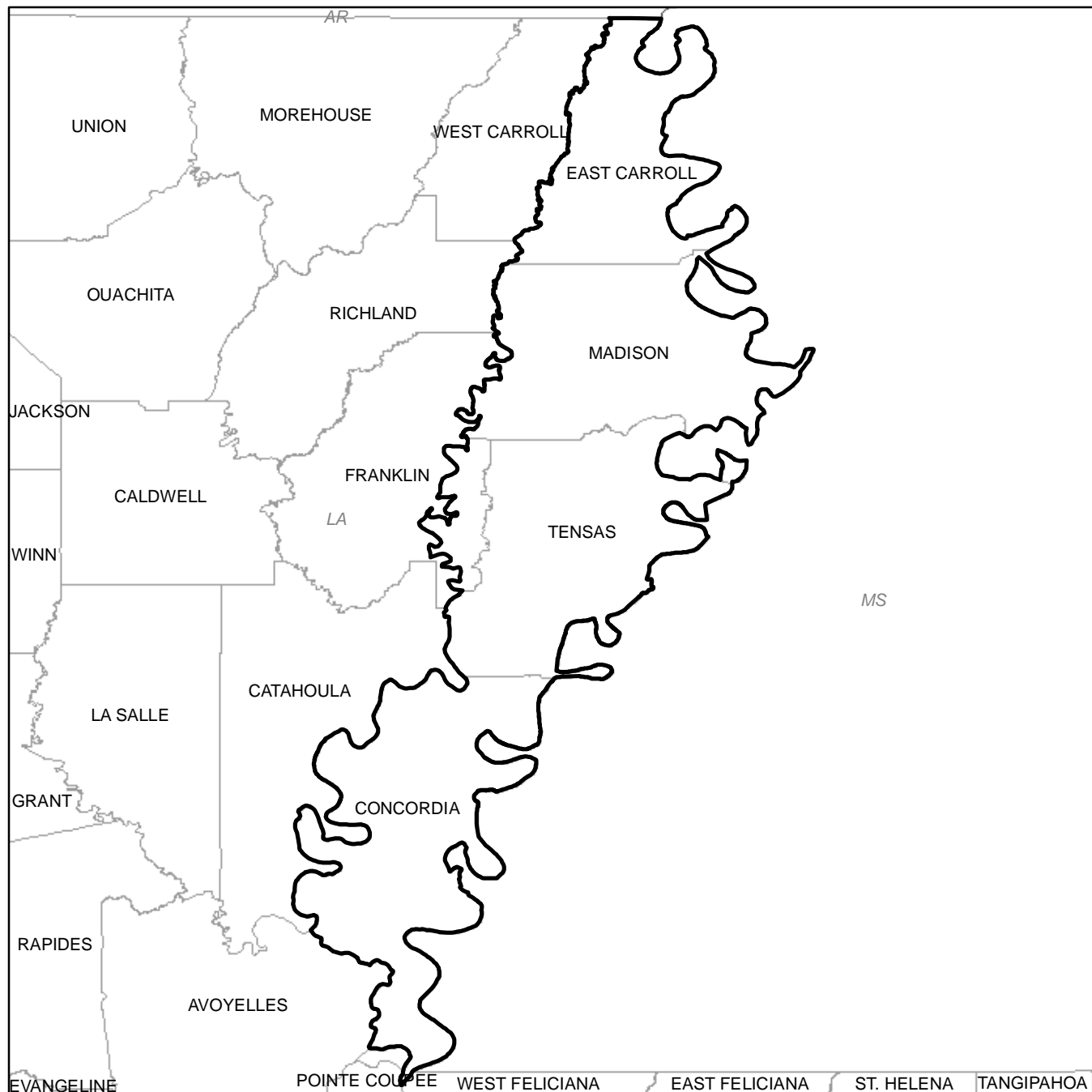
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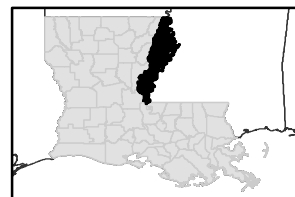
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Concordia County gained from Ouachita County.

2,569 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 10/pp. 34-40)





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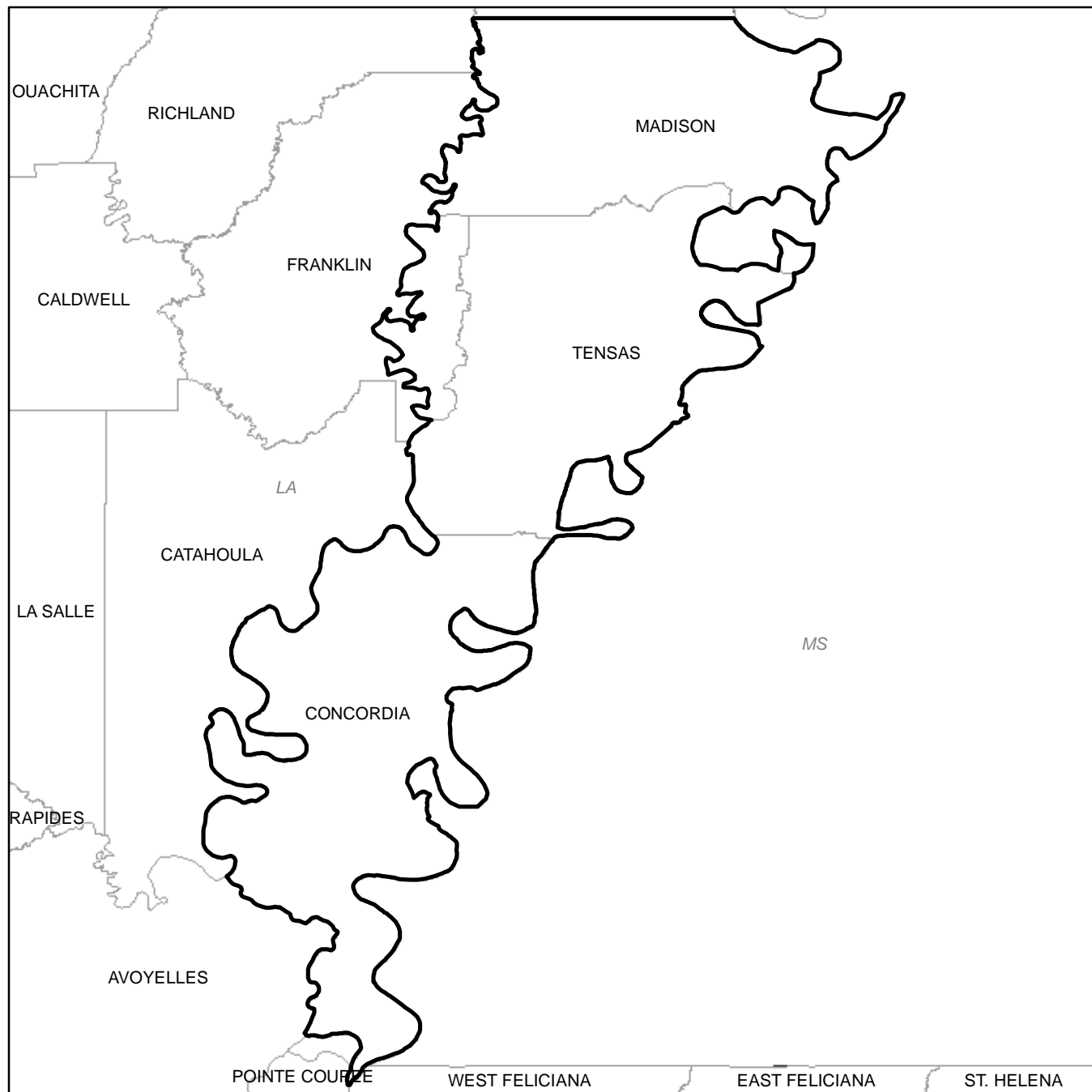
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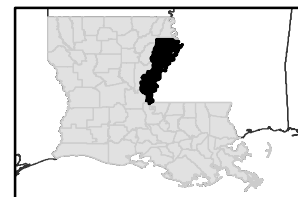
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Concordia County lost to Ouachita County when part of WARREN Parish (extinct) was annexed to Ouachita.

2,031 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1814, 1st Leg., 3rd sess., p. 32-34)





Felician County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

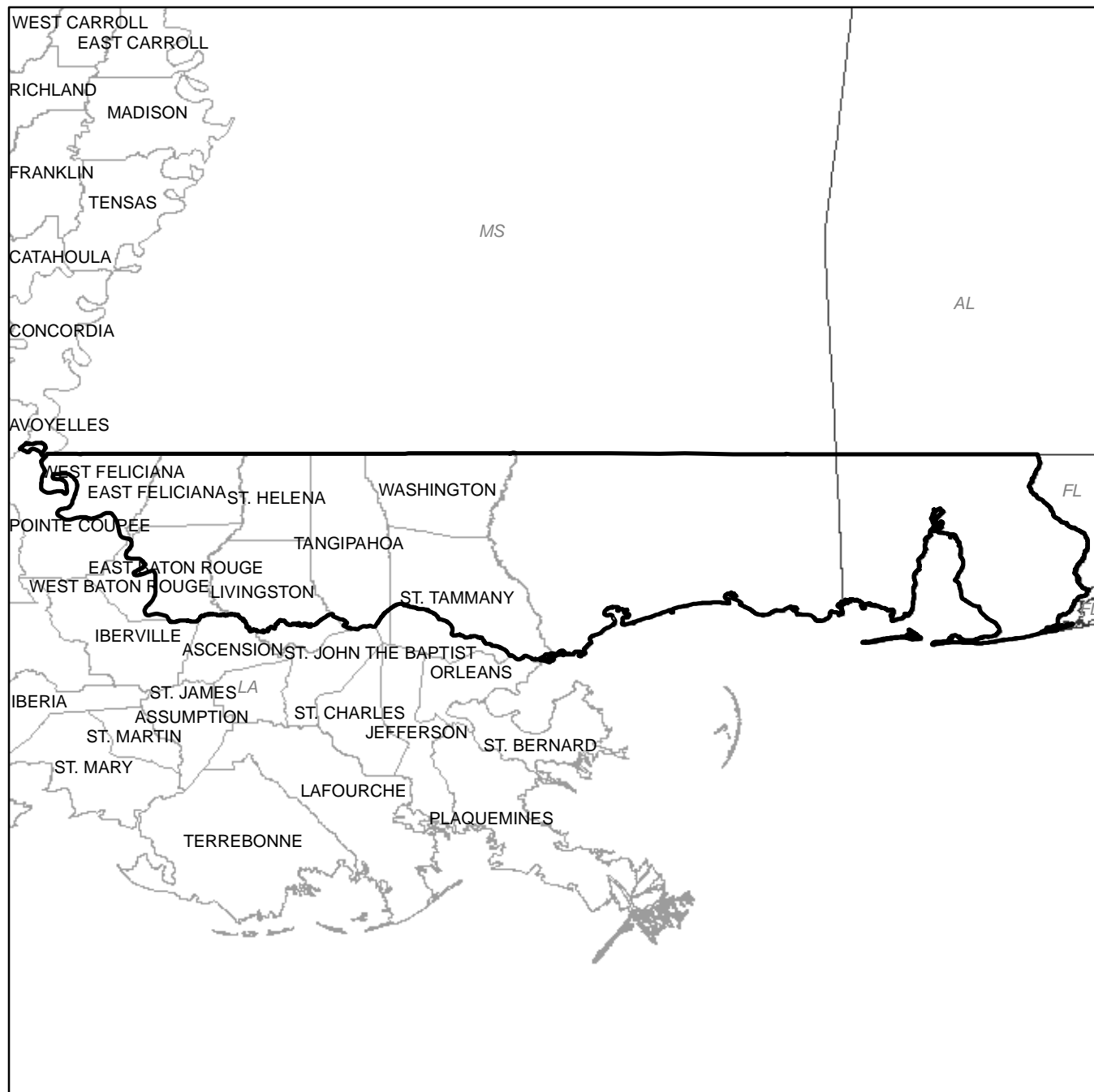
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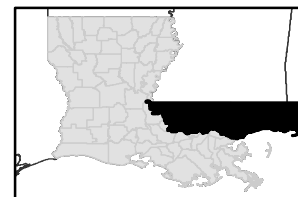
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Felician County created by proclamation of the Governor of Orleans Territory from non-county area bounded by the parallel of 31 deg N, the Perdido River, the Mississippi River, and the Gulf of Mexico.

10,717 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./p. 210; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





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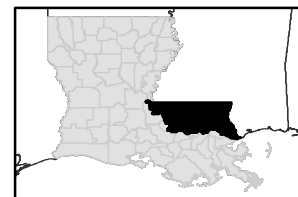
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Felician County lost to Mississippi Territory when the United States created the state of Louisiana, with modern boundaries, from Orleans Territory.

4,694 sq. mi.

(U.S. Stat., vol. 2, ch. 50[1812]/pp. 701-704; Van Zandt, 107)





German Coast County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

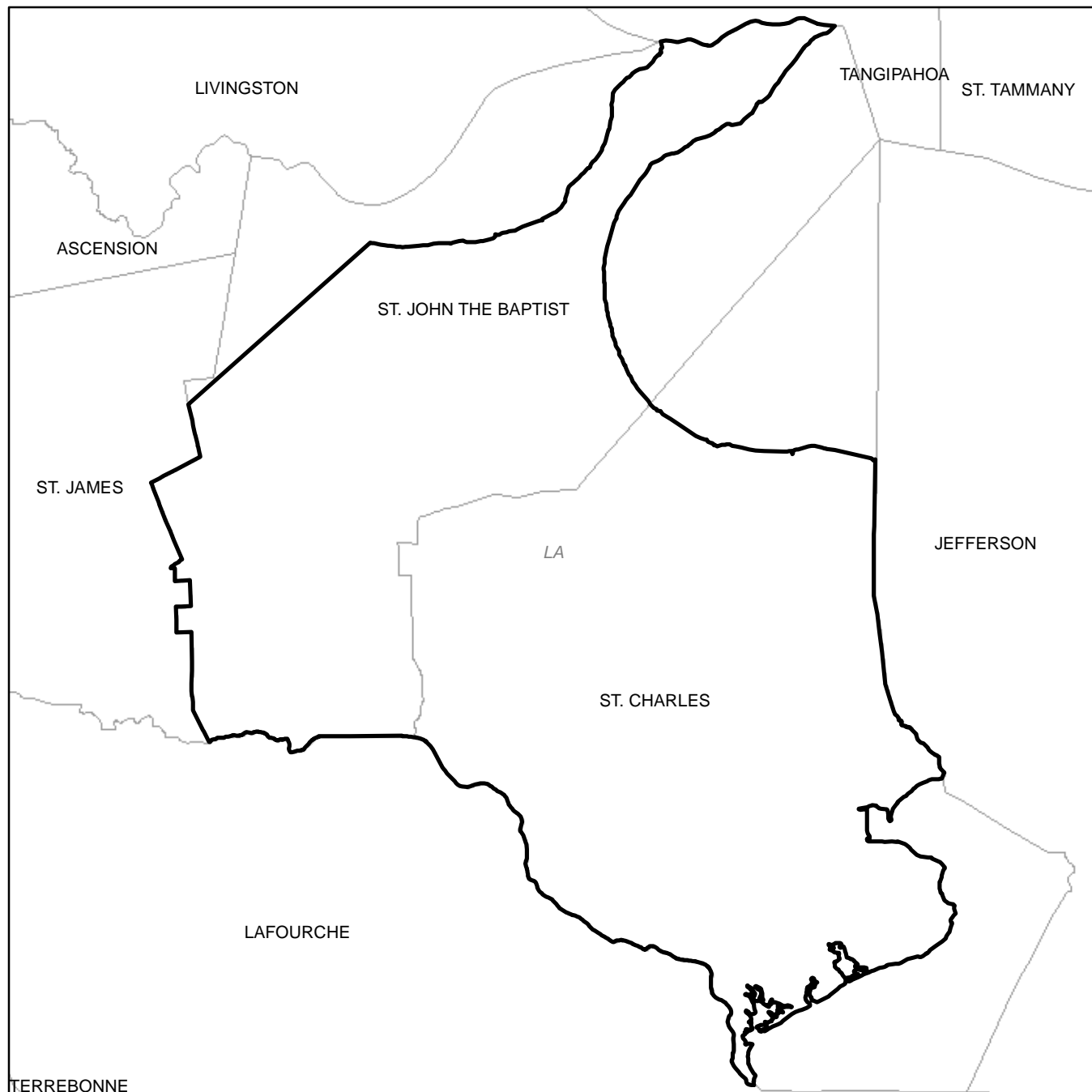
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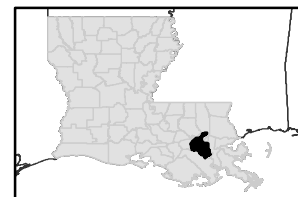
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German Coast County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend the [ecclesiastical] parishes of St. Charles and St. John the Baptist, commonly called the first and second German Coasts."

523 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Iberville County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

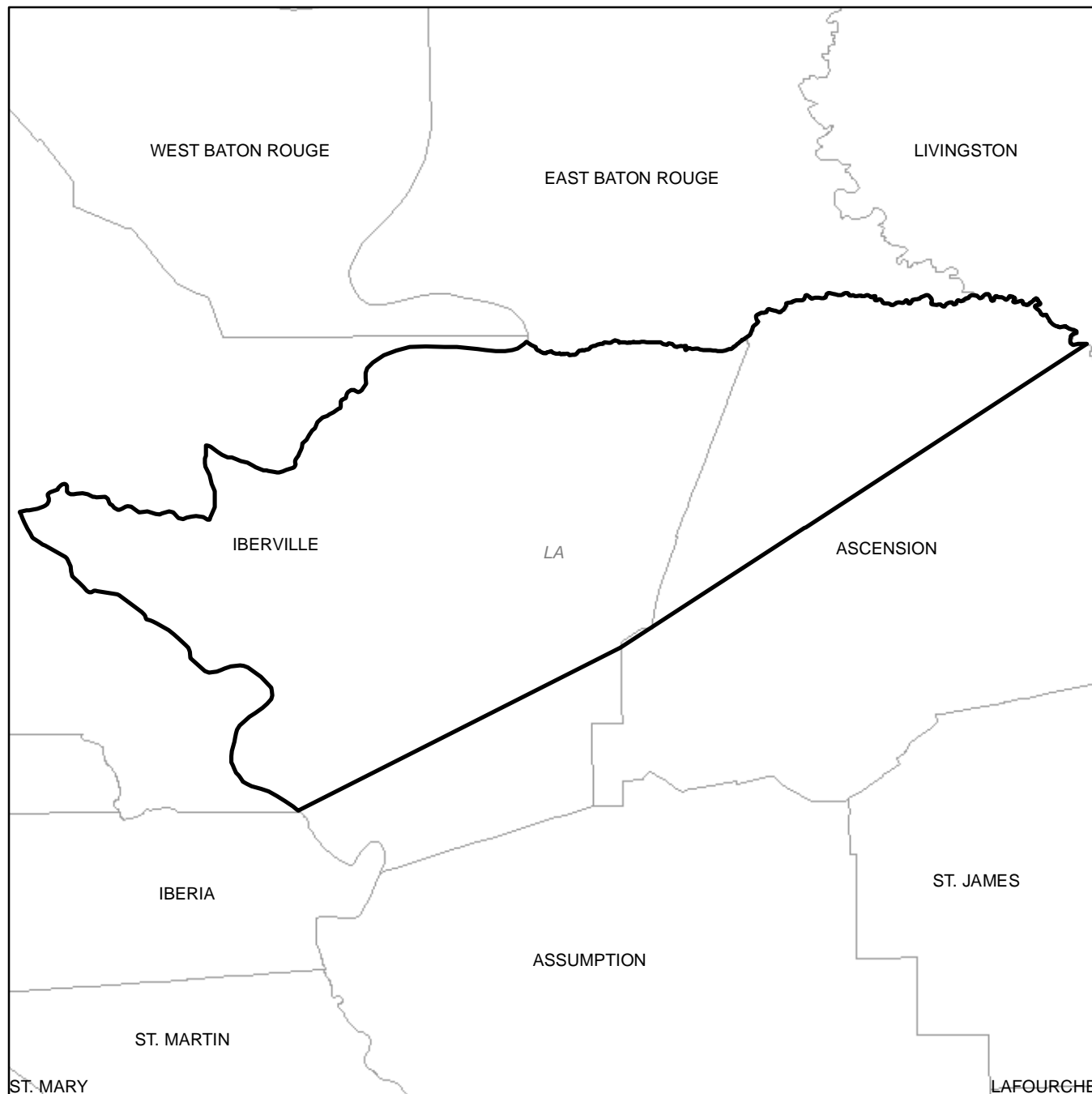
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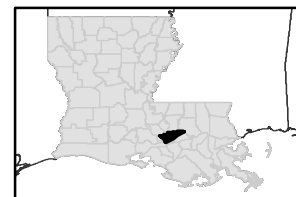
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Iberville County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend the [ecclesiastical] parish of St. Gabriel and such part of St. Bernard as lies within the Territory of Orleans."

310 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Lafourche County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

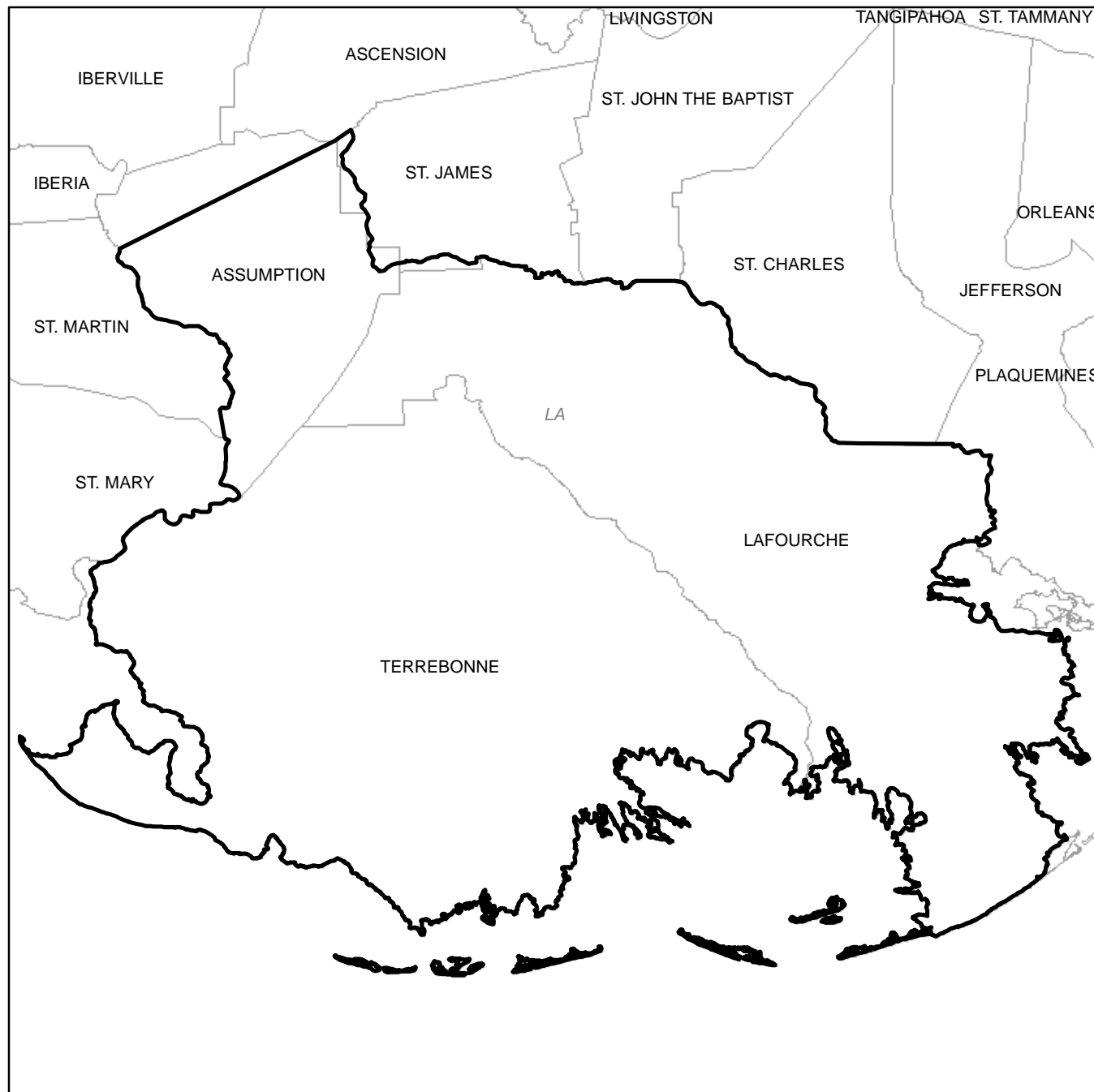
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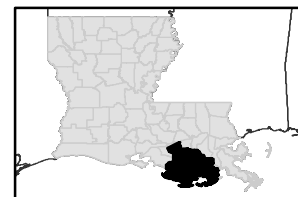
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Lafourche County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend the [ecclesiastical] parish of Assumption."

2,976 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Natchitoches County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

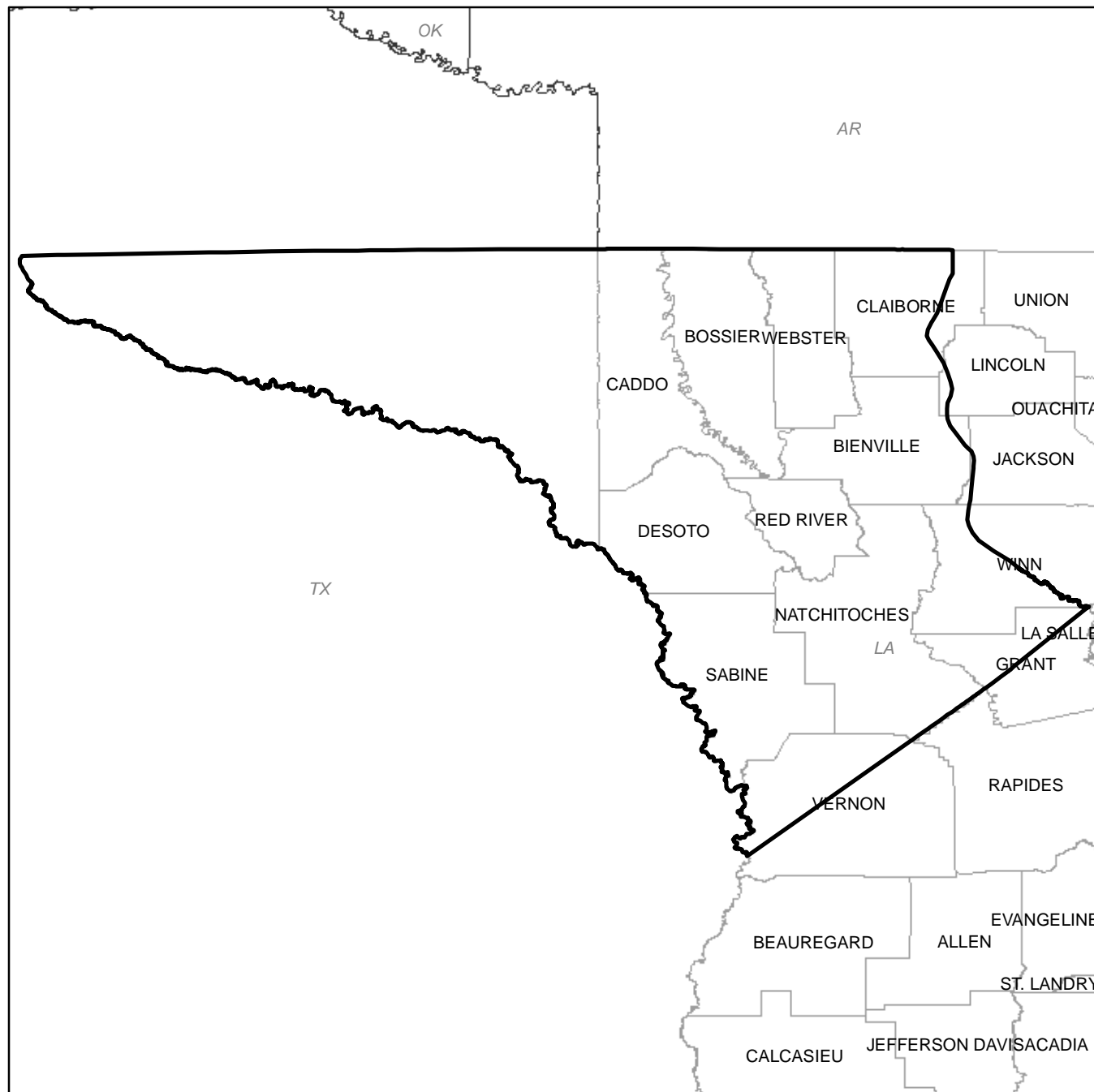
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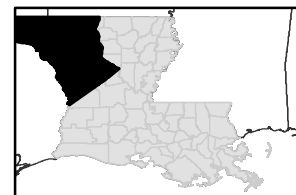
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Natchitoches County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend the [ecclesiastical] parish of St. Francis."

12,752 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Natchitoches County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

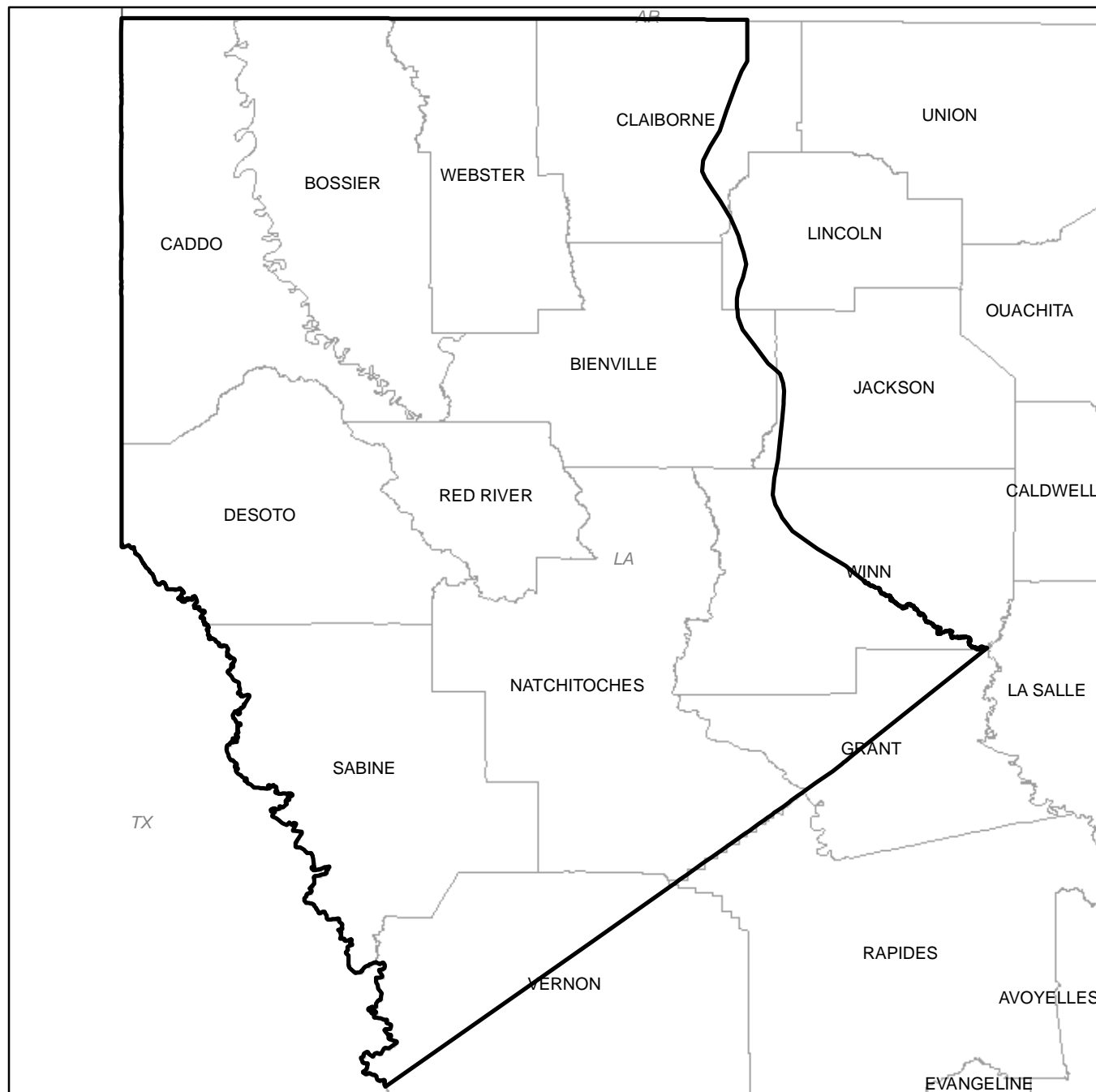
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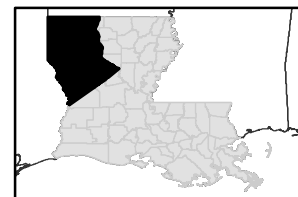
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Natchitoches County lost to Spain when the United States created the state of Louisiana, with modern boundaries, from Orleans Territory.

8,742 sq. mi.

(U.S. Stat., vol. 2, ch. 50[1812]/pp. 701-704; Van Zandt, 107)





Opelousas County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

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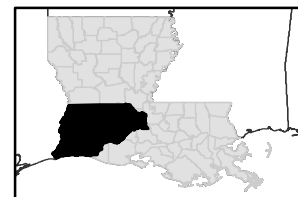
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Opelousas County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend the [ecclesiastical] parish of St. Landry."

7,461 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Orleans County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

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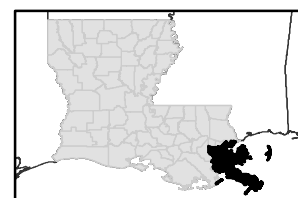
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Orleans County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend all that portion of the country lying on both sides of the river Mississippi from the Balize to the beginning of the [ecclesiastical] parishes of St. Bernard & St. Louis."

2,079 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Ouachita County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

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4/10/1805 - 3/17/1809

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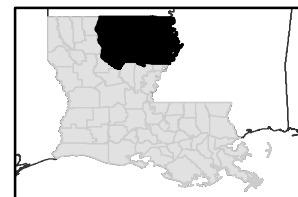
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Ouachita County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend all that country commonly called and known by the name of Ouachita settlements."

7,602 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Ouachita County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

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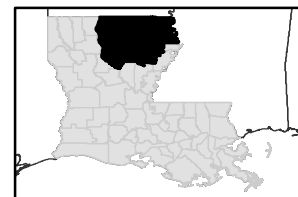
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Ouachita County lost to Concordia County.

6,898 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts. 1809, 2nd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 22/p. 54)





Ouachita County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

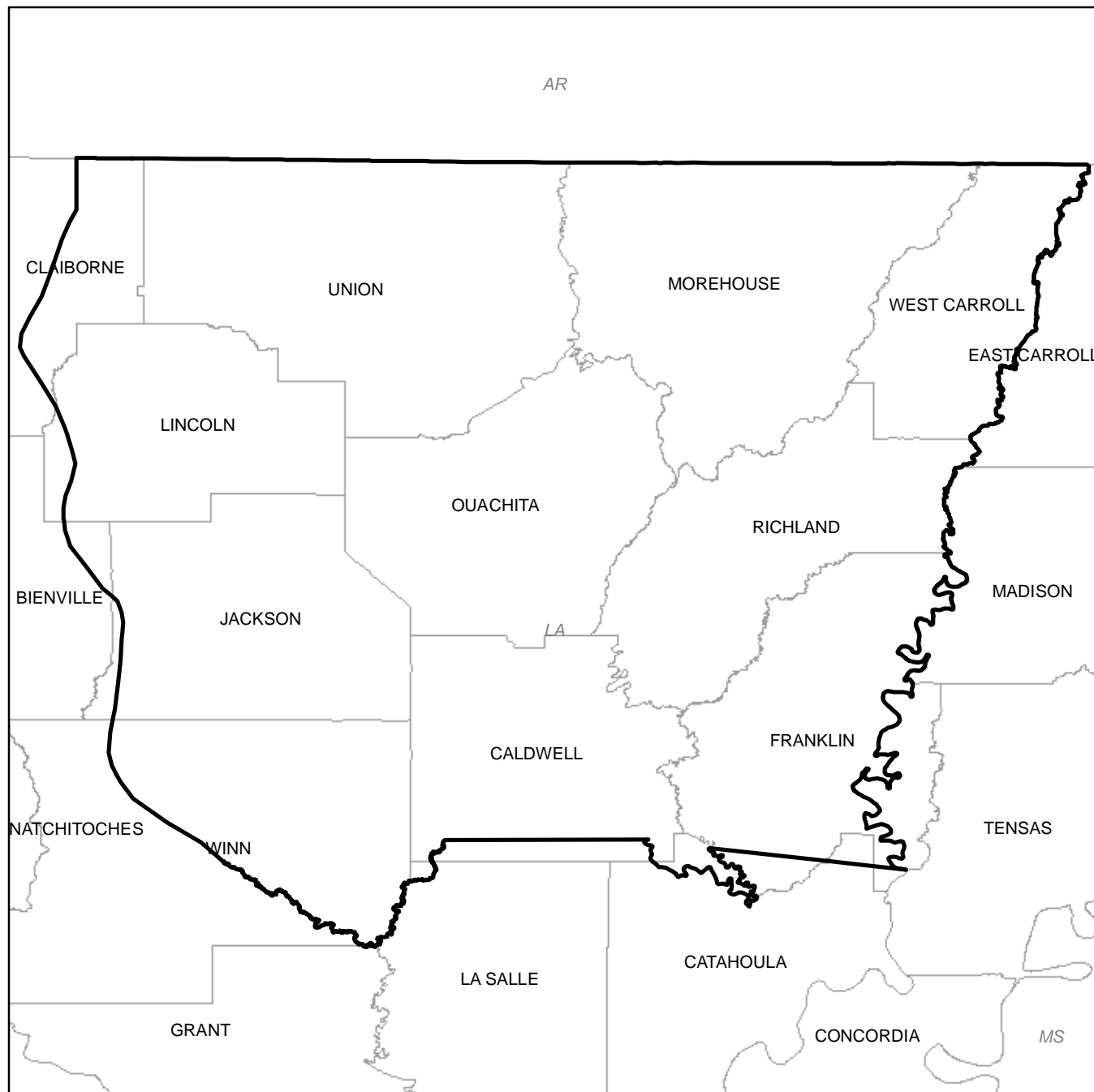
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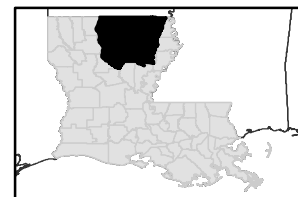
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Ouachita County lost to Concordia County.

5,963 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 10/pp. 34-40)





Ouachita County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

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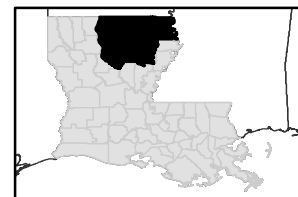
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Ouachita County gained from Concordia County when part of WARREN Parish (extinct) was annexed to Ouachita.

6,501 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1814, 1st Leg., 3rd sess., p. 32-34)





Pointe Coupee County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

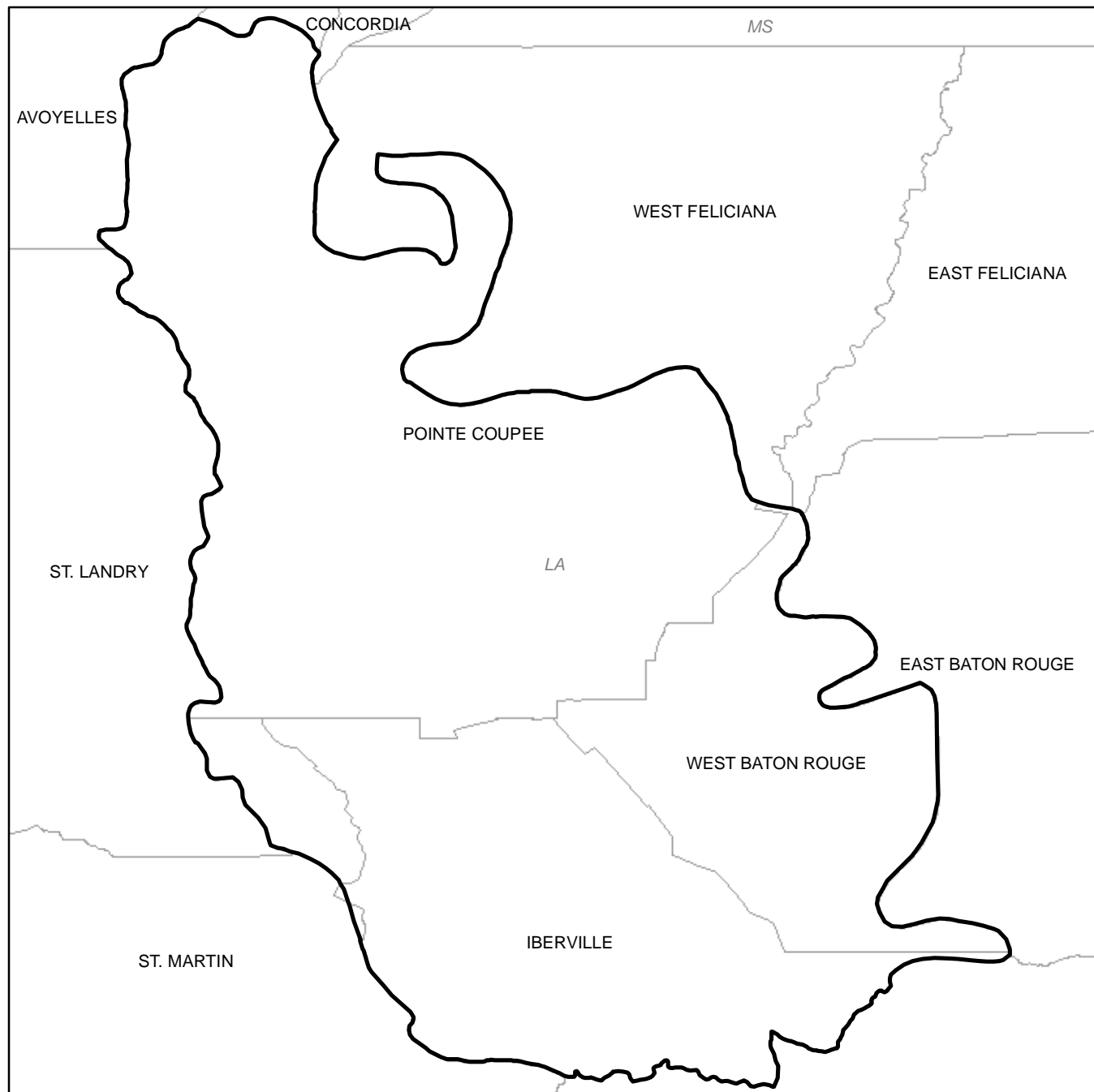
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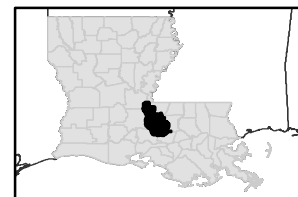
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Pointe Coupee County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend the [ecclesiastical] parish of Saint Francis."

1,131 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Rapides County (Orleans Terr., extinct)

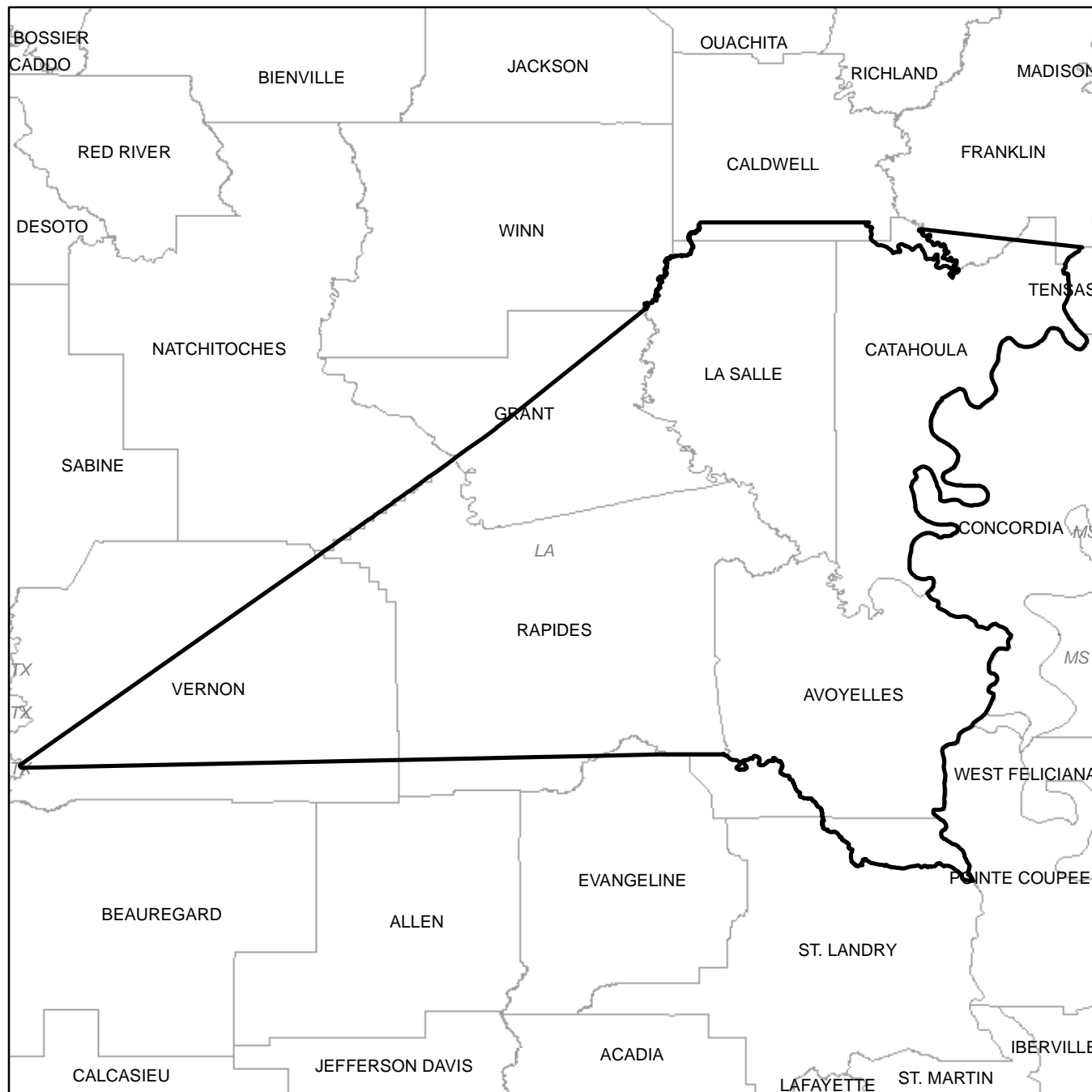
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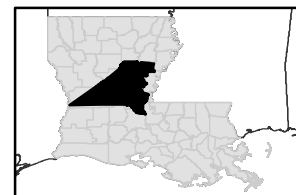
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Rapides County created by Orleans Territory to "comprehend the settlements of Rapides, Avozelles, Catahoula, Bayou Boeuf, Bayou Robert, and all other settlements which are now or may be in the vicinity thereof."

4,634 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1804, 1st Leg., 1st sess., ch. 25/p. 144-152; Calhoun, 72-80; Goins and Caldwell, 41)





Spanish West Florida

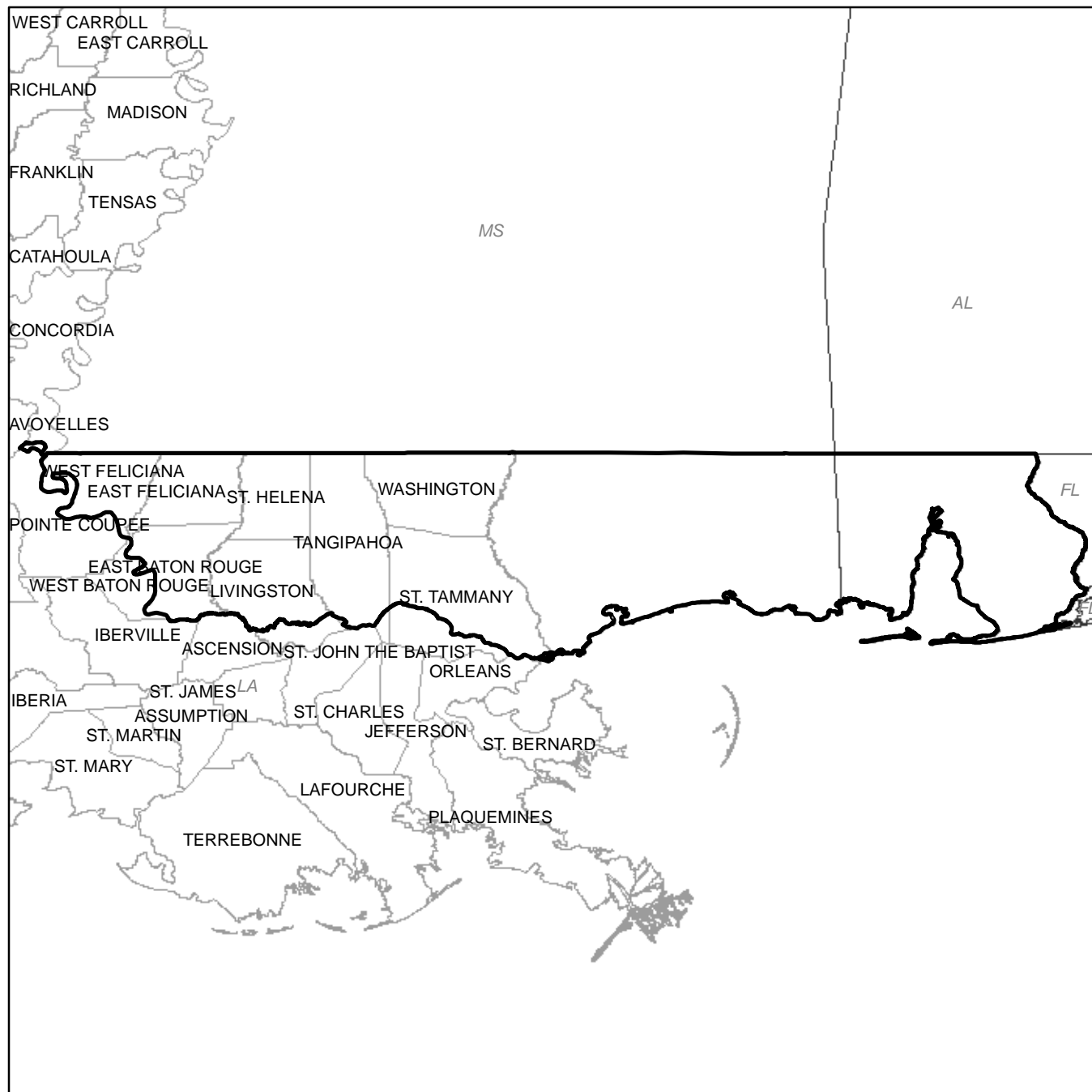
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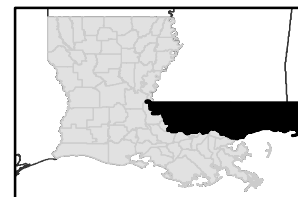
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The portion of present Louisiana east of the Mississippi River was claimed by the United States as part of the Louisiana Purchase, but was under the actual control of Spain.

10,717 sq. mi.

(Parry, 48:481, 487, 491-492; Van Zandt, 12)





ACADIA

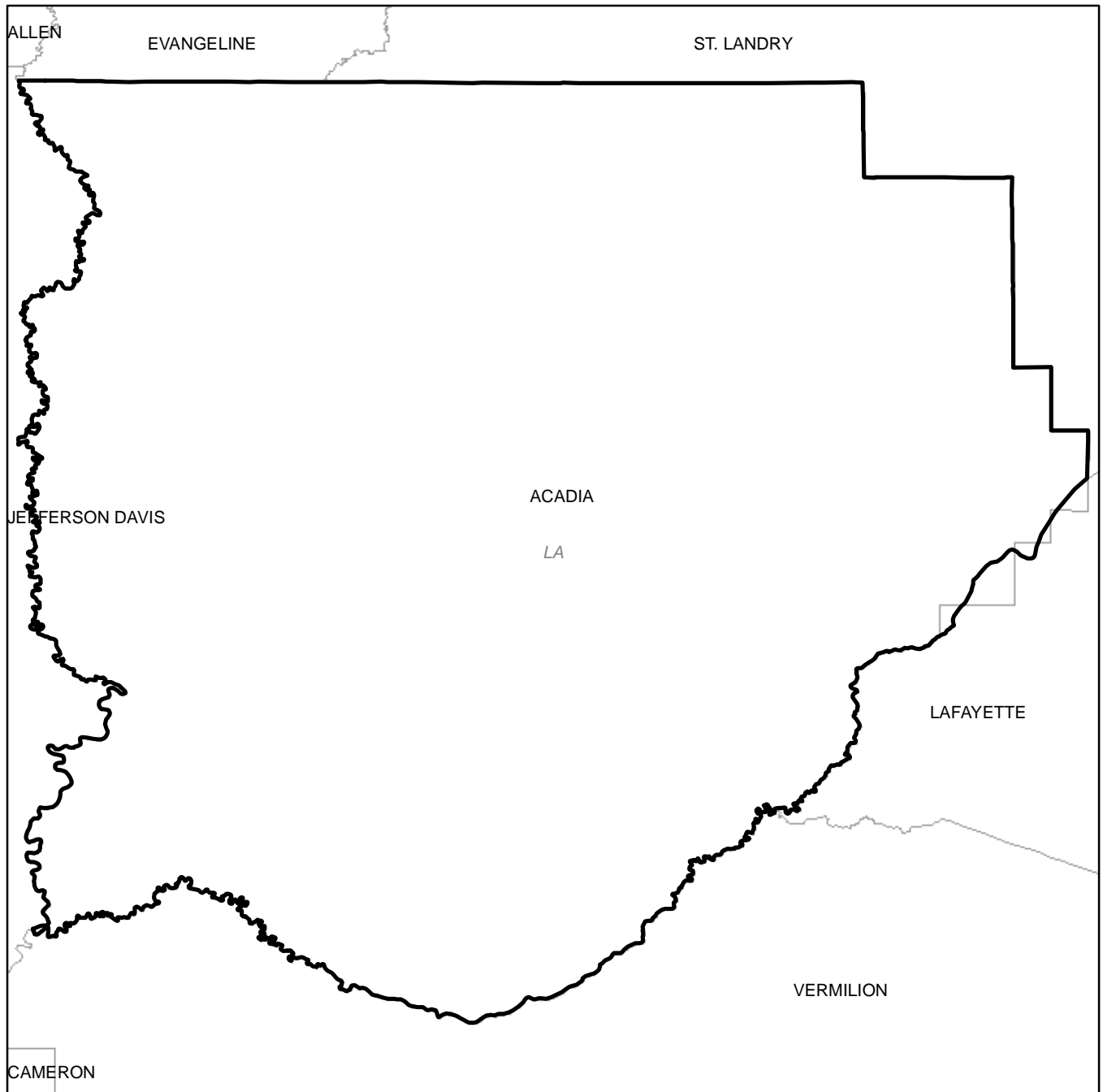
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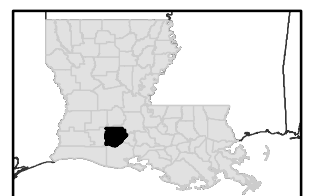
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ACADIA created from ST. LANDRY.

656 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1886, Reg. Sess., pp. 48-52)





ACADIA

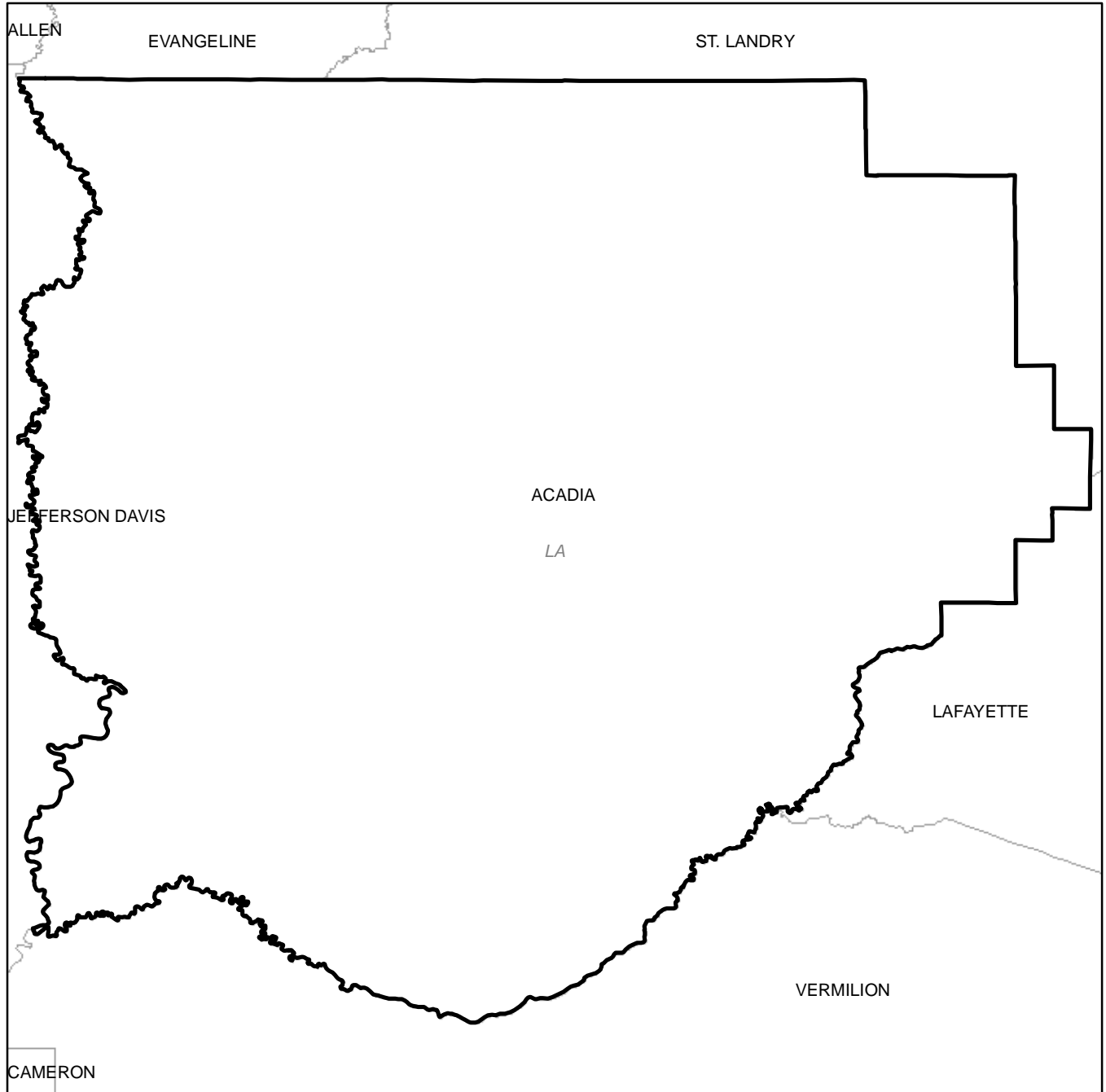
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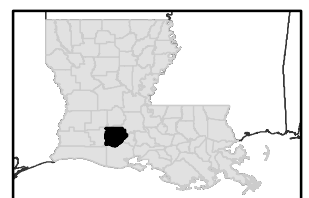
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ACADIA exchanged with LAFAYETTE.

658 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1898, Reg. Sess., pp. 294-295)





ALLEN

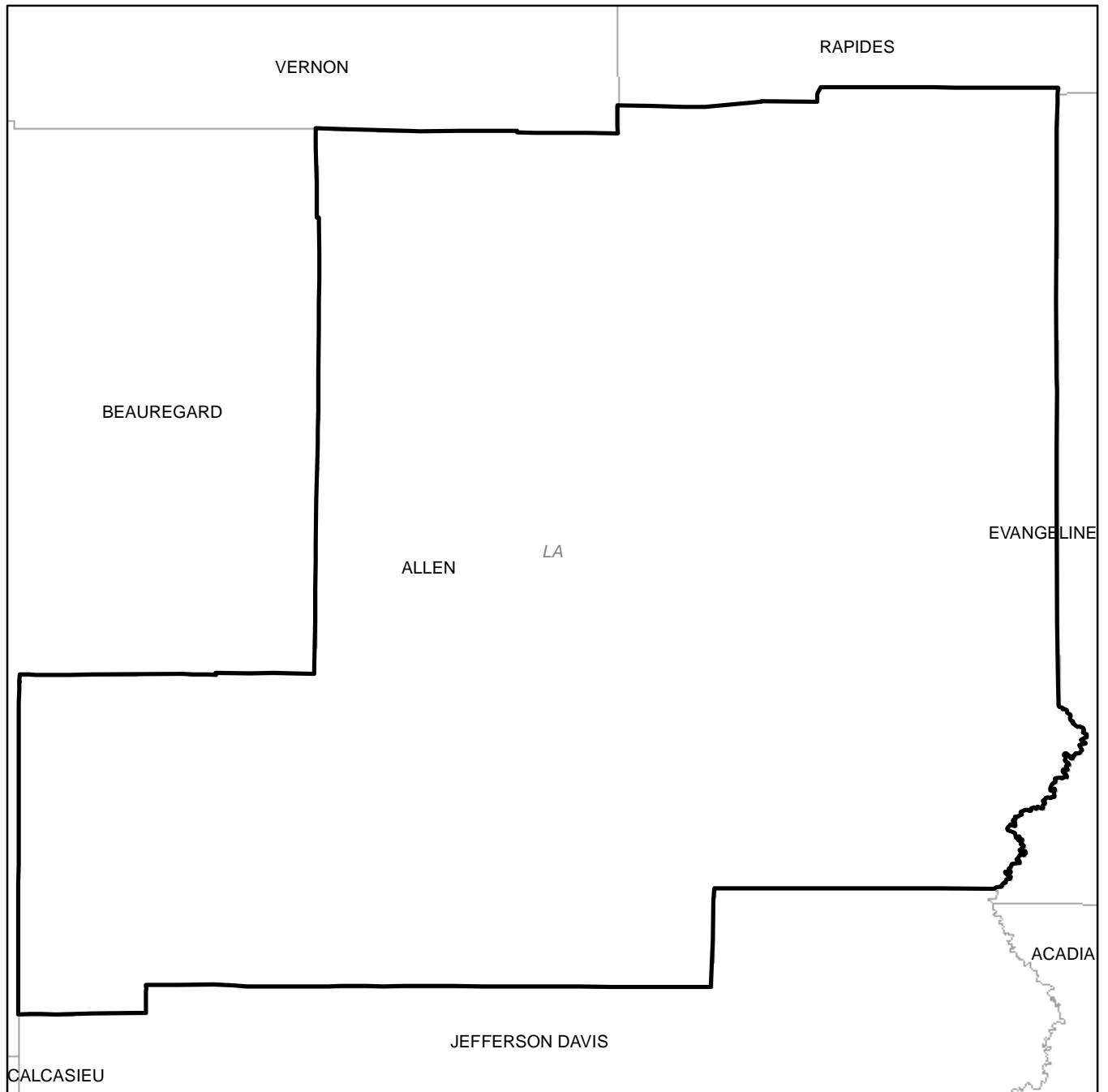
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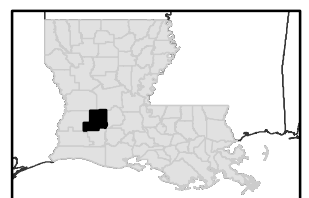
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ALLEN created from CALCASIEU.

766 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1912, Reg. Sess., pp. 8-10)





ASCENSION

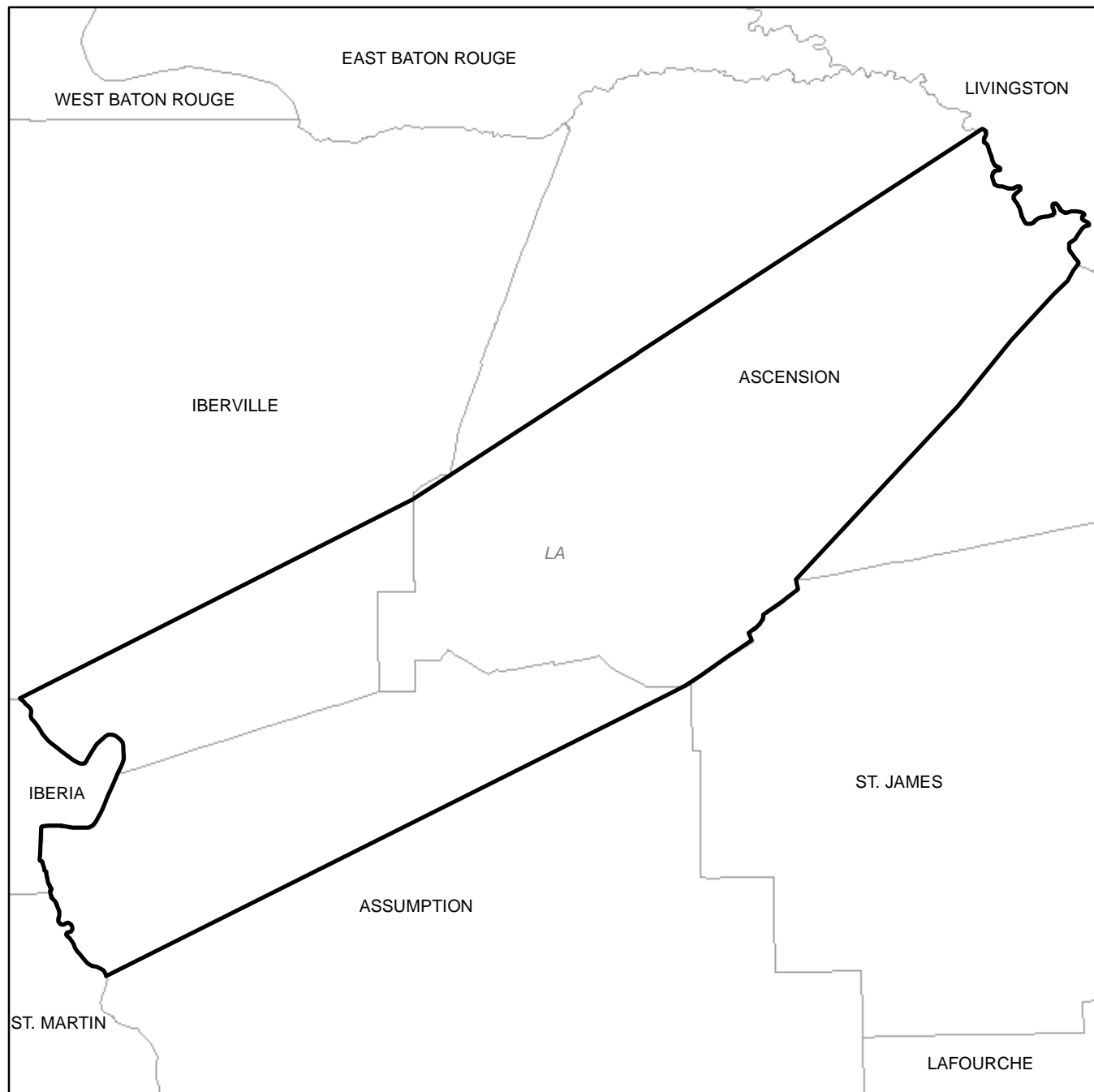
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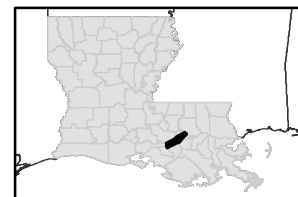
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ASCENSION Parish created within Acadia County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

265 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





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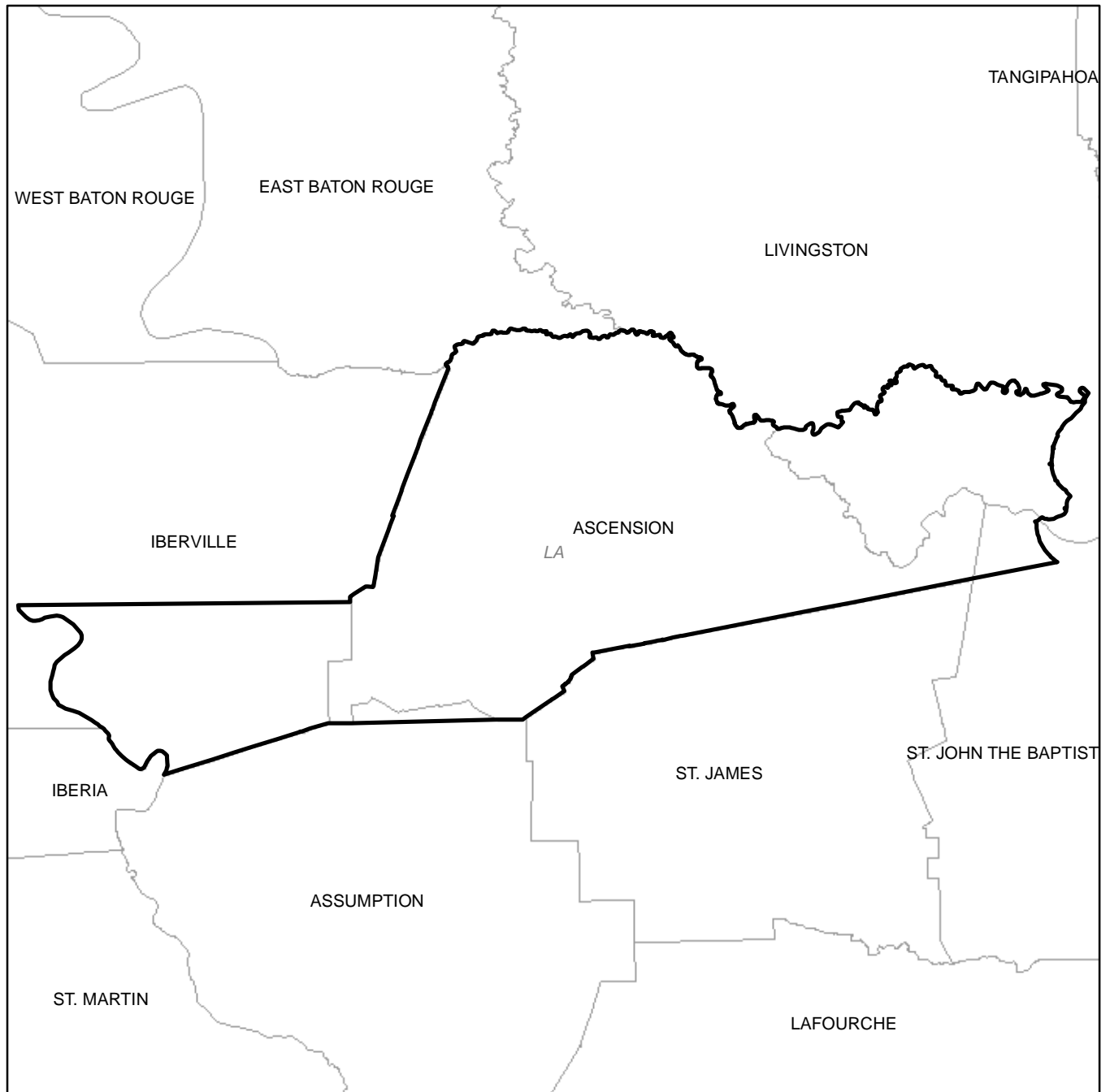
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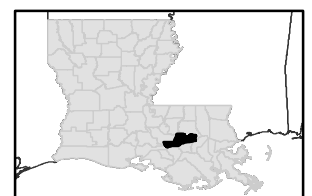
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ASCENSION gained from IBERVILLE and ST. JAMES; lost to ASSUMPTION.

471 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 1st sess., p. 7)





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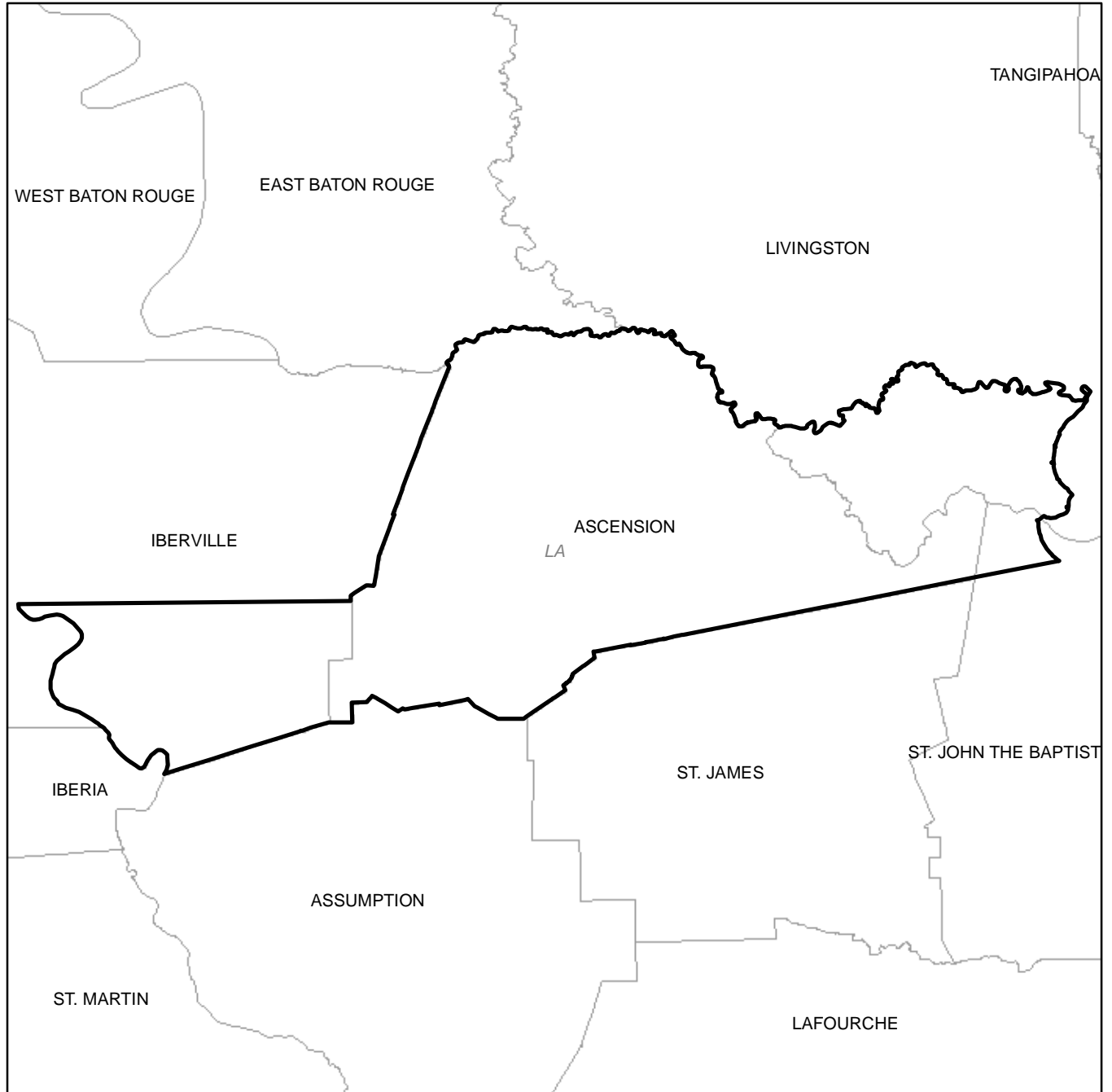
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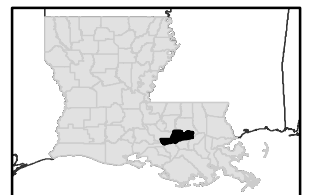
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ASCENSION lost to ASSUMPTION.

466 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 514)





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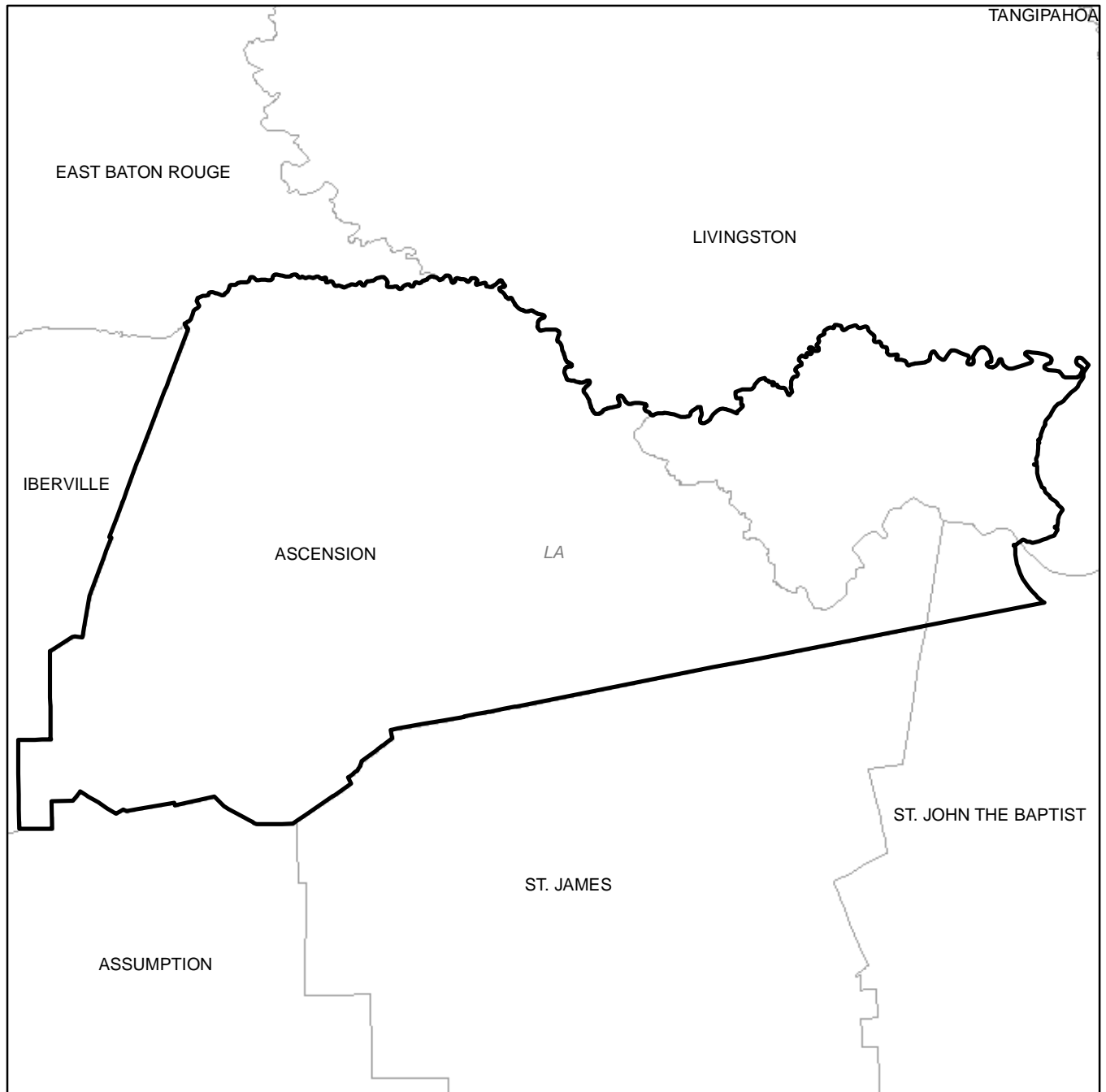
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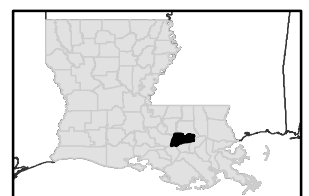
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[by 1850] ASCENSION lost to IBERVILLE.

382 sq. mi.

(Thorndale & Dollarhide, p. 137)





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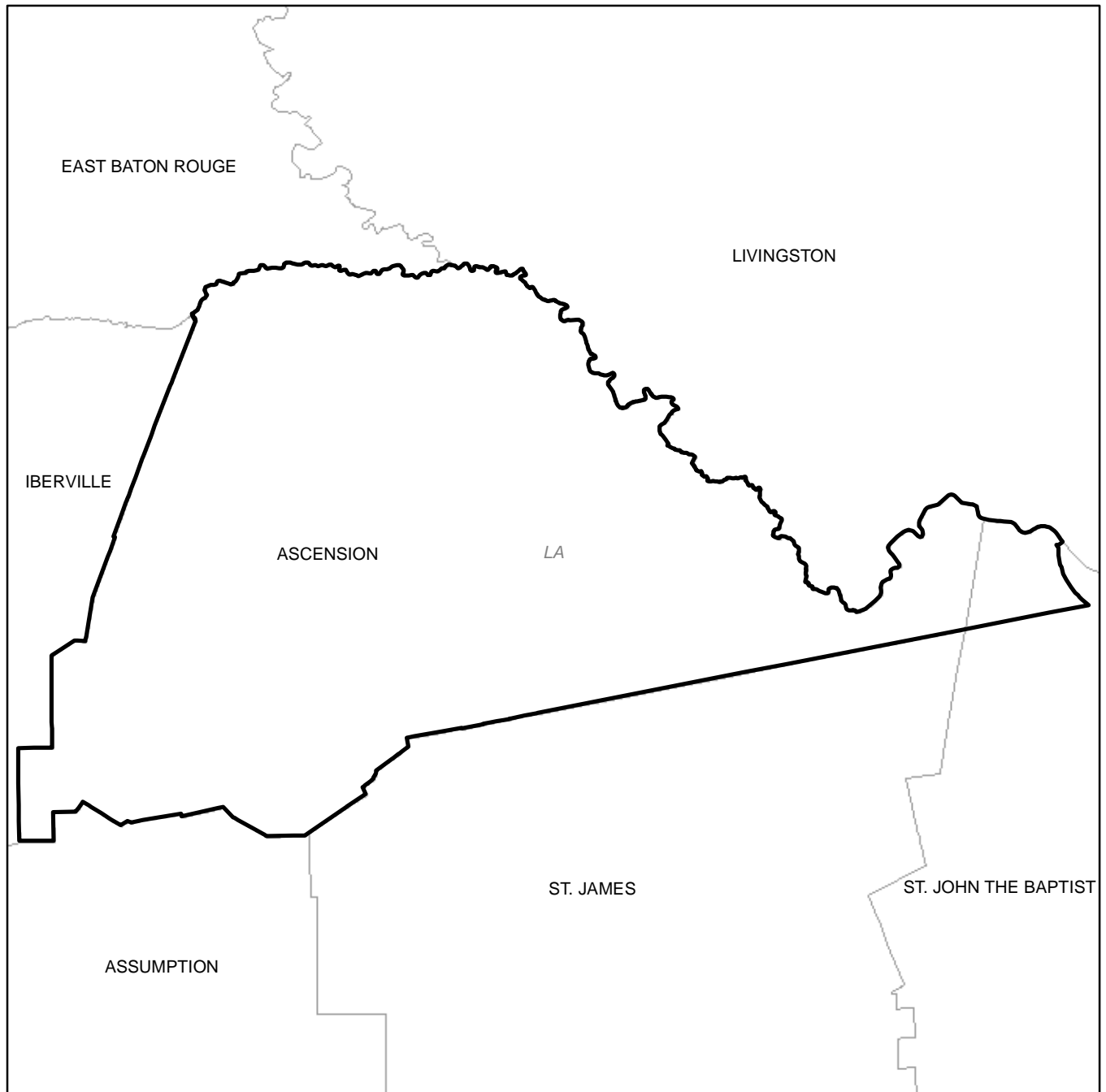
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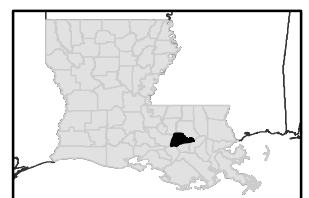
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ASCENSION lost to LIVINGSTON.

312 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1850, 3rd Leg., p. 67)





ASCENSION

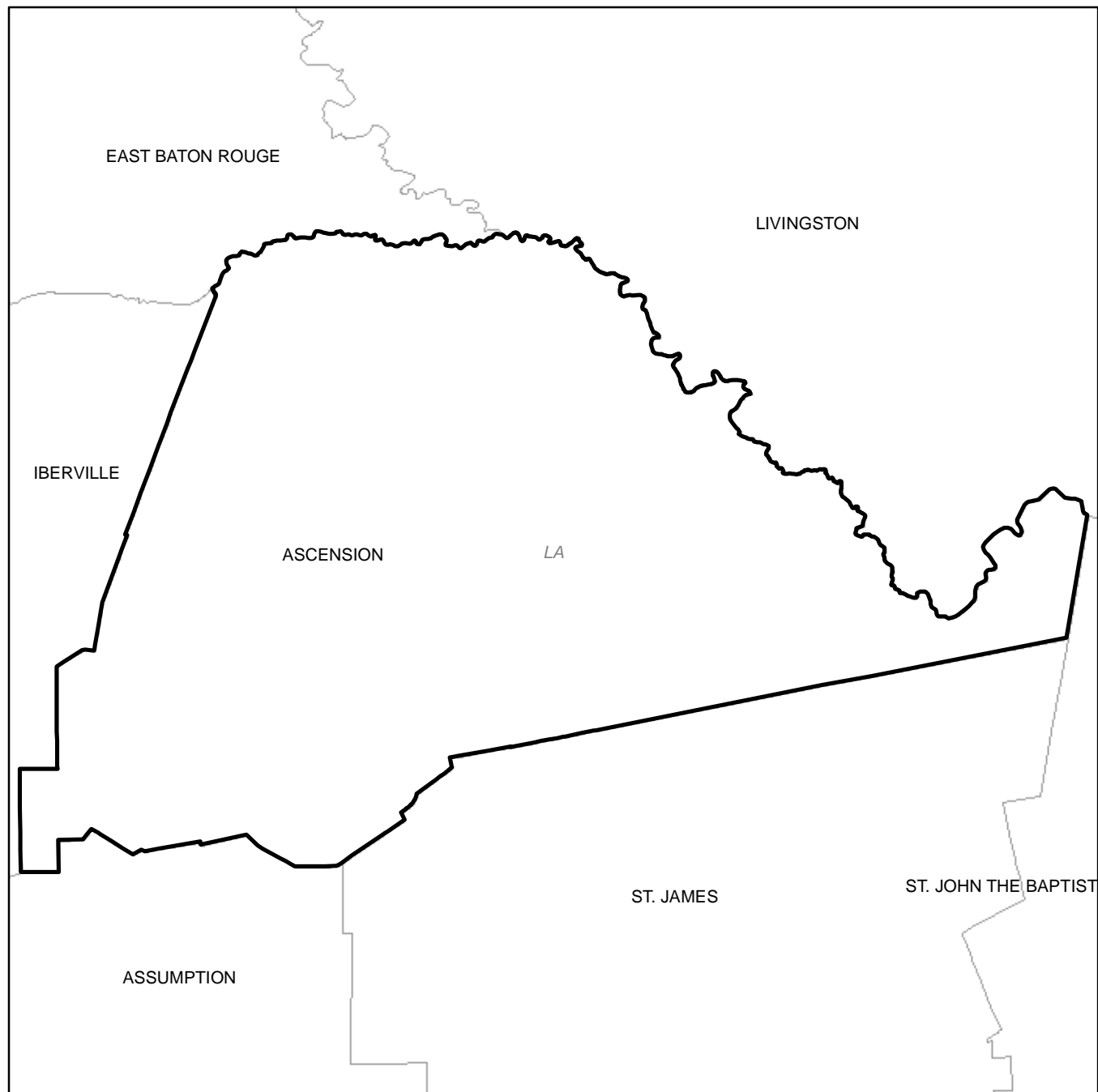
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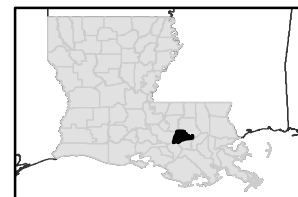
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[by 1961-1962] ASCENSION lost to ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST.

303 sq. mi.

(U.S.G.S. 7.5 Minute Series [topographic], 1962, 1998, 2005)





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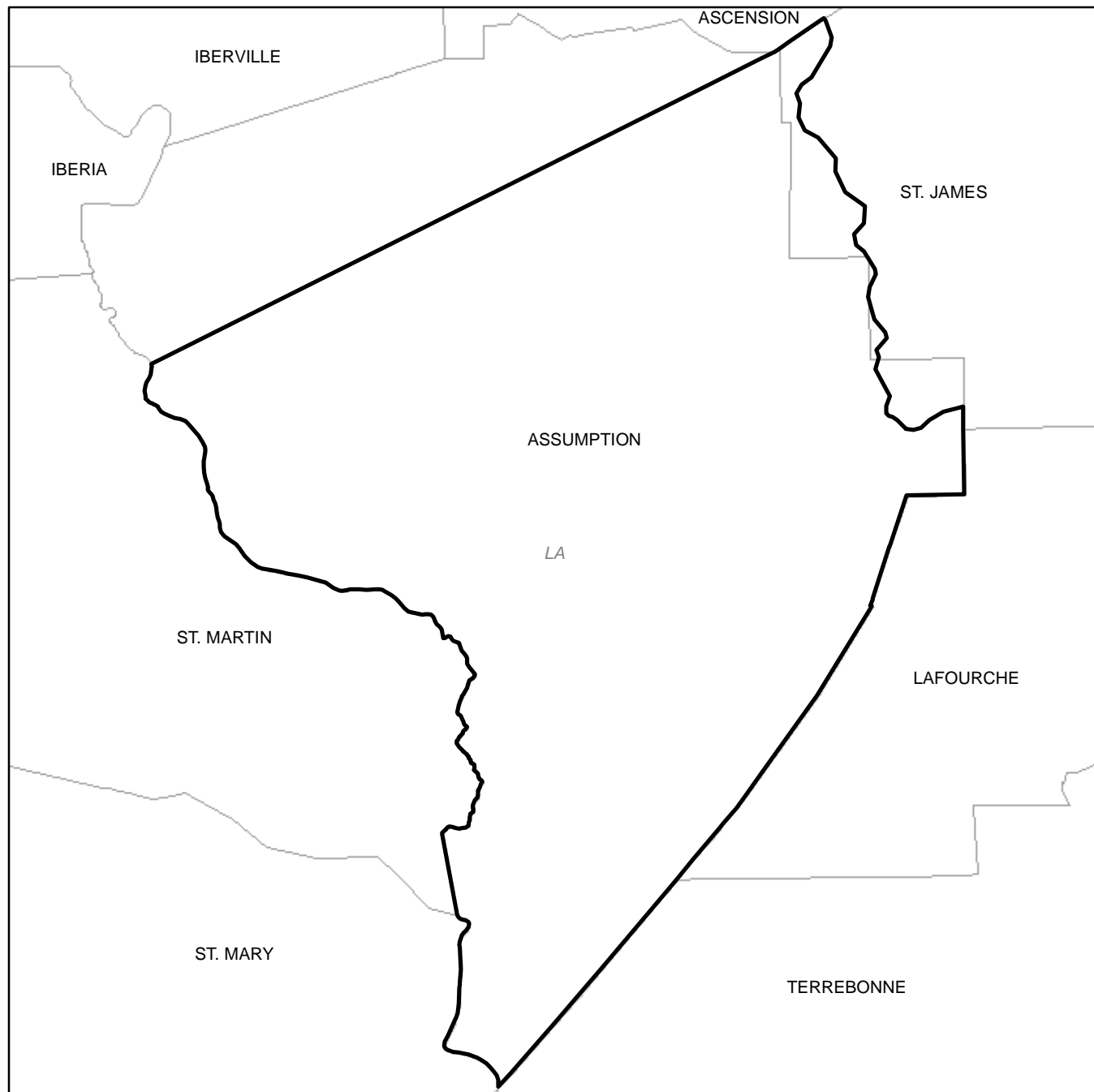
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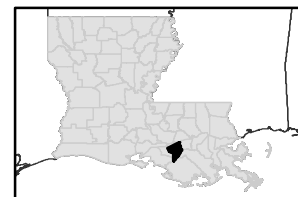
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ASSUMPTION created within Lafourche County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

298 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





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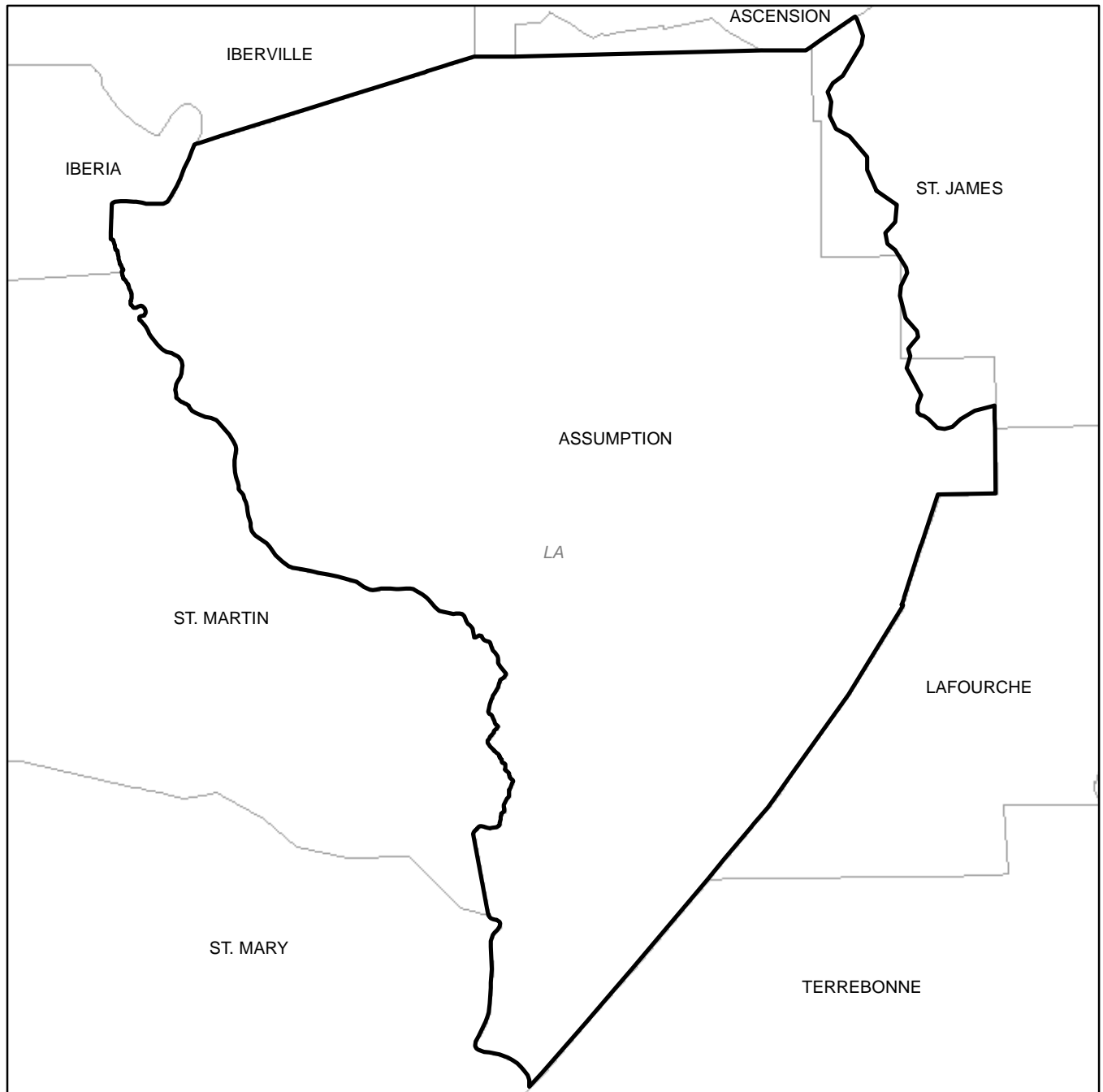
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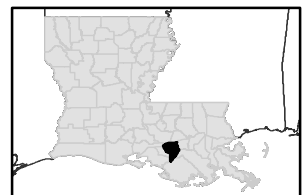
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364 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 1st sess., p. 7)





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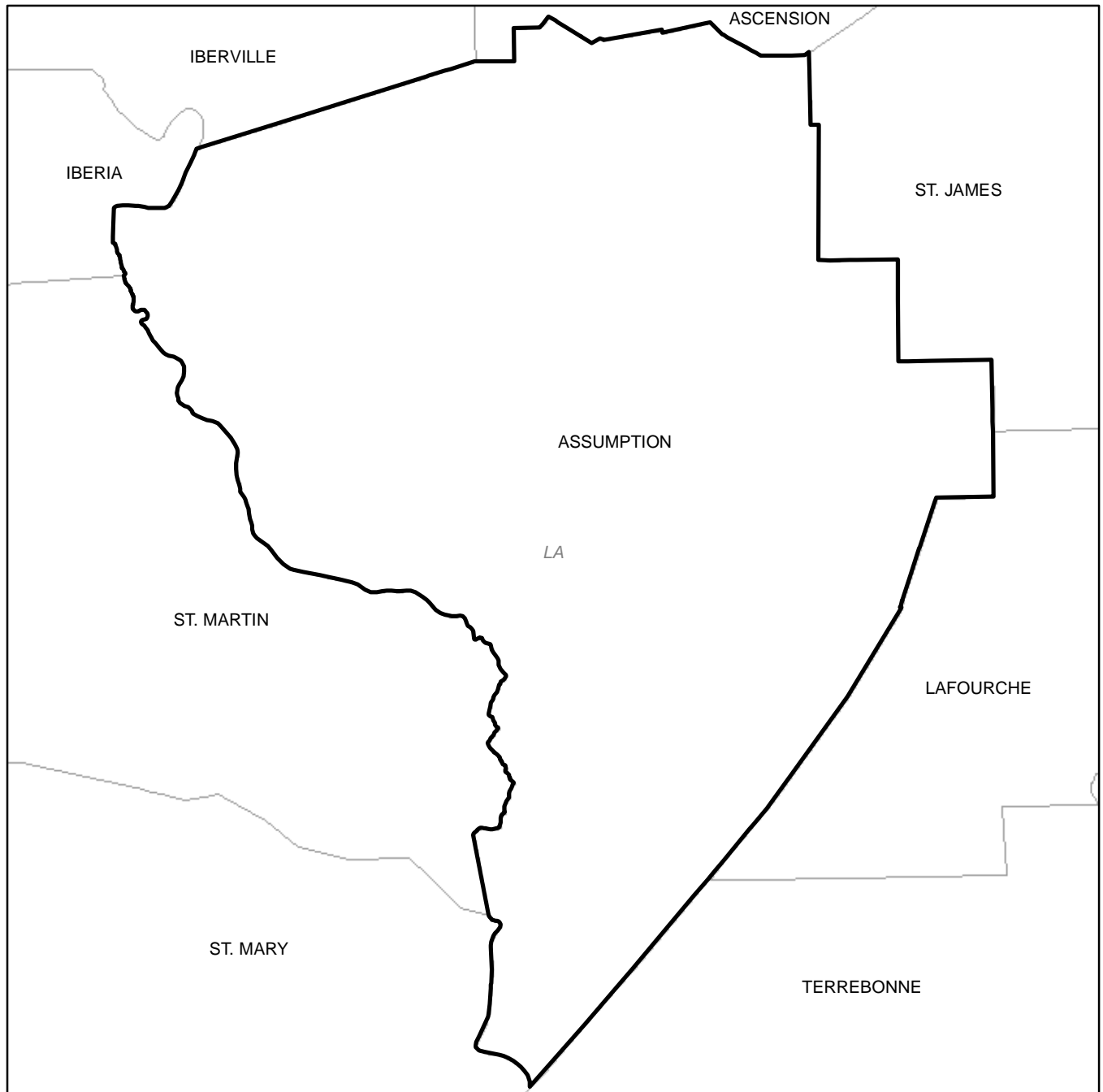
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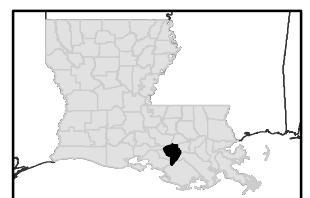
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365 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 514)





AVOYELLES

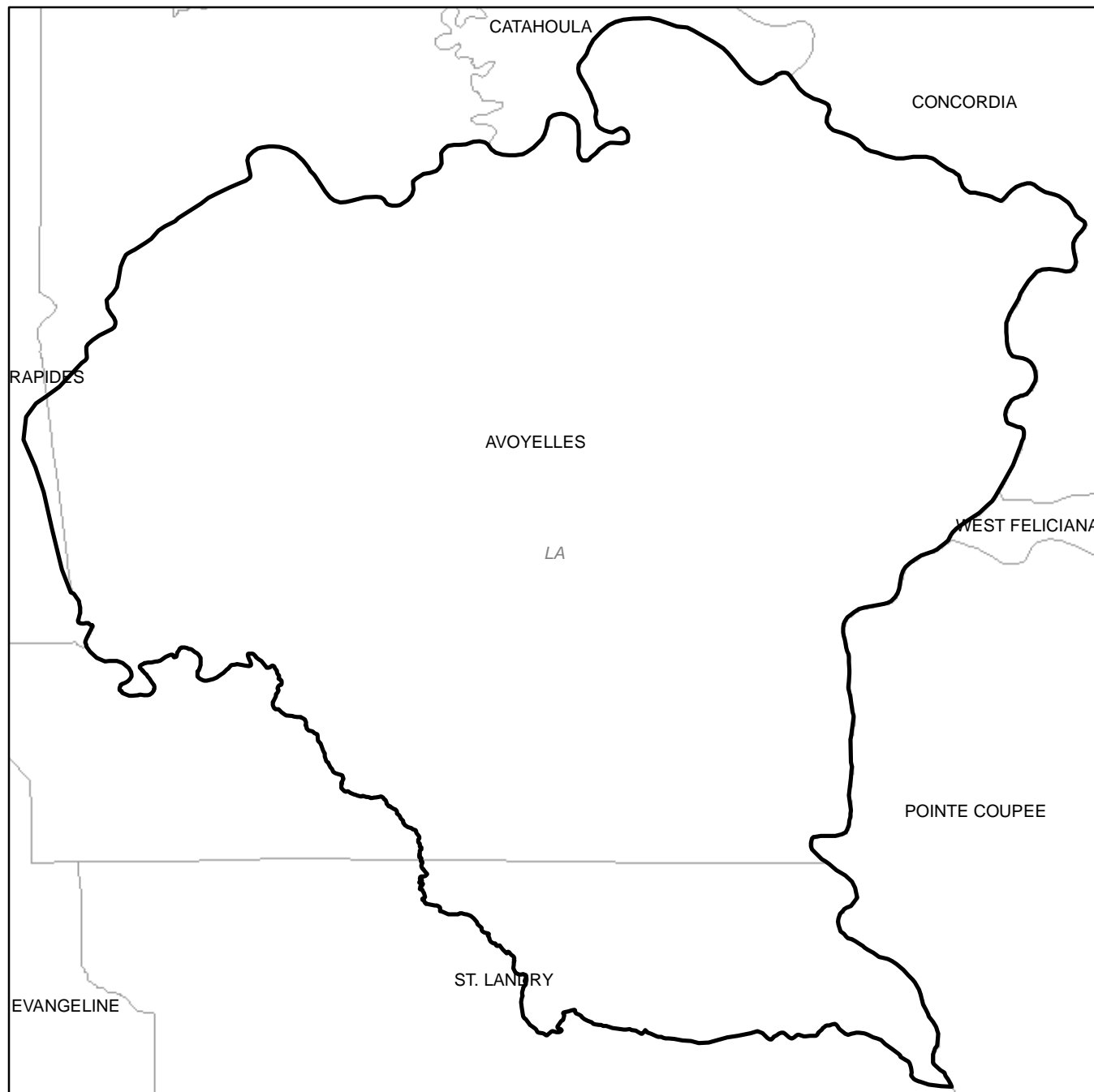
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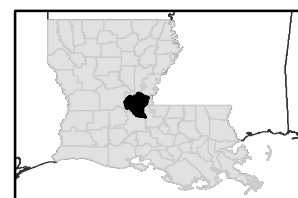
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AVOYELLES Parish created within Rapides County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 14; Calhoun, 85-93)

745 sq. mi.





AVOYELLES

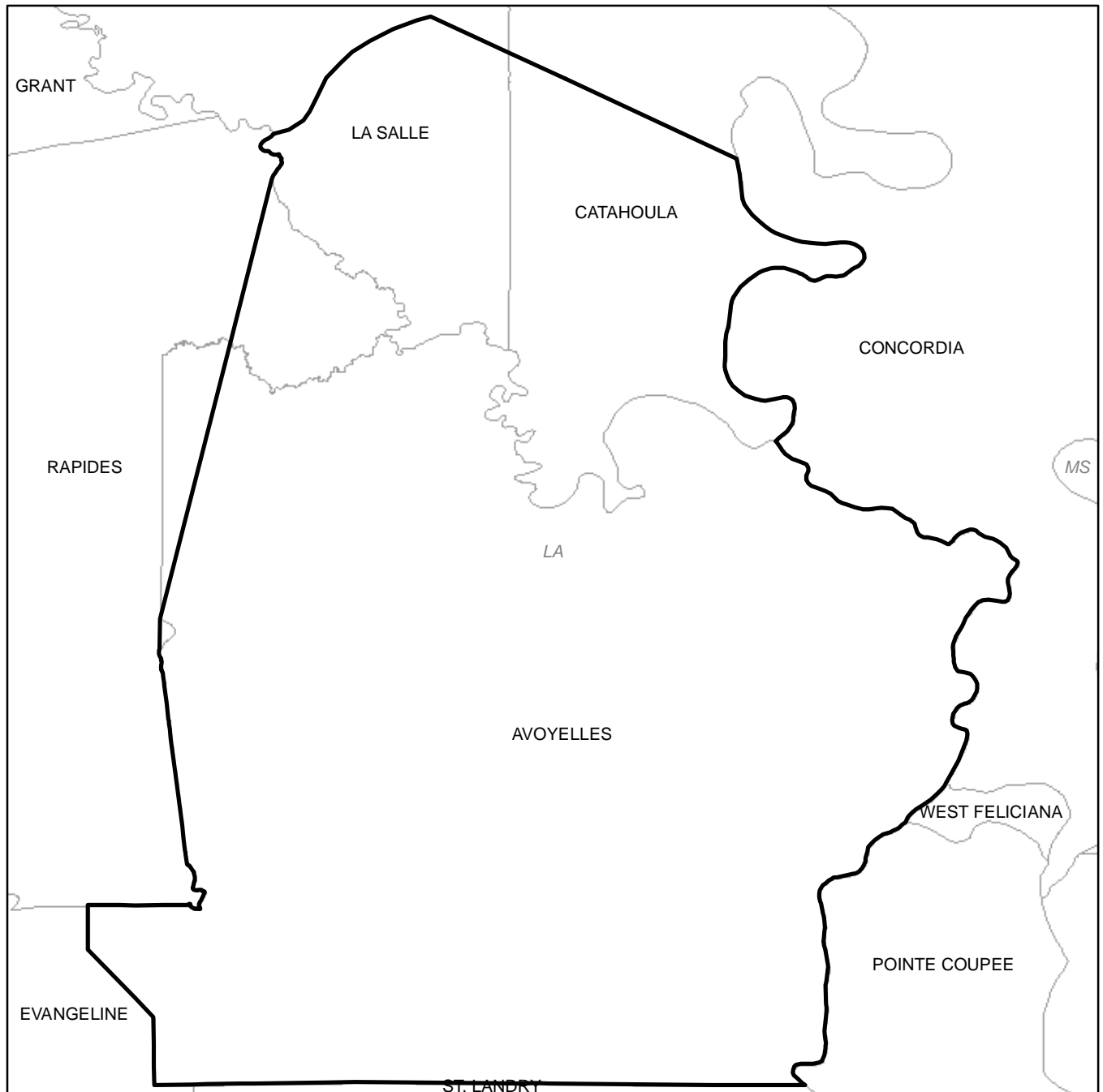
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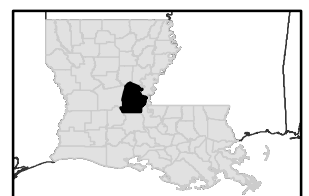
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AVOYNES gained from CATAHOULA, exchanged with RAPIDES and ST. LANDRY.

1,122 sq. mi.

(La. Act. 1818, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., p. 10)





AVOYELLES

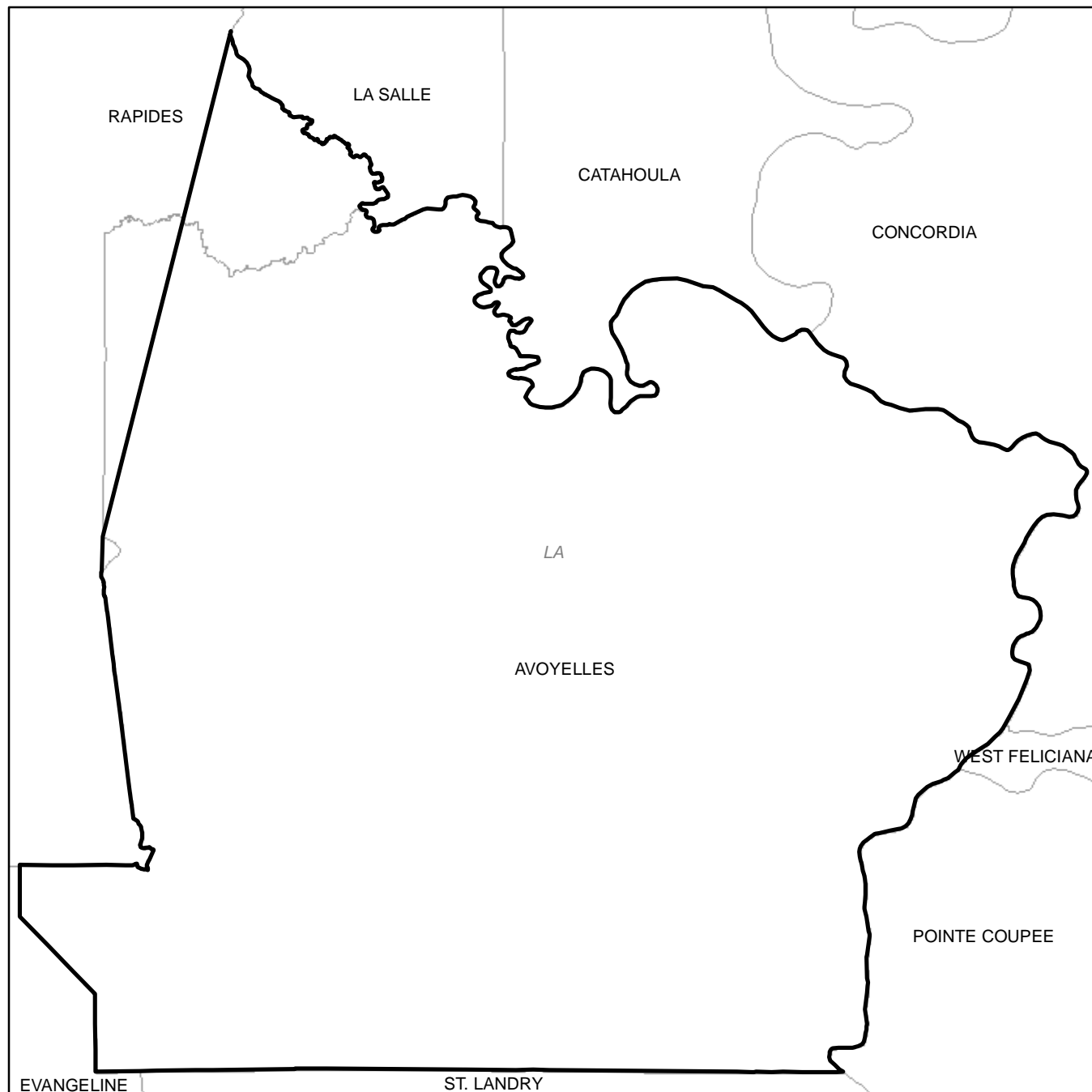
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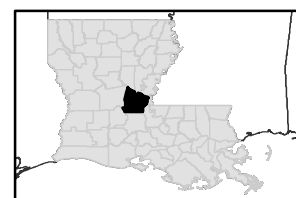
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AVOYELLES lost to CATAHOULA.

882 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 106-108)





AVOYELLES

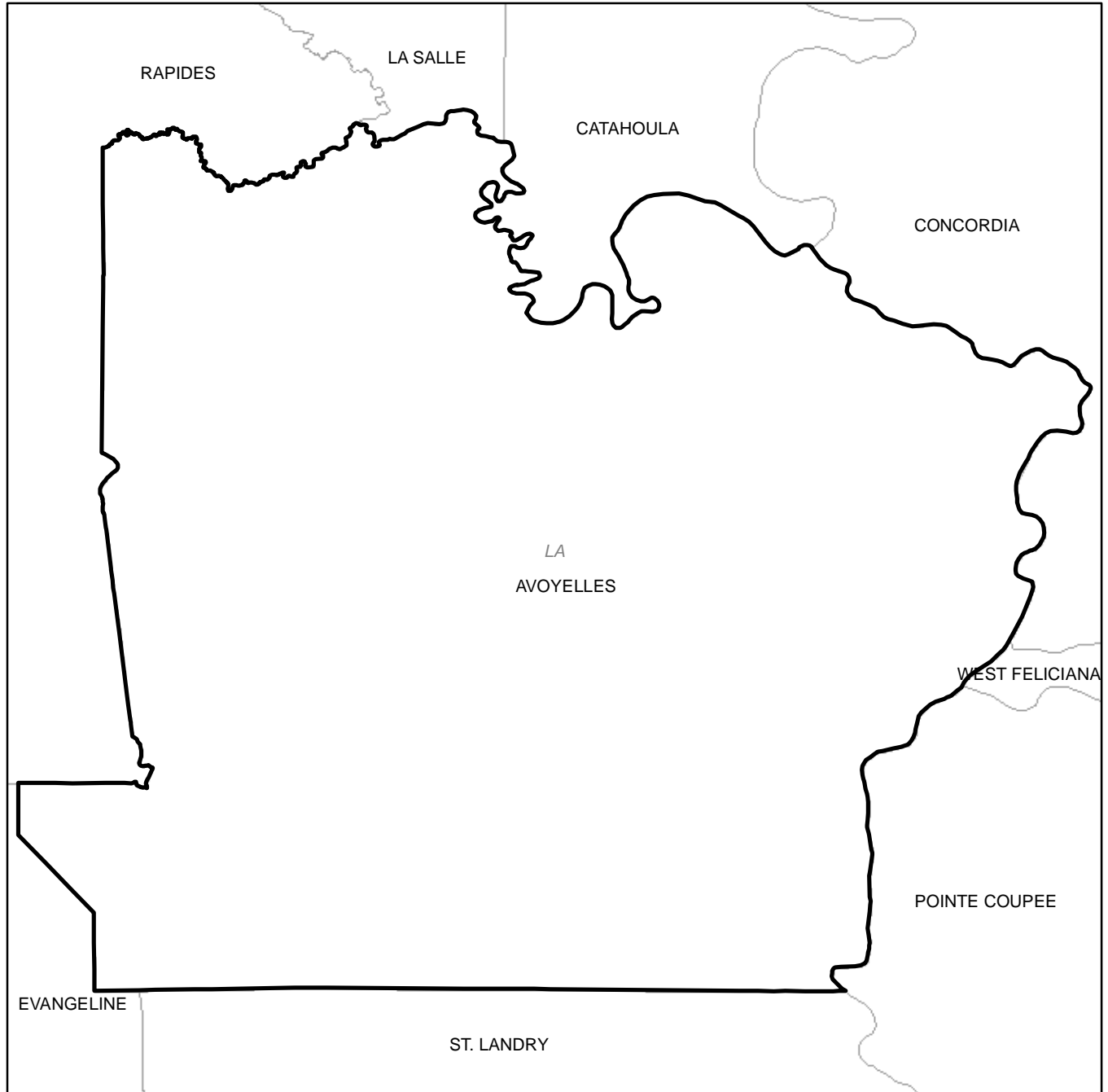
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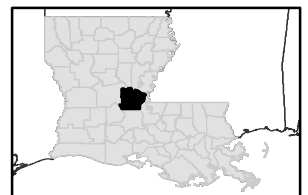
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AVOYELLES exchanged with RAPIDES.

866 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., p. 113)





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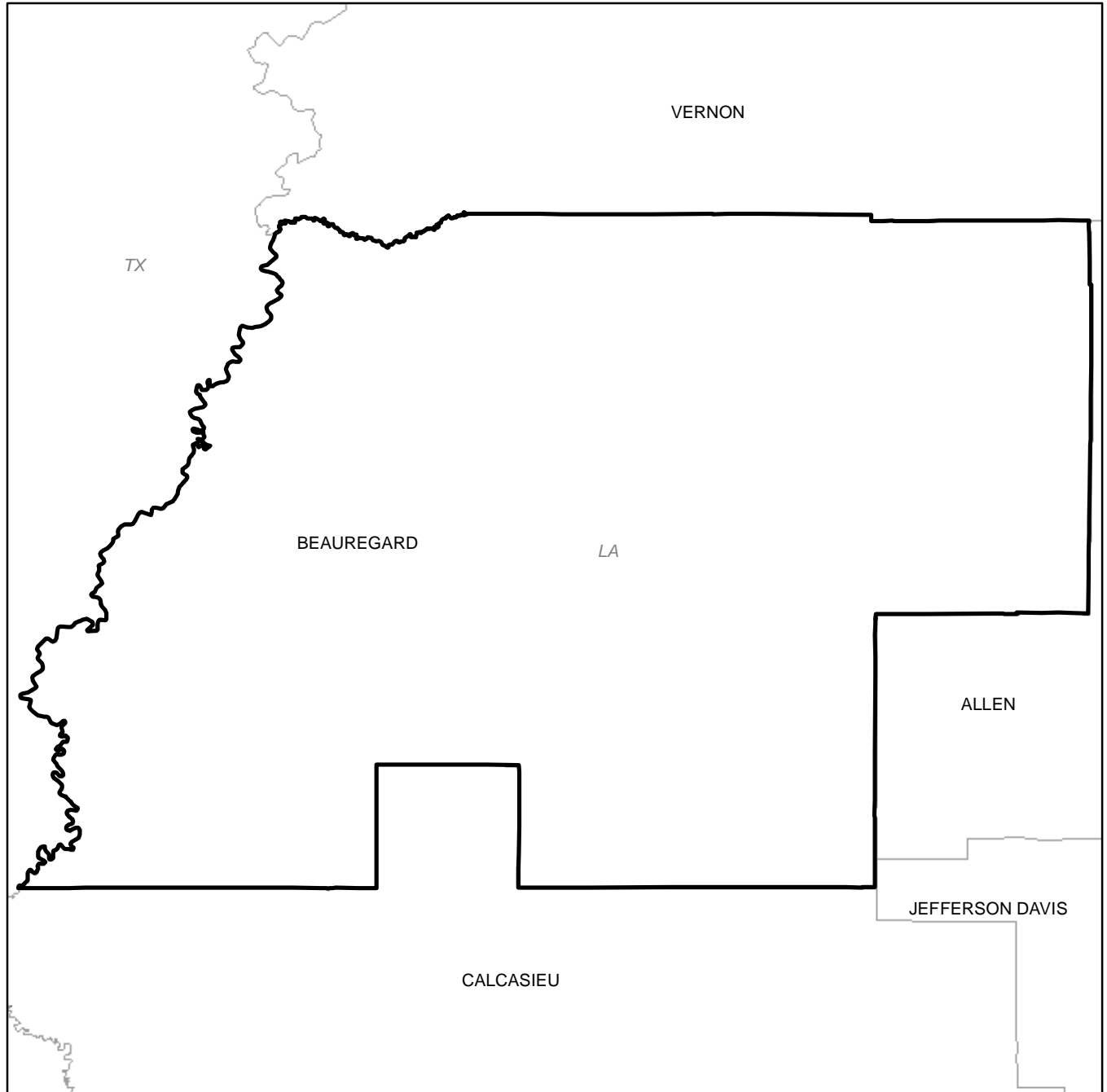
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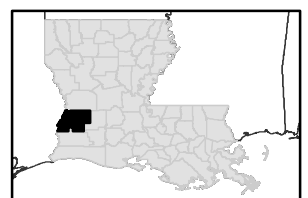
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BEAUREGARD created from CALCASIEU.

1,166 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1912, Reg. Sess., pp. 13-15)





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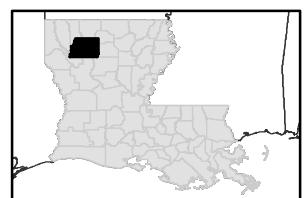
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BIENVILLE created from CLAIBORNE.

1,074 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1848, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 118-121)





BIENVILLE

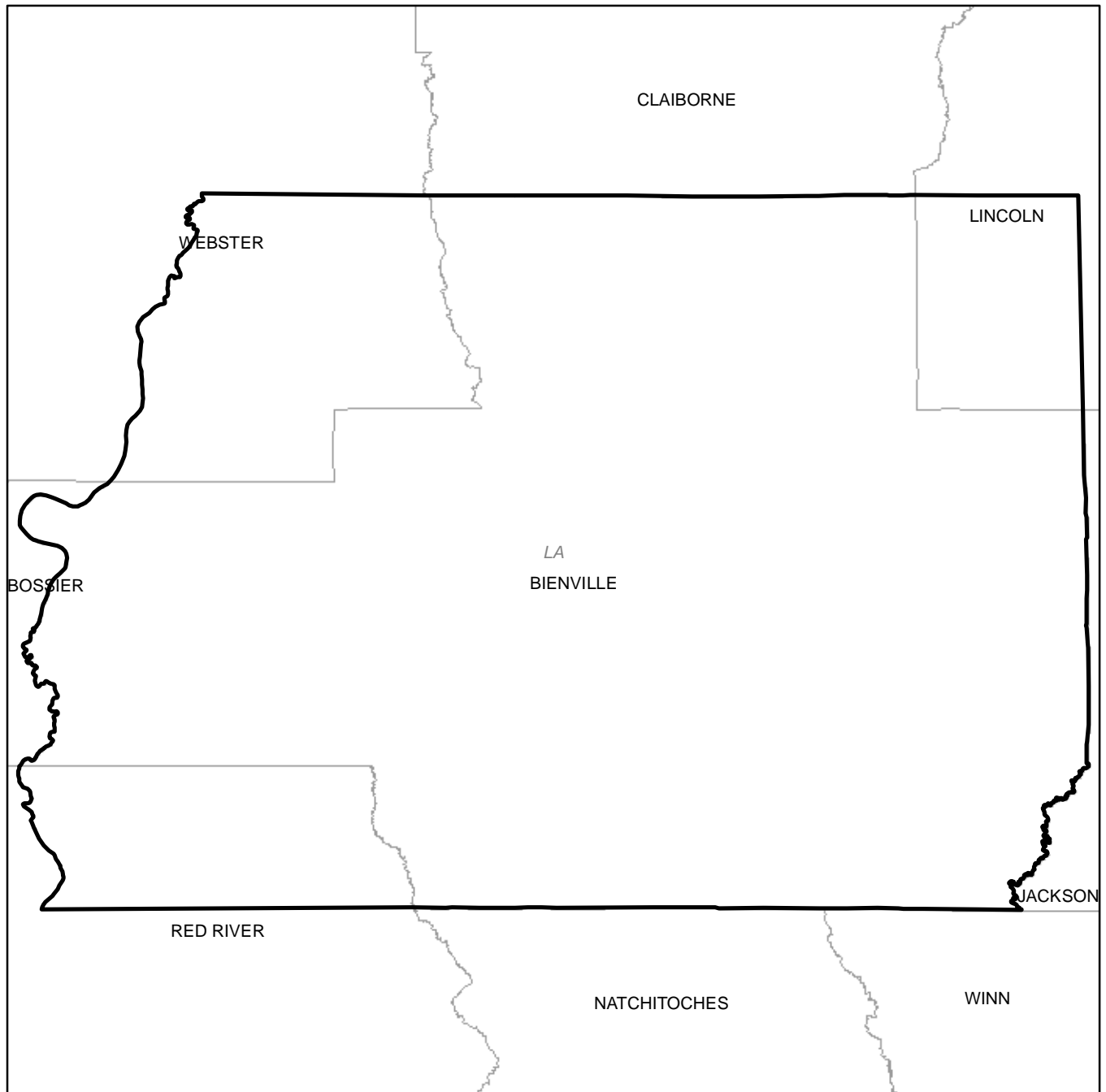
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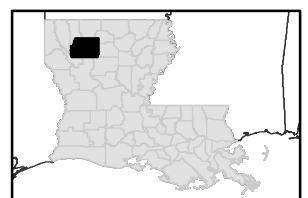
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1,067 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1857, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., p.47)





BIENVILLE

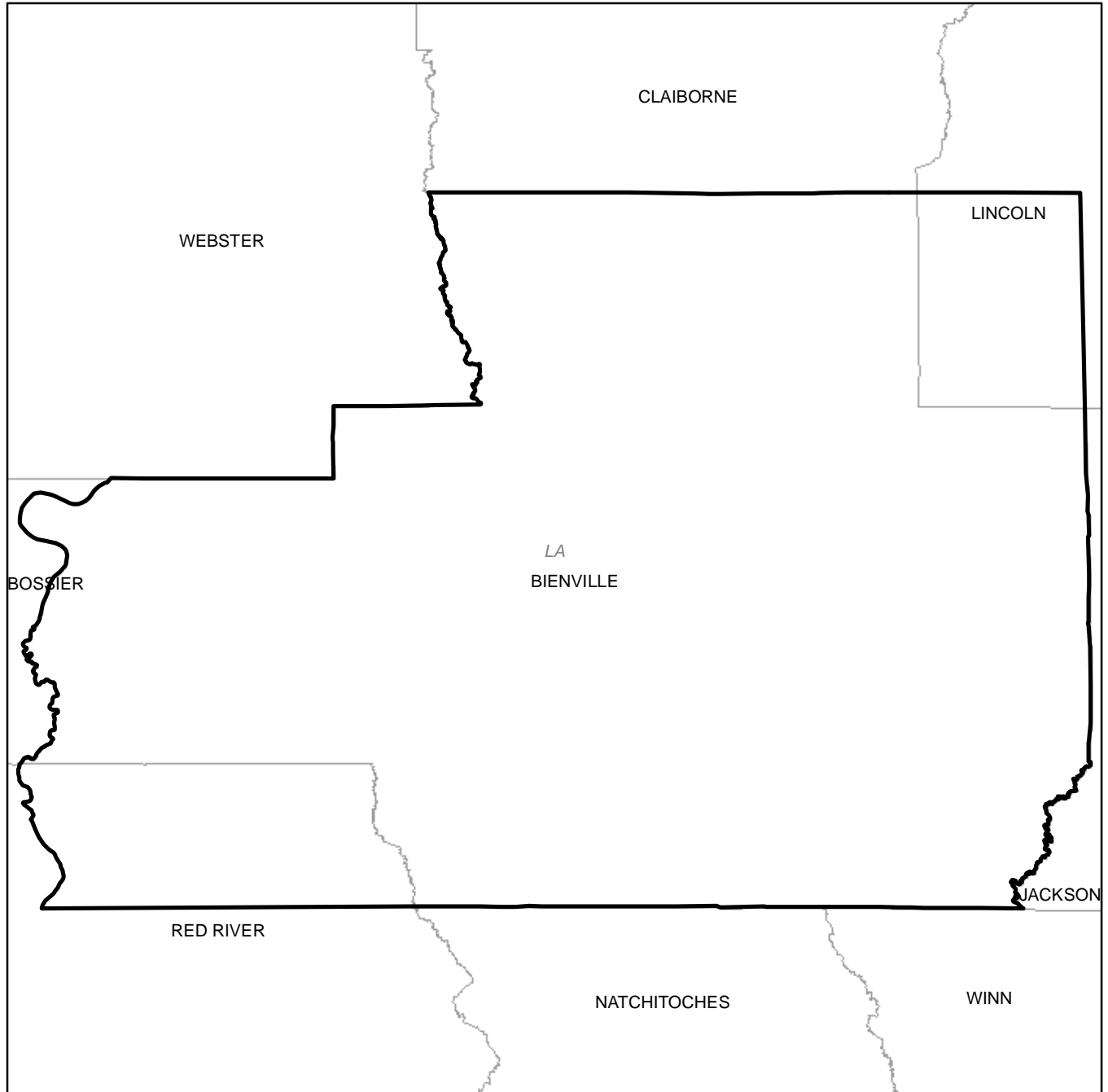
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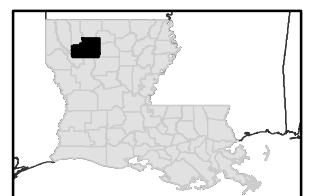
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BIENVILLE lost to creation of WEBSTER.

951 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 59-68)





BIENVILLE

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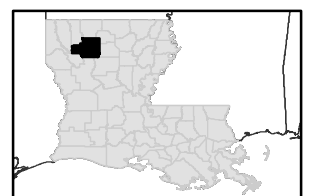
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BIENVILLE lost to creation of RED RIVER.

875 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 86-88)





BIENVILLE

Version 5

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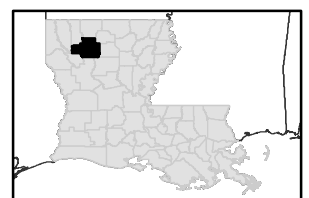
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BIENVILLE lost to creation of LINCOLN.

822 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1873, 3rd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 67-70)





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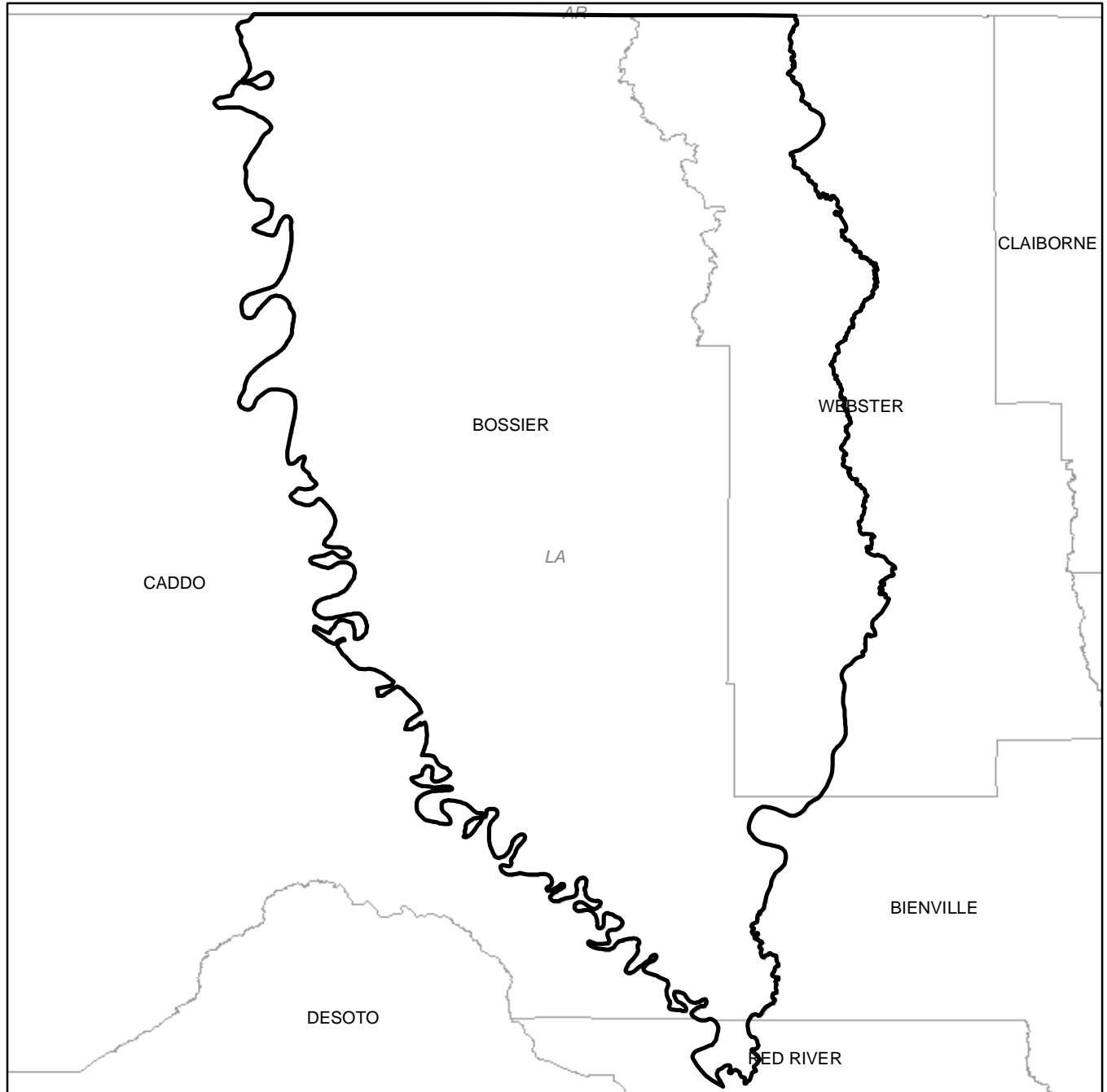
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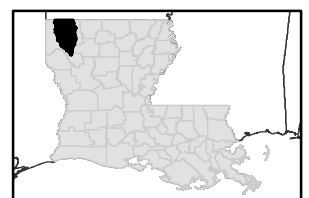
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1,132 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 17-19)





BOSSIER

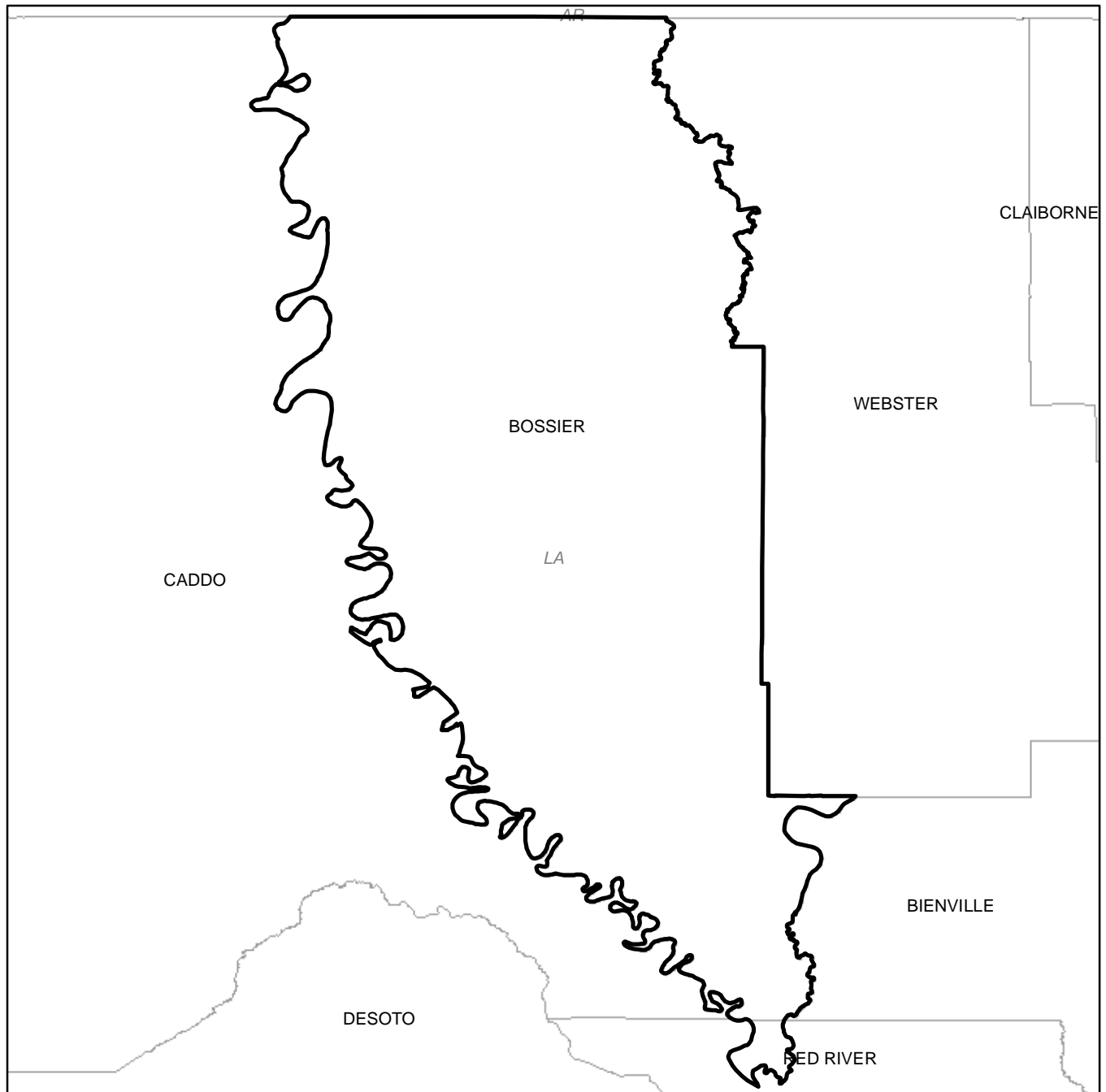
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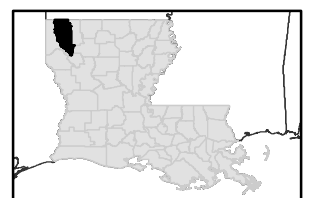
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BOSSIER lost to creation of WEBSTER.

874 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 59-68)





BOSSIER

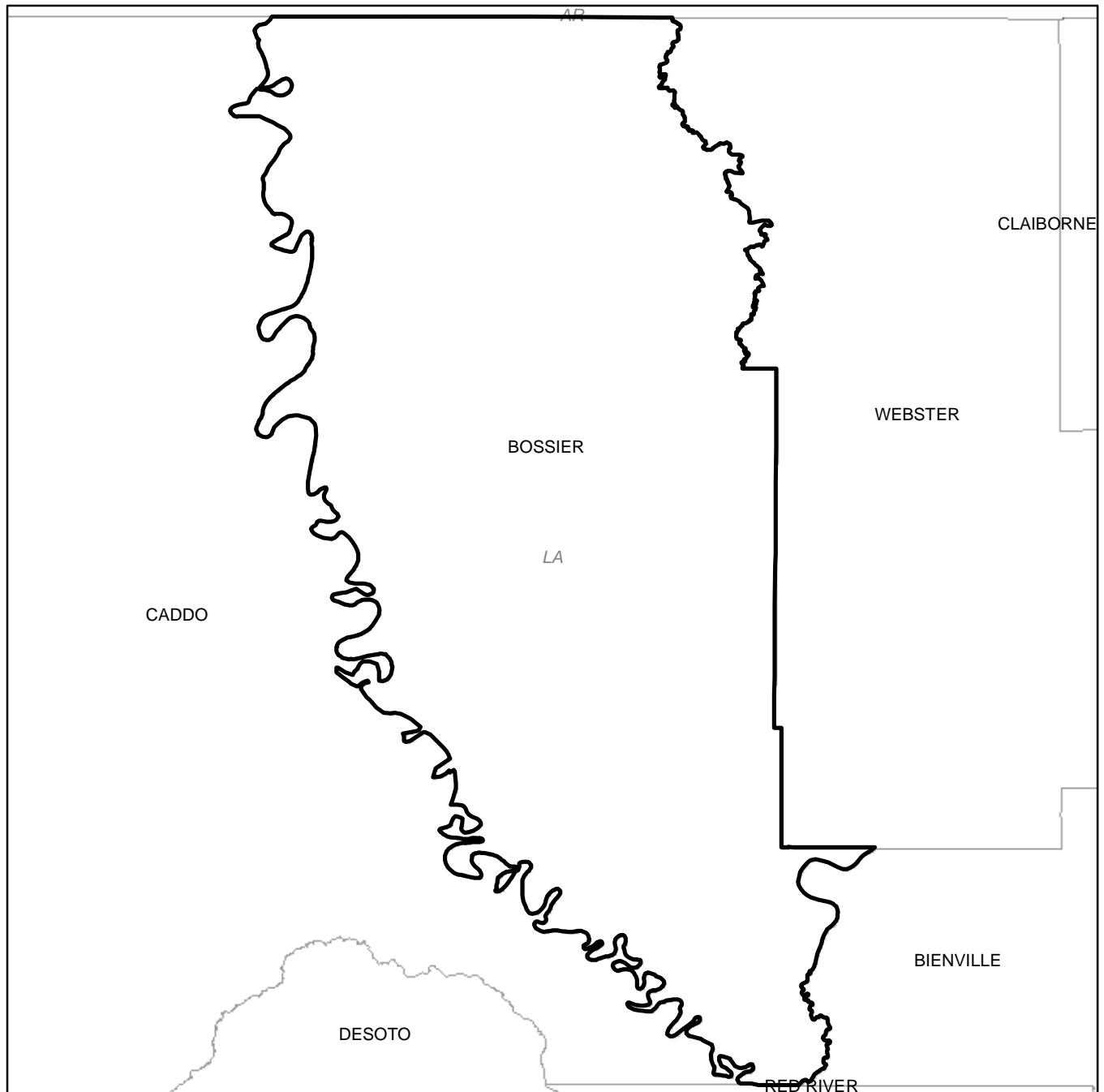
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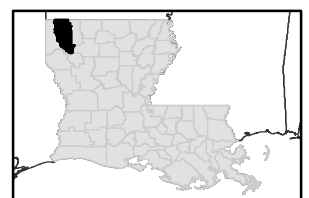
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BOSSIER lost to creation of RED RIVER.

867 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 86-88)





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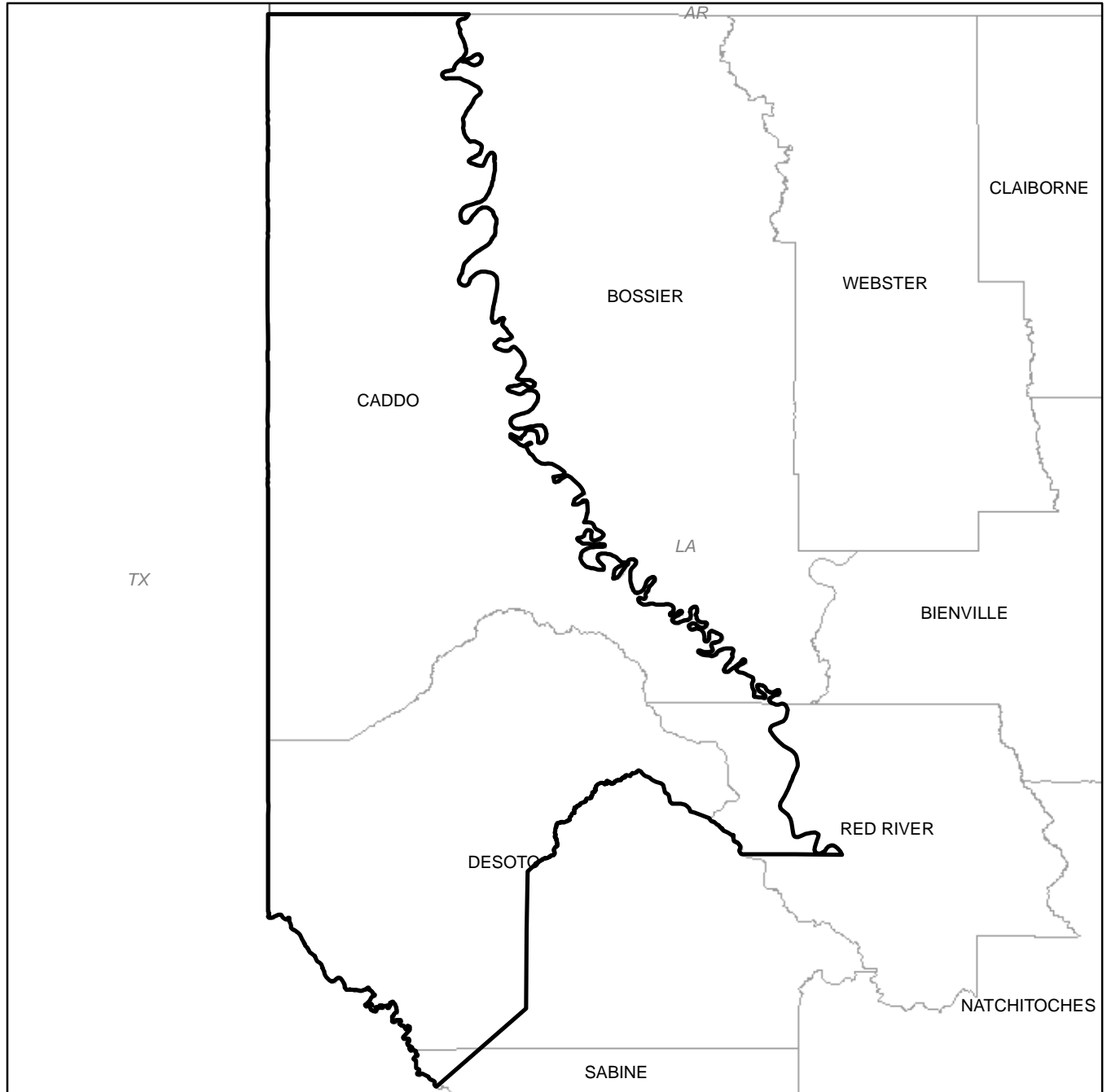
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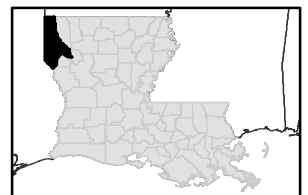
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CADDO created from NATCHITOCHES.

1,568 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 11-13)





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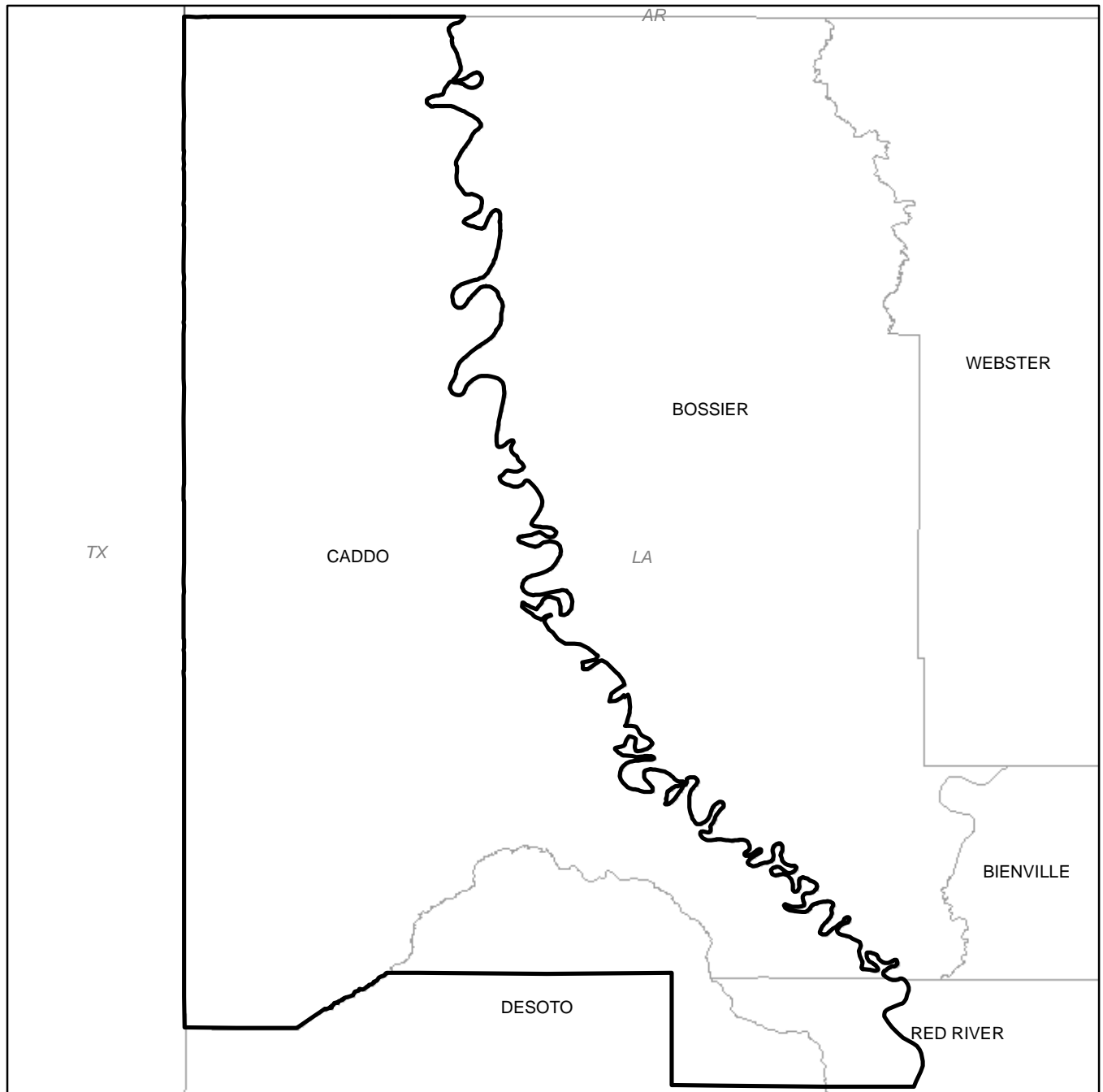
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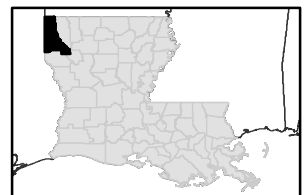
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CADDO lost to creation of DESOTO, and lost to SABINE; gained very small area along the Red River from NATCHITOCHES.

1,081 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 52-54)





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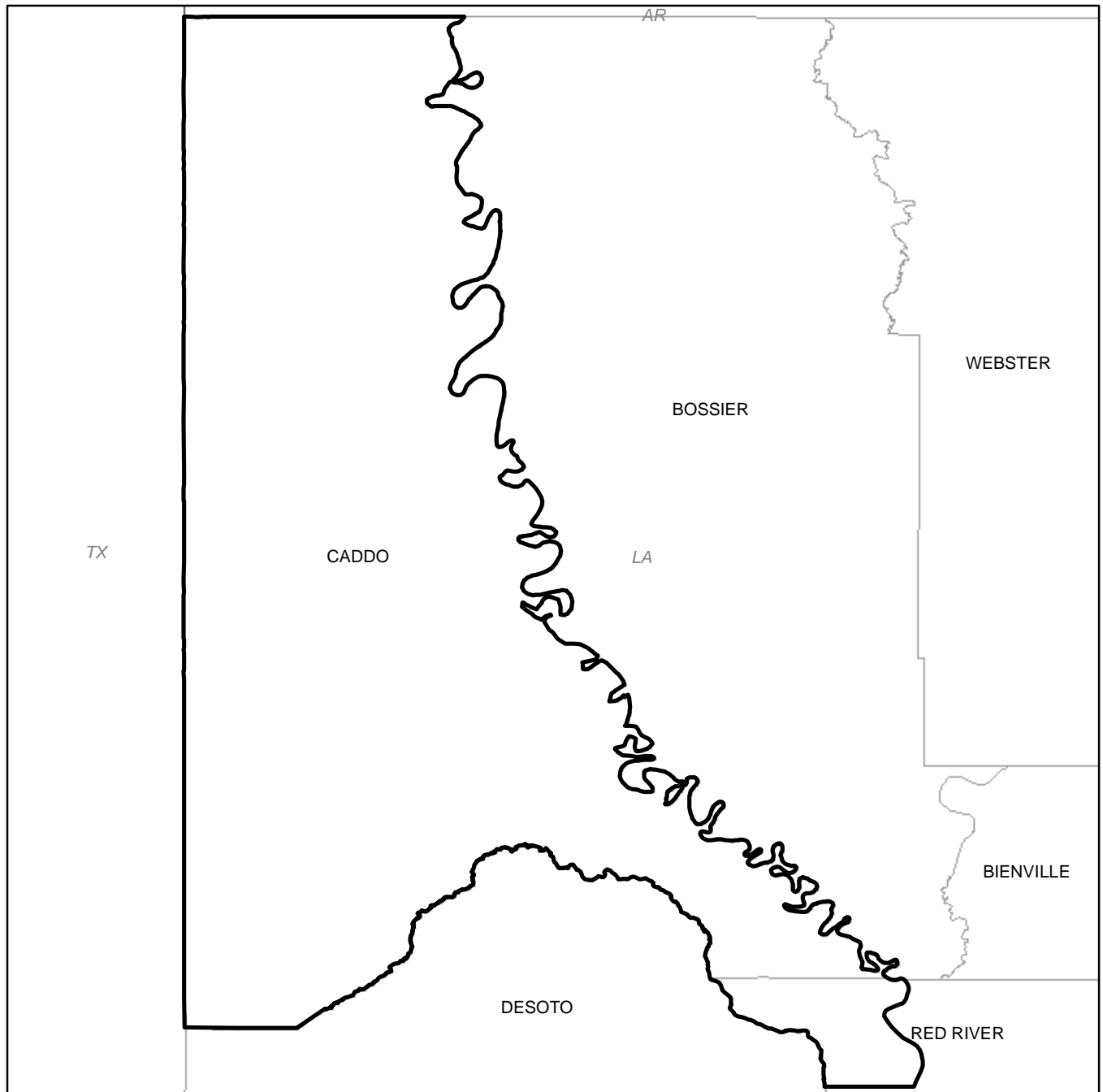
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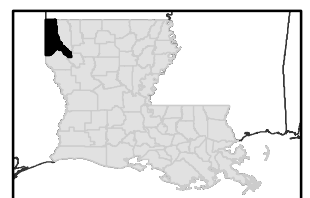
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CADDO lost to DESOTO.

975 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1845, 17th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 77-78)





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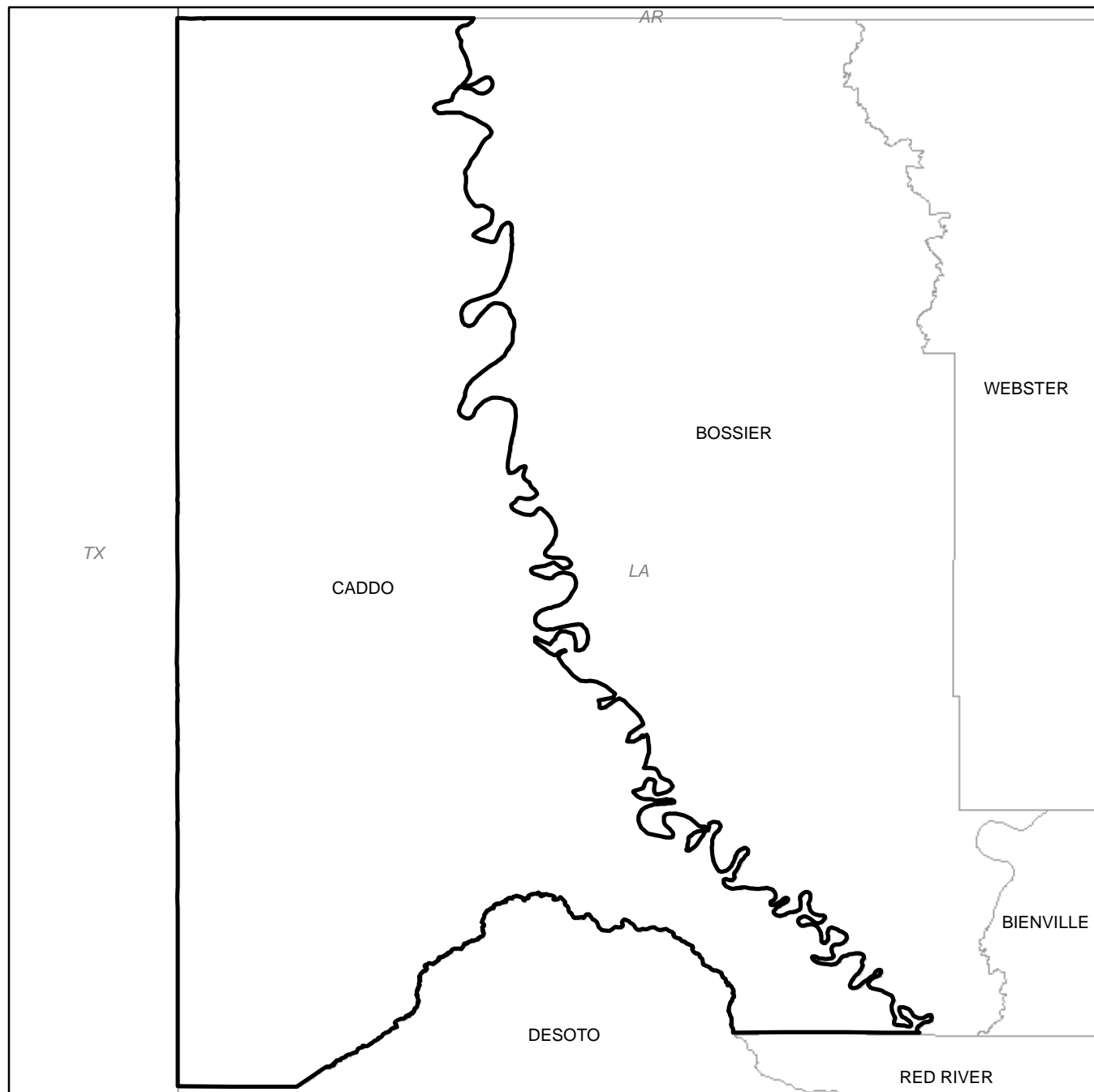
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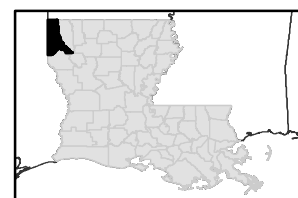
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CADDO lost to creation of RED RIVER.

937 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 86-88)





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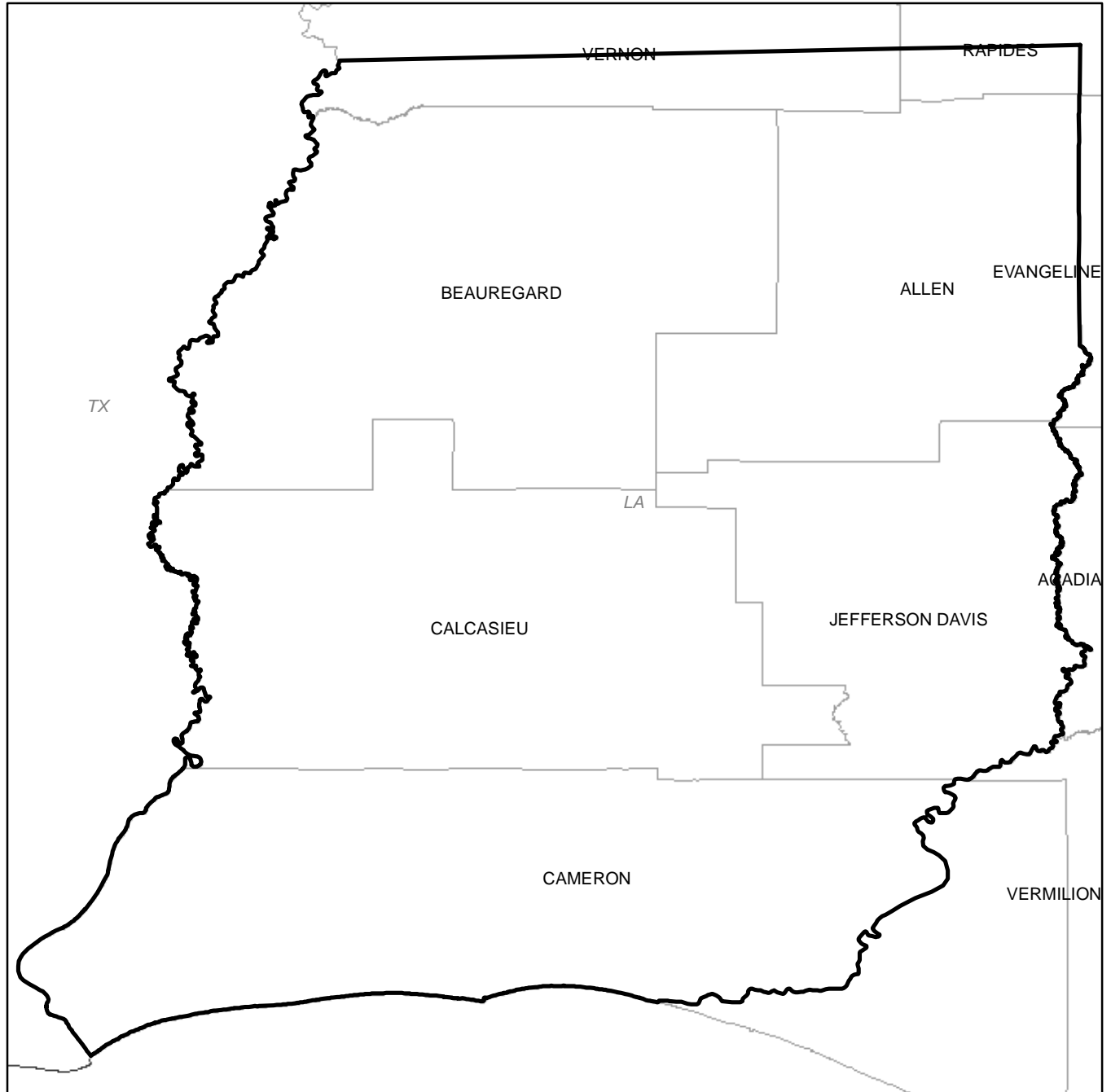
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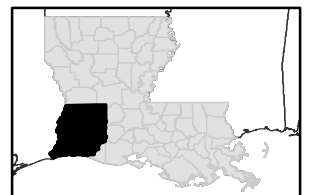
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CALCASIEU created from ST. LANDRY.

5,168 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1839, 14th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 72-75)





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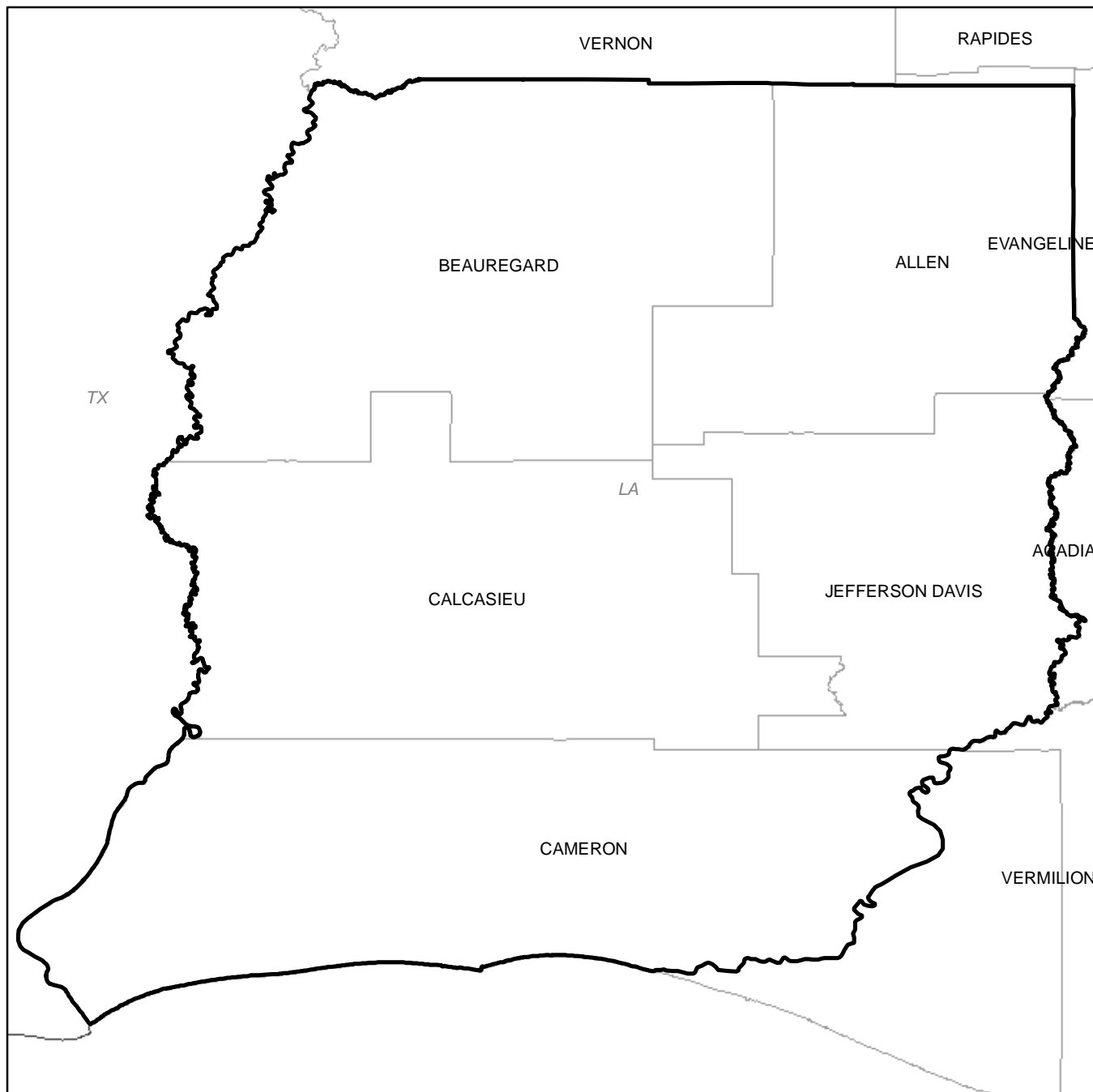
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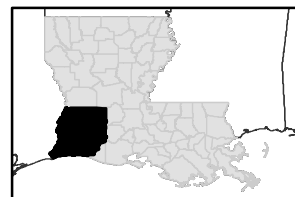
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CALCASIEU lost to RAPIDES.

4,888 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 87-88)





CALCASIEU

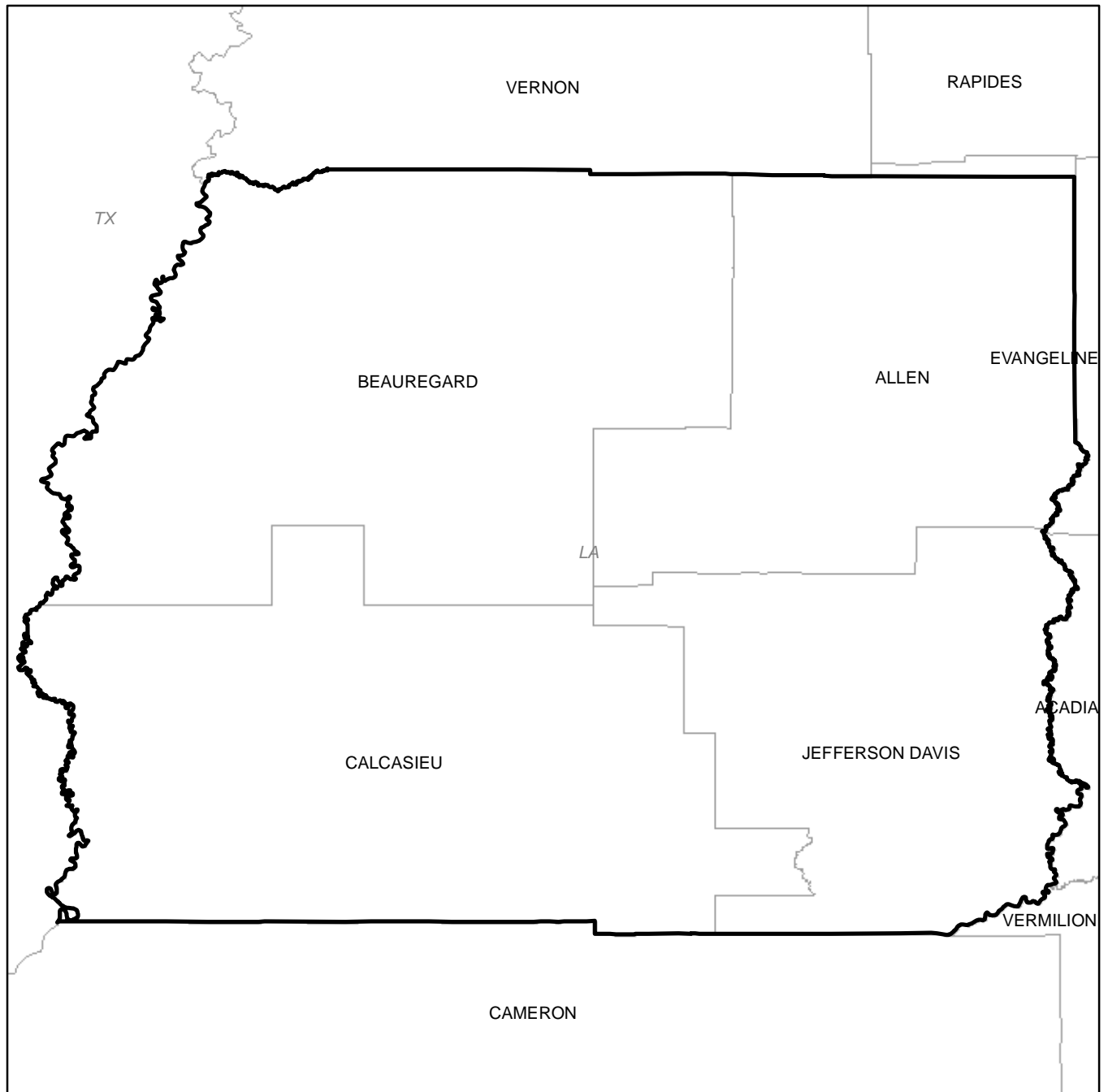
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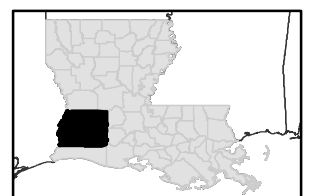
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CALCASIEU lost to creation of CAMERON.

3,666 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1870, 1st Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 168-169)





CALCASIEU

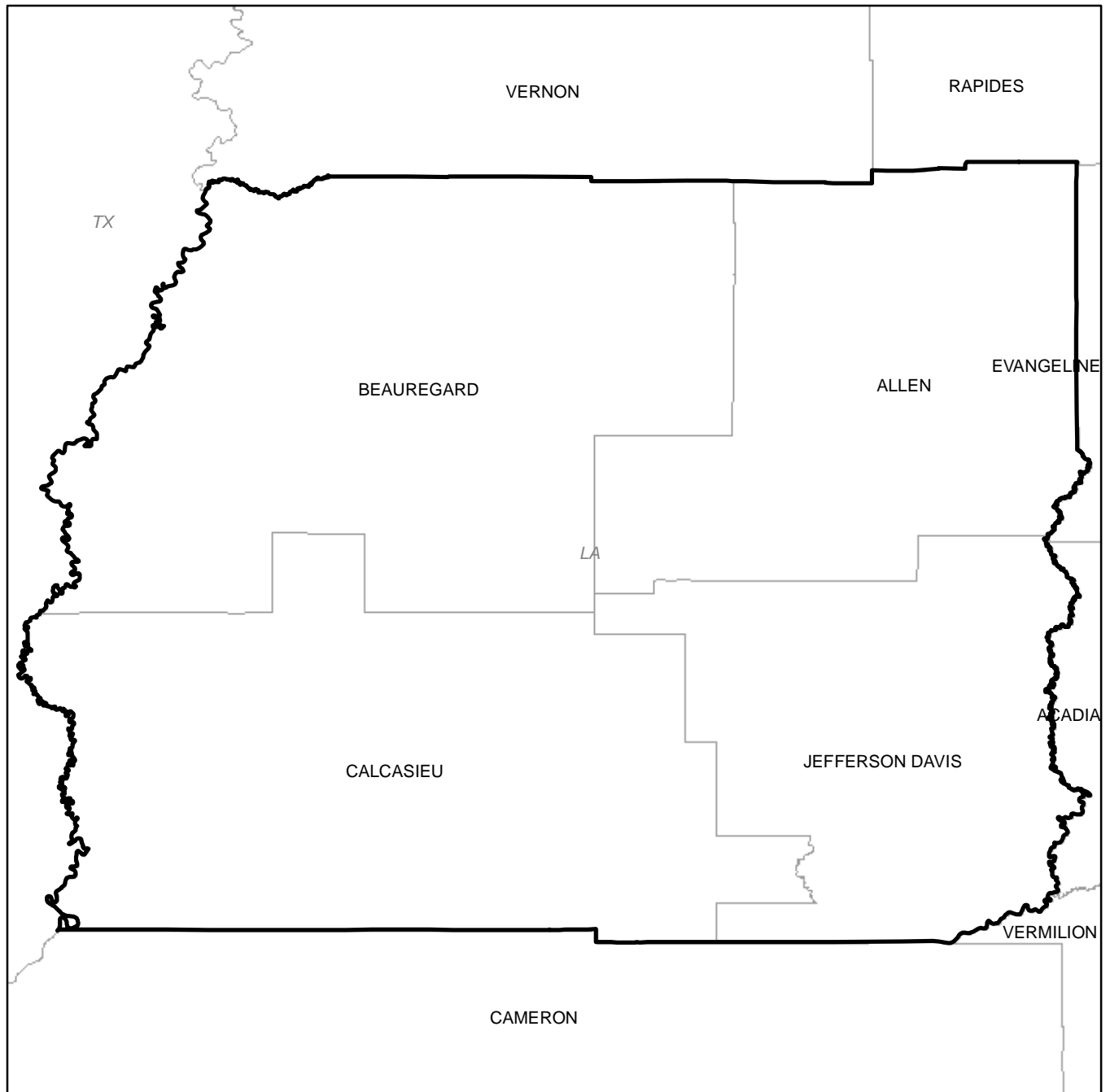
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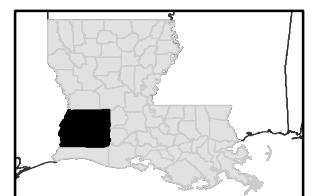
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CALCASIEU gained from RAPIDES.

3,685 sq. mi.

(Natchitoches Parish Police Jury. Correspondence, 8 Aug 2008; Rapides Parish Police Jury. Correspondence, 15 Aug 2008; Rapides Parish Police Jury Minutes





CALCASIEU

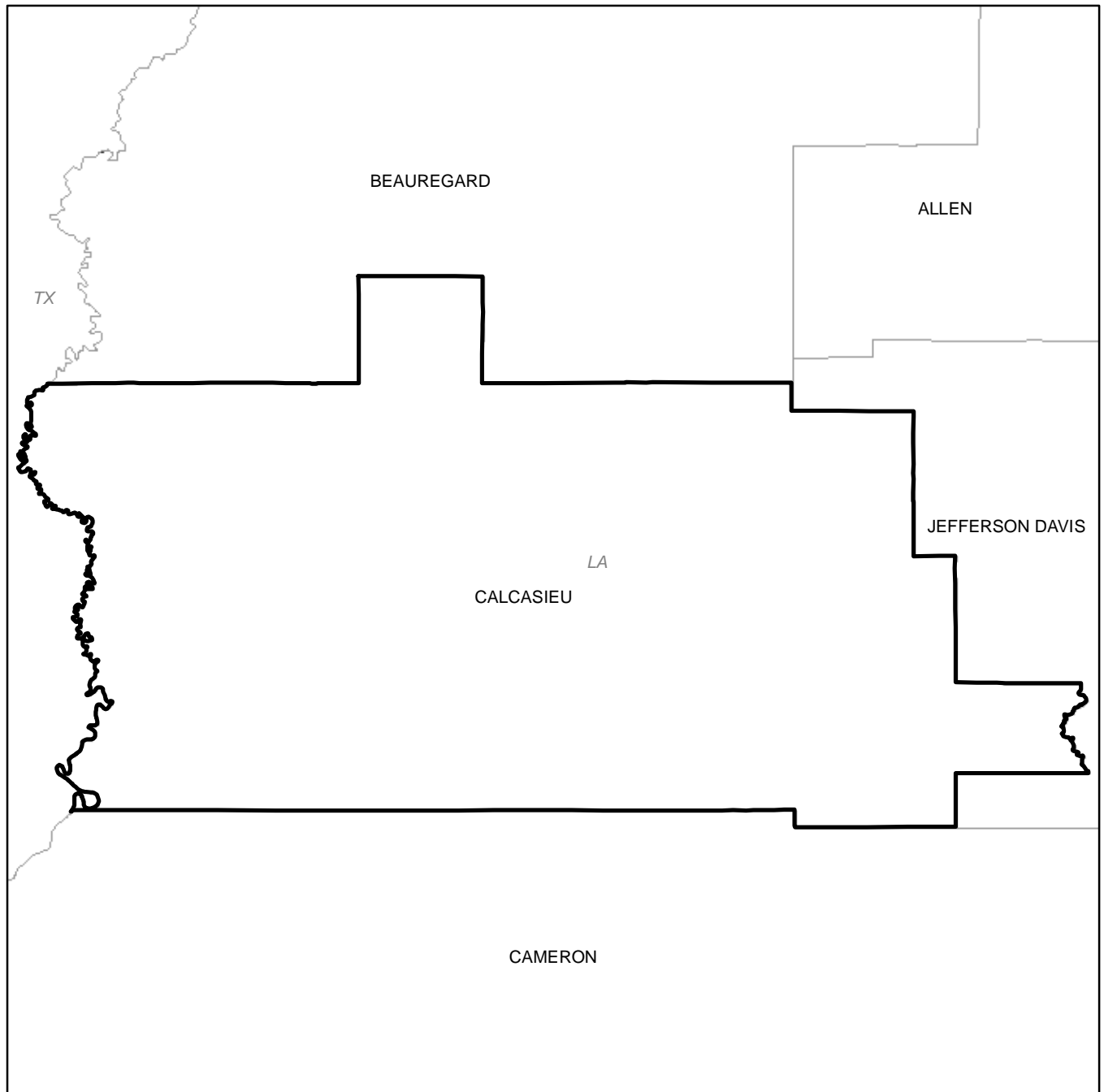
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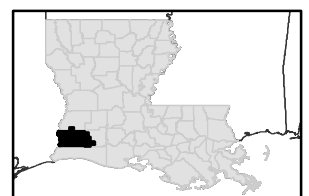
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CALCASIEU lost to creation of ALLEN, BEAUREGARD, and JEFFERSON DAVIS.

1,094 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1912, Reg. Sess., pp. 8-15)





CALDWELL

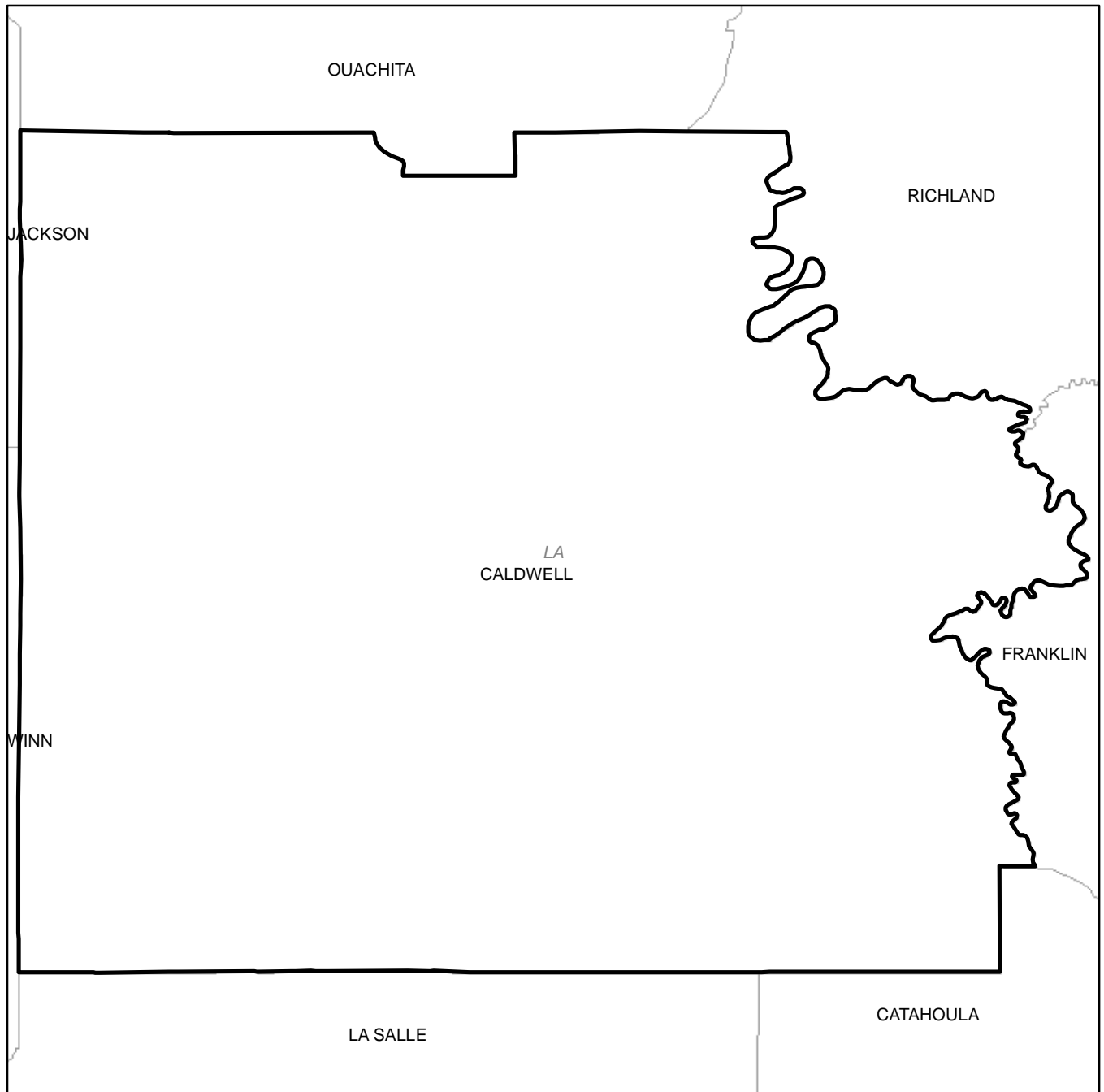
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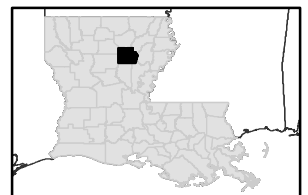
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CALDWELL created from CATAHOULA and OUACHITA.

541 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 38-41)





CAMERON

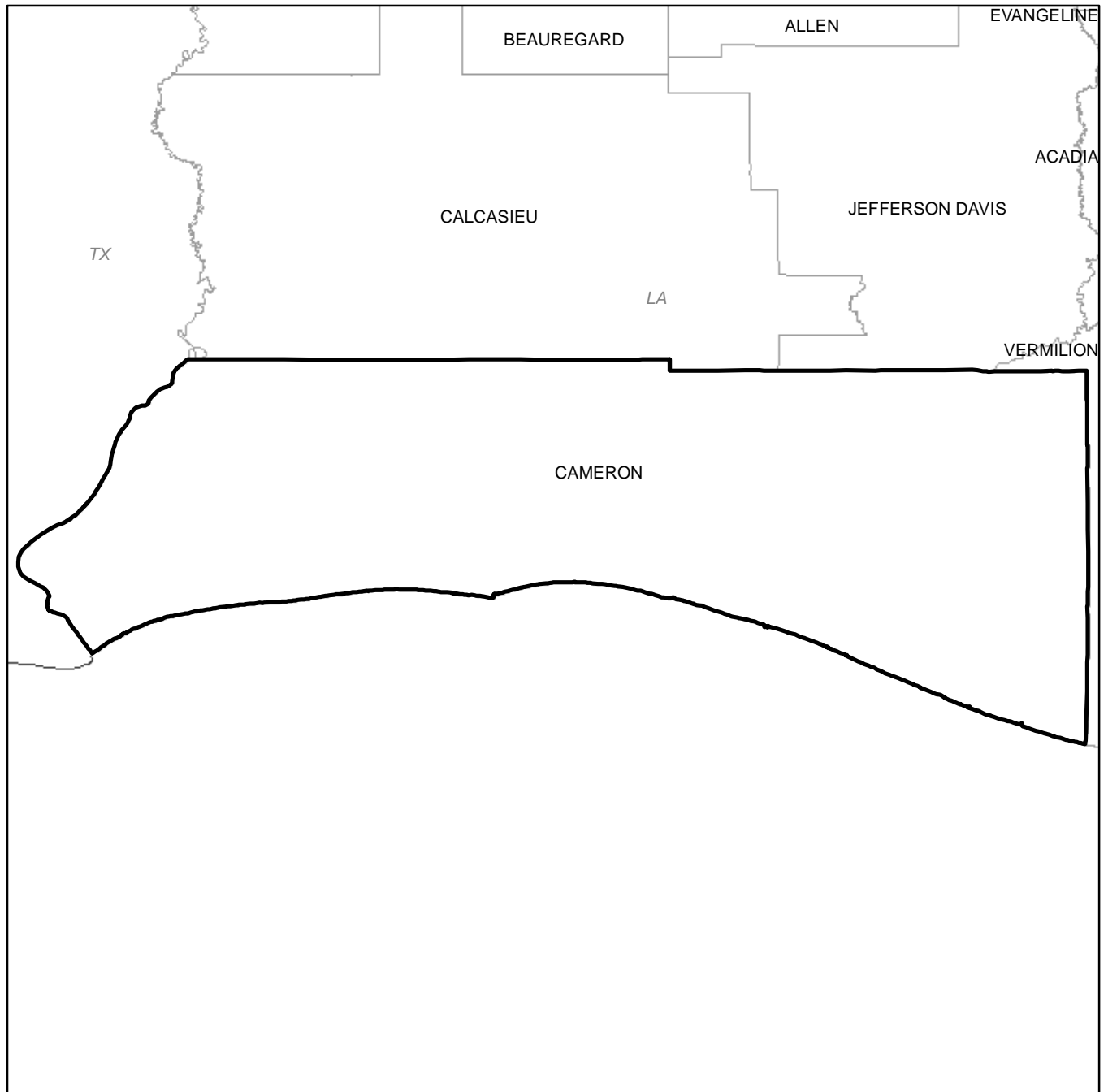
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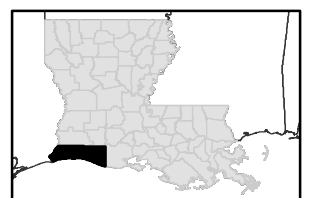
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CAMERON created from CALCASIEU and VERMILION.

1,652 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1870, 1st Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 168-169)





CARROLL (extinct)

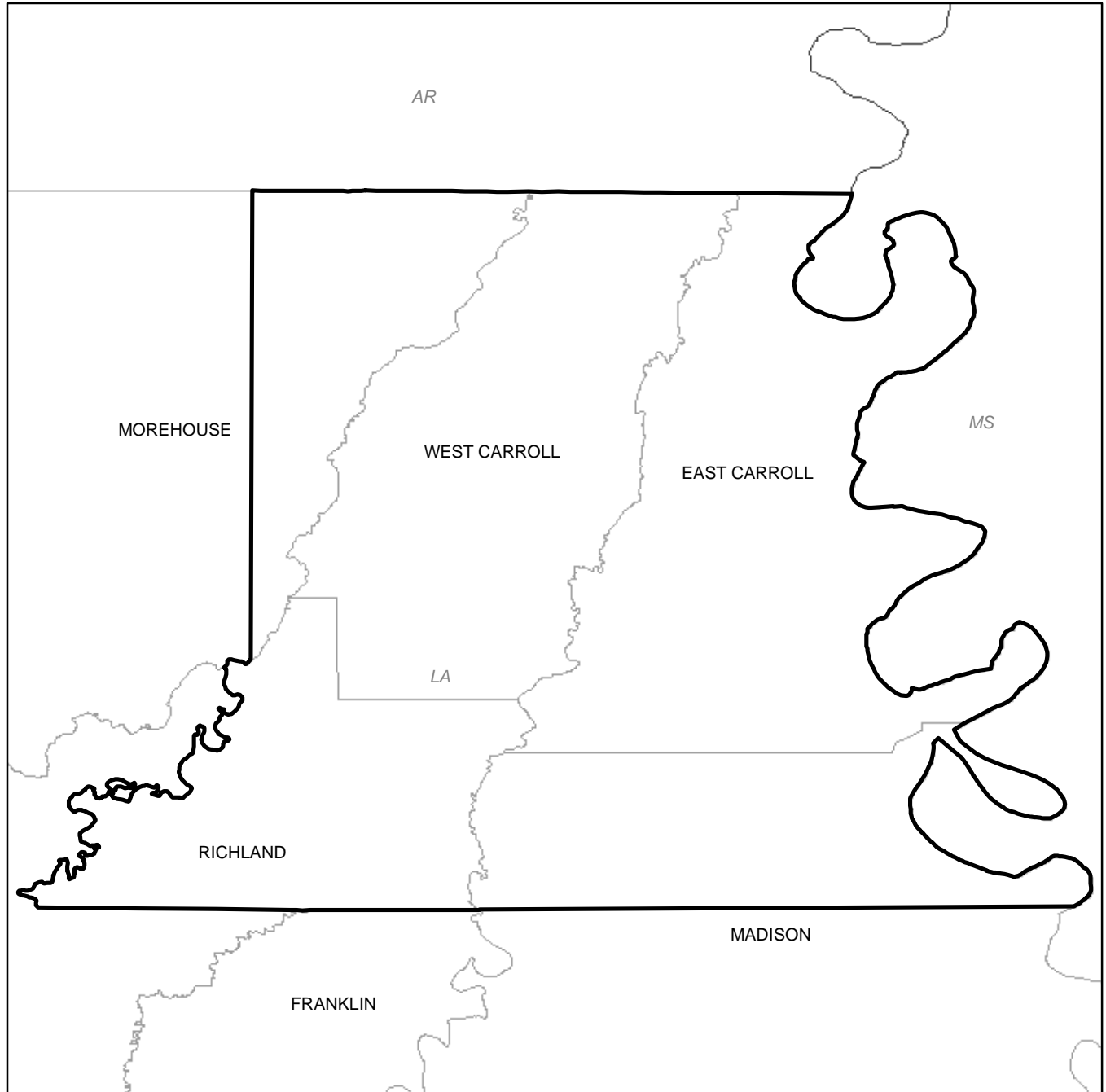
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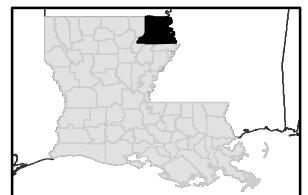
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CARROLL (extinct) created from CONCORDIA and OUACHITA.

1,434 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1832, 10th Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 100-106)





CARROLL (extinct)

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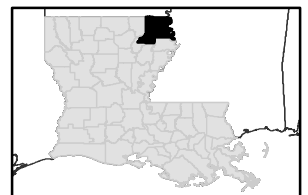
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CARROLL (extinct) lost to MADISON.

1,218 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1839, 14th Leg., 1st sess., p. 82)





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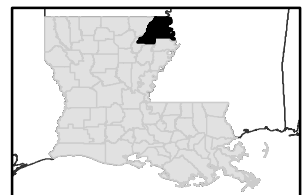
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CARROLL (extinct) lost to creation of MOREHOUSE.

1,053 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1844, 16th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 77-79)





CARROLL (extinct)

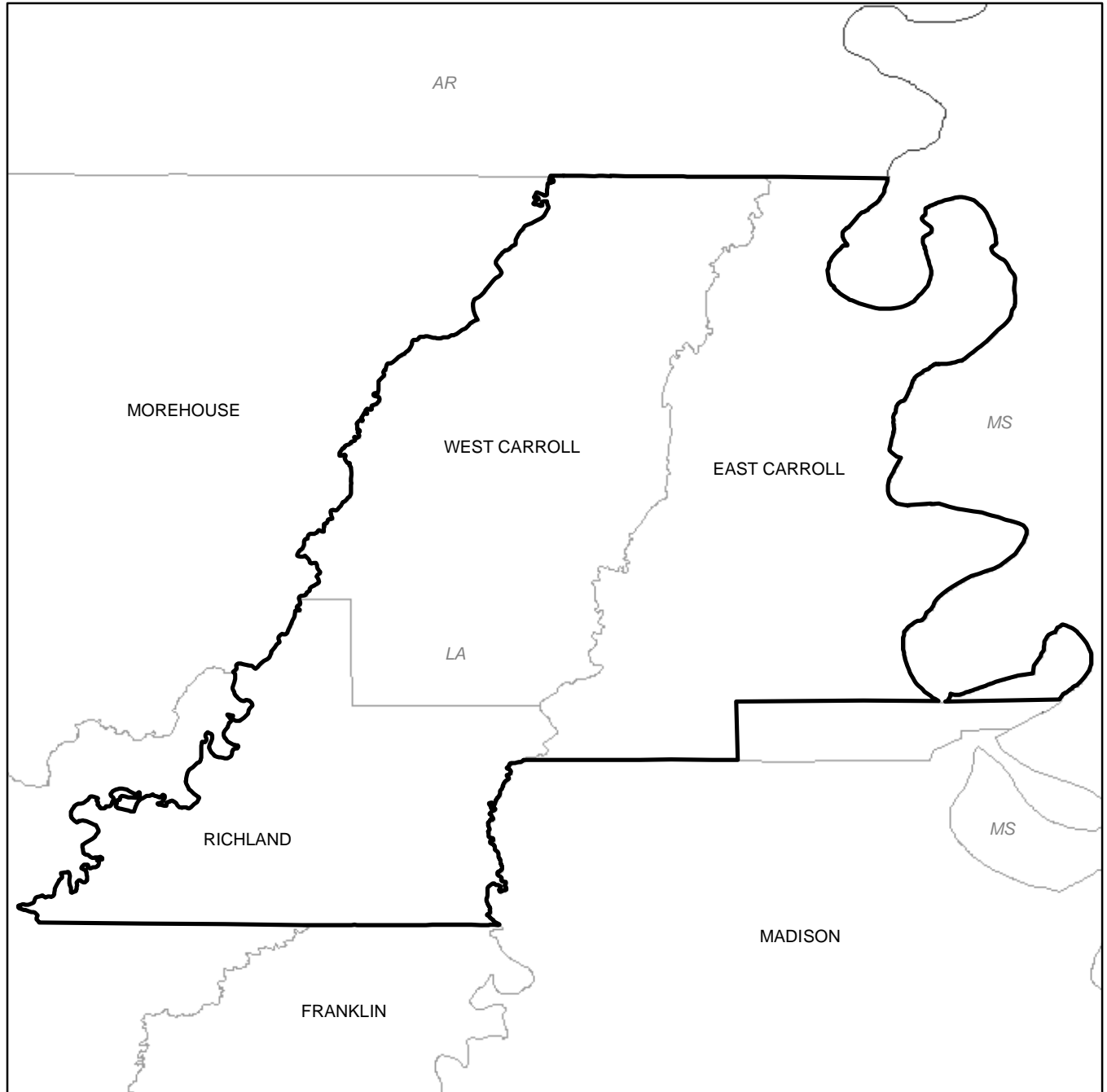
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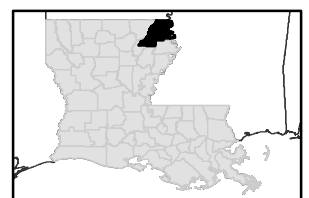
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CARROLL (extinct) lost to MADISON.

1,000 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1846, 1st Leg., 1st sess., pp. 151-152)





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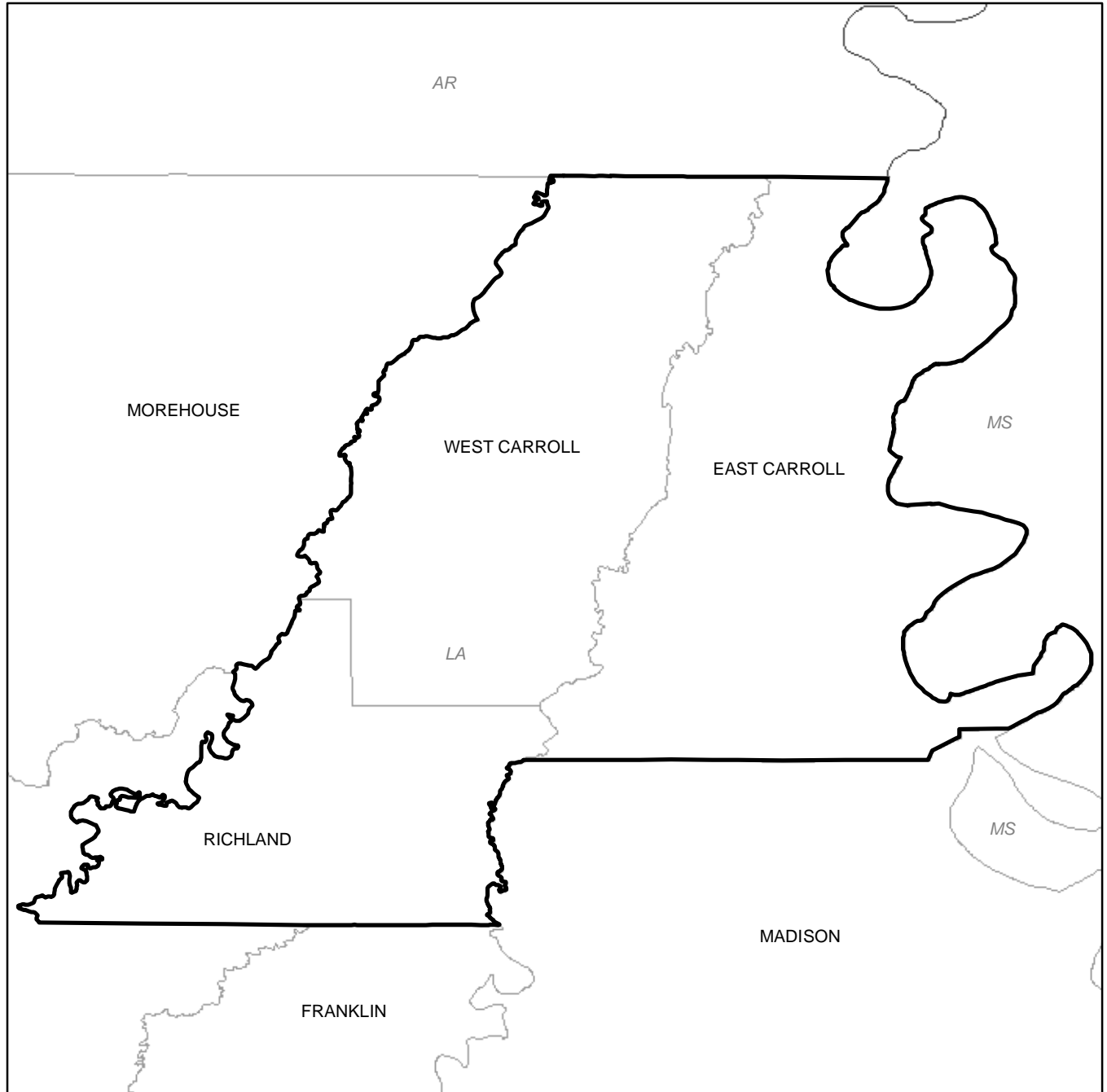
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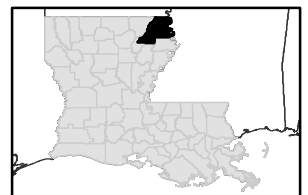
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CARROLL (extinct) gained from MADISON.

1,039 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 74-75)





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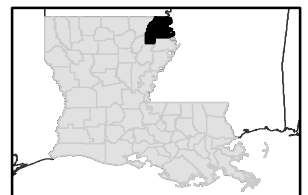
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CARROLL (extinct) lost to MOREHOUSE.

962 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1858, 4th Leg., 1st sess., p. 211)





CARROLL (extinct)

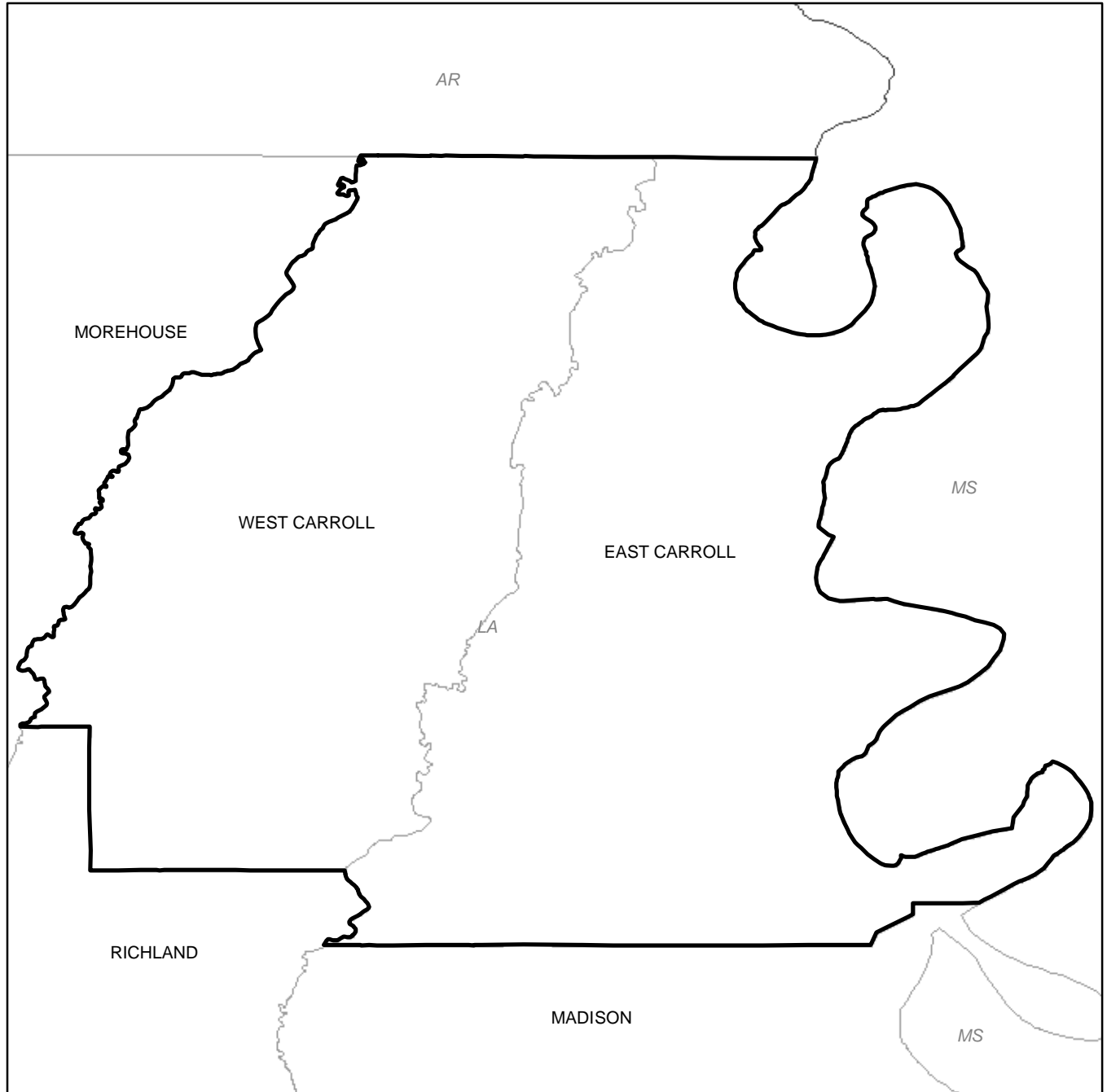
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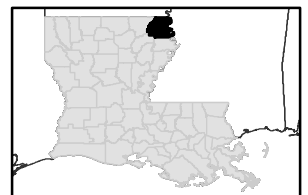
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CARROLL (extinct) lost to creation of RICHLAND.

803 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1868, 1st Leg., 1st sess., p. 151)





CATAHOULA

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3/23/1808 - 3/23/1813

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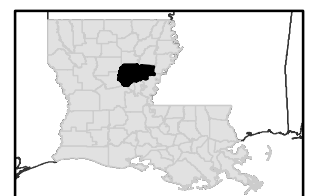
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CATAHOULA created within Rapides County and from RAPIDES. No change to the county boundary.

1,067 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1808, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., ch. 10/p. 30)





CATAHOULA

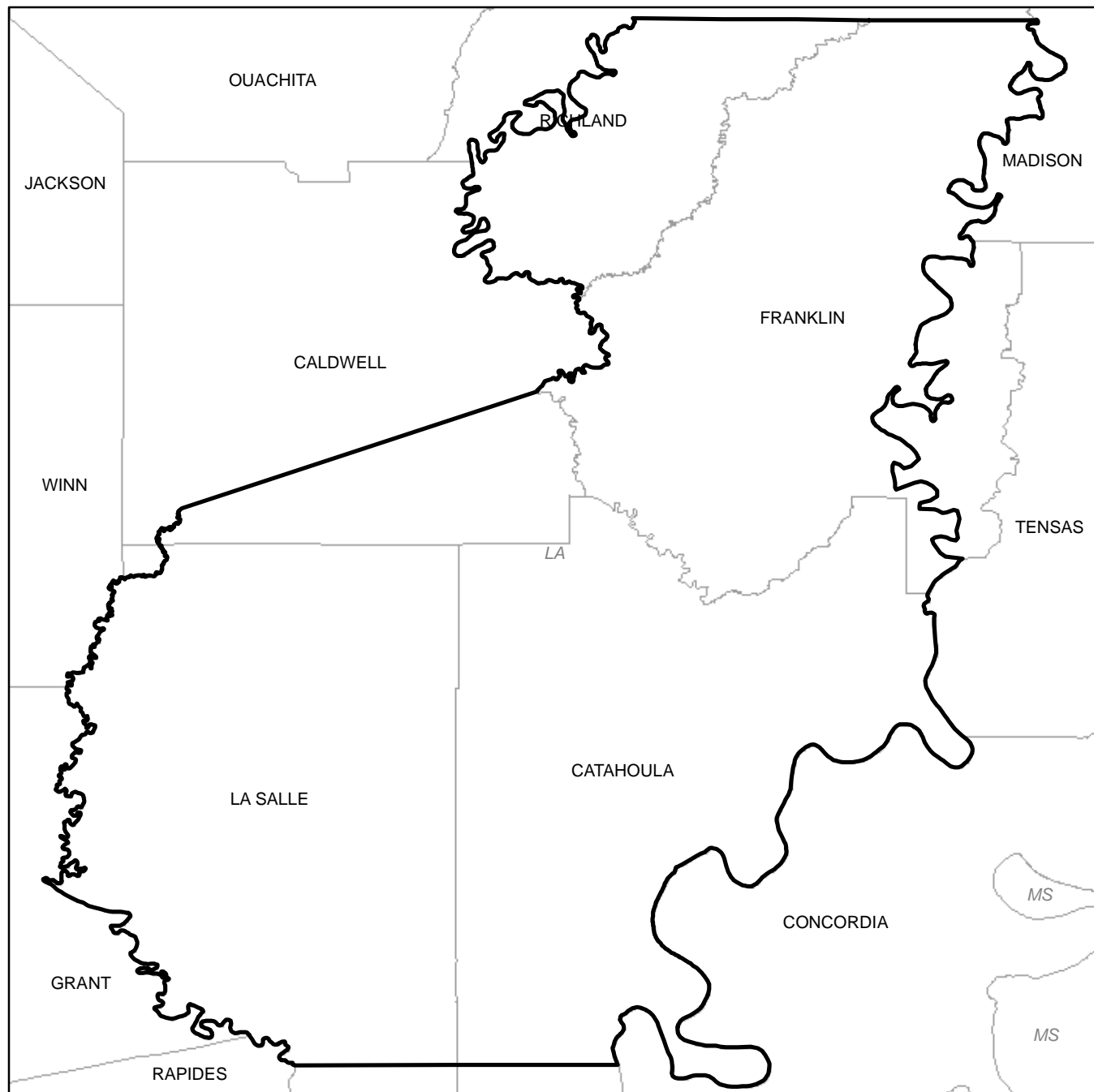
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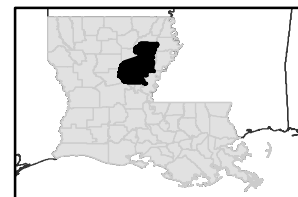
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CATAHOULA gained from OUACHITA and RAPIDES.

2,081 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1812-1813, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp.138-140)





CATAHOULA

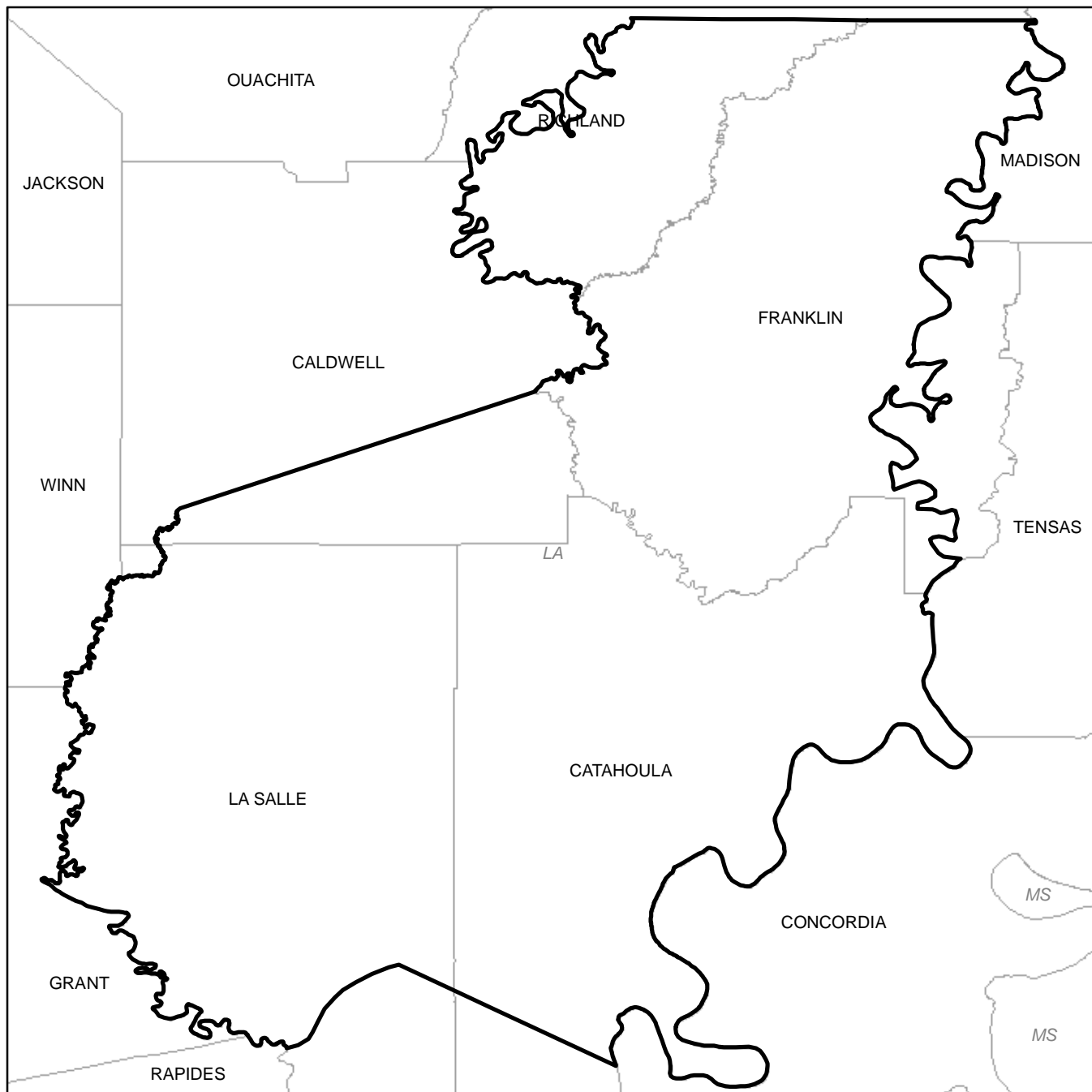
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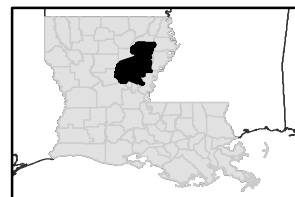
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CATAHOULA lost to AVOYELLES.

2,019 sq. mi.

(La. Act. 1818, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., p. 10)





CATAHOULA

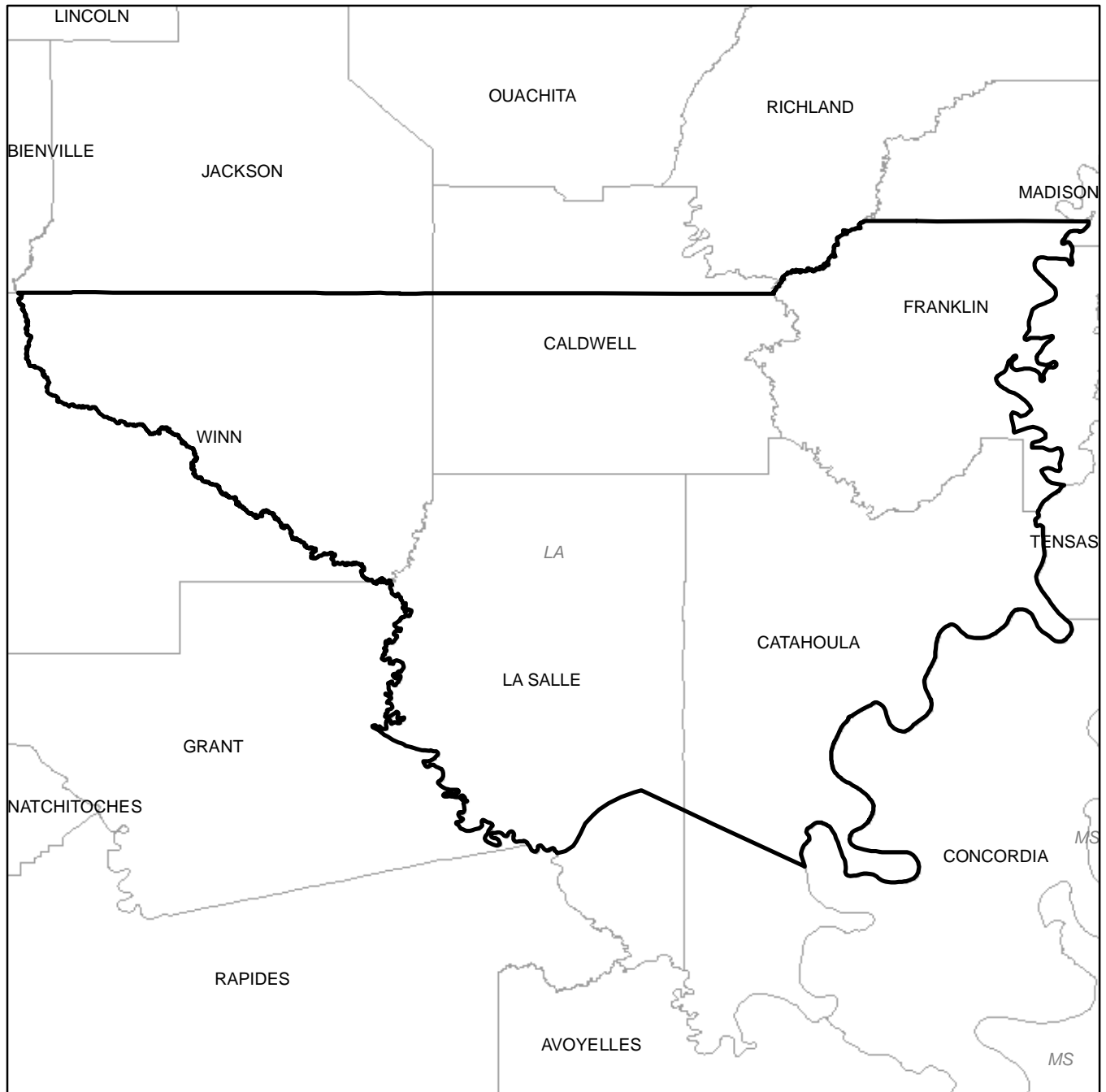
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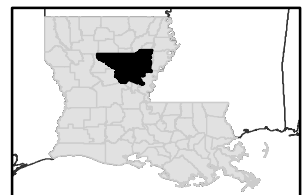
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CATAHOULA exchanged with OUACHITA.

2,379 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1830, 9th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 36)





CATAHOULA

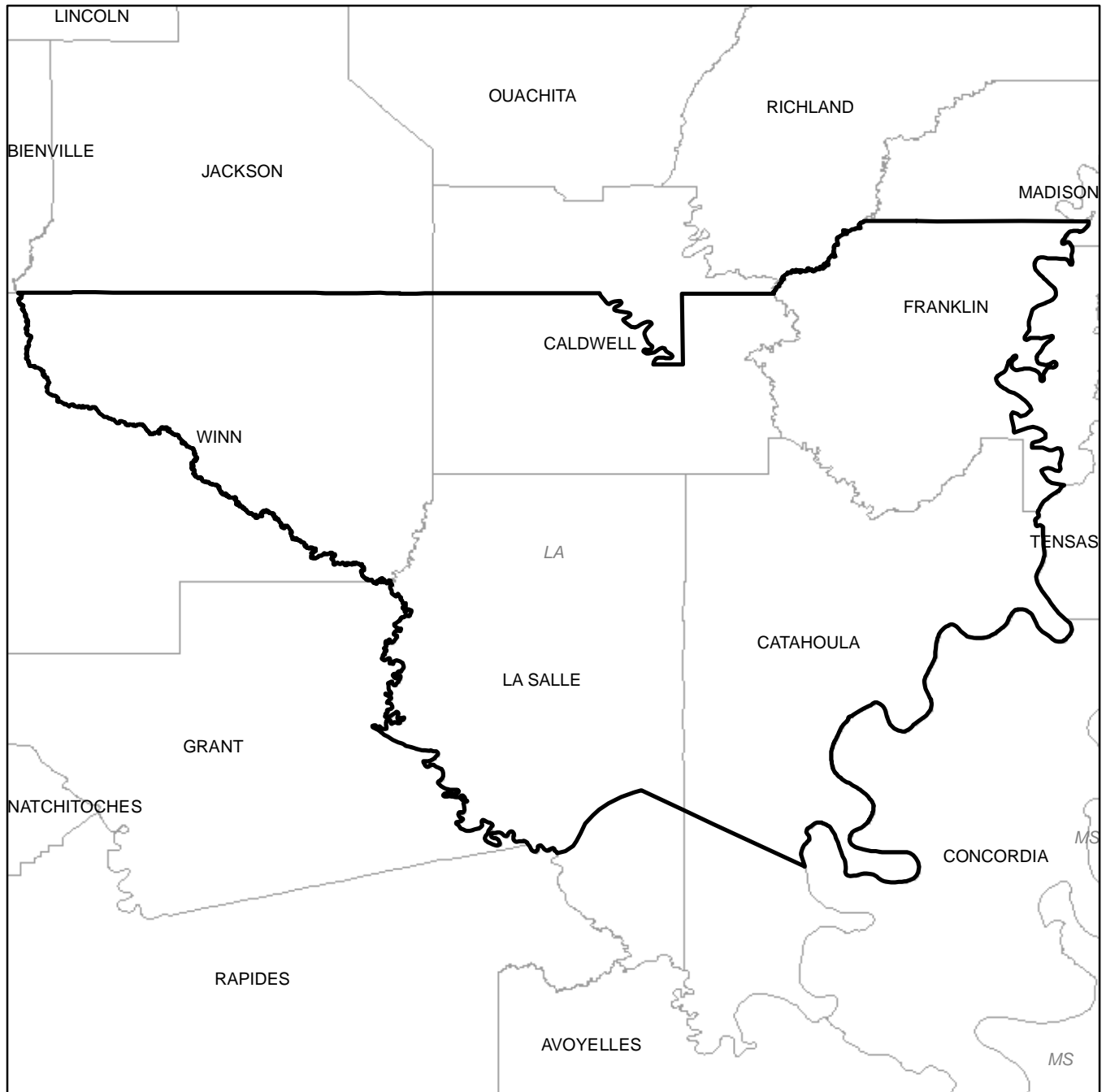
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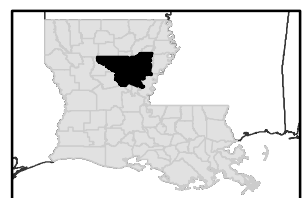
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CATAHOULA lost to OUACHITA.

2,360 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1833, 11th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 122)





CATAHOULA

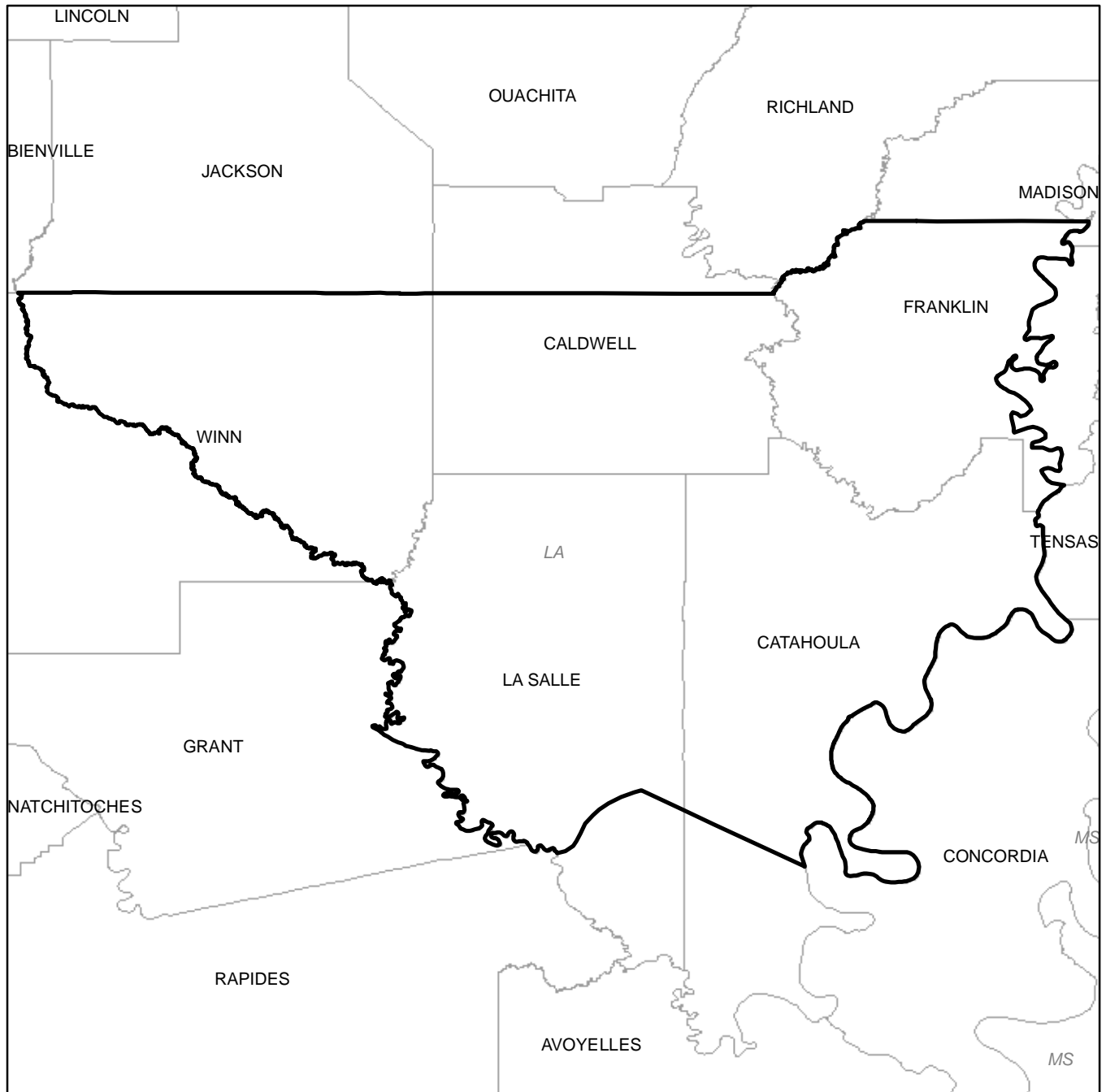
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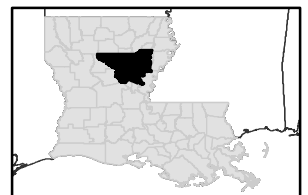
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CATAHOULA gained from OUACHITA.

2,379 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1835, 12 Leg., 1st sess., p. 160)





CATAHOULA

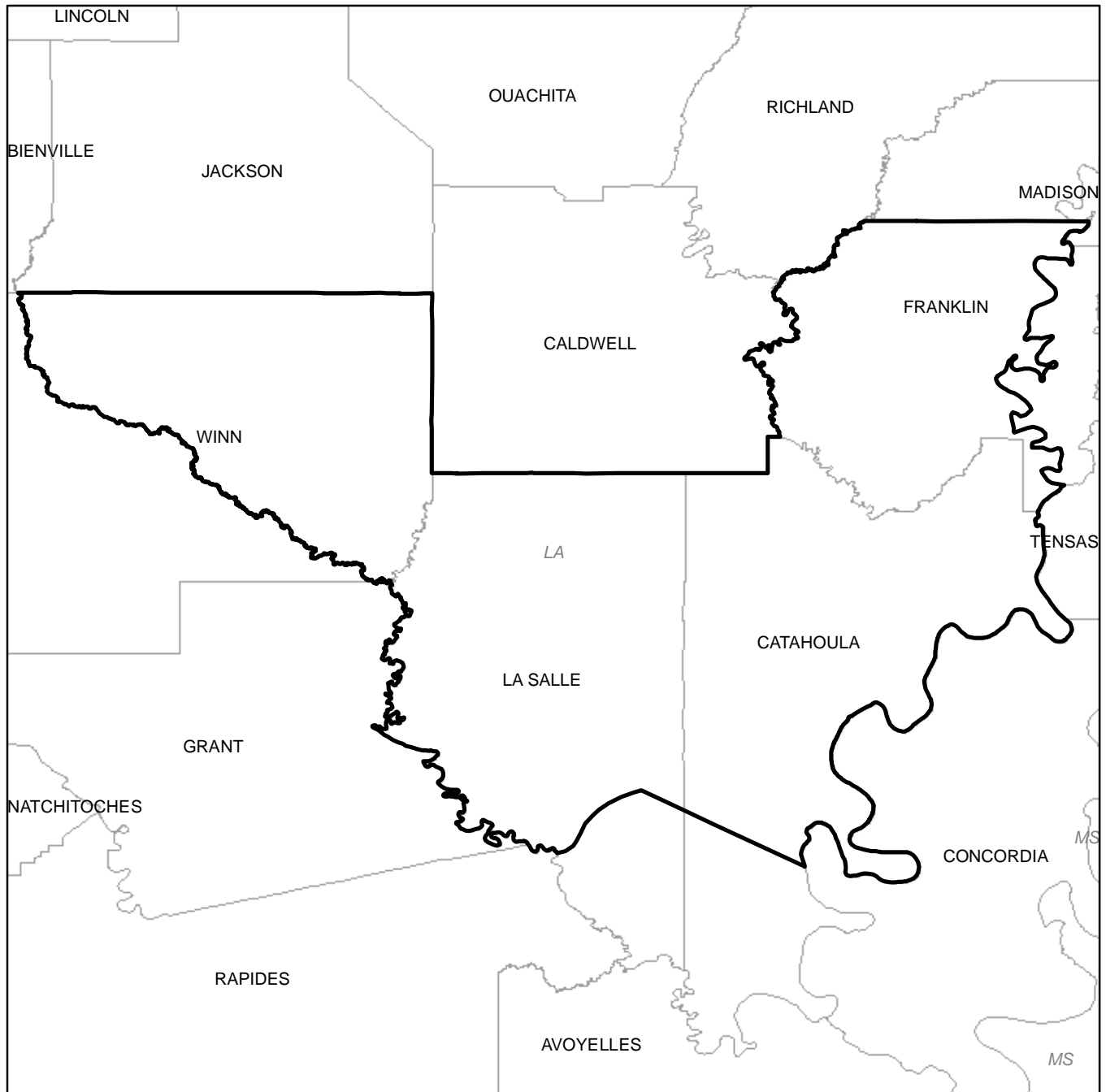
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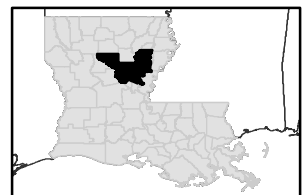
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CATAHOULA lost to creation of CALDWELL.

2,013 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 38-41)





CATAHOULA

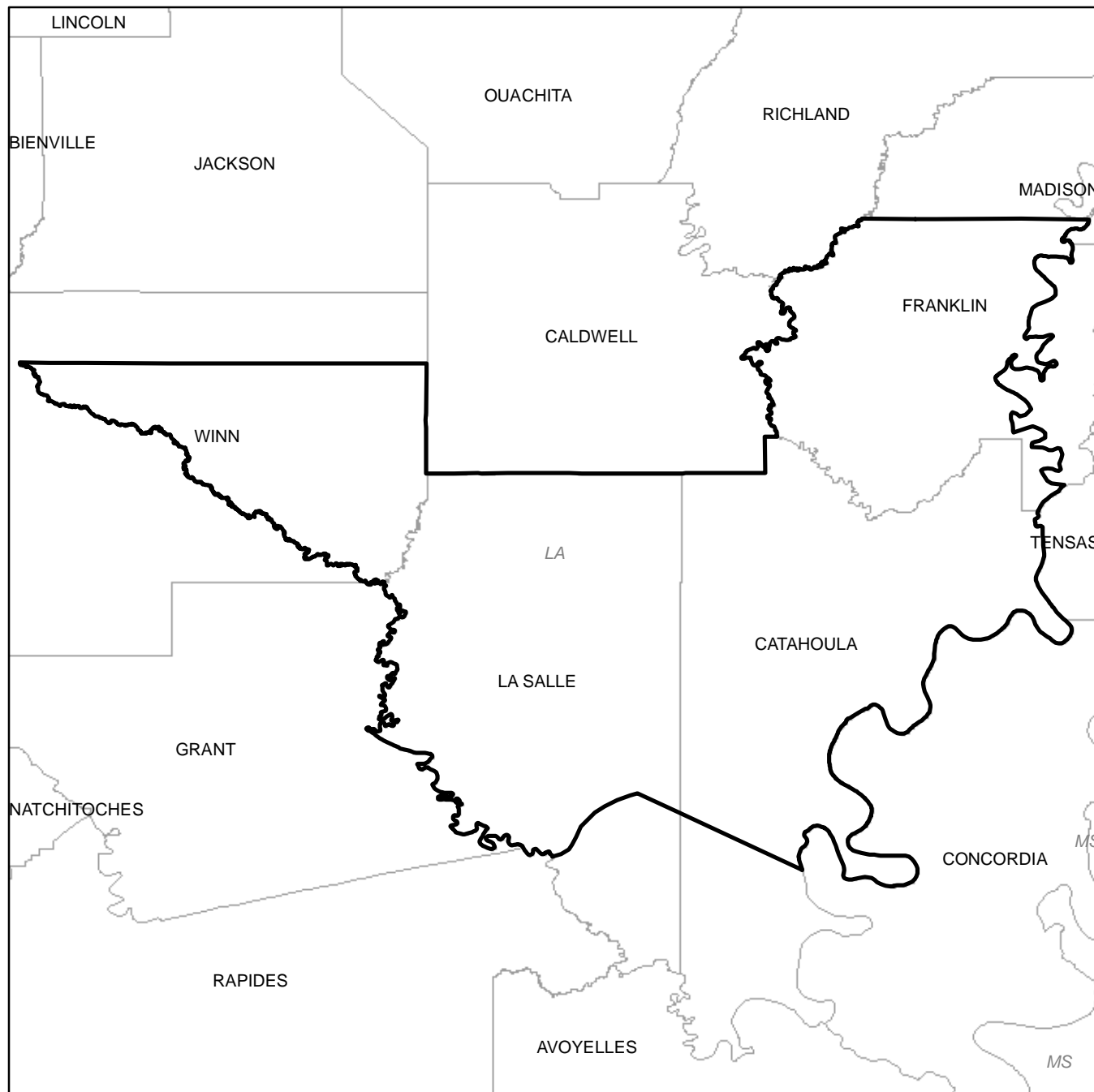
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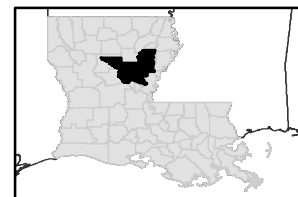
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CATAHOULA lost to OUACHITA.

1,840 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 1st sess., p. 10-11)





CATAHOULA

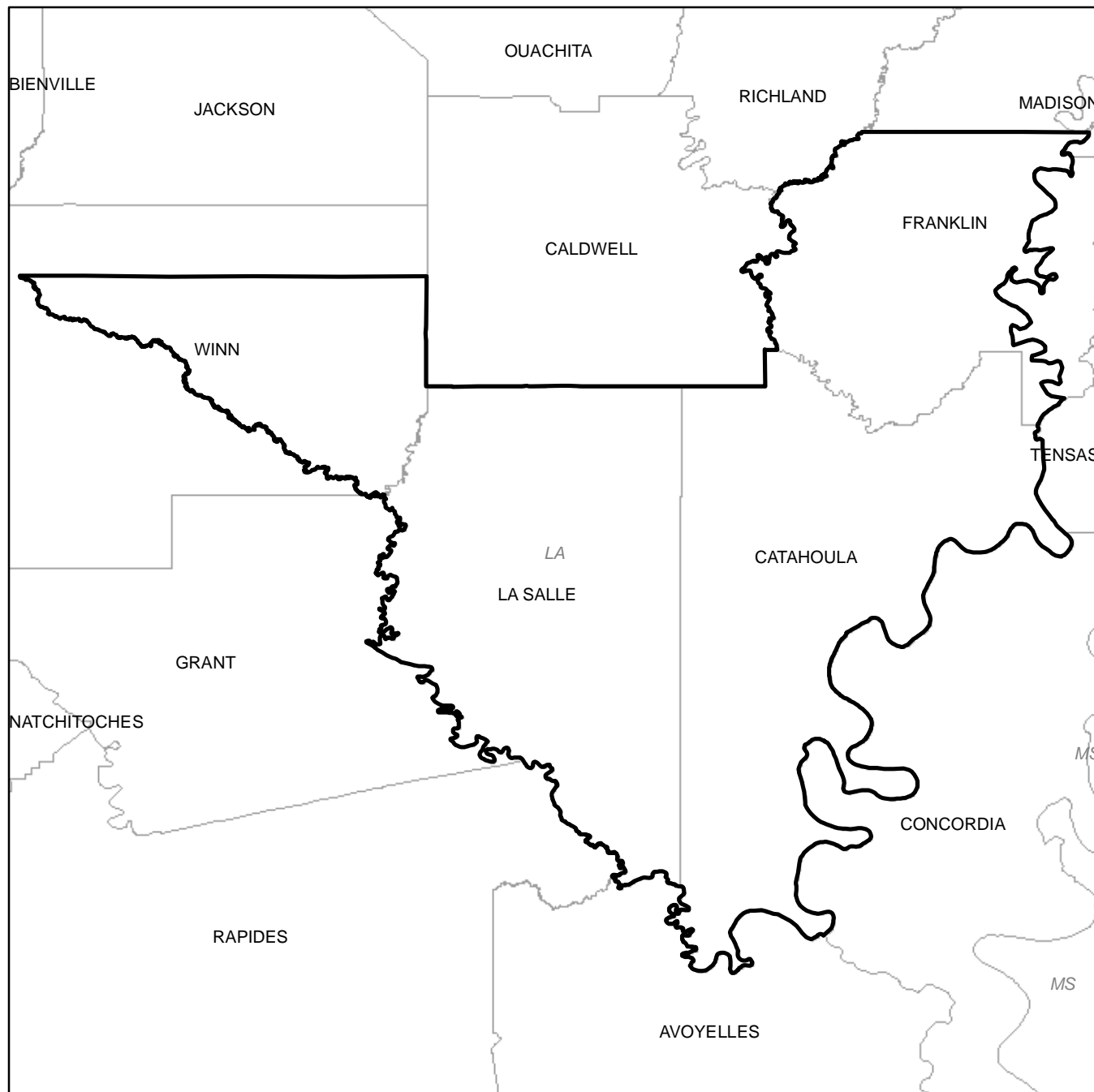
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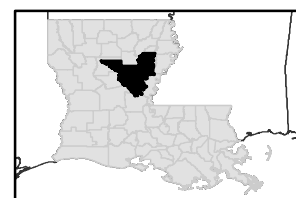
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CATAHOULA gained from AVOYELLES.

2,081 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 106-108)





CATAHOULA

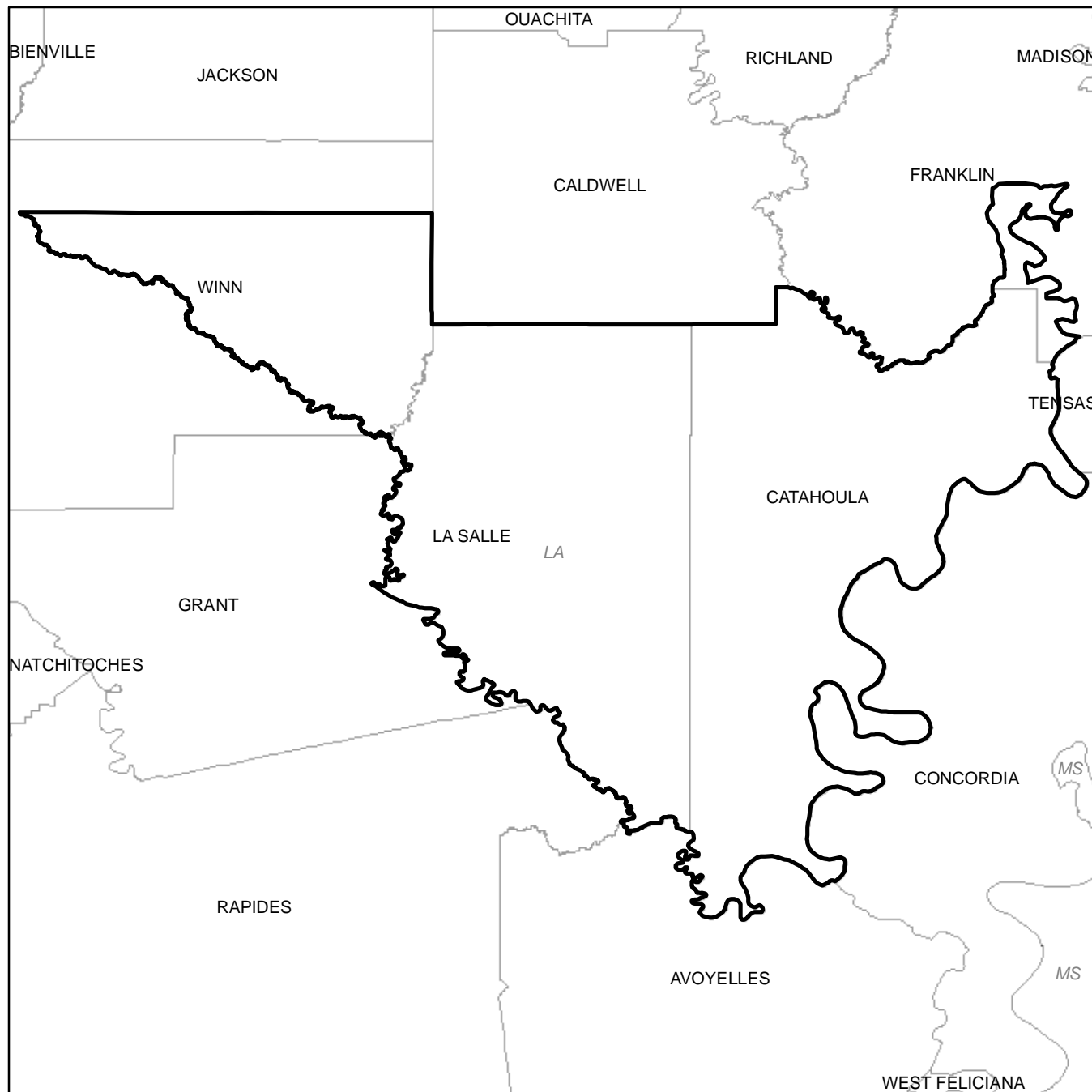
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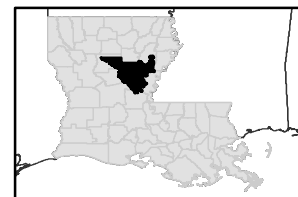
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CATAHOULA lost to creation of FRANKLIN.

1,732 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 22-24)





CATAHOULA

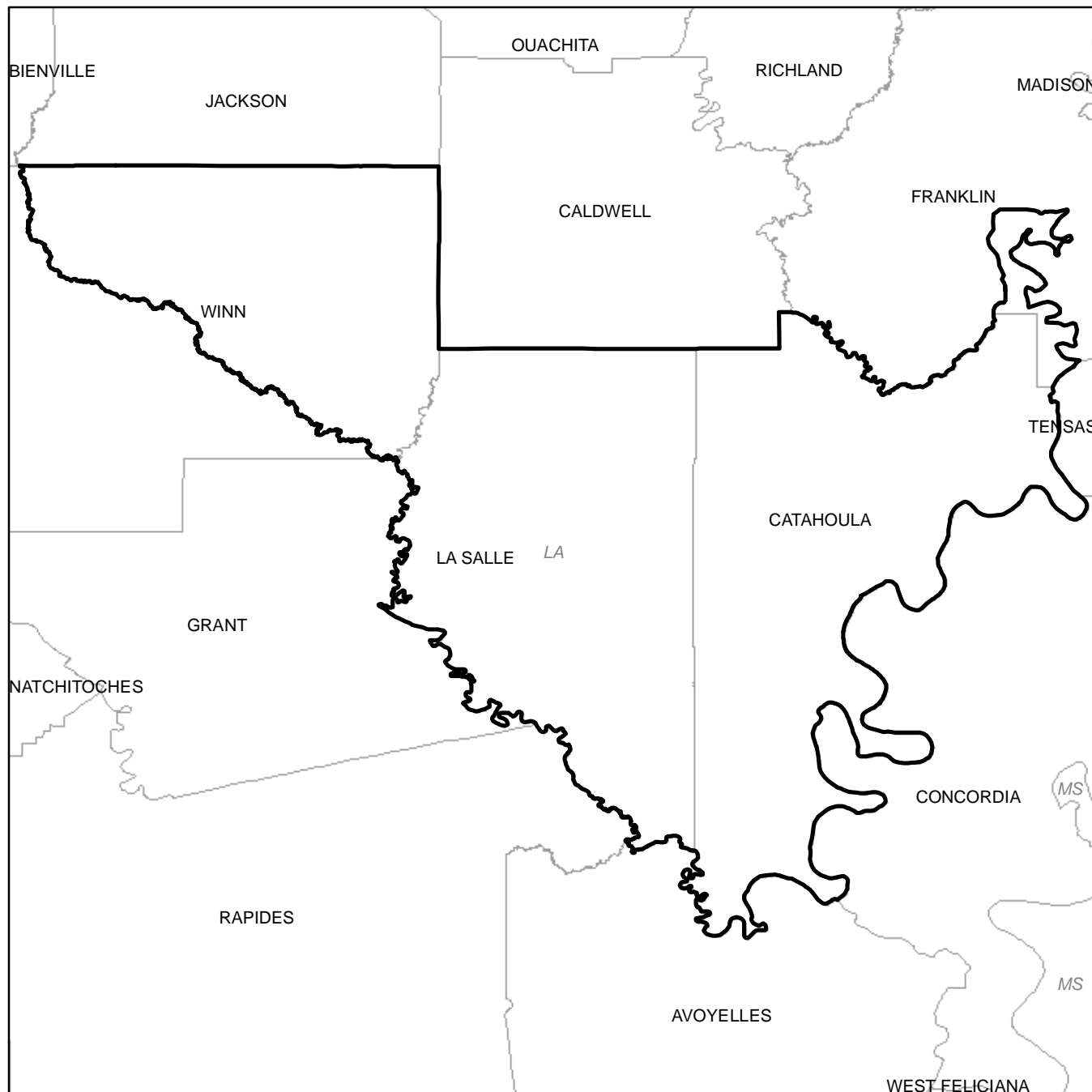
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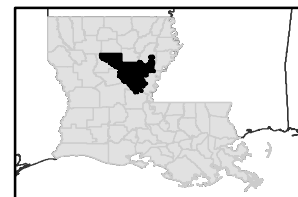
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CATAHOULA gained from OUACHITA.

1,905 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1845, 17th Leg., 1st sess., p. 68)





CATAHOULA

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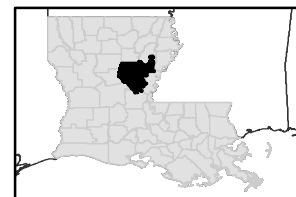
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CATAHOULA lost to creation of WINN, and lost very small areas along the Dugdemona River to RAPIDES.

1,440 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 67-69)





CATAHOULA

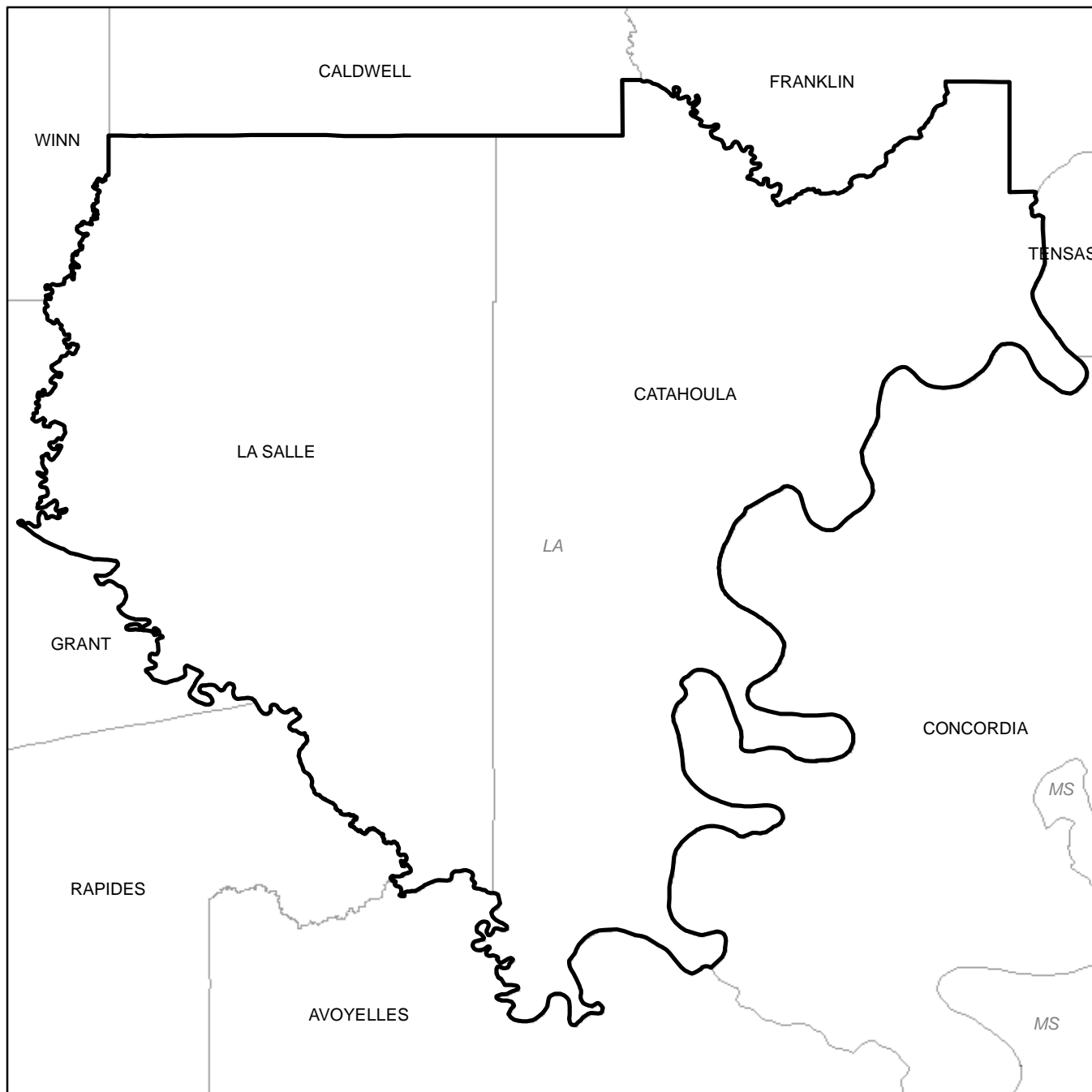
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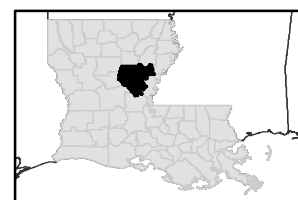
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CATAHOULA lost to FRANKLIN.

1,402 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1878, 5th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 64-65)





CATAHOULA

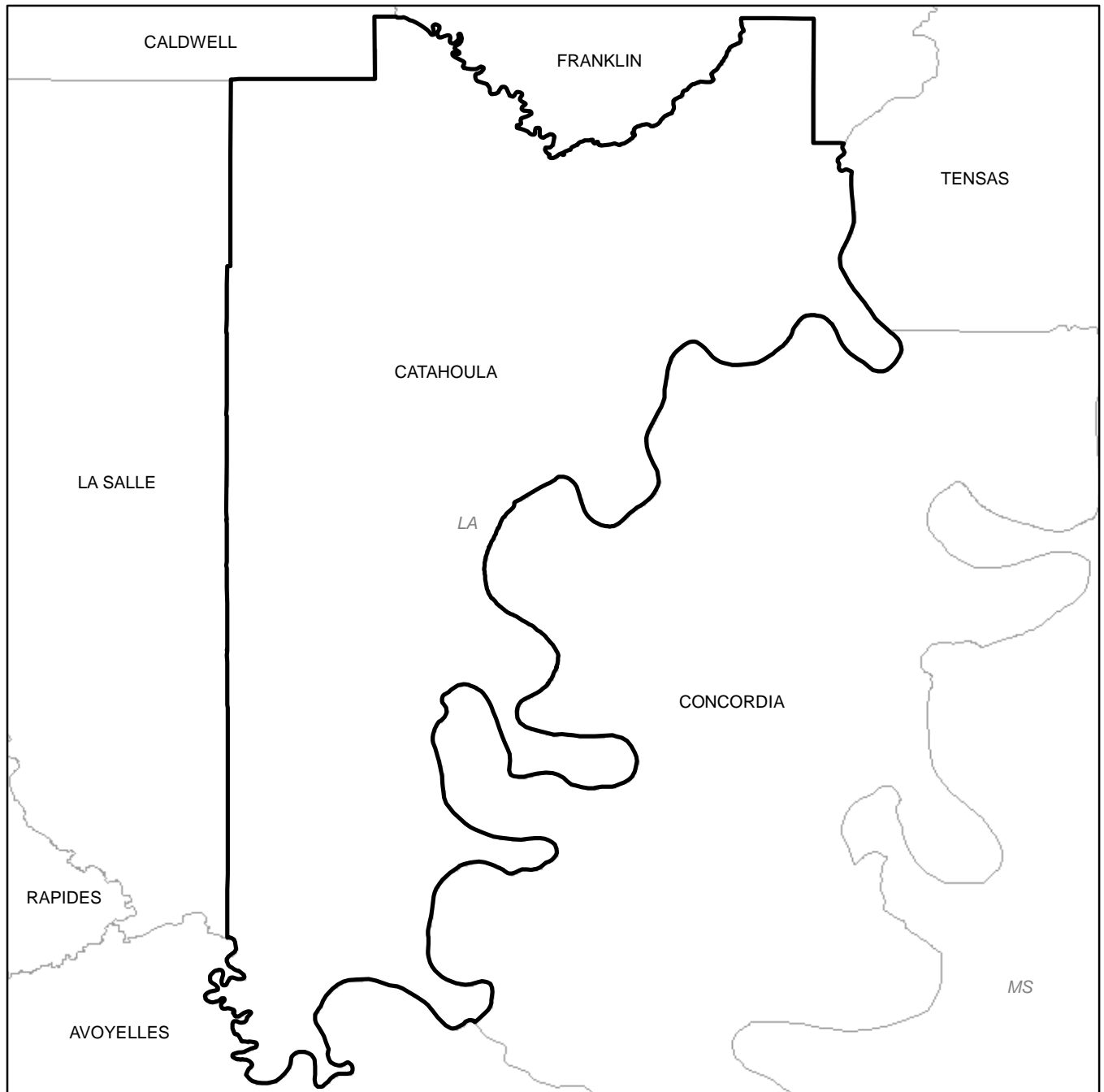
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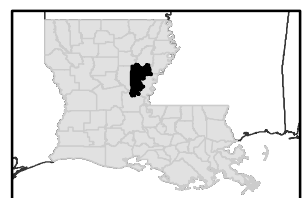
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CATAHOULA lost to creation of LA SALLE.

739 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1908, Reg. Sess., pp. 244-250)





CLAIBORNE

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3/13/1828 - 2/5/1841

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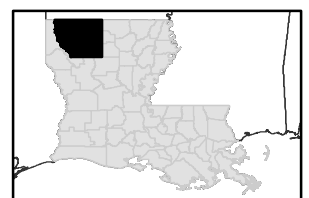
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CLAIBORNE created from NATCHITOCHES and OUACHITA.

3,407 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1828, 8th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 70-76)





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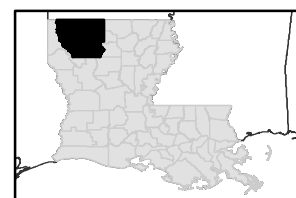
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CLAIBORNE exchanged with OUACHITA.

3,326 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 1st sess., p. 10-11)





CLAIBORNE

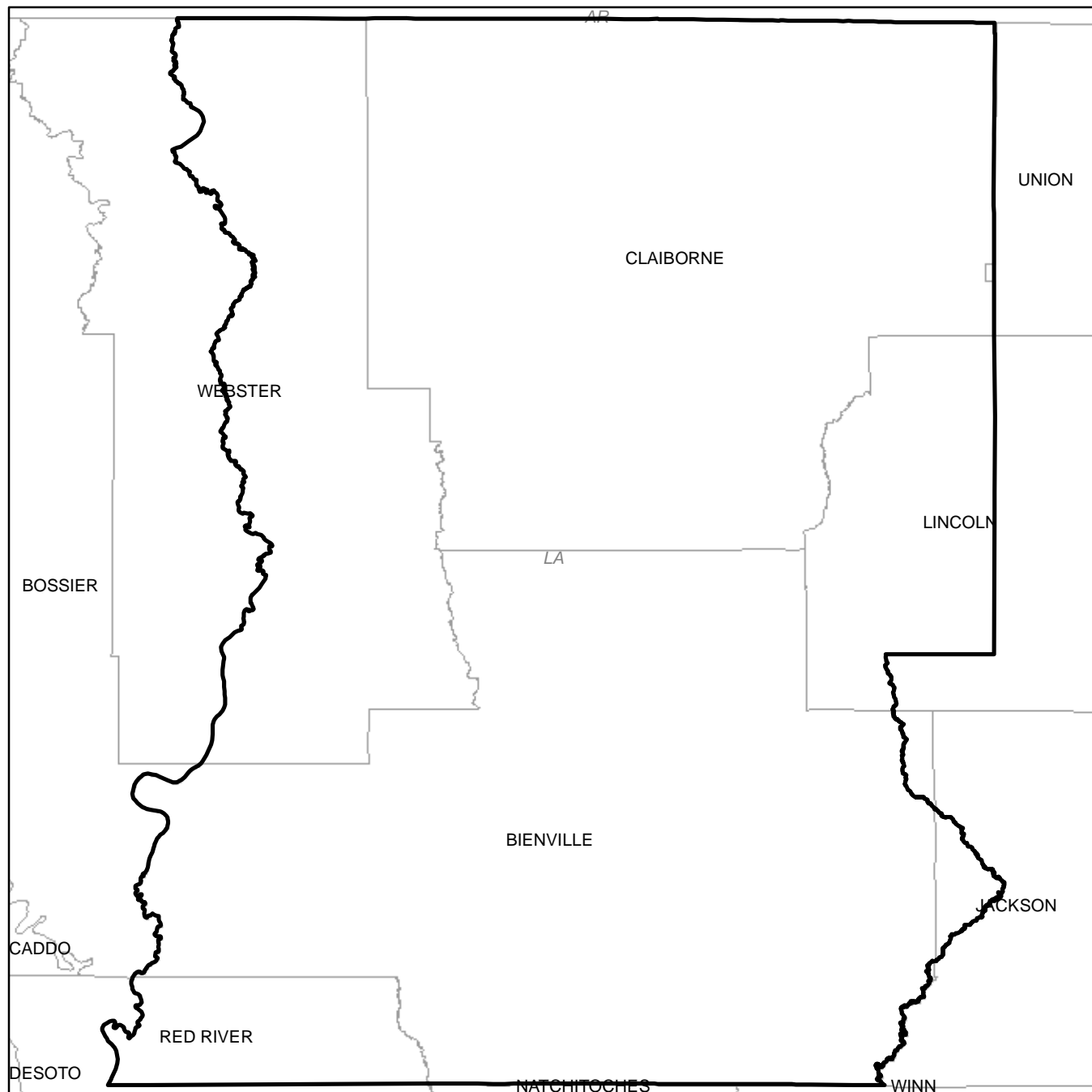
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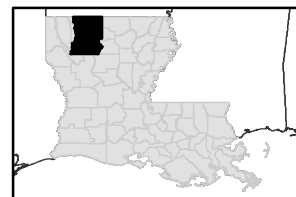
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CLAIBORNE lost to creation of BOSSIER.

2,194 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 17-19)





CLAIBORNE

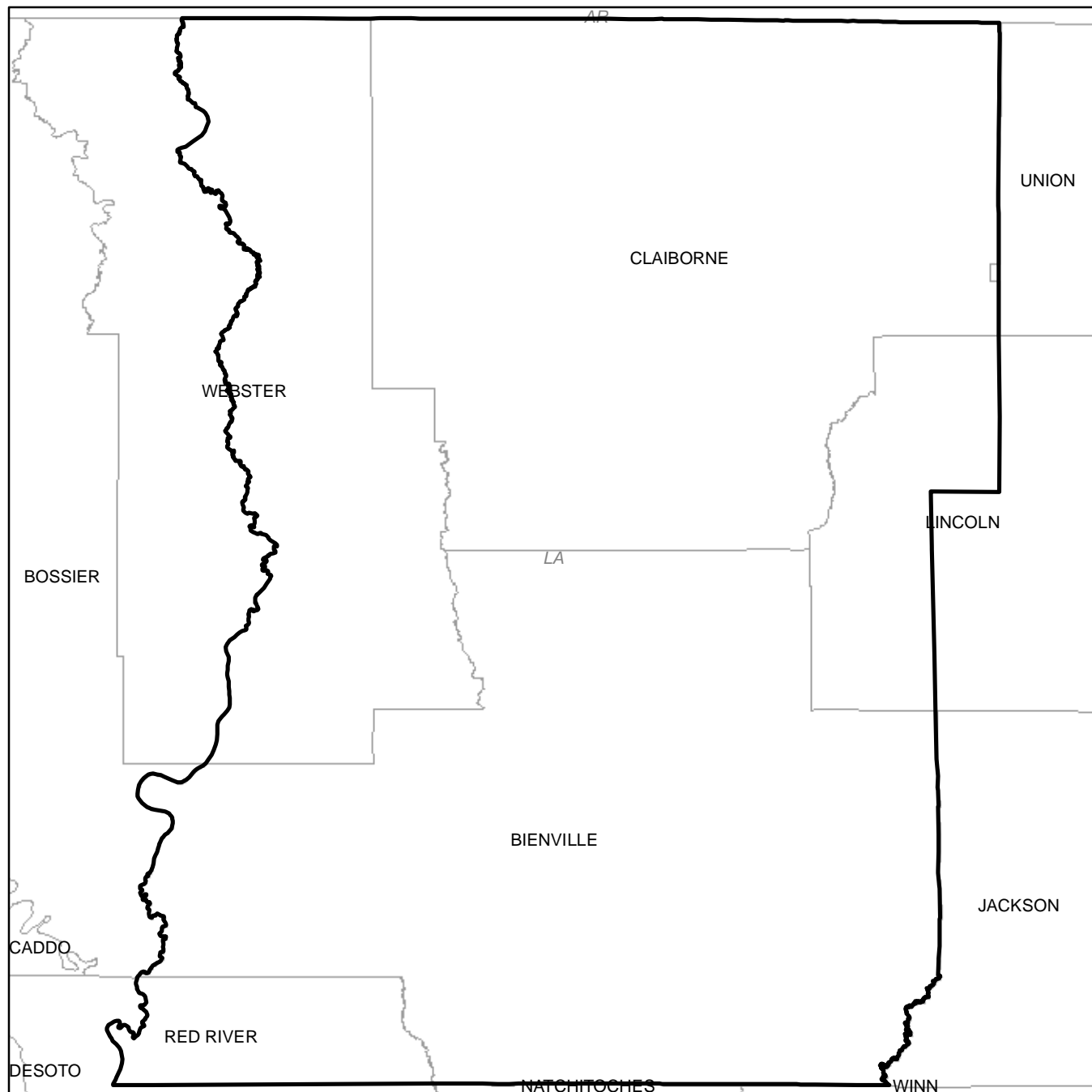
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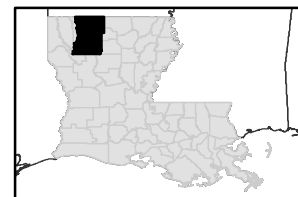
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CLAIBORNE lost to creation of JACKSON.

2,163 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1845, 17th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 16-19)





CLAIBORNE

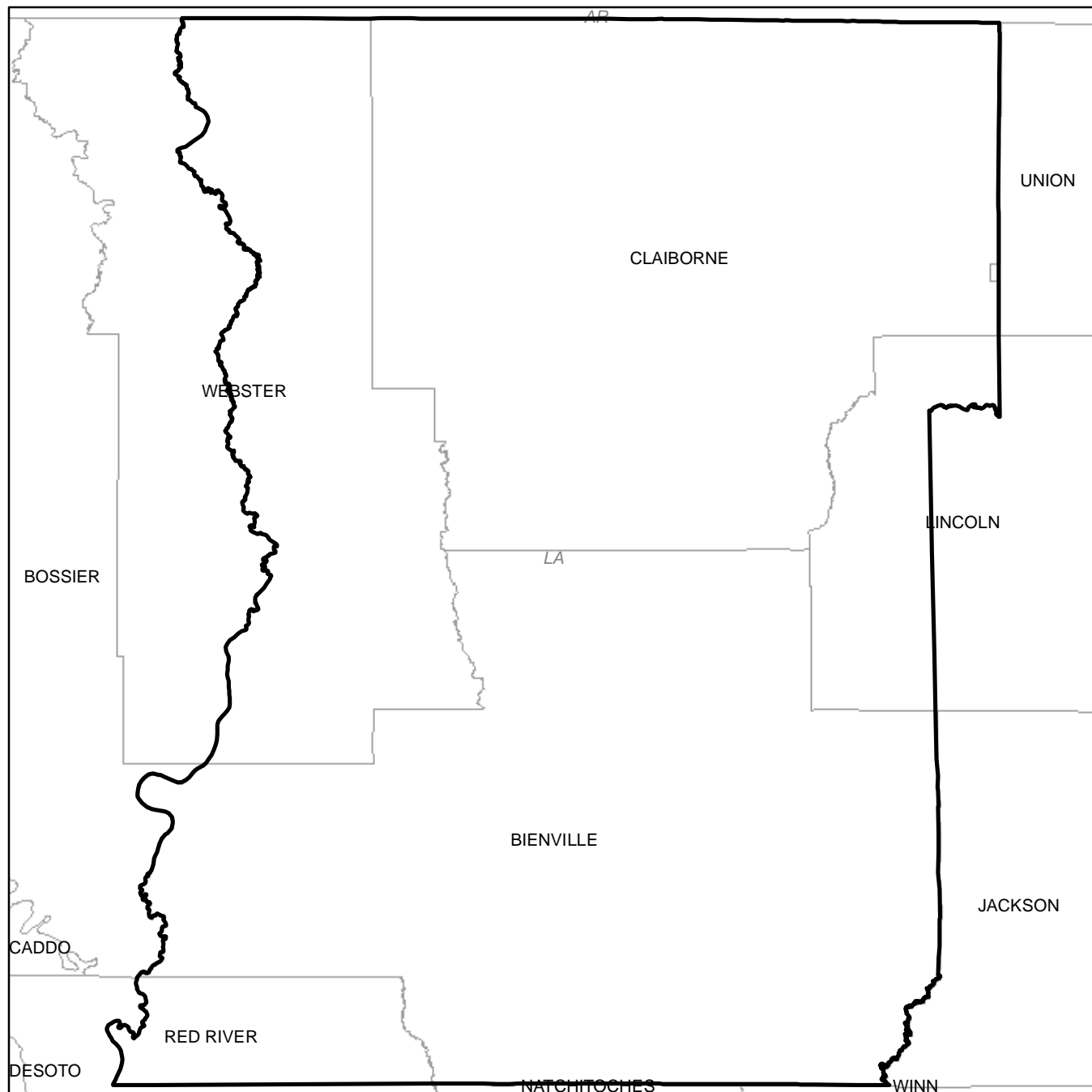
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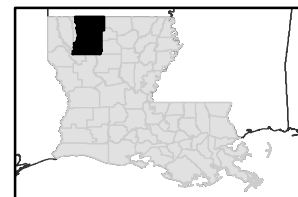
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CLAIBORNE lost to JACKSON.

2,148 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1846, 1st Leg., 1st sess., pp. 159-160)





CLAIBORNE

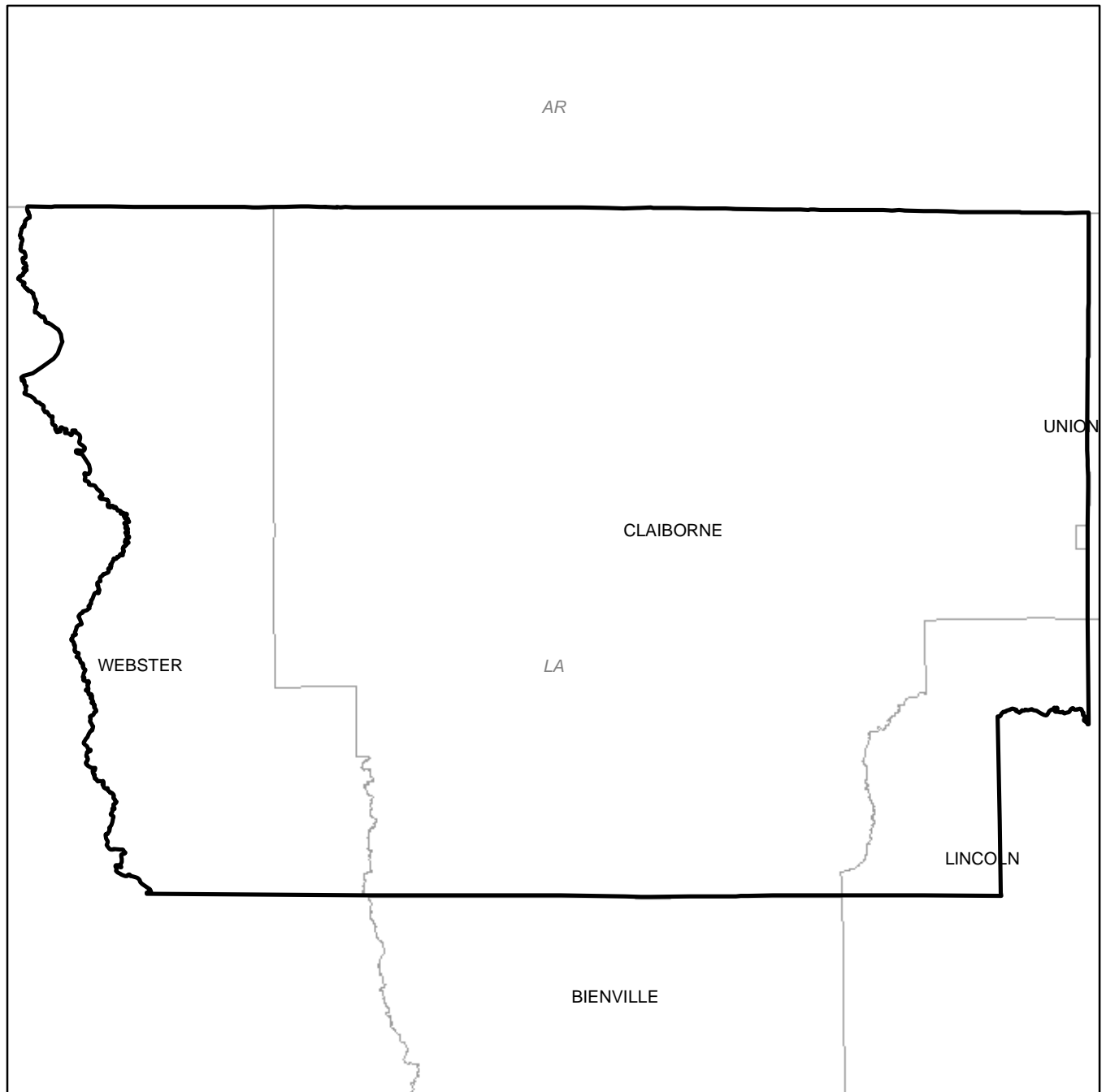
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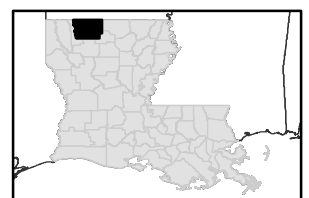
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CLAIBORNE lost to creation of BIENVILLE.

1,074 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1848, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 118-121)





CLAIBORNE

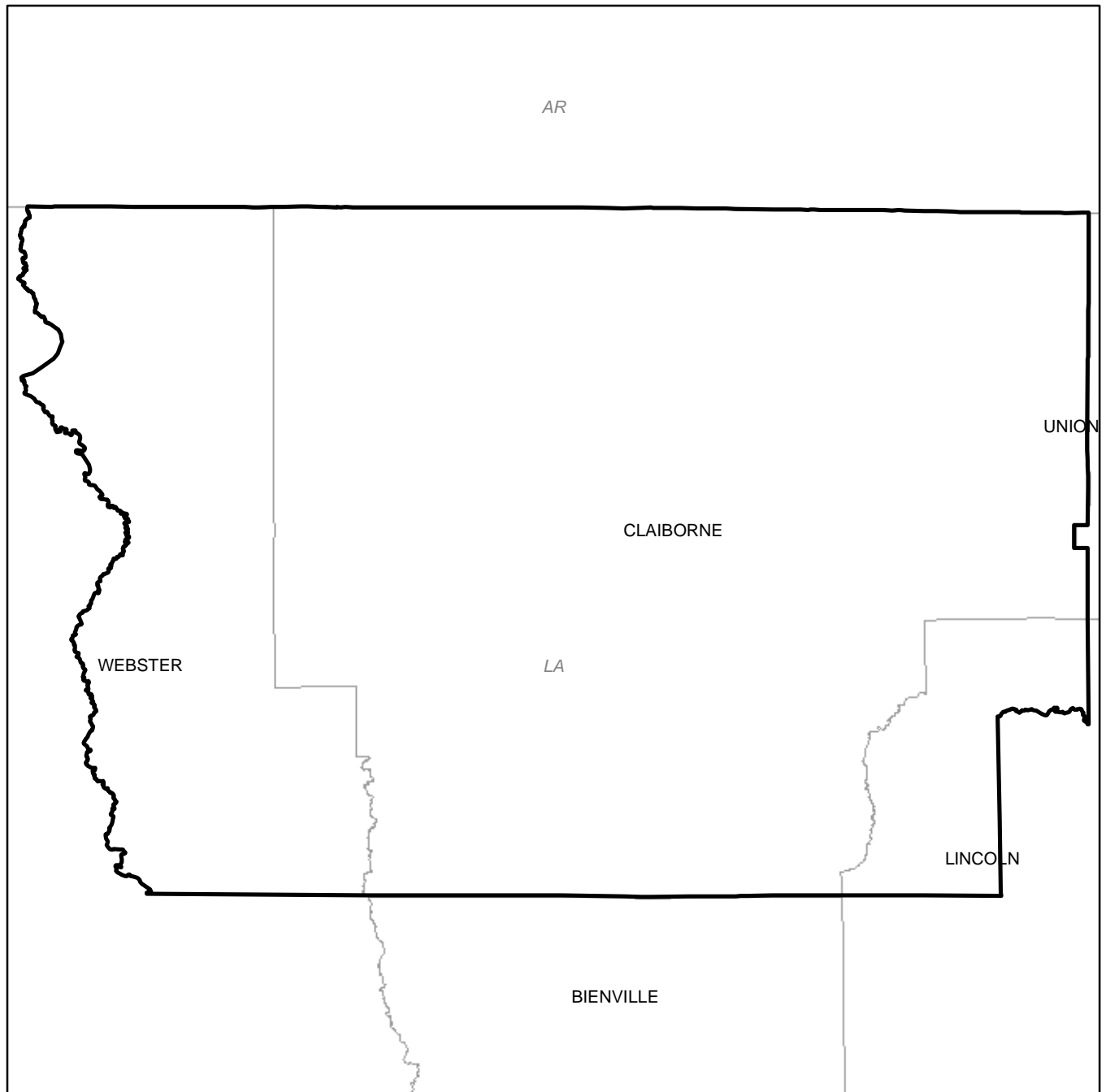
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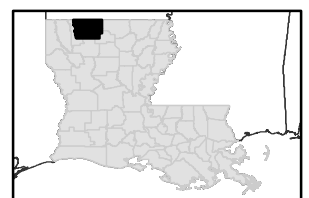
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CLAIBORNE lost to UNION.

1,073 sq. mi.

(La. Laws 1867, 2nd Leg., 2nd sess., p. 201)





CLAIBORNE

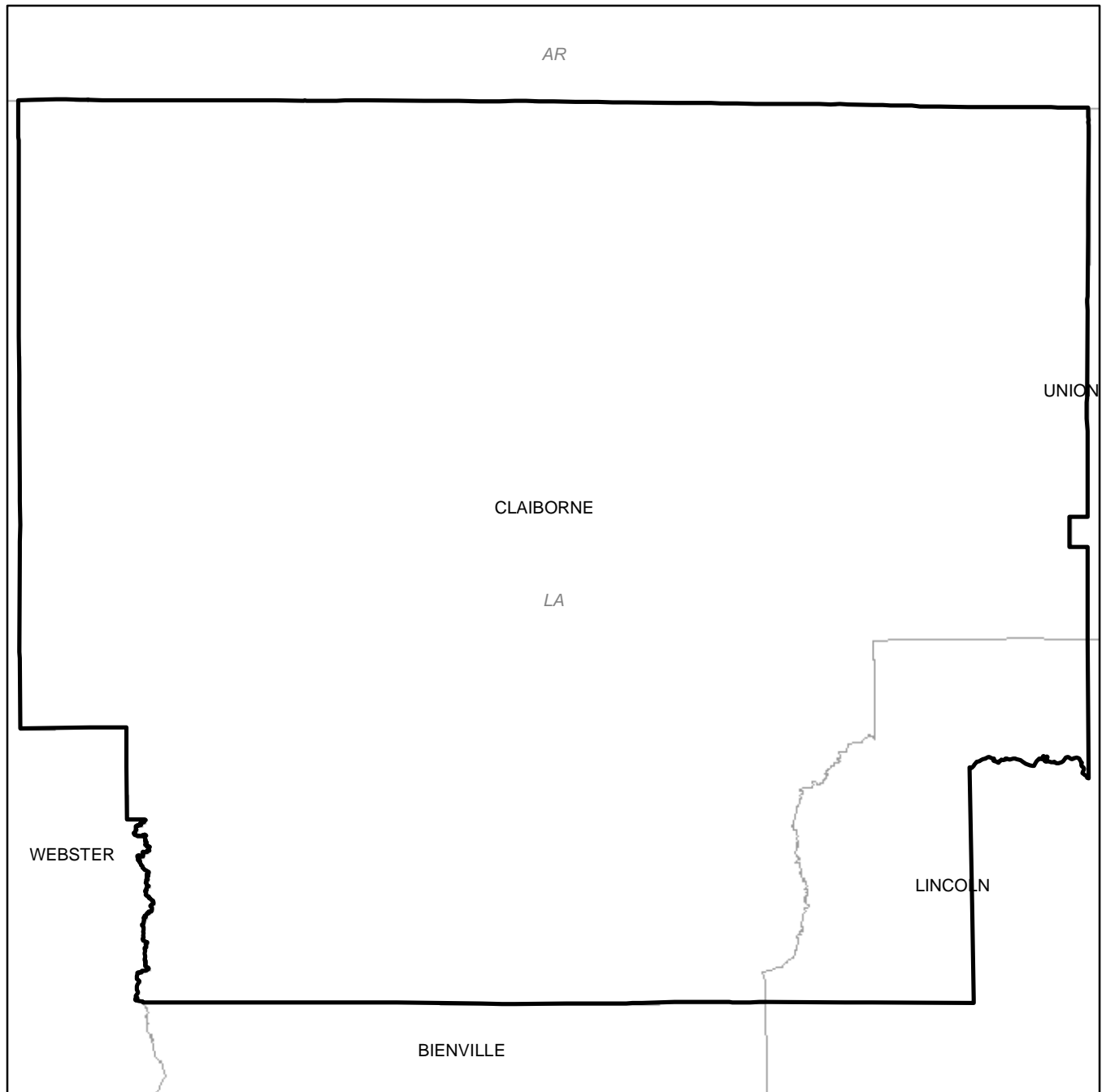
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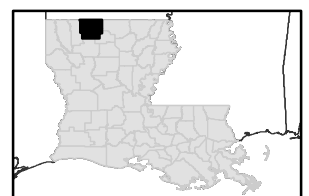
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CLAIBORNE lost to creation of WEBSTER.

832 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 59-68)





CLAIBORNE

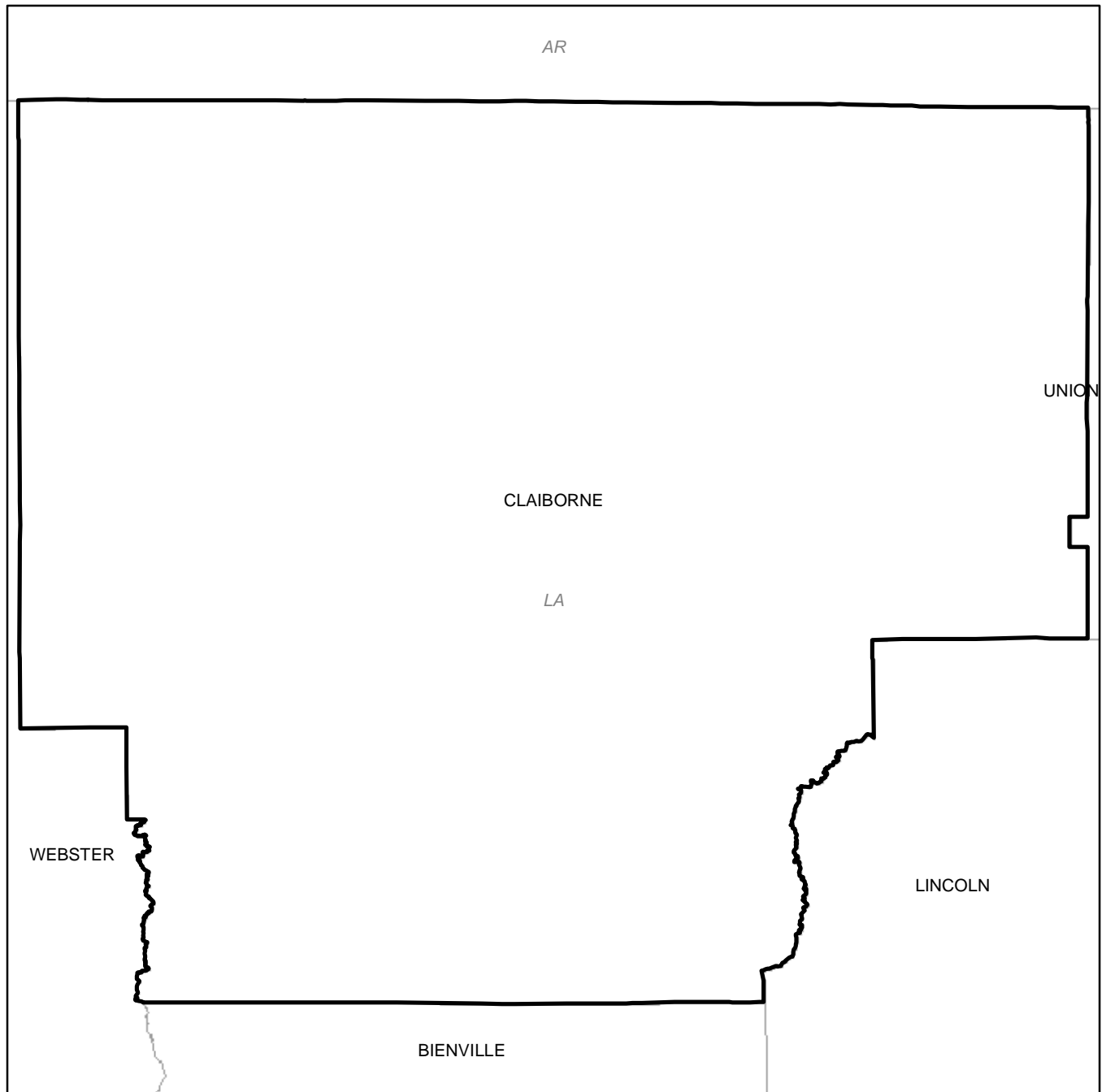
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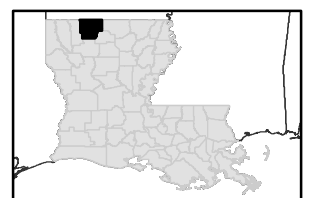
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CLAIBORNE lost to creation of LINCOLN.

768 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1873, 3rd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 67-70)





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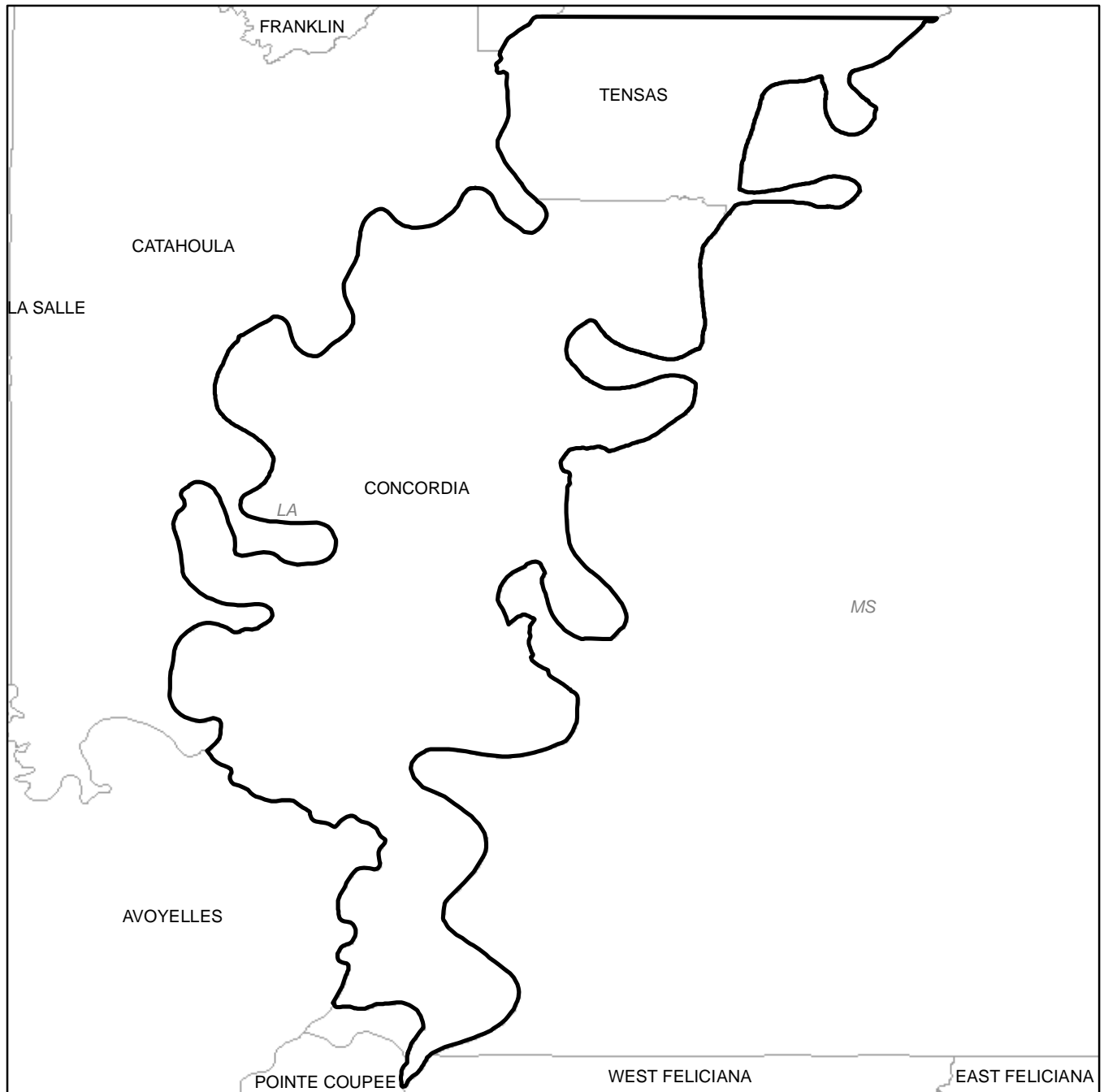
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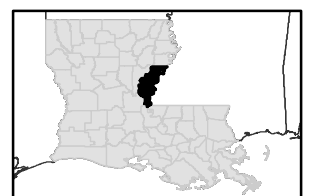
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CONCORDIA Parish created within Concordia County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)

930 sq. mi.





CONCORDIA

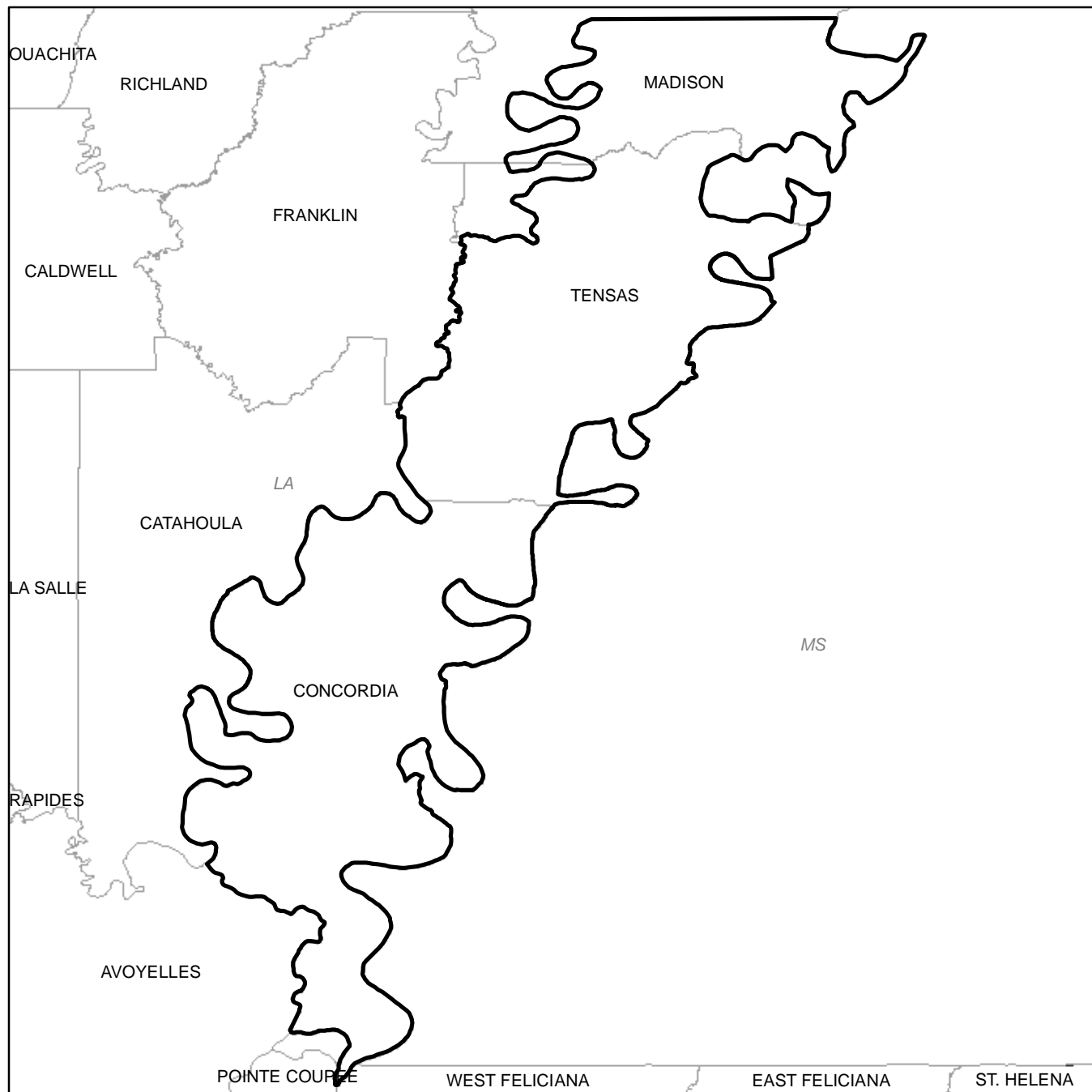
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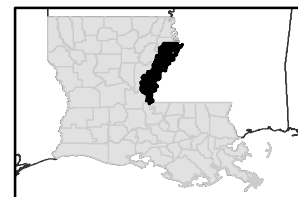
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CONCORDIA gained from OUACHITA.

1,634 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts. 1809, 2nd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 22/p. 54)





CONCORDIA

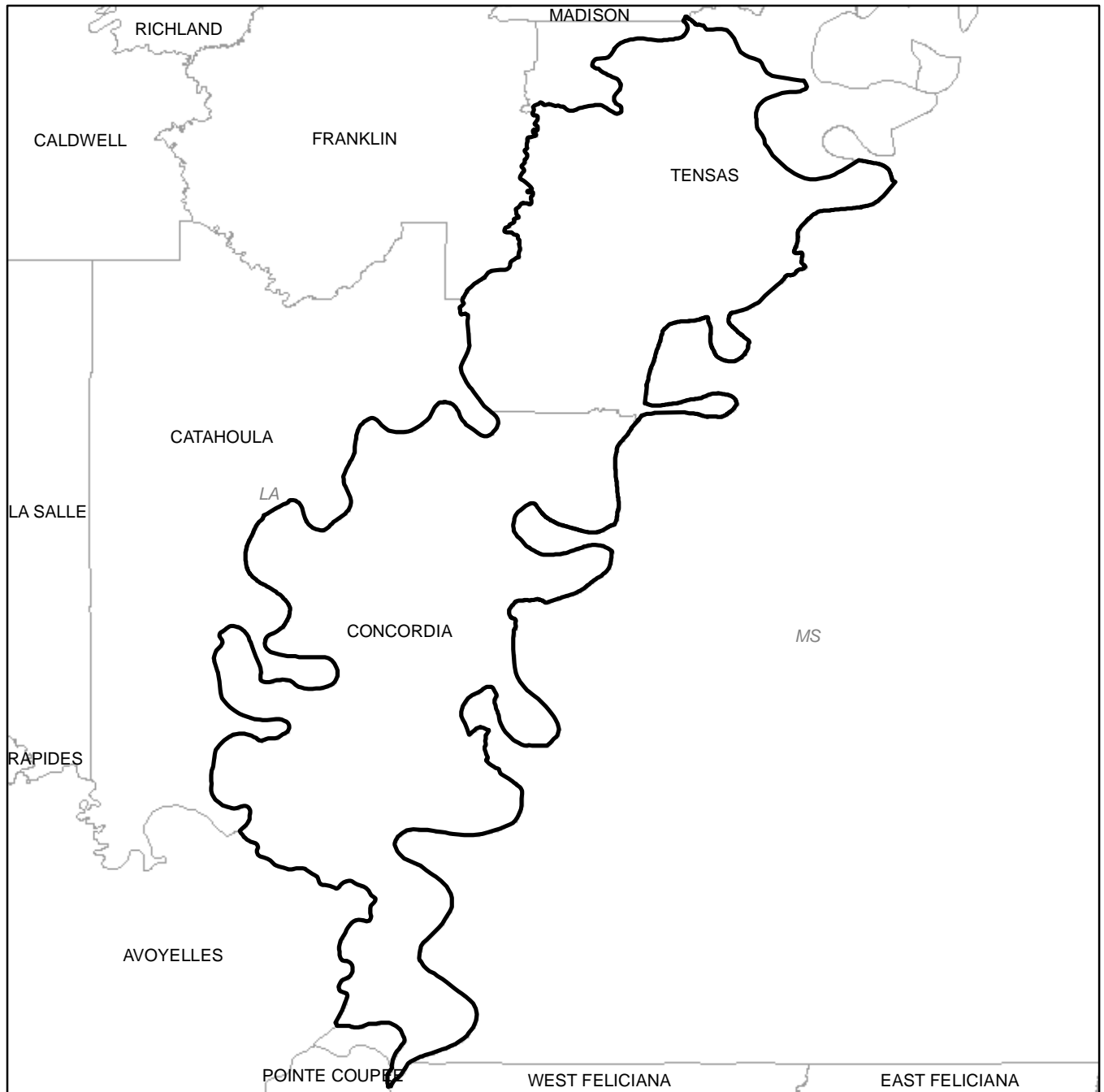
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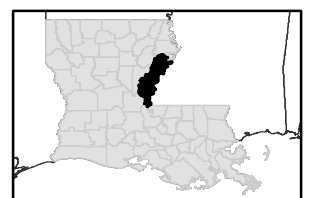
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CONCORDIA lost to creation of WARREN (extinct).

1,243 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 10/pp. 34-40)





CONCORDIA

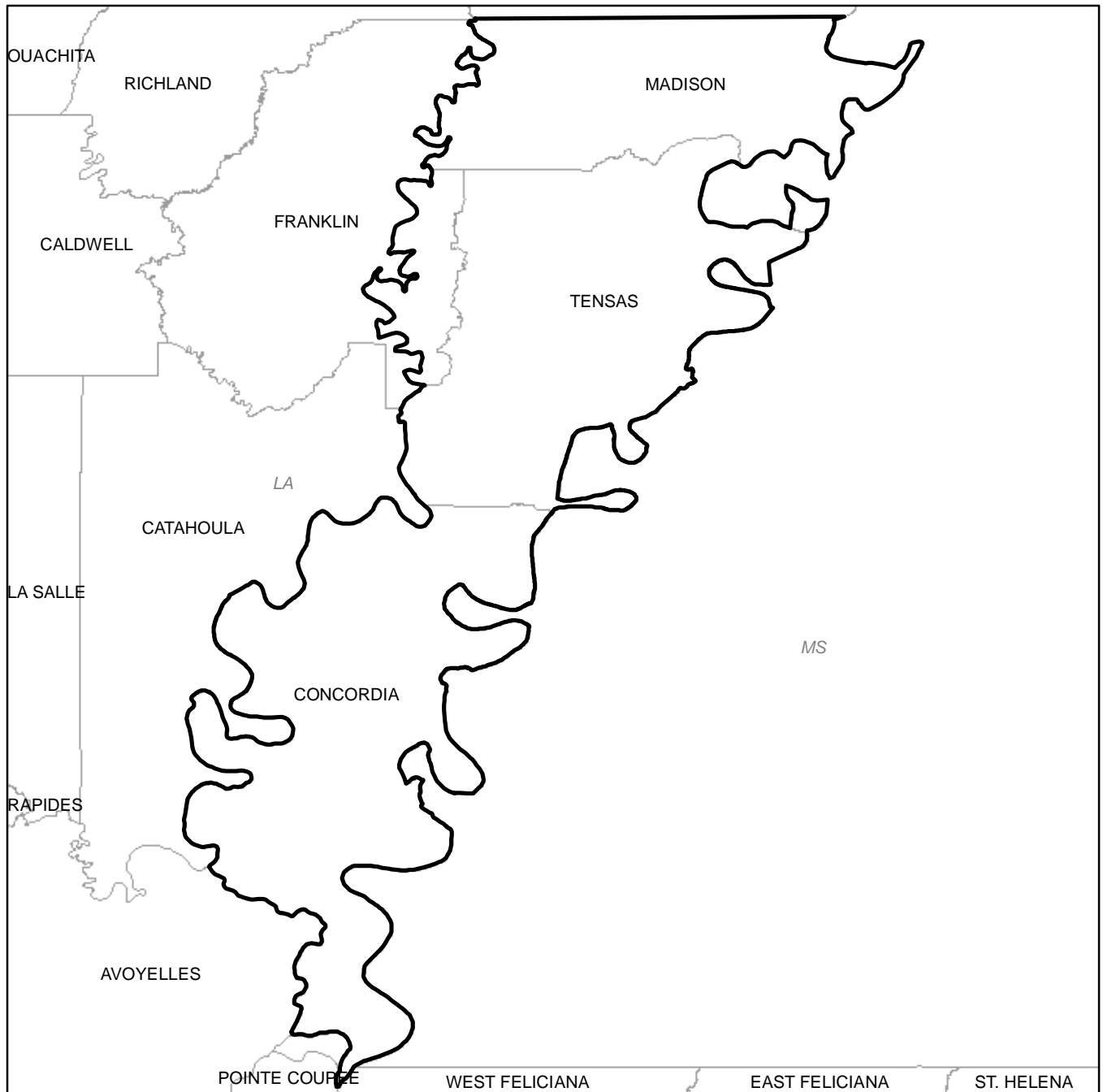
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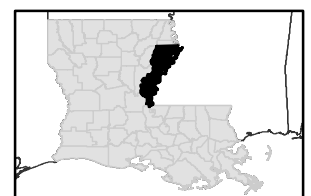
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CONCORDIA gained from WARREN (extinct).

1,897 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1812-1813, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., p.140)





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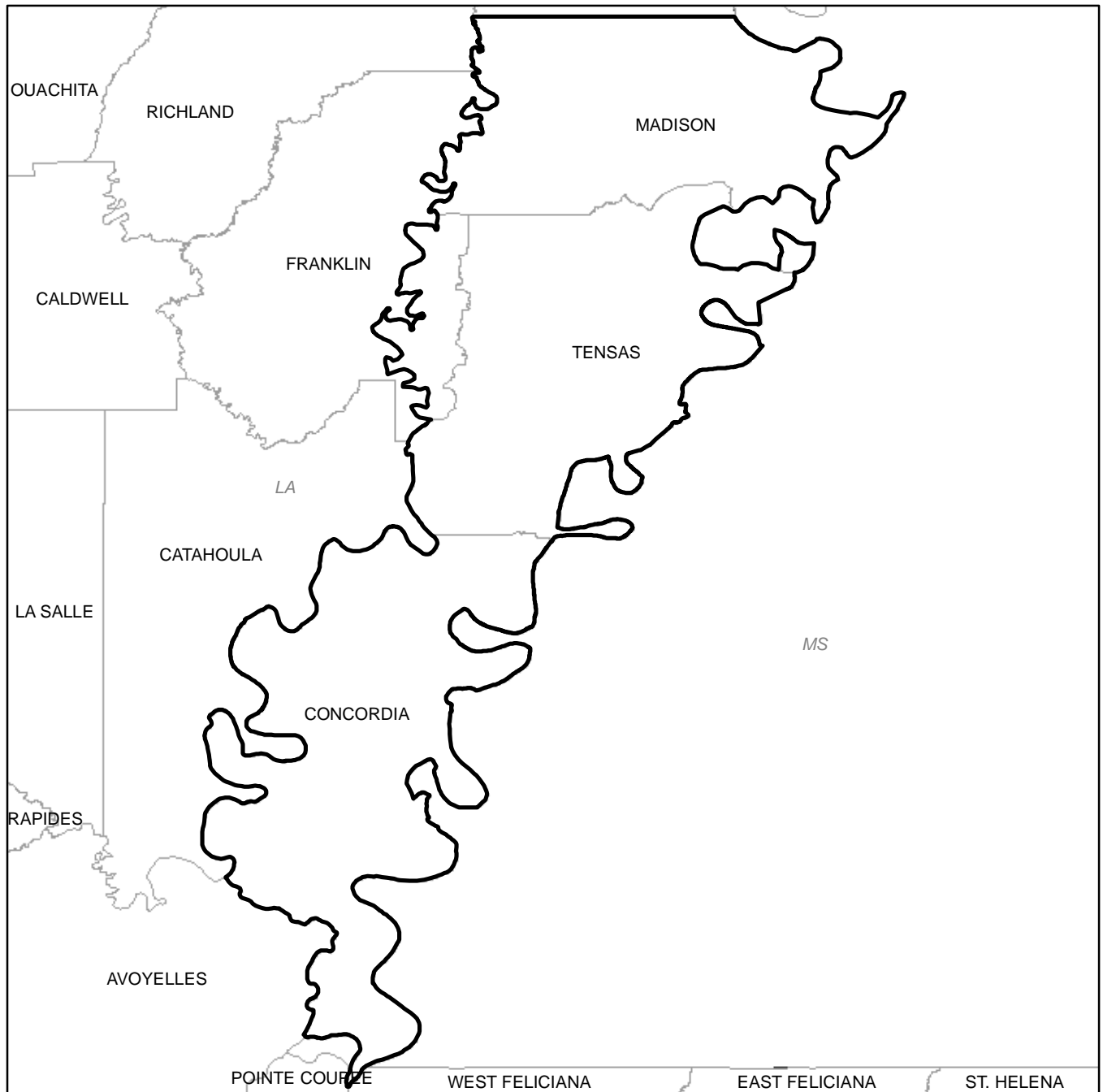
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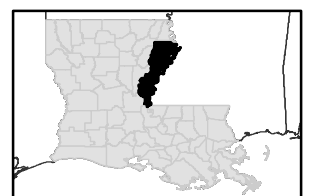
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CONCORDIA gained the portion of WARREN (extinct) lying south of the upper line of John Milliken's plantation; WARREN eliminated.

2,031 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1814, 1st Leg., 3rd sess., p. 32-34)





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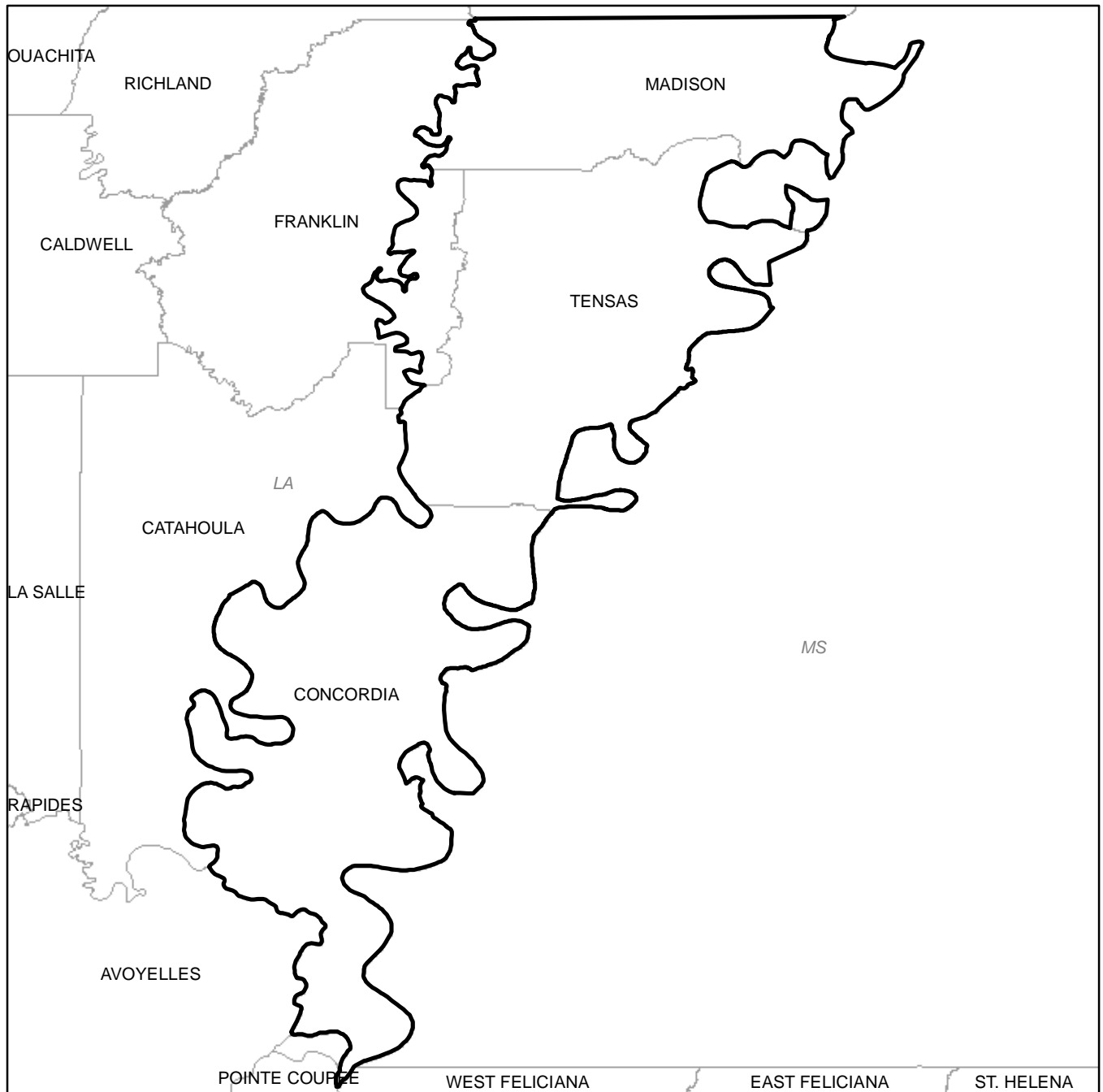
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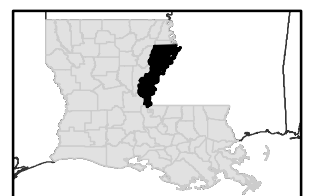
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CONCORDIA lost to creation of CARROLL (extinct).

1,897 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1832, 10th Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 100-106)





CONCORDIA

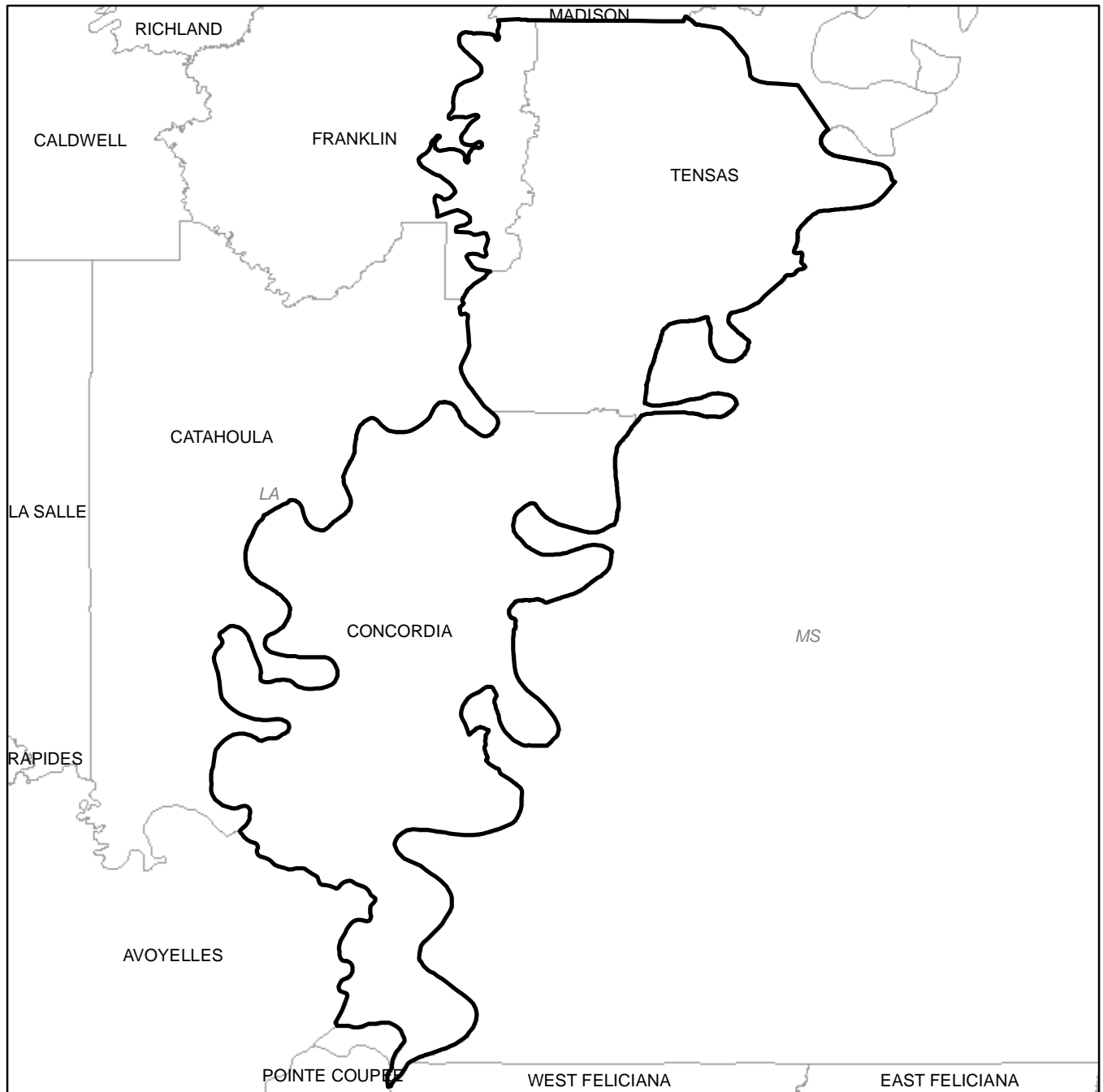
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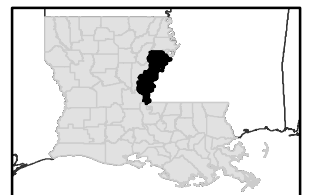
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CONCORDIA lost to creation of MADISON.

1,398 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 13-14)





CONCORDIA

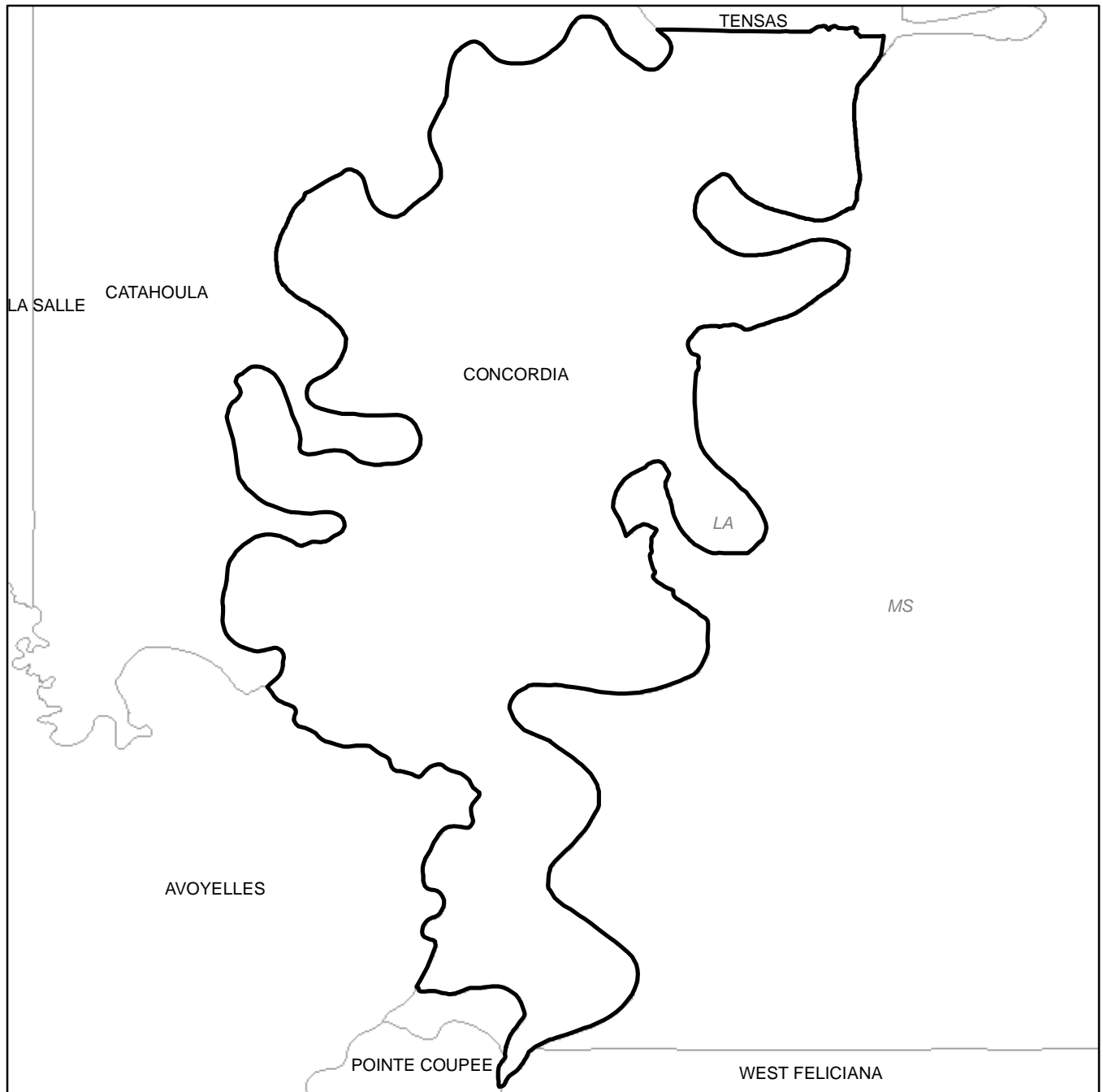
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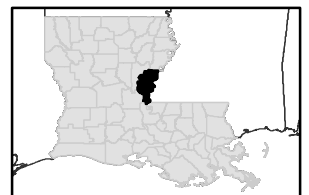
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CONCORDIA lost to creation of TENSAS.

749 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 35-38)





Couba Island

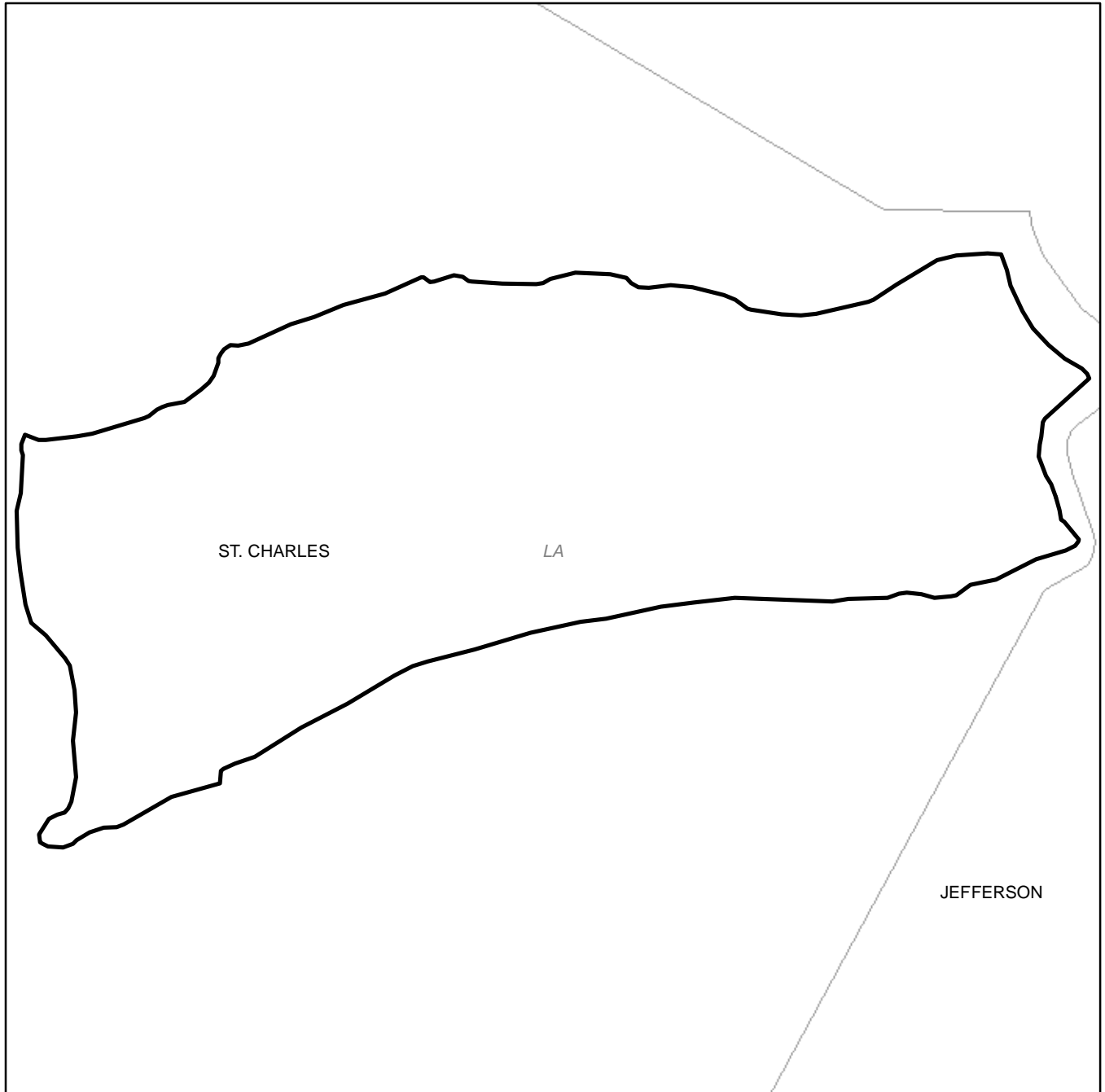
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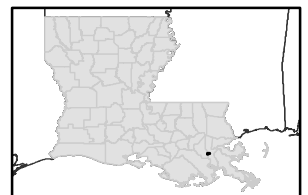
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Couba Island was left outside all parish jurisdictions.

5 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





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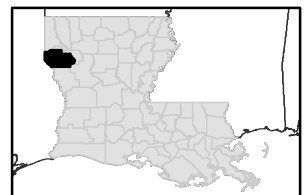
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853 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 52-54)





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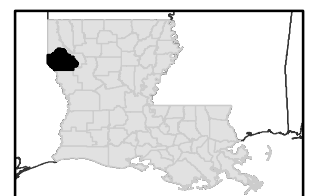
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DESOTO gained from CADDO.

959 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1845, 17th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 77-78)





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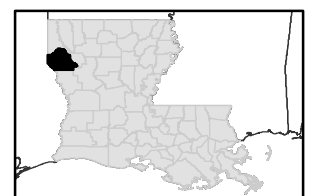
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894 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 86-88)





Disputed Area

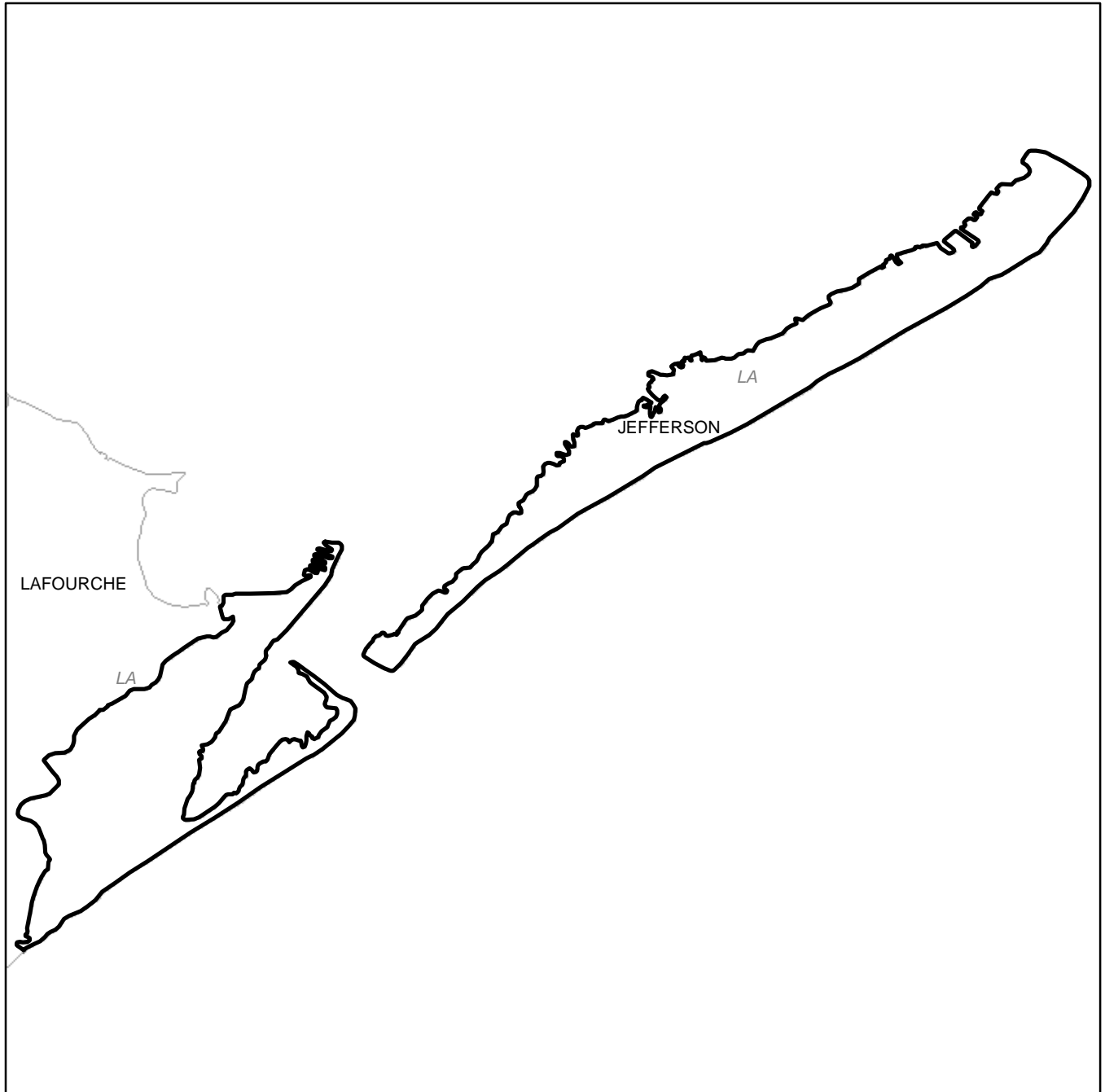
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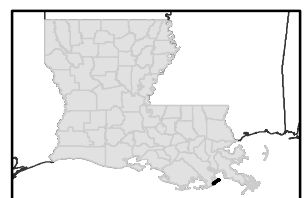
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Cheniere Caminada Peninsula and Grand Isle became disputed area when claimed by both LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE) and ORLEANS.

(La. Acts 1824, 6th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 68)

6 sq. mi.





Disputed Area

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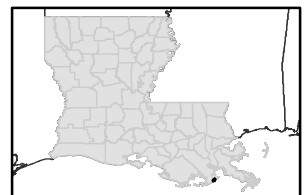
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Disputed Area between JEFFERSON and LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE) reduced to just the Cheniere Caminada peninsula when JEFFERSON gained official jurisdiction over Grand Isle.

3 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1827, 8th Leg., 1st sess., p. 156)





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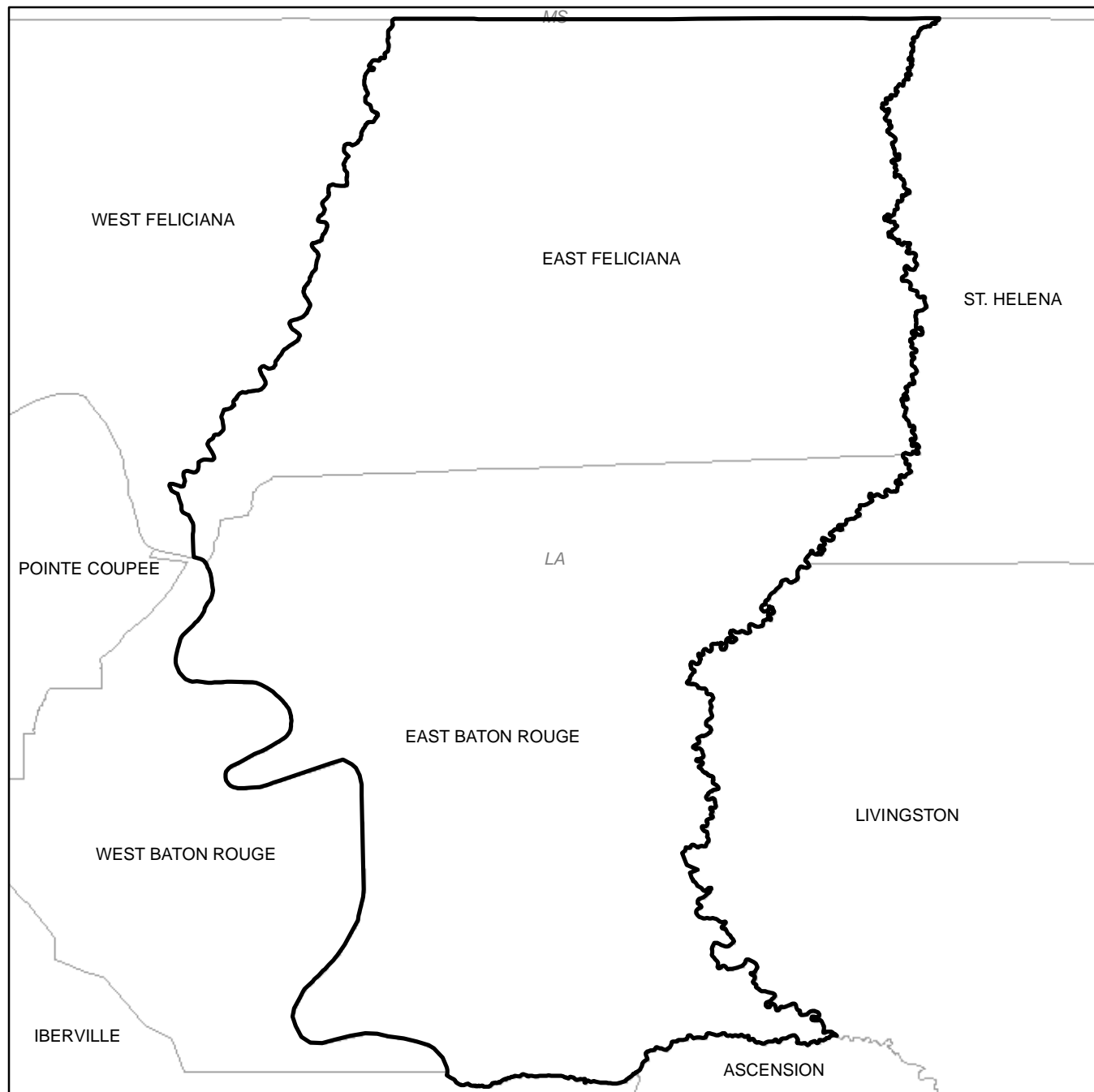
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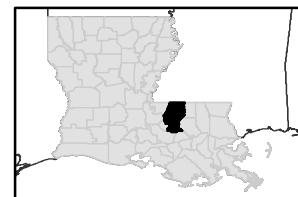
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EAST BATON ROUGE Parish created by proclamation of the Territorial Governor from non-parish area within Feliciana County.

926 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr., Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./pp. 210, 212; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





EAST BATON ROUGE

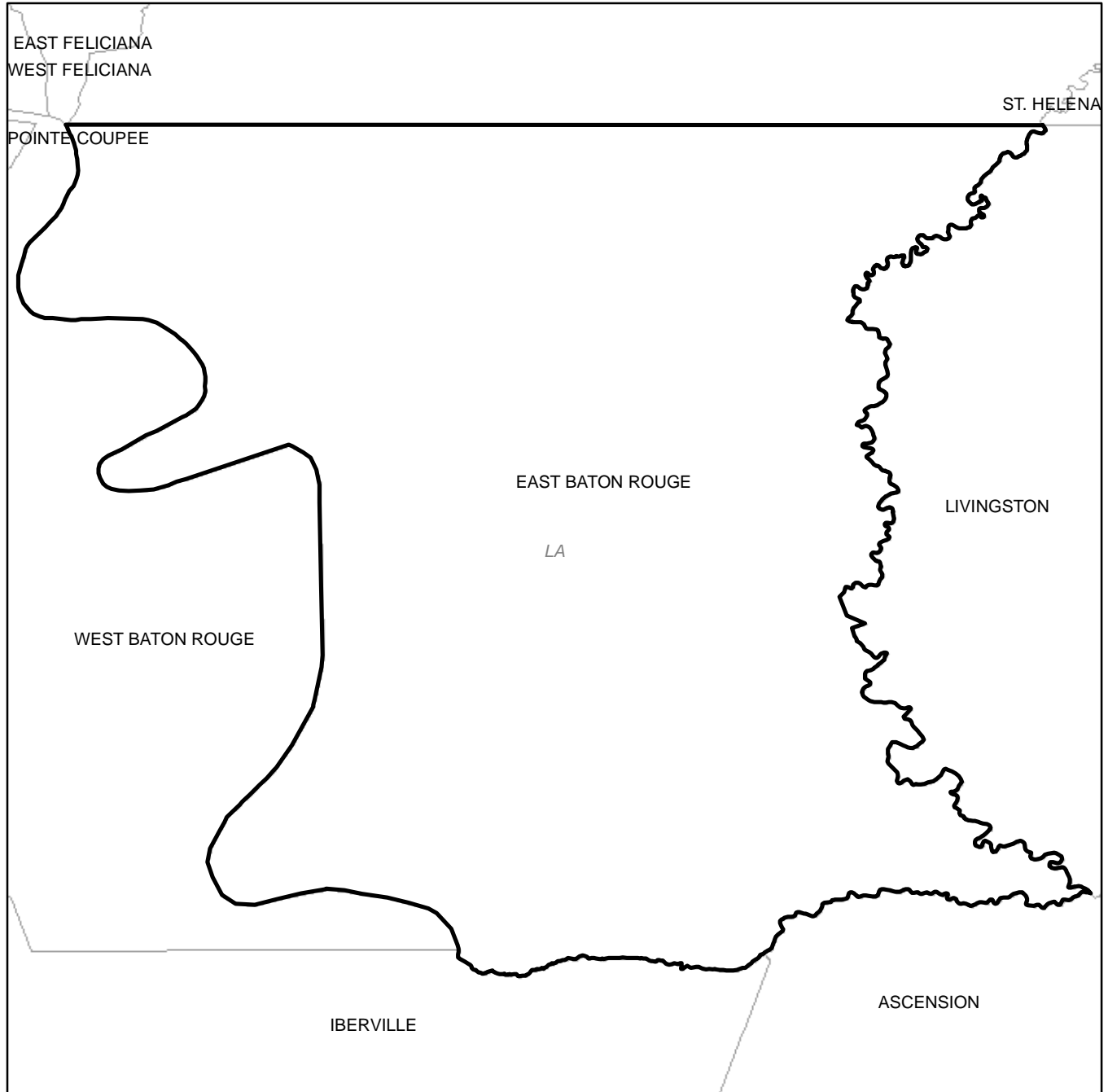
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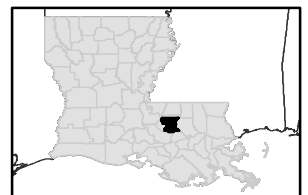
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EAST BATON ROUGE lost to FELICIANA (extinct).

368 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 28/pp. 120-124)





EAST BATON ROUGE

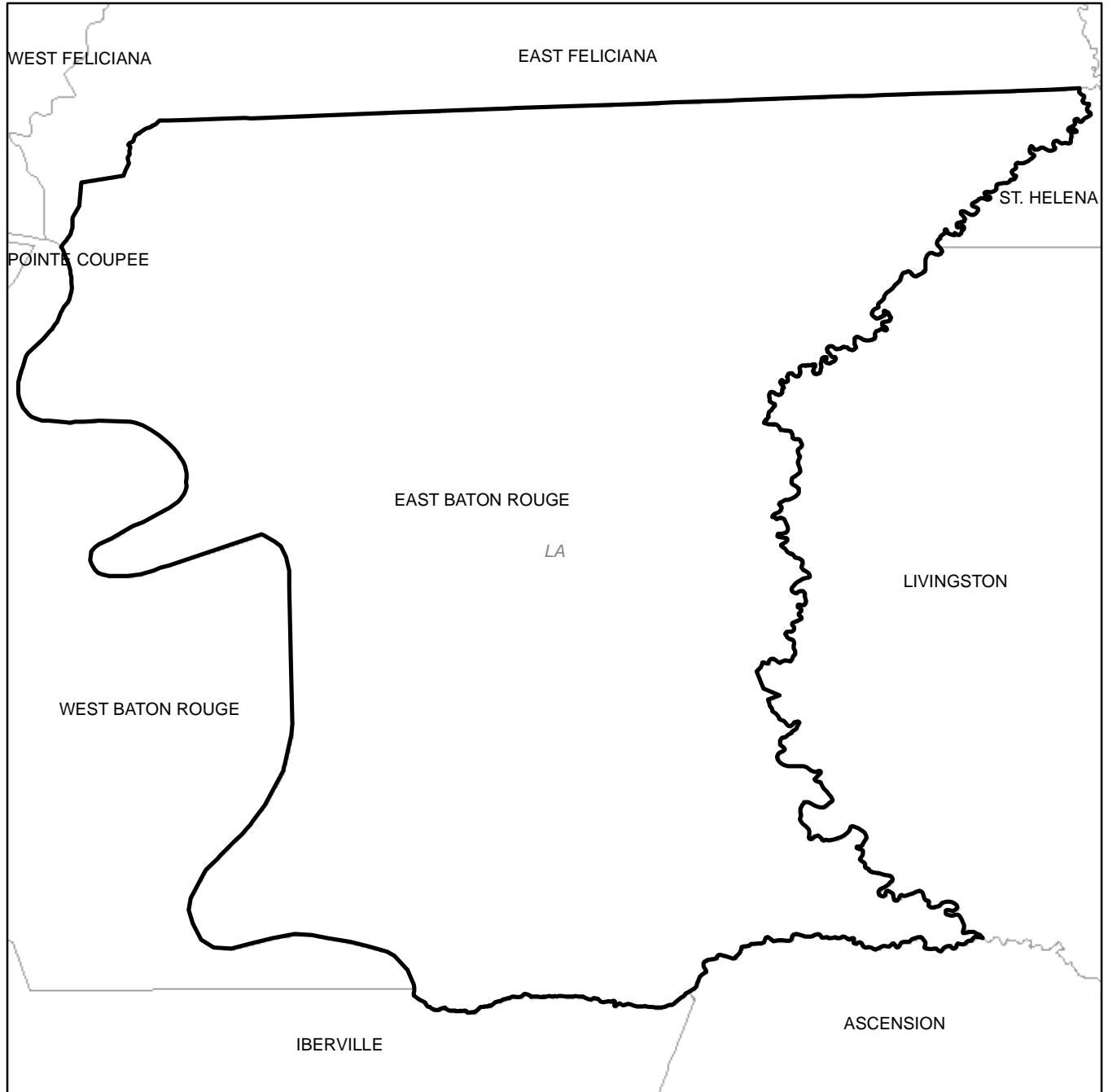
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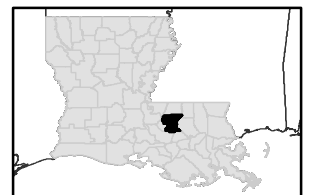
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EAST BATON ROUGE gained from EAST FELICIANA.

471 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1832, 10th Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 78-80)





EAST CARROLL

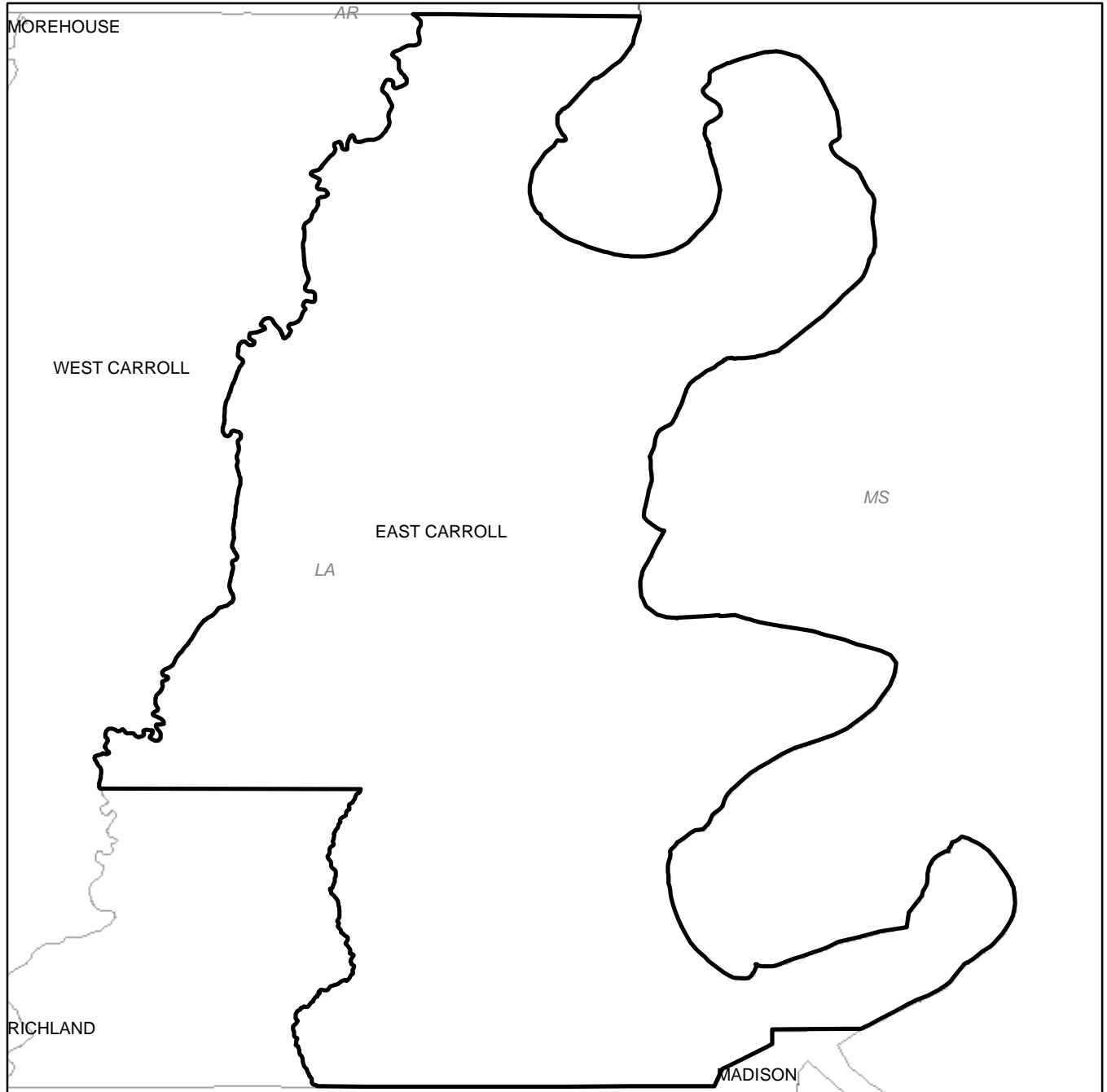
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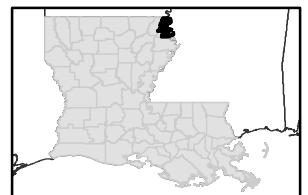
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EAST CARROLL created from CARROLL (extinct), which was eliminated.

381 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1877, 5th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 39-43)





EAST CARROLL

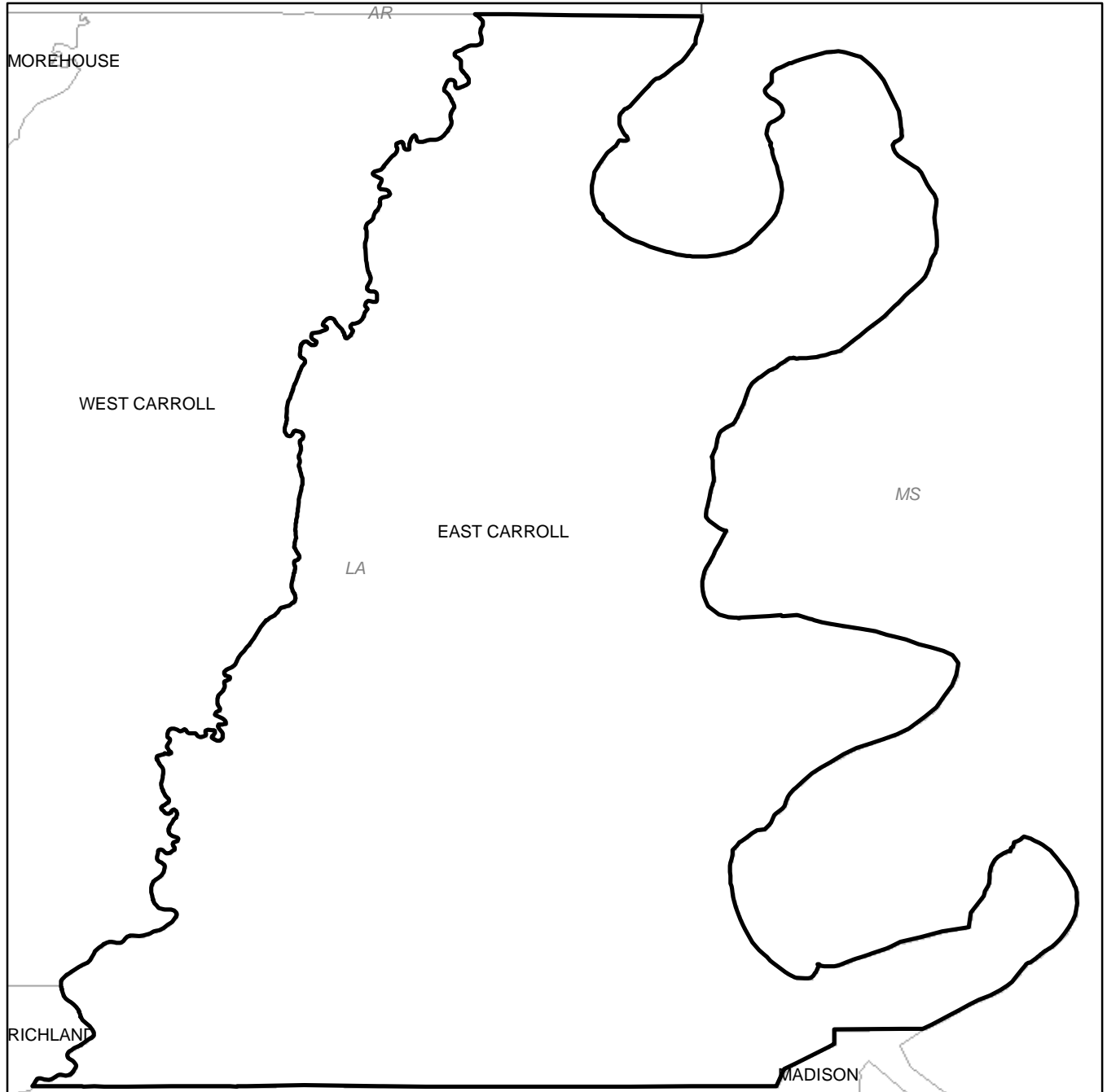
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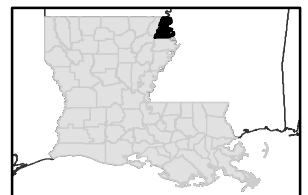
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EAST CARROLL gained from WEST CARROLL.

442 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1877, 5th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 219-220)





EAST FELICIANA

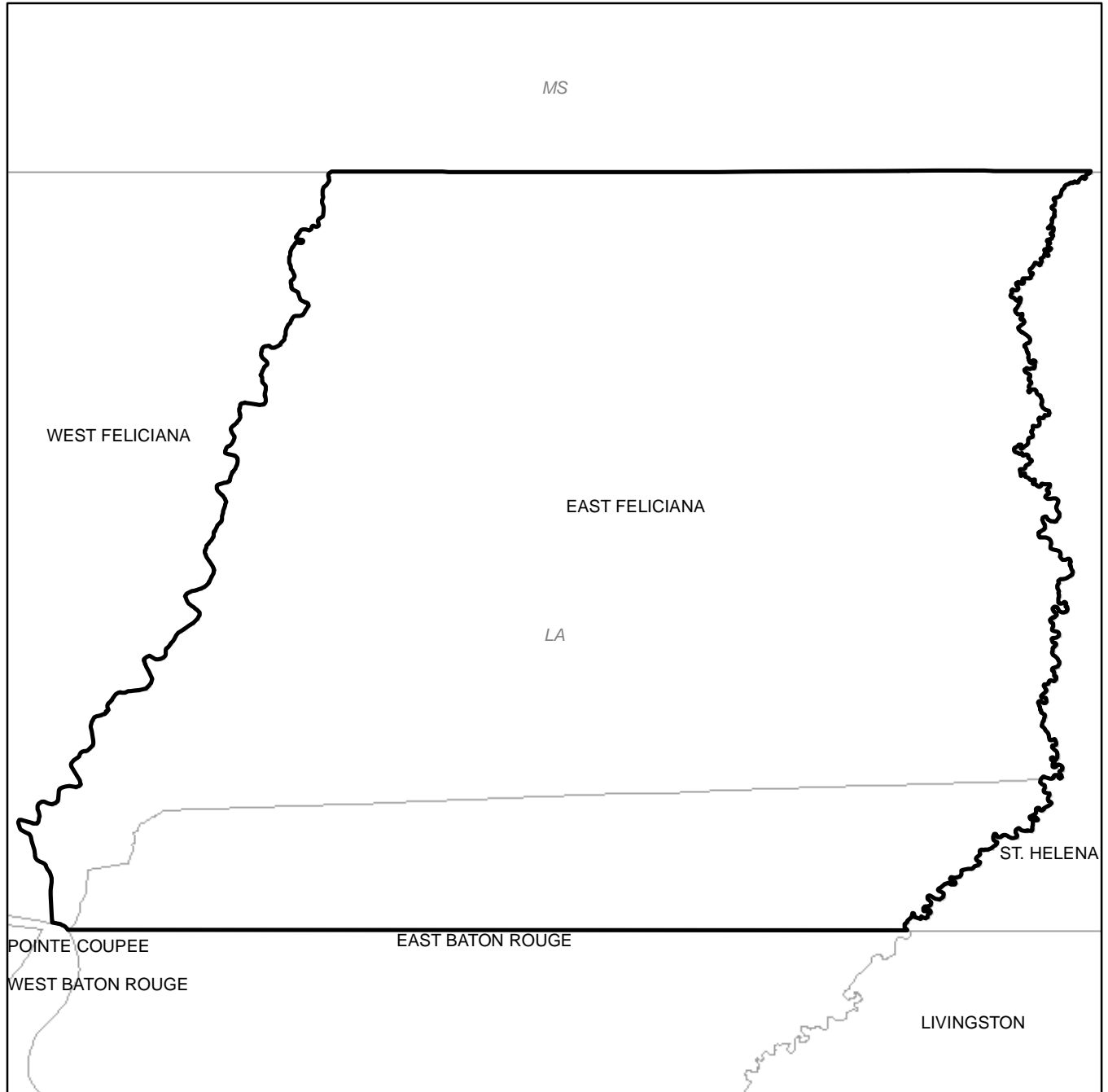
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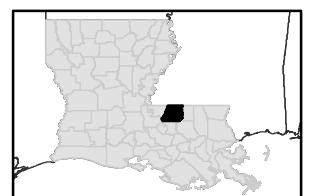
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EAST FELICIANA created from FELICIANA (extinct); FELICIANA eliminated.

558 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1824, 6th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 26-34)





EAST FELICIANA

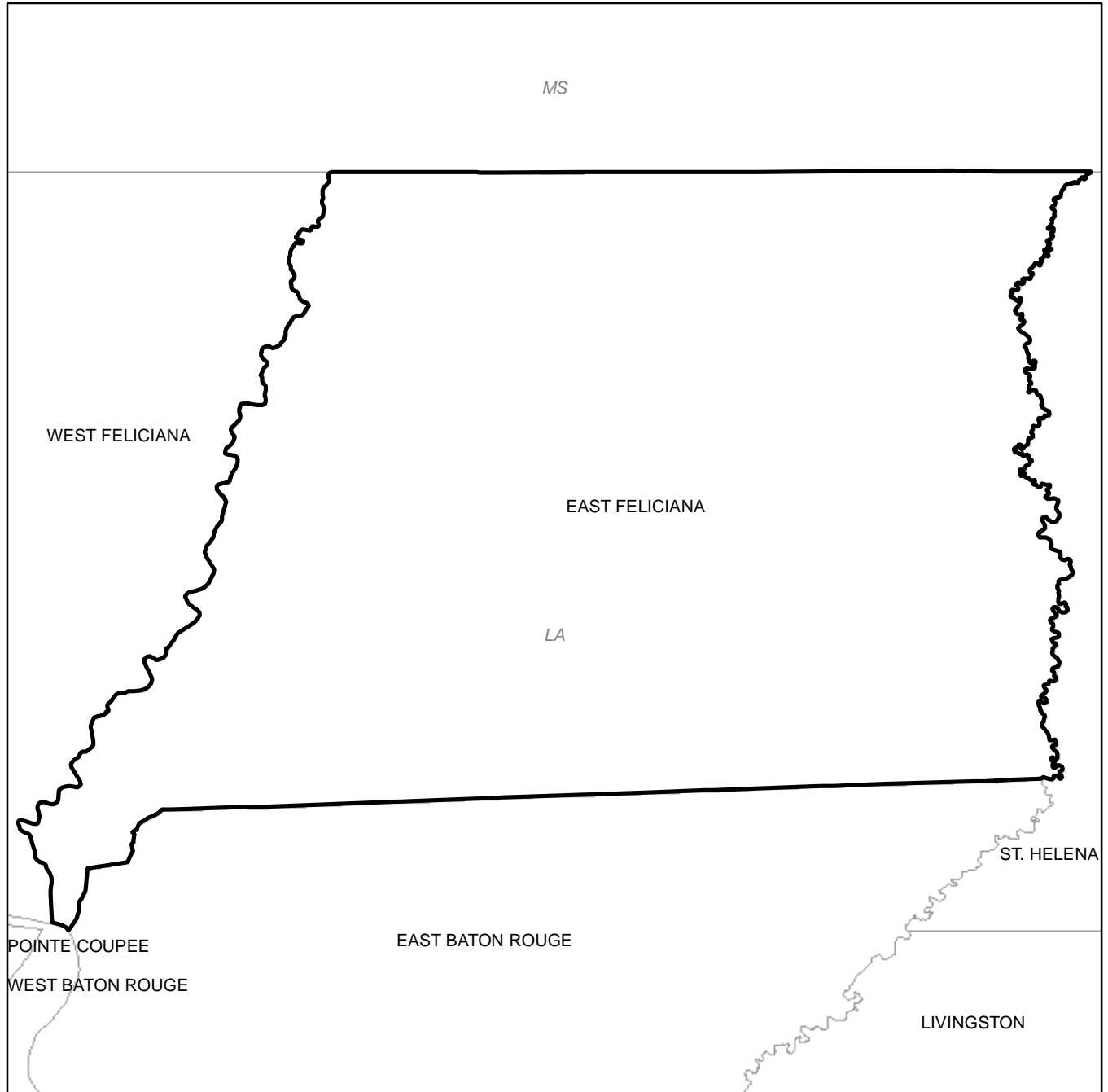
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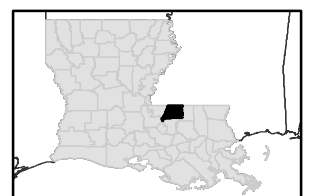
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EAST FELICIANA lost to EAST BATON ROUGE.

456 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1832, 10th Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 78-80)





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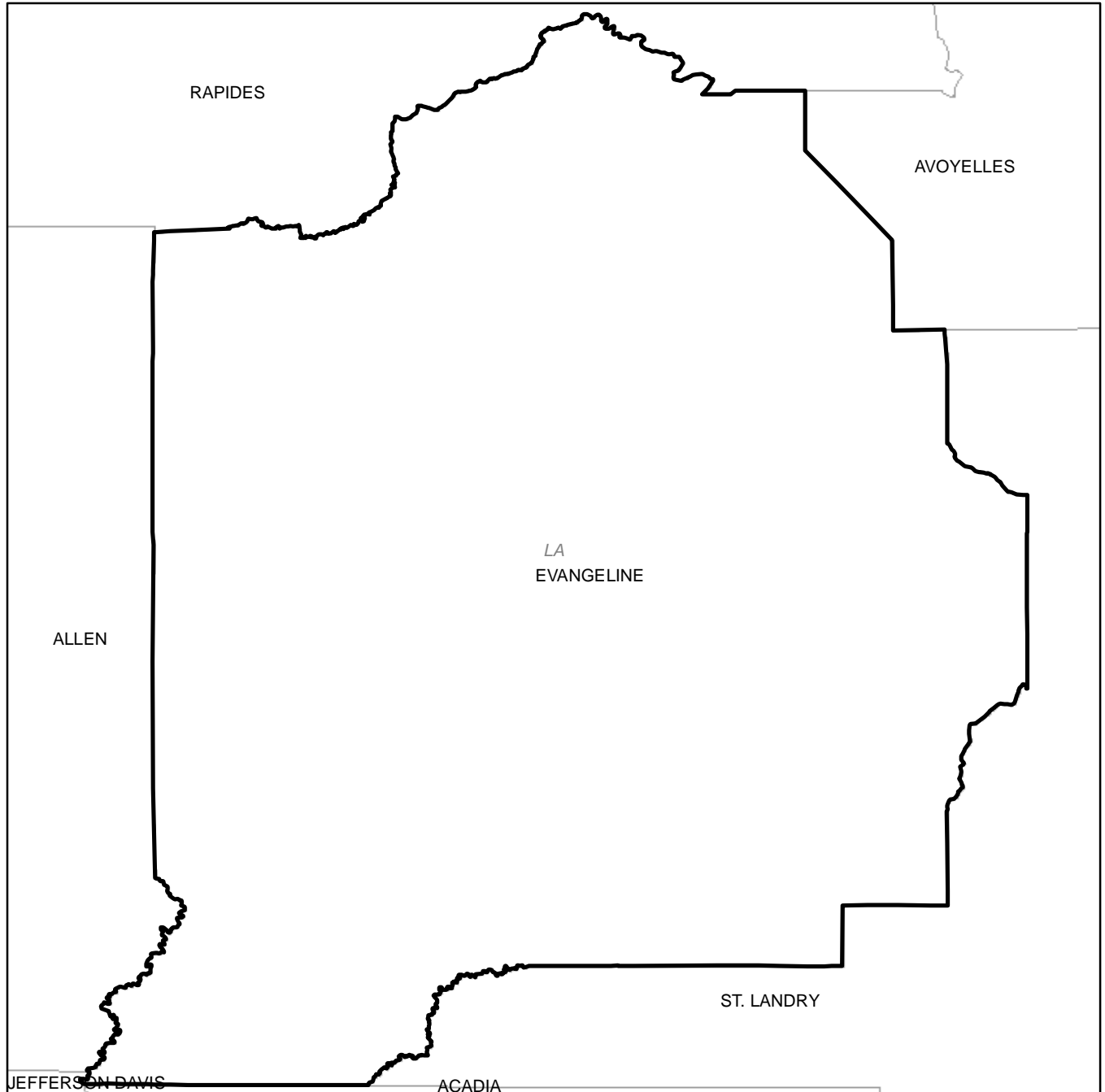
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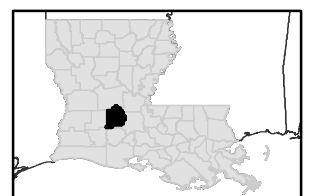
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EVANGELINE created from ST. LANDRY.

680 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1910, Reg. Sess., pp. 23-28)





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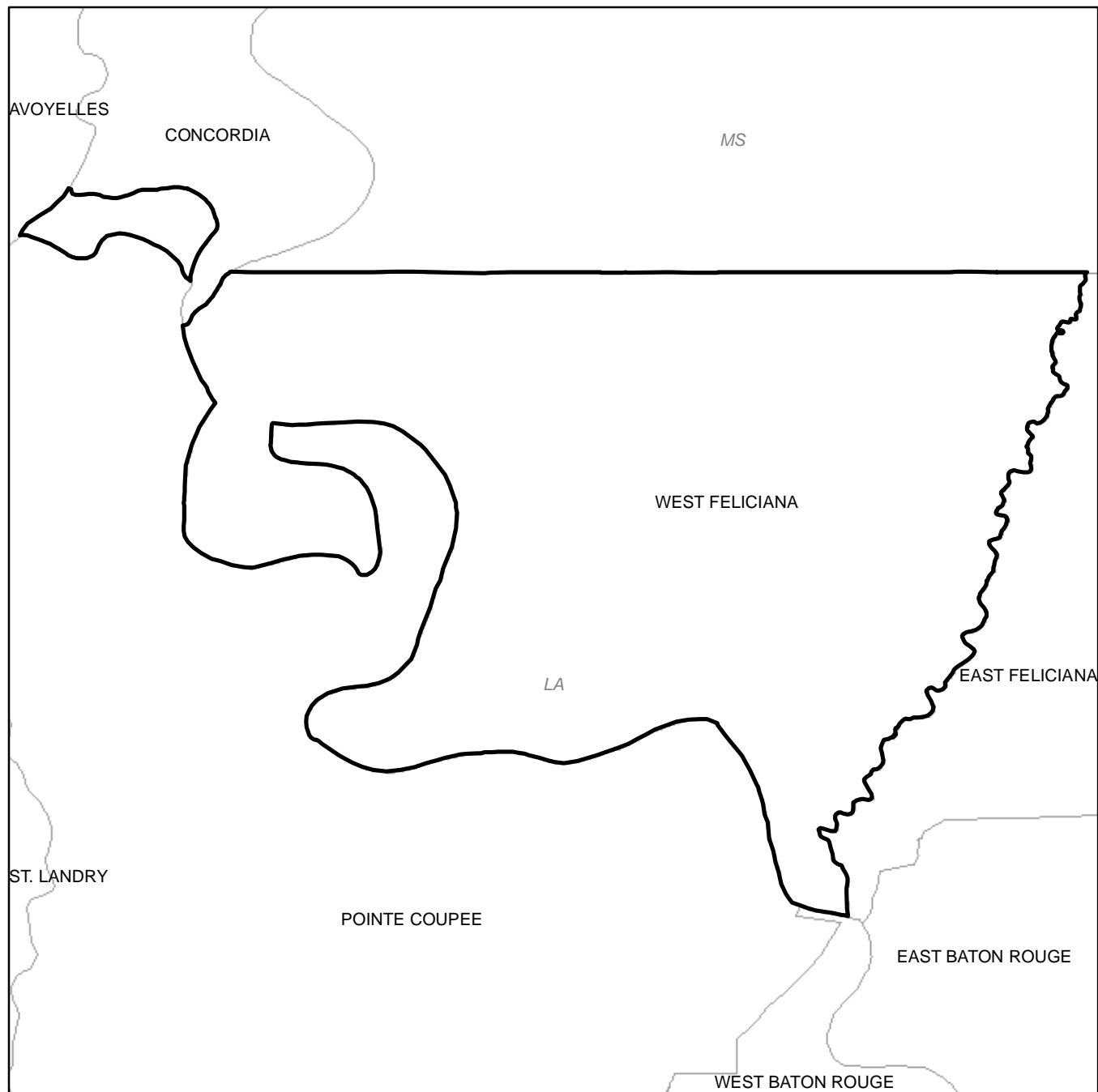
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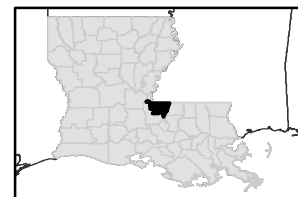
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FELICIANA Parish (extinct) created by proclamation of the Territorial Governor from non-parish area within Feliciana County.

426 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr., Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./pp. 210, 212; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





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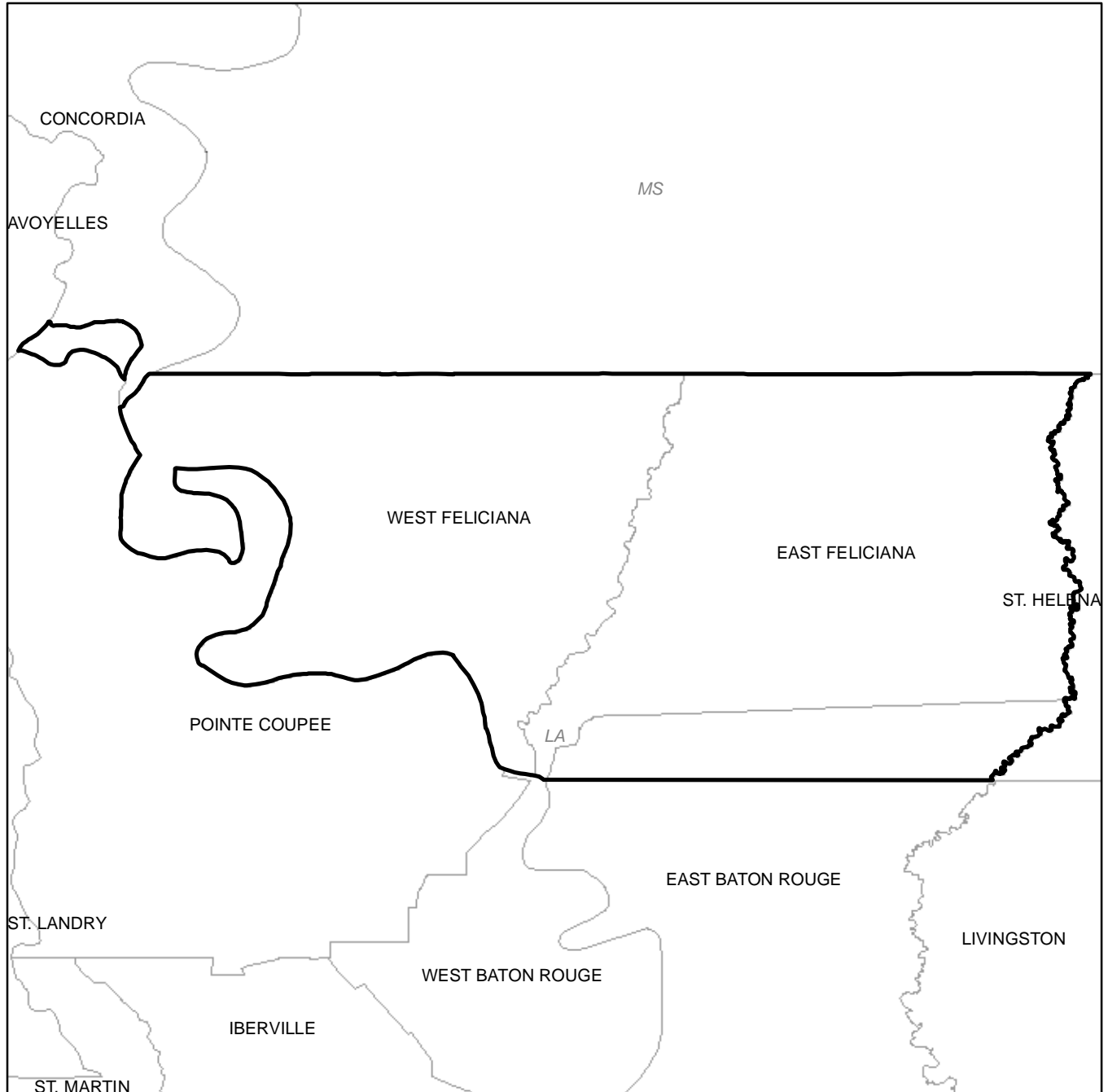
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FELICIANA (extinct) gained from EAST BATON ROUGE.

984 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 28/pp. 120-124)





FRANKLIN

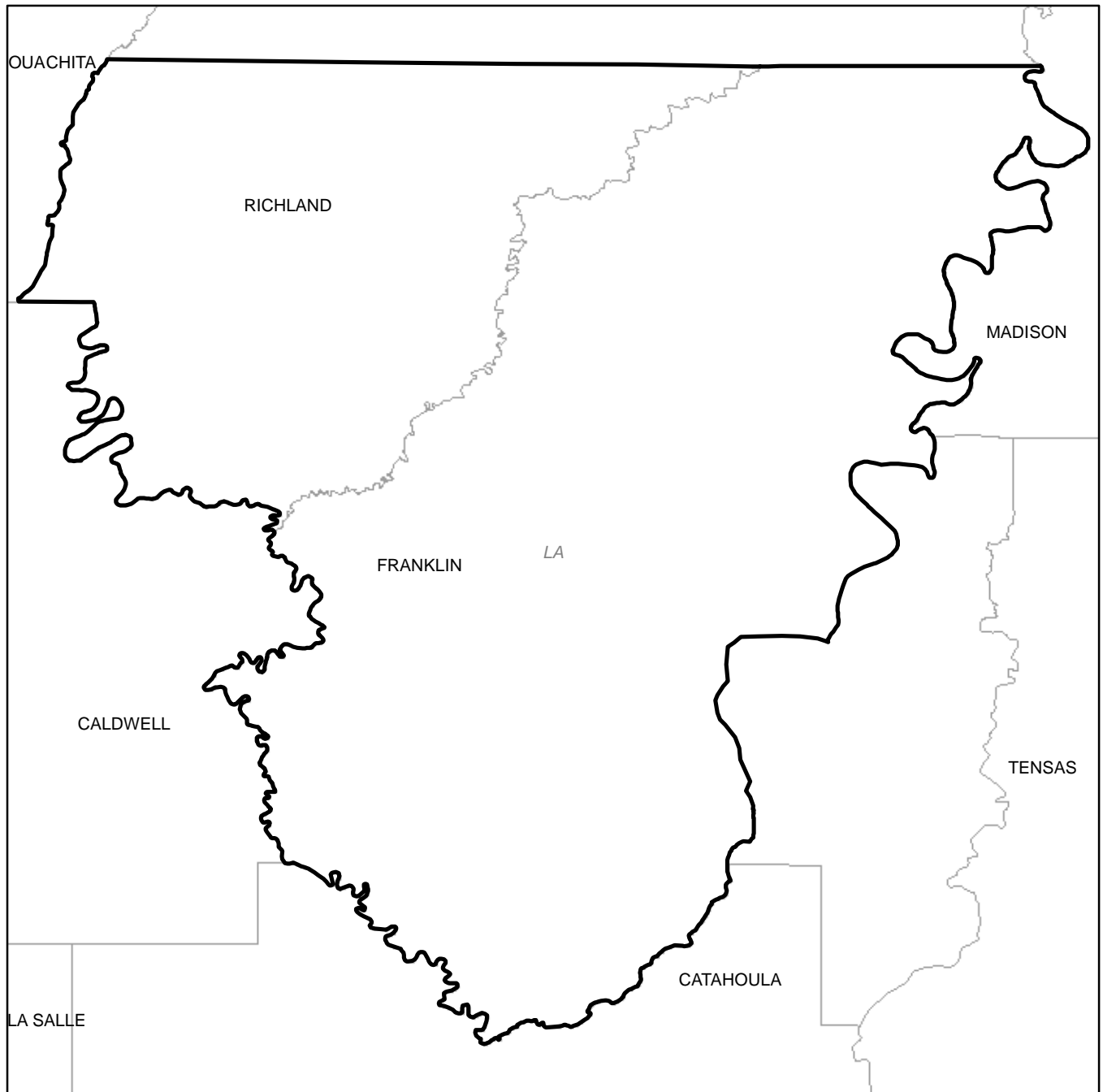
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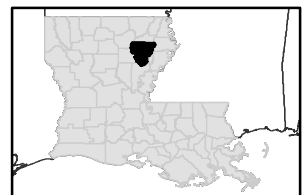
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FRANKLIN created from CATAHOULA, MADISON, and OUACHITA.

747 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 22-24)





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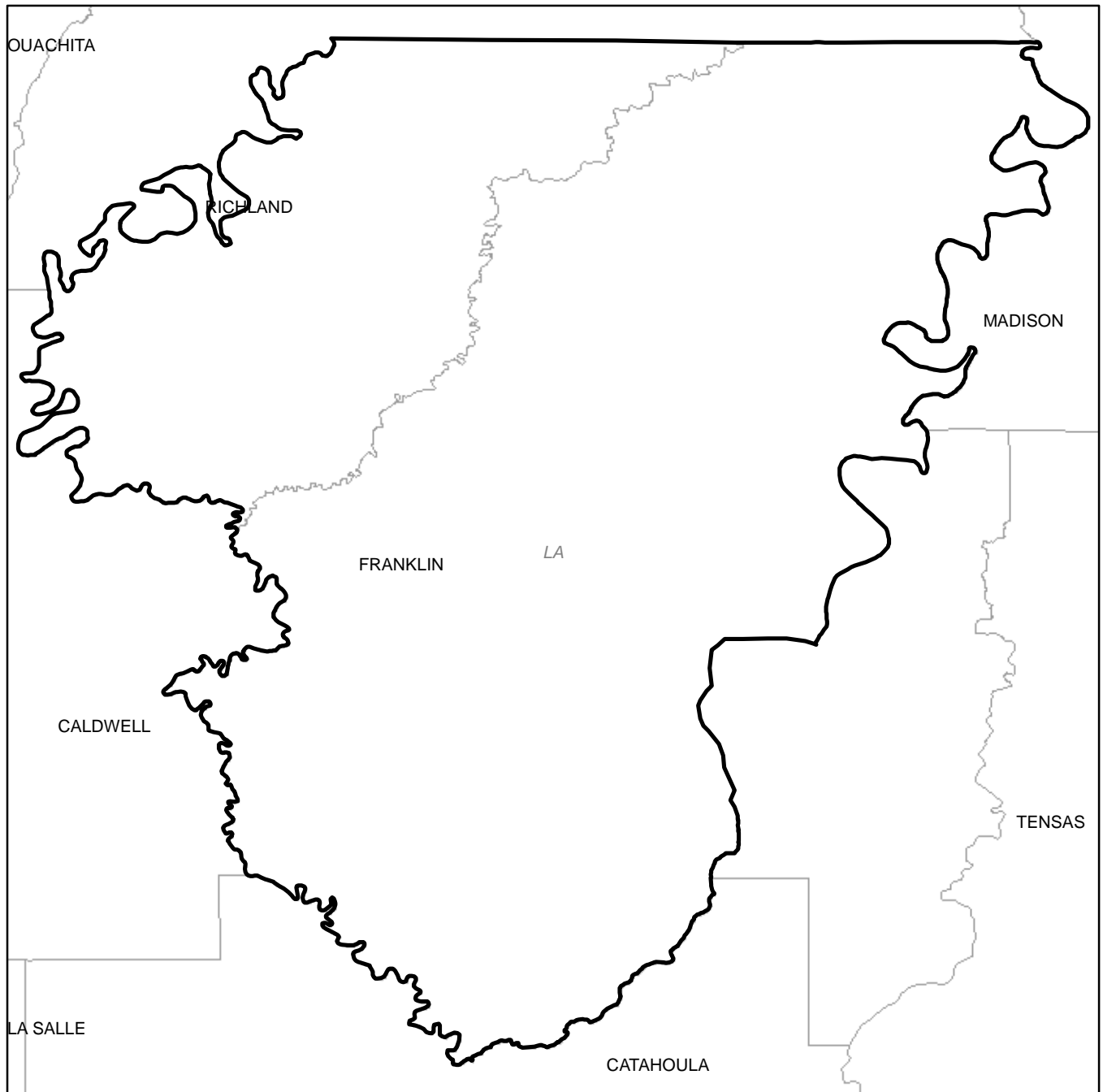
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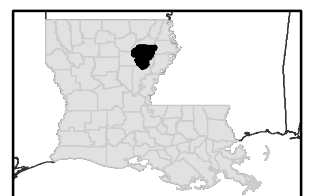
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FRANKLIN lost to OUACHITA.

693 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1848, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., p. 8)





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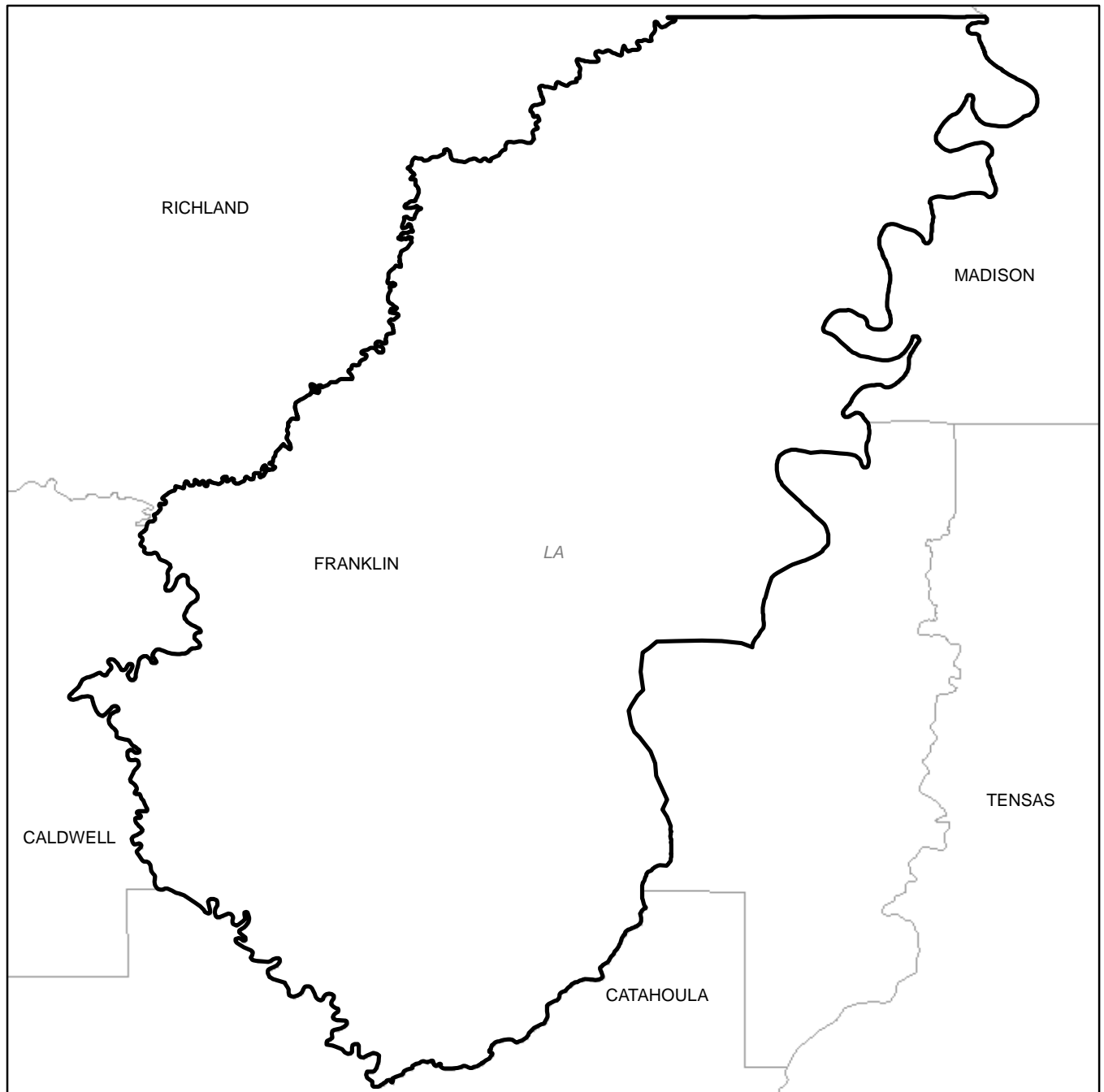
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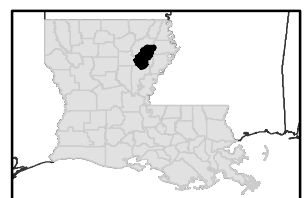
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FRANKLIN lost to creation of RICHLAND.

511 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1868, 1st Leg., 1st sess., p. 151)





FRANKLIN

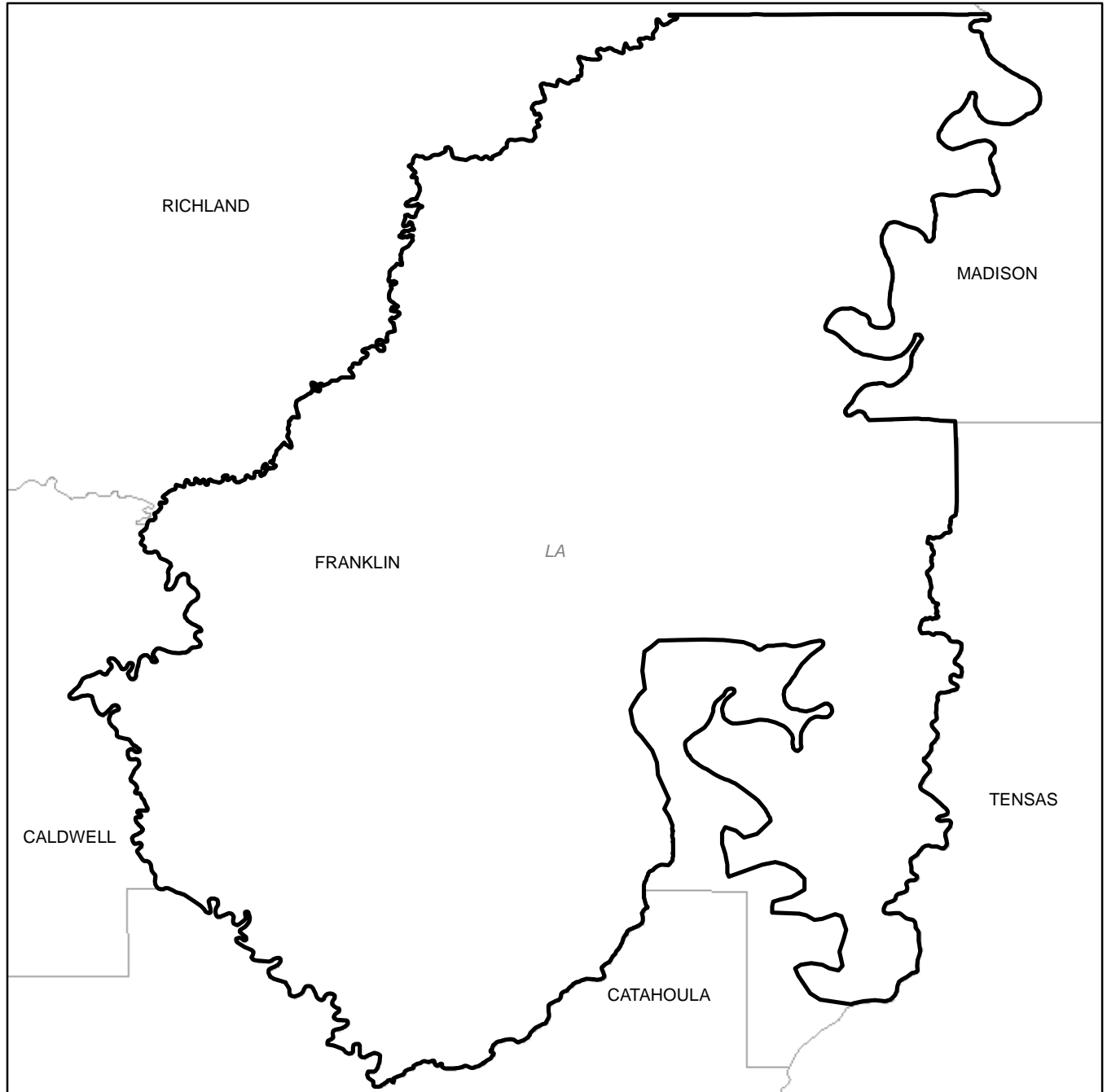
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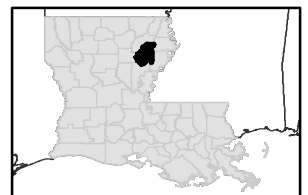
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FRANKLIN gained from TENSAS.

597 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1870, 1st Leg., extra sess., pp. 189-190)





FRANKLIN

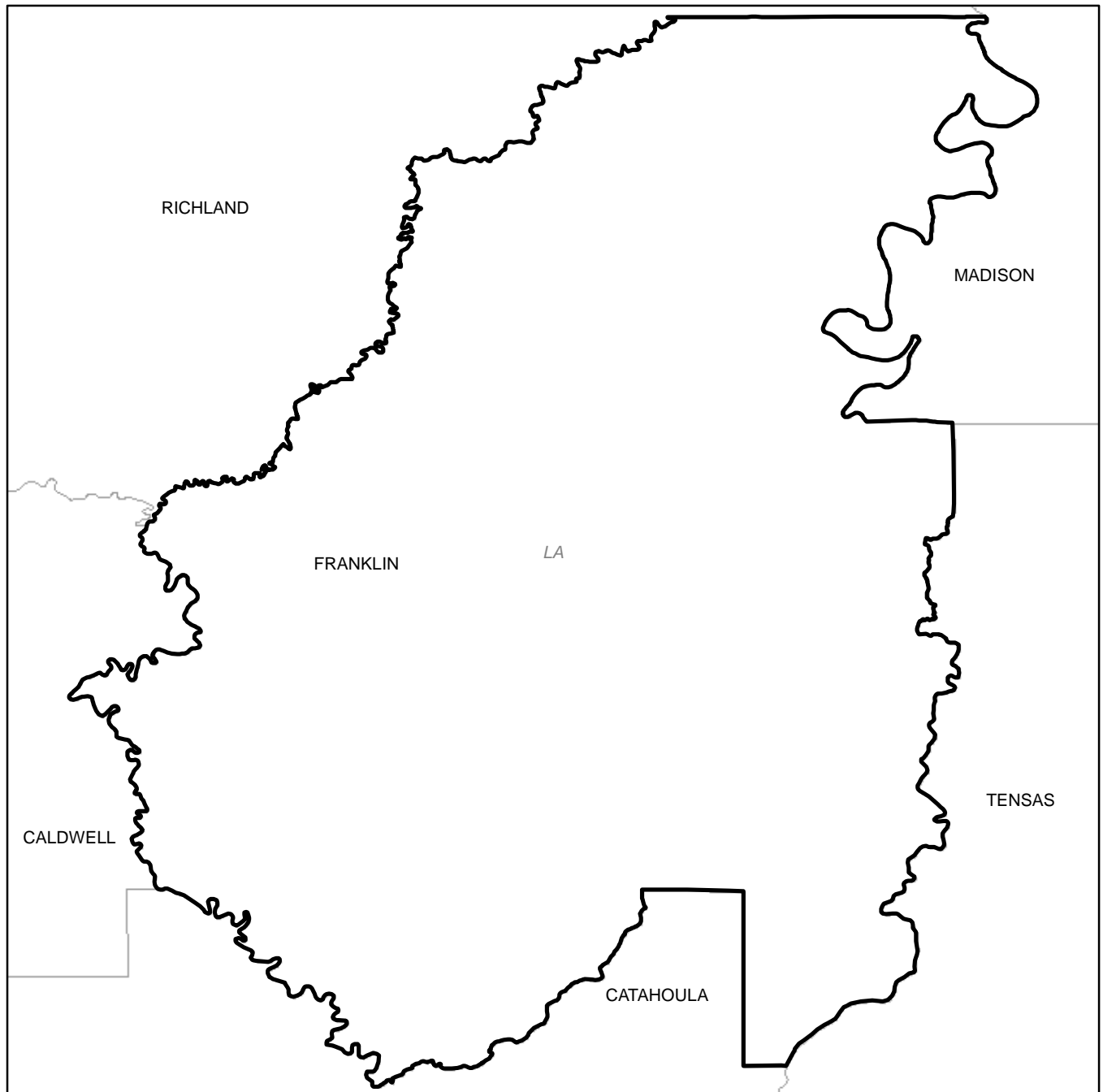
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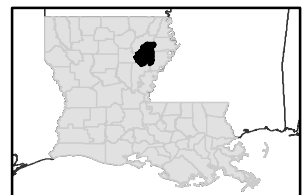
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FRANKLIN gained from CATAHOULA.

635 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1878, 5th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 64-65)





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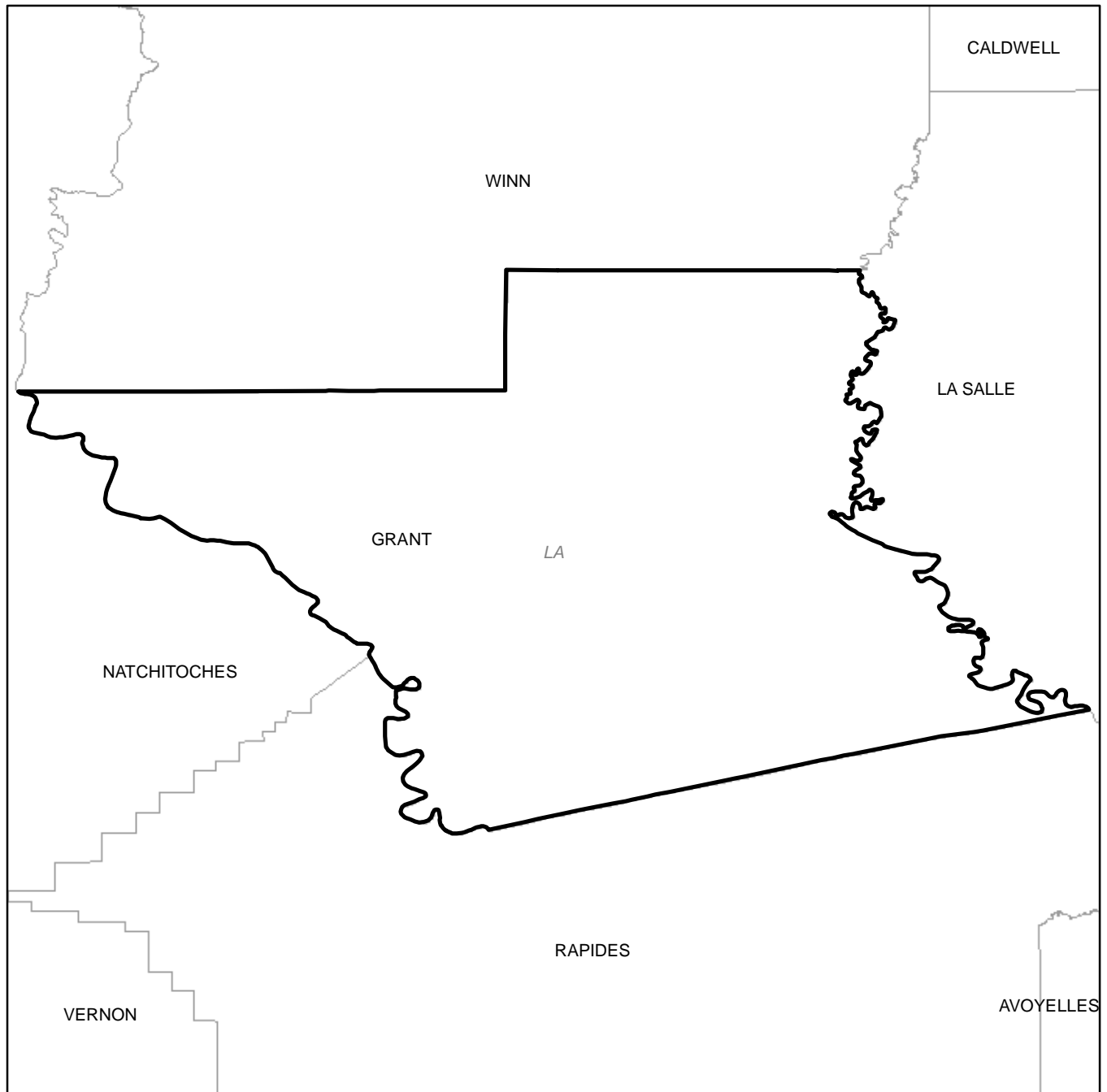
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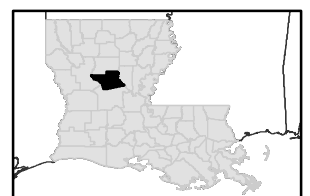
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665 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1869, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 79-80)





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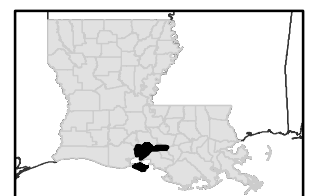
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IBERIA created from ST. MARTIN and ST. MARY.

626 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1868, 1st Leg., 1st sess., pp. 272-273)





IBERVILLE

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4/14/1807 - 4/6/1826

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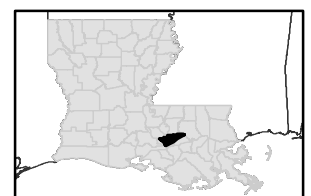
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IBERVILLE Parish created within Iberville County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

310 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





IBERVILLE

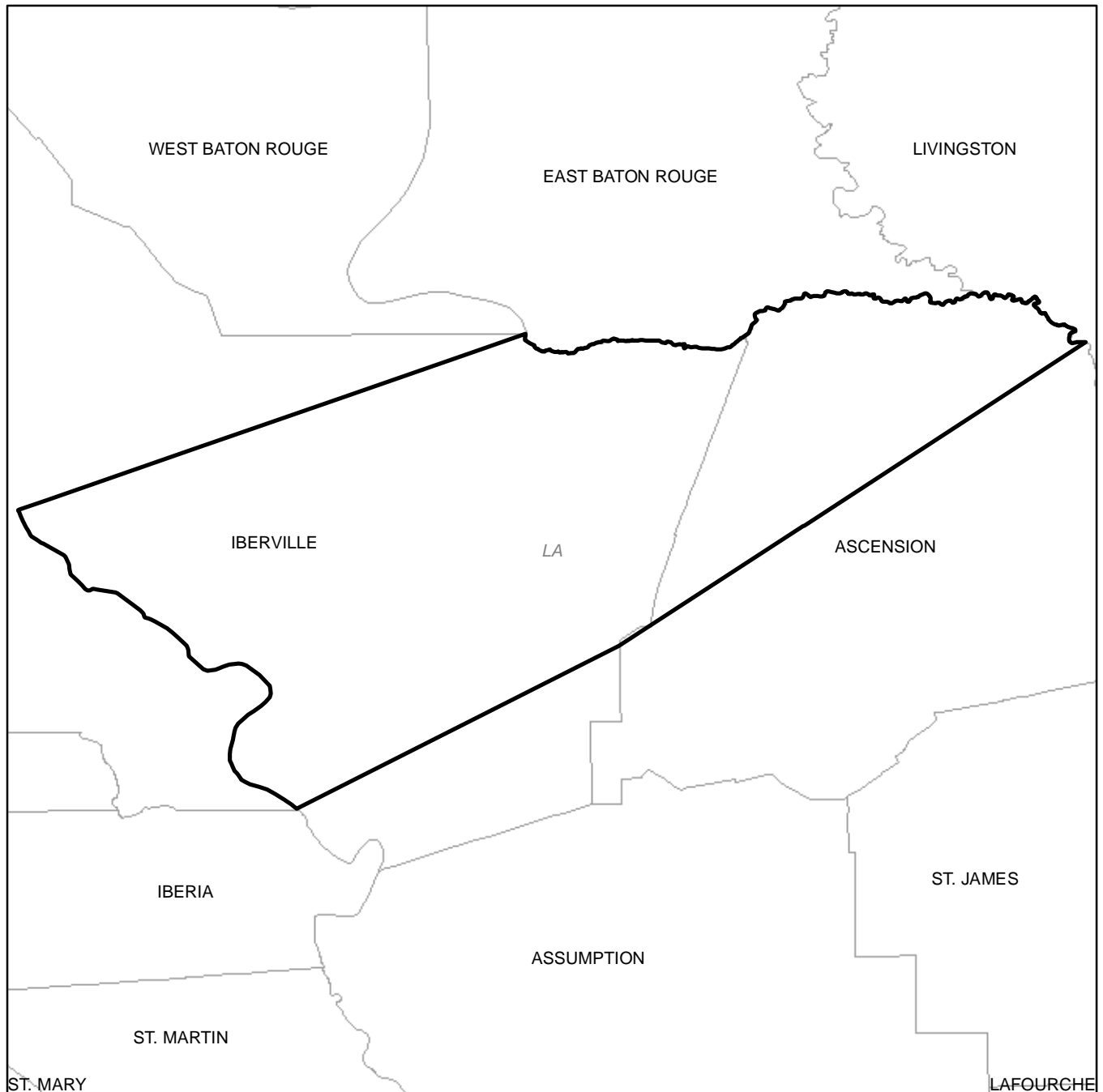
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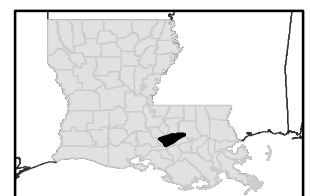
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IBERVILLE exchanged with WEST BATON ROUGE when the southern and western WEST BATON ROUGE defined.

318 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1825, 7th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 186-188)





IBERVILLE

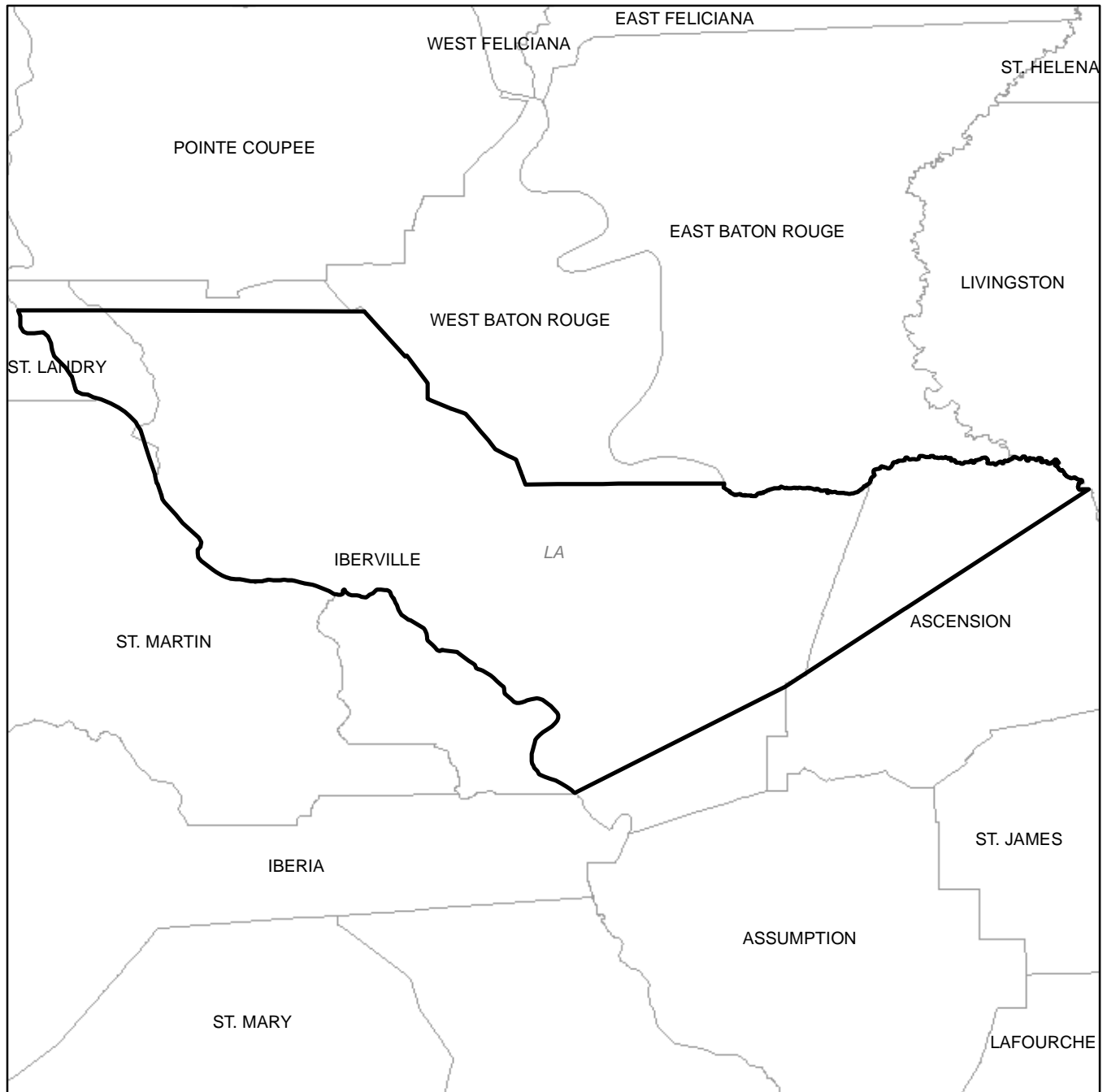
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IBERVILLE gained from WEST BATON ROUGE.

618 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1827, 8th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 178-180)





IBERVILLE

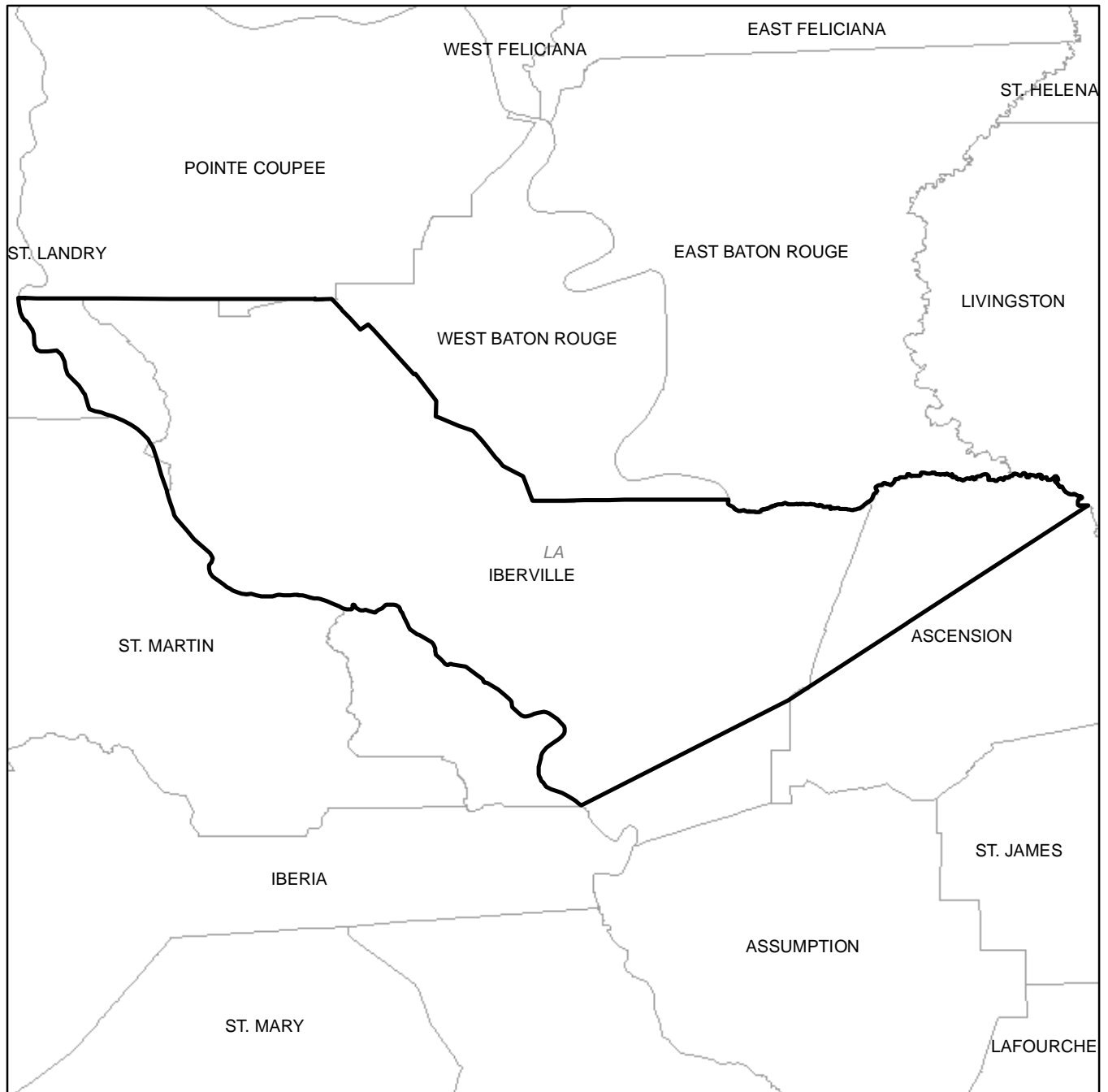
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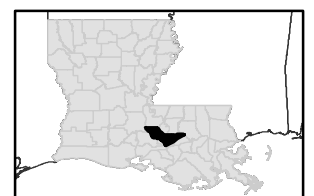
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IBERVILLE gained from POINTE COUPEE.

648 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1835, 12 Leg., 1st sess., pp. 22-23)





IBERVILLE

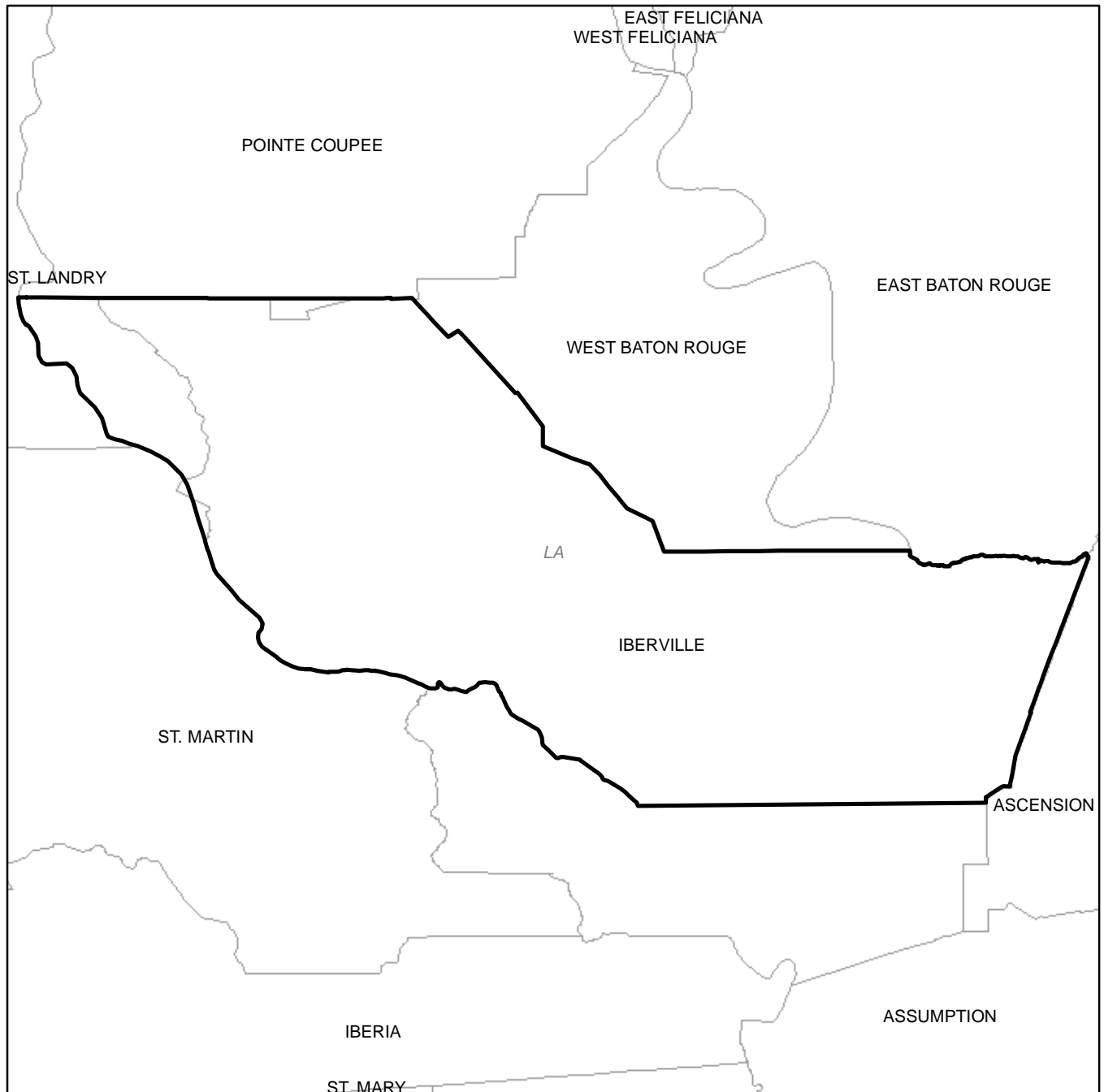
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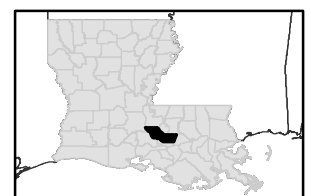
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IBERVILLE lost to ASCENSION.

526 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 1st sess., p. 7)





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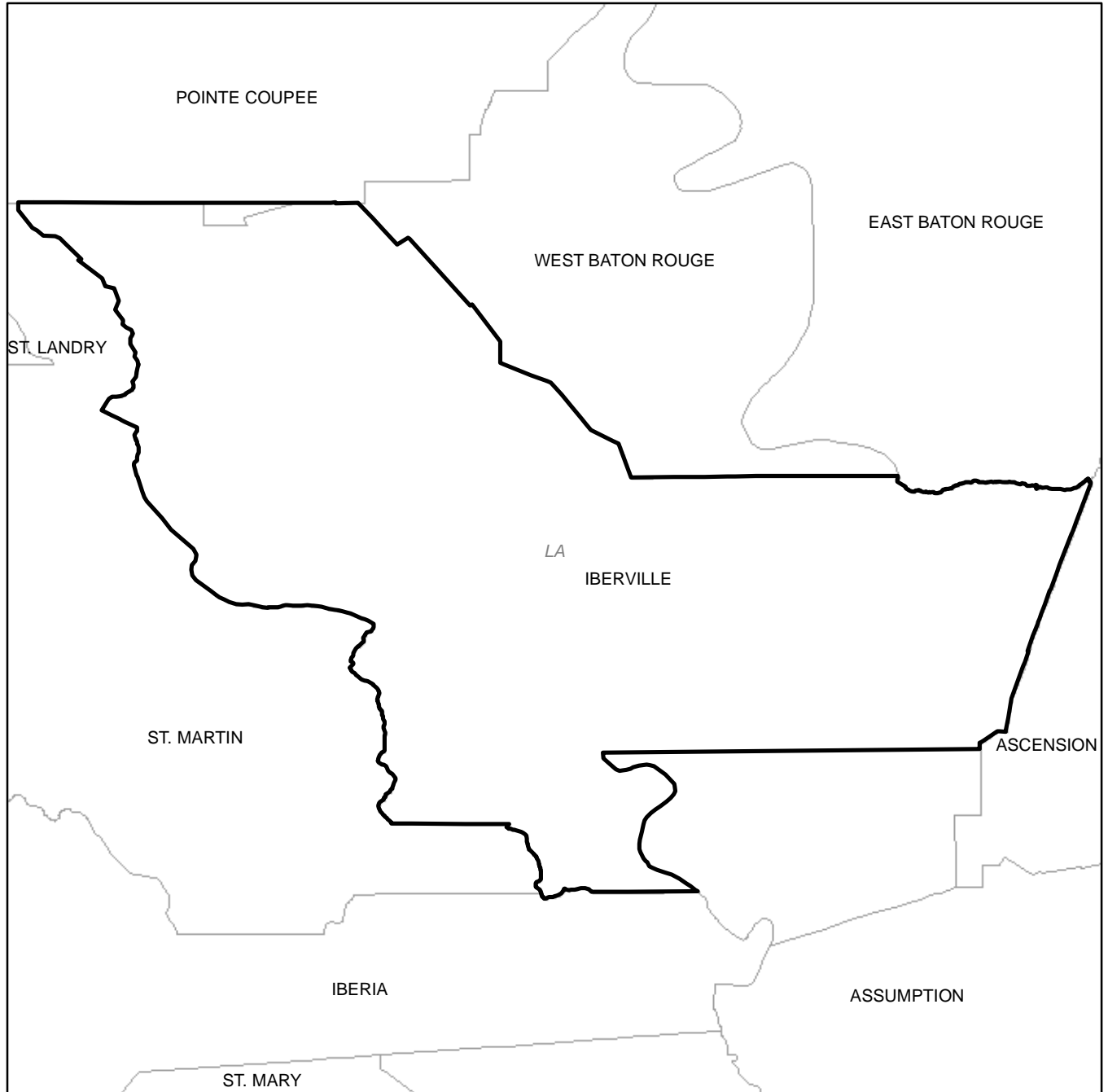
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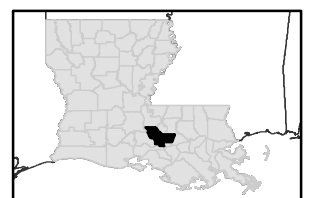
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IBERVILLE exchanged with ST. MARTIN.

571 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 95-96)





IBERVILLE

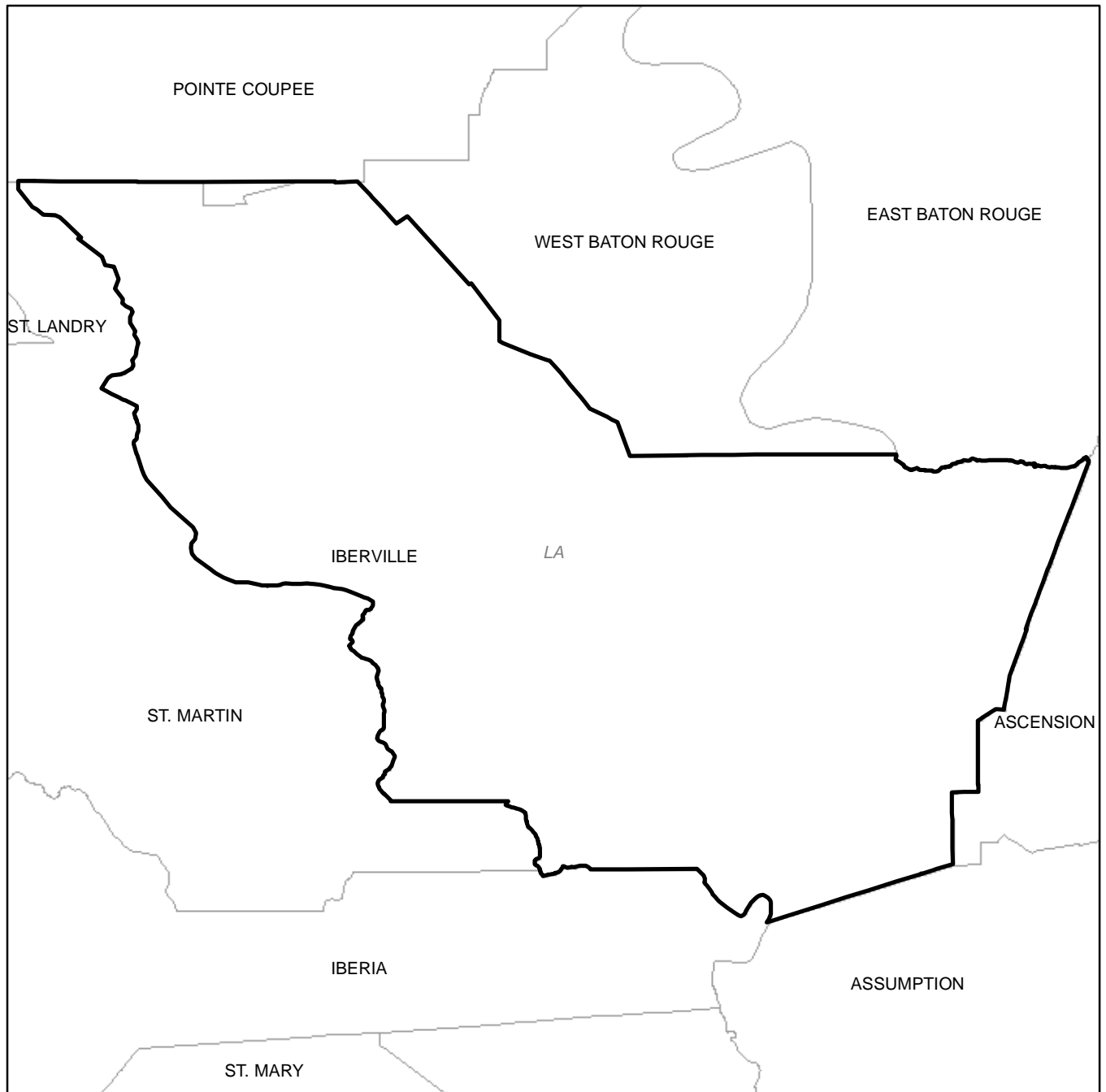
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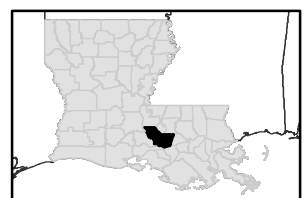
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[by 1850] IBERVILLE gained from ASCENSION.

655 sq. mi.

(Thorndale & Dollarhide, p. 137)





IBERVILLE

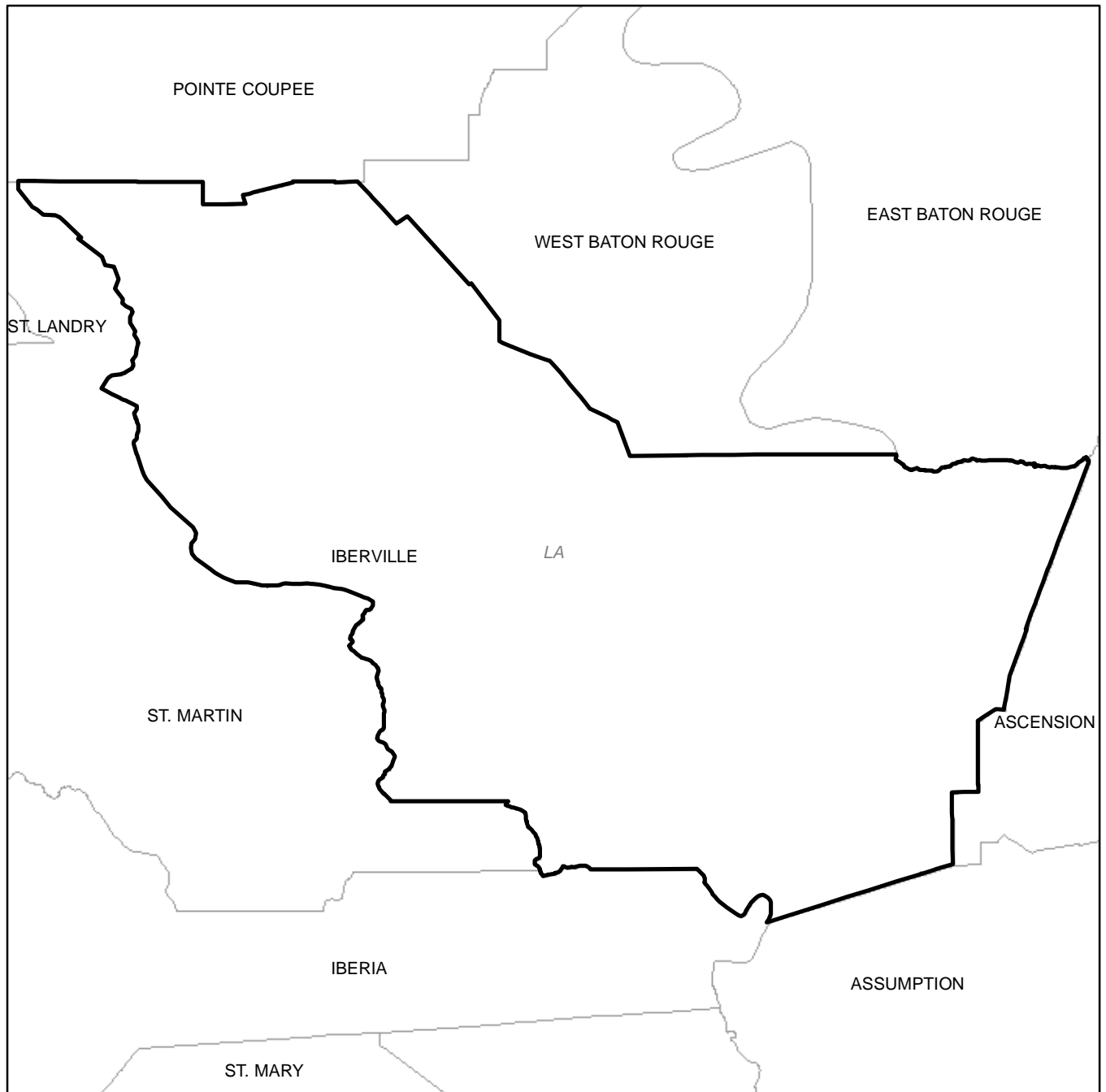
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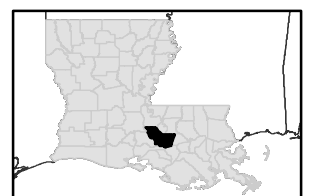
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IBERVILLE lost to POINTE COUPEE.

653 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1859, 4th Leg. 2nd sess., pp. 16-17)





IBERVILLE

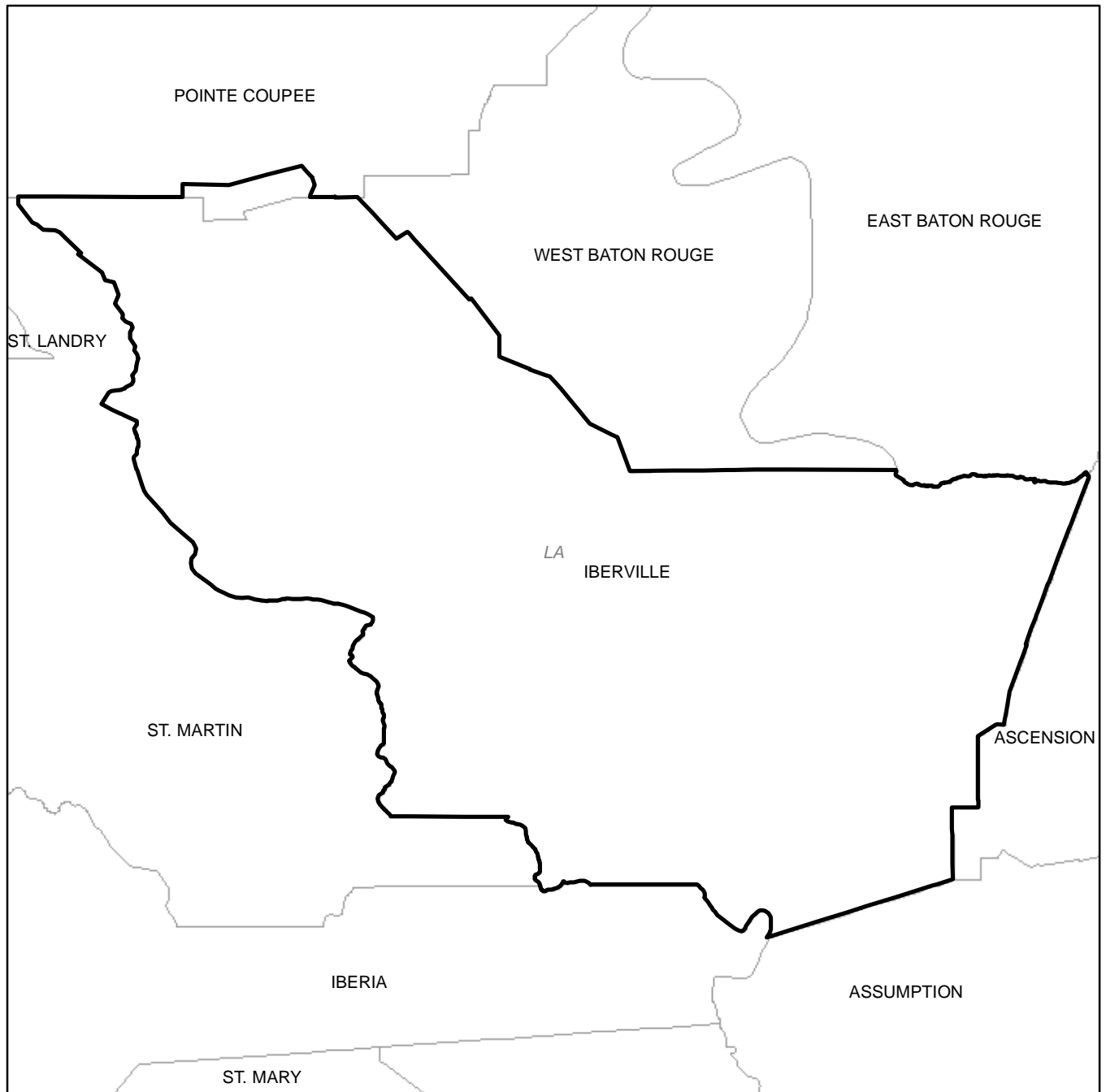
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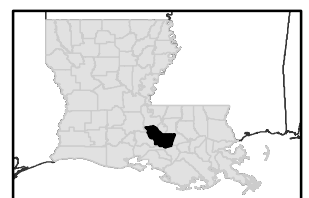
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IBERVILLE gained from POINTE COUPEE when boundary was adjusted to run along the upper line of the Barrow plantation.

659 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1859, 4th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 59; Lemmon, Magill and Wiese, p. 202)





IBERVILLE

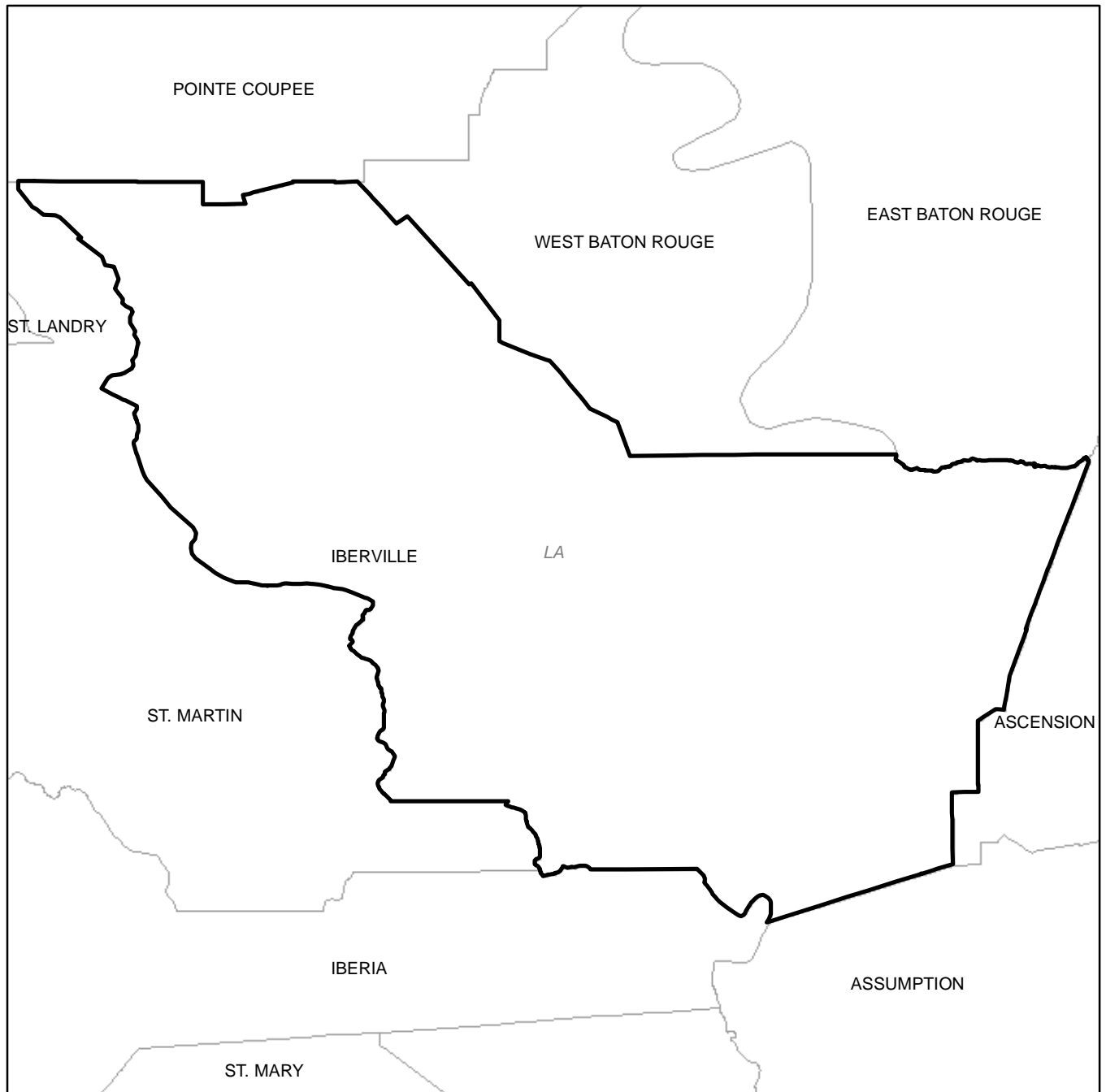
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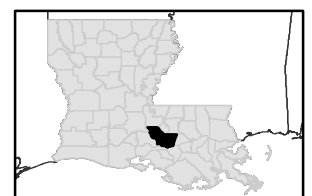
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IBERVILLE lost to POINTE COUPEE when law of 14 March 1859 was repealed and the Barrow plantation was declared to be within POINTE COUPEE.

653 sq. mi.

(La. Laws 1861, 5th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 19)





JACKSON

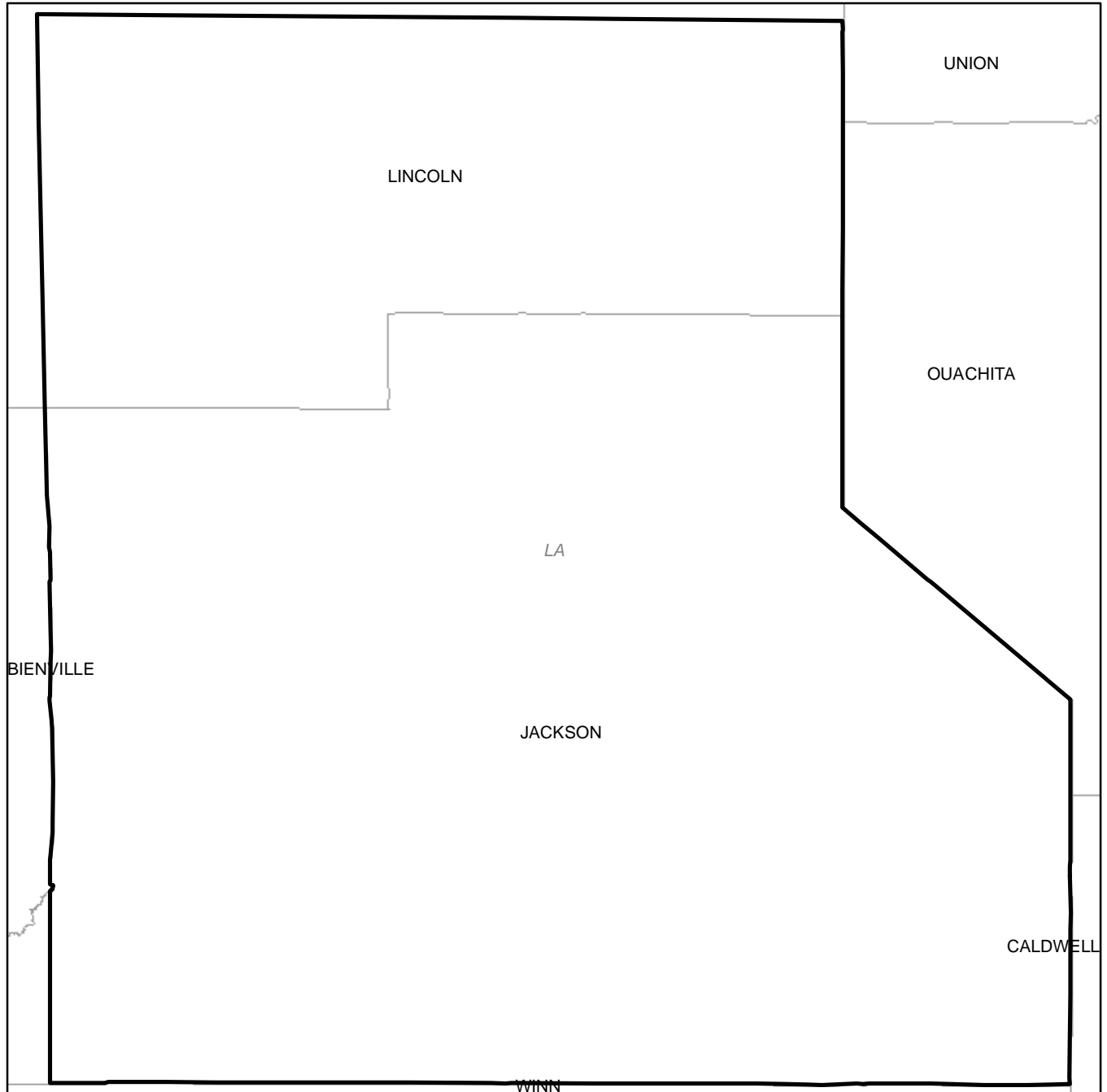
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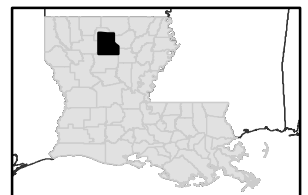
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JACKSON created from CLAIBORNE, OUACHITA and UNION.

795 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1845, 17th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 16-19)





JACKSON

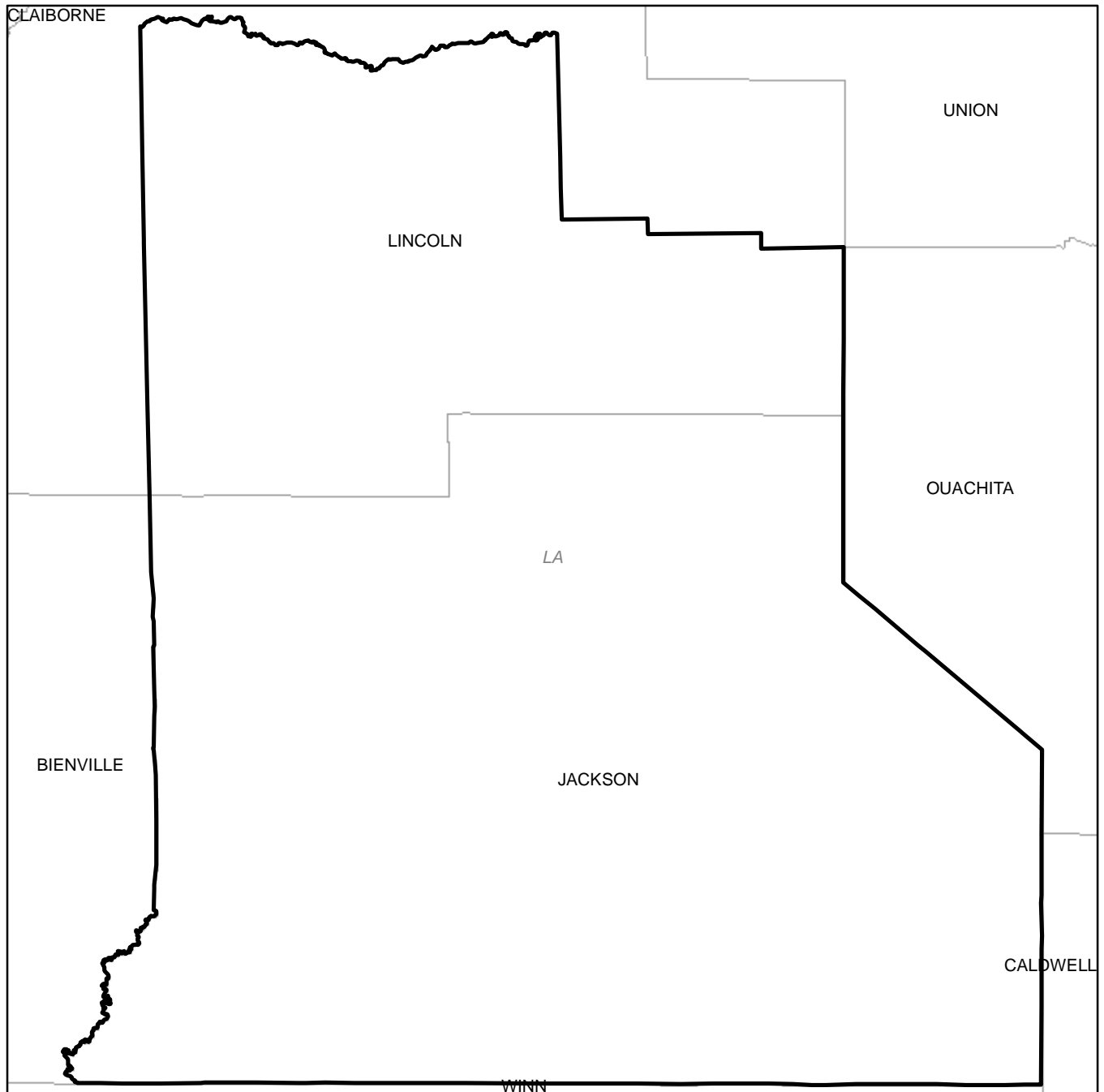
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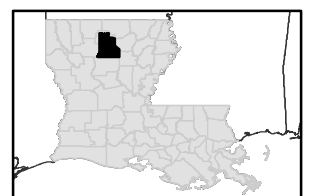
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JACKSON gained from CLAIBORNE and OUACHITA, exchanged with UNION.

832 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1846, 1st Leg., 1st sess., pp. 159-160)





JACKSON

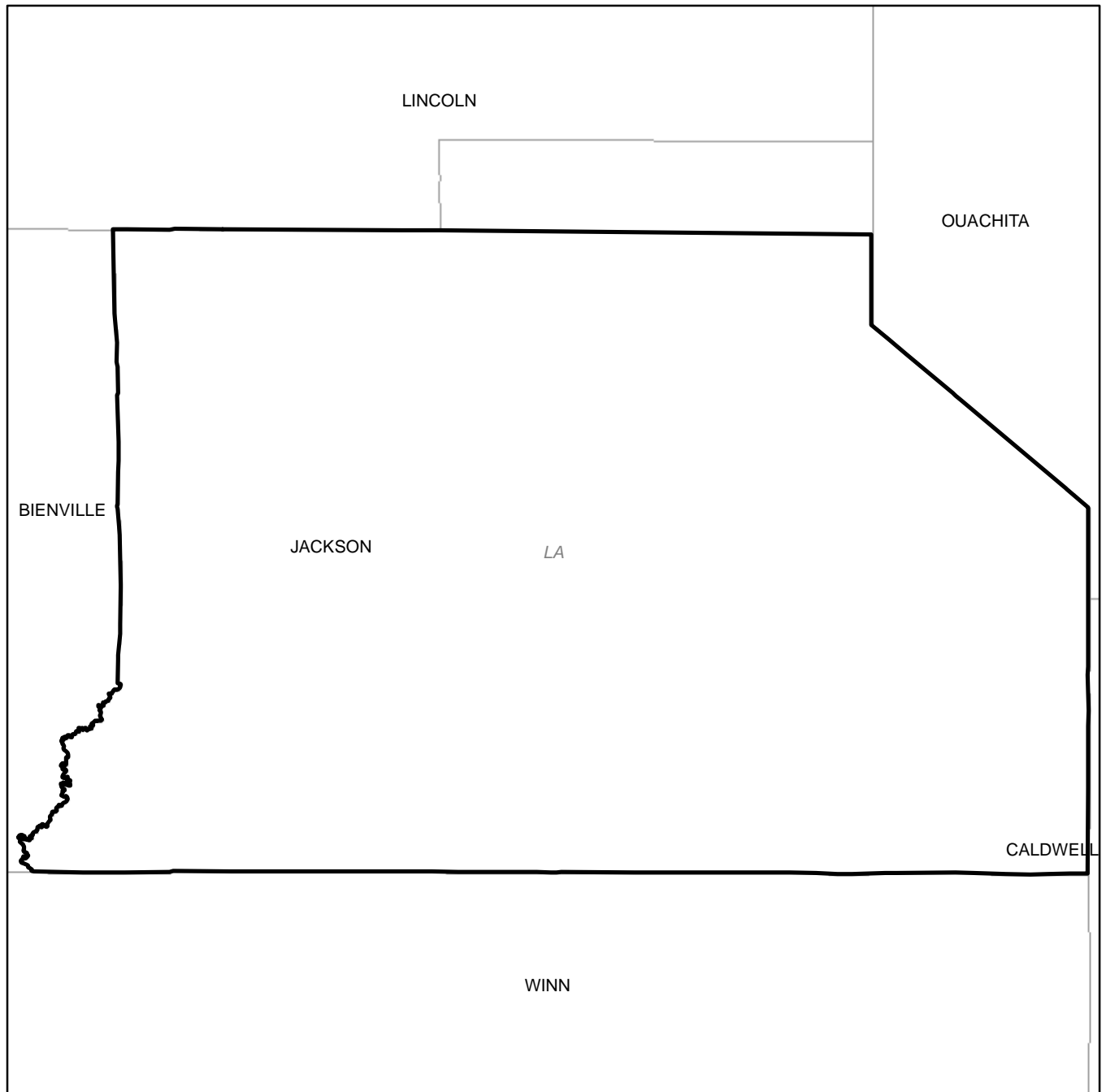
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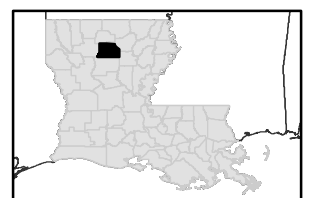
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JACKSON lost to creation of LINCOLN.

544 sq. mi.

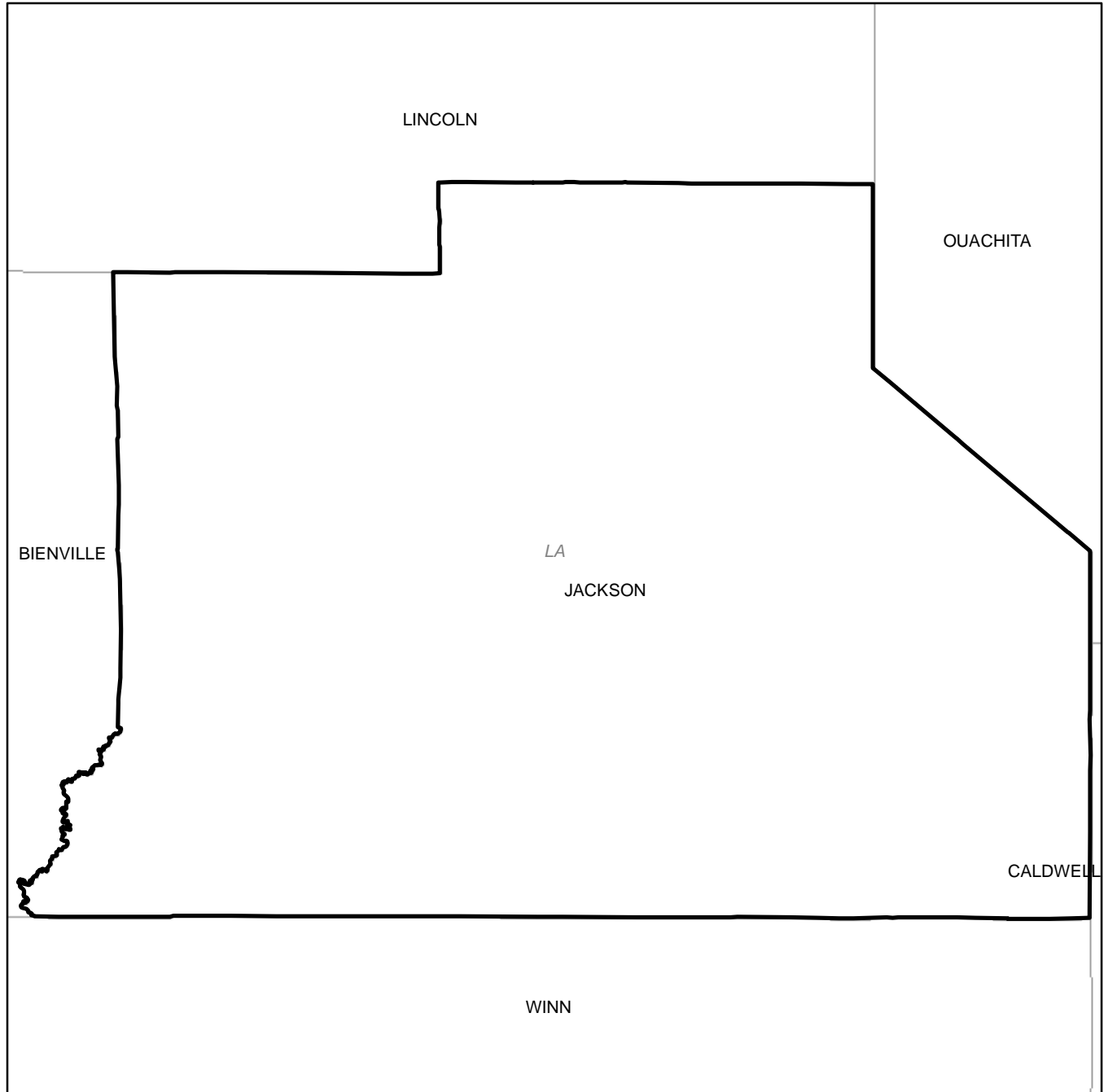
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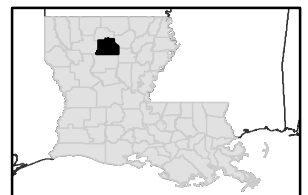
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580 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1877, 5th Leg., 1st sess., p.31)





JEFFERSON

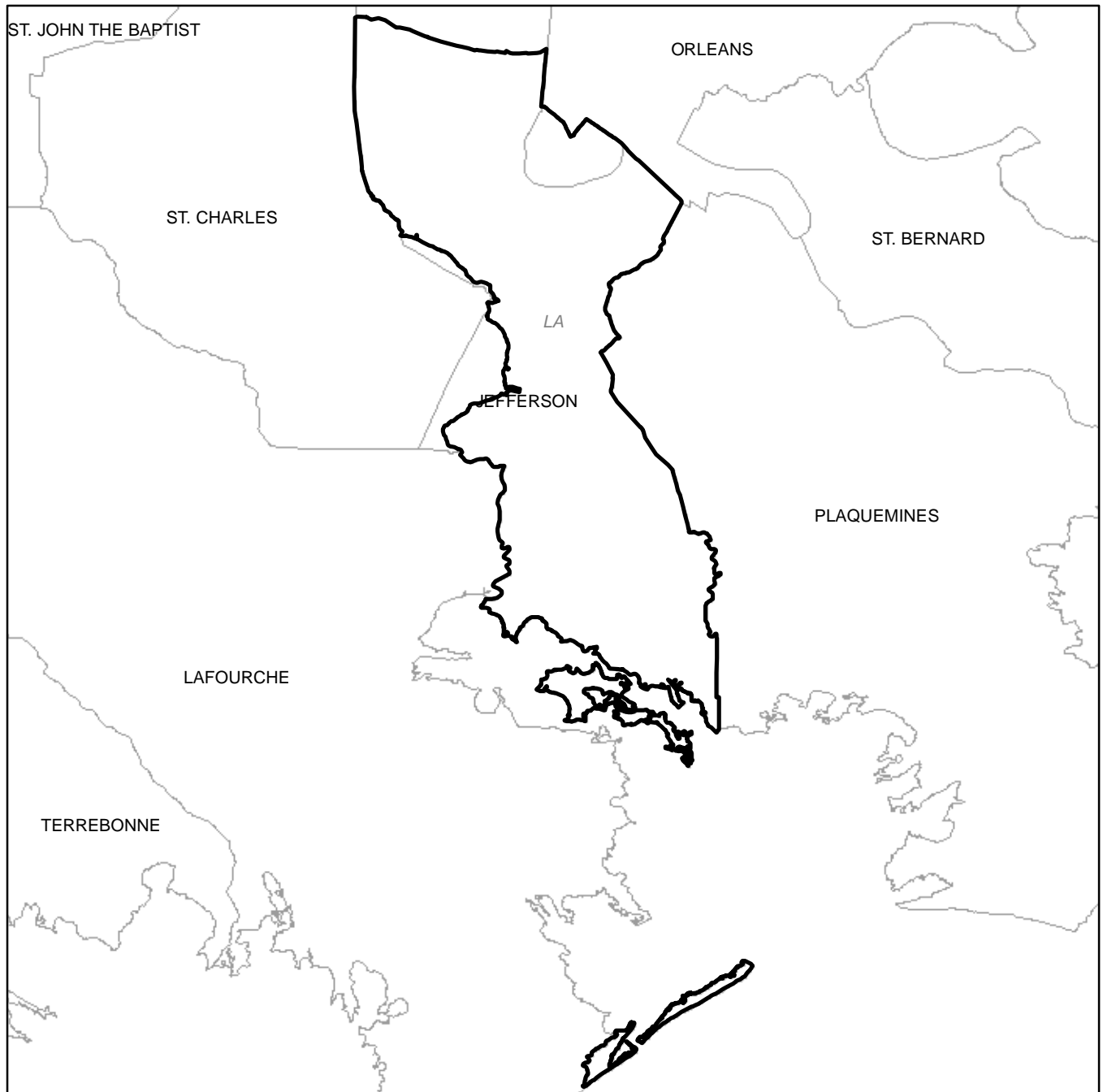
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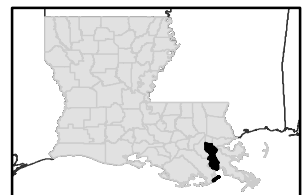
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JEFFERSON created from ORLEANS; included the disputed areas of and Cheniere Caminada and Grand Isle.

362 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1825, 7th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 108-112)





JEFFERSON

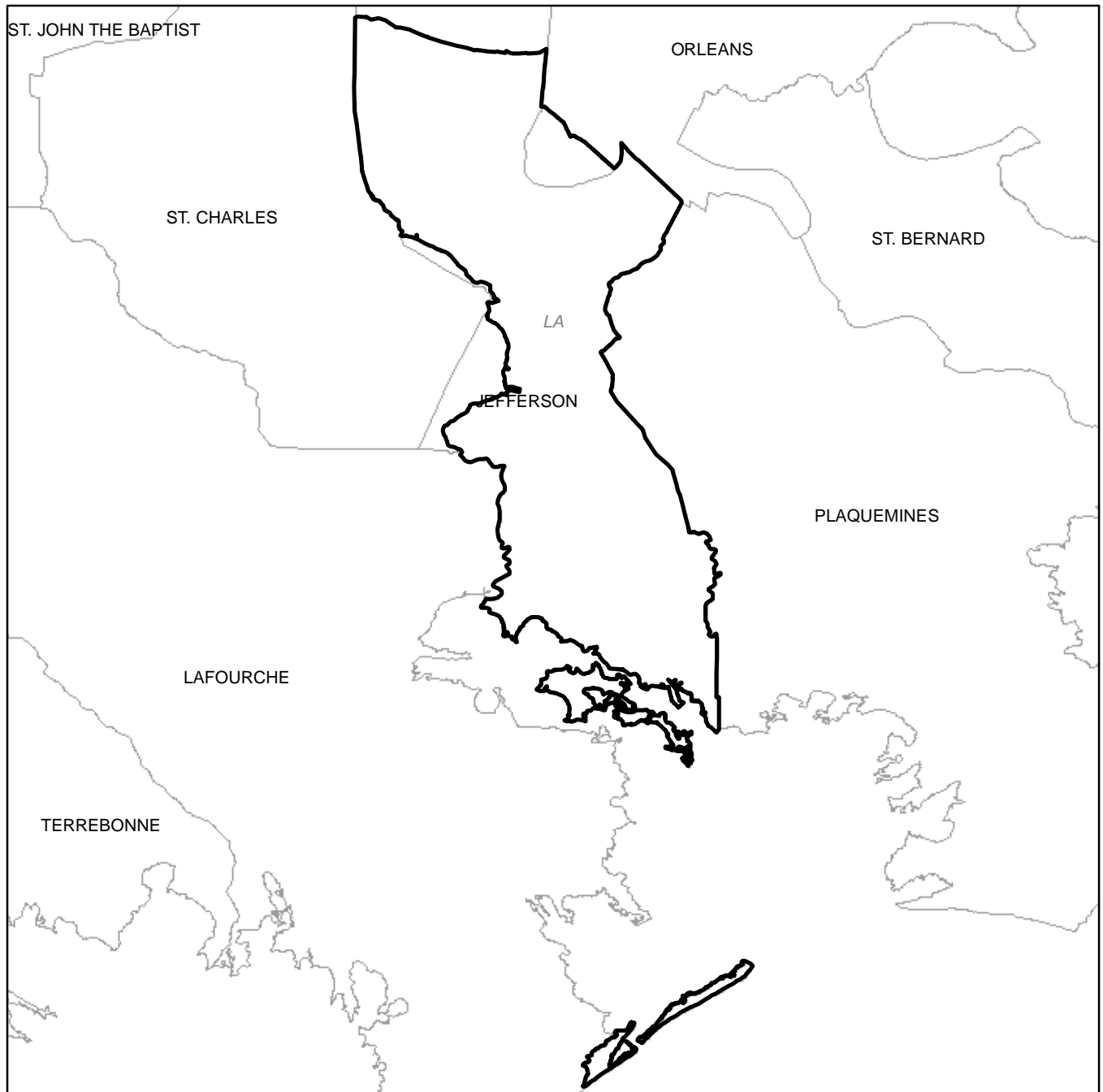
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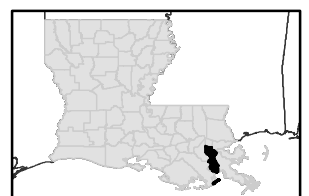
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JEFFERSON lost small area to ORLEANS when the limits of ORLEANS were extended to Felicity Street.

359 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 100-101)





JEFFERSON

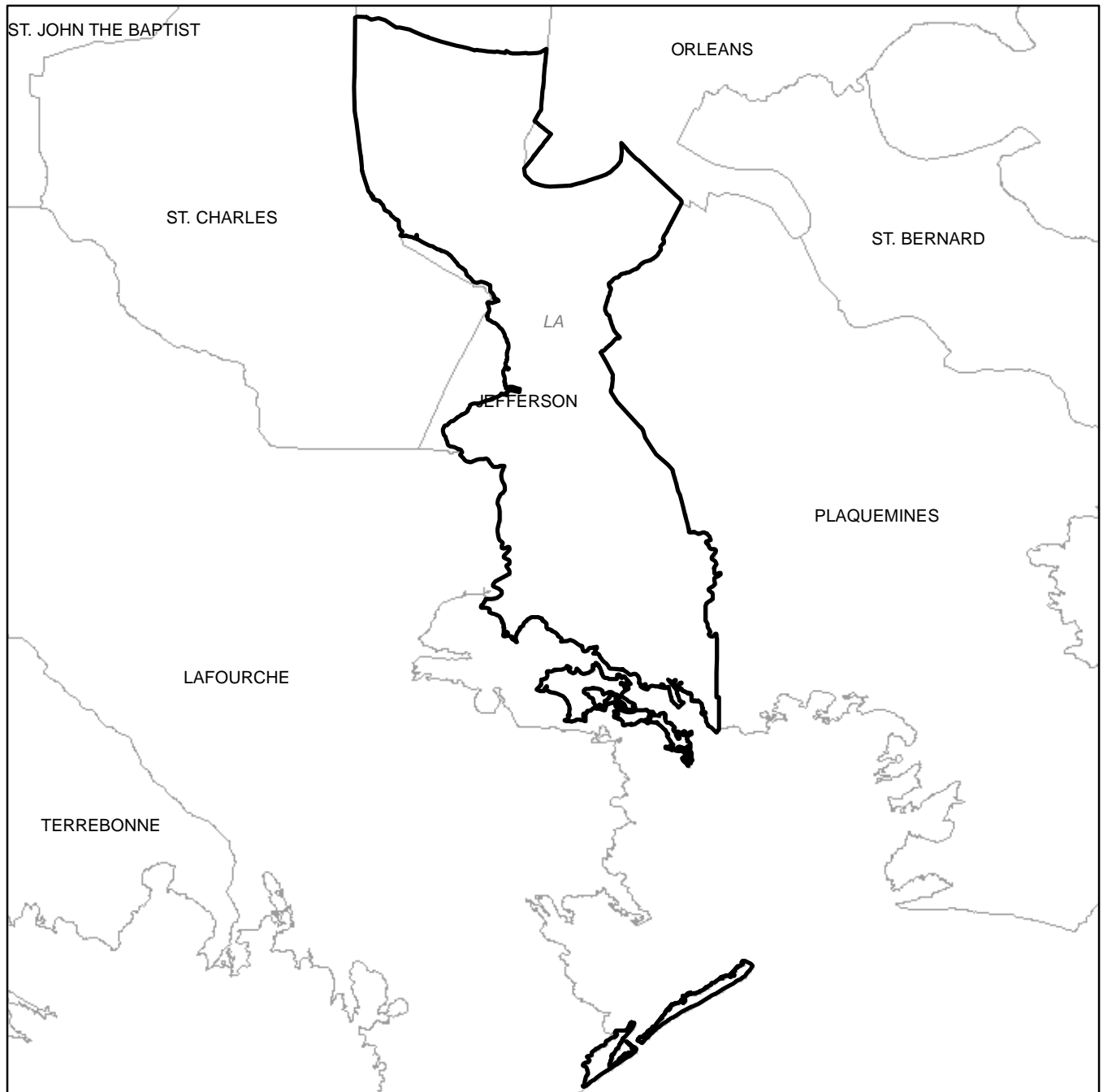
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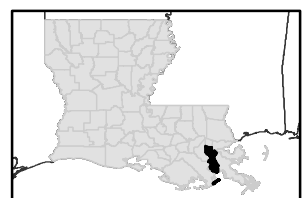
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JEFFERSON lost to ORLEANS when the cities of New Orleans and Jefferson were consolidated.

348 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1870, 1st Leg., extra sess., pp. 30-49)





JEFFERSON

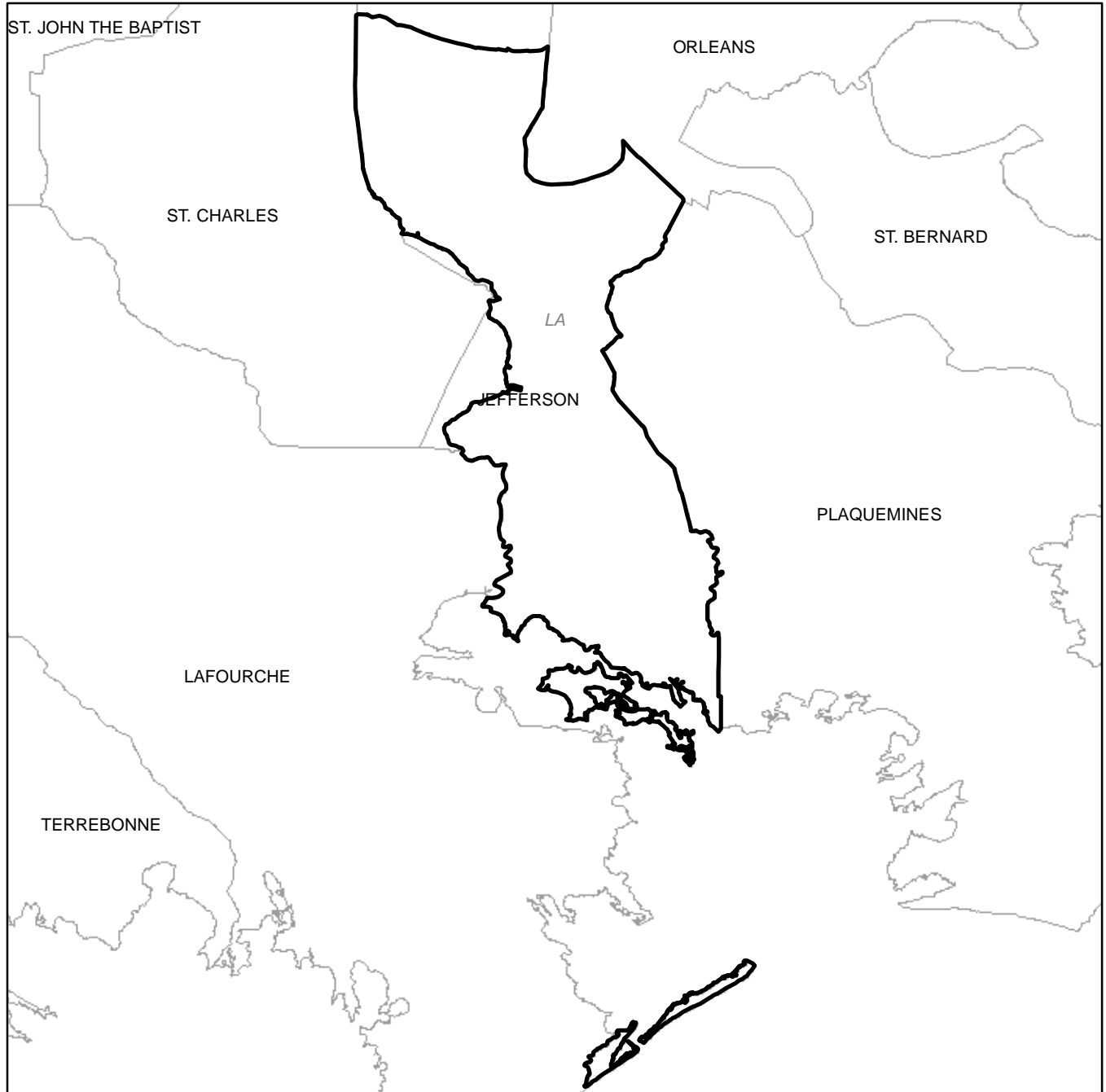
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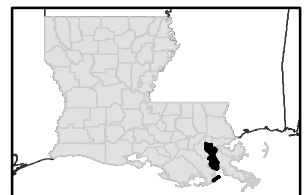
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JEFFERSON lost to ORLEANS when the city of Carrollton was annexed to the city of New Orleans.

347 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1874, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 119-122)





JEFFERSON

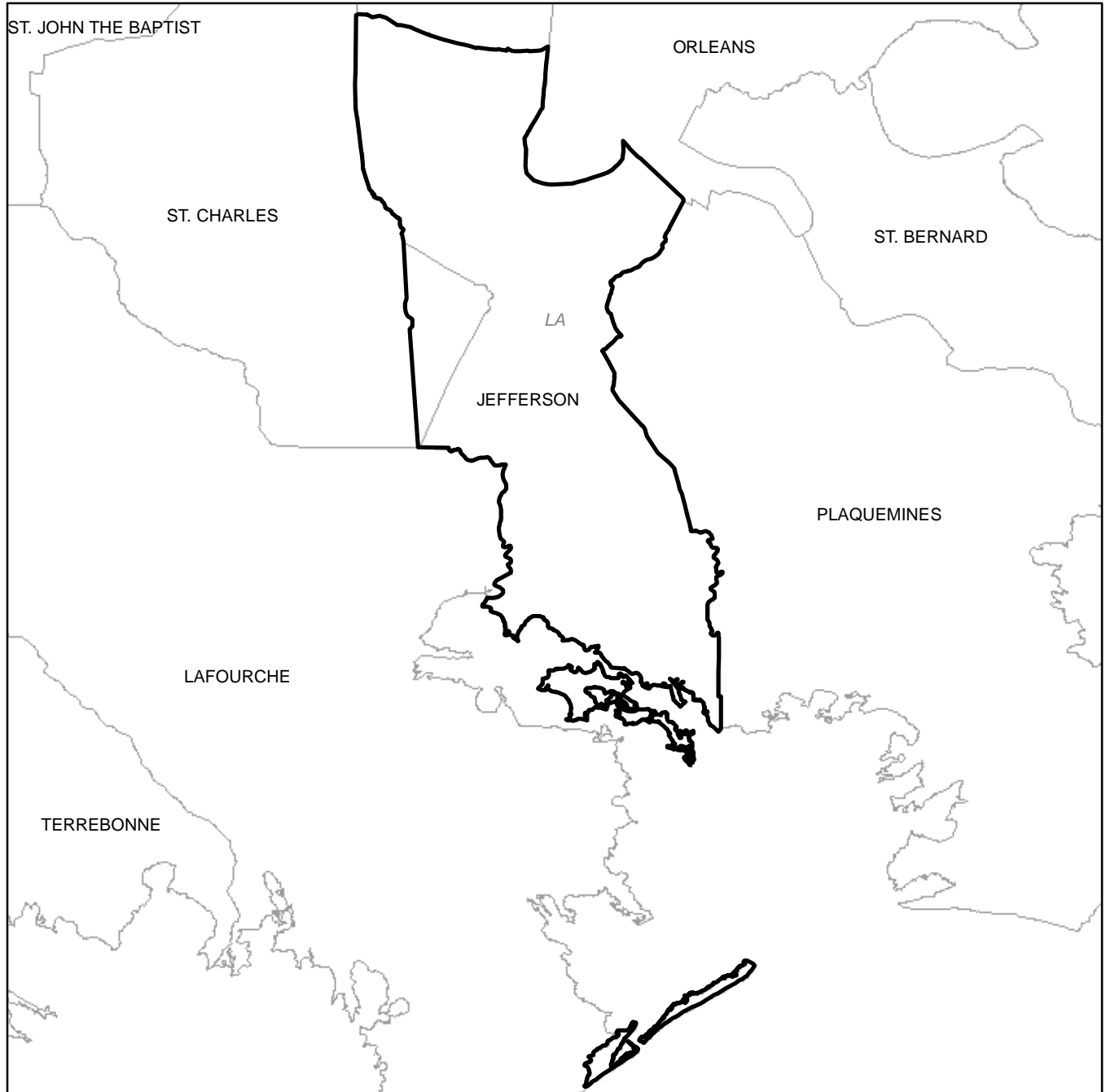
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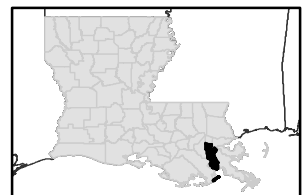
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[by 1952] JEFFERSON gained Couba Island, and parts of Lake Cataouatche and Lake Salvador.

389 sq. mi.

(Louisiana Rpts. 206, pp. 616-642; Swanson, 47-48; U.S.G.S. Louisiana 7.5 Minute Series, 1944, 1952)





JEFFERSON

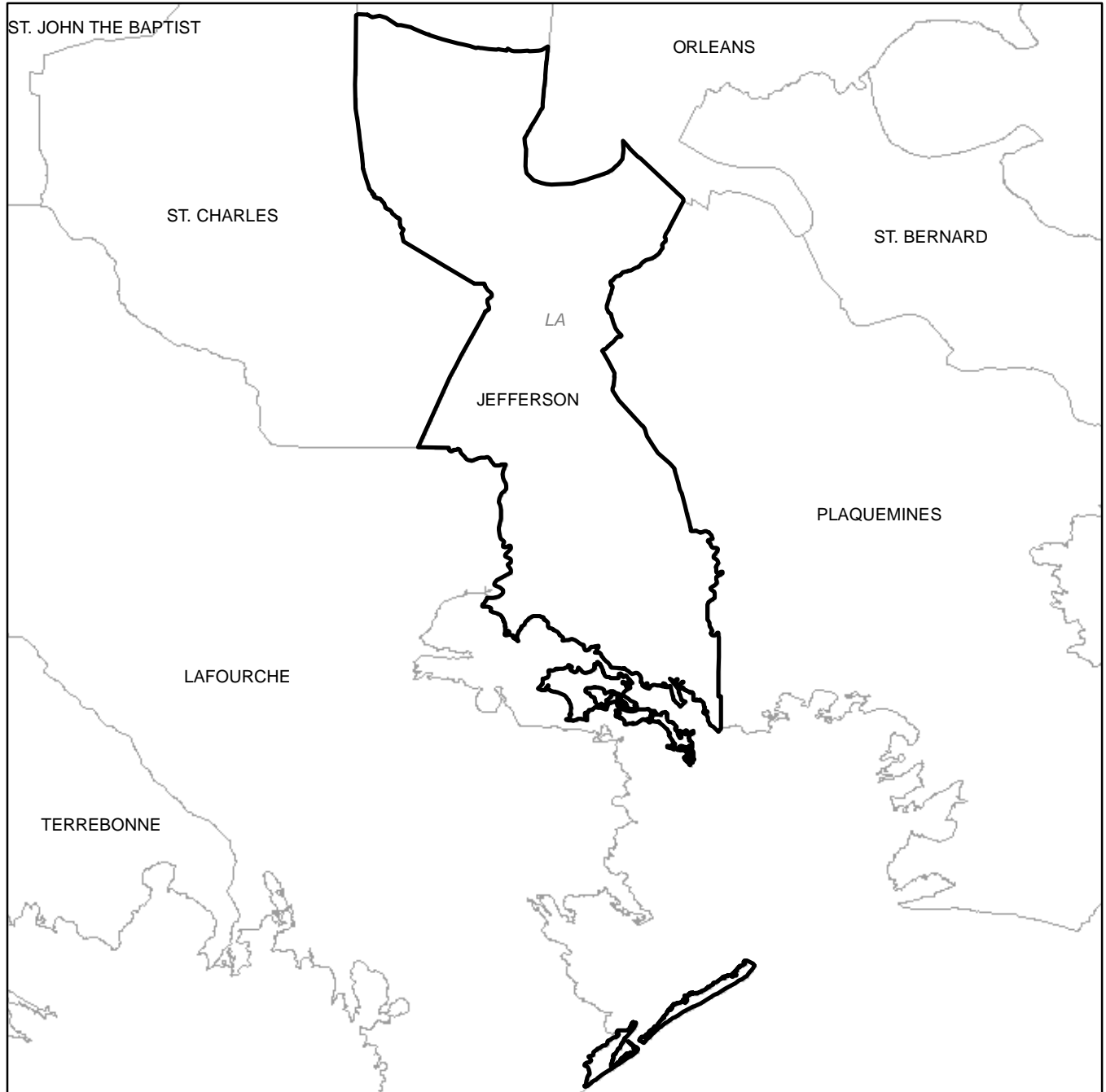
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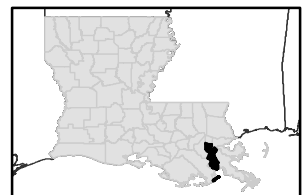
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[by 1954] JEFFERSON lost Couba Island and parts of Lake Cataouatche and Lake Salvador to ST. CHARLES.

364 sq. mi.

(U.S.G.S. Louisiana 7.5 Minute Series, 1954, 1966)





JEFFERSON

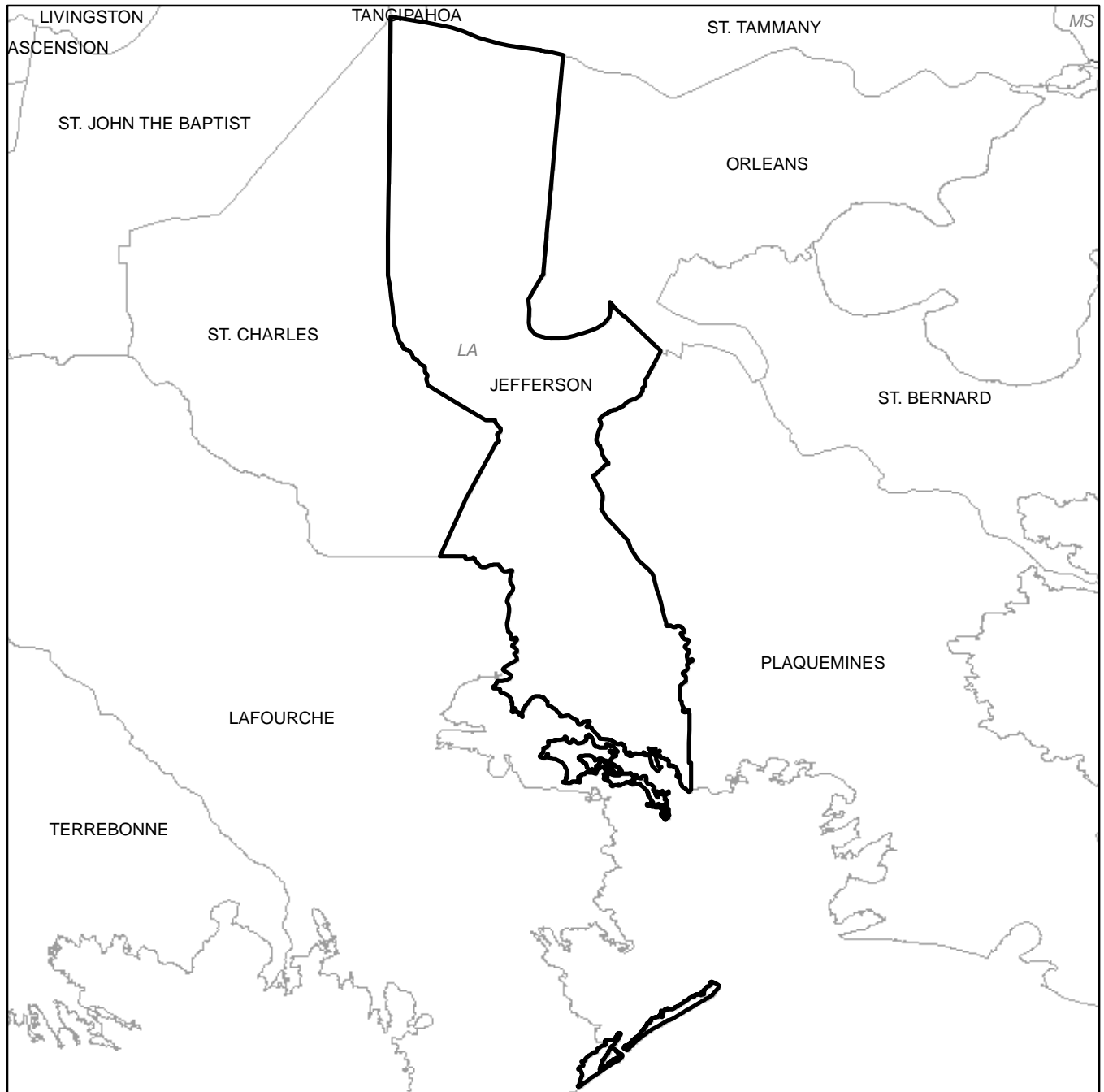
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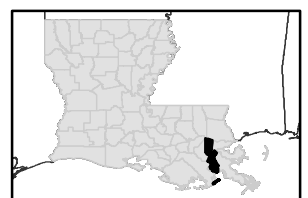
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JEFFERSON gained when boundaries through Lake Pontchartrain were defined.

488 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1979, vol. 2, Reg. Sess., pp. 2042, 2043-2044)





JEFFERSON DAVIS

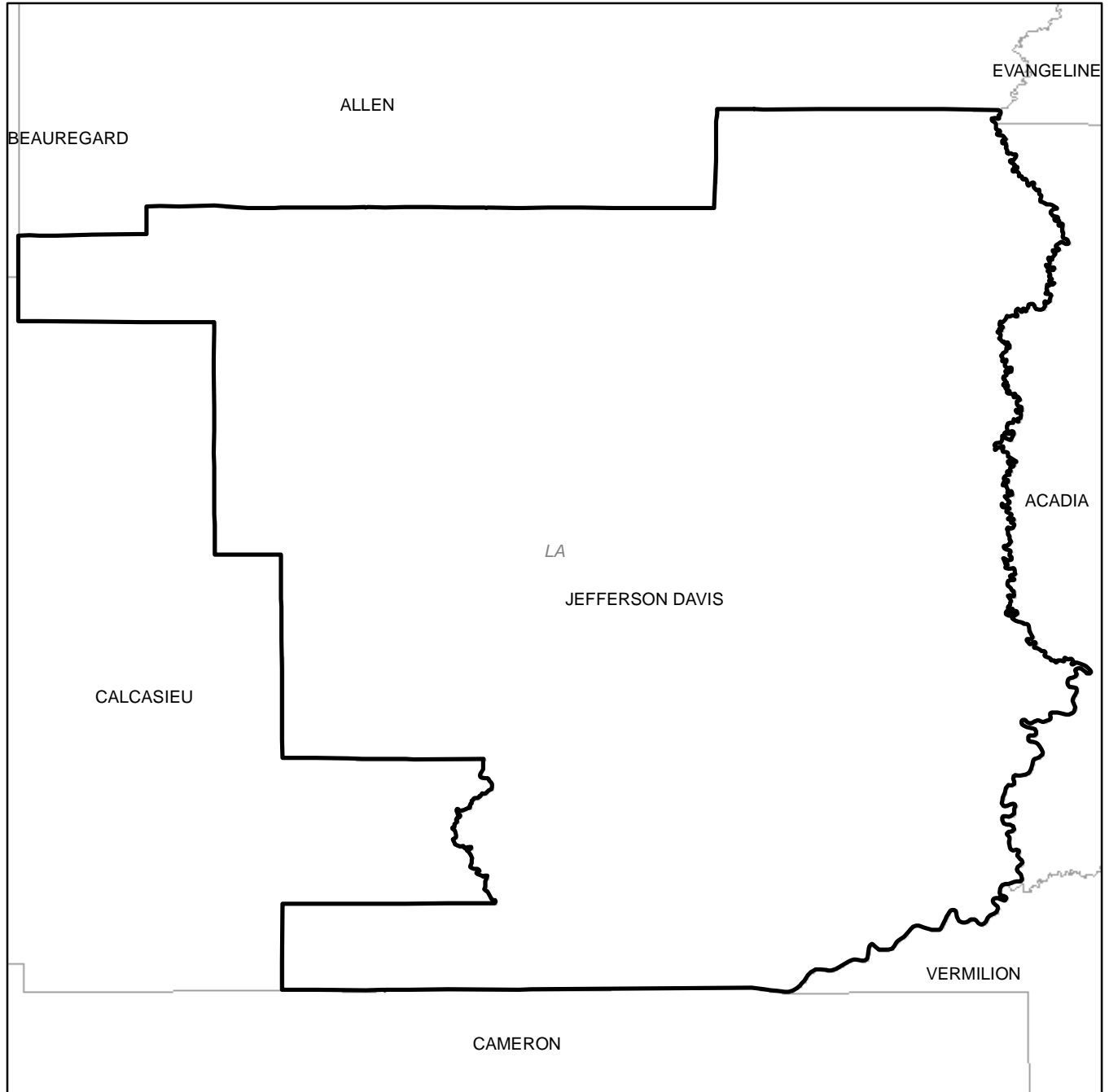
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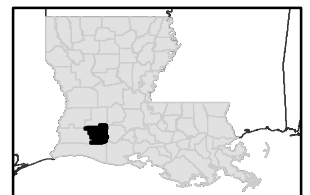
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JEFFERSON DAVIS created from CALCASIEU.

659 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1912, Reg. Sess., pp. 10-13)





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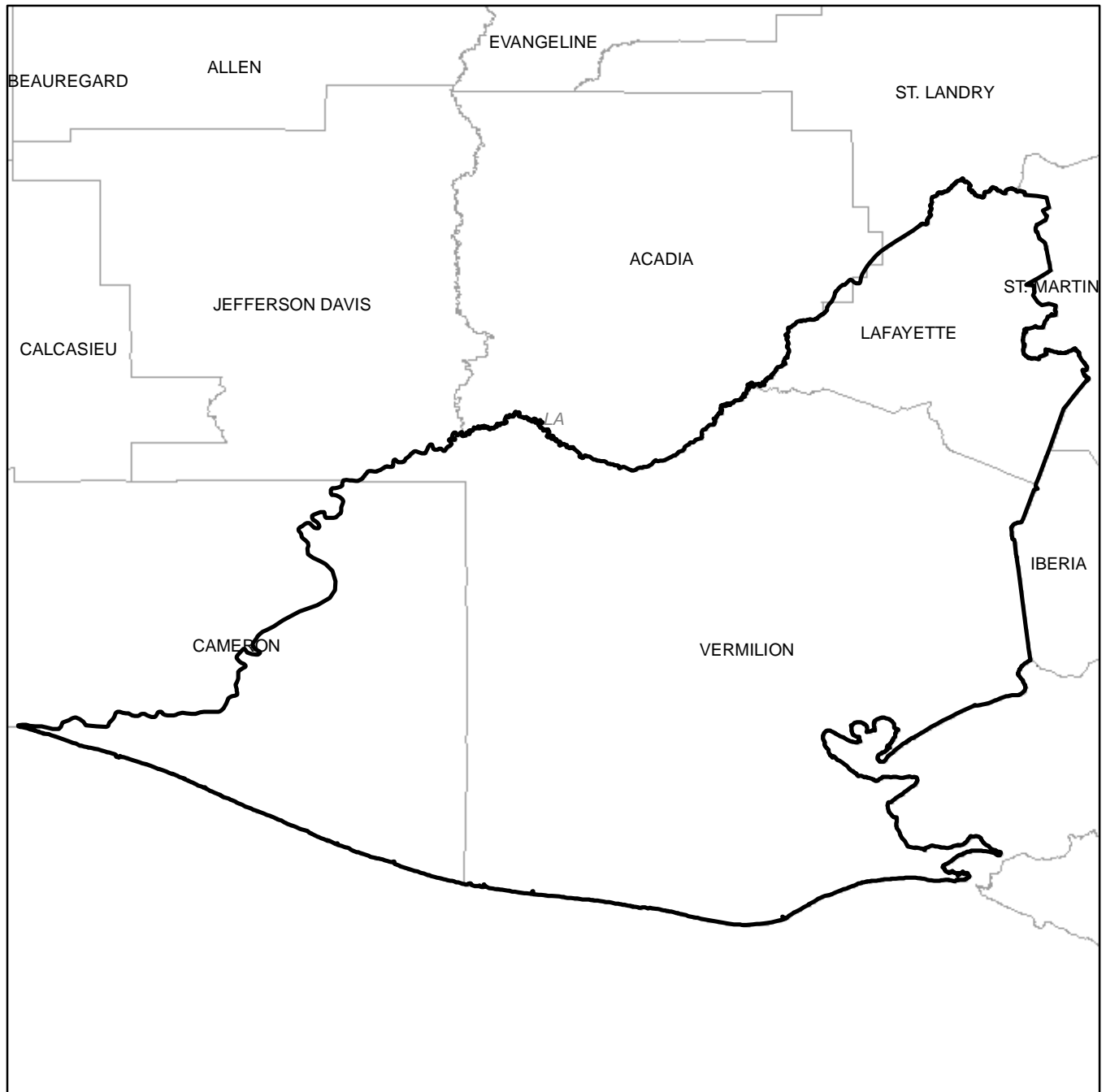
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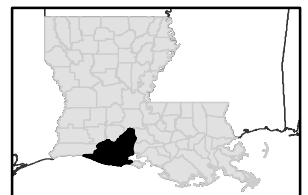
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LAFAYETTE created from ST. MARTIN.

2,002 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1823, 6th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 6-10)





LAFAYETTE

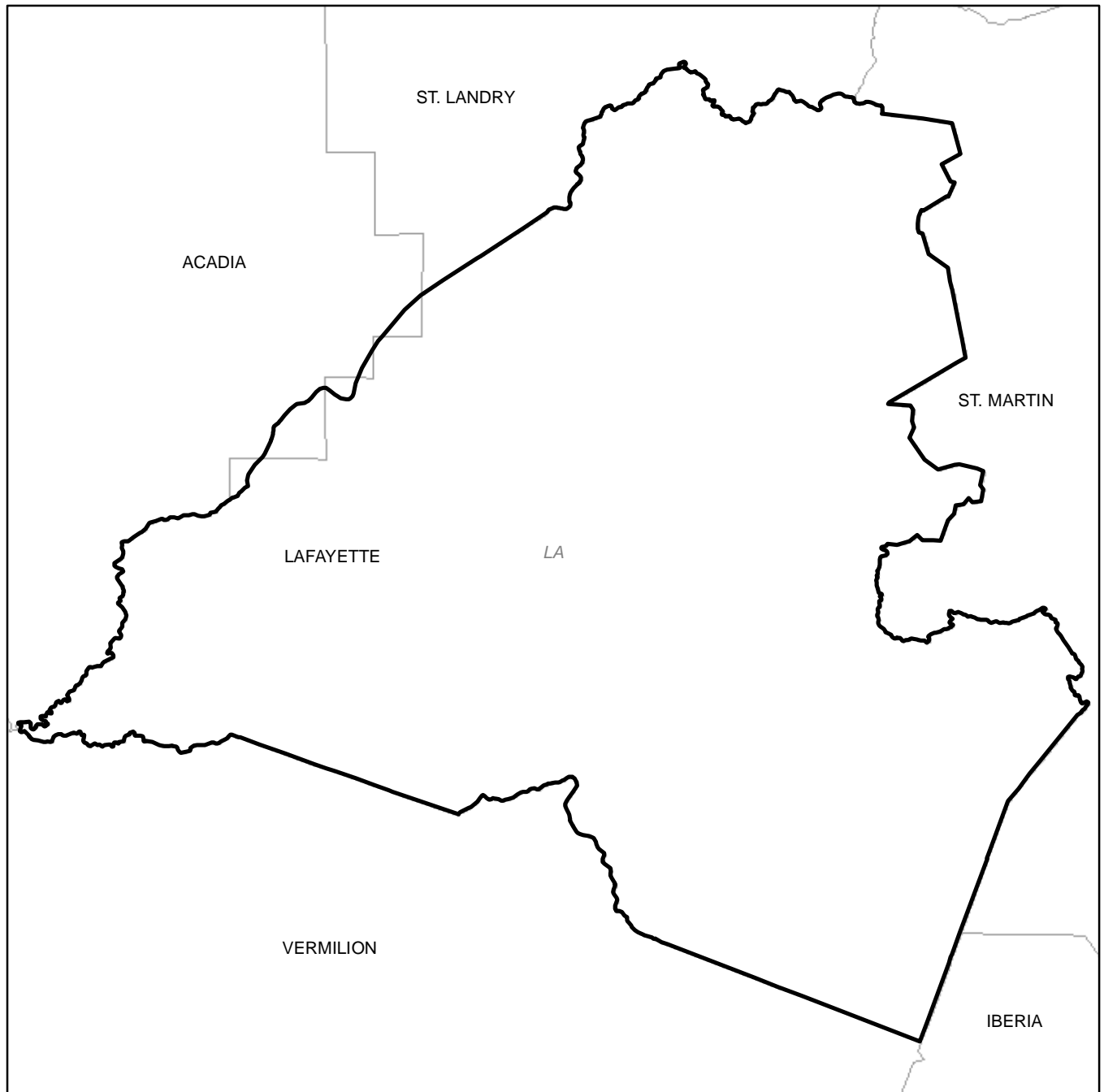
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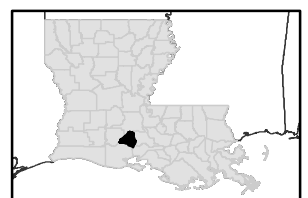
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LAFAYETTE lost to creation of VERMILION.

272 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1844, 16th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 45-47)





LAFAYETTE

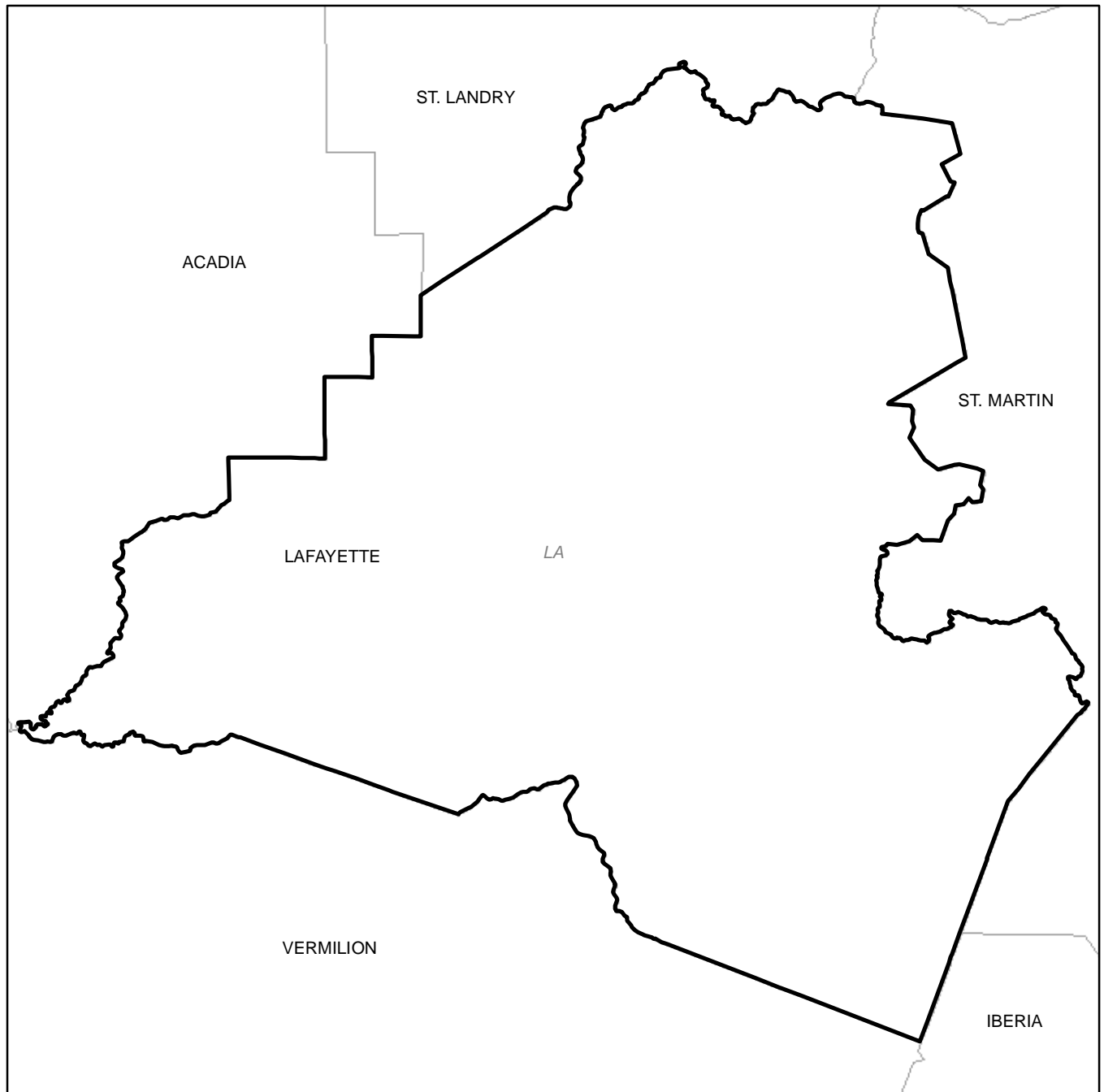
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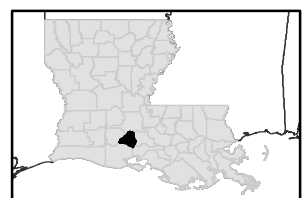
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LAFAYETTE exchanged with ACADIA.

270 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1898, Reg. Sess., pp. 294-295)





LAFOURCHE INTERIOR

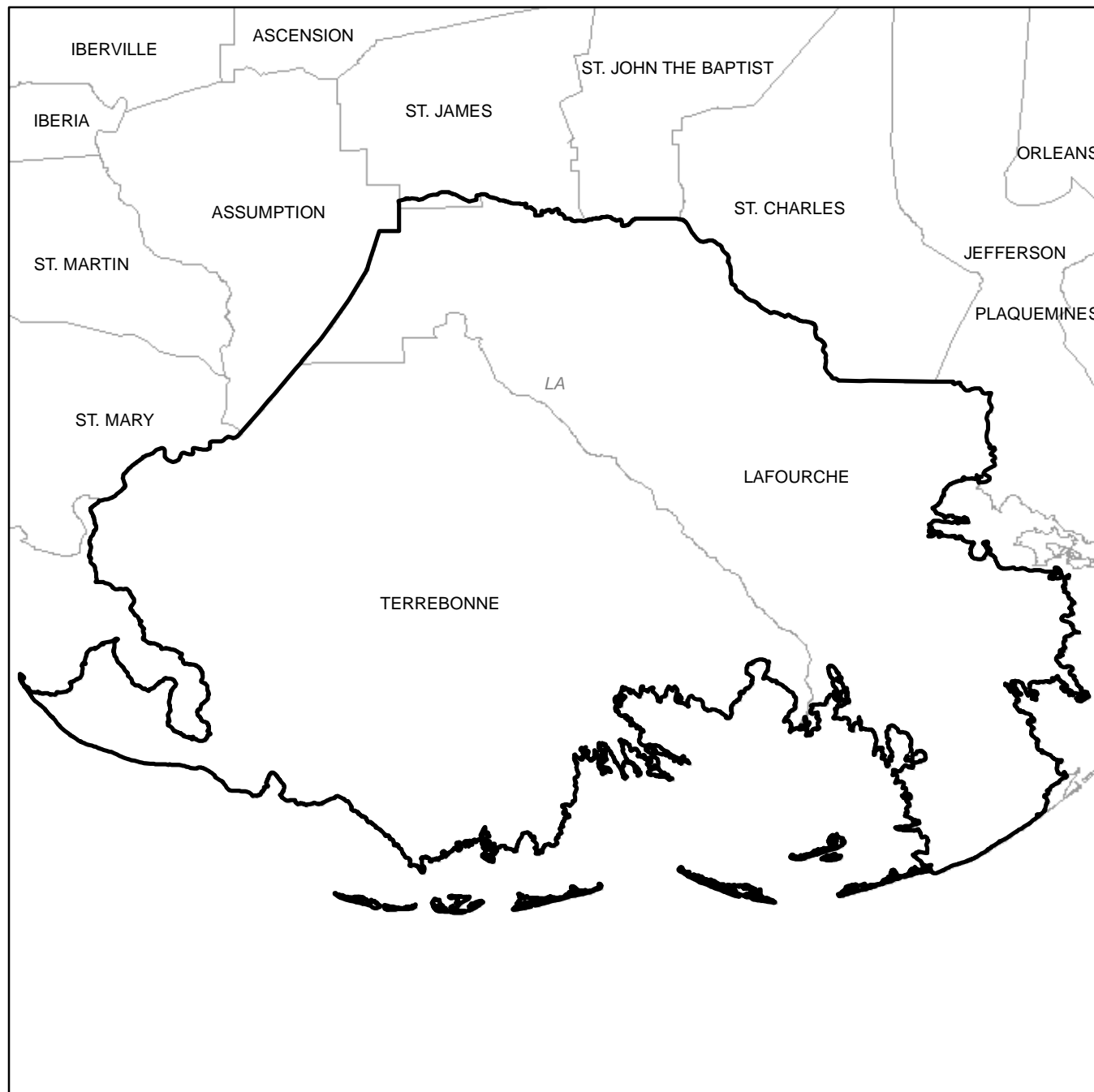
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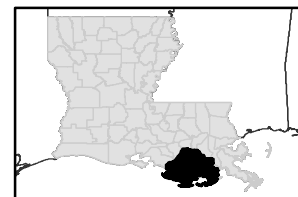
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LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE) Parish created within Lafourche County. Creation of parishes did not abolish 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. Counties existed for taxing & electoral purposes, parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

2,677 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





LAFOURCHE INTERIOR

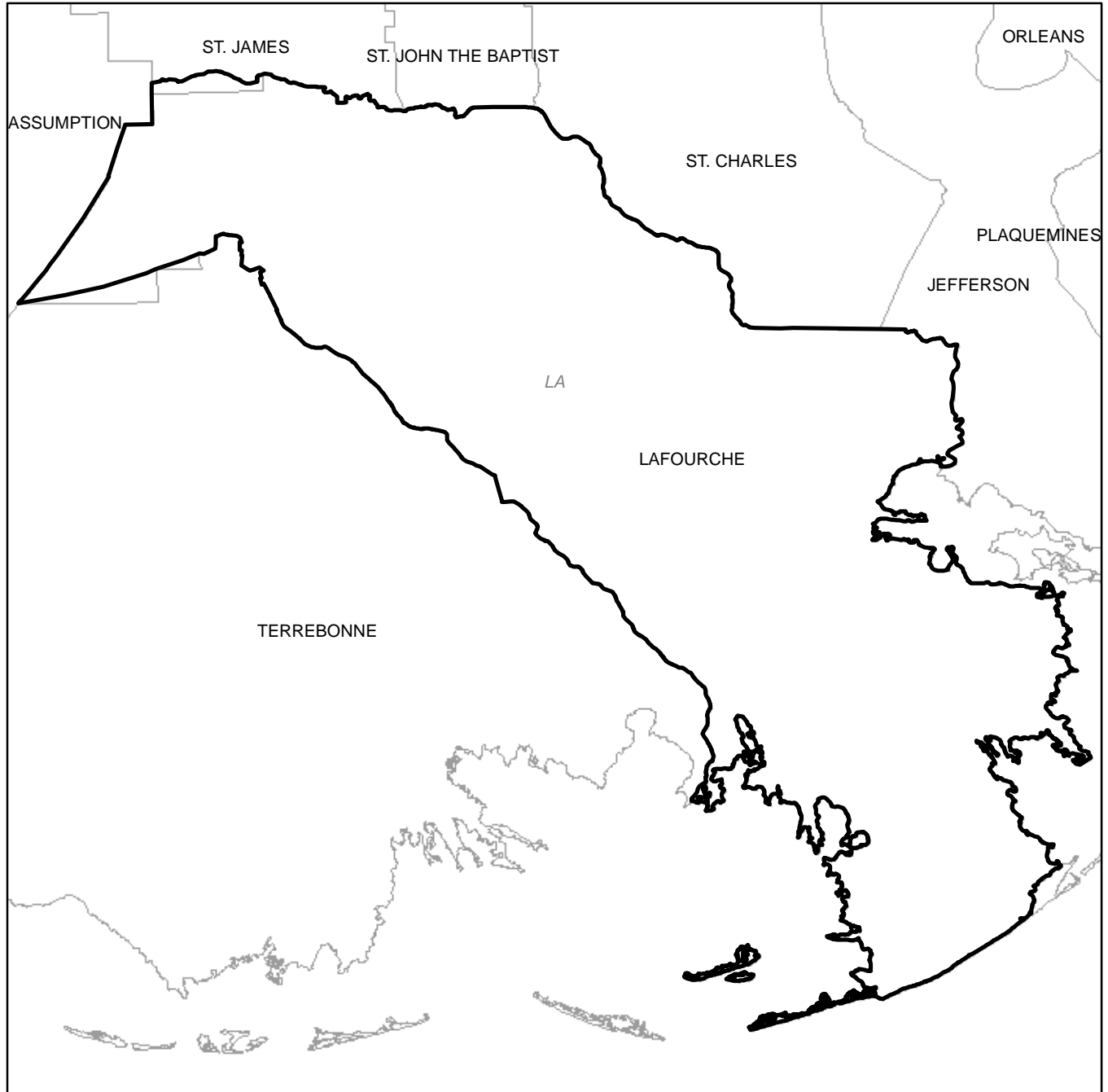
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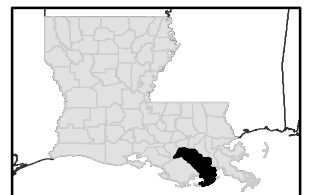
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LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE) lost to creation of TERREBONE.

1,189 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1822, 5th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 74-76)





LAFOURCHE INTERIOR

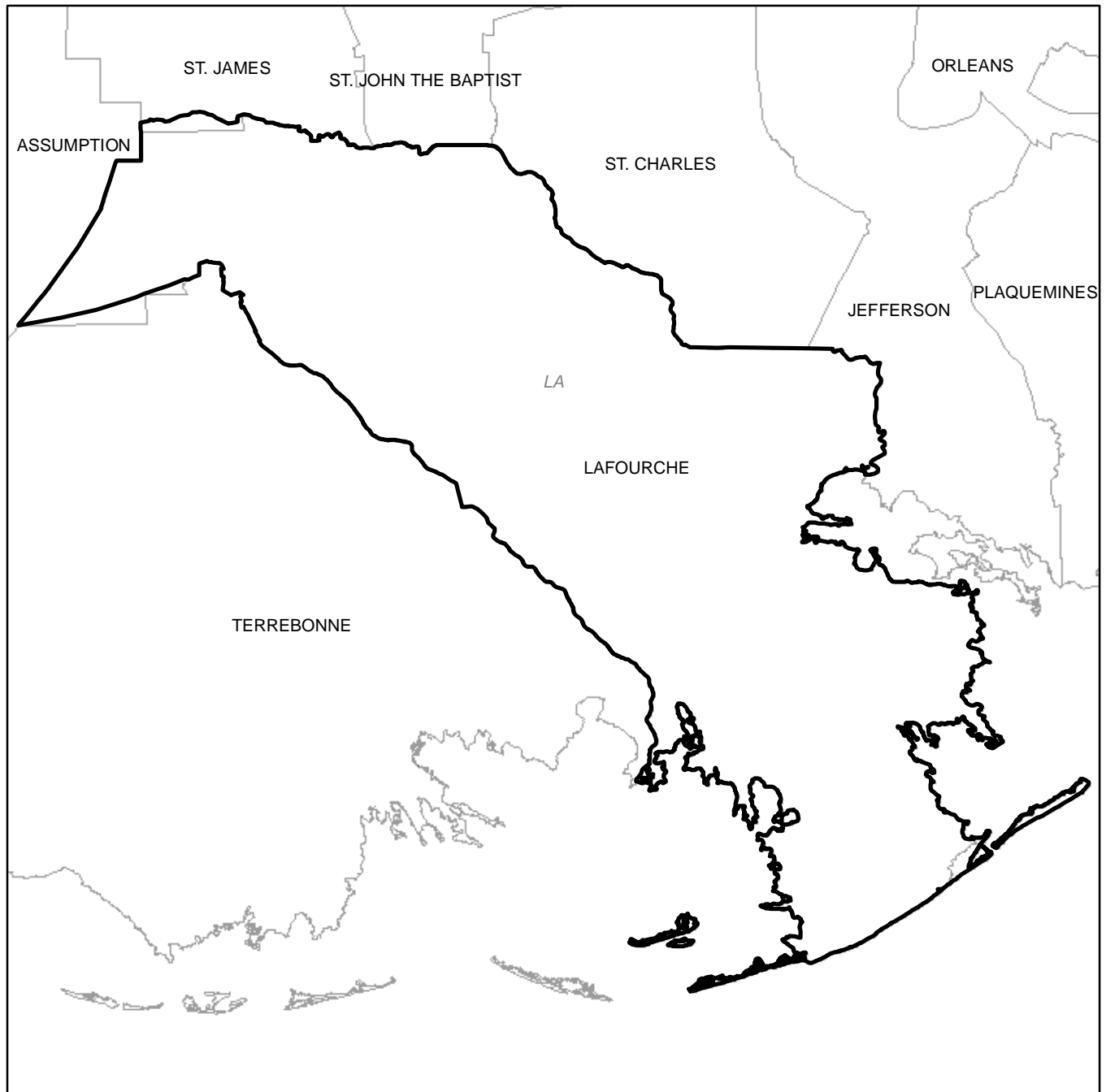
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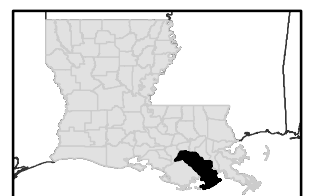
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LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE) gained Grand Isle, and implicitly gained jurisdiction over the Cheniere Caminada Peninsula from ORLEANS. Uncertainty over the relative locations of Grand Isle and Cheniere Caminada resulted in a dispute with ORLEANS.

1,195 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1824, 6th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 68)





LAFOURCHE INTERIOR

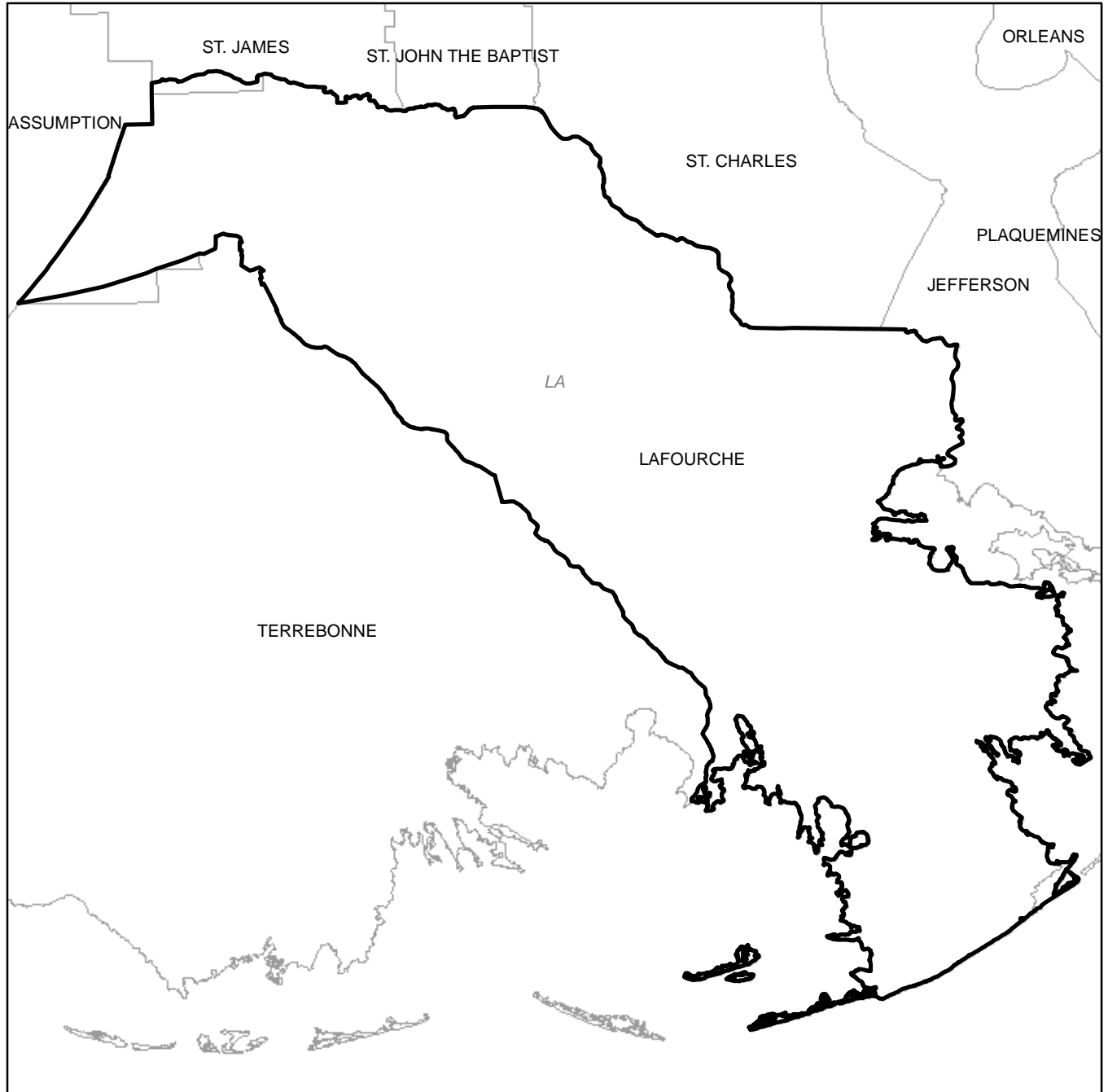
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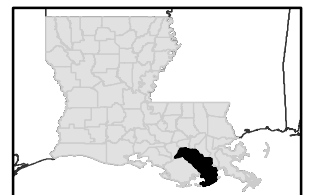
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LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE) officially lost jurisdiction over the disputed Grand Isle to JEFFERSON. Dispute over Cheniere Caminada peninsula continued.

1,192 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1827, 8th Leg., 1st sess., p. 156)





LAFOURCHE INTERIOR

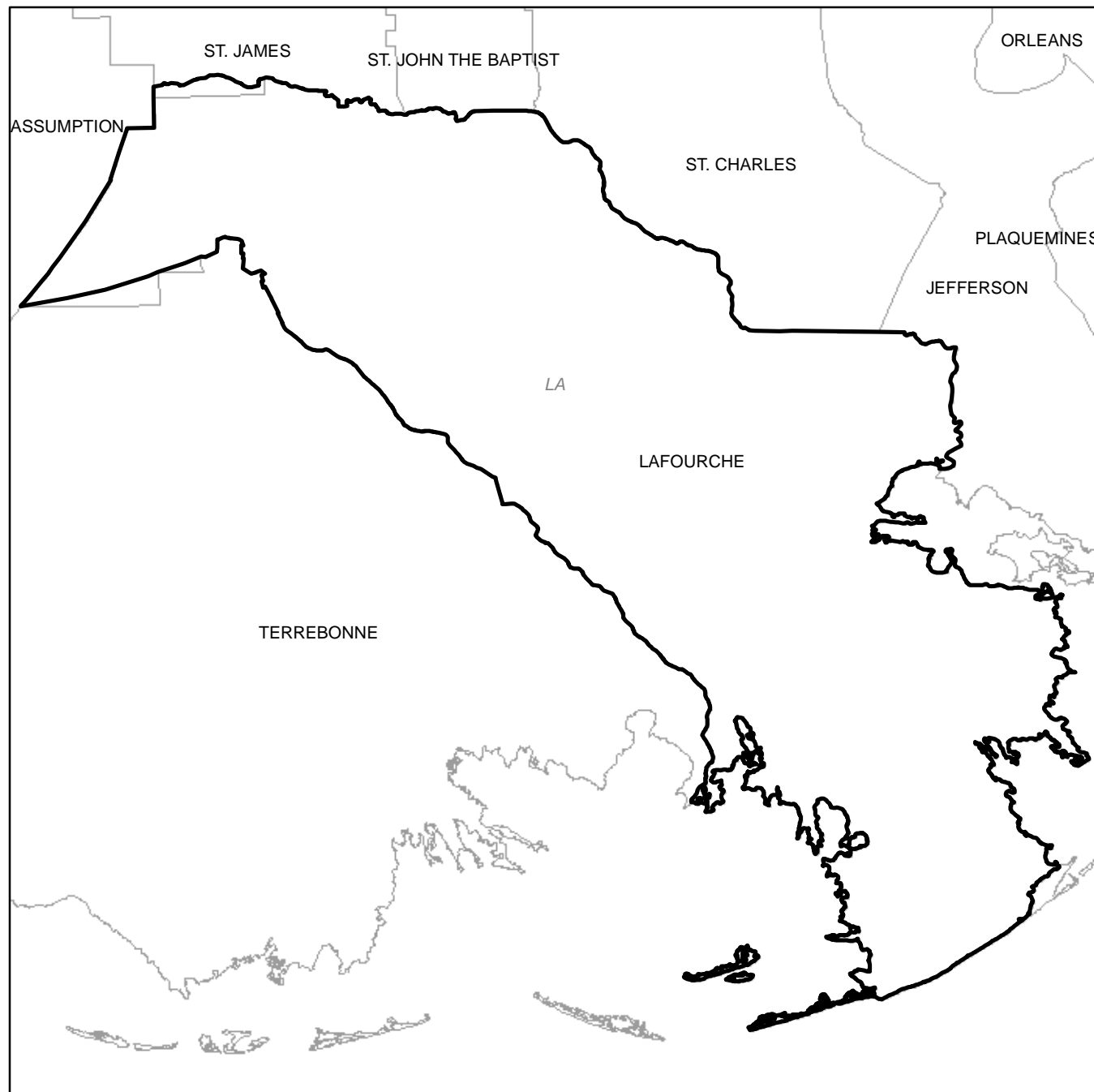
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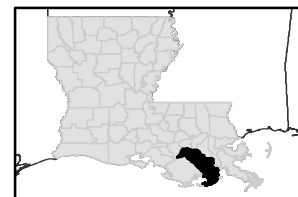
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LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE) officially lost jurisdiction over the Cheniere Caminada peninsula to JEFFERSON; technically eliminating dispute. Competing claims to area not fully settled until 26 June 1944 ruling by Louisiana Supreme Court.

1,189 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1830, 9th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 64)





LAFOURCHE INTERIOR

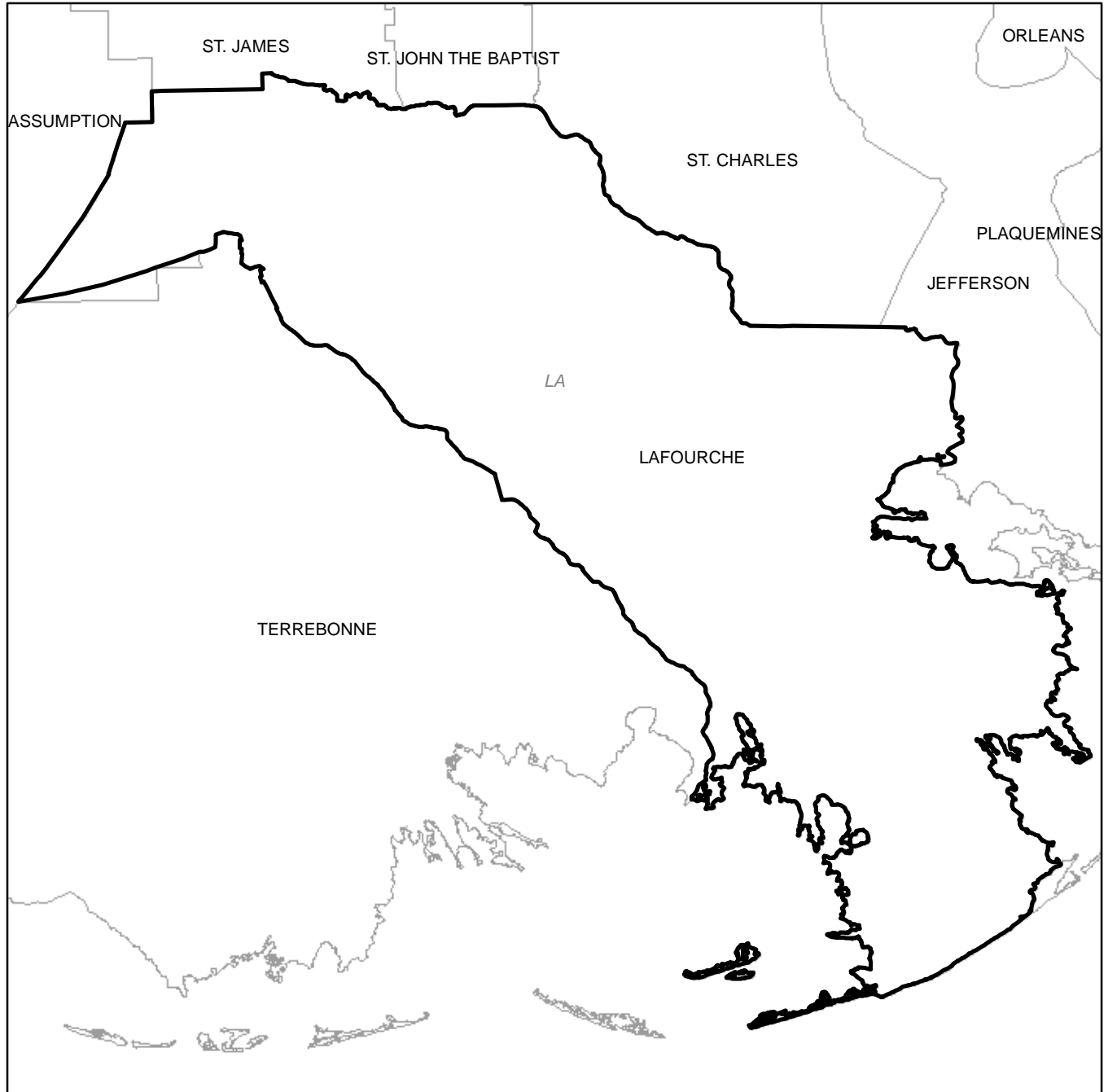
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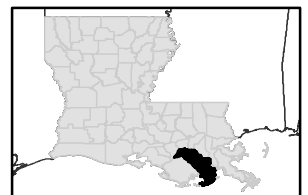
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LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE) lost to ST. JAMES.

1,183 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 134-135)





LAFOURCHE INTERIOR

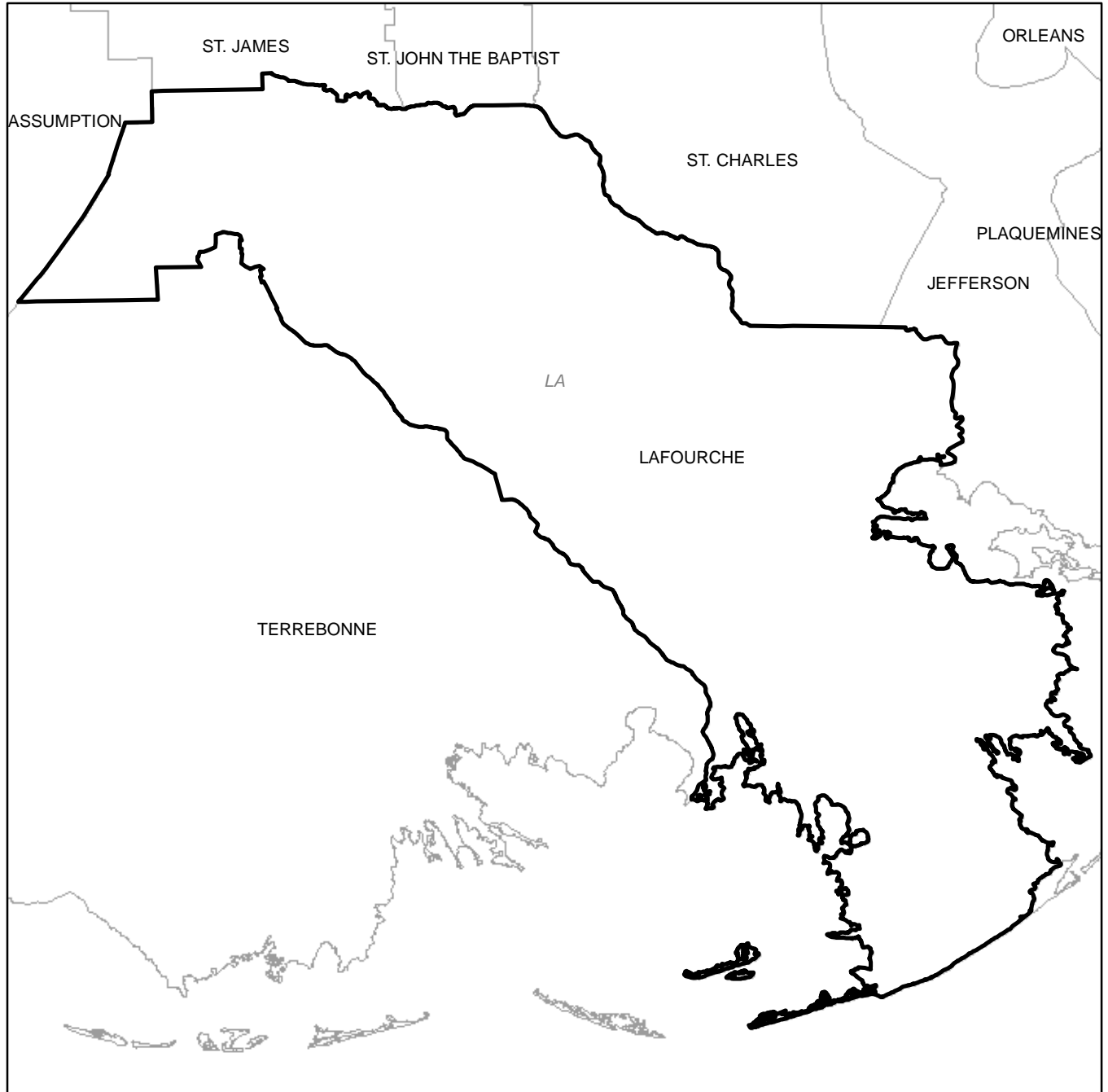
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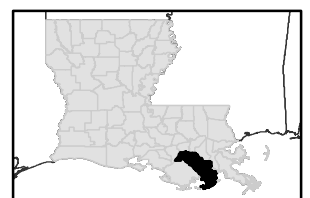
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LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE) gained from TERREBONNE.

1,191 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1850, 3rd Leg., p. 68)





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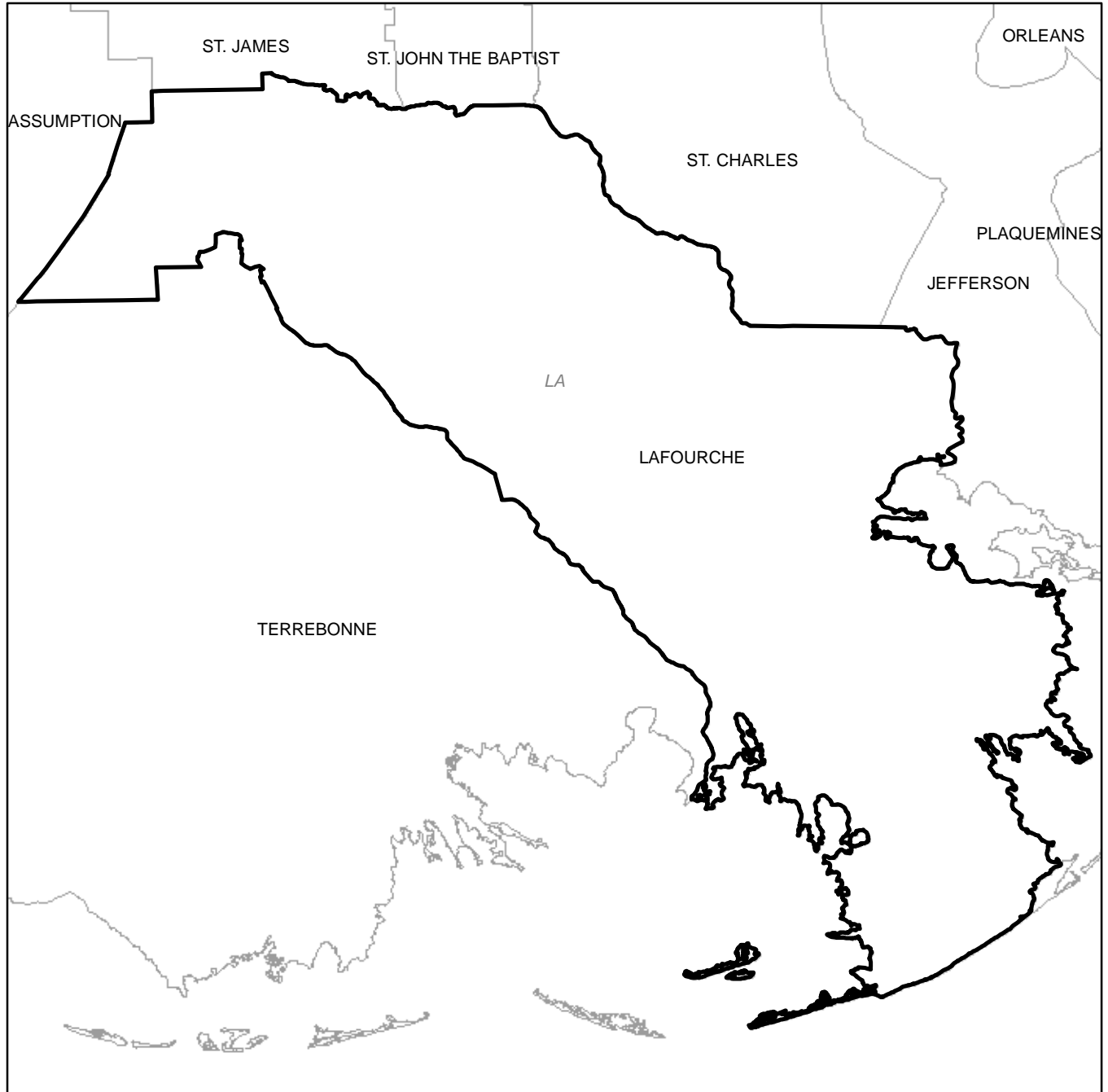
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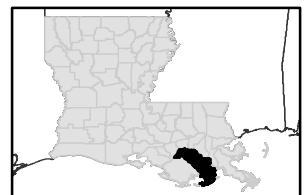
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LAFOURCHE INTERIOR renamed LAFOURCHE.

1,191 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1853, 1st Leg., p. 42)





LA SALLE

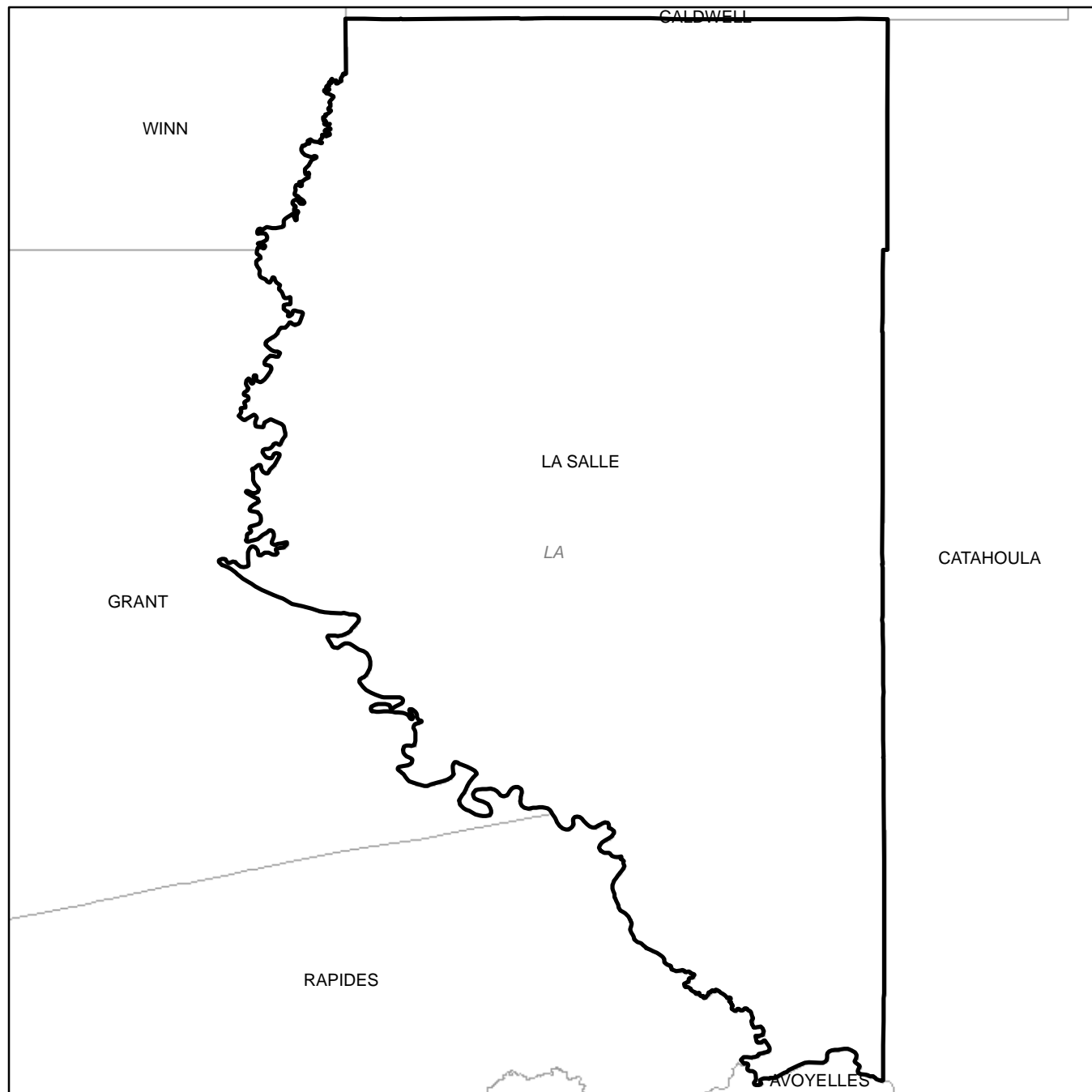
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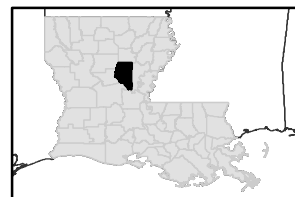
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LA SALLE created from CATAHOULA.

662 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1908, Reg. Sess., pp. 244-250)





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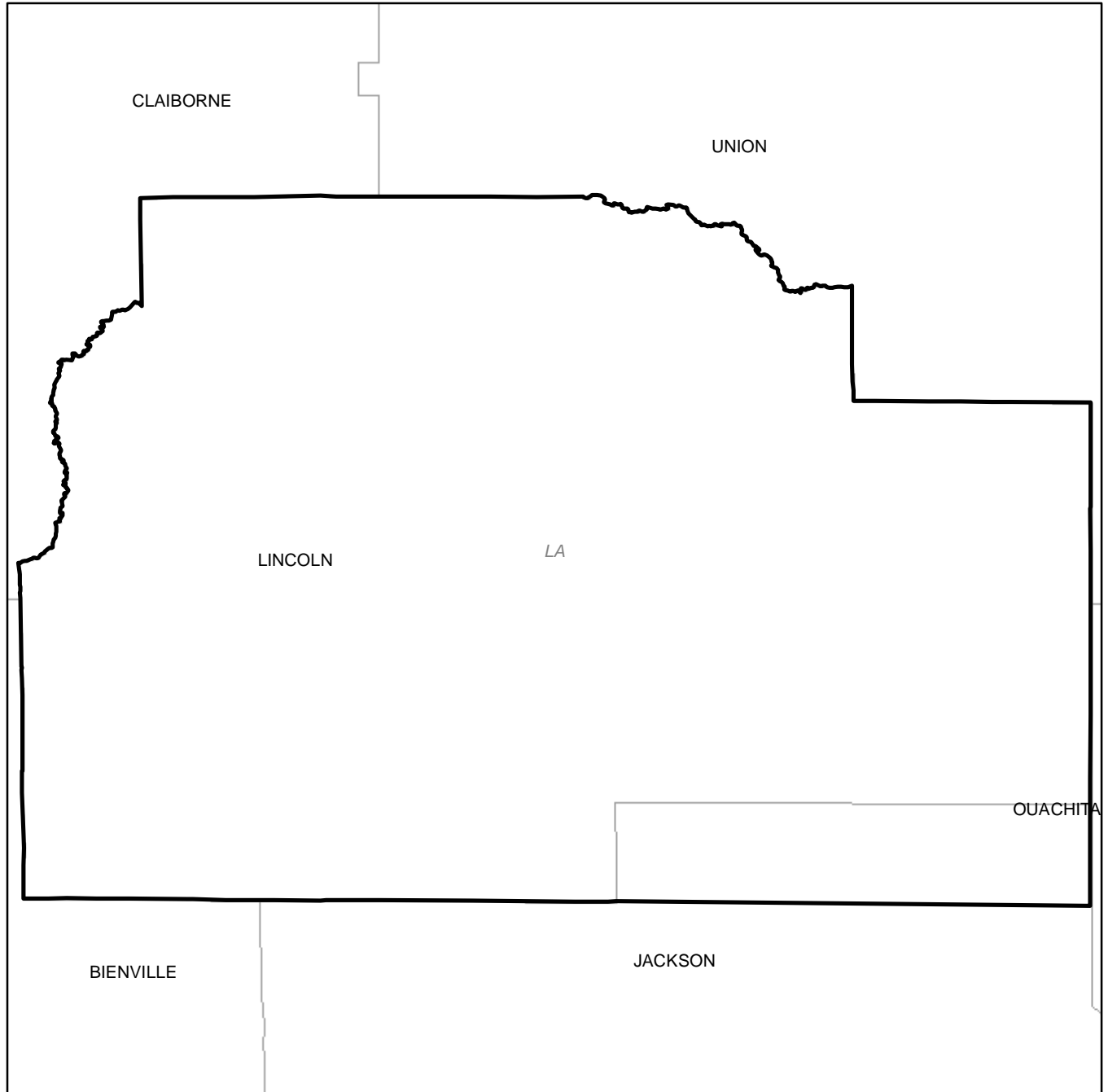
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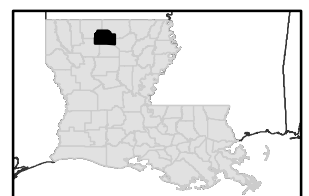
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509 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1873, 3rd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 67-70)





LINCOLN

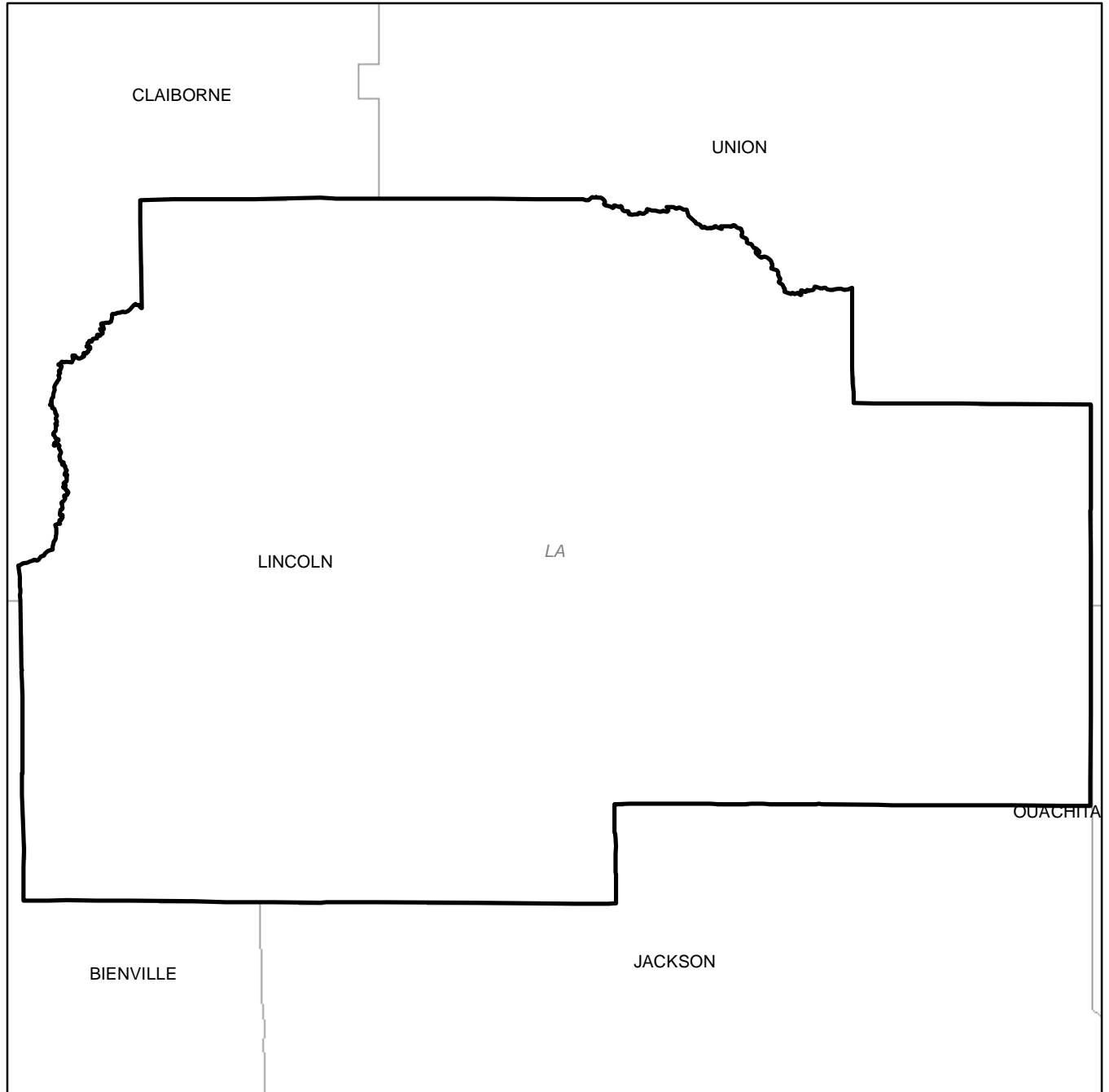
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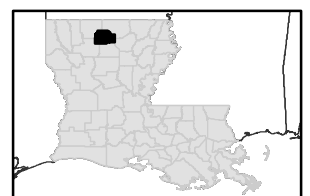
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472 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1877, 5th Leg., 1st sess., p.31)





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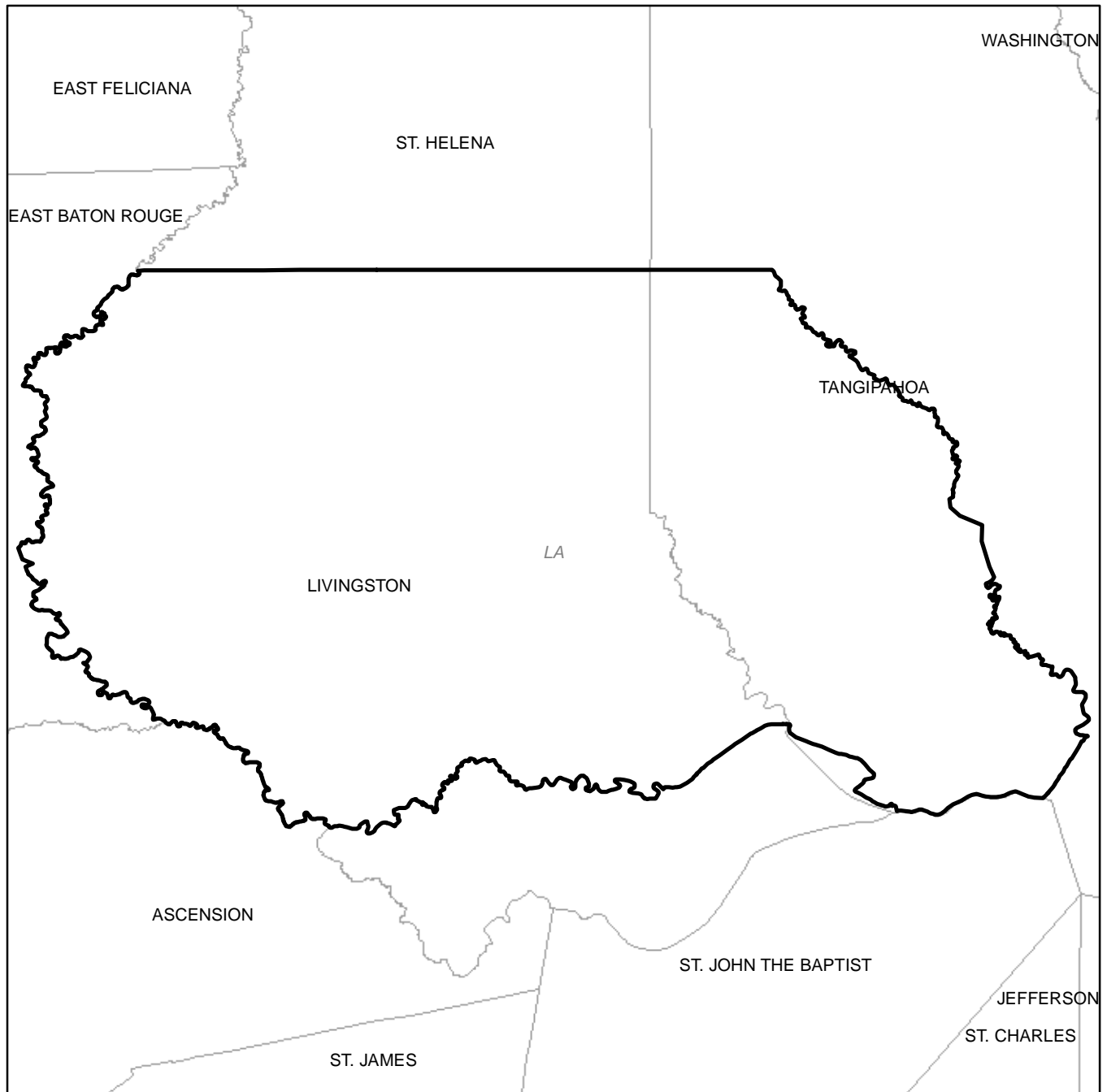
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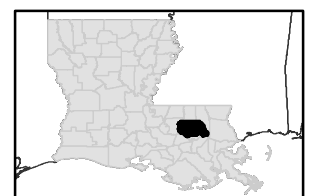
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LIVINGSTON created from ST. HELENA. LIVINGSTON creation initially authorized on 10 Feb 1832, boundaries not defined until this date.

842 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1832, 10th Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 130-132)





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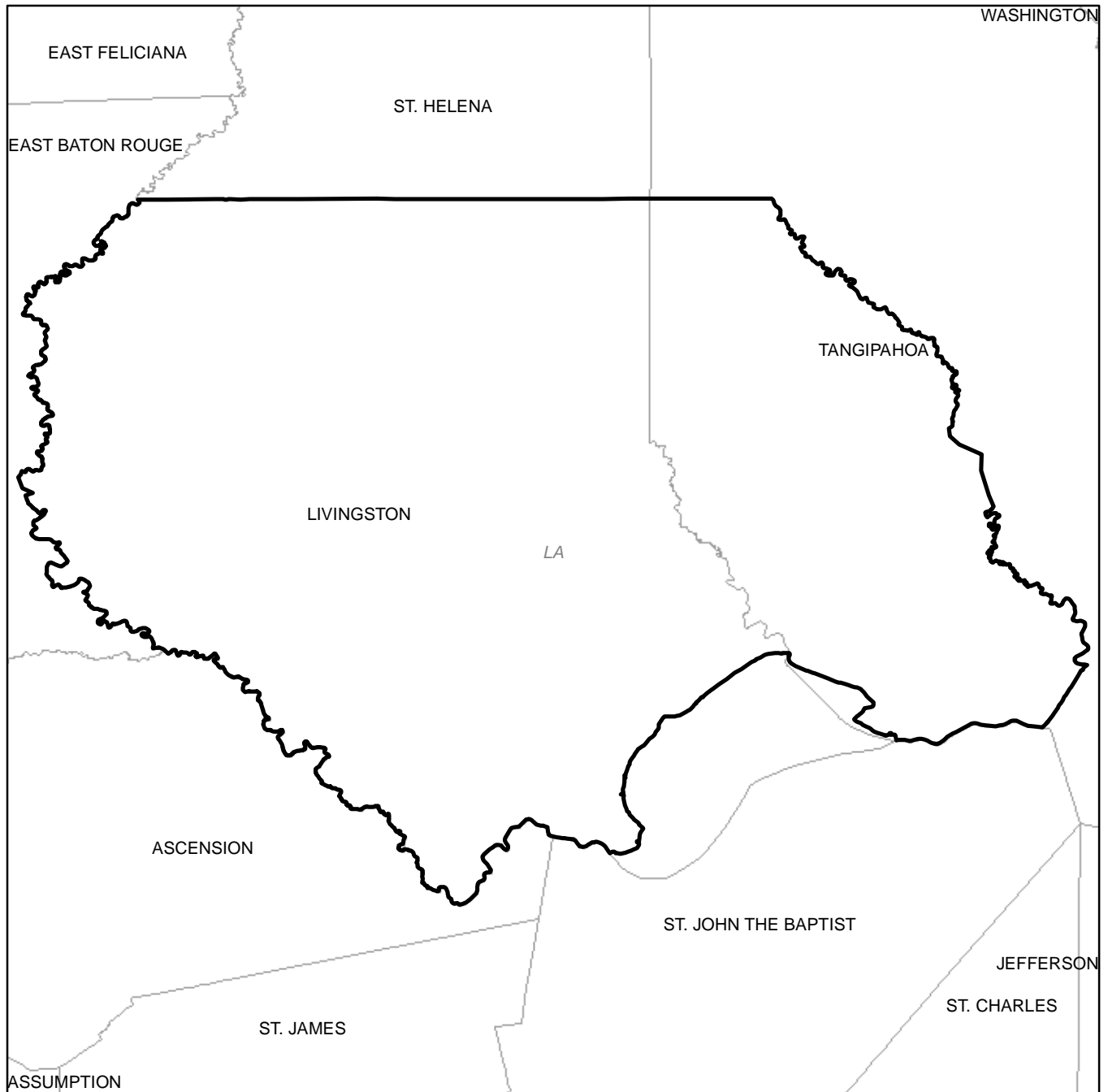
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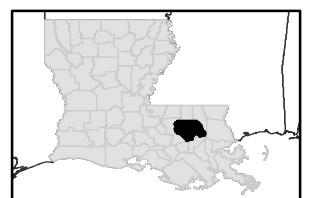
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913 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1850, 3rd Leg., p. 67)





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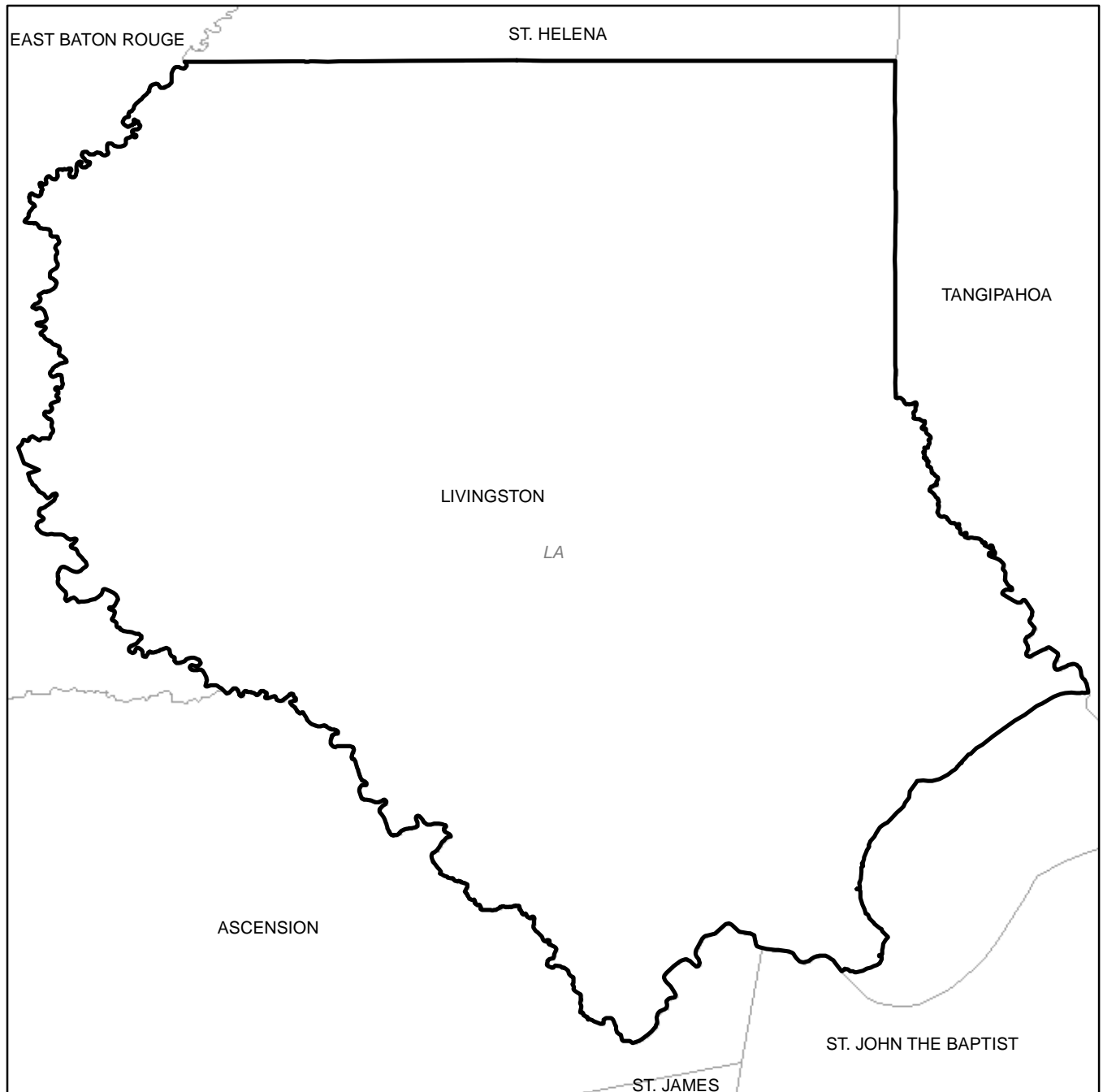
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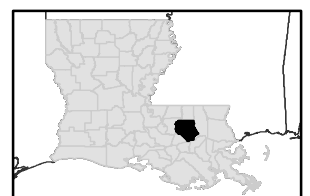
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LIVINGSTON lost to creation of TANGIPAHOA.

654 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1869, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 83-86)





LIVINGSTON

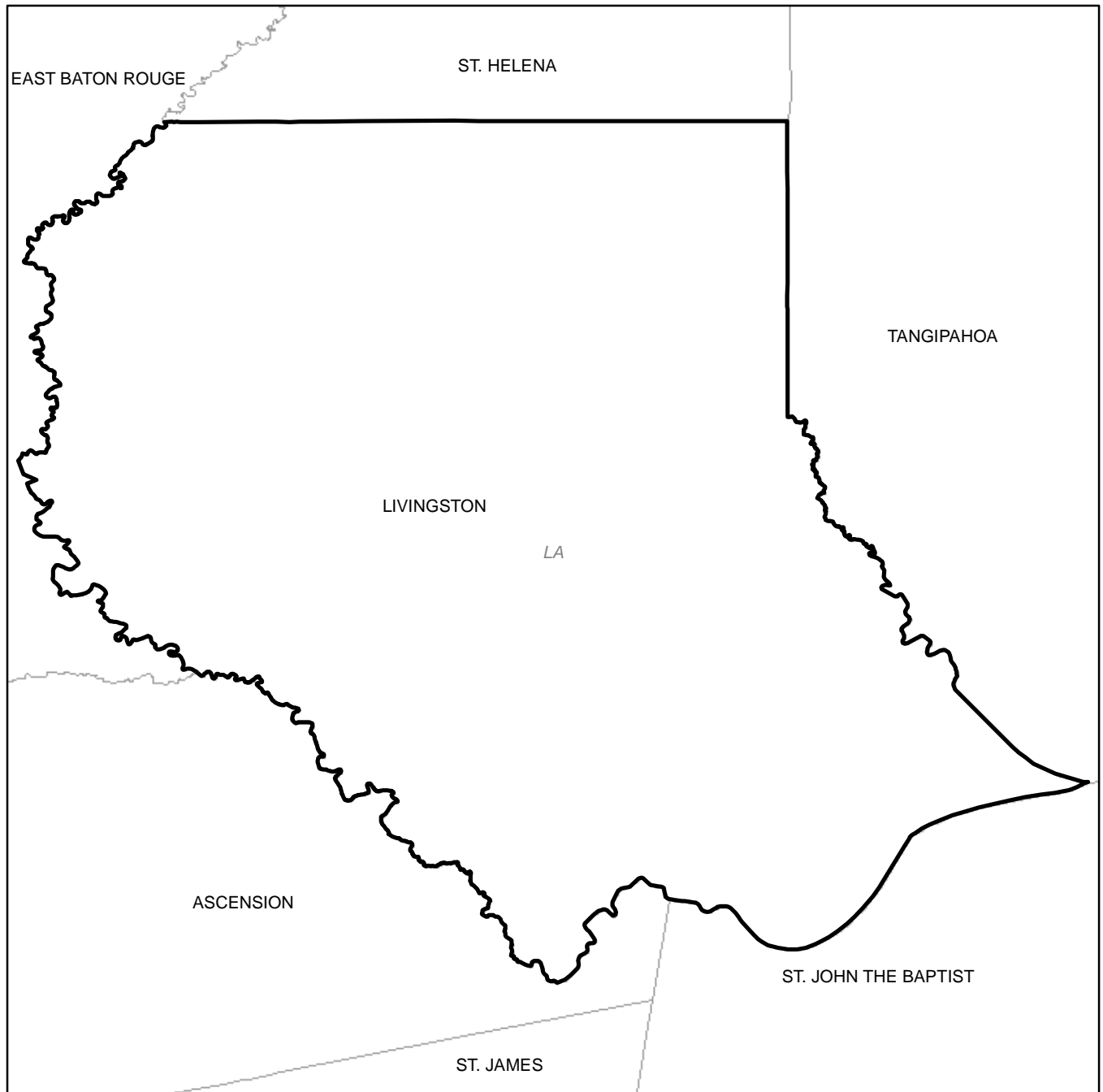
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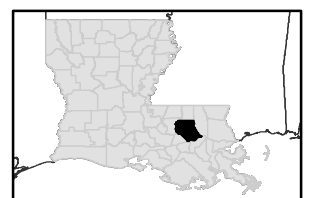
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LIVINGSTON gained when boundaries through Lake Maurepas were defined.

703 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1979, vol. 2, Reg. Sess., pp. 2042, 2043-2044)





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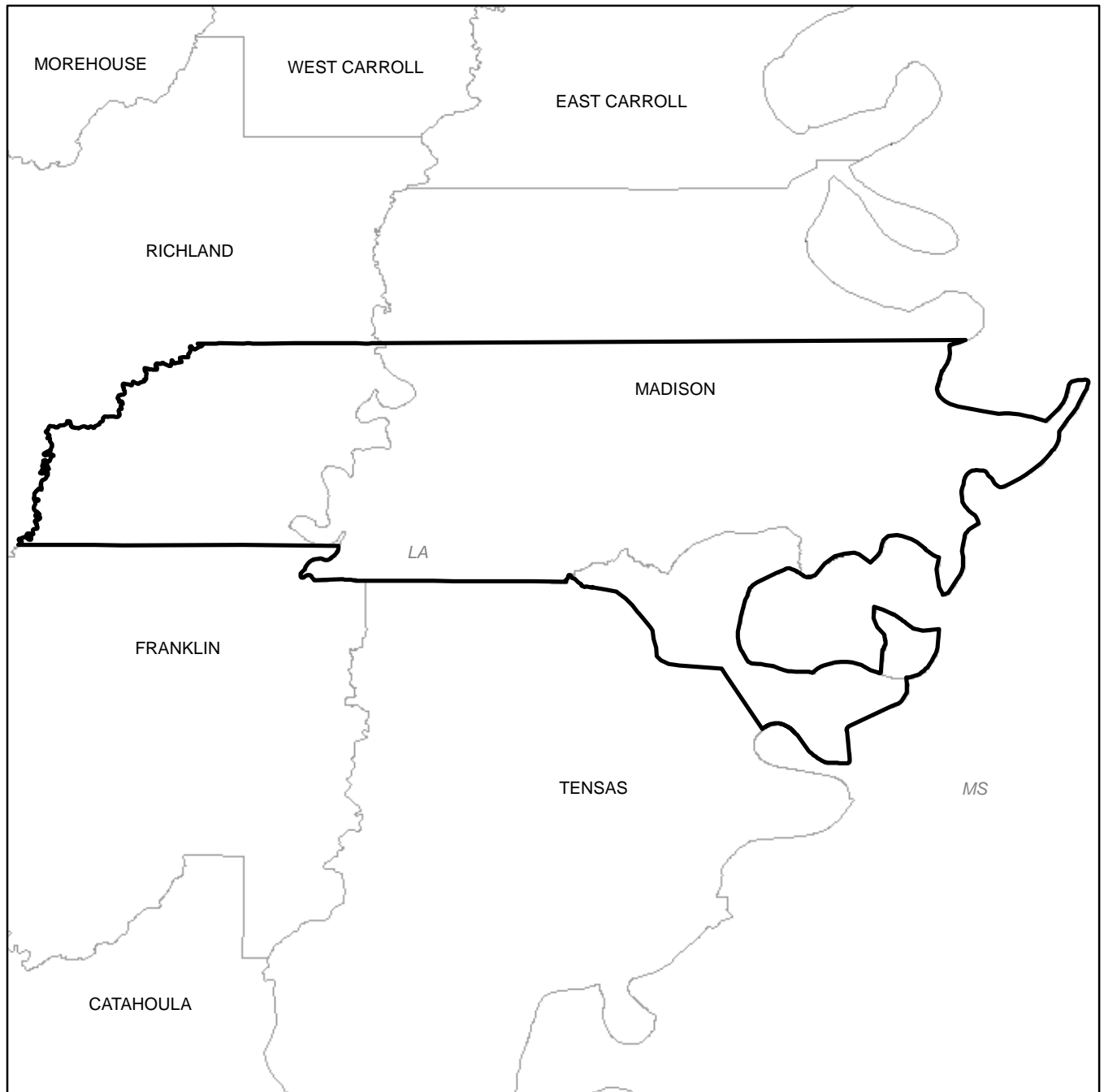
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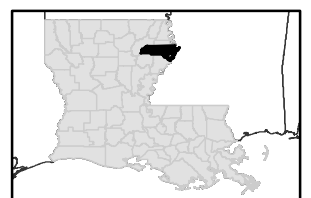
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MADISON created from CONCORDIA and OUACHITA.

661 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 13-14)





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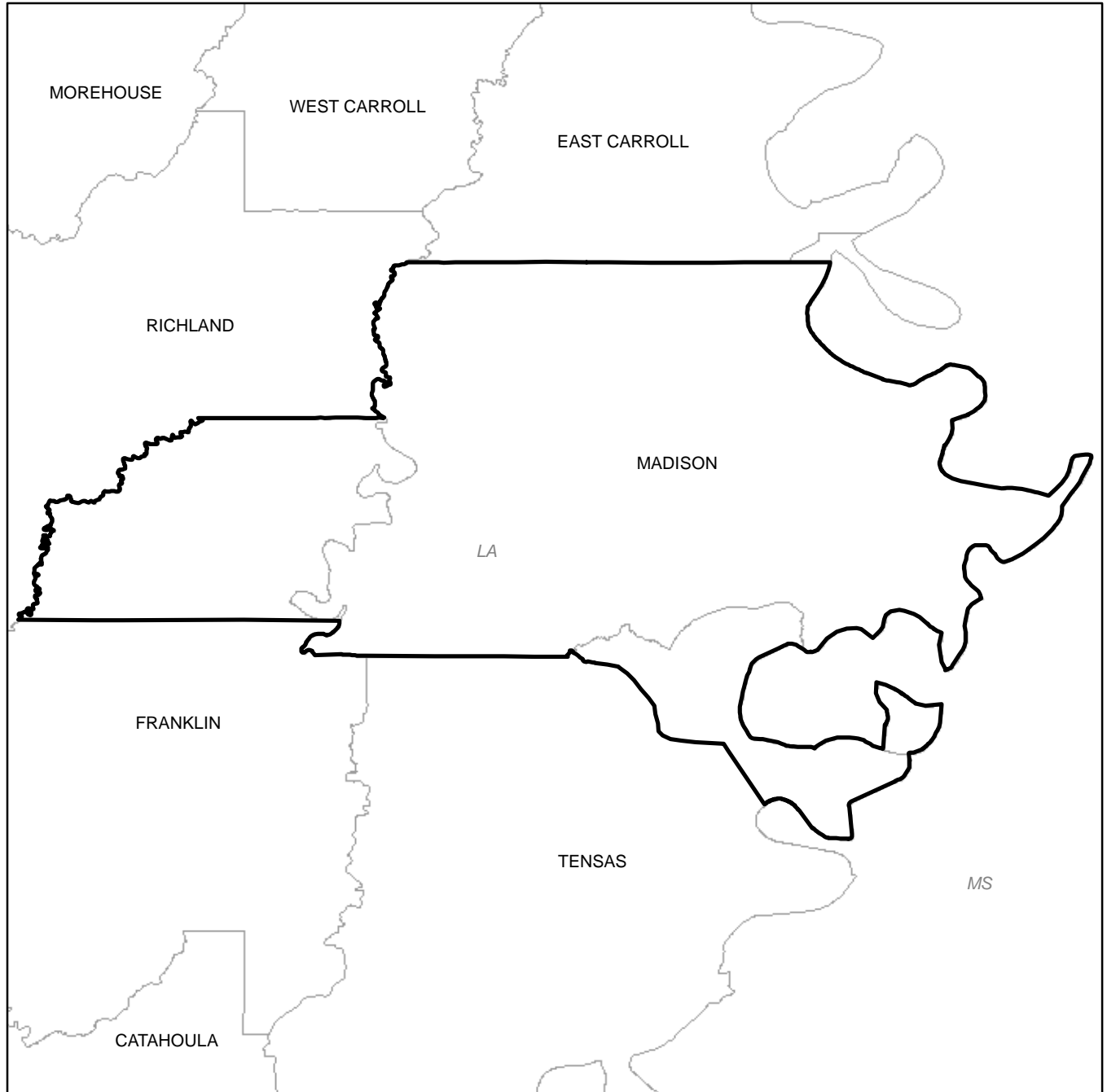
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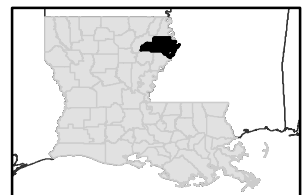
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877 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1839, 14th Leg., 1st sess., p. 82)





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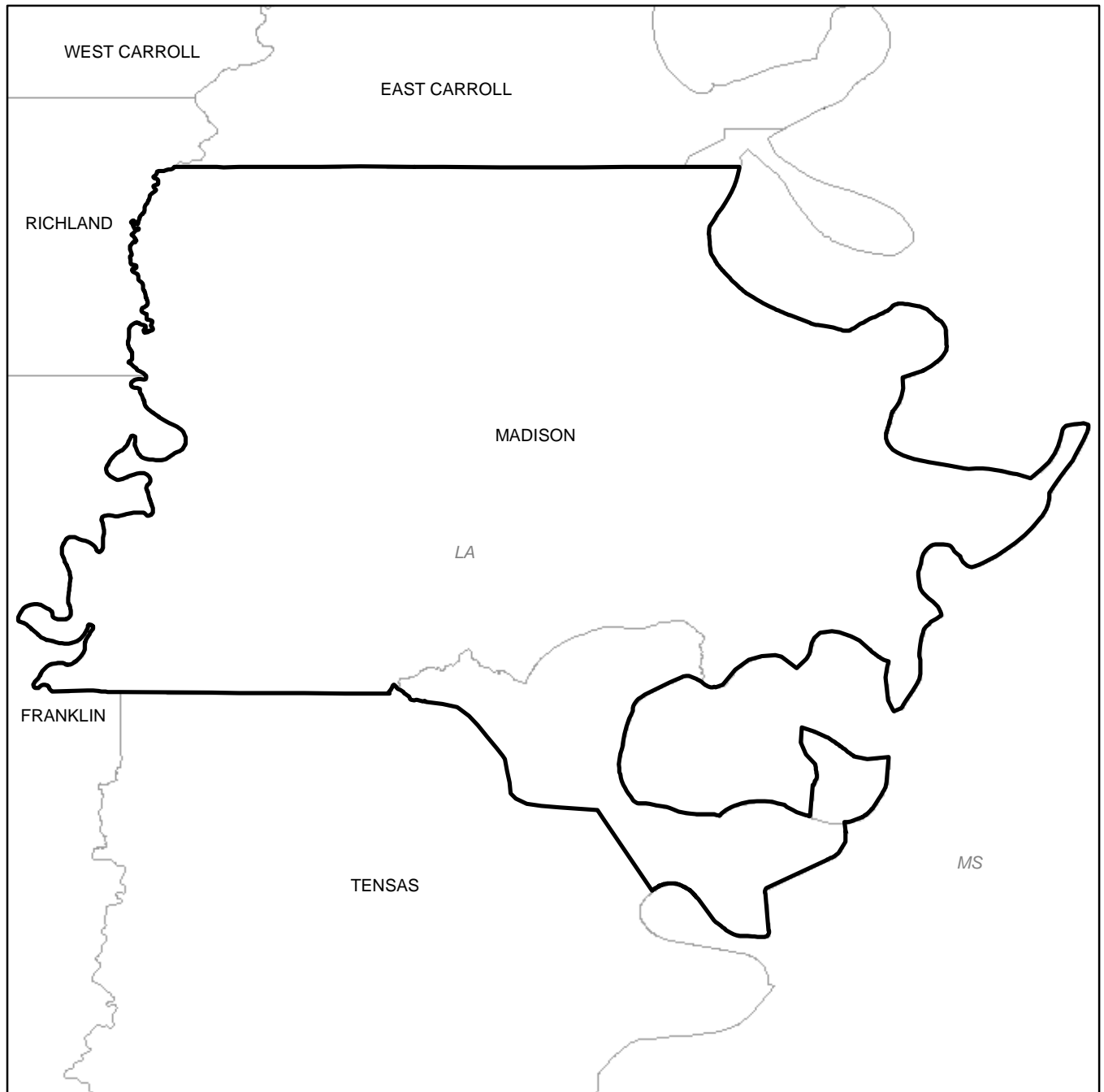
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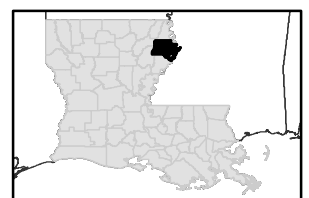
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MADISON lost to creation of FRANKLIN.

714 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 22-24)





MADISON

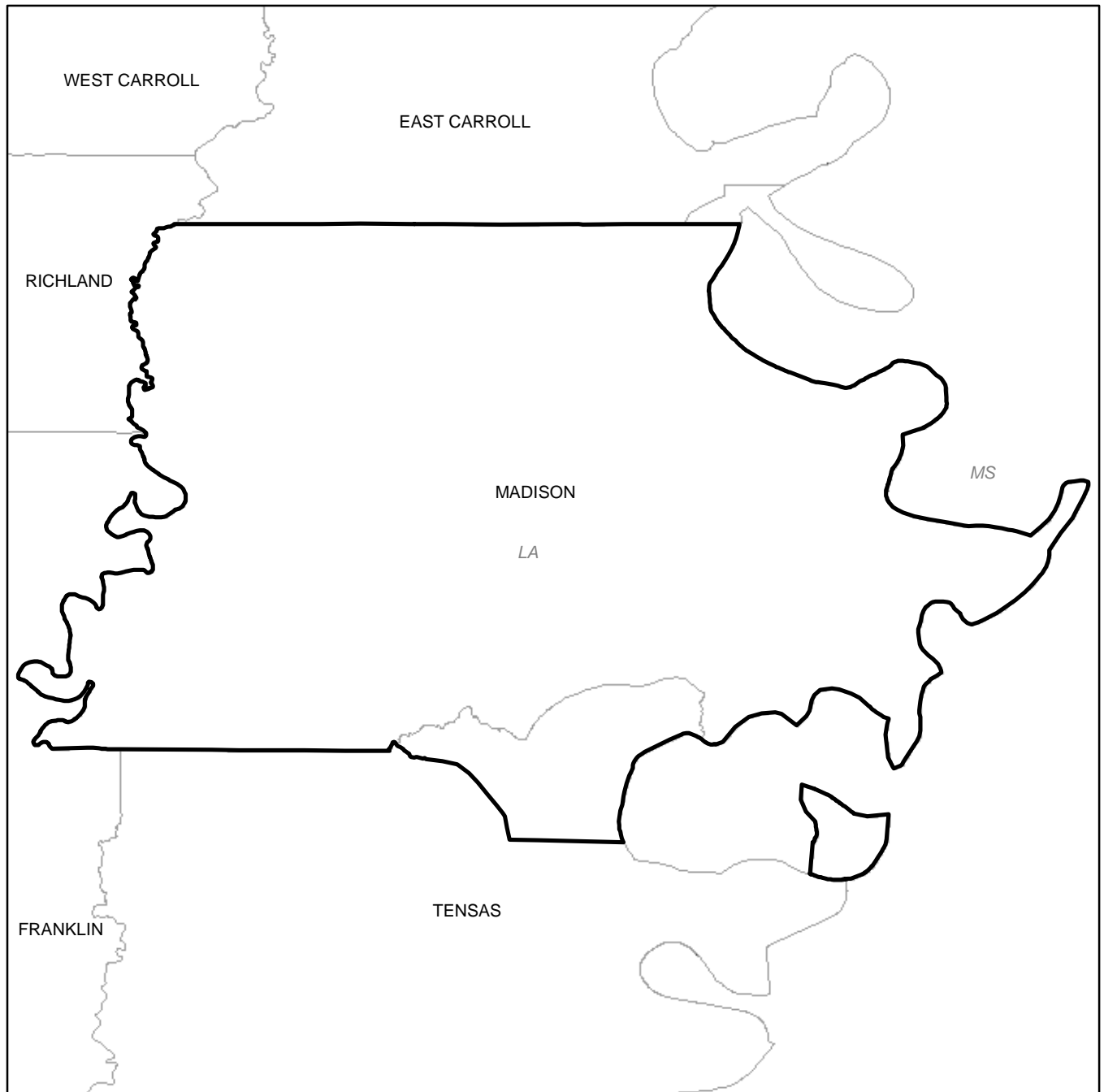
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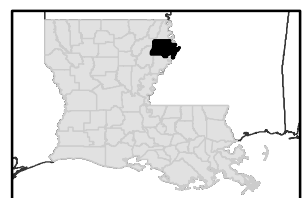
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680 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 35-38)





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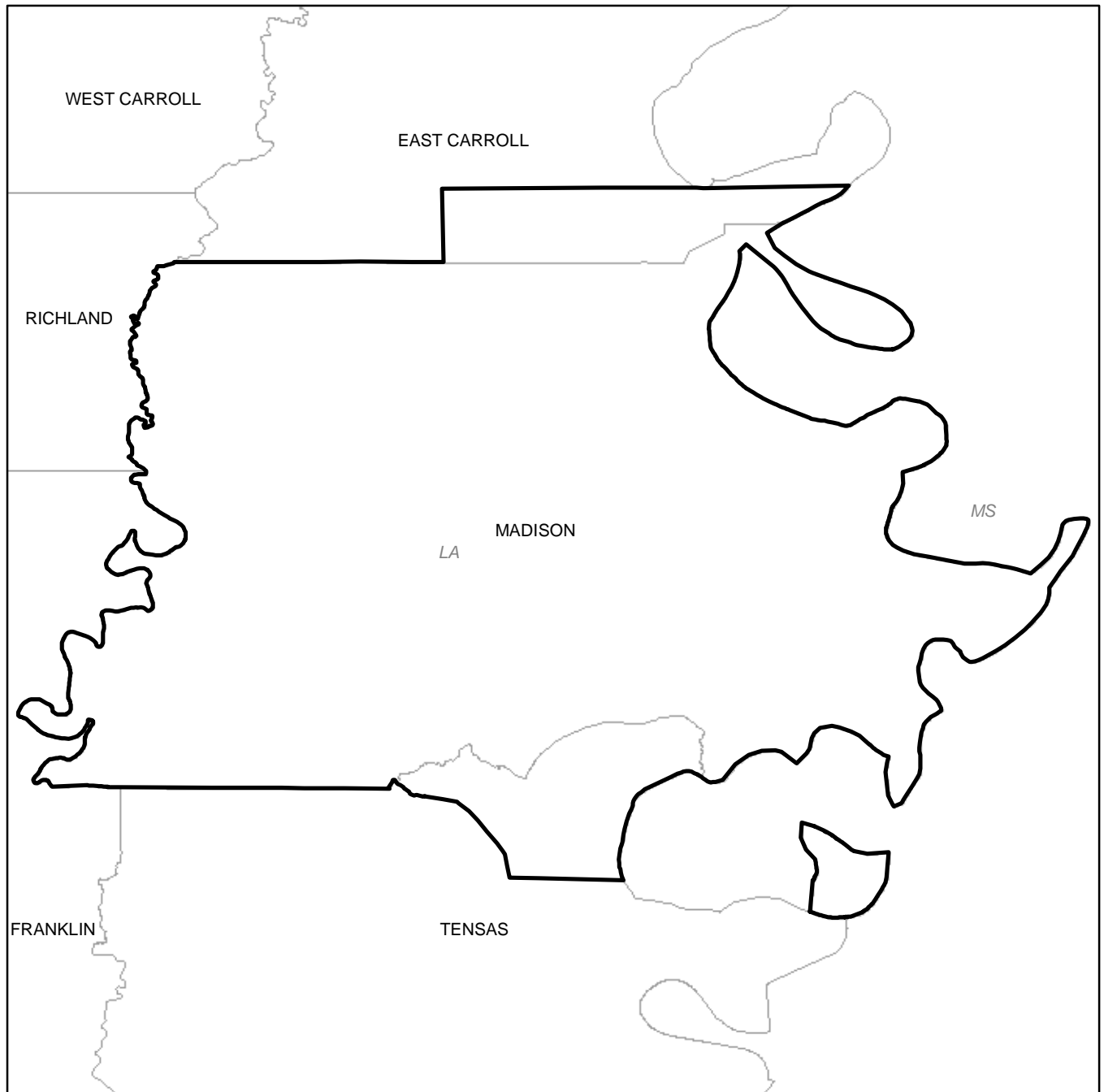
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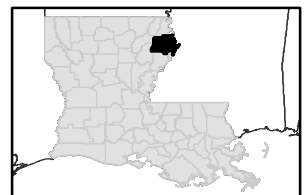
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MADISON gained from CARROLL (extinct).

732 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1846, 1st Leg., 1st sess., pp. 151-152)





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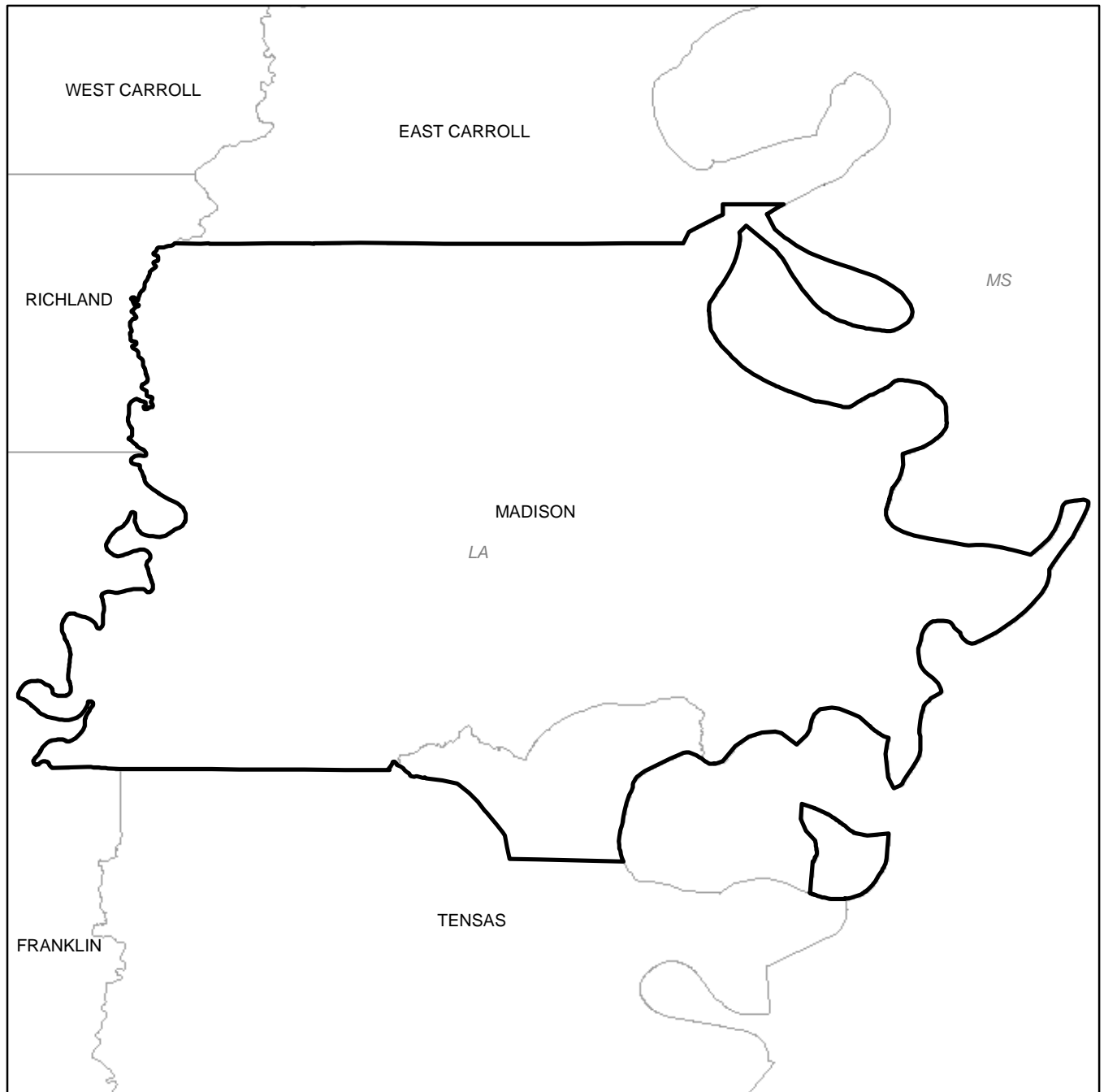
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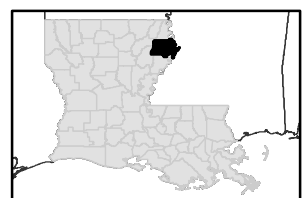
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MADISON lost to CARROLL.

693 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 74-75)





MADISON

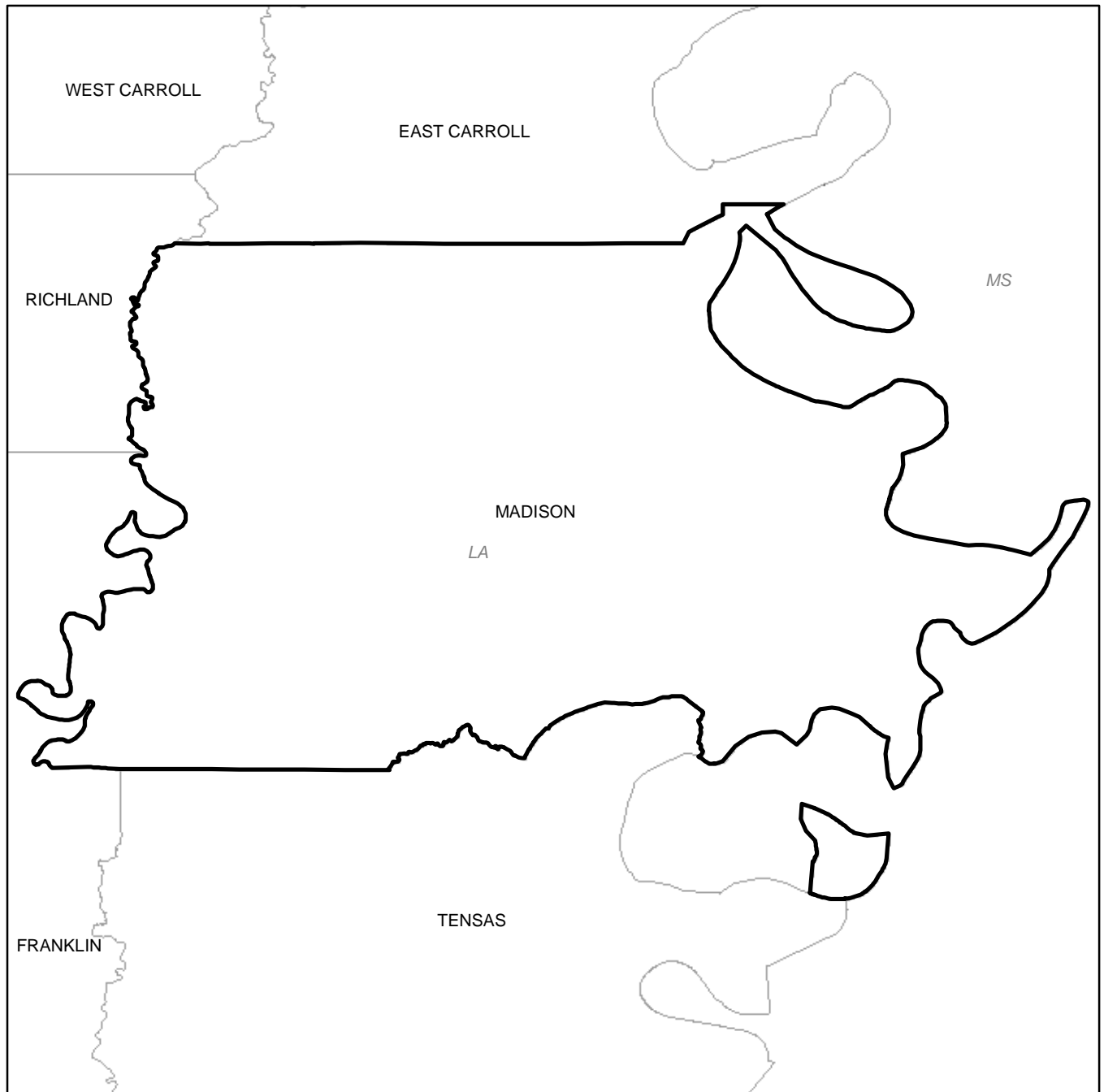
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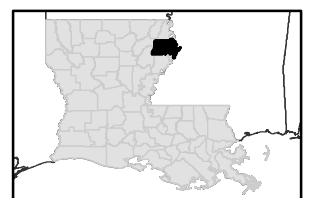
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MADISON lost to TENSAS.

651 sq. mi.

(La. Laws 1861, 5th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 161-162)





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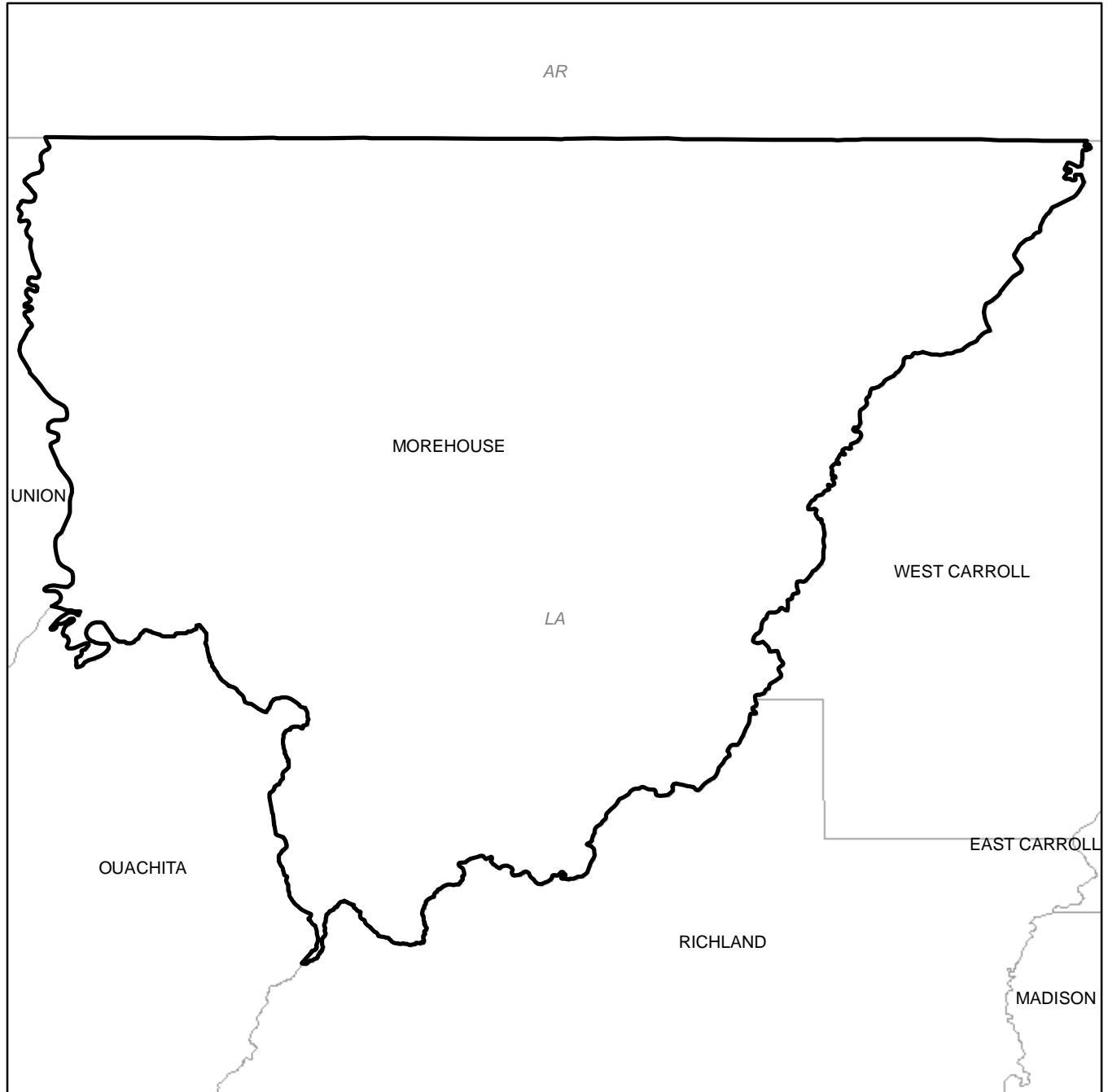
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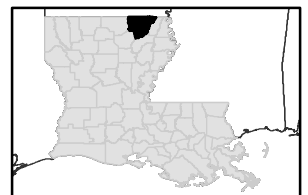
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805 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1844, 16th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 77-79)





MOREHOUSE

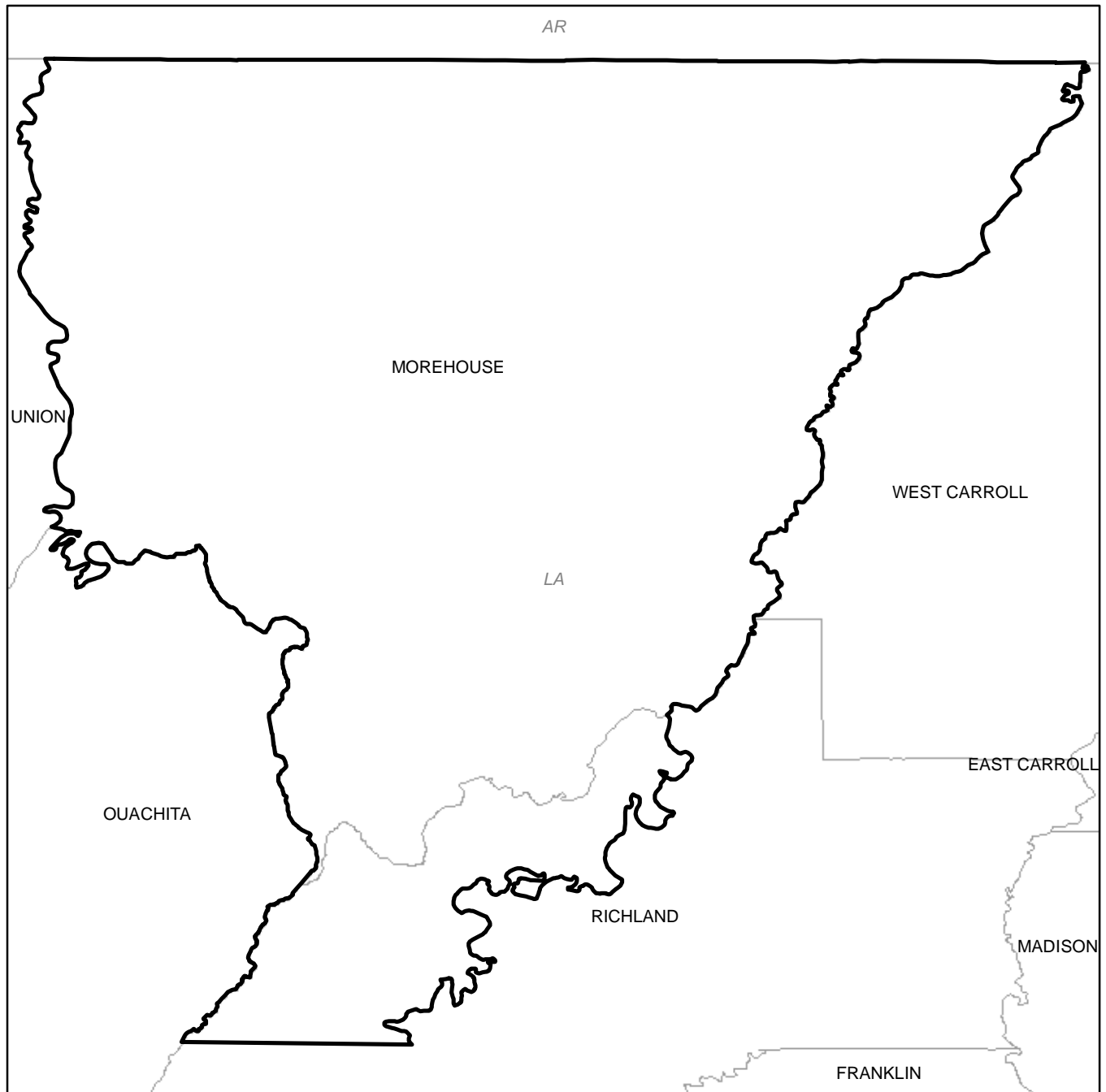
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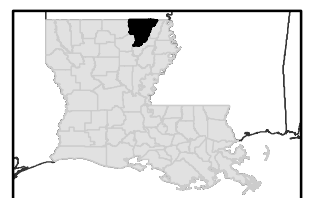
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MOREHOUSE gained from OUACHITA.

898 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., p. 91)





MOREHOUSE

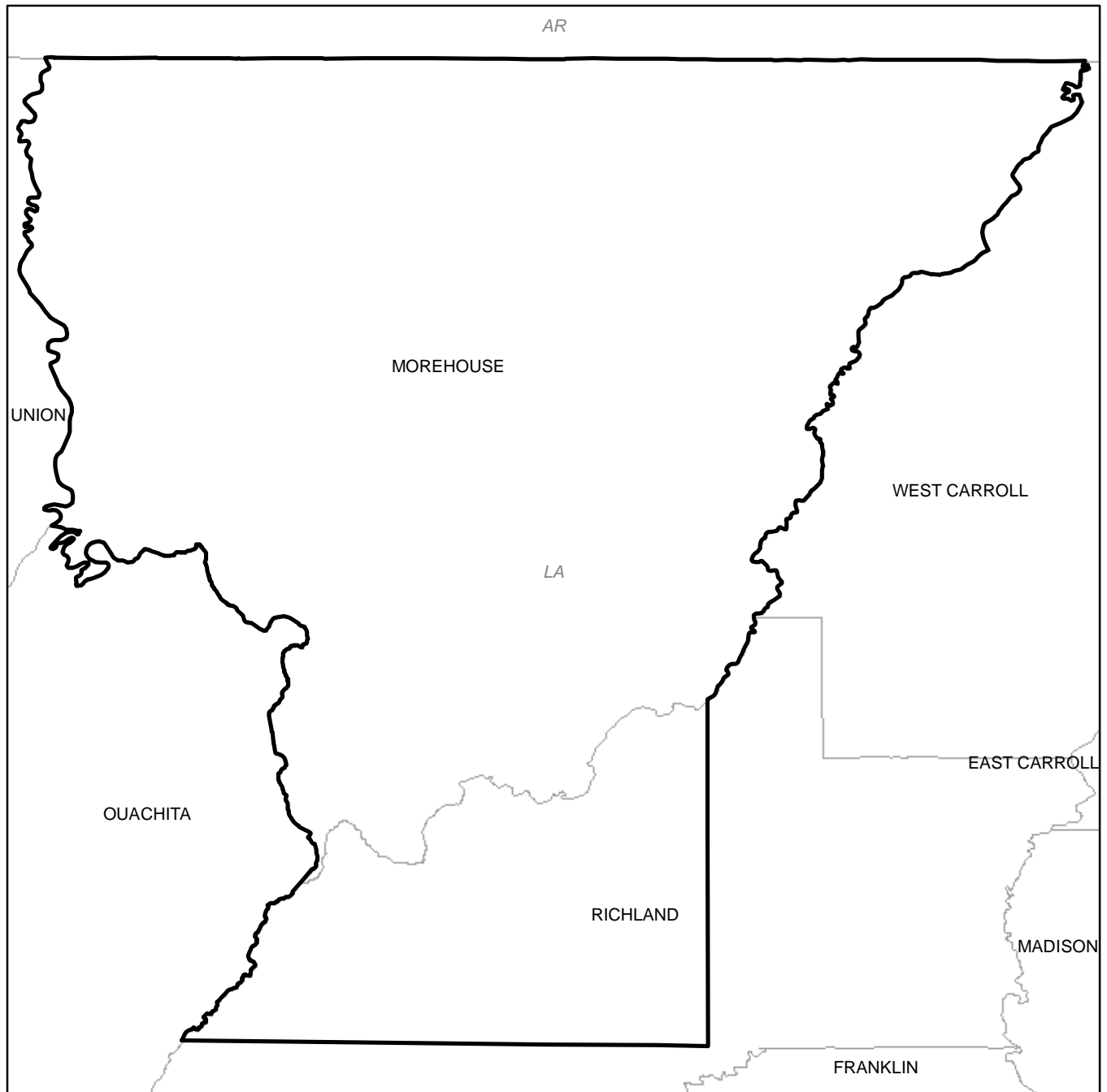
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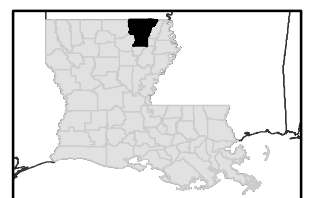
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MOREHOUSE gained from CARROLL (extinct).

974 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1858, 4th Leg., 1st sess., p. 211)





MOREHOUSE

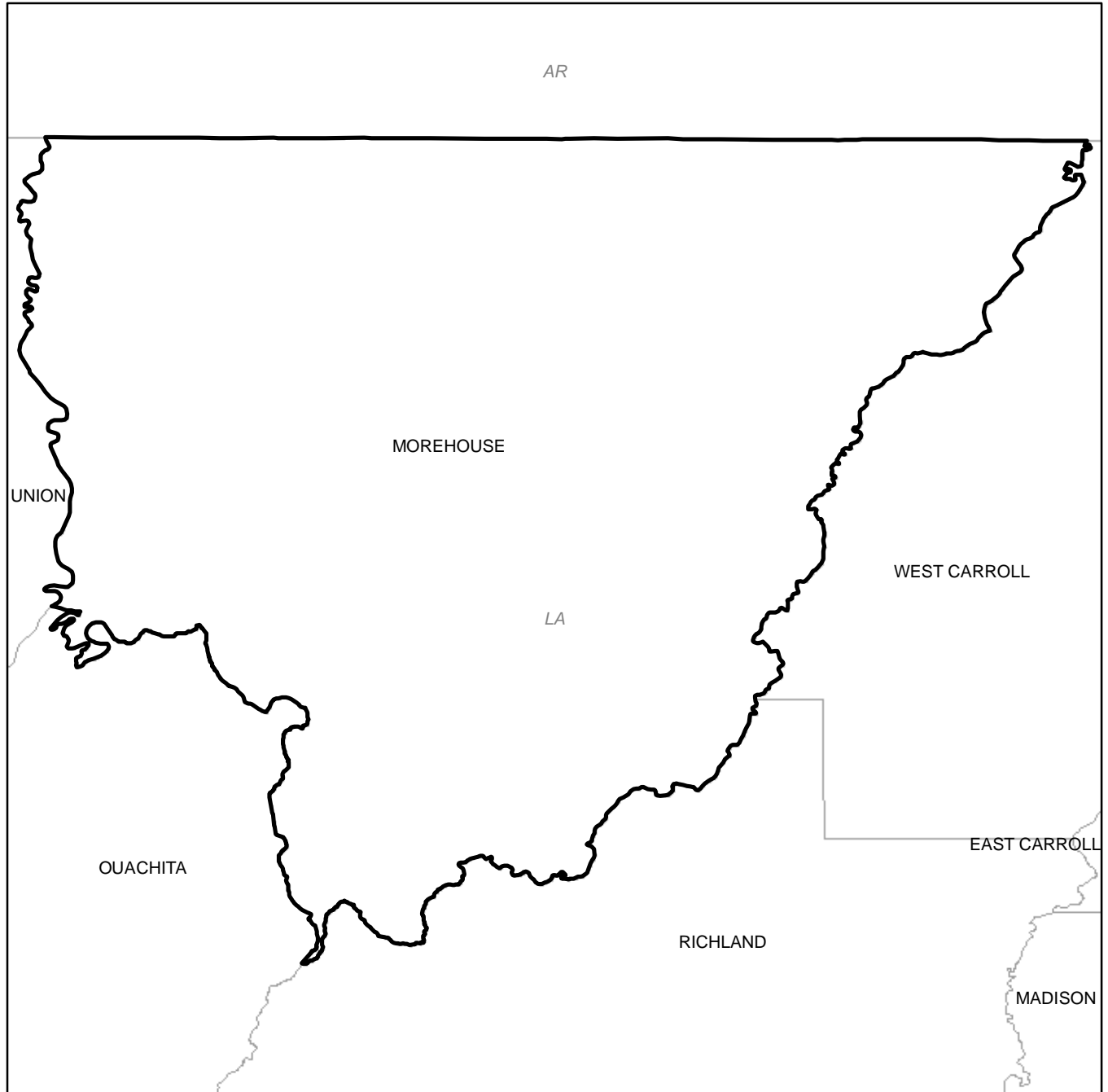
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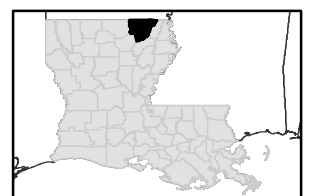
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MOREHOUSE lost to creation of RICHLAND.

805 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1868, 1st Leg., 1st sess., p. 151)





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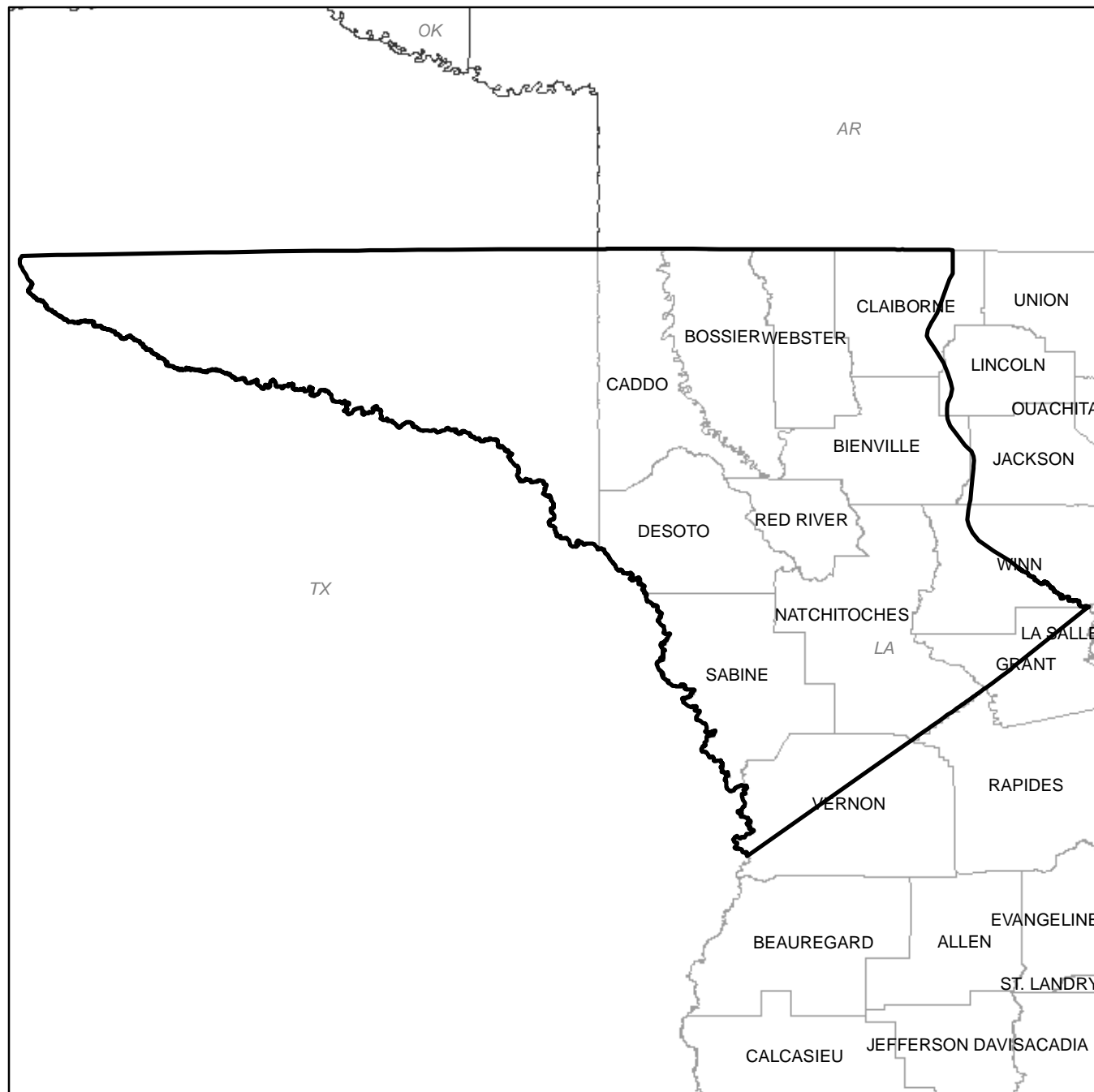
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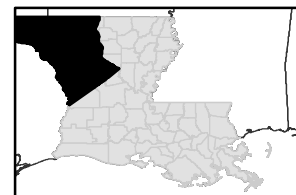
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NATCHITOCHES Parish created within Natchitoches County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. Counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

12,752 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





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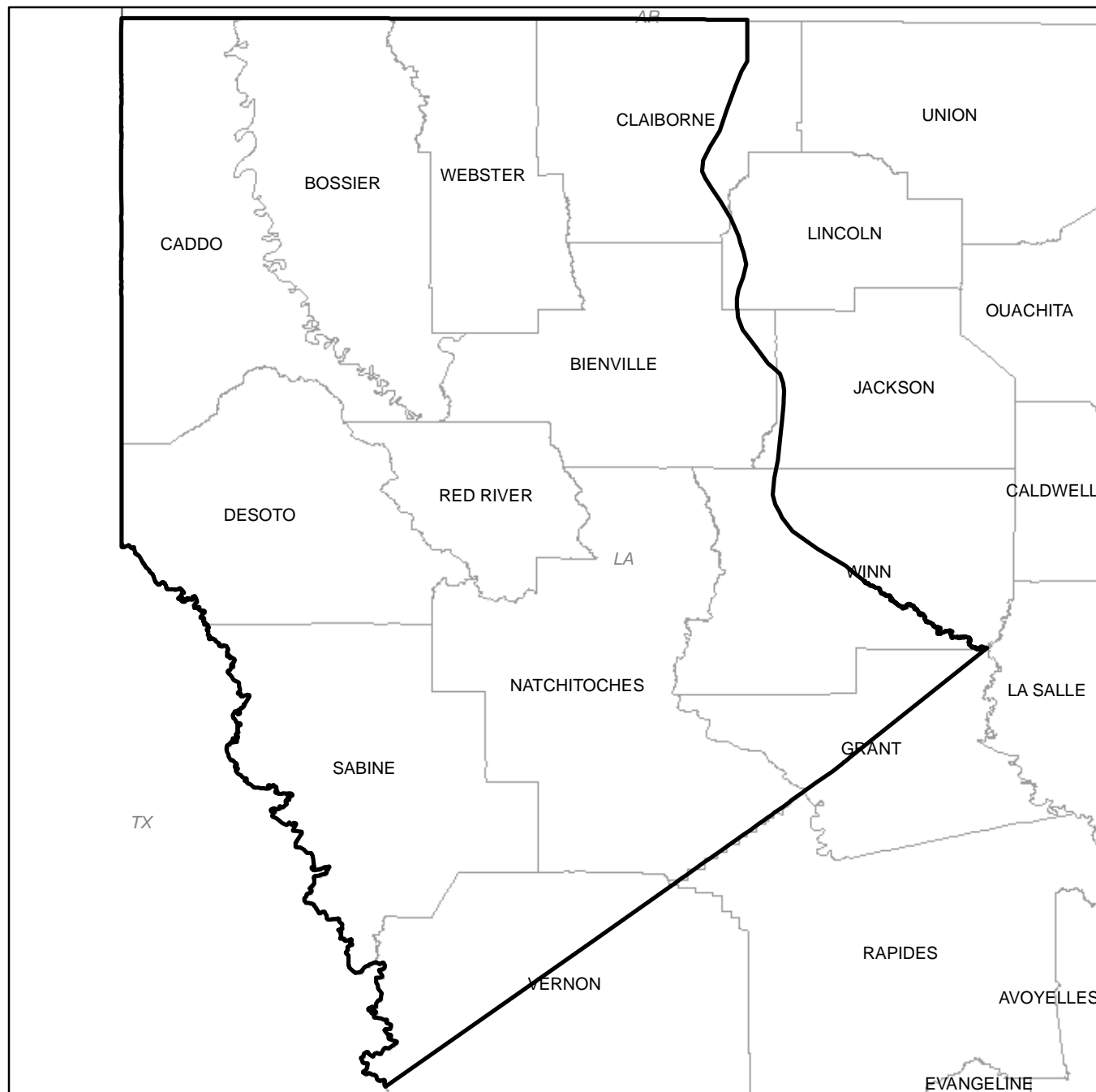
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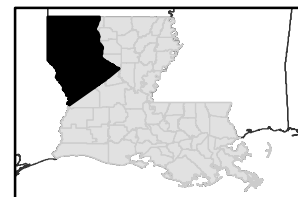
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NATCHITOCHES lost to Spain when the United States created the state of Louisiana, with modern boundaries, from Orleans Territory.

8,742 sq. mi.

(U.S. Stat., vol. 2, ch. 50[1812]/pp. 701-704; Van Zandt, 107)





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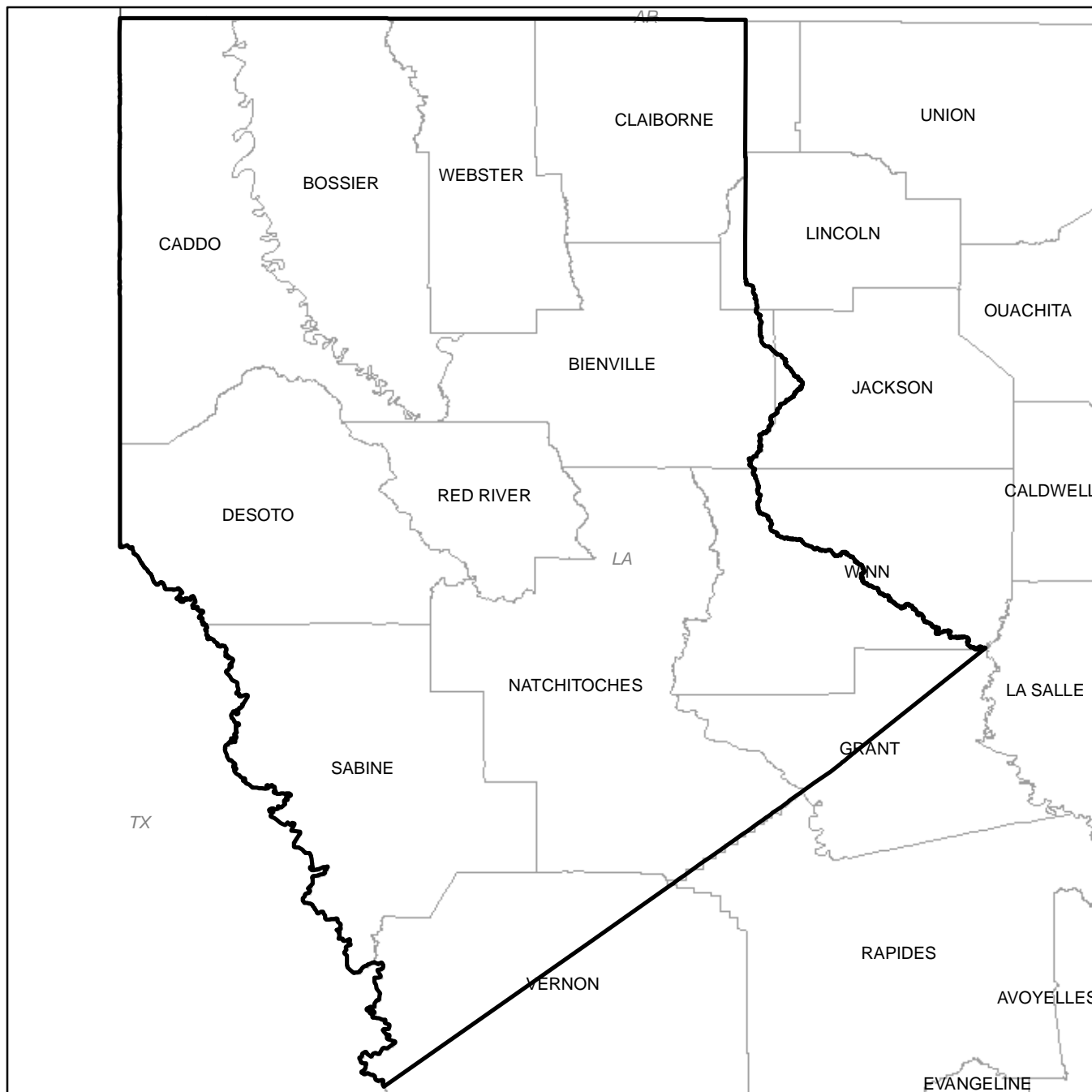
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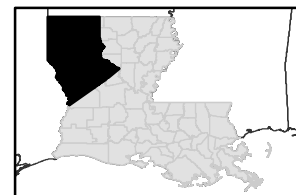
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NATCHITOCHES exchanged with OUACHITA when eastern boundary of NATCHITOCHES was defined for the first time.

8,815 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1827, 8th Leg., 1st sess., p. 30)





NATCHITOCHES

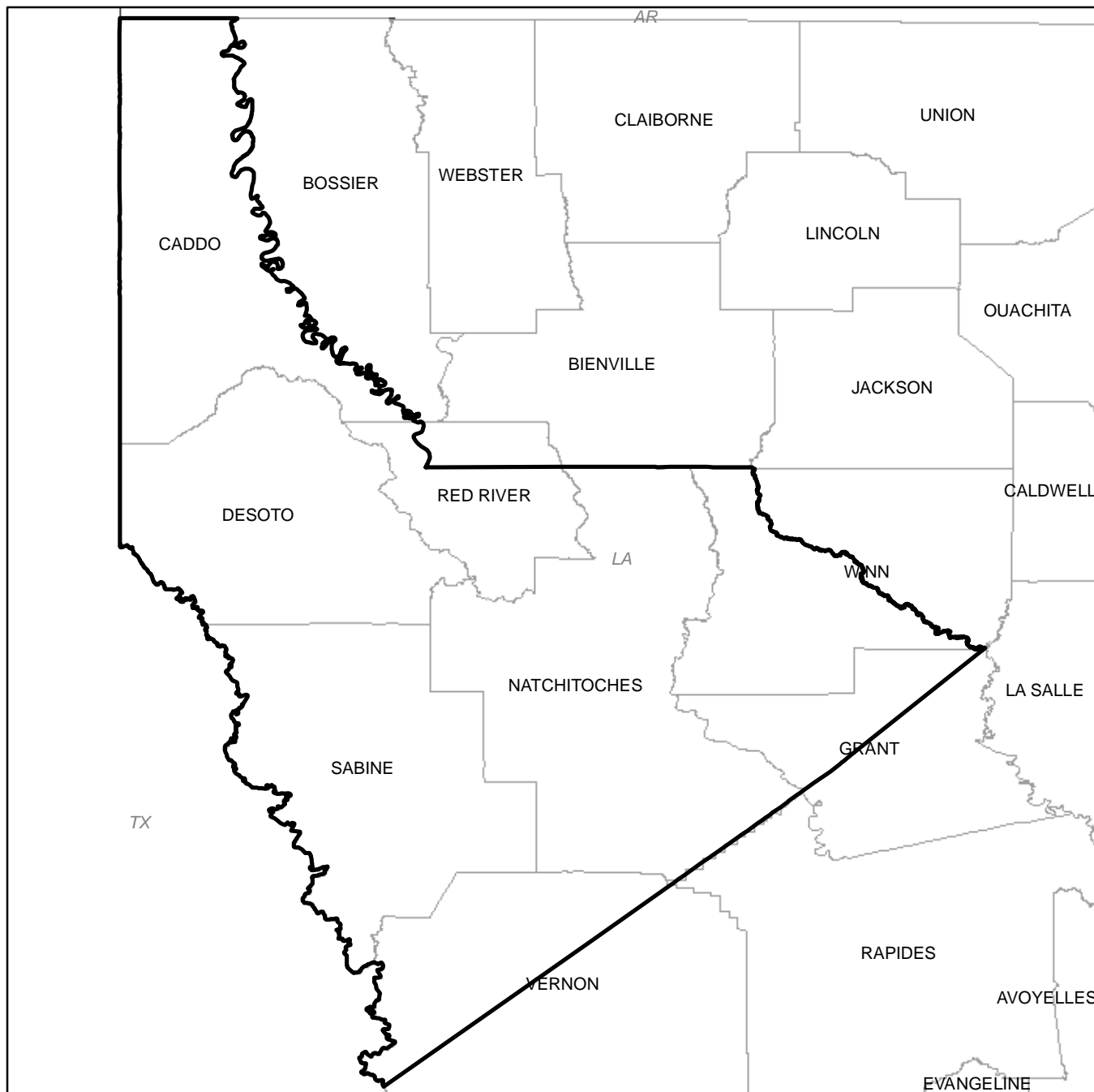
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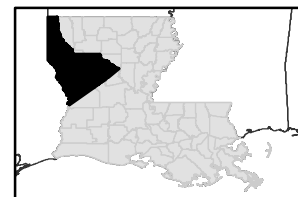
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NATCHITOCHES lost to creation of CLAIBORNE, and lost very small area along the Dugdemona River to OUACHITA.

5,703 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1828, 8th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 70-76)





NATCHITOCHES

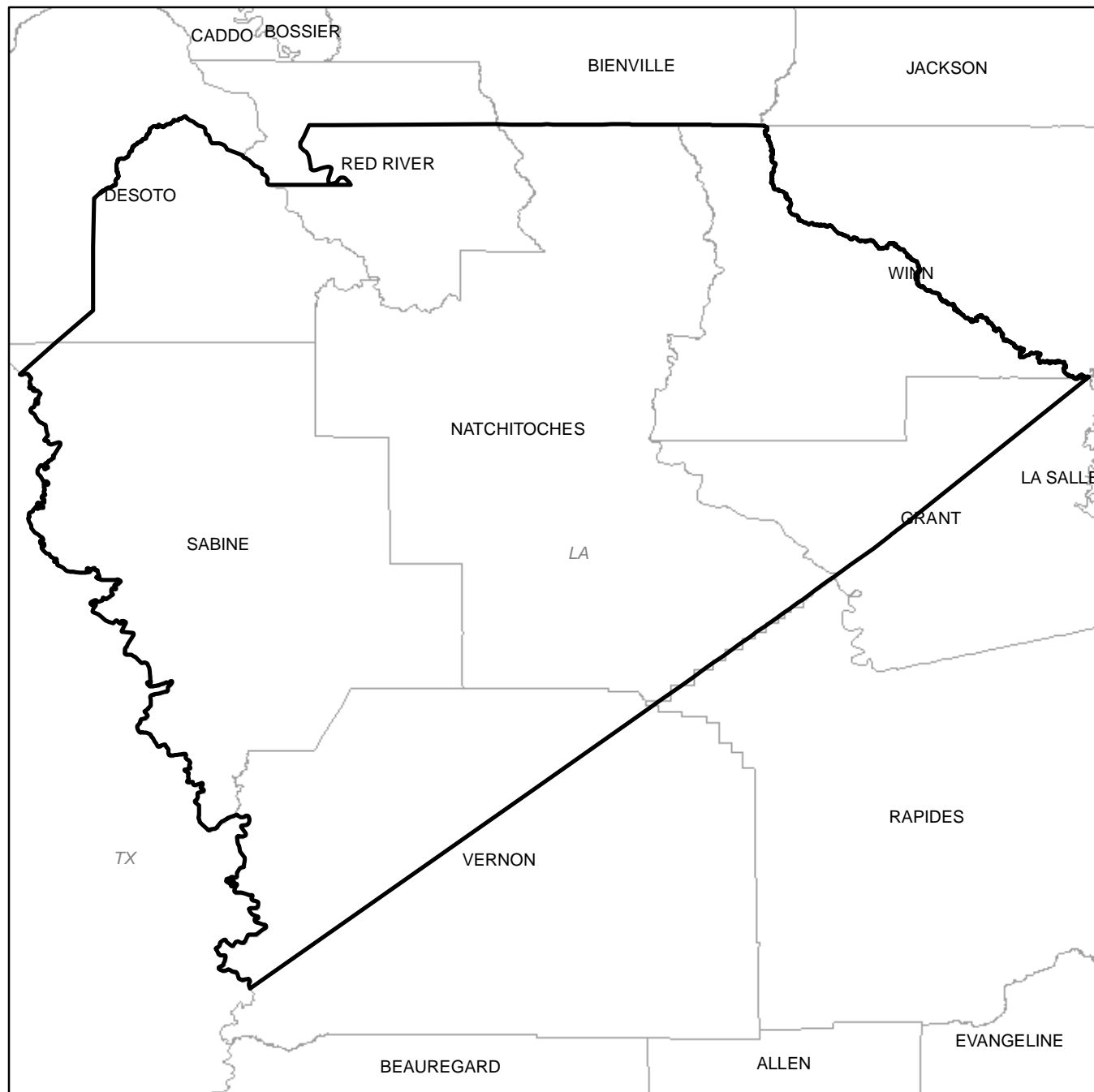
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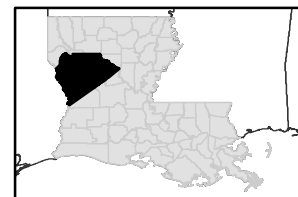
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NATCHITOCHES lost to creation of CADDO.

4,135 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 11-13)





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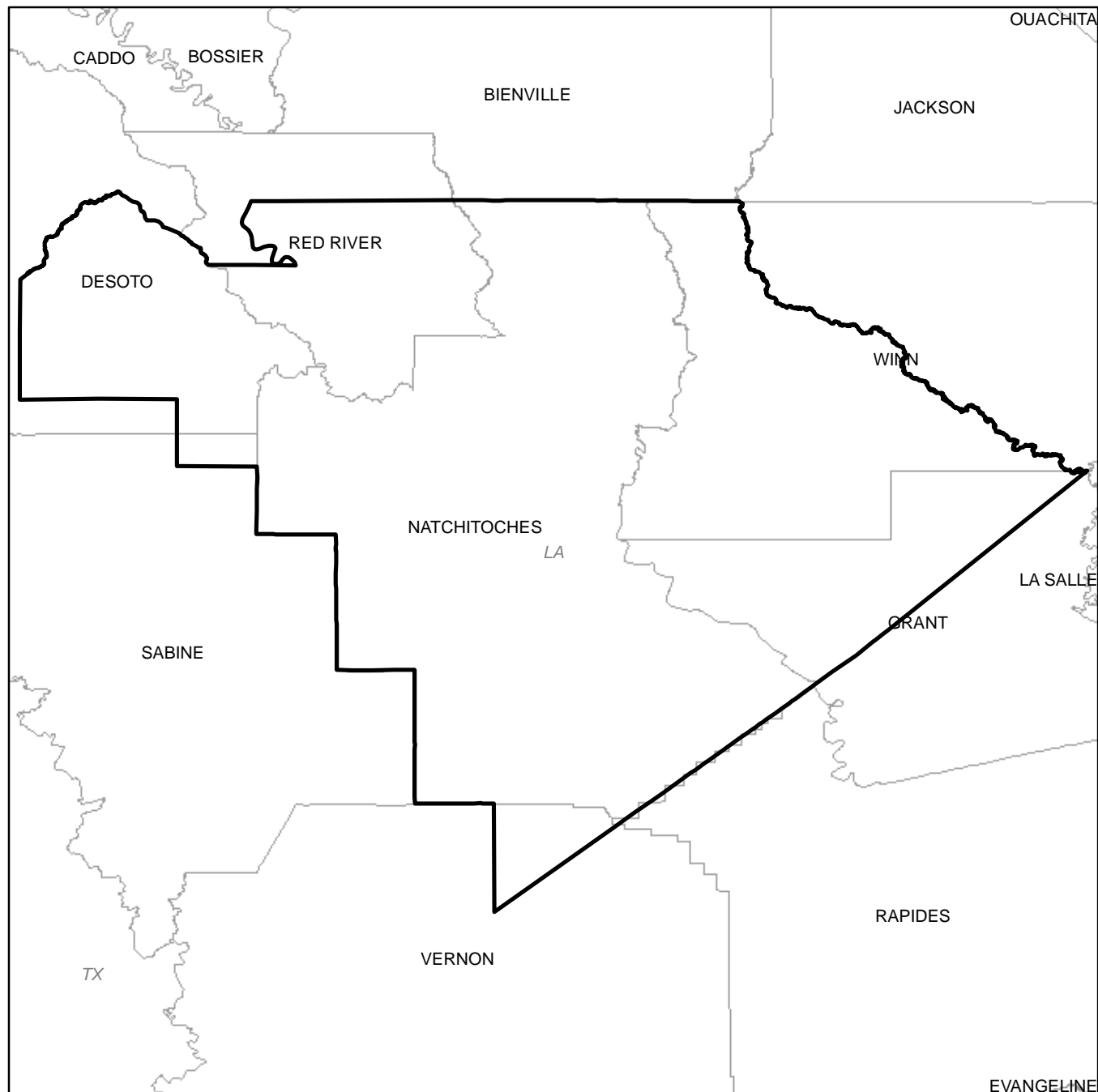
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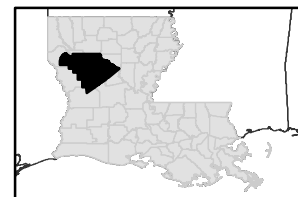
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NATCHITOCHES lost to creation of SABINE.

2,677 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 26-28)





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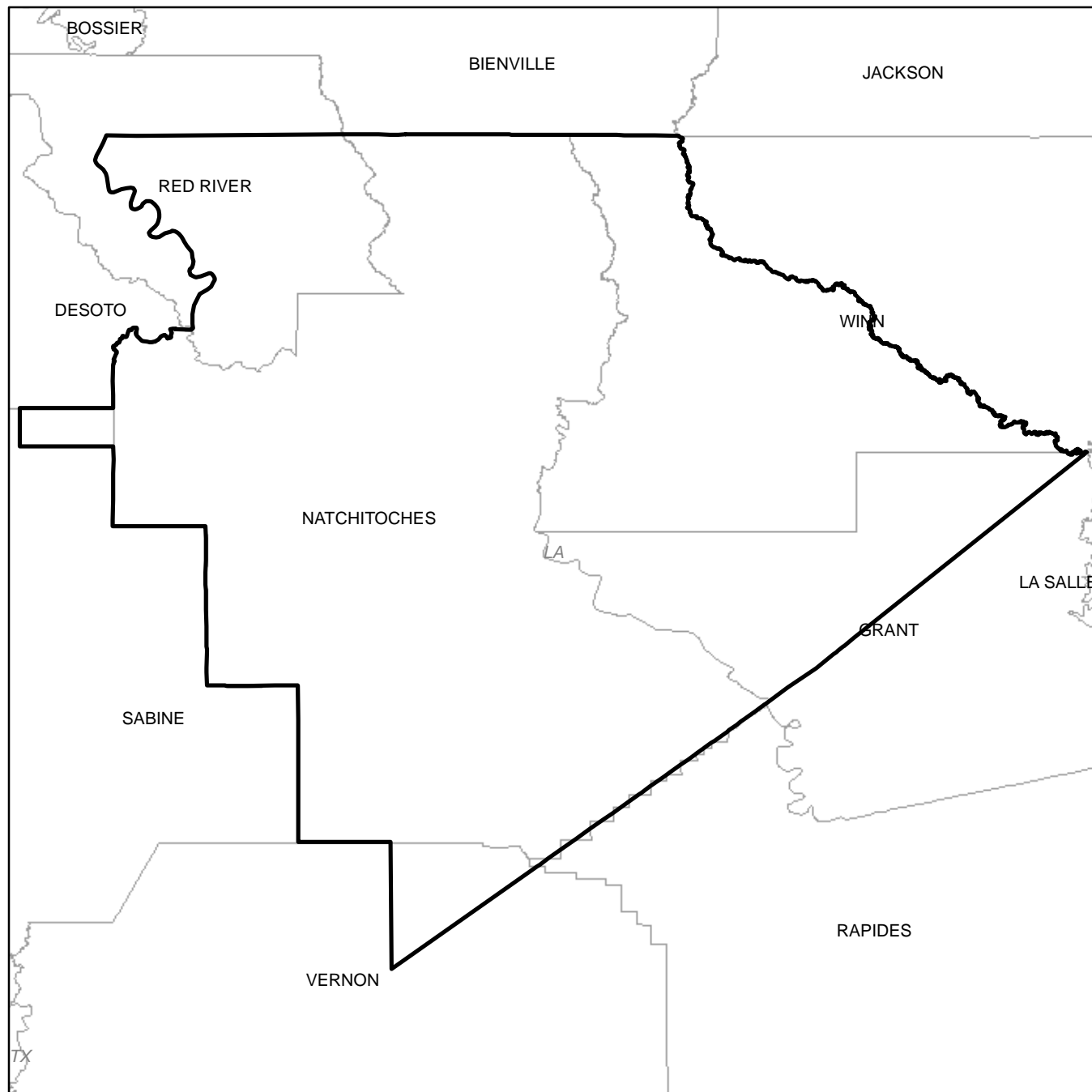
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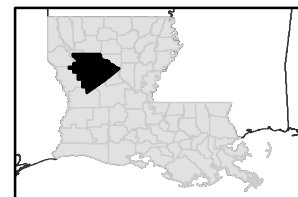
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NATCHITOCHES lost to creation of DESOTO, lost very small area along the Red River to CADDO.

2,345 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 52-54)





NATCHITOCHES

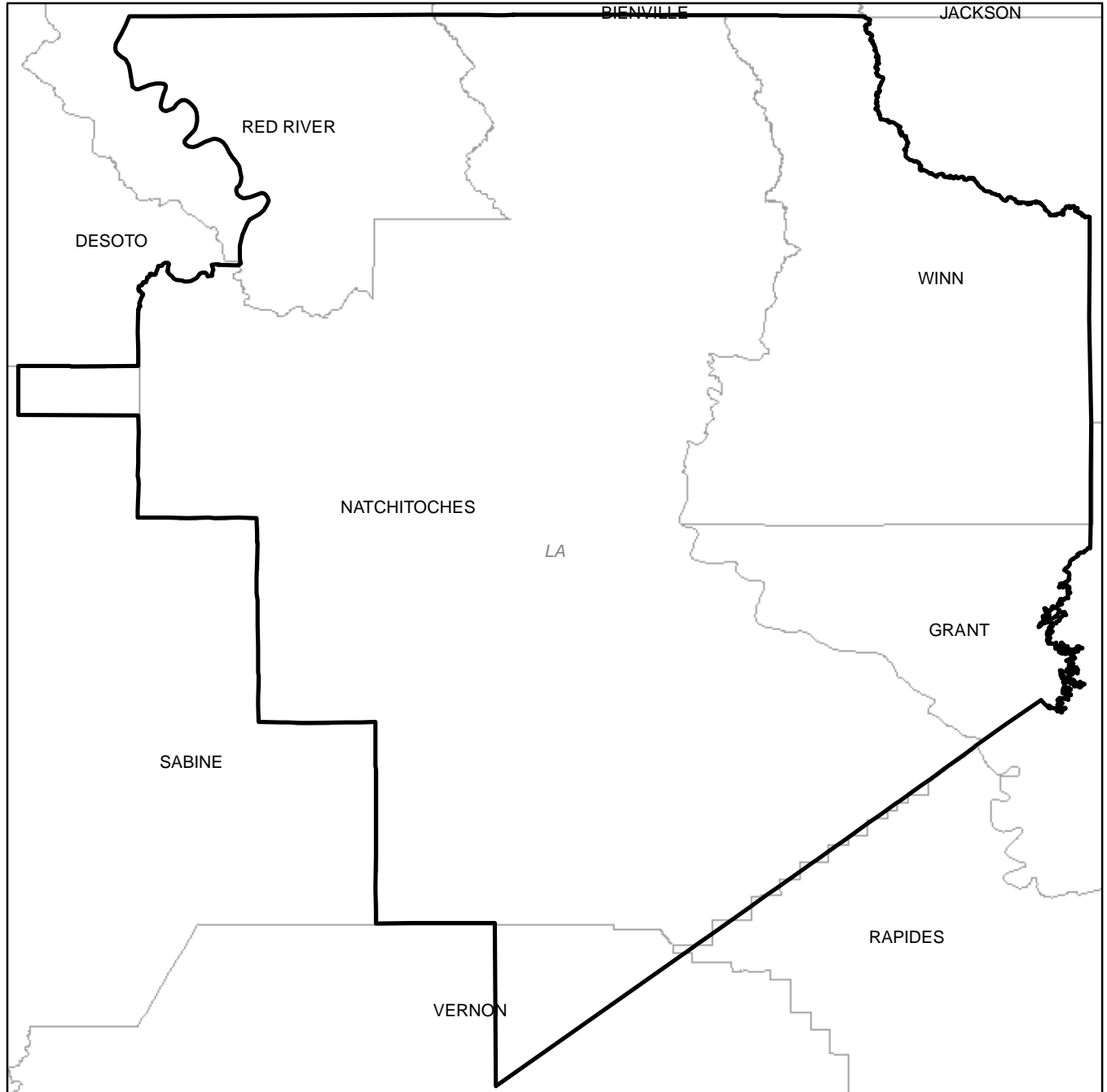
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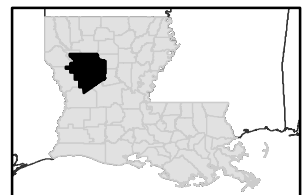
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NATCHITOCHES exchanged with RAPIDES.

2,160 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 96-97)





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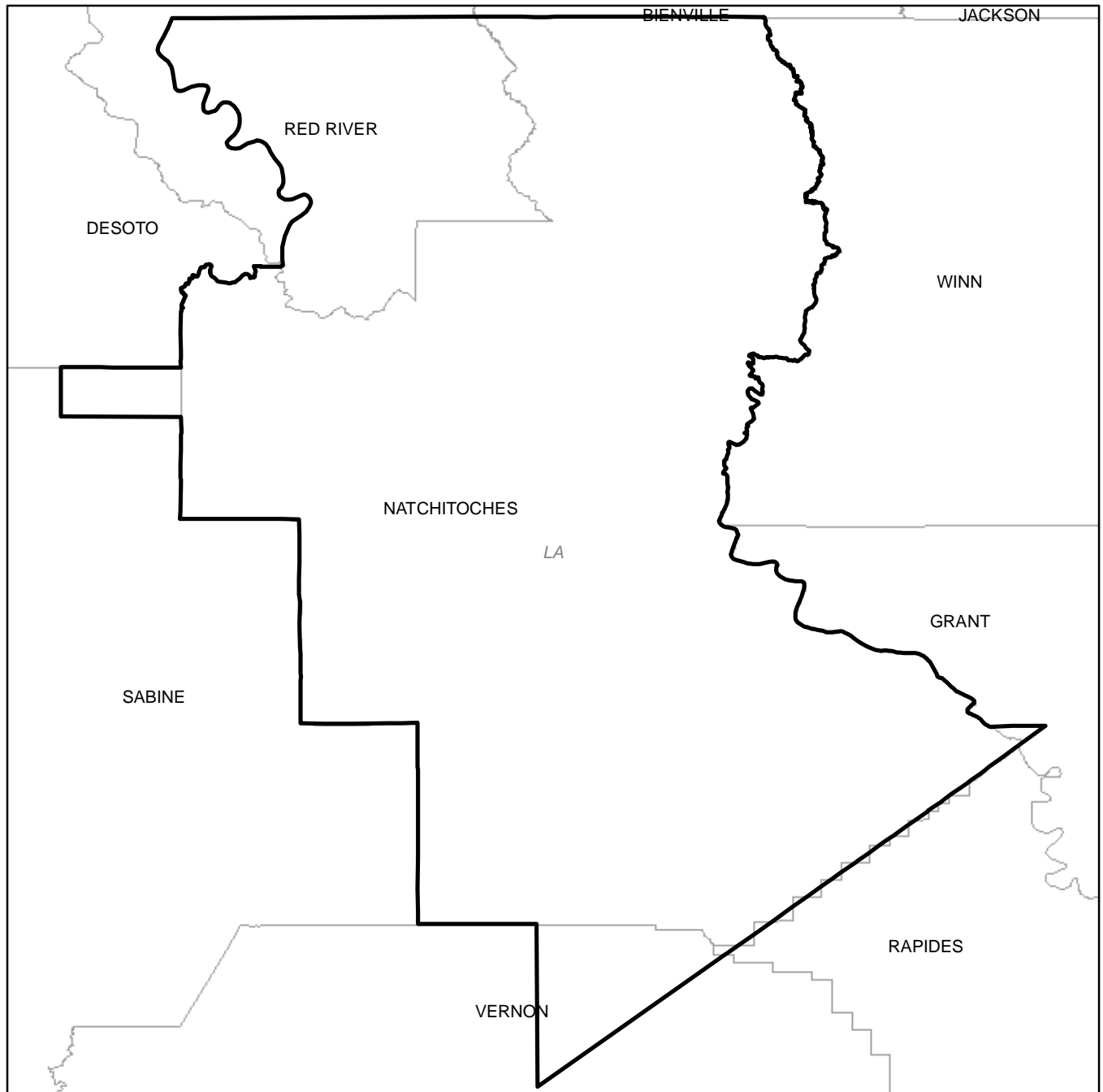
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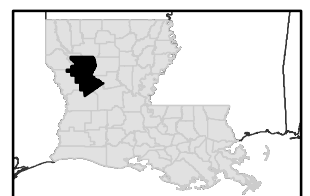
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NATCHITOCHES lost to creation of WINN.

1,582 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 67-69)





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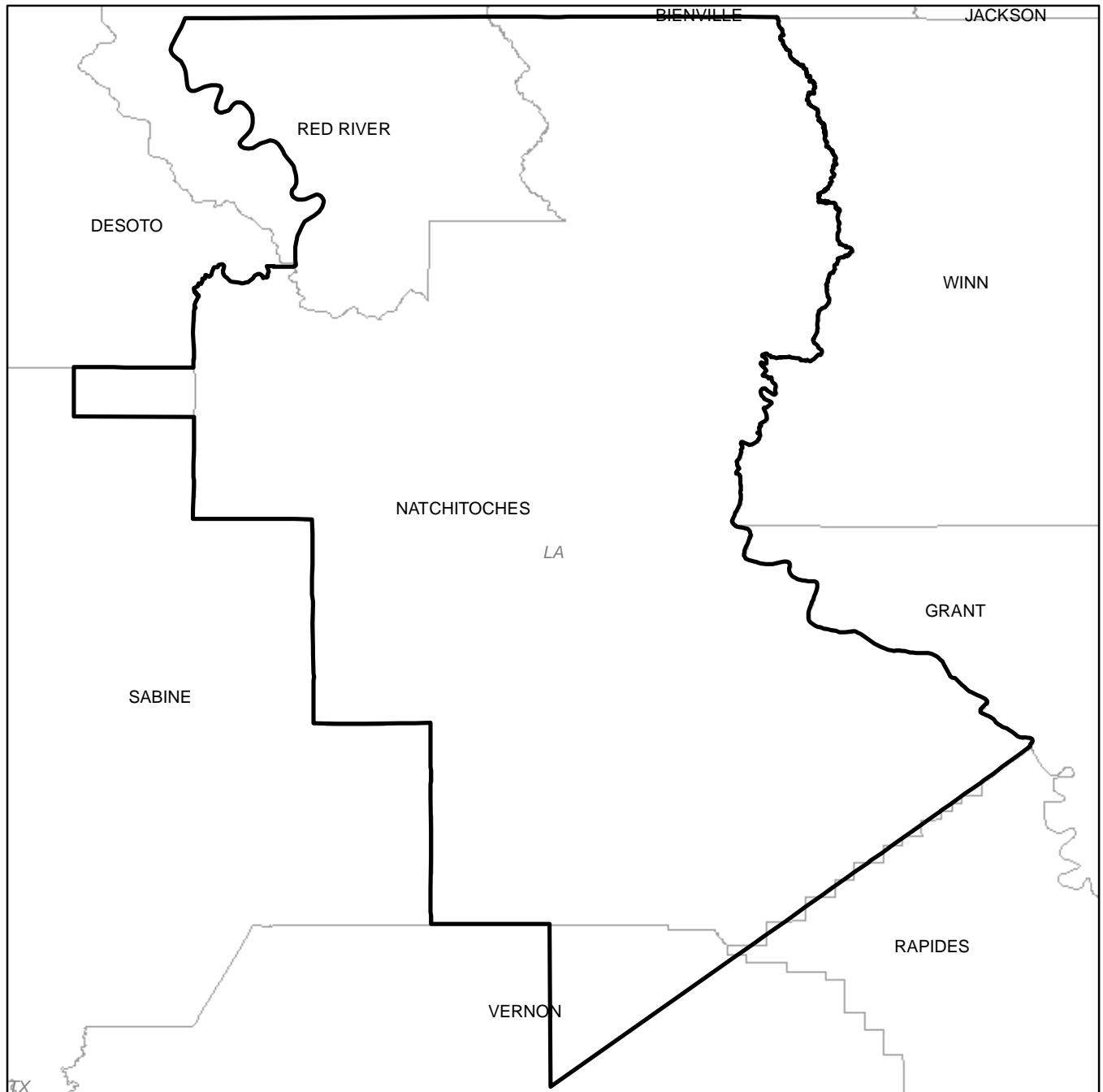
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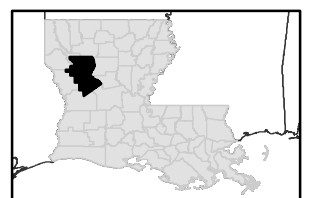
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NATCHITOCHES lost to RAPIDES.

1,580 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 83-84)





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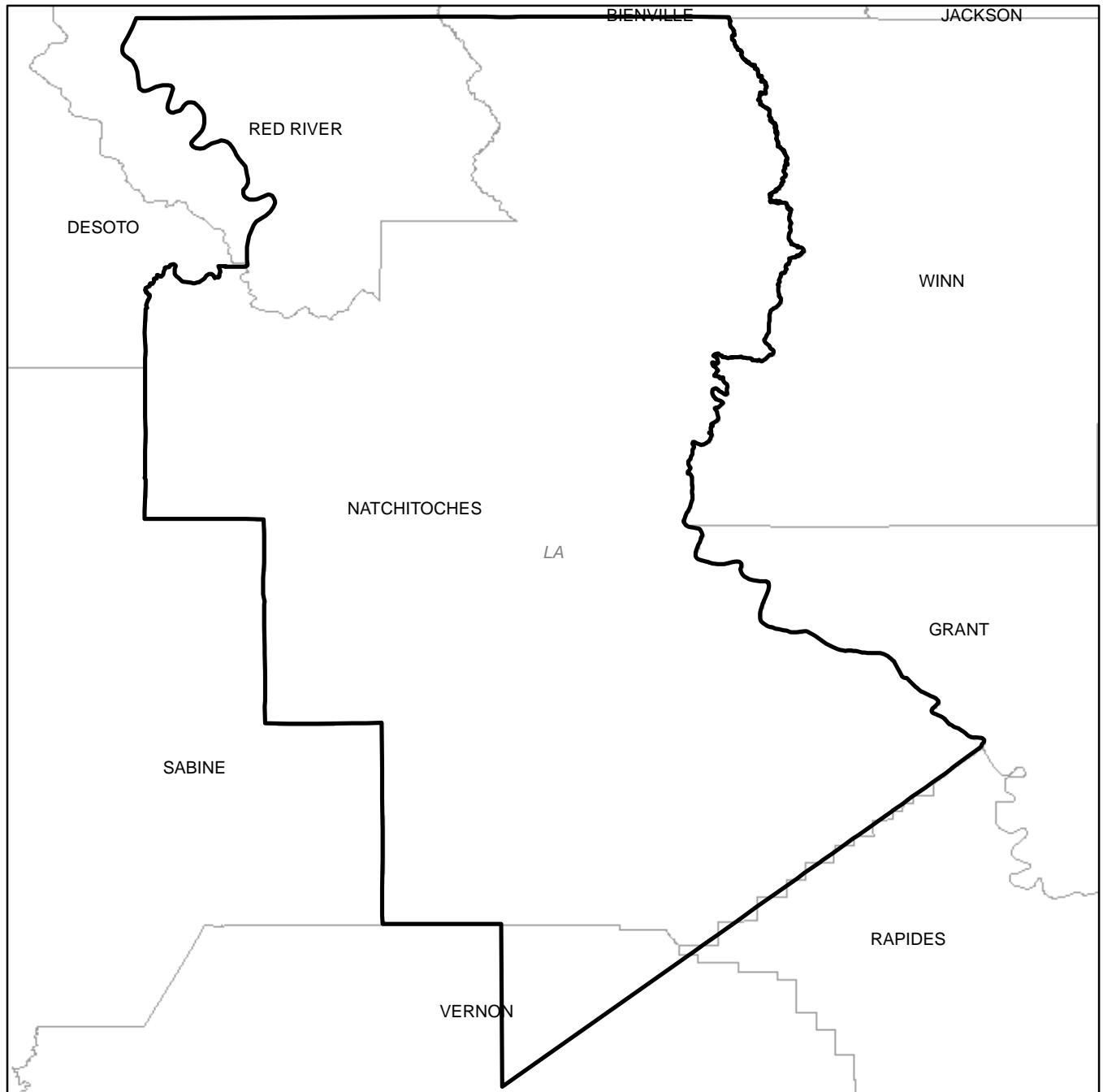
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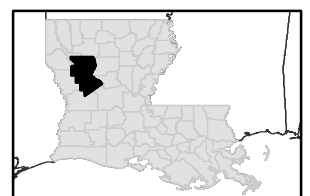
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NATCHITOCHES lost to SABINE.

1,562 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1854, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., p. 141)





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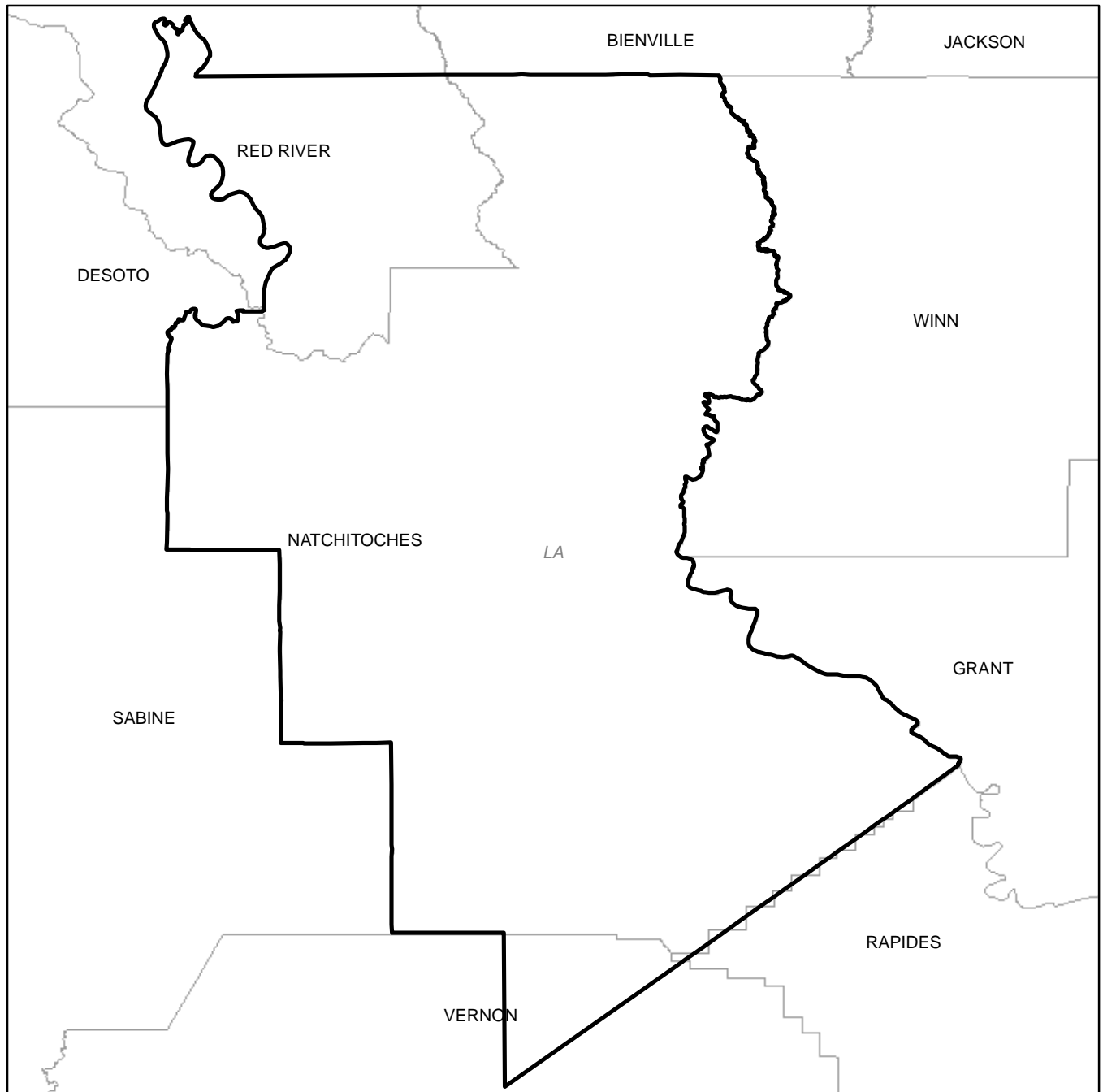
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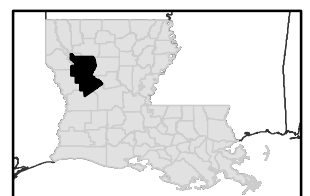
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NATCHITOCHES gained from BIENVILLE.

1,569 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1857, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., p.47)





NATCHITOCHES

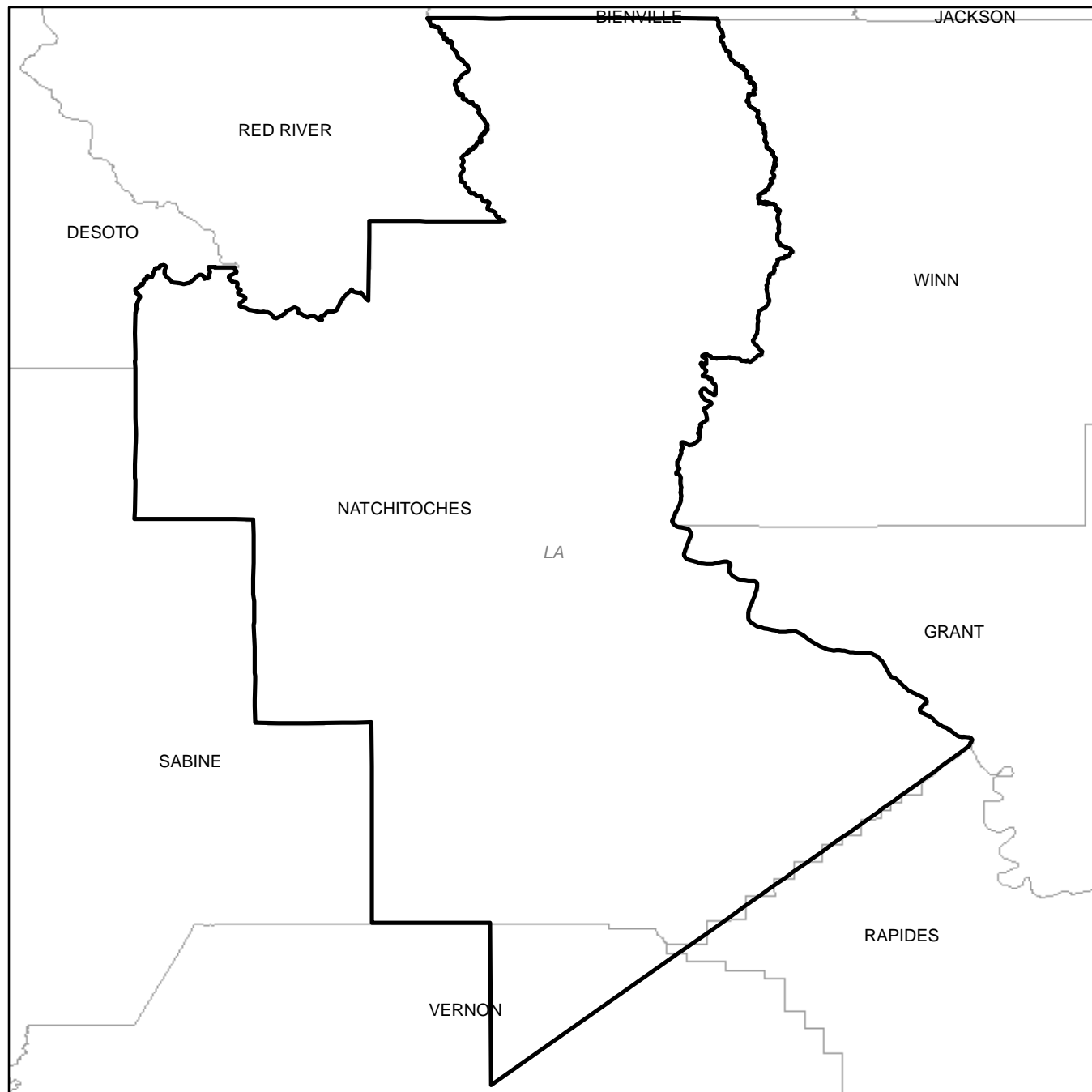
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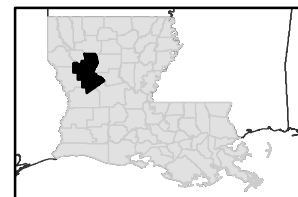
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NATCHITOCHES lost to creation of RED RIVER.

1,353 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 86-88)





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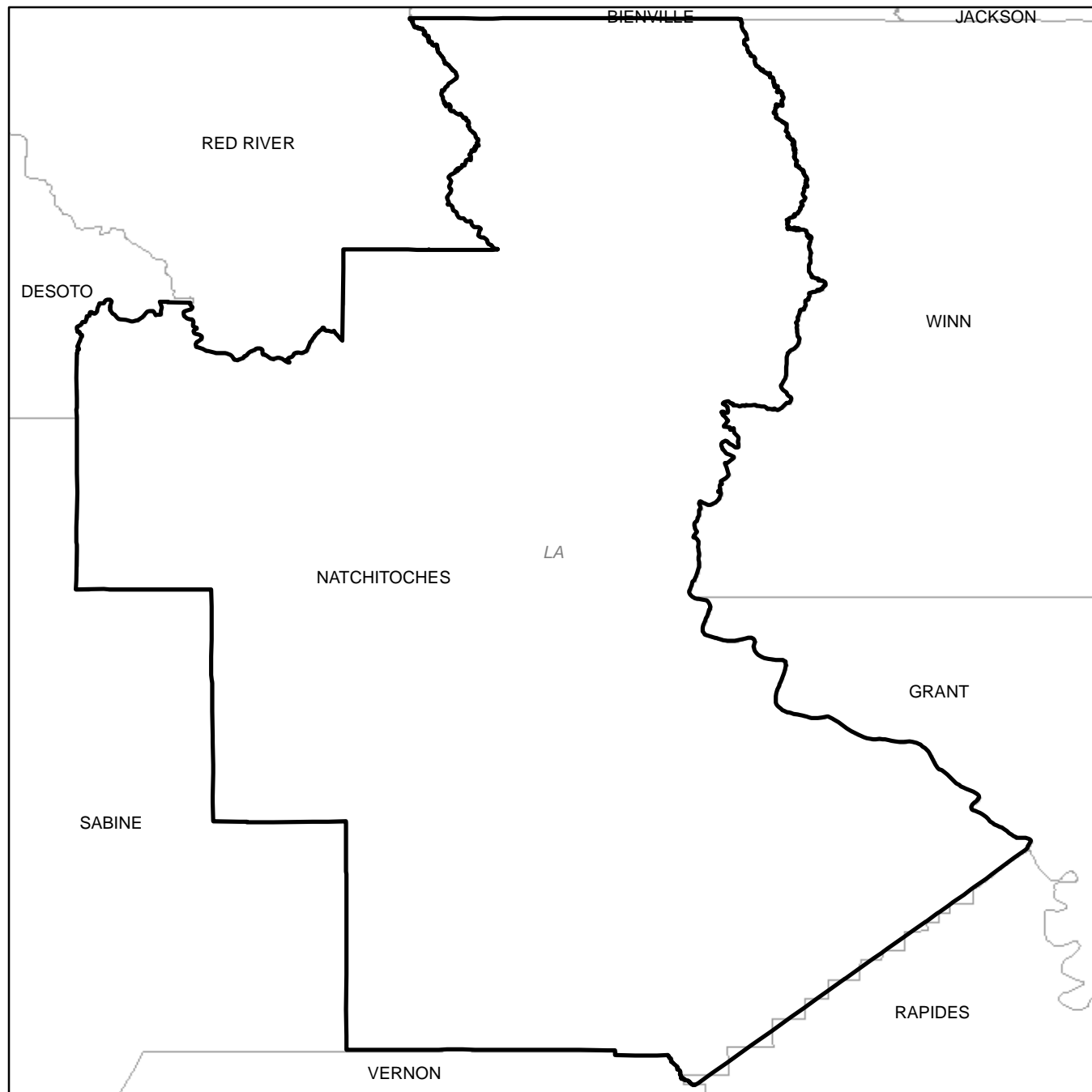
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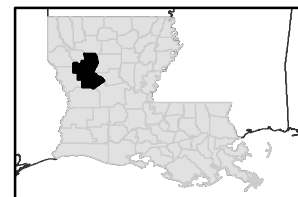
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NATCHITOCHES lost to creation of VERNON.

1,300 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 175-176)





NATCHITOCHES

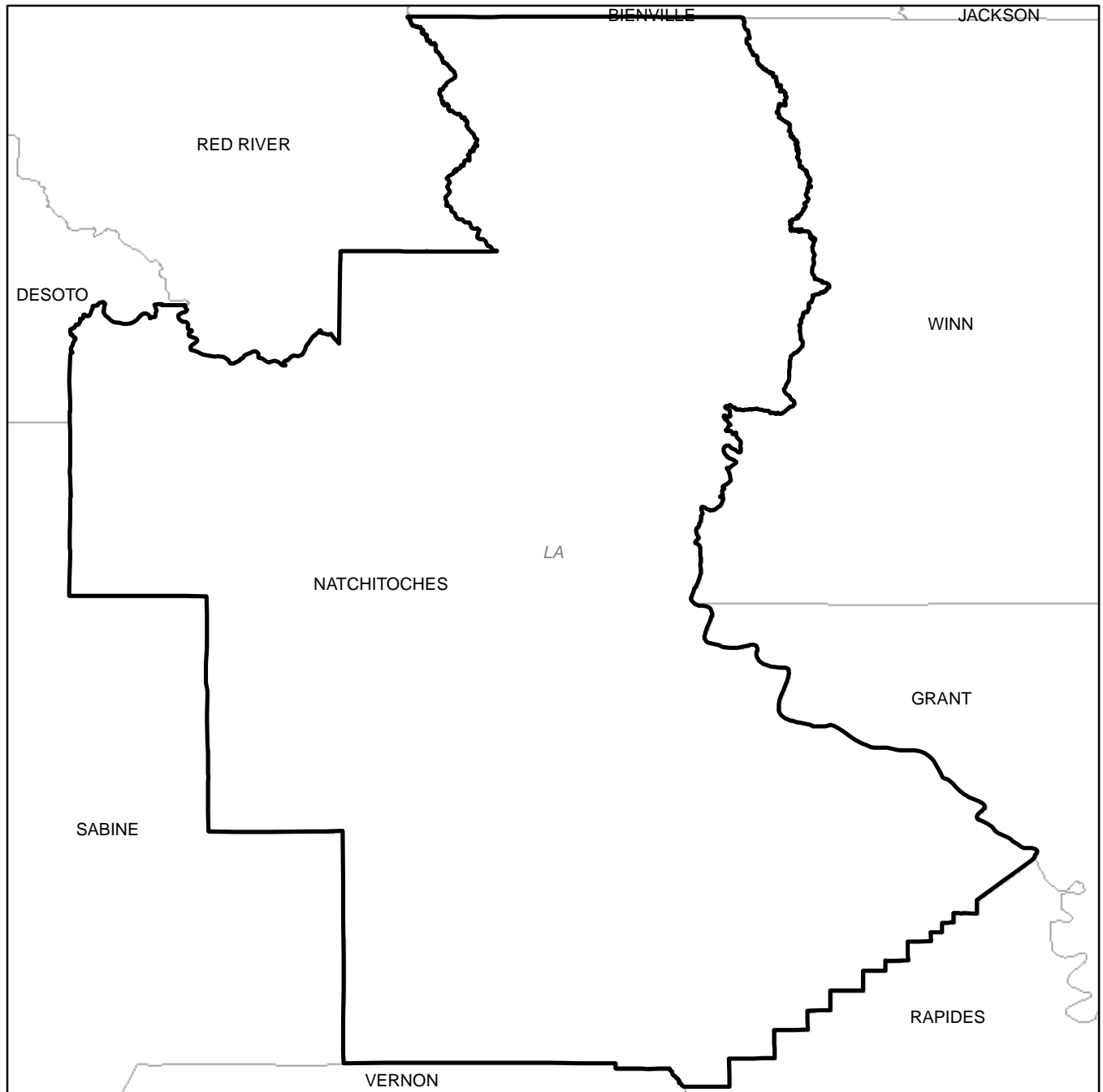
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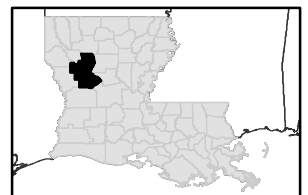
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NATCHITOCHES lost to creation of RED RIVER.

1,299 sq. mi.

(Natchitoches Parish Police Jury. Correspondence, 8 Aug 2008; Rapides Parish Police Jury. Correspondence, 15 Aug 2008; Rapides Parish Police Jury Minutes





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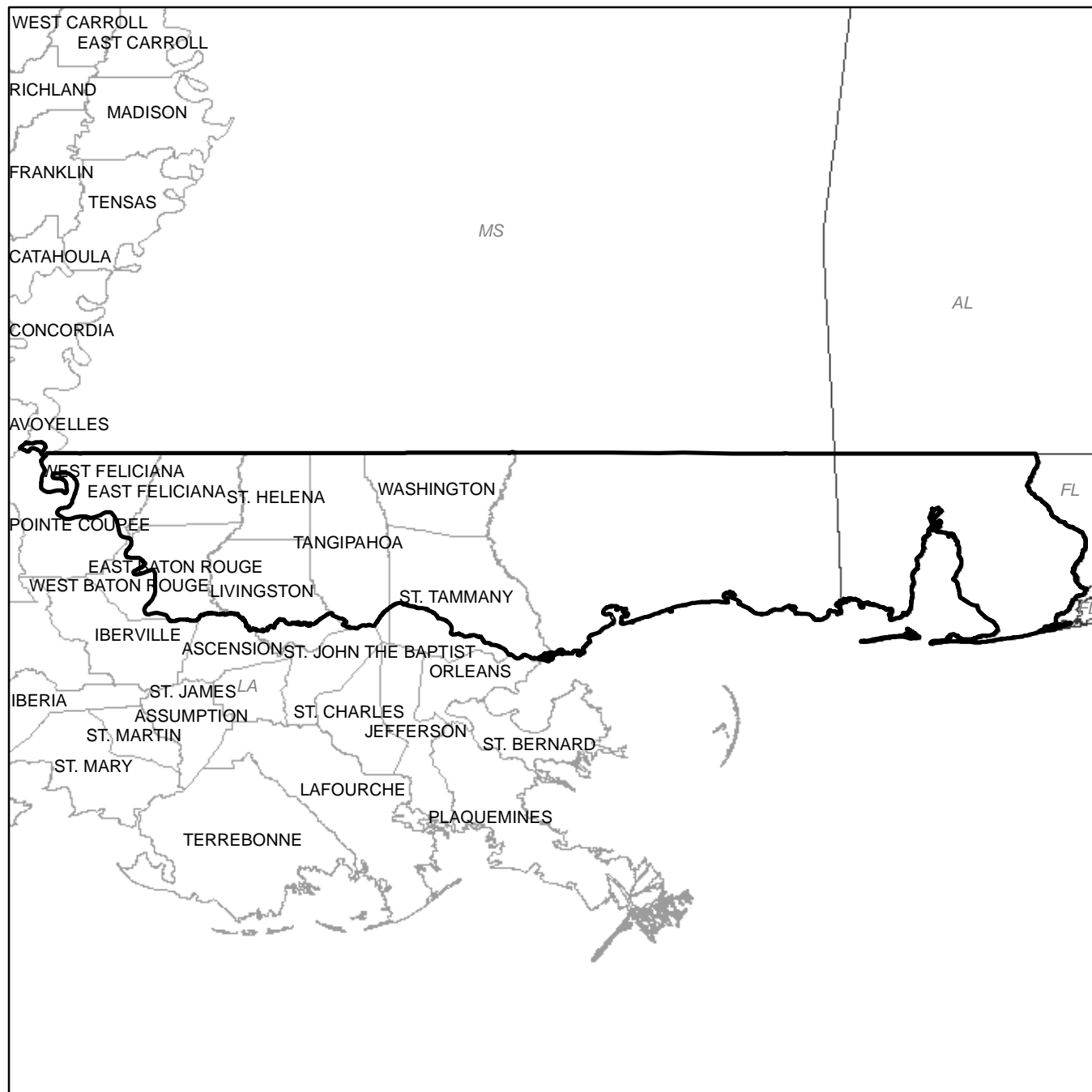
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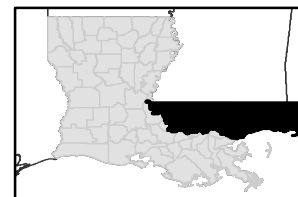
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Territory within Feliciana County did not initially contain any internal parish divisions. Entire area was under dispute, claimed by the United States as part of the Louisiana Purchase, but actually controlled by Spain.

10,717 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./p. 210; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





Non-Parish Area

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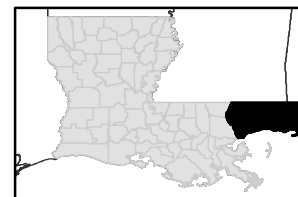
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Non-parish area within Feliciana County lost to creation of EAST BATON ROUGE Parish, FELICIANA Parish (extinct), ST. HELENA Parish, and ST. TAMMANY Parish.

6,023 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr., Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./pp. 210, 212; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





Non-Parish Area

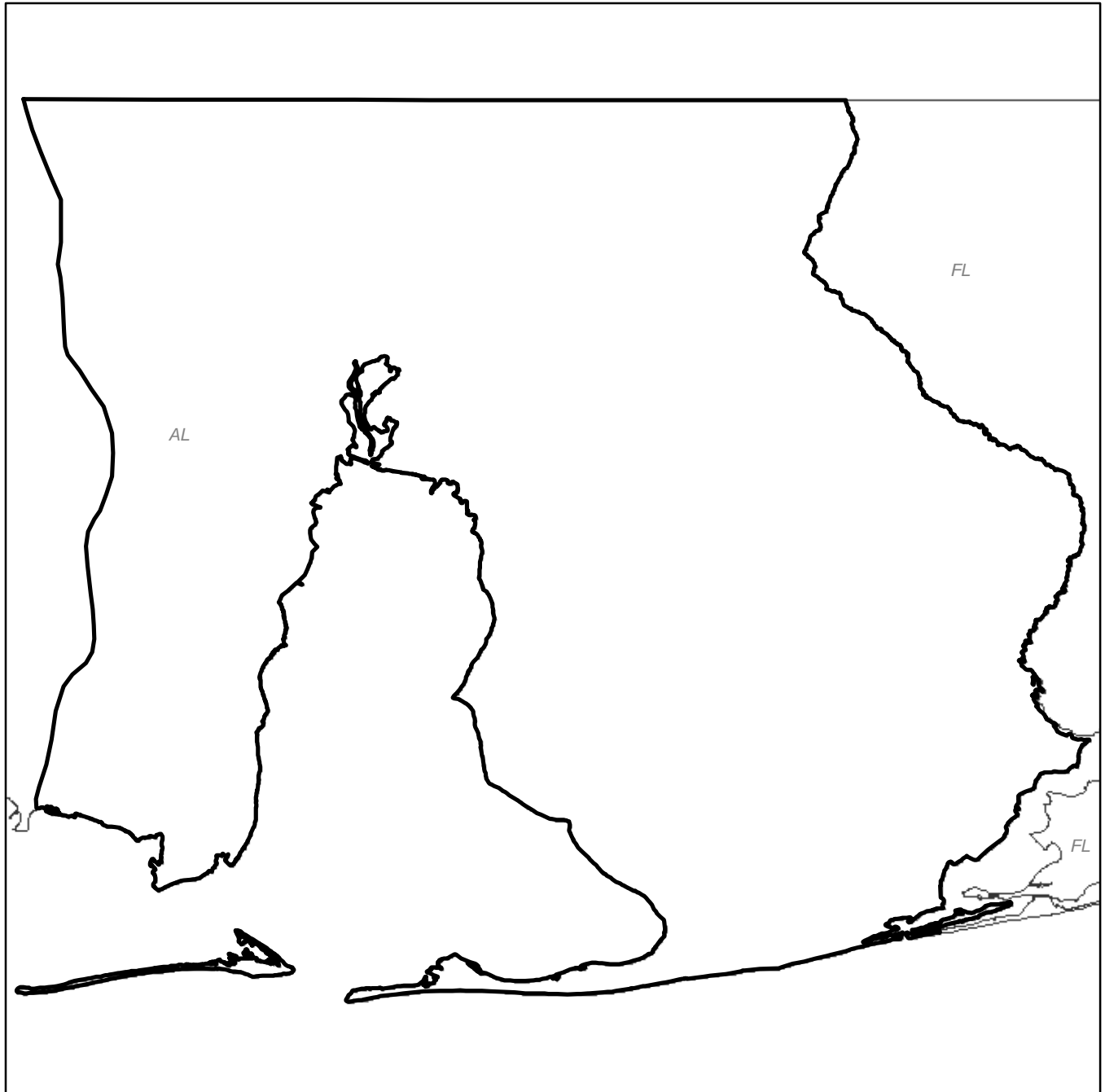
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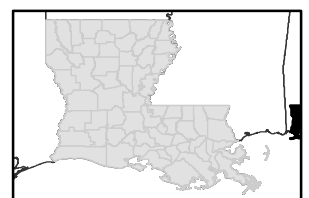
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Non-parish area within Feliciana County lost to creation of PASCAGOULA Parish (extinct).

1,919 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./p. 214; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





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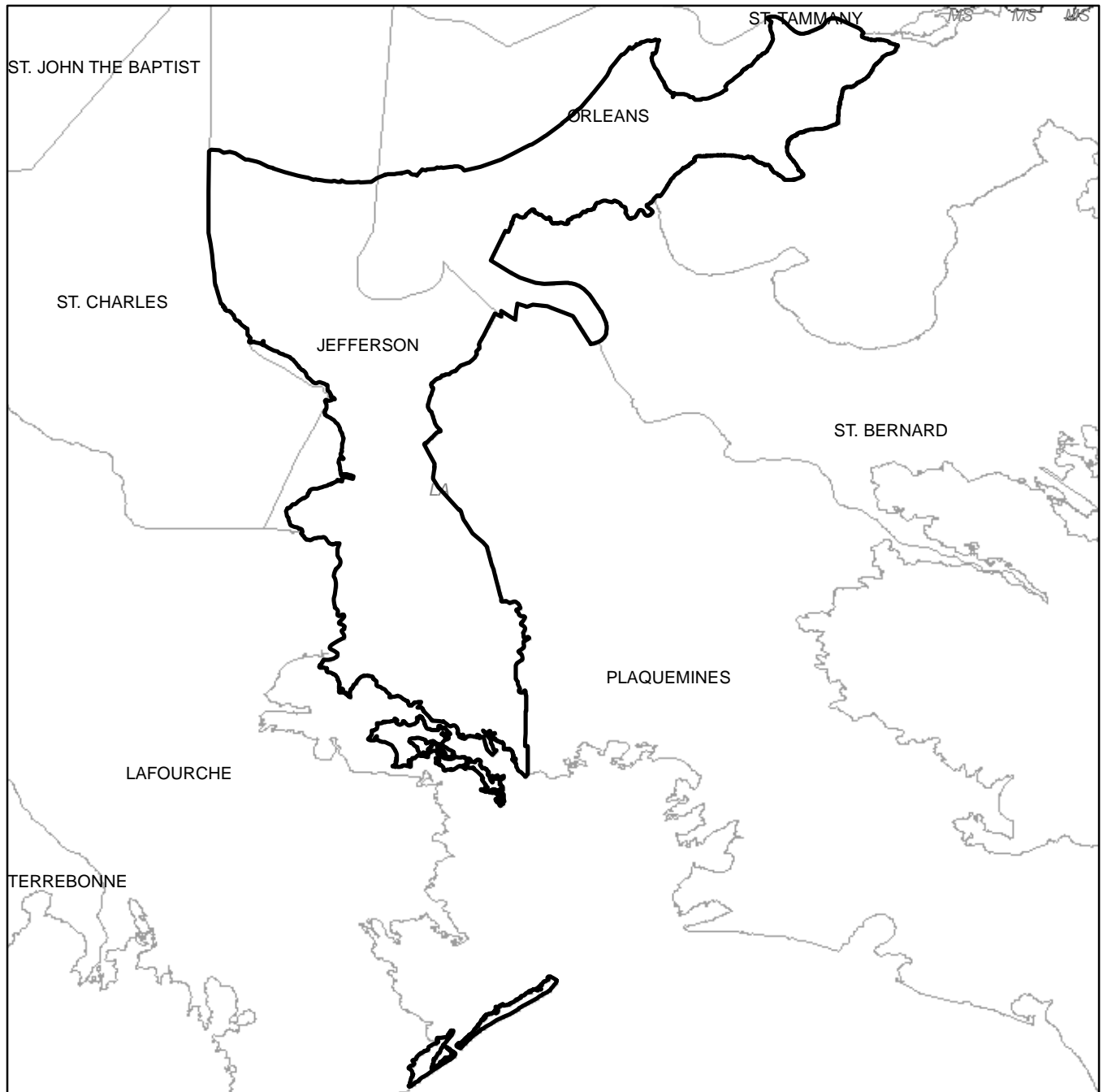
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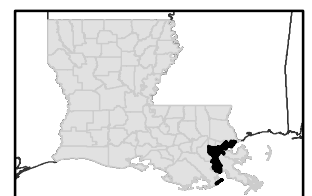
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ORLEANS Parish created within Orleans County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

557 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 10; Calhoun, 85-93)





ORLEANS

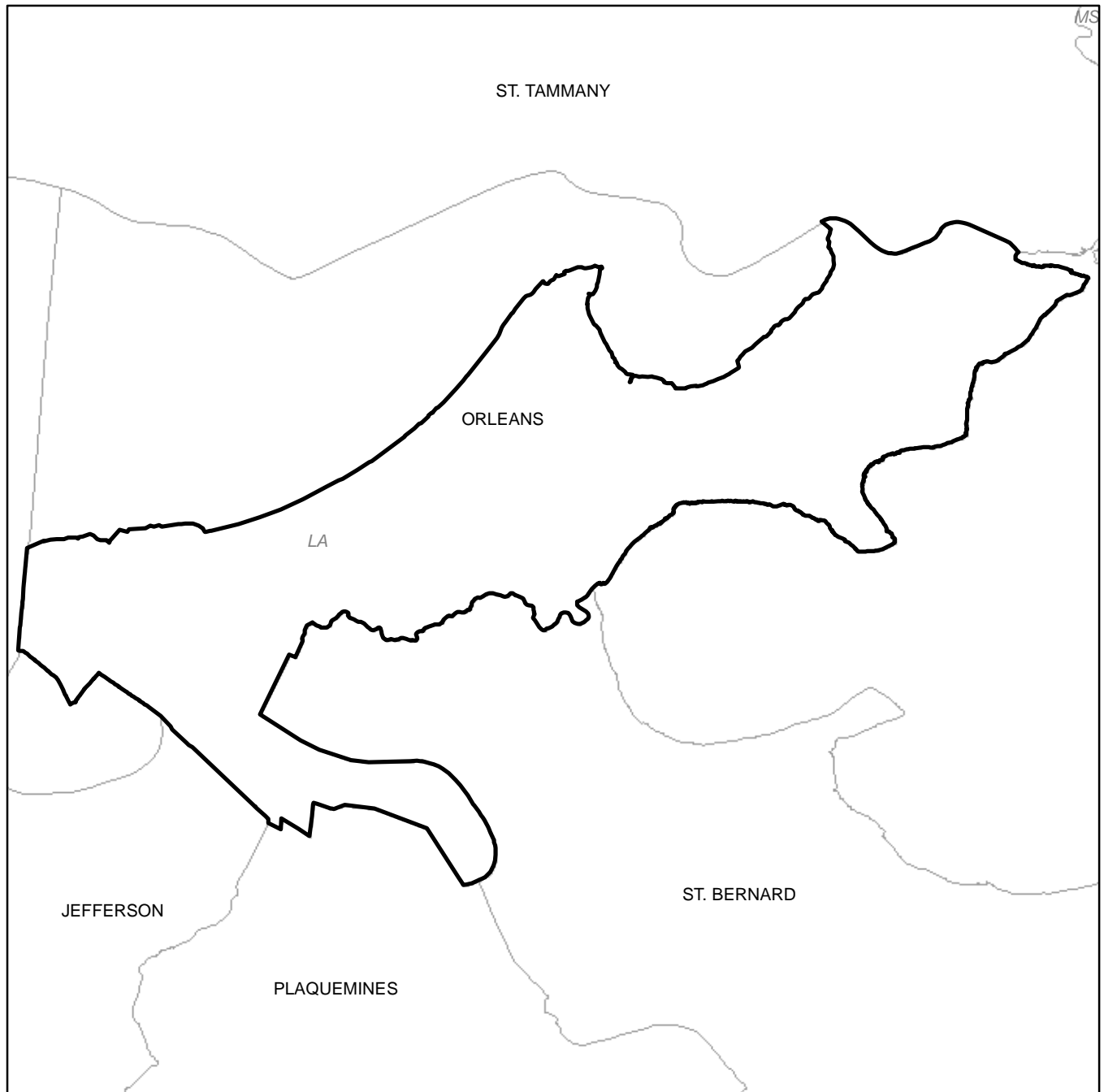
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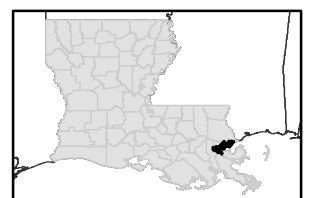
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ORLEANS lost to creation of JEFFERSON; loss included the disputed areas of Cheniere Caminada and Grand Isle.

195 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1825, 7th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 108-112)





ORLEANS

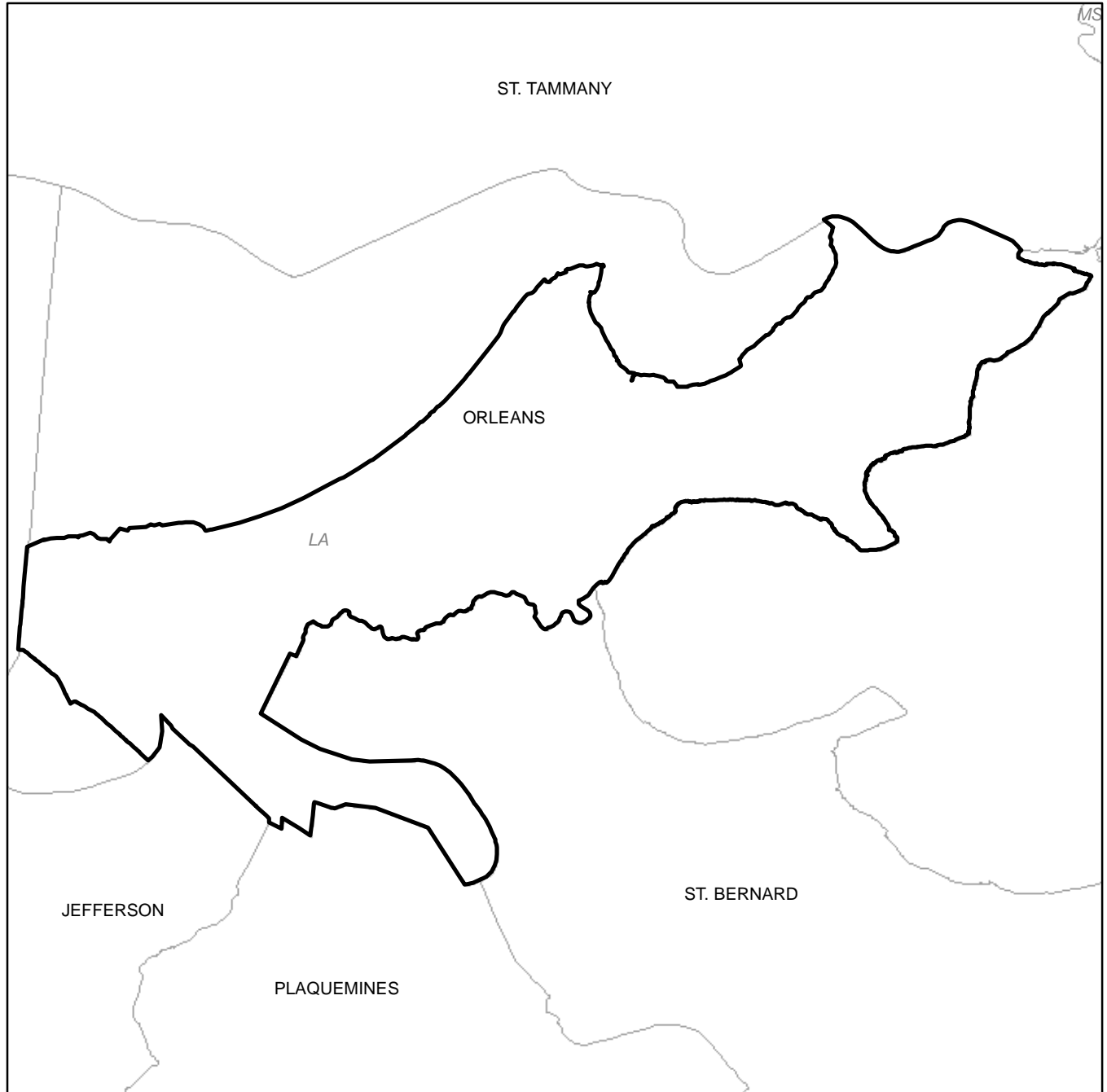
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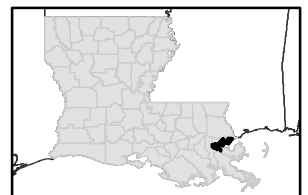
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ORLEANS gained from JEFFERSON when the limits of ORLEANS were extended to Felicite Street.

198 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 100-101)





ORLEANS

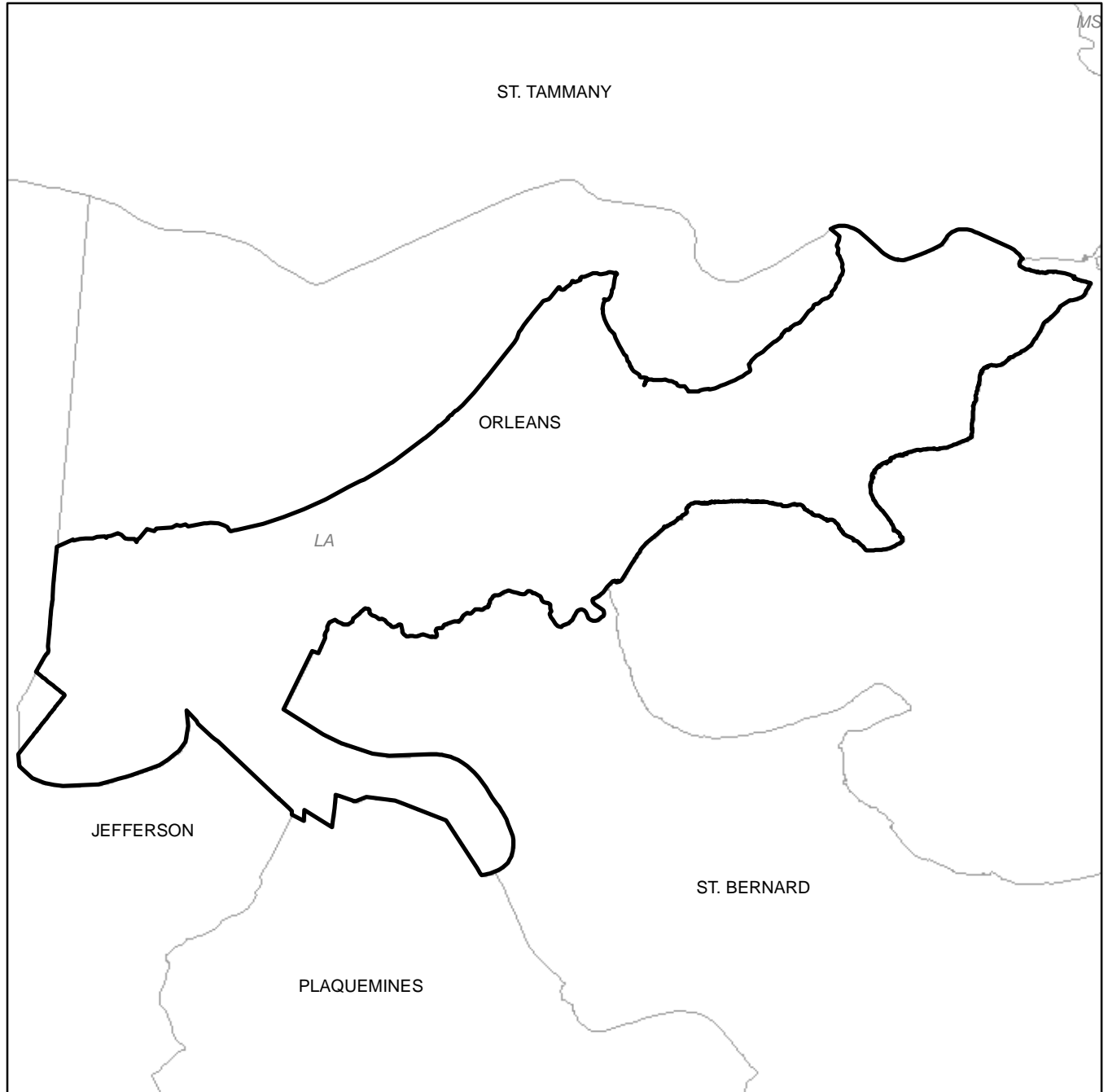
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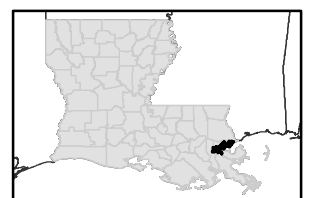
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ORLEANS gained from JEFFERSON when the cities of New Orleans and Jefferson were consolidated.

209 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1870, 1st Leg., extra sess., pp. 30-49)





ORLEANS

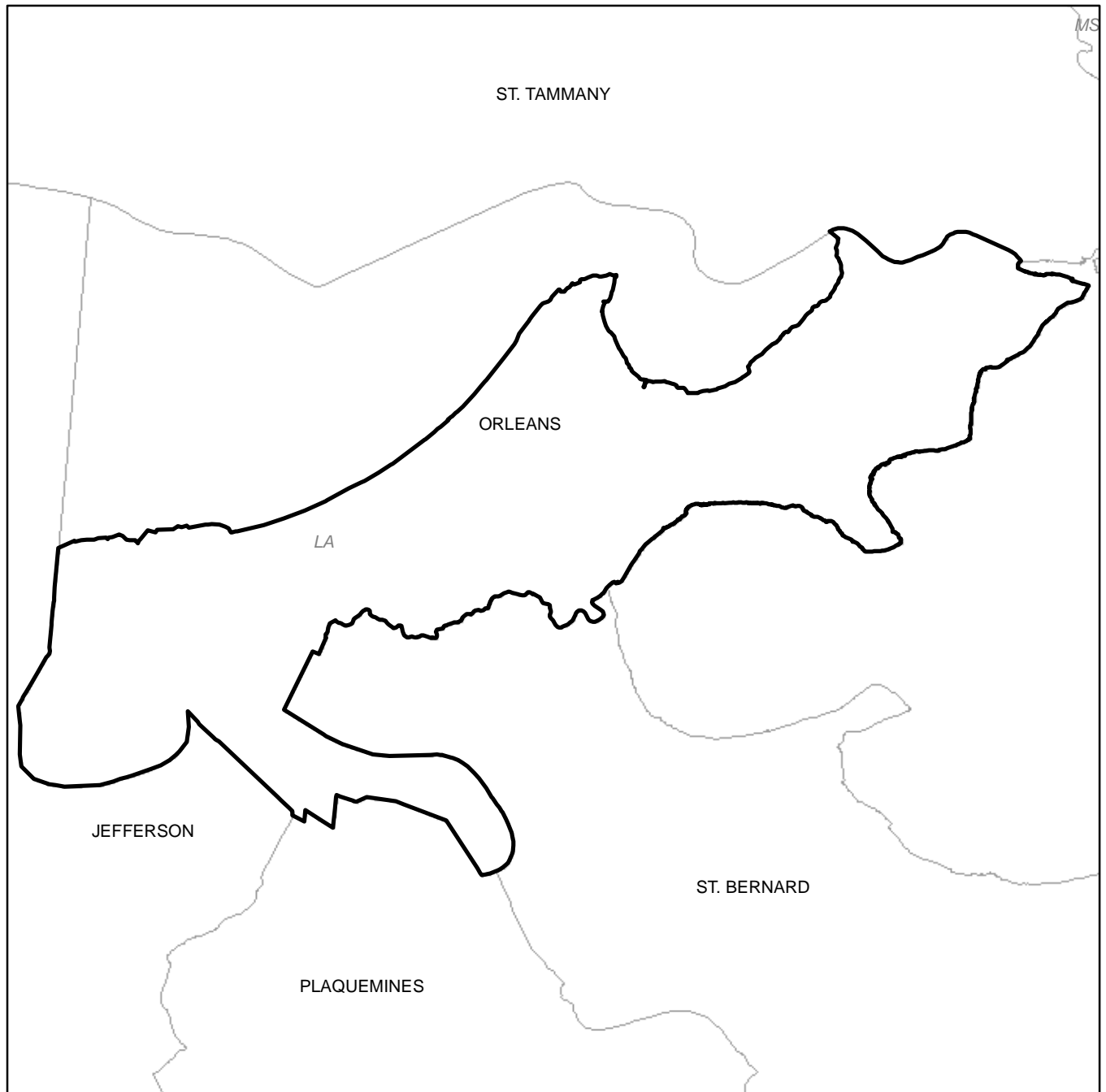
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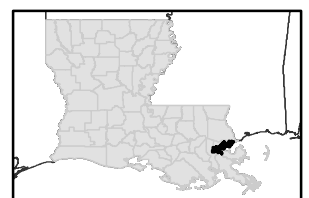
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ORLEANS gained from JEFFERSON when the city of Carrollton was annexed to the city of New Orleans.

210 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1874, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 119-122)





ORLEANS

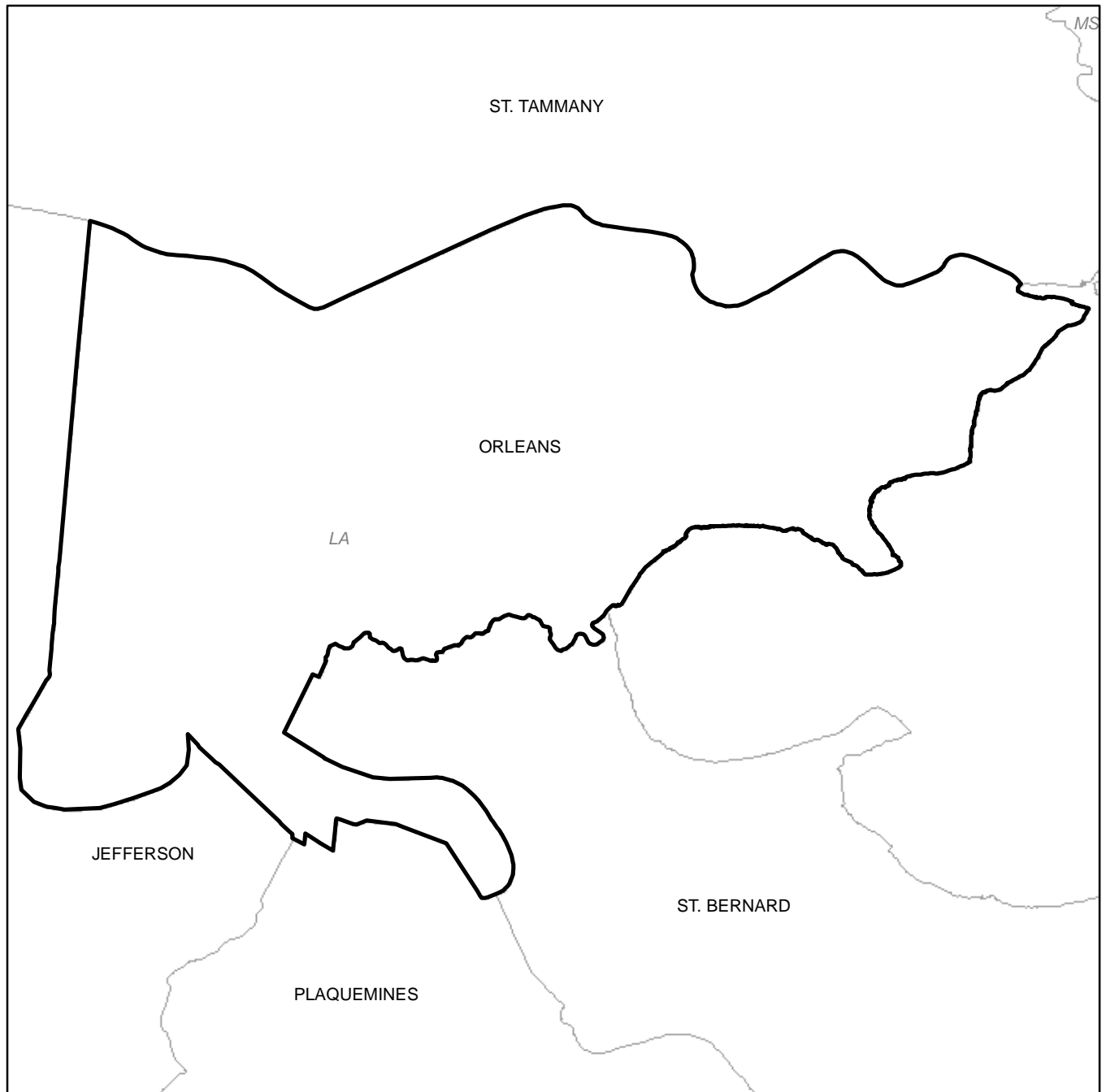
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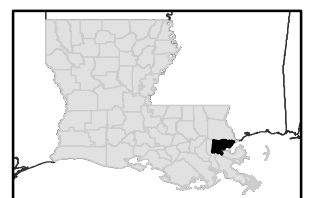
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ORLEANS gained when boundaries through Lake Pontchartrain were defined.

350 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1979, vol. 2, Reg. Sess., pp. 2042, 2043-2044)





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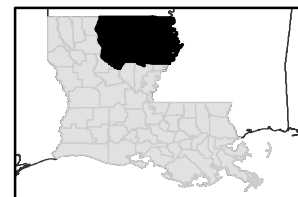
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OUACHITA Parish created within Ouachita County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

7,602 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





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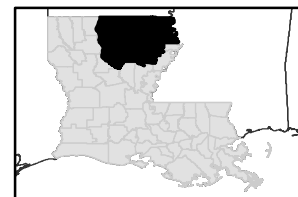
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OUACHITA lost to CONCORDIA.

6,898 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts. 1809, 2nd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 22/p. 54)





OUACHITA

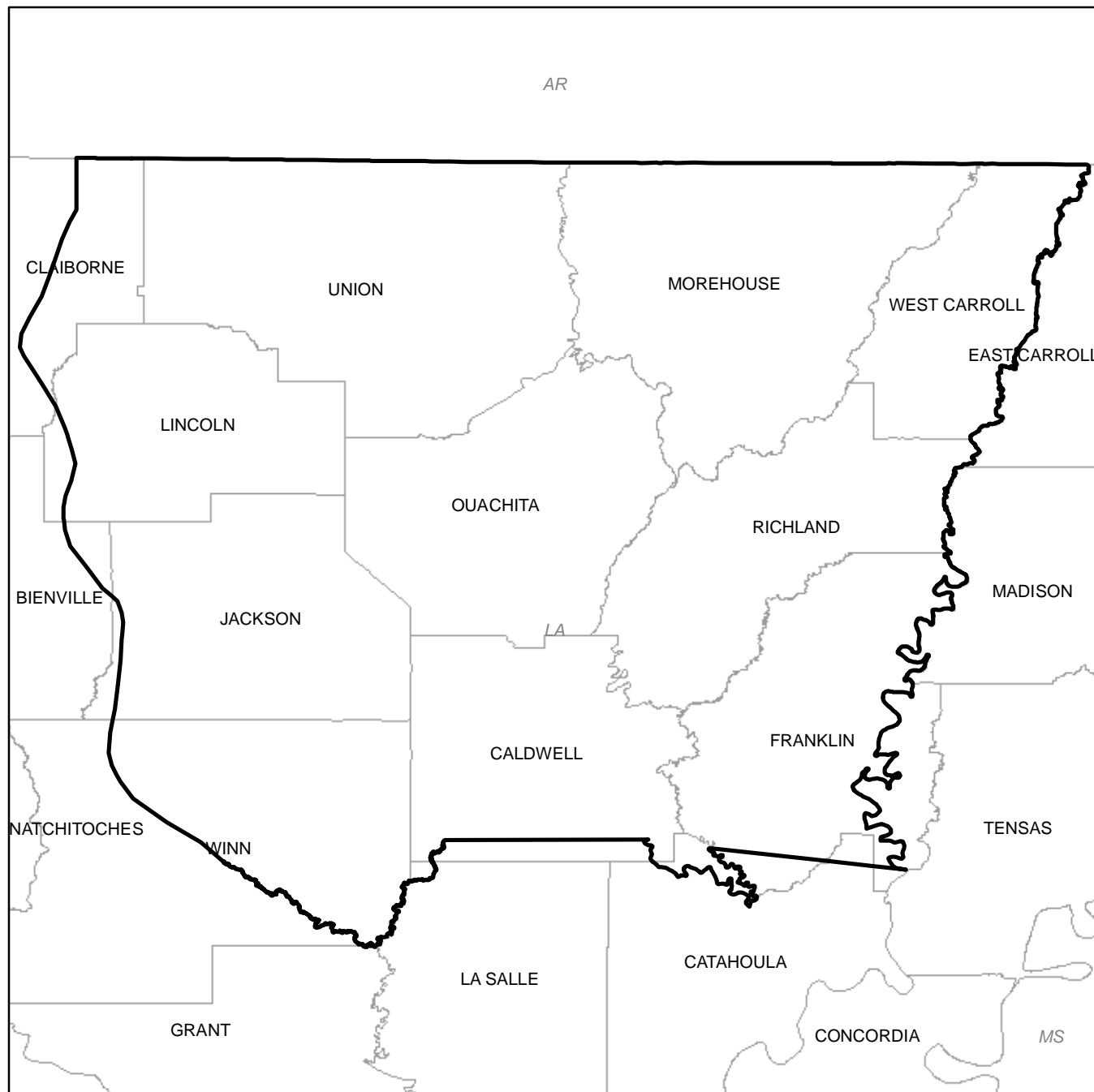
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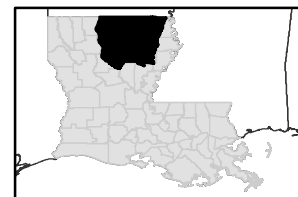
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OUACHITA lost to creation of WARREN (extinct).

5,963 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 10/pp. 34-40)





OUACHITA

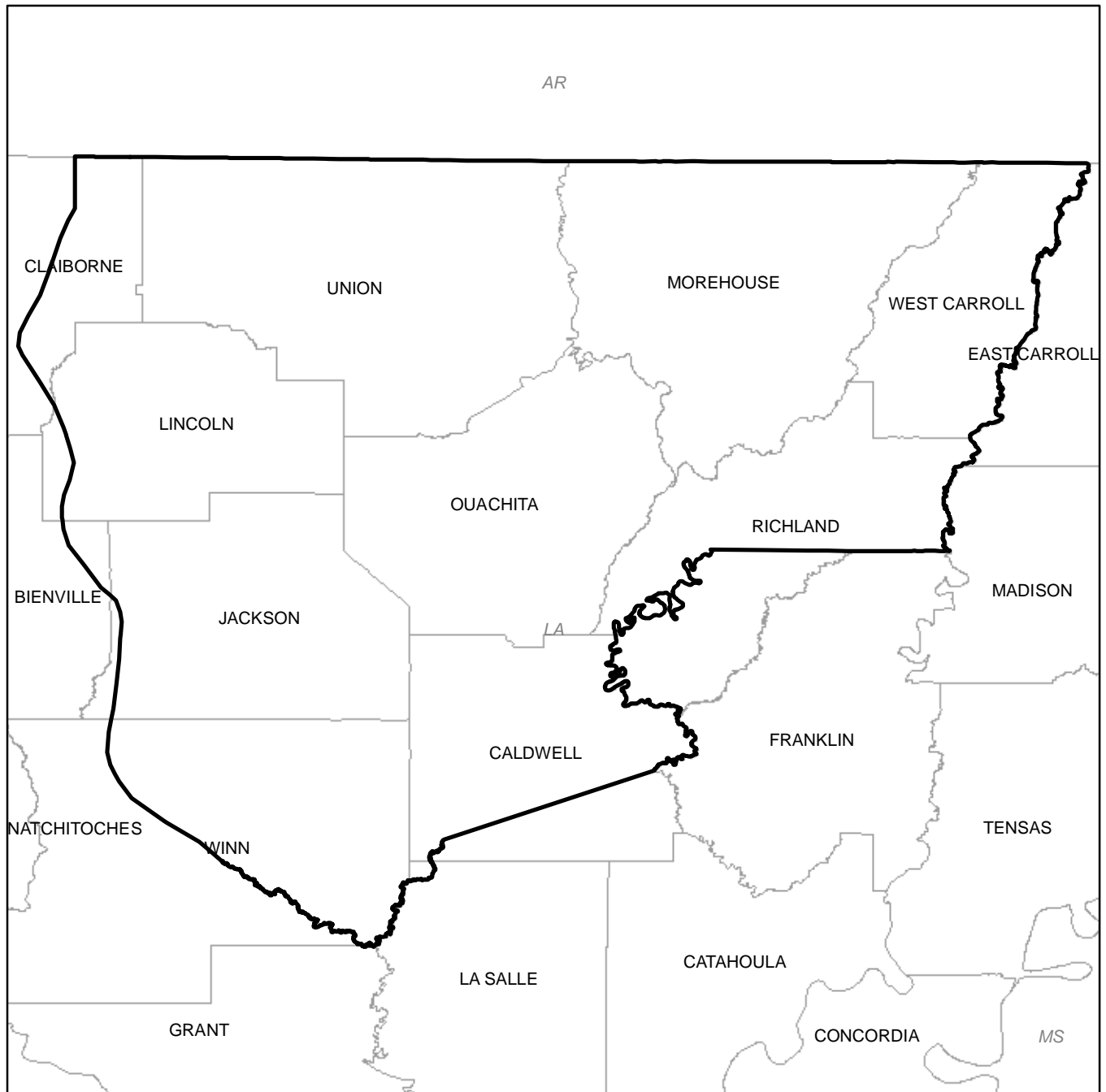
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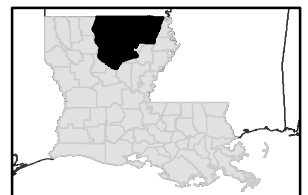
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OUACHITA lost to CATAHOULA.

5,140 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1812-1813, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp.138-140)





OUACHITA

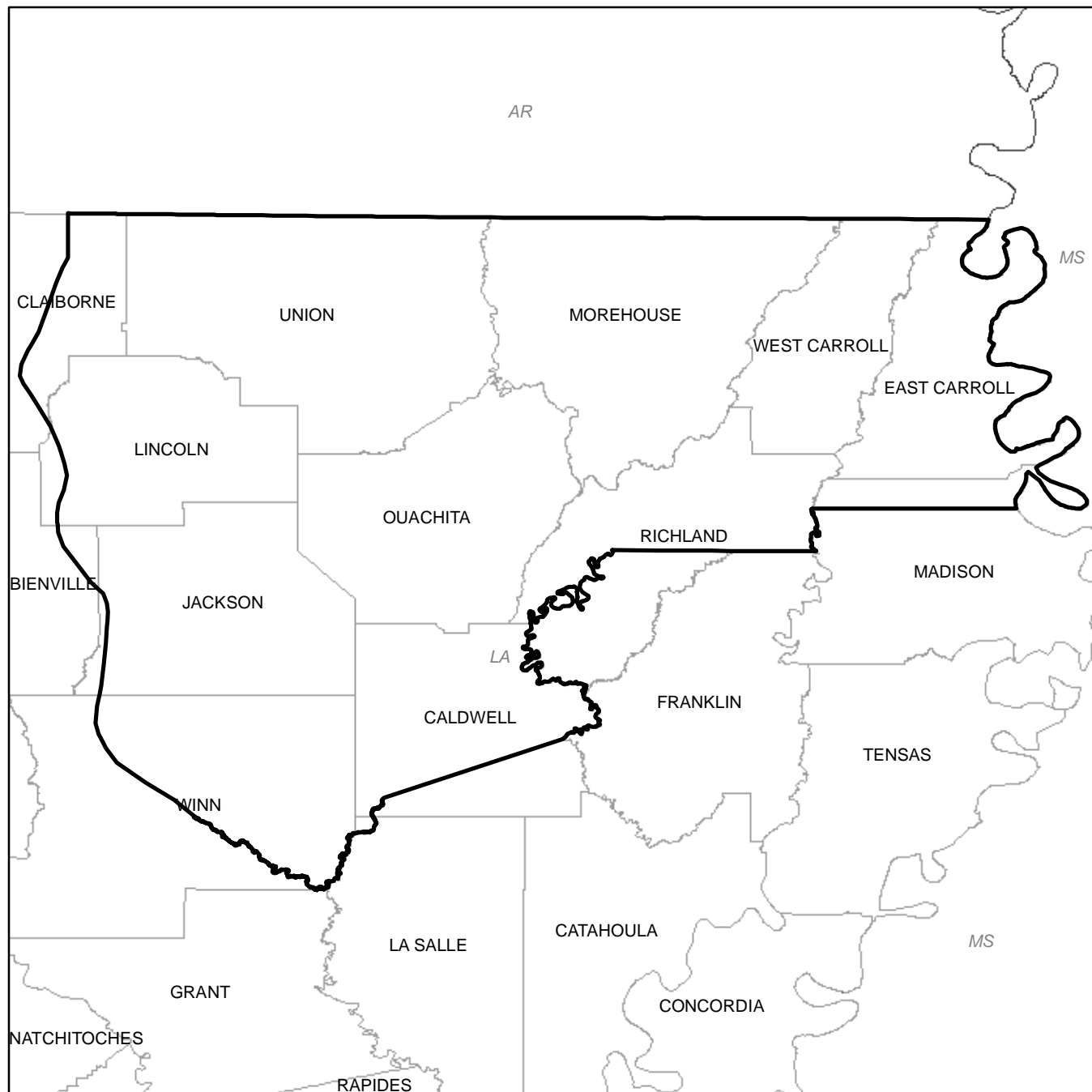
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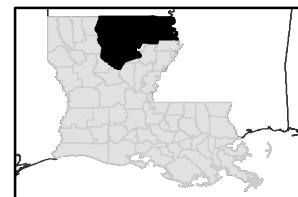
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OUACHITA gained the portion of WARREN (extinct) lying north of the upper line of John Milliken's plantation; WARREN eliminated.

5,678 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1814, 1st Leg., 3rd sess., p. 32-34)





OUACHITA

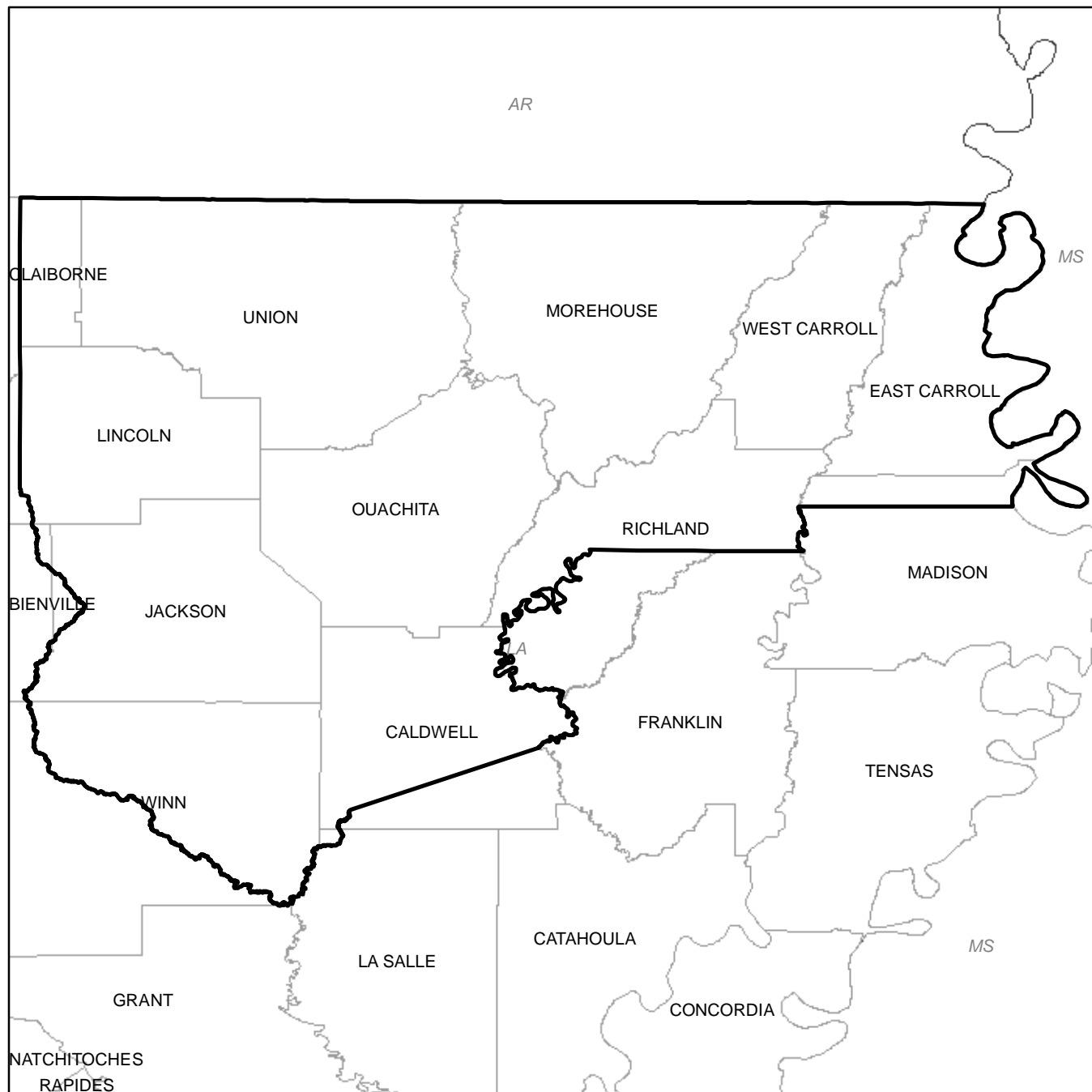
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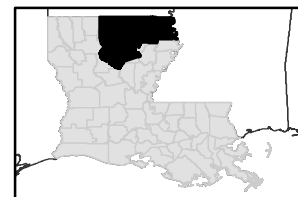
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OUACHITA exchanged with NATCHITOCHES when eastern boundary of NATCHITOCHES was defined for the first time.

5,605 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1827, 8th Leg., 1st sess., p. 30)





OUACHITA

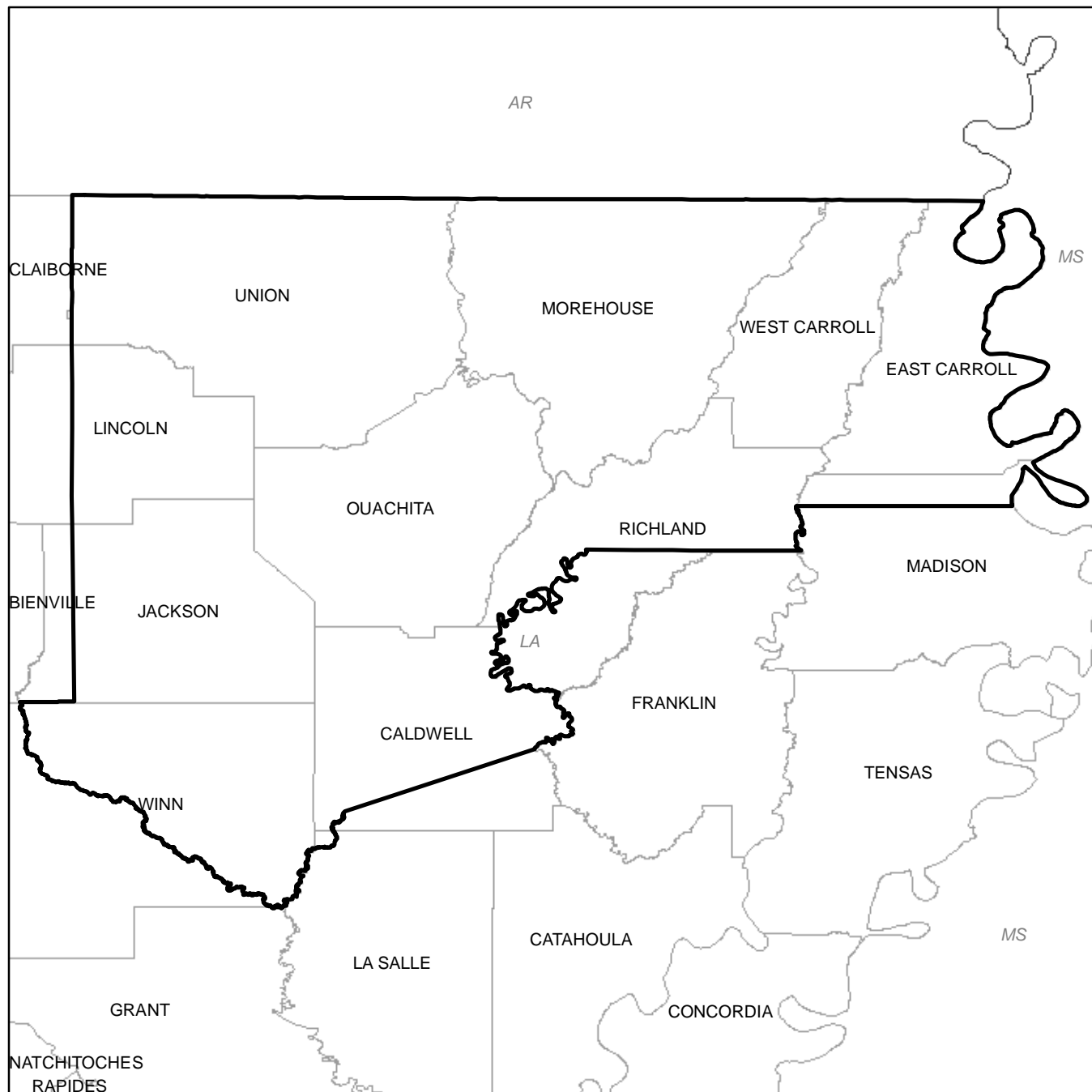
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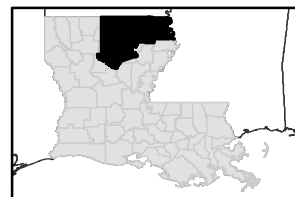
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OUACHITA lost to creation of CLAIBORNE, and gained very small area along the Dugdemona River from NATCHITOCHES.

5,310 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1828, 8th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 70-76)





OUACHITA

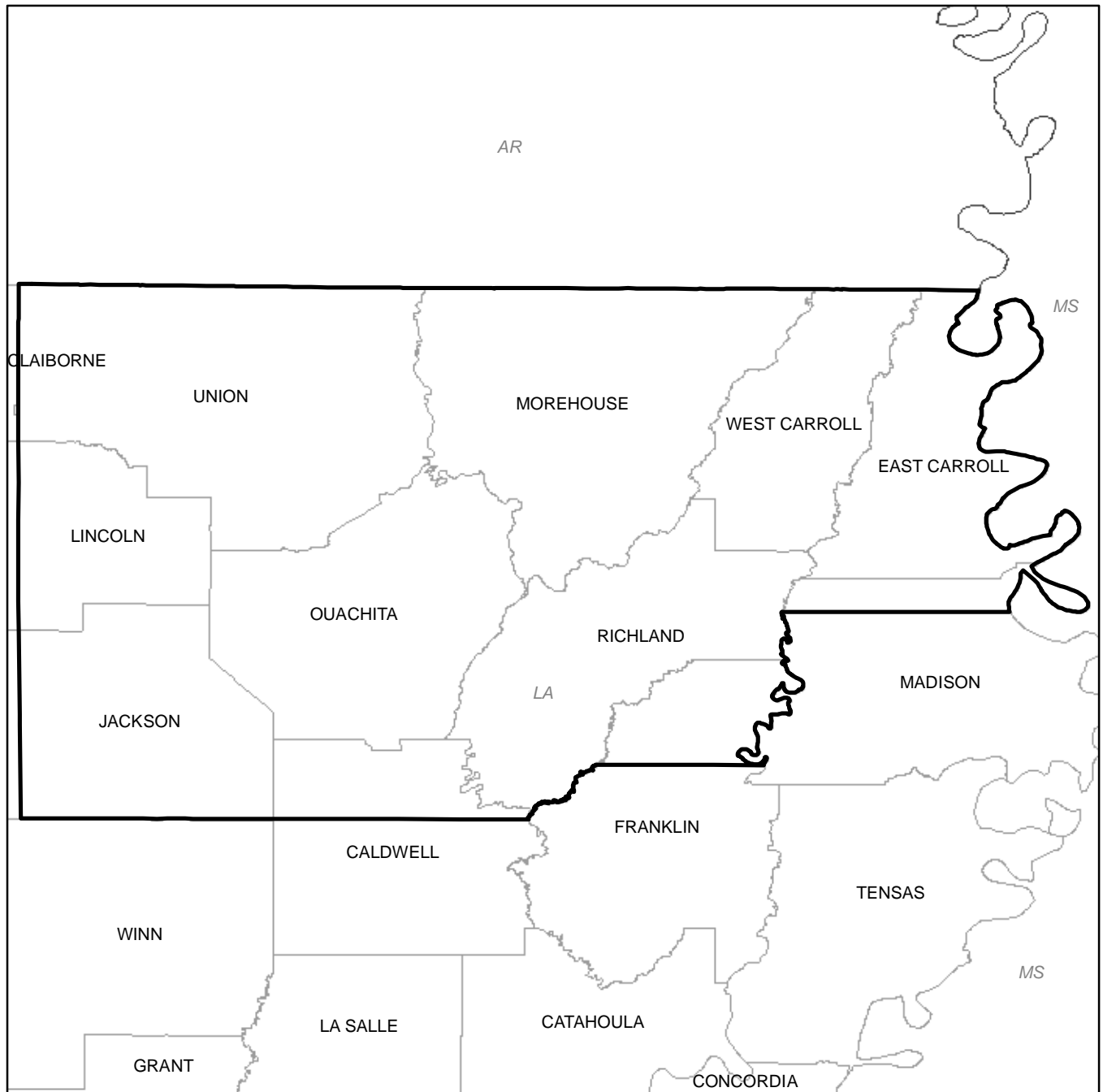
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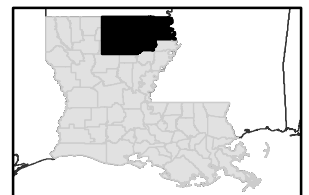
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OUACHITA exchanged with CATAHOULA.

4,950 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1830, 9th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 36)





OUACHITA

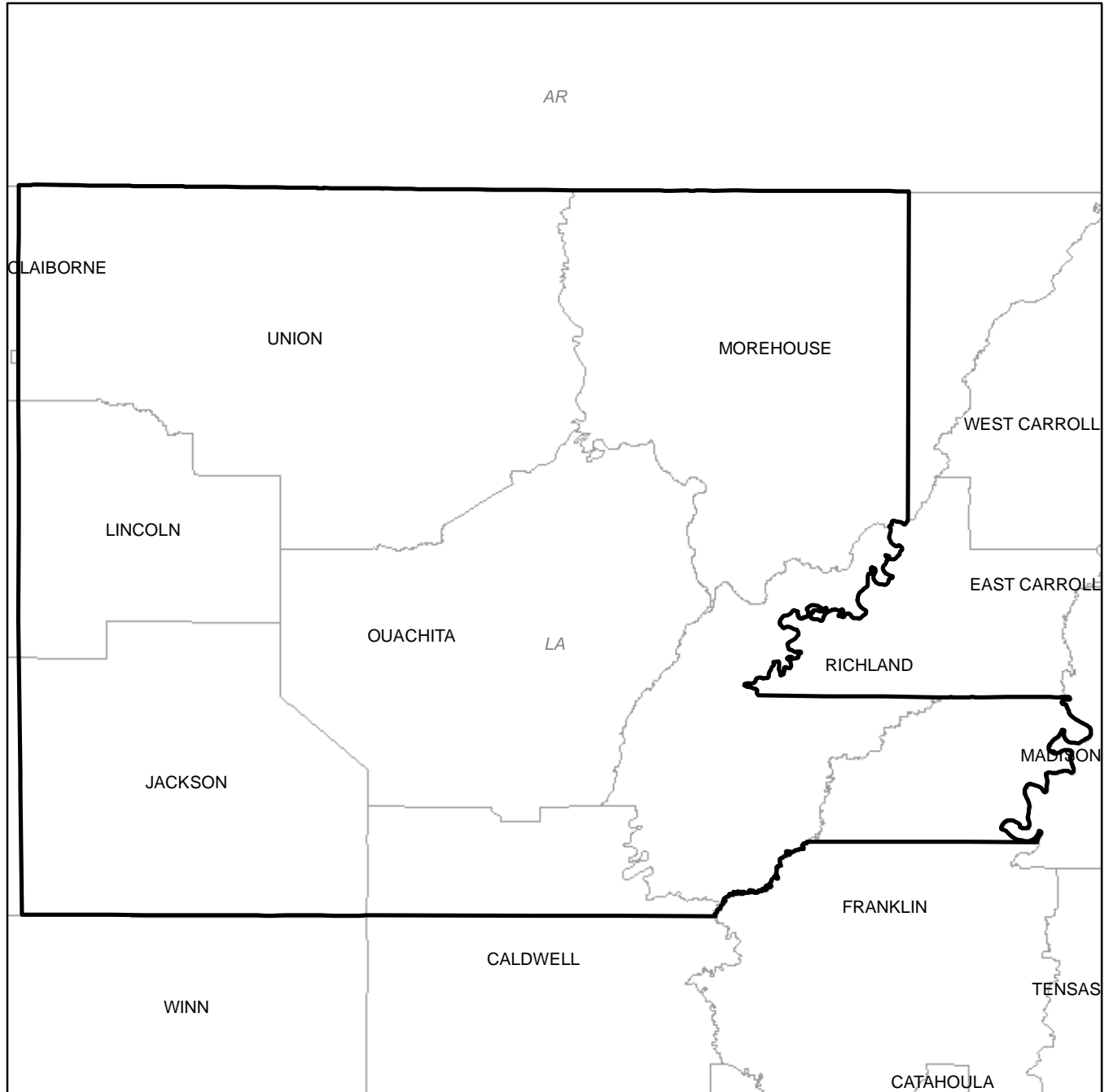
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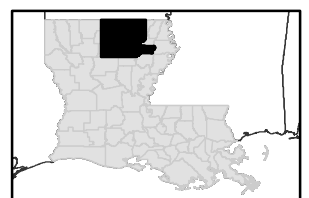
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OUACHITA lost to creation of CARROLL (extinct).

3,651 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1832, 10th Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 100-106)





OUACHITA

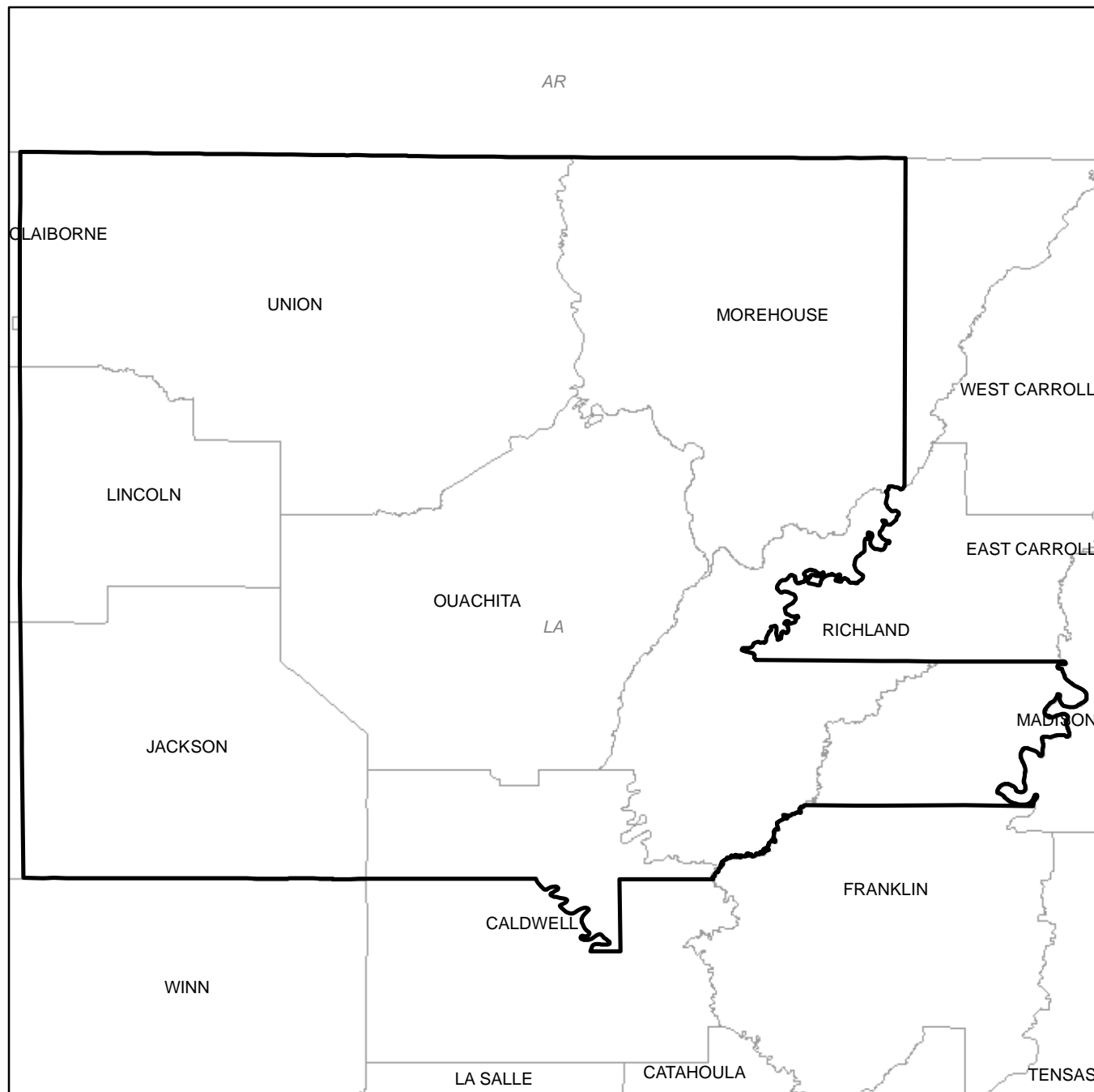
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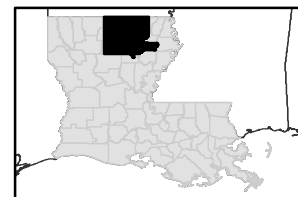
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OUACHITA gained from CATAHOULA.

3,670 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1833, 11th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 122)





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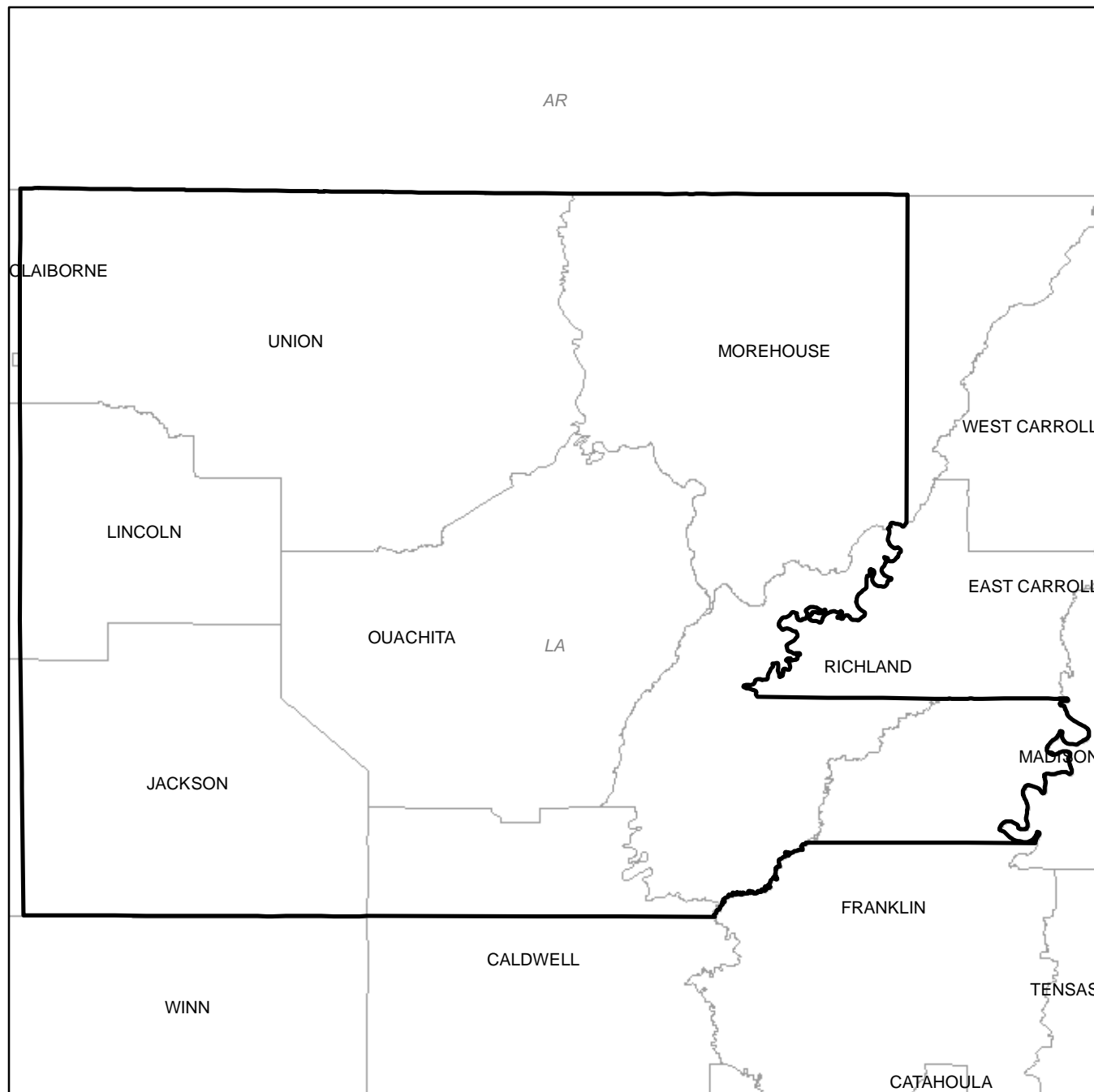
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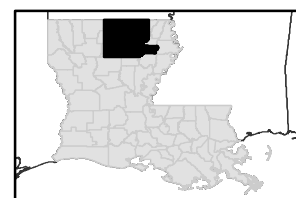
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OUACHITA lost to CATAHOULA.

3,651 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1835, 12 Leg., 1st sess., p. 160)





OUACHITA

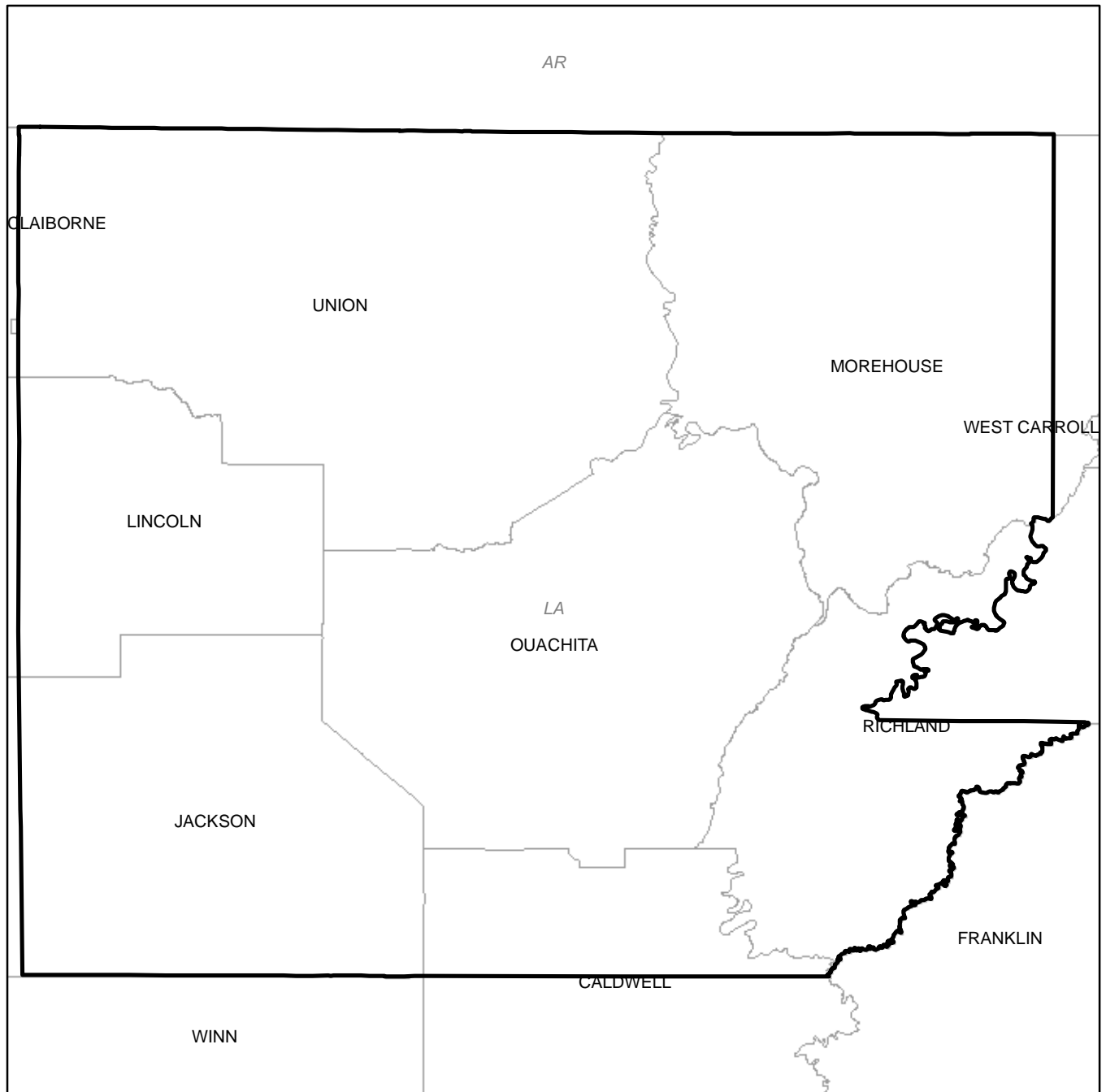
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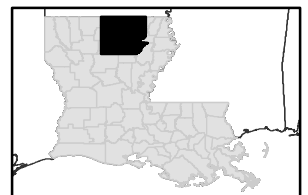
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OUACHITA lost to creation of MADISON.

3,488 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 13-14)





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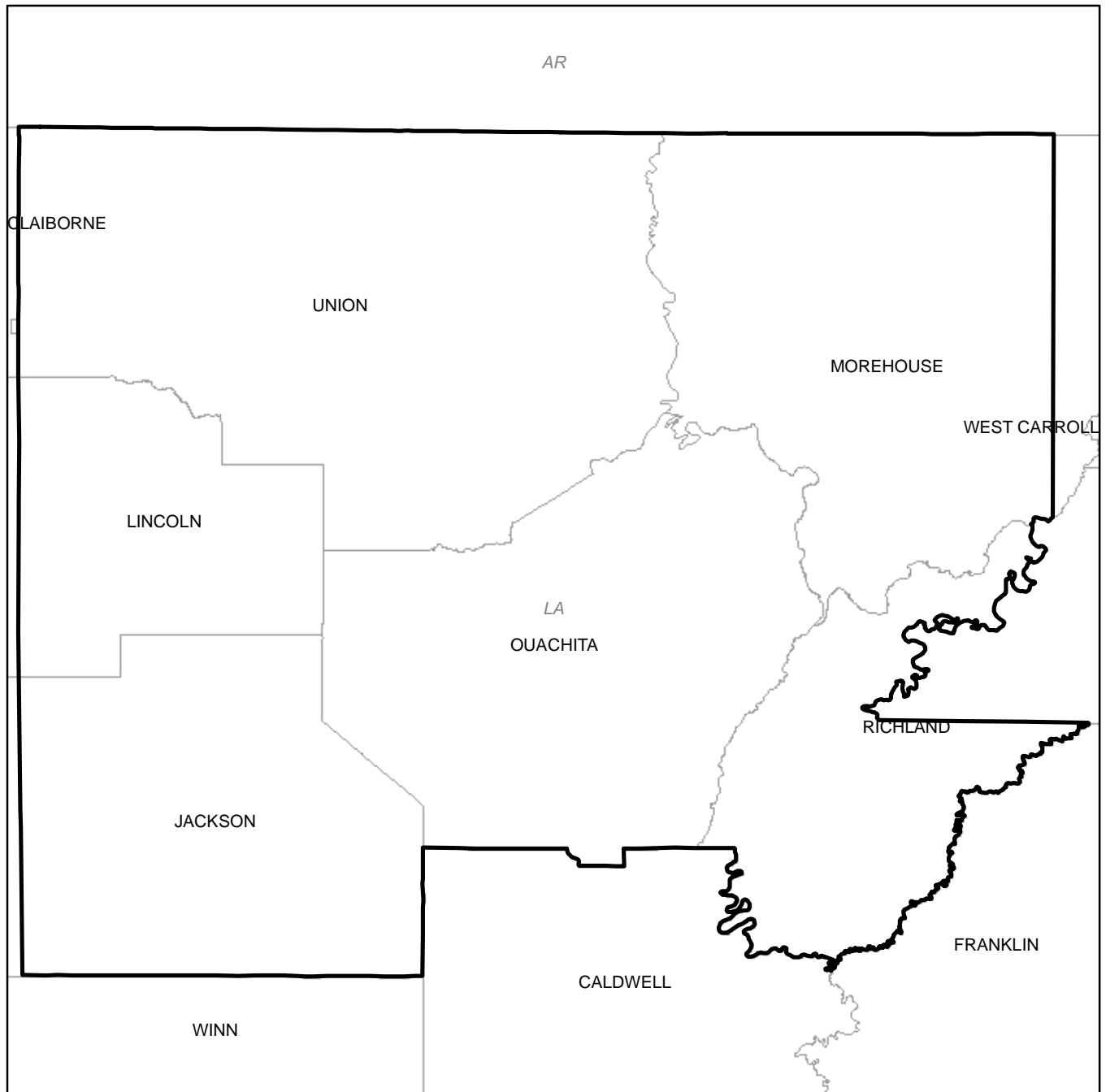
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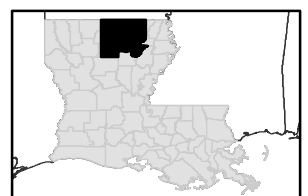
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OUACHITA lost to creation of CALDWELL.

3,314 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 38-41)





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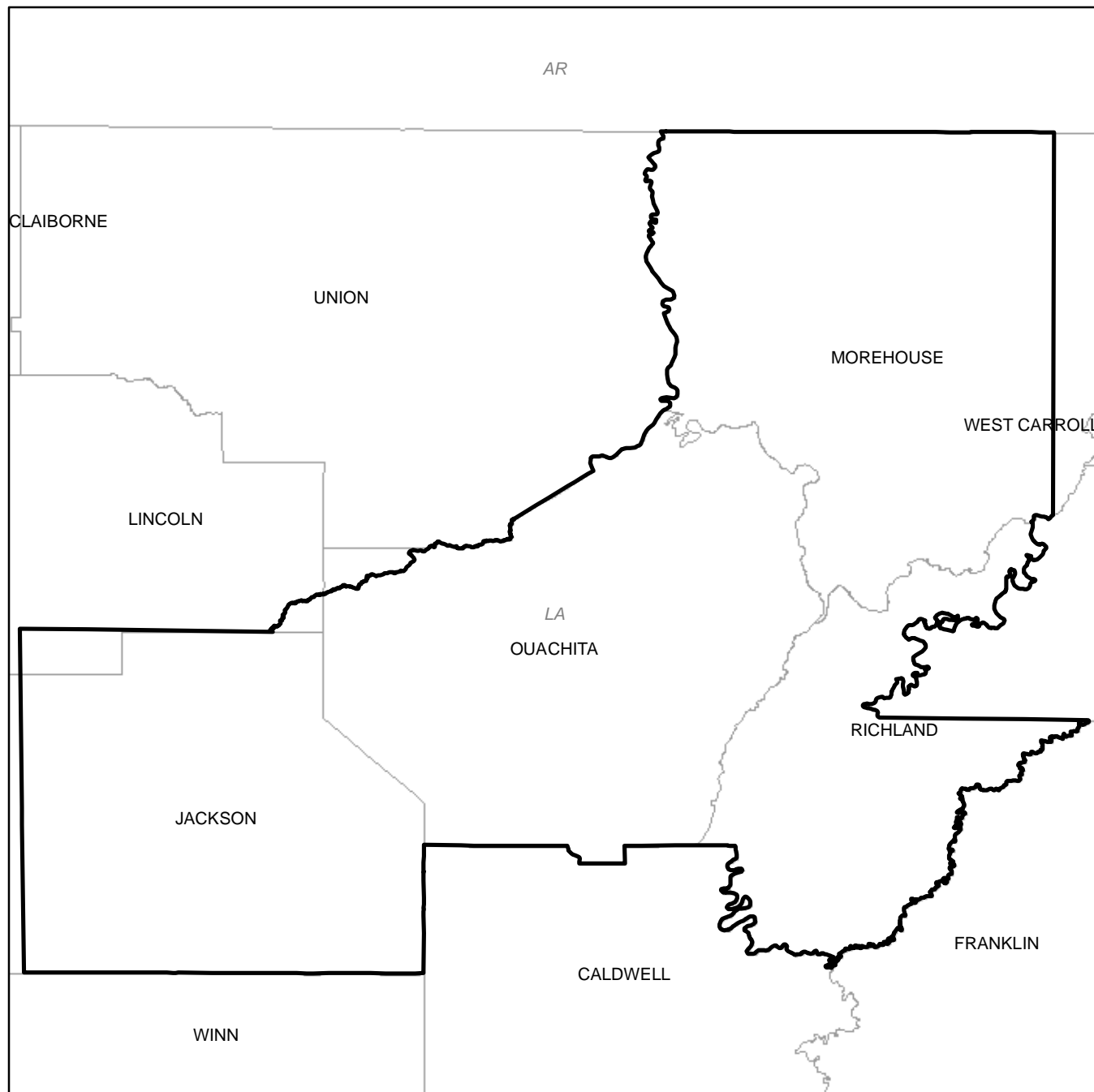
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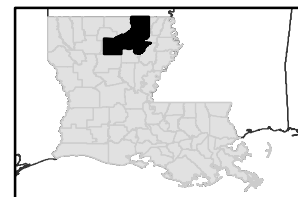
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OUACHITA lost to creation of UNION.

2,120 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1839, 14th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 22-26)





OUACHITA

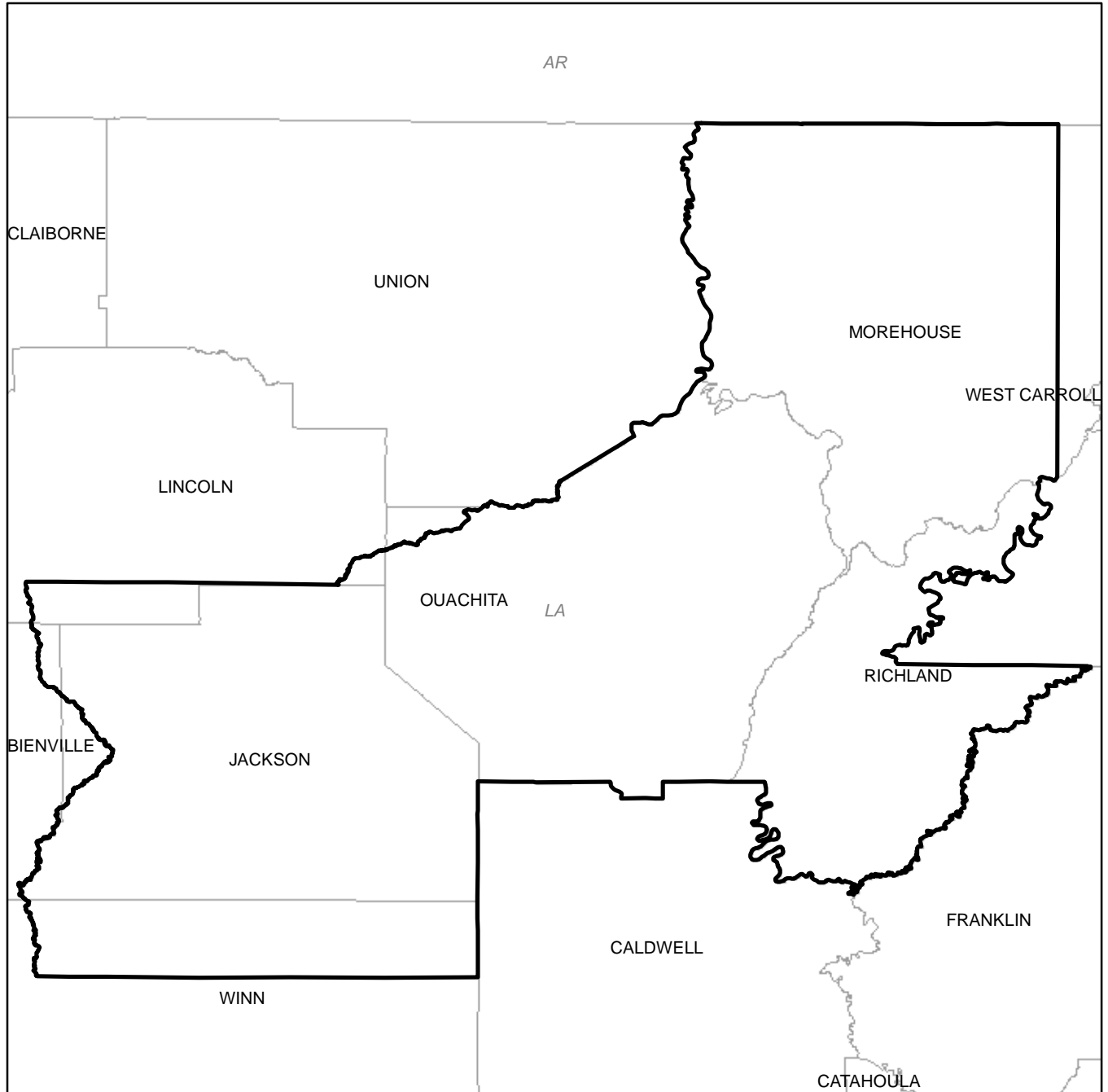
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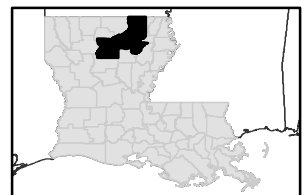
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OUACHITA gained from CATAHOULA, exchanged with CLAIBORNE.

2,374 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 1st sess., p. 10-11)





OUACHITA

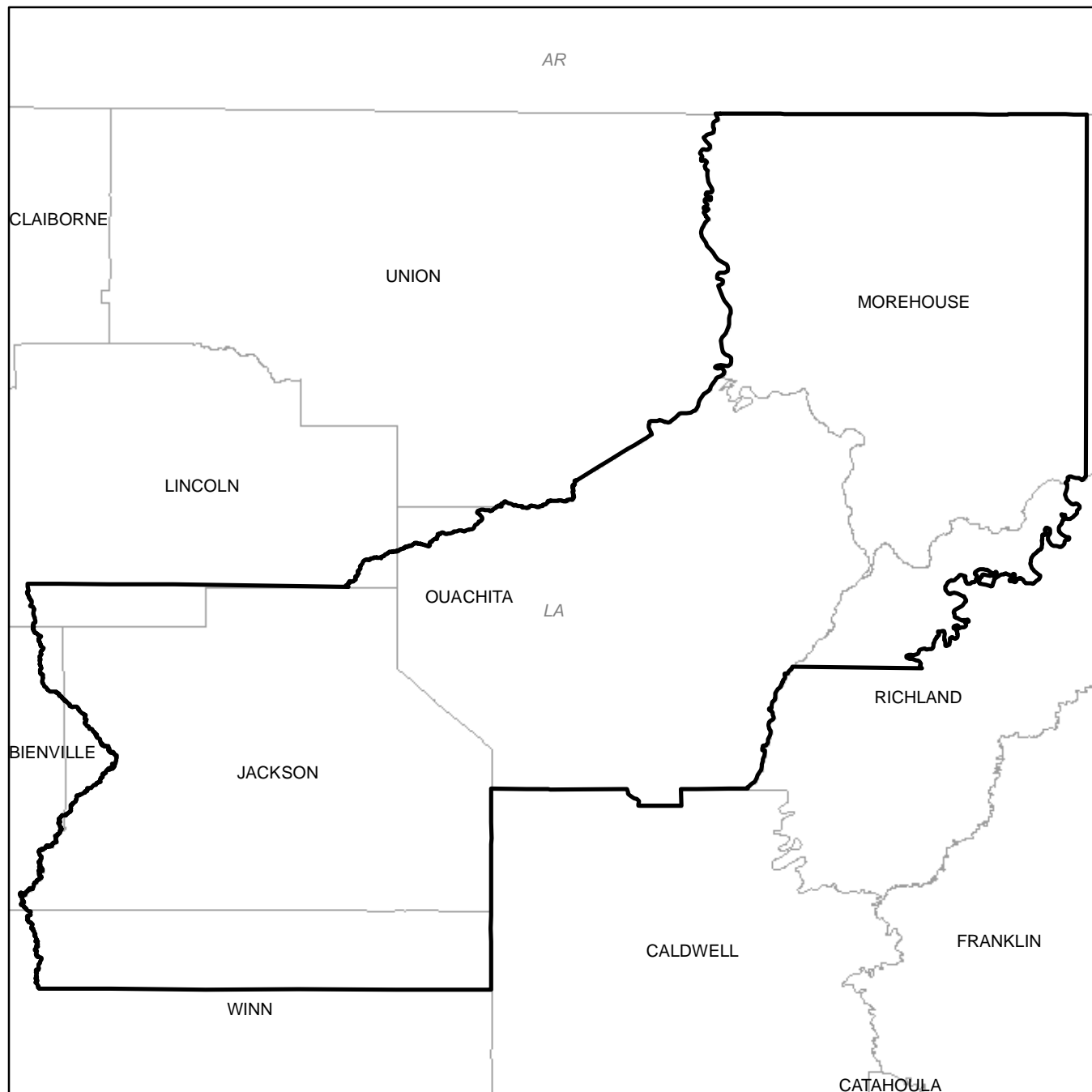
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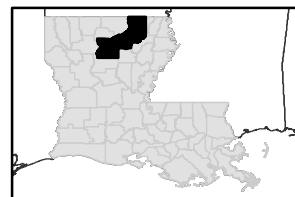
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OUACHITA lost to creation of FRANKLIN.

2,138 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 22-24)





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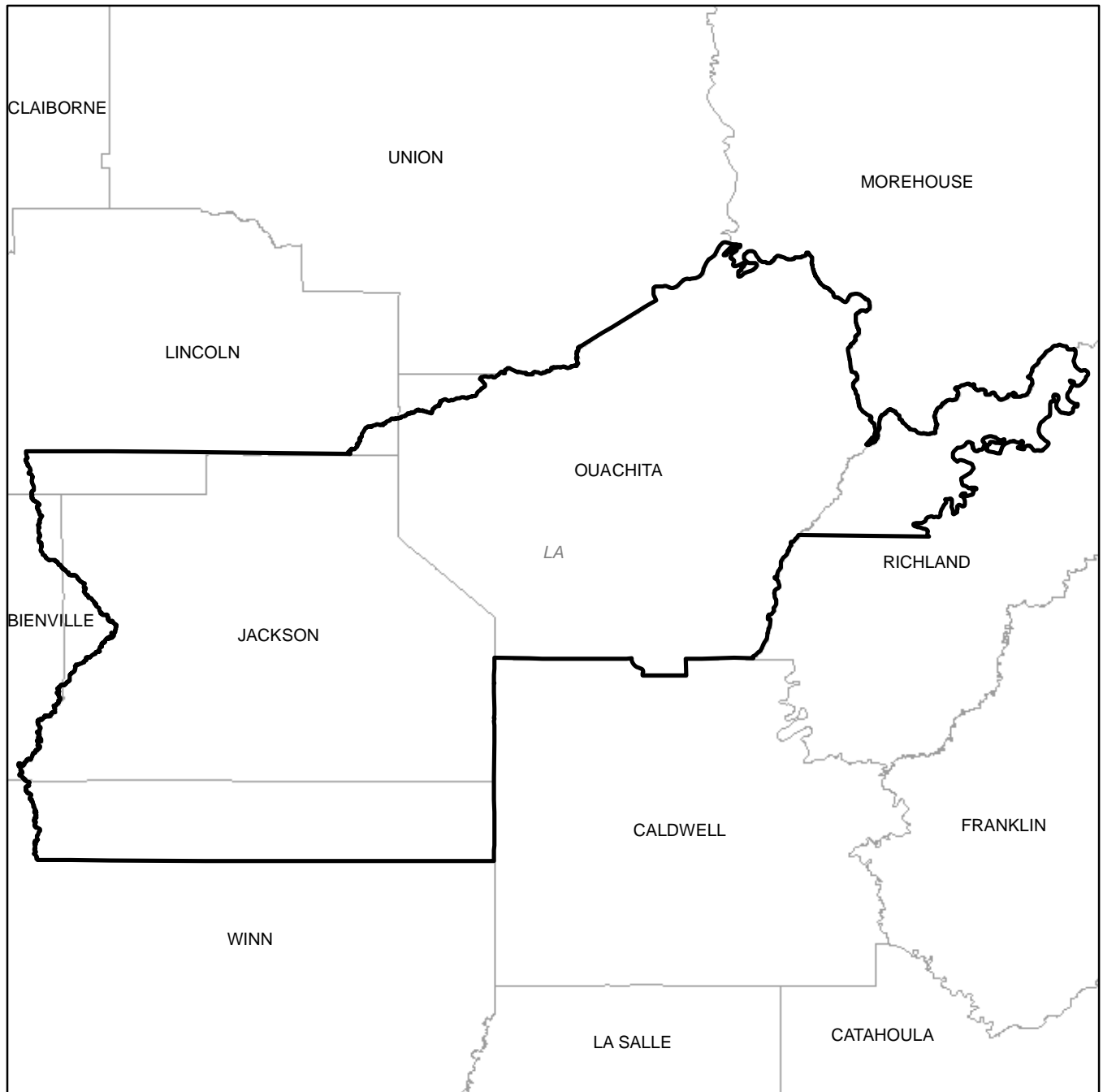
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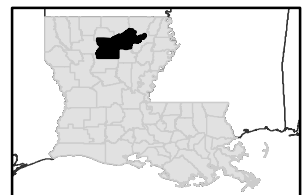
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OUACHITA lost to creation of MOREHOUSE.

1,498 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1844, 16th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 77-79)





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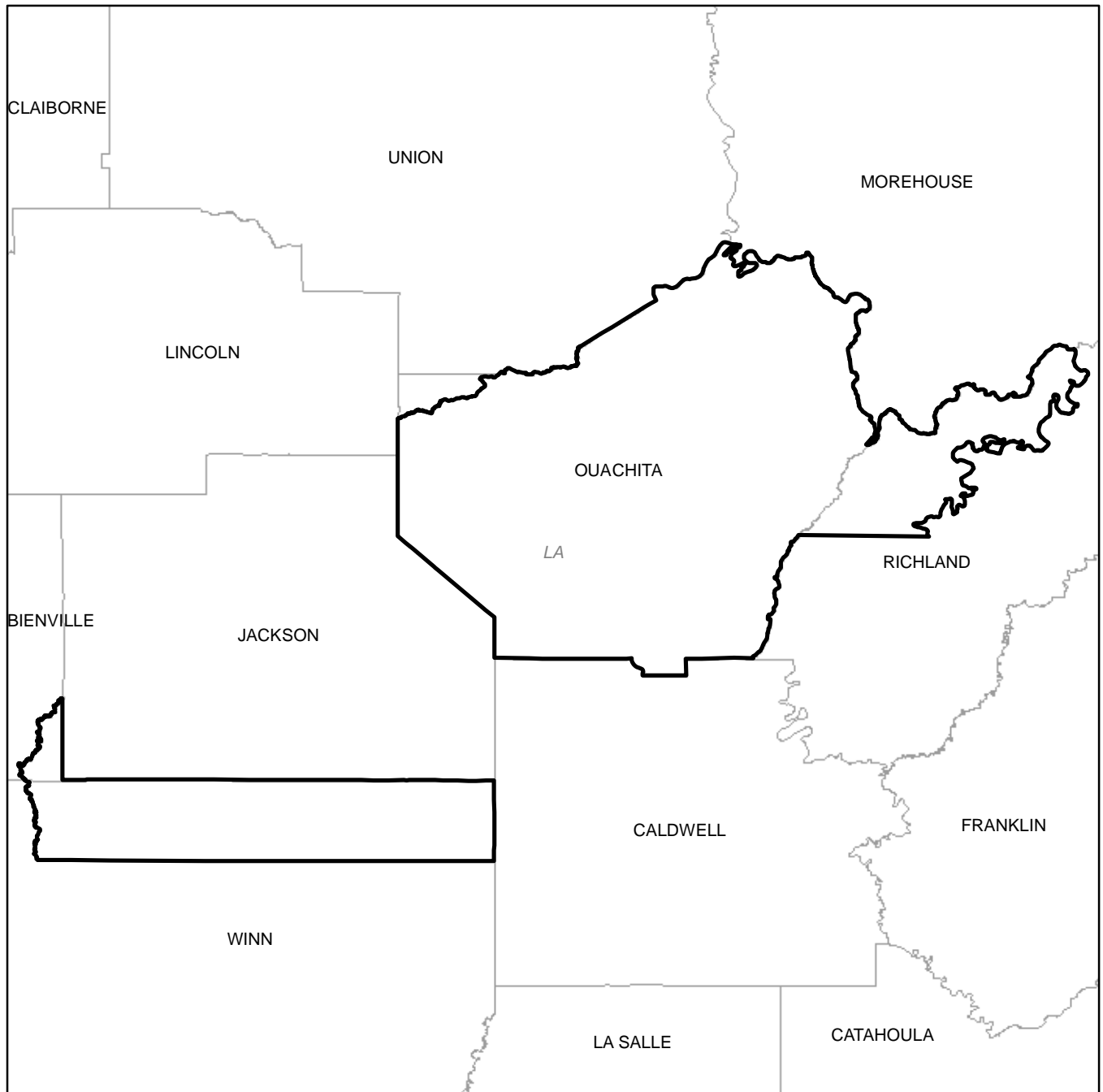
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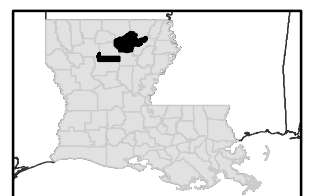
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OUACHITA lost to creation of JACKSON.

895 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1845, 17th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 16-19)





OUACHITA

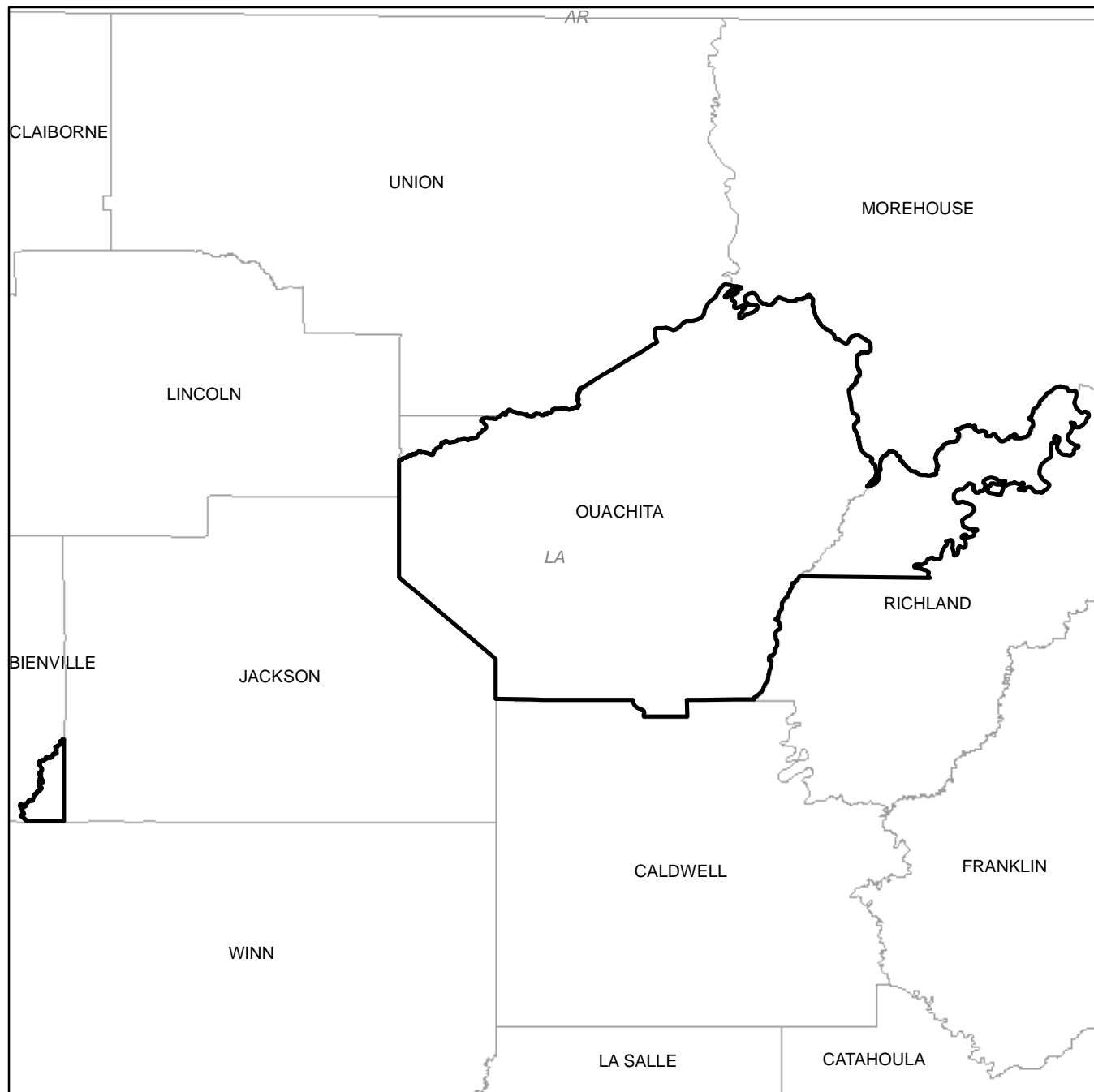
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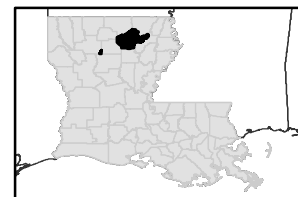
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OUACHITA lost to CATAHOULA.

722 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1845, 17th Leg., 1st sess., p. 68)





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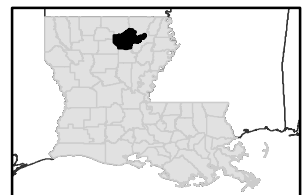
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725 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1846, 1st Leg., 1st sess., pp. 159-160)





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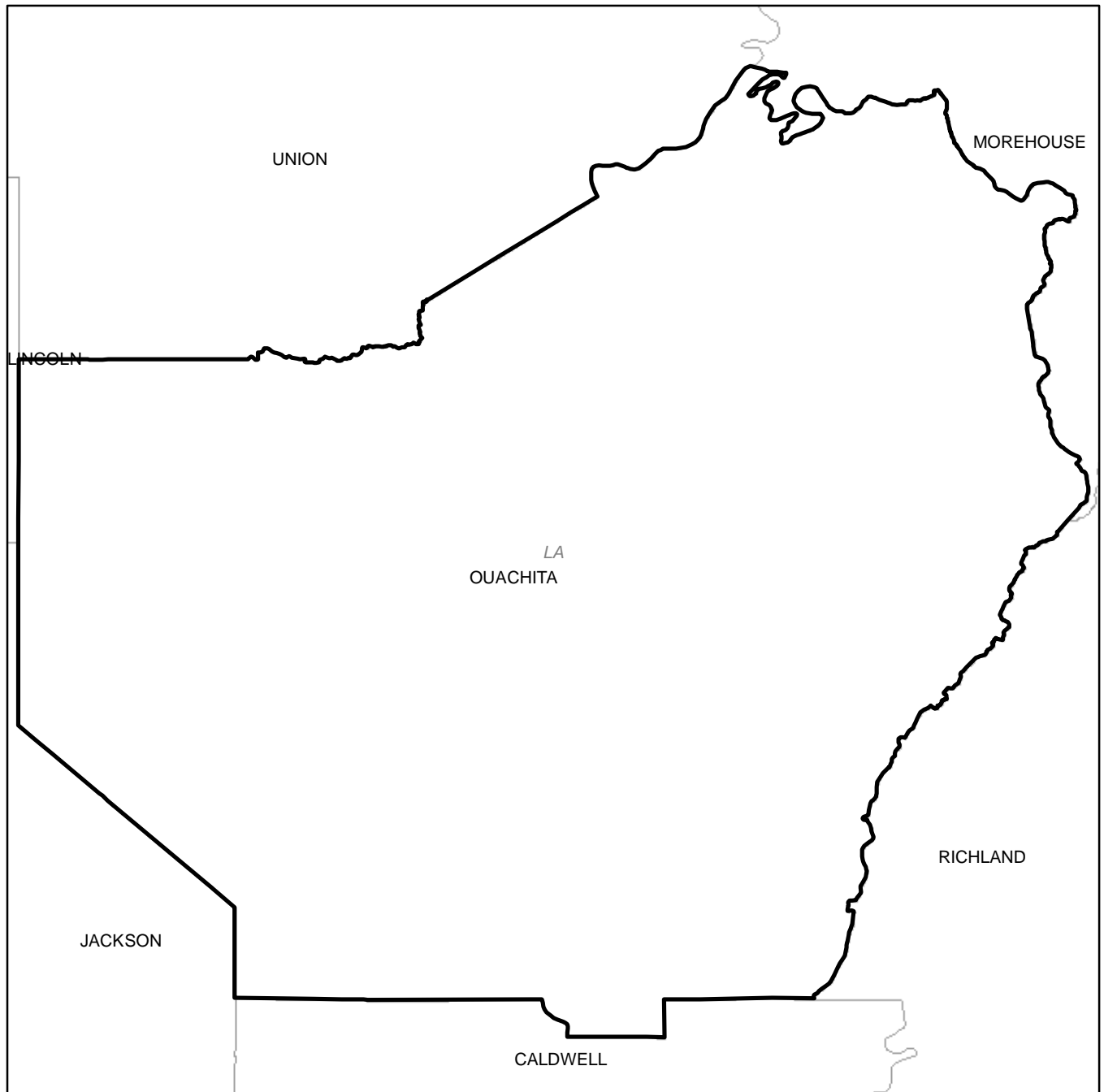
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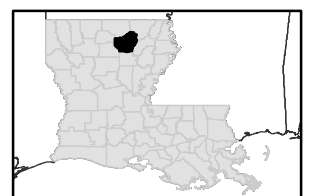
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OUACHITA lost to MOREHOUSE.

633 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., p. 91)





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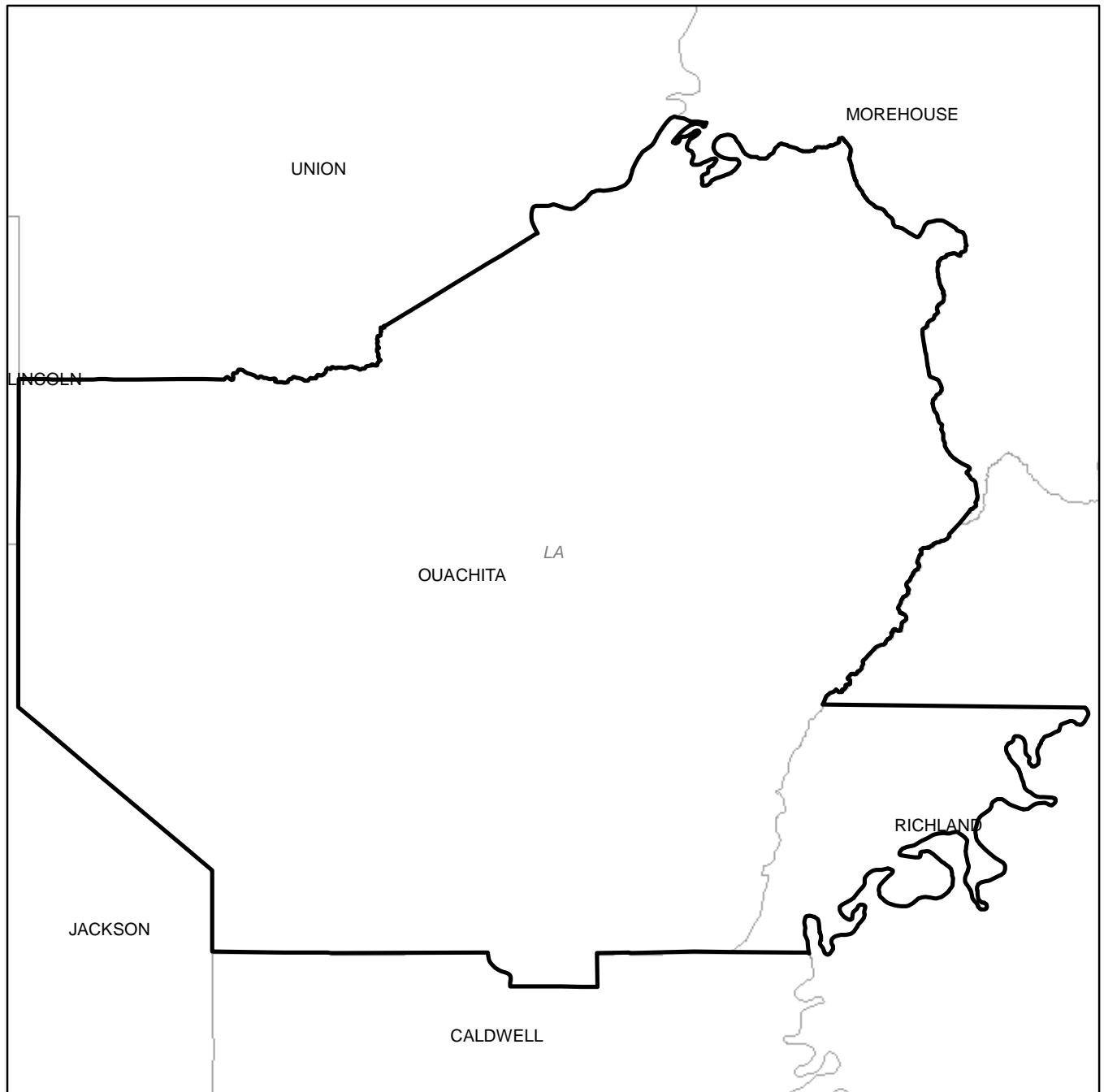
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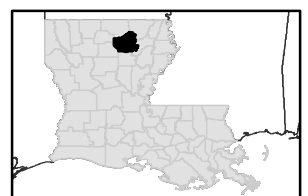
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OUACHITA gained from FRANKLIN.

686 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1848, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., p. 8)





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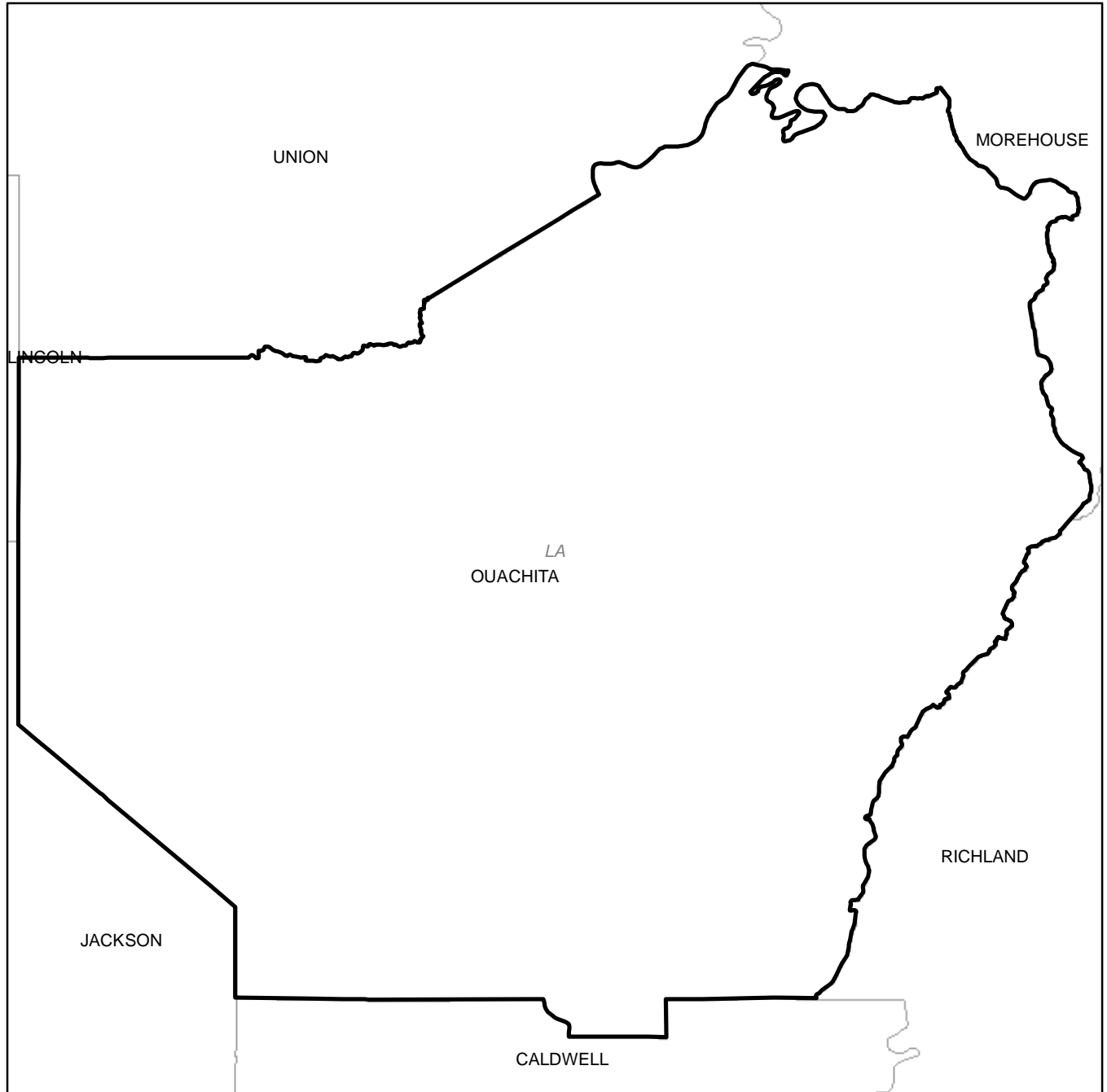
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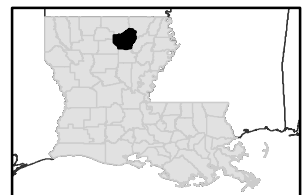
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OUACHITA lost to creation of RICHLAND.

633 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1868, 1st Leg., 1st sess., p. 151)





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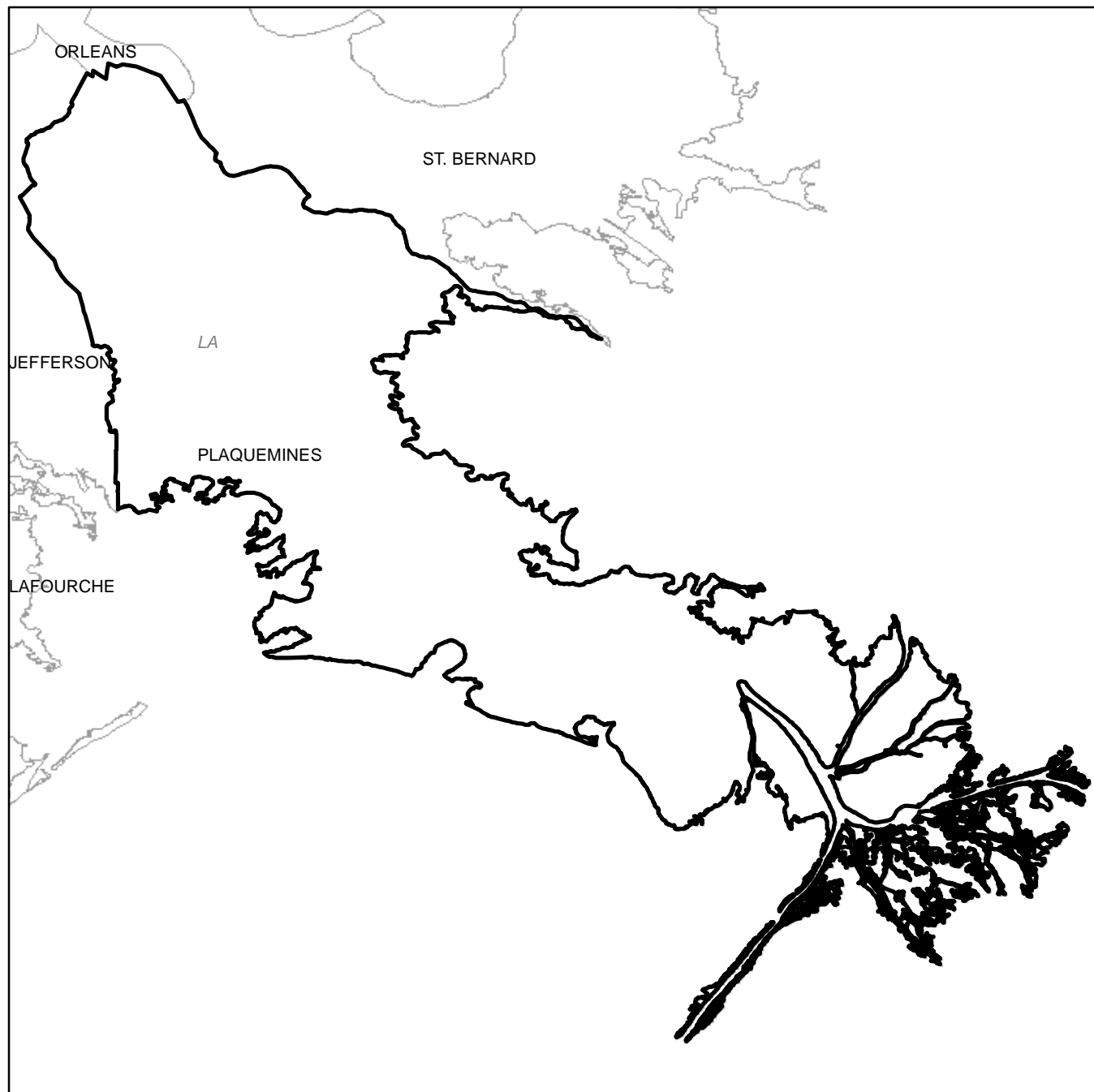
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PLAQUEMINES Parish created within Orleans County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)

1,040 sq. mi.





POINTE COUPEE

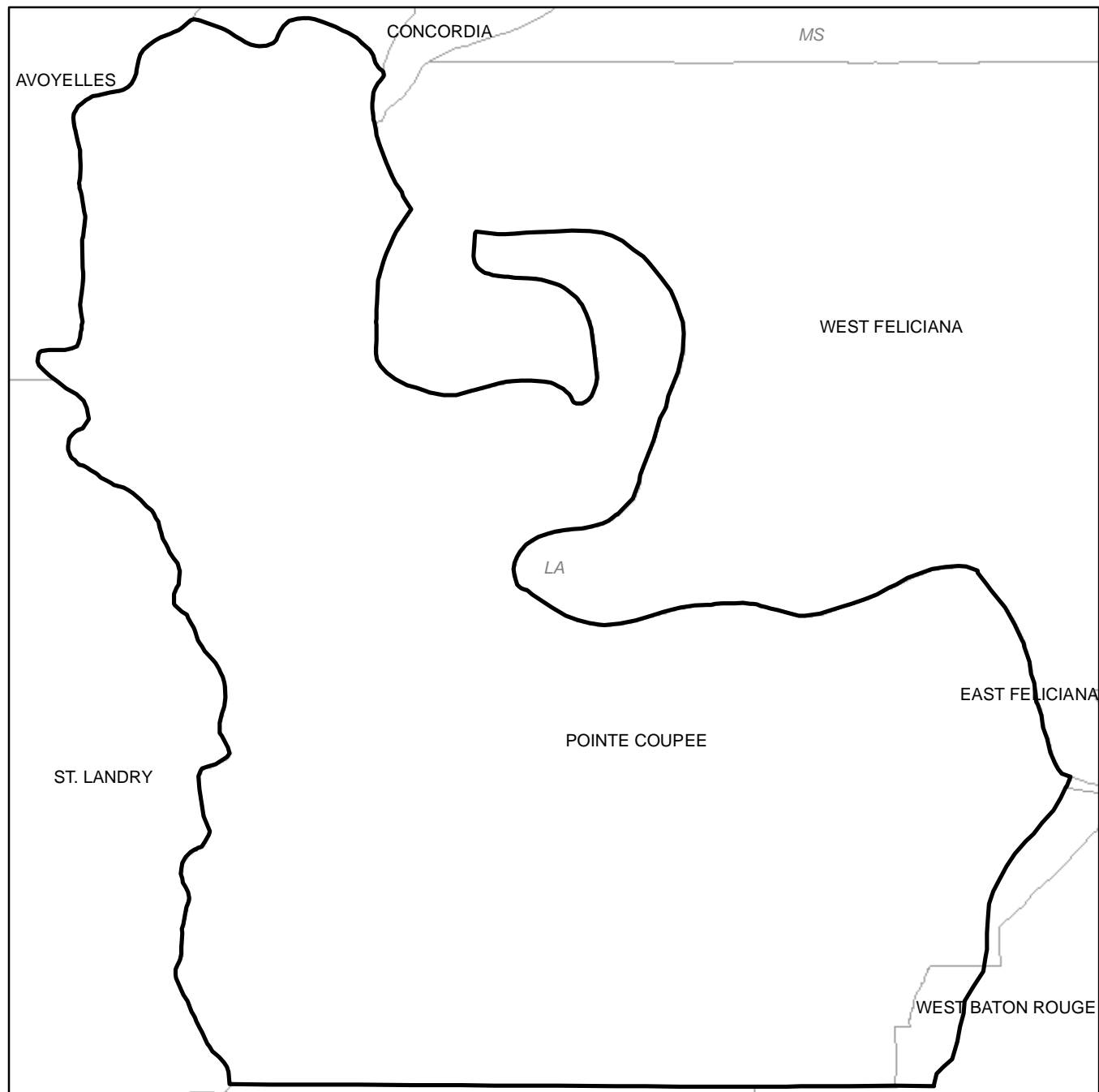
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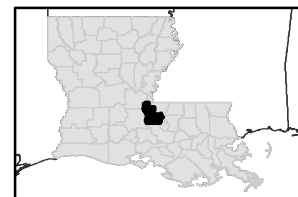
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POINTE COUPEE Parish created within Pointe Coupee County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. Counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

573 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





POINTE COUPEE

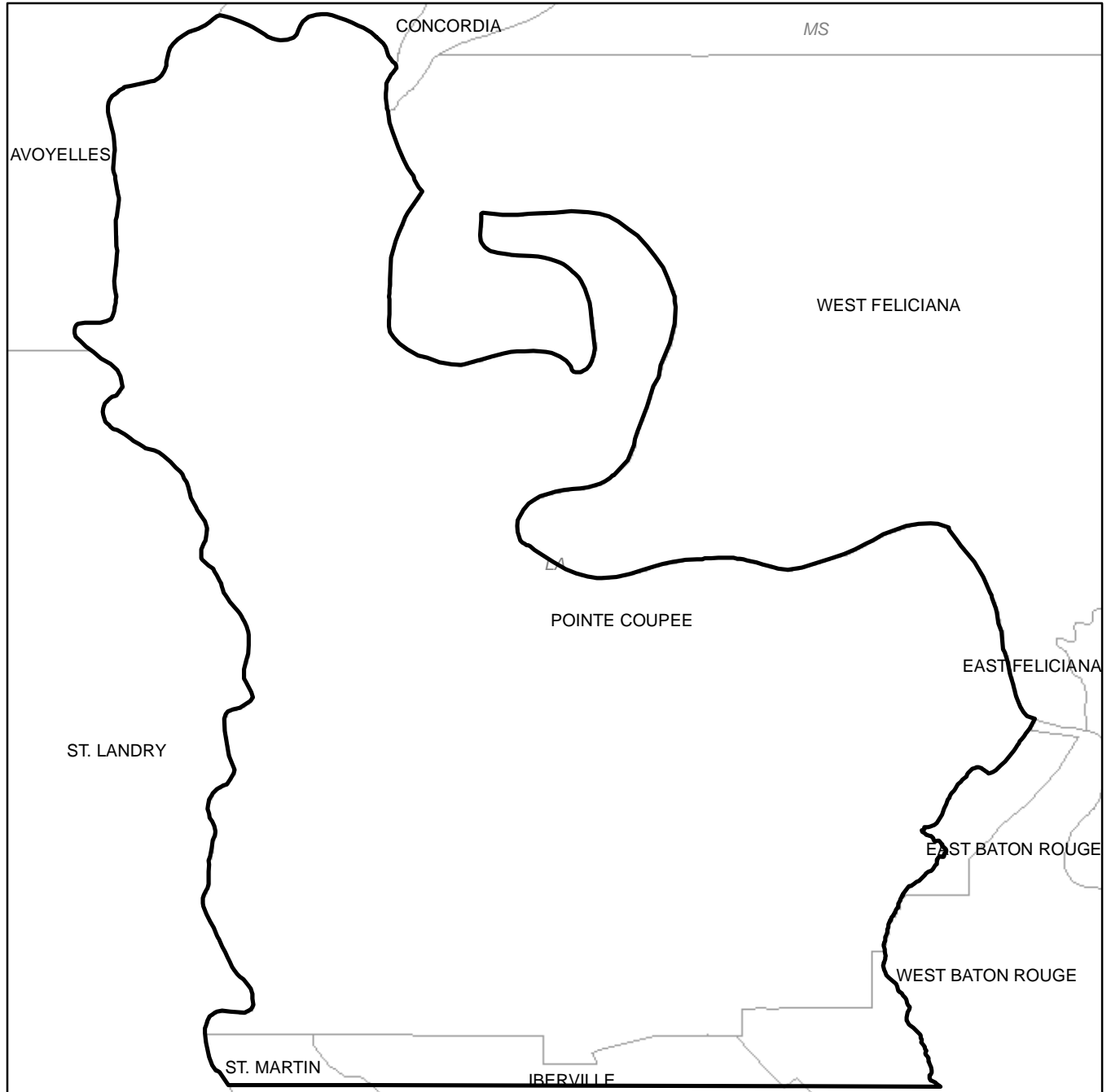
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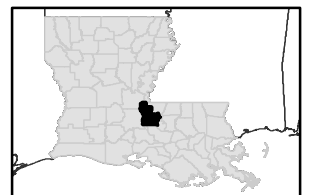
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POINTE COUPEE exchanged with WEST BATON ROUGE.

624 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1825, 7th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 82-86)





POINTE COUPEE

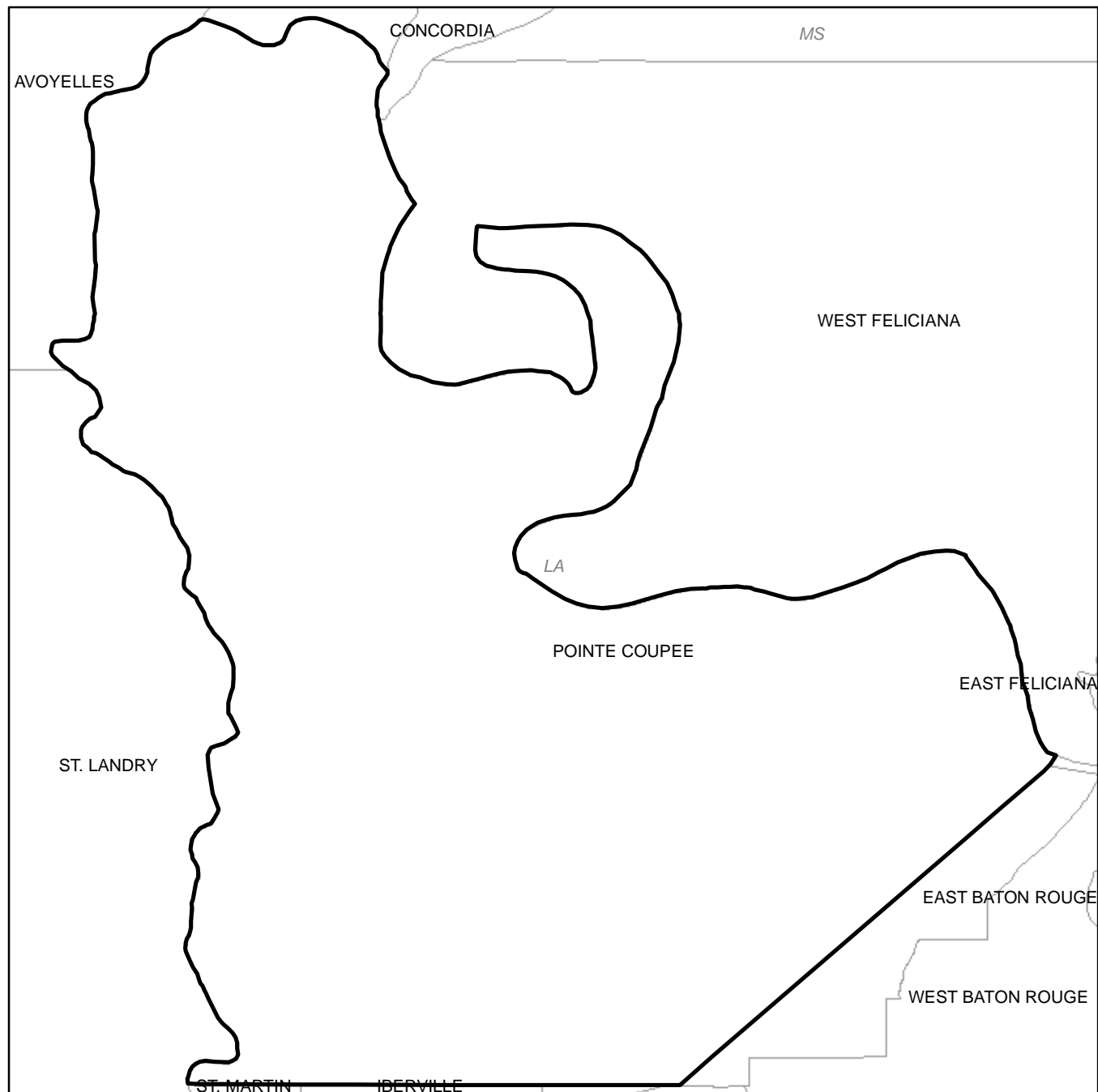
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POINTE COUPEE exchanged with WEST BATON ROUGE, lost to IBERVILLE.

559 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1835, 12 Leg., 1st sess., pp. 22-23)





POINTE COUPEE

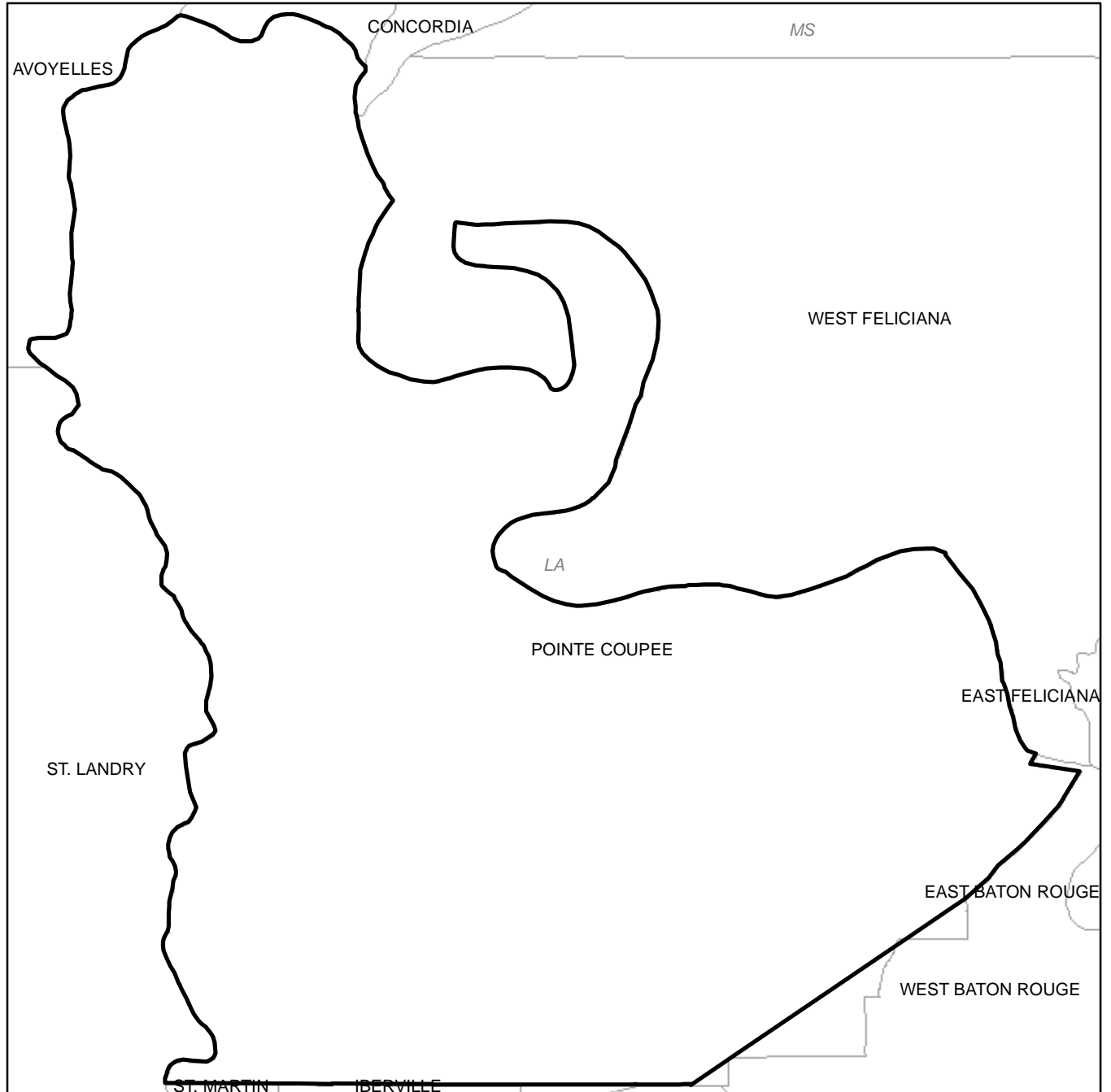
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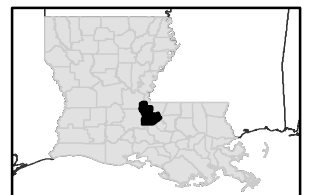
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POINTE COUPEE gained from WEST BATON ROUGE.

581 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 21-22)





POINTE COUPEE

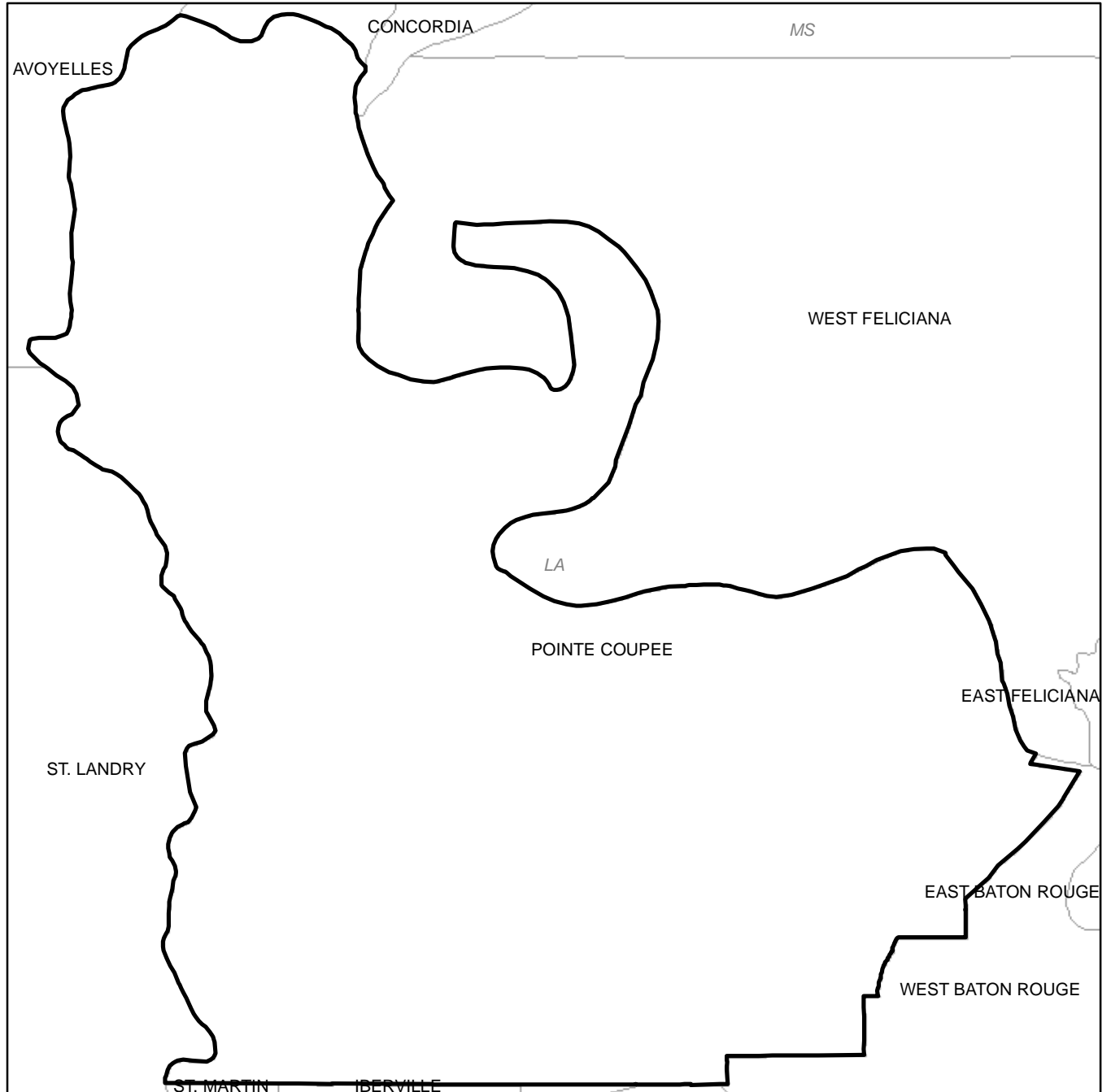
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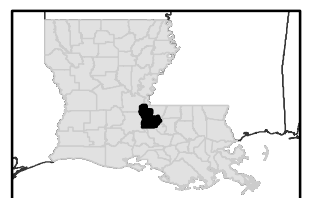
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POINTE COUPEE exchanged with WEST BATON ROUGE.

589 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 143-144)





POINTE COUPEE

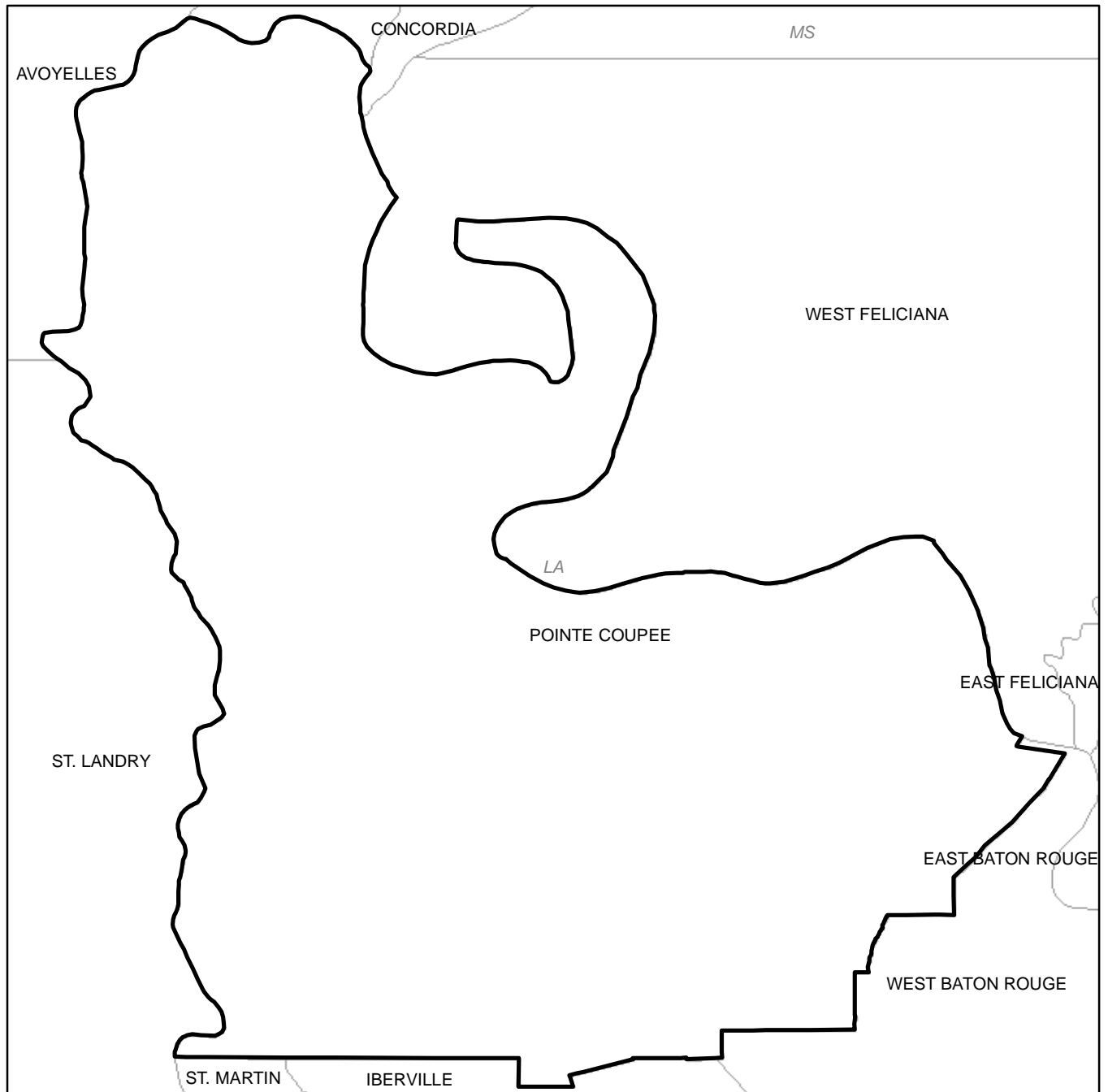
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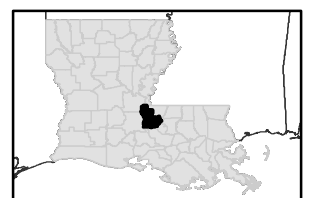
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POINTE COUPEE gained from IBERVILLE.

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(La. Acts 1859, 4th Leg. 2nd sess., pp. 16-17)





POINTE COUPEE

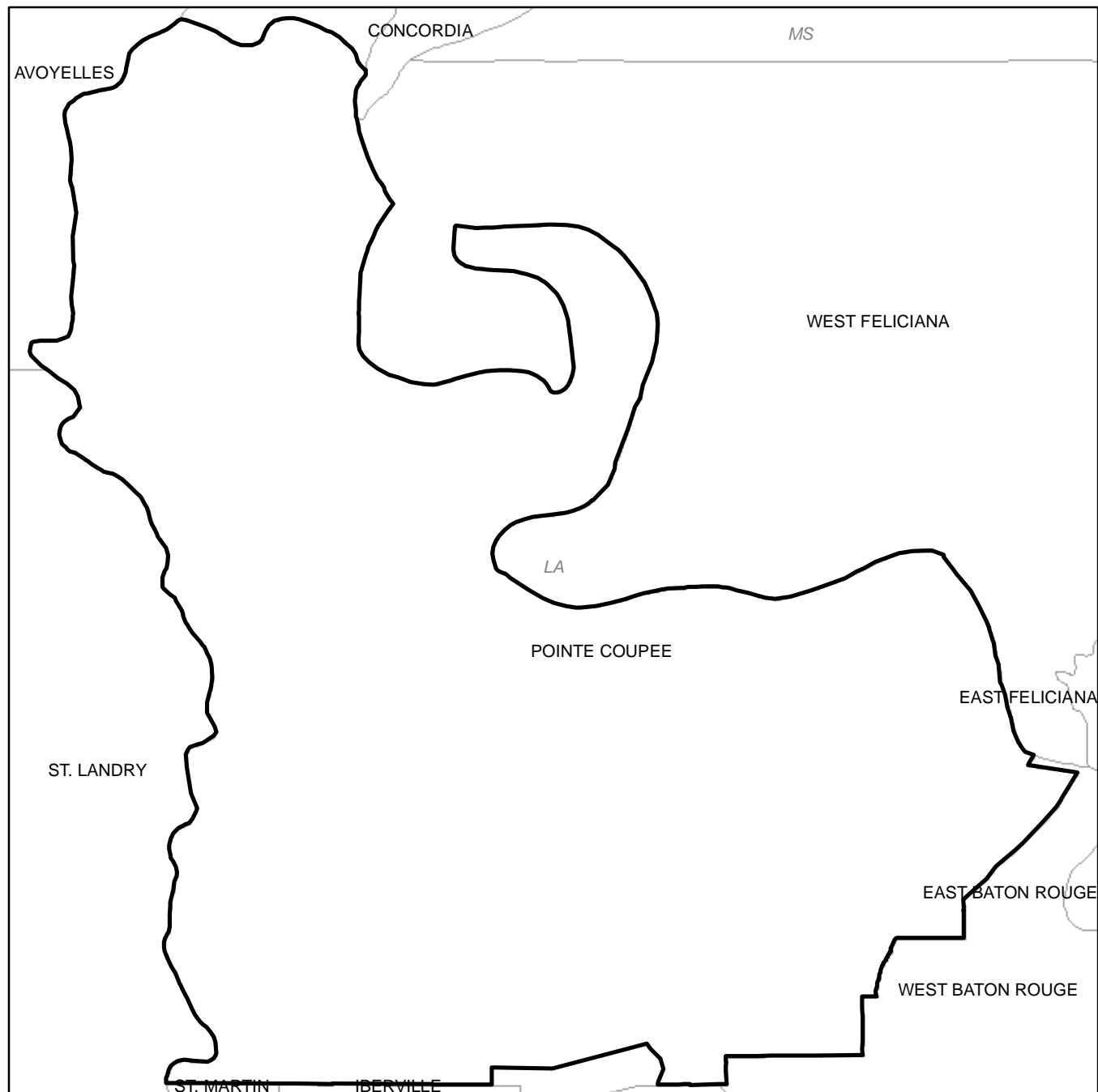
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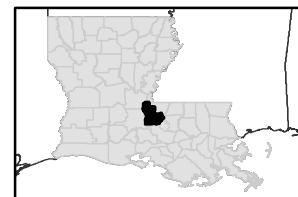
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POINTE COUPEE lost to IBERVILLE when boundary was adjusted to run along the upper line of the Barrow plantation.

585 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1859, 4th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 59; Lemmon, Magill and Wiese, p. 202)





POINTE COUPEE

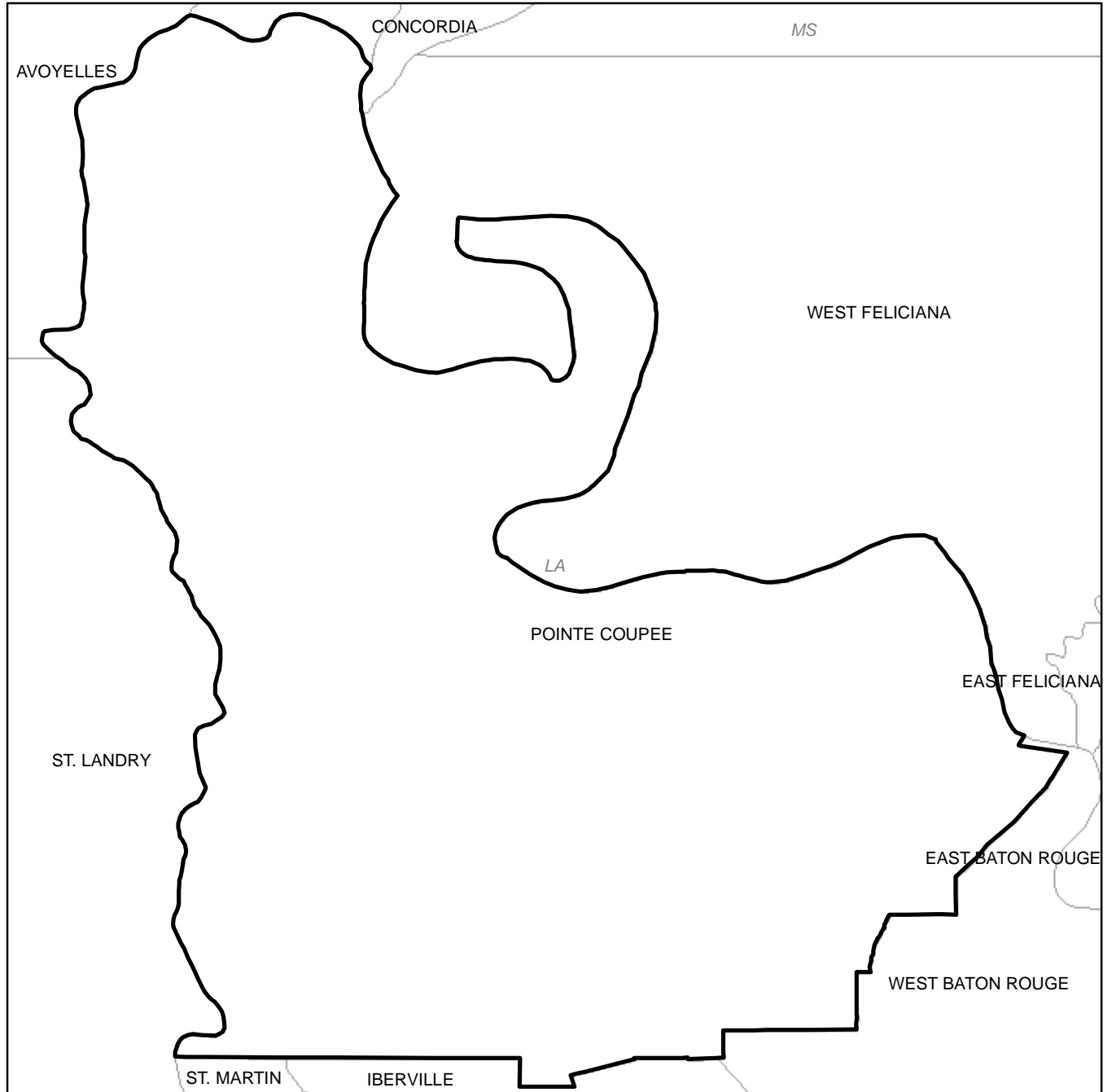
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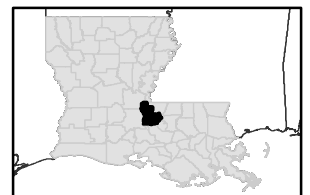
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POINTE COUPEE gained from IBERVILLE when law of 14 March 1859 was repealed and the Barrow plantation was declared to be within POINTE COUPEE.

591 sq. mi.

(La. Laws 1861, 5th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 19)





RAPIDES

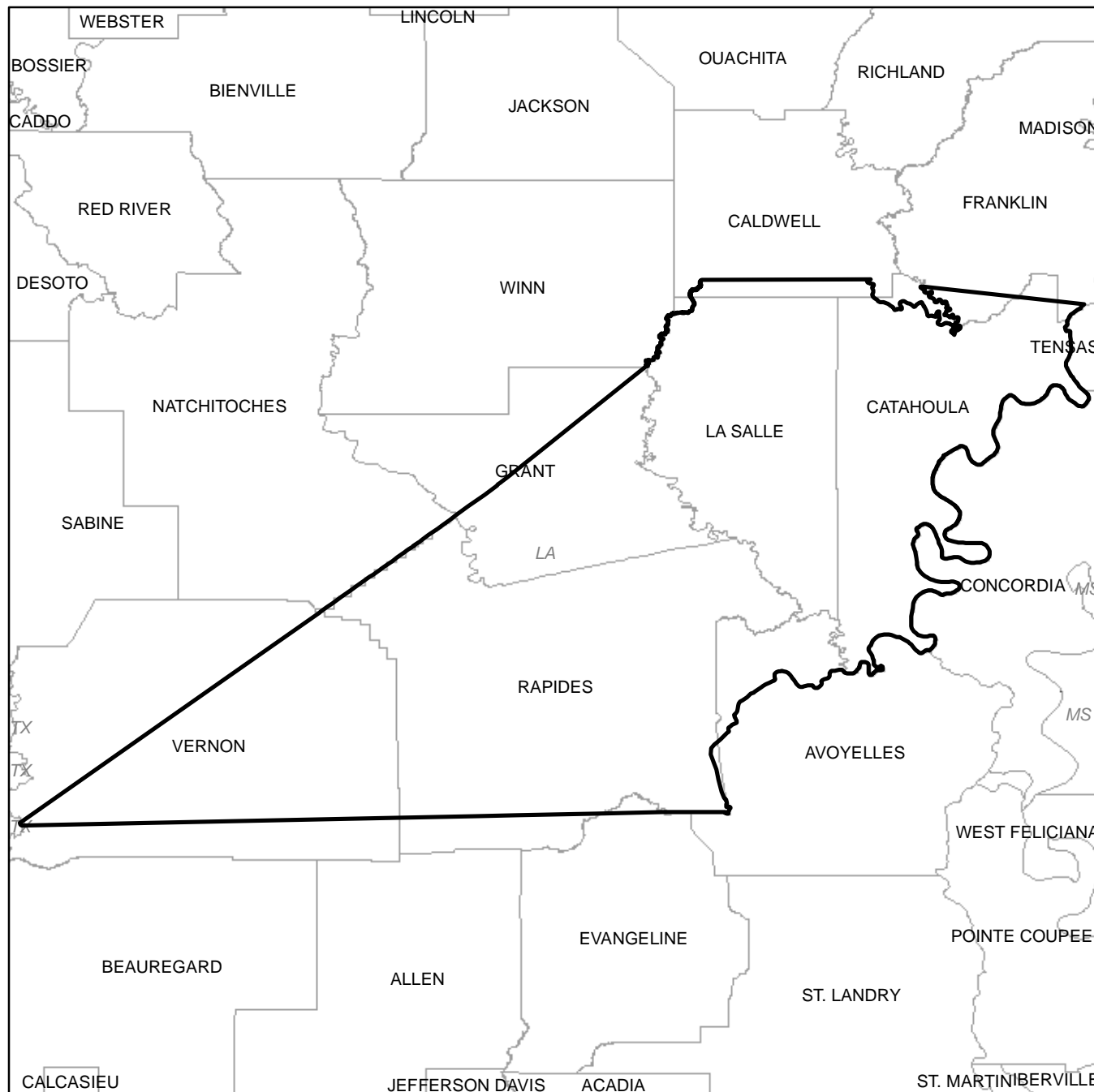
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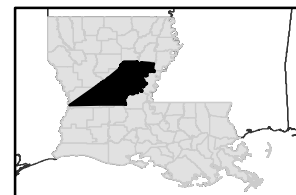
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RAPIDES Parish created within Rapides County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

3,889 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





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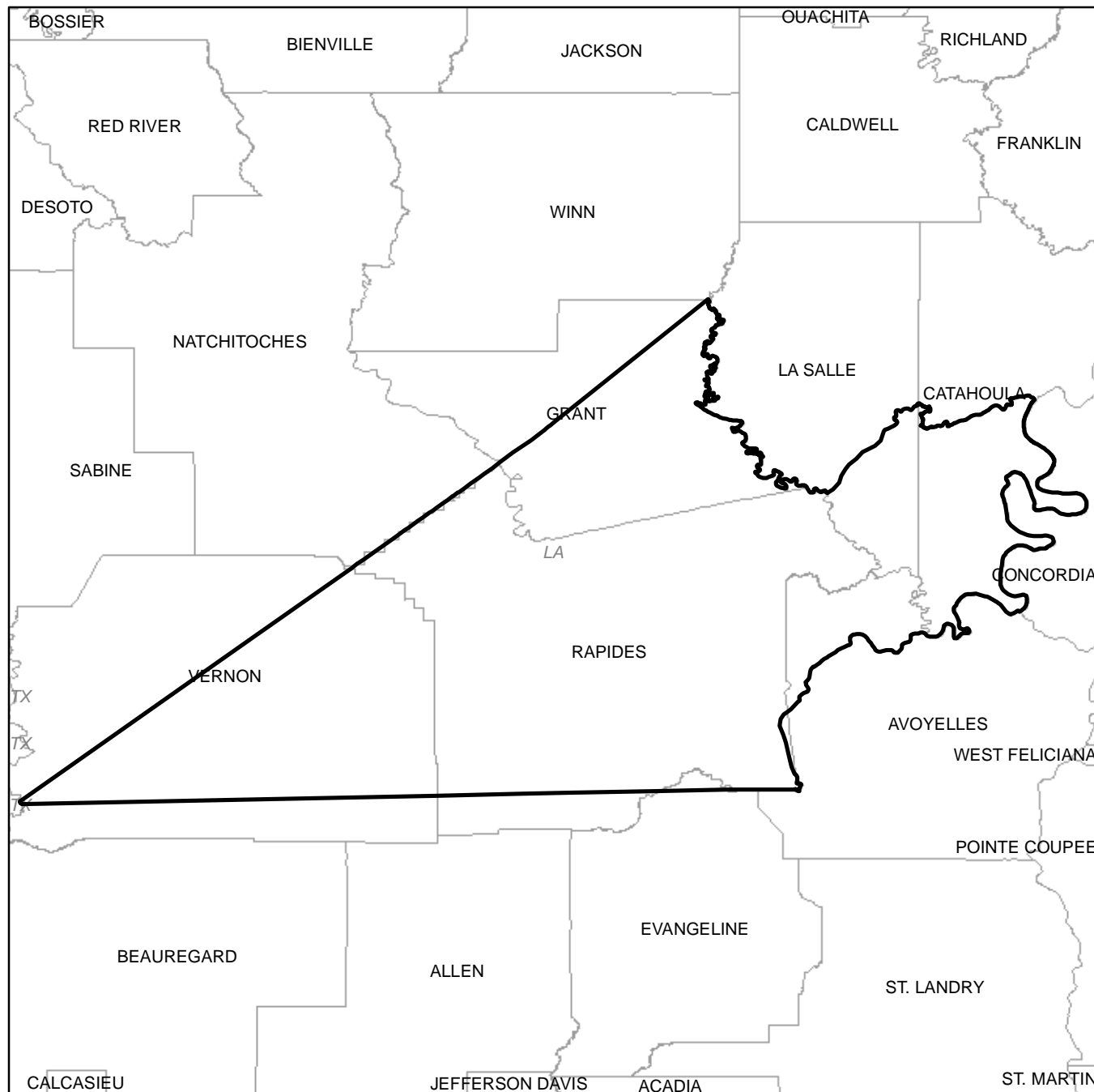
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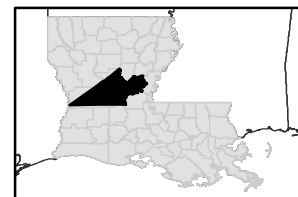
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RAPIDES lost to creation of CATAHOULA.

2,822 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1808, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., ch. 10/p. 30)





RAPIDES

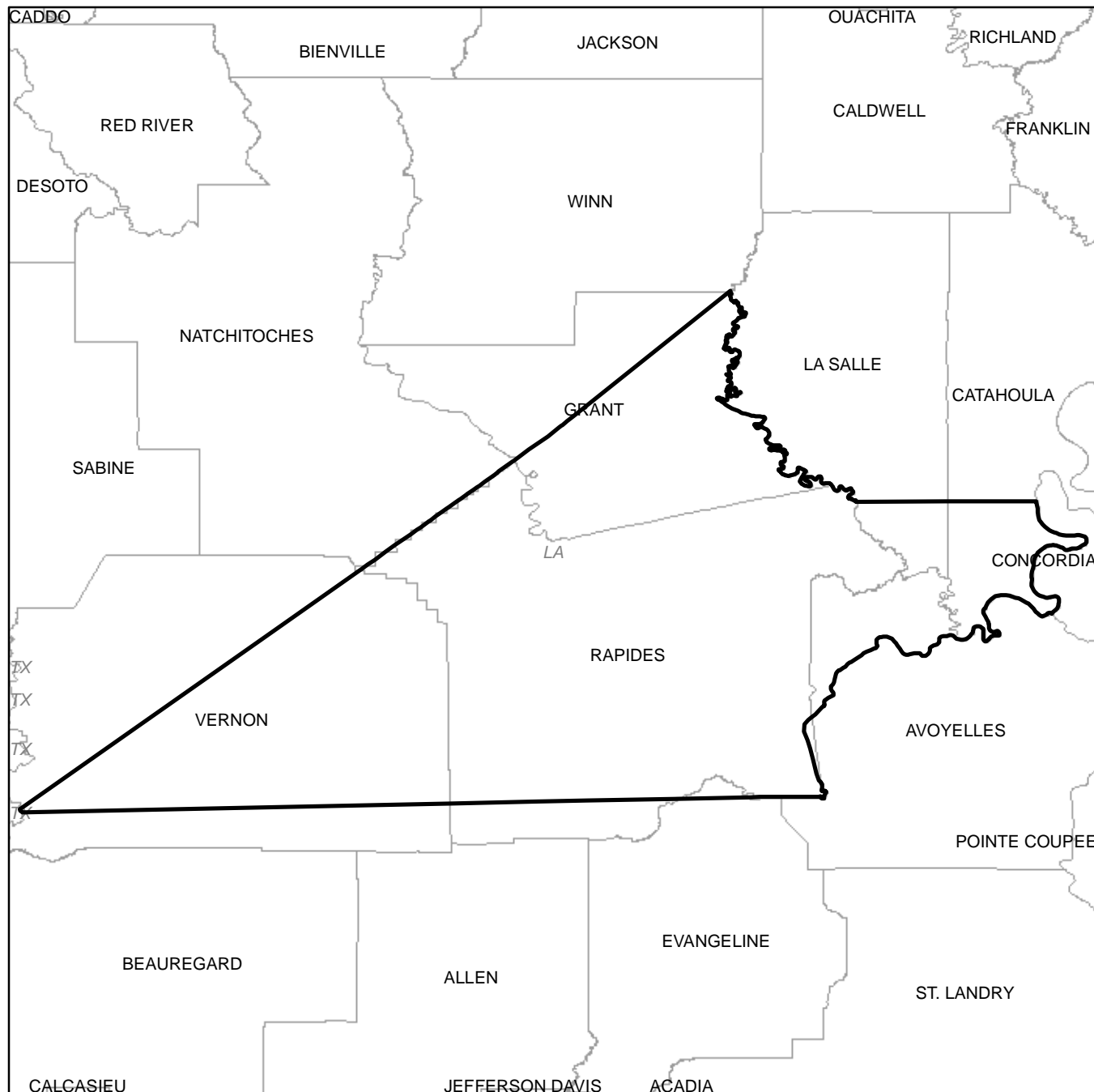
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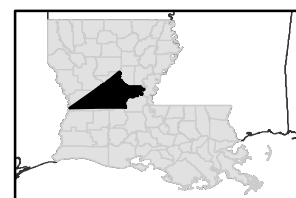
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RAPIDES lost to CATAHOULA.

2,631 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1812-1813, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp.138-140)





RAPIDES

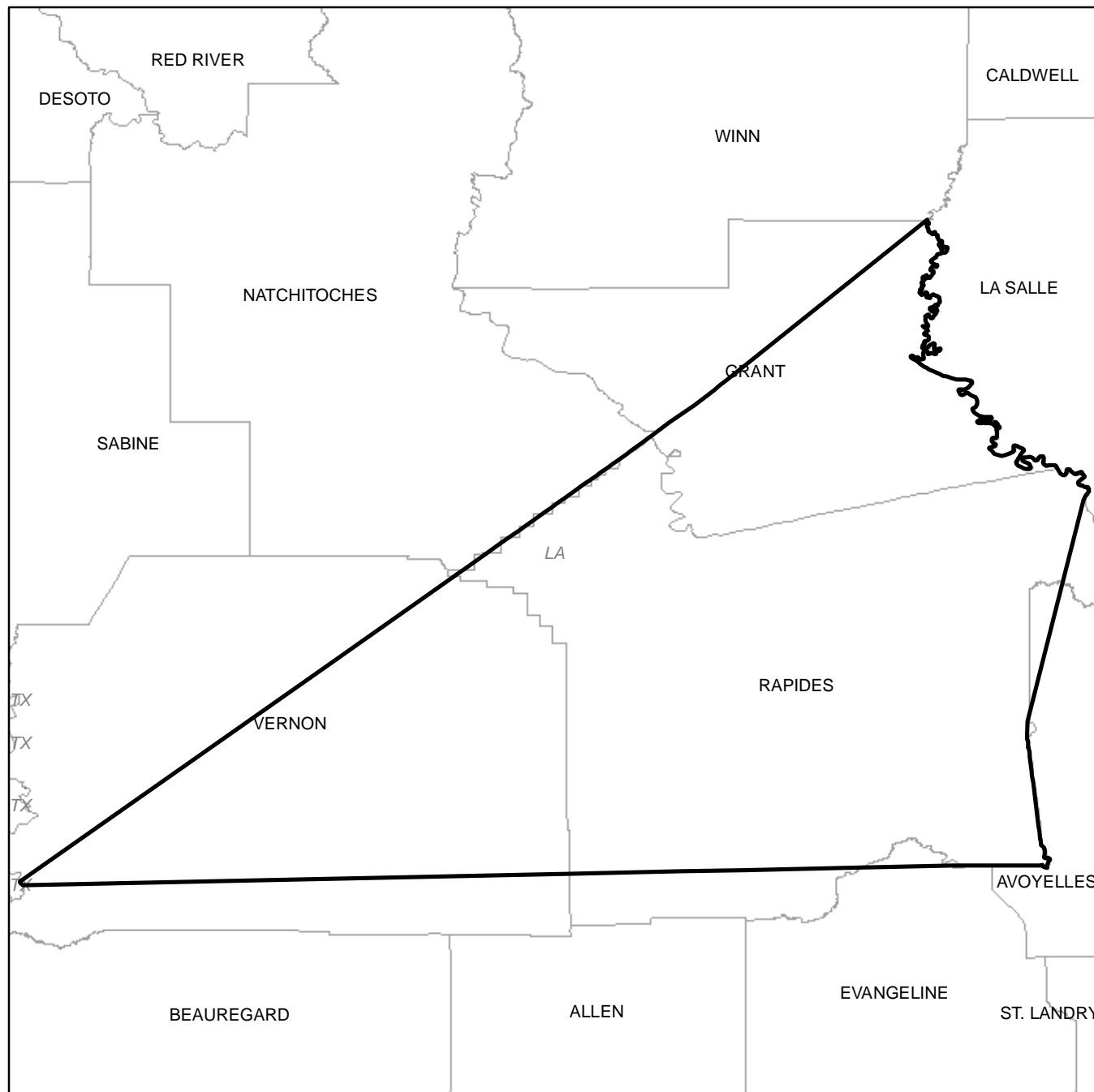
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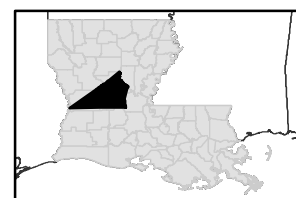
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RAPIDE exchanged with AVOYELLES.

2,314 sq. mi.

(La. Act. 1818, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., p. 10)





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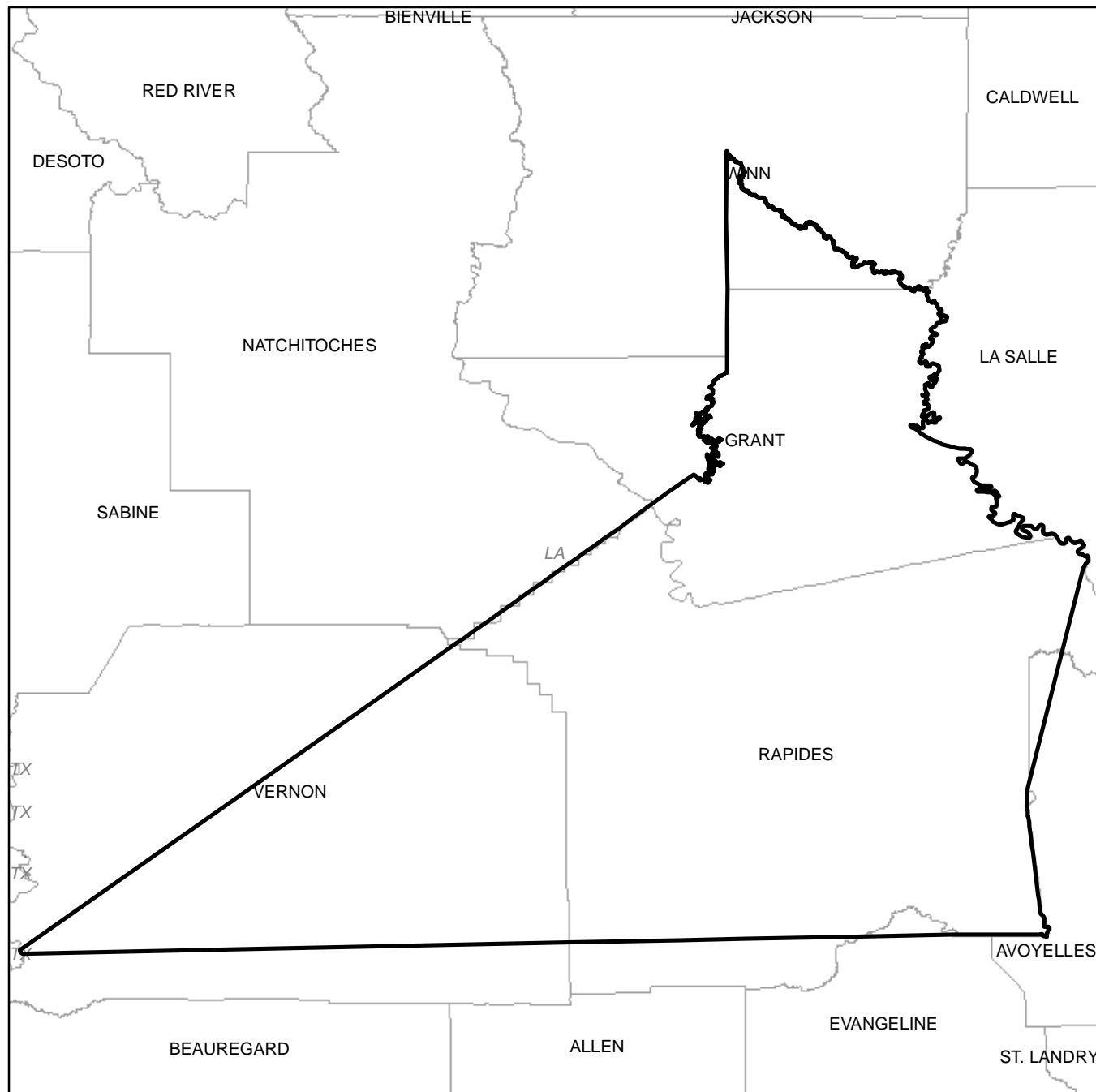
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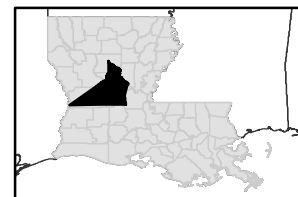
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RAPIDES exchanged with NATCHITOCHES.

2,499 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 96-97)





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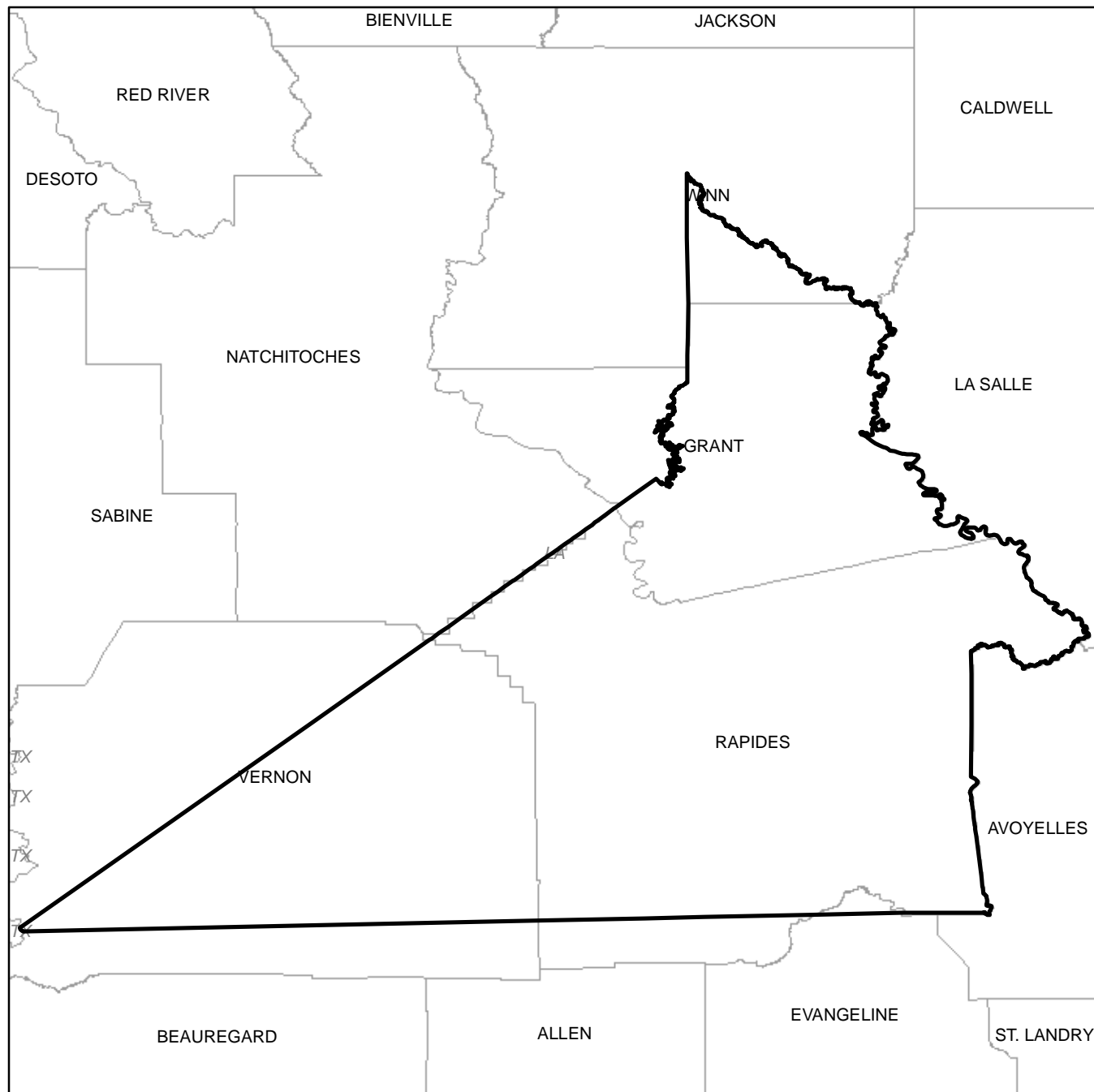
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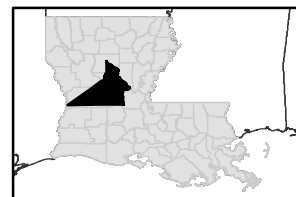
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RAPIDES exchanged with AVOYELLES.

2,515 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., p. 113)





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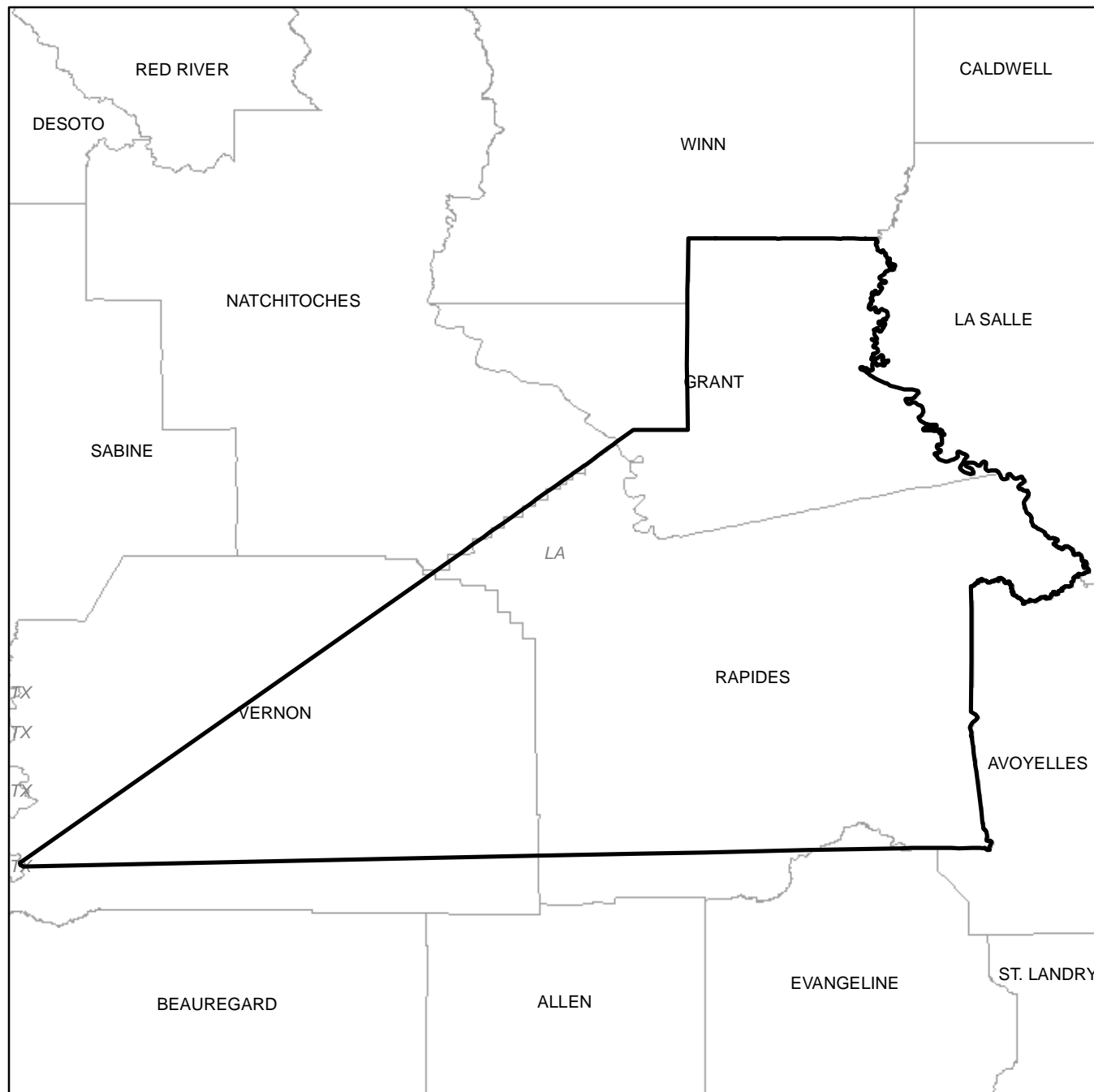
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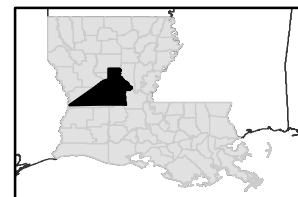
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RAPIDES lost to creation of WINN; gained very small areas along the Dugdemona River from CATAHOULA.

2,430 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 67-69)





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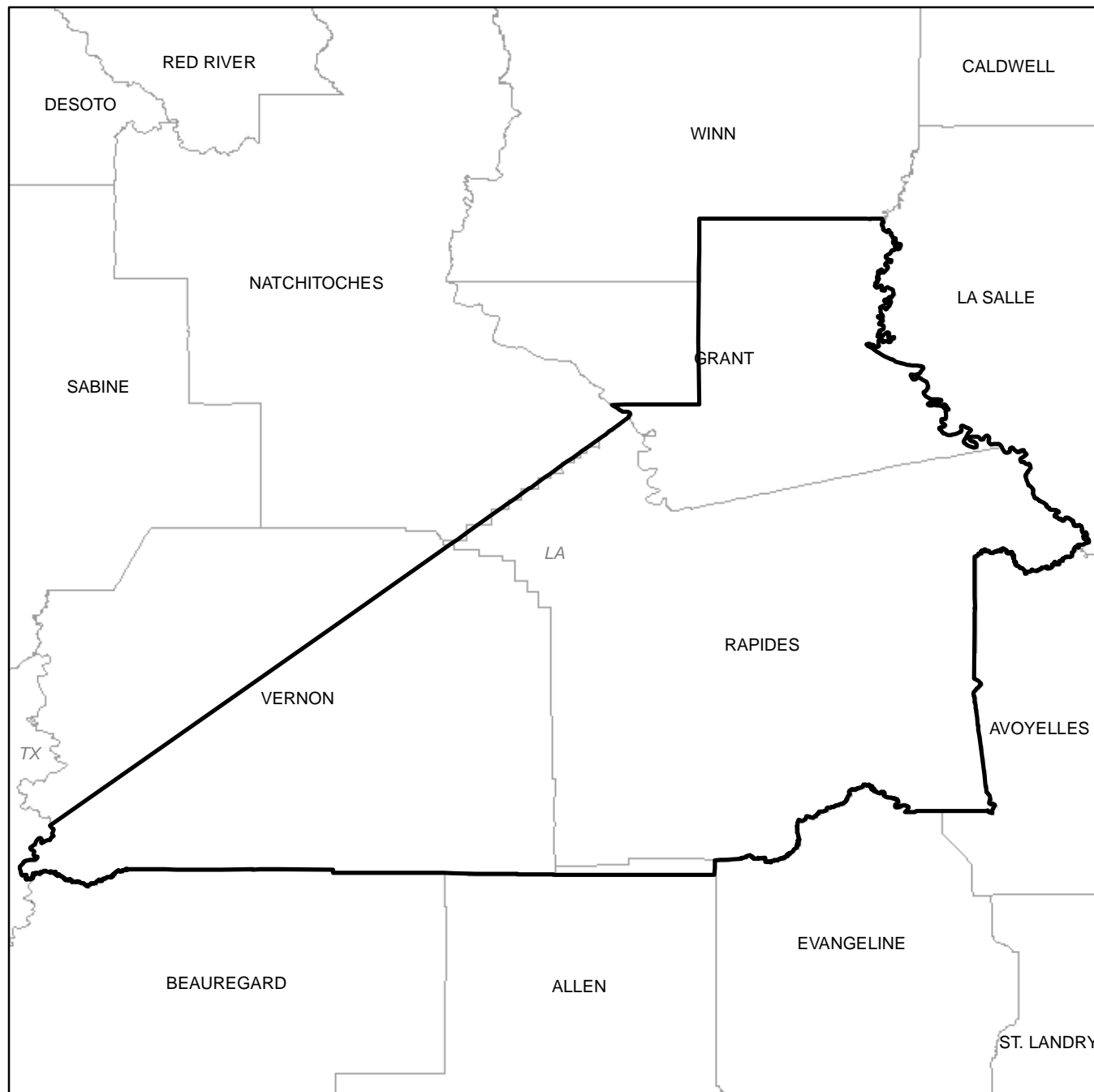
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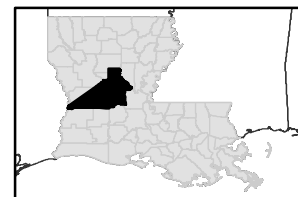
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RAPIDES gained from CALCASIEU and NATCHITOCHES, exchanged with ST. LANDRY.

2,731 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 83-84, 87-88)





RAPIDES

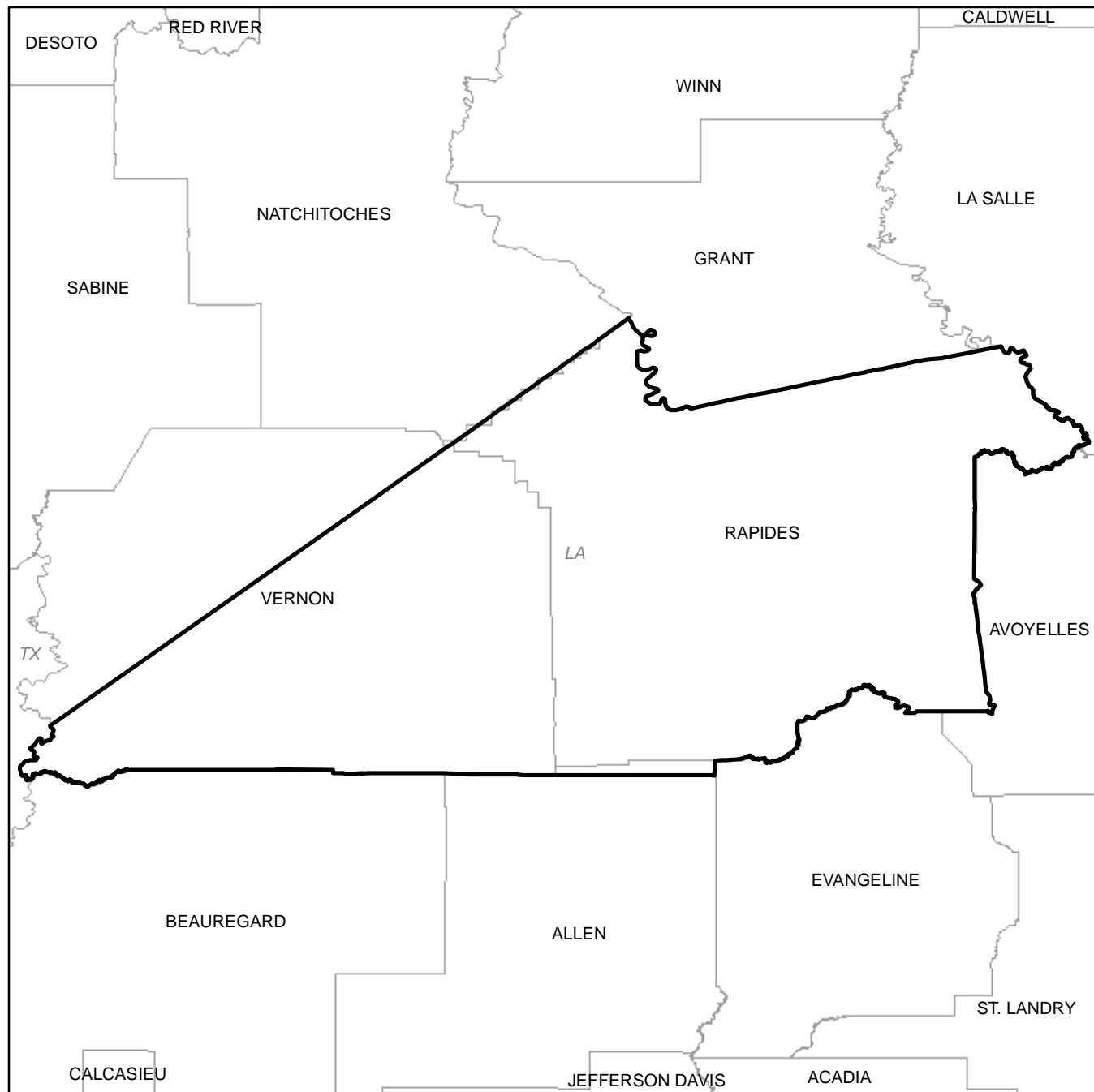
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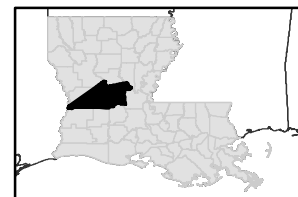
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RAPIDES lost to creation of GRANT.

2,238 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1869, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 79-80)





RAPIDES

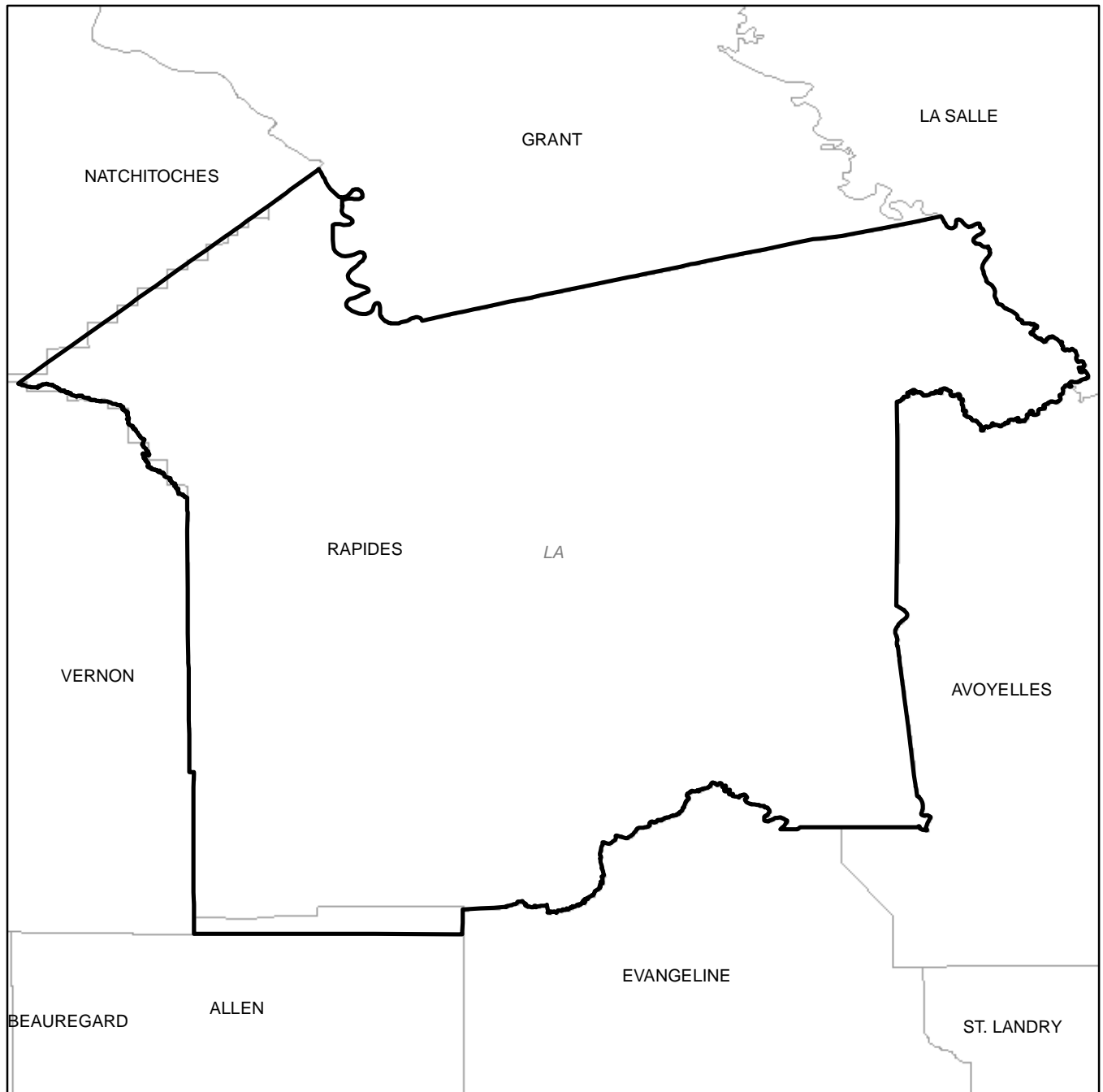
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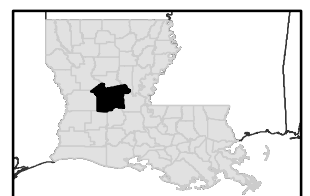
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RAPIDES lost to creation of VERNON.

1,380 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 175-176)





RAPIDES

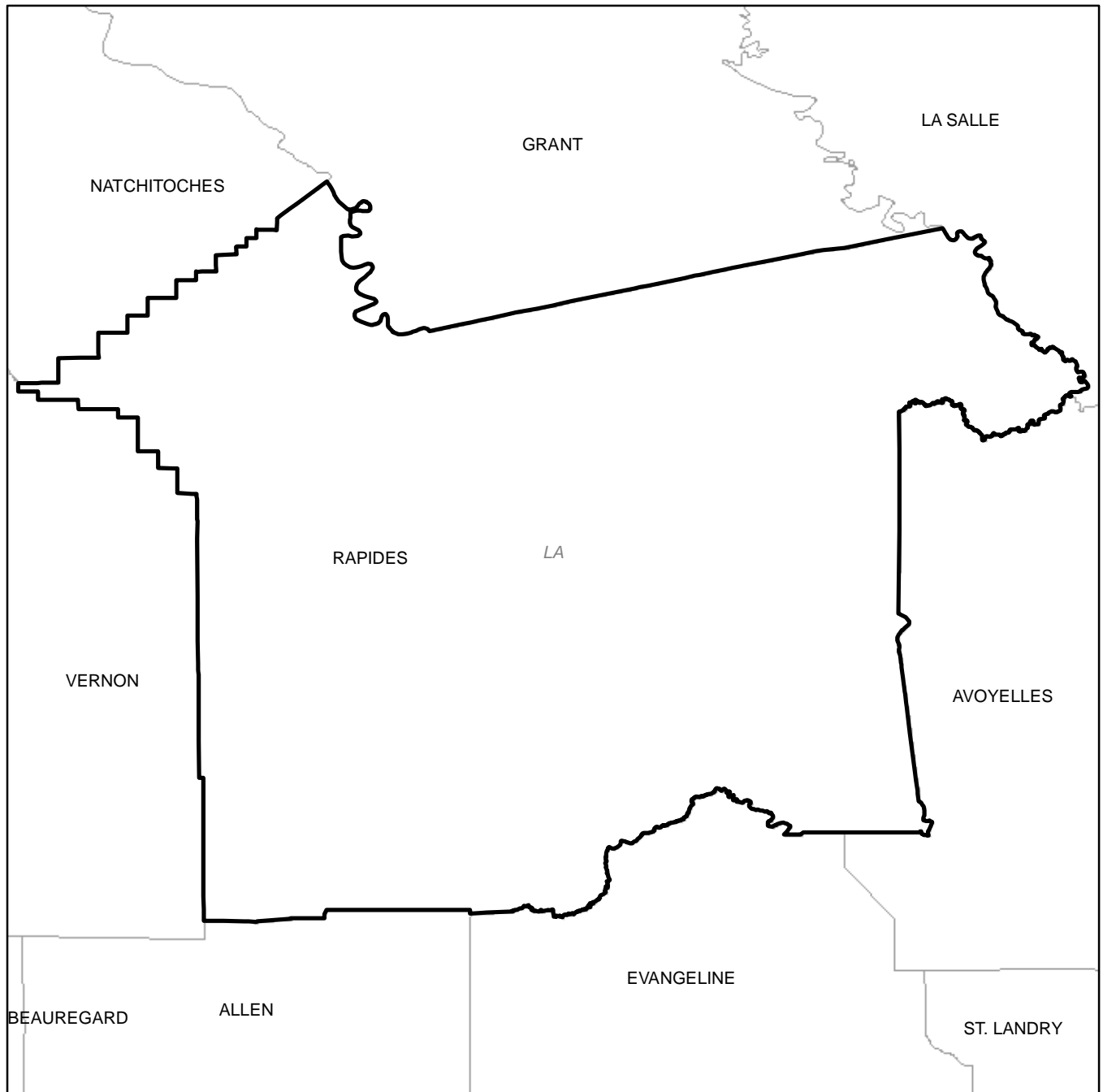
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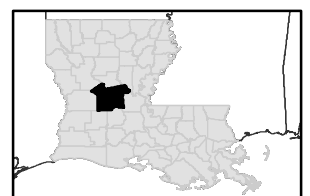
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RAPIDES exchanged with NATCHITOCHES and VERNON, lost to CALCASIEU.

1,362 sq. mi.

(Natchitoches Parish Police Jury. Correspondence, 8 Aug 2008; Rapides Parish Police Jury. Correspondence, 15 Aug 2008; Rapides Parish Police Jury Minutes





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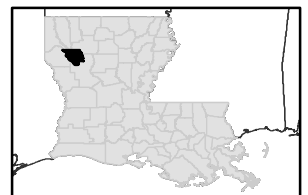
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RED RIVER created from BIENVILLE, BOSSIER, CADDO, DESOTO, and NATCHITOCHES.

402 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 86-88)





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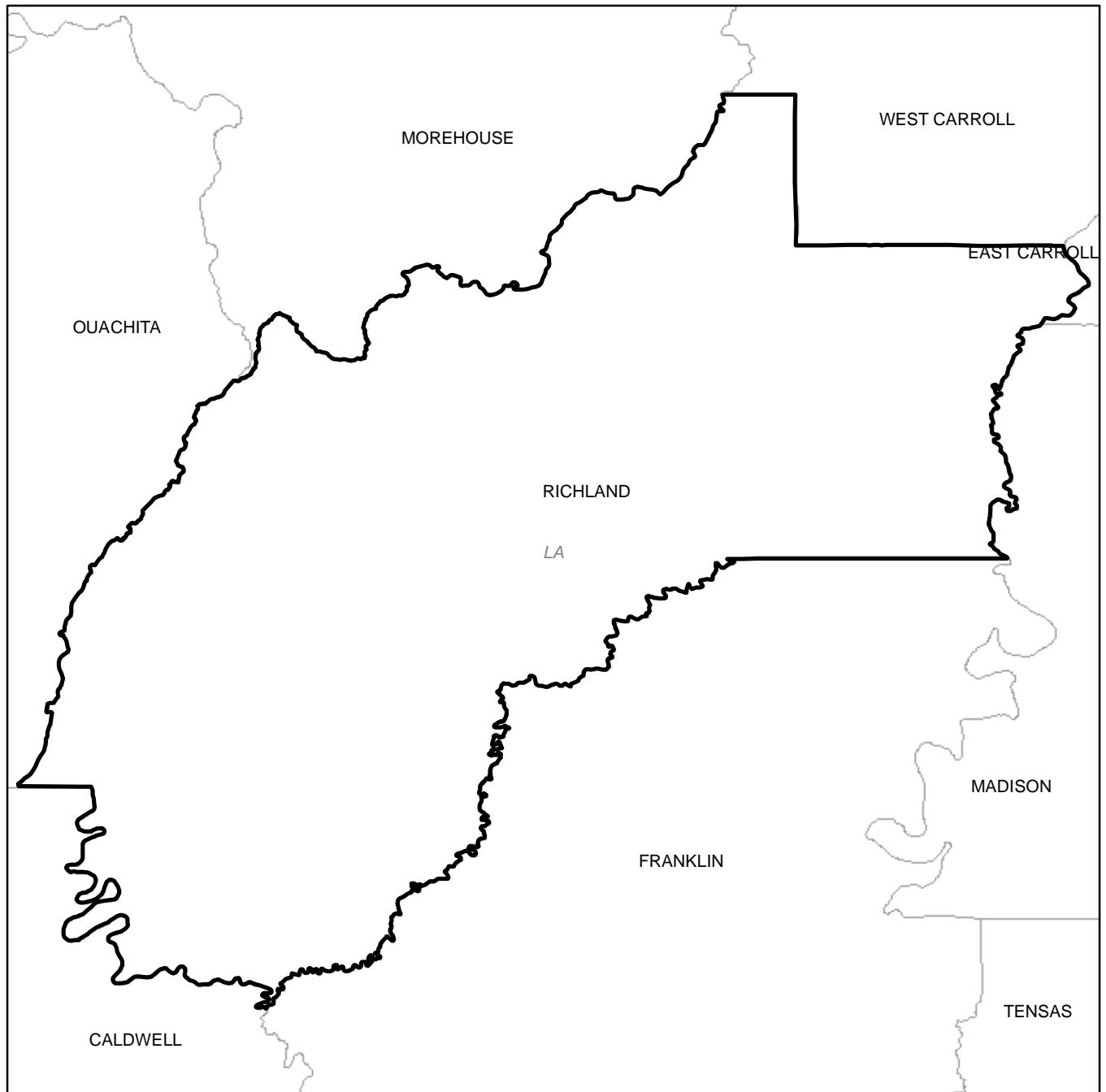
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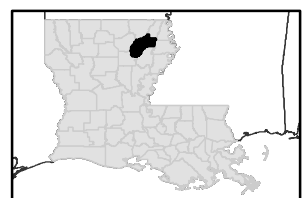
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RICHLAND created from CARROLL (extinct), FRANKLIN, MOREHOUSE, and OUACHITA.

565 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1868, 1st Leg., 1st sess., p. 151)





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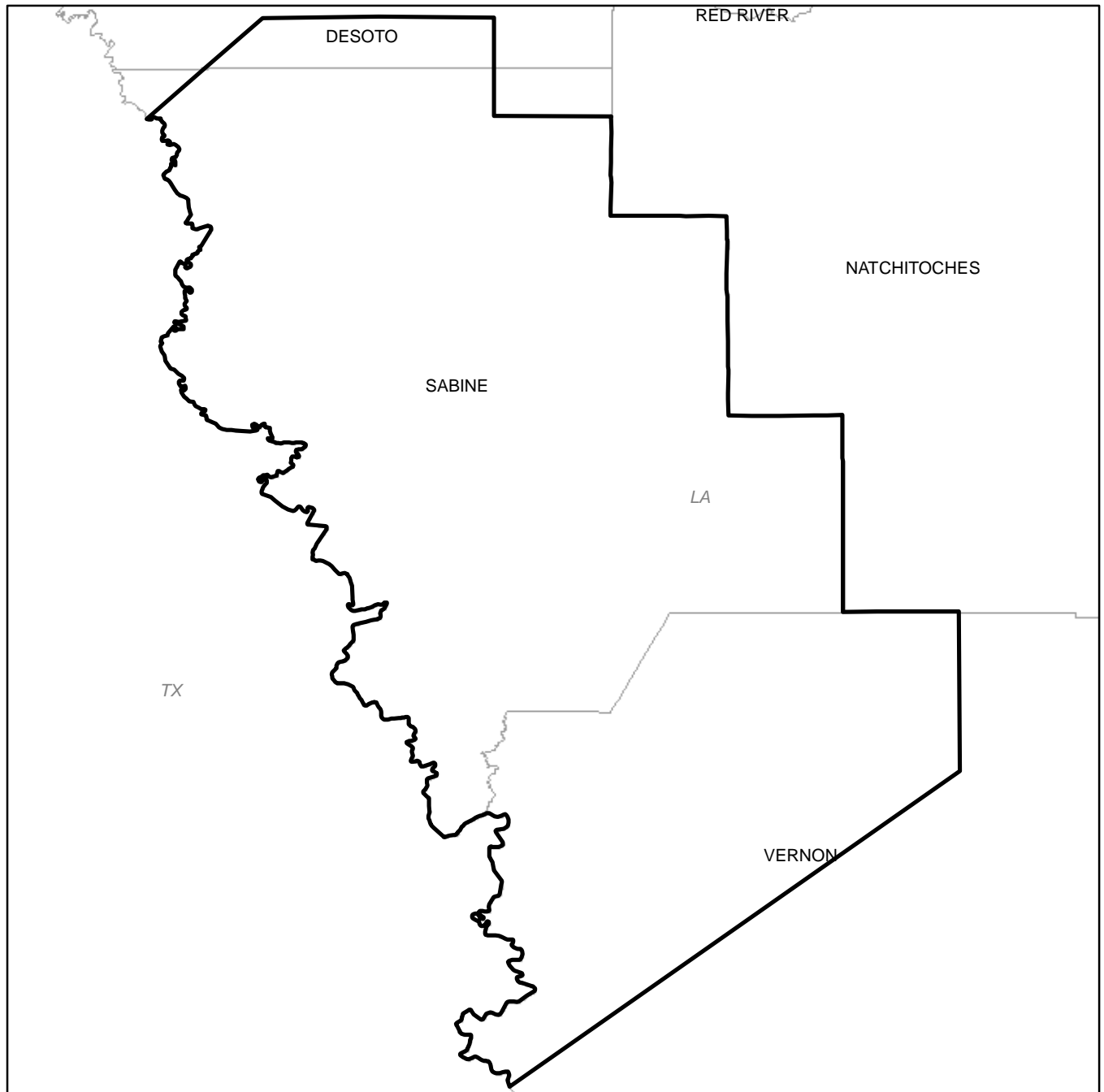
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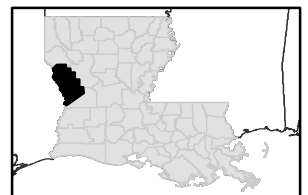
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SABINE created from NATCHITOCHES.

1,458 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 26-28)





SABINE

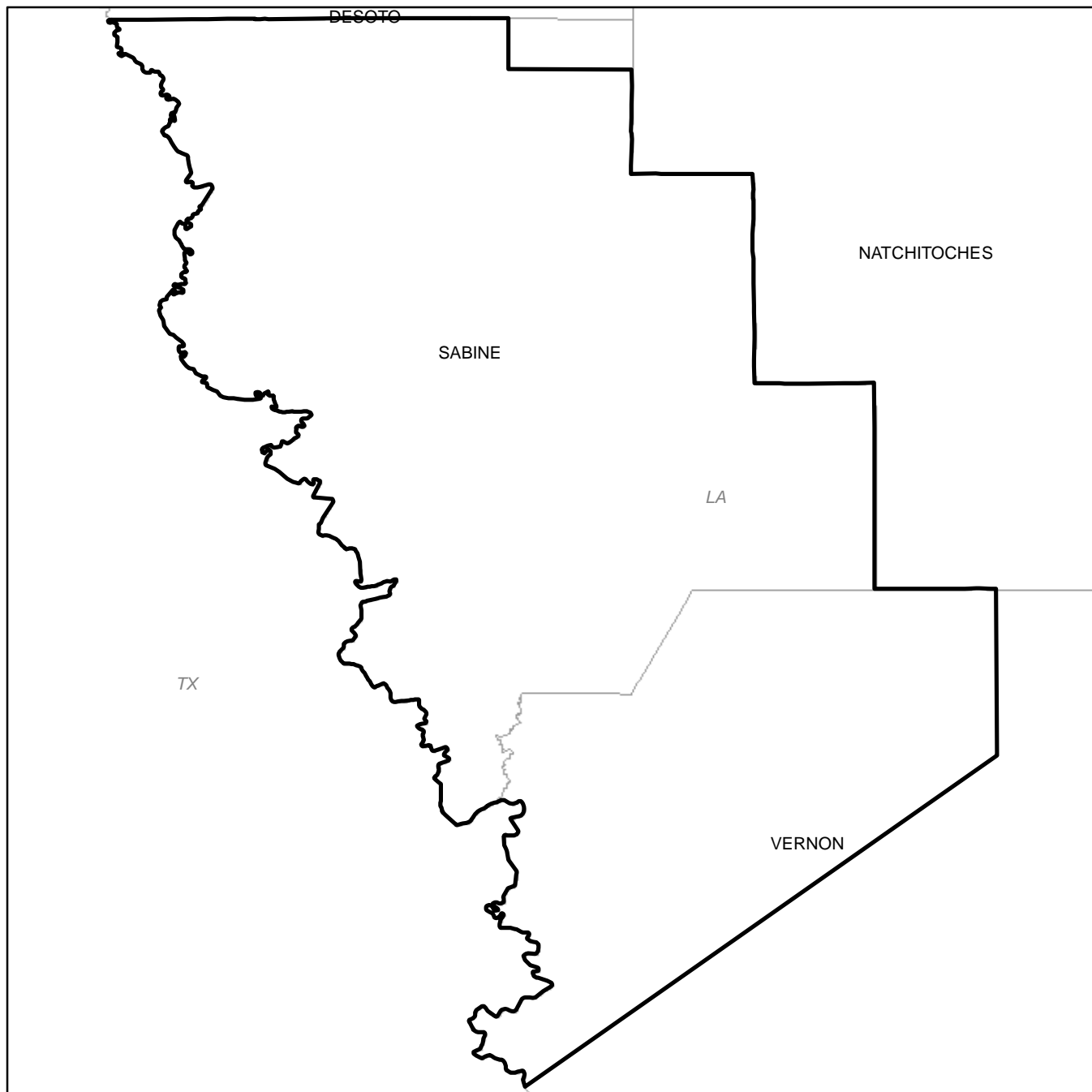
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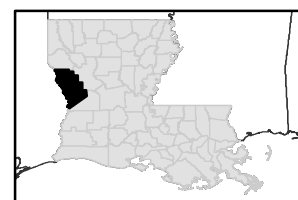
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SABINE gained from CADD0, lost to creation of DESOTO.

1,424 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 52-54)





SABINE

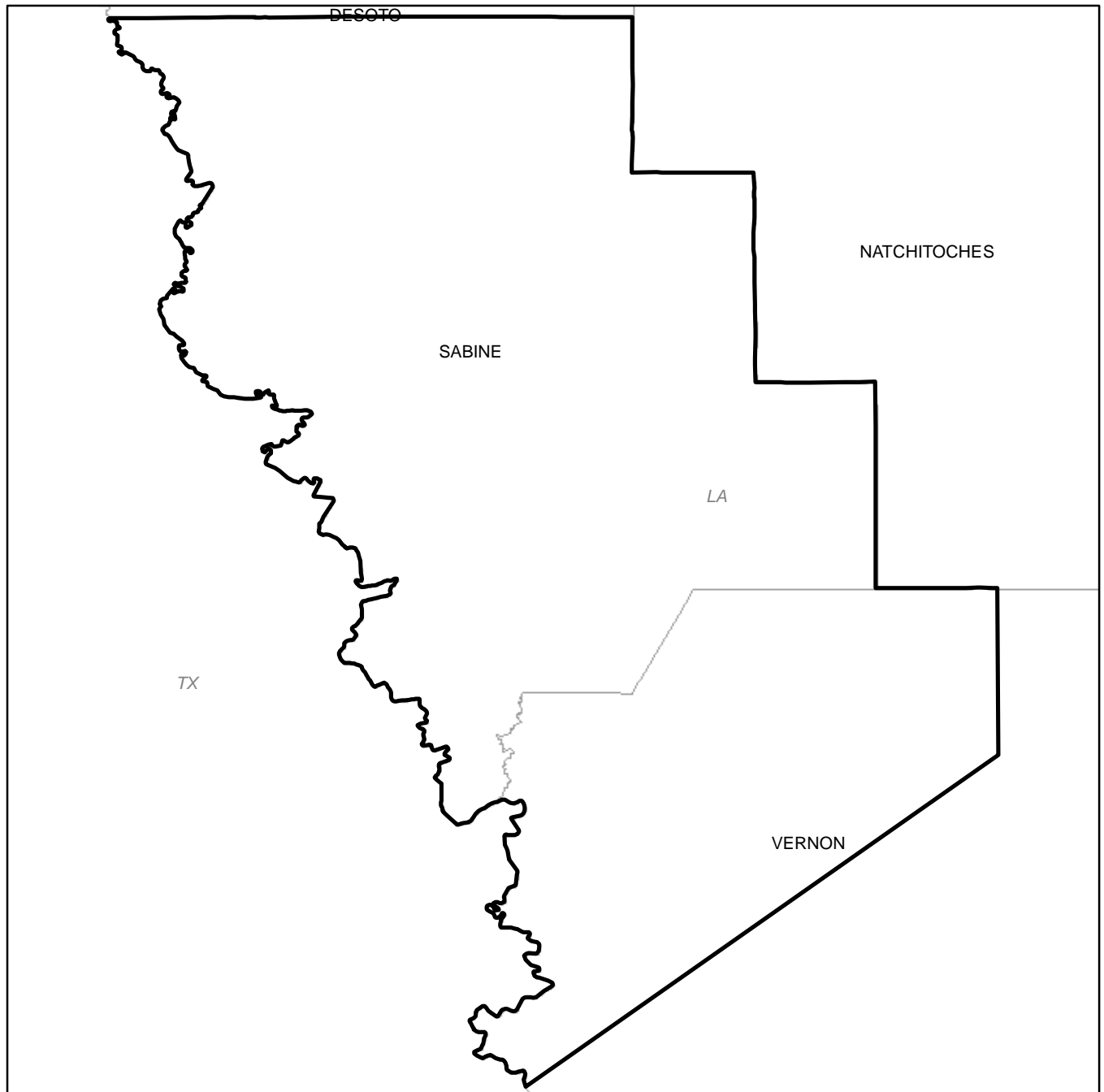
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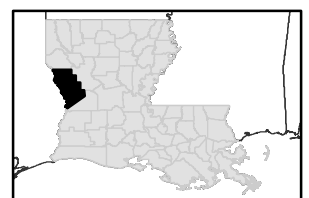
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SABINE gained from NATCHITOCHES.

1,442 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1854, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., p. 141)





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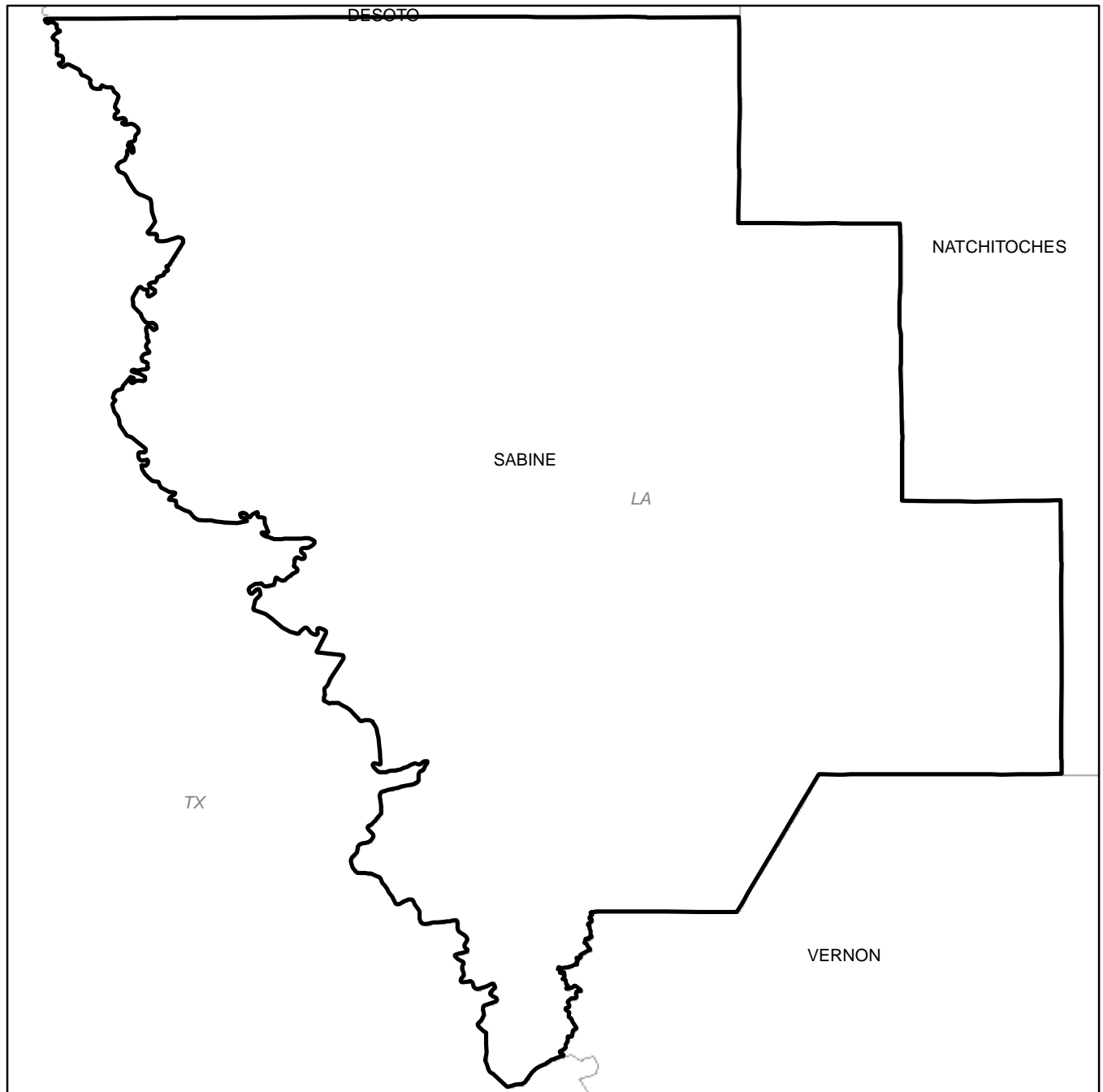
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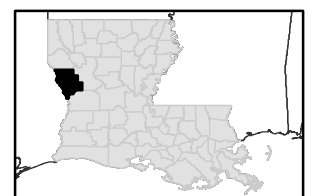
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SABINE lost to creation of VERNON.

1,012 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 175-176)





ST. BERNARD

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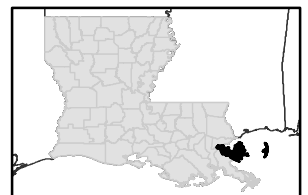
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ST. BERNARD Parish created within Orleans County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)

482 sq. mi.





ST. CHARLES

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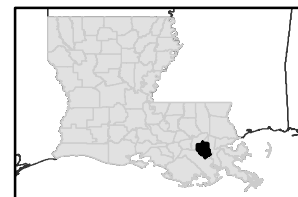
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ST. CHARLES Parish created within German Coast County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

296 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





ST. CHARLES

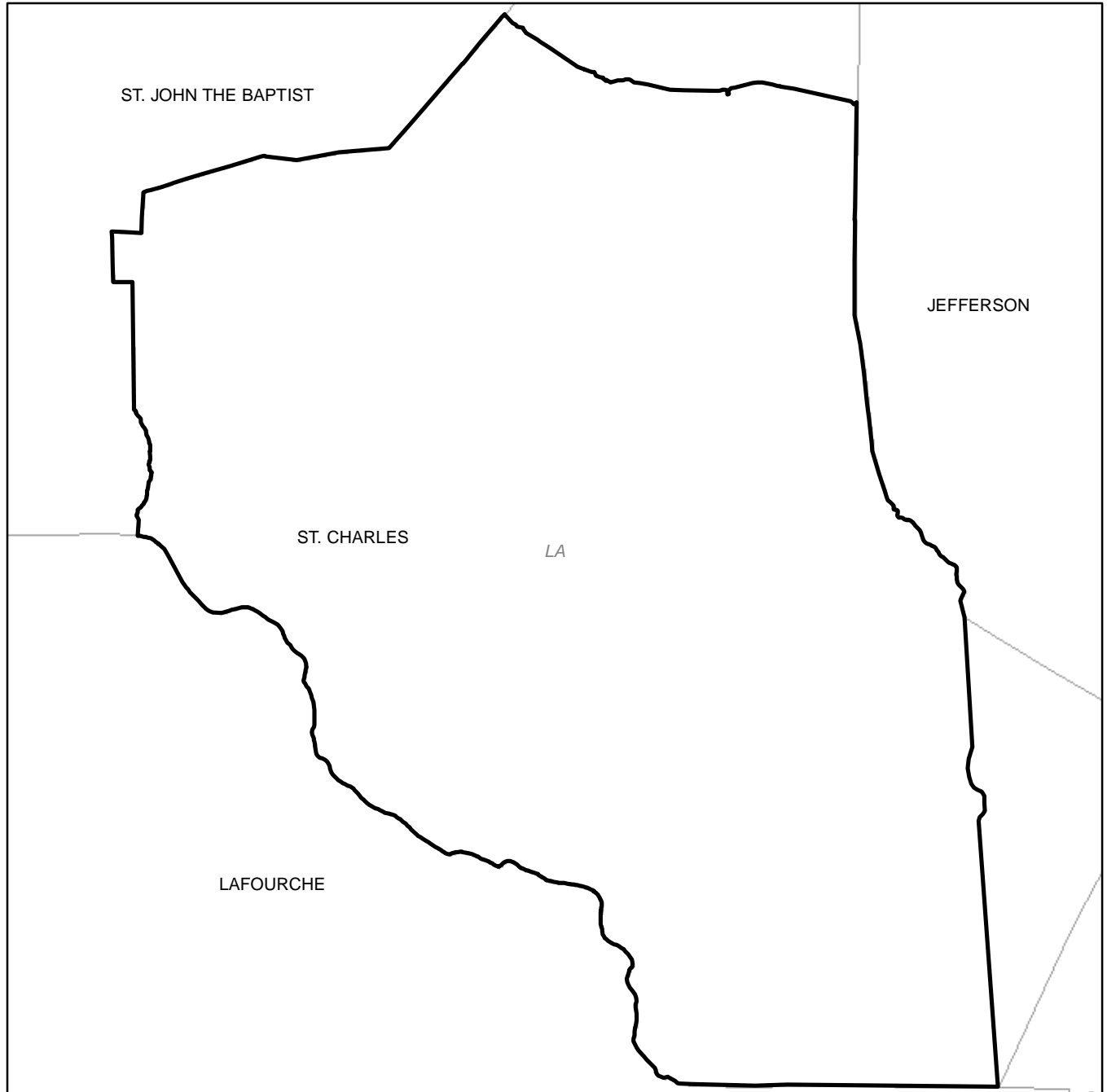
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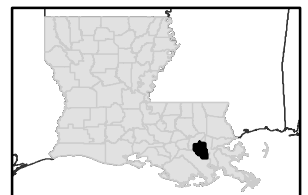
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[by 1952] ST. CHARLES gained parts of Lake Cataouatche and Lake Salvador.

334 sq. mi.

(Louisiana Rpts. 206, pp. 616-642; Swanson, 47-48; U.S.G.S. Louisiana 7.5 Minute Series, 1944, 1952)





ST. CHARLES

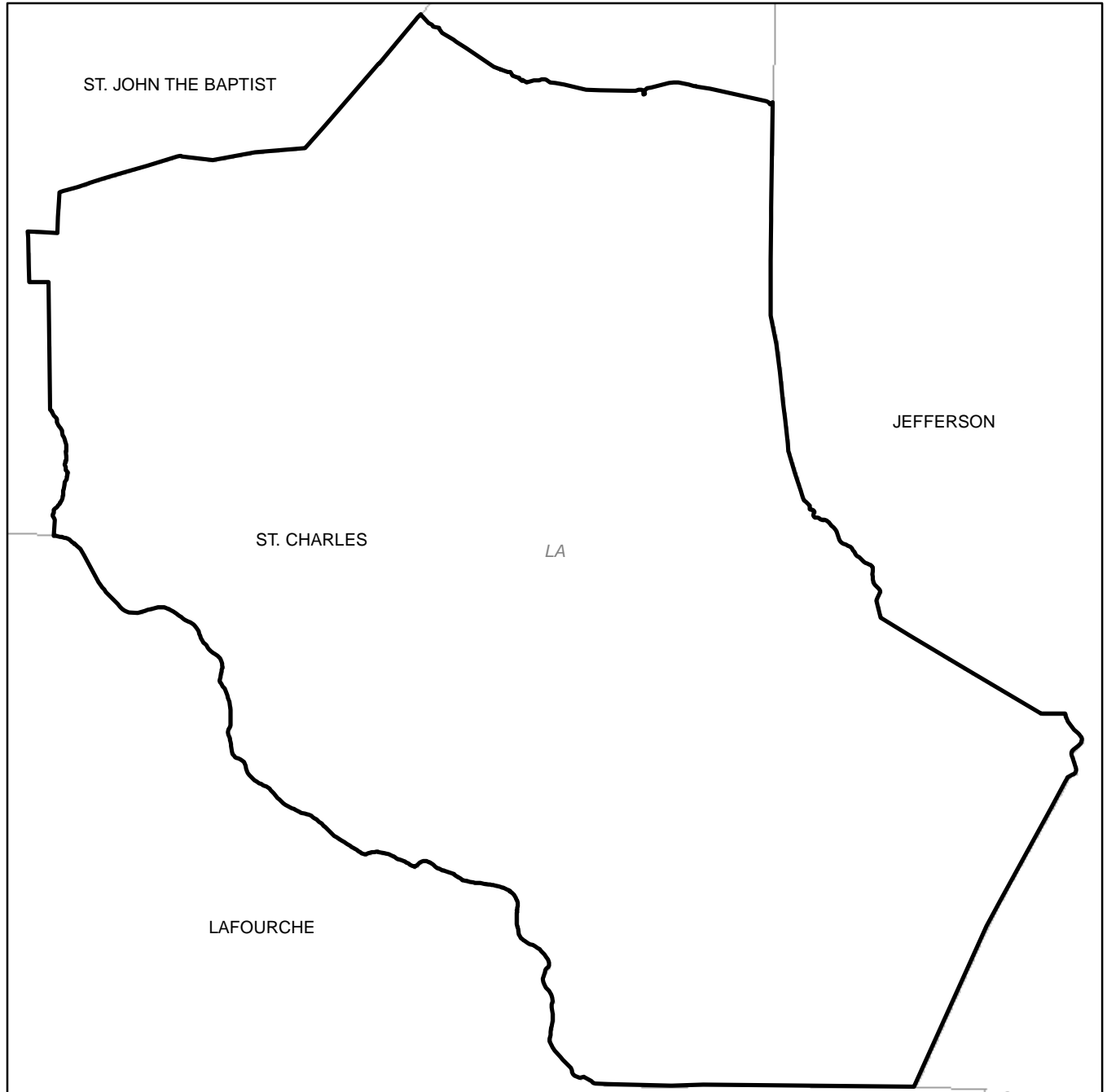
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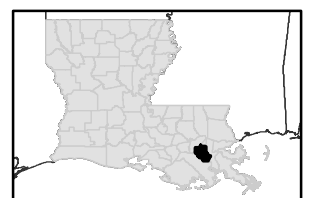
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[by 1954] ST. CHARLES gained Couba Island and parts of Lake Cataouatche and Lake Salvador from JEFFERSON.

358 sq. mi.

(U.S.G.S. Louisiana 7.5 Minute Series, 1954, 1966)





ST. CHARLES

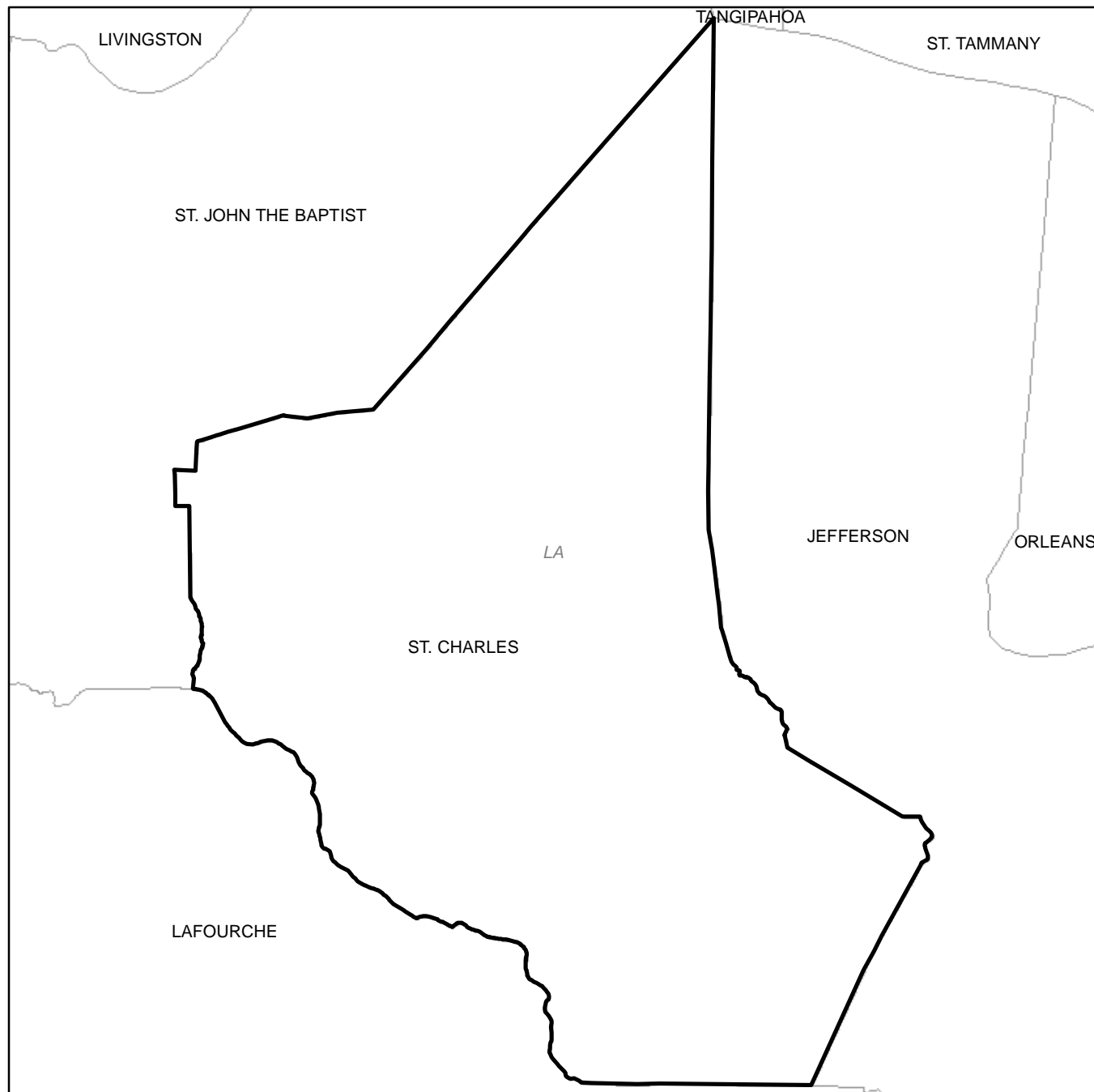
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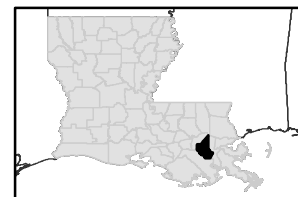
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ST. CHARLES gained when boundaries through Lake Pontchartrain were defined.

410 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1979, vol. 2, Reg. Sess., pp. 2042, 2053-2054)





ST. HELENA

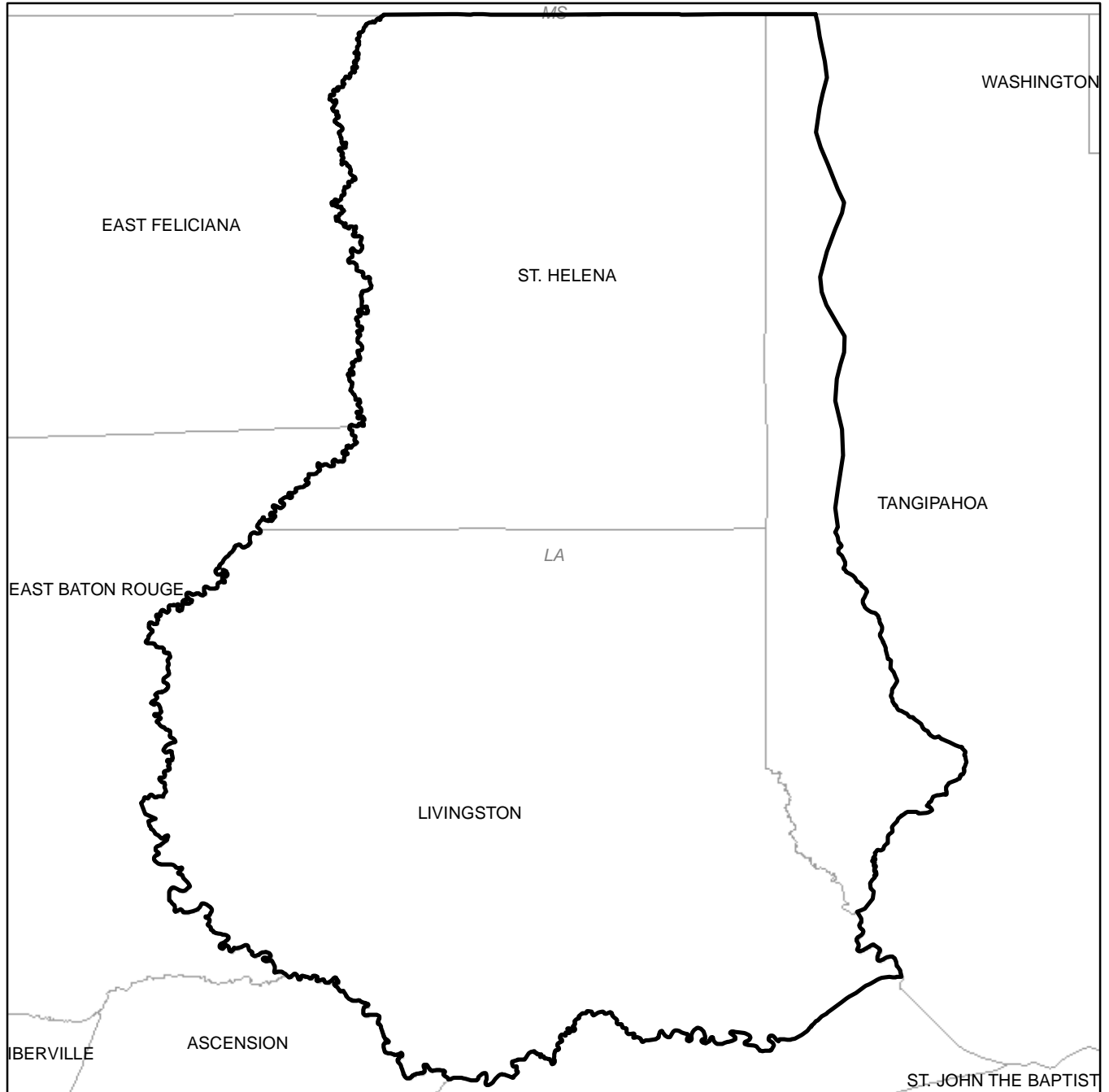
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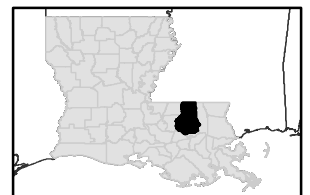
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ST. HELENA Parish created by proclamation of the Territorial Governor from non-parish area within Feliciana County.

1,141 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr., Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./pp. 210, 212; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





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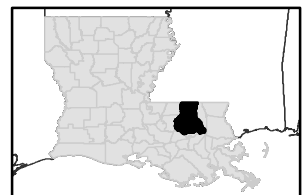
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ST. HELENA gained from ST. TAMMANY.

1,363 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 28/pp. 120-124)





ST. HELENA

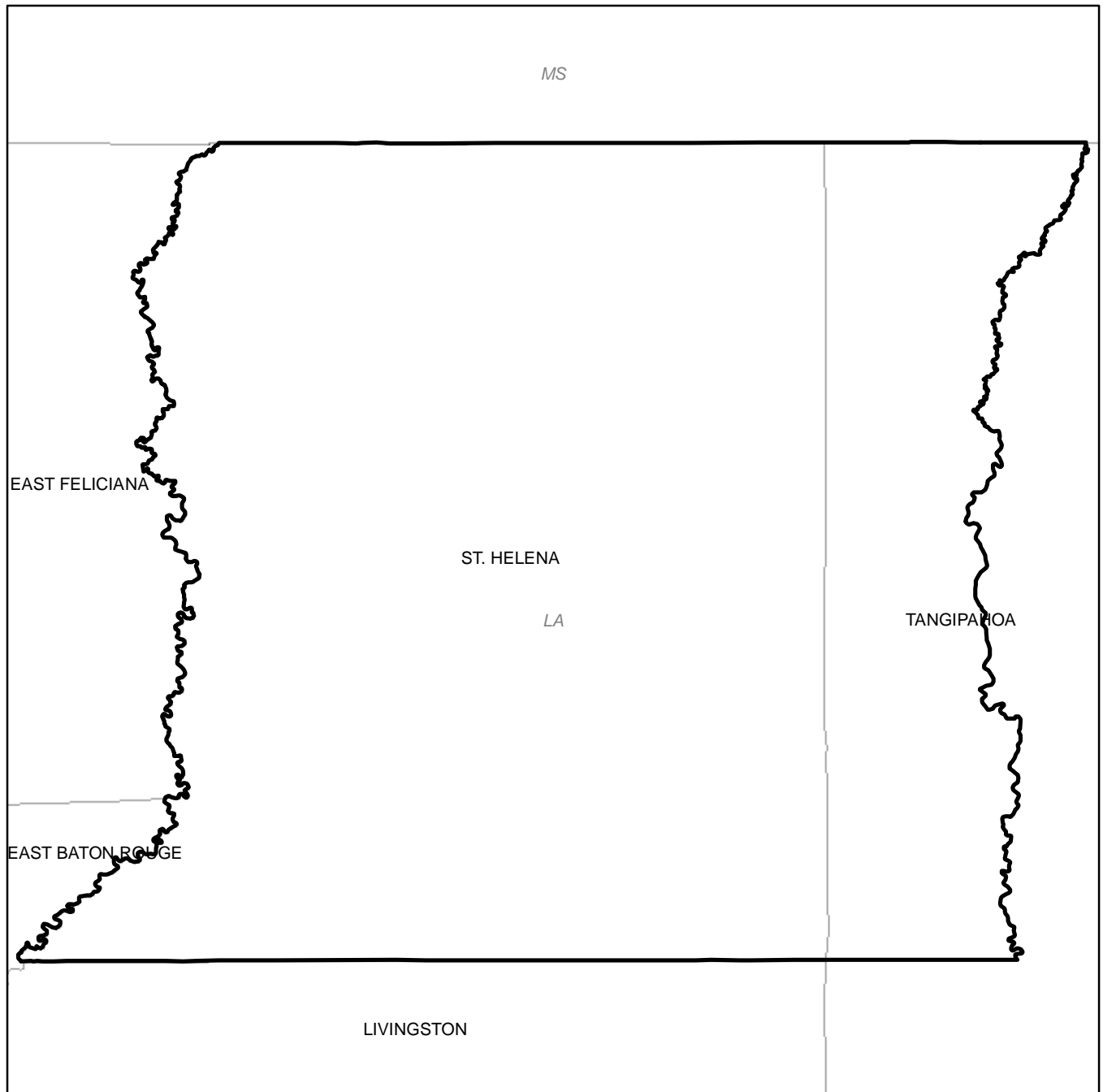
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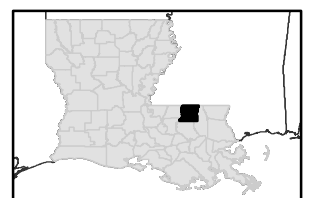
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ST. HELENA lost to creation of LIVINGSTON.

521 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1832, 10th Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 130-132)





ST. HELENA

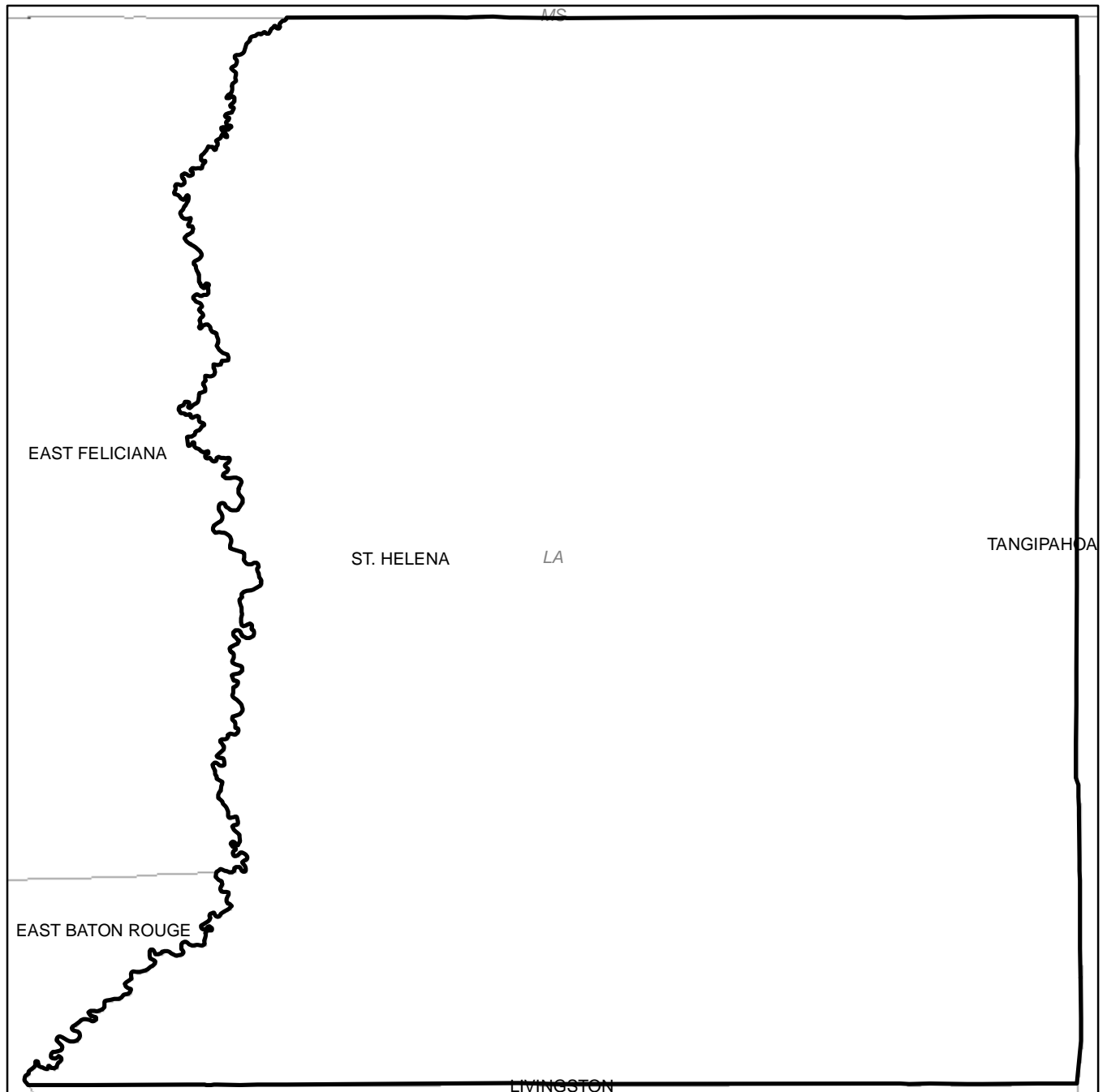
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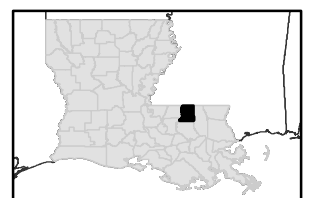
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ST. HELENA lost to creation of TANGIPAHOA.

409 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1869, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 83-86)





ST. JAMES

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4/14/1807 - 2/2/1841

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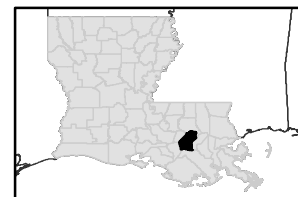
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ST. JAMES created within Acadia County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

411 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





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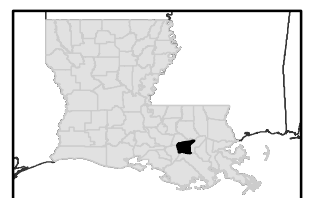
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ST. JAMES lost to ASCENSION.

261 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 1st sess., p. 7)





ST. JAMES

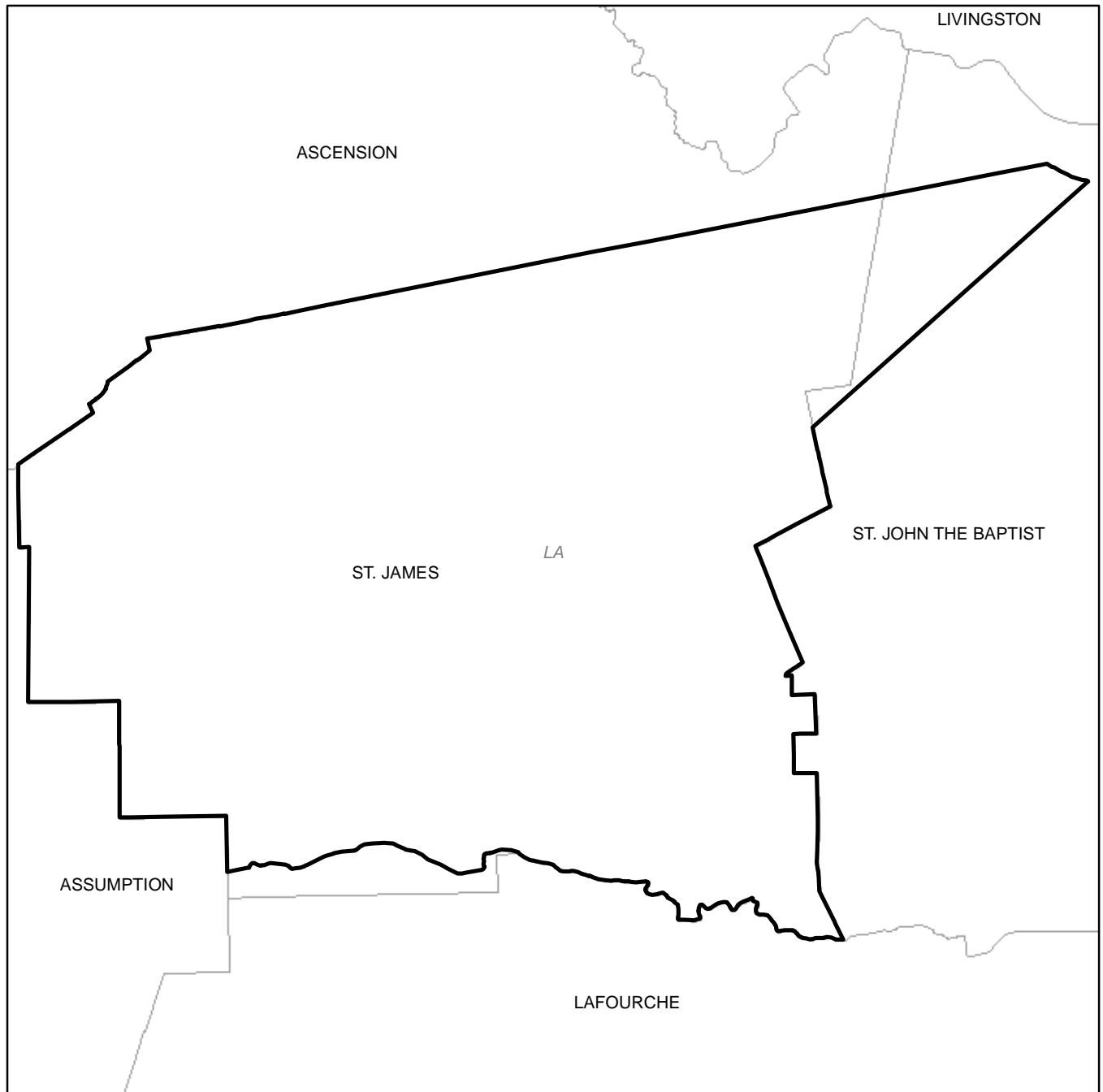
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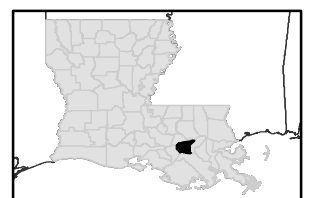
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ST. JAMES lost to ASCENSION.

266 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1841, 15th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 514)





ST. JAMES

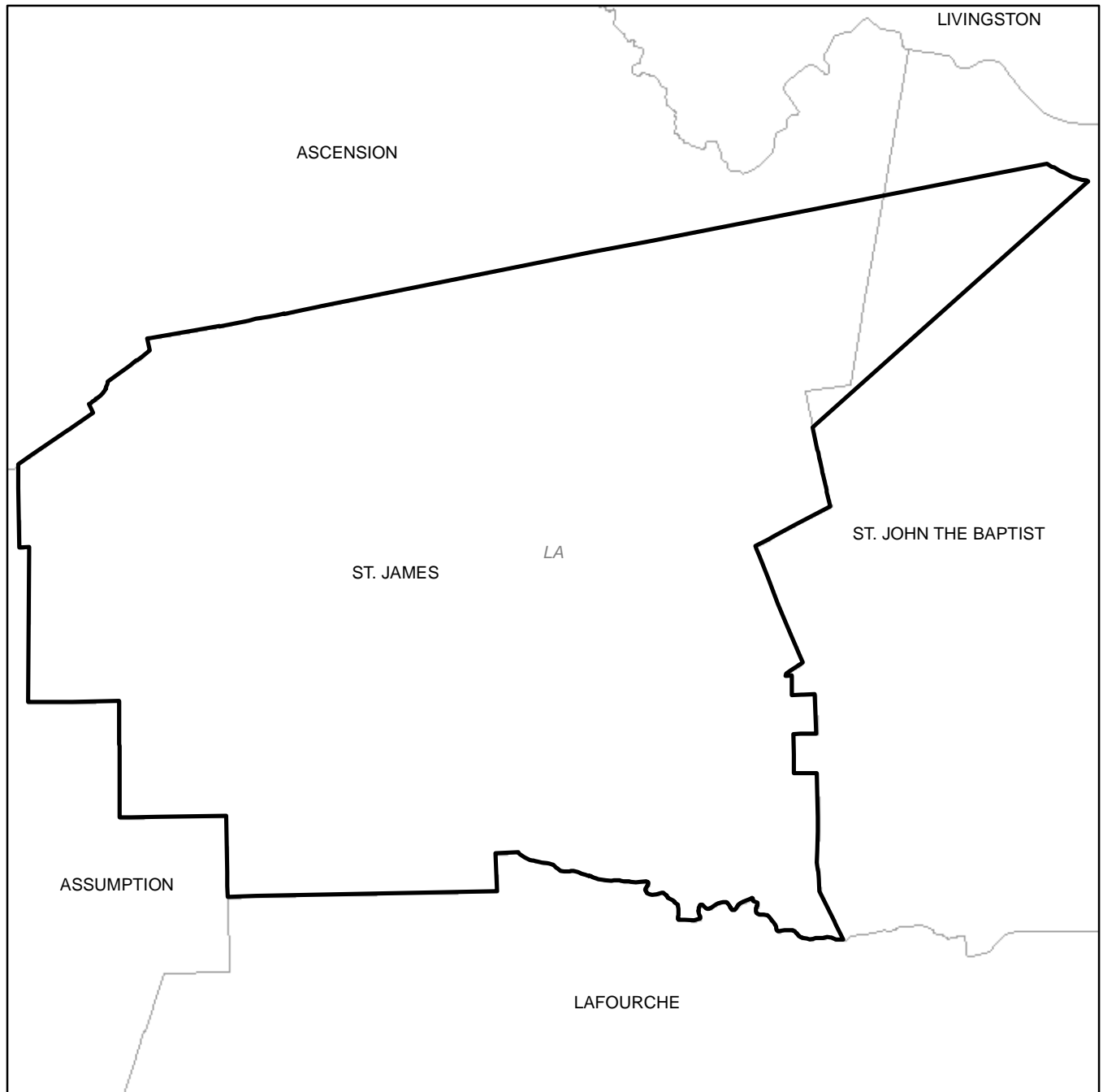
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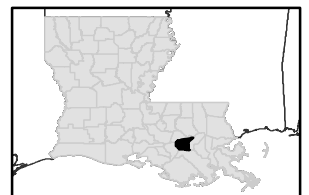
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ST. JAMES gained from LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE).

271 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 134-135)





ST. JAMES

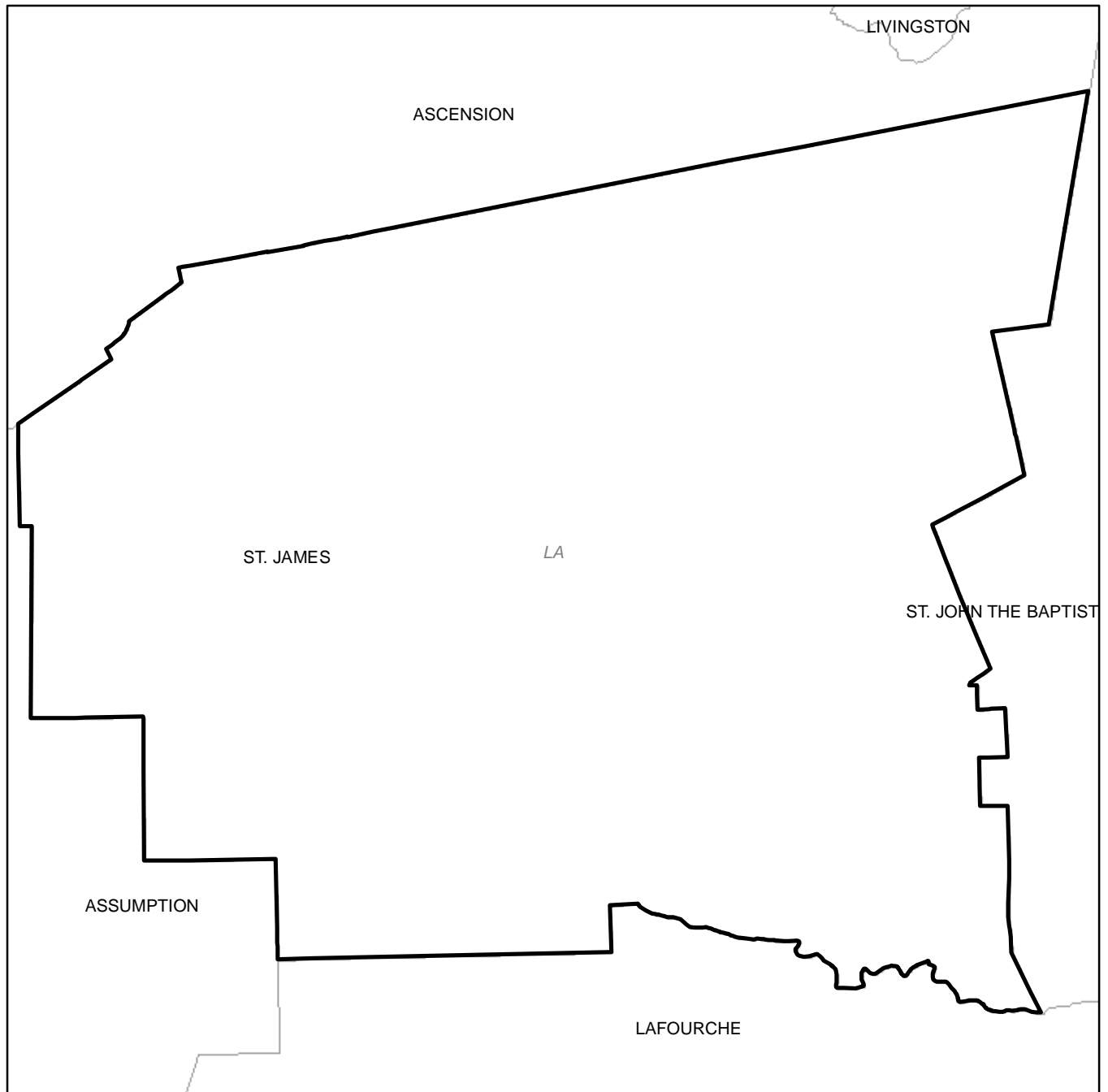
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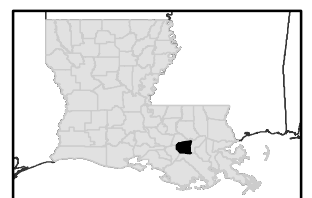
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[by 1961-1962] ST. JAMES lost to ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST.

258 sq. mi.

(U.S.G.S. 7.5 Minute Series [topographic], 1962, 1998, 2005)





ST. JOHN the BAPTIST

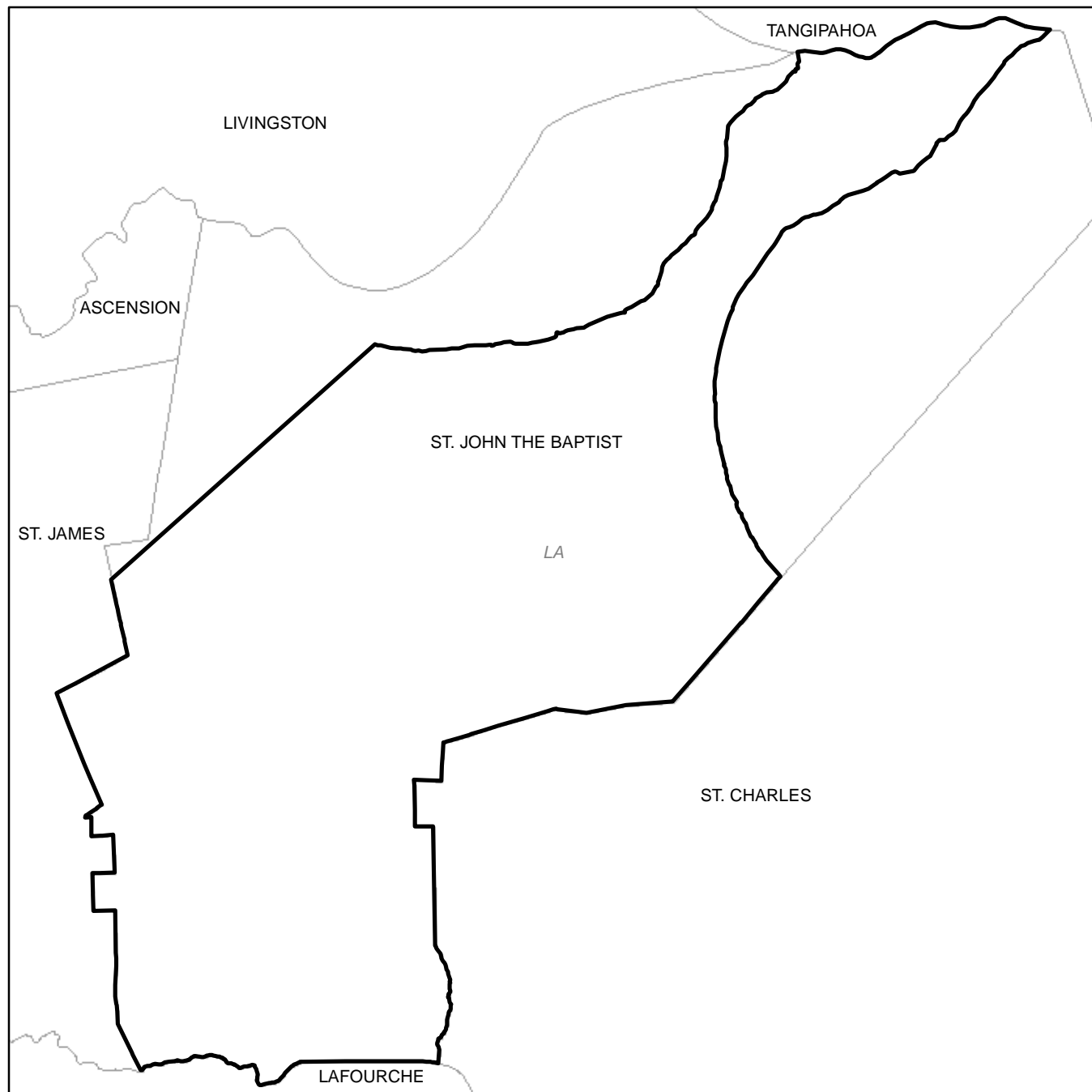
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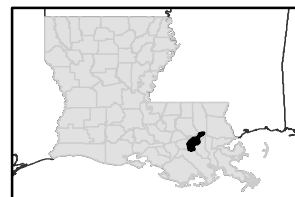
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ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST Parish created within German Coast County. The creation of parishes did not abolish 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing & electoral purposes, parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)

227 sq. mi.





ST. JOHN the BAPTIST

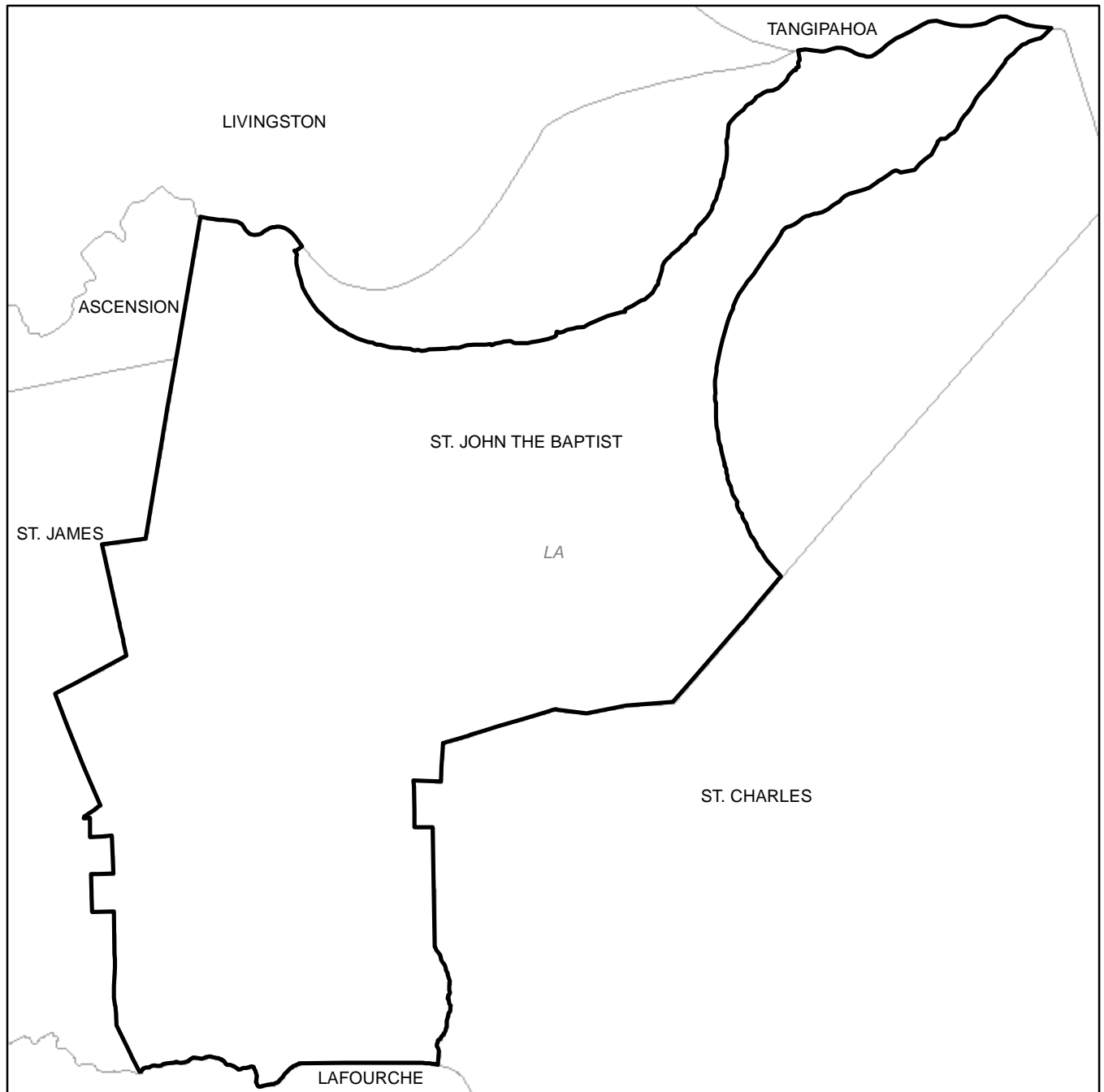
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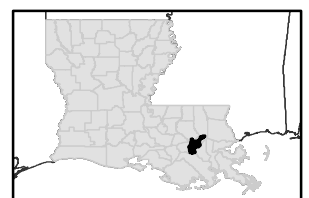
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[by 1961-1962] ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST gained to ASCENSION and ST. JAMES.

249 sq. mi.

(U.S.G.S. 7.5 Minute Series [topographic], 1962, 1998, 2005)





ST. JOHN the BAPTIST

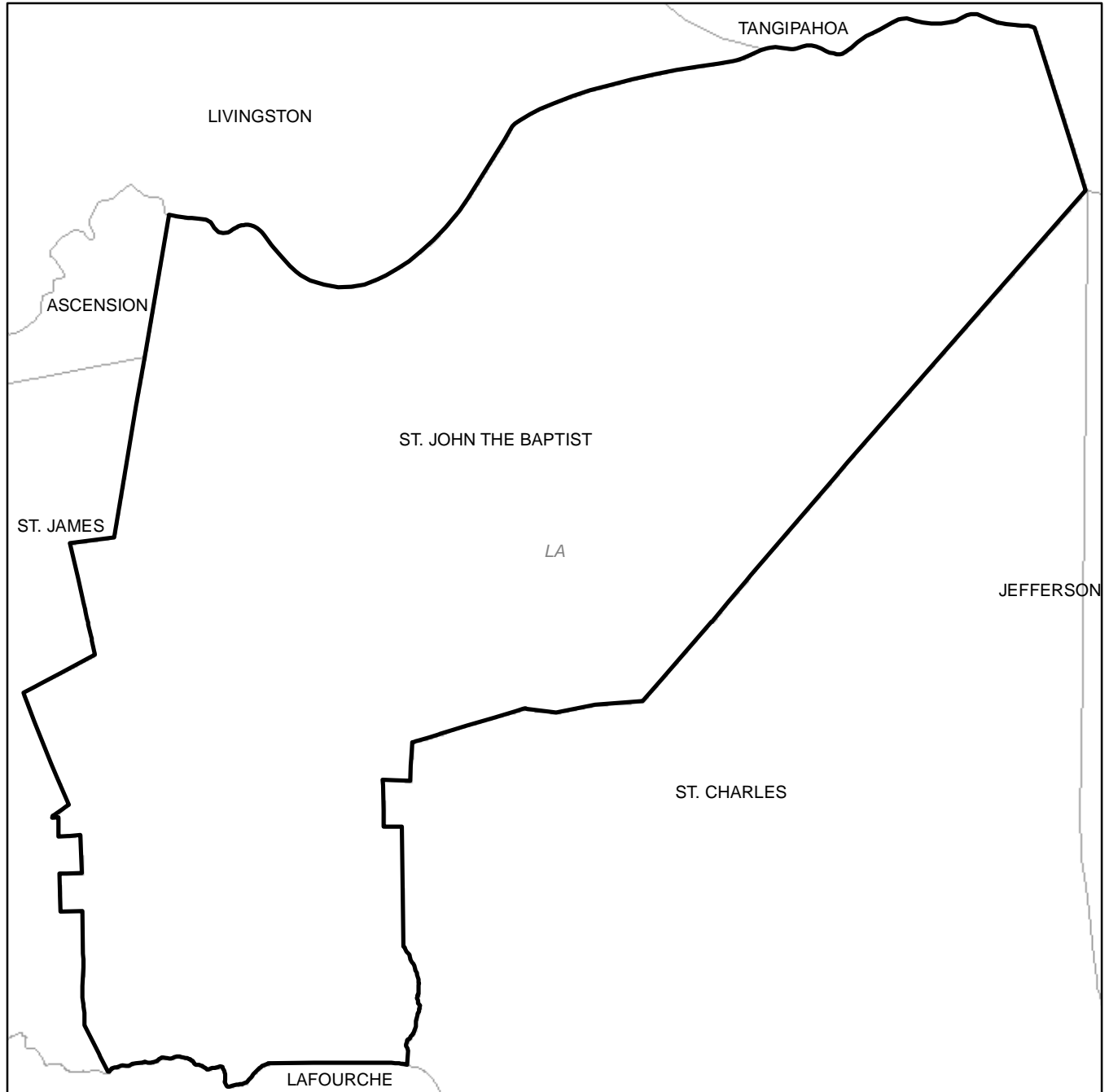
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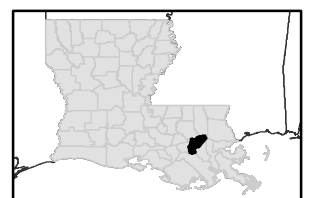
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ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST gained when boundaries through Lake Maurepas and Lake Pontchartrain were defined.

348 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1979, vol. 2, Reg. Sess., pp. 2042, 2050-2053)





ST. LANDRY

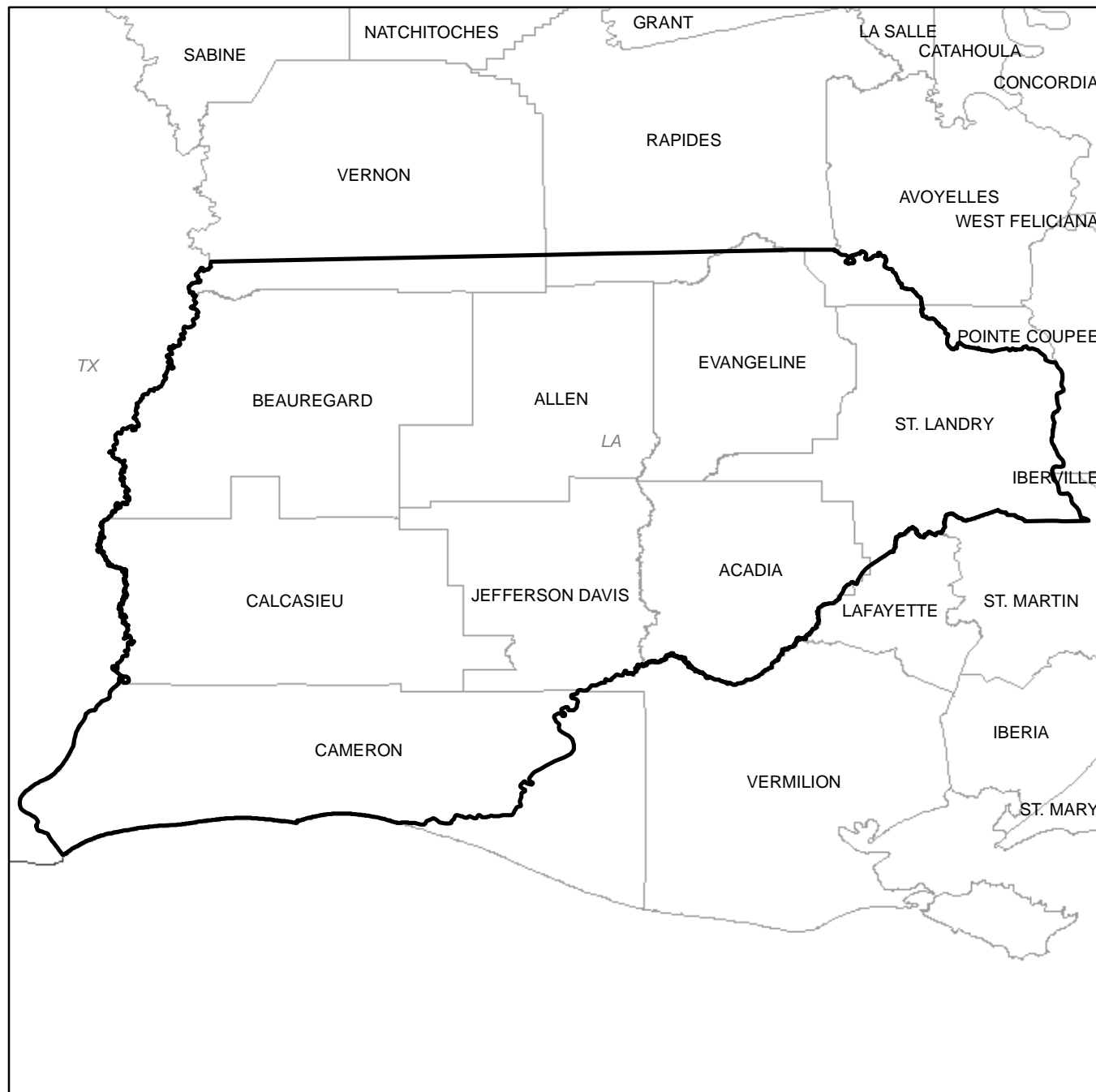
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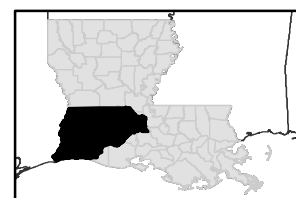
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ST. LANDRY Parish created within Opelousas County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

7,461 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 14; Calhoun, 85-93)





ST. LANDRY

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2/4/1818 - 3/11/1840

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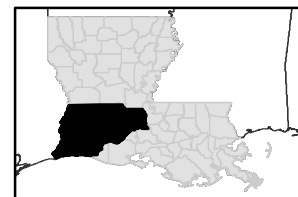
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ST. LANDRY exchanged with AVOYELLES.

7,463 sq. mi.

(La. Act. 1818, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., p. 10)





ST. LANDRY

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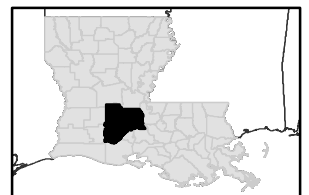
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ST. LANDRY lost to creation of CALCASIEU.

2,295 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1839, 14th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 72-75)





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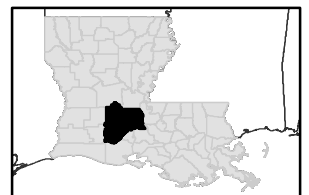
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ST. LANDRY exchanged with RAPIDES.

2,275 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 87-88)





ST. LANDRY

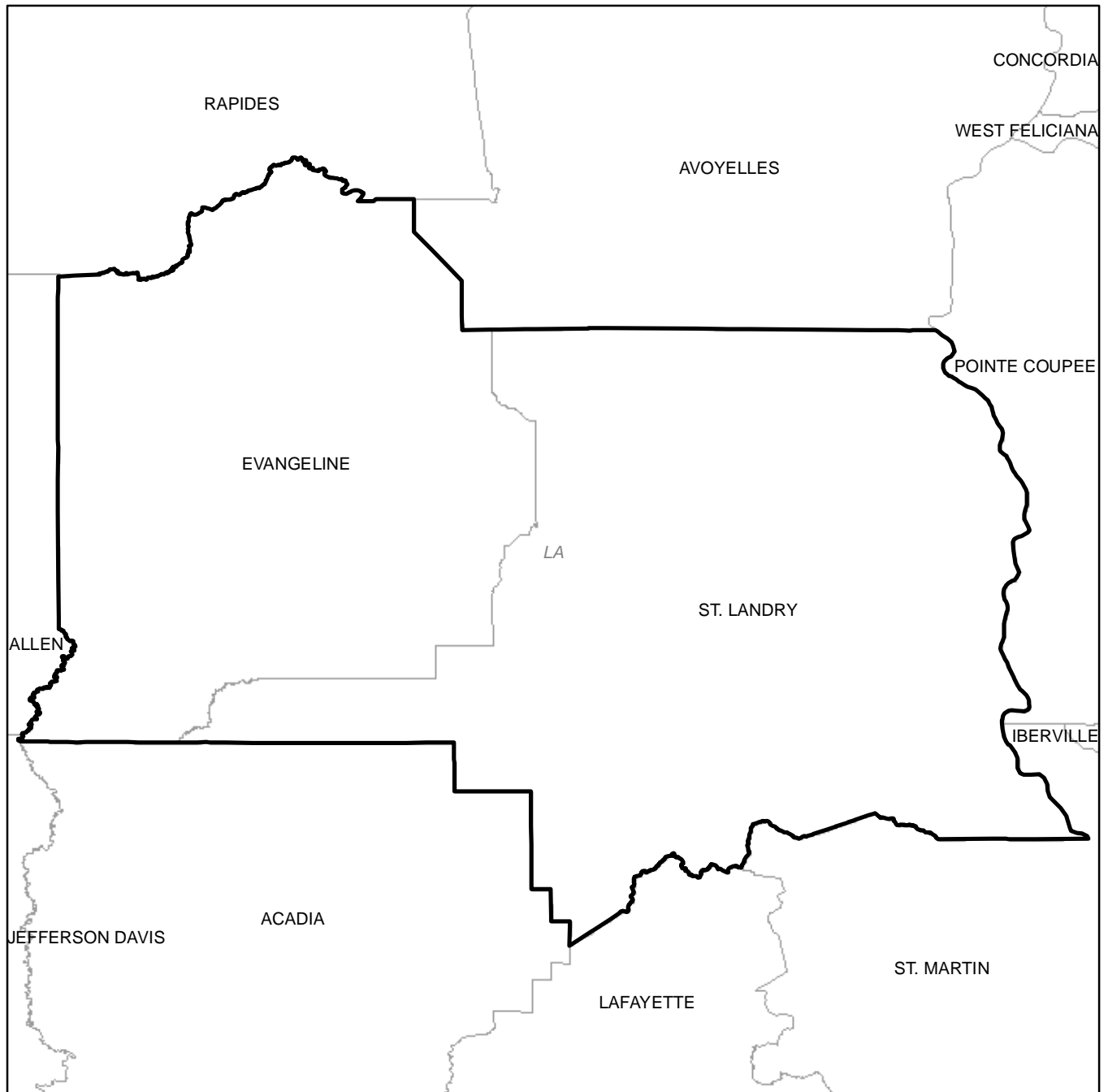
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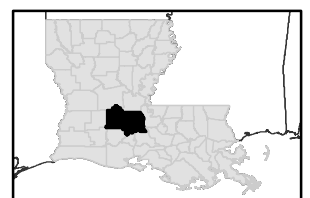
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ST. LANDRY lost to creation of ACADIA.

1,618 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1886, Reg. Sess., pp. 48-52)





ST. LANDRY

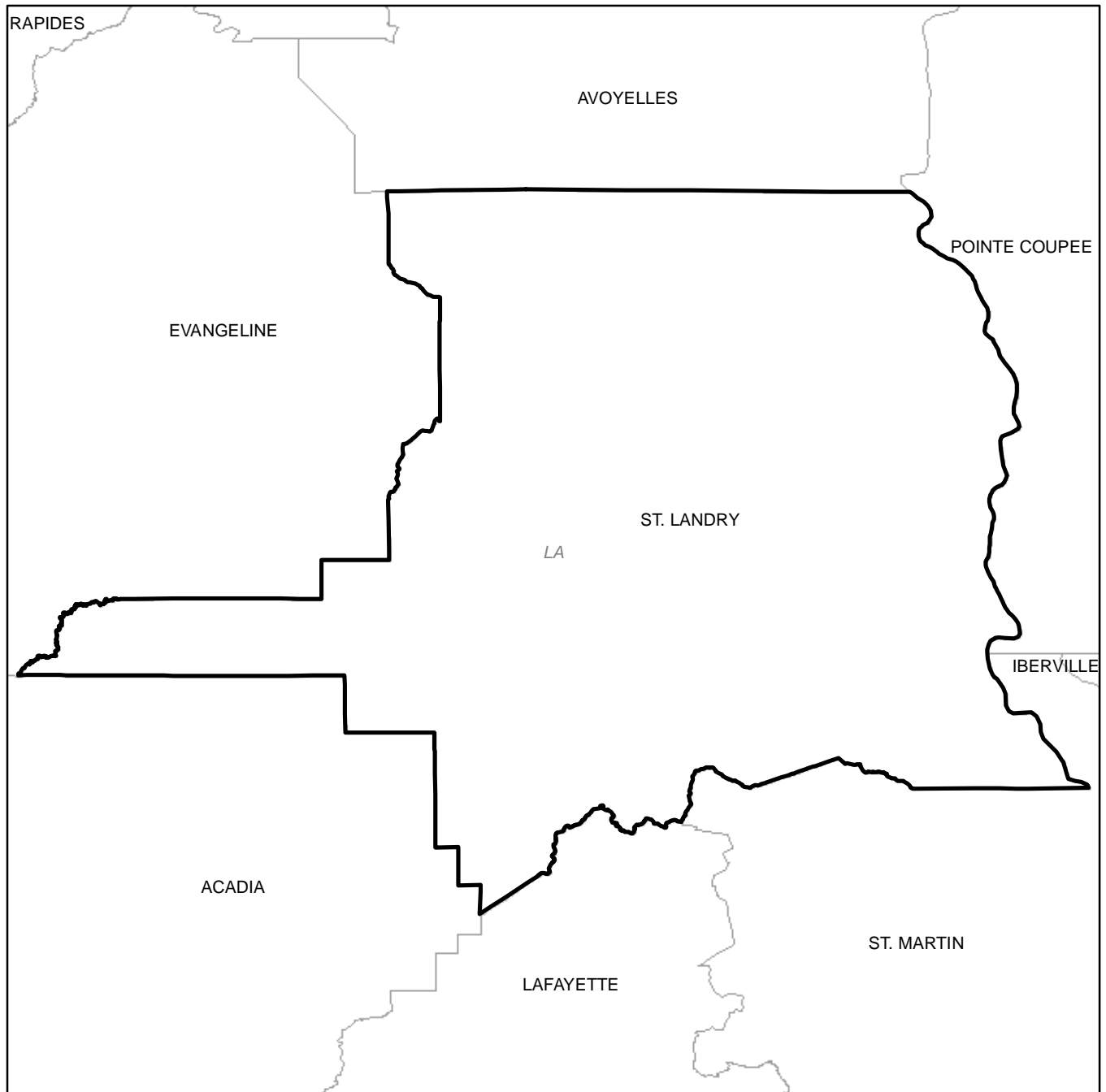
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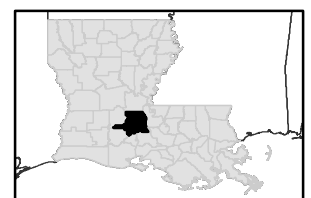
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ST. LANDRY lost to creation of EVANGELINE.

939 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1910, Reg. Sess., pp. 23-28)





ST. MARTIN

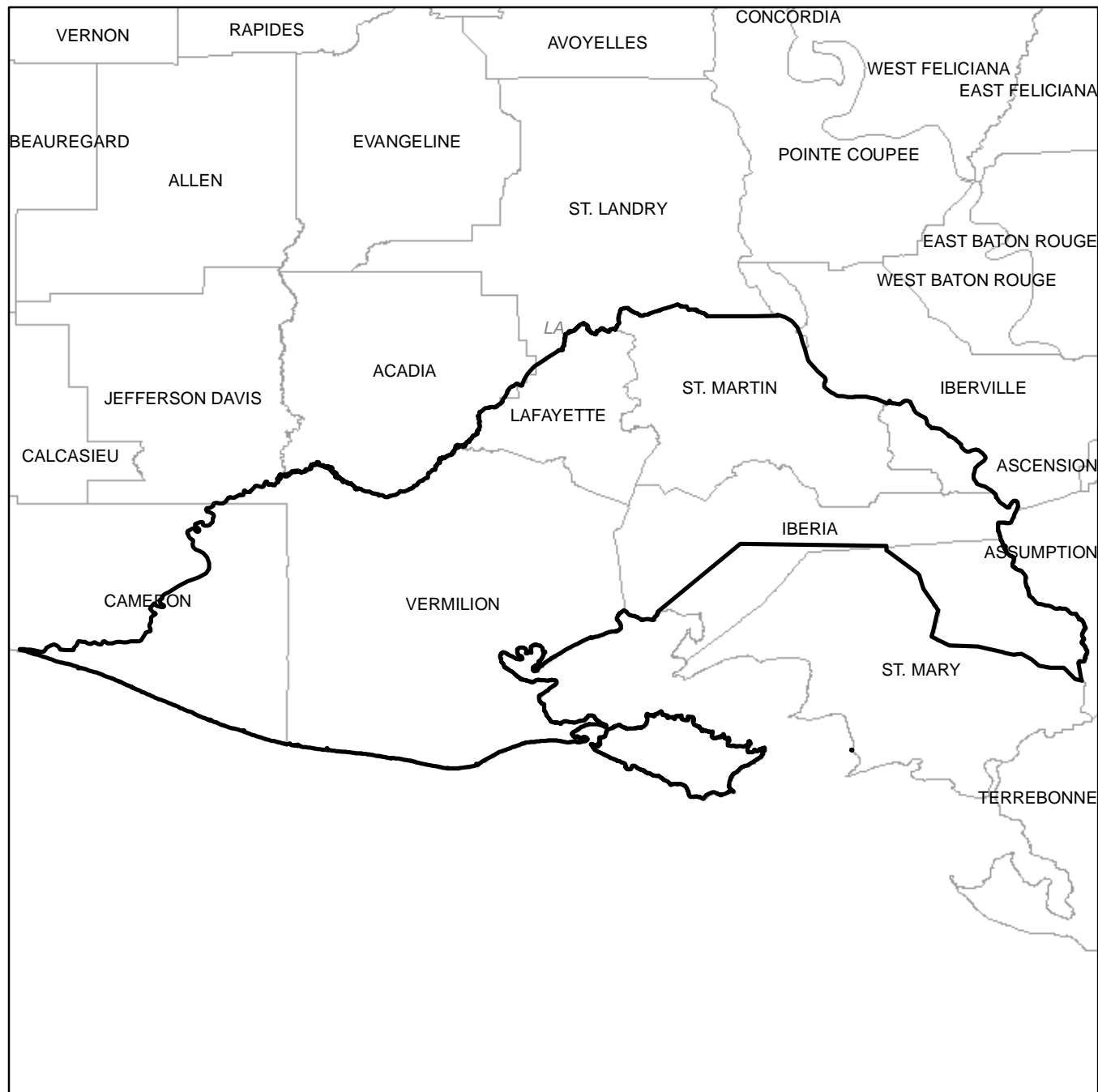
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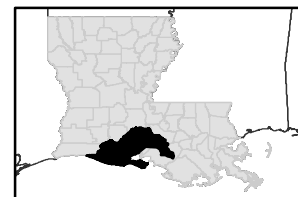
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ST. MARTIN Parish created within Attakapas County from ATTAKAPAS Parish.
ATTAKAPAS Parish eliminated.

3,380 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 24/pp. 104-106)





ST. MARTIN

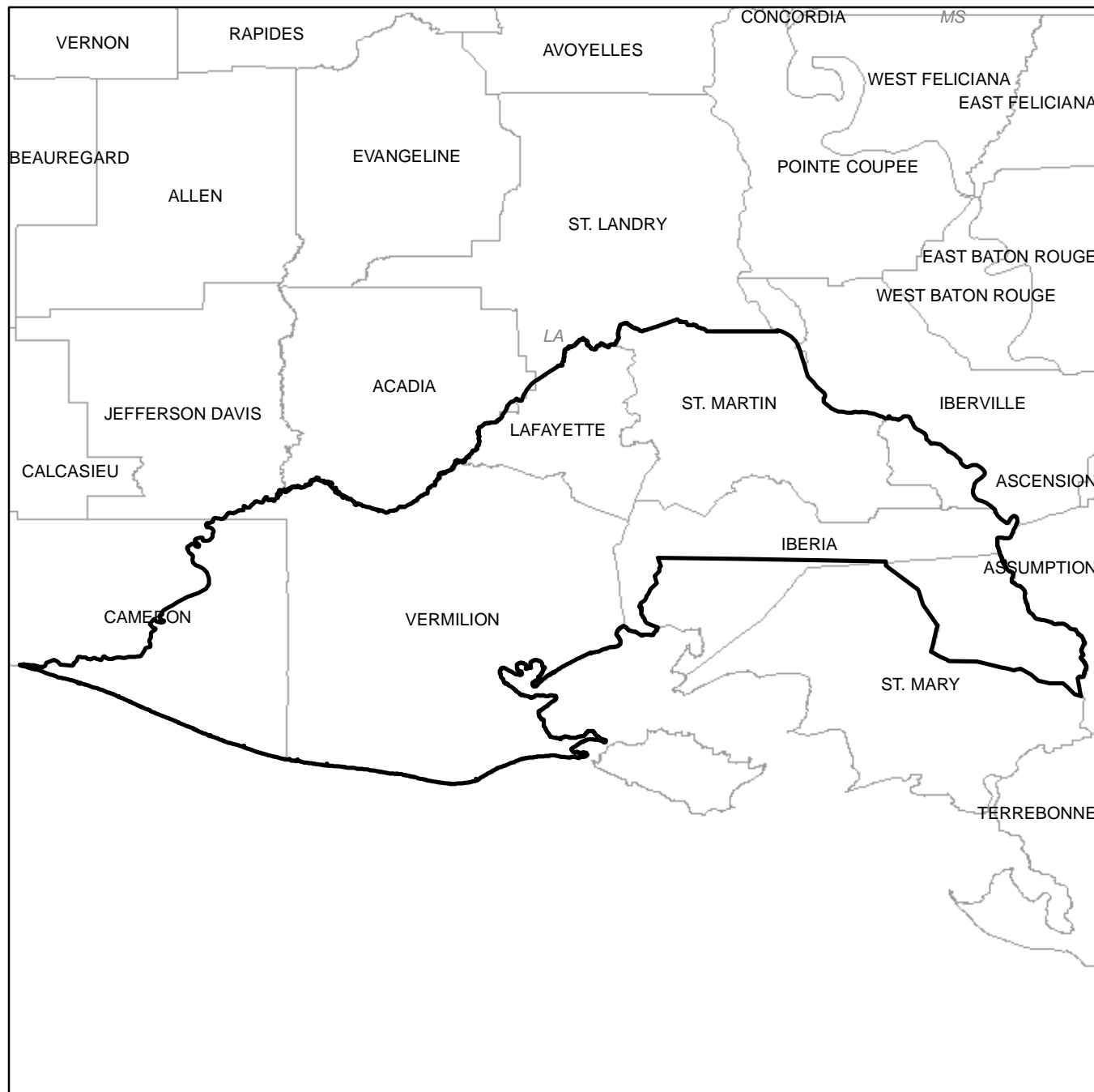
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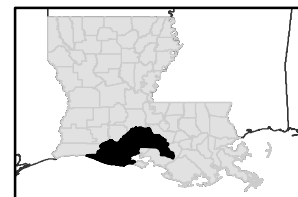
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ST. MARTIN lost to ST. MARY.

3,216 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1812-1813, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., p. 134)





ST. MARTIN

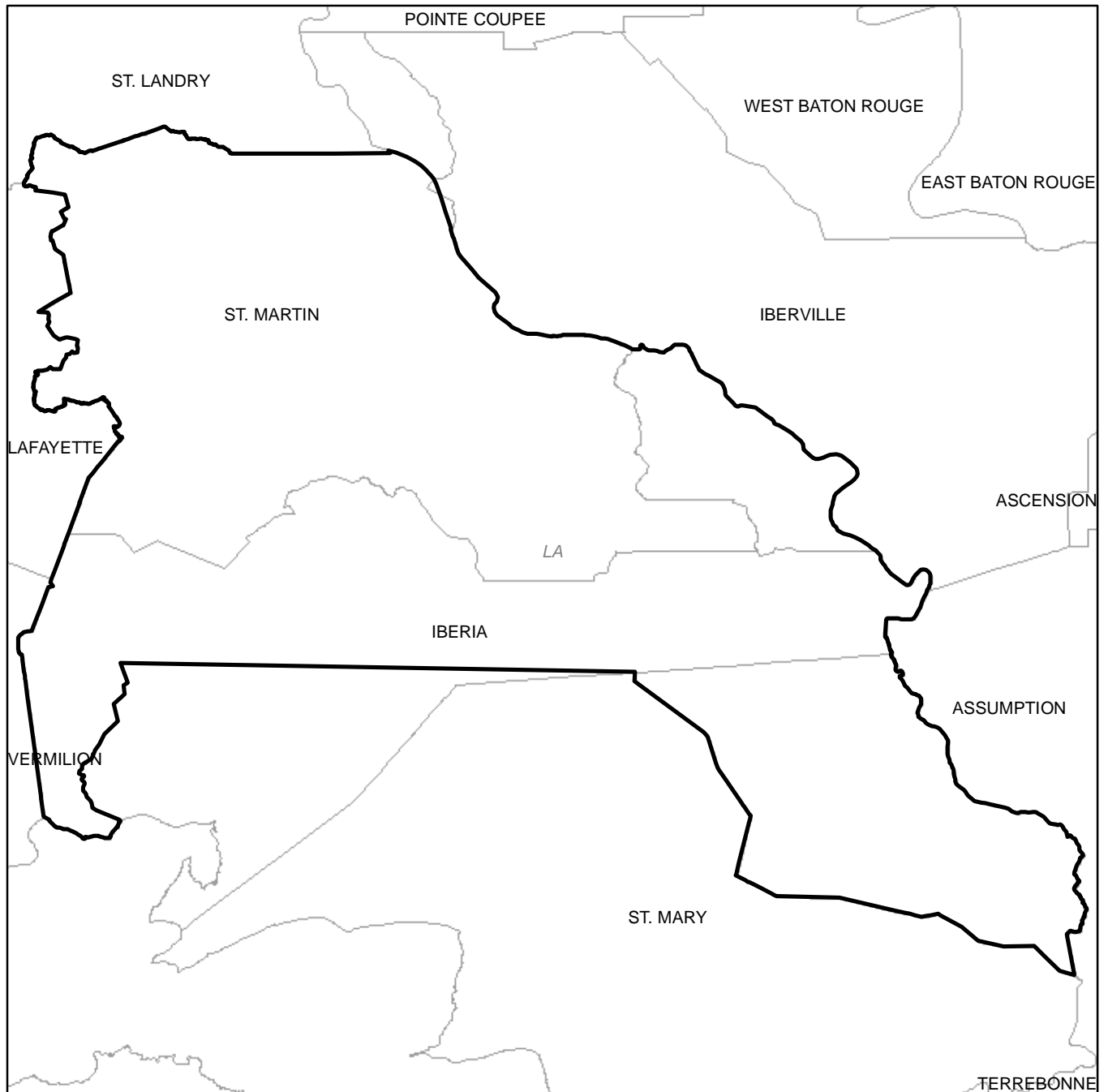
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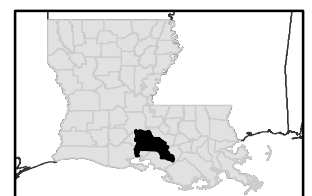
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ST. MARTIN lost to creation of LAFAYETTE.

1,213 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1823, 6th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 6-10)





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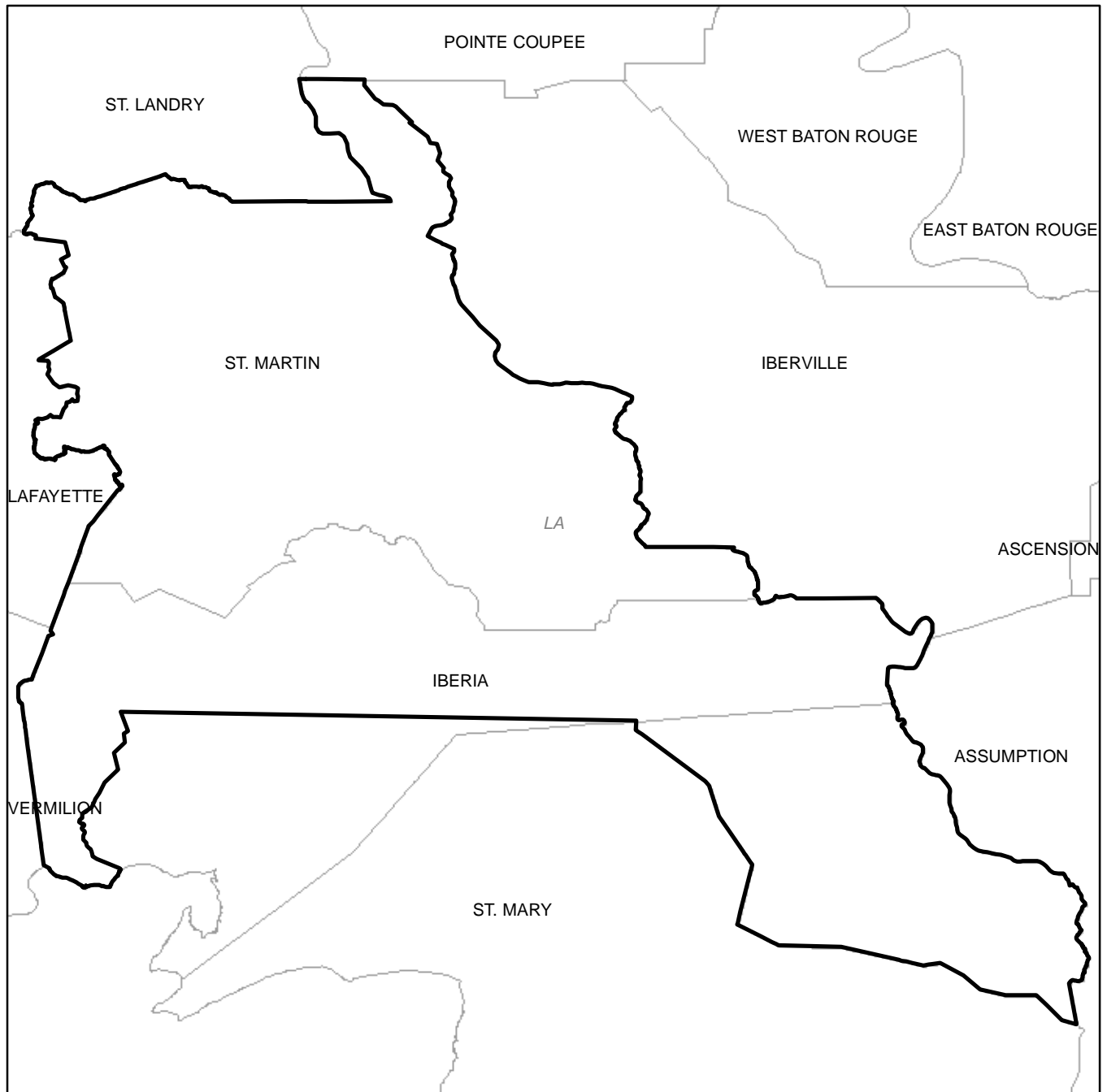
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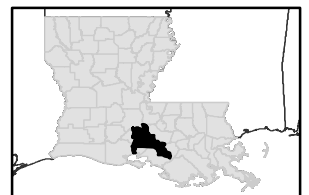
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ST. MARTIN exchanged with IBERVILLE.

1,168 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1847, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 95-96)





ST. MARTIN

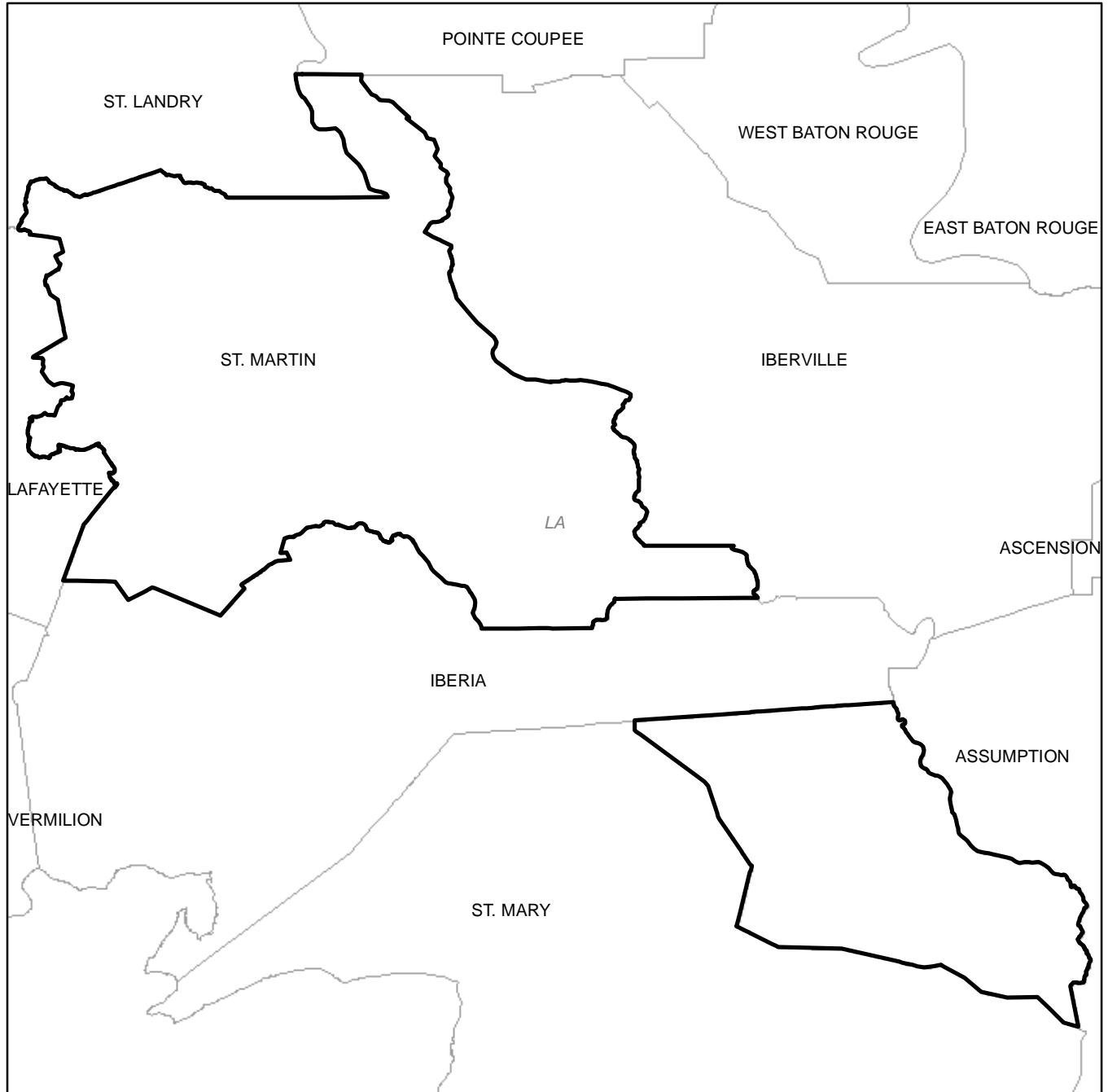
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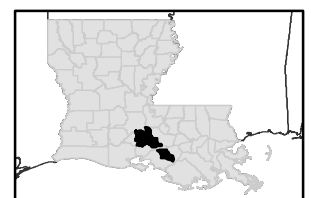
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ST. MARTIN lost to creation of IBERIA. The IBERIA creation cut through ST. MARTIN, resulting in the two-part configuration of the modern parish.

816 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1868, 1st Leg., 1st sess., pp. 272-273)





ST. MARY

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4/17/1811 - 3/19/1813

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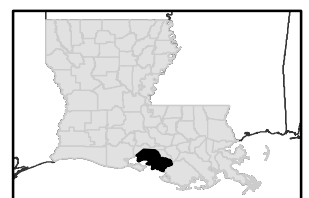
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ST. MARY Parish created within Attakapas County from ATTAKAPAS Parish.
ATTAKAPAS Parish eliminated.

800 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 24/pp. 104-106)





ST. MARY

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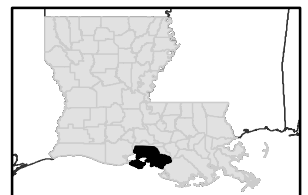
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ST. MARY gained from ST. MARTIN.

964 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1812-1813, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., p. 134)





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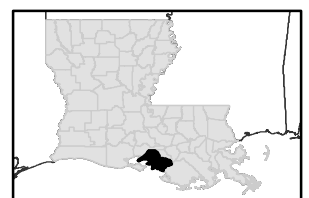
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ST. MARY lost to creation of IBERIA.

689 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1868, 1st Leg., 1st sess., pp. 272-273)





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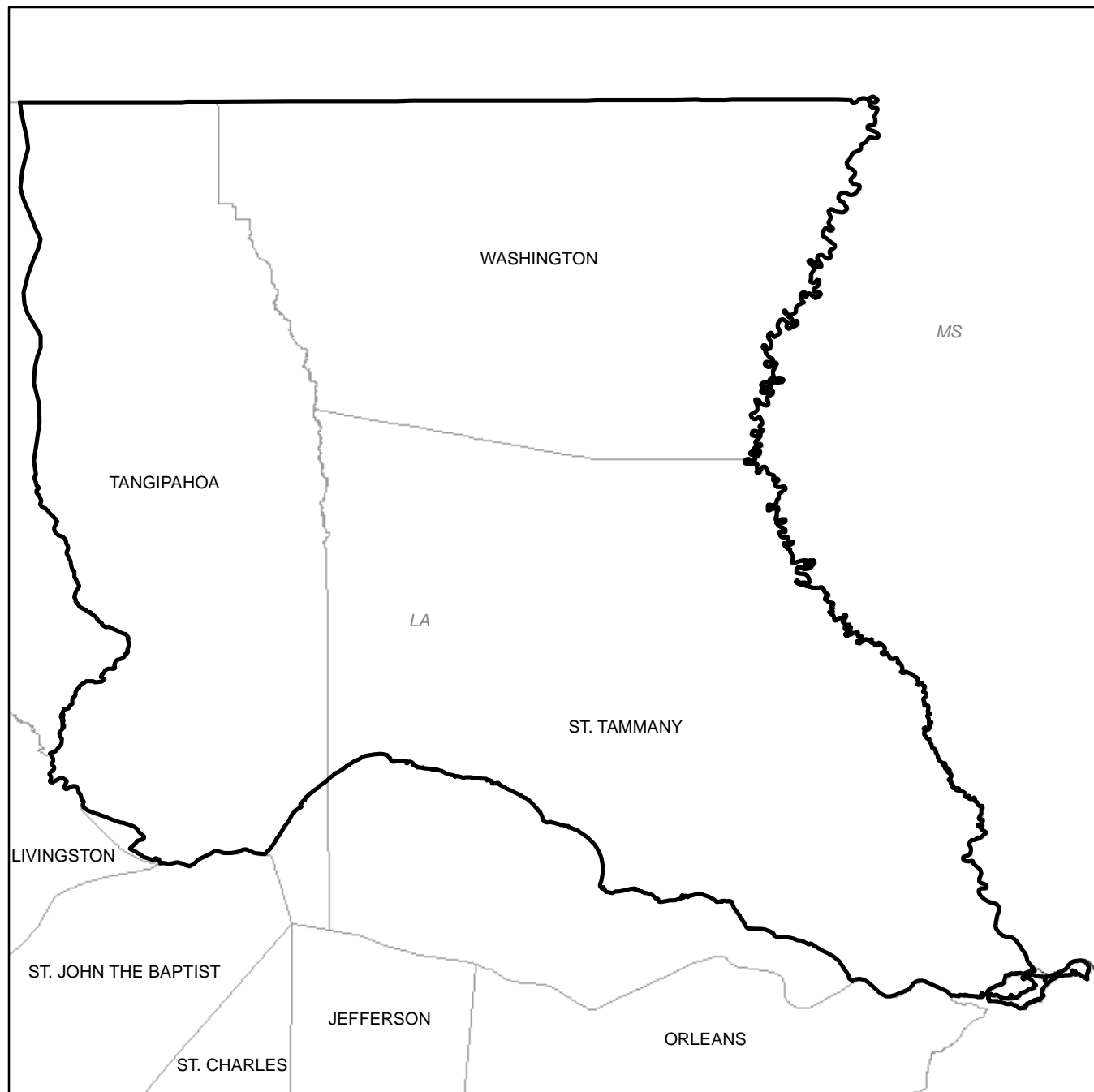
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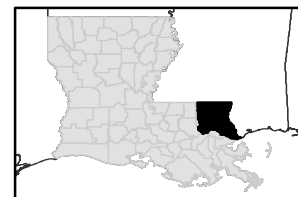
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ST. TAMMANY Parish created by proclamation of the Territorial Governor from non-parish area within Feliciana County.

2,201 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr., Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./pp. 210, 212; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





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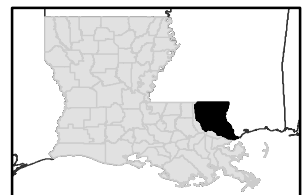
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ST. TAMMANY lost to ST. HELENA.

1,978 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 28/pp. 120-124)





ST. TAMMANY

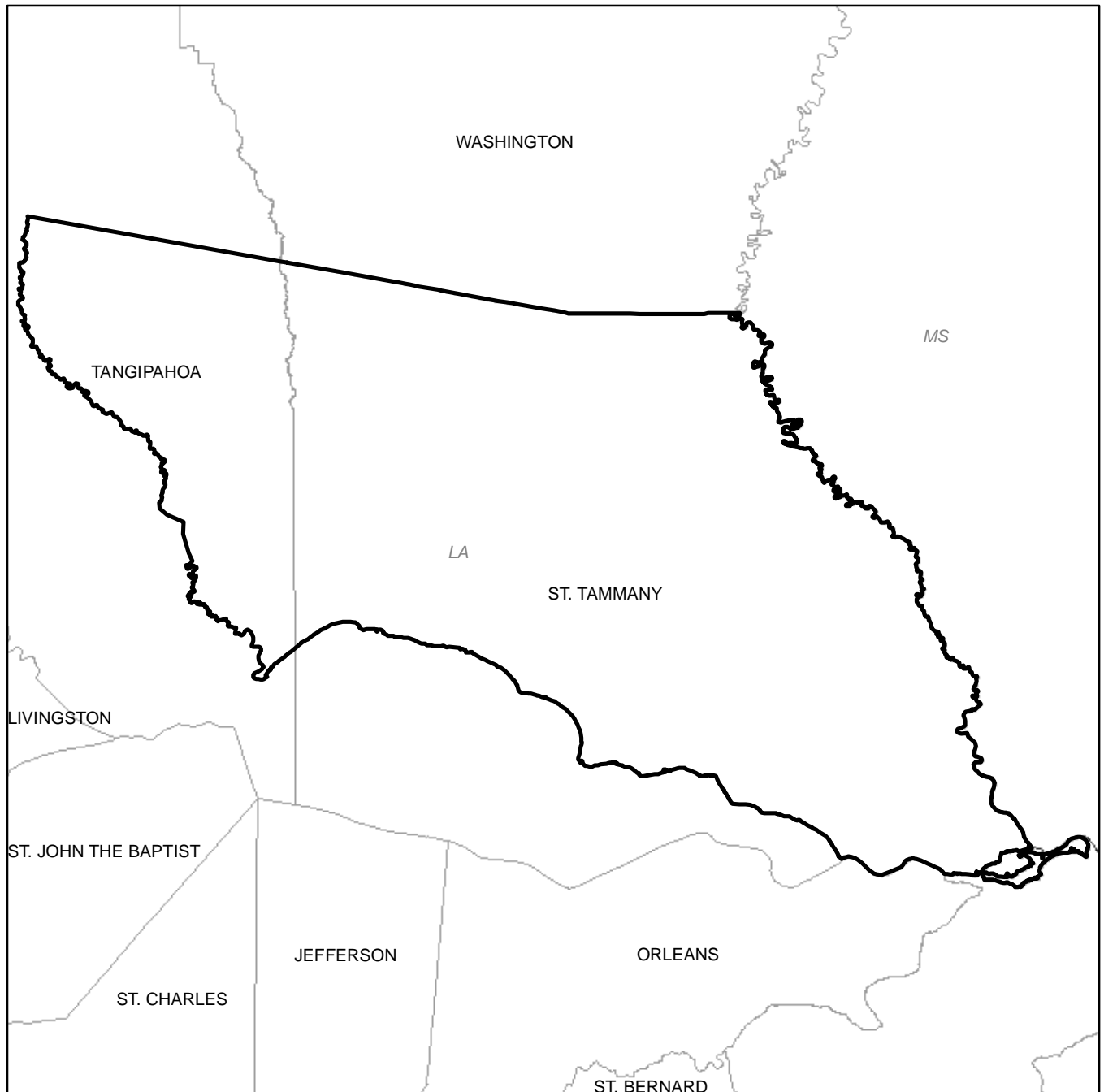
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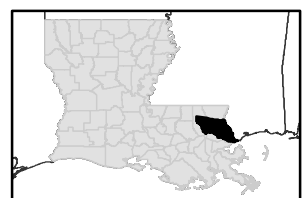
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ST. TAMMANY lost to creation of WASHINGTON.

1,108 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1819, 4th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 80-82)





ST. TAMMANY

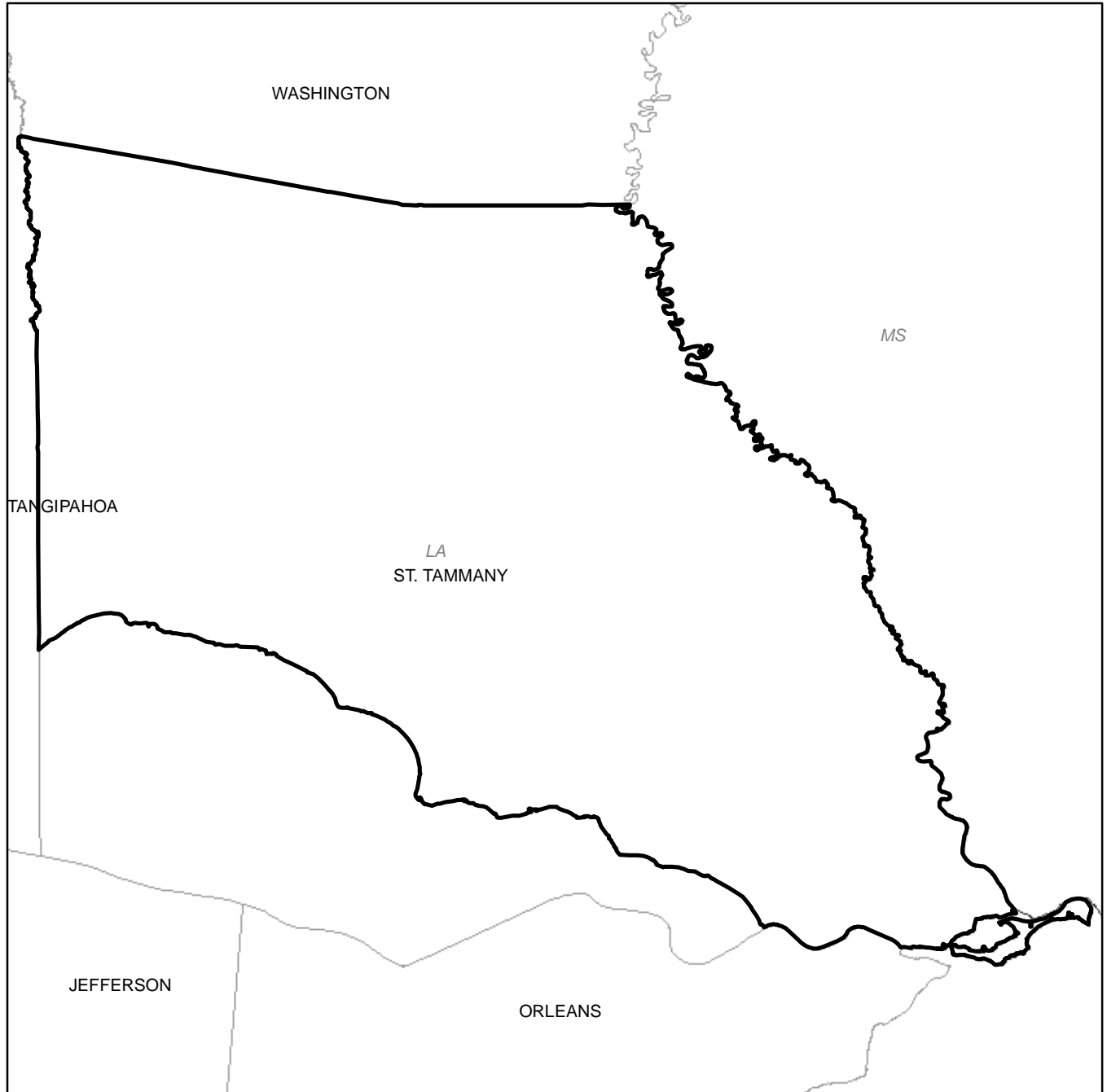
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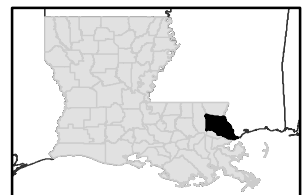
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ST. TAMMANY lost to creation of TANGIPAHOA.

875 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1869, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 83-86)





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7/20/1979 - 12/31/2000

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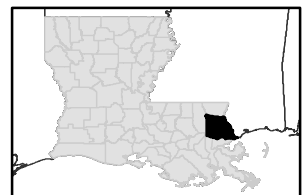
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ST. TAMMANY gained when boundaries through Lake Pontchartrain were defined.

1,110 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1979, vol. 2, Reg. Sess., pp. 2042, 2043-2044)





TANGIPAHOA

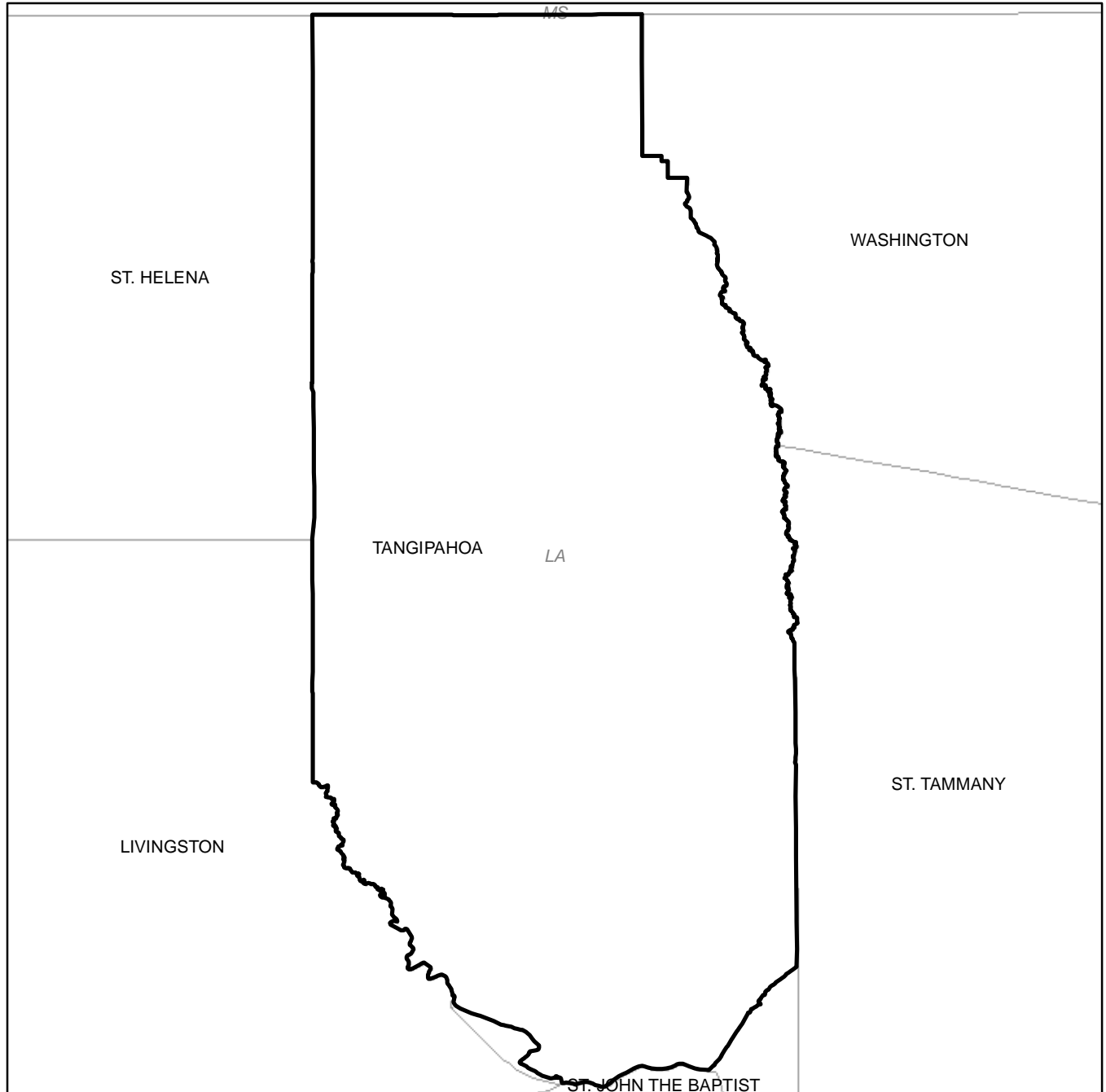
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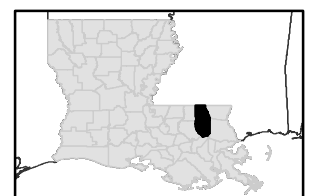
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TANGIPAHOA created from LIVINGSTON, ST. HELENA, ST. TAMMANY, and WASHINGTON.

798 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1869, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 83-86)





TANGIPAHOA

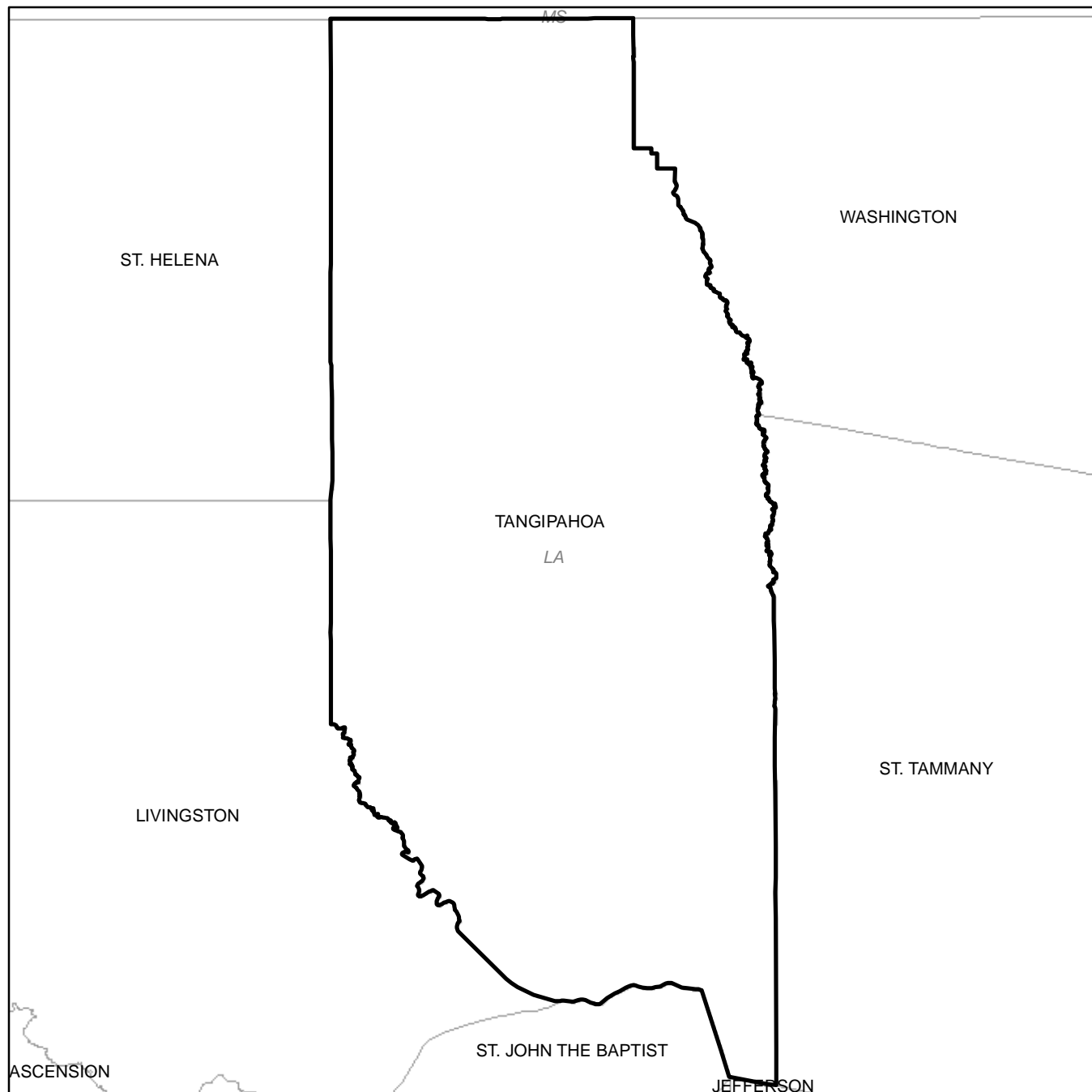
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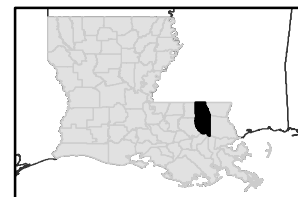
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TANGIPAHOA gained when boundaries through Lake Maurepas and Lake Pontchartrain were defined.

823 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1979, Reg. Sess., pp. 2042, 2046-2049)





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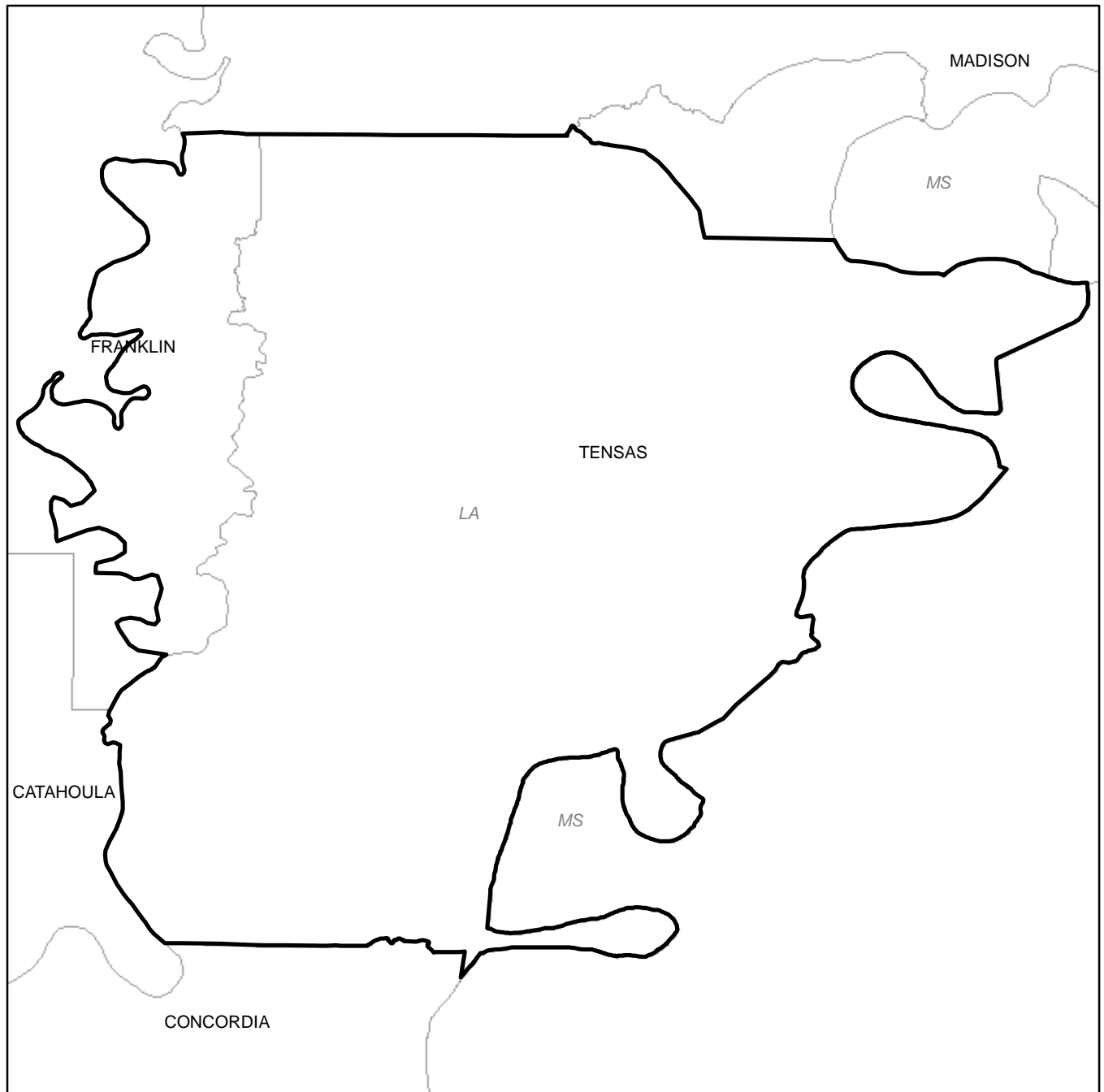
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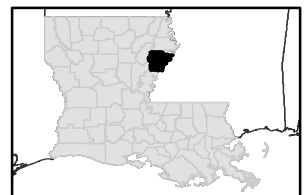
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TENSAS created from CONCORDIA and MADISON.

684 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1843, 16th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 35-38)





TENSAS

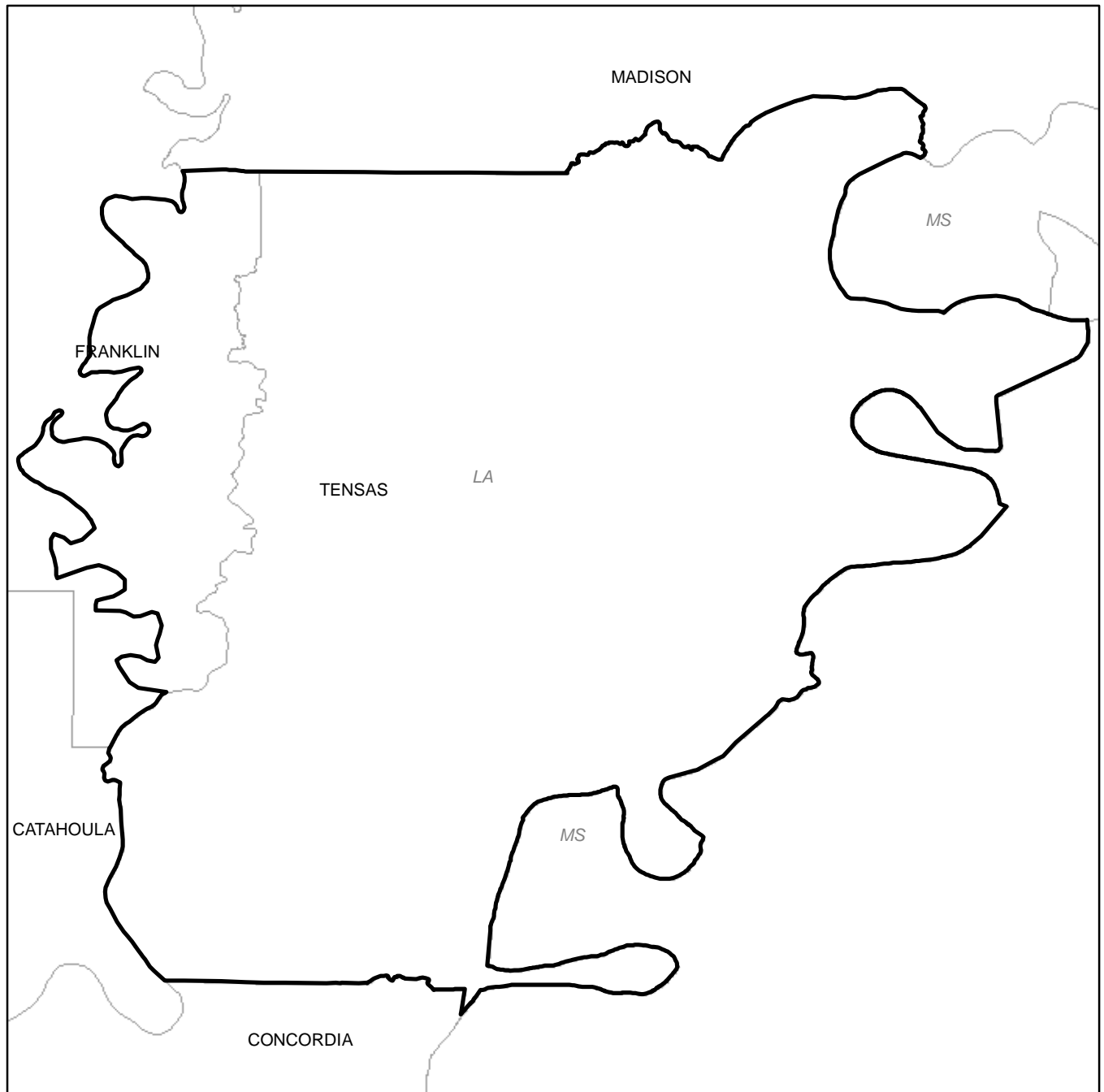
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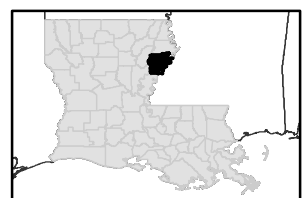
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TENSAS gained from MADISON.

727 sq. mi.

(La. Laws 1861, 5th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 161-162)





TENSAS

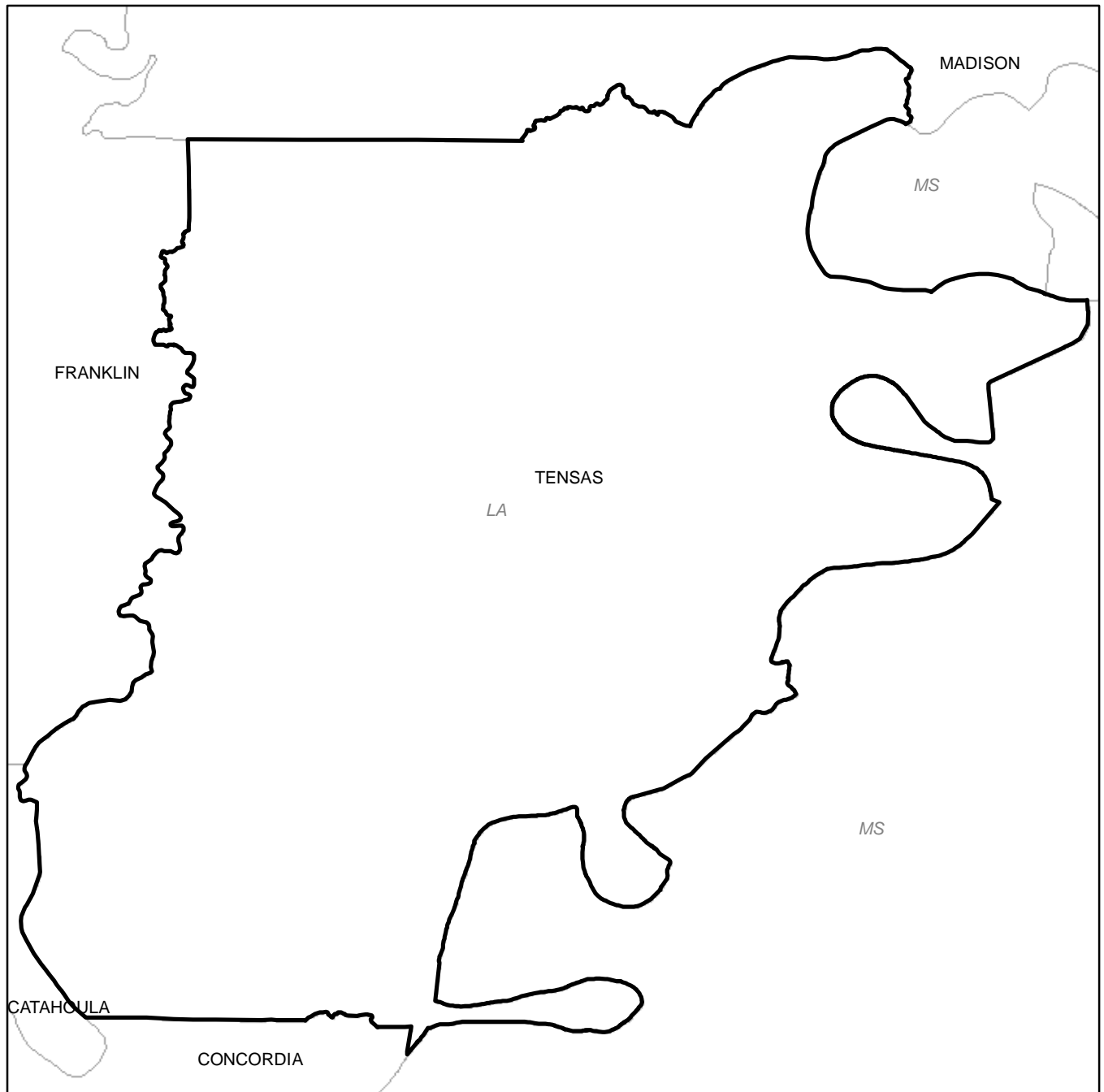
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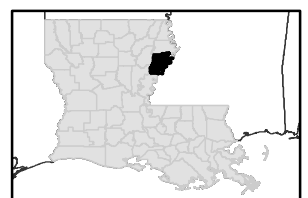
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TENSAS lost to FRANKLIN.

641 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1870, 1st Leg., extra sess., pp. 189-190)





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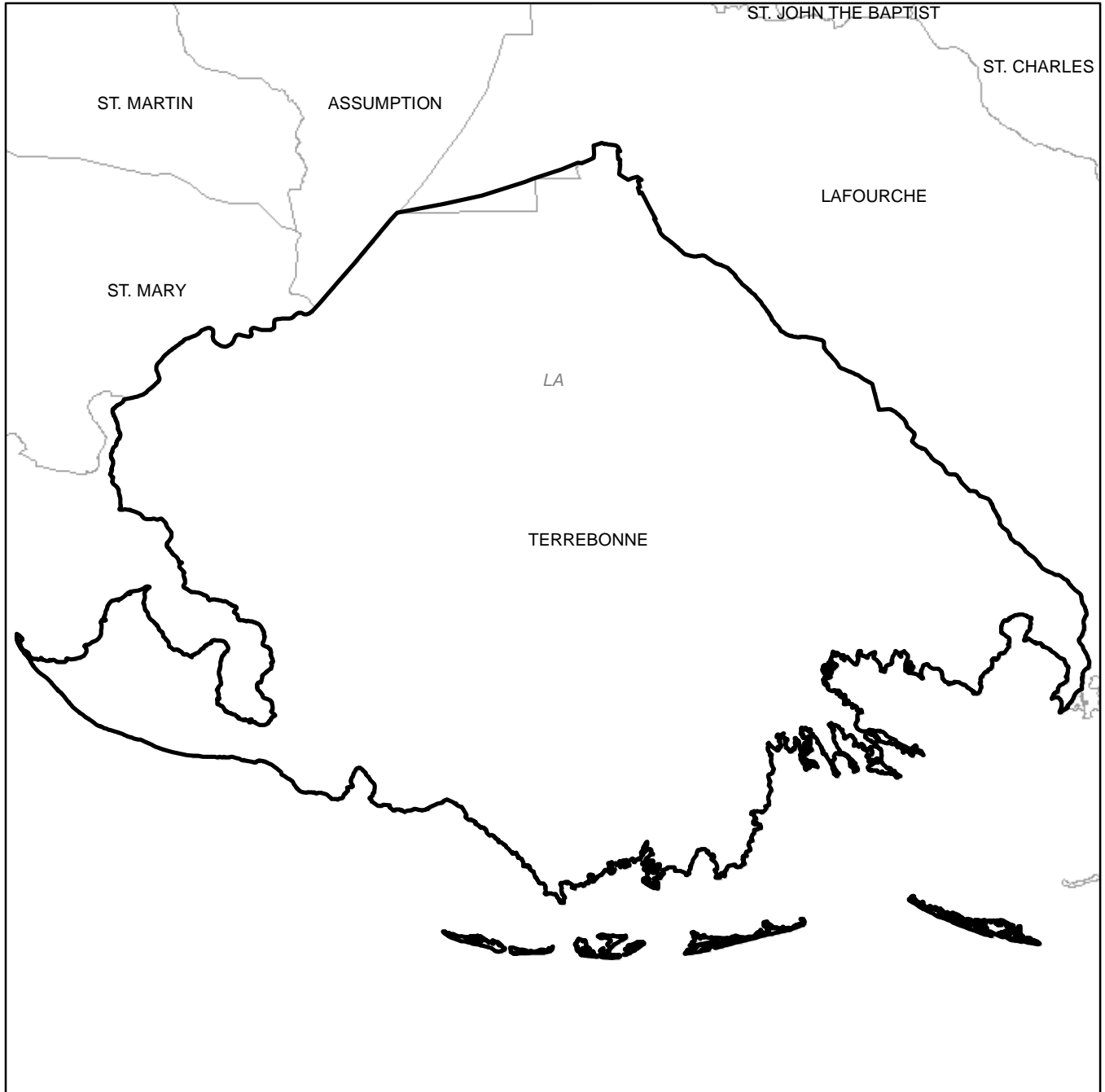
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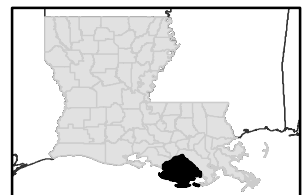
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TERREBONNE created from LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE).

1,489 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1822, 5th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 74-76)





TERREBONNE

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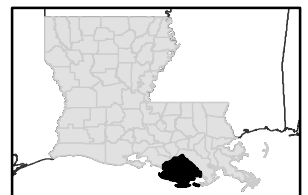
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TERREBONNE lost to LAFOURCHE INTERIOR (now LAFOURCHE).

1,481 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1850, 3rd Leg., p. 68)





UNION

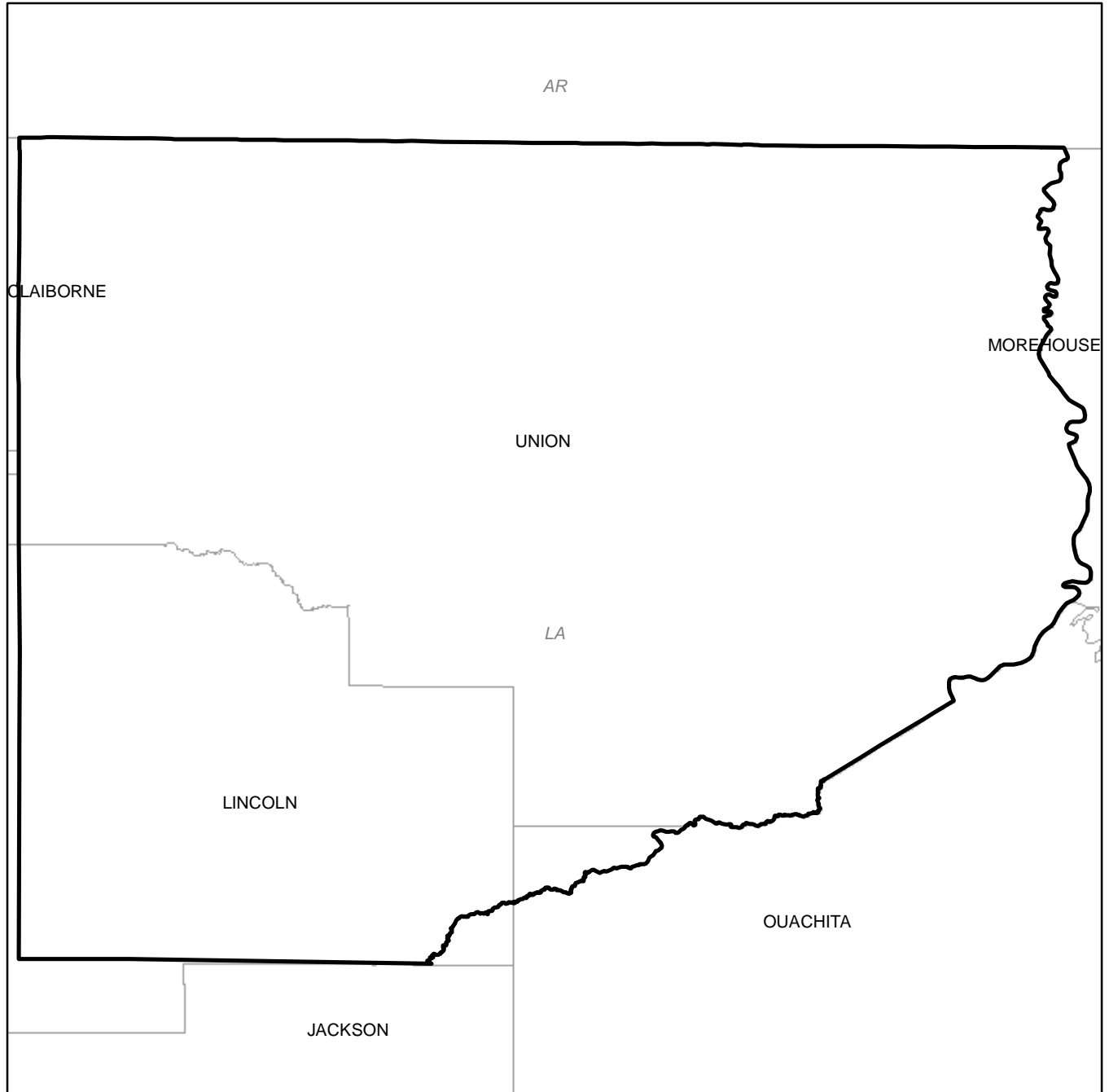
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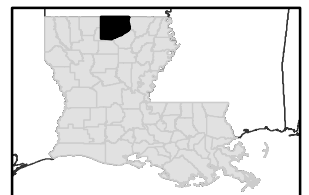
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1,193 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1839, 14th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 22-26)





UNION

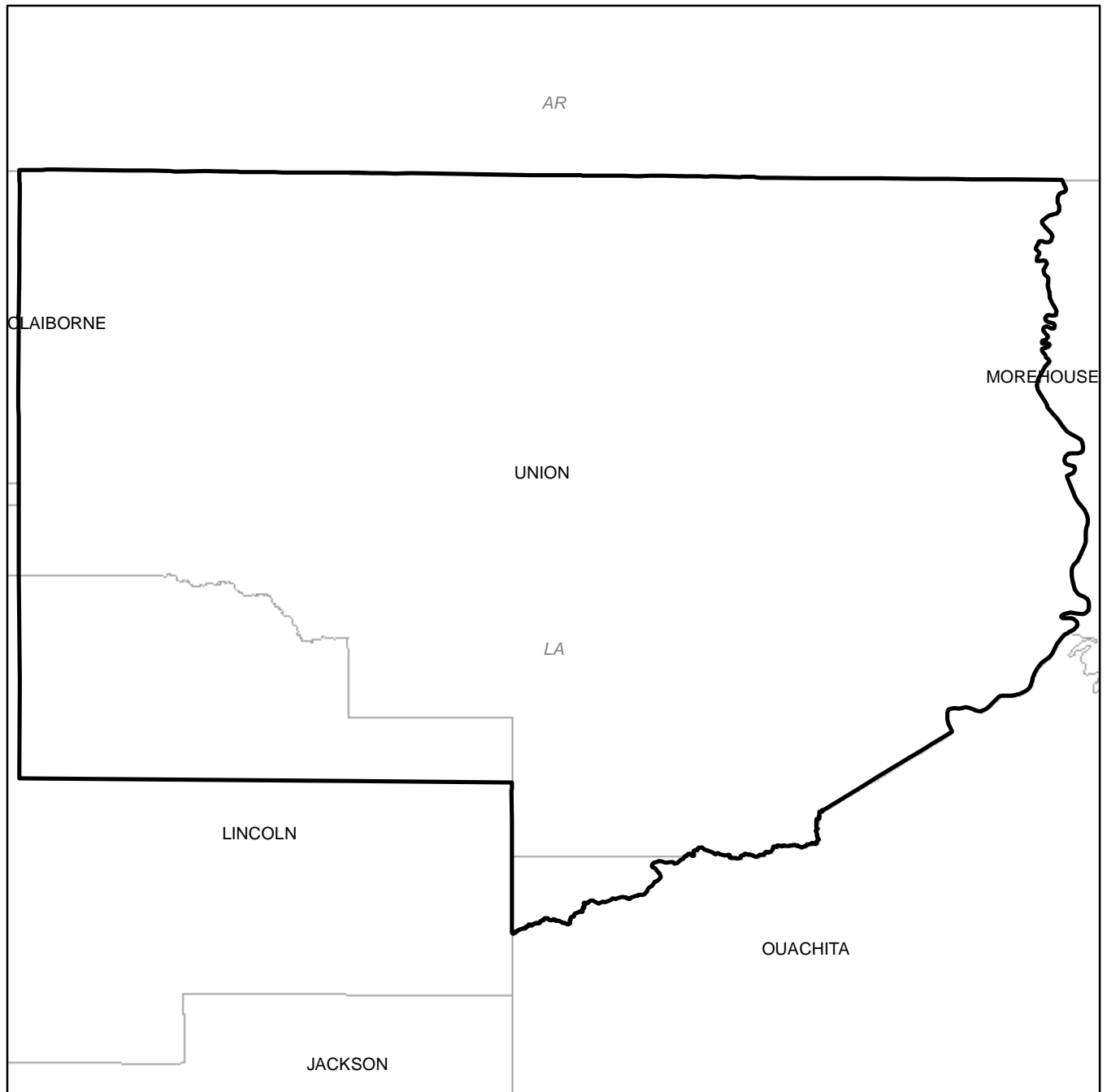
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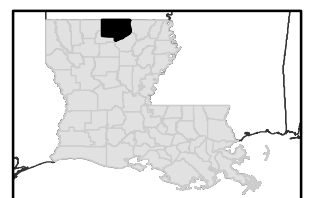
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UNION lost to creation of JACKSON.

1,033 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1845, 17th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 16-19)





UNION

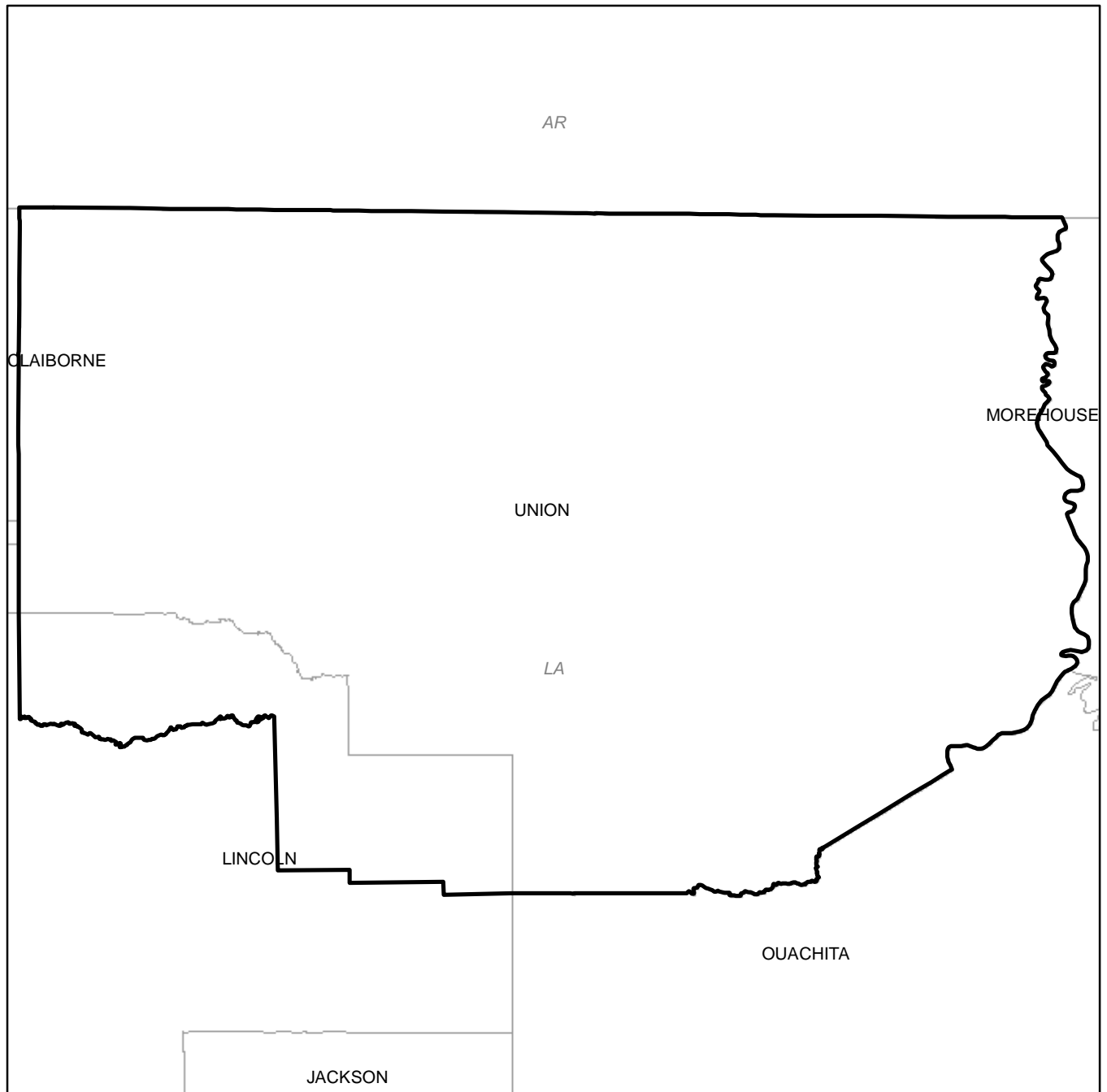
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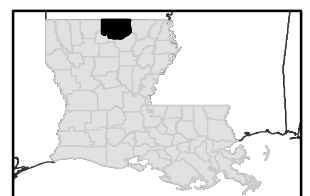
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UNION lost to OUACHITA.

1,007 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1846, 1st Leg., 1st sess., pp. 159-160)





UNION

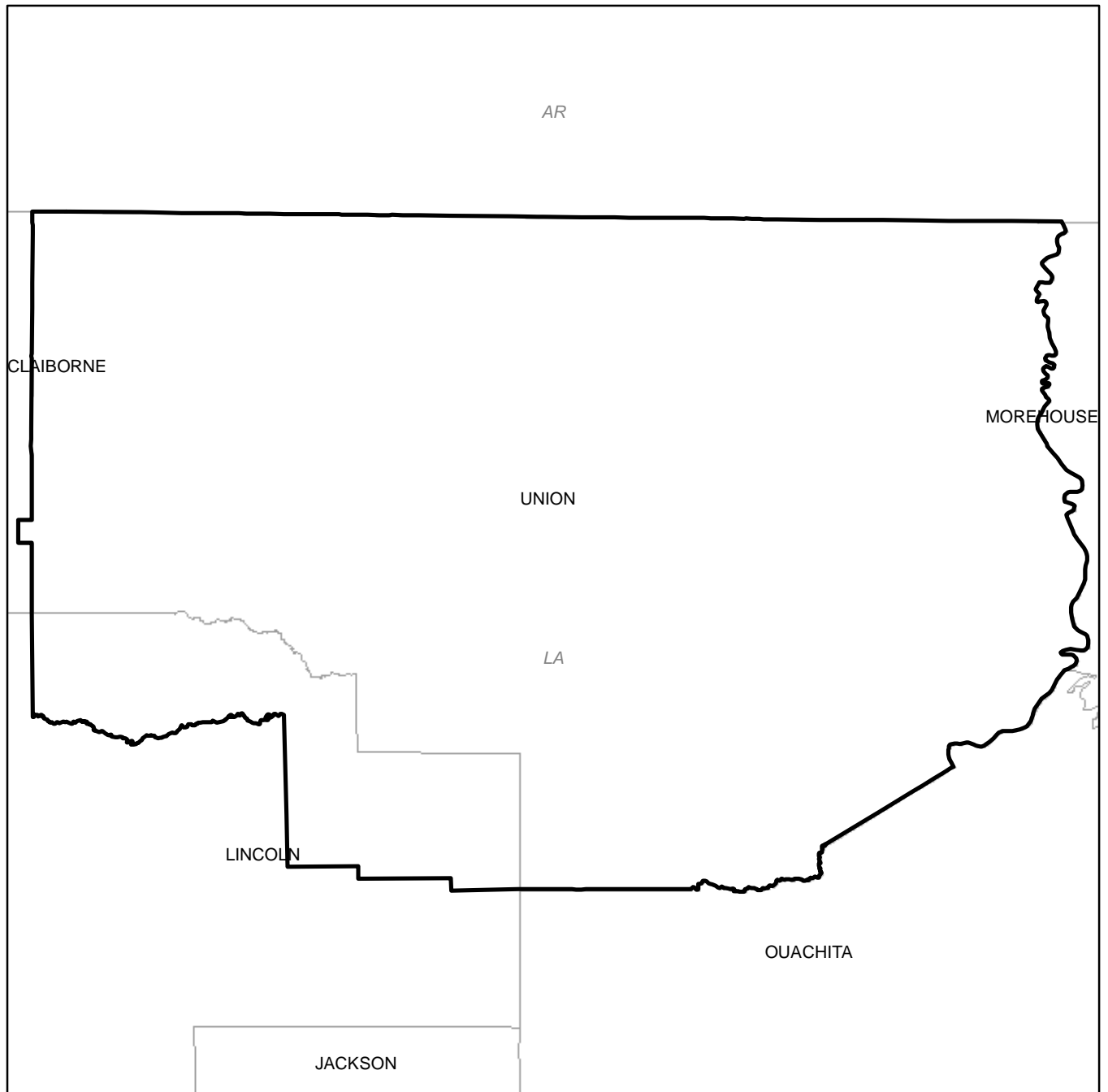
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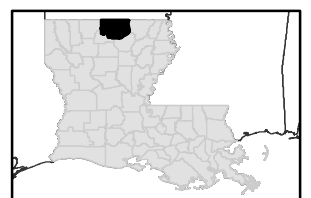
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UNION gained from CLAIBORNE.

1,008 sq. mi.

(La. Laws 1867, 2nd Leg., 2nd sess., p. 201)





UNION

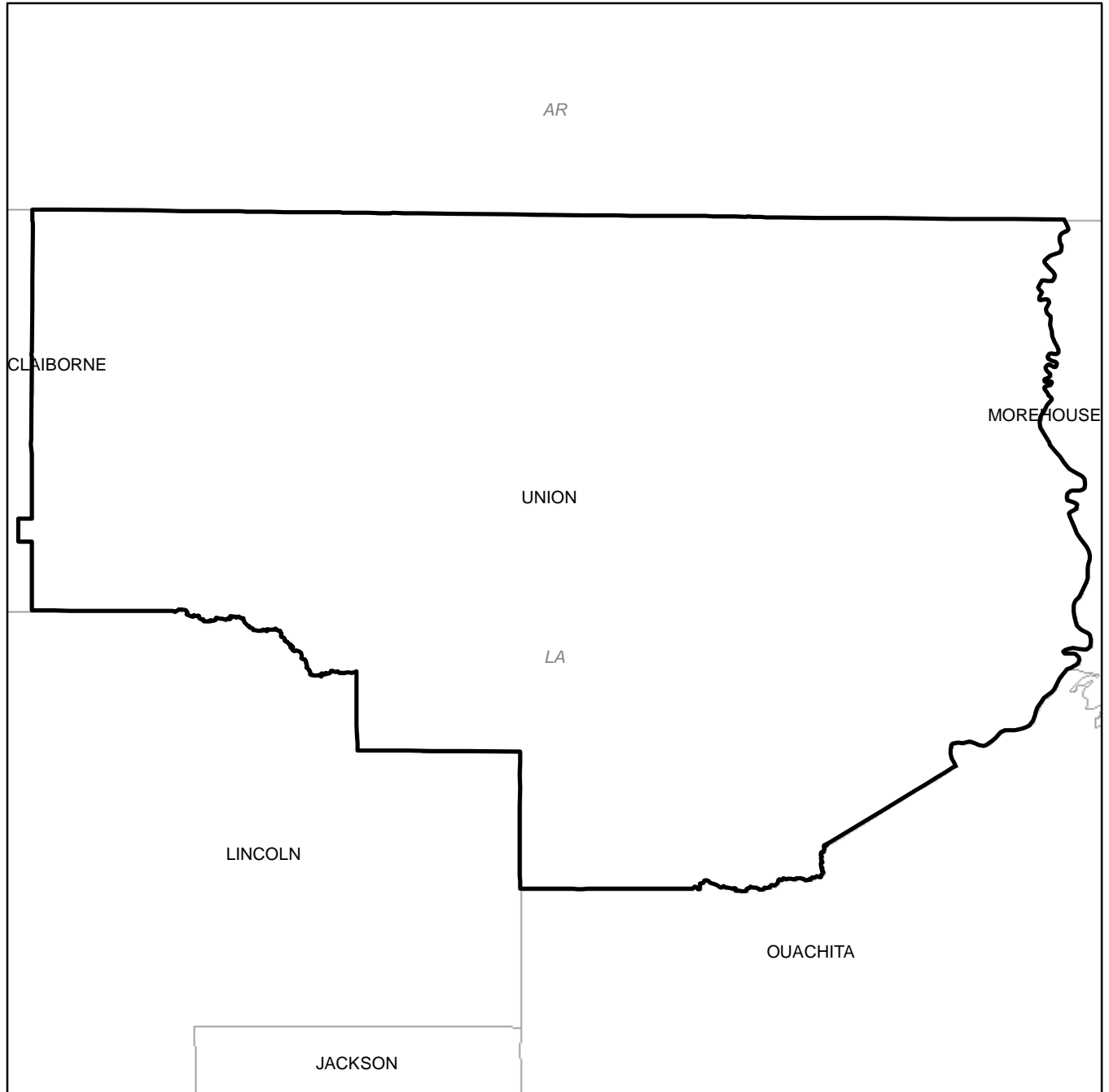
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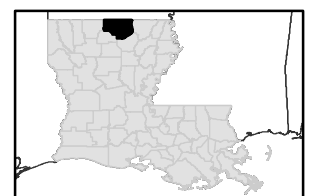
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UNION lost to creation of LINCOLN.

905 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1873, 3rd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 67-70)





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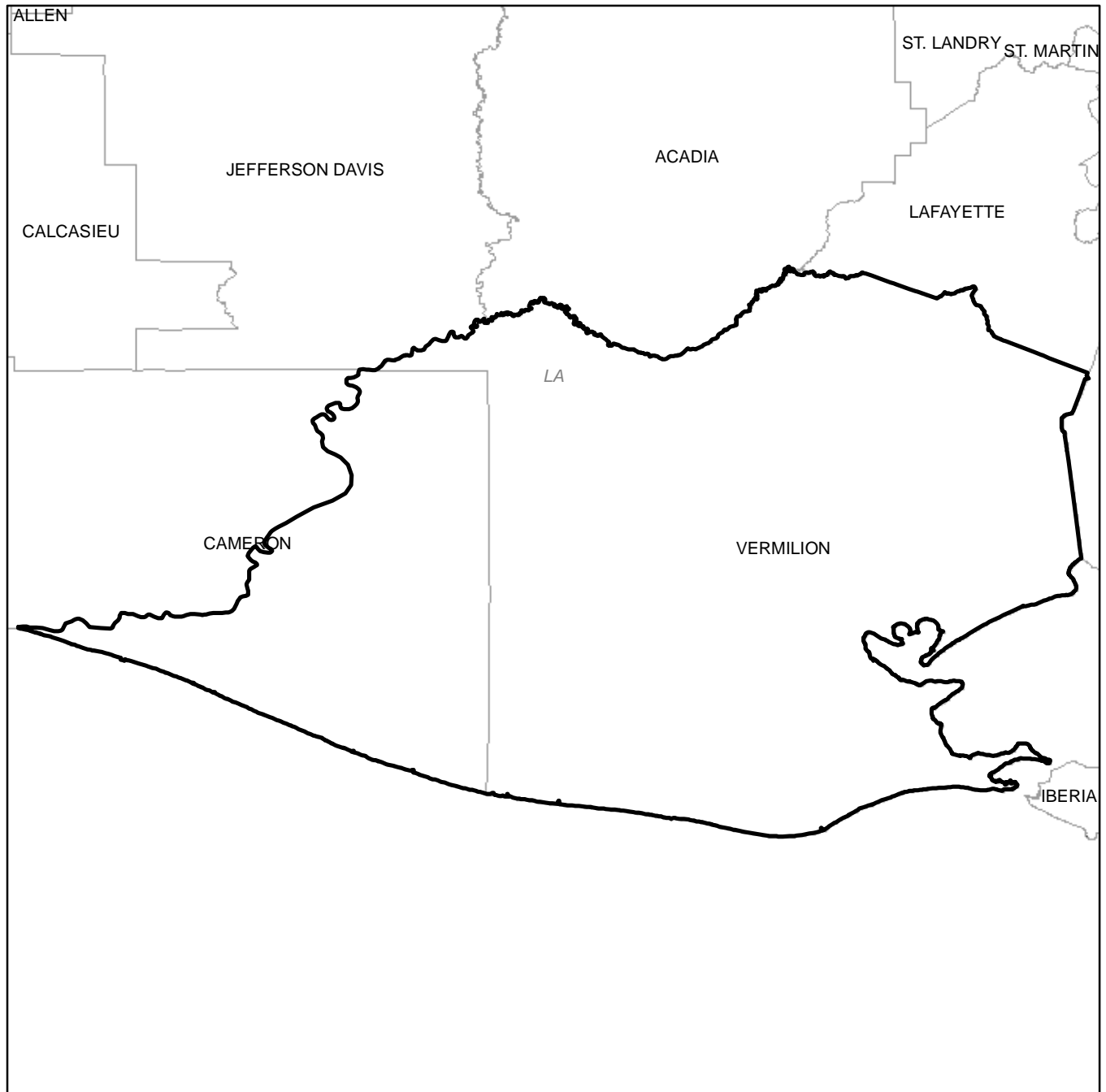
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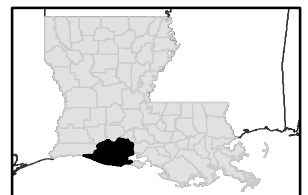
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1,731 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1844, 16th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 45-47)





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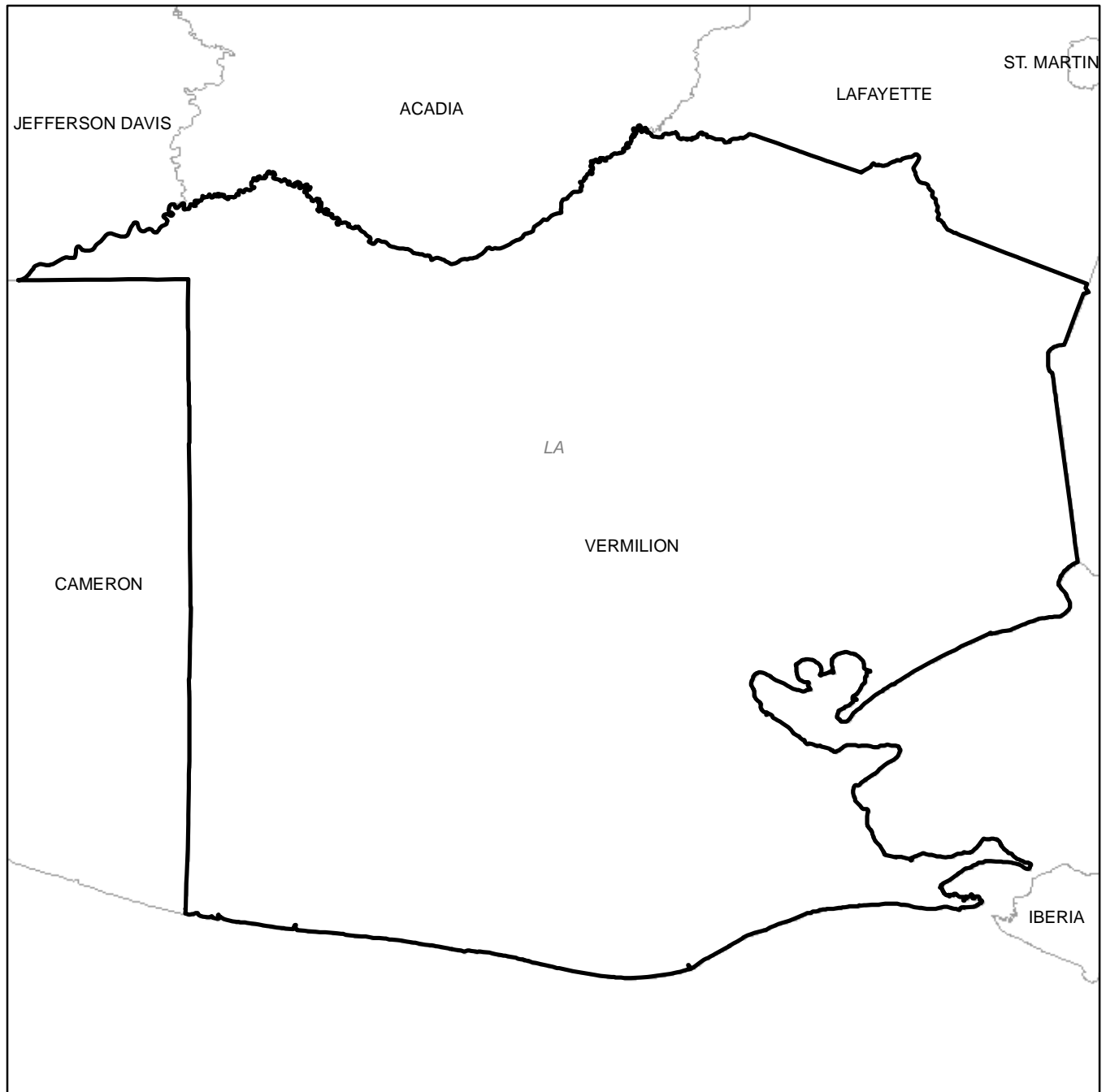
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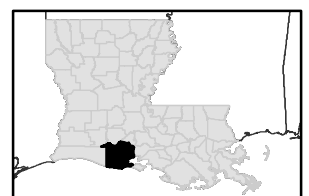
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VERMILION lost to creation of CAMERON.

1,301 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1870, 1st Leg., 3rd sess., pp. 168-169)





VERNON

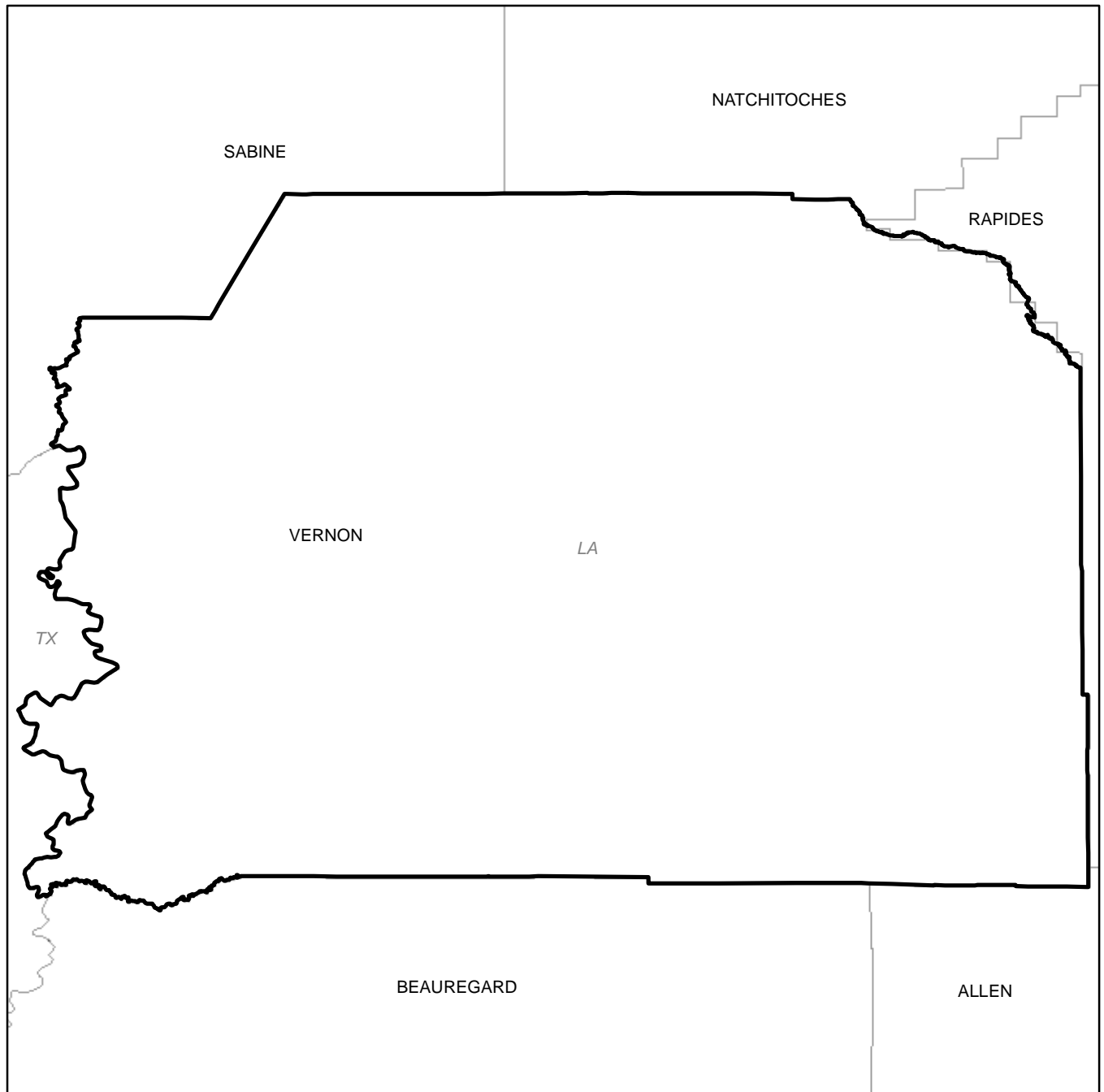
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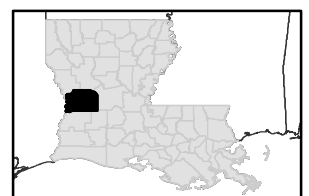
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VERNON created from NATCHITOCHES, RAPIDES, and SABINE.

1,342 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 175-176)





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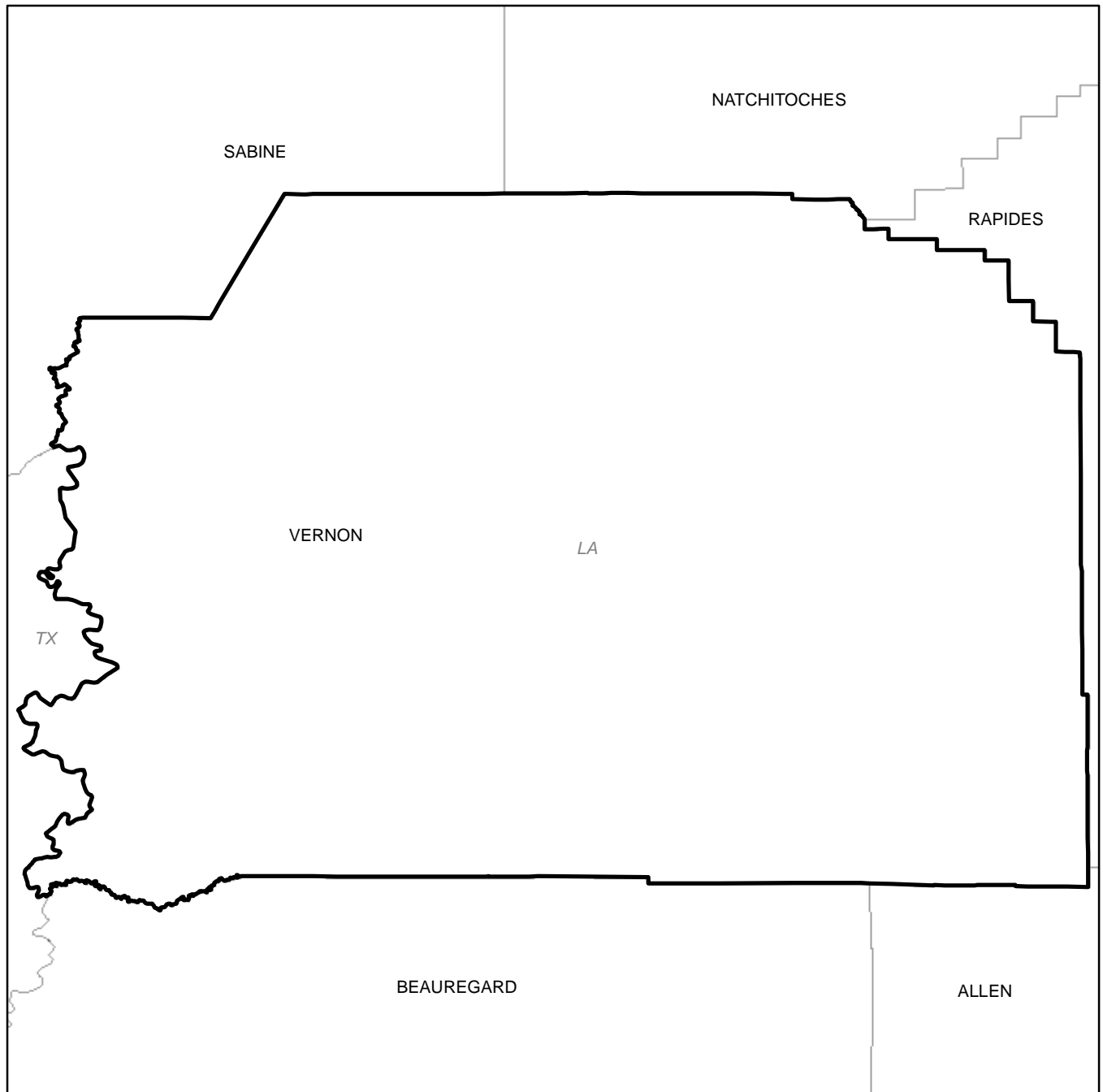
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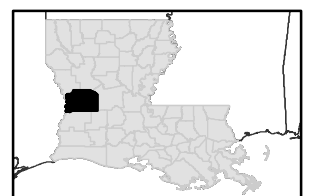
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VERNON exchanged with RAPIDES.

1,342 sq. mi.

(Natchitoches Parish Police Jury. Correspondence, 8 Aug 2008; Rapides Parish Police Jury. Correspondence, 15 Aug 2008; Rapides Parish Police Jury Minutes





WARREN (extinct)

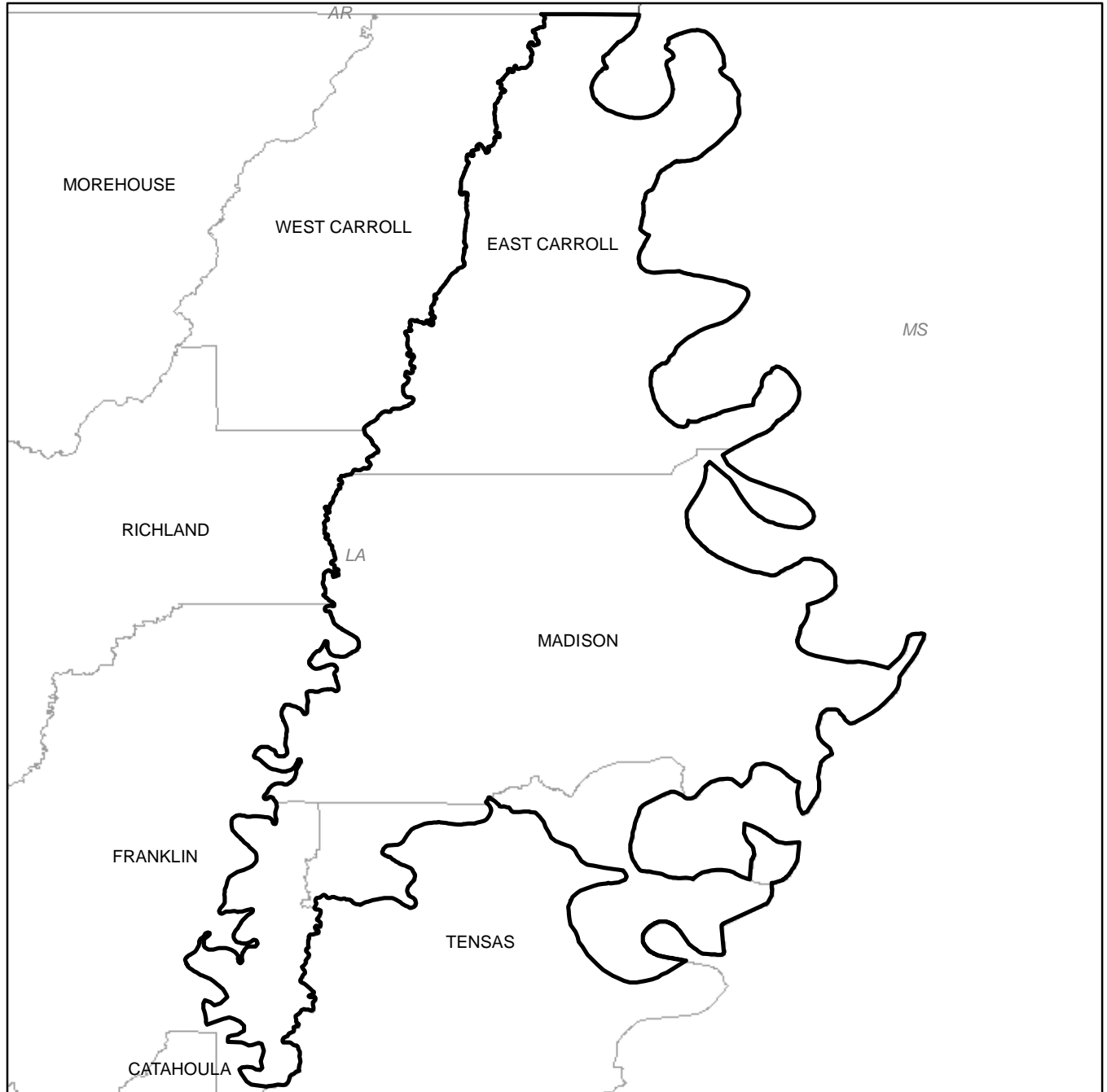
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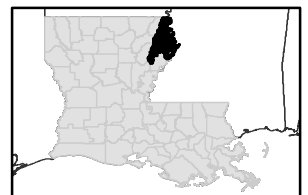
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WARREN (extinct) created from CONCORDIA and OUACHITA.

1,326 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 10/pp. 34-40)





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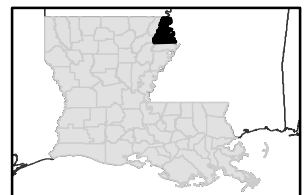
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WARREN (extinct) lost to CONCORDIA.

672 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1812-1813, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., p.140)





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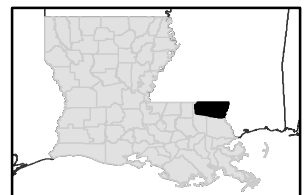
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WASHINGTON created from ST. TAMMANY.

871 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1819, 4th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 80-82)





WASHINGTON

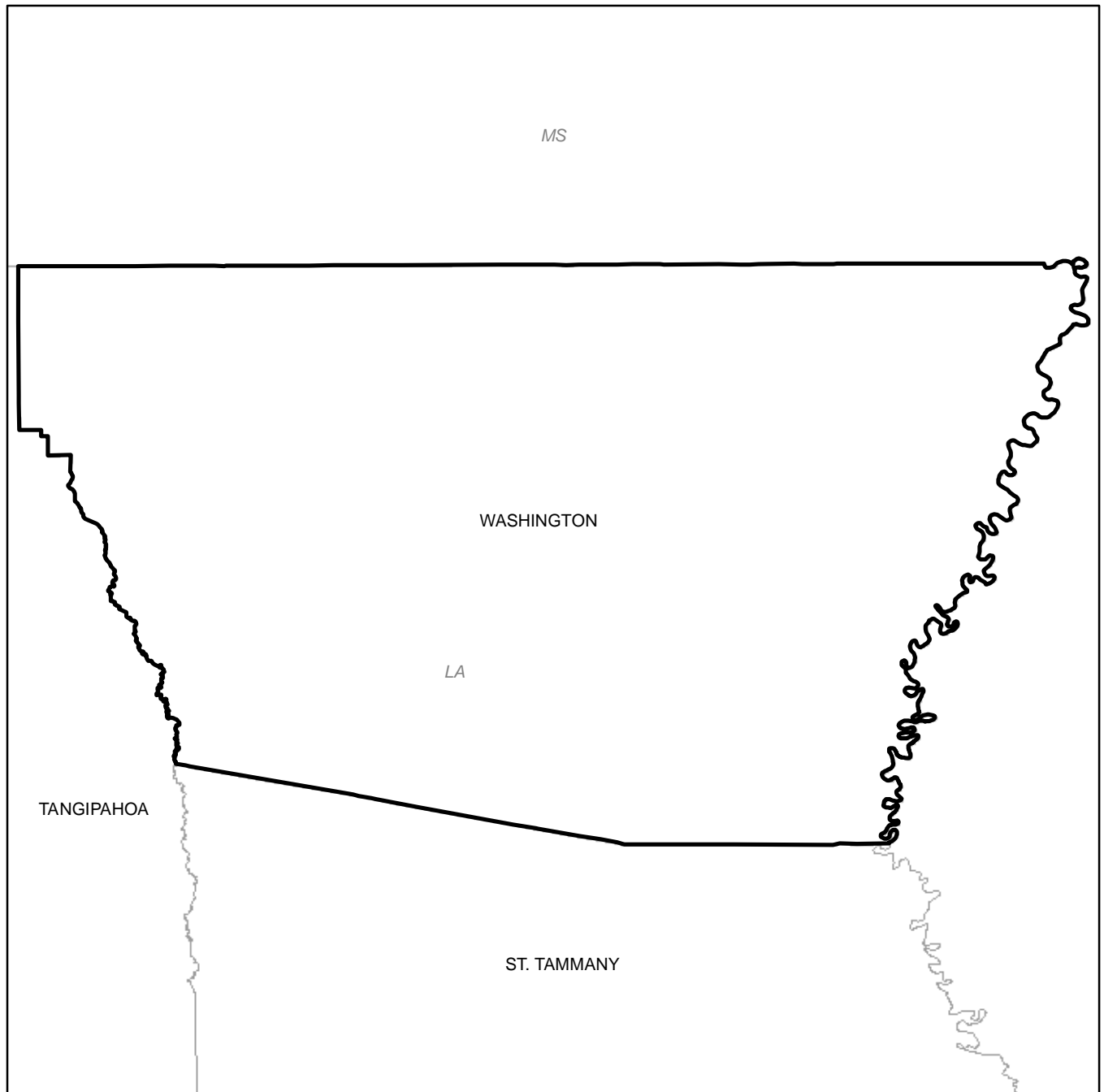
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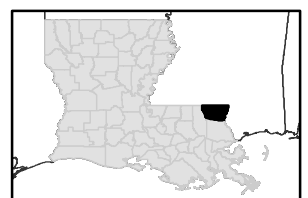
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676 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1869, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 83-86)





WEBSTER

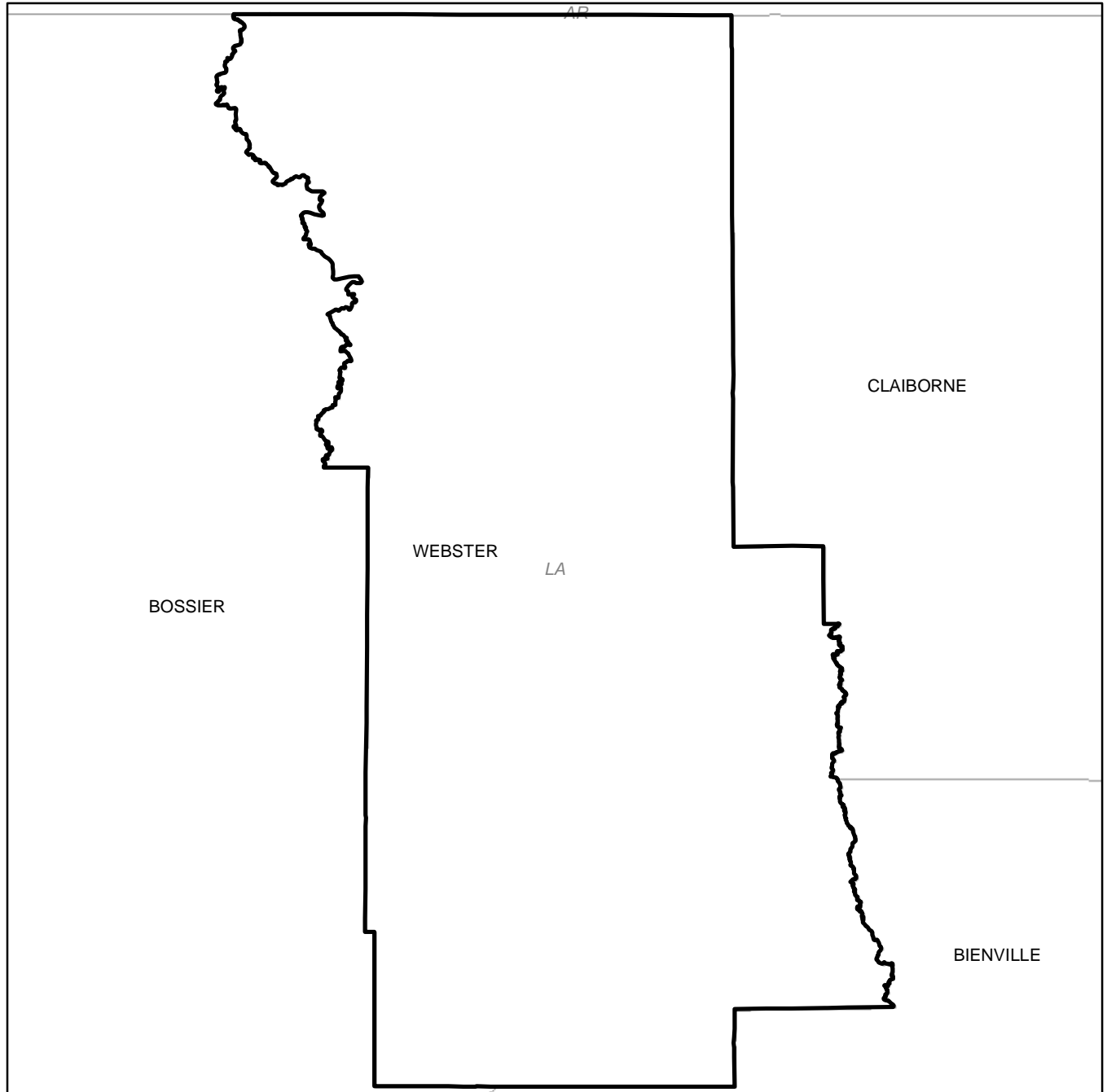
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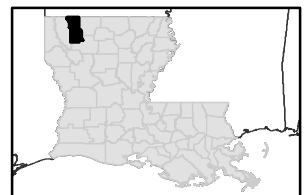
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WEBSTER created from BIENVILLE, BOSSIER, and CLAIBORNE.

615 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1871, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 59-68)





BATON ROUGE

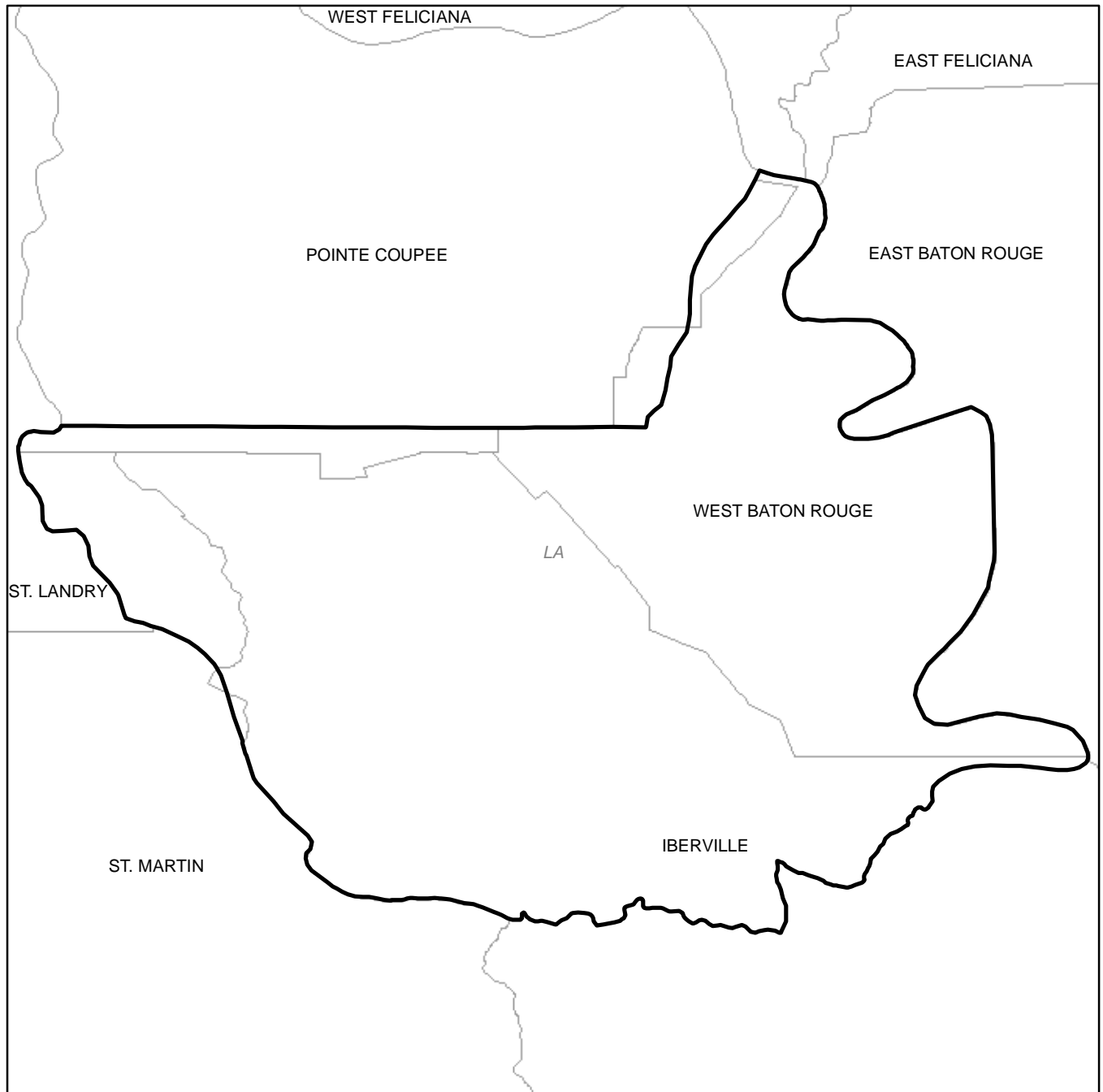
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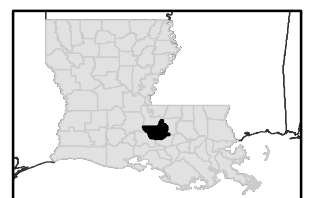
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BATON ROUGE (now WEST BATON ROUGE) Parish created within Pointe Coupee County. Creation of parishes did not abolish 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. Counties existed for taxing & electoral purposes, parishes for judicial matters.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)

558 sq. mi.





WEST BATON ROUGE

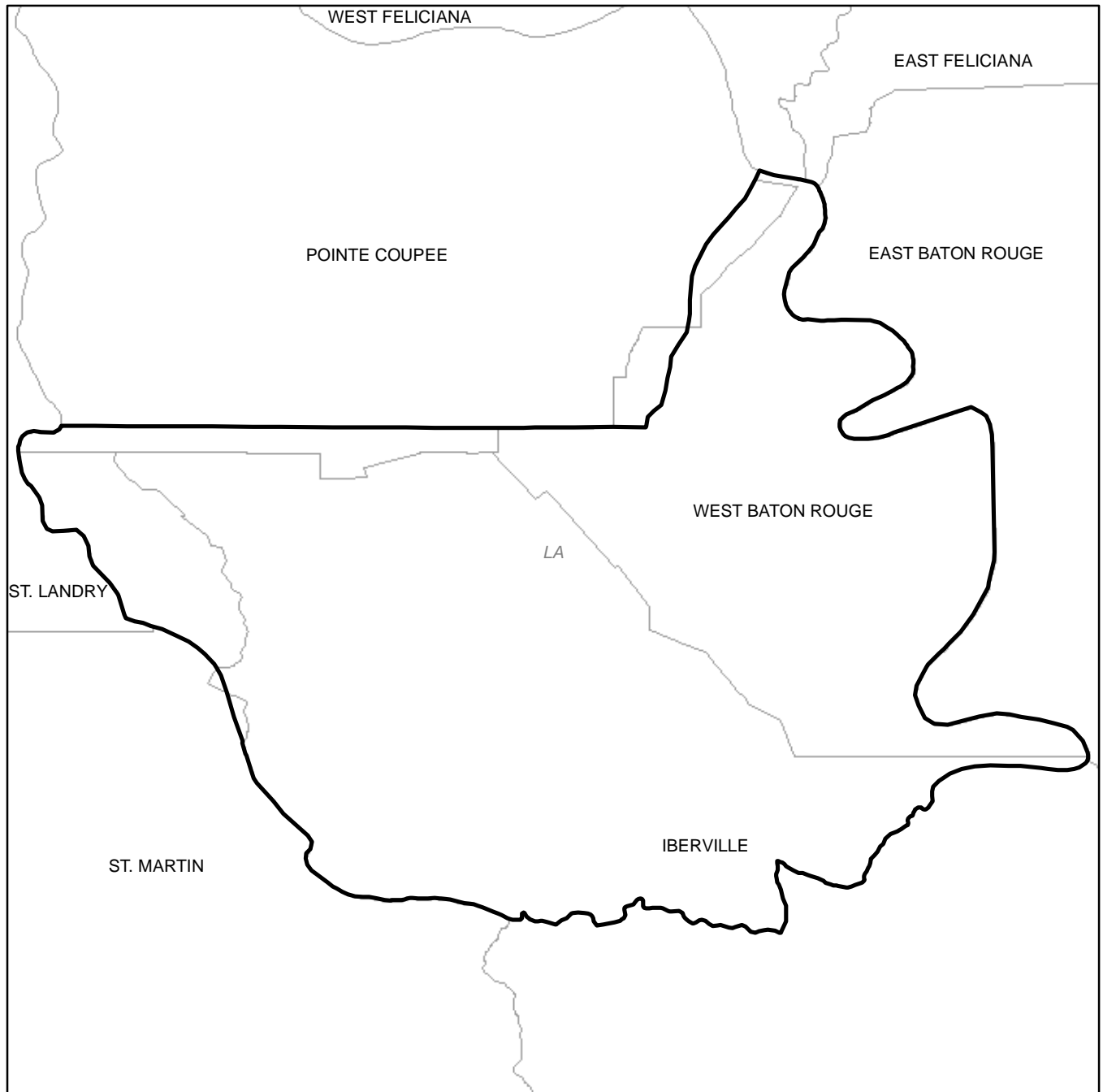
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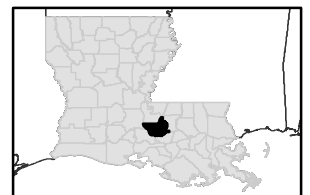
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By December 1812 BATON ROUGE renamed WEST BATON ROUGE though no formal change of name was declared by the Louisiana legislature. WEST BATON ROUGE lost small area to POINTEE COUPEE [exact location unknown, not mapped].

558 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1812-1813, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., p. 4)





WEST BATON ROUGE

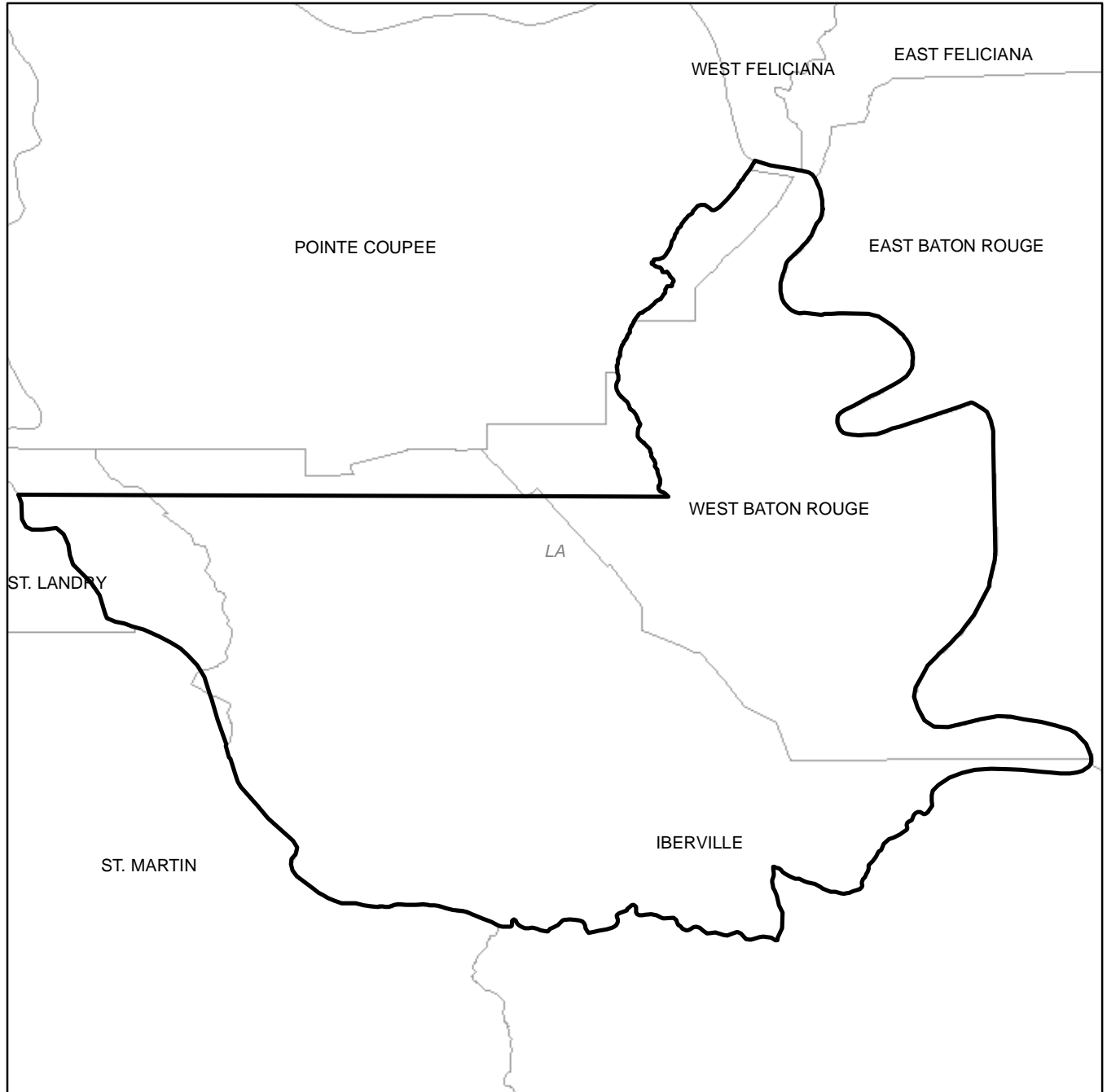
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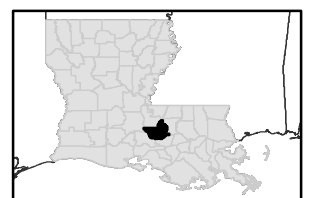
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WEST BATON ROUGE exchanged with POINTE COUPEE.

506 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1825, 7th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 82-86)





WEST BATON ROUGE

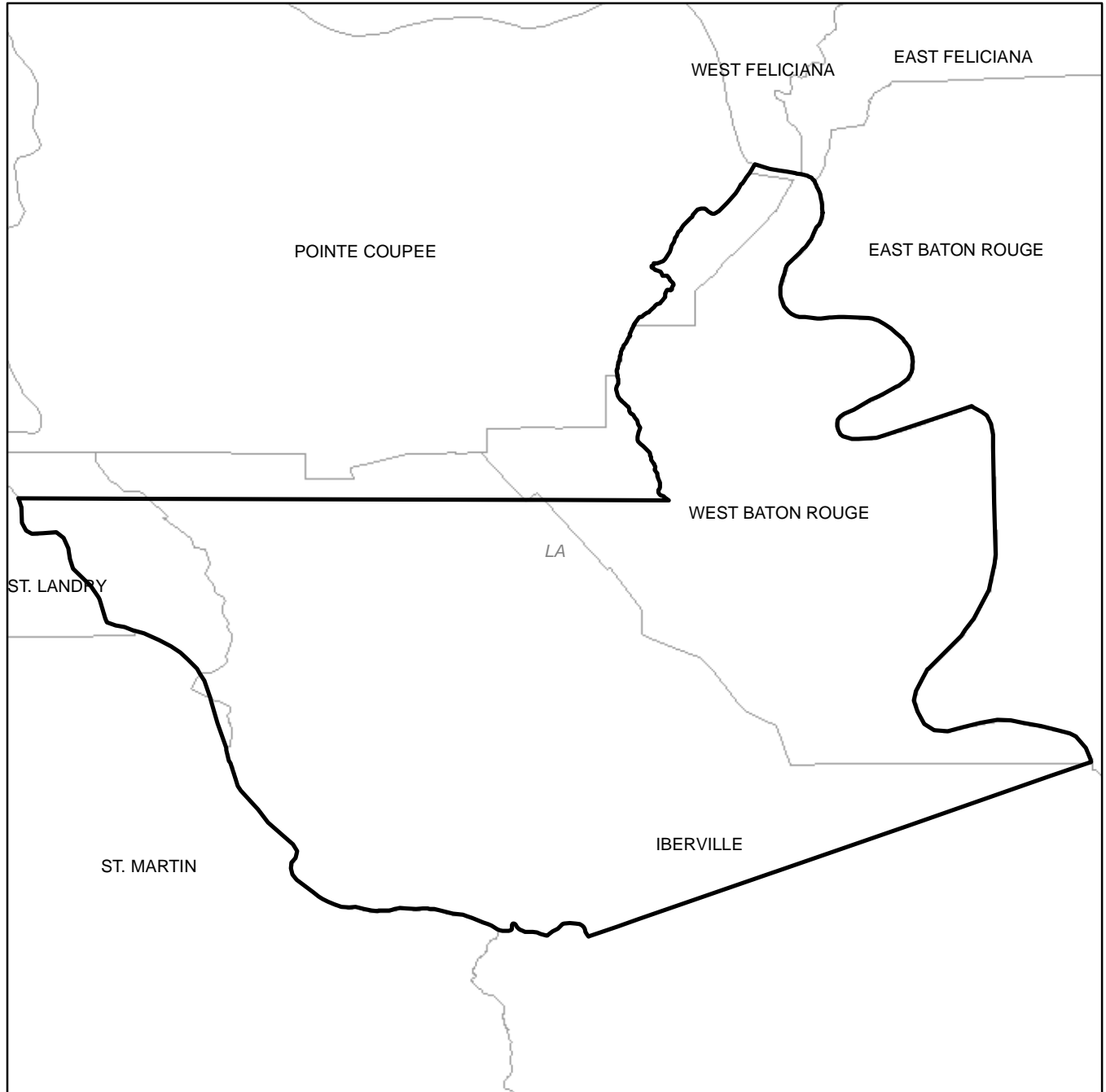
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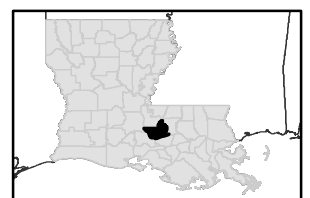
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WEST BATON ROUGE exchanged with IBERVILLE when the southern and western WEST BATON ROUGE defined.

498 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1825, 7th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 186-188)





WEST BATON ROUGE

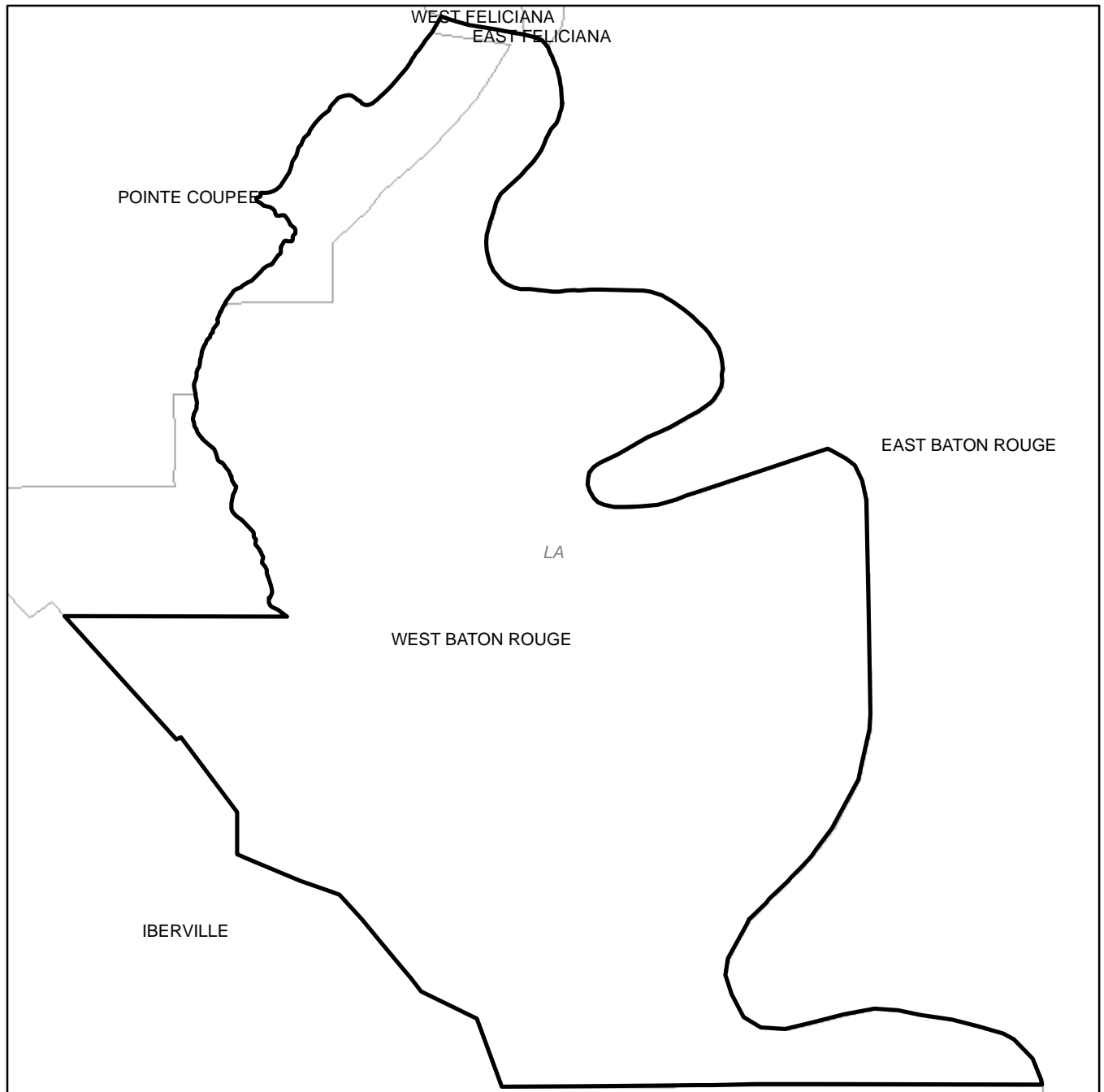
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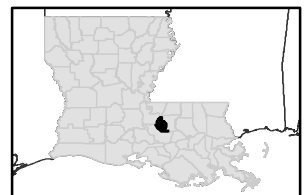
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WEST BATON ROUGE lost to IBERVILLE.

198 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1827, 8th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 178-180)





WEST BATON ROUGE

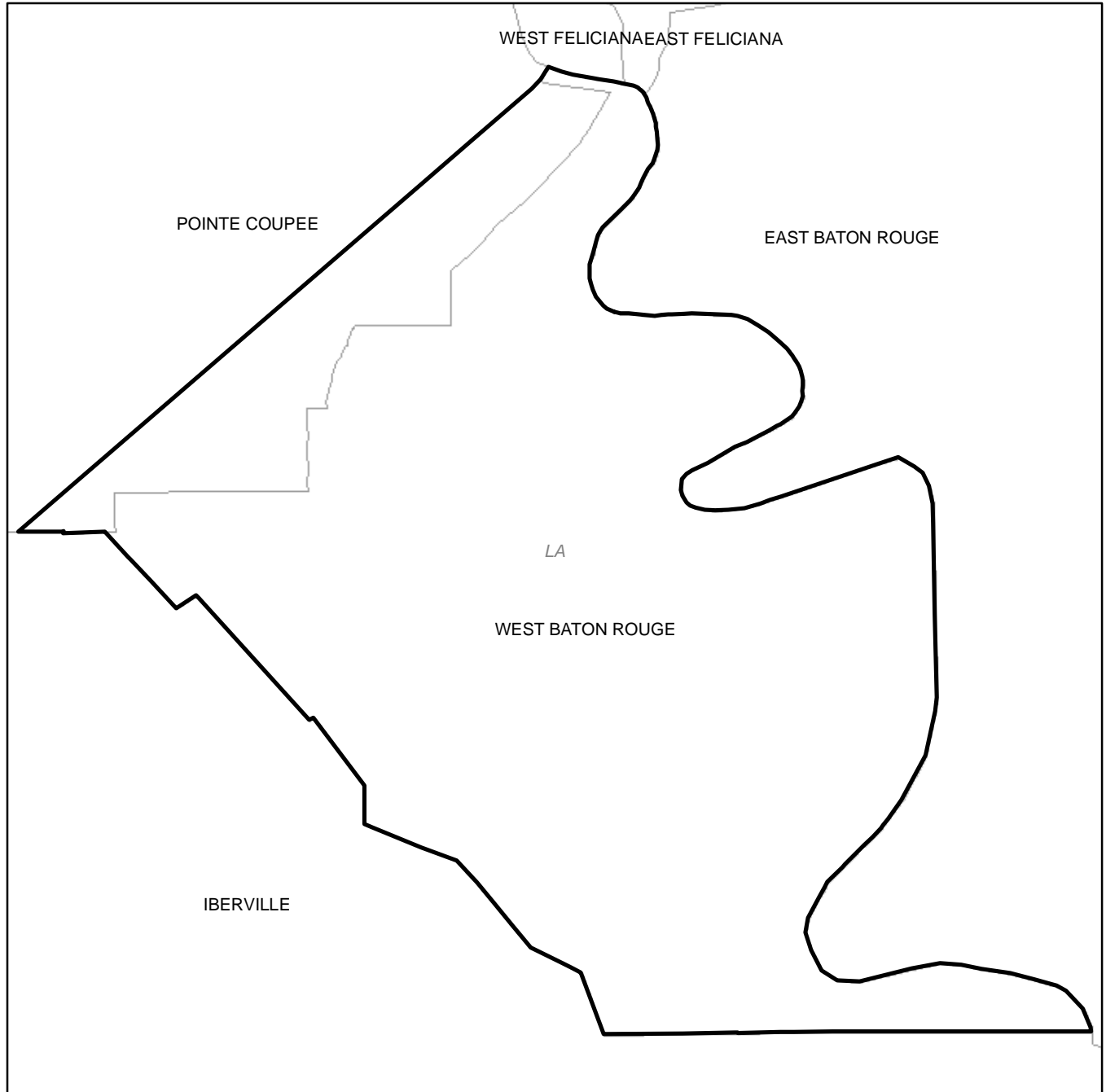
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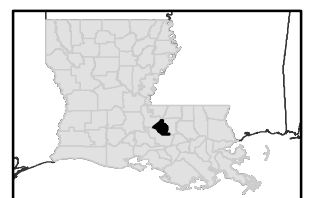
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WEST BATON ROUGE exchanged with POINTE COUPEE.

233 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1835, 12 Leg., 1st sess., pp. 22-23)





WEST BATON ROUGE

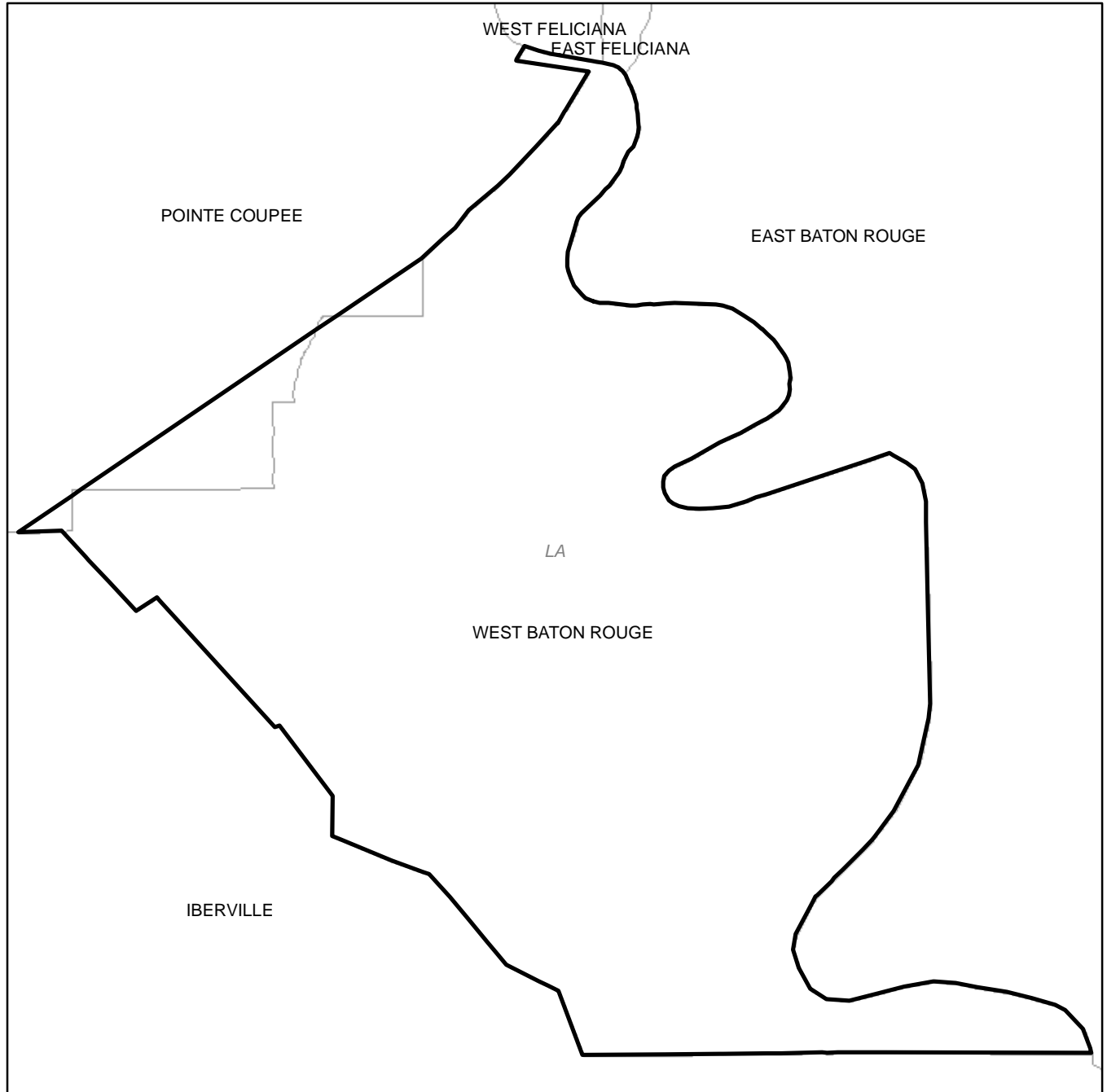
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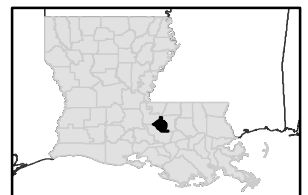
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211 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1837, 13th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 21-22)





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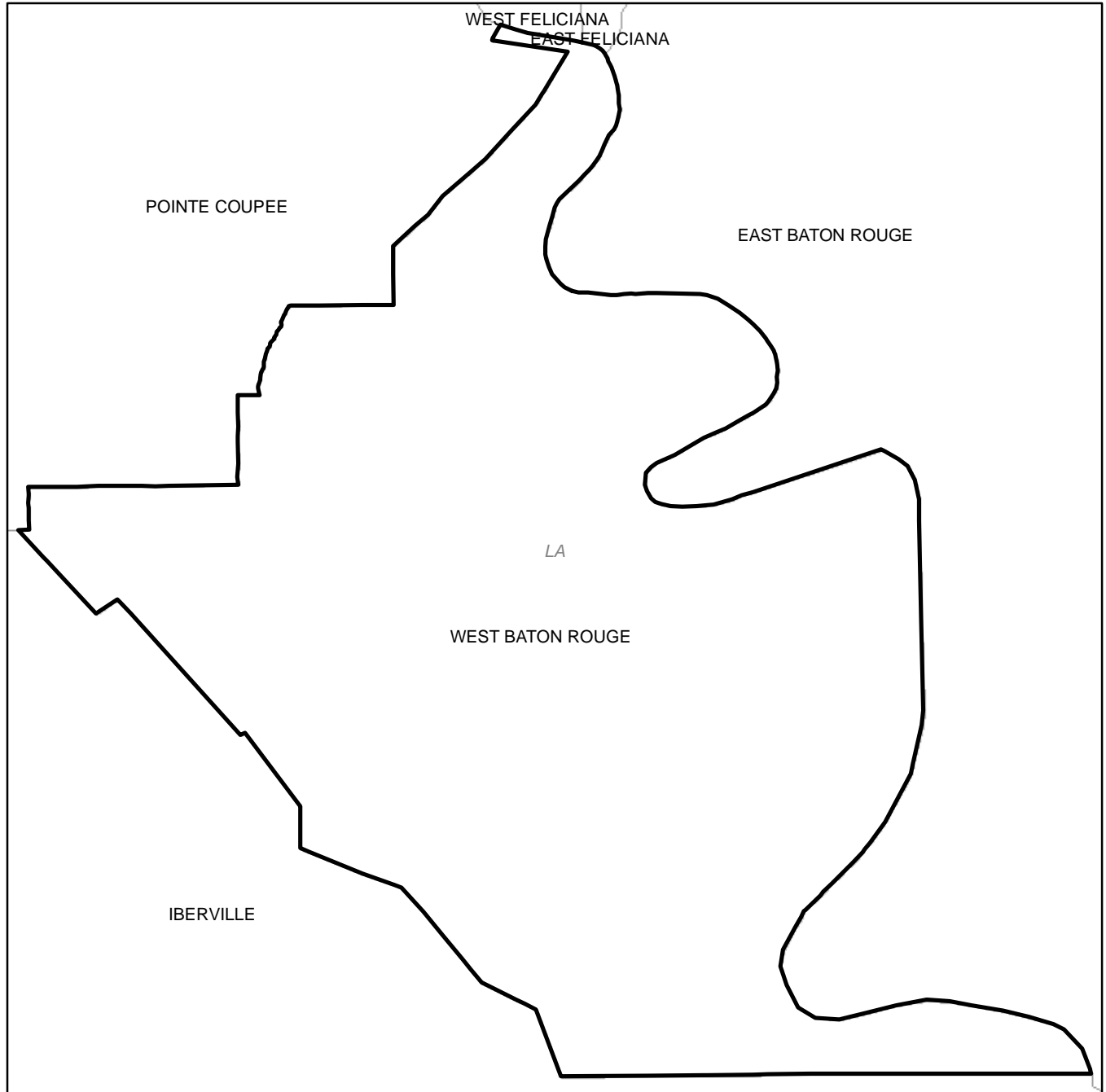
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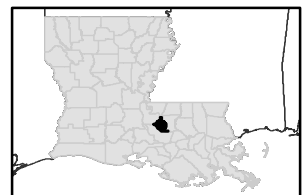
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204 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 143-144)





WEST CARROLL

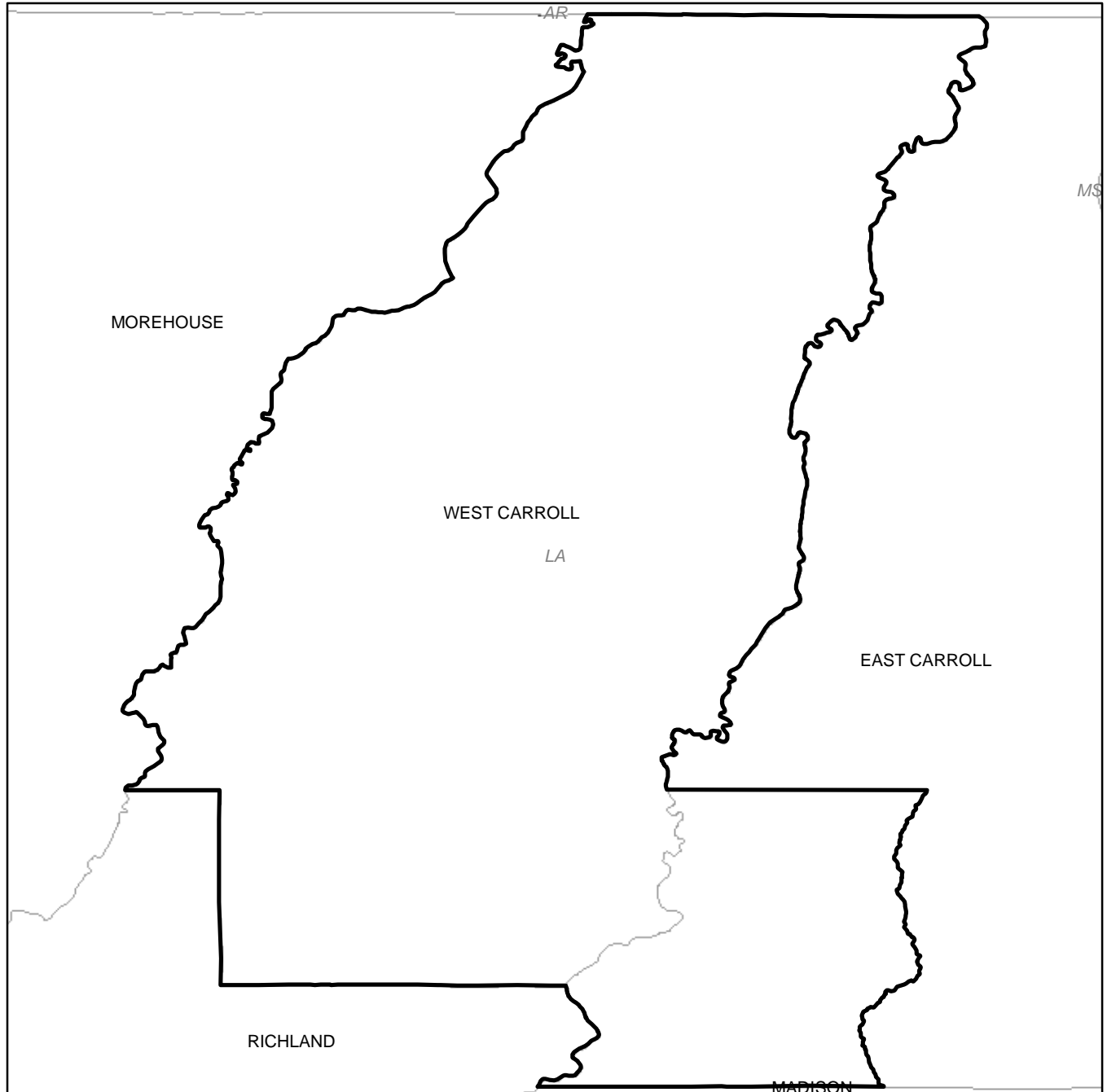
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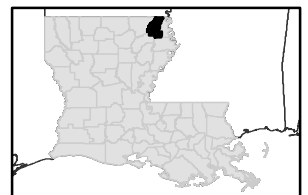
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WEST CARROLL created from CARROLL (extinct), which was eliminated.

422 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1877, 5th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 39-43)





WEST CARROLL

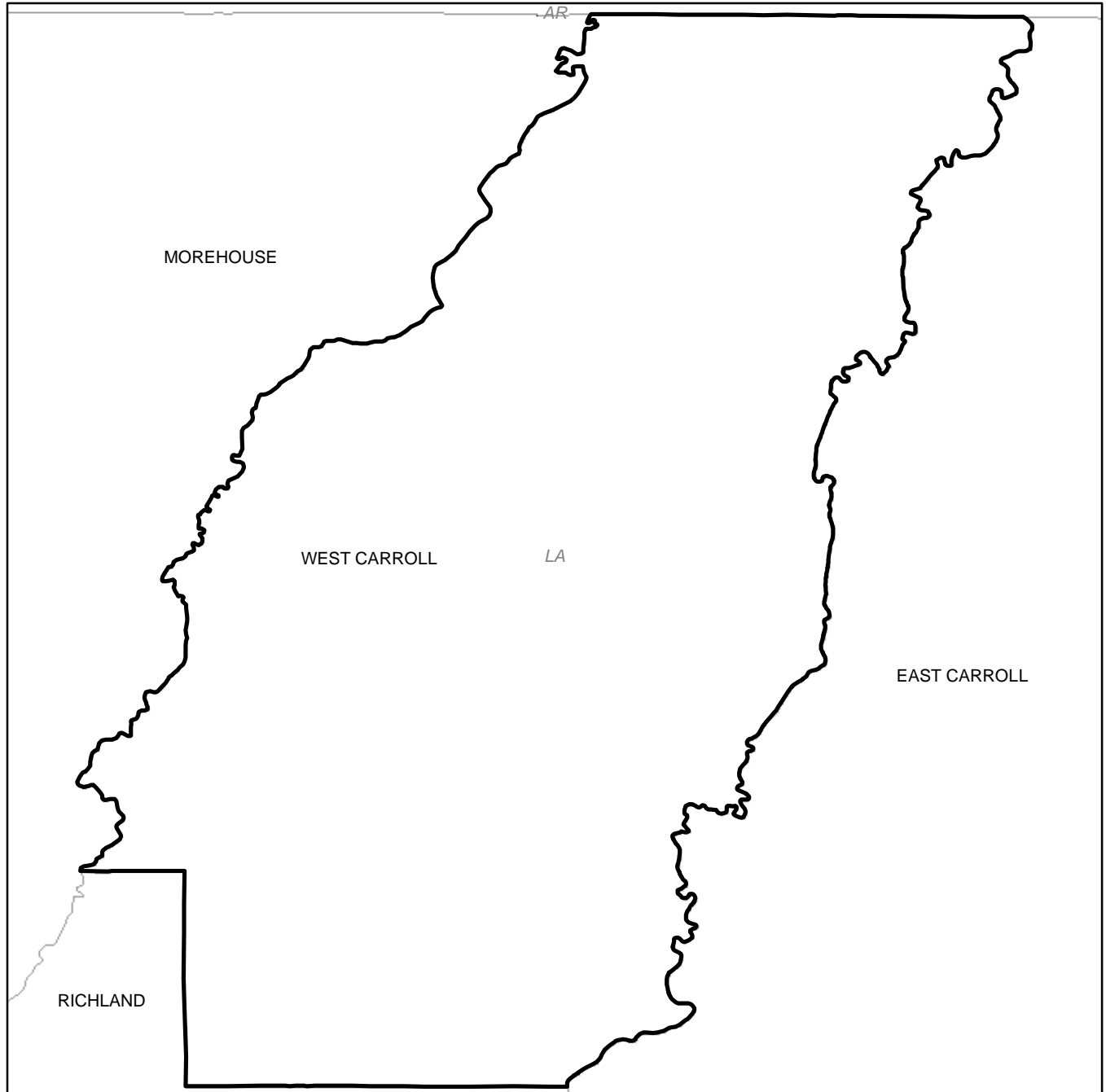
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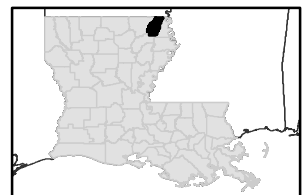
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WEST CARROLL lost to EAST CARROLL.

360 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1877, 5th Leg., 1st sess., pp. 219-220)





WEST FELICIANA

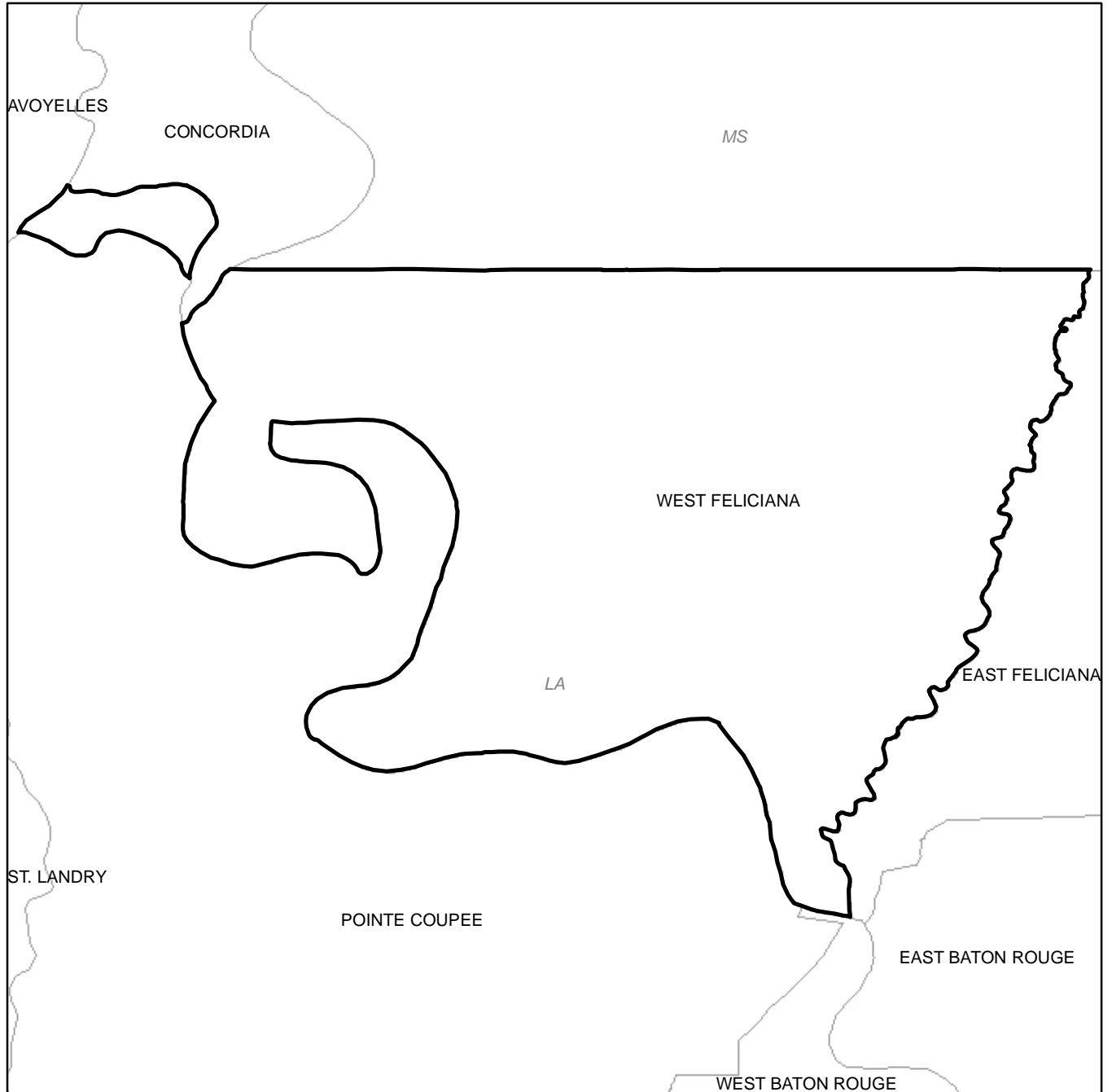
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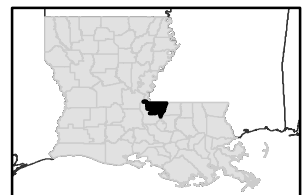
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WEST FELICIANA created from FELICIANA (extinct); FELICIANA eliminated.

426 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1824, 6th Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 26-34)





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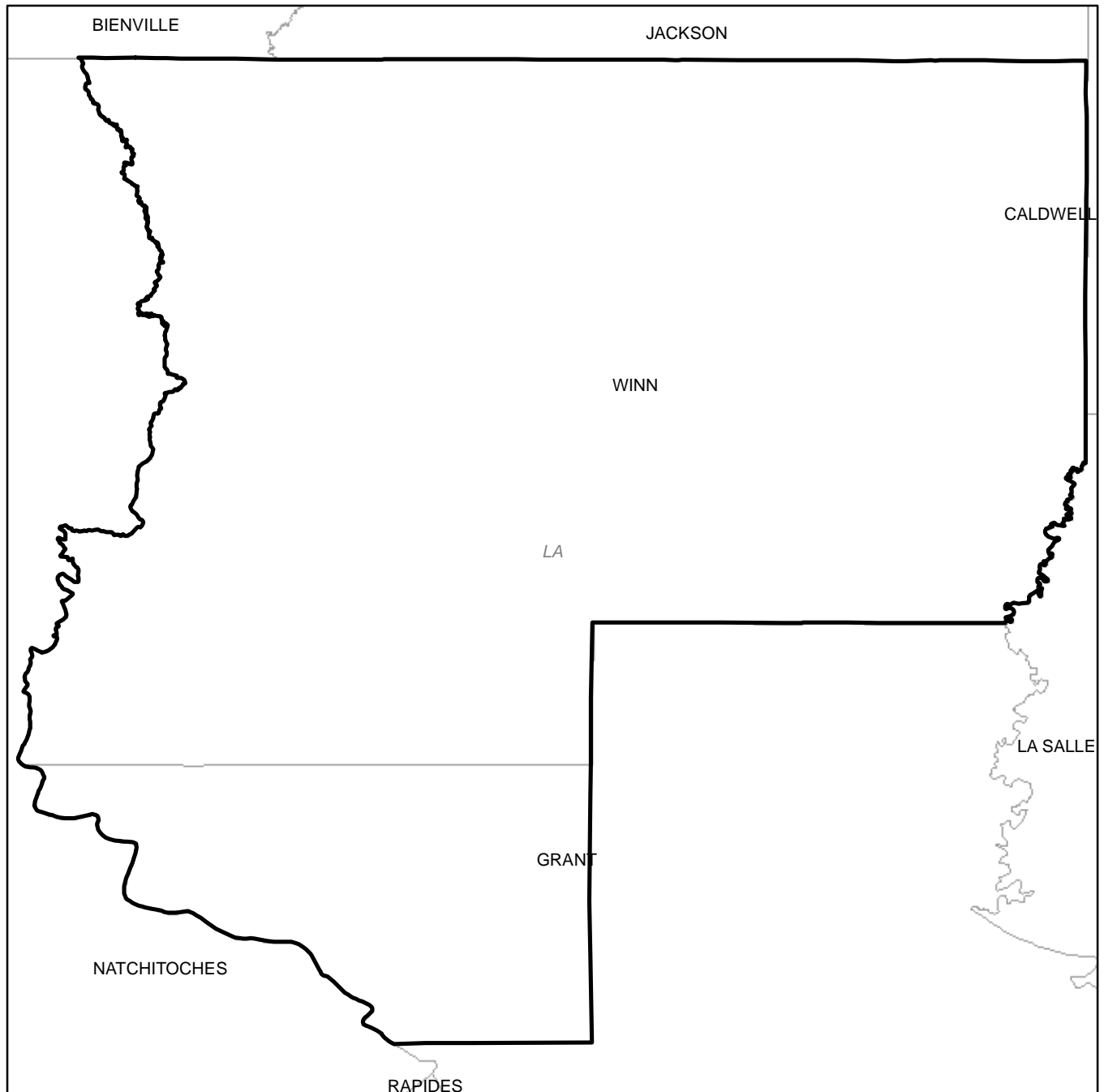
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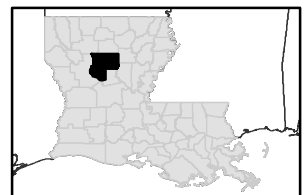
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WINN created from CATAHOULA, NATCHITOCHES, and RAPIDES.

1,129 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., pp. 67-69)





WINN

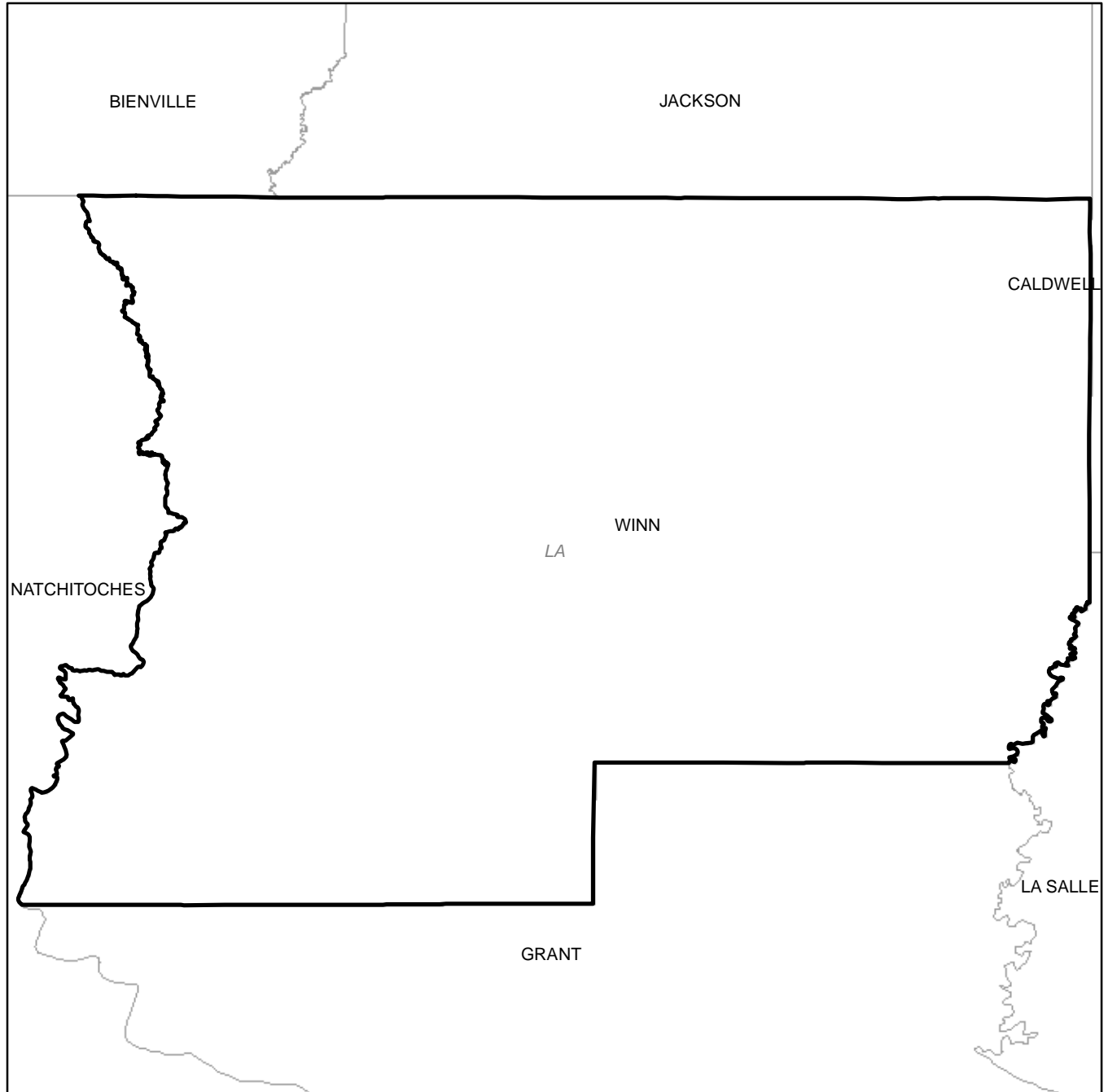
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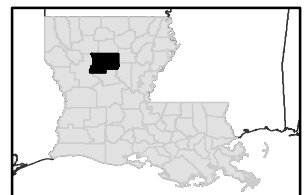
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WINN lost to creation of GRANT.

957 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1869, 1st Leg., 2nd sess., pp. 79-80)





ATTAKAPAS (extinct)

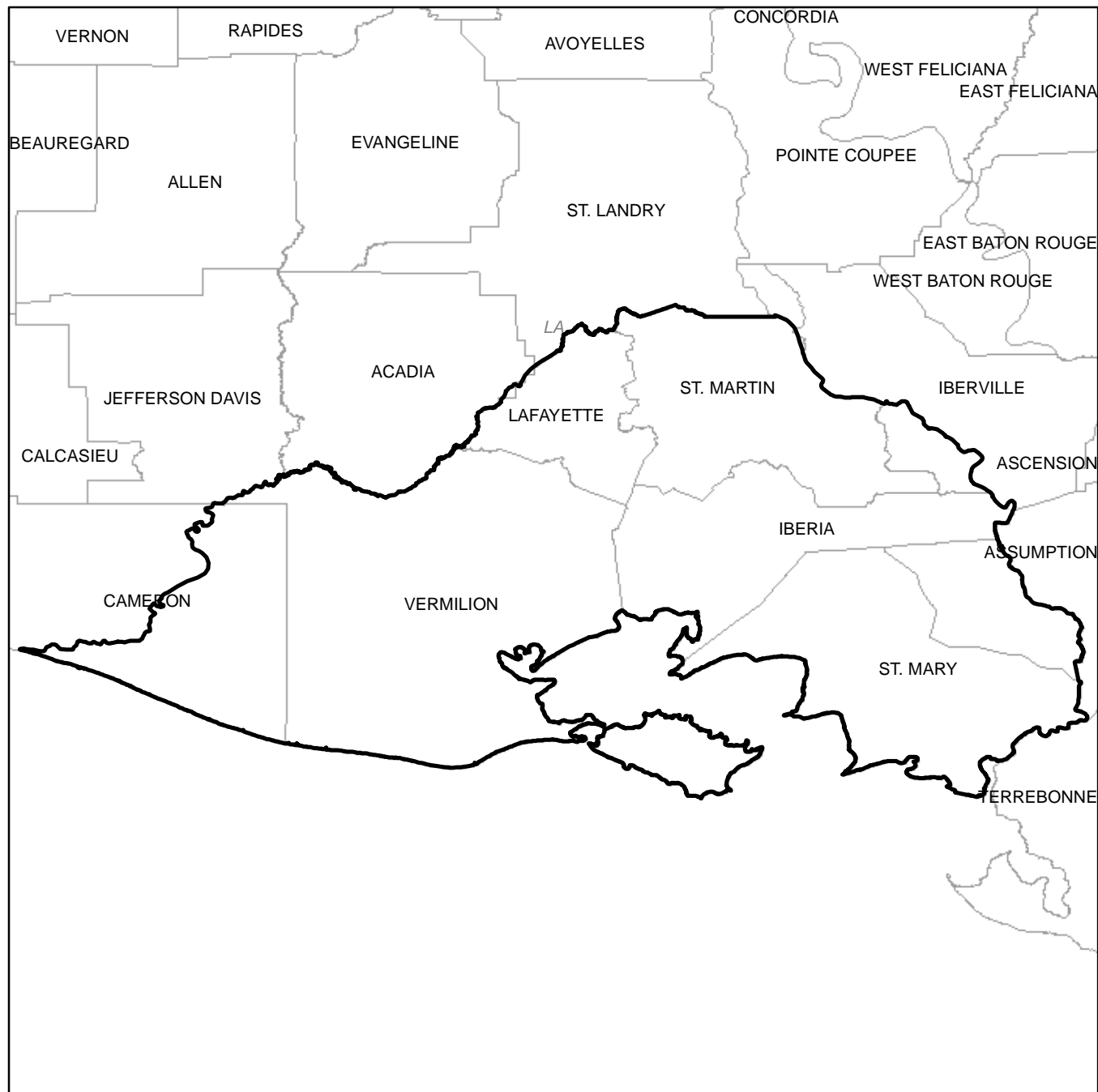
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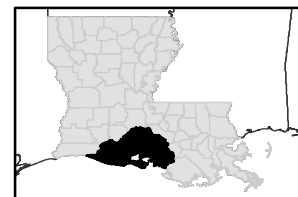
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ATTAKAPAS Parish created within Attakapas County. The creation of parishes did not abolish the 12 counties established on 10 Apr 1805. The counties existed for taxing and electoral purposes, while parishes took over jurisdiction of judicial matters.

4,180 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1807, 1st. Leg., 2nd sess., ch. 1, sec. 9/ p. 12; Calhoun, 85-93)





BELOXY (extinct)

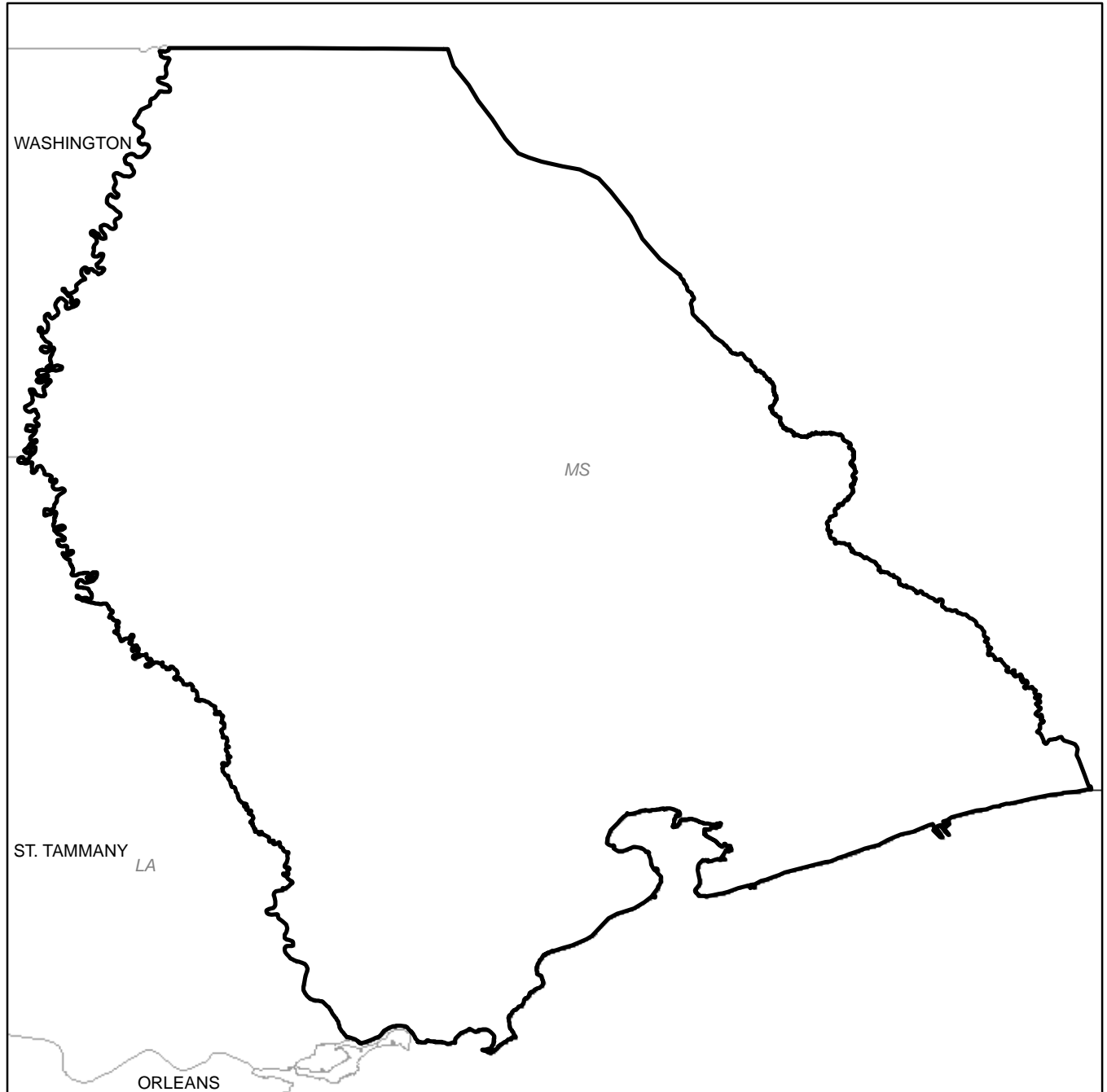
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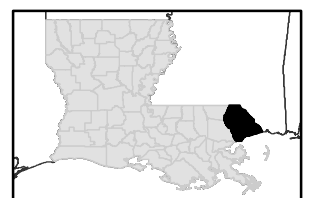
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BELOXY Parish (extinct) created by proclamation of the Territorial Governor from non-parish area within Feliciana County.

1,658 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./p. 214; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





PASCAGOULA (extinct)

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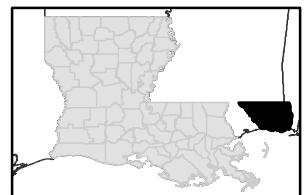
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PASCAGOULA Parish (extinct) created by proclamation of the Territorial Governor from non-parish area within Feliciana County.

2,445 sq. mi.

(Gov. Proc. in Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess./p. 214; "County-Parish Boundaries in Louisiana" p. 23)





PASCAGOULA (extinct)

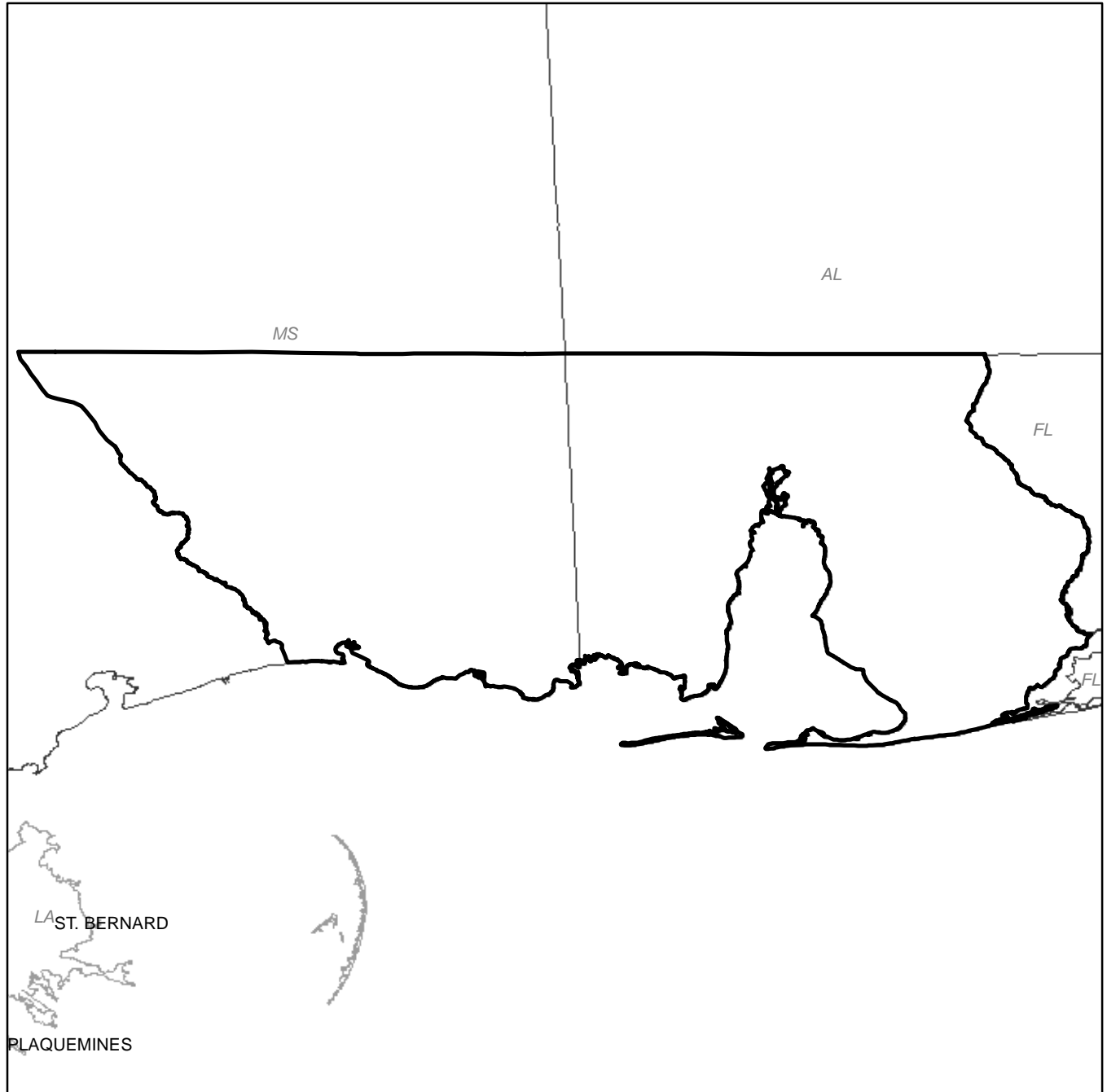
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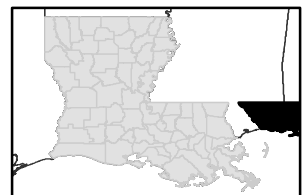
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PASCAGOULA Parish (extinct) boundary extended to eastern limit of Feliciana County (Perdido River, present Alabama).

4,364 sq. mi.

(Orleans Terr. Acts 1811, 3rd Leg., 2nd sess., p. 216)





Spanish West Florida

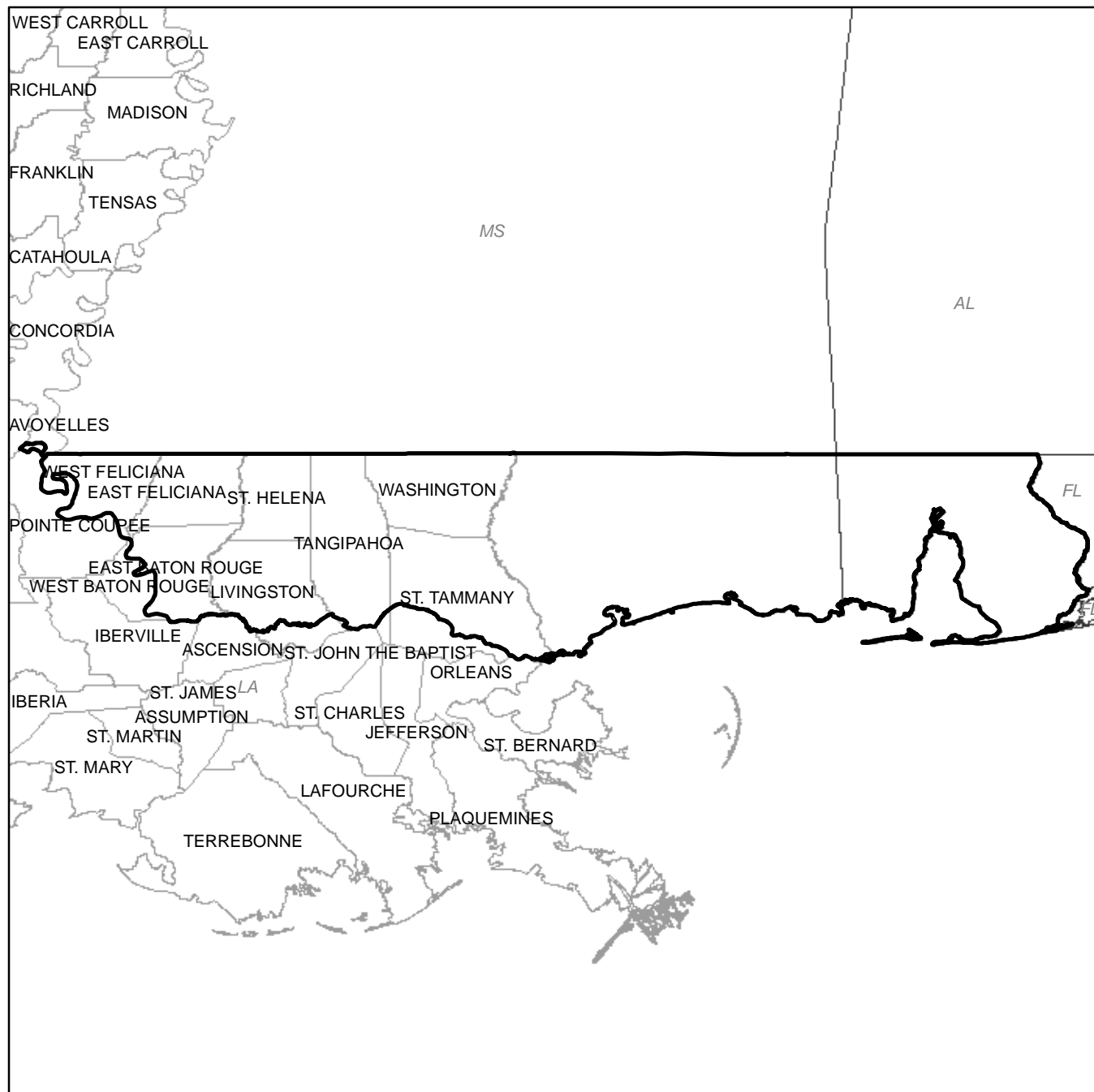
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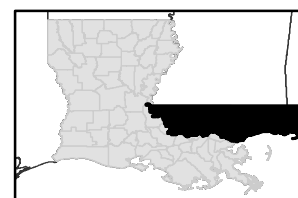
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The portion of present Louisiana east of the Mississippi River was claimed by the United States as part of the Louisiana Purchase, but was actually controlled by Spain.

10,717 sq. mi.

(Parry, 48:481, 487, 491-492; Van Zandt, 12)





ALLEN (proposed)

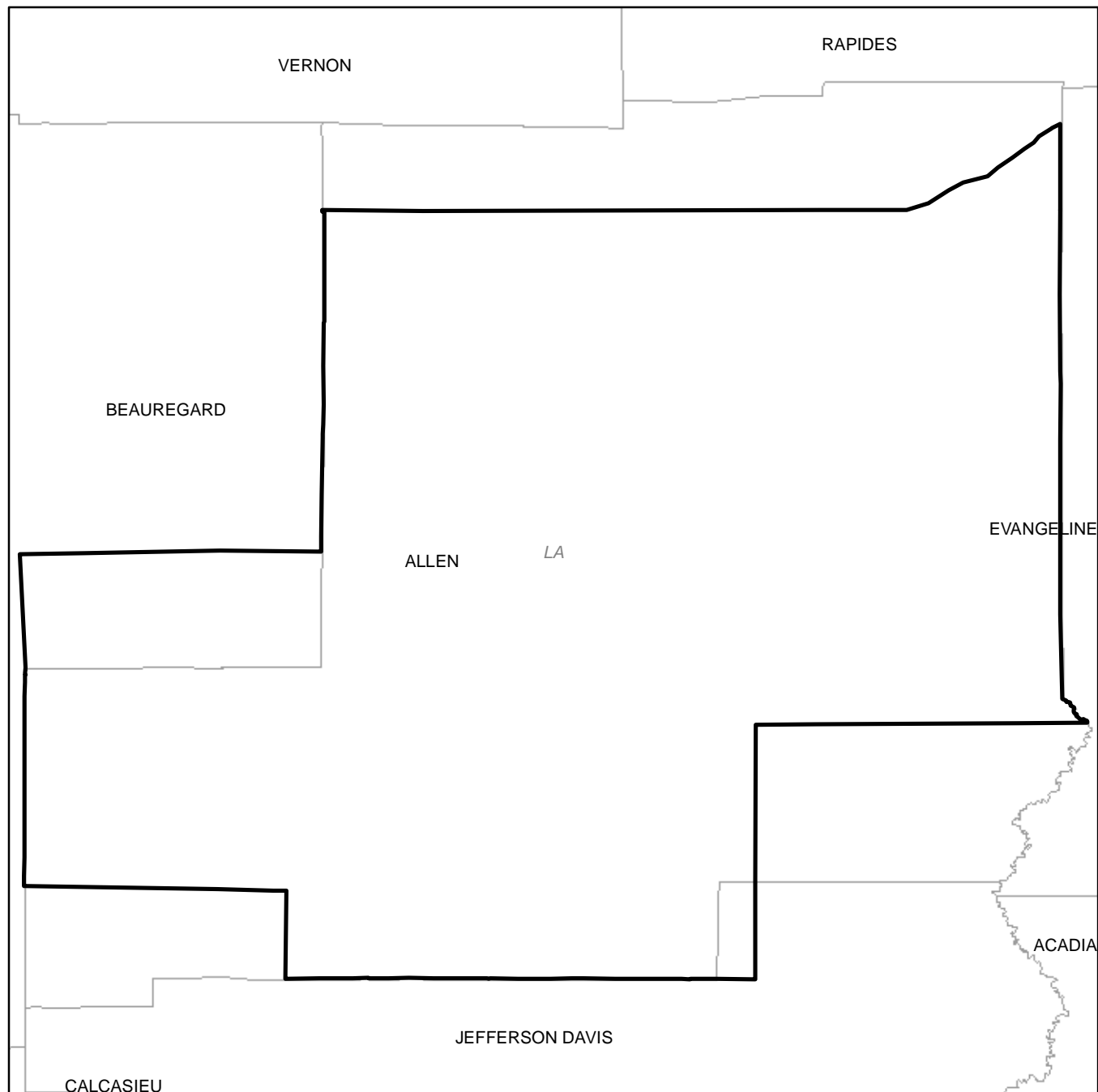
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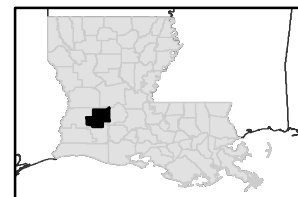
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Legislature authorized creation of ALLEN (proposed) from CALCASIEU, dependent on vote in election of 8 Nov 1910; creation was not ratified and the act never became operative.

650 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1910, Reg. Sess., pp. 127-129; HRS, 103, 112)





BEAUREGARD 1 (proposed)

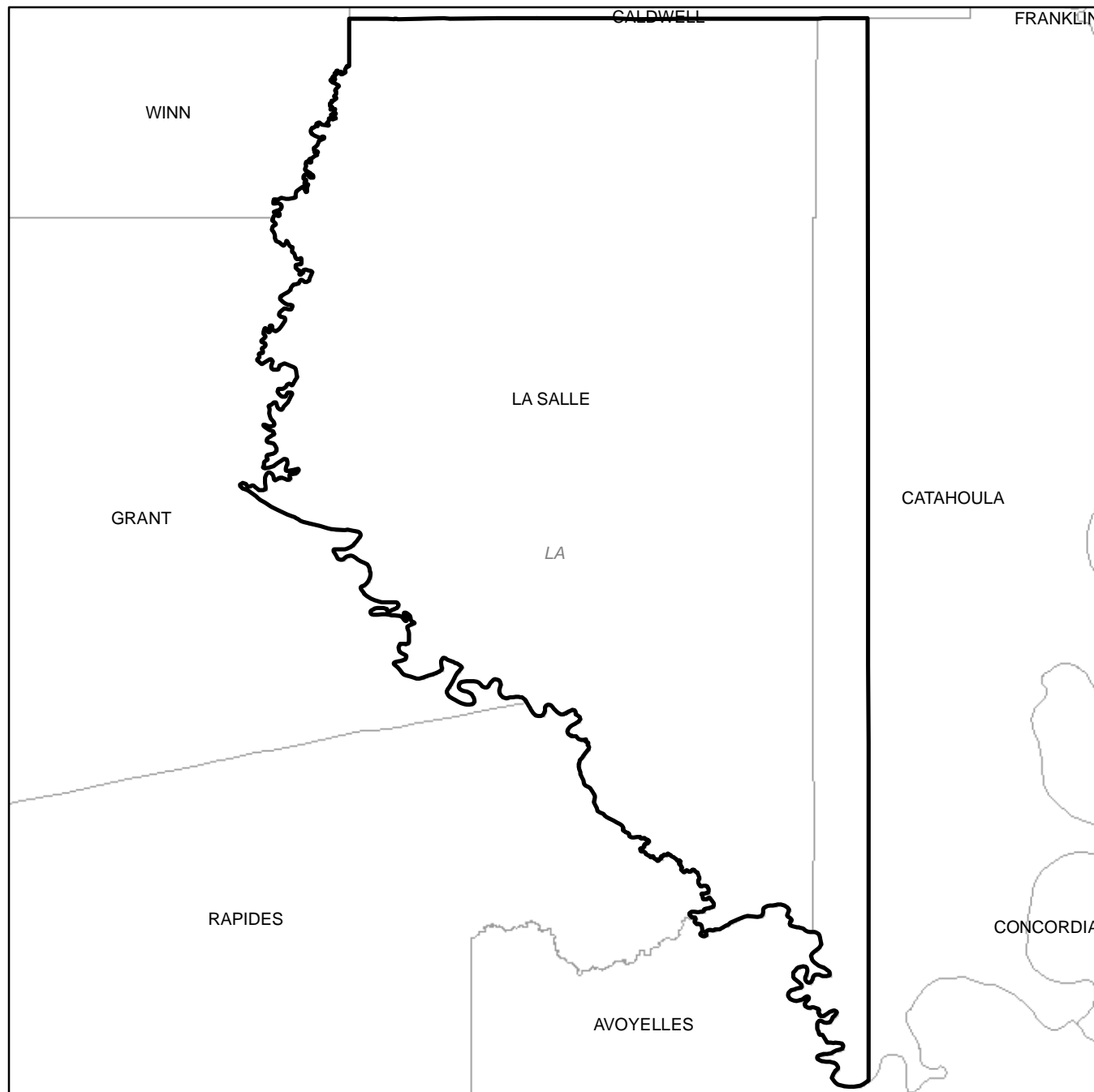
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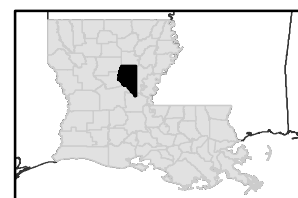
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Legislature authorized creation of BEAUREGARD (proposed) from CATAHOULA, dependent on vote in election to be held 16 Jan 1908; proposal failed in referendum.

766 sq. mi.

La. Acts 1906, Reg. Sess., pp. 37-41)





BEAUREGARD 2 (proposed)

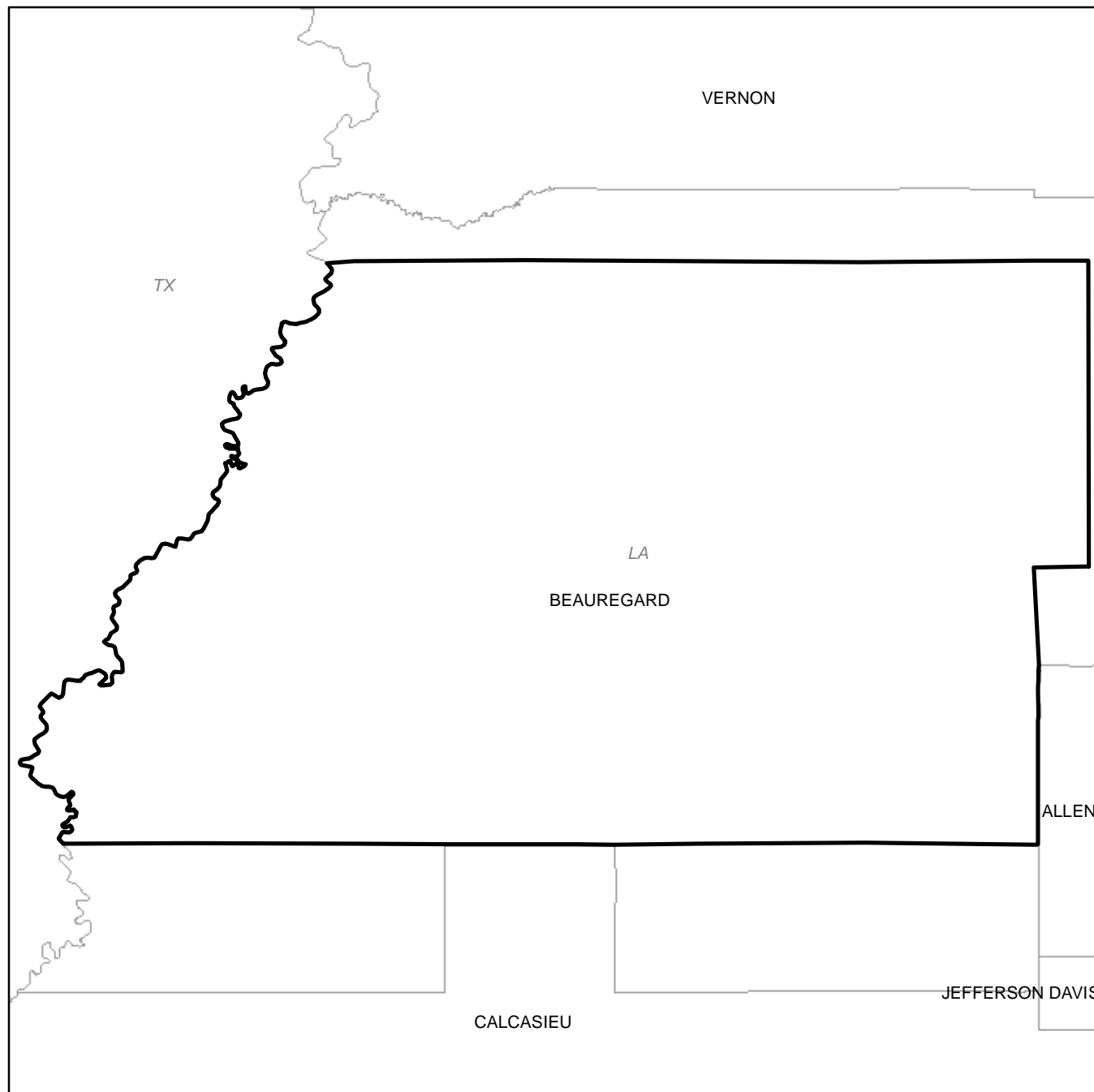
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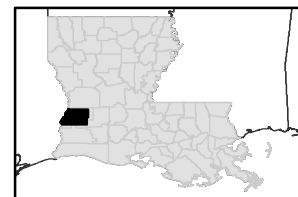
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768 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1910, Reg. Sess., pp. 124-127; HRS, 103, 114)





DUGDEMONA (proposed)

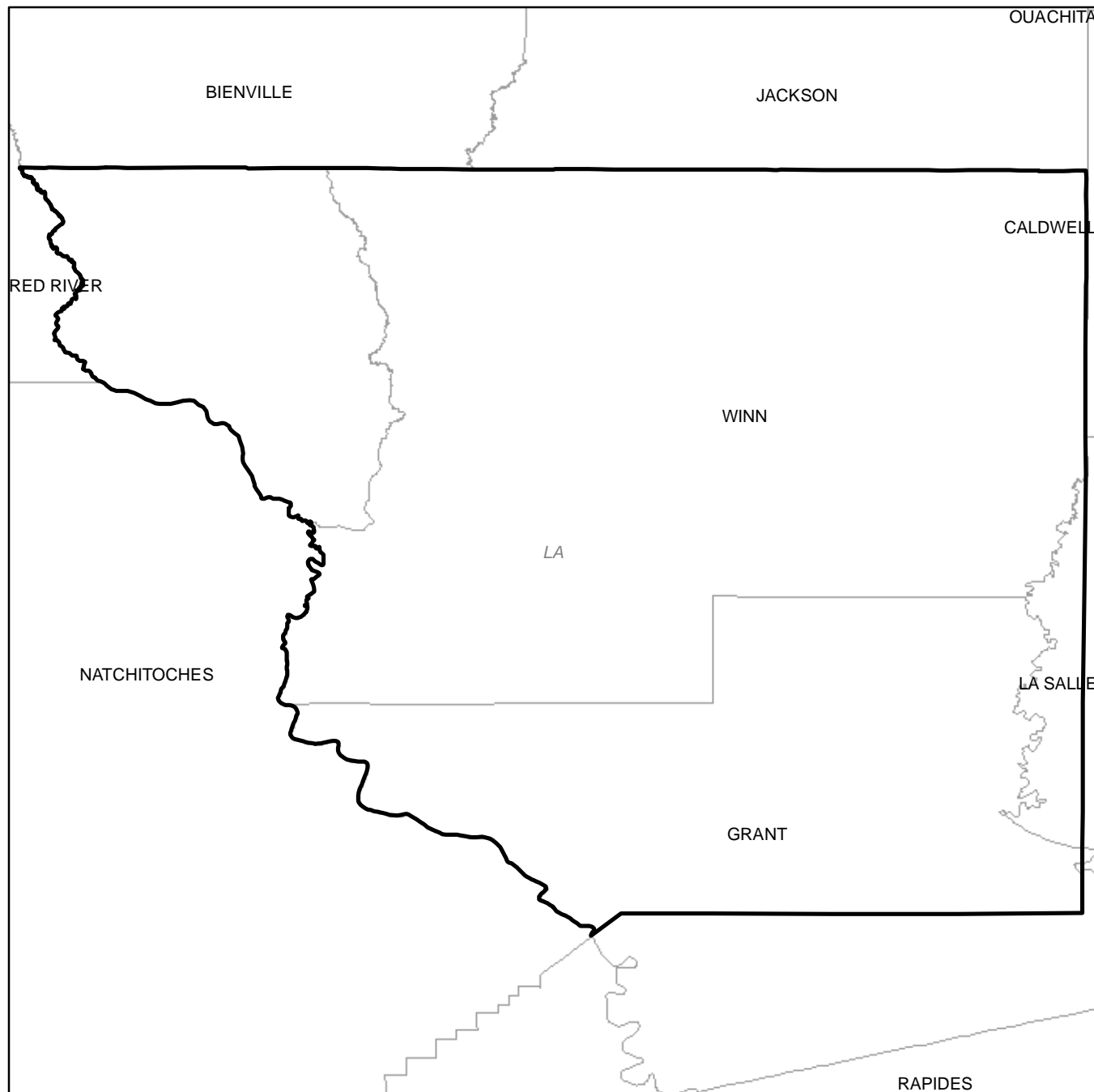
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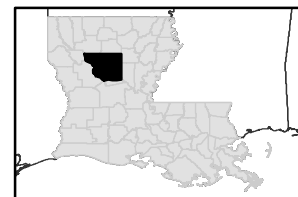
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Legislature authorized creation of DUGDEMONA (proposed) from CATAHOULA , NATCHITOCHES, and RAPIDES, dependent on an enumeration to determine whether the proposed new parish contained the number of electors required by the Constitution.

1,697 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1850, 3rd Leg., pp. 105-106)





EVANGELINE (proposed)

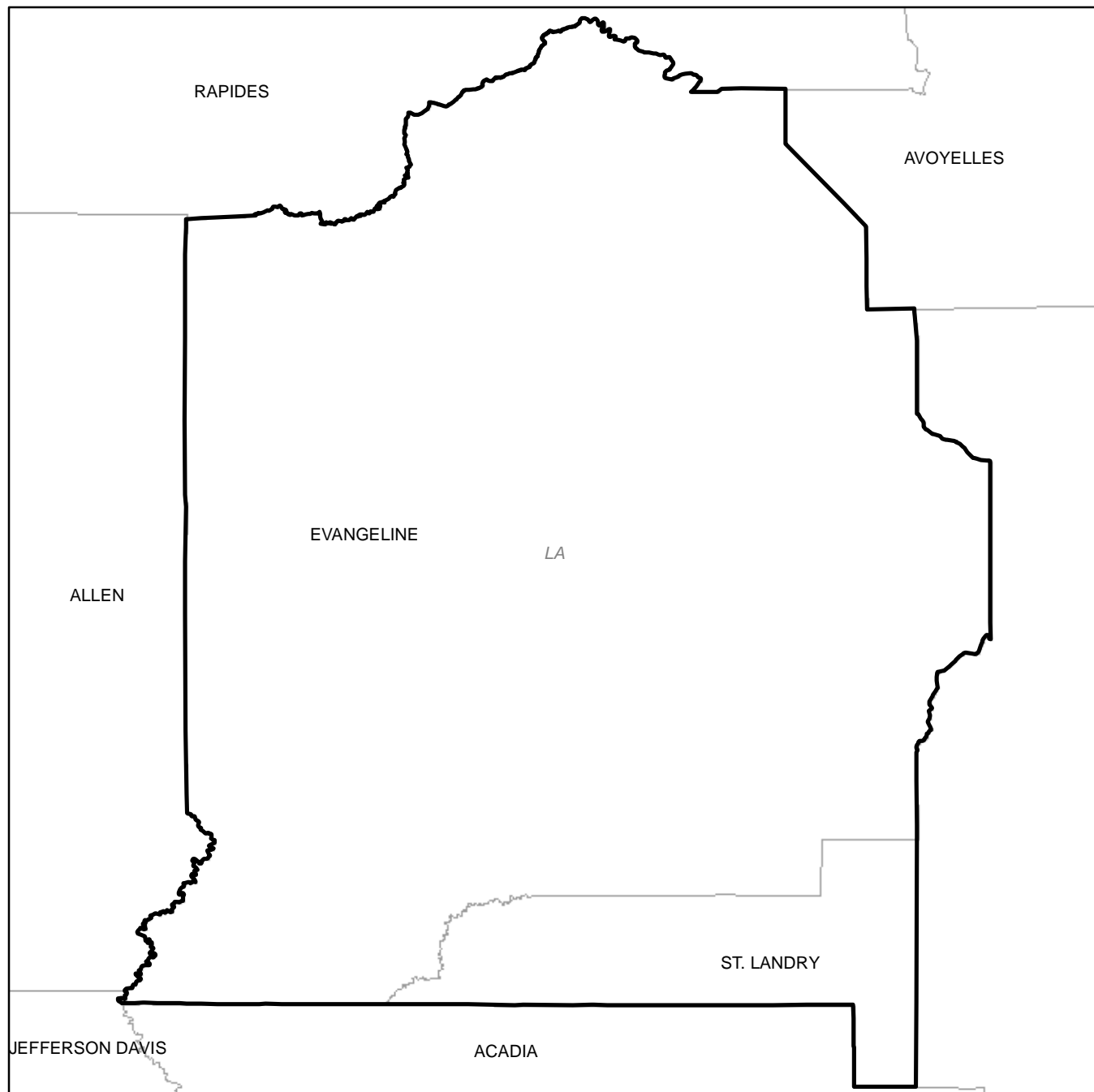
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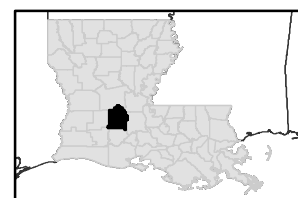
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Legislature authorized creation of EVANGELINE (proposed) from ST. LANDRY, dependent on vote in election to be held 8 Apr 1909. Louisiana Supreme Court declared this creation unconstitutional.

752 sq. mi.

La. Acts 1908, Reg. Sess., pp. 53-57; HRS. pp. 13-14. 98; "Sandez vs. Sanders" 125 La. Ann., 396; 51 So., 436)





JEFFERSON DAVIS (proposed)

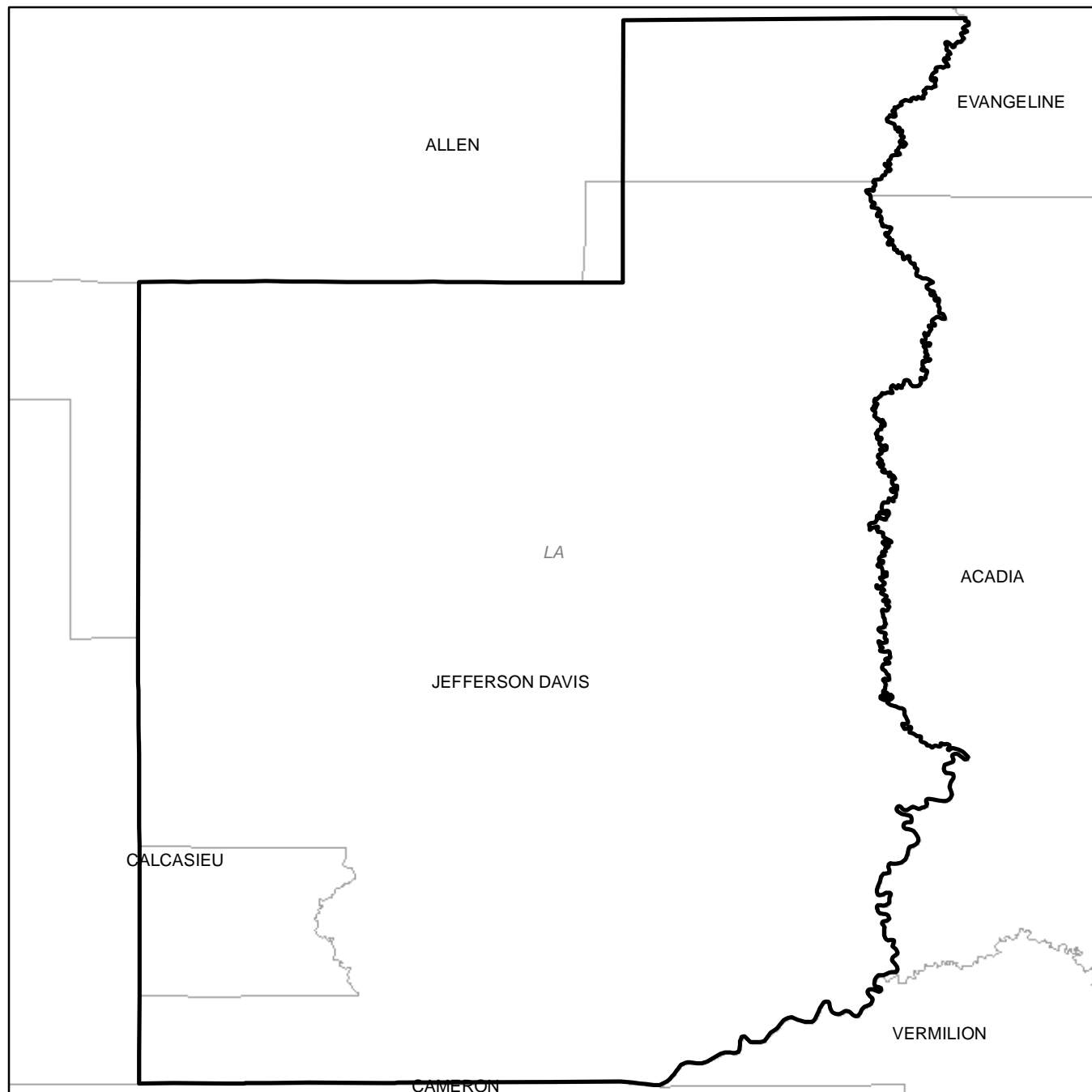
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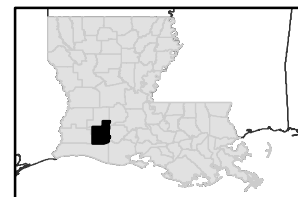
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Legislature authorized creation of JEFFERSON DAVIS (proposed) from CALCASIEU, dependent on vote in election of 8 Nov 1910; creation was not ratified and the act never became operative.

688 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1910, Reg. Sess., pp. 122-124; HRS, p. 12-13, 102; 130 La. Ann., 272)





RED RIVER 1 (proposed)

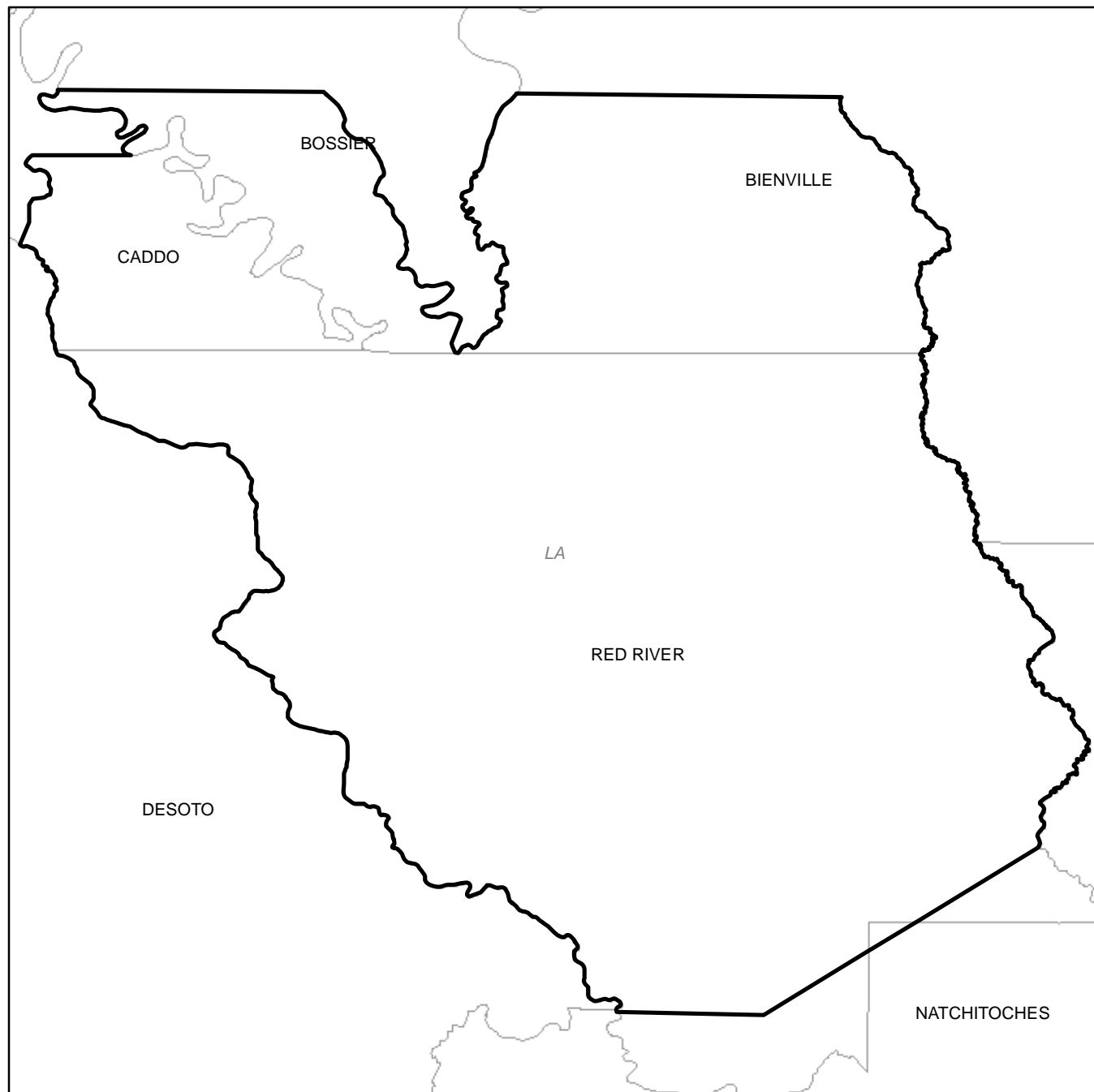
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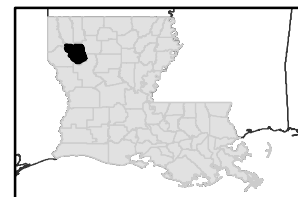
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Legislature authorized creation of RED RIVER (proposed) from BIENVILLE, BOSSIER, CADDO, CLAIBORNE, DESOTO, and NATCHITOCHES, dependent on an enumeration to determine whether the proposed parish contained the number of electors required by Constitution.

548 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1848, 2nd Leg., 1st sess., pp. 145-146)





RED RIVER 2 (proposed)

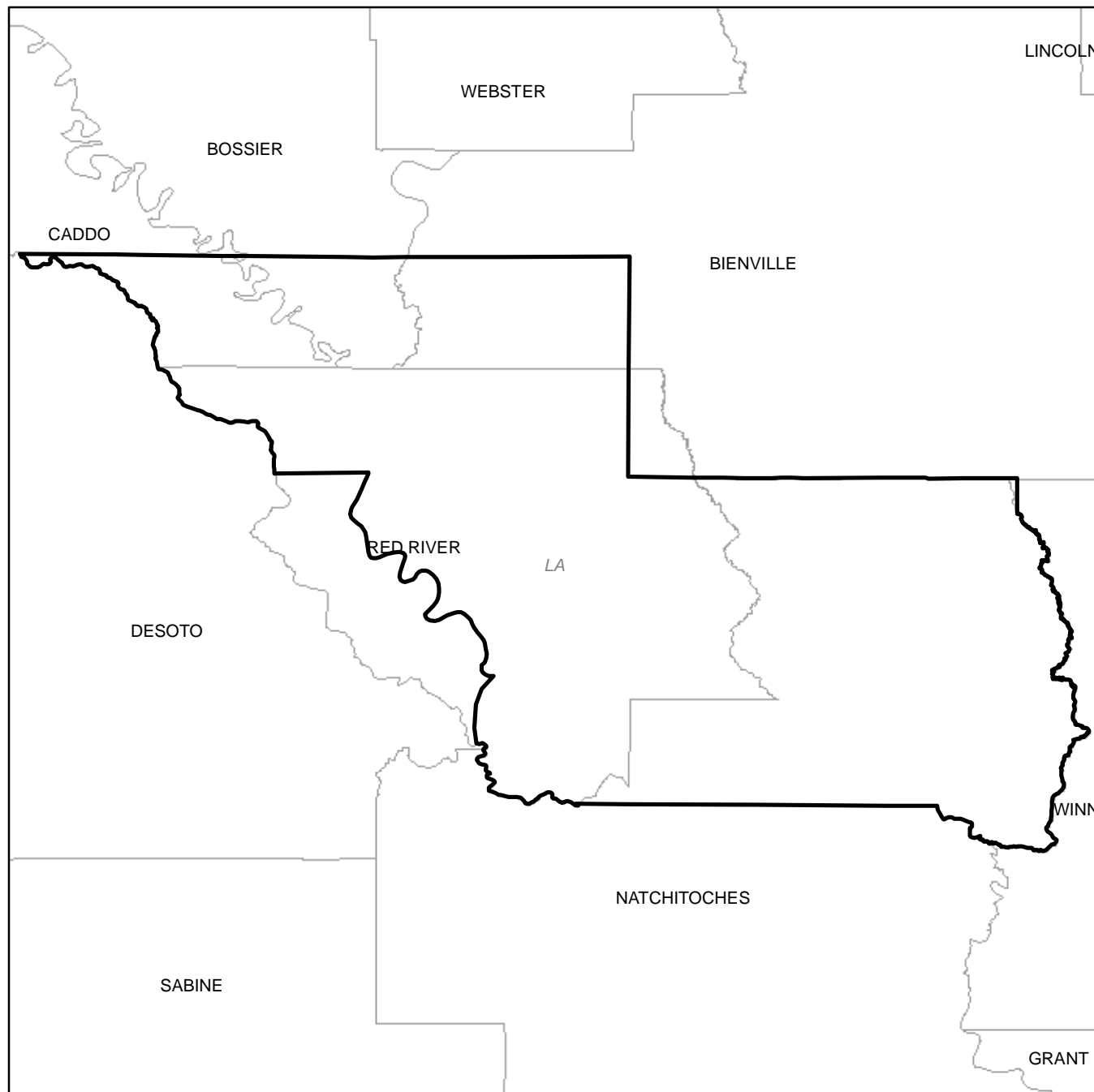
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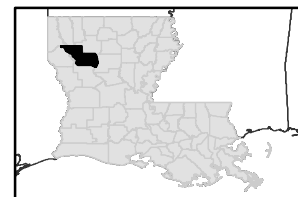
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Legislature authorized creation of RED RIVER (proposed) from BIENVILLE, BOSSIER, CADDO and NATCHITOCHES, dependent on an enumeration to determine whether the proposed parish contained the number of electors required by the Constitution.

778 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1859, 4th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 183-184)





RICHLAND (proposed)

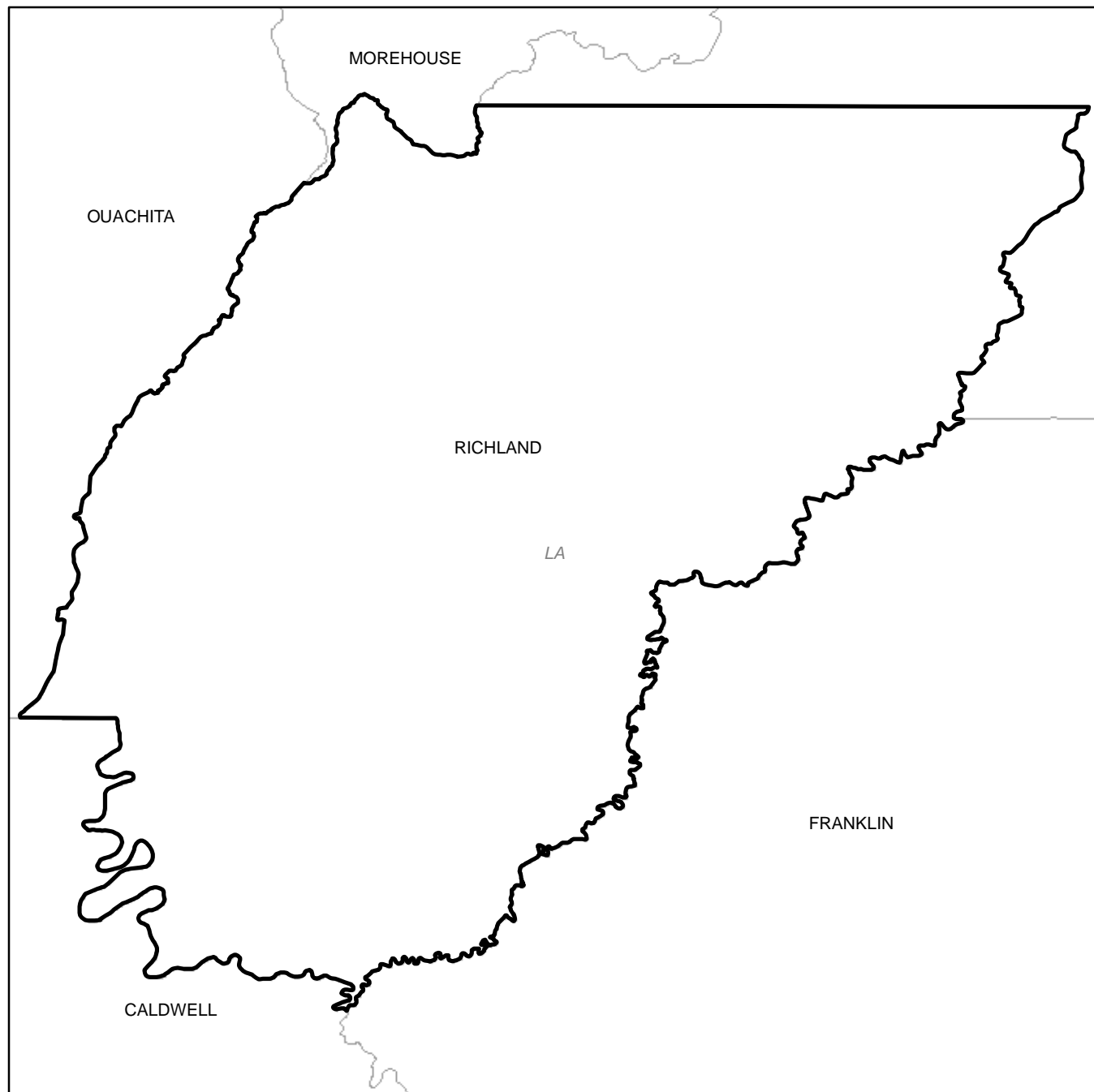
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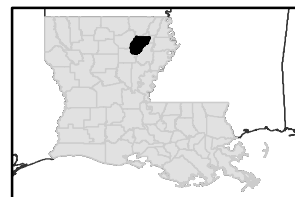
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Legislature authorized creation of RICHLAND (proposed) from CARROLL, FRANKLIN, MOREHOUSE, and OUACHITA, dependent on an enumeration to determine whether the proposed new parish contained the number of electors required by the Constitution.

(La. Acts 1852, 4th Leg., p. 115)

409 sq. mi.





TROY (proposed)

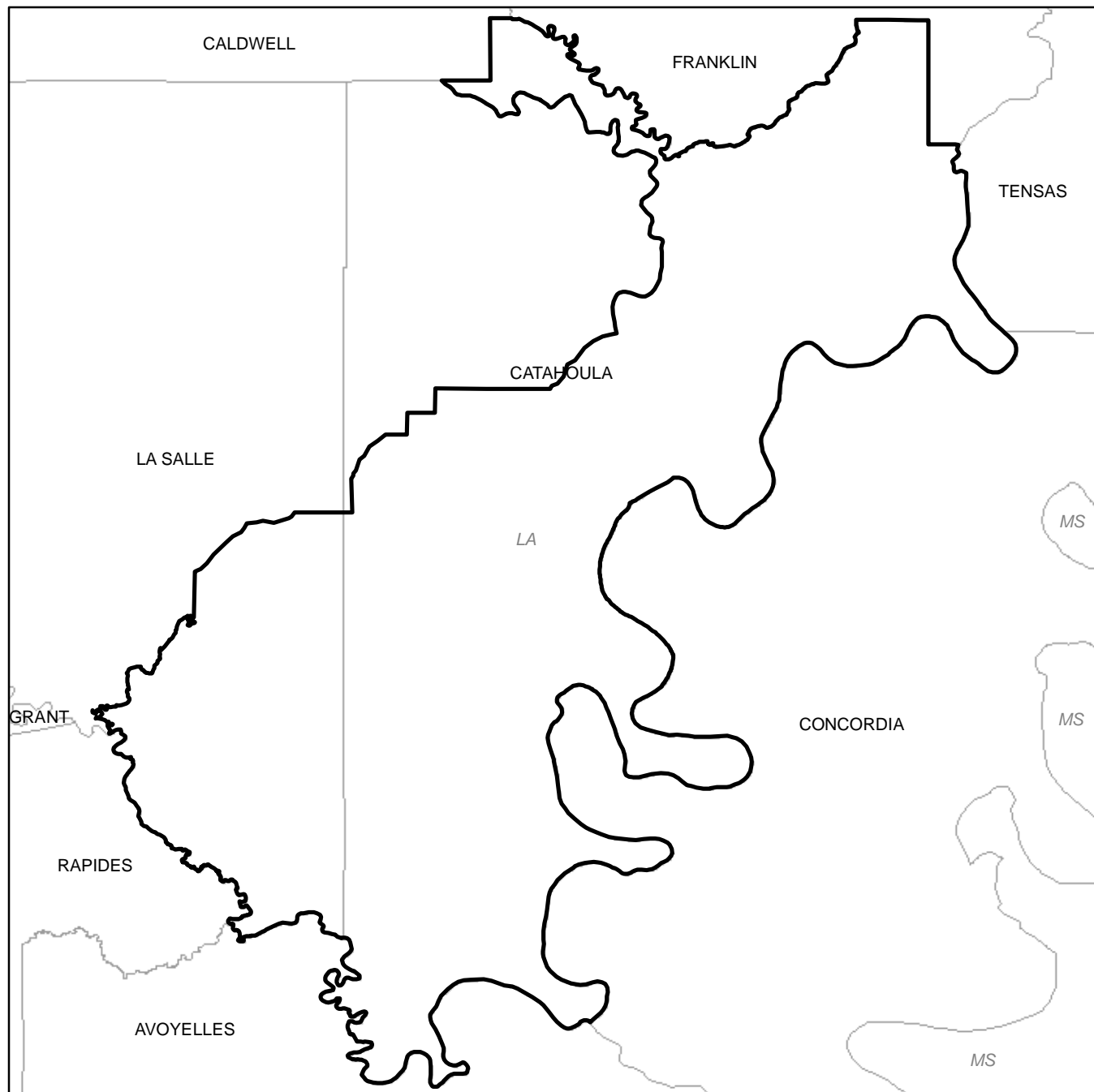
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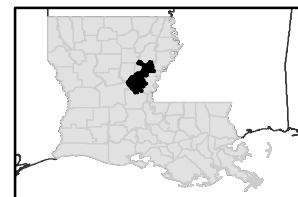
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Legislature authorized creation of TROY (proposed) from CATAHOULA. The Louisiana Supreme Court declared the creation of TROY unconstitutional because it increased the representation in the house of representatives beyond the constitutional limit.

705 sq. mi.

(La. Acts 1890, Reg. Sess., pp. 138-143; HRS, p. 12; "Adams vs. Forsyth", La. Ann., 130; 10 So., 622.)





Unnamed Parish 1 (proposed)

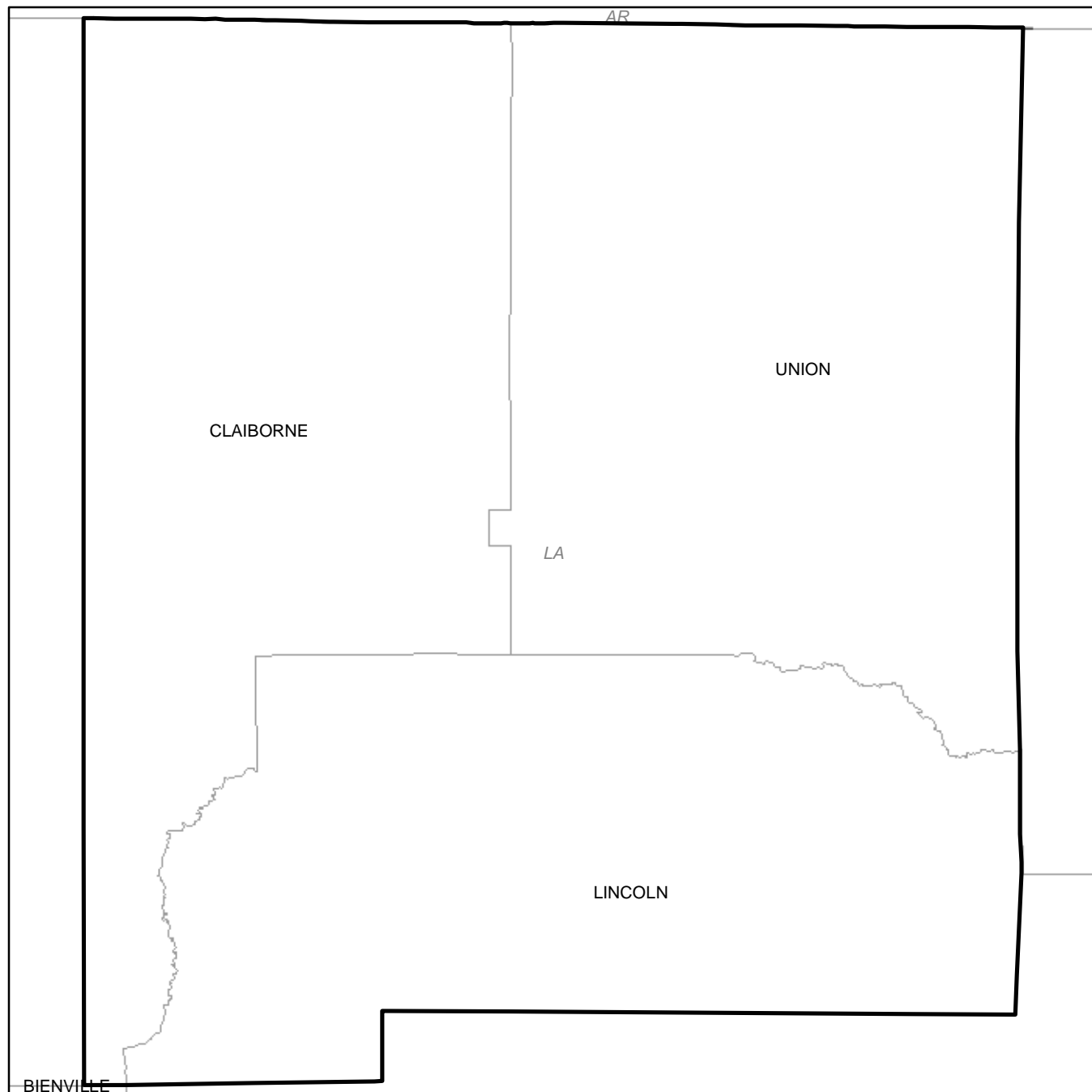
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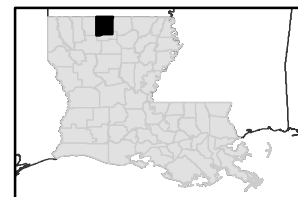
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Legislature authorized creation of an Unnamed Parish from CLAIBORNE, JACKSON, and UNION, dependent on an enumeration to determine whether the proposed parish contained the number of electors required by the Constitution. This proposal was unsuccessful.

(La. Laws 1860, 5th Leg., 1st sess., p. 52)

620 sq. mi.





Unnamed Parish 2 (proposed)

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3/21/1861 - 3/21/1861

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Legislature authorized creation of Unnamed Parish from RAPIDES, dependent on an enumeration to determine whether the proposed new parish contained the number of electors required by constitution. Proposal was unsuccessful.

1,042 sq. mi.

(La. Laws 1861, 5th Leg., 2nd sess., p. 198)

