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Teaching Digital History Skills

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Outline

- Sample digital history tools and projects
- Review key digital history tools for undergraduate students
- Using digital historical primary sources
- Sample assignments and lessons
- Discussion and questions

Why Teach Digital History?

- Myth of the “digital native” generation
- Power of new tools for research, analysis, and communication
- Ubiquity of digital history

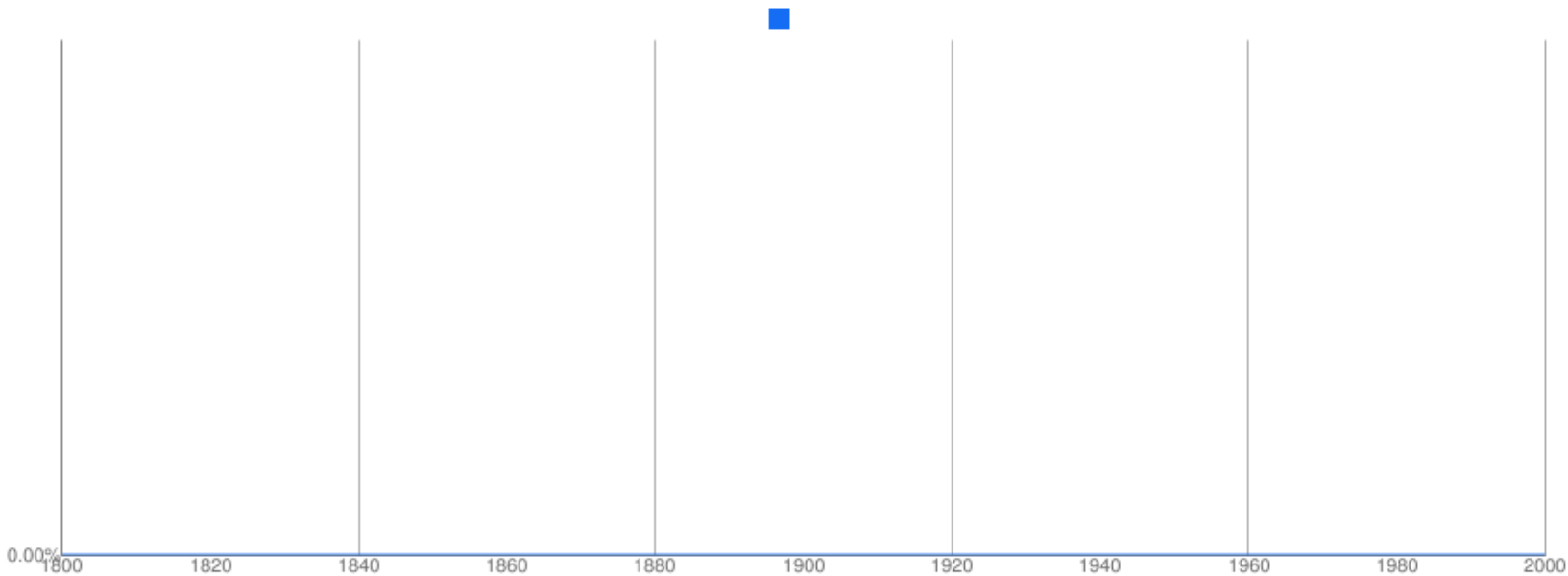


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The Civil War Augmented Reality Project was conceived by several public educators with technology experience and a desire to offer more interactivity to students and the general public visiting historic sites

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Episode 19: Metropolitanism and Environmental History

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In 1954, Canadian historian James Maurice Stockford Careless published an influential article in the *Canadian Historical Review*, titled "Frontierism, Metropolitanism, and Canadian History" which offered a new approach for understanding the course of Canadian history and the development of the Canadian nation-state. Instead of adopting the US model of a *Frontier Thesis*, which saw the expansion and development of the United States connected directly to the extension of a westward settlement frontier, Careless proposed a different model based on a Metropolitan Thesis which understood the development of the Canadian nation-state as a function of the interconnections between metropolitan centres and their regional hinterlands. Under this model for understanding Canadian history, the contours of the country's

expansion were determined not by a continuous line of frontier settlement but instead by the radial expansion of urban influence on rural hinterlands.

Careless's notion of metropolitanism has since played a significant role in environmental history research, most prominently in the work of William Cronon in *Nature's Metropolis* and other works in urban environmental history. Borrowing from Careless, this research examines the urban environment in its relationship to rural hinterlands, extending our understanding of the meaning of urban environments beyond the municipal boundaries. The exploitation of



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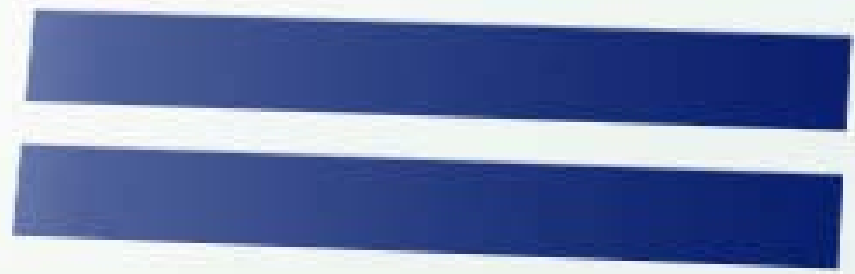
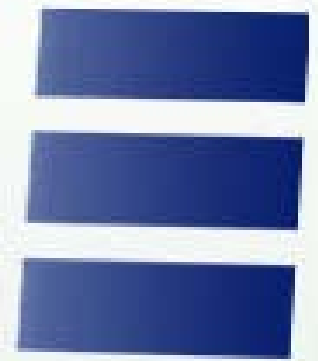


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The Mayor and Council of the City of
Minneapolis

The Petition of the undersigned herein
Milk Dealers of the City of Minneapolis humbly
sheweth.

First - That a license fee of ten dollars is exacted
by the City from each of your petitioners for the
privilege of peddling milk in the City of
Minneapolis and for each license your petitioners
submit that they are entitled to protection at the
hands of the Corporation against undue taxation.

Second - It is a well known and undisputed fact
that numbers of unlicensed parties follow the
business of vending milk without interruption
at the hands of the authorities to the great detriment
and loss of your petitioners.

Your petitioners would therefore pray
that the above mentioned
license fee be remitted
and all parties on an
equal footing or that
measures be taken to the
Police to prevent any viola-
tion of the City Law with regard
to milk vending.

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