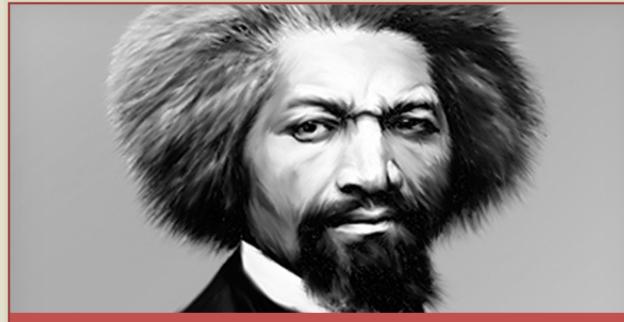


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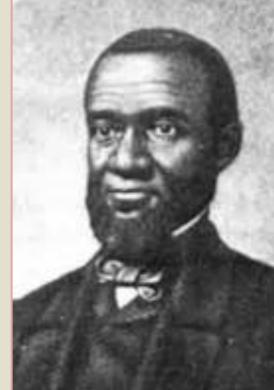




Reverend Absalom Jones First Black Bishop (1794) | Abolitionist

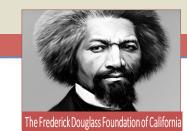


Reverend Richard Allen Founded the AME Church (1794)



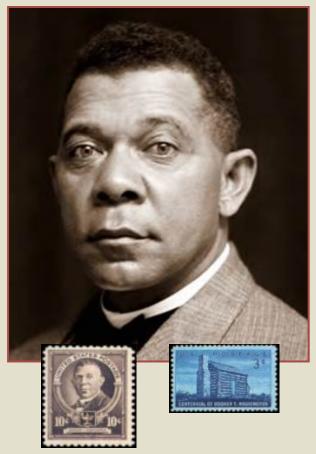
Reverend Henry Garnet First Black American preach to the U.S. House of Representatives in 1865



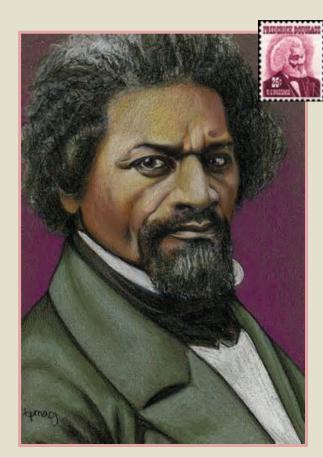


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Booker T. Washington Founder of Tuskegee University



Frederick Douglass Abolitionist and Advisor to Abraham Lincoln



Sojourner Truth Abolitionist | Women's Rights Activist



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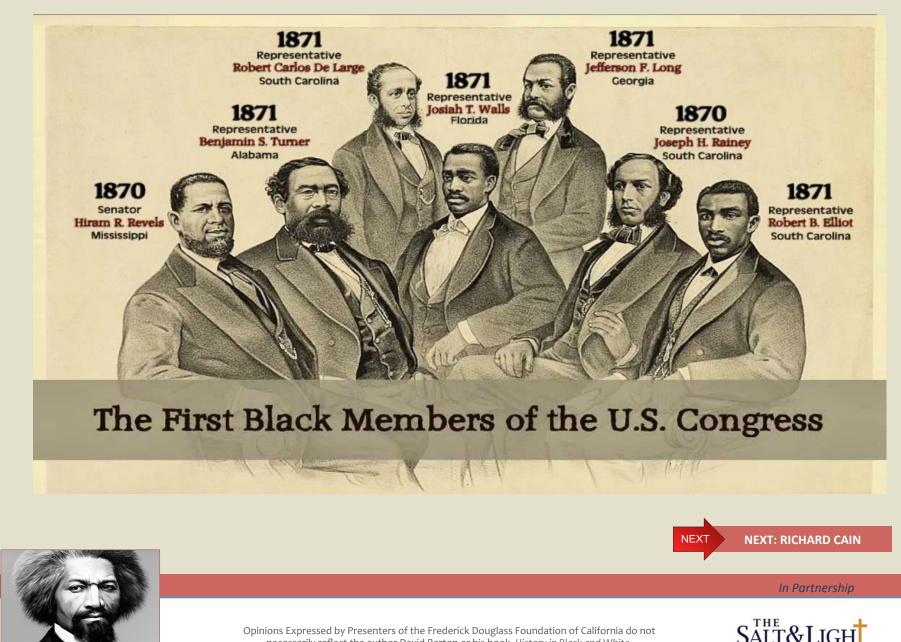
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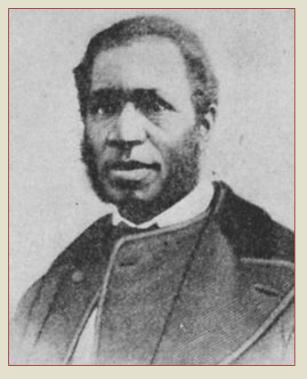
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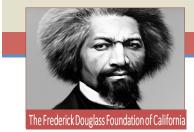
HERO: Representative Richard Cain

"The bad blood of the South comes because the Negroes are Republicans. If they would only cease to be Republicans and vote the straight-out Democratic ticket there would be no trouble. Then the bad blood would sink entirely out of sight."

"Place all citizens upon one broad platform; and if the Negro is not qualified to hoe his row in this contest of life, then let him go down. All we ask of this country is to put no barriers between us – to lay no stumbling blocks in our way, to give us freedom to accomplish our destiny ... DO THIS SIR AND WE SHALL ASK NOTHING MORE."



Representative Richard Cain - Member of the U.S. House of Representatives from South Carolina's At-large Congressional District



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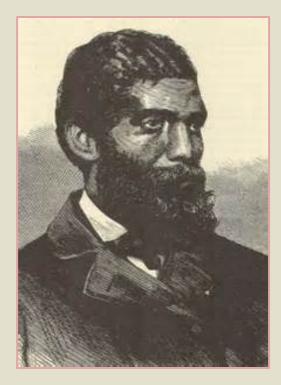
HERO: John Rock

The first Black American admitted to the United States Supreme Court Bar. He was both a licensed doctor and licensed dentist.

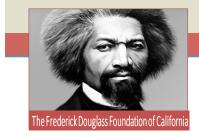
Two firsts (1st) in Black History!

1. A Republican Senator Charles Sumner nominated Black attorney John Rock to become a member of the United States Supreme Court.

2. Became first Black American attorney to be introduced in Congress.



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NEXT: BLANCHE BRUCE

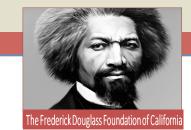
HERO: Blanche Kelso Bruce

After Revels, Bruce became the second (2nd) Black man to serve full time in the Senate.

Hiram R. Revels, also of Mississippi, was the first Black American to serve in the United States Senate but did not complete a full term.



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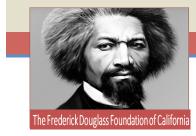
NEXT: JOHN LYNCH

HERO: Representative John Roy Lynch, Mississippi

- The first Black American to preside over a national political convention. Lynch grew up a slave and became Speaker of the House
- Lynch earned his law degree and became Chairman of the Republican Party. Lynch then helped pass the original federal civil rights laws.
- QUOTE: Regarding the passage of the 1875 Civil Rights Bill: "You (Republicans) have stood by the colored people of this country when it was more unpopular to do so than it is to pass this bill."

This bill was passed, but not a single one of the 114 Democrats in Congress voted for this civil rights bill.





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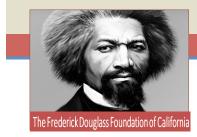
Republican Party and the Role of Black America

With the passing of the 13th Amendment which ended Slavery, Blacks were Registering to Vote and forming Political Parties across the South. Historically, the Republicans were the first Black Party.

The First Twenty-Three (23) Black Americans

elected to the US Congress were Republicans.

13 Had Been Slaves
All Were Self-Educated
3 Were Ministers
7 Were Attorneys
5 Where Schoolteachers
4 Were University Presidents
13 Were State Legislators





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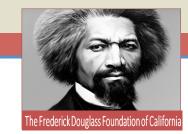
Who is the Klu Klux Klan?

FACT OF HISTORY: Klan played a Prominent role in Democratic Party

"The Klan <u>terrorized Black</u> <u>Americans</u> through <u>murders</u> and public <u>floggings</u>; relief was granted only if individuals promised <u>not to</u> <u>vote</u> for Republican tickets, and violation of this oath was <u>punishable</u> <u>by death</u>. Since the Klan <u>targeted</u> <u>Republicans</u> in general, it did not limit its violence simply to Black Republicans; <u>White Republicans</u> were also included." Page 50 They Lynched Republicans - White as Well as Black



The Story of Republican Senator Dr. John Winsmith



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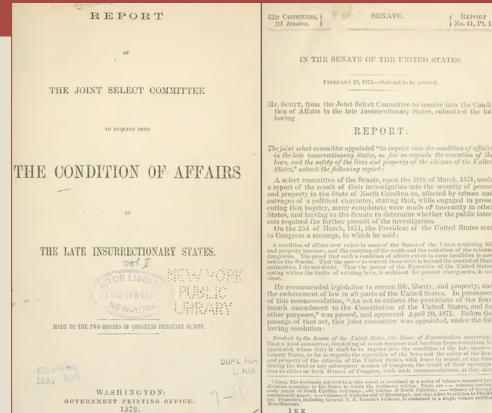


United States Congress Report of the Joint Select Committee to Inquire into the Condition of Affairs in Late

Insurrectionary States

13-Volume Investigation by Congress in 1872 on the role of the Klu Klux Klan in the Democratic Party

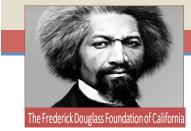
This report proves the KKK had a working relationship with the Democratic Party



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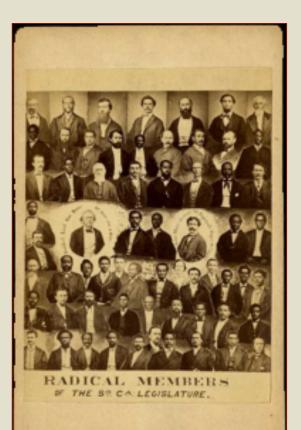


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1868 Klu Klux Klan Card

- KKK Card (size of baseball card) Identified 63 "Radical Republicans" - 50 Blacks, 13 whites in the Carolina legislature – received night visits from KKK.
- 2. 1871, U.S. Congressman Robert Brown Elliott declared the purpose of the Democratic Party is to "defeat the ballot with the bullet."
- 3. According to Black U.S. Congressman James T. Rapier of Alabama, the Democrats hunted him relentlessly because he was a Republican.
- 4. 1915 The KKK made the movie "Birth of a Nation" as a recruiting tool to increase membership in KKK. The NAACP fought to ban this movie - supported by Democrat President Woodrow Wilson, the first movie ever shown in the White House.



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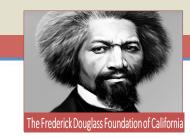
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EXT: VOTER INTIMIDATION AND FRAUD DEVICES

Voter Intimidation And Fraud

- 1. Poll Tax Democrats enacted a fee to be paid by voter before he could vote.
- 2. Literacy Test Use by Democrats to disenfranchise Blacks.
- "Grandfather Clause" Passed by Democratic Legislatures Blacks could only vote if their grandfather voted before the passage of the 15th Amendment.
- **4. "Hide and Seek Polling Tactics"** Democrats moved the voting polls to unknown locations last minute.
- 5. Black Codes Eventually inspired the Jim Crows Law which lasted until 1965.
- **6. Gerrymandering** Is a term that refers to purposeful rearranging of district lines in order to influence the outcome of an election.
- 7. White-Only Primaries The Democrats prohibited Blacks from voting in the Democratic primaries.
- 8. Physical and Violent Intimidation Led by the Klu Klux Klan.
- **9. State Constitution or "Civil Rights" Clauses** The states under Democrat majority would rewrite and revise Constitutions to remove Civil Rights clauses.
- **10.** Voter Fraud The Democrats obtained votes from the names on cemetery headstones.





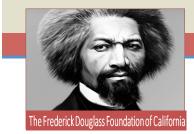
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Frederick Douglass Reminded Black Americans:

"For Colored Voters, the Republican Party is the ship, all else is the sea."



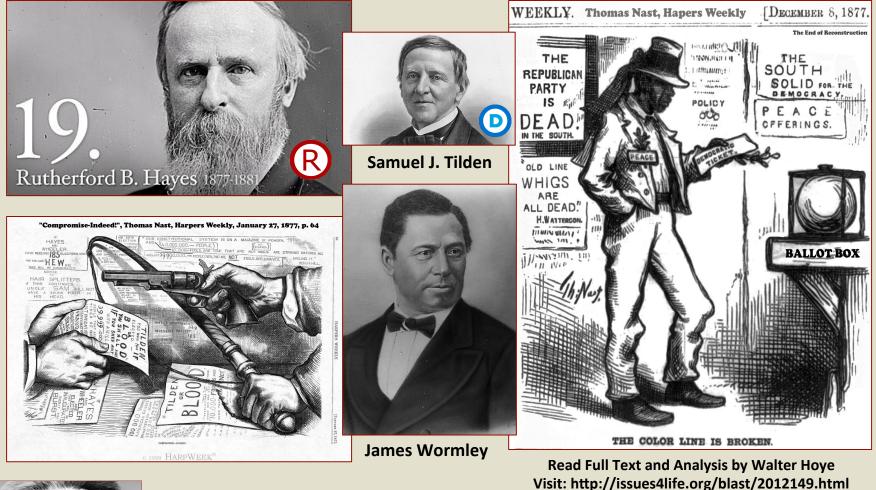
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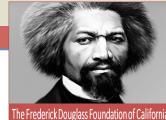
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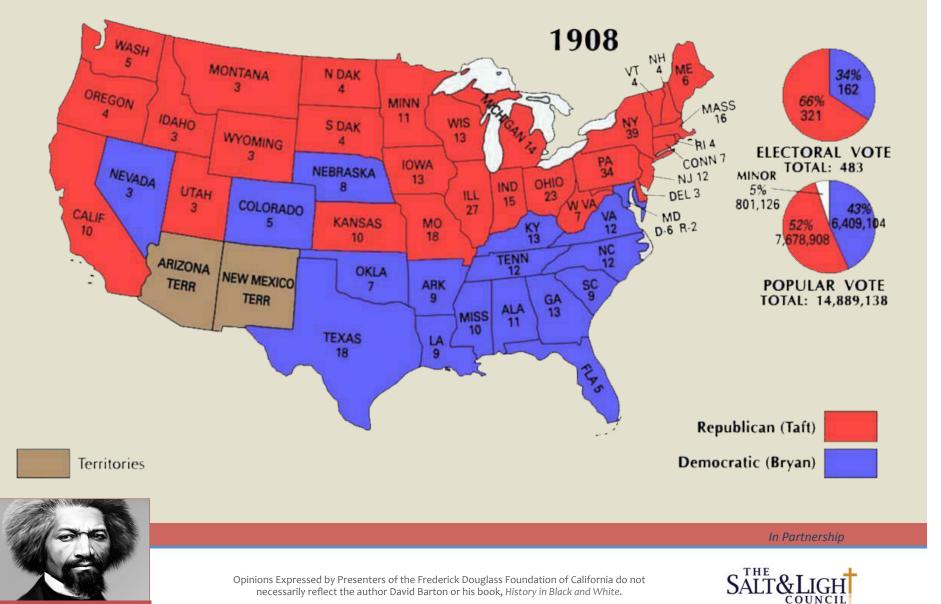




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The Electoral Map In 1908



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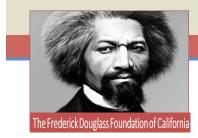
CIVIL RIGHTS LEGISLATION OF THE 60s

If it had not been for the **strong support** of the Republican Party, the **Civil Rights Act of 1964** and **The Voting Act of 1965** would never have become law.

The Republicans supported the passage of these laws.

- 1. From 1875 to 1968, the Voting Rights Act opposed by majority of Democrats
- 2. 91% of the Republicans in Congress voted to end the Poll Tax. Of the 16 Senators who wanted to keep the Poll Tax alive, 15 were Democrats.

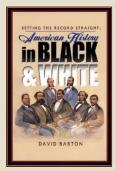




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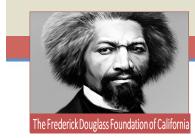
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