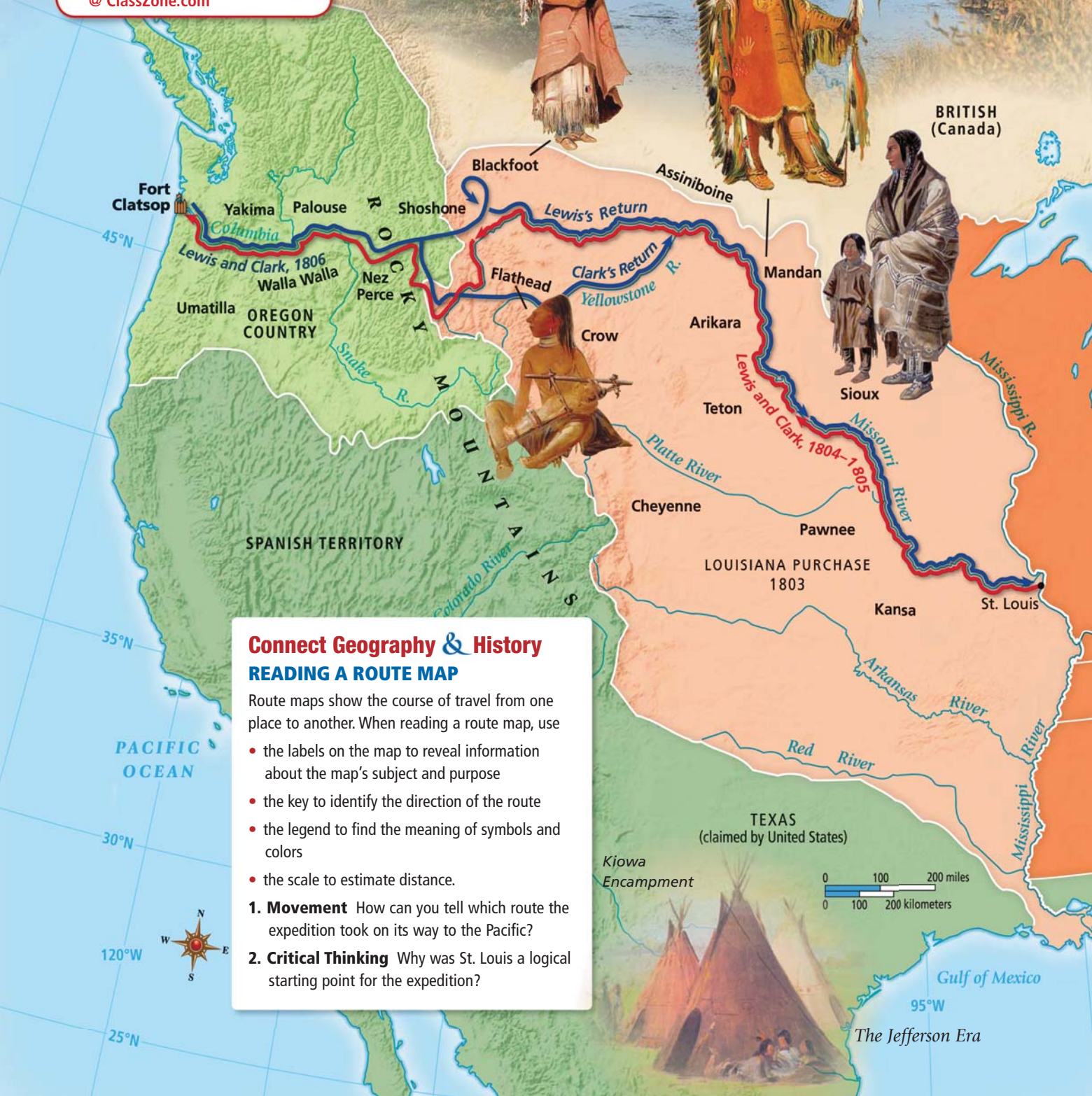


Lewis and Clark 1804–1806

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Connect Geography & History READING A ROUTE MAP

Route maps show the course of travel from one place to another. When reading a route map, use

- the labels on the map to reveal information about the map's subject and purpose
- the key to identify the direction of the route
- the legend to find the meaning of symbols and colors
- the scale to estimate distance.

1. **Movement** How can you tell which route the expedition took on its way to the Pacific?
2. **Critical Thinking** Why was St. Louis a logical starting point for the expedition?