

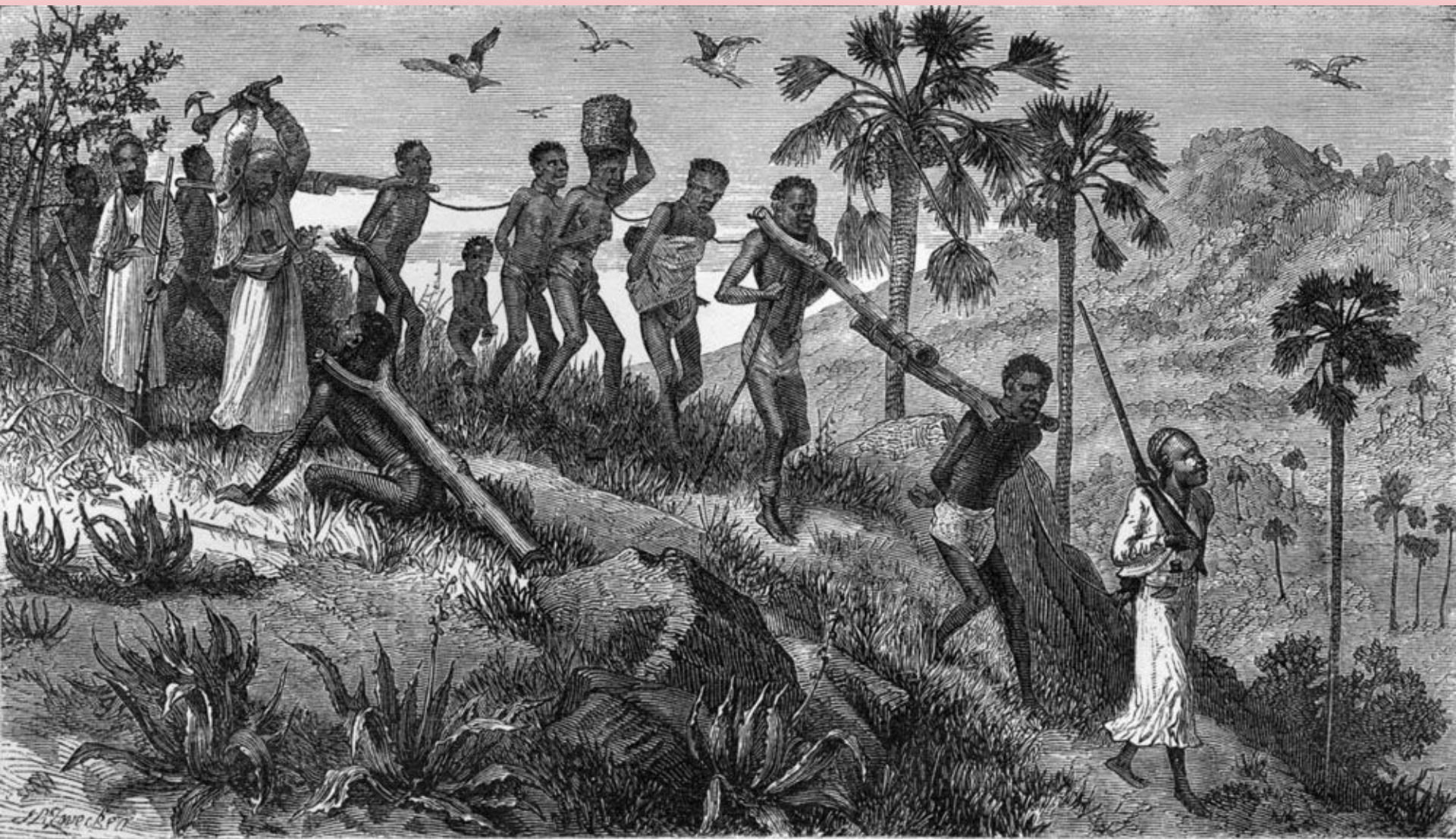
Timeline of Racism and Resistance in the Food System



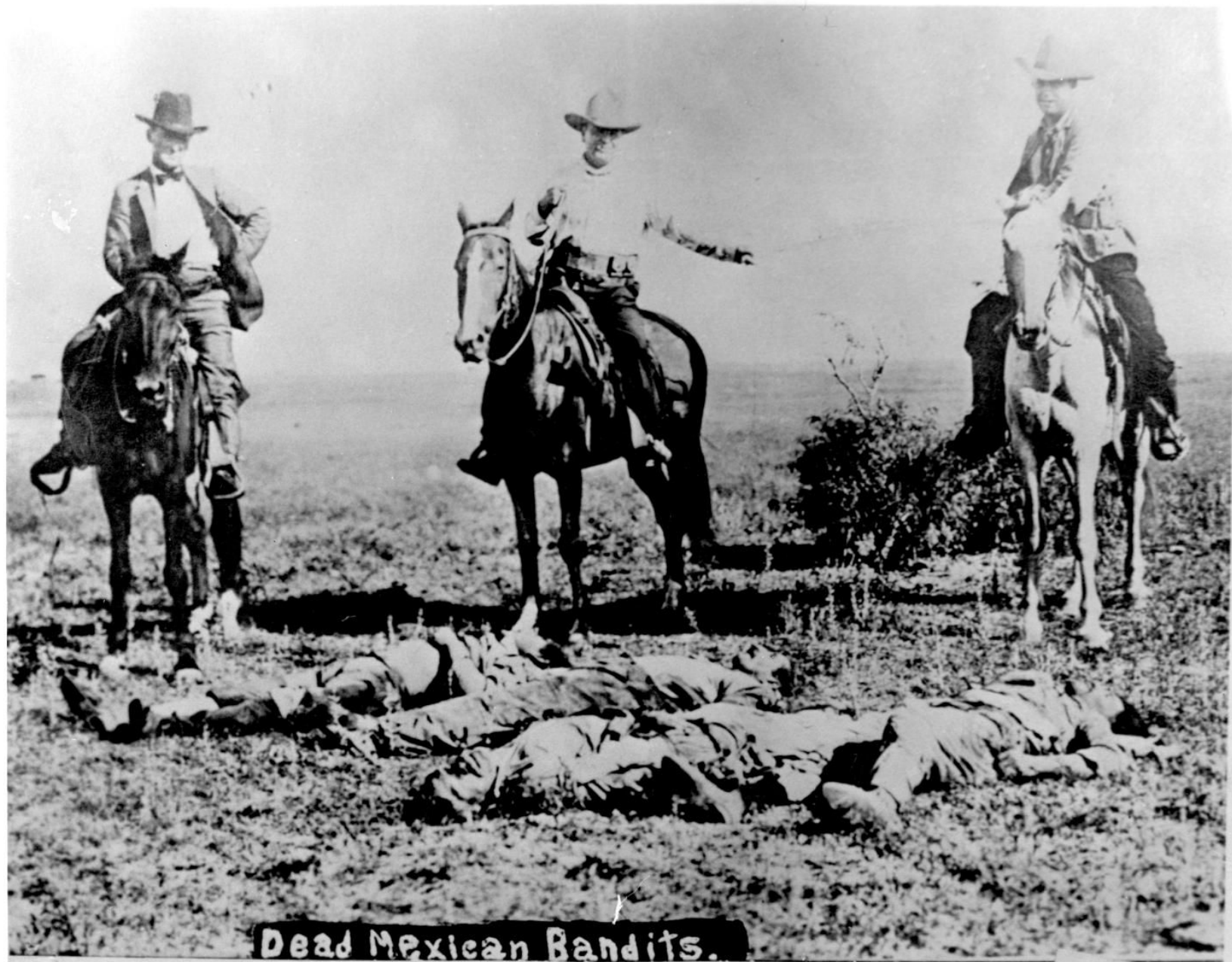
“Control oil and you
control nations; control
food and you control the
people.”

~Henry Kissinger, 1970





SLAVERS REVENGING THEIR LOSSES.



Dead Mexican Bandits.



THE COTTON PLANTER AND HIS PICKERS.

H. TEES
WEST POINT, MISS.





MORE SECURITY FOR THE AMERICAN FAMILY



**WHEN AN INSURED WORKER DIES,
LEAVING DEPENDENT CHILDREN
AND A WIDOW, BOTH MOTHER
AND CHILDREN RECEIVE MONTHLY
BENEFITS UNTIL THE LATTER
REACH 18.**

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**THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT AS AMENDED
OFFERS GREATER OLD-AGE INSURANCE
PROTECTION TO PEOPLE NOW NEARING
RETIREMENT AGE.**

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STOP
PROMISING
START
PAY

FULL
Compensation
For
Discrimination

Black Farmers
Have
Waited Long
Enough

UNITED
WE
STAND

JUSTICE
SERVED

We are coming to get our check

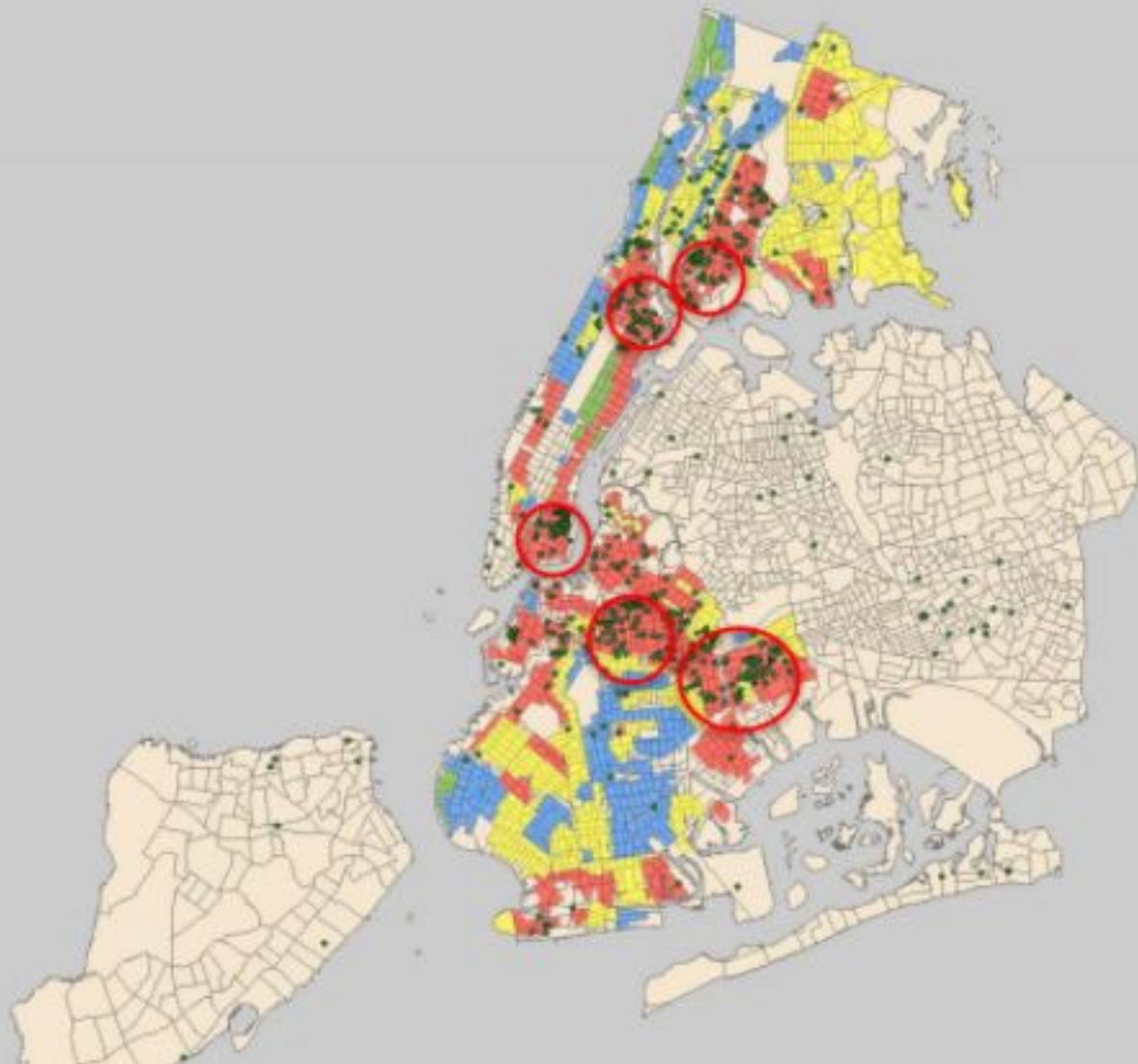


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Redline Maps

Rating



A Small Needful Fact

Ross Gay

Is that Eric Garner worked
for some time for the Parks and Rec.
Horticultural Department, which means,
perhaps, that with his very large hands,
perhaps, in all likelihood,
he put gently into the earth
some plants which, most likely,
some of them, in all likelihood,
continue to grow, continue
to do what such plants do, like house
and feed small and necessary creatures,
like being pleasant to touch and smell,
like converting sunlight
into food, like making it easier
for us to breathe.

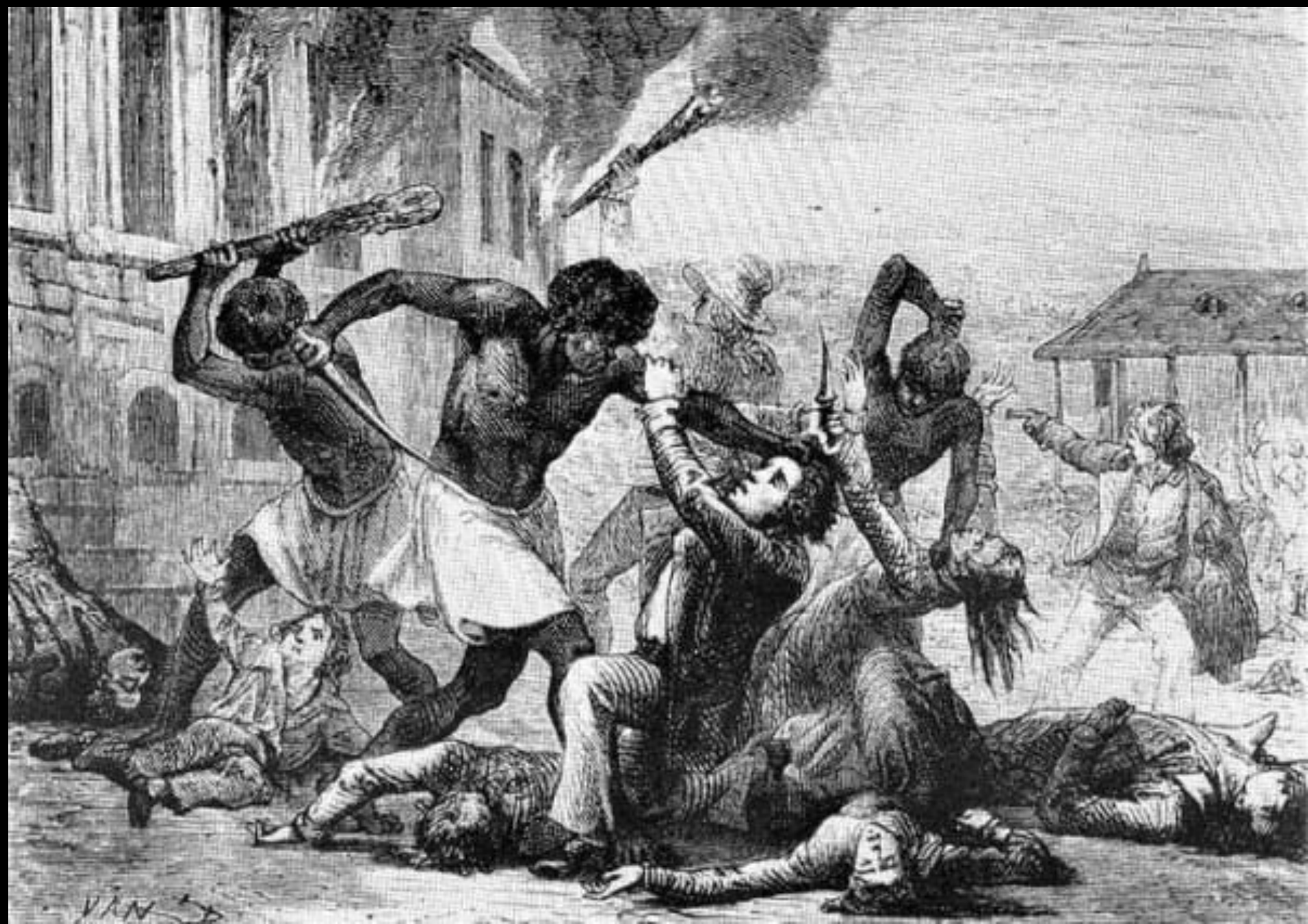




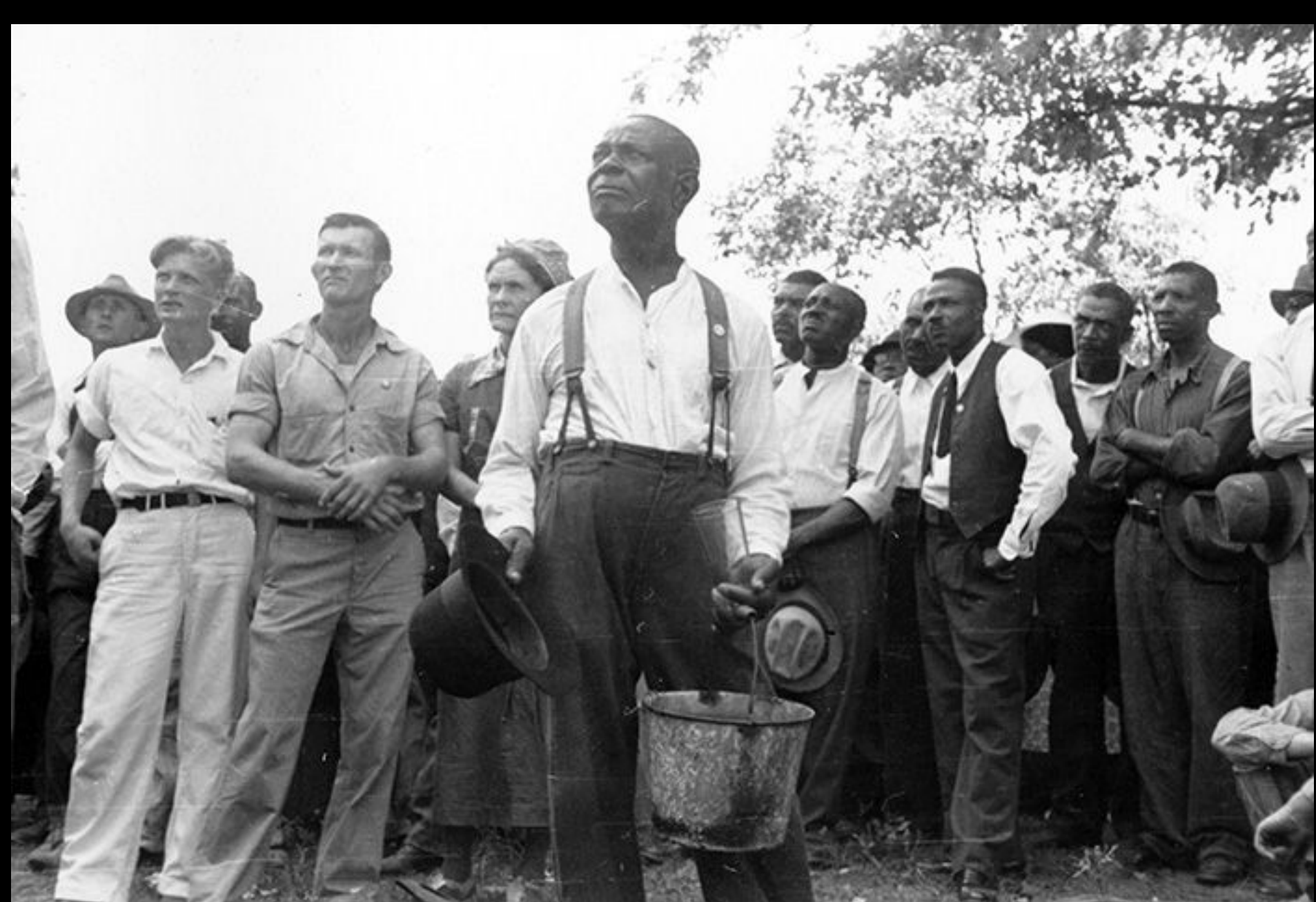


All revolution is based on land.
Land is the basis of all
independence. Land is the basis
of freedom, justice, and
equality

~Malcolm X











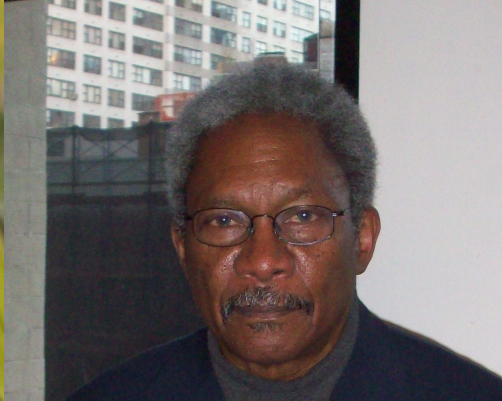
A FARMERS' ALLIANCE CONVENTION. (From S. D. Butcher collection.)

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IN THE
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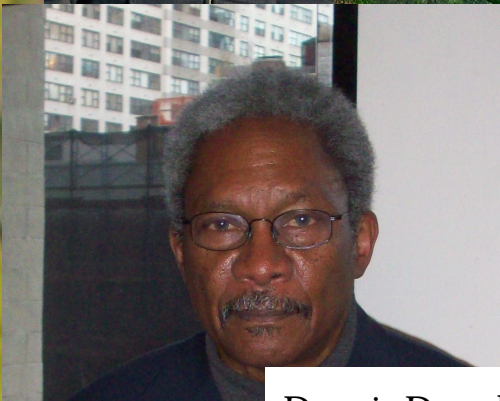
Karen Washington,
Rise and Root Farm



Malik Yakini,
D-Town Farm



Jovanna Johnson &
Eugene Cooke, Grow
Where You Are



Dennis Derryk, Corbin
Hill Food Project



Kirtrina Baxter, Chris
Bolden-Newsome, Blain Snipstal, Black
Dirt Farm Collective



Gail Meyers,
Farms to Grow

If we are not acting to change the system, we are complicit, casting our silent vote to maintain the status quo.

- Offer resources and time to organizations run by people of color and other targeted identities. For white people, organize other white folks around these campaigns.
- Self-educate on racism in the food system and the history of sustainable farming practices, and talk about it. Share with your students, family, friends.
- Advocate for policies that expand SNAP, support small farmers, redistribute wealth, uplift migrant farmworkers, and advance reparations
- Promote “Food Justice Certified,” Cosecha, and ROC and other food workers’ rights initiatives

Support Frontlines Leaders in the Work

- National Black Food and Justice Alliance
- Southeastern African-American Organic Farmers Network (SAAFON)
- Black Urban Growers (BUGS)
- Black Permaculture Network
- Black Farmers and Agriculturalists Association
- Federation of Southern Cooperatives
- Black Belt Justice Center
- Black Land and Liberation Initiative
- US Food Sovereignty Alliance
- HEAL Food Alliance



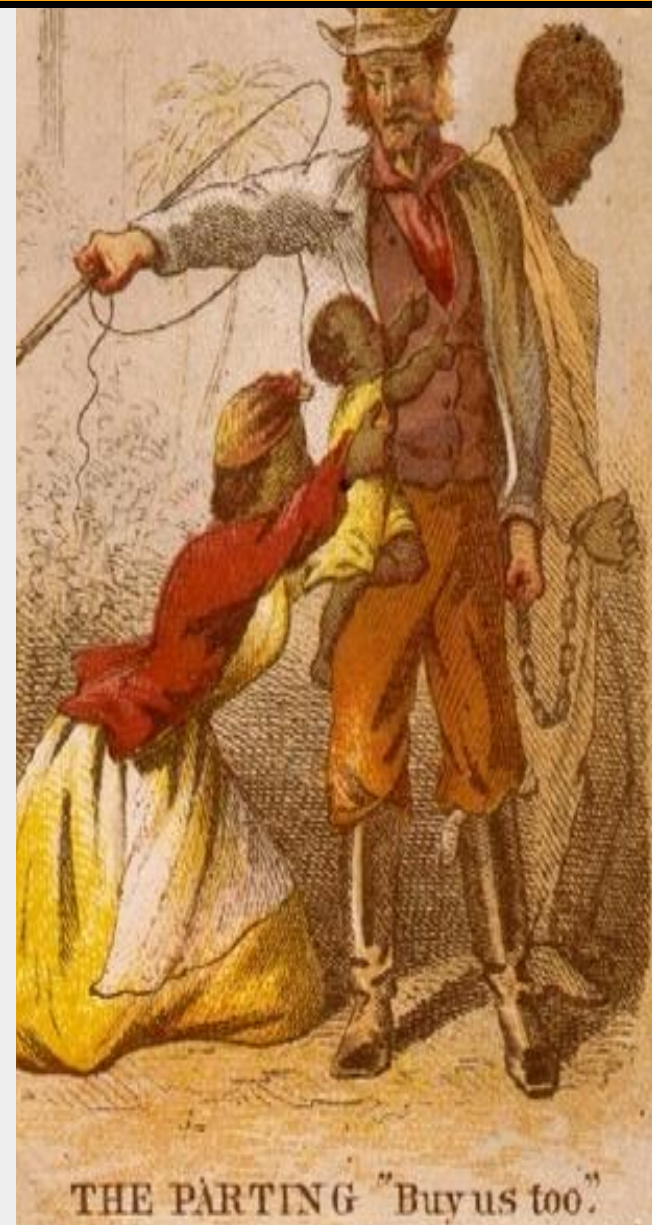
BLACK GOLD



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The next day, I stationed myself by the side of the road, along which the slaves, amounting to three hundred and fifty, were to pass. The purchaser of my wife was a Methodist minister, who was about starting for North Carolina. Pretty soon five waggon-loads of little children passed, and looking at the foremost one, what should I see but a little child, pointing its tiny hand towards me, exclaiming, "There's my father; I knew he would come and bid me good-bye." It was my eldest child! Soon the gang approached in which my wife was chained. I looked, and beheld her familiar face; but O, reader, that glance of agony! may God spare me ever again enduring the excruciating horror of that moment! She passed, and came near to where I stood. I seized hold of her hand, intending to bid her farewell; but words failed me; the gift of utterance had fled, and I remained speechless. I followed her for some distance, with her hand grasped in mine, as if to save her from her fate, but I could not speak, and I was obliged to turn away in silence.



THE PARTING "Buy us too."