

NUMBER OF INHABITANTS

District of Columbia

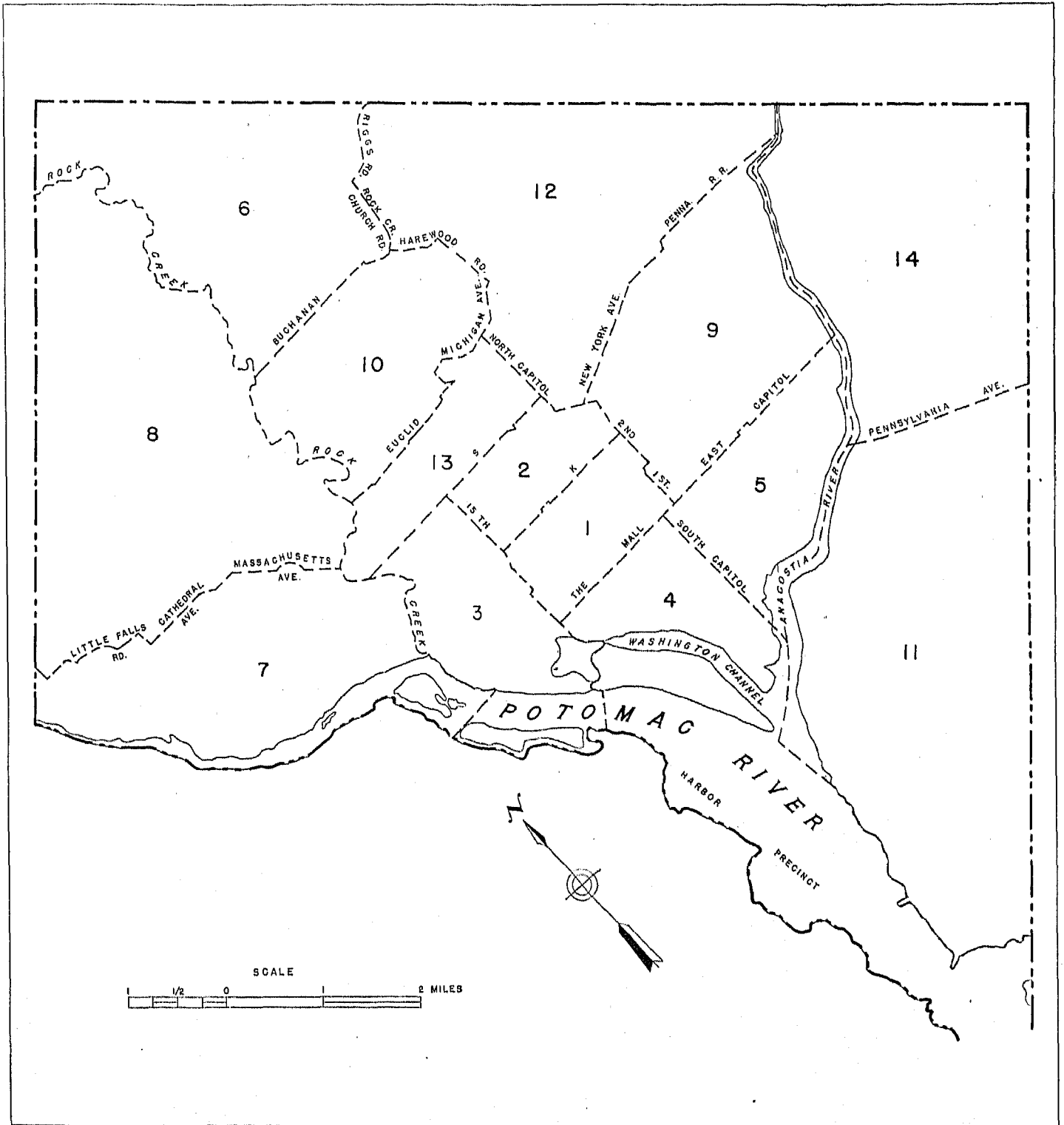
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POLICE PRECINCTS



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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Table 1.—POPULATION OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, URBAN AND RURAL: 1800 TO 1950

[Minus sign (-) denotes decrease]

| Census date | The District | | | Number of urban places | Urban territory | | | Rural territory | | | Percent of total | |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|---------|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|---------|-----------------|--------------------------------|---------|------------------|-------|
| | Population | Increase over preceding census | | | Population | Increase over preceding census | | Population | Increase over preceding census | | Urban | Rural |
| | | Number | Percent | | | Number | Percent | | Number | Percent | | |
| 1850 (Apr. 1)..... | 802, 178 | 139, 087 | 21. 0 | 1 | 802, 178 | 139, 087 | 21. 0 | | | | 100. 0 | |
| 1840 (Apr. 1)..... | 663, 091 | 176, 222 | 36. 2 | 1 | 663, 091 | 176, 222 | 36. 2 | | | | 100. 0 | |
| 1830 (Apr. 1)..... | 486, 869 | 49, 298 | 11. 3 | 1 | 486, 869 | 49, 298 | 11. 3 | | | | 100. 0 | |
| 1820 (Jan. 1)..... | 437, 571 | 106, 502 | 32. 2 | 1 | 437, 571 | 106, 502 | 32. 2 | | | | 100. 0 | |
| 1810 (Apr. 15)..... | 331, 069 | 62, 351 | 18. 8 | 1 | 331, 069 | 62, 351 | 18. 8 | | | | 100. 0 | |
| 1900 (June 1)..... | 278, 718 | 48, 326 | 21. 0 | 1 | 278, 718 | 48, 326 | 21. 0 | | | | 100. 0 | |
| 1896 (June 1)..... | 230, 392 | 52, 768 | 29. 7 | 1 | 230, 392 | 52, 768 | 29. 7 | | | | 100. 0 | |
| 1880 (June 1)..... | 177, 024 | 45, 024 | 34. 9 | 2 | 159, 871 | 39, 288 | 32. 6 | 17, 753 | -17, 753 | -100. 0 | 90. 0 | 10. 0 |
| 1870 (June 1)..... | 131, 700 | 50, 020 | 75. 4 | 2 | 120, 583 | 50, 728 | 72. 6 | 11, 117 | 5, 892 | 112. 8 | 91. 6 | 8. 4 |
| 1860 (June 1)..... | 75, 080 | 23, 323 | 45. 3 | 2 | 69, 855 | 21, 488 | 44. 4 | 5, 225 | 1, 905 | 57. 4 | 93. 0 | 7. 0 |
| 1850 (June 1)..... | 51, 687 | 17, 042 | 53. 2 | 2 | 48, 367 | 17, 691 | 57. 7 | 3, 320 | 251 | 8. 2 | 93. 6 | 6. 4 |
| 1840 (June 1)..... | 33, 716 | 3, 484 | 11. 5 | 2 | 30, 676 | 3, 400 | 12. 5 | 3, 069 | 75 | 2. 5 | 90. 9 | 9. 1 |
| 1830 (June 1)..... | 30, 261 | 6, 925 | 29. 7 | 2 | 27, 207 | 6, 060 | 32. 3 | 2, 994 | 265 | 9. 7 | 90. 1 | 9. 9 |
| 1820 (Aug. 7)..... | 23, 336 | 7, 865 | 50. 8 | 2 | 20, 607 | 7, 451 | 56. 6 | 2, 729 | 414 | 17. 9 | 88. 3 | 11. 7 |
| 1810 (Aug. 6)..... | 15, 471 | 7, 327 | 90. 0 | 2 | 13, 156 | 6, 953 | 112. 1 | 2, 315 | 374 | 19. 3 | 85. 0 | 15. 0 |
| 1800 (Aug. 4)..... | 8, 144 | | | 2 | 6, 293 | | | 1, 941 | | | 76. 2 | 23. 8 |

¹ District of Columbia not considered coextensive with Washington city until 1895 but considered entirely urban in 1890.

² Population of present area of District of Columbia; population of District of Columbia as then constituted: 1840, 43,712; 1830, 39,834; 1820, 33,039; 1810, 24,023; 1800, 14,093.

(Tables 2 and 3 of the standard series are omitted as the only place, Washington, D. C., is considered coextensive with the District of Columbia)

Table 4.—POPULATION OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON: 1800 TO 1950

| Census year | Population | Increase over preceding census | | Census year | Population | Increase over preceding census | | Census year | Population | Increase over preceding census | |
|-------------------------|------------|--------------------------------|---------|-------------|------------|--------------------------------|---------|-------------|------------|--------------------------------|---------|
| | | Number | Percent | | | Number | Percent | | | Number | Percent |
| 1950..... | 802, 178 | 139, 087 | 21. 0 | 1890..... | 188, 032 | 41, 630 | 28. 3 | 1840..... | 23, 364 | 4, 538 | 24. 1 |
| 1840..... | 663, 091 | 176, 222 | 36. 2 | 1880..... | 147, 293 | 38, 094 | 34. 0 | 1830..... | 18, 826 | 5, 579 | 42. 1 |
| 1830..... | 486, 869 | 49, 298 | 11. 3 | 1870..... | 109, 199 | 48, 077 | 78. 7 | 1820..... | 13, 247 | 5, 039 | 61. 4 |
| 1820..... | 437, 571 | 106, 502 | 32. 2 | 1860..... | 61, 122 | 21, 121 | 52. 8 | 1810..... | 8, 208 | 4, 098 | 155. 7 |
| 1810..... | 331, 069 | 62, 351 | 18. 8 | 1850..... | 40, 091 | 10, 637 | 71. 2 | 1800..... | 23, 210 | | |
| 1900 ¹ | 278, 718 | 89, 786 | 47. 5 | | | | | | | | |

¹ Washington city considered coextensive with the District of Columbia since 1895.

² Population prior to incorporation.

(Tables 5 and 6 of the standard series are omitted as there are no counties in the District of Columbia. Table 7 is omitted as the only place, Washington, D. C., is considered coextensive with the District of Columbia)

Table 8.—POPULATION OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, BY POLICE PRECINCTS AND QUADRANTS: 1950

| Precinct | Population | Precinct | Population | Precinct | Population | Quadrant | Population |
|-------------------|------------|-----------------|------------|------------------|------------|---------------------------------|------------|
| The District..... | 802, 178 | Precinct 5..... | 51, 292 | Precinct 10..... | 82, 012 | The District ¹ | 802, 178 |
| Precinct 1..... | 18, 705 | Precinct 6..... | 62, 399 | Precinct 11..... | 86, 344 | Northeast..... | 187, 443 |
| Precinct 2..... | 58, 850 | Precinct 7..... | 35, 607 | Precinct 12..... | 53, 032 | Northwest..... | 417, 471 |
| Precinct 3..... | 49, 894 | Precinct 8..... | 56, 630 | Precinct 13..... | 61, 569 | Southeast..... | 152, 738 |
| Precinct 4..... | 30, 082 | Precinct 9..... | 80, 326 | Precinct 14..... | 66, 169 | Southwest..... | 44, 526 |

¹ Population of the quadrants in 1940: Northeast, 137,059; Northwest, 406,151; Southeast, 87,931; Southwest, 31, 050.

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Table 9.—POPULATION OF URBANIZED AREAS: 1950

["Districts" shown here for Maryland are election districts and for Virginia are magisterial districts. Blank indicates no population returned]

| Area | Population | Area | Population |
|--|------------|--|------------|
| WASHINGTON, D. C., URBANIZED AREA | | Prince Georges County (part)—Con. | |
| The area..... | 1,287,333 | Dist. 12, Oxon Hill (part)..... | 2,484 |
| Washington, D. C. | 802,178 | Forest Heights town..... | 1,125 |
| Outside city..... | 485,155 | Dist. 13, Kent (part)..... | 2,460 |
| The urbanized area includes the following: | | Cheverly town (part)..... | 13,748 |
| In the District of Columbia | 802,178 | Dist. 16, Hyattsville (part)..... | 1,150 |
| Washington, D. C. | 802,178 | Edmonston town (part)..... | 12,308 |
| In Maryland | 253,423 | Hyattsville city..... | 35,481 |
| Montgomery County (part) | 117,537 | Dist. 17, Chillum (part)..... | 3,523 |
| Dist. 4, Rockville (part)..... | 871 | Brentwood town..... | 10,980 |
| Garrett Park town..... | 824 | Mount Rainier city..... | 833 |
| Dist. 7, Bethesda (part)..... | 42,567 | North Brentwood town..... | 3,950 |
| Chevy Chase village..... | 1,071 | Takoma Park city (part)..... | 15,592 |
| Glen Echo town..... | 350 | Capitol Heights town..... | 2,729 |
| Somerset town..... | 450 | Cheverly town (part)..... | 201 |
| Dist. 10, Potomac (part)..... | 158 | Fairmount Heights town..... | 2,007 |
| Dist. 13, Wheaton (part)..... | 74,241 | Seat Pleasant town..... | 2,255 |
| Kensington town..... | 1,011 | Dist. 19, Riverdale (part)..... | 12,148 |
| Takoma Park city (part)..... | 0,301 | Greenbelt city (part)..... | 5,530 |
| Prince Georges County (part) | 135,886 | Riverdale town..... | 2,205 |
| Dist. 1, Vansville (part)..... | 970 | University Park town..... | 1,020 |
| Dist. 2, Bladensburg (part)..... | 17,204 | Dist. 20, Lambam (part)..... | 18,911 |
| Bladensburg town..... | 2,800 | Dist. 21, Berwyn (part)..... | 674 |
| Cheverly town (part)..... | 3,117 | Berwyn Heights town..... | 11,170 |
| Colmar Manor town..... | 1,732 | College Park town..... | 7,074 |
| Cottage City town..... | 1,240 | Greenbelt city (part)..... | |
| Edmonston town (part)..... | 1,601 | In Virginia | 231,732 |
| Landover Hills town..... | 15,733 | Arlington County | 135,449 |
| Dist. 6, Spaulding (part)..... | 1,735 | Fairfax County (part) | 26,901 |
| District Heights town..... | 1,520 | Falls Church district (part)..... | 14,511 |
| Morningside town..... | | Mount Vernon district (part)..... | 11,400 |
| | | Providence district (part)..... | 481 |
| | | Alexandria city..... | 61,787 |
| | | Falls Church city..... | 7,535 |

WASHINGTON, D. C., URBANIZED AREA MAP

The Washington, D. C., Urbanized Area, for which statistics are shown in table 9, is depicted in the following map. The shaded areas, in combination, comprise the urbanized area. To assist in locating the exact external boundaries of the areas, each boundary feature (street segment, political boundary, or other) has been assigned a number. The boundary segments thus numbered are shown on the map and the features to which they apply are presented in the following key.







KEY TO NUMBERED BOUNDARY SEGMENTS

Main urbanized part: (1) Dist. 7, Bethesda-Dist. 10, Potomac line, (2) Rock Run, (3) branch of Rock Run, (4) MacArthur Blvd., (5) Persimmon Tree Rd., (6) Main St., (7) Dist. 7, Bethesda-Dist. 10, Potomac line, (8) MacArthur Blvd., (9) 10th St., (10) Cedar Lane, (11) unnamed street, (12) 8th St., (13) MacArthur Blvd., (14) Seven Locks Rd., (15) Tomlinson Rd., (16) 4th St., (17) Cabin Rd., (18) 3d St., (19) Ridge Rd., (20) 1st St., (21) MacArthur Blvd., (22) corporate limits of Glen Echo, (23) Wilson Lane, (24) Broxburn Dr., (25) Arondale Rd., (26) Laverock Lane, (27) Wilson Lane, (28) Selkirk Dr. and Selkirk Dr. extension, (29) property line of Bannockburn Country Club, (30) Barr Rd. and Barr Rd. extension, (31) Goldsboro Rd., (32) corporate limits of Glen Echo, (33) MacArthur Blvd., (34) Mohican Rd., (35) Wiscasset Rd., (36) Duhlonoga Rd., (37) Mohican Rd., (38) Mohican Pl., (39) Massachusetts Ave., (40) Goldsboro Rd., (41) extension of Gloster Rd. and Gloster Rd., (42) Osceola Rd., (43) Massachusetts Ave., (44) Marlyn Dr., (45) Nanant St., (46) Madawaska Rd., (47) Waukasha Rd., (48) Wissoming Rd., (49) extension of Madawaska Rd., (50) Wyoming Rd., (51) Walhonding Rd., (52) MacArthur Blvd., (53) property line of Army Map Service, (54) Brooks Lane, (55) unnamed road, (56) Brooks Lane, (57) unnamed road, (58) Little Falls Branch, (59) River Rd., (60) Goldsboro Rd., (61) property line of Kenwood Country Club, (62) Goldsboro Rd., (63) Bradley Blvd., (64) Old Chester Rd., (65) Wilson Lane, (66) Rayborn Rd., (67) Roosevelt St., (68) Bradmoor Rd., (69)

Madison St., (70) Garfield St. (Onaida Lane), (71) Greentree Rd., (72) Ridge Pl., (73) Ridge Rd., (74) unnamed road, (75) property line of Baptist Home for Children, (76) Walton Rd., (77) Ewing Dr., (78) Ryland Dr., (79) Singleton Dr., (80) Beech Ave., (81) Old Georgetown Rd., (82) Spruce Ave. and Spruce Ave. extension, (83) branch of Rock Creek, (84) Rockville Pike, (85) Dist. 4, Rockville-Dist. 7, Bethesda line, (86) Dist. 7, Bethesda-Dist. 13, Wheaton line, (87) unnamed stream, (88) Concord St., (89) Lawrence Ave., (90) Lexington St., (91) Newport Mill Rd., (92) Viers Mill Rd., (93) branch of Rock Creek, (94) Weller Rd., (95) Brookville Rd., (96) Georgia Ave. (State Highway 97), (97) Windham Lane, (98) Horde St., (99) Country Rd. (Allen Chapel Rd.), (100) Wheaton Four Corners Rd. (Old Bladensburg Rd.), (101) Sligo Branch, (102) extension of Belvedere Blvd. and Belvedere Blvd., (103) Scully Dr., (104) Wheaton Four Corners Rd. (Old Bladensburg Rd.), (105) unnamed stream, (106) Mava St., (107) Eastwood Ave., (108) Colesville Rd. (U. S. Highway 29), (109) Dist. 5, Colesville-Dist. 13, Wheaton line, (110) Montgomery-Prince Georges County line, (111) New Hampshire Ave. (State Highway 630), (112) Bladensburg Rd., (113) Riggs Rd. (State Highway 212), (114) high tension power line, (115) East-West Highway (State Highway 410), (116) corporate limits of Takoma Park, (117) New Hampshire Ave. (State Highway 650), (118) Ray Rd. (State Highway 204), (119) Raydale Rd., (120) extension of Truman Rd. and Truman Rd.,

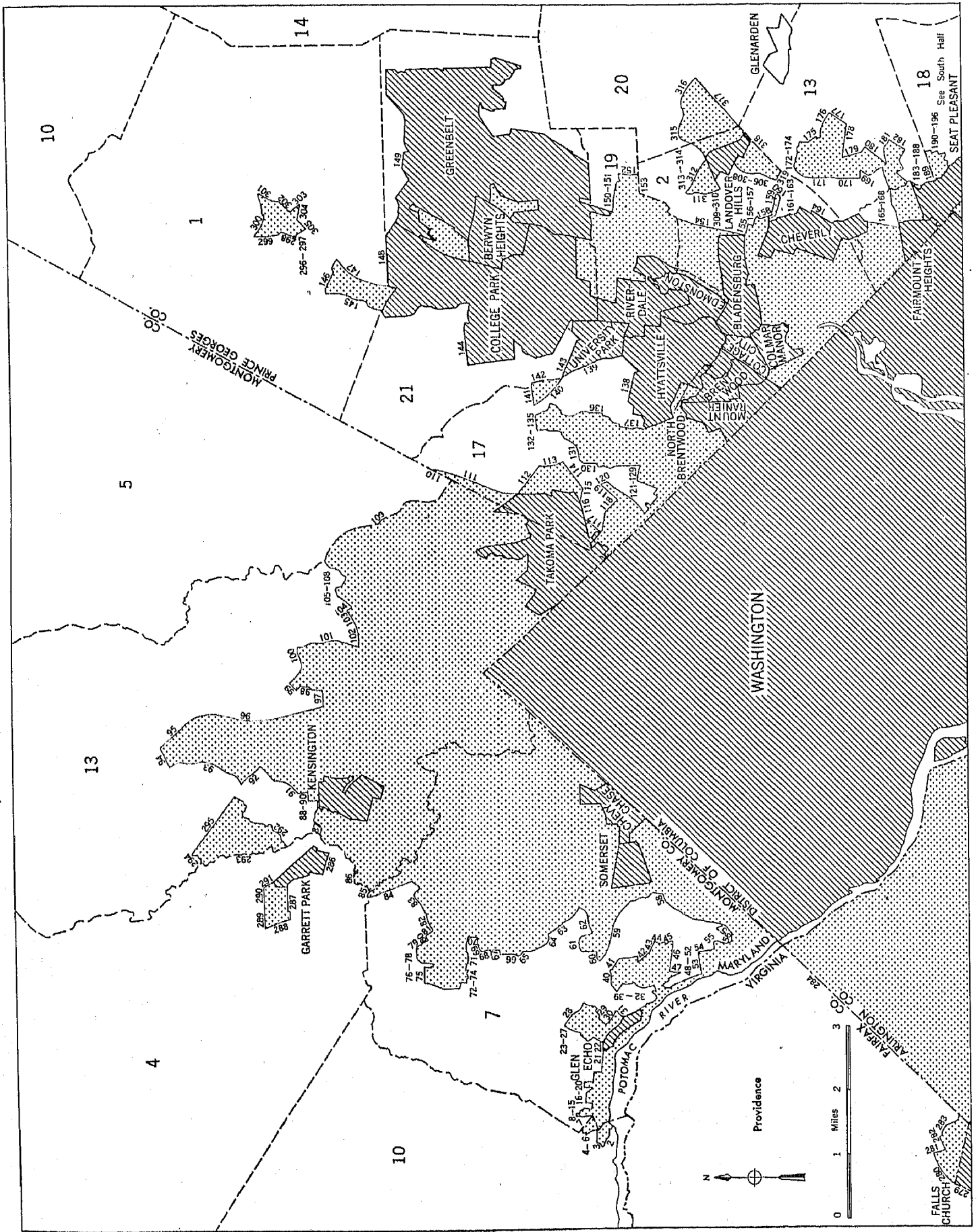
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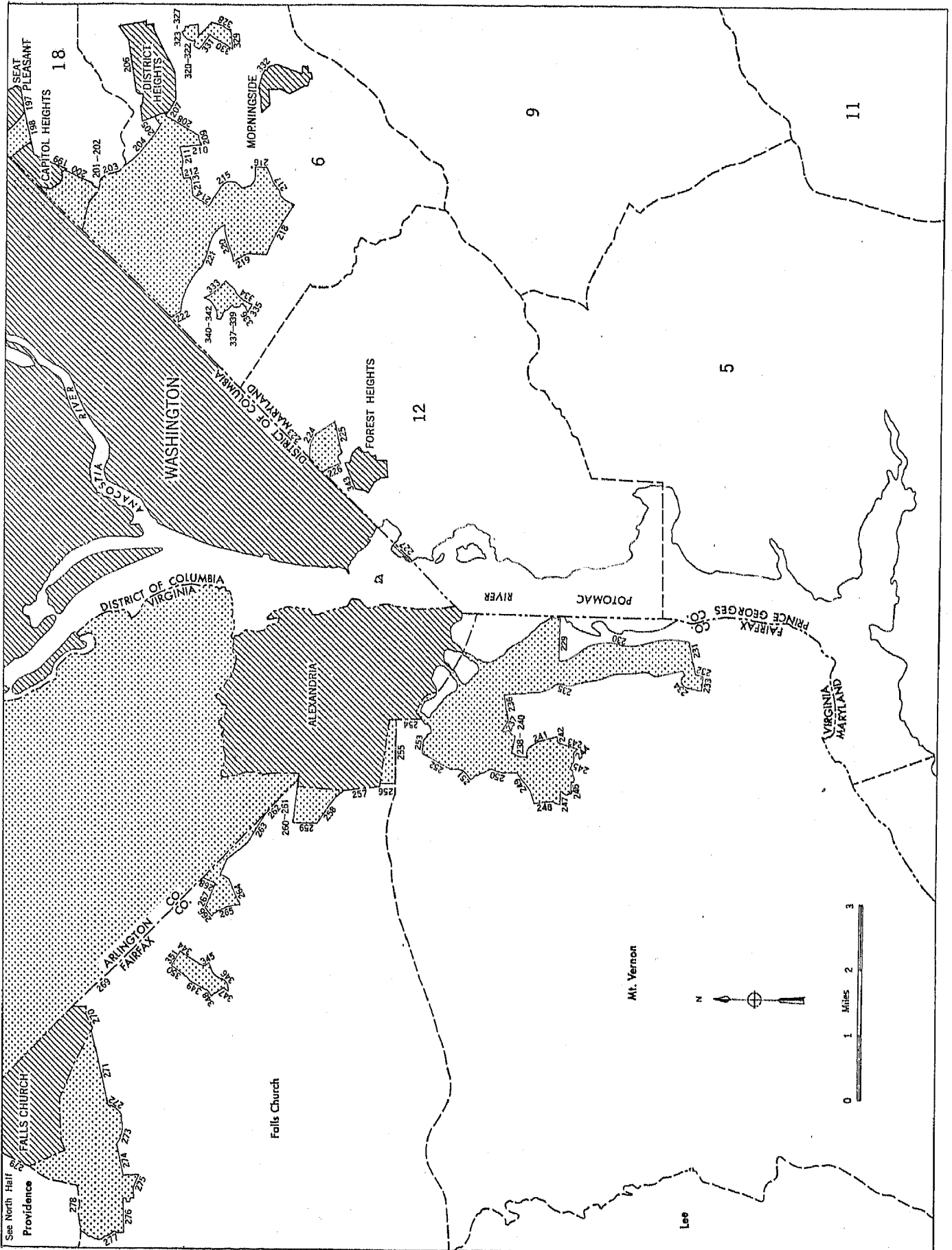
-  Incorporated parts
-  Unincorporated parts
-  12 Numbered boundary segments
-  State line
-  County line
-  Minor civil division line

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WASHINGTON, D. C., URBANIZED AREA—SECTIONS 1 AND 2



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(121) Riggs Rd., (122) Chillum Rd., (123) Chillum Gate Rd., (124) Chillum Rd. (State Highway 501), (125) Twin Oak Dr., (126) Oakdale St. (Oakwood Dr.), (127) Sargent Rd. (State Highway 211), (128) unnamed road, (129) Sligo Branch, (130) Riggs Rd., (131) Beechwood Rd., (132) 23d Ave., (133) Fordham St., (134) 24th Ave., (135) University Lane (State Highway 193), (136) Northwest Branch, (137) Ager Rd., (138) corporate limits of Hyattsville, (139) corporate limits of University Park, (140) Wells Blvd.,

(141) University Lane, (142) Dist. 17, Chillum-Dist. 21, Berwyn line, (143) corporate limits of University Park, (144) corporate limits of College Park, (145) Little Paint Branch, (146) Sunnyside Rd., (147) Baltimore-Washington Blvd., (148) corporate limits of College Park, (149) corporate limits of Greenbelt, (150) Brier Ditch, (151) Riverdale Rd., (152) unnamed ravine, (153) Dist. 2, Bladensburg-Dist. 19, Riverdale line, (154) Baltimore-Washington Parkway, (155) Annapolis Rd., (156) Quincey St., (157) Osborn Rd., (158) 63d Ave., (159) Landover Rd. (State Highway 202), (160) Magruder Ave.,

(161) Kilmer St., (162) 63d Ave., (163) Landover Rd. (State Highway 202), (164) corporate limits of Cheverly, (165) power line, (166) Lowell Ave., (167) corporate limits of Fairmount Heights, (168) Sheriff Rd., (169) branch of Cabin Branch, (170) property line of Prince Georges Golf and Country Club, (171) Tuxedo-Landover Rd., (172) Cattail Branch, (173) Beaver Dam Branch, (174) Landover-Marlboro Rd. (State Highway 202), (175) Sheriff Ave., (176) Cattail Branch, (177) Roosevelt Ave. (George N. Palmer Rd.), (178) Beaver Dam Rd., (179) Columbia Ave. and Columbia Ave. extension, (180) Roosevelt Ave.,

(181) unnamed stream, (182) unnamed road, (183) Hill Rd. (70th Pl.), (184) unnamed street, (185) McKinley Ave. (60th Ave.) and McKinley Ave. extension, (186) Roosevelt Ave., (187) Dist. 13, Kent-Dist. 18, Seat Pleasant line, (188) corporate limits of Seat Pleasant, (189) Dist. 13, Kent-Dist. 18, Seat Pleasant line, (190) 75th Pl., (191) Eads St., (192) 75th St. and 75th St. extension, (193) unnamed stream, (194) 74th Pl., (195) Carmody Hills Dr., (196) unnamed stream, (197) corporate limits of Seat Pleasant, (198) Central Ave. (State Highway 214), (199) corporate limits of Capitol Heights, (200) 61st St.,

(201) "O" St., (202) 60th Ave., (203) Dist. 6, Spalding-Dist. 18, Seat Pleasant line, (204) Marlboro Rd., (205) Eye Ave., (206) corporate limits of District Heights, (207) Marlboro Rd., (208) Maryland Ave., (209) branch of Henson Creek, (210) extension of West St. and West St., (211) Suitland-Silver Hill Rd., (212) Sunset Lane, (213) Park Lane, (214) Suitland-Silver Hill Rd., (215) Swann Rd., (216) branch of Henson Creek, (217) Henson Creek, (218) Brandywine Rd., (219) Branch Ave., (220) Suitland-Silver Hill Rd.,

(221) Suitland Parkway, (222) Branch Ave., (223) District of Columbia-Maryland State line, (224) branch of Oxon Run, (225) extension of Livingston Rd. and Livingston Rd., (226) Indian Head Rd., (227) District of Columbia-Maryland State line, (228) Maryland-Virginia State line, (229) property line of Westgrove Park, (230) Mount Vernon Memorial Highway, (231) Wellington Rd., (232) Yorktown Dr., (233) Fairfax Rd., (234) Lafayette Dr., (235) Fort Hunt Rd. (State Highway 629), (236) high tension power line, (237) Quander Rd., (238) branch of Hunting Creek, (239) Fairview Ave., (240) Jefferson Davis Highway,

(241) Oak Dr. and Oak Dr. extension, (242) Paul Spring Branch, (243) extension of Davis St. and Davis St., (244) Popkins Lane, (245) Jefferson Davis Highway, (246) Spring Dr., (247) Collard St. and Collard St. extension, (248) Harrison Lane, (249) Kings Highway (Gravel Rd., State Highway 633), (250) branch of Pike Branch, (251) Pike Branch, (252) Telegraph Rd., (253) Cameron Run, (254) corporate limits of Alexandria, (255) Falls Church-Mount Vernon district line, (256) Seminary Lane, (257) corporate limits of Alexandria, (258) Seminary Rd., (259) property line of Theological Seminary and Episcopal High School, (260) Braddock Rd.,

(261) corporate limits of Alexandria, (262) Arlington-Fairfax county line, (263) Leesburg Turnpike, (264) property line of Washington-Virginia Airport, (265) Seminary Rd., (266) property line of Washington-Virginia Airport, (267) Leesburg Turnpike, (268) North Dr., (269) Arlington-Fairfax County line, (270) corporate limits of Falls Church, (271) Lee Blvd., (272) Tripps Run, (273) branch of Tripps Run, (274) Lee Blvd., (275) property line of Falls Church Airport, (276) Lee Blvd., (277) Holmes Run, (278) Falls Church-Providence district line, (279) corporate limits of Falls Church, (280) Haycock Rd.,

(281) Great Falls Rd., (282) Grove St., (283) Four Mile Run, (284) Arlington-Fairfax County line, (285) Maryland-Virginia State line.

Outlying urbanized parts: (286) Corporate limits of Garrett Park, (287) property line of White Flint Country Club, (288) U. S. Highway 240 (Rockville Pike), (289) Nicholson Lane, (290), property line of White Flint Country Club, (291) B. & O. R. R., (292) branch of Rock Creek, (293) Dist. 4, Rockville-Dist. 13, Wheaton line, (294) branch of Rock Creek, (295) Viers Mill Rd., (296) St. Mary's Ave., (297) Selman Rd., (298) Capital Transit Co. R. R. (Rte. 84), (299) Montgomery Ave. (State Highway 212), (300) Odell Rd., (301) Indian Creek, (302) Old Baltimore Rd., (303) Cook Rd., (304) East-West Highway, (305) Baltimore-Washington Blvd.,

(306) Miles Way, (307) branch of Beaver Dam Branch, (308) corporate limits of Landover Hills, (309) Annapolis Rd., (310) Buchanan St., (311) 66th Ave. and 66th Ave. extension, (312) Greenvale Parkway, (313) 72d Ave., (314) corporate limits of Landover Hills, (315) Annapolis Rd. (U. S. Highway 50), (316) Cross St., (317) Pennsylvania R. R., (318) Dist. 2, Bladensburg-Dist. 13, Kent line, (319) Old Landover Rd.,

(320) Washington-Marlboro Rd., (321) North Ave., (322) Fee Way, (323) Marion St. and Marion St. extension, (324) branch of Southwest Branch, (325) property line of cemetery, (326) Ritchie Rd., (327) Marlboro Rd. (State Highway 4), (328) Stewart Rd., (329) Leona St., (330) extension of Pine Ave. and Pine Ave., (331) extension of 1st Ave. and 1st Ave., (332) corporate limits of Morningside,

(333) Branch Ave. (State Highway 5), (334) Colebrook Dr., (335) 25th Ave. and 25th Ave. extension, (336) 38th Ave., (337) 26th Ave., (338) Fairlawn Dr., (339) Gilverton Dr. (27th Ave.), (340) Ivy Lane (Catskill Dr.) and Ivy Lane extension, (341) 28th Parkway (28th Ave.), (342) Curtis Dr.,

(343) corporate limits of Forest Heights, (344) Washington St., (345) Taylor St., (346) Columbia Pike, (347) Holmes Run, (348) Alexandria Reservoir, (349) unnamed stream, (350) Glen Carlyu Dr., (351) Leesburg Turnpike.