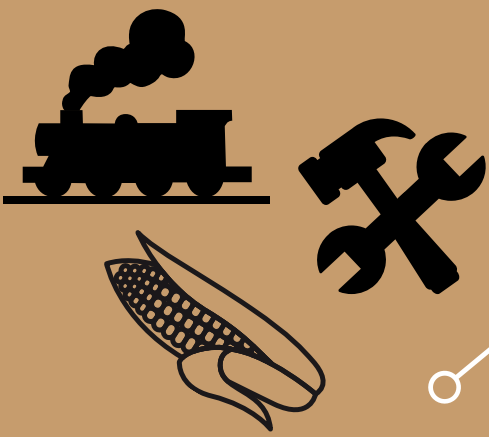


CHAIN GANGS

SLAVERY IN A DIFFERENT FORM



WHAT WERE CHAIN GANGS?

"Chain gangs were groups of convicts forced to labor at tasks such as road construction, ditch digging, or farming while chained together" (PBS.org)



WHEN & WHERE DID CHAIN GANGS START?

Chain gangs originated in Georgia in the late 1890s.



HOW WERE THE CONDITIONS?

The members of chain gangs underwent horrific forms of abuse. These men remained in chains at all times, including while they slept. Chain gangs were worked at gunpoint and were regularly whipped.

VIDEO

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=60FNbu3jPcY>



WHEN DID CHAIN GANGS END?

Georgia finally ended the use of chain gang labor in the 1960s. However, several similar practices can still be seen in today's prison systems.



Source(s):

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