

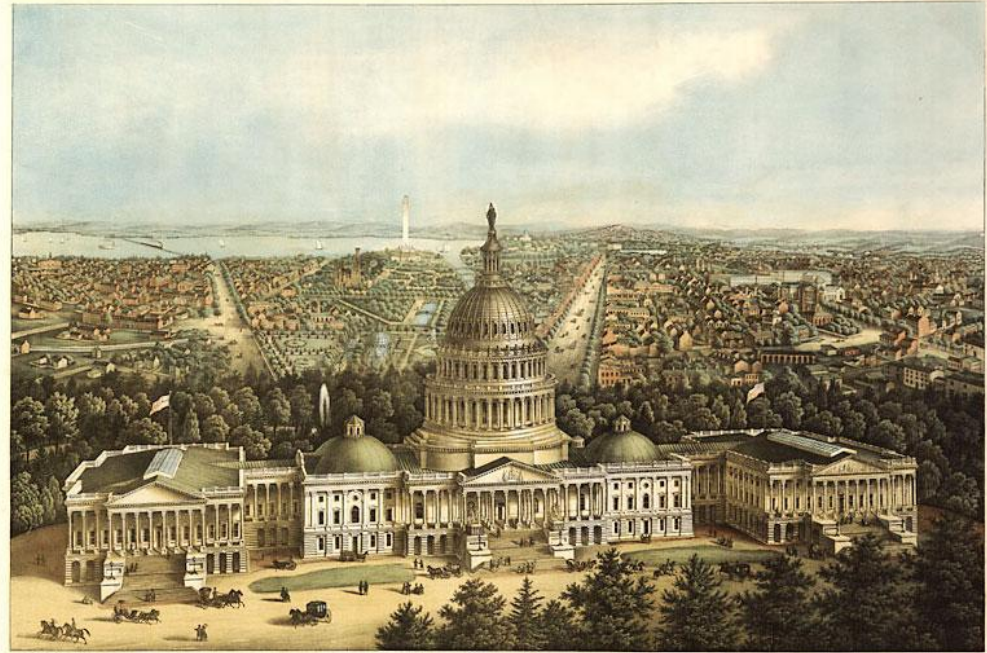
What do you know about Washington?



Washington DC was founded in 1790. The designer of the city was Charles L'Efantant.

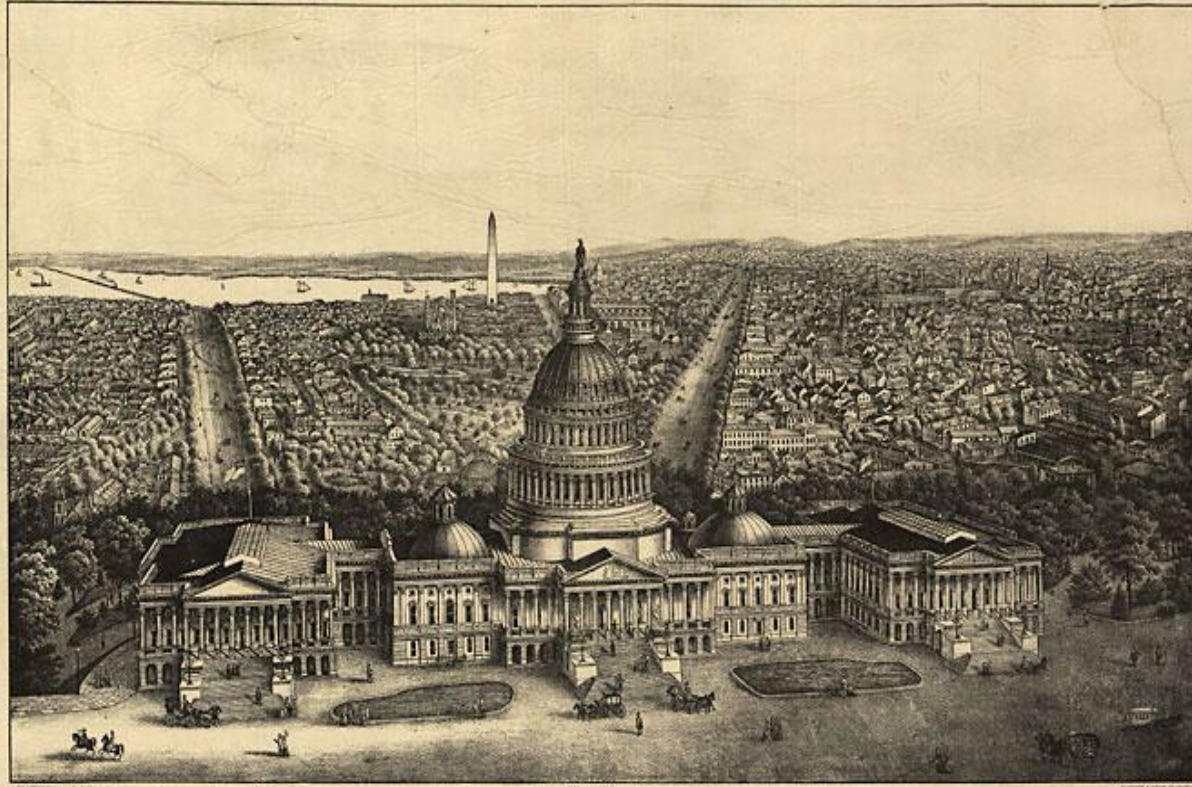
It was the first American city planned with particular purpose. (определенной целью)

The city is situated on the bank of the Potomac river.



VIEW OF WASHINGTON CITY.

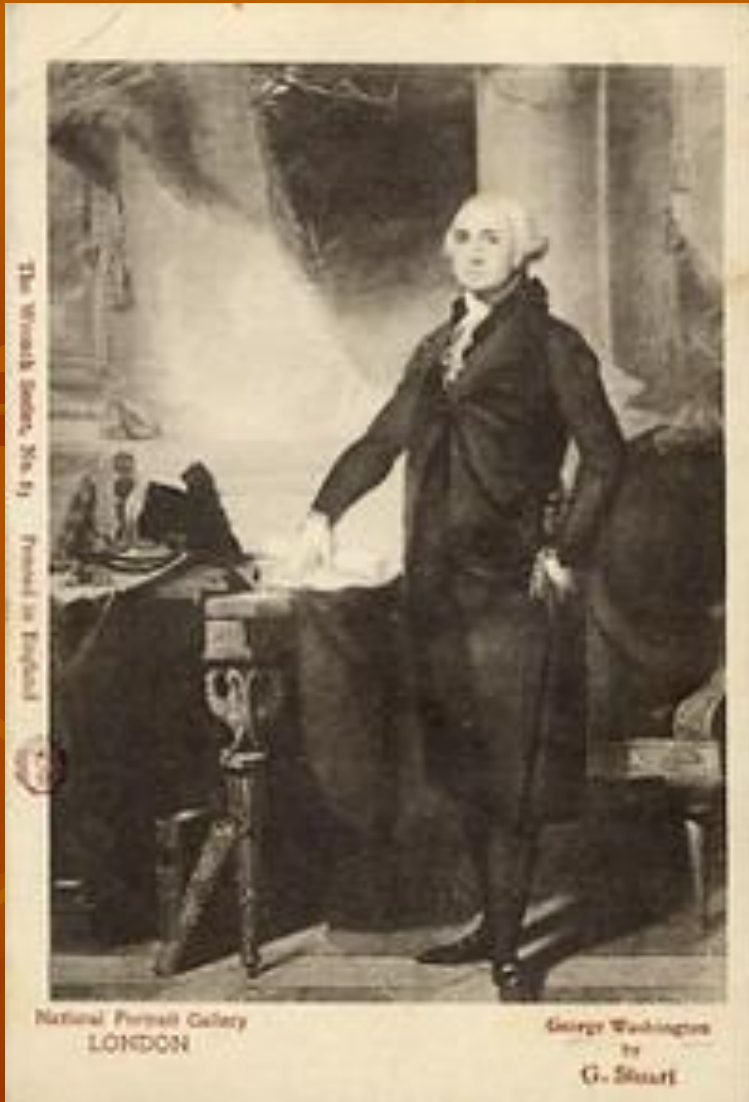
It is the old postcard with the view of the city Washington DC



BIRDS EYE VIEW OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON FROM THE DOME OF THE U. S. CAPITOL
LOOKING WEST.



Letters D.C. means District Columbia. The city was built on the land of this state. When American became a nation the Government seated in New York A year later it was in Philadelphia. Many cities wished to be the capital. The conflict took place between the northern and southern states. Congress passed the Act giving the first president George Washington the right to choose. And the city was named after him lately.



The centre of the city and the highest place is the Capitol Hill with Capitol on it.





The Capitol is standing behind the large reflecting pool. Here the House of the representatives and the Senate have their meetings.



Near Capitol there is the State department of Treasure and some other departments and memorials.



Washington is not a business centre. Business is centered around the government here. The second part of the business here is tourism. Only about 572 thousand people live here.



The department of Justice



Pentagon, Military
Department

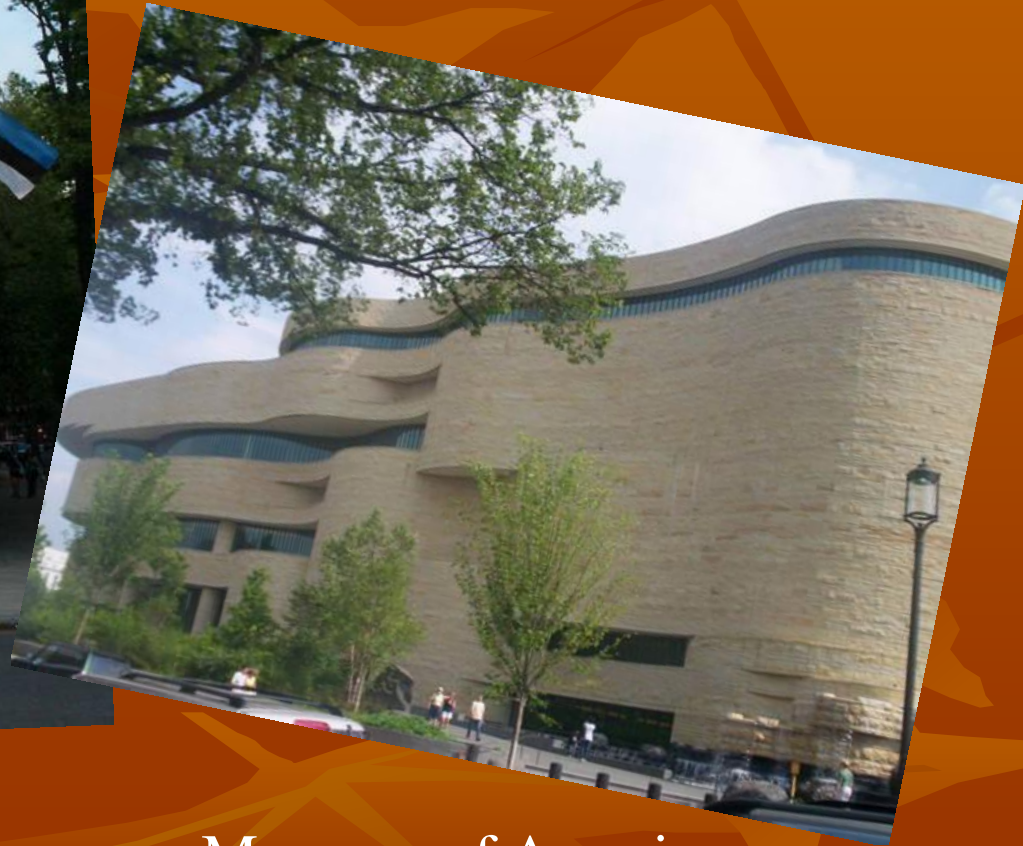
Washington is one of the most beautiful cities in America. There is no skyscrapers here.

The city looks like European one mainly like Paris with reflecting pools and grassy fields.



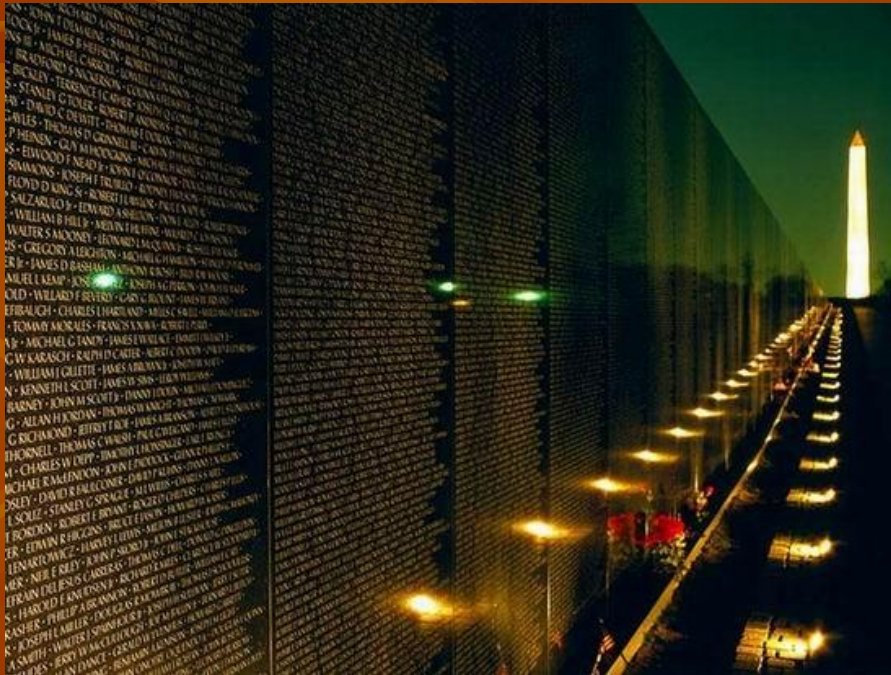


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Museum of American
Indians

There are many monuments and memorials in the city reflecting the history of the country.



The memorial to the soldiers of Vietnam



The White House the residence of the American Presidents is situated on the southern side of Pennsylvania Ave.

The history of the White house began in 1800. The first who moved into it were the second president John Adams and his wife. Now the 42nd president is living and working there.

The memorial was founded in honour of the first president, commander in chief of the Continental army in the American Revolution, called the Father of His Country. G. Washington.

There are 50 flags round the monument which symbolized 50 states.

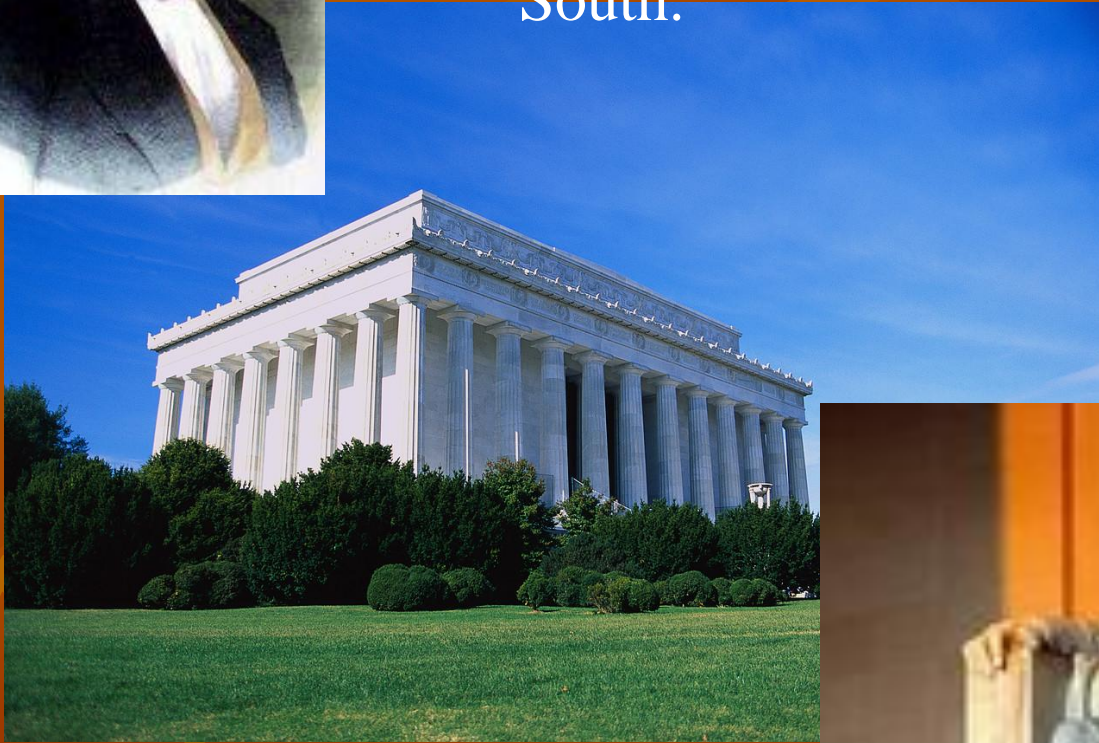


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One more memorial to Abraham Lincoln,
the winner in the war between North and
South.





The memorial to
Tomas Jefferson
the president of
the USA

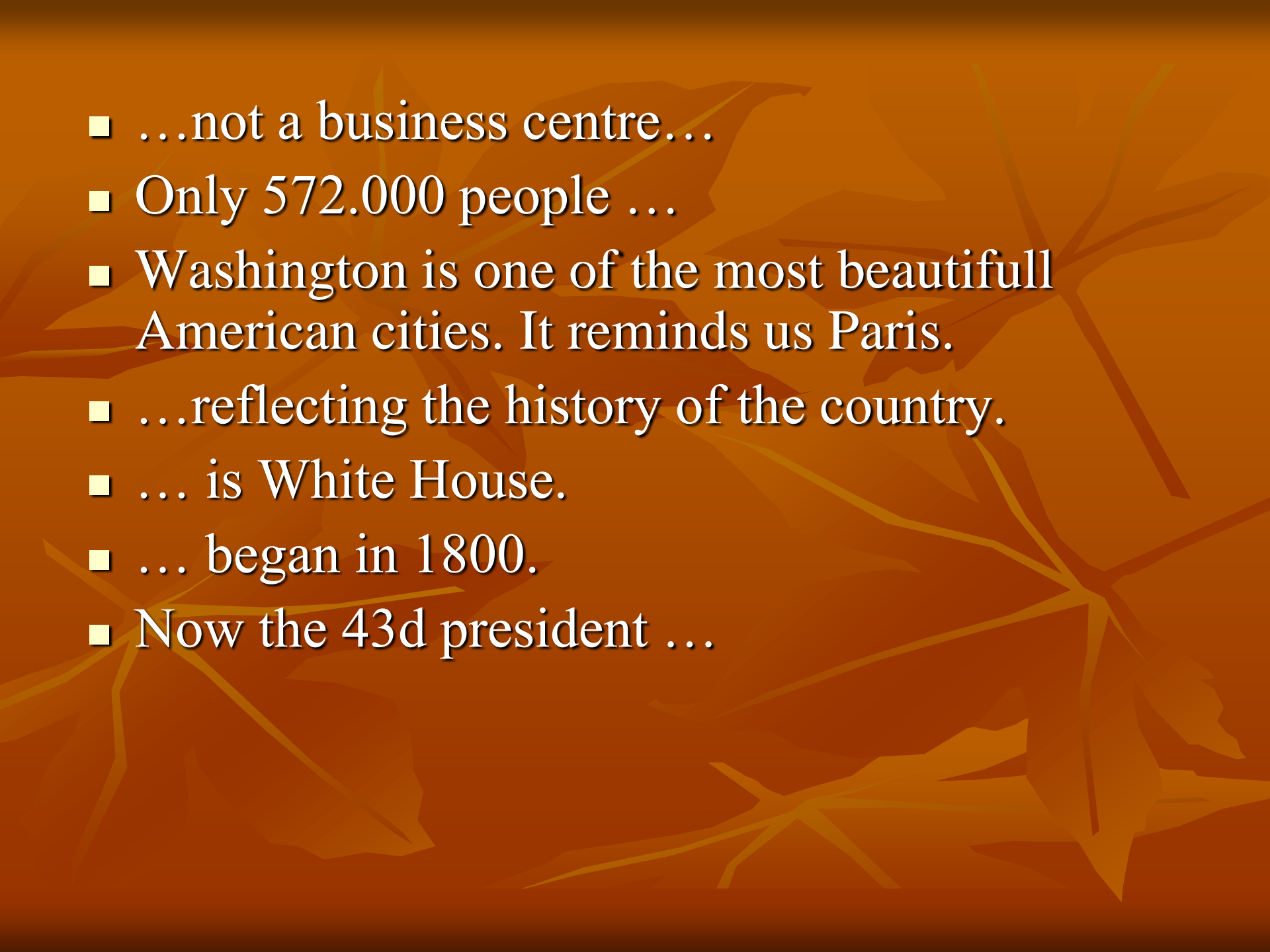


Washington is an educational and scientific centre of the USA.

Congress Library is one of the biggest in the world. 26 thousands books are keeping in it.

Mind the facts:

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- DC means that ...
- George Washington chose the place ...
- ...it was named after the first president of the USA
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