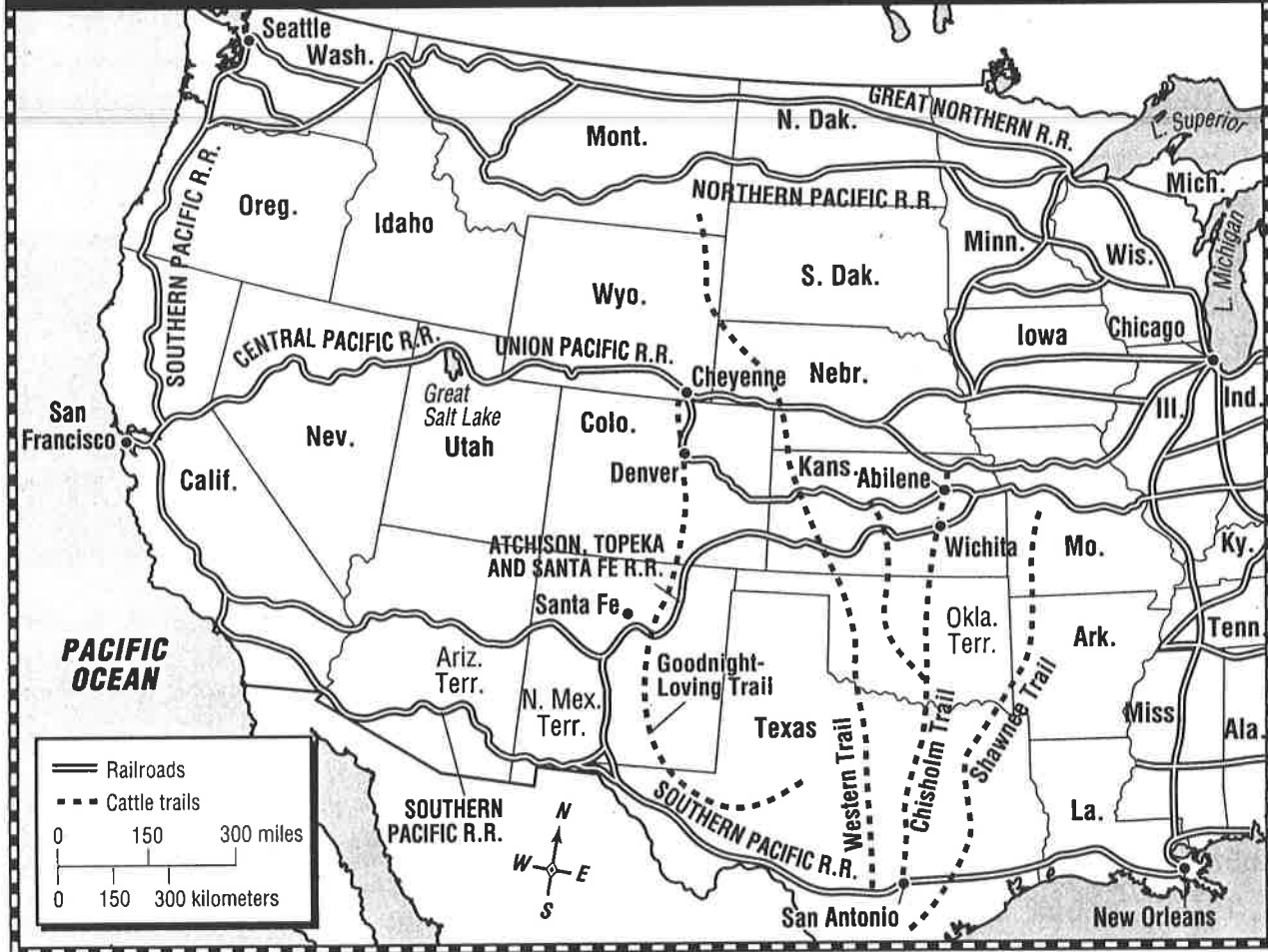


★ MAPPING HISTORY ACTIVITY 18



Western Railroads and Cattle Trails, 1860–1896



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DIRECTIONS: Write your answers to questions 1–4 on the map. You may abbreviate if you wish.

1. Use red to trace the route a traveler would have used on a railroad trip from Chicago, Illinois, to San Francisco, California.
2. Use yellow to color the two states which had no railroads at all. Then write "None" on each state.
3. **Place** Use blue to color the state where all of the cattle trails shown on the map began. Write "Cattle trail origin" on it.
4. Use green to trace the cattle trail that ended in Kansas at the railroad. Then use black to trace the cattle trail that brought cattle to miners in Colorado and Wyoming.
5. Explain why so many railroad lines ran to and from Chicago, Illinois. _____
