

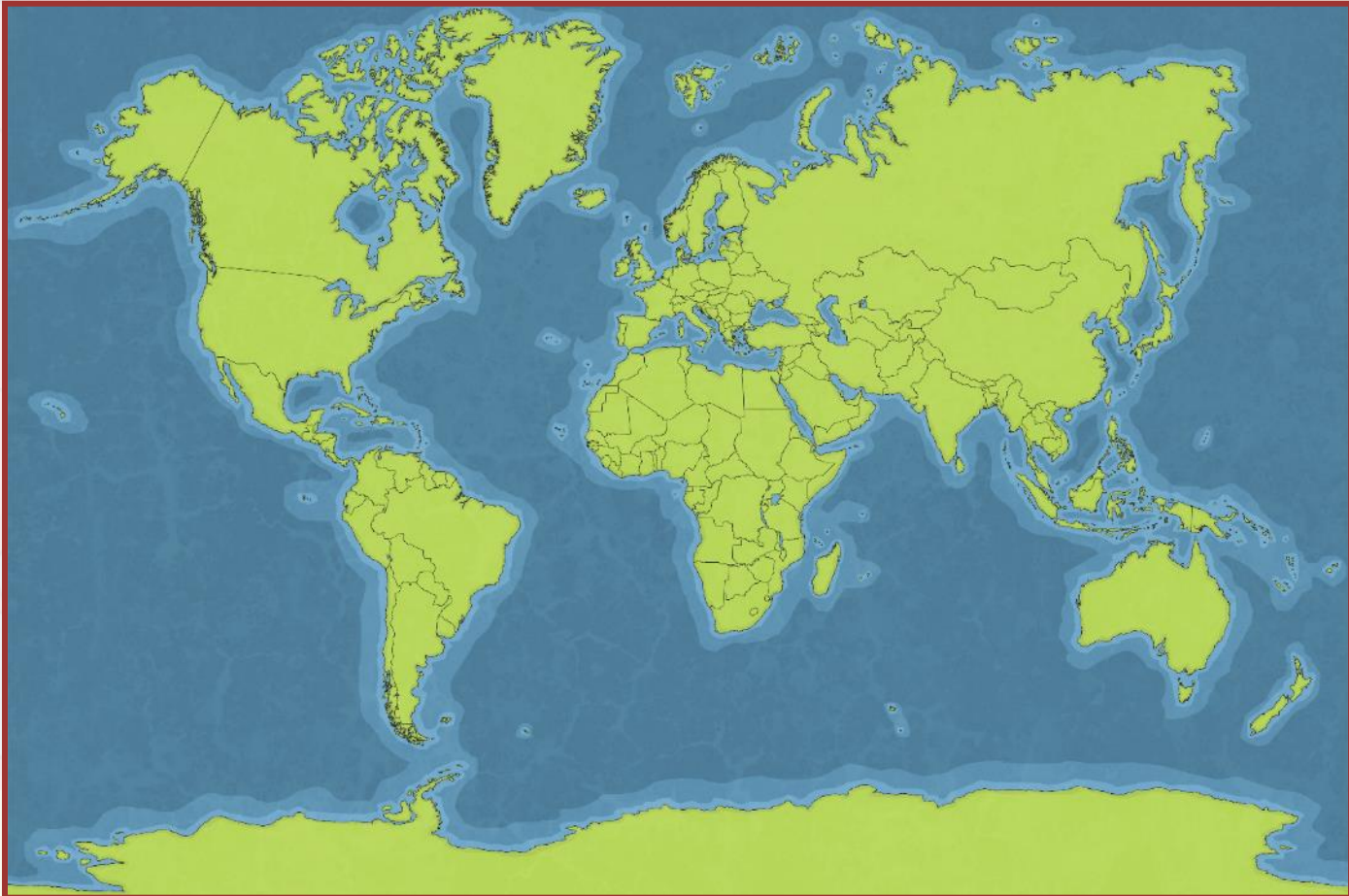
A cartoon illustration of a Roman soldier in full armor, including a helmet and a red cloak, holding a shield with a yellow eagle and lightning bolt. He stands on the left side of the frame. Behind him is a stylized map of the Roman Empire, with landmasses in red and the Mediterranean Sea in blue. The title 'The Spread of the Roman Empire' is written in large, white, bold letters with a black outline, centered over the map. The Twinkl logo is visible in the bottom center and bottom right corner.

The Spread of the Roman Empire

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Where do we live?

Which part (continent) of the world are we in?



Where did the Roman Empire start?



- The Roman Empire started in Rome, Italy.



What does the word “conquered” mean?

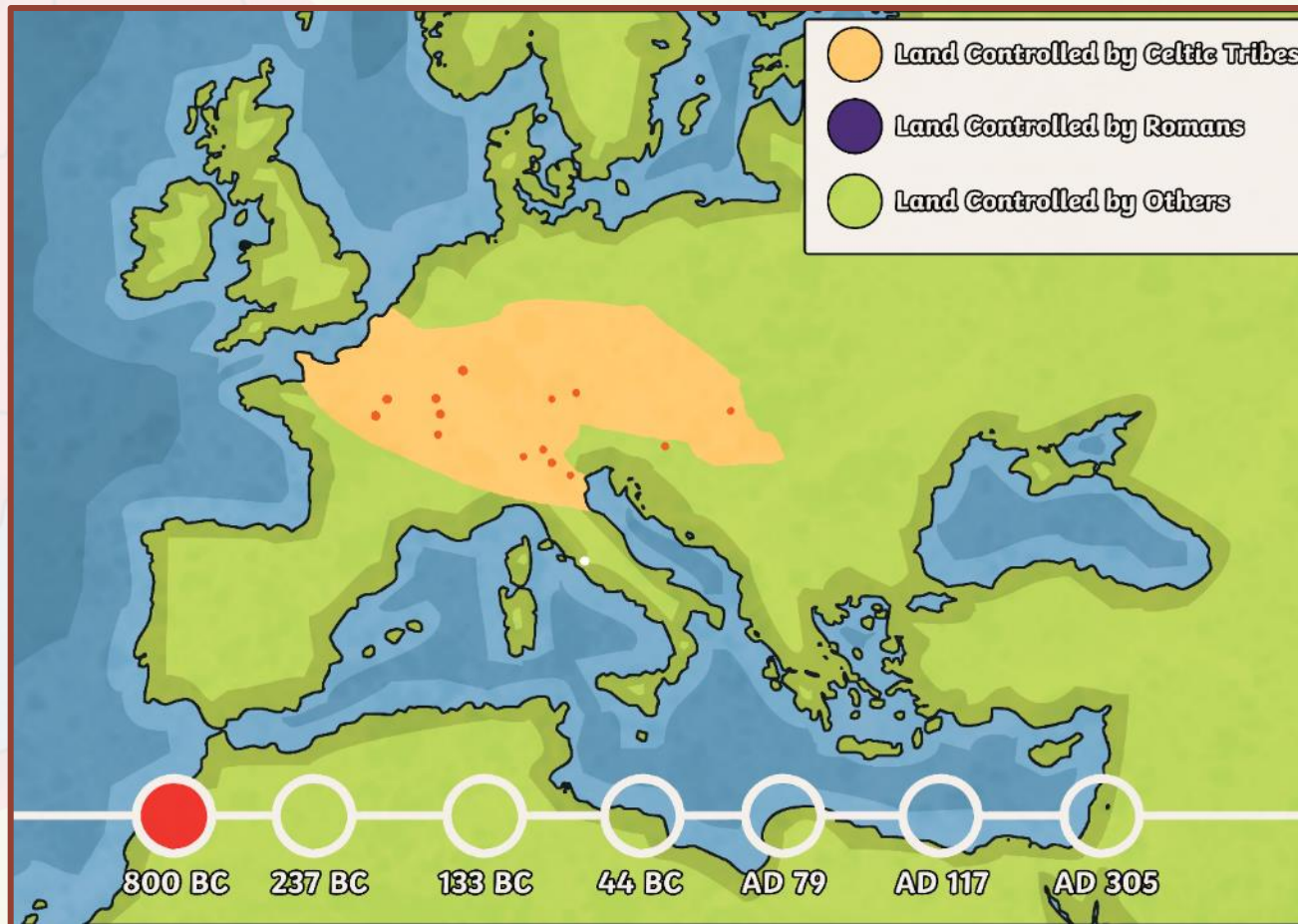
To overcome and take control of (a place or people) by military force.



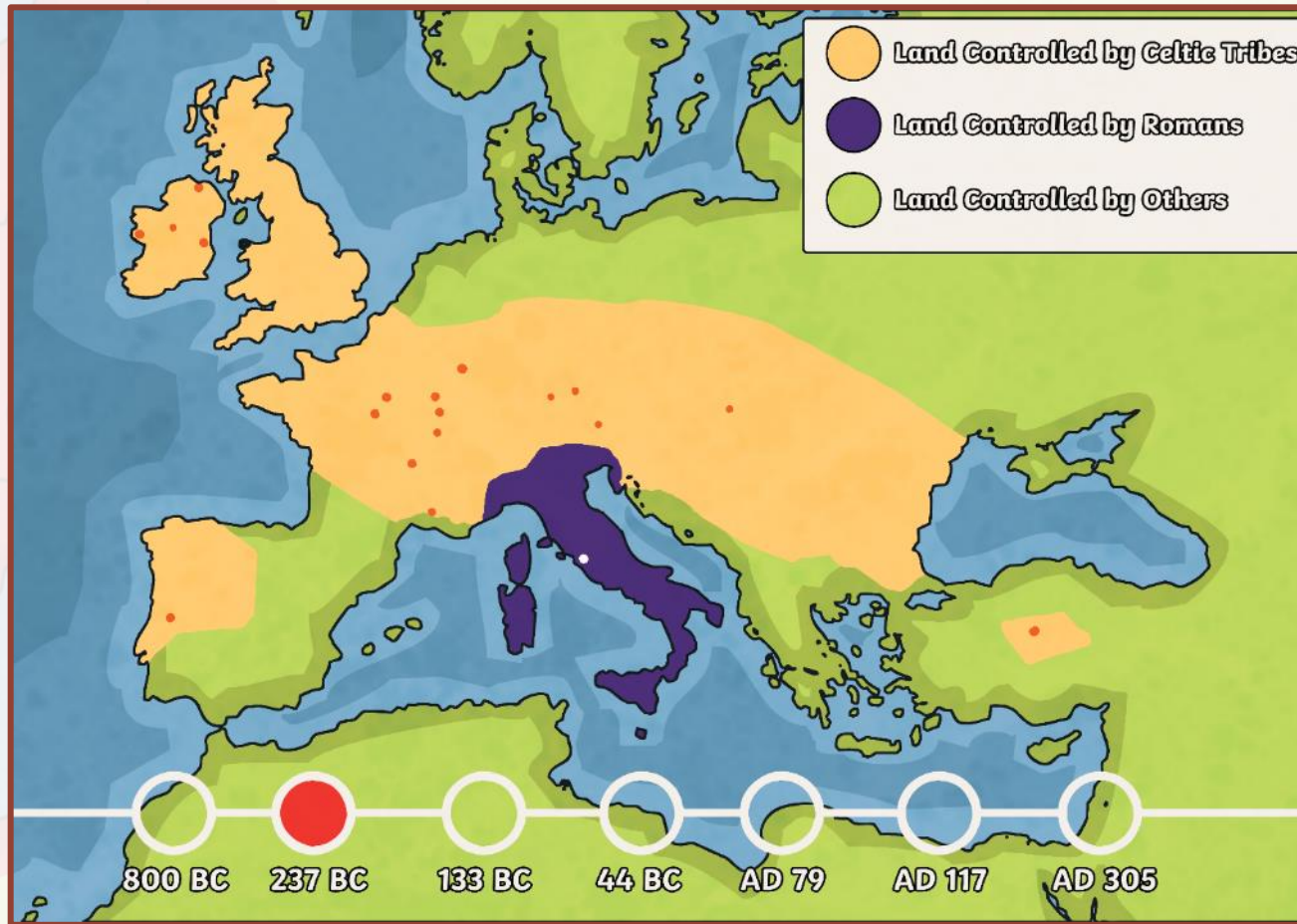
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What features do you notice on this map?

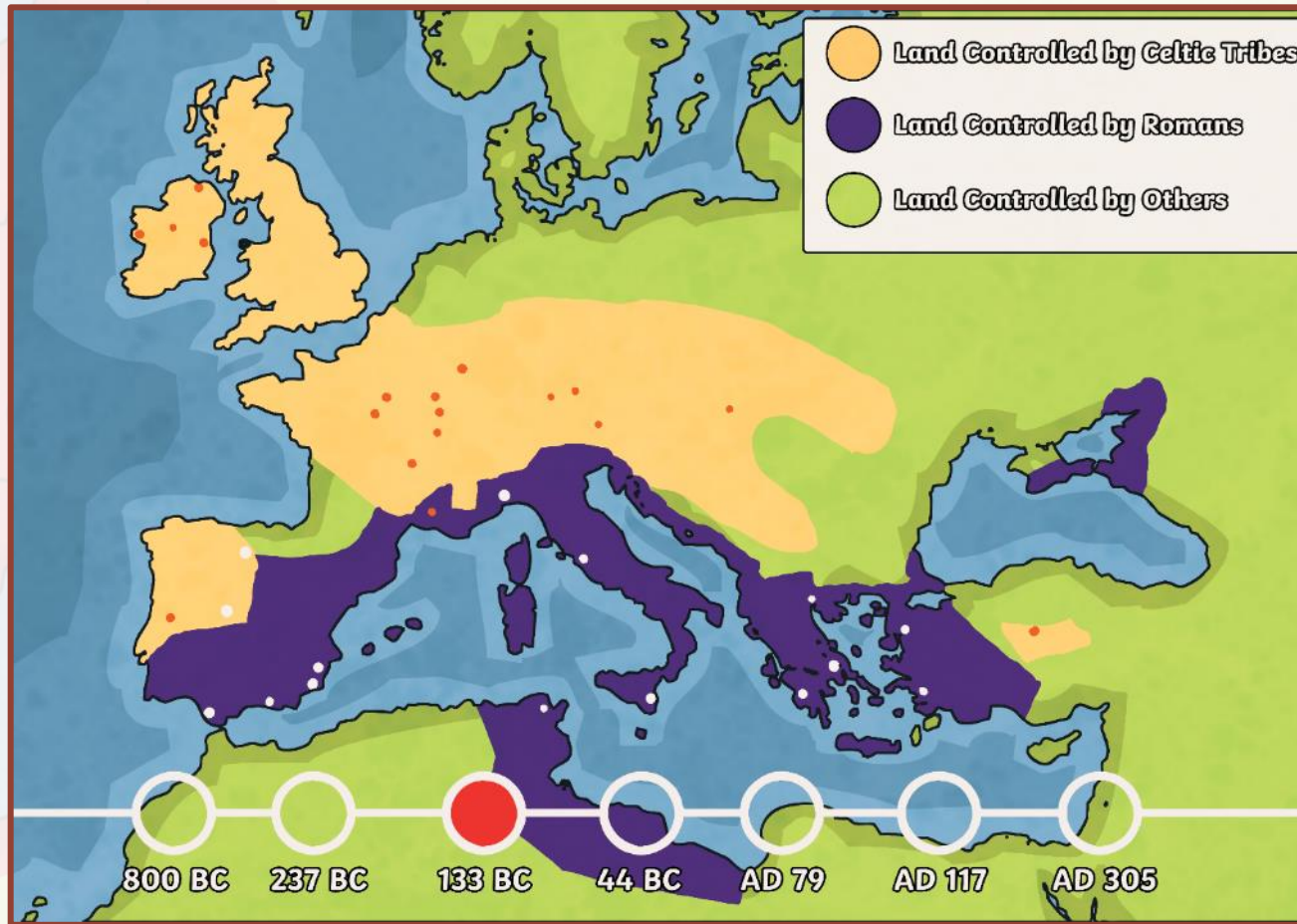
What can you say about who owned land in 800 BC?



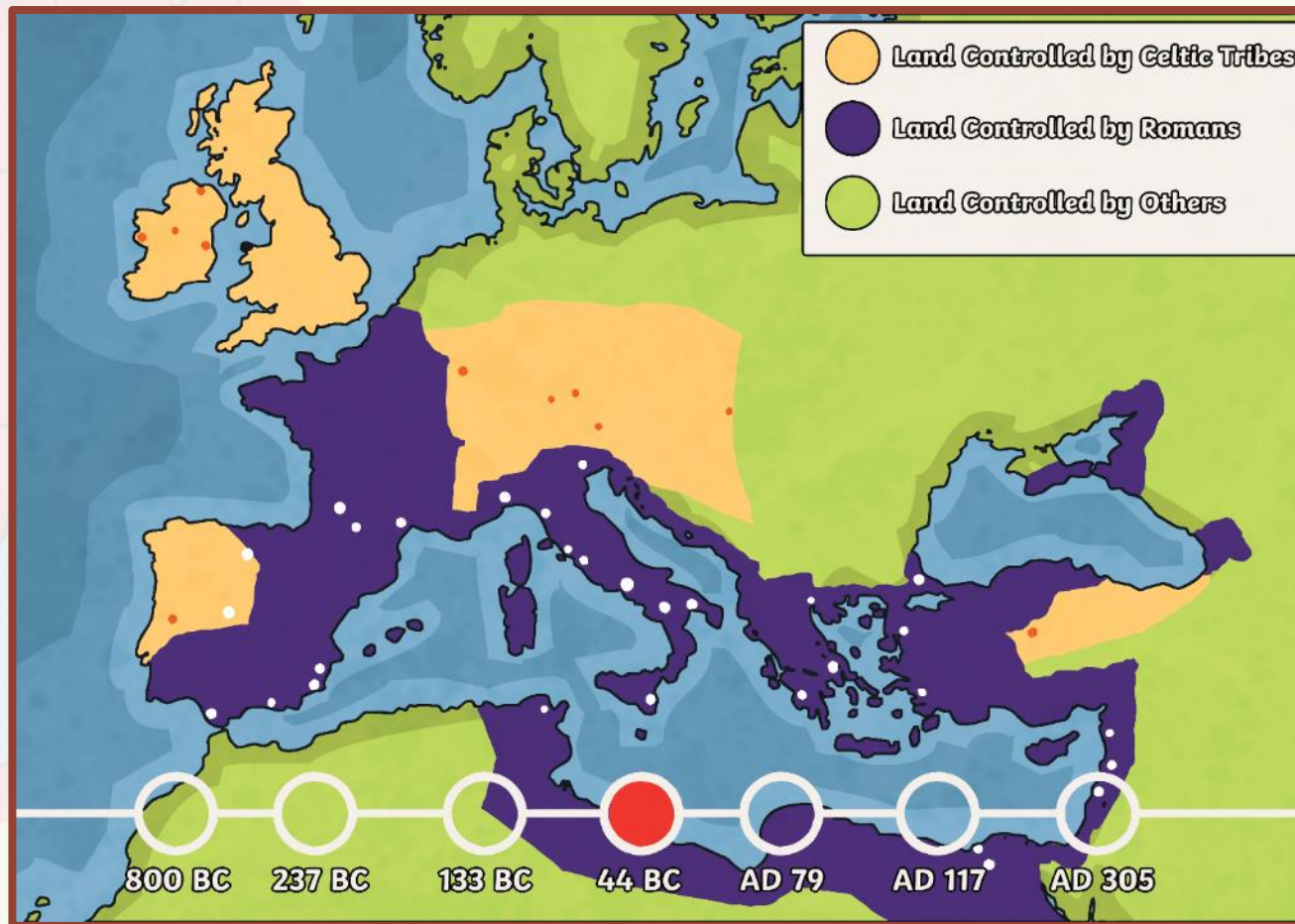
What do we notice now in 237 BC?



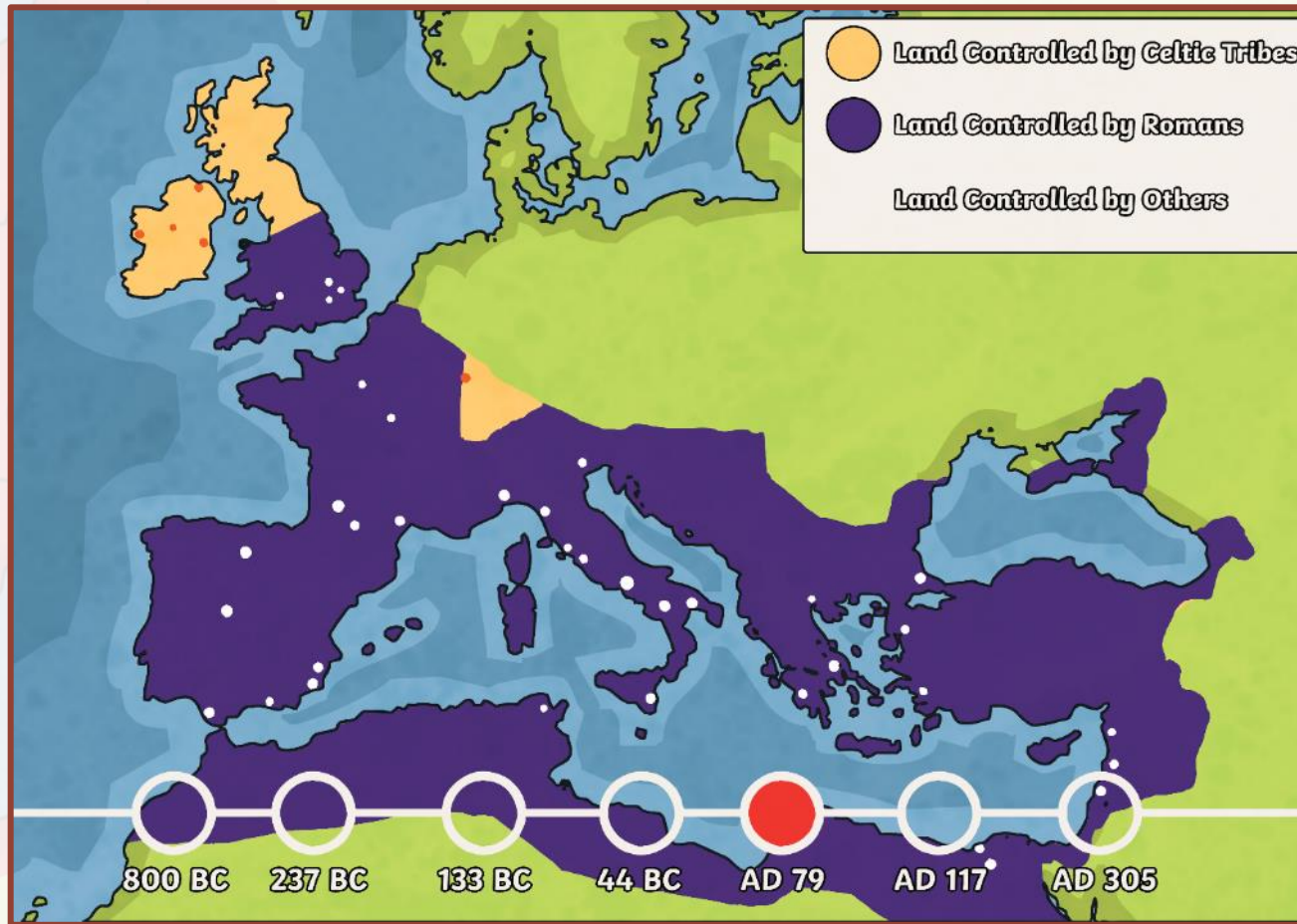
What has changed by 133 BC?



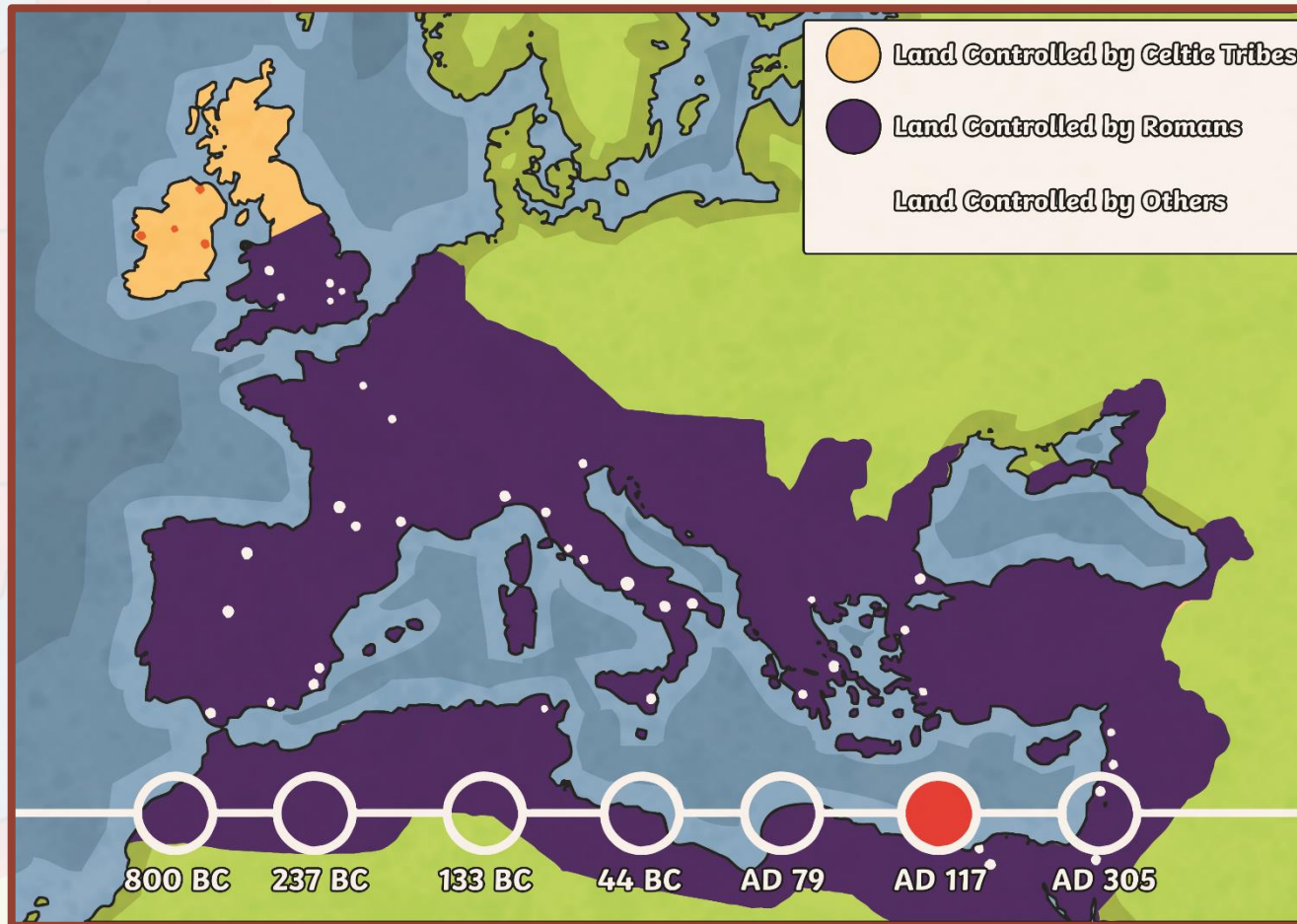
What do you think is most significant about this map?



What can we say about the Celts in AD 79?

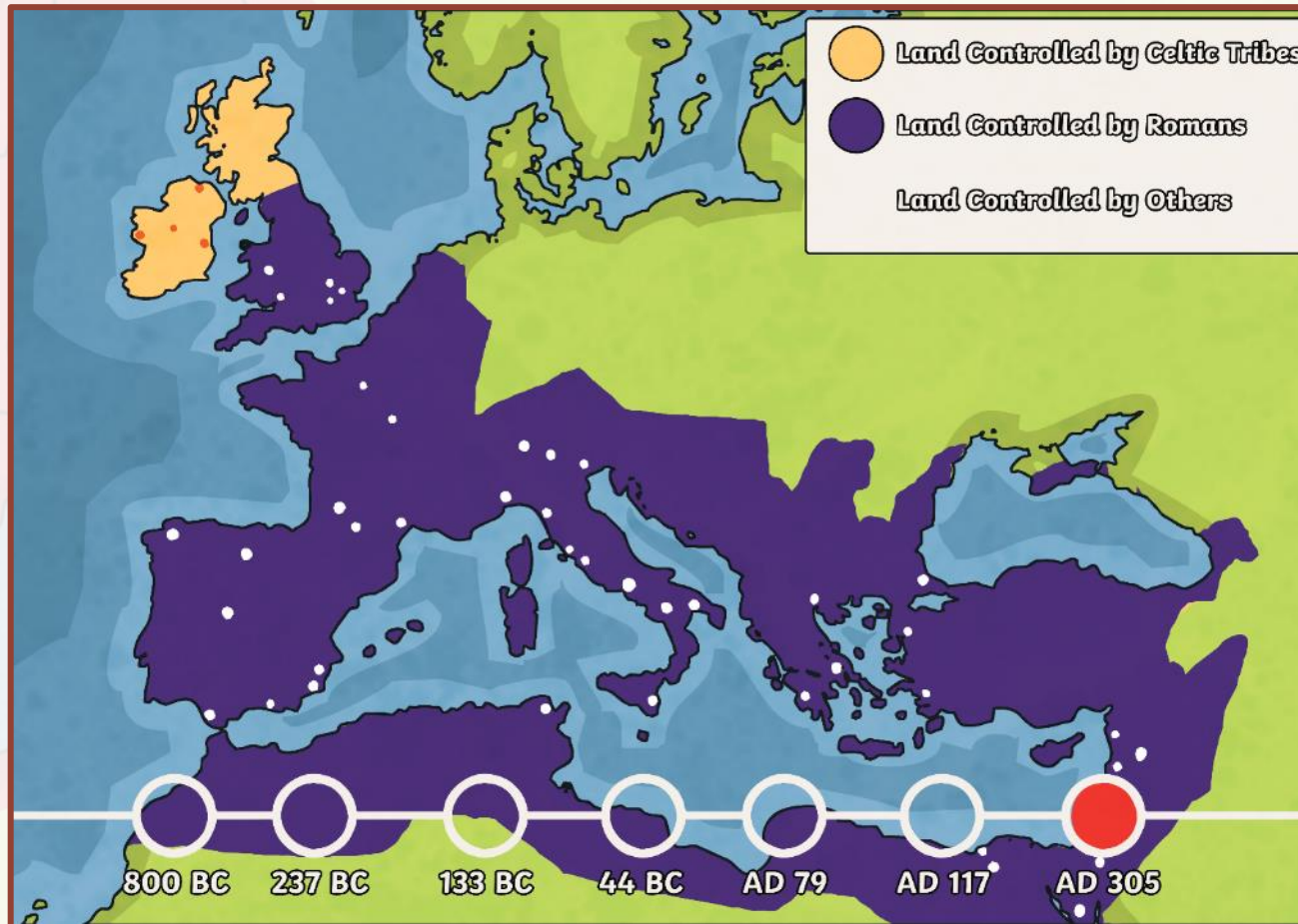


What can we say about AD 117?



The Height of the Roman Empire

Why do you think the Romans didn't conquer the entire U.K.?

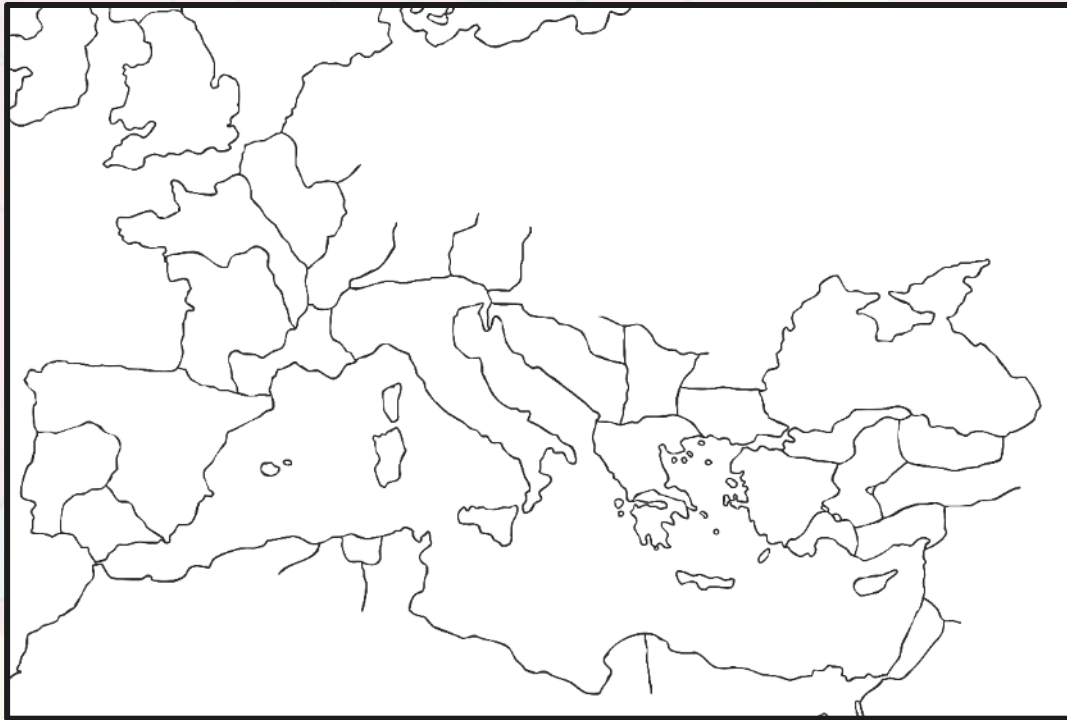


- This map shows the country boundaries as they were in AD 177.
- Have a look in your atlas. Which present-day countries were conquered by the Romans?



Task

- On a blank map of Europe, show with colour how much land the Romans had conquered by AD 177.
- Remember the boundaries were not in the same place, so you may need to draw your own.



Which country names are similar to today?

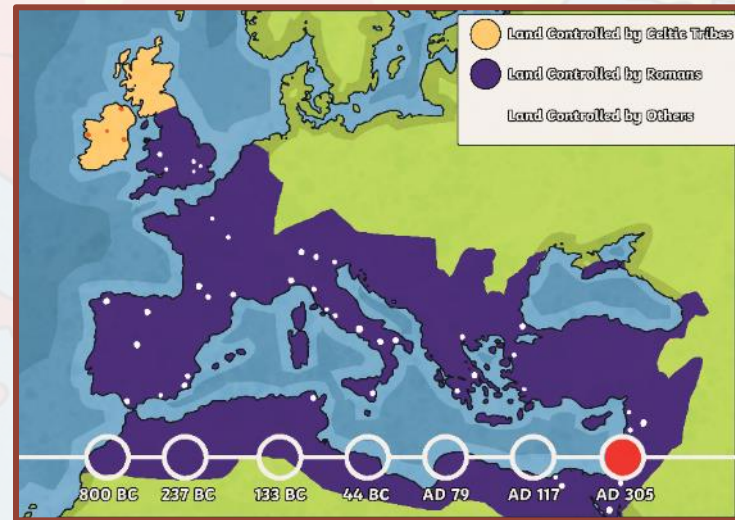
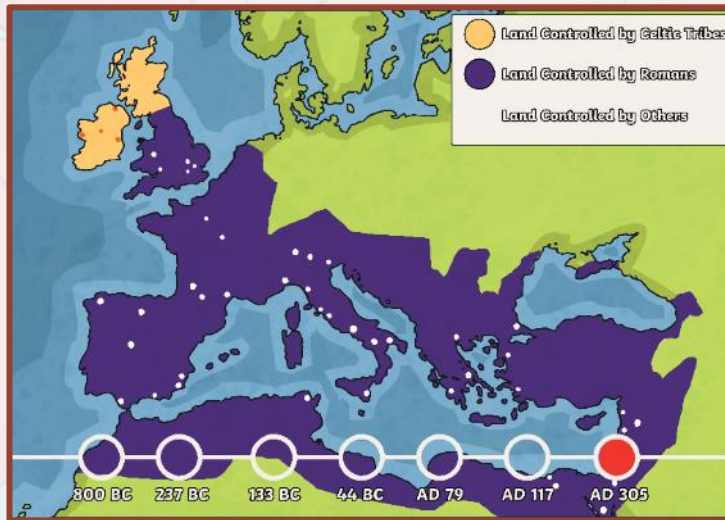


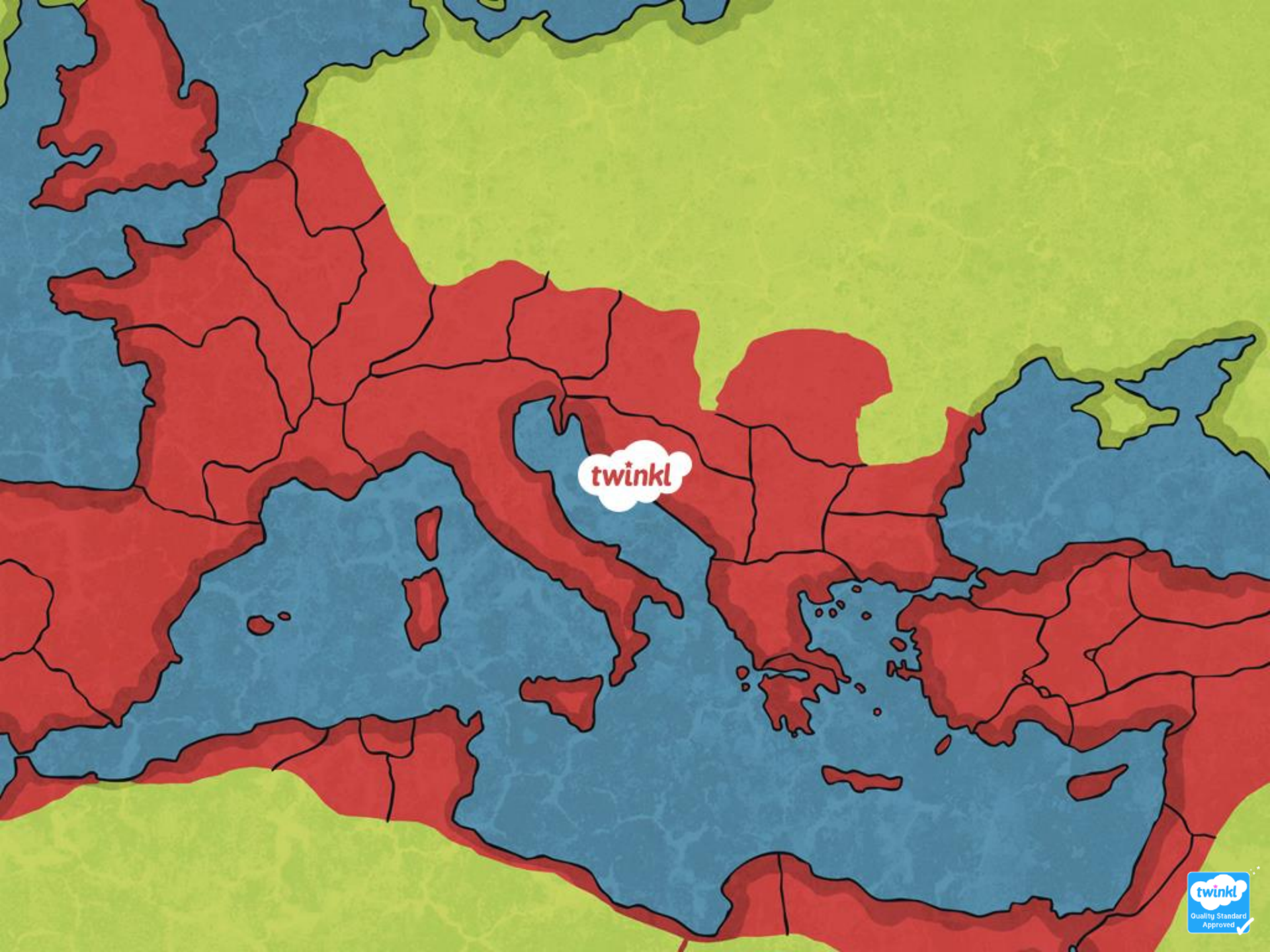
Can you explain to your partner what happened to land ownership in Europe between 800 BC and AD 117?



What has happened now by AD 305?

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