

# I. VIRGINIA: CHILD OF TOBACCO (SLIDE 1 OF 2)

- In 1612 John Rolfe perfected tobacco culture.
- Virginia's prosperity was built on this "bewitching weed," but King Nicotine depleted the soil.
- · Besides land, tobacco required lots of labor.
- In 1619 a Dutch warship landed at Jamestown and sold twenty Africans, planting the seeds of the North American slave system.
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Twenty African slaves arrive in Virginia.

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- In 1619 representative self-government was born in primitive Virginia.
- The House of Burgesses was an assembly or miniature parliament in the New World.
- · James I grew increasingly hostile to Virginia.
- In 1624 he revoked the company's charter, and Virginia became a royal colony.
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- · 1634: Maryland, second plantation colony, was founded by Lord Baltimore partly as a refuge for Catholics.
- Resentment between Catholics and Protestants flared into open rebellion.
- · The Baltimore family for a time lost its proprietary rights, but the colony prospered.
- · As in Virginia, indentured servants initially provided labor for the tobacco economy.
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- · Lord Baltimore permitted unusual freedom of worship at the outset.
- In 1649 the local assembly passed the famed Act of Toleration guaranteeing toleration to all Christians.
- However, it decreed the death penalty for Jews and atheists.



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- England secured claims to several West Indian islands, including Jamaica in
- · Their economy was based on sugar.
- · Sugar, unlike tobacco, required lots of capital.
- · Many enslaved Africans were imported to work the sugar plantations.
- · Black slaves eventually outnumbered



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- 1661: Barbados slave code defined slaves' legal status and their masters' prerogatives.
- Profitable sugar plantations crowded out most other forms of Caribbean agriculture.
- 1670: Displaced settlers from Barbados arrived in Carolina with their slaves.
- 1696: Carolina adopted the Barbados slave code, which eventually shaped slave laws throughout the mainland.



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- In the 1640s–1650s, the English Civil War occurred.
- After 1660 empire building resumed during the Restoration period (see Table 3.1).
- In 1670 Carolina was created, and it formed close economic ties to the English West Indies.
- · Rice emerged as its principal export crop.
- · Charles Town was busiest seaport in South; Carolina survived Spanish and Indian attacks.



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Table 3.1 The Original English Colonies on the Mainland of North America					
Name	Founded by	Year	Charter	Made Royal	1775 Status
1. Virginia	London Co.	1607	1606 1609 1612	1624	Royal (under the crown)
2. New Hampshire	John Mason and others	1623	1679	1679	Royal (absorbed by Mass., 1641-1679)
3. Massachusetts	Puritans	ca. 1628	1629	1691	Royal
Plymouth	Separatists	1620	None		(Merged with Mass., 1691)
Maine	F. Gorges	1623	1639		(Bought by Mass., 1677)
4. Maryland	Lord Baltimore	1634	1632	-	Proprietary (controlled by proprietor)
5. Connecticut	Mass. emigrants	1635	1662	-	Self-governing (under local control)
New Haven	Mass. emigrants	1638	None		(Merged with Conn., 1662)
6. Rhode Island	R. Williams	1636	1644 1663	-	Self-governing
7. Delaware	Swedes	1638	None	-	Proprietary (merged with Pa., 1682; same governor, but separate assembly, granted 1703)
8. N. Carolina	Virginians	1653	1663	1729	Royal (separated informally from S.C., 1691)
9. New York	Dutch	ca. 1613			
	Duke of York	1664	1664	1685	Royal
10. New Jersey	Berkeley and Carteret	1664	None	1702	Royal
11. Carolina	Eight nobles	1670	1663	1729	Royal (separated formally from N.C., 1712)
12. Pennsylvania	William Penn	1681	1681	-	Proprietary
13. Georgia	Oglethorpe and others	1733	1732	1752	Royal

# V. THE EMERGENCE OF NORTH CAROLINA (SLIDE 1 OF 2)

- North Carolina has been called "the quintessence of Virginia's discontent."
- "Squatters" (newcomers without legal rights to the soil) raised crops on small farms.
- In 1712 North Carolina officially separated from South Carolina (see Map 3.1).

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V. THE EMERGENCE OF NORTH CAROLINA (SLIDE 2 OF 2)

hundreds of Indians into slavery.

· But tribes in the interior remained strong.

 Both North and South Carolina shared in the ongoing tragedy of bloody relations between Indians and Europeans.

· North Carolinians battled in the Tuscarora War, selling

• South Carolinians defeated and dispersed the Yamasee

## VI. LATE-COMING GEORGIA: THE BUFFER COLONY

- In 1733 Georgia, name for King George II, was founded as a buffer to protect the Carolinas.
- · Launched by a group of philanthropists, it would also serve as a haven for debtors.
- · Georgia founders wanted no slavery.
- · James Oglethorpe, a key founder, helped ensure the colony's survival.

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## VII. THE PLANTATION COLONIES

- England's southern mainland colonies (MD, VA, NC, SC, GA) shared:
  - Devotion to exporting agricultural products, mainly tobacco and rice
  - Slavery
  - · Slow growth of cities

Indians.

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- Religious toleration
- A tendency to expand

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## (III. THE PROTESTANT REFORMATION PRODUCES PURITANISM (SLIDE 1 OF 3)

- 1517: Martin Luther began the Protestant Reformation.
- John Calvin's use of Luther's ideas had a profound effect on the thought and character of America.
- · Calvinism became the dominant theological credo.
- 1536: Calvin published Institutes of the Christian Religion.

VIII. THE PROTESTANT REFORMATION PRODUCES PURITANISM (SLIDE 2 OF 3)

- Major doctrines of Calvinism are predestination—the elect are destined for eternal bliss and others for eternal torment—and conversion—the receipt of God's free gift.
- 1530s: King Henry VIII broke with the Catholic Church.
- Puritans: English religious reformers who wanted to purify English Christianity.

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## III. THE PROTESTANT REFORMATION PRODUCES PURITANISM (SLIDE 3 OF 3)

- Controversy over church membership led to the Separatists, a subgroup of Puritans, breaking from the Church of England.
- King James I (r. 1603–1625) threatened to harass the bothersome Separatists out of England.



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# The Settlement of New England

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The colonists who first settled in New England came for religious reasons

The Early Christian Church

East-West Schism
(1054)

The Reformation
(16th Century)

Protestantism

Religious disagreements in Britain led to divisions in the Anglican Church

Lutheranism

Anglicanism

Reptiscopalian

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Reformed in Methodist

Puritans believed in the Calvinist idea of predestination & tried to live strictly "Christian" lives without sin lives without sin lives without sin Protestantism

The Early Christian Church

Roman Catholics

Roman Catholics

Lutheranism

Anglicanism

Episcopalian
Baptist

Methodist
Pentecostal

Calvinism

Presbyterian

Reformed

Separatists VS. Puritans

Separatists

Separatist Beliefs:

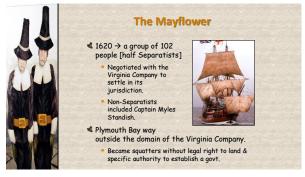
Puritans who believed only "visible saints" [those who could demonstrate in front of their fellow Puritans their elect status] should be admitted to church membership.

Because the Church of England enrolled all the king's subjects, Separatists felt they had to share churches with the "damned."

Therefore, they believed in a total break from the Church of England.

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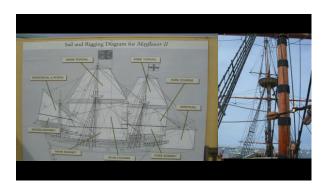


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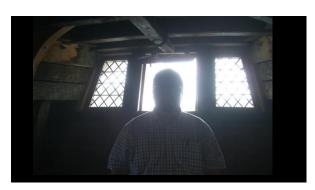
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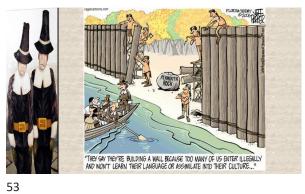






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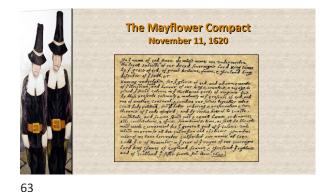
#### IX. THE PUGRIMS END THEIR PUGRIMAGE AT PLYMOUT

- 1608: First Separatists fled to Holland, but over time they became distressed by the "Dutchification" of their children.
- 1620: Some Separatists (known as Pilgrims) sailed on the *Mayflower* to Plymouth Bay.
- Their Mayflower Compact was an agreement to form a government and submit to the will of the majority under some regulations.
- Small settlement survived difficult early years.



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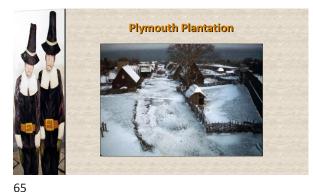
The Mayflower Compact
November 11, 1620

Written and signed before the
Pilgrims disembarked from the ship.

Not a constitution, but an agreement
to form a crude govt. and submit to
majority rule.

Signed by 41 adult males.

Led to adult male settlers meeting in
assemblies to make laws in town
meetings.



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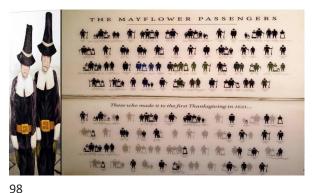


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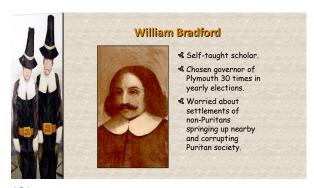


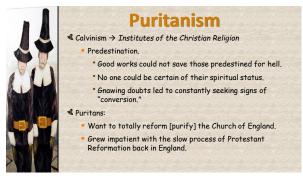
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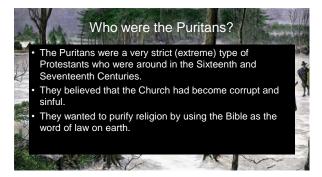








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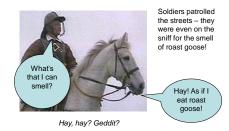
# But why ban Christmas?

- · Christmas was a human invention, not in the Bible.
- It was too closely linked to old Pagan (Pre-Christian) beliefs
- The idea of a 'mass' for Christ just smelled of Catholicism!

So it was banned in England in 1647!



# How did they stop people?



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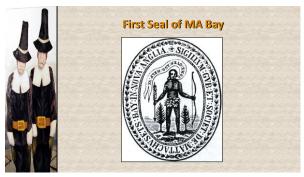
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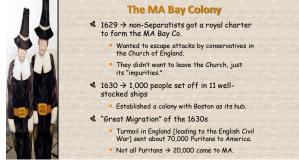












## X. THE BAY COLONY BIBLE COMMONWEALTH (SLIDE 1 OF 2)

- 1629: Charles I dismissed Parliament and persecuted Puritans.
- 1630: Puritans founded Massachusetts Bay Colony.
- 1630s: 70,000 refugees left England during the Great Migration (see Map 3.2).

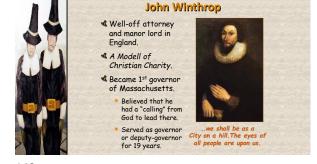


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## X. THE BAY COLONY BIBLE COMMONWEALTH (SLIDE 2 OF 2)

- Like William Bradford in Plymouth, John Winthrop helped colony survive and prosper.
- The Massachusetts Bay Colony became the biggest and most influential New England colony.
- The first colonists believed they had a covenant with God to build a holy society as a model for all humankind.

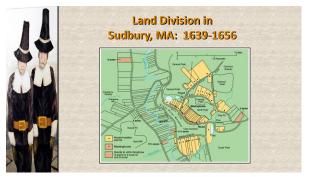


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## (I. BUILDING THE BAY COLONY (SLIDE 1 OF 2)

- Franchise was extended to all "freemen"—adult males who belonged to Puritan congregations.
- · Unchurched men remained voteless.
- The Bay Colony was not a democracy.
- Nonbelievers and believers paid taxes for the governmentsupported church.

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## XI. BUILDING THE BAY COLONY (SLIDE 2 OF 2)

- Yet Puritans were a worldly lot.
- The "Protestant ethic" involved serious commitment to work and worldly pursuits.
- They enjoyed simple pleasures but passed laws to repress some human instincts.
- Life to the Puritans was serious business.

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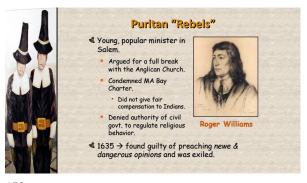
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New England Primer
[1689]

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# **Massachusetts Bay Colony**

City on

a Hill!

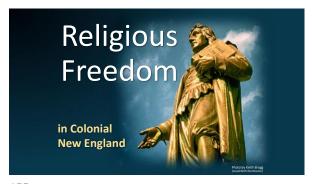
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 Puritans and Separatists

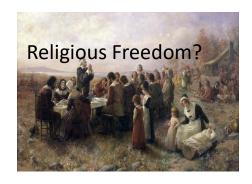




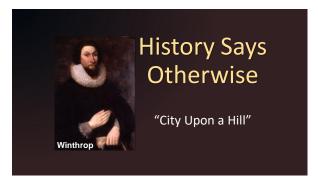


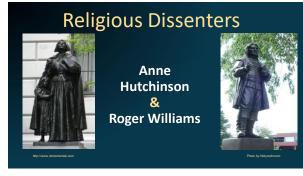
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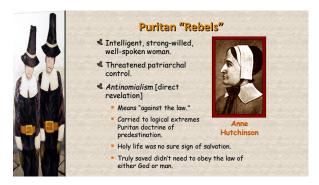
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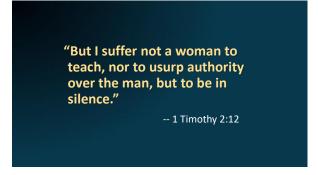


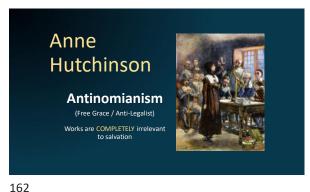


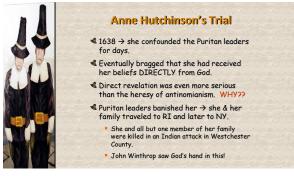
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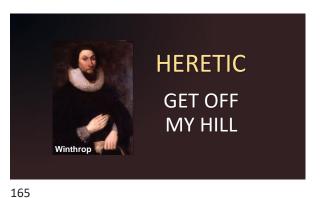






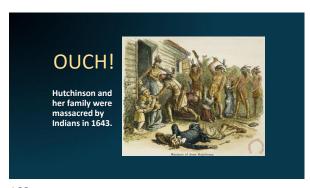












# **Religious Dissenters**

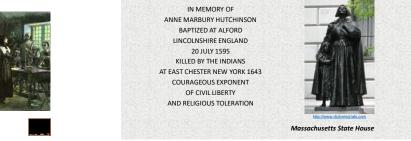
Religious "Freedom" vs. Religious Toleration



- Home Bible Studies
- Predestination
- The Elect - EXILED
  - 13 children
- 60 followers







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## (II. TROUBLE IN THE BIBLE COMMONWEALTH (SLIDE 1 OF 2

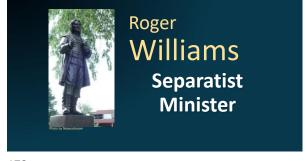
- Quakers, who flouted the authority of the Puritan clergy, were persecuted.
- In 1638, Anne Hutchinson was tried for heresy;
   She asserted antinomianism, the idea that the truly saved need not bother to obey the law of either God or man.
- She was banished to Rhode Island and then moved to New York, where she and her family were killed by Indians.



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# **Religious Dissenters**

Religious "Freedom" vs. Religious Toleration

# **Roger Williams**

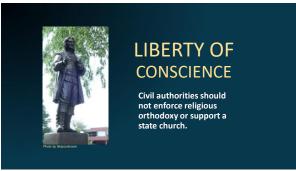
- Puritan Minister
- Liberty of Conscience
- Established Religion
- EXILED
- Providence Plantations(Rhode Island)
- First Baptist Church USA



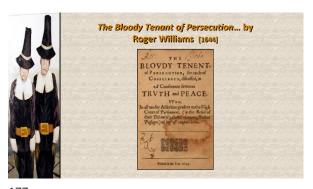
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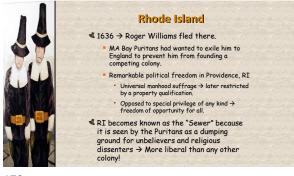
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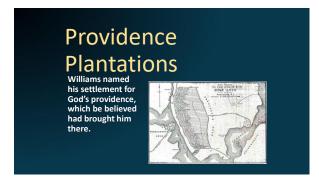


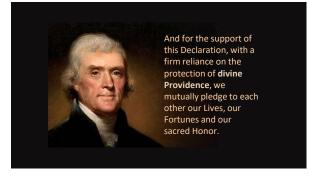






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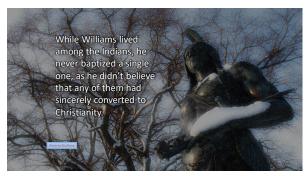




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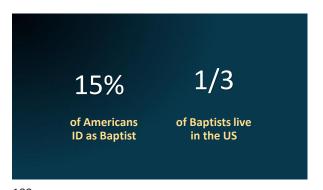


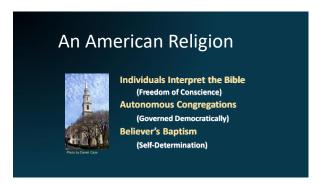


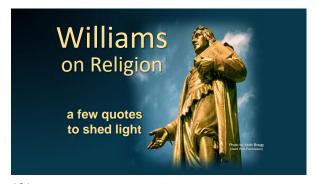






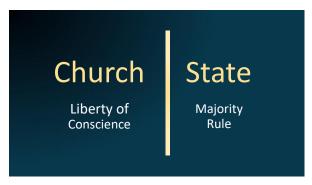






"When they have opened a gap in the hedge or wall of separation between the garden of the church and the wilderness of the world, God hath ever broke down the wall itself, removed the candlestick, and made His garden a wilderness, as at this day."

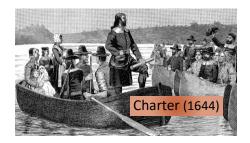
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RESTORATIONISM

"There is no regularly constituted church of Christ on earth, nor any person qualified to administer any church ordinances; nor can there be until new apostles are sent by the Great Head of the Church for whose coming I am seeking."

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## XII. TROUBLE IN THE BIBLE COMMONWEALTH (SLIDE 2 OF 2



- Roger Williams was an extreme Separatist.
- He challenged clergymen to make a clear break with the Church of England.
- He challenged the legality of the Bay Colony's charter.
- He challenged the civil authority to regulate religious behavior.
- 1635: He was tried by the authorities.

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## VIII THE PHONE ISLAND "SEWED"

- 1636: Williams, with the aid of Indians, fled to Rhode Island.
- He built a Baptist church in Providence.
- He established complete freedom of religion, even for Jews and Catholics.
- Rhode Island became the most liberal colony, with simple manhood suffrage.

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## 3.2 Pilgrims Set Sail on the Mayflower



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- The fertile Connecticut River area attracted a sprinkling of Dutch and
- 1635: Hartford was founded (see Map 3.3).
- 1639: Connecticut's Fundamental Orders was a modern constitution that established a regime democratically controlled by the "substantial" citizens.
- 1638: New Haven was founded by



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· 1677: Massachusetts absorbed Maine.

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- · 1641: Massachusetts absorbed New Hampshire.
- 1679: King Charles II separated New Hampshire from Massachusetts and made it a royal colony.

- · Before Pilgrims arrived in 1620, an epidemic killed over 75% of the native people.
- · Wampanoag Indians befriended the settlers.
- · 1621: Wampanoag chieftain Massasoit signed a treaty with the Plymouth Pilgrims.
- 1621: The first Thanksgiving was celebrated.
- · Expanding settlement increased tensions.
- · 1637: Hostilities between Indians and whites exploded in the brutal Pequot War.

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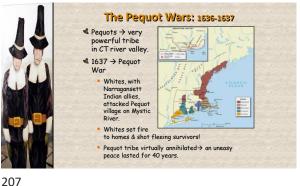
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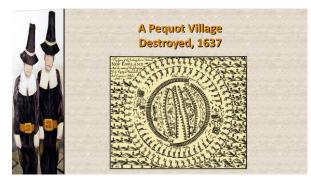
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The First Thanksgiving? In 1863, President Lincoln proclaimed Thanksgiving an official US holiday.

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- Four decades of uneasy peace followed.
- A few Puritan "praying towns" were established to Christianize remaining Indians.
- 1675: Massasoit's son Metacom (King Philip) forged intertribal alliance to resist settlers.
- 1675–1676: King Philip's War slowed English settlement for a time, but overall inflicted a lasting defeat on Indians in New England.

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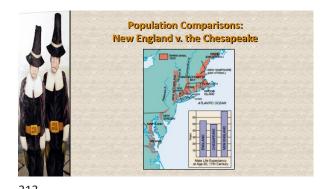


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King Philip's War (1675-1676) The war ended in failure for the Indians Metacom beheaded and drawn and quartered. His son and wife sold into slavery. Never a serious threat in New England again!!

**Population of the New England Colonies** 1730 1750 - Black

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XVI ENGLISH INTERFERENCE AND NEGLECT (SLIDE 1 OF 5)

- 1643: Four Puritan colonies formed the **New England Confederation**. **WHY is this IMPORTANT?**
- Its primary aim was defense against foes.
- Charles II was restored to the English throne in 1660 (see Table 3.2), marking renewed interest by the crown.

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Stuart Absolutism and the English Civil War

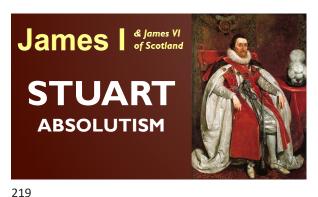
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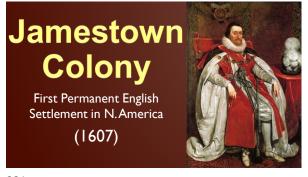
**Central Issues** 

- I. Enforcement of State Religion
- 2. King's Power to Tax
- 3. WHO is Sovereign?

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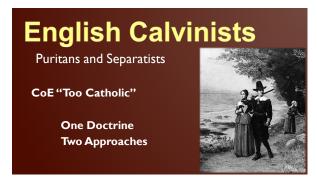


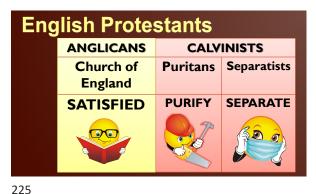






















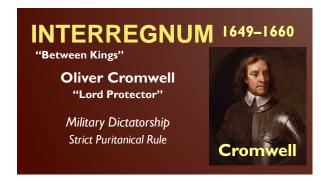




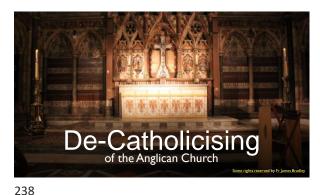


























Farliament does not revolt because James was old and his daughters Mary and Anne were Protestants -> but in 1688 his wife gives birth to a son -> fear of a Catholic hereditary monarchy

In late 1688 Parliament invites the protestant Dutch leader William of Orange and his wife Mary to invade England

1688 King James II flees to France

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RESPONSE TO REVOLUTION English political philosopher Author of *Leviathan* English political philosopher Said people are animals and thus need strong ruler to keep them in Hobbes = advocate of strong/absolute monarch between ruler and people

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· Massachusetts resisted Charles's efforts.

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- 1662: Charles gave Connecticut a sea-to-sea charter that legalized squatter settlements.
- 1663: He granted the outcasts in Rhode Island a new charter sanctioning religious tolerance.
- 1684: London authorities revoked the Bay Colony's charter.

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· Charles II's heir, James II, sought to enforce the Navigation Laws. · Colonists resented limits being put on trade. 1686: Royal authority created the Dominion of New England (see Map 3.3). · It encompassed all of New England, and two years later New York and East and West Jersey. · Sir Edmund Andros headed the Dominion.

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- Andros generated hostility by repressing self-government as well as smuggling.
- 1688–1689: The Glorious Revolution overthrew Catholic James II; enthroned Protestant rulers William III and Mary II.
- It also caused the collapse of the Dominion.
- Andros fled, but Massachusetts was still made into a royal colony in 1691.

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## The Restoration **Colonies**



**New York** 

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#### **Old Netherlanders at New Netherlands**

41600s → Golden Age of Dutch history.

- Major commercial and naval power.
- Challenging England on the seas.
  - >3 major Anglo-Dutch Wars
- Major colonial power [mainly in the East Indies].

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#### **Henry Hudson's Voyages**







#### **New Netherlands**

- New Netherlands → founded in the Hudson River area (1623-1624)
  - Established by Dutch West India Company for quick-profit fur trade.
    - Company wouldn't pay much attention to the colony.
  - Manhattan [New Amsterdam]
    - >Purchased by Company for pennies per (22,000) acre.



#### **New Amsterdam Harbor, 1639**

- Company town run in interests of the stockholders.
- No interest in reliaious speech, or democracy.
- Governors appointed by the Company were autocratic.
- Religious dissenters against Dutch Reformed Church [including Quakers] were persecuted.
- Local assembly with limited power to make laws established after repeated protests by colonists.



#### New Amsterdam, 1660



- Characteristics of New Amsterdam:
  - Aristocratic → patroonships [feudal estates granted to promoters who would settle 50 people on them].
  - Cosmopolitan  $\rightarrow$  diverse population with many different languages.

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**New York Manors & Land Grants** 

**Patroonships** 



## New Netherlands & **New Sweden**



#### **Swedes in New Netherlands**

- Mid-1600s → Sweden in Golden Age settled small, under-funded colony [called "New Sweden"] near New Netherland.
- 4 1655 → Dutch under director-general Peter Stuyvesant attack New Sweden.
  - Main fort fell after bloodless siege.
  - New Sweden absorbed into New Netherland.





#### New Netherlands Becomes a British Royal Colony

- Charles II granted New Netherland's land to his brother, the Duke of York, [before he controlled the area!]
- 4 1664 → English soldiers arrived.
  - Dutch had little ammunition and poor defenses.
  - Stuyvesant forced to surrender without firing a shot.
- Renamed "New York"
  - England gained strategic harbor between her northern & southern colonies.
  - England now controlled the Atlantic coast!

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#### New Amsterdam, 1664



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### Hudson River Aristocrats in Colonial New York



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### New York City [1673]





### **Dutch Residue in New York**

Early 20° Dutch Revival Building in NVC.



- Names → Harlem, Brooklyn
   Architecture → gambrel roof
- <sup>8</sup> Customs → Easter eggs, Santa Claus, waffles, bowling, sleighing, skating, kolf [golf].

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#### KVI ENGLISH INTERFERENCE AND NEGLECT (SLIDE 5 OF 5

- Many colonies struck against royal authority, including New York and Maryland.
- In response, the new monarchs began a period of "salutary neglect" in enforcing the hated Navigation Acts.

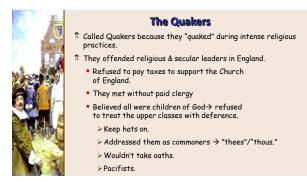
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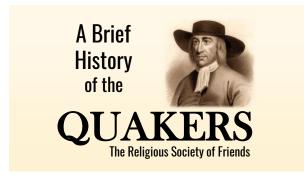
### **Pennsylvania**



### Quakers vs. Church of England

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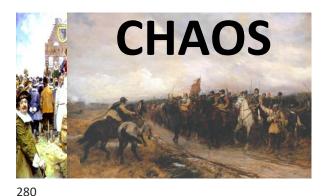
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George FOX
Founder
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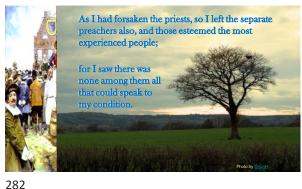
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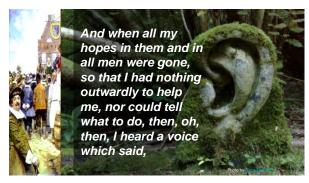








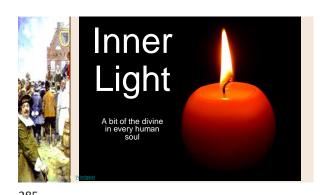


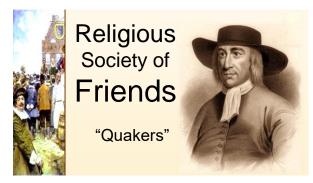


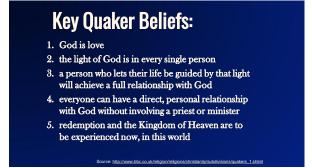




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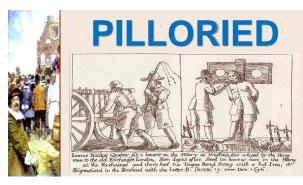
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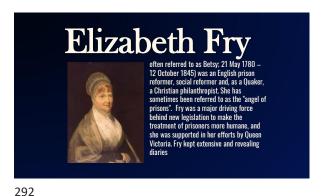
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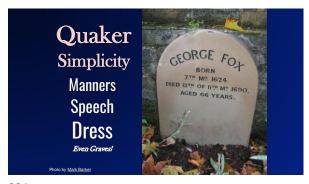




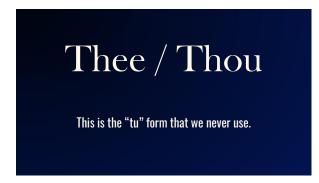








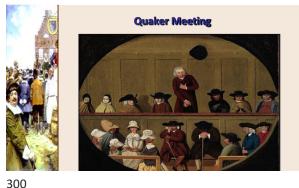






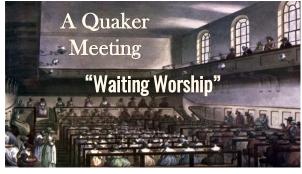






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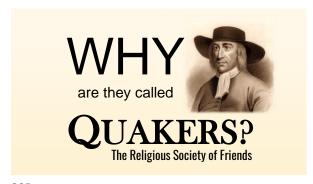


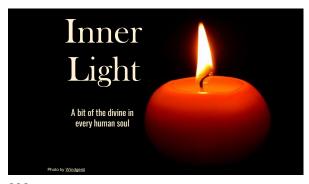
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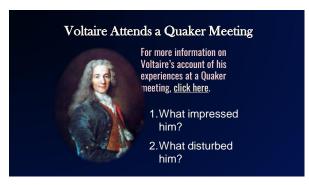
**Anglicans and Quakers Compared** CHURCH OF ENGLAND 17th c. SOCIETY OF FRIENDS **Inner Light** Sacraments (Baptism & Communion) (Direct Connection) Creed Shared Values Meetings Services Clergy and Hierarchy Priesthood of All Believers (Even Women) (All Male in 17th c.) **Social Conformity** Social Activism

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• Quakers, English dissenters known as the Religious Society of Friends: Refused to pay taxes for the established Church of England.

- · Built simple meeting houses.
- · Congregated without a paid clergy.
- · "Spoke up" in meetings when moved.
- · Kept their broad-brimmed hats on in the presence of "betters."

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#### XVII. PENN'S HOLY EXPERIMENT IN PENNSYLVANIA (SLIDE 2 OF 3)

- Quakers (cont.):
- · Addressed each other with simple "thee"s and "thou"s.
- · Took no oaths.
- · They were people of deep conviction:
  - · Abhorred strife and warfare
  - · Refused military service
  - · Advocated passive resistance

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#### XVII. PENN'S HOLY EXPERIMENT IN PENNSYLVANIA (SLIDE 3 OF 3)

- · Quakers were simple, devoted, democratic people, contending for religious and civic freedom.
- · 1681: Quaker William Penn secured land from the king.
- The king called the land Pennsylvania ("Penn's Woodland").
- Pennsylvania was the best-advertised colony and the liberal land policy attracted many immigrants.



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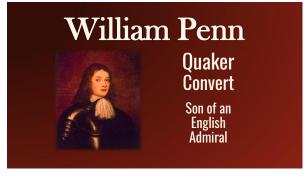






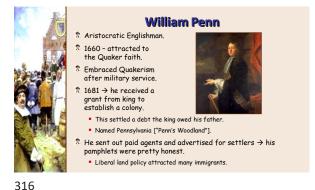
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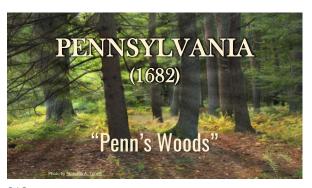


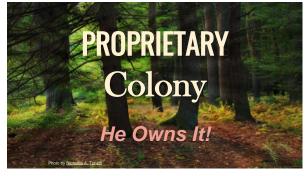
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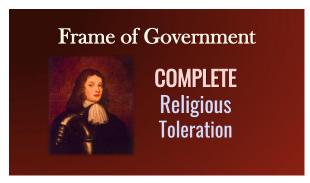














#### **Government of Pennsylvania**

- Representative assembly elected by landowners.
- No tax-supported church.
- Treedom of worship guaranteed to all.
- Forced to deny right to vote & hold office to Catholics & Jews by English govt.
- 🌣 Death penalty only for treason & murder.
  - Compared to 200 capital crimes in England!



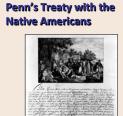
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#### **Penn & Native Americans**

- Bought [didn't simply take] land from Indians.
- Quakers went among the Indians unarmed.
- BUT...... non-Quaker Europeans flooded PA
  - Treated native peoples poorly.
  - This undermined the actions of the Quakers!

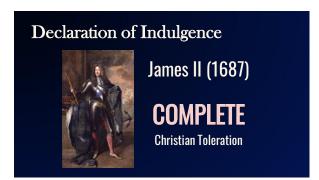






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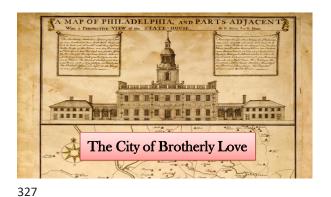


#### Pennsylvania

- William Penn
  - Society of Friendsaka: "Quakers"
- "Penn's Woods"
- Philadelphia
- TOLERATION
- Indian Treaty



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**Urban Population Growth** 1650 - 1775 -New York --Philadelphia urce: Gary B. Nash, The Urban Crucible, 1979

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- 1681: Penn launched his colony:
  - Dutch, Swedish, English, and Welsh "squatters" were already there.
  - · Philadelphia was carefully planned.
  - He bought land from the Indians and Chief Tammany.
  - · He treated the Indians fairly.
- · Pennsylvania seemed, for a brief time, the land of amicable Indian-white relations.

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#### XVIII. QUAKER PENNSYLVANIA AND ITS NEIGHBORS (SLIDE 2 OF 5)

- Quaker tolerance of non-Quaker immigrants eventually undermined Penn's Indian policy.
- Penn's proprietary regime was unusually liberal and thus attracted many immigrants:
  - · Representative assembly elected by landowners
  - · No tax-supported state church
  - · Freedom of worship
  - · Restricted use of death penalty

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#### XVIII. QUAKER PENNSYLVANIA AND ITS NEIGHBORS (SLIDE 3 OF 5)

- "Blue laws" prohibited "ungodly revelers," stage plays, playing cards, dice, games, and excessive hilarity.
- The Quakers were shrewd businesspeople.
- By 1700 the colony surpassed all other colonies but Virginia and Massachusetts in population and wealth.

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#### XVIII. QUAKER PENNSYLVANIA AND ITS NEIGHBORS (SLIDE 4 OF 5

- · Noted features of the colony:
  - No provision for a military defense
  - No restrictions on immigration
  - Strong dislike of slavery
  - Some progress toward social reform
  - Contained many different ethnic groups
  - Afforded economic opportunity, civil liberty, and religious freedom

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## Middle Colonies (cont.)

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#### XVIII. QUAKER PENNSYLVANIA AND ITS NEIGHBORS (SLIDE 5 OF 5)

- 1664: New Jersey was started by two nobles who received land from the Duke of York
- · 1674: The Quakers bought West New Jersey.
- · Later East New Jersey was acquired.
- · 1703: Delaware was granted an assembly.

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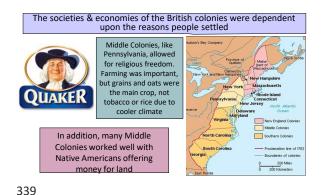
CENTRAL SECTIONS

#### IX. THE MIDDLE WAY IN THE MIDDLE COLONIES (SLIDE 1 OF 3)

- Common features of New York, New Jersey, Delaware, and Pennsylvania:
  - They had extensive fertile soil.
  - They became the "bread colonies" because of grain exports.
  - Rivers like the Susquehanna, the Delaware, and the Hudson tapped the interior fur trade.
  - Industry stimulated commerce and the growth of seaports like New York and Philadelphia.

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- The middle colonies were midway between New England and the southern plantations:
  - Landholding was intermediate in size.
  - Local government was between personalized town meetings of New England and diffused county government of the South.
  - They had fewer industries than New England, but more than the South.

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· Distinctions of their own:

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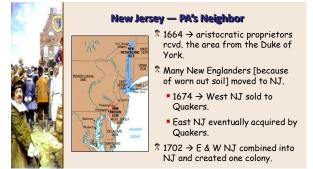
- · A more ethnically mixed population
- An unusual degree of religious toleration and democratic control
- Desirable land that was easier to acquire
- Considerable economic and social democracy
- Benjamin Franklin, perhaps the most representative American personality of his era, came of age in the middle colonies.

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### **New Jersey**



**Delaware** 



#### Delaware — PA's Neighbor

- Named after Lord De La Warr [harsh military governor of VA in
- Closely associated with Penn's colony.
- №1703 → granted its own assembly.
- Remained under the control of PA until the American Revolution.





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### **The Carolinas**



#### The West Indies → Way Station to Mainland America

**Ethnic Groups** 

- 1670 → a group of small English farmers from the West Indies arrived in Carolina.
  - Were squeezed out by sugar barons.
  - Brought a few black slaves and a model of the Barbados slave code with them.
- 🔑 Names for King Charles II.
- 🗘 The King granted Carolina to 8 supporters [Lord Proprietors].
  - They hoped to use Carolina to supply their plantations in Barbados with food and export wine, silk, and olive oil to Europe.

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#### **Settling the "Lower South"**

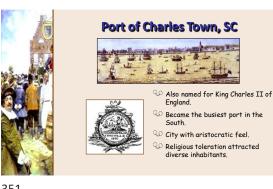


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#### **Colonizing the Carolinas**

- 🗘 Carolina developed close economic ties to the West Indies.
  - Many Carolinian settlers were originally from the West
  - They used local Savannah Indians to enslave other Indians [about 10,000] and send them to the West Indies [and some to New England].
- 1707 → Savannah Indians decided to migrate to PA.
  - PA promised better relations with whites.
  - Carolinians decided to "thin" the Savannahs before they could leave → bloody raids killed most of them by 1710.





## Crops of the Carolinas: Rice

- The primary export.
- Rice was still an exotic food in England.
  - Was grown in Africa, so planters imported West African slaves.
  - These slaves had a genetic trait that made them immune to



American Long Grain Rice

Sy 1710 → black slaves were a majority in Carolina.



## Crops of the Carolinas: Indigo

- In colonial times, the main use for indigo was as a dye for spun cotton threads that were woven into cloth for clothes
- Co Today in the US, the main use for indigo is a dye for cotton work clothes & blue jeans.

# Rice & Indigo Exports from SC & GA: 1698-1775

Rice Indigo

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### **Conflict With Spanish Florida**

- Catholic Spain hated the mass of Protestants on their borders.
- Anglo-Spanish Wars
  - The Spanish conducted border raids on Carolina.
  - Either inciting local Native Americans to attack or attacking themselves.
- ○By 1700 → Carolina was too strong to be wiped out by the Spanish!



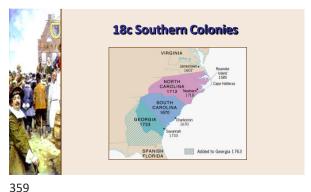
#### The Emergence of North Carolina

- Northern part of Carolina shared a border with VA
  - VA dominated by aristocratic planters who were generally Church of England members.
  - Dissenters from VA moved south to northern Carolina.
    - > Poor farmers with little need for slaves.
    - > Religious dissenters.
- O Distinctive traits of North Carolinians
  - Irreligious & hospitable to pirates.
  - Strong spirit of resistance to authority.
- Q 1712 → NC officially separated from SC.

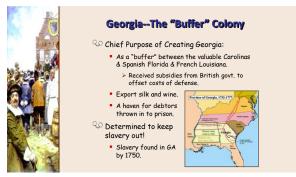
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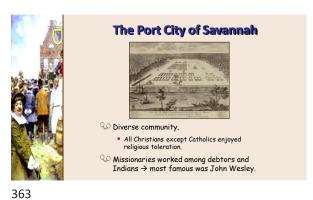












#### GRAPHIC ORGANIZER 1.3

GRAPHIC ORGANIZER 1.5			
	NEW ENGLAND COLONIES	MIDDLE COLONIES	SOUTHERN COLONIES
KEY COLONIES	Massachusetts, Rhode Island	New York, Pennsylvania	Maryland, Virginia, Carolina, Georgia
KEY FIGURES	Roger Williams, Anne Hutchinson, Jonathan Edwards	William Penn	John Smith, John Rolfe, Lord Baltimore, James Oglethorpe
WHY SETTLE?	Commerce "Religious Freedom"	AGRICULTURE (Staple Crops) Religious Toleration	AGRICULTURE (Cash Crops)
ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES	COMMERCE Fishing, Shipbuilding, Timber, Distilling Rum	STAPLE CROPS (Wheat, Corn)	CASH CROPS (Tobacco, Rice, Indigo)
PREDOMINANT RELIGION(S)	Congregational (Puritan) Baptists (RI)	Church of England (NY) Quakers (PA)	Church of England (Established) Catholic (Maryland)
RELIGIOUS OUTLOOK	Fanatical	Tolerant	Casual