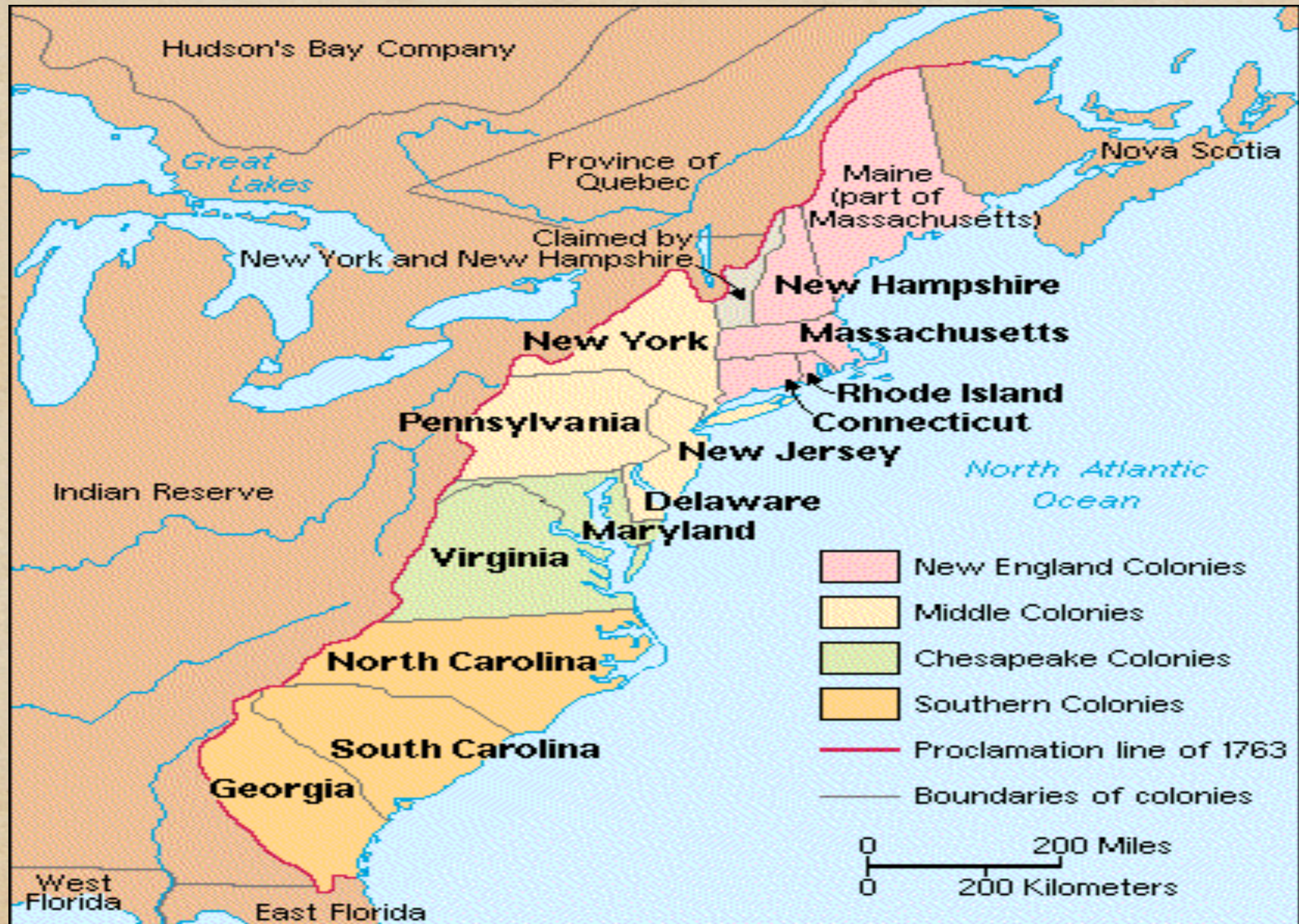
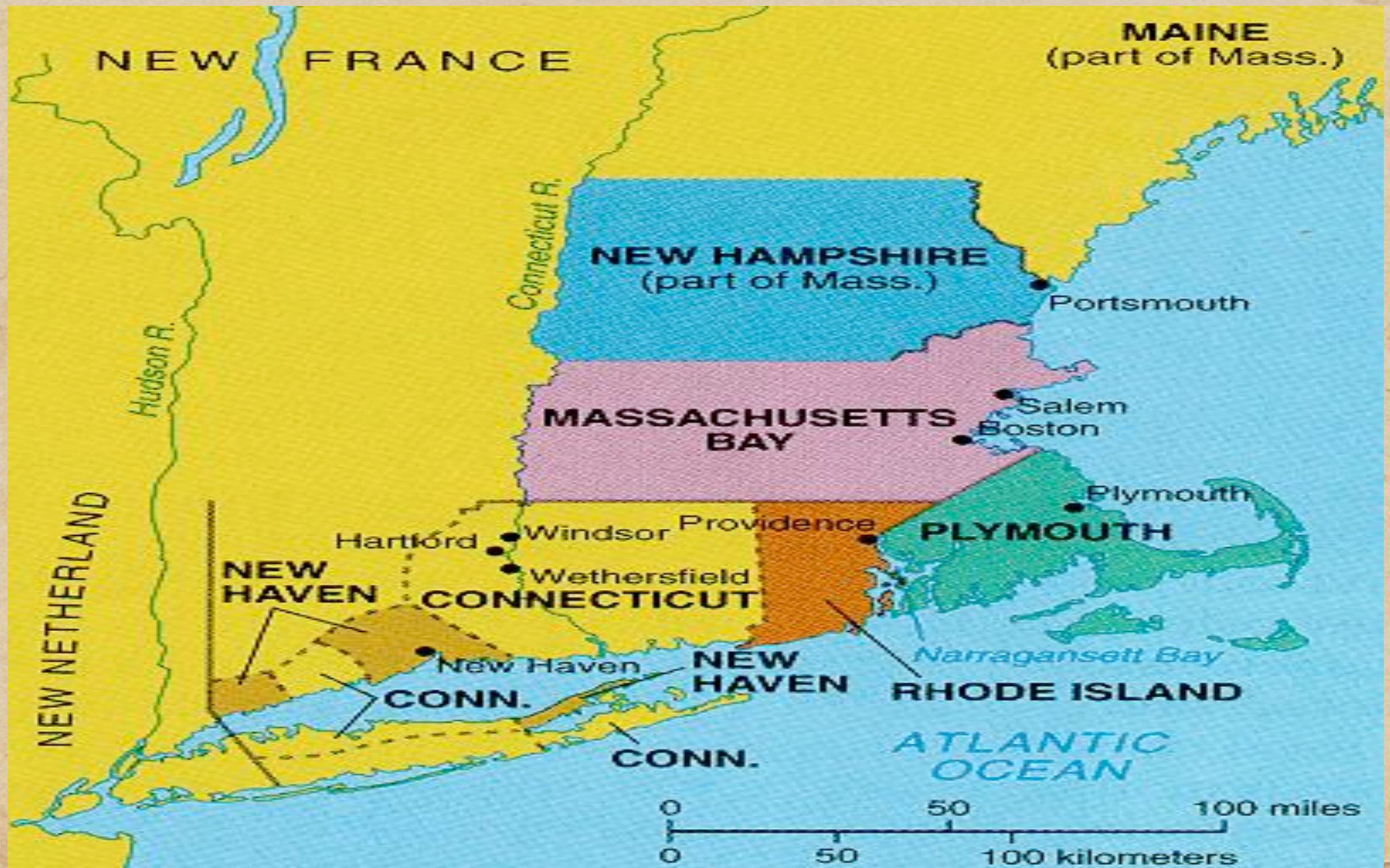


# The Colonies



# New England



# New England

- ◆ Better living than the South
  - ◆ Clean water, safe weather, less disease
- ◆ Strong, stable families
  - ◆ LOTS of kids, low teen pregnancy
  - ◆ Longer life span

# Mass Bay

- ◆ Tight-knit communities, strict
  - ◆ Laws decided by the town males
- ◆ Male dominated religious societies
  - ◆ No female property rights



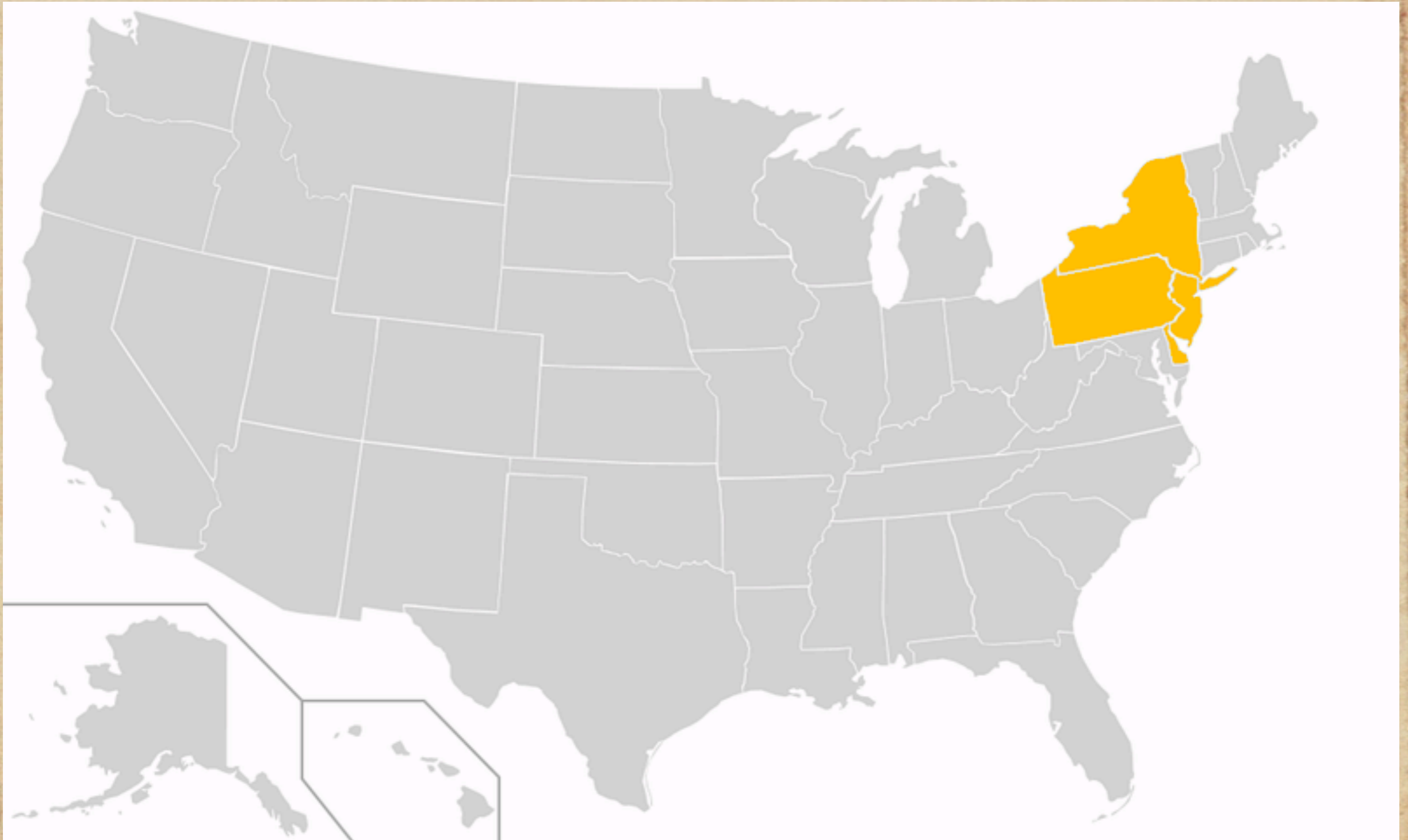
# Rhode Island

- ◆ Roger Williams expelled from Mass Bay
  - ◆ Called for total religious tolerance
  - ◆ Separation of church and state
- ◆ Founds RI
  - ◆ 1st colony to banish slavery

# Economics of the North

- ◆ Lumber, shipping, ship building, fishing
- ◆ Soil and weather too harsh for large scale agriculture
  - ◆ Slavery very rare

# The Middle Colonies



# Middle Colonies

- ◆ NY, NJ, Penn., Delaware
- ◆ “The breadbasket of the colonies”
- ◆ Wheat and lumber production

# Chesapeake Colonies



# Virginia

- ◆ Most populous colony in New World
- ◆ Tobacco major cash crop
- ◆ Brutal living
  - ◆ Disease, famine, poor weather
  - ◆ Indentured servitude (3/4 of pop.)

# Virginia

- ◆ Disease, unhealthy water, humid weather
- ◆ Lots of arable land
- ◆ Fortunes made in agriculture

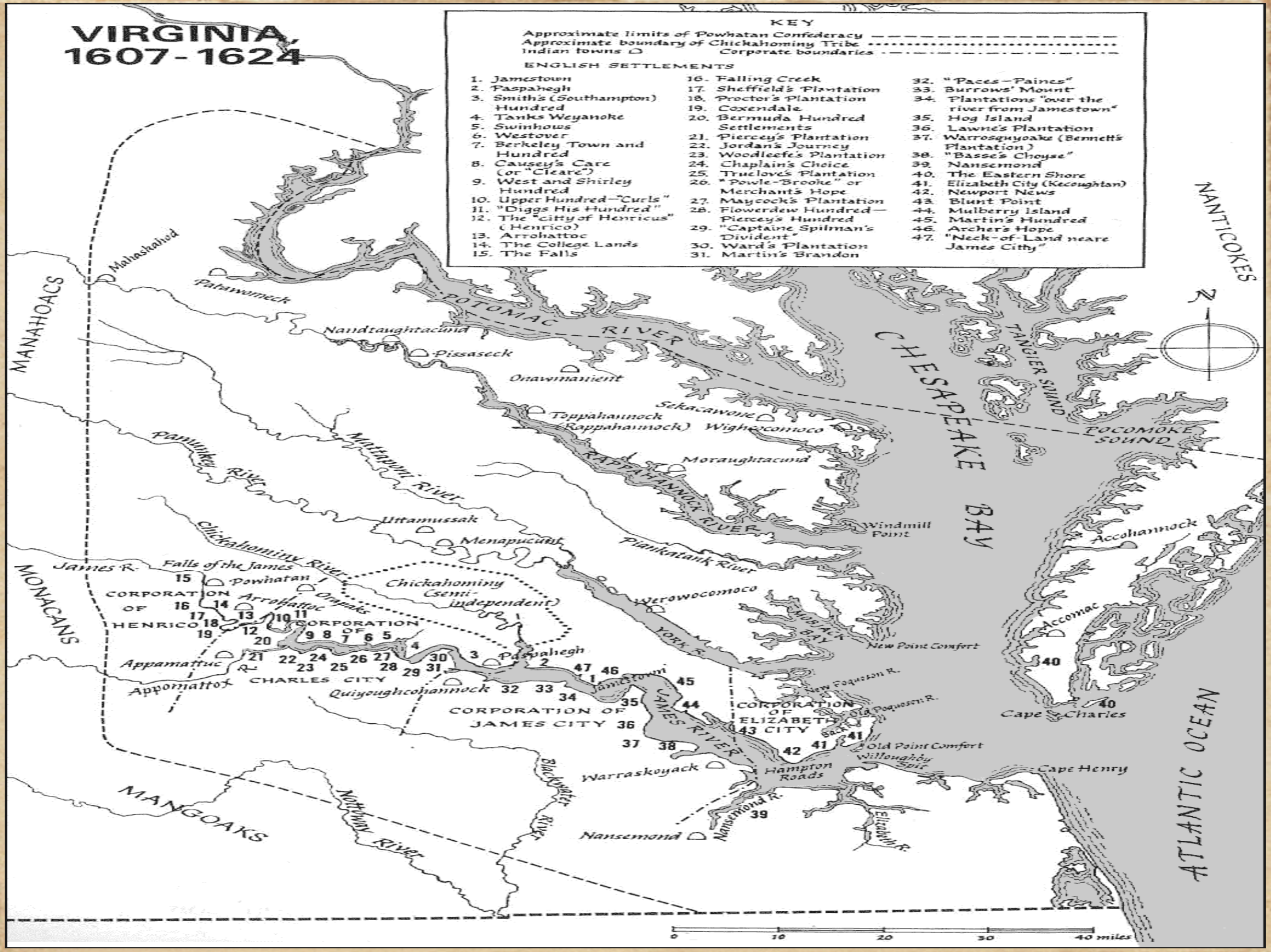
# VIRGINIA, 1607-1624

**KEY**

Approximate limits of Powhatan Confederacy -----  
 Approximate boundary of Chickahominy Tribe .....  
 Indian towns □ Corporate boundaries - - - - -

**ENGLISH SETTLEMENTS**

|                                      |   |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| 1. Jamestown                         | 16. Falling Creek                         | 32. "Paces-Paines"                              |
| 2. Paspahegh                         | 17. Sheffield's Plantation                | 33. Burrows' Mount                              |
| 3. Smith's (Southampton) Hundred     | 18. Proctor's Plantation                  | 34. Plantations "over the river from Jamestown" |
| 4. Tanks Weyanoke                    | 19. Coxendale                             | 35. Hog Island                                  |
| 5. Swinhows                          | 20. Bermuda Hundred Settlements           | 36. Lawne's Plantation                          |
| 6. Westover                          | 21. Piercey's Plantation                  | 37. Warrosguoyake (Bennett's Plantation)        |
| 7. Berkeley Town and Hundred         | 22. Jordan's Journey                      | 38. "Basse's Choyse"                            |
| 8. Causey's Care (or "Cleare")       | 23. Woodlee's Plantation                  | 39. Nansemond                                   |
| 9. West and Shirley Hundred          | 24. Chaplain's Choice                     | 40. The Eastern Shore                           |
| 10. Upper Hundred "Curls"            | 25. Truclove's Plantation                 | 41. Elizabeth City (Kecoughtan)                 |
| 11. "Diggs His Hundred"              | 26. "Powle-Brooke" or Merchant's Hope     | 42. Newport News                                |
| 12. The "City of Henricus" (Henrico) | 27. Maycock's Plantation                  | 43. Blunt Point                                 |
| 13. Arrohattoc                       | 28. Flowerdew Hundred - Piercey's Hundred | 44. Mulberry Island                             |
| 14. The College Lands                | 29. "Captaine Spilman's Divident"         | 45. Martin's Hundred                            |
| 15. The Falls                        | 30. Ward's Plantation                     | 46. Archer's Hope                               |
|                                      | 31. Martin's Brandon                      | 47. "Neck-of-Land neare James City"             |

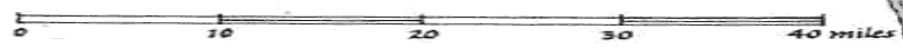
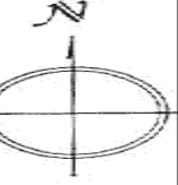


MANAHOACS

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# Bacon's Rebellion (1676)

- ◆ Nathaniel Bacon leads troops against Natives (unauthorized)
- ◆ Turns against British Governor
- ◆ Captures Jamestown, burns it to the ground



*W. Verelst* *J. Chamber*  
**ST. NATHANIEL BACON.**

*From an Original at the Lord Viscount Grimston's, at Greshambury.*

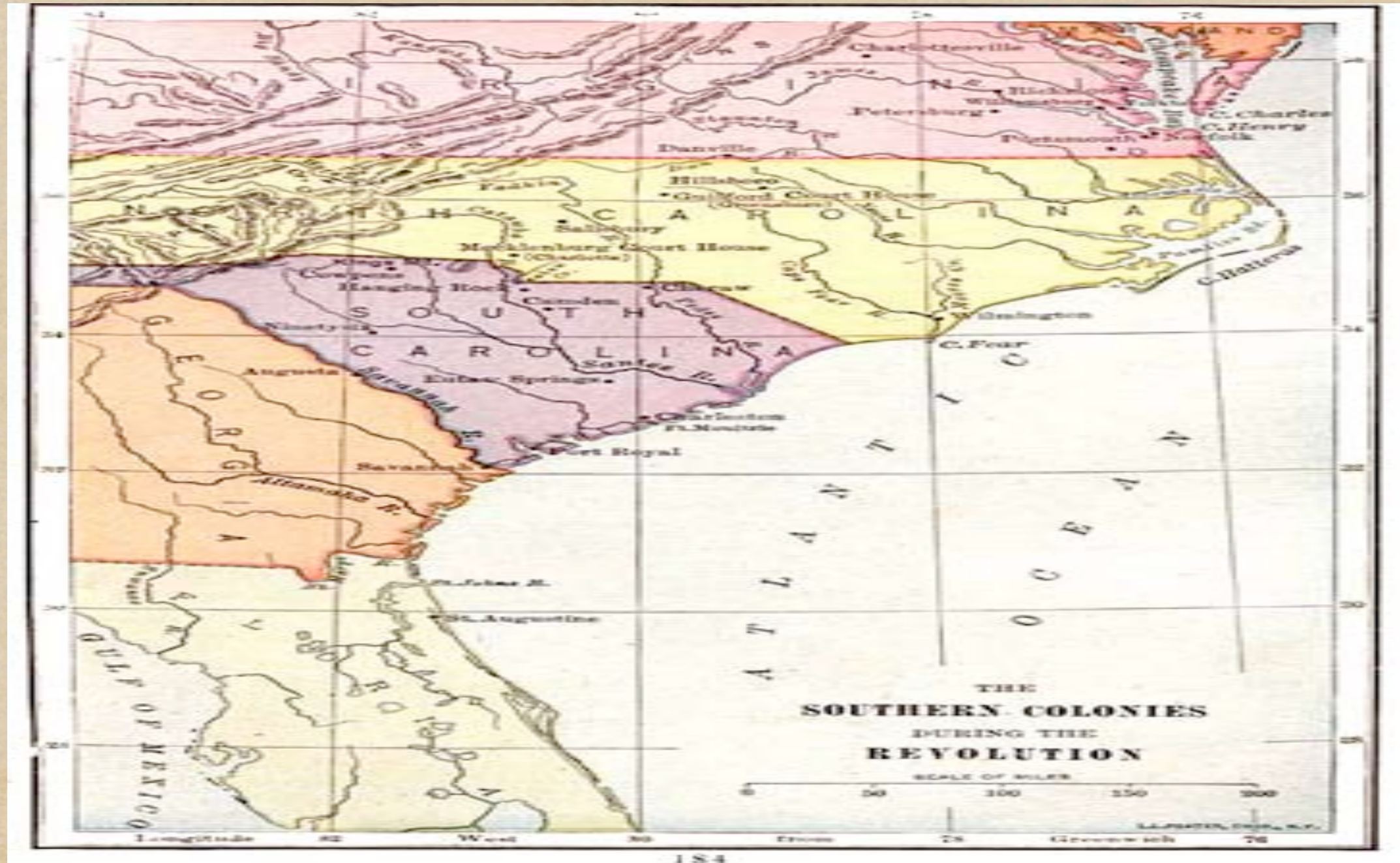
# Bacon's Rebellion

- ◆ White and black farmers fight together
- ◆ Terrifies white ruling class
- ◆ Ends indentured servitude
  - ◆ All forced labor will be from Africa

# Maryland

- ◆ Haven for Catholics in the colonies
- ◆ Charter from King Charles I
- ◆ Maryland Acts of Toleration (1649)
  - ◆ First law granting religious freedom
  - ◆ For Christians only

# Southern Colonies



# Southern Colonies

- ◆ NC, SC, GA
- ◆ Almost totally agrarian
  - ◆ Rice, indigo (dye), rum
- ◆ What crop is the South not growing?

# Economic Products of the Colonies

