

Chapter 3

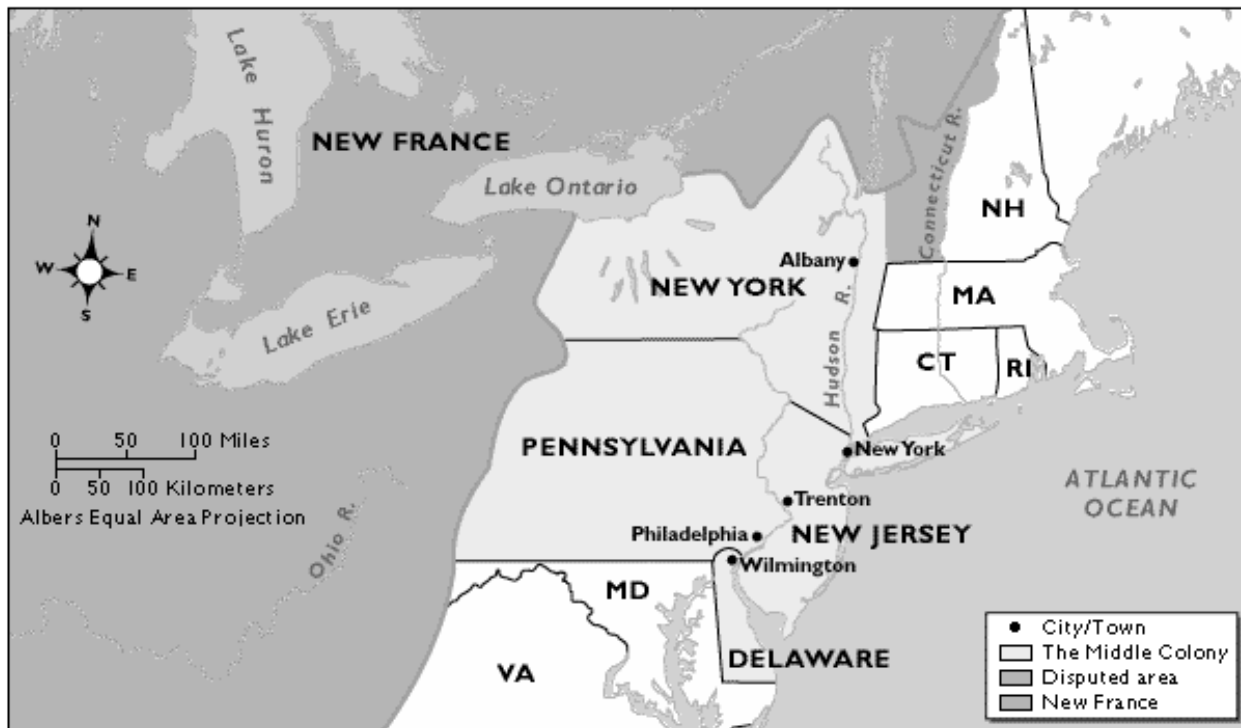
Section 3

The Middle Colonies

Geography of the Middle Colonies

- _____ much easier here than in New England
- Warmer weather with more rain- _____
- _____, fruits, veggies

Middle Colonies



New York and New Jersey

- NY- began as Dutch _____
 - _____ - farming and fur trade
 - Dutch merchants made \$\$ by trading with British colonies- violated _____
 - Problems:
 - small Dutch population- mostly _____ - some _____ in Long Island- hostile to Dutch rule
 - English and Dutch hostilities- New Netherland _____ English colonies- also _____ rivals

New York and New Jersey

- New Netherlands Becomes New York
 - King Charles II of England granted all _____ to his bro, _____
 - James just needed to _____
 - Sent a few warships, Dutch _____ immediately
 - Renamed New York after James _____
 - New Amsterdam renamed New York City
 - Grew slowly- by end of 1600s still just a village
- New Jersey
 - Split off of NY in 1665
 - Proprietary colony
 - _____ like NY
 - In 1702 became a royal colony _____ - NY had in 1685

Pennsylvania and Delaware

- 1640s and 1650s- _____ were major religious group in colonies
 - Very different from other groups
 - All people have “ _____ ” to God- no need for a _____
 - All people _____
 - Spoke against _____, women were equal and could speak up in meetings
 - 1660s- thousands of Quakers in England- refused to _____
 - _____ - wealthy Quaker- new King Charles II personally
 - Wanted a place for Quakers
 - 1681- Received a charter for a piece of land almost as big as England- _____

Pennsylvania and Delaware

- Penn's " _____ "
 - Arrived in 1682- established Philadelphia

 - Created pamphlets in several languages and

 - Settlers came from all over
 - Wanted PA to be a place where people of different backgrounds could live in harmony
 - Penn wrote

 - Required colonists to _____ for Native land
 - Better relationship between colonists and Native in PA than other colonies- still not good

Pennsylvania and Delaware

- Delaware: A Separate Colony
 - _____ were first to settle DE- became English colony when Dutch lost it
 - _____ included DE
 - People in DE didn't want to _____

 - Penn gave them their own assembly
 - 1704 became a _____

Growth and Change

- PA's pop was over 20,000 by 1700s
- Great farming- farmers sold _____
- Cash crop- _____ - sold in New England and beyond
- Became known as _____
- NJ also grew wheat
- Middle colonies were beginning _____ by 1700s
 - _____
 - Artisans in towns: shoemakers, carpenters, masons, weavers, etc
 - Coopers- _____

Growth and Change

- The _____
 - Frontier region in western PA that extended south to GA
 - Many settlers were not American
 - _____
 - _____ aka German
 - People pushed south and west through backcountry in wagons
 - Became known as _____
 - Often fought with Natives
- Diverse and Thriving Colonies
 - By 1750- Middle Colonies EXTREMELY diverse
 - _____ became America's largest cities
 - All middle colonies had _____