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|  | Chesapeake | New England | Middle | South |
| Settlement | -Show Spain dominance  -Granted Charters by King to form Joint Stock Companies, VA Co.  -1607 Jamestown near river  -Fortified outpost  -For instant wealth  -1634 Maryland for Queen  -Lord Baltimore for Catholics |  |  |  |
| Religion | -Puritans in Jamestown  -James and Charles favor Calvert  -Announces Catholicism, fired  -Moves to ML, given autonomy  -Civil War Lord Baltimore passes Religious toleration Act  -Charles I beheaded and Cromwell and Puritans take over |  |  |  |
| Economic | -No one wanted to work in Jamestown- English System  -John Smith took control  -John Rolfe grew tobacco, King liked the tax  -Settlers given headright or 50 acres if paid way and more for servants which led to exploitation  -Remained rural  -1616 unprofitable  -ML grew tobacco |  |  |  |
| Political | -Anarchy in Jamestown  -John Smith organizes and leads  -VA Co. took control Sandy tries to get people to settle, empty promises  -House of Burgesses  -Too greedy  -Becomes Royal Colony in 1624  -Burgesses continue/Charles own problems  -1634 Counties with Courts  -Calvert and then Lord Baltimore  -Feudalism fails |  |  |  |
| Social/Misc. | -Starving Period in Jamestown  -Disease  -War with Native Am. 1622 and 44  -Powhatan 300 to 14,000  -Cannibalism |  |  |  |