

Middle Colonies





**A view of Bethlehem,
the great Moravian
settlement in the
province of
Pennsylvania, by
Pau Sandby, 1760**

A View of Bethlehem, the Great & Moravian Settlement in the Province of
PENNSYLVANIA. — *Vue de Bethlehem principal Etablissement des Freres Moraves dans la Province de*
PENNSYLVANIE. —
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A View of the City of Philadelphia, 1770



38 An East Perspective View of the CITY of PHILADELPHIA, in the PROVINCE of PENNSYLVANIA, in NORTH AMERICA; taken from the JERSEY Shore.

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| 1. Christ Church | 3. Academy | 5. Dutch Reformed Church | 7. Quaker Meeting House | 9. Mulberry Street | 11. Vine Street | 13. Draw Bridge | The other Streets are not to be seen from this point of Sight. |
| 2. State House | 4. Presbyterian Church | 6. The Court House | 8. High Street Wharf | 10. Log Cabin Street | 12. Channel Street | 14. Corn Mill | |

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New York (New Netherland) Countryside, 1640s



Harvesting Wheat in Pennsylvania, 1700



Ships arriving in New York Harbor, 1637



P E N S Y L V A N I A .

KING *Charles II.* gave this Country on the 4th of *March 1682,* New Stile, to *William Pen Esq;* and his Heirs, in regard of some Debts due to him from the Crown. His Father Sir *William Pen,* being one of *Cromwel's* Flag Officers, was imployed after by the King. The upper Part of the River *Patomak* divides it from *Virginia*; the Blue Ridge of Hills from *Maryland,* and the River *Delawar* from *New Jersey.* The Inhabitants have no Staple Manufacture, but drive a great Trade in exporting their Cattel and Grain of all Sorts; Wax, Potashes, Salted Beef, Pork and Fish barrel'd up, Skins, Furs and Pipestaves. Altho *Maryland* and This are Proprietary Colonies, yet His Majesty appoints the Governor and Council, as in the other Plantations, and the People chuse their Assembly. The chief City is *Philadelphia.*

NEW JERSEY.

THIS Province was granted by *James Duke of York*, to *John Lord Berkley* and *Sir George Carteret*. Tis bounded North by a Line from *River Delawar* to the Town of *Newark* inclusive: Bounded East and South by the Ocean, and West by the *Delawar*. Tis only Part of the *New-York* Territory which *King Charles II.* gave his Brother, and is therefore more strictly limited: For the first *Virginia* and *Carolina* Charters include under those two Words all our *American* Provinces, tho now subdivided by many other Names, and by the Grant may legally extend West to the *Pacific Ocean*. It was first parted into East and West *Jersey*, but the whole being surrendered to *Queen Anne*, it is now one Provincial Government. The Export here is Beef, Pork, Corn, Butter and Cheese, Train-oil, Whalebone and Fish; Tobacco, Furs, and White Pease. Capital Town *Elizabeth*.

NEW YORK.

THIS Part of North *Virginia* was discovered by the famous *Henry Hudson* in his Third Voyage, 1609. The *Dutch* soon made a Settlement here, under Pretense they had bought the Land of *Hudson*; but in 1664 it was reduced by the Forces of King *Charles II.* who gave it to his Brother the Duke of *York*, and from him the Country took its Name. It hath *Fersey* on the South, *New England* on the East, *Lake Champlain* on the North, and the Six Nations on the West, who have been long there seated and naturalized with the *New York* People. They export from hence all Sorts of Grain, Flour, Horses, Beef, Pork, and Fish; Timber, Tobacco, Skins, Furs, Logwood, Whalebone, and Oyl: All Business with the *Indians* is transacted at *Albany* on the great River *Hudson*, which is navigable 150 Miles; but *Newyork*, in an Island at the Mouth of that River, is the chief City. *Long Island* 100 Miles in Length belongs to this Province.