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Ch 39 Four and Nine Make Thirteen

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Big Idea: James Oglethorpe founded Georgia. The last of the 13 English colonies, Georgia was to be a haven for debtors who were imprisoned in England. The colonies fell into three groups - royal, self-governing, and proprietary.

- 1 Oglethorpe decided to found a colony where debtors could go instead of going to jail.
2. Oglethorpe had laws passed in Georgia that made drinking liquor and keeping slaves illegal.
3. Not many debtors wanted to come to the wilds of Georgia. To some, even prison seemed safer.
4. When Oglethorpe tried to force his laws and good ideas on others, it just didn't work.
5. Oglethorpe lost his money and finally gave up. Georgians wanted to have Rice Plantations, slaves, and king's government.

Which were the Royal Colonies?

1. Virginia
2. Massachusetts
3. New Hampshire
4. North Carolina
5. New York
6. South Carolina
7. New Jersey
8. Georgia

Which colonies governed themselves?

1. Rhode Island
2. Connecticut

Which colonies were owned by individual "proprietors"?

1. Maryland
2. Pennsylvania
3. Delaware