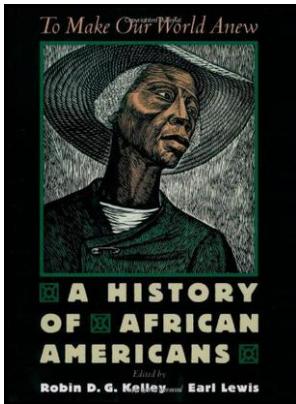


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### **John Woolman**

As a result, these survivors changed his view on Indians and New World. A proprietary colony is a colony that is owned by one person, the proprietor, who can run the colony however they want. Johnson, Charles, Patricia Smith, and WGBH Research Team

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