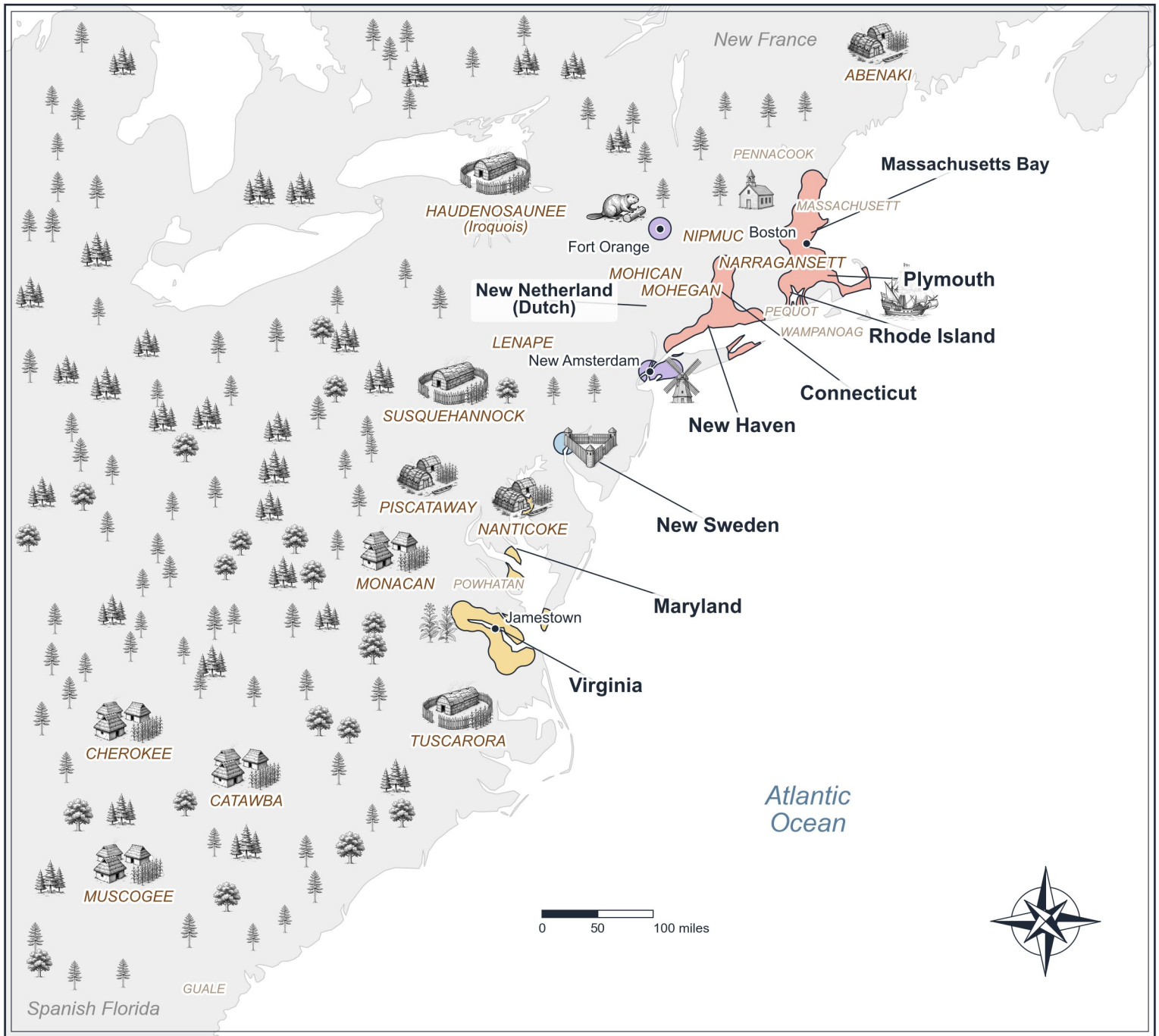


THE COLONIES IN 1650

About 50,000 colonists: English, Dutch and Swedish



WHAT HAPPENED



1630

Puritans found Boston



1634

Maryland colonists found St. Mary's City



1636

Roger Williams founds Providence



1638

Swedes build Fort Christina on the Delaware



1640s

Beaver furs are traded at Fort Orange

English: New England

English: Chesapeake

Dutch

Swedish

Color: land settled by colonists (approximate)

CHEROKEE Native nations, written where they lived (not borders). Smaller, paler names: nations much reduced by this date.