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A Difficult Life for English Settlers

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English	Synonyms	Complete
England was the first country to compete with Spain for claims in the New World, although it was too weak to do this openly at first. But Queen Elizabeth of England supported such explorations as early as the 1570s.	collide flagrantly expeditions pretensions state unsteady	England was the first () to () with Spain for () in the New World, although it was too () to do this () at first. But Queen Elizabeth of England supported such () as early as the 1570s
Sir Humphrey Gilbert led the first English settlement efforts. He did not establish any lasting settlement. He died as he was returning to England.	homecoming settle permanent headed establishment succumbed	Sir Humphrey Gilbert () the first English () efforts. He did not () any () settlement. He () as he was () to England.
Gilbert's half brother Sir Walter Raleigh continued his work. Raleigh sent a number of ships to explore the east coast of North America. He called the land Virginia to honor England's unmarried Queen Elizabeth.	unwedded quantity proclaimed glory galleons traverse resumed seaboard	Gilbert's half brother Sir Walter Raleigh () his work. Raleigh sent a () of () to () the east () of North America. He () the land Virginia to () England's () Queen Elizabeth.