

## Fighting Words: The Pamphlets of a Democratic Revolution



To judge from the Concord collection, the public forum of antebellum America was no model of democratic deliberation.

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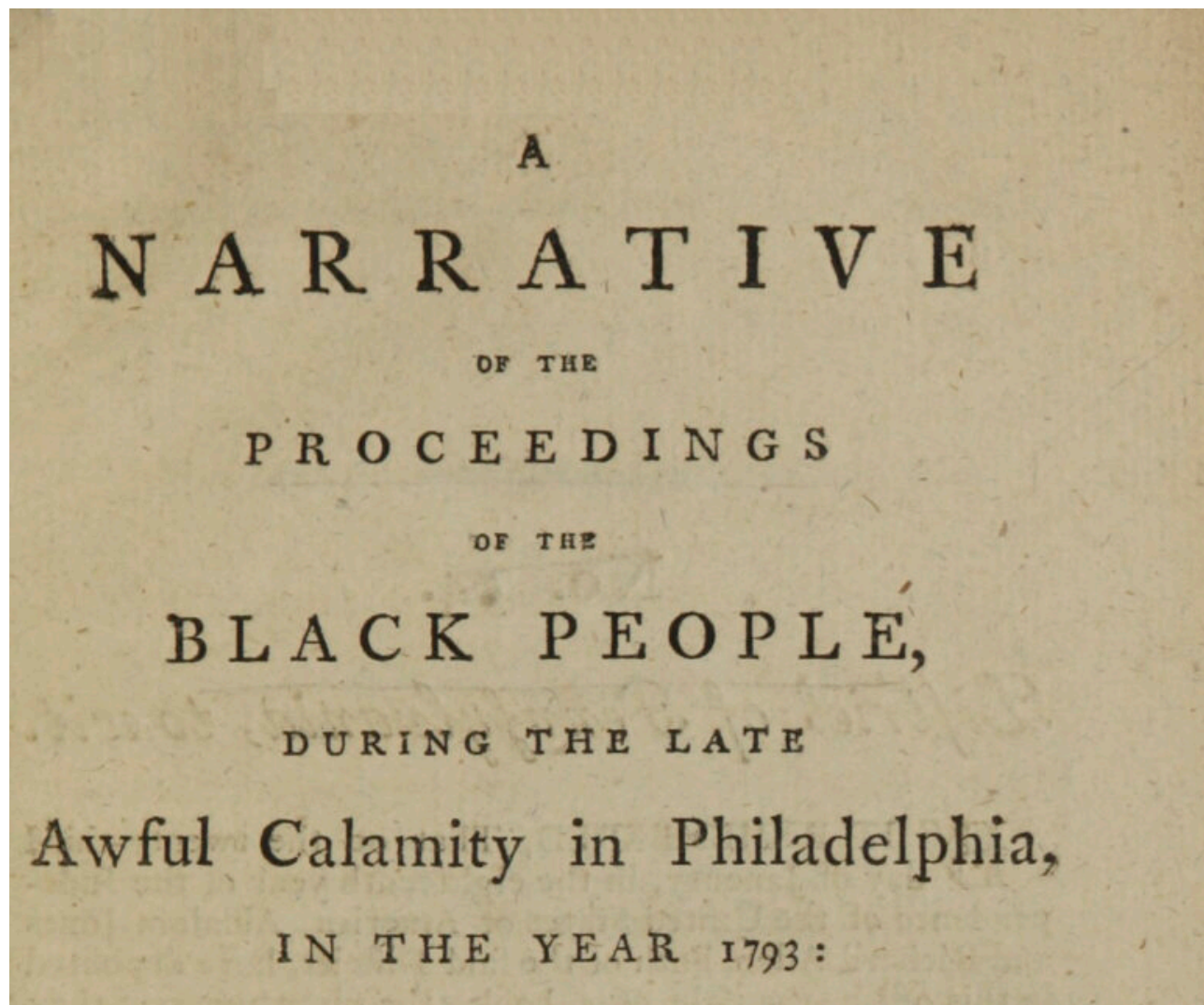
## Tracing Material Culture Histories: A Miniature Mokuk within Networks of Indigenous Resistance



Even before the miniaturization of mokuks as souvenir items, these folded birchbark baskets served as trade items that also facilitated diplomacy between Native and colonial nations.

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## [Teaching in Crisis with Absalom Jones and Richard Allen](#)



For Jones and Allen, the problem was not a lack of information, but stubbornly partial accounts of that information.

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[Thunderbolt and Lightfoot: The American Creation of Irish Outlaw Folk Heroes](#)



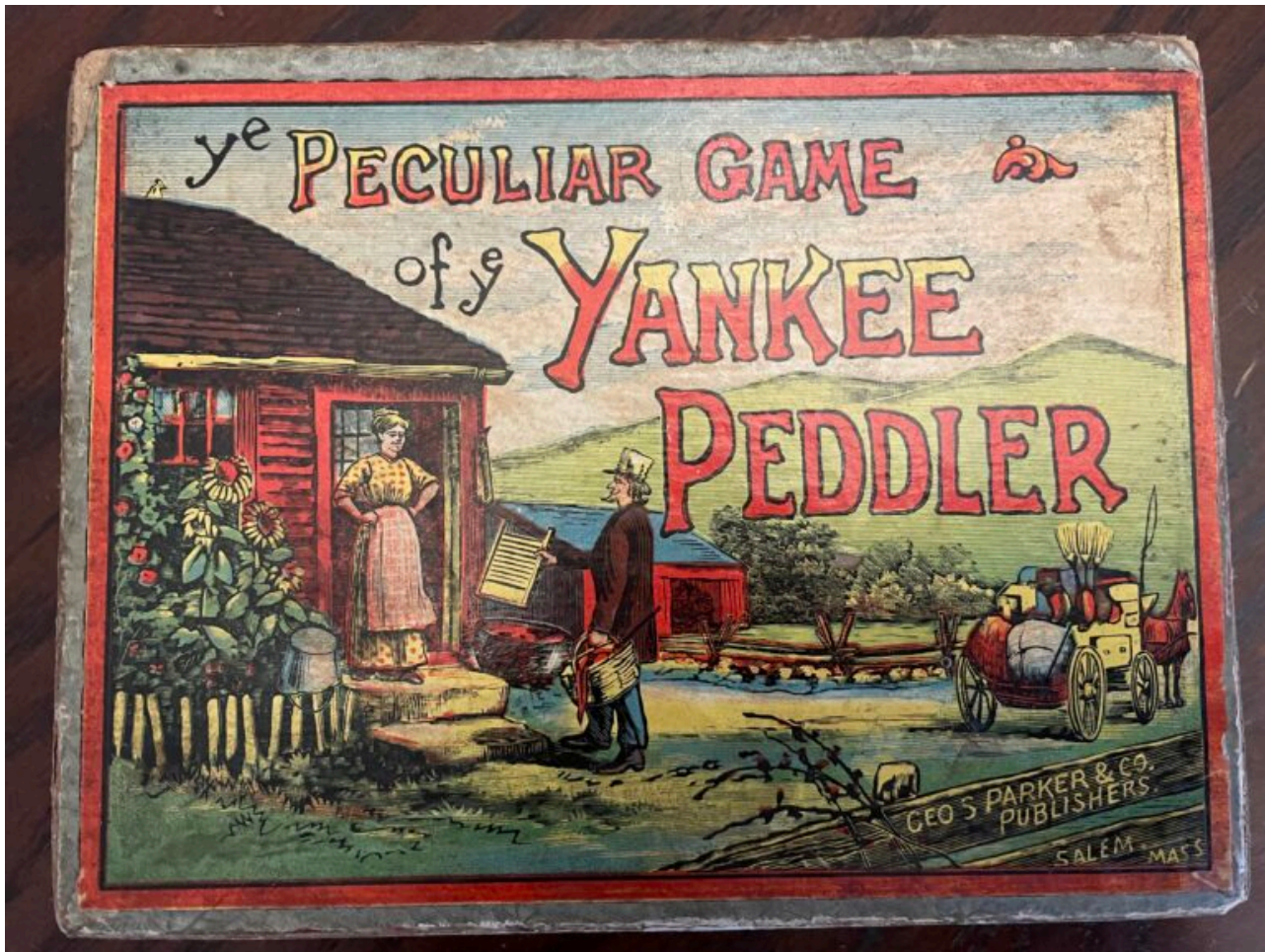
MICHAEL MARTIN, *alias* CAPTAIN LIGHTFOOT

Martin's confession relates outlaw adventures that appear to be original. But were they real?

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## [Saline Survivance: The Life of Salt and the Limits of Colonization in the Southwest](#)



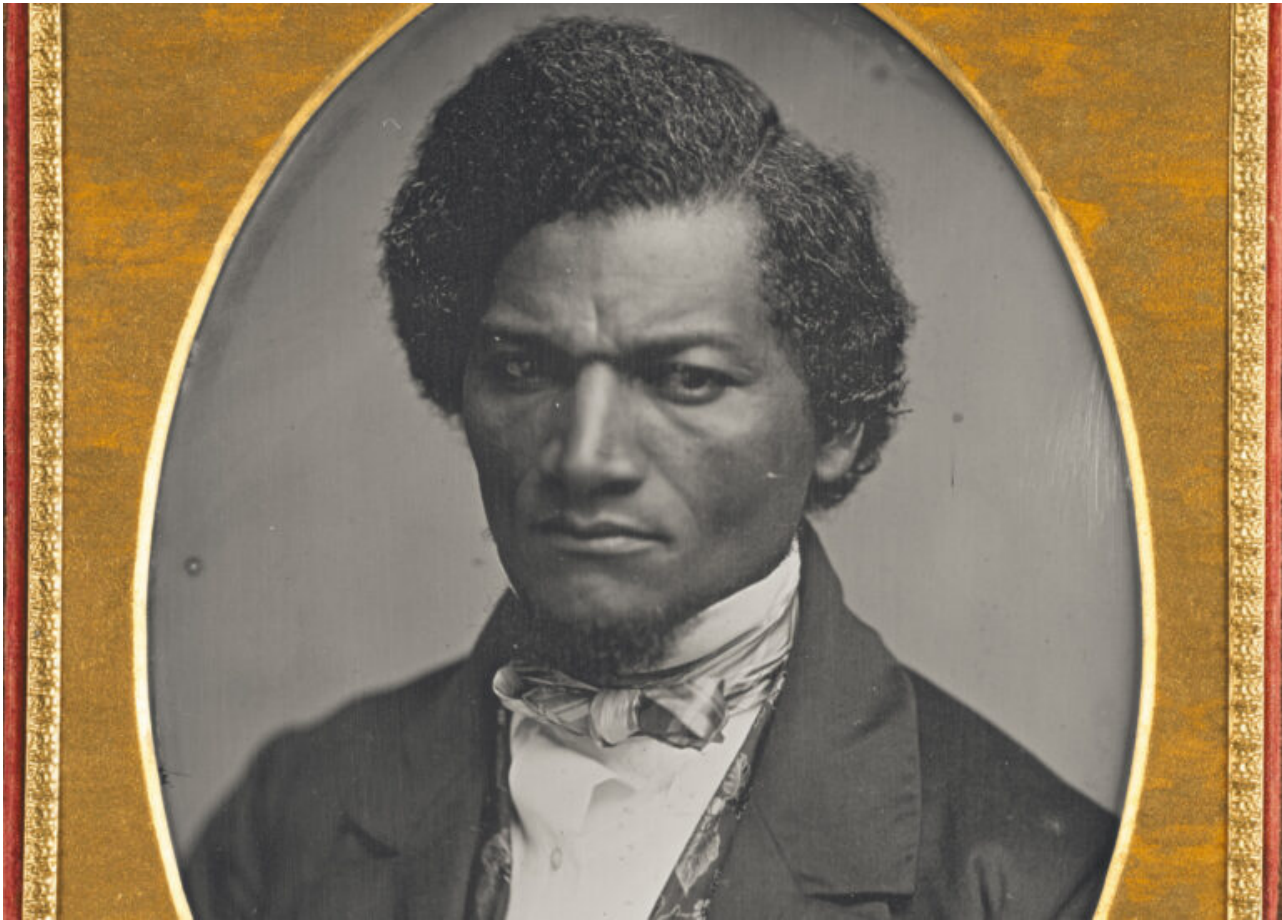


Part of the utility of the game is how many intersections can be addressed, a Choose Your Own Adventure of lesson planning.

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## [Interposition: A State-Based Constitutional Tool That Might Help Preserve American Democracy](#)

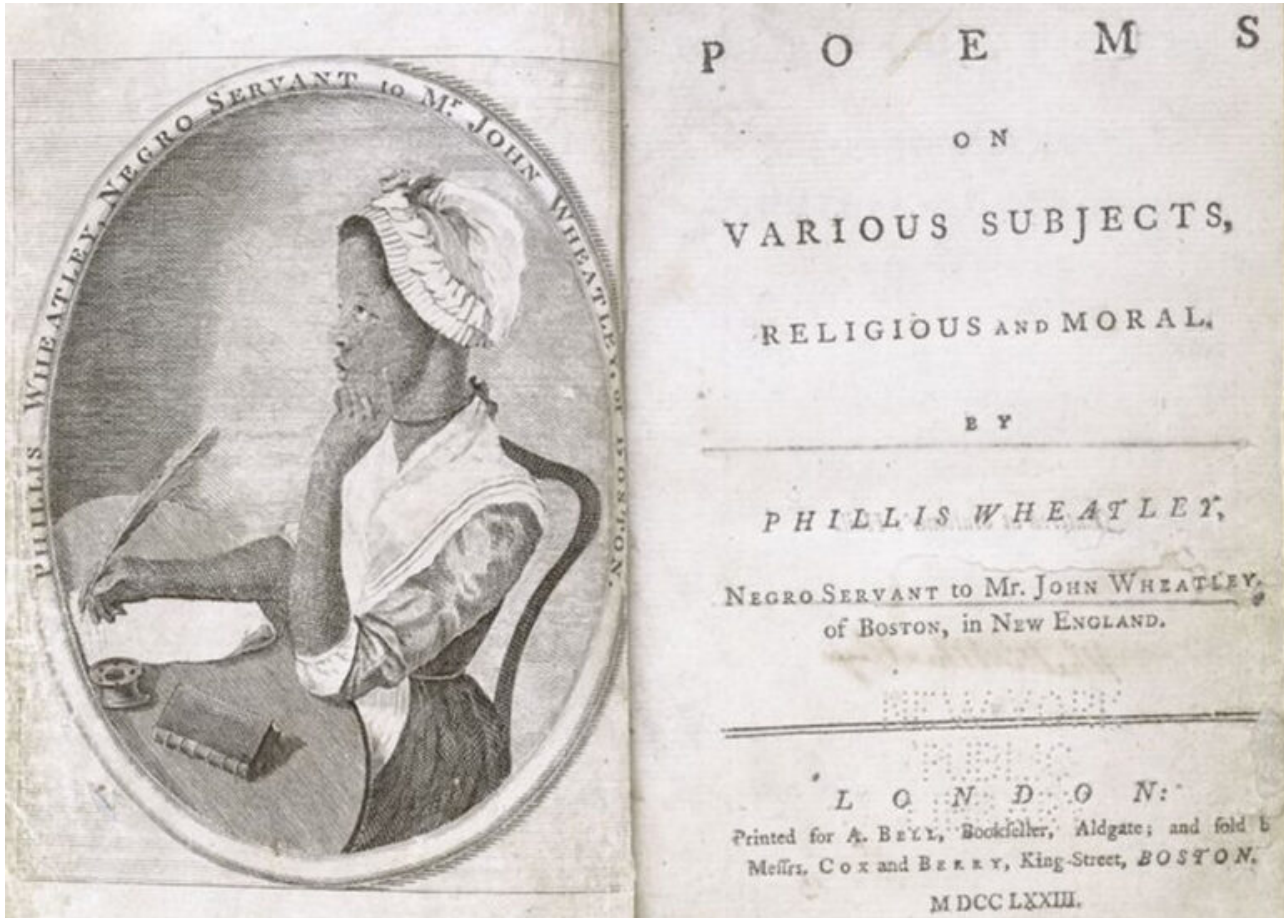




This is the story of how a visit by Frederick Douglass to south-central Massachusetts, its leadup and aftermath, epitomizes the movement's ability to spread in the region.

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## Phillis Wheatley's "Mrs. W-": Identifying the Woman Who Inspired "Ode to Neptune"



Who was that traveler? And what did she signify to the poet?

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## [Underage Enlistment in the United States and the Confederacy](#)



When thus our hosts go proudly forth,  
Let foes beware the Spirit of the North!

Historians have not only underestimated the sheer number of underage soldiers who fought for the Union, they have also overlooked the significance of the legal, political, and administrative battles these youths provoked.