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	<u>Abigail Adams</u> wrote letters to her husband about women's rights, African American rights and independence		<u>Patrick Henry</u> wanted a colonial militia "Give me liberty, or give me death!"
	<u>John Adams</u> led the movement for independence, on the committee that wrote the Declaration.		<u>Thomas Jefferson</u> wrote the Declaration of Independence
	<u>Samuel Adams</u> founded the Sons of Liberty organized protests against tax		<u>John Paul Jones</u> Naval Commander "I have not yet begun to fight!"
	<u>James Armistead</u> African American slave who acted as a spy for the Colonies.		<u>Marquis de Lafayette</u> French nobleman who came to help the colonist train and fight
	<u>Crispus Attucks</u> Escaped slave who was shot at the Boston Massacre		<u>Thomas Paine</u> wrote Common Sense and the Crisis
	<u>Wentworth Cheswell</u> African American teacher who was in the Continental Army then was elected to public office		<u>Haym Solomon (Salomon)</u> Jewish immigrant who helped finance the war, captured as a spy
	<u>Benjamin Franklin</u> Statesman, author, scientist, inventor who went to France to get help for the colonies		<u>Mercy Otis Warren</u> wrote Pamphlets and a history of the Revolution. Women's Rights
	<u>Bernardo de Galvez</u> Spanish officer he helped the colonist by sending them supplies.		<u>George Washington</u> Commander in Chief of the Continental Army