

Vital Statistics

Marblehead

Births

PEDERICK (Pedrick)

John, s. John, bp. Dec. 15, 1689
 William, s. John, bp. Aug. 16, 1691
 Miriam, d. John, bp. Feb. 12, 1692-3
 Benjamin, s. John, bp. Mar. 10, 1694-5
 Mary, d. John, bp. Oct. 10, 1697
 Richard, s. John, bp. July 13, 1701
 Joseph, s. John and Mary, bp. Sept. 26, 1703
 Samuel, s. John, bp. Dec. 16, 1705
 William, s. John, bp. Apr. 24, 1709

Marblehead

Marriages

PEDERICK (Pedrick)

John, and Mary Browne, Jan. 10, 1688-9
 John, and Miream Hendly, Oct. 2, 1712
 Miriam, and John Homan, Nov. 17, 1715
 Benjamin, and Sara Hendly, June 6, 1719
 Mary, and Samuell Hendly, Oct. 31, 1717
 Richard, and Jean Merrett, Nov. 16, 1721
 Joseph, and Sarah Martin, May 9, 1725
 William, and Jane Chapman, Dec. 28, 1729

HOMAN

Miram, wid., and William Giffard [Gessords.],
 Feb. 22, 1724-5

GEFFARDS (Gifford)

Merriam, and Peter Briggs, Nov. 26, 1738

Marblehead

Deaths

PEDERICK (Pedrick)

Miriam, 1717

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN PEDRICK OF THE NECK AND JOHN PEDRICK OF MARBLEHEAD, MASSACHUSETTS

By Ann S. Lainhart

2. JOHN² PEDRICK (John¹) was born about 1660 and died before 24 January 1728/9 when administration was granted on his estate. He married 10 January 1688/9, MARY BROWNE, who was alive in 1705. She was the daughter of William and Mary (?Chinn) Browne.

Richard Pedrick was appointed the administrator on his father's estate on 24 January 1728/9; the sureties were John Bailey and Nicholas Merritt. Evidently Richard died before completing the administration because on 7 April 1766 Joseph Pedrick was appointed the administrator with John Nutt and Nicholson Broughton as the sureties. An inventory was taken on 10 April 1767 and included two small pieces of land on the neck. (ECP #21068)

Children (surname Pedrick):

3. i. JOHN³, bap. 15 Dec 1689.
- ii. WILLIAM, bap. 16 Aug 1691; prob. d. bef. 24 April 1709.
- iii. MIRIAM, bap. 12 Feb 1692/3; alive on 12 Aug. 1734 when she was appointed administratrix on her second husband's estate (ECP #10879); m. (1) 17 Nov 1715, JOHN HOMAN, prob. b. 28 Oct 1694; d. 21 Mar 1727, a. 27y 7m; prob. son of Edward and Elizabeth (Gold) Homan. She m. (2) 22 Feb 1724, WILLIAM GIFFORD; d. by 12 Aug. 1734, when administration on his estate was granted to Miriam (*ibid.*). She m. (3) 26 Nov 1738, PETER BRIGGS. Children (surname Gifford): 1. Mary, bap. 5 Dec 1725. 2. William, bap. 27 Aug 1727.
4. iv. BENJAMIN, bap. 10 Mar 1694/5; m. SARAH HENLY.
- v. MARY, bap. 10 Oct 1697; m. 3 Oct 1717, SAMUEL HENLY, prob. b. 24 June 1695; prob. son of Thomas and Sarah (Curtis) Henly. Children (surname Henly): 1. Thomas, bap. 27 July 1718. 2. Samuel, bap. 4 June 1721. 3. John, bap. 18 Aug 1723. 4. Mary, bap. 8 Aug 1725. 5. Sarah, bap. 13 Aug 1727. 6. Mary, bap. 12 Oct 1729. 7. Miriam, bap. 13 Feb 1732. 8. Thomas, bap. 13 Oct 1734.
5. vi. RICHARD, bap. 13 July 1701.
6. vii. JOSEPH, bap. 26 Sept 1703.
7. viii. SAMUEL, bap. 16 Dec 1705.
8. ix. WILLIAM, bap. 24 Apr 1709.

Son, John Pedrick

Bond of administration of
 estate of John Pedrick late
 of Marblehead deceased.
 1718 March 5.

Wm. Appleton

KNOW ALL Men by these Presents, That We
 Miriam Pedrick, widow of John Pedrick late of Marblehead deceased
 do hereby certify as follows
 within His Majesty's Province of the Massachusetts-Bay in New-England, are
 holden and stand firmly bound and obliged unto *Wm. Appleton*
 Judge of the Probate of Wills and Granting Administrations within the
 County of *Essex* in the full Sum of *two hundred* Pounds,
 Current Money in New-England: To be paid unto the said *Wm. Appleton*
 his Successors, in the said Office or Assignes: To the true
 Payment whereof, We do bind our selves and each of us, our, and each of our
 Heirs, Executors and Administrators, jointly and severally for the whole and
 in the whole firmly by these Presents. Sealed with our Seals. Dated
 the fifth Day of March Anno Domini One Thousand *717*
 Annoque Regni Regis GEORGII,
 Miriam Pedrick to create

Son, Benjamin Pedrick

No. 21078

Pedrick

Benjamin fisherman

1728, Feb. 9

Representation of insolvency
 and account of administration
 of estate of Benjamin Pedrick
 late of Marblehead deceased.

1728 June 26 and December 19.

Excell^{ts} To the Honour John Appleton Esq
 Judge of the Probate of Wills
 These are to represent to your Honor
 That the Estate of my Husband
Benj. Pedrick now under my
 Administration is in Solvent and
 not of Solvent to pay the Just Debts
 which he did owe at the Time of
 his Death & Therefore Pray
 that your Honor will please to
 Appoint Comyns to Examine &
 review the Claims of the Creditors
 to his Estate

Marblehead June 26 1728

Sarah Pedrick

Son, Richard Pedrick

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN PEDRICK OF THE NECK AND JOHN PEDRICK OF MARBLEHEAD, MASSACHUSETTS

By Ann S. Lainhart

710 **5. RICHARD³ PEDRICK** (John², John¹) was baptized 13 July 1701 and was probably dead by 7 April 1766 when his brother Joseph was appointed administrator of their father's estate. He married 16 November 1721, **JEAN/JANE MERRETT**, probably baptised 10 March 1705/6. She was probably the daughter of **Nicholas and Elizabeth (Ashton) Merrett**. 870

On 15 January 1727, Richard signed a petition from Marblehead for protection of the harbor (Mass. St. Archives, 113:745).

Children (surname Pedrick):

- i. JEAN⁴, bap. 18 Apr 1725; d. young.
9. ii. RICHARD, bap. 5 Nov 1727.
- iii. JEAN, bap. 11 July 1731; poss. m. 15 Aug 1749, ALEXANDER MILLAR of Great Britain.
- iv. 610 MARY, bap. 15 July 1733; d. 13 Feb 1807; m. 20 Aug 1751, JOHN ADAMS; d. by 7 Feb. 1804, when administration was granted to his son, John (ECP #252). John was a seaman on board the brig Fancy and was taken prisoner in 1777. He was confined to Old Mill Prison in England for the duration of the Revolutionary War (Lineage Book, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, 28:228). Children (surname Adams): 1. Mary, bap. 24 Aug 1755. 2. John, bap. 4 Sept 1757. 3. John, bap. 4 Sept 1763. 5. Elizabeth, bap. 3 Apr 1768. 6. Miriam, bap. 18 Nov 1770. 7. Nathaniel Pedrick, bap. 28 Feb 1773. 8. Richard Pedrick, bap. 29 Oct 1775.
10. v. NATHANIEL, bap. 2 Mar 1734/5.
- vi. ELIZABETH, bap. 7 Nov 1736; m. 3 Feb 1756, JAMES VALENTINE. Children (surname Valentine): 1. Elizabeth, bap. 24 Oct 1756. 2. James, bap. 2 Oct 1757.
- vii. RUHAMAH, bap. 10 Dec 1738; d. at Hopkinton, 24 Aug 1817, a. 79y; m. 15 Sept 1768, ISAAC SERIDGE, b. ca. 1740; d. at Hopkinton, 11 Oct 1813 of dysentery, a. 73y. Children (surname Seridge): 1. Isaac, bap. 4 Oct 1772. 2. Jane, bap. 30 Jan 1774.
- viii. MIRIAM, bap. 2 Aug 1741; d. 28 Jan 1817, a. 75y (or 30 Jan 1817, a. 75y 6m); m. 4 Dec 1760, SEAWARD BRIMBLECOMB, bap. 22 Oct 1738; d. 26 Oct 1823, a. 85y (or 23 Oct 1823, a. 84y); son of Seaward and Alice (Bartoll) Brimblecomb. No children.
- ix. REBECCA, bap. 26 June 1743.
- x. SARAH, bap. 11 Aug 1745; m. 22 Dec 1768, ROBERT BRIMBLECOMB, bap. 18 May 1745; brother of Seaward Brimblecomb mentioned above. Children (surname Brimblecomb): 1. Robert, bap. 24 Oct 1770. 2. Sarah, bap. 19 Sept 1773. 3. Alice, bap. 5 Jan 1777. 4. Seward, bap. 31 Mar 1782.
- xi. JOHN PIERCE, bap. 15 Mar 1746/7.

Son, Joseph Pedrick

711 **6. JOSEPH³ PEDRICK** (John²⁻¹) was baptized 30 September 1703 and died 1 January 1770, age 66 years. He married 9 May 1725, **SARAH MARTIN**, who was born about 1705 and died 26 October 1788, age 83 years. She was the daughter of **Thomas and Elinor (Knott) Martin**. 820

In 1803, 1804, and 1805 there were a series of deeds in which the heirs of Joseph and his son, Thomas (who died without issue), sold off their rights in the two estates. These deeds have been of immense help in sorting out the Pedricks of Marblehead. I present here the lists of heirs from four representative deeds: On 8 March 1803 the heirs of Thomas Pedrick, late of Marblehead, merchant, deceased, sold their rights to William Pedrick of Marblehead, shoreman. They were listed as Richard Pedrick, shoreman, with wife Elizabeth; Knott Pedrick, shoreman, with wife Mary; Nicholson Broughton, mariner; Samuel Horton, shoreman, and Eleanor his wife in her right; Joseph Proctor, mariner, and Nancy his wife in her right; Robert Girdler Jr., mariner; Margaret Girdler, spinster; Joseph Girdler, mariner, with wife Rebecca; John Harris, carpenter, and Eleanor his wife in her right; Elisha Story, physician, and Mehitable his wife in her right; John Pedrick Jr., shoreman, with wife Sarah; Thomas Fuller, mariner, and Mary his wife in her right; Benoice Johnson, mariner, and Sarah his wife in her right; Lydia Marr widow; Joseph Pedrick and Ebenezer Pedrick, laborers, all of Marblehead; and Joseph Eaton of Boston, merchant, and Mary his wife in her right. (ECD 209:13)

On 29 January 1805 Thomas Williams as attorney for Nicholson Broughton, John Broughton, Norman Broughton, and Glover Broughton, children and heirs of Nicholson Broughton late of Marblehead, deceased, sold their rights in the estate of Joseph Pedrick, late of Marblehead, deceased. (ECD 175:216)

On the same day John Pedrick Jr. and John Pedrick 3d. as attorney for Samuel P. Johnson, Sally Johnson, Benoice Johnson, Broughton Devereux, Benjamin Pedrick, George Pedrick, and Eleanor, wife of Samuel Chandler, all of Marblehead, minors, sold their part of a lot that had belonged to Joseph Pedrick. (ECD 175:217)

And on 19 January 1805 the following heirs sell another part of the estate of Joseph Pedrick: Richard Pedrick; Knott Pedrick with wife Mary; and John Pedrick Jr. shoreman with wife, Sarah; Benoice Johnson, mariner, and Sarah his wife; Elisha Story, physician, and Mehitable his wife; Joseph Pedrick and Ebenezer Pedrick, laborers; Lydia Marr, widow; William Pedrick, cooper, with wife Lois; John B. Pedrick, fisherman with wife Mary; George C. Doak, fisherman, and Sarah his wife; Joseph Dismore Jr., fisherman, and Elizabeth his wife; Elijah Roberts, cordwainer, and Hannah his wife; Mary Pedrick, Ruth Pedrick, and Eleanor Pedrick, spinsters; Robert Girdler Jr., mariner, and Joseph Girdler, mariner, with wife Rebecca, mariners; Margaret Girdler, spinster; John Harris, housewright, and Eleanor his wife; Joseph Procter, mariner, and Anna his wife; John Devereux, shoreman, with wife Betsey; William Bartol Jr., mariner, and Lydia his wife; Mary Devereux, Hannah Devereux, and Sally Devereux, spinsters; Sarah Lisbril, spinster, all of Marblehead; Joseph Eaton of Boston, hatter, and Mary his wife; and Joseph Sargent of Malden, yeoman, and Nancy his wife. (ECD 175:270)

Children (surname Pedrick):

- i. JOSEPH⁴, bap. 12 Nov 1727; prob. d.y.
- 611 ii. MARY, bap. 12 Nov 1727; d. 28 July 1801, a. 76y; m. 22 Feb 1749/50, ROBERT GIRDLER, prob. bap. 13 Oct 1723; d. "at the lower end of the Town," 8 Aug 1815, a. 94y; prob. son of John and Margaret (Henly) Girdler. Children (surname Girdler): 1. Robert, bap. 30 Sept 1750. 2. Sarah, bap. 24 Sept 1752. 3. Mary, bap. 3 Nov 1754 (bap. as the dau. of Robert and Sarah). 4. Eleanor, bap. 25 Oct 1756. 5. Margaret, bap. 4 Mar 1759. 6. Robert, bap. 14 June 1761. 7. Joseph, bap. 2 Oct 1763. 8. Thomas, bap. 6 Apr 1766.
- iii. SARAH, bap. 6 Sept 1730; d. 17 June 1793 (or 18 June 1793, a. 62y 9m); m. 26 Sept 1749, NICHOLSON BROUGHTON, b. 13 Sept 1724; d. 3 Aug 1798, a. 73y 7m; son of John and Sarah (Norman) Broughton. Children, born (surname Broughton): 1. Sarah, bap. 15 Apr 1750. 2. Sarah, bap. 22 Oct 1752. 3. Mary, bap. 21 Sept 1755. 4. Nicholson, bap. 14 Aug 1757. 5. Anna, bap. 28 Oct 1759. 6. Eleanor, bap. 5 Sept 1762. 7. Nicholson, bap. 14 Aug 1764.
11. iv. JOHN, bap. 19 Aug 1733; m. (1) MEHITABLE STACEY. m. (2) HANNAH ---.
- v. THOMAS, bap. 8 Feb 1735/6; d. 23 Sept 1802, a. 66y; m. (1) 7 Oct 1762, MARY PEACH, bap. 15 Oct 1738; d. 17 Oct 1762, a. 23y; dau. of Capt. Thomas and Sarah (Hallit) Peach. He m. (2) int. 21 Sept 1782, AMY/EMMA NICHOLSON, bap. 31 May 1741; d. 8 Aug 1790, a. 49y; dau. of John and Mary (Peach) Nicholson. He m. (3) by 6 Jan 1799, MARY PATTIN, poss. bap. 3 Aug 1778; d. 7 Feb 1850, a. 72y; poss. dau. of John and Elizabeth () Pattin. Administration on Thomas' estate was granted on 12 October 1802 to John Pedrick Jr. and John Pedrick 3d.; his brothers, Richard and Knott, asked that they be the administrators. No mention of any children is found in the file (ECP #21111).
12. vi. WILLIAM, bap. 26 Feb 1737/8; m. MARY BARKER.
- vii. BENJAMIN, bap. 9 Mar 1739/40; lost at sea before 1805. He was probably the Benjamin Pedrick, Boy, who served on the brigantine "Tyrannicide," from 9 July 1778 to 18 December 1778 (Mass. Sol. and Sailors, XII:65).
13. viii. RICHARD, bap. 7 Mar 1742; m. (1) MARY BARTOLL; m. (2) ELIZABETH CARDER.
14. ix. SAMUEL, bap. 11 Mar 1743/4; m. SARAH STACEY.
15. x. KNOTT, bap. 20 July 1746; m. MARY DIXEY.
- xi. ELEANOR, bap. 27 Mar 1748.
- xii. JOSEPH, bap. 29 Apr 1750; m. 28 Jan 1787, MARY BESSOM/BESOME, prob. bap. 5 June 1763; prob. dau. of Richard and Sarah (Gale) Bessom. No children.

This Tree's Direct Ancestors

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No. 21093
Pedrick
Joseph
1770, July 3

The Condition of this present Obligation is such,
That if the above-bounden John Pedrick (decedent on the
Estate of his Father Joseph Pedrick late of Marblehead
in the County of Essex Shoresman, Dec'd late

Son, Samuel Pedrick

7. **SAMUEL³ PEDRICK** (John²⁻¹) was bap. 16 Dec. 1705. He married before 1731, ELIZABETH _____.

Children (surname Pedrick):

- i. ELIZABETH⁴, bap. 28 Nov 1731.
- ii. SAMUEL, bap. 3 June 1733.
16. iii. WILLIAM, bap. 24 Sept 1738; m. (1) ELIZABETH LAMBERT; m. (2) SARAH (CRUFF) (DENNIS) COWEN/GOWAIN.
17. iv. JOSEPH, bap. 14 Dec 1740; m. EUNICE BOYLES/BAYLES/BILES.

Son, William Pedrick

8. **WILLIAM³ PEDRICK** (John²⁻¹) was baptised 24 April 1709 and was dead by 10 April 1738 when widow, Jane, was named administratrix. He married 28 December 1729, JANE CHAPMAN. She married, second, by 2 October 1752, _____ Stevens. She was possibly the daughter of John and Jane (Tucker) Chapman.

On 10 April 1738 Jane, widow, was appointed administratrix to the estate of her husband, William; Joseph Pedrick and Samuel Russell were the sureties. The inventory was taken the same day and included only personal property valued at 116:14:6 pounds. An account dated 2 October 1752 signed by Jane Stevens listed expenses for bringing up a young child for three years and the funerals of two children. (ECP #21113)

Children (surname Pedrick):

18. i. JOHN⁴, bap. 30 May 1731; m. ELIZABETH DOUGLASS.
- ii. MARY, bap. 25 Feb 1733.
- iii. ELIZABETH, bap. 5 Jan 1735.
- iv. JANE, bap. 9 Jan 1737.