

U.S., New England Marriages Prior to 1700

STACY, John (?1594-1672) & [Eleanor?] _? ; b 1642; Salem/Ipswich?

STACY, John (1646-1705) & Agnes [PEDRICK] (-1715); b 1674, 3 ch bpt 1678; Marblehead

COWES/COES, [Michael] (1639-1715) & Grace [STACEY] (1659-1736),
dau Grace m Thomas POWSLAND 1699; b 1684, ca 1677; Marblehead


John STASEY (AFN: MDGX-85)

Sex: M

Event(s)

Birth: Abt 1629
Of Marblehead, Essex, Ma

✓ Death: Bef 25 1672 Apr
Marblehead, Essex, Ma

Parents

Father: John STASEY (AFN: MDGX-CN)
Mother: Susan (AFN: MDGX-70)

Marriage(s)

✓ Spouse: Elenor PITMAN (AFN: MDGX-24)
Marriage: Abt 1648

Children

Sex Name

✓ M John STACEY (AFN: KH3S-D9)

Born: 29 Jan 1646 Place: , , Ma
Christened: 29 Mar 1649 Place: Salem, Essex, Mass
Died: 23 Mar 1705 Place: Marblehead

Sex Name

✓ M Mark STASEY (AFN: MDGX-39)

Born: Abt 1657 Place: Marblehead, Essex, Mass
Died: Place: , , Rem To Nh

Sex Name

✓ F Grace STASEY (AFN: MDGX-4G)

Born: Abt 1659 Place: Marblehead, Essex, Mass

Sex Name

✓ M Edward STASEY (AFN: MDGX-5M)

Born: Abt 1662 Place: Marblehead, Essex, Ma

Passenger and Immigration Lists Index, 1500s-1900s

Name **John Stacey**
Arrival Year **1641**
Arrival Place **Marblehead, Massachusetts**
Primary Immigrant **Stacey, John**
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Excerpt from Probate of John Stacey

No. 26078

Stacy
John
1672 June 27

All a County Court held at Salem y^e 25. 4th mo 1672

John Stacey dying intestate, **Eleanor** relict of y^e deceased have power of administration granted her of her said husbands estate who presented an inventory of y^e said estate to y^e Court and is allowed off and out of y^e said estate, she is to pay **John Stacey** y^e eldest son 10. & **Mark** **Grace** & **Edward** each of them s^{ts} payable y^e sons at 21 years of age & y^e daughter at 18 years of age or marriage, but in case y^e said Eleanor should marry, then to allow y^e children as much more each of them, and then her said Husband is to give in security for y^e payment of y^e childrens portions.

(Copie vera) as of record appears
Attest Stephen Sewall Clerk

File #: 26078
Name: Elinor Stacy; Stacey; Stace
File Date: 02 Jul 1713
Residence: Marblehead
Comment: wife of John

Essex County, Massachusetts, Probate Index, 1638-1840

Eleanor Stacey cared for her Granddaughter, Grace Coaz, Who Was Married Using Both Surnames

Marblehead

Marriages

COAZE (Coes)
Grace, see Stacey, Grace

STASEY (Stacey)
Grace, "alias Coaze," and Thomas Powsland Aug. 27, 1699

Sarah Dodd Lot. This lot was a part of the estate of Thomas Pitman, sr., of Marblehead, who owned it as early as 1680. He died in 1694, and by an agreement dated June 15, 1695, division of his real estate was made according to the will, this lot being assigned to Sarah, wife of Thomas Dodd of Marblehead, sexton. She owned it in 1700.

Thomas Pitman Lot. This was a part of the estate of Thomas Pitman, sr., of Marblehead, who died in the summer of 1694. He owned it as early as 1680. By an agreement, dated July 15, 1695, his estate was divided, and this lot was assigned to his son Thomas Pitman under the terms of the will. Mr. Pitman owned it in 1700.

Capt. John Stacey House. This lot was a part of the lot of Mrs. Eleanor Stacey of Marblehead, and she conveyed it to her son John's son John Stacey Nov. 16, 1680.* This grantee was Capt. John Stacey, and he built a house on the lot, dying, possessed of the estate, Oct. 19, 1722, at the age of forty-eight. The estate remained in the possession of the heirs of Captain Stacey until the house was gone, which was before May 3, 1825, when the land was sold, it being this lot "on which lately stood an old dwelling house."† This was the Bunch of Grapes Tavern in 1757.

Grace Pousland Lot. This lot was a part of the lot of Mrs. Eleanor Stacey of Marblehead, and she conveyed it to her daughter Grace (wife of Michael) Coes' daughter Grace Coes Nov. 16, 1680.‡ She married Thomas Powsland Aug. 27, 1699, and owned this lot for many years.

Thomas Sowden House. This lot was a part of the homestead of John Stacey of Marblehead; and was sold by him to Thomas Sowden (or Souden) of Marblehead, fisherman, in or before 1663; but no deed was passed until Jan. 25, 1670.§ He built a house upon it, and lived there. He died in the winter of 1706-7, and in his will he devised the house and land to his daughter Susanna, wife of Thomas Davis of Marblehead. Mr. Davis died,

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 93.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 239, leaf 202.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 93.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book, 13, leaf 290.

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and later Mrs. Davis died in the winter of 1738-9. The estate was then valued at one hundred and forty pounds. Her administrator, under license from court dated May —, 1740, conveyed the old house and land to Philip Thrasher, jr., of Marblehead, fisherman, April 28, 1767;* and Mr. Thrasher, on the same day, conveyed the same estate to his father Philip Thrasher of Marblehead, fisherman.* The father was the administrator of Mrs. Davis' estate, and he had been in possession of the estate from about the time of her death. He now built a new house upon the lot.

Samuel Russell House. This was a part of the homestead of John Stacey of Marblehead very early. With his son John Stacey, for eight pounds, he conveyed it to Robert Hooper of Marblehead, fisherman, Dec. 26, 1663.† Mr. Hooper conveyed it to William Brown of Marblehead, fisherman, Oct. 27, 1664;‡ and Mr. Brown conveyed it to Nicholas Fox of Marblehead, fisherman, June 26, 1669.‡ Mr. Fox built a house upon the lot, and died before Aug. 13, 1683, possessed of the estate. His widow Elizabeth married, secondly, Richard Glass of Marblehead, mariner, and she, as administratrix of the estate of Mr. Fox, for forty-three pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Samuel Russell of Marblehead, mariner, Oct. 1, 1684.§

Apparently Mr. Russell removed the house about 1710.

Dea. John Stacey House. This house and lot belonged to Dea. John Stacey as early as 1660, and he died possessed of it March 23, 1705, at the age of fifty-six. Upon the division of his estate, March 1, 1722-3, the house and land around it was assigned to his sons, Dea. Samuel Stacey, Ebenezer Stacey and Michael Stacey. The house was gone apparently soon afterward.

Michael Coes House. This house and lot of land was owned by Thomas Bowen of Marblehead, fisherman, and, for twenty pounds, he conveyed the estate to Robert Codner of Marblehead, fisherman, Aug. 10, 1660.|| The house

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 124, leaf 91.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 99.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 63.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 25.

|| Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 89.

and lot were in the possession of Michael Coes of Marblehead, fisherman, before 1689; and he died, possessed of the estate, before June 30, 1715, when administration was granted upon his estate. His children, Samuel Coes of Marblehead, fisherman, Grace, widow of Thomas Pousland of Marblehead, deceased, Thomas Peach and wife Mary, Samuel Nicholson, for himself and his children, William Nicholson and wife Elizabeth, Benjamin Salter and wife Sarah, Thomas Main and wife Elenor, released their interest in the southwestern part of the house and lot to their mother Grace Cows in 1719-20.* This was apparently a new part that had been added to the old house by their father, and his widow was then living in it. It was apparently nearer the street than the old house, though one stack of chimneys was used for both parts. Mrs. Coes, for ninety pounds, conveyed that part of the house and lot to her son Michael's widow, Rachel (he having deceased before July 16, 1718, when administration was granted upon his estate), of Marblehead, shopkeeper, June 3, 1720.† Mrs. Rachel Coes died possessed of her part of the house and land in April, 1736; and for one hundred and ninety pounds, the executors of her will conveyed eight-ninths of her end of the house and lot to Alexander Watts of Marblehead, mariner, Feb. 1, 1738.‡

The old part of the house and the northeastern part of the lot was conveyed by William Nicholson, fisherman, and wife Elizabeth, widow Ellenor Main and widow Grace Pousland, all of Marblehead, children of Michael Cowes, who died in 1715, for four pounds, to Alexander Watts of Marblehead, merchant, who owned the rest of the premises, May 10, 1750.§ The old house was gone before April 23, 1766.

Marblehead March 19th 1722^{1/2}

We the Subscribers being chosen and desired by the Children of m^r John Stacey of Marblehead dec^d to make a Division of y^e real Estate of said Stacey, do according to y^e last will and Judgment make the following Division And also being appointed And Impowered by y^e Judge of Probate for Said Jurisdiction

To y^e Heirs of Cap^t John Stacey dec^d the Heirs of John Stacey
 Front of y^e Mansion House being - this double Portion £130.-
 Lot N. 1. valued at £95.- By Erskine Stacey to whom } 10.-
 Also y^e piece Land laid out } 25.-
 to his house Lot N. 7 - } they must pay £140.-
 Also the Lot N. 9. adjoining } 25.-
 to William Stacey. - - - }
 £140.-

To William Stacey his house Lot By William Stacey one eighth
 being Lot N. 6 valued £45.- part of Estate - £65.-
 Also part of a Warehouse By Erskine Stacey to } 10.-
 in y^e Court being Lot N. 3. } 30.- whom you must pay }
 £75.-

To Deacon Samuel Stacey, Esq^r and Michael Stacey, between in
 as agreed on y^e Mansion House By their 9/8th of the Estate
 and all y^e Premises mentioned By Benj^m Stacey whom } 5.-
 being Lot N. 2. } £200.- you are to pay }
 £200.-

To Erskine Stacey y^e Lot adj^g By your eighth part of
 being to Cap^t John Stacey dec^d £45.- y^e real Estate £65.-
 John Stacey's Heirs pay you 10.- }
 William Stacey pays you 10.- }
 £65.-

To Benj^m Stacey the Neck Right By your eighth part of
 being Lot N. 4. } £30.- y^e real Estate £65.-
 The Lot N. 5. also } £30.- }
 adjoining to W. Stacey } }
 Samuel Stacey & Br^d } £5.- }
 pays you } }
 £65.-

Item The Lot Number 1. lay^d out to John Stacey
 to his house Lot N. 7 - }
 Also the Lot N. 9. adjoining } 25.-
 to William Stacey - - - }
 £140.-

To William Stacey his house Lot By William Stacey one eighth
 being Lot N. 6. valued £45.- part of Estate - £65.-
 Also part of a Warehouse By Erskine Stacey to } 10.-
 in y^e Court being Lot N. 3. } 30.- whom you must pay }
 £75.-

To Deacon Samuel Stacey, Esq^r and Michael Stacey, between in
 as agreed on y^e Mansion House By their 9/8th of the Estate
 and all y^e Premises mentioned By Benj^m Stacey whom } 5.-
 being Lot N. 2. } £200.- you are to pay }
 £200.-

To Erskine Stacey y^e Lot N. 8. adj^g By your eighth part of
 John Stacey's Heirs pay you 45.- y^e real Estate £65.-
 William Stacey pays you 10.- }
 £65.-

To Benj^m Stacey the Neck Right By your eighth part of
 being Lot N. 4. } £30.- y^e real Estate £65.-
 The Lot N. 5. also } £30.- }
 adjoining to W. Stacey } }
 Samuel Stacey & Br^d } £5.- }
 pays you } }
 £65.-

Item The Lot Number 1. lay^d out to John Stacey
 and so down to y^e Mansion
 Heirs is not to be improved by any building over
 thereon by them or their Heirs, without y^e consent
 of y^e Owners of y^e Mansion House to y^e South West of
 y^e parallel Range of y^e said Mansion House

Witness our hands -
 John Colby
 Nathl Colwell