

## MISC FAMILIES

### RASCOE

Thomas Rascoe – 1822 – Peter Rascoe Adm – heirs William Jacob, John Bond, John Leggett – John Rascoe exec – a bond in 1808 executed on Wm. Sutton; Luke Smithwick not found in time; Mary Leggett, Jacob Rascoe, Clarissa Bond, John Bond was guardian to Jacob Rascoe – Lewis and wife Clarissa part of lands of Thomas Rascoe – not till 1833 so maybe be later Thomas – Clarissa Bond might be widow

Will of someone- Thomas?? – son John, Clarissa Rascoe, Mary Rascoe, William Jacob, sister Nancy Rascoe – no wife mentioned

From Sally's place

*Children of Thomas Rascoe & Mildred Sutton:*

*#156 Thomas Rascoe f/44 23 Jun 1807 Aug Ct 1807 [abstract by David B Gammon]*

*Son John Rascoe – all the land where he now lives along with the house, also horse, riding chair, bed, cows, Negro Winny.*

*Daughter Clarissa Rascoe – enough of my property to equal \$6020.*

*Daughter Mary Rascoe – enough of my property to equal \$6020.*

*Son William Rascoe – the land where I now live, including the houses and fishery.*

*Son Jacob Rascoe – \$1620 to be paid to him.*

*Sister Nancy Rascoe – \$100.*

*Crissy Rascoe is to have six months schooling and board out of my estate.*

*Remaining Negroes are to be divided among my five said children.*

*Ex: John Rascoe, Peter Rascoe, William Davis Wit: Thomas Ryan, Edmund Dunston*

**NOTE:** I am of the opinion these would not be the children of Mildred as think any children she had would have been adults by 1807

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Paul Bunch, containing 640 acres. Son John Freeman – an equal part of what I have left here. Son Moses Freeman – plantation purchased of James Freeman and Jacob Parker. Son Aaron Freeman – my manner plantation where I now live, and the lands which lie southerly thereof, also my saw mill, etc. Remaining estate to be divided among my children Elizabeth, Solomon, Elisha, Moses, John, and Aaron.

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Wit: Davd. Vallintine, Penelope Fleetwood, Jas. Campbell.

James Ismay Roscoe md ca 1772 Sally Hare Winborne widow of Henry who died sometime after 1763

n 1770, James Ismey Rasco was in Hertford County with 4 taxables; as he was either at that time or soon after married to a Quaker lady, Sarah Hare, I assume that the number four represents himself and his three older sons Arthur, James, and Thomas. Ismey Rascoe died after 24 Aug 1772 when he bought land and before 14 Nov 1778 when Sarah, his widow, sold the same land. Sarah after 14 Nov 1778 and before 7 Dec 1782 married John Freeman of Bertie County who died in 1785. He leaves to his wife *“all the things she possessed from the estates of her former husbands Henry Winborne and James Rascoe.”*

*About Henry Winborne: In 1762/ 63 Henry Winborne [ 1720 – aft 1763 bef 1772] was a member from Hertford County of the Colonial Assembly or House along with William Murfree. Winborne came to Hertford County in 1742 with his companion, Bryan Hare from Nansemond County, VA. Henry married Sarah Hare, a Quaker lady of Nansemond County, VA. He was one of the colonial justices of peace. He died after 1763. Their children were: Henry, William, Thomas and Sarah. [maybe others]. [B.B. Winborne erred in confusing father and son as one and states that Sarah had died by 1759] Any way we know by John Freeman's will that his widow Sarah was the former wife of Henry Winborne and James Rasco. Henry Jr died in the 1790's]*

*Sarah may not have had children by Roscoe and he had an earlier wife. By Winborne she had Major Henry, William, Thomas, Sarah*

14 Nov 1778 M, page 616 Sarah Rascoe of Hertford Co to Aaron Askew of Bertie Co 40£ 130 acres joining Spring Branch, Cashy Road, Wm. Byrd. Wit: Channedy [Canedy] Askew; William Winburn. Aug Ct 1783. CC Stevens Gray.

Isme Rascoe married Sarah (Hare) Winborn, widow of Henry Winborn. Sarah after Isme's death married John Freeman, jr who signed his will in Bertie Co 7 Dec 1782 which was proved May ct 1785. James R. Rasco

## **FREEMAN**

Joseph – 1861

The name of his wife came from Sally's Place.

## **FROM ANCESTRY**

**JOSHUA FREEMAN** – 24 ?? 1794 with Will – wife Mary - heirs were William Freeman, Jacob Freeman, Christian Wood - negroes, Mary Copeland (she originally md to Samuel Harrell and they had children and lived in Hertford Co) - negroes, Joshua Freeman, Sarah Sutton – 2 negroes, Celia Campbell, James Freeman (not 21) – exec friend Thomas Sutton, sons William and Jacob Freeman – may be 2 different Jacobs in folder

Estate divided in 1797 – receiving part of the estate were: William Freeman, Jacob Freeman, Mary Freeman, Christian Wood, Mary Copeland, Joshua Freeman, Sarah Sutton, Celia Campbell, James Freeman

Two different Joshua Freemans in file – later one in 1807 may have been the son of Joshua I.

D 1807 – receiving negroes – Malicha Weston in right of wife Nancy, Richard, Isaac – 1816 – Thos Sutton buying at sale

**ESTATE OF MARY FREEMAN** - 17– James Wood bought from estate – William Sutton was Adm – heirs – Christian Wood, Mary Copeland, William, Joshua, James and Jacob Freeman, Sarah Sutton, Celia Campbell

Will of William Freeman 1780 – daughter Mary Buck, Francis Harrell, son John & Robert – really can't read this – land in Norfolk – wife Tabitha

**WILLIAM FREEMAN** – 1831 ??? – widow Celia

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## **RASOR**

Edward Rasor had a will written in 1774 – wife Elizabeth – youngest children Charlotte and Josiah – Mary, Elizabeth, Francis, Martha, Sophie, Susannah

Estate divided 1783??

Heirs – widow, John McGaffey, Edward Bird, William Ashbourn, Thomas Shehan, name can't read, Sophie, Charlotte and Josiah Rasor

**NOTE:** wife, Elizabeth, was suppose to be a Sutton – don't see any proof

## **PLOWMAN**

Joseph Sutton of Perq purchased land from John Plowman in Chowan which then became Bertie which sd Joseph left to his son, Thomas Sutton.

## **EARLY RECORDS OF NC VOL 4 WILLS – 1663 – 1722** by Dr. Stephen Bradley

WILL OF JOHN PLOWMAN gentl – 1 July 1721 – Chowan Prect – John Plowman White infant son of Mary White – land called horse meadow where I now lie, land called Cambridge, with reversion to John Plowman Ashely; slaves Gidion, Jack, Squire, Mary, Nelly, Pegg, old Hannah. Friend Thomas Lovick – land on Morratuck. Governor Eden – horse; friend James Boone – my sword. Friend John Love – gun. Friends Nicholas Crisp, Isaac Hill – 20 sh each and they to manage my estate for sd John Plowman White until he is 21 – cousin Mary White may dwell on my plantation, mullato girl Mary Hammond. Other Legacies

Exec friends John Lovick, NHicholas Crisp, Isaac Hill

WIT James Castellaw, Jas Winwright, Jno Cabb

**NOTE.** John Plowman White was alive in 1744

ASHLEY

**INFORMATION FROM JONI HUDSON**

<http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=southernashleys&id=P3806183205>

John Plowman Ashley d in 1759 with a will in Anson Co. Among other legatees was his daughter Eleanor Sutton. The information on Martin Franck is incorrect as far as it relates to John Martin Franck of Craven/Jones Co. Not to say there could not have been another Martin Franck somewhere. Elinor may have md a George Sutton. Sally's Place has information on the Ashley family which according to Joni is not exactly straight.