

pride

Notes for John Pride:

John Pride was a proprietor of Salem, MA in 1636. He is described as a Potter and Bricklayer. He had a suit in Essex court in 1636. Administration of his estate granted in 1647.

John and Edith Pride settled in Salem, Mass. before 1637. They were granted land on March 20, 1636/1637. "By their house, and also 5 acres on the Darby Fort side, home and barns on 18 acres altogether" John was a potter and a brickmaker.

John died about 1647, leaving Edith a widow, who administered his estate on December of 1647. Also leaving a son John, noted as under age and two daughters, Elizabeth 16, and Mary 18. No mention was made of Thomas, so perhaps he was deceased at that time. An inventory of John Pride's estate was brought into Essex Count Court "Las of 12 month 1647" (the year was reckoned to begin March 25th and February was called the 12th month; which would make the date February 28, 1648.

ESTATE OF JOHN PRIDE OF SALEM

John Pride of Salem died intestate, and his widow brought in an inventory of his estate, the last 12m., 1647.

Court ordered distribution to his son, under twenty-one years, 8li, and two daughters under eighteen years 4li. each. The mother was to bring them up. House and land bought of Mr. Holgrave security. (Salem Quarterly Court Records Vo. 2.

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INVENTORY:

One dwellinge house, one barne and worke house with foure Akers of land adjoyninge to it, 16li.; marsh and uplande grounde uppon the necke beinge the one halfe of that sometime belonginge to Mr. Holgrave, 8li. 15s.; one halfe aker of marsh and halfe and aker of upland, 1li. 10s.; two Cowes and one heighter of two yeares old, 13li.; three Claves of this yeare, 3li.; one hogge and two shotts, 2li. 17s. 6d.; foure ewe gotes and 2 lambes, 2li.; one fether bed, one bolster, foure pillowes, one Rugges, one pr. blanketts, 5li; two old Rugges, two course beds, one blanket and one bolster 12s.; three pr. of sheetes, 1li. 13s. 4d.; for other smale lenen in the same chest, 1li 10s; bands and capps, 10s.; wearing apparrell, 6li.; one brass kettle, 1 lettle brass pott and one Iron pott, 1li. 4s.; thirtie and seaven dozzen of earthen ware, 4li. 12s. 6d.; warminge pann and three pewter cupps, 6s. 8d.; leade and other earthen ware, 1li. 7s.; a bible and other books and a glass, 12s.; two fryinge panns, 7s.; one Fowling peece, one muskett rest and sword 2li. 10s.; a pr. of pot hookes and hangers, 7s.; foure Axes, a spade and a picke Axe, 14s.; tow table boords, two chests, two boxes with chaires and stooles, 1li. 18d.; one bed steed and a trundle bedsteed, 10s.; fifteene Akers of Lande on Cape An side, 9li.; for wheate, barley, Pease, Indian Corne, 3li.; Total 88li 16s. (Essex County Quarterly Court Files, Vol. 1 Leaf 88)

Note: I believe l=pound, s=shilling, and d=penny

Child of John Pride and Edith ? is:

7894i. John Pride, born 1637 in Salem, Essex County, Massachusetts; died 1730 in Beverly, Essex County, Massachusetts; married Jane Lovering 1672 in Bristol, Lincoln County, Maine.

