

-- DEGROOT --

The family groups represented in this collection may not be complete, because information was entered bit by bit as I found it or happened upon it; I have not done any systematic research on these families. Because they do not compose whole family genealogies, these listings are arranged differently from most genealogical records or histories. Each listing is a family group, and is arranged and filed alphabetically under the name of the head of the family.

Names are generally in alphabetical order (disregarding spelling variations and middle names), then in approx. chronological order. The first sorting is by surname (mixing together any and all spelling variations), then by given name, then by approximate birthdate (when known) in approximate chronological order. For easier reference, surnames in headings are grouped together under the most common spelling usage that evolved in this geographical location, regardless of individualistic spellings in the records themselves. Cross references are used in most cases where surname spellings substantially vary.

Within the quoted records, the individual spellings have been (mostly) retained because they sometimes provide clues (although in general—but with exceptions—they seem to largely reflect the record keeper's particular orthography and not always, at this early period, any special family preference). Those interested can see the variety and evolvement of a particular name's spelling and the interesting and sometimes amusing attempts at phonetic reproduction. Keep in mind that before names and spellings were standardized, records reflected the individualistic whim of the particular recorder (often two different spellings of the same name within the same document). In addition, all records were handwritten, and sometimes deciphering a handwritten name in early records can be quite challenging! So expect to search under all possibilities of spelling (for both surnames and given names).

Given names are grouped together without regard for middle initials or middle names. Because middle names and/or initials are sometimes used, sometimes not used in various records, it seemed simplest to arrange entries as if the middle names or initials did not exist. Usually all variations of a given name are grouped together as though spelled one way: Jan, Johannes, John, etc. are all grouped as one (but also look under the other forms).

Sources and references are included with each "family" grouping, but may or may not include sources that are cited (or are obvious, such as baptismal records, etc.) within the narrative or listing itself.

As with any compiled genealogical record, researchers should regard this information as leads and clues, and should verify all data with independent research.

I welcome, and would be grateful for, any additions or corrections, especially with source citations.

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**DeGroot**

Willem Pietersen DeGroot, a pioneer settler of New Netherland, came from Haerlem, in North Holland. Schermerhorn, Richard Jr., "Representative Pioneer Settlers of New Netherlands and their Original Home Places" in *NYG&B Record*, Jan 1934, p. 2

Generally speaking, in Bergen Co., NJ and Rockland Co., NY those who spelled the name DeGroat (although it was sometimes spelled DeGroot) were of mixed blood (combinations of African-American, Indian, Dutch, and other nationalities) and were often called Jackson Whites, or Ramapough Mountain People.

**Groot, Abraham**

Abraham Groot  
son of

b.  
d.

m. (1) 15 April 1696  
Albany Ref Ch  
(also rec. same date  
Schenectady Ref Ch)

m. (2) 9 July 1699  
Albany Ref Ch  
(m. at Schenectady)

**Anna Wemp** (Antje Wimp)  
(widow of **Sander Glenn**)

b.  
d. before 9 July 1699  
**Hester Hermanse Visscher**  
dau. of Harmen Visscher &

---children of Abraham Groot & (2) Hester Hermanse Visscher:

- **Rebecca Groot**, bp. 5 May 1700 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Philip Groot, Rebecca Truax); m. **Abraham De Graaf**
- **Hester Groot**, bp. 7 April 1701 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Symon Groot, Maria Groot); m. **Frans Van de Bogart**
- **Maria Groot**, bp. 25 Jan 1703 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Dirk Groot, Susanna Groot); m. **Jacob Vrooman**
- **Geertruy Groot**, bp. 30 April 1704 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Daniel Janz, Hester Tierkz); m. **David Marinus**
- **Simon Groot**, bp. 28 Oct 1705 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Isaac Swits, Sara Groot)
- **Harmanus Groot**, bp. 13 July 1707 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Visscher, Sara Wyngaard)
- **Cornelis Groot**, bp. 23 Oct 1709 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Evert Wendel, Lysbeth Visscher)
- **Abraham Groot**, bp. 21 Oct 1711 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Eldert Tymensz, Hester Vischer)

---Sources: Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1694-1700, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap1.htm>>; Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1701-1704, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap2.htm>>; Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1705-1710, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap3.htm>>; Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Albany, New York, 1683-1809, Marriages, Baptisms, Members, Etc., excerpted from the Year Books of the Holland Society, NY, reprinted by Clearfield Publishing Co., 1999; Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Marriages, 1694-1726, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/sdrcm1.htm>>

#### **De Groot, Abraham B.**

Abraham B. De Groot  
b. about 1825 NJ

m.

**Elmira**

b. about 1838

They were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, Ohio, Preble Co., Eaton, p. 44, enumerated 8 June 1870, Dwelling 90, Family 91 (white family) -- De Groot, Abraham B., 45, Jardware Merchant, b. NJ; [De Groot], Elmira, 32, Keeping House, b. OH; [De Groot], Carrie, 12, Attending school, b. OH.

---*children of Abraham B. De Groot & Elmira*

- **Carrie De Groot**, b. about 1858 OH

#### **DeGroat, Abram**

Abram DeGroat  
b. 7 Nov 1883, age 50.10.23

m.

**Catherine Perry**

d. 7 April 1871, age 40.3.2

buried Athens Rural Cem., Greene Co., NY

buried Athens Rural Cem., Greene Co., NY

---Sources: Athen Rural Cemetery Inscriptions, Green Co., NY online at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/athens\\_rural\\_section\\_onea.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/athens_rural_section_onea.htm)>

#### **DeGroot, Albert** (Mulatto)

Albert DeGroot  
son of (poss?) Richard DeGroot &  
b. about 1827-1830 NJ

m.

**Hannah**

dau. of  
b. about 1831 NJ

Albert Degroot, 20, farmer, and Hannah, 19, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NY. Listed living with them were: Joseph, 2; and Elen, 8/12. They were all listed as Mulatto.

A. Degroot, 34, laborer, and Hannah, 30, his wife, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ, Dwelling 801, Family 899 (all b. NJ). They were listed as Mulatto. Listed living with them were: Albert, 12; Jane E., 10; Mary, 8; Stephen, 6; James [F.?], 3; and Catherine, 1. They were listed just after the family of Elias & Jane DeGroot, and were listed just before the family of William & Sarah DeGroot.

Albert DeGroot, 43, farm laborer, and Hannah, 22, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ, Ramseys P.O. They were living in Dwelling 61, Family 69, Mulatto, all b. NJ. Listed living with them were: Albert, 22; Jane E., 19; Mary, 18; Stephen, 16; Edward, 3; Catherine, 11; Martha, 6; and Jessie, 3 (male).

---*children of Albert DeGroot & Hannah*

- **Joseph DeGroot**, b. about 1848
- **Albert DeGroat**, b. about 1848
- **Ellen DeGroot**, b. about 1849-1850
- **Jane E. DeGroat**, b. about 1850
- **Mary DeGroat**, b. about 1852
- **Stephen DeGroat**, b. about 1854
- **James DeGroat**, b. about 1857
- **Catherine DeGroat**, b. about 1859

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken August 1850, dwelling 428, family 469; 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 801, family 877; 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (Ramsey's P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 61, family 69

#### **Degroot, Albert**

Albert Degroot  
b. about 1830 NY

m.

**Emaline**

b. about 1840? NY

They were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New York, New York Co., New York City, Ward 19, District 18, p. 54, enumerated 6 July 1870, Dwelling 185, Family 423 (all White; all b. NY) -- Degroot, Albert, 40, Long shoreman; [Degroot], Emaline, 30?, Keeping House; [Degroot], Gorgiana, 16, Sewing; [Degroot], Nathaniel, 15; [Degroot], Joseph, 13.

---*children of Albert Degroot & Emaline*

- **Georgianna Degroot**, b. about 1854 NY
- **Nathaniel Degroot**, b. about 1855 NY

• **Joseph Degroot**, b. about 1857 NY

**DeGroat, Amsey** (Amzi; Amasa) (Mulatto)

Amzi DeGroat	m.24 Aug 1858	<b>Susan A. DeGroat</b>
son of	Ramapo Ref Ch	dau. of
b. about 1838 NJ	(wit: Caroline Williams,	b. about 1842 NJ
bp.	Edward DeGroat)	bp.

Amsey Degroot, 21, laborer, and Susan A., 18, his wife, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them was Susan, 1. They were listed as Mulatto.

Amzy Degroat, 27, mulatto, farm hand, and Susan, 23, wife, mother of 1 child, were listed in the 1865 New York State Census, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them was: Fanny Degroat, 6, child, All were b. New Jersey.

They were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Washington Township, District 18, p. 14, enumerated 10-12 June 1880, Dwelling 136, Family 154 (all b. NJ; all their parents b. NJ, except as noted; listed as a white family) -- De Groot, Amsey, 42, Laborer; [De Groot], Susan, 39, Wife, Keeping House; [De Groot], Fanny E., 19, Daughter, Single, At Home; [De Groot], Silas D., 13, Son; [De Groot], Julia, 2, [no relationship noted]; Mann, Spencer, 21, Single, Laborer, b. NY, his parents b. NY; Goodson, Susan J., 22, Boarder, Single, b. Canada, her parents b. Canada.

---*children of Amsey/Amzi DeGroat & Susan A. DeGroat:*

• **Susan DeGroat** (Fanny?), b. about 1859 NJ

• **Silas D. De Groot**, b. about 1867 NJ

• (poss) **Julia De Groot**, b. about 1878 NJ

---Sources: 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 812, family 888; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs); 1865 New York State Census, Rockland County, Town of Ramapo, First Election District, taken June 1865, family 217; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the] Ramapo Reformed Church; Ramapo Lutheran Church, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books), p. 17

**De Groot, Amzi B.**

Amzi De Groot	m.	-?-
b. about 1830-1840 NJ		b.

He was listed in the 1880 Federal Census, Ohio, Preble Co., Eaton, District 205, p. 25, enumerated 10 June 1880, Dwelling 270, Family 297 -- De Groot, Amzi, 50, Widower, Baker, b. NJ, his father b. NJ, his mother b. NY.

Amzi B. Degroot was included in a Descriptive list of members admitted to Ohio Soldiers and Sailors' Home, Sandusky, Ohio, during the year ending June 30, 1895.<sup>3</sup>

He was listed in the 1900 Federal Census, Indiana, Grant Co., Marion Branch National Military Home, District 132, p. 60, enumerated 16-28 June 1900, Marion Branch National Military Home -- De Groot, Amzi, white, male, age 60, Widower, b. NJ.

Amzi B. De Groot, b. NJ, enlisted 2 May 1864 at Eaton, OH as a Private in the D, 156 OH Inf Regiment. He was discharged 1 Sep 1864 Cp. Denison, OH. Subsequent to his discharge he lived at Richmond, IN. By Fall 1883, he was at College Corner, OH, suffering from Rheum. He was 66, a widower, his occupation was Baker, and his nearest relative was Edw. Cooper, Richmond, IN. He d. 24 March 1913 in M.B. Hospital. His remains were taken to Richmond, IN 25 March 1913 for interment.<sup>1</sup>

---*children of Amzi B. De Groot &*

• (poss) **Rosa DeGroot**, b. about 1856 OH; m. **Richard Hart**.

• **Lou E. De Groot** (Lulu Emma), b. Jan 1863 OH; m. 23 Oct 1884 Wayne Co., IN, **Edward L. Cooper**<sup>2</sup> (Edward E. Cooper). He was b. July 1860 IN.

She was listed in the 1880 Federal Census, Indiana, Wayne Co., Richmond, District 70, p. 24, enumerated 7 June 1880, living with the family of Richard Hart, 26, Telegraph Operator, b. IN; and Rosa Hart, 24, his wife -- De Gruat, Lou, 17, Niece, Single, Dress Maker, b. OH, her parents b. OH.

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, Indiana, Wayne Co., Richmond, District 172, p. 7, enumerated 4 June 1900, 419 South 12th St, Dwelling 83, Family 82 -- Cooper, Ed E., Head, b. July 1860, age 29, married 16 yrs., b. IN, his parents b. IN, Clerk Grocery; [Cooper], Lou E., Wife, b. Jan 1863m age 37, married 16 yrs., mother of 0 children, b. OH, her father b. NJ, her mother b. OH.

In March 1913 they lived at 419 S. 12 St, Richmond, IN.<sup>1</sup>

They were listed in the 1830 Federal Census, Indiana, Wayne Co., Richmond, District 39, p. 4, enmrated 3 April 1930, 419 South 12th Street, Dwelling 52, Family 56 -- Cooper, Edward L., Head, Owned home, value real estate \$4500, age 69, married 25 yrs., b. IN, his father b. PA, his mother b. VA, Clerk Grocery; [Cooper], Lulu E., Wife, age 66, marruied 22 yrs., b. OH, her father b. NJ, her mother b. OH.

---Sources:

[1] U.S. National Homes for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, 1866-1938 (Marion, Grant Co., OH) Record for Amzi B Degroot online at Ancestry.com;

[2] Indiana Marriages, online at Ancestry.com;

[3] National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, online at Ancestry.com;

**DeGroot, Amzi** (Amsey)

Amzi DeGroot	m.	<b>Christine</b>
b. about 1849 NY		b. about 1848 NY

Amzi DeGroot (colored), teamster, at Hayward n Burnside, was listed in the Baldwin's Orange [NJ] Directory 1883, p. 73.

Amzi GeGroot (c), driver, h. 76 Academy [Newark, NJ], was listed in the 1894 Holbrook's Harrison and Kearny (Including

Arlington) Directory, For The Year Ending May 1st, 1895, p. 272.

He was probably listed in the 1920 Federal Census, New Jersey, Essex Co., Newark, Ward 15, District 265, p. 45, enumerated 13 Jan 1920, 186R Orange St., Dwelling 285, Family 531 -- Connover, John, Head, Renting, Black, 31, Married, b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, Teamster, Coal Wagon; Durrell, William, boarder, Black, age 29, Married, b. NJ, his father b. NY, his mother b. NJ, Teamster, Coal Wagon; De Groot, Amsey, Head, Renting, Black, age 71, b. NY, his parents b. NY, laborer Chemical Factory; [De Groot], Christine, Wife, Black, age 72, Married, b. NY, her parents b. NY, laundress, at home.

**De Groot, Amzi**

Amzi De Groot  
son of Joseph De Groot &  
Sarah E.  
b. about 1852 NJ

**DeGroot, Arie Pieterse**

Arie Pieterse DeGroot  
son of Pieter DeGroot  
& Belitie Van Schaick  
bp. 20 Sep 1696 Hackensack Ref Ch  
d.

m. (1) 15 Dec 1716  
Hackensack Ref Ch

m. (2) 24 Apr 1728  
Hackensack Ref Ch

**Francintie Edsall**

dau. of (prob.) Johannes Edsall &  
Sierretie Smidt  
bp. 1684 Hackensack Ref Ch  
d. before 24 April 1728

**Sara Couwenhove**

dau. of Johannes Kouwenbovem &  
Rachel Bensen  
bp. 9 Jan 1709 NYC Ref Ch

In the (1) m. record Arie and Francintie are "Arie Pieterse DeGroot, y.m., and Francintie Etsels, y.d., both b. and l. Bergen Co."

In the (2) m. record, he is "w. of Francyntje Etsel" and both Arie and Sara lived at Hackensack.

---children of Arie DeGroot & (1) Francintie Edsall:

- **Sierrete DeGroot** (Charity?), bp. 26 Apr 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacob DeGroot, Angenitie, his wife) (as Sierrete, dau. of Arie DeGroot & Fransintie Etsal); apparently d.y.
- **Maritie DeGroot**, bp. 5 Mar 1721 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit DeGroot, Anna Etsels, his wife) (as Maritie, dau. of Arie Pieterse DeGroot & Francintie Etsel); m. (poss) **Roelof Westervelt**
- **Tserti De Groot** [Charity?], bp. 8 Nov 1724 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacob De Groot, Angenietje Bongaart) (as Tserti, dau. of Arie De Groot & Francyntje Etsel); m. (poss) 12 Sep 1746 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Martin Roelfse** [Paulison]

---children of Arie DeGroot & (2) Sara Couwenhove:

- **Francyntje DeGroot**, bp. 3 June 1729 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Samuel Edsall and wife, Maria DeKay) (as Francyntje, dau. of Arie DeGroot & Sara Couwenhove); d. before 4 July 1756; m. (prob) (NJ Marriage License 26 Dec 1750), **John C. Vanderhoff**
- **Pieter Degroot**, bp. 15 Aug 1730 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Dirck Banta, Rachel De Groot); m. (prob.) **Lena Conover** (Kouenoven)
- **Rachel DeGroot**, bp. 29 Dec 1734 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Kouwenhove and wife) (as Rachel, dau. of Arien DeGroot & Sara Kouwenhoven); m. 8 March 1753 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch, **Marmaduke Earl**, son of Marmaduke Earl & Rebecca Maris
- **Joannes De Groot**, bp. 11 Feb 1739 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Joannes Kouwenhove, Billetjin De Groot)
- **Jacob De Groot**, bp. 23 June 1745 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Pieter De Groot, Lena, his wife); m. 17 March 1768 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch, **Jannetje Dee**

---Sources:

[1] Cocheu, Lincoln C., "The Van Kouwnhoven-Conover Family" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 83, No. 2, April 1952, p. 87; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh*, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II)

**DeGroot, Aaron P.** (Arie De Groot)

Aaron DeGroot  
son of Peter DeGroot &  
Hester Brower

m. 26 Jan 1786  
Tappan Ref Ch

**Beelitie Campbell**

dau. of Samuel Campbell &  
Cornelia Demarest  
b. 16 June 1769  
bp. 25 June 1769 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

b.  
bp. 12 July 1761 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

In the Tappan Ref Ch record of their marriage, he was of English Neighborhood and she was of Tenafly.

Beelitje Campbell may have m. (2) as "Leety" Campbell, 3 Oct 1824 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch, **Aaron Gould**.

---children of Aaron P. DeGroot & Beelitie Campbell:

- **Hester Degroot**, b. 21 Aug, bp. 13 Dec 1789 Schraal. (wit: Daniel Demarest. Vrutie Demarest)

---Sources: "Betrothals and Marriages of the Dutch Reformed Church of Tappan, Rockland County, NY" in *The New York Genealogical and Biographics Record*, serialized, beginning in issue Vol. LXXXIV, No. 3 (July 1953); Schraalenburgh Baptisms; Campbell, Harlan Rogers, *The Campbell family : some of the descendants of William Campbell of Bergen County, 1718 to 1969*, 1969 (online at Heritage Quest), p. 3-6;



**DeGroat, Chapman** (Black family)

Chapman DeGroat  
son of William DeGroat &  
Sally Ann Mann  
b. about 1848 NJ

m. 30 Oct 1874

**Hannah Agnes Van Dunk**  
dau. of

b.

They were listed in the 1920 Federal Census, New York, Rockland Co., Ramapo, District 232, p. 14, enumerated 3 Feb 1920, Dwelling 159, Family 172 (Black family; all b. NJ, all their parents b. NJ except as noted) -- De Groat, Chapman, Head, Owned home, age 72; [De Groat], Hannah Agnes, Wife, 65, her parents b. U.S., laundress; [De Groat], Harvey? or Howey?, Son, 22, Single, b. NY, Farm Laborer; [De Groat], Rose, Daughter?, 43, Single, Housework out?; [DeGroat], Hazel, Daughter, 17, Single, b. NY, paper? Factory; [De Groat], Roger?, Son, 8 [18?], b. NY, Farm Laborer.

---children of Chapman De Groat & Hannah Agnes Van Dunk:

- **Rose De Groat**, b. about 1877
- **Harvey De Groat**, b. about 1898 NY
- **Roger De Groat**, b. about 1902? NY
- **Hazel De Groat**, b. about 1903 NY

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, Clinton** See DeGroat, Dewitt Clinton

**DeGroot, Cornelius**

Cornelius DeGroot  
son of Joost Staets DeGroot &  
Maritie Banta  
bp. 8 Jan 1715

m. 13 May 1742  
Hackensack Ref Ch

**Geesjen Vanderbeek**  
dau. of

bp.

In the m. record, he was b. and lived at Hackensack, and she was b. and lived at Paramus, Bergen Co., NJ.

children of Cornelius DeGroot & Geesjen Vanderbeek:

- **Joost DeGroot**, bp. 16 Mar 1743 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Staets DeGroot and wife) (as Joost, son of Cornelis DeGroot & Geesjen Vander Beek)

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack.... 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I, Baptisms & Marriages); Banta, Theodore M., A Frisian Family: The Banta Genealogy, 1893, p. 22 (#91 Cornelius DeGroot)

**DeGroot, Cornelius**

Cornelius DeGroot

m.

**Wilhelmintye**

---children of Cornelius DeGroot & Wilhelmintye

- **Geesche de Groot** (Geesje), b. 5 Mar 1748; bp. 13 Mar 1748 NYC Luth Ch ("in our church at Hakkinsack") (wit: Stephen Bordett & Geesche); buried 14 Aug 1749 NYC Luth Ch ("buried in New York ")
- **Rachel De Groot**, b. 25 March 1752; bp. 11 April 1752 Zion Luth Ch, Loonenburg, now Athens, Greene Co., NY (wit: Charles Beekman, Jemijma); apparently d.y.
- **Rachel DeGroot**, d. Aug 1757; buried 19 Aug 1757 NYC Luth Ch
- **Rachel DeGrot**, b. 21 Sep 1759; bp. 28 Oct 1759 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Andreas Boskerk and wife)
- **Catharine De Grot**, b. 22 Jan 1764; bp. 9 Feb 1764 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Frans Van Wagen, Gertye Akerman); apparently d.y.
- **Cathar. Degroot** (Catharine), b. 14 Aug 1766; bp. 22 Aug 1766 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Math. Van Orden); apparently d.y.
- **Catharine Degroot**, b. 17 Sep 1768, bp. 4 Oct 1768 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Jan Vanorden and wife)

---Sources: Births and Baptisms, Zion Lutheran Ch., Athens, Greene Co., NY, online at <http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/zion\_lutheran.htm>; "Baptisms, Lutheran Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1970, p. 24; Oct 1970, p. 205; Jan 1971, p. 25; Apr 1971, p. 87; "Burials, Lutheran Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1974, p. 85, 87; Zion Lutheran Church of Athens, Greene Co., NY - Baptisms - Extracted from J.B. Beers "History of Greene County", published in 1884, Online at <http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/zion\_lutheran.htm>; "Baptismal Records of Zion Lutheran Church, Loonenburg, now Athens, Greene County, New York" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 83, No. 3, July 1952, p. 136

**DeGroot, Cornelius**

Cornelius DeGroot

m.

**Rachel**

---children of Cornelius DeGroot & Rachel

- **Cornelius Degrot**, bp. 29 Nov 1761 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Isaac Van Deusen; Rachel Borgon)

---Sources: "Baptisms, Lutheran Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1970, p. 103

**DeGroat, Daniel**

Daniel DeGroat  
b. about 1829

m.

**Lucy Conklin**  
b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroot, David**

David De Groot m. **Hencke**  
 son of Joost DeGroot & dau. of  
 Ariaentye Sloove  
 b. 31 Jan 1749 b.  
 bp. 2 Apr 1749 Tappan Ref Ch bp.  
*---children of David DeGroot &*  
 • **Arianna DeGroot**, bp. 26 Nov 1769 Ramapo Lutheran Church (no mother's name in bp. record) (wit: Albert Cornell and his wife)<sup>1</sup>  
 • **Nancy Degrot**, b. or bp. 28 June 1771 Ramapo Luth Ch (wit: his sister)  
 ---Sources:  
 [1] "Ramapo Lutheran Church Records [Baptisms]" in *Proceedings of the New Jersey Historical Society*, Vol. VIII, No. 1 (April 1913), p. 16:

**Degrot, David**  
 David Degrot m. 23 Oct 1768 **Elsje Degraw**  
 son of NY Luth Ch dau. of  
 ---Sources: *Some Early Records of the Lutheran Church, New York*, prob. published in Holland Society Yearbook, 1903

**DeGroot, David**  
 David DeGroot m. **Elsje**  
*---children of David Degroot & Elsje*  
 • **Angonietje Degroot**, bp. 25 Aug 1776 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Isaac and Syntje Dey) (no mother's surname in bp. record)  
 ---Sources: Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, *Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones...*, 1935

**DeGrote, David** (DeGroat) (poss. Black family?)  
 David DeGrote m. 10 June 1818 **Rosina Defrieze**  
 son of Bergen Co. dau. of  
 Justice of Peace  
 David I. Christie  
 ---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., *Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929*, Bergen Co, Justices of Peace, p. 111

**Degroot, David** (Mulatto)  
 David Degroot m. 21 Nov 1818 **Tiney De Groat** (Christine)  
 b. about 1791 b. about 1793  
 David Degrote, 59, laborer, and Tyney, 57, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Joseph, 30, laborer; Ann, 25; Peter, 17; Martha, 15; and David, 4. They were all listed as Mulatto.  
*---children of David Degroot & Tiney*  
 • **Joseph Degroot**, b. 16 Aug 1819; bp. 13 Mar 1820 Saddle River Zion Luth Ch; m. (poss) **Ann -?-**.  
 • (poss) **Peter DeGroat**, b. about 1833  
 • (poss) **Martha DeGroat**, b. about 1835  
 ---Sources: Ackerman & Goff, Records of the Zion Lutheran Churches of Saddle River and Ramapo, NJ (now at Saddle River, Bergen Co., NJ), 1943; 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, District No. 17 (taken July-August 1850 by Wm. W. Colfax), Dwelling 128, family 129

**DeGroat, Dewitt Clinton** (Mulatto)  
 Dewitt Clinton DeGroat m. (1) **Mary Adeline Van Dunk**  
 son of John Degrot & dau. of  
 Peggy Piggery/Pigret or Jennie Smith  
 b. 6 Jan 1849 NJ b. about 1851 NJ  
 d. 6 April 1917 Bloomfield, NJ d.  
 m. (2) 9 Feb 1887 **Estella Williams** (Stella)  
 Clinton DeGroat, 22, wife Mary A., 19, and dau. Phebe J., 1, all born in NJ, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Pompton, Passaic County, NJ. They were listed as Mulatto. They were living in the same dwelling, but separate family, with Hudson Grey, 25, blacksmith, and his family.  
 Clinton DeGrote, 7/8 Indian, was listed as head of a household in the 1875 New York State Census, living in the Town of Monroe, Orange County, NY. Listed living with them were Phebe J., 5; and Alice, 3-7/12; all b. NJ. He was listed just after Richard DeGroat.  
 Clinton DeGroat, b. 1849, and wife Stella, b. 1865, and several children, were listed in the 1900 Census, living in Passaic, Passaic County, NJ.  
*---children of Dewitt Clinton DeGroat & (1) Mary A.*  
 • **Phebe J. DeGroat**, b. about 1870  
 • **Alice DeGroat**, b. about 1871-72  
 ---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, Newfoundland P.O., taken August 1870; dwelling 287, family 328; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**de Groot, Dirck Jansen** [This entry refers to Dirck Jansen Van Vliet](#)

Dirck Jansen de Groot

m.

**Grietje Gerrets**

Dirck Jansen de Groot [Van Vliet], a native of Rylevelt, in Holland, came to New Amsterdam as a soldier in the Dutch service, on board the ship *T' Bonte Koe* (Spotted Cow), April 15, 1660, leaving behind him his wife, Grietje Gerrets, and two children. In April 1663, Dirck's brother Staats deGroot, a resident of Tricht, Holland, came to America on the same ship which had brought his brother. Staats brought with him his brother's wife and children.

---Sources: Harvey, Cornelius Burnham, *Genealogical History of Hudson and Bergen Counties, New Jersey*, 1900, p. 162

**DeGroot, Dirck Janszen**

Dirck Janszen DeGroot

m. (1)

**Wybrug Jans** [Eggert?]

son of Jan

m. (2) 8 Aug 1677

NYC Ref Ch

(banns: 22 July 1677

NYC Ref Ch)

dau. of Jan Eggert &

**Rachel du Trieux** (Rachel Philips; Rosella)

(widow of **Hendrick Van Bommel**)

dau. of Philippe Du Trieux &

(2) Susanna Du Chesne

Dirck Jansen deGroot, a native of Rylevelt [Bylevelt], in Holland, came to New Amsterdam as a soldier in the Dutch service, on board the ship *T' Bonte Koe* (Spotted Cow), April 15, 1660. . He did NOT leave behind him his wife, Grietje Gerrets, and two children as stated by Cornelius Burnham Harvey. The "Grietje Gerrits" aboard the ship was the wife of Dirck Jansen Van Vliet.

In April 1663, Dirck's brother Staats deGroot, a resident of Tricht, Holland, came to America on the same ship which had brought his brother. Dirck's other brother [in-law?] was Carsten Jansen Egger. His sisters were Greetje Jansen, wife of Jacob Pietersen [De Groot], and Anneke Jans, wife of Hage Bruynsen.

At the death of his sister, Anneke Jans [Eggert] (wife of Hage Bruynsen), in 1661, Dirck Jansen was appointed guardian of her son Bruyn Hage. In 1668, Bruyn's father died, whereupon Dirck Jansen and two others requested the court that they might proceed to administer the estate of Bruynsen.<sup>1</sup>

Dirck Jansen De Groot is mentioned, as his brother [actually brother-in-law], in the 1677 will of Carsten Jansen Eggerts.

Dirck Jansen De Groat, plaintiff, against Jacques Cousseau, states that on April 3, 1669, the defendant sold to Carster Jansen Eggert, a certain lot of ground and a mill house free of all incumbrances. And that before that time the said lot was mortgaged by said Cousseau to Frederick Phillipse, but left unsealed. And since that time the said lot and mill house is transported by Dirck Jansen De Groat as executor, and heir of said Carster Jansen Eggerts, unto Clement Sibrach to him and his heirs and assigns forever, as by deed, March 31, 1679. And that on account of said mortgage the said Clement Sibrach keeps back the purchase money. He prays that the defendant be ordered to pay the mortgage. [NOTE.--The "mill house and lot" was on the north side of South William street, New York, about 150 feet east of Broad street. The original name of the street was "Syck Steege," or Dirty Lane. After the above named Jacques Cousseau built his horse mill, the name was changed to "Mill street," and remained so till 1836.--W. S. Pelletreau]<sup>2</sup>

In the (2) marriage record, they were: Dirck Janszen de Groot, Wedr. Van Wybrug Jans, Rachel Detru, Wede. Van Hendrick Van Bommel, beyde woonende tot N. Yorke.

The Governor's Order about the Coopers and Tanners fines. Whereas the Coopers within this city, were before me in Council on complaint of an illegal Combination and Complaint made between them, then produced. Ordered, to pay each 50 shillings to the Church or Pious uses. And the Tanners having countenanced and suffered the tanning of hides by the Shoemakers, contrary to Law, have forfeited their pretended dues from said Shoemakers, which they have agreed for at 6d. per hide. And the Shoemakers ordered to be accountable for the same to the Church or Charitable uses. Both which remaining not paid or collected I do therefore remit the same to you to be duly collected and payed unto the Church Masters for said uses, accordingly. Dated the 5 of January, 1680. To the Mayor and Aldermen of New York. Execution granted for the same, April 29, 1682. Martin Clock, Albertus Ringo, Gyles Provoost, Leonard Holst, John Peterson, Janica Hardenbrooke, Hendrick Karmar, Jan Winderts, John Croke, Jan Peterse Bas, John Mackernesse, William Boyle, Peter Abramse, Caster Leurson, Walter Bresse, Dirck Ten Eyck, Cornelius Mynhart, Tobias Ten Eyck, Dirck Jansen De Groot, Lucas Geritsen, Peter Bresse, William Hoppin, Claas Burger, John West, Clerk. Robert Croke, These are to pay between them, sums amounting in all to £169 3s Each to pay £2. 10s.<sup>2</sup>

In 1686 they were living on Marketfield Street, according to Dominie Selyn's record.

---children of Dirck Jansz. DeGroot & (2) Rachel du Trieux:

- **Jan Dircks deGroot**, bp. [27 March?] 1678 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Pieterszen, Grietie Jans)
- **Grietie de Groot**, bp. 8 Feb 1679 NYC Ref Ch (mother: Rosella du Trieux) (wit: Johannes Thomaszen, Aechtie Jacobs); m. (1) 25 July 1698 NYC Ref Ch, **Abraham Weybrantszen**; m. (2) 24 July 1706 NYC Ref Ch, **Abraham Rydout**
- **Abraham de Groot**, bp. 26 April 1682 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Pieter de Riemer, Belitie Ariaens) (mother's name in bp. record is Rachel Philips)

---Sources:

[1] Information online June 1999 from WayneLII@aol.com> and <lshulze@bconnex.net> citing, in part, Scandinavian Immigrants to New York, 1630-1674;

[2] Pelletreau, William S., Abstracts of Wills on File in the Surrogate's Office, City of New York, pub. as Collections of the New York Historical Society, Vol II 1708-1728, page 462, 430-431;

[3] Randolph, Howard S. F., "The House of Truax: Descendants of Philippe du Trieux, 1586-1653" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1926 (Vol. 57, No. 3), p. 218;

Reformed Dutch Church Baptisms, in *NYG&B Record*, Oct 1877, p. 170, 175; July 1878, p. 138; Bergen, Tunis G., Register of the Early Settlers of Kings County, Long Island, N.Y., 1881, p. 88; Evjen, John O., Scandinavian Immigrants in New York 1630-1674, Minneapolis 1916, reprinted 1996 by Clearfield Co., p. 216-217

**DeGroot, Dirk**

Dirk de Groot

m.

**Ariaantje Kierstede**

*This entry for "DeGroot" may be an error for "De Groof."*

*---children of Dirk De Groot & Ariantje Kierstede:*

• **Pieter de Groot**, bp. 8 July 1705 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Adolph de Groot Junr., Angenietje de Groot, j.d.)

*---Sources: NYC Reformed Dutch Church Baptisms, in New York Genealogical & Biographical Record, July 1884, p. 127*

**Groot, Dirk**

Dirk Groot

m.

**Lysbeth Claas Van der Volgen**

son of Symon Symonsz Groot &  
Rebecca Du Trieux

dau. of Claas Laurens Van der Volgen &

*---children of Dirk Groot & Lysbeth Van der Volgen:*

• **Simon Groot**, bp. 16 Oct 1707 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Simon Groot, Rebecca Groot); apparently d.y.

• **Nicolaas Groot**, bp. 23 Oct 1709 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Groot, Maria Van der Volge)

• **Rebecca Groot**, bp. 13 Feb 1712 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Simon Groot, Maria Groot); m. **Isaac Quackenbush**

• **Symon Grood**, b. 2 May 1714; bp. 2 May 1714 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Barent Zanders, Susanna Swits) (no mother's surname in bp. record)

• **Philipp Groot**, bp. 10 May 1716 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Teunis Van der Volgen, Catharina Van der Volgen)

• **Cornelis Groot**, bp. 2 June 1718

• **Maria Groot**, bp. 18 June 1720

• **Abraham Groot**, bp. 26 Jan 1722/23

• **Isaac Groot**, b. 28 Jan 1725

• **Neeltje Groot**, b. 6 May 1726; m. **Pieter Van Vranken**

*---Sources: Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1705-1710, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap3.htm>>; Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1705-1710, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap5.htm>>; Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1716-1718, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap5.htm>>; Pearson, Jonathan, Contributions to the Genealogies of the Descendants of the First Settlers of the Patent and City of Schenectady, from 1662 to 1800, 1873, online at <<http://www.scpl.org/history/families/firstsettlers/>>; Ancestry.com database: New York Births and Baptisms, Schoharie and Mohawk Valleys; Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Albany, New York 1683-1809, Marriages, Baptisms, Members, Etc., excerpted from the Year Books of the Holland Society, NY, reprinted by Clearfield Publishing Co., 1999*

**DeGroat, Elias (Mulatto)**

Elias DeGroat

m.

**Jane**

son of (poss?) Richard DeGroat &  
b. about 1824 NJ

dau. of

b. about 1834 NJ

Elias Degroot [??; surname written over and unclear], 36, laborer, and Jane, 26, his wife, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. They were listed as Mulatto. Listed living with them were: Martha E., 6; Henry, 4; Mary E., 1; and Rachel, 16.

*---children of Elias DeGroat & Jane*

• (Poss) **Rachel DeGroat**, b. about 1844 (she may be a dau. from a first marriage?).

• **Martha DeGroat**, b. about 1854

• **Mary E. DeGroat**, b. about 1859

*---Sources: 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 800, family 896*

**DeGroot, Euthasius** See DeGroot, Staats (aka Staets Jansen DeGroot)

**DeGroat, Francis**

Francis DeGroat

m.

**Eliza -?-**

b. about 1833

b.

*---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)*

**DeGroat, Gabriel**

Gabriel DeGroat

m.

**Louisa Cornell**

b. about 1834

b.

*---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)*

**DeGroot, Gerrit Janse**

Gerrit DeGroot

m. 30 Oct 1714

**Anna Etsals (Johanna Edsall)**

son of Jan DeGroot &

Hackensack Ref Ch

dau. of Johannes Edsall &

Charity Smith

b.

bp. 18 Jan 1708 Hackensack Ref Ch

d. before 26 Mar 1727\*

d.

In the m. record they are "Gerrit De Groot, y.m., b. Bay Bowery, and Annatie Etsal, y.d., b. Bergen co., both living in



Bergen Co."

Gerrit DeGroot and Annatie Etsels, his wife, were admitted to the Hackensack Church on confession 3 July 1715.

Anna Edsall m. (2) 8 (9?) Dec 1727, **Matthew Benson**, son of Johannes Benson and Elizabeth Van Deusen, and widower of Elizabeth Bussing, dau. of Arent Bussing. Matthew's sister, Rachel Benson, married Johannes Conover (Cowenhoven).

In his will, dated 14 June 1733, proved 11 April 1735, John Degroot of Hackensack, Bergen Co., NJ, mentioned "Children of my son Garret Degroot, viz: John, Peter and Margaret."

*---children of Gerrit DeGroot & Anna Etsals:*

- **Margritie De Groot**, bp. 25 Sep 1715 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jan DeGroot, Sierreteet Etsels) (as Margritie, dau. of Gerrit De Groot & Anna Etsals); d.y.
- **Johannes DeGroot**, bp. 24 Mar 1717 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jan DeGroot, Sierritie, widow Johannes Etsel) (as Johannes, son of Gerrit DeGroot & Anna Etsel)
- **Petrus DeGroot**, bp. 16 Aug 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacob DeGroot, Margritie DeGroot) (as Petrus, son of Gerrit DeGroot & Johanna Etsal)
- **Margrittie DeGroot**, bp. 25 Dec 1721 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Pieterse DeGroot, Anna Etsel, aunt to child) (as Margrittie, dau. of Gerrit Janse DeGroot & Anna Etsel)

\*When "Johanna Etsel, widow of Gerrit DeGroot" wit. bp. at Hackensack Ref Ch of Beeltje, dau. of Jacob DeGroot and Agnitje DeGroot.

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Calendar of New Jersey Wills, Vol. II, 1730-1750 (online at Ancestry.com), p. 140 (will of John Degroot)

### DeGroot, Garrit

Garrit DeGroot  
son of

m. 23 Dec 1763  
NYC Ref Ch

**Alida Sloe**  
dau. of

(License 23 Dec 1763)

---Sources: Marriages from 1639 to 1801 in the Reformed Dutch Church, New Amsterdam-New York City, 1940 (Vol. IX of Collections of the New York Genealogical & Biographical Society), reprinted 1997 by Heritage Books

### DeGroot, Garret

Garret DeGroot  
son of

m. 9 Dec 1802  
Staten Island, NY

**Sarah Jaques**  
dau. of David Jaques &  
Mary Freeman

b.  
d.

b. 26 Aug 1785  
d. 28 July 1854

---Sources: Information Nov. 2004, Dutch-Colonies List, from Dorothy Koenig <dkoenig@library.berkeley.edu>; Maher, James P., Index to Marriages and Deaths in the New York Herald, Baltimore, Genealogical Publishing Co., 1987, Vol. 1 (Death of Sarah De Groot)

### DeGroat, George (Mulatto)

George DeGroat  
b. about 1841

m.

**Mary**  
b. about 1843

George Degroat, 29, laborer, and Mary, 27, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in West Milford Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Stephen, 9; John H., 7; Edward S., 5; and Eliza, 2/12. They were listed as Mulatto.

*---children of George DeGroat & Mary*

- **Stephen DeGroat**, b. about 1861
- **John H. DeGroat**, b. about 1863
- **Edward S. Degroat**, b. about 1865
- **Eliza DeGroat**, b. 1870.

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, West Mildord Township (Newfoundland P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 423, family 450

### DeGroat, George W.

George W. DeGroat  
b. about 1843

m.

**Mary**  
b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

### DeGroat, Gilbert

Gilbert DeGroat  
son of (prob) James Jacobus De Groat &  
Susan

m. 27 July 1861

**Emeline Ellen Mann**  
dau. of

b. about 1845

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

### DeGroot, Henry Lewis

Henry Lewis DeGroot  
son of

m. 21 Nov 1857  
by H. B. Wanamaker, Bergen  
County Justice of Peace

**Mary Elizabeth Williams**  
dau. of

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, p. 113

**DeGroot, Isaiah**

Isaiah DeGroot  
b. April 1848

m.

**Lucinda DeGroot**  
b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroot, Jacob Pietersen**

Jacob Pietersen DeGroot  
son of Pieter

m. 1652  
(banns: 6 Oct 1652  
NYC Ref Ch)

**Grietie Jans Van Ditmarsen [Eggert]**  
dau. of Jan Eggert

In the marriage record they were: Jacob Pieterszen, Van Leyden, en Grietje Jans, Van Ditmarsen.

He may be the Jacob Pieterse/Pietersen who was granted lot number 8 at New Utrecht 16 Jan 1657, and who, by Feb 1660 had built a house there.<sup>2</sup>

Jacob Pieterszen, along with Metje Harperszen, witnessed the baptism 20 May 1652 NYC Ref Ch, of Jacob, son of Joris Jacobszen.

1657 Jan 13 -- There is a "Jacob Pietersen" on the list of those in Amersfort taxed to support Dom. Polhemius [Documents Relative to the Colonial History of the State of NY, vol 14, pp 378-9].

1663 Jan 4 -- "Jacob Pietersen" is appointed Schepen of Utrecht [Documents Relative to the Colonial History of the State of NY, 14:520]

1664 Feb 17 -- Jacob Pietersen is one of a group of magistrates from the 5 Dutch towns who write to Stuyvesant complaining about Capt. John Scott. [Documents Relative to the Colonial History of the State of NY, 2:274-5].

1673 -- There is a "Jacob Fredricksen De Groot" shown on an oath list of people living north of the Fresh Water. [Denizations, Naturalizations... by Scott and Stryker-Rodda, pp. 85-86.] (Howard Swain wrote: I think this is your guy with an error in his patronymic. Note: The "Fresh Water" was a little pond aka the Collect somewhat north of the wall located about where the present day Leonard St. intersects Centre St.)

1674 Oct 2 -- Jacob Pietersen de Groot is confirmed as Magistrate to govern the "Outside People beyond the Fresh Water" [RNA 7:127]

1678/9 Feb 18 -- Deed to "Jacob Pieterse de Groote" from Allard Anthony & Company to land located in the area of present day W. 23rd St. and 8th Ave. , NYC [Stokes' Iconography of Manhattan Island 6:158 and Plate 84B-b]. The Van Schaick family lived in this area too.

Jacob de Groot, en syn huysv. Grietie Jans were listed in Dominie Henricus Selyns' 1686 List of Members of the Dutch Reformed Church in New York. In the section of those living "Beyond the Fresh Water" shows "Pieter Jacobszen en syn h. Belitie Ariens", "Jan de Groot en syn huysv. Margrietie Gerrits," and "Jacob de Groot en syn huysv. Grietie Jans." Also in this section is "Arie Corneliszen en syn h. Rebecca Idens."<sup>1</sup>

1694 Jun 9 -- Jacob Pietersen de Groot sells land to Jacob Cornelissen Stille. [Stokes Icon 6:158] Stokes adds: "De Groot reserved his homestead plot... until the spring of 1695, when he conveyed it to Egbert Herreman and removed to Hackensack."

Jacob DeGroot and his wife, Grietie Jans, joined the Hackensack Church 10 July 1696, with letters from the French Church. ---children of Jacob Pietersen DeGroot & Grietie Jans [Eggert]:

• **Pieter Jacobus De Groot**, bp. 31 Aug 1653 (Amersfort, N.Y.) NYC Ref Ch (wit: Joris Jacobszen, Annetje Jans); d. after 1715 NY; m. 10 Dec 1681 NYC Ref Ch, **Belitje Van Schaick**.

• (prob) **Jan Jacobszen De Groot** (aka Jan Jacobszen Van Nordwick), m. **Margrietje Gerrets Snedeker**, son of Gerret Snedeker & (1) Willemtje Vocks (Fockens).

• (prob) **Aelfe/Aechtje Jacobs De Groot**, m. 31 Oct 1677 NYC Ref Ch, **Johannes Thomaszen**.

---Sources:

[1] Information online June 1999 from WayneLII@aol.com> and <lschulze@bconnex.net> citing, in part, Scandinavian Immigrants to New York, 1630-1674;

[2] O'Callaghan, E. B., The Documentary History of the State of New York, 1849 (Four vols.), Vol. I, p. 633 (Papers Relating to the Founding of New Utrecht); Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Philip O'Leary Ancestor Chart; Marriages from 1639 to 1801 in the Reformed Dutch Church, New Amsterdam-New York City, 1940 (Vol. IX of Collections of the New York Genealogical & Biographical Society), reprinted 1997 by Heritage Books;

**DeGroot, Jacob Pietersen**

Jacob Pietersen DeGroot  
son of Pieter Jacobse DeGroot &  
Beletie Van Schaick  
bp. 20 Sep 1696 Hackensack Ref Ch

m. 26 Oct 1717  
Hackensack Ref Ch

**Angenitie Bogert**  
dau. of Roelofse Bongaert  
(1) Geertruy Breyandt  
bp.

In the m. record they are "Jacob Pieterse DeGroot, y.m., b. and l. Bergen, and Angenitie Roelofse Bongaert, y.d., b. and l. Ackinsack."

---children of Jacob Pietersen DeGroot & Angenitie Bogert:

• **Geertru DeGroot**, bp. 31 Aug 1718 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Pieter DeGroot, Belitie, his wife) (as Geertru, dau. of Jacob Pieterse DeGroot & Angenitie Roelofse Bongaert); m. (prob.)15 Oct 1741 Hackensack Ref Ch, **John Edsal**

- **Pieter DeGroot**, bp. 23 Apr 1721 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Roelof Bongaert, Elisabeth, his wife) (as Pieter, son of Jacob Pieterse DeGroot & Angenitie Roelofse Bongaert)
- **Beeltje DeGroot**, bp. 26 Mar 1727 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Arie DeGroot, Johanna Etsel, widow of Gerrit DeGroot) (as Beeltje, dau. of Jacob DeGroot & Agnitje DeGroot); m. 26 Oct 1744 Hackensack Ref Ch<sup>1</sup>, **Siba Brinkerhoff**

---Sources:

[1] Information online 27 April 1998 from "Protzman, RL (Robert)" <Robert.Protzman@akzo-nobel.com>;

Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Hackensack Marriages

### DeGroot, Jacob Janse

Jacob Janse DeGroot  
son of Jan Jacobszen DeGroot &  
Margrietje Gerrits Snedeker  
bp. 12 Dec 1686 NYC Ref Ch  
d. 1749/50

m.

**Feytie Van Buskirk** (Seitje)  
dau. of Andries Van Buskirk &  
(1) Jannetje Vanderlinda  
bp.  
d.

In his will, dated 7 March 1749/50 Somerset Co., NJ, Jacob Degroot, yeoman; mentioned wife, Fythie, real and personal estate during widowhood; at her re-marriage or decease oldest son John and his heirs to have the home-farm and all other lands, "except a certain piece and all the meadows, which lyes in Somerset Co., joyning Bound Brook, and the meadows of Lafert Sebring and likewise joynes land of Peter Williamson," which meadows shall be divided equally between John, Jean and Margaret. Likewise lots fronting Raritan Road, next to land that Robert Clawson lives on. "To Margaret DeGroot, daughter of my brother John, £100 when of age." Executors--wife Fythie, son John, son-in-law Lafert Sebring, and Derick Van Veighen, of Somerset Co. Witnesses--Tobias Van Norden, Hendrick Harpending, Elias V. Court, Junr. Proved 21 May, 1750. 1750, May 14. Inventory (£909.15.6) includes sword, cut-lash and pistols, Dutch Bible, negro-man Sip, £20. Made by Derick Connine, Peter Williamson. Jacob's widow, Lythie [Feytie], signed the inventory as "Leydyde De Groot". Leffert signed this document as "Leffert Sebring"

---children of *Jacob Janse DeGroot & Feytie Van Buskirk*:

- **Jannetie DeGroot**, bp. 6 Mar 1720 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jan DeGroot, Antie Andriese Van Boskerke) (as Jannetie, dau. of Jacob Janse DeGroot & Feytie Andriese Van Boskercke); m. **Leffert Sebring**
- **Margarieta de Groot**, bp. 17 Sep 1721 Raritan Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit de Groot); apparently d.y.
- **Johannes de Groot**, bp. 9 Feb 1724 Raritan Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Aeltje Olden**
- **Margaritha de Groot**, bp. 5 Feb 1727 Raritan Ref Ch (no wit); m. 5 Dec 1750 **Benjamin Field**

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Information online Aug 1999, Dutch Colonies List, from "John Van Buskirk" <jvanbus1@twcny.rr.com> citing Shoemaker, Irene, *The Van Buskirk Family*; "First Reformed Church, Raritan [NJ] (Somerville) Baptisms" in *Somerset County Historical Quarterly*, (edited by A. Van Doren Honeyman), Vol. 2, 1913, No. 3, p. 214; *Calendar of New Jersey Wills*, Vol. II, 1730-1750 (online at Ancestry.com), p. 139 (will of Jacob Degroot)

### De Groot, Jacob

Jacob De Groot  
son of

m. 9 Nov 1771  
(NJ license)

**Lena Brinkerhoff** (Eleanor; Helena)  
dau. of Hartman Brinkerhof &  
Klaesjen Van Houten  
bp. 6 Dec 1747 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

bp.

---children of *Jacob DeGroot & Eleanor/Helena Brinkerhoff*:

- **Claesje DeGroot**, m. **Christian Burdett**
- **Rachel DeGroot**, b. about 1775; d. 28 Sep 1820, in 45th yr.; buried River Rd. G.G., Edgewater, Bergen Co., NJ; m. **Michael J. Vreeland**, widower of Maria Moore

---Sources: Nelson, William, *New Jersey Marriages*, p. 104

### DeGroot, Jacob

Jacob DeGroot  
son of (poss) Peter DeGroot &  
Lena Kouwenhoven  
bp. 22 Oct 1752 Hackensack Ref Ch

m.

**Naomi Banta**  
dau. of

m. (poss 2)

bp.  
**Sara Banta** (Sally; Selli)  
dau. of Hendrick Wiert Banta &  
Sara Heerden/Hardin  
b. 29 March 1769  
bp. 30 April 1769 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

---children of *Jacob DeGroot & Naomi Banta*:

- **Helena Counover DeGroot**, b. 30 Jan 1789; bp. 1 March 1789 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Pieter DeGroot and wife, Helena Counover)

---children of *Jacob DeGroot & Sara/Sally Banta*:

- **Leni DeGroot** (Lena?), b. 13 Jan 1793; bp. 20 Feb 1793 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I, Baptisms & Marriages)

### Degroot, Jacob

Jacob DeGroot

m. 1 July 1799

**Rachel Rafter**

son of Schraalenburgh Ref Ch dau. of  
 ---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ....Schraalenburgh, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II), p. 67

**De Groot, Jacob**

Jacob De Groot

m.

**Rachel**

On 29 October 1803 (recorded 27 November 1805, Bergen Co. W:144) Nicholas Lozier of the County of Bergen and Hester, his wife, conveyed to Jacob Degroot of the same place, for \$5, two [arcels: (1) 85 acres, 3 Rods, 14 Square rods, by survey, messuages in the Precinct of Hackensack, beginning middle of road leading to Hoboken on W side of Wolf Brook; mentioned land of Garret Banta; Henry H. Banta; bounded E by Wolf Brook; N by Garret Banta, Cornelius Banta and Samuel Ogden; W by Rulif Demarest, Garret Banta and aforesaid road; S by John Benson, Garret Banta and Henry H. Banta. (2) 151 acres, 2 rods, 32 square rods woodland in the Precinct of Hackensack, beginning middle of aforesaid road at NW corner of Philip Durell; mentioned Peter Degroot; Andrew Engle; Luke Peterson; Henry H. Banta; Mrs. Emery; James Hadley; bounded S by Philip Durell, Peter Degroot and Andrew Engle; E by Luke Peterson and Andrew Engle; N by Henry H. Banta and Garret Banta; W by Henry H. Banta, Sarah Emery, James Hadley and aforesaid Road. Signed by Nicholas Lozier, Hester Lozier (her mark). Witnessed by Nehemiah Wade, Casparus Bogert.<sup>1</sup>

On 23 January 1804 (recorded 27 Jan 1804, Bergen C. R:344) Jacob De groot of the precinct of Hackensack and Rachel, his wife, conveyed to John Hibberd of the City of New York, coach painter, two parcels for \$7874.: (1) certain message, tracts, etc. in the preceinct of Hackensack, 85 acres, 3 Rods and 14 square Roads, according to survey. Beginning in meddle of Road leading to Hobock and the west side of Wolf Brook; mentioned are lands of Garret Banta; lands of Rulof Demarest; land of Henry H. Banta, bounded S by aforesaid Wolf Creek; N by lands of Garret Banta and Cornelius Banta, Samuel Ogden, W by lands of Rulof Demarest, Garret Banta and aforesaid Road, S by lands of John G. Benson, Garret Banta and Henry H. Banta. (2) 151 acres, 2 Rods, 32 square Rods wood and arable land in the precinct of Hackensack beginning at aforesaid Road at NW corner of land of Darell mentioned are lands of Andrew Engle, lands of Luke Peterson, lands of Henry H. Banta, lands of Henry H. Banta and Garret Banta, lands of Sarah Emery and James Hadley; bounded S by Mrs. Darell, Peter De Groot and Andrew Engle; E by lands of Luke Peterson and Andrew Engle; N by Henry H. Banta and Garret Banta; W by Henry H. Banta, Sarah Emery and James Hadly. Signed by Jacob Degroot, Rachel Degroot. Witnessed by Oliver Goodwin, Herman Vosburgh Junr.<sup>1</sup>

On 10 May 1804 (recorded 10 September 1805, Bergen Co. V:388) Jacob Degroot of Bergen County and Rachel, his wife, conveyed to Sir James Jay of the City of New York, for \$37.50, 5 acres more or less, in the precinct of Hackensack, beginning N line of land of the late Abraham DePeyster, deceased, on the SE corner of lot no. 13. Signed by Jacob Degroot, Rachel Degroot. Witnessed by John Cox, William Williams, Thomas Cooper.<sup>1</sup>

On 19 November 1804, (recorded 15 Feb 1805, Bergen Co. U:10) Jacob Degroot of the City of New York and Rachel, his wife, conveyed to Abraham Collins of the County of Bergen, for \$2,000, message and three lots near New Bridge in the Township of Hackensack, on the east side of the Hackensack River: (1) 19-21/100 acres message and lot whereon said Jacob lately lived near Mariah Heaton; mentioned land late of Lawrence Van Buskirk, Esq.; Hackensack River; brook called Francer Vall; little bridge near house where said Buskirk formerly lived. (2) A second lot of 9 acres; description mentioned lands laid out for Stephen Rudd. (3) Another lot of 12 acres, 29 square rods beginning SW corner Guilliam Demerest; mentioned lands of David Anderson; William Challen; Josiah Johnson. Signed by Jacob Degroot, Rachel Degroot. Witnessed by Robert Campbell, William Nicoll.<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

[1] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell;

**DeGroot, Jacobus** (black family)

Jacobus DeGroot

m. 17 Mar 1768

**Jannetje Dey**

son of Joost De Groot &

Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

dau. of (prob.) Solomon Dee

Ariaentye Sloove

"Aethiopes"

& Susannah Hammond

Jacobus and Jannetje were free blacks.

---children of Jacobus DeGroot & Jannetje Dey:

- **Ariaentje DeGroot**, bp. 21 May 1769 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Joost DeGroot and wife)
- **Susanna DeGroot**, b. 15 Mar, bp. 3 May 1771 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Salomon Die, Susanna Die, his wife)

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I)

**Degroot, Jacobus**

Jacobus Degroot

m.

-?-

---children of Jacobus Degroot

- **Jacobus Degroot**, bp. 2 Feb 1775 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Johannis and Marytje Moore) (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones..., 1935

**DeGroot, Jacobus**

Jacobus DeGroot

m.

**Maria**

---children of Jacobus DeGroot & Maria -?-:

- **Jacobus Degroot**, b. 12 March 1794; bp. 4 May 1794 Paramus Ref Ch (no wit)
- **John Degroot**, b. 23 Feb 1796; bp. 20 Mar 1796 Paramus Ref Ch (no wit); apparently d.y.



- **John Degroot**, b. 22 July 1798; bp. 26 Aug 1798 Paramus Ref Ch (no wit.)
- **Jannetje Degroot**, b. 24 Oct 1800; bp. 30 Nov 1800 Paramus Ref Ch (no wit.)
- **Susannah Degroot**, b. 14 Nov 1805; bp. 14 Sep 1806 Paramus Ref Ch (no wit.)

---Sources: Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones..., 1935

### DeGroat, James

James DeGroat

b. before 2 Jan 1775

m.

**Mary/Maria**

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

### Degrote, James

James Degrote

On 15 November 1805 (recorded 25 August 1806, Bergen Co. Y:225) John R. Hicks and Rachel, his wife, of the Township of Franklin, conveyed to David Byard of the same place, for \$25, 1 acre in the neighborhood of New Success in the Township of Franklin, beginning high road, corner of James Degrote; John R. Hicks. Signed by John R. Hicks, Rachel Hicks (her mark). Witnessed by John Young (his mark), Wintent [?] Debaun (her mark).<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

[1] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell;

### DeGroot, James

James DeGroot

m.

**Annatje (Naatje)**

---*children of James DeGroot & Annatje -?-:*

- **James Degroot**, b. 27 Oct 1805; bp. 8 Dec 1805 Paramus Ref Ch (no wit.)
- **Peter Degroot**, b. 15 May 1808; bp. 18 Sep 1808 Paramus Ref Ch

---Sources: Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones..., 1935

### DeGroat, James (Mulatto)

James DeGroat

son of

b. abt. 1775

d. 1860

m.

**Hannah**

dau. of

b. abt. 1780

d.

They are listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in the same dwelling as the white families of Thomas Lozier and Garret Smith; Bergen Co., Washington Twp., Dwelling #951; they are family #1048. He is listed as a laborer.

At his death in 1860, he owned 68 acres valued at about \$700.

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census; Bischoff, Henry and Mitchell Kahn, From Pioneer Settlement to Suburb, p. 97

### DeGroat, James (Mulatto)

James DeGroat

son of (poss) Richard DeGroat & Santje

b. abt. 1792

d. before July 1860

m. 23 Nov 1816

**Susan DeGroat**

dau. of

b. abt. 1798

d.

James Degroat, 58, laborer, and Susan, 52, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township [prob. Mahwah area], Bergen County, NJ, with real estate valued at \$100. Listed living with them were: Joseph, 33, laborer; Richard, 31, laborer; James, 27, laborer; Ebberd, 22, laborer; Daniel, 21, laborer; Elijah, 19, laborer; Jane, 16; Susana, 14; Henry, 12; Edward, 10; Nelson, 8; Gilbert, 5; Susan [D.? L.?], 8; Rachel, 5; and Fanny, 4. They were listed as Mulatto.

Susan Degroot, 63, widow, was listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with ther were: Edward, 20, farmer; Nelson, 18, farmer; Gilbert, 16, farmer; Fanny, 15; Delia, 2; Henry, 22, farmer; Mary, 18, wife; Margaret Stalter, 17; and Geo. Morgan, 23, laborer.

---*children of James DeGroat and Susan DeGroat:*

- **Joseph DeGroat**, b. abt. 1817
- **Richard DeGroat**, b. abt. 1819; ; poss. m. (as Richard James DeGroat) 25 May 1841 **Elizabeth Ann DeGroat**
- **James DeGroat**, b. abt. 1823
- (poss.) **Helen DeGroat**, m. (poss.) (as Helen James DeGroat) 4 Sep 1841 **Samuel Smith** (He of Harrington; she of Franklin, m. by H.B. Hagerman, Justice of the Peace)
- **Ebberd DeGroat** (prob. "Hong Bert" DeGroat), b. abt. 1828-30; m. **Hannah Mann**.
- **Daniel DeGroat**, b. abt. 1829
- **Elijah DeGroat**, b. abt. 1831
- **Jane DeGroat**, b. abt. 1834
- **Susana DeGroat** (Fanny?), b. abt. 1836
- **Henry DeGroat**, b. abt. 1838; m. **Mary -?-.**

- **Edward DeGroat**, b. abt. 1840
- **Nelson DeGroat**, b. abt. 1842
- (poss?) **Margaret DeGroat**, m. -?- **Stalter**.
- **Gilbert DeGroat**, b. abt. 1845

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken August 1850, dwelling 686, family 750; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, James**

James DeGroat m. 13 Sep 1834 **Eleanor/Helen/Ellen Van Dunk**  
 b. about 1813 b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, James** (Mulatto)

James DeGroat m. **Jane**  
 son of (poss?) James DeGroat & dau. of  
 Susan DeGroat

b. about 1823 b. about 1830

James DeGroat, 46, farm laborer, and Jane, 40, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Saml., 16, farm laborer; Sarah C., 12; Julia E., 10; and [Anne? Cannes?} (Female), 4. Also living with them was Philip Mann, 70. They were all listed as Mulatto.

---children of James DeGroat & Jane

- **Samuel DeGroat**, b. about 1854
- **Sarah C. DeGroat**, b. about 1858
- **Julia E. DeGroat**, b. about 1860
- **Anna DeGroat**, b. about 1866

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (Ramsey's P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 285, family 316; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, James** (Mulatto)

James DeGroat m. **Mary J.**  
 b. about 1833 b. about 1842

James DeGroat, 37, laborer, and Mary J., 28, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in West Milford Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Daniel, 11; Sarah E., 5; Mary J., 2; and Margaret, 8/12. They were listed as Mulatto.

---children of James DeGroat & Mary J.

- **Daniel DeGroat**, b. about 1859
- **Sarah E. DeGroat**, b. about 1865
- **Mary J. DeGroat**, b. about 1868
- **Margaret DeGroat**, b. about Sept 1869

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, West Milford Township (Newfoundland P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 379, family 403

**DeGroat, James**

James DeGroat m. **Betsy -?-**  
 b. about 1834 b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeBroat, James** (Mulatto)

James DeGroat m. **Jane**  
 b. about 1834 b. about 1830

James Degroat, 34, laborer, and Jane, 40, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, livign in West Milford Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Louisa, 8; George, 5; John H., 2; and Mary, 2/12. They were listed as Mulatto

---children of James DeGroat & Jane

- **Louisa DeGroat**, b. about 1862
- **George DeGroat**, b. about 1865
- **John H. DeGroat**, b. about 1868
- **Mary DeGroat**, b. 1870

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, West Mildord Township (Newfoundland P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 424, family 451; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroot, James**

James DeGroot m. **-?-**

---children of James DeGroot

- **Sarah C. DeGrute**, b. about 1858; m. 22 July 1879 Saddle River Zion Luth Ch, **Charles G. Moore**, son of Stephen Moore.

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, Records of the Zion Lutheran Churches of Saddle River & Ramapo, NJ (incl. gravestone inscriptions from the chyd in Saddle River, NJ)

**DeGroot, Jan**

Jan DeGroot m. -?-

---children of Jan DeGroot

- **Dirck Janszen DeGroot**, b. "Bylevelt" per emigration record; m. (1) **Wybrug Jans Eggert**, dau. of Jan Eggert; m. (2) **Rachel Phillipés deTriux** (Truax), dau. of Phillippe de Trieux & Susannah de Chesne. Dirck Janszen DeGroot emigrated 15 April 1660 in *De Bonte Koe*.
- **Staats Jansen DeGroot**, . He emigrated 16 April 1663,

**DeGroot, Jan Jacobszen** (prob. aka Van Nordwick, Jan Jacobszen)

Jan DeGroot	m. 17 Jan 1683	<b>Margytie/Margrietje Gerrets Snedeker</b>
son of Jacob de Groot & Grietje Jans [Eggert]	NYC Ref Ch (banns: 23 Dec 1682 NYC Ref Ch)	dau. of Gerrit Snedeker & (1) Willemtje Vocks (Fockens)
b.		b.

In the marriage record, they were: Jan Jacobszen, j.m. Van Noortwyck, en Margrietje Snedikers, j.d. Van Midwout, beyde woonende tot N. Yorke.

Jan de Groot, en syn huysv. Margrietje Gerrits were listed in Dominie Henricus Selyns' 1686 List of Members of the Dutch Reformed Church in New York.†

Jan DeGroot and his wife, Margritie Gerrets, joined the Hackensack Ref Church 12 Oct 1695 with letters from New York.

In his will, dated 14 June 1733 Hackensack, Bergen Co., NJ, John Degroot, yeoman; mentioned eldest son, Jacob; son, Johannes, the home plantation for the sum of £250, paying to his sisters and brother Jacob, Margerit Banta and Hannah Banta, £50 each. Children of my son Garret Degroot, viz: John, Peter and Margaret. Executor--Son, Jacob DeGroot. Witnesses--Jacob Degroot,. Agenishe Degroot, Richard Edsall. Proved 11 April, 1735.

---children of Jan Jacobszen DeGroot & Margrietje Gerrets Snedeker:

- **Willemtje Jansen De Groot**, bp. 10 Feb 1685 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Snediger, Grietje Jans); m. (poss) **Joshua Bosch**
- **Jacob Jansen De Groot**, bp. 12 Dec 1686 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Pieterszen, Aefje Jacobs); m. **Feytje Andriessé Van Boskerke**, dau. of Andries Laurensz Van Buskirk & (1) Jannetje Vanderlinda. They lived at Bound Brook, NJ.
- **Gerrit Jansen De Groot**, bp. 31 May 1689 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Jacobszen, Elsje Pieters); m. -?-
- **Petrus Jansen DeGroot**, bp. 10 March 1691 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Janszen, Grietie Fockens)
- **Margaret Degroot**, m. **Johannes Sibese Banta**
- **Annetie DeGroot**, bp. 9 June 1700 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Focke Eerman [Herman?], Gritie Jans); prob. m. 9 May 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Hendrick Sibese Banta**.
- **Johannes Jansen DeGroot**, bp. 30 May 1703 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Johannese, and Rebecca, daughter of Pieter De Groot); m. **Frances Moore**.

---Sources:

[1] Information online June 1999 from WayneLII@aol.com> and <lschulze@bconnex.net> citing, in part, *Scandinavian Immigrants to New York, 1630-1674: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); "New Amsterdam and NYC de Groot Lineages" collected by the New York State Chapter, National Society Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America, 11 Apr 1940 (typescripts), p. 198 (Microfilm Reel V300-5 from American Genealogical Lending Library); *Marriages from 1639 to 1801 in the Reformed Dutch Church, New Amsterdam-New York City, 1940* (Vol. IX of Collections of the New York Genealogical & Biographical Society), reprinted 1997 by Heritage Books; *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); *Calendar of New Jersey Wills, Vol. II, 1730-1750* (online at Ancestry.com), p. 140 (will of John Degroot)

**DeGroot, Johannes**

Johannes DeGroot	m. 20 July 1726	<b>Elizabeth Sikkels</b>
son of	NYC Ref Ch	dau. of Rocert Sickles & Geertruyt Reddenaars
bp.		bp. 13 Aug 1707 NYC Ref Ch

In the m. record they are "Johannes De Groot, j.m. met Elisabet Sickels, j.d., beyde van Bergen."

---children of Johannes DeGroot & Elizabeth Sikkels:

- **Robbert DeGroot**, bp. 10 Oct 1731 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island, NY (wit: Zacharias Sikkels, Ariaantje —)
  - **Johannes DeGroot**, bp. 1 Feb 1735/6 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island, NY (wit: Abraham Sikkels, Claasje Sikkels)
- Sources: "Reformed Church, Port Richmond, Staten Island Baptisms" in *NYG&B Record*, July 1906, p. 189; NYC Reformed Dutch Church Marriages, in *NYG&B Record*, July 1885, p. 123; *Marriages from 1639 to 1801 in the Reformed Dutch Church, New Amsterdam-New York City, 1940* (Vol. IX of Collections of the New York Genealogical & Biographical Society), reprinted 1997 by Heritage Books

**DeGroot, Johannes**

Johannes DeGroot	m. 4 May 1731	<b>Francina Moor</b> (Frenkjen)
son of Jan Jacobszen DeGroot & Margrietje Gerrets Snedeker	Hackensack Ref Ch	dau. of Samuel Moore &

b. Hackensack  
bp. 30 May 1703 Hackensack Ref Ch  
d. before 11 April 1735

b. Hackensack  
bp.  
d.

In his will, dated 9 Feb 1734/5, Hackensack, Bergen Co., NJ, John Degroot, yeoman; mentioned wife, Frances. Daughter, Margrit. Executors--"my well beloved friends father Samuel Moore, and brother Johanes Sebesse Banta." Witnesses--Jacob Degroot, Samuel Edsall, Richard Edsall. Proved 11 April, 1735.

---*children of Johannes DeGroot & Frenkjen Moor:*

- **Margriet DeGroot**, bp. 4 Aug 1734 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Samuel Moor and wife) (bp. as Margriet, dau. of Joannes DeGroot & Frenkjen Moor)

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I);

### DeGroot, Jan

Jan DeGroot  
son of

m. 15 Sep 1738  
Hackensack Ref Ch

**Annaetjen Moor**  
dau. of

In the marriage record, they are "Jan DeGroot, y.m., b. Hackensack, living Haverstraw" and "Annaetjen Moor, y.d., b. Rawak, living Hackensack."

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I)

### DeGroot, John (Jaen)

John DeGroot  
son of Jacob DeGroot &

m.

**Aeltje Olden**  
dau. of

---*children of John De Groot & Aeltje Olden:*

- **Elizabeth De Groot**, bp. 31 July 1747 Raritan Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Jacob Williamson**. He has b. 24 Feb 1740 NJ; d. 28 Oct 1821 Jefferson Co., WV.
- **Jacob De Groot**, b. 1749; m. **Rachel Caster**
- **Willem de groet**, bp. 26 July 1751 Raritan Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Veyte Degroot** (Fytje), bp. 2 Feb 1755 Raritan Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Johannes Degroot**, bp. 8 July 1759 Raritan Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Information online Aug 1999, Dutch-Colonies List, from John C Van Buskirk po box 61 Tully, NY 13159 <jvanbus1@twcnny.r.com>; "First Reformed Church, Raritan [NJ] (Somerville) Baptisms" in *Somerset County Historical Quarterly*, (edited by A. Van Doren Honeyman), Vol. 3, p. 57, etc.

### DeGroot, Jan

Jan DeGroot  
son of

m.

**Susanna Storm**  
dau. of Staats Storm &  
Susanna DeVoe  
bp. 1732

bp.

---*children of Jan DeGroot & Susanna Storm:*

- **Joost DeGroot**, b. 24 July 1752; bp. 16 Aug 1752 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Staats De Groot. Barbaratie De Groot)

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ], 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); information online Feb 1999 from Marilyn & John <soper@ulster.net> citing G. MacKenzie's research on Storms family;

### DeGroot, John

John DeGroot

m.

**Susanna**

---*children of John De Groot & Susanna*

- **Maria de Groot**, b. 25 Nov 1757; bp. 14 Jan 1758 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Nicolaus Brawer, Maria)

---Sources: "Baptisms, Lutheran Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1970, p. 20

### Degroot, John

John DeGroot  
son of

m. 6 March 1760  
NYC Ref Ch

**Susanna Rome** (Roome)  
dau. of Willem Pieterszen Roome &  
Sara Turk  
bp. 3 April 1738 NYC Ref Ch  
d. 11 July 1800

bp.

d.

---*children of Johannis de Groot & Susanna Roome:*

- **Sara de Groot**, b. 1 Dec 1760; bp. 3 Dec 1760 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Hendrik Roome, Marretje Roome, Wed. v. Dirk Ten Eyck); d. 3 Dec 1760. **Or, did this dau. live and marry, as his first wife, Benjamin Westervelt, son of Benjamin Westervelt & Elsie Earl?**
- **Johannis de Groot**, bp. 30 June 1762 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Willem Ellis, Belitje de Groot, z.h.v.); d. 30 June 1762.
- **Hester de Groot**, b. 27 Oct 1763; bp. 2 Nov 1763 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Johhanes Elswort, Hester Roome, z.h.v.); d. 22 July 1764.
- **Fransyntje DeGroot**, b. 18 Oct 1764; d. 29 Oct 1764.
- **Rachel DeGroot**, b. 7 May 1766; bp. 18 May 1766 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Roome, Rachel de Groot); d. 4 Dec 1767.
- **Susannah DeGroot**, b. 16 May 1768; d. 4 Sep 1770.

---Sources: Marriages from 1639 to 1801 in the Reformed Dutch Church, New Amsterdam-New York City, 1940 (Vol. IX of Collections of the New York Genealogical & Biogra-



phical Society), reprinted 1997 by Heritage Books; Warner, Peter Roome, *Descendants of Peter Willemsse Roome*, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 142; *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church*, New York [City], 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III)

### Degroot, John

John Degroot

m.

### Marytje

*---children of John Degroot & Marytje*

- **Johanes Degroot** (Johannes), b. 5 April 1764; bp. 24 Apr 1764 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Henry Kierse, wife Catharin)
- **Catharine De Groot**, b. "the 26th" [sic.]; bp. 22 Mar 1766 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Staats Degrot, Catharine DeGrot)
- (prob) **John Degroot**, b. 29 Jan 1768; bp. 7 Feb 1768 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Joh. Friedr. Hertel and wife Sus. Cath.) (mother's name in bp. record is simply "Maria.")

- **John de Grote**, b. 9 Jan 1773; bp. 24 Jan 1773 NYC Luth Ch (wit: Joseph Forbes, single; Lydia Richman, single)

---Sources: "Baptisms, Lutheran Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct 1970, p. 206; Oct 1970, p. 211; Apr 1971, p. 85; Oct 1971, p. 203

### Degroot, John

John Degroot

m.

### Johannah Day

son of John DeGroot &

b.

d.

buried

He was a Justice of the Peace.

dau. of John Day &

b. (poss) about 1744

d. [buried 23 Oct 1830, age 86]

buried English Neighborhood Ref Chyd, Ridgefield

*---children of John DeGroot & Johannah Day:*

- **Naomi Degroot** (twin), b. 16 Nov 1787; bp. 1 Feb 1788 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Rachel Counoven)

- **Elena Degroot** (twin), b. 16 Nov. 1787; bp. 1 Feb 1788 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Rachel Counoven)

---Sources: *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ]*, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); Burnett, Louise Howes, "The Wortendykes of Bergen County, N.J." in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1973, p. 37; Mrs. B. LoPresti, Polly Wyckoff Chapter NSDAR, *English Neighborhood Reformed Church (Ridgefield, Bergen County, NJ) Cemetery Burial Records*, 1985

### DeGroot, John

John DeGroot

m.

### Marretje Labach

son of

dau. of Petrus Laback &

Annatie Cornel

bp. 31 Aug 1766 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

bp.

*---children of John DeGroot & Marretje Labach:*

- **Elisabeth Degroot**, b. 26 March 1790; bp. 16 May 1790 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Nickolas Degroot)

- **Hanah Degroot**, b. 13 Nov 1791; bp. 4 Dec 1791 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: John G. Demorest, Annaatje Hoppe, his wife)

- **Geertje DeGroot** (Gitty), b. 1 Nov 1800; bp. [Feb?] 1801 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit.); m. 25 Dec 1818 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Casparus D. Terhune**, son of David S. Terhune

- **Neeltje Banta De Groot**, b. or bp. 30 Dec 1804 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ]*, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Zabriskie, George Olin, *The Zabriskie Family*, vol. I, p. 345 (#1698); Ackerman, Herbert Stewart, and Arthur J. Goff, *Hackensack Reformed Church Records, 1801-1886*. Copied from *Book Number Two of Records*, 1943 [facsimile reprint published 1996 by Bergen Historic Books]

### Groat, John

John Groat

m.

### Sarah

*---children of John Groat & Sarah*

- **Annache Groat**, b. 30 March 1800; bp. 19 April 1802 Church of the Wilderness (Woestina, Town of Glenville, NY)

---Sources: Baptisms, Church of the Wilderness, Woestina, Town of Glenville, NY, online at <<http://hometown.aol.com/starmoon00/woestina.html>>

### DeGroot, John

John DeGroot

son of

b.

d.

m. (1) 27 Oct 1809  
English Neighborhood  
True Ref. Church, by  
Rev. Henry Polhemus

m. (2) 20 March 1823  
English Neighborhood  
True Ref. Church, by  
Rev. Cornelius T. Demarest

### Sarah Edsal (Edsall)

dau. of (poss?) Samuel Edsall &  
Naomi Day

b.

d. before 20 March 1823

### Maria Scott

dau. of

b. (poss) about 1800

John Degroot, 60, farmer, and Maria, 50, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, Iving in Hackensack Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Joanna, 86; John Lauren, 12, laborer; Michael Murphy, 18, laborer; Sarah Degroot, 23; Flora Woods, 43, black; Judy, 1, black; Harry, 7/12. black; and Frank Jackson, 16, black laborer. Listed living in the same dwelling, but separate family were: Gastarius? Degroot, 22 (male), wheelwright; Rachel Ann, 23; and Sarah, 1/12.

---children of John DeGroot & (1) Sarah Edsall:

- **John DeGroot**
- **Naomi DeGroot**
- **Samuel E. DeGroot**, b. 9 June 1819<sup>1</sup>
- **Leonard DeGroot**

---children of John DeGroot & (2) Maria Scott:

- **Gustavus DeGroot**, m. (prob) **Sarah Ann -?-**
- **Sarah DeGroot**

---Sources:

[1] Van Valen, James M., *History of Bergen County, New Jersey*, 1900, p. 538 (online at Google.com Books); Westervelt, Frances A., *Bergen County, New Jersey Marriage Records*, 1929, p. 13; 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hackensack Township, taken August 1850, dwelling 430, families 456 and 457 (families of John Degroot and Gastarius Degroot)

**DeGroot, John**

John DeGroot m. **?Prudence**

---children of John DeGroot & Prudence

- (poss; this is a confusing bp. entry) **John Cowenoven DeGroot**, b. 22 Dec 1821; bp. 24 Nov 1822 Totowa Ref Ch (wit: (poss) John Cowenhoven & Nance his wife)

---Sources: Nelson, William, *History of the Old Dutch Church at Totowa [Paterson, NJ]*, 1892 including Baptisms 1756-1808

**DeGroat, John** (DeGroat)

John DeGroat m. 10 Dec 1808  
son of Paramus Ref Ch

**Margret Forshee**  
dau. of Peter Forshay &  
Agnes/Nancy Demarest

b. about 1783  
d. 3 Sep 1855, age 72.8.25

b. about 1791  
d. 10 June 1870, age 78.7.16

buried Kakiat Ref Chyd, W. New Hempstead, Rockland Co., NY

buried Kakiat Ref Chyd, W. New Hempstead

John Degroot, 66, farmer, and Margaret, 50, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them were: Elizabeth, 32; Mary, 18; and Agnes Forsha, 82.

---children of John DeGroat & Margaret Forshay:

- (poss) **Elizabeth De Groat**, b. about 1818

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947 (Kakiat Ref Chyd, West New Hempstead, Rockland County, NY), p. 142; Ackerman, Herbert S. and Arthur J. Goff, *Paramus Reformed Dutch Church Records (Marriages 1799-1900; Baptisms 1851-1900)*, 1944, typescript printed [1998?] by Bergen Historic Books;

**DeGroat, John** (Mulatto)

John DeGroat m. (1)

**Margaret Jane Piggery**

son of (poss) Joost/Joseph DeGroat &

dau. of

b. about 1795-97

b.

d. 15 March 1878, age 83 Hohokus Twp., Bergen County, NJ

d.

m. (2) by 1860

**Eliza Ann**

He was enumerated in 1850, 1855 and 1860 as living in Warwick, Orange County, NY.

John, 53, and wife Margaret, 49, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Warwick, Orange County, NY. Listed living with them were: Richard, 5; and Dewitt C., 3.

John was listed as 54 in the 1855 New York State Census, living in Warwick, Orange County, NY, with no wife, but with children including sons Clinton and Richard.

John Degroat, 70, laborer, and Eliza A., 49, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in West Milford Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Albert, 21; and Sarah E., 14. They were listed as Mulatto.

---children of John DeGroat & Margaret Jane Piggery:

- **Richard DeGroat**, b. about 1845; m. **Hannah Louisa DeFreese**.
- **Dewitt Clinton DeGroat**, b. about 1847; m. (1) **Mary A. -?-**; m. (2) 1887 **Estella Williams**.
- **William DeGroat**, m. **Maria Maginnes**

---children of John DeGroat

- **Albert DeGroat**, b. about 1849
- **Sarah E. DeGroat**, b. about 1856

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs); 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, West Mildord Township (Newfoundland P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 422, family 449

**DeGroat, John**

John DeGroat m. **Margaret**

b. about 1801

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, John Morris**

**John Morris DeGroat**  
b. 1819

m.

**Harriet Lovina DeGroat**  
b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, John** (Mulatto; black)

John DeGroat  
b. 27 July 1821

m. about 1842

**Mary E. DeFreese**  
b. about 1824

John Degroot, 29, laborer, and Mary E., 24, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township [prob. Mahwah area], Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: William, 7; Hannah M., 3; and Elijah, 7/12. They were all listed as Mulatto.

John Degroot, 39, laborer, and Mary, 36, his wife, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Margt, 13; John, 7; Mary, 6; Catharine, 4; Henry, 2; and Emeline, 1. They were listed as Mulatto.

John DeGroat, 51, farm laborer, and Mary, 46, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: John, 19, farm laborer; Mary, 15; Catherine, 13; Henry, 11; Emma, 9; Susan, 7; Richd., 5; Chas., 3; and Jane, 1. They were listed as black.

---*children of John DeGroat & Mary E. DeFreese:*

- **William DeGroat**, b. about 1843
- **Hannah Margaret DeGroat**, b. about 1847
- **Elijah DeGroat**, b. about 1849-1850
- **John DeGroat**, b. about 1853
- **Mary DeGroat**, b. about 1854
- **Catharine DeGroat**, b. about 1856
- **Henry DeGroat**, b. about 1858
- **Emeline DeGroat** (Emma), b. about 1859
- **Susan DeGroat**, b. about 1863
- **Richard DeGroat**, b. about 1865
- **Charles DeGroat**, b. about 1867
- **Jane DeGroat**, b. about 1869

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken August 1850, dwelling 674, family 738; 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 805, family 881; 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (Ramsey's P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 257, family 289; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroot, John** (black)

John DeGroot  
b. 1822

m.

**Clara**  
b. about 1814

John DeGroot, 38, black, laborer, and Clara DeGroot, 46, black; and Moses DeGroot, 11, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Manchester Township, Passaic County, NJ.

---*children of John DeGroot & Clara*

- **Moses DeGroot**, b. about 1849

---Sources: 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Manchester Township, taken August 1860, dwelling 1082, family 137

**DeGroot, John**

John DeGroot  
son of

m. 7 Nov 1874  
Bergen Co.  
Justice of Peace  
C. W. Christie

**Catharine Margaret Defriese**  
dau. of

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, Bergen Co, Justices of Peace, p. 115

**DeGroat, John**

John DeGroat  
b. 14 Sep 1850

m. about 1877

**Sarah Jane Sisco**  
b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroot, Joost**

Joost DeGroot  
son of Staets DeGroot &  
Barbara Springsteen  
b. Tappan, NY  
d. June 1748  
buried 1748 Luth Chyd Hack

m. 3 May 1712  
Hackensack Ref Ch

**Maritie Cornelise Banta** (Maritie Epke)  
dau. of Cornelius Banta &  
Jannetje DePre  
b. about 1692? Hackensack  
d.  
buried

In the m. record they are "Joost DeGroot, y.m., b. and l. Tappan, and Maritie Cornelise Banta, y.d., b. & l. Ackinsack."  
 ---*children of Joost DeGroot & Maritie Banta:*

- **Staets DeGroot**, bp. 30 Aug 1713 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Cornelis Epke Banta, Berbel DeGroot); m. **Catharine Van Buskirk**, dau. of Laurens Pieterse Van Buskirk & Rachel Haulenbeek.
- **Cornelis De Groot**, bp. 8 Jan 1715 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jan Cornelese Banta, Cornelia Van Siggelse) (as Cornelis, son of Joost Staets De Groot & Maritie Cornelese Banta); m. 13 May 1742 **Geesjen Vanderbeck**.
- **Samuel DeGroot**, bp. 24 Feb 1717 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Paulus Van der Beek, Jannetie, his wife) (as Samuel, son of Joost DeGroot & Maritie Cornelese Banta); m. **Trintje Pouwer**.
- **Geesie DeGroot**, bp. 29 Mar 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Epke Cornelisse Banta, Abeltie Slodt, wife of Cornelis Epke Banta) (as Geesie, dau. of Joost DeGroot & Maritie Cornelisse Banta); apparently d.y.
- **Jan DeGroot**, bp. 23 Mar 1720 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacobus Peeck, Saertie Cornelese Banta, his wife) (as Jan, son of Joost DeGroot & Maritie Cornelese Banta); d.y.
- **Geesie DeGroot**, bp. 23 Sep 1721 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Dirck Sibase Banta and wife) (as Geesie, dau. of Joost DeGroot & Maritie Cornelese Banta); m. 25 Sep 1741 **Stephen Bordet**.
- **Jannetie DeGroot**, bp. 26 Apr 1724 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacob and Rachel Cornelisse Banta) (as Jannetie, dau. of Joost DeGroot & Maritie Cornelisse Banta)
- **Jan DeGroot**, bp. 6 May 1730 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Kirk Kuyper and wife, Katie Van Pelt) (as Jan, son of Joost DeGroot & Marytje Epke); m. **Susanna Storm**, dau. of Staets Storm & Susanna DeVoe..

---Sources: *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack*.... 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); "Burials, Lutheran Church, New York City" in *NYG&B Record*, Apr 1974, p. 85; Banta, Theosore M., *A Frisian Family: The Banta Genealogy*, 1893, p. 22 (#10 Maritie Banta)

### DeGroot, Joost

Joost DeGroot m. **Ariaentye Sloove**

---*children of Joost DeGroot & Ariaentye Sloove:*

- **Sara De Groot**, b. 10 Oct 1741; bp. 1 Nov 1741 Tappan Ref Ch (no wit); m. (poss) 1763 (banns 25 Jan) Schraalenburgh, **Albert Cornell**. She, according to m. record, was b. Kinderkamack.
- **Joost De Groot**, b. 2 Nov 1742; bp. 21 Nov 1742 Tappan Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Elizabeth -?-<sup>1</sup>**.
- **Jacobus Degroot**, b. 18 Aug 1744; bp. 9 Sep 1744 Tappan Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Jannetje Dey<sup>1</sup>**.
- **Syntye De Groot**, b. 10 March 1746; bp. 27 Mar 1746 Tappan Ref Ch (no wit); apparently d.y.
- **David De Groot**, b. 31 Jan 1749; bp. 2 April 1749 Tappan Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Elsje/Hecke -?-<sup>1</sup>**.
- **Syntie De Groot**, b. 8 March 1751; bp. 31 Mar 1751 Tappan Ref Ch (not wit)
- **Maria De Groot**, b. 2 Oct 1754; bp. 26 Oct 1754 Tappan Ref Ch (no wit.)
- **Ariaentye De Groot**, b. 16 Feb 1758; bp. 19 Mar 1758 Tappan Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources:

[1] "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs);

Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation

### Degroot, Joseph

Joseph Degroot m. **Elizabeth Williams [Willis?]**  
 son of (NJ license) dau. of

Joost De Groot of Hackensack in the County of Bergen, New Jersey, and Albert Cornel of Orange County, New York... [bound to]... William Franklin, Governor... 500 pounds... 22 Aug 1764. ... Albert Cornell... obtained license of marriage for Joost De Groot... and for Elizabeth Williams of Orange County... [w] John Zabriski Jr, Albert Van Vorhesen..

---*children of Jost Degroot & Elizabeth Williams:*

- **Regert Degrot<sup>1</sup>** (Richard DeGroot?), b. 4 Oct 1772<sup>1</sup>; bp. 18 March 1775 Ramapo Lutheran Church (wit: father and polly willis)<sup>1</sup>
- **Elizabeth Degrot<sup>1</sup>**, b. 22 Jan 1775<sup>1</sup>; bp. 18 March 1775 Ramapo Lutheran Church (wit: Jacobus Degrot, Jannathe)<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

[1] "Ramapo Lutheran Church Records, 1750-1817" in *Proceedings of the New Jersey Historical Society*, Vol. VIII, No. 2 (1913), p. 76;

Nelson, William, *New Jersey Marriages*, p. 104; Early New Jersey Marriage Bonds, transcribed by Patricia M. Bergener, online at <ftp://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/nj/marriage/njmard02.txt>; New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at genealogy.com

### Degroot, Joseph

Joseph DeGroot m. **Catharine**

---*children of Joseph DeGroot & Catharine*

- **Catharine de Groote**, b. 13 June 1776; bp. 30 June 1776 NYC Luth Ch (at Jos. de Groote's house) (wit: Samuel de Grote, jun., proxy for his father Saml de Grote, with his mother Catharine)

---Sources: "Baptisms in the Lutheran Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct 1971, p. 208

### DeGroat, Joost/Joseph

Joost/Joseph DeGroat m. (poss) **Ellen**  
 b. about 1769 b.

Ellen DeGroat was listed in the 1830 Federal Census, living among the Green Mountain Valley settlement in or near Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ.



*---children of Joost/Joseph DeGroat & (poss) Ellen*

- (prob) **John DeGroat**
- (prob) **Peter DeGroat**
- (prob) **Richard DeGroat**

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, Joseph**

Joseph DeGroat m. **Polly Moore**  
b. about 1785 b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, Joseph** (Mulatto)

Joseph DeGroat m. **Martha -?-**  
b. about 1817 b. about 1823

Joseph Degroot, 42, laborer, and Martha, 37, wife were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Caroline, 16, servant; and Lucinda, 11. They were listed as Mulatto.

*---children of Joseph Degroot & Martha*

- **Caroline DeGroat**, b. about 1844
- **Lucinda DeGroat**, b. about 1849

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs); 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 759, family 832

**De Groot, Joseph**

Joseph De Groot m. **-?-**  
b. about 1819 NY b. about

He was listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Essex Co., Orange, Ward 3, p. 73, enumerated 13 Aug 1870, Dwelling 425, Family 595 (Mulatto family) -- De Groot, Joseph, 51, Laborer, b. NY; [De Groot], Sarah E., 33, Keeping House, b. NY; [De Groot], Amzi, 18, Laborer, b. NJ; [De Groot], Hannah A., 9, b. NJ; [De Groot], Josiah, 7, b. NJ; [De Groot], Ellen, 4, b. NJ; [De Groot], Samuel, 3, b. NJ; [De Groot], Sarah C., 5/12, b. NJ.

*---children of Joseph De Groot &*

- **Amzi De Groot**, b. about 1852 NJ
- **Hannah A. De Groot**, b. about 1861 NJ
- **Josiah De Groot**, b. about 1863 NJ
- **Ellen De Groot**, b. about 1866 NJ
- **Samuel De Groot**, b. about 1867 NJ
- **Sarah C. De Groot**, b. about 1870 NJ

**DeGroat, Levi**

Levi DeGroat m. **Harriet E. Mead**  
b. 1822 b. 1826  
d. 1901 d. 1879  
buried Athens Rural Cem., Greene Co., NY buried Athens Rural Cem., Athens, NY

*---children of Levi DeGroat & Harriet E. Mead:*

- **States DeGroat**, d. 20 Aug 1849; buried Athens Rural Cem., Greene Co., NY
- Sources: Athen Rural Cemetery Inscriptions, Green Co., NY online at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/athens\\_rural\\_section\\_onea.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/athens_rural_section_onea.htm)>

**DeGroat, Manning** (Manuel)

Manning DeGroat m. about 1884 **Margaret**  
b. Dec 1848 b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, Moses** (Mulatto)

Moses DeGroat m. **Clarissa**  
b. about 1832 b. about 1843

Moses Degroat, 38, laborer, and Clarissa, 27, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in West Milford Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Ellenor, 9; James, 6; John, 3; and Jane, 1/12. Also listed living with them were: Hannah Martin, 58, Mulatto [occupation illegible; perhaps domestic?]; Dennis Carey, 22, white, blacksmith; Solomon Sjobery, 32, clerk in store [no race noted]. Moses, Clarissa and their children were listed as Mulatto.

*---children of Moses DeGroat & Clarissa*

- **Eleanor DeGroat**, b. about 1861

- **James DeGroat**, b. about 1864
- **John DeGroat**, b. about 1867
- **Jane DeGroat**, b. 1870

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, West Mildord Township (Newfoundland P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 391, family 415

### DeGroot, Nicholas

Nicholas DeGroot  
son of

m. 25 Jan 1794  
Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

**Geertje Vansys** (Gertrude Van Syce; Van Sile)  
dau. of (prob) Jacobus Van Seys &  
Elizabeth Gerrebrands

d. before Dec 1834

Gertrude Van Syce, widow of Nicholas Degroat, joined the Hackensack Ref Ch in Dec 1834.

---*children of Nicholas DeGroot & Geertje Vansys*:

- **Hyltje Degroot**, b. 30 Oct 1797; bp. 12 Nov 1797 Hackensack Ref Ch; recorded Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Abr. Banta, Hyltje Vansys); m. (poss?) **Lawrence Van Orden**.

- **Anne Degroot**, b. 2 May 1811; bp. 25 June 1811 Hackensack Ref Ch

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert Stewart, and Arthur J. Goff, Hackensack Reformed Church Records, 1801-1886, Copied from Book Number Two of Records, 1943 [facsimile reprint published 1996 by Bergen Historic Books]; Schraalenburgh Baptisms; Wilson V. Ledley, "Van Sise Family: The First Five Generations"

### Degroat, Owen

Owen DeGroat  
son of Peter DeGroat &

m. about 1864

**Nancy/Ellen L. Mann** (Nancy Ellen Mann)  
dau. of  
b. about 1839 NJ

b. about Oct 1832 (or about 1837) Orange Co., NY

Owen Degroat, 38, b. Orange, laborer, and Nancy E., 36, wife, b. NJ, were listed in the 1875 New York State Census, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them were: Stephen Degroat, 12, son, b. NJ; Lanie Degroat, 9, daughter, b. NJ; Henrietta Degroat, 7, daughter, b. Rockland; Ann S, Degroat, 5, daughter, b. Rockland; Lemend {Lemuel? Zemund?} Degroat, 1-2/12, son, b. Rockland.

---*children of Owen DeGroat & Nancy/Ellen L. Mann*:

- **Stephen DeGroat**, b. about 1863 NJ
- **Lanie DeGroat**, b. about 1866 NJ
- **Henrietta DeGroat**, b. about 1868 Rockland County, NY
- **Ann S. DeGroat**, b. about 1870 Rockland County, NY
- **Lemuel?? DeGroat**, b. about 1874 Rockland County, NY
- **James DeGroat** ("Red")

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs); 1875 New York State Census, Rockland County, Town of Ramapo, Second Election District, taken June 1875, family 271

### De Groot, Pieter

Pieter [De Groot]

m.

-?-

---*children of Pieter [De Groot]*:

- (prob) **Jacob Pietersen De Groot**, m. 1652 NYC Ref Ch **Grietie Jans [Eggert]**
- (prob) **Willem Pietersen De Groot**

### [DeGroot??] Van Nortwyck, Pieter Jacobs

Pieter Jacobs Van Nortwyck  
son of

m. Oct 1662

**Femmetje Hermanse**  
(widow of **Pieter Janse Haughwout**)

If he was a DeGroot, he probably was related (brother?) to Jan Jacobszen Van Nordwick (aka DeGroot).

---Sources: Haughwout, Lefferd M. A., "The Lefferts-Haughwout Family" in New York Genealogical & Biographical Record, Jan 1902, p. 50

**DeGroot, Peter Adolph** (m. Janneke Van Borsum) See: De Groof, Pieter Adolph

### DeGroot, Pieter Jacobsen (Peter Jacobsen; Pieter Jacobus; Peter Jansen)

Peter DeGroot  
son of Jacob Pietersen DeGroot &  
Grietje Jans [Eggert]  
b. Amersfort  
bp. 31 Aug 1653 NYC Ref Ch  
d. after 1715

m. 10 Dec 1681  
NYC Ref Ch  
(banns: 23 Nov 1681  
NYC Ref Ch)

**Belietje Ariaens Van Schaick**  
dau. of Adrian Cornelis Van Schaick &  
Rebecca Idens [Van Huysse]  
b. NYC  
bp. 1 Oct 1663 Bowery, N.Y.  
d. after 1709 NY

In the marriage record, they were: Pieter Janszen, j.m. Van Amersfort, en Beelitte Adriaens, j.d. Van N. Yorke, woonende aen't Versche water.

Pieter Jacobszen [De Groot], en syn h. Belietje Ariens were listed in Dominie Henricus Selyns' 1686 List of Members of the Dutch Reformed Church in New York.<sup>2</sup>

Peter DeGroot and his wife, Belietje Van Schaick, joined the Hackensack Church 12 Oct 1695 with letters from New York.

---children of Peter Jacobsen DeGroot & Beletie Adriaens Van Schaick:

- **Rebecca Pieterse DeGroot**, bp. 11 Feb 1685 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Arie Corneliszen, Grietje Jans); prob. m. 2 Aug 1707 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Daniel Demarest** son of David Demarest & Rachel Cresson. "Rebecca, daughter of Pieter De Groot" wit. bp. at Hackensack Ref Ch 30 May 1703 of Johannes, son of Jan DeGroot & Margrita.
- **Lea Pieterse DeGroot**, bp. 16 Jan 1687 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Jacobszen, Grietje Ariens); m. 8 March 1707 Hackensack Ref Ch, as his first wife, **Jacobus Demarest**, son of David Demarest & Rachel Cresson. Jacobus m. (2) 13 Oct 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch (banns: 26 Sep 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch), Gritie Cosinse Herringh (Haring), dau. of Cosyn J. Haring & Marretje Blauvelt.
- **Jacob Pietersen DeGroot**, bp. 5 April 1688 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Pieterszen de Groot, Aefje de Groot); apparently d.y.
- **Rachel Pieterse DeGroot**, bp. 10 Aug 1690 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Thomaszen, Cornelia Van Schayck); m. 17 April 1714 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Dirck Sibese Banta**, son of Seba Epke Banta & Mary Ariaense Sip.
- **Grietie Pieterse DeGroot**, bp. 18 Dec 1692 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jacob de Groot, Rebecca Idens); prob. d.y.
- **Lysbeth Pieterse DeGroot**, bp. 20 Feb 1695 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Van Schayck, Elisabeth Van Schayck); m. 7 Nov 1713 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Benjamin Demarest**, son of David Demarest & Rachel Cresson
- **Jacob Pieterse DeGroot** (twin), bp. 20 Sep 1696 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Plovier, Gerrit Onkell, Margritie Snedekers, Dina Van Schaick); m. 26 Oct 1717 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Angenitie Bongaert**, dau. of Roelof Bogert.
- **Arie Pietersen DeGroot** (twin), bp. 20 Sep 1696 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Plovier, Gerrit Onkell, Margritie Snedekers, Dina Van Schaick); prob. m. 15 Dec 1716 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Francintie Edsall**, dau. of (prob) Johannes Edsall & Sierretie Smidt [Charity Smith]; m. (2) 24 April 1728 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Sara Couwenhove**, prob. dau. of Johannes Kouwenbove & Rachel Bensen.
- **Eegie Pieterse DeGroot** (Efie), bp. 15 Nov 1698 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Egie DeGroot); m. 11 Oct 1718 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Johannes Roelofse Westervelt**.
- **Cornelia Pieterse DeGroot**, bp. 13 Oct 1700 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Hoppe, Hendricktie Arens); m. 23 Sep 1721 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Jacob Sibese Banta**, son of Seba Epke Banta & Mary Ariaense Sip; (2) 16 Jan 1743 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (with license), **Gozer Adriance** (Cozyn), of Perth Amboy, NJ (living Staten Island), widower of Femmetje Vanderbilt, and son of Adriaen Reyerz & Annetje Schenck.
- **Gritie De Groot** (Margrietje), bp. 1 Nov 1702 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Matthys Hoppe, and a daughter of Jan De Groot); m. 28 Oct 1726 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Jacobus Davids Demarest**, son of David Demarest & Sara Bertolf.
- **Joannes De Groot**, bp. 5 July 1704 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Van Dien, Belitie, wife of Gerrit Jurrise)
- **Dina DeGroot**, bp. 12 Aug 1705 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacob DeGroot, Antie Hoppe); m. (1) 30 May 1724 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (also rec. Hackensack Ref Ch), **Petrus Brouwer**; son of Abram Brouwer & Leah Demarest; m. (2) 8 Feb 1734 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch, **Benjamin Lezier** (Lozier), son of Nicholas Lozier & (1) Tryntje Slot.

---Sources:

[1] Information online 27 April 1998 from "Protzman, RL (Robert)" <Robert.Protzman@akzo-nobel.com>;

[2] Information online June 1999 from WayneLII@aol.com> and <lschulze@bconnex.net> citing, in part, *Scandinavian Immigrants to New York, 1630-1674*;

[1] Randolph, Howard S. F., "Teuntje Teunis and Her Descendants: Tracing the families of van Huysse, van Schaick, de Nys and Hellakers" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1928 (Vol. 59, No. 1), p. 13;

*Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Purple, "Van Schaick" in *NYG&B Record*, April 1876, p. 53; NYC Reformed Dutch Church Baptisms, in *NYG&B Record*, July 1882, p. 138; "Teuntje Teunis and Her Descendants" in *NYG&B Record*, Jan 1928, p. 14; Philip O'Leary Ancestor Chart: *Baptisms in the Dutch Church at New York [City]*, 1901, Vol. I, p. 166, 177; Banta, Theodore M., *A Frisian Family: The Banta Genealogy*, 1893, p. 25 (#28 Jacob Banta); *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh*, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II)

**DeGroot, Pieter** (m. Rebecca Goderus) See: De Groof, Pieter

**Degroot, Petrus**

Petrus Degroot

m.

**Mary Ellenson**

---children of Petrus Degroot & Mary Ellenson:

- **Gerrit Degroot**, b. 9 Oct 1743; bp. 6 Nov 1743 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Onderdonck, Aertye, his wife)
  - **Jan De Groodt**, b. 27 April 1745; bp. 12 May 1745 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Petrus Smit, Annetye his wife)
- Sources: Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation

**DeGroot, Pieter**

Pieter DeGroot

m. 8 Dec 1743

**Lena Kouwenhoven** (Elena)

son of Jacob Pieterse DeGroot  
& Angenetje Roelofse Bongaert

Hackensack Ref Ch  
(banns 29 Oct 1743  
Hackensack Ref Ch)

dau. of Johannes Conover &  
Rachel Benson

b. Hackensack

b. New York

bp. 23 April 1721 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

bp. 3 Feb 1723 Hackensack Ref Ch

d. (prob) 14 March 1805, age 75

d.

buried English Nghbhd Ref Chyd, Ridgefield, Bergen Co., NJ

buried

In the Hackensack Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Pieter DeGroot, y.m., b. Ackinsack, and Lena Koienhoven, y.d., b. New York; both l. Hackensack.

On 14 Feb 1790 Peter and Celena Degroot Sr., farmer, of English Neighborhood, conveyed to Jacob Degroot of same place, for £1,300, 125 acres and 4 acres...bounded by Garret Lydecker and Samuel Cowerover...part of tract granted to John Johnson and Johanna Cowerover 20 April 1725...2nd tract bounded by Hendrick Banta. Signed Peter Degroot. Witnessed by John Degroot, John Daily.<sup>1</sup>

---children of Pieter DeGroot & Lena Kouwenhoven:

- **Jacob DeGroot**, bp. 26 July 1747 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacob DeGroot and wife) (as Jacob, son of Pieter DeGroot & Lena Kouwenhoven); apparently d.y.
- **Jacob DeGroot**, bp. 22 Oct 1752 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jan Etsel and wife); m. (prob) (1) **Naomi Banta**; m. (poss? 2) **Sally Banta**.
- **Rachel Degroot**, bp. 20 Mar 1757 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Arie Degroot, Saartie, his wife)
- **Arie Degroot**, bp. 12 July 1761 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Peter Degroot and his wife)

---Sources:

[1] Davis, John David, *Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records 1689-1801*, 1995, Heritage Books, p. 132;  
 [2] Cocheu, Lincoln C., "The Van Kouwenhoven-Conover Family" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 83, No. 2, April 1952, p. 90;  
*Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Mrs. B. LoPresti, Polly Wyckoff Chapter NSDAR, English Neighborhood Reformed Church (Ridgefield, Bergen County, NJ) Cemetery Burial Records, 1985

**DeGroot, Pieter**

Pieter DeGroot  
 son of Johannes De Groot &  
 Elizabeth Sickles  
 b. about 1728 Staten Island<sup>1</sup>  
 bp.

m. about 1749  
 Staten Island, NY

**Claerty Post**

dau. of (prob) Gerret Post &  
 (2) Francyntje Pieterse Poulse  
 b. 11 Aug 1727  
 bp. 13 Aug 1727 Acquackanonk Ref Ch

---*children of Pieter DeGroot & Claerty Post*:

- **Elizabeth D Grood**, bp. 30 July 1750 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island, N.Y. (wit: Johannes ---, Elizabeth)
- **Gerret D Grood**, bp. 25 Aug 1751 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island, NY (wit: Gerrit Post, Sr., Franscyntje Poulse)
- **Johannes D Grood**, bp. 2 May 1753 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island, NY (wit: Johannes D Grood, Elizabeth Sikkelse); m. about 1755 **Mary Wood**.

• **Catriena DeGroot**, bp. 27 July 1755 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island, NY (no wit)

• **Geertruy DeGroot**, bp. 25 July 1758 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island, NY (no wit)

---Sources: Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992); "Reformed Church, Port Richmond, Staten Island Baptisms" in *NYG&B Record*, Oct 1906, p. 293, 294, 295, 297, 298; *Staten Island Church Records*, Collections of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society, Vol. IV, 1909

**DeGroot, Peter** (Pieter de Groot)

Peter DeGroot  
 son of

m.

**Hester Brouwer**

dau. of Jacob Brouwer &  
 Lea Slot  
 b. 6 Sep 1739  
 bp. 15 Oct 1739 Bergen Ref Ch

b.  
 bp.

On 27 April 1789 Peter A. and Hester Degroot, of Hackensack Precinct, conveyed to Wiert & Leah Banta, for £0.5 and love and affection, bounded by Seba Banta, Hendrick Banta, Bellemans Kill, and William Lozier. Witnessed by Jacob Demarest and Joost Zabriskie.<sup>1</sup>

---*children of Pieter DeGroot & Hester Brouwer*:

- **Leya de Groot**, b. June 1759; bp. 15 July 1759 Bergen Ref Ch ("First child") (wit: Jacob Brouwer, Leya Slot, his wife)

---Sources:

[1] Davis, John David, *Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records 1689-1801*, 1995, Heritage Books, p. 119;  
 Versteeg, Dingman, and Thomas E. Vermilye, Jr., with contributions by Nicholas G. Vreeland, et. al., *Bergen Records: Records of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church of Bergen in New Jersey, 1666 to 1788* (excerpted and reprinted from Year Books of the Holland Society of New York, 1913, 1914, 1915) Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., 1976; reprinted for Clearfield Co., Inc., 1990

**DeGroot, Peter** (Degroote)

Peter DeGroot  
 son of

m.

**Hester Heaton** (Eaton; Yden)

dau. of Richard Heaton &  
 Maria Demarest  
 bp. 15 May 1774 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch  
 d. 10 April 1860 ae 95  
 buried Hackensack Ref Chyd, Hackensack, NJ

bp.  
 d.  
 buried

---*children of Peter DeGroot & Hester Eaton*:

- **Robert Degroote**, bp. 8 Dec 1793 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no wit); m. (prob) (1) 26 June 1820 1st Ref Ch Hackensack, **Aletta Zabriskie**; m. (2) **Maria LaRue**; m. (3) **Anna Lutkins**.

• **Maria DeGroot**, b. 28 Sep 1795; bp. 1 Nov 1795 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Margaret Degroot** (Margaret Degroat, ts), b. 17 May 1801; bp. 14 June 1801 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no wit); d. 15 Sep 1855 age 54.3.28; buried Hackensack Ref Chyd; m. (poss?) **Christopher Thornhill**

---Sources: *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh*, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II) *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I, Baptisms & Marriages); Burnett, Louise Howes, *Records of the Reformed Dutch Churches of Hackensack & Schraalenburgh...*Records of Old South Church...to 1912, transcribed Aug 1970; printed [c. 1998?] by Bergen Historic Books; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947 (reprinted by Bergen Historic Books) (First Reformed Dutch Church, Hackensack, NJ), p. 117

**DeGroot, Peter**

Peter DeGroot  
 son of

m.

**Anna Elizabeth Bancker**

dau. of Adrian Bancker &  
 Anna Boele



bp.

bp. 20 Sep 1772<sup>1</sup>

---children of Peter DeGroot & Anna Elizabeth Bancker:

- **Ann DeGroot**, m. -?- Dickerson
- **Peter DeGroot**
- **Robert DeGroot**
- **Eliza DeGroot**
- **William DeGroot**
- **Catherine Jane DeGroot**
- **Margaret W. DeGroot**
- **Alfred DeGroot**

---Sources: Duyckinck, Whitehead Cornell, The Duyckinck and Allied Families, New York, 1908 (online at Ancestry.com), p. 10, 19;

**DeGroot, Peter J.** (Peter Degrote)

Peter DeGroot  
son of

m. 24 Oct 1801  
Old Bergen (now Jersey  
City, NJ), by John  
Cornelison, V.D.M.

**Eleanor Brower**  
(widow of -?- Mersereau)

b.

b.

---children of Peter J. DeGroot & Eleanor Brower:

- **Michael Vreeland Degroot**, b. 30 Oct 1807; bp. 2 Feb 1812 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC (parents in bp. record: Peter J. Degroot & Eleanor Brower)
- **Peter Degroot**, b. 14 Sep 1811; bp. 2 Feb 1812 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC (parents in bp. record: Pater J. Degroot & Eleanor Brower)

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, p. 58; Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York, Vol. 1, p. 17 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)

**DeGroat, Peter**

Peter DeGroat  
son of  
b. about 1801

m.

-?-  
dau. of  
b.

---children of Peter DeGroat

- **Peter DeGroat**, m. -?-.
- **Owen DeGroat**, b. about Oct 1832; m. about 1864 **Nancy/Ellen L. Mann**.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, Peter** (Mulatto)

Peter DeGroat  
b. about 1804 NJ

m. (prob. 2?)

**Margaret**  
b. about 1822 NJ

Peter Degroot, 56, farmer, and Margt, 38 his wife, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Manning, 10 (male); Jane, 8; Edward, 6; Mary, 5; Irene, 3; and Ellen, 1. They were listed as Mulatto.

Peter GeGroot, 63, farmer, and Margaret, 45, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Mann, 21, farm laborer; Mary, 17; Edward, 18; Irene, 13; Ellen, 10; Rosanna, 8; Sophia, 5; and Peter, 3/12. They were listed as Mulatto.

---children of Peter DeGroat &

- **Manning DeGroat** (Mann), b. about 1850
- **Jane DeGroat**, b. about 1852
- **Edward DeGroat**, b. about 1854
- **Mary DeGroat**, b. about 1855
- **Irene DeGroat**, b. about 1857
- **Ellen DeGroat**, b. about 1859
- **Rosanna DeGroat**, b. about 1862
- **Sophia DeGroat**, b. about 1865
- **Peter DeGroat**, b. about 1870

---Sources: 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 792, family 868; 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (Ramsey's P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 466, family 514

**DeGroot, Peter A.**

Peter A. DeGroot  
son of

m. 12 Oct 1826  
English Neighborhood  
True Ref. Church, by  
Gustavus Abeel<sup>1</sup>

**Mary Ackerson**  
dau. of

b.

b.

---Sources:  
[1] Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County, New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, p. 15

**De Groot, Peter**

Peter DeGroot  
son of

m. 21 April 1850  
Kakiat Ref Ch  
(he of W. New Hempstead)

**Catharina Maria Taylor**

dau. of John Taylor &  
Mary

b. 14 Oct 1822  
bp.

b. 17 Aug 1828  
bp. 12 Oct 1828 Paramus Ref Ch

---Sources: Marriage Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of West New Hempstead, New York 1774-1898, also known as "Kakiat" and presently referred to as "Brick Church" online at <<http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>>

**DeGroat, Peter** (Peter J. DeGroat; Peter F. DeGroat)

Peter DeGroat  
b. about 1832

m.

**Margaret**

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, Peter James**

Peter James DeGroat  
son of

m. 17 April 1884  
Airmont Luth Ch  
(he of Mahwah; she  
of Ringwood)

**Mary Louisa Man**

dau. of

b.

b.

---Sources: Airmont Luth Ch Marriages 1876-1938, transcribed May 2005 by Pat Wardell, online at <<http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>>;

**DeGroat, Peter**

Peter DeGroat  
b. 15 May 1832

m. (prob 2) 27 March 1889

**Sarah E. Milligan**

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**Groot, Philip**

Philip Groot  
son of Symon Symons Groot &  
Rebecca Philipse Du Trieux

m.

**Sara Peek**

dau. of Jacobus Peek &

Philip Symonsz Groot settled on the north side of the Mohawk at Crane's village. He was drowned in the river in 1716. His lands were inherited by his three sons.<sup>1</sup>

---*children of Philip Symonsz Groot & Sara Jacobusse Peek:*

- **Simon Groot**, bp. 20 Sep 1702 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Jacobus Peek, Lysabet Teunisz); d. 10 or 15 Nov 1732
- **Jacobus Groot**, bp. 16 Oct 1707 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Dirk Groot, Maria Danielz); d. 18 Feb 1731/32
- **Rebecca Groot**, bp. 30 Oct 1710 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Simon Swits, Rebecca Swits); d. 13 Feb 1731/32
- **Ludovicus Groot** (Lewis), bp. 1 Feb 1713 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Simon Danielz, Elisabeth Peek); d. 27 Jan 1794, ae. 81 years; m. (1) 6 Dec 1738, **Annatie Van Antwerpen**, dau. of Pieter Van Antwerpen; m. (2) Jan 1760, **Elizabeth Van Eps**, dau. of Johannes Van Eps.
- **Elisabeth Groot**, bp. 16 Sep 1715 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Arent Vedder, Sara Vedder); m. **Pieter Van Petten**

---Sources:

[1] Pearson, Jonathan, *Contributions to the Genealogies of the Descendants of the First Settlers of the Patent and City of Schenectady, from 1662 to 1800*, 1873, online at <<http://www.scp1.org/history/families/firstsettlers/>>;

Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1701-1704, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap2.htm>>; Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1705-1710, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap3.htm>>; Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1711-1715, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap4.htm>>

**DeGroat, Richard** (Mulatto)

Richard DeGroat  
b. about 1756<sup>1</sup>

m. (1)

**Santje**

b.

m. (2?) 21 March 1818  
Saddle River Ref Ch

**Hannah Mann** (Man)  
dau. of

Richard Degroot, 94, laborer, was listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township [prob. Mahwah area], Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with him were: Hannah, 56; Anna Maria, 19; and Francis, 16, laborer.

---*children of Richard DeGroat & (1) Santje*

- (poss?) **William DeGroat**, b. about 1814 NJ; m. **Sarah -?-**
- children of Richard DeGroat & (2?) Hannah Mann:*
- (poss?) **Elias DeGroat**, b. about 1824 NJ; m. **Jane -?-**
- (poss?) **Albert DeGroat**, b. about 1827 NJ; m. **Hannah -?-**
- **Anna Maria DeGroat**, b. about 1831
- **Francis DeGroat**, b. about 1834

---Sources:

[1] "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Affairs);  
Saddle River Reformed Church (Upper Saddle River, Bergen Co., NJ) Records, including gravestones inscriptions from the adjacent chyd (typescript); 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken August 1850, dwelling 673, family 737

**DeGroat, Richard**

Richard DeGroat m. **Nora**  
b. about 1779 b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, Richard**

Richard DeGroat m. **Phebe -?-**  
b. about 1792 b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, Richard** ("colored"; Mulatto) (DeGrot)

Richard DeGroat m. 24 Nov 1838 **Ellen Moore**  
son of Zion Luth Ch, Saddle dau. of  
River (both of Ramapo - colored) b. about 1812-1820

b. about 1795-1804

In the marriage record, they were "both of Ramapo."

Richard DeGroat, 60, farmer, and Elen, 35, his wife, were listed in the 1855 New York State Census, living in Ramapo Township, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them were: George, 14, child; and Ellen, 12, child. They were all b. Orange Co., NY and had lived in Ramapo Township for 2 years.

Richard Degroat, 66, farmer, and Ellen, 58, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Maria, 81; George, 20; Richard, 13; Alsida, 11; and Mary A., 9. They were all listed as Mulatto.

---children of Richard DeGroat & Ellen Moore:

- **George DeGroat**, b. about 1841
- **Ellen DeGroat**, b. about 1843
- **George DeGroat**, b. about 1850
- **Richard DeGroat**, b. about 1857
- **Alsida DeGroat**, b. about 1859
- **Mary A. DeGroat**, b. about 1861

---Sources: 1855 New York State Census, Rockland County, Town of Ramapo, family 377; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, Records of the Zion Lutheran Churches of Saddle River & Ramapo, NJ (incl. gravestone inscriptions from the chyd in Saddle River, NJ)

**DeGroat, Richard**

Richard DeGroat m. **-?-**  
b. about 1804 b.

---children of Richard DeGroat

- **Jacob DeGroat**
- **Eliza DeGroat, m. -?- Jennings.**

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroot, Richard James** (poss. a Black family)

Richard James DeGroot m. 25 May 1841 **Elizabeth Ann DeGroot**  
son of Bergen Co. dau. of  
Justice of Peace  
H. B. Hagerman

b. about 1812

In the marriage record, they are both of Bergen.

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, Bergen Co, Justices of Peace, p. 113

**DeGroat, Richard**

Richard DeGroat m. about 1867 **Hannah/Anna Louisa DeFreese**  
son of John DeGroat & dau. of  
Margaret

b. about 1846-47 NJ (27 Nov 1843) b. about 1849 NJ

Richard DeGroat served in the Civil War. Information in his pension file indicates he was born 27 Nov 1843 in Greenwood, Orange County, NY. The file mentions his wife Hannah and his stepmother Eliza Ann. It also mentions those who gave testimony regarding his service: John Defrese, Samuel Mann, Peter Defrece, Silas W. Milligan, Charles T. Van Dunk, and

James DeGroat. There is also a statement about Richard and Hannah's ten children, nine of whom were albinos (four of whom were living in June 1895).

Richard DeGrote, 7/8 Indian, and Hannah, 26, were listed as head of a household in the 1875 NY State Census, living in the Town of Monroe, Orange County, NY. Listed living with them were Sarah F., 8; Margaret A., 6; and Charles H., 3-2/12. The census enumerator noted that he had two albino children.

Richard DeGroat, 33, and his family were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Sterling, in the Town of Warwick, Orange County, NY. He was listed with wife Louisa, 31, Sarah F., 13; Margaret A., 11; Charles H., 8; William [T.?], 6; John C., 3; and Richard, 2/12.

Hannah L. DeGroat, 43, and children, Margaret A., 22; Charls T., 19; William H., 15; and John A., 12, were listed in the NY State Census for 1892, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY.

Richard, b. 1846 NY, and Hannah, b. 1847, married 32 years, were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were Charles, b. 1874; Willie, b. 1876; and John, b. 1879.

Hannah L., wife of Richard DeGroat, was received at Brook Chapel in 1886 (Ramapo Presbyterian Church).

---children of Richard DeGroat & Hannah Louisa (10 children; 9 of whom were albinos; 4 living in June 1895)

- **Sarah F. DeGroat**, b. about 1867
- **Margaret A. DeGroat**, b. about 1869
- **Charles H. DeGroat**, b. about 1872; m. **Jessie DeGroat**. He was an albino. Their daughter, Ida May was a child of "Indian type" and appearance.
- **William T. DeGroat**, b. about 1871/1876
- **John C. [or A.] DeGroat**, b. about 1877 (or 1879)
- **Richard DeGroat**, b. about 1880

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

### DeGroat, Richard

Richard DeGroat  
b. Oct 1845

m. 11 Dec 1869

**Sarah Maria Jennings**

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

### DeGroot, Robert

Robert DeGroot  
son of John DeGroot &

m. (1) 26 June 1820  
1st Ref Ch Hackensack, by  
Rev. James V.C. Romeyn

**Aletta Zabriskie** (Aaltje)  
dau. of Jacob J. Zabriskie &  
Wyntje Hopper

b. abt. 1793

bp. 8 Dec 1793 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch  
d. 28 Nov 1878 Oakland, Bergen Co., NJ

m. (2) 1 March 1834  
Hackensack Ref Ch

b. 21 May 1800  
bp. 17 July 1800 Paramus Ref Ch  
d. 2 Dec 1829 ("of Henburgh" [Hamburg]!)

**Maria LaRue** (La Roe; Polly)  
(widow of **Jacob Vanderlinde**)  
dau. of

m. (3) 14 Sep 1850  
Hackensack Ref Ch

**Anna Lutkins**  
(widow of **Cornelius Skidmore**)  
dau. of John Lutkins &  
b. about 1809

Robert DeGroot lived at Lodi, Bergen Co., NJ.

Robert Degroat, 67, farmer, and Anna Degroat, 50, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Saddle River Township (Godwinville P.O.), Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Leah, 17; Catherine, 12; and John, 8. Also living with them were Richard Cadmus, 83, gentleman, and Jane Cadmus, 79.

His will was dated 7 Mar 1878 (he was then of Saddle River), probated 23 Dec 1878.

---children of Robert DeGroot & (1) Aaltje Zabriskie:

- **John DeGroot**, b. 23 March 1823; bp. 25 May 1823 Hackensack Ref Ch
- **Lavinia DeGroot**, b. 3 May 1826; bp. 15 May 1826 Hackensack Ref Ch; m. **James Bertholf**

---children of Robert DeGroot & (2) Maria Larue:

- **Aletta Ann De Groat**, b. 20 May 1835; bp. 26 July 1835 Hackensack Ref Ch
- **Leah DeGroot**, b. about 1843
- **Catherine De Groot**, b. about 1848

---children of Robert DeGroot & (3) Anna Lutkins:

- **John DeGroot**, b. about 1852

---Sources:

[1] Martha Ann Zabriskie Memorandum Book (Typescript at Bergen County Historical Society Library), p. 3; Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, p. 29; Zabriskie, George Olin, The Zabriskie Family: A Three Hundred and one Year History of the descendants of Albrecht Zaborowskij (Ca 1638-1711) of Bergen County, New Jersey, 1963, Vol. I, p. 201; 1860 Federal Census, Bergen County New Jersey, Saddle River Township, (Godwinville P.O.), dwelling 137, family 152; Ackerman, Herbert Stewart, and Arthur J. Goff, Hackensack Reformed Church Records, 1801-1886, Copied from Book Number Two of Records, 1943 [facsimile reprint published 1996 by Bergen Historic Books]

### DeGroot, Samuel



**Samuel De Groot** m. 2 Feb 1752 **Trintie Pouwer** (Werritje Power)  
 son of Joost Staets DeGroot & Tappan Ref Ch dau. of  
 Maritie Banta  
 bp. 24 Feb 1717 bp.  
 In the Tappan Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: "Samuel De Groot j.m. and Werritje Power, j.d. both pf Hackensack."

---*children of Samuel DeGroot & Trintie Pouwer:*

- **Joost De Groot**, b. 20 Feb 1753; bp. 25 Mar 1753 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Maria DeGroot**, bp. 3 Nov 1761
- **John DeGroot**, bp. 31 May 1767

---Sources: Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; Schraalenburgh Baptisms; Banta, Theosore M., *A Frisian Family: The Banta Genealogy*, 1893, p. 22 (#92 Samuel DeGroot); "Betrothals and Marriages of the Dutch Reformed Church of Tappan, Rockland County, NY" in *The New York Genealogical and Biographics Record*, serialized, beginning in issue Vol. LXXXIV, No. 3 (July 1953)

**DeGroot, Samuel**

Samuel DeGroot m. **Lena**

---*children of Samuel DeGroot & Lena*

- **Marya Degroot**, bp. 28 Oct 1759 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Henderick Lutkins and his wife)

---Sources: *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ], 1891*, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II)

**DeGroot, Samuel**

Samuel DeGroot m. **Catharine**

*children of Samuel DeGroot & Catharine*

- (prob) **Joseph DeGroot**, m. **Catharine -?-**
- (prob) **Samuel DeGroot**
- **Maria DeGrot**, b. abt. 3 Nov 1761; bp. 17 Nov 1761 NYC Luth Ch (no wit.)
- **John De Grot**, b. 27 Mar, bp. 22 May 1765 NYC Luth Ch (wit: John DeGrot, Maria); apparently d.y.
- **John Degroot**, b. 31 May, bp. 7 June 1767 NYC Luth Ch (no wit)

---Sources: "Baptisms, Lutheran Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1970, p. 103; Oct 1970, p. 209; Jan 1971, p. 27

**DeGroot, Samuel E.**

Samuel E. DeGroot m. (1) (poss) **Mary**

son of John DeGroot & dau. of  
 (1) Sarah Edsall<sup>1</sup>

b. 9 June 1819<sup>1</sup>

m. (2) 30 April 1861 **Sarah C. Lozier**  
 Hackensack & English (widow of -?-)  
 Neighborhood dau. of

Samuel E. Degroot, 30, farmer, and Mary, 28, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Hackensack Township, Bergen County, NJ.

---Sources:

[1] Van Valen, James M., *History of Bergen County, New Jersey*, 1900, p. 538 (online at Google.com Books); Westervelt, Frances A., *Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records*, 1929, p. 20; 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hackensack Township, taken August 1850, dwelling 431, family 458 (family of Samuel E. Degroot)

**DeGroat, Samuel**

Samuel DeGroat m. about 1875 **Margaret A. DeGroat**

b. Jan 1850 b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**Degroat, Samuel J.**

Samuel J. Degroat m. 18 June 1879 **Any Bertha Smith**

son of Airmont Luth Ch dau. of  
 (both of Mahwah)

---Sources: Airmont Luth Ch Marriages 1876-1938, transcribed by Pat Wardell

**Groot, Symon Symonse**

Symon Symonse Groot m. **Rebecca Du Trieux**

son of dau. of Philip Du Trieux &

d. (2) Susanna Du Chesne  
 d. about 1735

He came to New Netherland in the employ of the West India Company, as boatswain on the ship *Prince Maurice*. In 1645

he bought a house and lot from Jacob Roy in New Amsterdam. He later moved to Albany, and then Schenectady.

On 8 Feb 1690, his five sons, Symon, Abraham, Philip, Dirk, and Claas were taken captive by the French and Indians and taken to Canada. They were redeemed the following year.

*---children of Symon Symonse Groot & Rebecca Philipse Du Trieux:*

- **Symon Symonsz Groot, m. Geertruy Rinkhout**
- **Abraham Symonsz Groot, m. (1) 15 April 1699 Antje Wemp**, widow of Sander Glen; m. (2) **Hestertje Visscher**, dau. of Visscher of Albany.
- **Philip Symonsz Groot, d. 1716 (drowned); m. Sara Peek**, dau. of Jacobus Peek
- **Dirck Symonsz Groot, m. Lysbeth Vander Volgen**, dau. of Claas Laurensse Vander Volgen.
- **Cornelis Symonsz Groot**
- **Claas Symonsz Groot**
- **Susanna Symonse Groot, m. Isaac Cornelise Swits**
- **Maria Symonse Groot, m. Daniel Janse Van Antwerpen**
- **Rebecca Symonse Groot, m. Claas Cornelise Vander Volgen**
- **Sara Symonse Groot, m. Arent Vedder**

---Sources: Pearson, Jonathan, "Groot Family of Albany and Schenectady" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1873, p. 8; O'Callaghan, E. B., *The Documentary History of the State of New York*, Vol. 1, Albany: Weed, Parsons & Co. 1849

**DeGroot, Simon** (Symon; Groot)

Symon DeGroot

Symon De Groot witnessed the baptism, 1 Nov 1685 Albany Ref Ch, of Johannes, son of Jan Buys & Lysbeth Groot. The child was presented by Lysbeth Wendell.

---Sources: *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Albany, New York 1683-1809*, Marriages, Baptisms, Members, Etc., excerpted from the Year Books of the Holland Society, NY, reprinted by Clearfield Publishing Co., 1999

**Groot, Simon** (Simon Groot, Jr.)

Simon Groot

m.

**Geertruy Janse Rinkhout**

son of Symon Symonse Groot &  
Rebecca Du Trieux

dau. of Jan Rinkhout &

Symon Symonsz Groot, Jr., eldest son of the first settler, owned a lot on the north side of State Street, from Jan Baptist Van Eps's lane (now Jay Street) to a point 250 feet eastwardly from the "Lange gang" (now Centre Street). His dau., Susanna Bragham, inherited one-third of this lot.<sup>1</sup>

*---children of Simon Symonsz Groot & Geertruy Jans Rinkhout:*

- **Rebecca Symonse Groot**, bp. 3 July 1692 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Philip Wendell, Susanna Groot); m. **Nicolaas Van Petten**
- **Eva Simonse Groot**, bp. 3 Jan 1695 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Groot, Elsje Wendell)
- **Susanna Simonse Groot**, bp. 21 March 1697 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Lansing, Ariaantje Wendell);  
m. **Joseph Bragham**
- **Simon Simonse Groot**, bp. 29 Sep 1700 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Dirk Groot, Diewer Wendel); m. **Bata Cloet**, dau. of Jan Cloet & Bata Slichtenhorst
- **Johannes Simonsz Groot**, bp. 13 Dec 1702 Schenectady Ref Ch (wit: Isaac Swits, Lisabet Rinkhout)
- **Nicolaas Simonsz Groot**
- **Lysbeth Simonse Groot**, bp. 24 Feb 1706 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Cornelis Swits, Abraham Cuyler, Lysbeth Schuyler);  
m. **Juriaan Siverse**
- **Cornelis Simonsz Groot**

---Sources:

[1] Pearson, Jonathan, *Contributions to the Genealogies of the Descendants of the First Settlers of the Patent and City of Schenectady, from 1662 to 1800*, 1873, online at <<http://www.scp1.org/history/families/firstsettlers/>>;

Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1694-1700, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap1.htm>>; Schenectady Dutch Reformed Church Baptisms, 1701-1704, online Oct 2000 at <<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/5934/scdybap2.htm>>; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Albany, New York 1683-1809*, Marriages, Baptisms, Members, Etc., excerpted from the Year Books of the Holland Society, NY, reprinted by Clearfield Publishing Co., 1999;

**Groot, Simon Simonse**

Simon Simons Groot

m.

**Bata Cloet**

son of Simon Groot &

dau. of Jan Cloet &

Geertruy Janse Rinkhout

Bata Slichtenhorst

bp. 29 Sep 1700 Schenectady Ref Ch

bp. about 7 May 1704 Schenectady Ref Ch

**DeGroot, Staats Jansen** (Euthasius DeGroot; Staets; Staes)

Staats DeGroot

m. 1664

**Barbara Caspars Springsteen**

dau. of Caspar Springsteen &

Geesje Jans Van Groeningen

b. Tricht, Gelderland, Netherlands<sup>2</sup>

b. about 1650 Netherlands

d. betw. 1688 & 1704 prob. Tappan, NY

d.

In April 1663, Staats deGroot, a resident of Tricht, Holland, came to America on the ship *T'Bonte Koe* (Spotted Cow), the same ship which had brought his brother, Dirck Jansen deGroot, three years earlier, 15 April 1660.

Staats lived in Brooklyn in 1675. On 19 Aug 1675, Stas de groot was listed in the Assessment Roll of the Real and Personal Property in Boswyck. He owned 1 poll, 1 horse, and one cow, valued in total at £35.

In 1678 he was in Westchester County and then in Bergen.

On 24 March 1686 Staats DeGroot, with Daniel de Clerk and 15 others petitioned for a grant of land near Tappan later known as the Orangeburg Patent. He was, however, in New Amsterdam in 1688 and possibly never located on his Tappan lands.

---*children of Euthasius/Staats DeGroot & Barbara Caspers Springsteen:*

- **Geesje DeGroot**, bp. 15 Jan 1676 NYC Ref Ch (no father's first name in bp. record) (wit: Coryn Gerritszen, Grietje Cosyns); m. **Andreas Van Dyck**.
- **Metje DeGroot**, bp. 24 June 1678 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Dirck Gerrits [Van Dien?] and wife); m. **Joris Jewel** (George Jewel).
- **Willemetje DeGroot**, bp. 30 Oct 1680 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Caspar Janszen, Teuntie Jeuriaens)
- **Cornelia DeGroot**, bp. 18 Oct 1685 NYC Ref Ch (as child of Claes [Staes] Jansen and Barbara Caspers) (wit: Daniel De Clerk, Grietje Cosyns) m. **Jonas/Joost Gerretse**
- **Maryken de Groot**, bp. 18 Mar 1688 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Theunis Roelofszen, Geertruyd Van Rollegom)
- **Niesje D Groot** (Nieltje), m. before 1698, as his second wife, **Hendrick Storm**.  
Niesje m. (2) **Laurens Mathyszen Bancker**.
- **Joost DeGroot**, b. Tappan, NY; d. June 1748; buried 1748 Luth Chyd, Hackensack, NJ; m. 3 May 1712 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Maritie Cornelise Banta**, dau. of Cornelius Banta & Jannetje DePre

---Sources:

- [1] O'Callaghan, E. B., *The Documentary History of the State of New York*, 1849 (Four vols.), Vol. IV, p. 142;  
 [2] Hoffman, William J., "An Armory of American Families of Dutch Descent -- de Groot" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 69, No. 3, July 1938, p. 224;  
 Versteeg, Dingman, and Thomas E. Vermilye, Jr., with contributions by Nicholas G. Vreeland, et. al., *Bergen Records: Records of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church of Bergen in New Jersey, 1666 to 1788* (excerpted and reprinted from Year Books of the Holland Society of New York, 1913, 1914, 1915) Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., 1976; reprinted for Clearfield Co., Inc., 1990; Harvey, Cornelius Burnham, *Genealogical History of Hudson and Bergen Counties, New Jersey*, 1900, p. 162; "Descendants of Caspar Springsteen" 1997, compiled by J. W. Dooley, 804 Arlington Mill Drive #104, Arlington, VA 22204; Provost, Andrew J., "The Ancestry of and Descent from Joost, Johannes and Melchior Springsteen," in *Early Settlers of Bushwick, Long Island, New York and Their Descendants*, 1953, Darien, CT (pp. 149-199; there is no p. 176), p. 151; *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1902 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III)

### DeGroot, Staats

Staats DeGroot  
son of Joost DeGroot &  
Maritje Cornelis Banta

m. NY Marriage  
Bond dated  
4 Sept 1738

**Catharina Van Buskirk** (Trientje)  
dau. of Laurens Pietersen Van Buskirk  
& Rachel Haulenbeek

b.  
bp. 30 Aug 1713 Hackensack Ref Ch

b. 20 Mar 1718  
bp. 7 June 1718 NYC Luth Ch

Catharina Van Buskirk (Trientje) received first communion 3 Apr 1743 NYC Luth Ch (she was then the wife of Stats DeGroot).

He may be the Staats Degroot who ran a grist mill from about 1748 until 1754 at what is now Westwood, Bergen Co., NJ. He sold the mill and property in 1754 to Peter Marselis for £475.

Note: NYC Luth Ch Records—"Bp. 8 Oct 1746 at Hackinsack, in Staats de Groot's house, the child and the mother being sick, *Rebecca*, b. 18 Aug, the mother Antje van Boskerk. No one having been in a hurry to sponsor this child, because it is illegitimate by an Indian, so I have had to baptize it without sponsors or godparents."

On 10 Sep 1756, States Degroot, of Hackensackj, Bergen Co., NJ, [sold] to Jacob Demott of same, [for] £7.6, 2 acres, sold by Samuel Moore to Joseph Forbie, 1 Sep 1752, who sold 2 Mar 1754 to Degroot heirs. Said States Degroot now sells. Signed Aaeto [States] Degroot. Wit: Theodore Valleau, Stephen Bourdett and Samuel Moore.<sup>1</sup>

---*children of Staats DeGroot & Trientje Van Buskirk:*

- **Maritjin De Groot**, bp. 31 Dec 1738 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Abram Laroe and wife)
- **Louwrens De Groot**, bp. 3 May 1741 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Cornelis Wynkoop and wife)
- **Staats de Groot**, b. 24 Sep 1744; bp. 5 Nov 1744 NYC Luth Ch ("in the Domine's house, because of the illness of the child") (wit: Isaac Vrooman and wife Dorothea; in their places, Gerrit v. Halenbeck and Rahel, Laurens v Boskerk's wife)
- **Joost DeGroot**, bp. 11 Oct 1747 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Samuel DeGroot, Willempie Boskerk) (as Joost, son of Staats DeGroot & TrientjeBoskerk)
- **Rachel de Groot**, b. 8 June 1751; bp. 20 June 1751 NYC Luth Ch ("of Staats de Groot & Catharina, living in Hackins.") (wit: Laurence Peter van Buschkerk and wife Rachel)
- (poss.) **John De Groot**, m. **Maria -?-**

---Sources:

- [1] Davis, John David, *Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records, 1689-1801*, 1995 Heritage Books, p. 68;  
 [2] Shoemaker, Irene English, *Van Buskirk: A Legacy From New Amsterdam*, 1990, Vol. II, p. 1524 (DeGroot/Van Buskirk marriage, cited from Albany records); Shoemaker gives no marriage at all for Catharina Van Buskirk, dau. of Laurens Pietersen Van Buskirk & Rachel Haulenbeek, Vol. I, p. 917)  
*Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I, Baptisms & Marriages); "Baptisms, Lutheran Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1969, p. 48; Oct., 1969, p. 202; "First Communion, Lutheran Church [New York]" in *NYG&B Record*, July 1973, p. 183; Schraalenburgh Baptisms; *New York Marriages Previous to 1784*, p. 103; Durie, Howard I., "Bogert's Mill" in "Pascack Valley Tales" in *Community Life*, 11 May 1994

### DeGroat, States

States DeGroat  
d. 7 Feb 1869, age 79.3.-  
buried Athens Rural Cem, Greene Co., NY

m.

**Catherine**  
d. 11 March 1832, age 59.11.11  
buried

---Sources: Athen Rural Cemetery Inscriptions, Green Co., NY online at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/athens\\_rural\\_section\\_onea.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/athens_rural_section_onea.htm)>

**DeGroot, States**

States DeGroot  
son of

m. 11 Sep 1852  
First Ref Ch, Athens,  
Greene Co., NY

**Hannah Van Loon**  
dau. of

At the time of their marriage, they were both of Athens.

---Sources: Marriages, First Ref Ch, Athens, Greene Co., NY, online at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/athens\\_reformed\\_marriages.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/athens_reformed_marriages.htm)>

**DeGroat, Stephen** (black)

Stephen DeGroat  
d.

m.

-?-

d. about 1 Feb 1846

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, Records of the Zion Lutheran Churches of Saddle River & Ramapo, NJ (incl. gravestone inscriptions from the chyd in Saddle River, NJ), Burials

**Degroat, Stephen** (black)

Stephen Degroat  
b. about 1812 NJ

m.

**Jane**

b. about 1810 NJ

Stephen Degroat, 38, black, laborer, b. NJ, and Jane Degroat, 40, black, b. NJ, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Washington Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them was: Emeline Degroat, 1, black, b. NJ.

---*children of Stephen Degroat & Jane*

- **Emeline Degroat**, b. about 1849 NJ

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey; Bergen County; Washington Township (taken Aug 1850), Dwelling 958, Family 1050 (Family of Stephen Degroat)

**de Groot, William Pietersen**

William Pietersen de Groot  
son of Pieter

m. 1649  
(banns: 24 Oct 1649  
NYC Ref Ch)

**Lysje Gerrits** (Tysie) (Patervaer?)  
dau. of

In the marriage record, they were: Willem Pieterszen de Groot, j.m. Van Haerlem, en Lysje Gerrits, j.d. Van Amsterd.

According to Harvey, William Pietersen deGroot came to America in 1662 on the ship *Hope* with his wife and five children.<sup>1</sup> If so, this could not have been his first trip to New Amsterdam; he was in New Amsterdam for his marriage in 1649.

13 Sep 1655 -- Willem Pietersen de Groot, pltf. v/s Jacob Stoffelsen, deft. Pltf. in quality of attorney for his father in law Hendk. J. Patervaer according to procuration dated 20th Oct 1654 passed before Motaries and witnesses at Alkmaer, demands to be informed by what authority deft. arrested the monies deposited by him in the hands of Jan J: Schepmoes. Deft. says he arrested the monies because he and Patervaer in company had purchased of Mr. Jacob the Surgeon some goods to the amount of fl. 400, for which they signed a note, which still remains unsettled and unpaid: And also because he was security for Hend'k Jacobsen Patervaer for the received prize goods. Requests, inasmuch as he has not at present his papers to prove the same, that the case be postponed until Mr. Jacob shall arrive from the South, and that the Court shall be pleased to declare aforesaid arrest valid. Partiuies being heard the Court pronounced the said arrest valid and Jacob Stoffelsen was ordered to produce the obligations and proofs which he says he has.<sup>2</sup>

---*children of Willem Pieterszen de Groot &*

- **Pieter Willemse [de Groot]**, bp. 21 Aug 1650 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Aert Willemszen, en syn huys vr., Hendrick Jacobszen en syn huys vr.)
- **Fytie Willemse [de Groot]**, bp. 16 July 1656 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Van Couwenhoven, Jan Peeck, Selitje Fredricks)
- **Gerrit Willemse [de Groot]**, bp. 10 March 1658 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Andries Jochemszen, Guiljan Verleth, Claertie Alders v. Criecken Beeck)
- **Johannes Willemse [De Groot]**, bp. 15 Feb 1660 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Hans Steyn, Gelitje Fredrix)

---Sources:

[1] Harvey, Cornelius Burnham, *Genealogical History of Hudson and Bergen Counties, New Jersey*, 1900, p. 162;

[2] Fernow, Berthold, ed., *Records of New Amsterdam, 1653-1674*, 7 Vols., 1897 (on CD), Vol. I -- Minutes of the Court of Burgomasters and Schepens, 1653-1655, p. 360; *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); *Marriages from 1639 to 1801 in the Reformed Dutch Church, New Amsterdam-New York City*, 1940 (Vol. IX of Collections of the New York Genealogical & Biographical Society), reprinted 1997 by Heritage Books;

**DeGroot, William**

William DeGroot  
b. about 1742

m.

**Ann**

b. about 1751

d. 28 Aug 1841, age 99.2.21

d. 25 May 1843, age 92.3.27

buried Bound Brook NJ Presby Chyd

buried Bound Brook NJ Presby Chyd

---*children of William DeGroot & Ann*

- **Altie Olden Degroot**, b. about 1781; d. 26 March 1803, age 21.5.11; buried Bound Brook NJ Presbyterian Chyd.
- **Henry Latourette Degroot**, b. about 1784; d. 28 April 1787, age 3.2.20; buried Bound Brook NJ Presbyterian Chyd

---Sources: "Bound Brook Presbyterian Churchyard Inscriptions" in *Somerset County Historical Quarterly* (edited by A. Van Doren Honeyman), Vol. I, No. 4, Oct 1812, p. 306

**DeGroat, William**

William DeGroat  
son of

m.

**Hester Ten Eyck**

dau. of Hendrick Ten Eyck &



b.  
 ---Sources: Ten Eyck, Richard Conger, "Newly Established Ancestry of Some Rockland County, New York, Ten Eycks" in *New Netherland Connections*, Vol. 11, No. 4 (Oct, Nov, Dec 2006), p. 85; 96;

Maria Conklin  
 b. about 1768

**DeGroat, William** (Mulatto)

William DeGroat m. **Julia -?-**  
 b. about 1795 NJ b. about 1806? NY

William Degroat, 56, laborer, b. NJ, and Julia, 54?, b. NY, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them, all b. NY, were: Henry, 17; Richard, 14; Amy, 11; Owen? (Ryer? Dyer?), 8; Lucinda, 6; Effy, 4; and Jesiah?, 3.

---children of William DeGroat & Julia

- **Henry DeGroat**, b. about 1833 NY
- **Richard DeGroat**, b. about 1836 NY
- **Amy DeGroat**, b. about 1839 NY
- **Owen? DeGroat** (Ryer? Dyer?), b. about 1842 NY
- **Lucinda DeGroat**, b. about 1844 NY
- **Effy DeGroat**, b. about 1846 NY
- **Jesiah DeGroat**, b. about 1848 NY

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs); 1850 Federal Census, New York State, Rockland County, Town of Ramapo, taken September 1850, dwelling 631, family 640

**DeGroot, William R.** (Mulatto)

William R. DeGroot m. 15 Oct 1837 **Sally Ann Mann** (Sarah Ann)  
 son of (poss?) Richard De Groot & Bergen Co. dau. of  
 Justice of Peace  
 H. B. Hagerman b. about 1820

b. about 1814  
 In the marriage record, they are both of Franklin.

William Degroot, 31, laborer, and Sally Ann, 30, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township [prob. Mahwah area], Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Margaret, 8; Richard, 6; and Chapman, 1. They were listed as Mulatto.

William Degroot, 46, laborer, and Sarah, 48, his wife, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. They were listed as Mulatto. Listed living with them were L Margt., 18; Richd., 16, laborer; Chapman, 11; Abby, 10; Sarah, 8; John, 6; and Eliza C., 1.

Sally DeGroot, 49, keeping house [listed as head of household] was listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with her were: Chapman, 21, farm laborer; John, 14; Eliza C., 11. Also living in the same dwelling, but listed as a separate family, were: Geo, Suffern, 31, farm laborer; Margaretta, 27; and Ann L., 3. They were listed as Mulatto.

---children of William R. DeGroat & Sally Ann Mann:

- **Margaret DeGroat**, b. about 1842; m. (poss) **George Suffern**.
- **Richard DeGroat**, b. about 1844
- **Chapman DeGroat**, b. about 1849
- **Abby DeGroat**, b. about 1850
- **Sarah DeGroat**, b. about 1852
- **John DeGroat**, b. about 1854
- **Eliza C. DeGroat**, b. about 1859

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken August 1850, dwelling 677, family 741; 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 802, family 878; 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (Ramsey's P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 469, family 517; Westervelt, Frances A., *Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records*, 1929, Bergen Co, Justices of Peace, p. 113; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, William H.**

William H. DeGroat m. about 1856 **Rosanna Showers**  
 son of (widow of (prob) **David B. Bartow**)  
 b. June 1828 b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, William**

William DeGroat m. 14 June 1862 **Maria Maginnes**  
 son of John DeGroat & dau. of  
 b. Oct 1839 b.

---children of William DeGroat & Maria Maginnes:

- **Minnie DeGroat**, m. **Albert Smith**.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

**DeGroat, William** (black)

William DeGroat  
son of

m. 30 Jan 1866  
Ramapo Ref Ch  
(wit: M. F. C. Demarest,  
L. I. Ryerson)

**Margaret Jane DeGroat** (m. as Jane)  
dau. of

b. 11 March 1844

b. about 1850

William DeGroot, 25, farm laborer, and Jane, 20, keeping hosue, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: George, 3; and Ann, 8/12.

---children of William DeGroat & Margaret Jane DeGroat:

• **George DeGroat**, b. about 1867

• **Ann DeGroat**, b. about 1869

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (Ramsey's P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 259, family 291; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs); Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the] Ramapo Reformed Church; Ramapo Lutheran Church, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books), p. 21

**Unplaced DeGroot Women:**

**Catherine Degroot**, m. 8 Jan 1784 NYC Ref Ch, **Hermon Beekman**

**Elizabeth DeGroot**, m. (1) **Abraham Ackerman**. He was b. about 1779. Elizabeth DeGroot m. (2) 8 May 1837 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Benjamin Buckbee**, widower of Phebe Cleveland

**Jannetje DeGroot**, m. 7 Feb 1719 Tarrytown Ref Ch, **Samuel Springsteen**.

**Lysbeth Groot/DeGroot**, m. about 1677, **Jan Buys**

**Margriet de Groot**, m. before 7 Nov 1660, **Barent Cruydop**

**Maria DeGroot** m. Lutheran Ch, NYC (License dated 20 Aug 1757), **Nicholas Brouwer/Brewer**, son of Isaac Brouwer & Rachel Demarest

**Marytje DeGroot** (Molly), m. 6 Dec 1744 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Roelof Westervelt**

**Nancy DeGroot**, b. 15 Aug 1810; m. 8 March 1830 Kakiat Ref Ch, **Isaac G. Cooper**

**Rachel deGroot**, b. 1734; m. 11 June 1761 NYC Ref Ch, **Pieter Roome**