

-- RAMSEY --

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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**Ramsey**

For another (mainly PA) line of Ramseys, see "Ramsey Ancestry of Ensign William Ramsey," by Orra Eugene Monnette, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct. 1912, p. 388.

John Y. Dater wrote, in *The Old Station Time Table*, the publication of the Mahwah Historical Society, in the February-March 1982 (Vol. 5, No. 2) issue: "According to Rex Ramsey of Michigan, the Ramseys originated in Dalhousie, Scotland, west of Edinburgh. They had a castle there and Sir James Ramsey was knighted in 1236 by King David of Scotland. Sir James was also a member of Parliament. In 1701 William Ramsey came to Bucks County, PA and eventually to New Jersey and Hohokus Township."

**Ramsey, Abraham**

Abraham Ramsey  
b. about 1818  
d. 12 Sep 1850, ae 31.11.21

buried Union Cemetery, Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

---Sources: Typescript Gravestone Inscriptions, Union Cemetery, Darlington Avenue, Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ

**Ramsey, Abraham**

Abraham Ramsey  
son of (prob) James Ramsey &

m. 11 May 1842  
Kakiat Ref Ch

**Catharine Youmans** (Yeomans)  
dau. of Lewis D. Yeomans &

Rachel Van Roden  
b. about 1824 NJ  
d. before 1860  
buried

Margaret Willis  
b. 26 March 1824  
d. 14 Oct 1915  
buried Wyckoff Ref Chyd, Wyckoff, NJ  
(buried as Catherine Clayton)

In the m. record, he is of Ramapo, she is of Wyckoff; wit. at the m. was James Steward of Ramapo.

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Hohokus Township, p. 16, enumerated 14 Aug 1850, Dwelling 407, Family 446 (all b. NJ) -- James Ramsey, 66, Farmer, value real estate \$3000; Rachel [Ramsey], 63; Rachel [Ramsey], 17; Mathew Hicks, 11; Anny Ramsey, 9; Jemima Van Raden, 82. Living in the same dwelling, Family 447 -- Abraham Ramsey, 26, Farmer; Catharine [Ramsey], 25; James [Ramsey], 5.

She was listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living with her sister Elizabeth and her husband David Fox, and their family -- New York, New York Co., New York City, Ward 20, District 4, p. 116, enumerated 11 July 1860, Dwelling 347, Family 1011 (all b. NJ except as noted) -- David Fox, 34, Carman, value personal estate \$500, b. NY; Elizabeth [Fox], 33; Margaret [Fpx], 12; Lewis [Fox], 6; Edwd [Fox], 4; Catharine Clayton, 36, Tailoress; Dorcas Clayton, 18.

She was listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living with her sister Elizabeth and her husband David Fox and their family -- New Jersey, Passaic Co., Aquackanonk, Passaic P.O., p. 99-100, enumerated 18 July 1870, Dwelling 695, Family 712 (all b. NJ except as noted) -- Fox, David J., 44, Produce Merchant, value real estate \$10,000, value personal estate \$1000, b. NY; [Fox], Elizabeth, 43; [Fox], Louis, 15; [Fox], George, 2; Quinn, Mary, 18, Domestic Servant; Clayton, Catherine, 47; Reed, Jno. H., 33, Bookkeeper, b. Scotland; [Reed], Many, 25, b. Scotland; [Reed], James, 40, b. Scotland; [Reed], Agnes, 30, b. Scotland; Willis, John, 30, Bookkeeper RR, b. NY; [Willis], Mary, 25, b. NY; Holmes, Henry, 25, b. NY; Matthews, Wm., 24, Dry Goods Clerk, b. NY.

She was prob. listed, living with her brother & his wife, in the 1880 Federal Census, New York, Kings Co., Brooklyn, District 114, p. 29, enumerated 11 June 1880, 54 So. 10th Street, Dwelling 154 (muklti-family dwelling), Family 244 -- Yeomans, Danl E., 45, Husband, Carpenter, b. NJ, his parents b. NJ; [Yeomans], Adelaide, 44, Wife, House Keeping, b. NY, her parents b. Germany; Clayton, Catherine, 56, Sister, Widow, Seamstress, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ.

Catharine Yeomans m. (2) -?- Clayton. He had prob. died by July 1860.

---children of Abraham Ramsey & Catherine Yeomans:

- **James Ramsey**, b. about 1845. At the time of the 1860 Federal census, James Ramsey was living with his grandparents, Lewis D. Yeomans & Margaret Willis.

---Sources:

[1] Tombstone inscriptions and photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Wyckoff Ref Ch Cem., Wyckoff, NJ; Catherine Clayton; ts photo posted online); 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/>>

### Ramsey, Albert

Albert Ramsey  
son of (prob.) James Ramsey  
& Cornelia Westervelt

m. 29 Mar 1794  
Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

**Sarah Folk**  
dau. of (poss) Henry Folk &  
Maria Outwater

On 12 May 1806 (recorded 4 June 1806, Bergen Co. Y:55) Walter Percel of the County of Bergen, yeoman, and Anna, his wife, conveyed to Albert Ramsey of the same place, for \$20, 1/5 acre more or less, of meadow in Clouster; bounded N and W by meadow of Martin Powlis; S by woodland of Daniel Campbell; E by Closter main road. Signed by Walter Percel (his mark), Anna Percel (her mark). Witnessed by Jacob Banta, Bernardus Van Valen.<sup>1</sup>

On 1 May 1813 (recorded 31 May 1813, Bergen Co. I2:3) Benjamin Cole and Jane, his wife, of Harington Township, conveyed to Albert Ramsey of the same place, for \$500., 13-3/4 acres in Harington Township, beginning near Thomas Blanch's land. Bounded NE by Closter old dock road; SW by Matthew P. Bogart; SE by Bernardus and Cornelis Vervalen; NW by Col. Thomas Blanch. Signed by Benjamin Cole, Jane Cole (her mark). Witnessed by John D. Haring, Isaac I. Haring.<sup>1</sup>

---children of Albert Ramsey & Sarah Folk:

- **Cornelia Ramsey**, b. 15 Dec 1798; bp. 15 Feb 1799 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no wit)
- **John Ramsey**, b. 20 May 1800; bp. 15 June 1800 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Henry Volk, Maria Outwater)
- **Maria Ramsey**, b. 7 May 1803; bp. 31 May 1803 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Hendrik Folk, Maria Outwater)

---Sources:

[1] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell; 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, Records of the Reformed Dutch Church...Records of Old South Church...to1912, transcribed Aug 1970; printed [c. 1998?] by Bergen Historic Books;

### Ramsey, Albert

Albert Ramsey

m.

-?-

---children of Albert Ramsey &

- **Mary Ramsey**, m. 23 Jan 1822 Sugar Loaf St., NYC Dutch Ref Ch, **Benjamin Springsteel**, son of David Springsteel

---Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at genealogy.com

### Ramsey, Alonzo W.

Alonzo Ramsey  
son of

m. 16 July 1892  
Second Ref Ch, Paterson

**Susan J. Snyder**  
dau. of

In their marriage record, he was of New Durham, and she was of Wyckoff, NJ.

---children of Alonzo W. Ramsey & Susan J. Snyder:

• **May Belle Ramsey**, b. 3 May 1893; bp. 24 March 1894 Wyckoff Ref Ch

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S. and Arthur J. Goff, Records of the Wyckoff Reformed Protestant Dutch Church (Wyckoff, Bergen County, NJ) January 1945; Second Reformed Church at Paterson, NJ, Marriages 1828-1896 online March 2001 at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/second\\_reformed\\_marrriages.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/second_reformed_marrriages.htm)>

**Ramsey, Andrew**

Andrew Ramsey

b. about 1790

d. 3 March 1856 age 66.0.29

buried Monsey Cemetery, Monsey, Rockland Co., NY

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947 (reprinted by Bergen Historic Books) (Monsey Cemetery, Monsey, Rockland Co., NY), p. 162

**Ramsey, Charles D.**

Charles D. Ramsey

m.

son of Garret H. Ramsey &

Catherine Demarest

b. about 1857 Paterson, NJ

d. 1902 Paterson, NJ

---*children of Charles D. Ramsey & Jennie Houston:*

• **Clifford H. Ramsey**, b. 31 July 1881 Paterson, NJ; m. 30 Aug 1902, **Effie Atkinson**, dau. of Benjamin Atkinson & Isabella McCandless.

---Sources: Nelson, William, and Charles A. Shriner. *History of Paterson and Its Environs*, New York: Lewis Historical Publishing Co., 1920, Vol. II, p. 198, online at Google Books;

**Jennie Houston**

dau. of David Houston &

Jemima -?-

b.

d.

**Ramsey, Charles H.**

Charles H. Ramsey

m.

b. 1881

d. 1954

buried Maryrest Cemetery, Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ

---Sources: Maryrest Cemetery [Catholic], Mahwah, NJ Tombstone Inscriptions, online Nov 2003 at <[http://www.interment.net/data/us/nj/bergen/maryrest/mary\\_r.htm](http://www.interment.net/data/us/nj/bergen/maryrest/mary_r.htm)>

(prob) **Mary Jane -?-**

b. 1894

d. 1948

buried Maryrest Cemetery, Mahwah, NJ

**Ramsey, David Richard**

David Richard Ramsey

m.

---*children of David Richard Ramsey & Anna Hooper:*

• **John E. Ramsay**, b. 29 Feb 1832 NYC; d. 9 May 1889 Parkersburg, WV; m. 16 Oct 1858 Harmar, OH,

**Mary Ellen Jennings**, dau. of Jonathan Jennings & Susan Reckard. John E. Ramsay was a machinist and engineer. He

served 3 yrs in the Civil War and was for 3 months a prisoner on Belle Island. He was a member of Battery H., 1st O. L. A.

They were members of Trinity Episcopal Churchm Parkersburg, WV.<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

[1] *A genealogical history of the Jennings families in England and America*, p. 79-80;

**Anna Hooper**

**Ramsey, David**

David Ramsey

son of

b. 14 Feb 1807 NJ

d. 2 May 1892, in 86th yr.<sup>1</sup>

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

m. (1) 10 Nov 1830  
Kakiat Ref Ch

m. (2)

**Maria Van Buskirk**

dau. of

b. 21 Jan 1809

d. 25 June 1845, age 36.5.4

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, NJ (or Ref  
Chyd, Leonia, NJ)

**Jane**

b. 3 June 1809

d. 28 July 1872

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, NJ

In the (1) m. record, he is of New York, and she is of Kakiat. Wit. to the m. were John Tallman & Jacob Eckerson, of Clarkstown.

David Ramsey was listed as a Coal Dealer in the 1870 census.

They were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Hohokus Township, Ramseys P.O., p. 12, enumerated 14 June 1880, Dwelling 85, Family 93 -- Ramsey, David, 63, Coal Dealer, value real estate \$60,000, value personal estate \$6000, b. NJ; [Ramsey], Jane, 60, Keeping House, b. NY; [Ramsey], Wm. D., 26, b. NY; White, Bridget, 30, Domestic Servant, b. Ireland; Bird, Geo. H., 25, Farm Laborer, b. VA.

David Ramsey, 73, widower, b. NJ, was listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Living with him was his son, William Ramsey, 36, single, b. NJ; Doremus, Leah, 23, Single, Laborer, b. NJ; White, Bridget, 55, Servant, Single, b. Ireland.

---*children of David Ramsey & (1) Maria Van Buskirk:*

• (prob) **Andrew Ramsey**

- **William D. Ramsey**, b. abt. 1840-1844; d. (prob) 18 July 1913, age 73; buried Union Cemetery, Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

---Sources:

[1] Bergen County, New Jersey Death Notices 1858-1892 Transcribed from Three Area Newspapers: Bergen Index, Bergen County Journal, New Jersey Citizen, (manuscript in library of Bergen County Historical Society), pub. 1998 by Bergen Historic Books, p. 122; 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/>>; Gravestone Inscription, Union Cemetery, Darlington Avenue, Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ; 1870 Federal Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Ramsey's P.O., dwelling 85, family 93; 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (taken June 1880), Dwelling 312, Family 354; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, Thirty Seven Cemeteries, 1946 (Christian Ref Chyd, Leonia, NJ), p. 52

### Ramsey, David P.

David Ramsey  
son of Peter Ramsey &  
Elizabeth Christie  
b. 22 March 1817  
d. 27 Feb 1901  
buried Island Ch Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ

m. 30 May 1838  
Wyckoff Ref Ch

### Rachel Bogert

dau. of Isaac P. Bogert &  
Jacomynta/Jemima Van Cleaf  
b. 20 March 1819  
d. 24 April 1900  
buried Island Ch Cem, Mahwah, NJ

At the time of their marriage, he was of Ramapo and she was of Campgaw.

They are listed in the 1850 Federal Census, Bergen Co., Hohokus Twp., Dwelling #406; Family #445. He is listed as a farmer, with real estate valued at \$4,500. Living with them is Elizabeth Ramsey, 67, David's mother.

Living with them at the time of the 1860 census is Elizabeth Ramsey, 76, widow.

They were listed in the 1865 New Jersey State Census, living in Hohokus Township: David P. Ramsey, Rachel Ramsey, Isaac Ramsey, and Peter Ramsey.

At the time of the 1885 NJ State Census, David P. and Rachel were living alone in Hohokus Township, and the next listed family was that of their daughter Jemima, and her husband, Andrew H. Ackerman.

David P. Ramsey, 63, Farmer, and Rachel Ramsey, 61, his wife, were listed in the 1880 Federal Cesus, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ.

He was listed in the 1900 Federal Census (living with his widowed daughter), New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (part of; West of E.R.R.), District 23, enumerated 1 June 1900 by Edgar A. DeYoe, Road leading from Allendale to R.R. Crossing North of Ramsey, Dwelling 26, Family 26 (Ramsey area) (all b. NJ, all parents b. NJ) -- Ackerman, Gemima, Head, b. May 1840, age 60, Widow, mother of 3 children, 3 children then living; [Ackerman], Myra, Daughter, b. Feb 1872, age 28, Single; Ramsey, David P., Father, b. Mch 1817, age 83, Widower.

---*children of David P. Ramsey & Rachel Bogert:*

- **Jemima Ramsey**, b. 2 May 1840; bp. 12 July 1840 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah; d. 14 Oct 1901; buried Island Ch Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ; m. 10 Nov 1858 Ramapo Ref Ch., **Andrew Hopper Ackerman**, son of John G. Ackerman & Maria Vanderbeek.
- **Elizabeth Ramsey**, b. 13 Nov 1842; bp. 10 Dec 1842 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah!
- **Isaac Ramsey**, b. 13 Nov 1847; bp. 1847 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah; d. 23 March 1909; buried Island Ch Cem, Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ; m. 1866 **Sarah Pulis**, dau. of Jacob Pulis & Lettie -?-.
- **Peter D. Ramsey**, b. about 1855 Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ; d. 23 March 1909 Bergen Co., NJ; m. **Clara -?-**.

---Sources:

[1] Information online Jan 1999 from Ted Bogert <TedLBJ@aol.com>; Charity Ackerman Diary (typescript, Bergen County Historical Society); 1850 Federal Census; Tobey, The Ackerman Family, vol. 2, p. 224; Martha Ann Zabriskie Memorandum Book (Typescript at Bergen County Historical Society Library); Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, p. 107; 1860 Federal Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Hohokus P.O., dwelling 723, family 795 (Mahwah area); 1870 Federal Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Ramsey's P.O., dwelling 4, family 5; 1885 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Dwelling 563, family 679; 1865 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (#442 David P. Ramsey and family); 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (taken June 1880), Dwelling 172, Family 177; Gravestone Inscriptions of Island Church Cemetery, Mahwah, Bergen County, NJ; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the] Ramapo Reformed Church; Ramapo Lutheran Church, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books)

### Ramsey, David H.

David H. Ramsey  
son of (prob) Peter P. Ramsey &  
(1) Jane Henion  
b. about 1856<sup>1</sup> (b. about 1858)  
d.

m. 31 Oct 1882  
by Rev. Ephraim DeYoe<sup>1</sup>  
  
(they were divorced by  
June 1900)

### Annie E. Hemion

dau. of  
  
b. about 1862<sup>1</sup> (b. about Dec 1866 NJ)  
d.

At the time of the 1885 New Jersey State Census, they were living in Hohokus Township. Living in the same dwelling in 1885 were the families of John H. and Matilda Hemion, and John H. and Emma Turnure (Tenure).

She was listed in the 1900 Federal Census (living with her mother), New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (part of; East of E.R.R.), District 21, enumerated 1 June 1900 by Jacob M. DeBaun, Dwelling 9, Family 12 (Ramsey area) (all b. NJ, all parents b. NJ) -- Henion, Margaret, Head, b. Nov 1845, age 54, Widow, mother of 1 child, 1 child then living; Ramsey, Annie E., boarder, b. Dec 1866, age 33, D[ivorced], mother of 1 child, 1 child then living; Osborne, Kate, Servant, b. Jan 1866, age 34, Single, Servant; Ramsey, Martin L., G-Son, b. Aug 1883, age 16, Single, at school.

---*children of David H. Ramsey & Annie E. Henion:*

- **Martin D. Ramsey** (Martin L. Ramsey), b. about Aug 1883 NJ

---Sources:

[1] Rev. Ephraim DeYoe's Informal Record Book (Bergen County Historical Society) (Rev. DeYoe was at one time Pastor of Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church, Airmont, NY, Zion Lutheran Church Saddle River, NJ, and Church of the Redeemer, Ramsey, NJ)  
1885 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Dwelling 237, Families 284, 285, and 286

**Ramsey, David P.**

David P. Ramsey  
son of Peter D. Ramsey &  
Clara/Clarinda Wanamaker  
b. 5 July 1873

m. 17 June 1893  
Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah

**Mamie P. Garrison**

dau. of

b. about 1875

At the time of their marriage, he was 20, of Ramsey; she was 18, of Oakland. Witnesses at their marriage were John Garrison and wife.

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson, Ward 2, District 111, p. 9, enumerated 5 June 1900, 28 North Third Street, Dwelling 35, Family 81 (this census has water damage and the ink has run, making this entry difficult to read) -- Ramsey, David, Head, b. July 1873, age 26, married 7 yrs., b. NJ, book keeper; [Ramsey], Mamie. Wife, b. July ?, married 7 yrs., b. NJ; [Ramsey], Clara? M., daughter, b. Oct ?, age 6, b. NJ.

They were listed in the 1910 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson Ward 4, District 118, p. 15, enumerated 19 April 1910, 188 Harrison? Street, Dwelling 165 (all b. NJ; all their parents b. NJ) -- Ramsey, David, Head, age 36, married 17 yrs., book keeper, tobacco company; [Ramsey], Mary, Wife, age 34, married 17 yrs., mother of 3 children, 3 children then living; [Ramsey], Clara M., Daughter, 16, Milliner Store; [Ramsey], David P., son, age 9, b. NJ; [Ramsey], Mildred M., age 7, b. NJ.

---children of David Ramsey & Mary/Mamie P. Garrison:

- **Clara M. Ramsey**, b. Oct 1894 NJ
- **David P. Ramsey**, b. about 1901 NJ
- **Mildred M. Ramsey**, b. about 1903 NJ

---Sources: World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918 Record for David P Ramsey, online at Ancestry.com; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the Ramapo Reformed Church; Ramapo Lutheran Church, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books)]

**Ramsey, Frederick J.** (Frederick James Ramsey)

Frederick J. Ramsey  
son of James H. Ramsey &  
Maria Catherine Pulis

m. before 1906

(they were divorced)

b. 25 Aug 1880 Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ  
d. Dec 1962 Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA

**Catherine Elizabeth Montross**

dau. of William Lorenzo Montross &  
Abigail Jane Babcock

b. 25 July 1882  
d. March 1976

They were listed in the 1910 Federal Census, Pennsylvania, Philadelphia Co., Philadelphia, Frankford, Ward 23, District 478, p. 4, enumerated 15 April 1910, 5014 Jackson Street, Dwelling 42, Family 42 -- Ramsey, Fred J., Head, age 29, married 9 yrs., b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, Machinist, Tool Works; [Ramsey], Catharine, Wife, age 27, married 9 yrs., mother of 2 children, 2 children then living, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ; [Ramsey], William J., Son, age 8, b. NJ; [Ramsey], Lois Anna, Daughter, age 3, b. NY.

When he registered for the World War II draft in 1942, he was 61, living at 2340 North 5th, Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA. He had been born 25 Aug 1880 Ramsey, NJ. He worked for E. F. Houghton & Co., Philadelphia, PA (apparently at their Harrisburg office, at the same address he gave above (2340 North 5th).

---children of Frederick J. Ramsey & Catherine Elizabeth Montross: (2 children?)

- **William James Ramsey**, b. 1902 NJ; d. 1968
- **Lois Anna Ramsey**, b. 27 April 1907 NY; d. 28 Nov 1994 Fort Lauderdale, FL; m. **Horace T. MacGowan**. She was listed in the 1930 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Ramsey, District 196, p. 1, enumerated 3 April 1930, 85 Maple Street, Dwelling 13, Family 8 -- Macgiwan, Horace T., Head, Owned home, age 33, married at age 26, b. NY, his father b. Nebraska, his mother b. NY, Mechanic, Automobile; [Macgowan], Lois R., Wife, age 23, married at age 16, b. NY, her father b. NJ, her mother b. NY; [Macgiwan], Doris M., Daughter, age 5, b. NJ; Ramsey, William J., Brother in Law, age 28, married at age 21, b. NY, his father b. NJ, his mother b. NY, Caretaker, Country Club; [Ramsey], Catherine L., Mother in Law, age 49, Divorced, married at age 19, b. NY, her parents b. NY, Nurse.

---Sources: U.S. World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942 Record for Fred James Ramsey

**Ramsey, Garret H.**

Garret H. Ramsey  
son of (poss) Peter J. Ramsey &  
Margaret Hopper  
b. abt. 1828-29 NJ (June 1830 NJ<sup>1</sup>) Paterson, NJ

m. 29 May 1854  
Paterson, NJ

**Catherine Demarest (Kate)**

dau. of Garret J. Demarest &  
Rachel Brokaw

b. 1835 NYC (Aug 1836 NY<sup>1</sup>)

This may be the following family: Garret Ramsey, 40, Ret. Grocer, and Kate, 35, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in the 4th Ward, city of Paterson, Passaic County, NJ. Listed with them were: Charles, 13, Attends School; Maggie, 9, Attends School; Kate, 7, Attends School; Stella, 5, At Home; Henry, 7, At Home; Mary Spear, 18, Domestic; Sarah Ramsey, 30, At Home; and Levina Ramsey, 28, At Home.

1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson City, Ward 3, Dist. 136, (Ancestry Image 3), Dwelling 20, Family 28 -- Garret Ramsey, b. June 1830, age 61, married 44 yrs., b. NY; bis father b. NJ, his mother b. NJ, Flour Merchant; Katie [Ramsey]. Wife, b. Aug 1836, age ?[ age written over], married 44 yrs., mother of 9 children, 7 children now living, b. NY, her father b. NJ, her mother b. NJ; Margaret [Ramsey], Daughter, b. Jan 1864, age 36, Single, b. NJ, her father b. NJ, her mother b. NY; Katie [Ramsey], Daughter, b. Nov 1866, age 33, Single, b. NJ, her father b. NJ, her mother b. NY.

1910 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson City, Ward 11, Dist. 153, enumerated 16 April 1910, sheet No. 1B, 583 E. 27th St., (Ancestry image 2) Dwelling 35, Family 35 -- Ramsey, Garret H., Head, age 82, Widower, b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, Flour Dealer; [Ramsey]. Margaret, Daughter, age 47, Single, b. NJ, her father b. NJ, her mother b. NY; [Ramsey],

Katherine, Daughter, 43, Single, b. NJ, her father b. NJ, her mother b. NY; Phillips, S[usan?], Daughter, age 32, Widow, mother of 3 children, 3 now living, b. NJ, her father b. NJ, her mother b. NY; [Phillips], Edwin R., Jr., Grandson, age 6, Single, b. NJ, his parents b. NJ; [Phillips], Elizabeth, Granddaughter, age 4, Single, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ; [Phillips], Robert, Grandson, age 1-8/12, Single, b. NJ, his parents b. NJ.

*---children of Garret H. Ramsey & Catherine Demarest:*

• **Charles D. Ramsey**, b. about 1857 Paterson, NJ; d. 1902 (4 Dec 1900<sup>3</sup>) Paterson, NJ; buried Cedar Lawn Cemetery, Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>3</sup>; m. **Jennie Houston**, dau. of David Houston & Jemima -?-<sup>2</sup>

- **Margaret Ramsey**, b. about 1859 NJ
- **Catherine Ramsey**, b. about 1863 NJ
- **Henry Ramsey**, b. about 1863 NJ
- **Stella Ramsey**, b. about 1865 NJ

---Sources:

- [1] 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson City, Ward 3, Dist. 136, (Ancestry Image 3), Dwelling 20, Family 28 (Family of Garret Ramsey);  
 [2] Nelson, William, and Charles A. Shriner. *History of Paterson and Its Environs*, New York: Lewis Historical Publishing Co., 1920, Vol. II, p. 198, online at Google Books;  
 [3] Tombstone inscriptions and photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Cedar Lawn Cem, Paterson, NJ: Charles D. Ramsey; no. tombstone photo posted online);  
 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, 4rd Ward, City of Paterson, taken July 1870, dwelling 48, family 56 (family of Garret Ramsey); 1910 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Peterson City, Ward 11, Dist. 153, enumerated 16 April 1910, sheet No. 1B, 583 E. 27th St., (Ancestry image 2) Dwelling 35, Family 35 (Family of Garret H. Ramsey); Demarest, Voorhis D. (Demarest Family Association), *The Demarest Family*, 1964, Vol. I, p. VII-49, (No. 7-457a, Catherine/Kate Demarest);

### **Ramsey, Garret G.** (Garret Garretson Ramsey)

Garret G. Ramsey m. 21 Nov 1857  
 son of John P. Ramsey & by John Y.  
 Eliza Garrison DeBaun, True  
 b. 27 Oct 1833 NJ Ref. Ch. Hackensack &  
 bp. [no date] Ramapo Ref Ch English Neighborhood

**Eliza Jane May** (Elizabeth J.)  
 dau. of William C. May &  
 Elizabeth Ackerman  
 b. 1840 NJ  
 bp.

In the marriage record, both are of Ramapo.

They were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, Pennsylvania, Monroe Co., Stroudsburg, District 228, p. 17-18, enumerated 9 June 1880, Walnut Street, Dwelling 161, Family 161 -- Ramsey, Garret G., 44, Brick Mason, b. NJ, his parents b. NJ; [Ramsey], Eliza J., 40, Wife, Keeping House, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ; [Ramsey], William H., 21 Son, married, School Teacher, b. NJ; [Ramsey], Mary R., 17, Daughter in Law, married, Keeping House, b. PA; [Ramsey], John E., 19, Son, Single, Laborer, b. PA; [Ramsey], Minnie, 13, Daughter, b. PA; Ramsey, Bertie, 11, Son, at school, b. PA; [Ramsey], Nellie, 9, daughter, b. PA; [Ramsey], Charles, 3, Son, b. PA; Metz, Amanda, 22, Servant, Single, b. PA.

*---children of Garret G. Ramsey & Eliza Jane May:*

- **William H. Ramsey**, b. about 1859 NJ; m. **Mary R.** -?-
- **John E. Ramsey**, b. about 1861 PA
- **Minnie Ramsey**, b. about 1867 PA
- **Bertie Ramsey** [Albert?], b. about 1869 PA
- **Nellie Ramsey**, b. about 1871 PA
- **Charles Ramsey**, b. about 1877 PA

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., *Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records*, 1929, True Ref. Church of Hackensack & English Neighborhood, p. 19

### **Ramsey, Henry**

"Henry Ramsey, single man, is listed in the 1778 Saddle River Township Tax Rateables, Bergen Co., NJ. He is not listed in the Feb. 1779 Saddle River Township list.

---Sources: "New Jersey Rateables: Bergen Co., Saddle River Township" in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, Sep. 1966, p. 133

### **Ramsey, Henry**

Henry Ramsey m. 17 May 1831  
 son of Sugar Loaf St., NYC  
 Dutch Ref Ch

**Isabella Westervelt**  
 dau. of

b. about 1810

b. about 1812

According to the Sugar Loaf St., NYC Dutch Ref Ch (Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC) record of their marriage, both were of NYC; he was 21; she was 18; m. at 20 Provost St.

*---children of Henry Ramsey & Isabella Westervelt:*

- **Julia Ramsey**, b. 31 Oct 1832; bp. Feb 1834 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC (parents in bp. record: Henry Ramsey & Isabella Westervelt)
- **Wayne Ramsey**, b. 26 Nov 1834; bp. July 1835 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC (parents in bp. record: Henry Ramsey & Isabella Westervelt)

---Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at [genealogy.com](http://genealogy.com); Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York, Vol. 1 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library); Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York, Vol. 2, Marriages (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)

### **Ramsey, Isaac**

Isaac Ramsey m. 15 Nov 1866  
 son of David P. Ramsey & Wyckoff Ref Ch  
 Rachel Bogert

**Sarah Catherine Pullis** (Pulis)  
 dau. of Jacob Pulis &  
 Lettie Thomas

b. 13 Nov 1847 NJ

bp. 1847 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah, NJ

d. 23 March 1909

buried Island Ch Cem, Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ

Isaac Ramsey, 32, Farmer, and Sarah Ramsey, 30, his wife, with their daughter, Rosey, 11, were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Ramsey Village, Bergen County, NJ (probably on or near South Central Avenue).

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (part of; West of E.R.R.), District 23, enumerated 2 June 1900 by Edgar A. DeYoe, Road leading from D. R. Church to Isaac Ramsey's Farm, Dwelling 41, Family 43 (Ramsey) (all b. NJ, all parents b. NJ) -- Ramsey, Isaac, Head, b. Nov 1827, age 52, married 34 yrs., [occupation blank]; [Ramsey], Sarah C., Wife, b. Sept 1849, age 50, married 34 yrs., mother of 1 child, 1 child then living; [Ramsey], Rosabelle, Daughter, b. Oct 1868, age 31, Single.

Sarah Ramsey was listed in the 1930 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Ramsey Borough, living on Darlington Avenue, Dwelling 155, Family 152 --Sarah C. H. Ramsey, owned dwelling valued at \$10,000, widow, b. NJ; Jacob D. Coe, son-in-law, 70, b. NJ; Rosa B. Coe, daughter, 59, b. NJ.

---children of Isaac Ramsey & Sarah Catherine Pullis:

• **Rosabella Ramsey** (Rosey), b. 11 Oct 1868 NJ; bp. 29 Jan 1869 Wyckoff Ref Ch; m. **Jacob D. Coe**, son of (poss)

John Yeomans Coe & Catherine Ann Doremus

---Sources: 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Village of Ramsey (taken June 1880), Dwelling 342, Family 386; ---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S. and Arthur J. Goff, Records of the Wyckoff Reformed Protestant Dutch Church (Wyckoff, Bergen County, NJ) January 1945 (typescript), p. 39

### Ramsey, James

James Ramsey

An item abstracted from the *New York Mercury*, 20 Jan 1766: "Ramsey, James, who came 10 or 12 years ago from County of Armagh in North of Ireland and settled at Little Britain, Lancaster Co., Pa., whence he removed to the Jerseys—will learn something to his advantage if he applies to William Gilliland, merchant in NYC."

---Sources: "Genealogical Data from the New York Mercury" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1968, p. 10

### Ramsey, James

James Ramsey

m.

**Cornelia Westervelt**

son of

---children of James Ramsey & Cornelia Westervelt:

• **Albert Ramsy**, b. 28 Feb 1775; bp. 19 Mar 1775 Tappan Ref Ch (no wit)

• **James Remse**, b. 15 Nov 1777; bp. 23 Jan 1778 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no wit); apparently d.y.

• **James Ramsey**, bp. 17 Apr 1781 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Geertruid Westerveld)

---Sources: NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1899, p. 30; 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; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ]*, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II)

### Ramsey, James

James Ramsey

m.

**Rachel Van Roden**

son of

dau. of (prob) Abraham Van Roden & Jemima Ackhart

b. abt. 1784

d. 6 Jan 1867, age 83.9.?

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

b. abt. 1787

d. 30 March 1859, age 68.5.28

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, NJ

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, Bergen Co., Hohokus Twp., Dwelling #407, Family #446. He was listed as a farmer, with real estate valued at \$3,000. Living with them was Matthew Hicks, age 11, and Jemima Van Raden, age 82.

It may be this James Ramsey, 75, who was living at the time of the 1860 census with the family of Peter P. and Mary M. Ramsey.

---children of James Ramsey & Rachel Van Roden:

• (prob) **Jane Ramsey**, m. 9 Apr 1836 Kakiat Ref Ch **David Hicks** (wit. to the m. were Peter Ramsey and John Ramsey; all were of Ramapo)

• (prob.) **Abraham Ramsey**, b. abt. 1824; m. **Catherine -?-**. They had a son, James, b. abt. 1845.

• **Rachel Ramsey**, b. 7 Feb 1833; m. (poss??) 22 Dec 1852 Kakiat Ref Ch (both of Ramapo), **William House**

• **Annie Ramsey**, b. abt. 1841

---Sources: Gravestone Inscription, Union Cemetery, Darlington Avenue, Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ; Martha Ann Zabriskie Memorandum Book (Typescript at Bergen County Historical Society Library); 1850 Federal Census; "James Ramsay" death in *Bergen County Democrat*, 18 Jan 1867; 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/>>; 1860 Federal Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Hohokus P.O., dwelling 766, family 840 (Ramsey-Mahwah area?)

### Ramsey, James

James Ramsey

m. 30 June 1821

**Maria Hopper** (Polly)

son of

Kakiat Ref Ch

dau. of Jacob G. Hopper &

Sarah -?-

b. about 1798

b. abt. 1803

d. 14 Aug 1827, age 29.0.1

buried Union Cemetery, Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

In the m. record they are both of Ramapo.

James P. Ramsey gave a plot of land in Ramsey (part of which was what is now Union Cemetery) on which between 1824 and 1826 a True Reformed Dutch Church building was erected.

He was killed in a horse and buggy accident in 1827.

Maria Hopper m. (2) 16 Dec 1829, **John P. Goetschius**.

---children of James Ramsey & Maria Hopper:

• **William J. Ramsey**, b. 10 Aug 1823; bp. 7 Dec 1823 Greenwich Ref Ch, NYC (as William, son of James Ramsey & Mary Hopper); m. (poss) **Maria Blauvelt**.

---Sources: Zabriskie, George Olin, *The Zabriskie Family*, Vol. I, p. 392; Typescript Record of burials in Union Cemetery, Darlington Avenue, Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ; "Ramsey-Sayre house finds a new home at museum complex" by Kay Yeomans, in *The Town Journal*, Sep 1999; 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/>; Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church at Greenwich in the City of New York*, (Baptisms) (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)

**Ramsey, James H.** (James G. Ramsey)

James H. Ramsey

son of William Ramsey &

Maria Blauvelt

b. Dec 1845 NJ (NY<sup>1</sup>)

James Ramsey, 33, Farmer, and Maria Ramsey, 25, his wife, were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, Hohokus Township, Village of Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ, living in the same dwelling with his father and mother. Living with James & Maria were their children: Mamie, 7; Willie, 5; and Fanie (Fannie), 3.

At the time of the 1885 NJ State Census, they lived in Hohokus Township. Living in the same dwelling was the family of George and Catherine Goetschius and their son, Stephen, aged 5 or under. Also listed living in the Goetschius family was Jacob Vanwagner.

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (part of; West of E.R.R.), District 23, enumerated 2 June 1900 by Edgar A. DeYoe, Road leading from Ramsey R.R. Crossing to D.R. Cemetery, Dwelling 51, Family 54 (all b. NJ, all parents b. NJ except as noted) (Ramsey area) -- Ramsey, James, Head, b. Dec 1846, age 53, married 28 yrs., his mother b. NY, Lumberman; [Ramsey], Myra C., Wife, b. Oct 1852, age 47, married 28 yrs., mother of 10 children, 9 children then living; [Ramsey], Frederick J., Son, b. Aug 1879, age 20, Single, Machinist (Locomotive?); [Ramsey], Lena M., Daughter, b. Feb 1883, age 17, Single, Dubler? (Silk Mill); [Ramsey], Annie, Daughter, b. May 1887, age 13, At School; [Ramsey], Abraham, Son, b. Feb 1889, age 11, At School; [Ramsey], Jennie, Daughter, b. Oct 1890, age 9, At School; [Ramsey], Alice, Daughter, b. June 1894, age 5, At School; [Ramsey], Willette, Daughter, b. Aug 1897, age 2; [Ramsey], Myria, Mother, b. Dec 1823, age 76, married 54 yrs., mother of 3 children, 3 children then living, b. NY, her parents b. NY.

James H. Ramsey, 59, Truckman, and Maria Ramsey, 51, were listed in the 1905 New Jersey State Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ in a house they owned. Listed with them were: Lena, 22, single; Anna, 18, single; Jennie, 15; Alice, 11; and Willetta, 7.

James H. Ramsey, 63, with Own Income, and Maria [C.?], 57, his wife, were listed in the 1910 Federal Census, living on Main Street, in the Borough of Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ in a house they owned. Listed with them were: Anna, 22, single, Milliner, Store; Jennie, 21, single, clerk in dry goods store; Alice, 16; and Willetta, 12.

---children of James Ramsey & Maria Catherine Pulis: (in April 1910 she was mother of 10 children, 9 then living)

• **Mary S. Ramsey** (Mamie), b. about 1873 NJ; m. -?- **Decker**.

• **William Ramsey**, b. about 1875 NJ

• **Fanny Ramsey**, b. about 1877 NJ; m. 3 Nov 1894 Ramapo Ref Ch, **Edward Carlough**, son of Abram Carlough & Sarah Jane Wyckoff

• **Frederick J. Ramsey**, b. about Aug 1879 NJ; m. **Catherine Elizabeth Montross**, dau. of William Lorenzo Montross & Abigail Jane Babcock. They were divorced. They had children.

• **Lena M. Ramsey**, b. Oct 1882 NJ or Feb 1883 NJ

• **Anna Ramsey**, b. May 1887 NJ

• **Jennie Ramsey**, b. Oct 1889 or 1890 NJ

• **Alice Ramsey**, b. June 1893/1894 NJ; m. -?- **Hambright**.

• **Willetta Ramsey**, b. Aug 1897 NJ; m. **George J. LaRoe**. She taught 8th grade in the Allendale Grammar School about 1952.

---Sources:

[1] 1905 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken June 1905, dwelling 383, family 447 (family of James H. Ramsey);

[2] Info 10/95 from Sandra Gail Locker Van Benschoten;

1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Village of Ramsey (taken June 1880), Dwelling 354, Families 401 and 402; 1885 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Dwelling 558, family 672 ; 1910 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Borough of Ramsey, taken April 1910, dwelling 160, family 173 (family of James H. Ramsey); Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the] *Ramapo Reformed Church; Ramapo Lutheran Church*, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books)

**Ramsey, James C.**

James C. Ramsey

b. March 1861 NJ

m. about 1884

**Anna B.**

b. Oct 1862 NJ

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., New Barbadoes Township, Hackensack, Ward 3,



District 30, p. 23, enumerated 11 June 1900, 73 Central Avenue, Dwelling 188, Family 207 (all b. NJ except as noted) -- Ramsey, James, Head, b. March 1861, age 39, married 16 yrs., his parents b. NJ, Mason; [Ramsey], Anna B., Wife, b. Oct 1862, age 37, married 16 yrs., mother of 2 children, 2 children then living, her parents b. NJ; [Ramsey], Jessie M., Daughter, b. Dec 1885, age 14; [Ramsey], Anna L., Daughter, b. June 1887, age 11; Fik, Martha, Servant, b. July 1876, age 23, Single, b. NY, her father b. Germany, her mother b. NY

They were listed in the 1930 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, District 133, Franklin Turnpike, Dwelling 25, Family 27, enumerated 14 April 1930 -- Ramsey, James C., Head, owned home, age 69, married at age 24, b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, Mason, Construction; [Ramsey], Anna B., Wife, age 68, married at age 23, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ.

---children of James C. Ramsey & Anna B.

- **Jessie M. Ramsey**, b. Dec 1885 NJ
- **Anna L. Ramsey**, b. June 1887 NJ

### Ramsey, John

John Ramsey

John Ramsey was a proxy wit. for Magdalene Matthaus at the baptism 26 Oct 1774 NYC Luth Ch of Nicholas, son of David Peterson & Hannah (free blacks).

---Sources: "Baptisms in the Lutheran Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct 1971, p. 205

### Ramsay, John

John Ramsay

m.

**Elizabeth Cox**

son of

(widow of **-?- Marshal**)

John Ramsay of N. Y. C., merchant, to John Cruger of the same place, merchant, in trust for Margaret Armstrong, wife of William Arnstrong also of the same place, merchant, land in front lot No. 4 in Cortlandt Manor, March 1, 1799.

---children of John Ramsay & Elizabeth Cox: (list prob. not complete; the Presby Ch was dispersed during the Revolutionary War and bps. during war are sketchy and incomplete)

- **Elizabeth Ramsay**, b. 31 Aug 1767; bp. 6 Sep 1767 1st Presby Ch. NYC
- **Charles Ramsay**, b. 5 June 1769 bp. 18 June 1769 1st Presby Ch. NYC
- **Eleanor Ramsay**, b. 24 March 1772; bp. 8 April 1772 1st Presby Ch. NYC
- **Martha Ramsay**, b. 18 July 1774; bp. 10 Aug 1774 1st Prsby Ch. NYC
- **Isabel Ramsay**, bp. 27 June 1781; bp. 3 June 1781 1st Presby Ch. NYC

---Sources: "Records of the First Presbyterian Church of the City of New York—Births and Baptisms [1728-?]" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1876, p. 66, Oct 1876, p. 170; Apr 1878, p. 83; July 1879, p. 130; Jan 1880, p. 33; "Westchester County, NY Miscellanea, contributed by Theresa Hall Bristol, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1924, p. 210

### Ramsey, John P.

John P. Ramsey

m. 11 Feb 1832

**Eliza Garrison**

son of

dau. of

b. abt. 1812

b. abt. 1814

d. 21 June 1883, age. 71.3.11

d. 5 Jan 1884, age 70 yrs 11 dys, Paterson, NJ<sup>1</sup>

buried Ponds Ref Chyd, Oakland, Bergen Co., NJ

buried Ponds Ref Chyd, Oakland, NJ

Martha Ann Zabriskie Diary, 11 Feb 1832: "Married John Ramsey to Eliza Garrison from Ramapough."

He is likely the John P. Ramsey, prob. 20-30, listed in the 1840 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with him were one male under 5, two males 5-10, one male 50-60, one female under 5, one female 20-30.

They are listed in the 1850 Federal Census, Bergen Co., Franklin Twp., Dwelling 59, Family 61. He is listed as a farmer with real estate valued at \$3,000. Living with them in 1850 were Anny Hopper, 50; and Andrew Crudinger, 23, laborer, b. Germany.

John P. Ramsey, 58, farmer & grocer, and Eliza, 56, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed with them Andrew Crutiger(?), b. Wurtemberg, 40, farm laborer. Listed just after them were John and Elizabeth Ramsey and their son, John W.

---children of John P. Ramsey & Eliza Garrison:

- **Peter J. Ramsey**, b. 27 Oct 1833; bp. [no date] Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah; m. **Lavina Christie**.
- **Garret Garretson Ramsey**, b. 24 Sep 1835; bp. [no date] Ramapo Ref Ch; m. 21 Nov 1857 by John Y. DeBaun, True Ref Ch of Hackensack & English Neighborhood, **Eliza Jane May** (Elizabeth J.), dau. of William C. May & Elizabeth Ackerman
- **Mary Ann Ramsey**, b. 28 Jan 1838; bp. 15 July 1838 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah; d. 20 Jan 1904; buried Ponds Ref Chyd, Oakland, NJ; m. 30 Dec 1853 Ponds Ref Ch, **Martin Ryerson**
- **William Henry Harrison Ramsey**, b. 13 Feb 1840; bp. Sep 1840 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah; d. 29 April 1919 Ord, Valley Co., NE; m. **Sarah Lavinia Williams**. They moved, before 1885, to Valley Co., NE.
- **Sarah Ramsey**, b. about 1843
- **Agnes Ramsey**, b. about 1847; m. (poss) **Abram Forshay**, son of John A. Forshee & Jane Maria Smith.
- **Margaret Ramsey**, b. about 1849
- **David Ramsey**, b. about 1852; d. 13 Jan 1854, age 1.2.26; buried Island Church Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ.
- **John Ramsey**, b. abt. 1853; m. (prob) **Elizabeth -?-.**

- **David Ramsey**, b. 12 Jan 1855; d. 31 Jan 1857; buried Island Church Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ.
- **Emma Ramsey**, b. 28 May 1859; d. 23 Sep 1863; buried Island Church Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ.

---Sources:

[1] Bergen County, New Jersey Death Notices 1858-1892 Transcribed from Three Area Newspapers: Bergen Index, Bergen County Journal, New Jersey Citizen, (manuscript in library of Bergen County Historical Society), pub. 1998 by Bergen Historic Books, p. 122;  
 Ponds Churchyard Cemetery Gravestones, copied May 1909 by John Neafie and William B. Van Alstyne; Martha Ann Zabriskie Memorandum Book (Typescript at Bergen County Historical Society Library); 1850 Federal Census, Bergen County, Franklin Township, dwelling 59, family 61; 1860 Federal Census, Franklin Township, Godwinville P.O., dwelling 544, family 606 (Ramsey-Wyckoff area); 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Franklin Township, Ramsey's P.O., taken Aug 1870, Dwelling 327, family 361; Gravestone Inscriptions of Island Church Cemetery, Mahwah, Bergen County, NJ; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the] Ramapo Reformed Church; Ramapo Lutheran Church, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books); Sawyer, Ray C., New Jersey Marriages, as published in the Christian Intelligencer of the Reformed Dutch Church from 1830 to 1871, Vols. 1 & 2, pub. 1932-1933 (reprinted 1998 in one vol., by Bergen Historic Books); Ponds Ref Chyd Gravestone Photos and inscriptions published in DAD (David Ackerman Descendants) Newsletter, Vol. 47, No. 1, Jan-Mar 2009, p. 4

**Ramsey, John W.** (Ramsay)

John W. Ramsey  
 son of

b. about 1816

d. 20 June 1862, age 45.7.-

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

m. (1) 21 Mar 1835  
 Kakiat Ref Ch

m. (2) 29 Jan 1846  
 Ponds Church

**Eunice Post** (Natye; Naetia)

dau. of

b. about

d. 4 May 1845, age 22.0.14

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, NJ

**Frances B. Demarest**

dau. of Barent Demarest &

Susanna Storms

b. 29 Aug 1821

d. 10 Jan 1861

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, NJ

In the Kakiat Ref Ch record of the (1) marriage, John W. Ramsay was of Ramapo; Eunice Post was of Ramapo. Witnesses were James Steward of Ramapo and Abraham Banta of Ramapo.

*The Bergen County Democrat* of 27 June 1862 announced: "Died, on Friday afternoon, June 20th, at his residence near Ramsey's Station, Hohokus township, John W. Ramsey, aged 45 [43?] years and 7 months."

---children of John W. Ramsey & (2) Frances Demarest:

• (poss) **Warren Ramsey**

• **Mary Emma Ramsey** (Emma), b. abt. 1847; d. 1910; m. (poss. about 25 Feb 1864) **Garret Garrison Henion**. He d. 1895.

They were buried Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ.

• **William E. Ramsey**, b. abt. 1848

---Sources: Gravestone Inscription, Union Cemetery, Darlington Avenue, Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ; Martha Ann Zabriskie Diary; Kakiat Marriages; Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, Ponds Church, p. 80; 1860 Federal Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Twp., Hohokus P.O., dwelling 620, family 681 (Ramsey area); Death Announcement, *Bergen County Democrat*, 27 June 1862; The Demarest Family, 1964, Vol. 1, p. VII-95 (#7-851, Frances Demarest); 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/>

**Ramsey, John W.** (Ramsay)

John W. Ramsey  
 son of

b.

d.

---children of John W. Ramsey & Sarah Ann Fanshaw:

• **Robert Ramsay**, b. 29 May 1856; d. 29 July 1856

---Sources: Warner, Peter Rooome, Descendants of Peter Willemsse Rooome, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 120; "Marriages in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 72, No. 3, July 1941, p. 244

m. 4 May 1836  
 NYC Ref Ch

**Sarah Ann Fanshaw**

dau. of James Fanshaw &

Ann Hyer

b. 23 Sep 1814

d. 8 June 1856

**Ramsey, John**

John Ramsey

son of

m.

**Margaret Hopper**

dau. of

d. 9 Apr 1844

---children of John Ramsey & Margaret Hopper:

• Twins, b. abt. 9 April 1844; their mother d. apparently in childbirth; they died 5-6 minutes later.

---Sources: Martha Ann Zabriskie Memorandum Book (Typescript at Bergen County Historical Society Library)

**Ramsey, John P.** (John Post Ramsey)

John P. Ramsey

son of

b. abt. 1837-1839 Bergen Co., NJ

d.

m.

**Martha Rathbone**

dau. of John Valleau Rathbone &

Anna Maria Doremus (of Parkersburg, WV)

b. 3 May 1842

d. 16 March 1931 Miami, Miami-Dade Co., FL<sup>4</sup>

John P. Ramsey, 31, hotel keeper, and Martha, 28, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ (probably in what became Wyckoff). Living with them were: Annetta, 10; J. Rathbone, 8; and Maggie, 5. Also living with them were William Ramsey, 22, clerk in dry goods store; John Deering [or Deeny?], 26, farm laborer; and

Mary Dehouse, 18, domestic servant.

John P. Ramsey, 43, Hotel Keeper, and Martha Ramsey, 39, his wife, and their children, Nettie, 20; John R., 18; and Maggie, 15, were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ. Living with them were George Oblenis, 19, single, Bartender; and Isaac J. Van Houten, 44, Laborer, a boarder.

John P. Ramsey jr. and Martha Ramsey were listed in the 1885 New Jersey State Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed with them were: John R., Nettie, Maggie P., Isaac J. Van Blarcom, and George Oblenis.

*---children of John P. Ramsey & Martha Rathbone:*

- **Annetta Ramsey** (Annette; Nettie), b. 6 July 1861 Wyckoff, Bergen Co., NJ; d. 5 March 1962 Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ; m. (1) 1900, **William H. Powell** (1861-1900); m. (2) 1910, **William D. Lewis**.<sup>4</sup>
- **Kate Matilda Ramsey**, b. 5 July 1860 Mount Prospect, Bergen County, NJ<sup>1</sup>
- **John Rathbone Ramsey**, b. 25 Apr 1862 Wyckoff, Bergen County, NJ<sup>1,2</sup>; m. (1) **Mary Evelyn Thompson** of Clarksburg, WV; m. (2) **Alice Huyler**. He spent much of his early life, from 1872 to 1879, with his maternal grandfather, John V. Rathbone, in Parkersburg, WV, where he received a private school education. In 1879 he returned to NJ and entered the law office of George H. Coffey, of Hackensack. He subsequently continued his law studies with the firm of Campbell and DeBaun, also of Hackensack, and was admitted to the NJ bar as an Attorney in 1883, and as Counselor in Feb 1887. He practiced law in Hackensack, NJ. In Nov 1895 he was elected County Clerk of Bergen County.<sup>3</sup>
- **Margaret Ramsey** (Maggie), b. 30 Nov 1865 Wyckoff, Bergen Co., NJ; d. 18 May 1950 Hackensack, Bergen Co., NJ; m. 1902, **William Atwood**. He was b. 1875 NJ; d. 15 April 1930.<sup>4</sup>

---Sources:

- [1] "Vital Records, Township of Washinton, Bergen Co., NJ" copied 1991 by Mrs. Basil LoPresti, Polly Wyckoff Chapter, NSDAR;  
 [2] Information online April 1999 from Jean Morris <RMorris216@aol.com> citing Franklin Township Births and Deaths (from State of NJ);  
 [3] Helffenstein, Abraham Ernest, *Pierre Fauconnier and His Descendants, with some account of the Allied Valleaux*, Philadelphia, 1911 (online at Ancestry.com), p.142;  
 [4] Family Tree posted online at Ancestry.com;  
 1870 Federal Census, Bergen County, Franklin Township, Ramsey's P.O., dwelling 175, family 187; Harvey, Cornelius Burnham, *Genealogical History of Hudson and Bergen Counties, New Jersey*, 1900, p. 146; 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Franklin Township (taken June 1880), Dwelling 200, Family 240; 1885 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Franklin Township, taken June 1885 (No. 909 John P. Ramsey, Jr. and family); "Alice Ramsey's Transcontinental First" by George K. Jepson, in *Pascack Valley Tales*, 1993, Pascack Historical Society, p. 132

## Ramsey, John J.

John J. Ramsey

He ran a hotel in the 1800s at Wyckoff and Russell Avenues in Wyckoff, later the site of the Baptist Church.

## Ramsey, John

John Ramsey

son of (prob) John Ramsey & Elizabeth

b. 12 Oct 1850  
d. 17 Dec 1922

m. 21 Apr 1868  
Wyckoff Ref Ch

**Elizabeth Matilda Mandigo**

dau. of John Mandigo & Lea Demarest

b. 21 Apr 1848  
d. 27 Nov 1921

John Ramsey, 20, farmer, and Elizabeth, 21, were listed with their son John W., 1, in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ. They were listed just after John P. and Eliza Ramsey.

John Ramsey, 29, Farmer, and Elizabeth M. Ramsey, 32, his wife, were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ. Living with them were children John W. Ramsey, 10; Alonzo Ramsey, 9; Ida Ramsey, 7; Garret P. Ramsey, 3; and Floyd Ramsey, 1.

John and Elizabeth Ramsey were listed in the 1885 New Jersey State Census, living in Franklin Township. Listed with them were John, Alonzo, Ida, GarretP., Floyd, Charley, and Tillie.

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Franklin Township, District 14, enumerated 12-14 June 1900 by Thomas Post, Dwelling 77, Family 82? (all b. NJ except as noted, all parents b. NJ) -- Ramsey, John, Head, b. Oct 1850, age 49, married 32 yrs., Mason; [Ramsey], Elizabeth, Wife, b. April 1848, age 52, married 32 yrs., mother of 16 children, 8 children then living; [Ramsey], Floyd, Son, b. Feb 1879, age 21, Single, b. PA, Book-keeper; [Ramsey], Charles W., Son, b. Apr 1881, age 19, Single, Farm laborer; [Ramsey], Tillie, Daughter, b. Sep 1882, age 17, Single; [Ramsey], Grace, Daughter, b. Dec 1891, age 8, at school; [Ramsey], Kittie M., Daughter, b. Oct 1896, age 3; plus two male Polish boarders.

John Ramsey, 54, Farmer, and Elizabeth M., 57, were listed in the 1905 New Jersey State Census. living in the Borough of Oakland, Bergen County, NJ on a farm they owned. Listed with them were: Chas. W., 24, single, bookkeeper; Elizabeth M., 22, single; Grace, 13; and Kate M.C., 8.

John Ramsey, 69, farmer, and Elizabeth M. Ramsey, 62, with their daughters Grace, 18, and Kittie, 13, were listed in the 1910 Federal Census, living in Oakland, Bergen County, NJ in a house they owned.

*---children of John Ramsey & Elizabeth Matilda Mandigo:*

- **John W. Ramsey**, b. 1869; d. 1939; m. 1891 **Belle White**
- **Alonzo W. Ramsey**, b. 1871; d. 1954; m. 1892 **Susan Jane Snyder**
- **Ida May Ramsey**, b. 1872; d. 1923; m. 1891 **Charles Snyder**
- **Garret P. Ramsey**, b. 1876; d. 1898
- **Floyd Ramsey**, b. about Feb 1879 PA; m. 1913 **Margaret Cahill**
- **Charles W. Ramsey**, b. about Apr 1881 NJ; d. 1953; m. 1927 **Evalyn Thorne**
- **Elizabeth Matilda Ramsey** (Tillie), b. about Sep 1882 NJ; m. 1905 **James Roe Cox**
- **Walter A. Ramsey**, b. 1885; d. 1889
- **Grace Ramsey**, b. about Dec 1891 NJ; m. 1913 **Walter Estabrook Smith**

• **Kitty McK. Ramsey**, b. about Oct 1896 NJ; d. 1920

---Sources: Demarest, Voorhis D. (Demarest Family Association), The Demarest Family, 1964, Vol. I, No. 7-917, Leah Demarest; 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Franklin Township, Ramsey's P.O., taken Aug 1870, Dwelling 328, Family 362; 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Franklin Township (taken June 1880), Dwelling 331, Family 377; 1885 New Jersey State Census, Franklin Township, Individuals 64 thru 72; 1905 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Borough of Oakland, taken June 1905, dwelling 103, family 110 (family of John Ramsey); 1910 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Borough of Oakland (taken April 1910), Dwelling 63, Family 65; Ackerman, Herbert S. and Arthur J. Goff, Records of the Wyckoff Reformed Protestant Dutch Church, including gravestone inscriptions from the Chyd (Wyckoff, Bergen County, NJ) January 1945

**Ramsey, John Rathbone** ("Bone")

John Rathbone Ramsey  
son of John Post Ramsey &  
Martha Rathbone  
b. 25 April 1862 Wyckoff, Bergen County, NJ<sup>4</sup>  
d. 10 April 1933<sup>4</sup>  
buried Hackensack Cemetery

m. (1) 26 Jan 1898<sup>5</sup>  
Clarksburg, Harrison Co.,  
WV<sup>5</sup>

m. (2) 10 Jan 1906  
Hackensack, NJ<sup>5</sup>

**Mary Evelyn Thompson**

dau. of

b.  
d. 27 April 1898 Hackensack, Bergen Co., NJ<sup>5</sup>  
buried

**Alice Taylor Huyler**

dau. of John E. Huyler &  
Ada Mumford Farr<sup>3,5,7</sup>

b. 11 Nov 1886 Hackensack, NJ<sup>3</sup>  
d. 10 Sep 1983 Covina, Los Angeles Co., CA<sup>3</sup>  
buried

John Rathbone Ramsey was a Hackensack lawyer and businessman. He was Clerk of Bergen County from 1900-1915 and was elected to Congress in 1916.

John Rathbone Ramsey was a Representative from New Jersey; born in Wyckoff, Bergen County, N.J., April 25, 1862; attended the public schools and a private school in Parkersburg, W.Va., where he lived from 1872 to 1879; studied law in Hackensack, N.J.; was admitted to the bar in 1883 and commenced practice in Hackensack, N.J.; county clerk of Bergen County 1895-1910; delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1908; president of the Hackensack Brick Co. 1909-1933; director of several banks; elected as a Republican to the Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth Congresses (March 4, 1917-March 3, 1921); was an unsuccessful candidate for renomination in 1920; resumed the manufacture of brick; died in Hackensack, N.J., April 10, 1933; interment in Hackensack Cemetery.<sup>4</sup>

Alice Huyler Ramsey (1886-1983) was the first female to drive across the U.S. in 1909. She was born in Hackensack, NJ, and was given a red Maxwell roadster by her husband after an episode with a runaway horse and rig. She was 22 at the time she traveled cross country to San Francisco from New York City with the slogan "From Hell Gate to Golden Gate" and was accompanied by three other women. The Automobile Manufacturers Association honored her in 1960 on the 50th anniversary of the trip as "First Lady of Automobile Travel," and she was named "Woman Motorist of the Century" by the American Automobile Association. A biography of Ramsey appears in *Past and Promise: Lives of New Jersey Women, 183-185*, by the Women's Project of New Jersey.<sup>1</sup> Alice Ramsey traveled in 1909 with her friend Hermine Jahn (Jahns) (poss. 23 July 1892 Germany-30 July 1978 Oakland, Alameda Co., CA (Mrs. William R. Jahn?)), and her two sisters-in-law (Nettie Powell and Margaret Atwood).

N.J. MOTHER'S 1909 MILESTONE -- Alice Ramsey was 22 when she drove three female passengers to San Francisco from Manhattan in a spanking new Maxwell DA touring car, a publicity stunt orchestrated by the car's manufacturer. Ramsey, the first woman to motor across the United States, made the trip in 41 days. -- Record Newspaper Wednesday 10 June 2009 page L3 [the trip is being duplicated by Emily Anderson who plans on 30 days]<sup>2</sup>

Alice Taylor Huyler attended Vassar College beginning in 1903.<sup>7</sup>

He was listed in the 1900 United States Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., New Barbadoes Township, Hackensack Ward 4, District 31, enumerated 5 June 1900, Union Street, Dwelling 99, Family 107 -- Ramsey, Martha, Head, b. May 1842, 58, widow, mother of 3 children, 3 children then living, b. NJ, her father b. NY, her mother b. NJ; Ramsey, John R., Son, b. Apr 1862, age 38, Wd., b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, County Clerk; Powell, Nette, Daughter, b. July 1861, 38, Widow, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ; Ramsey, Maggie, Daughter, b. Nov 1866, age 33, Single, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ; Feamer, York, Servant, Black, b. Oct 1850, age 49, married 25 yrs., b. NY, his father b. NY, his mother b. NJ, Coachman; [Feamer], Laura, Servant, Black, b. Oct 1857, age 43, married 25 yrs., 0 children, b. VA, her parents b. VA, Servant; De Groat, Servant, Black, b. June? 1881, age 18, Single, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ, Servant.

They were listed in the 1910 United States Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Hackensack Ward 3, District 39, enumerated [no date filled in], Union Street, Dwelling 254, Family 260 -- Ramsey, John R., Head, 48, second marriage, married 4 yrs., b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, occupation: None; [Ramsey], Alice H., Wife, age 21, first marriage, m. 4 yrs., mother of 1 child, 1 child then living, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ; [Ramsey], John R., Jr., Son, age 3, b. NJ; and two female servants.

They were listed in the 1920 United States Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., New Barbadoes Township, Hackensack Ward 3, District 80, enumerated 10-12 Jan 1920, 325 Union Street, Dwelling 205, Family 242 -- Ramsey, John R., Head, Owner, age 57, b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, Congressman, Washington, D.C.; [Ramsey], Alice H., Wife, 33, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ; [Ramsey], John R., Jr., Son, 12, b. NJ; [Ramsey], Alice V., daughter, 9, b. NJ; Hampton, Lottie, Helper, 36, Single, b. NY, her parents b. NY, maid, at home.

They were listed in the 1930 United States Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Hackensack, District 113, enumerated 17 April 1930, 325 Union Street, Dwelling 111, Family 135 -- Ramsey, John, Head, Owned home valued at 10,000, age 67, married at age 43, b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, Lawyer, General Practice; [Ramsey], Alice, Wife, 43, married at age 19, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ.

---*children of John Rathbone Ramsey & Alice Taylor Huyler:*

• **John Rathbone Ramsey, Jr.**, b. 13 Feb 1907 Hackensack, Bergen Co., NJ; m. 11 Sep 1948, **June Perry**.<sup>5</sup> In 1938 he was

living at 703 Cathedral Street, Baltimore, MD.<sup>6</sup>

They had children:

- **Peter Ramsey**, m. -?-. He had at least one son: Andrew Huyler Ramsey, b. about 1996
- **Alice Valleau Ramsey**, b. 27 May 1910 Hackensack, Bergen Co., NJ; m. (1) 11 March 1932, **Henry Myers Bogert**; m. (2) 21 Feb 1946 Hackensack, Bergen Co., NJ, **R. Stewart Bruns**<sup>5</sup>

---Sources:

- [1] Information posted 5 April 2008, H-NEW-JERSEY@H-NET.MSU.EDU, by Carmela A. Karnoutsos <ckarnoutsos@NJCU.edu>;  
 [2] Information in e-mail 10 June 2009 from Ethel Knight <ETHELKK@aol.com>;  
 [3] Californis Death Index, online at Ancestry.com;  
 [4] Biographical Directory of the United States Congress, 1774-2005, online at Ancestry.com;  
 [5] Family Tree posted on Ancestry.com;  
 [6] New York Passenger Lists, 1820-1957, online at Ancestry.com;  
 [7] McConnell, Curt, *A Reliable Car and a Woman Who Knows It*, 2000, online at Google Books;  
 "Alice Ramsey's Transcontinental First" by George K. Jepson, in *Pascack Valley Tales*, 1993, Pascack Historical Society, p. 132

### Ramsey, John W.

John W. Ramsey  
 b. 20 March 1862

d. 8 Dec 1932

buried Valleau Cemetery, Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ

Buried in the same plot, with a Moxham-Ramsey monument, is Louise E. Ramsey, b. 5 Nov 1850; d. 23 Feb 1929.

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, Valleau Cemetery (Ridgewood, Bergen County, NJ) Gravestone Inscriptions (typescript), copied Feb 1944, p. 72

### Ramsey, Joseph

Joseph Ramsey

m.

Mary

---children of Joseph Ramsey & Mary

- **Rachel Ramsey**, b. 20 April 1743; bp. 3 May 1744 at Ancram, recorded Zion Lutheran Ch, Loonenburg, now Athens, Greene Co., NY (wit: Philip Kuhns, Maria Lisabeth, h.w.)
- **Hanna Ramsy**, b. 20 March 1745; bp. 23 May 1745 at Ancram, Zion Lutheran Ch, Loonenburg, now Athens, Greene Co., NY (wit: Helm Torner, Anneke, h.w.)

---Sources: Births and Baptisms, Zion Lutheran Ch., Athens, Greene Co., NY, 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. 1, Jan 1952, p. 25, 29

### Ramsey, Joseph

Joseph Ramsey

m. 1784

**Rachel Van Sickle**

dau. of Jacobus/James Van Sickle & Sara -?-

b. 1747

d. 13 July 1834 Potterstown, NJ

b. 8 March 1753 Hunterdon Co., NJ

d. 26 Jan 1806

m. (2)

**Jane Bess**

The records in the Adjutant General's Office at Trenton, show that Joseph Ramsey of Hunterdon Co. enlisted in 1776, at the age of twenty-nine years, as private, Captain Benjamin Alyan's Company, Fourth Regiment, Hunterdon County Militia; private, Captain William Hazlett's Company, Fourth Regiment, Hunterdon County Militia, in 1776; Private, Captain David Frazier's Company, Colonel Philip Johnson's Battalion, New Jersey State troops, five months service; took part in the battle of Long Island, August 27th, 1776; Private, Captain David Schamp's Company, Fourth Regiment, Hunterdon County Militia, and served therein until the close of the Revolutionary war; took part in the battle of Short Hills, New Jersey, June 26, 1776; in the battle of Springfield, and in an engagement with refugees at Staten Island.

Joseph Ramsey and wife attended the Lamington Church in Somerset.

---children of Joseph Ramsey & Rachel Van Sickle:

- **James Ramsey**, bp. 27 June 1779; apparently d.y.
- **James Ramsy**, bp. 12 Oct 1780 Readington Ch; m. **Margaret Hoffman**
- **Alexander Ramsy**, bp. 13 Nov 1785 Readington Ch, Somerset Co., NJ; m. -?- **Polhemus**
- **John Ramsy**, bp. 22 Aug 1786 Readington Ch, Somerset Co., NJ; m. **Elizabeth Kline**, dau. of Christian Kline & Elizabeth Miller.
- **Rachel Ramsey**, m. **Daniel Polhemus**
- **Sarah Ramsey**, b. 30 Oct 1789; m. 22 Jan 1806 **Henry M. Kline**, son of Christian Kline & Elizabeth Miller.

---Sources: "Readington Church Baptisms from 1720" by the Pastor, Rev. B. V. D. Wyckoff, in *Somerset County Historical Quarterly*, A. Van Doren Honeyman, Editor, Vol. VI, 1917, p. 230, 289; *Ibid.*, Notes, p. 239-240

### Ramsey, Joseph

Joseph Ramsey

m. 6 Nov 1849

**Martha McKnight**

son of

Greenwich Ref Ch, NYC

dau. of

---Sources: Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church at Greenwich in the City of New York*, p. 168 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society)

**Ramsey, Martin** (m. as Martinus C. Ramsay)

Martin Ramsey m. 26 Aug 1793 **Rachel Meyers**  
 son of NYC Ref Ch dau. of  
*---children of Martin Ramsey & Rachel Meyers:*  
 • (prob) **Sarah Ramsey**, m. 6 Sep 1812 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC, **James G. Evens**, son of Thomas Evens  
 • **William Ramsay**, b. 29 June, bp. 15 July 1799 NYC Ref Ch  
 • (prob) **Mary Ann Ramsey**, m. 12 May 1822 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC, **George Washington Van Buren**, son of William Van Buren  
 • (prob) **Lydia Ann Ramsey**, m. 21 May 1822 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC, **Jacob Hoffman**, son of Jacob Hoffman  
 • **Martin Richards Ramsey**, b. 23 Aug 1810; bp. 2 Oct 1810 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC (no wit.)  
*---Sources: NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in New York Genealogical & Biographical Record, Apr 1901, p. 88; 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; Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York, Vol. 1, p. 11 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society); Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York, Vol. 2 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)*

**Ramsey, Martin**

Martin Ramsey m. **-?-**  
*---children of Martin Ramsey &*  
 • **Mary Ann Ramsey**, m. 12 May 1822 Sugar Loaf St., NYC Dutch Ref Ch, **George Washington Van Buren**, son of William Van Buren  
*---Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at genealogy.com*

**Ramsey, Mary**

"Mary Ramsey," with 70 taxable acres, 1 horse, 2 cattle and 5 hogs is listed in the Bergen County Rateables, Franklin Township in 1778. In Jan/Feb1779, she is listed with the same, except she then owned 8 horses and cattle.  
 "New Jersey Rateables: Bergen Co., Franklin Township" in Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey, Jan. 1966, p. 29  
 Claire Tholl Map of the Ramapo Tract, Bergen Co., NJ:  
 #132, Mary Ramsey, 229 A [Ramsey/Mahwah vicinity; Darlington Ave. runs through property]  
 From *The Minutes of the Board of Proprietors of the Eastern Division of New Jersey from 1725 to 1744*, Perth Amboy (Re: Ramapo Tract; paraphrased unless in quotes) (Vol. III, p. 403, chart)...19 August 1763...Board executed lease at Romopock to Mary Ramsey pt. of lot no. 9.33.100, 200 acres at 40 s, 11 August 1763.

**Ramsey, Matthew J.**

Matthew J. Ramsey m. **Rachel Demarest Tice**  
 son of m. (widow of (poss) **Charles L. Washburn**)  
 dau. of Richard Tice &  
 Jane Van Houten  
 b. about 1834  
*---Sources: Warner, Peter Roome, Descendants of Peter Willemse Roome, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 336*

**Ramsey, Mungo** (Mongo Ramsey)

Mungo Ramsey m. 8 Feb 1803 **Harriet -?- (Adriantje Veader<sup>2</sup>)**  
 son of Bergen, NJ<sup>1</sup> (widow of **Cornelius Hennion<sup>2</sup>**)  
 b. about 1764<sup>2</sup>  
 d. 8 June 1820<sup>2</sup> d. 16 Feb 1849 Clarkstown, Rockland Co., NY<sup>2</sup>  
 At the time of their marriage, he was of New York City.<sup>1</sup>  
 Mongo Ramsey was listed as head of a household in the 1810 Federal Census, Rockland Co., Clarkstown, p. 2 -- Mongo Ramsey, with 2 Free White Males 16-25, 6 Free White Males 26-44; 1 Free White Male 45 and over; one Free White Female under 10; 1 Free White Female 10-15; 1 Free White Female 15-25; 1 Free White Female 45 and Over, for a total of 13 members of the household.

*---Sources:*  
 [1] "Marriages from the *Weekly Visitor or Ladies' Miscellany*, New York City, 1803-1804" issue of Saturday, 12 Feb 1803, in *The New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct 2009 (Vol. 140, No. 4), p. 296;  
 [2] National Archives and Records Administration, Revolutionary War Pension and Bounty-Land Warrant Application File of Harriet Ramsey, former widow of Cornelius Hennion, Revolutionary War soldier, online at Ancestry.com;

**Ramsey, Peter P.**

Peter Ramsey m. **Jannetje Ryerson (Jane)**  
 son of William Ramsey & dau. of Jacob Ryerson (Jacobus)  
 & Mary Van Blarcom  
 b. about 1750 b. 24 Feb 1750  
 bp. (prob) 11 Aug 1751 Ramapo Lutheran Church<sup>1</sup> bp.  
 d. 30 Mar 1834, age 83?8.12 d. 28 June 1825, age 75.4.4  
 buried Island Church Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ buried Island Church Cem., Mahwah, NJ  
 Peter Ramsey was of Franklin. He purchased 11 June 1793, lot #132 in the Ramapo Tract (Birth of Ramsey, p. 85).  
 On 13 October 1797, Jacob Bardan, Rebecka Bardan, Garret Garretson, Mary Garretson, of Saddle River Township, Peter

Ramsey, Jane Ramsey, Henry Edtsler, Ellen Edtsler of Franklin Township, John Ja. Ryerson and Margaret Ryerson, of Long Island, New York (all heirs of Jacob Ryerson), conveyed to John Westervelt of Franklin Township, for £450, 149 acres...line of John Ryerson, William Colfax and Anthony Bartrim...part of 140 acres purchased by Ryer Ryerson deceased, of George Willock, Andrew Johnston and Mary Johnston 19 May 1727 who sold part to his son Jacob Ryerson 1 Oct 1746. Signed by Jacob Bardan (his mark), Rebecca Bardan, Garret Garretson, Mary Garretson (her mark), Peter Ramsey (his mark), Jane Ramsey (her mark), Henry Aster, Ellen Aster (her mark), Garret Garretson for John J. Ryerson and Margaret Ryerson. Witnessed by Jacob Ackerman, Uriah Van Ryper.<sup>2</sup>

---children of Peter Ramsey & Jannetje Ryerson:

- **William P. Ramsey**, b. abt. 1774
- **Jacobus Ramsy** (James Ramsey), bp. 11 Apr 1783 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Romein & Catharina Van Zeil)
- **Peter Remse** (Peter P. Ramsey), b. 11 Jan, bp. 6 Feb 1785 Totowa (wit: Jacob Berdan; Rebecca Ryerson);  
m. **Elizabeth Christie**.
- **Maria Ramsey**

---Sources:

[1] "Ramapo Lutheran Church Records, 1750-1817" in *Proceedings of the New Jersey Historical Society*, Vol. VIII, No. 1 (April 1913), p. 6;  
 [2] Davis, John David, *Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records 1689-1801*, Heritage Books, Inc., 1995, p. 261;  
 NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1899, p. 88; Harvey, Cornelius Burnham, *Genealogical History of Hudson and Bergen Counties, New Jersey*, 1900, p. 146; Clayton & Nelson, *History of Bergen & Passaic Cos.*, 1882, p. 333; Nelson, William, *History of the Old Dutch Church at Totowa* [Paterson, NJ], 1892 including Baptisms 1756-1808; Ryerson, Albert Winslow, *The Ryerson Genealogy*, 1916, p. 25

### Ramsey, Peter P.

Peter P. Ramsey  
 son of Peter Ramsey &  
 Jannetje Ryerson  
 b. 11 Jan 1785

m. 15 Dec 1804 Kakiat Ref Ch  
 by Rev. G.G. Brinkerhoff

**Elizabeth Christie** (Christy)  
 dau. of John D. Christie &  
 Elizabeth LaRoe  
 b. 7 Oct 1784

bp. 6 Feb 1785 Totowa Ref Ch  
 d. 9 Sep 1845, age 60.7.20

bp.  
 d. 5 May 1880, age 95.6.28  
 buried Island Church Cem., Mahwah, NJ

buried Island Ch Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ

On 27 Feb 1806 (recorded 14 May 1806, Bergen Co. W:378) Thomas S. Banta of the Township of Franklin, and Margaret, his wife, conveyed to Peter Ramsey Junior of the same place, for \$175.50, 14-4/100 acres in Franklin Township, beginning SW corner of William Ramsey; mentioned land of Cornelius Peules. Bounded E by Jacob Young. Signed by Thomas S. Banta, Margaret Banta. Witnessed by Wm. P. Ramsey, William Tracy.<sup>1</sup>

In 1854, William J. Pulis bought land of Peter P. Ramsey's estate in Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ; Pulis shortly afterward sold part of this land to John Y. Dater.

---children of Peter Ramsey & Elizabeth Christie:

- **Peter Ramsey**, b. 25 Dec 1807; m. **Mary -?-**.
- **John Ramsey**, b. 10 Dec 1811; removed to Paterson.
- **Jane Ramsey**, b. 26 Feb 1814; m. **Peter H. Smith**. (or George H. Smith?)
- **David P. Ramsey**, b. 22 Mar 1817; m. **Rachel -?-**
- **Eliza Ramsey**, b. 12 May 1820; m. **Stephen Bartholf**
- **William Ramsey**, b. 11 Sep 1822; removed to Newark.
- **Mary Ann Ramsey**, b. 8 Sep 1825; bp. 23 Oct 1825 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah; d. 19 May 1896; buried Wyckoff Ref Chyd, Bergen Co., NJ; m. **Abraham J. Hopper**, son of Jacob Hopper & Charity Van Horn.

---Sources:

[1] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell;  
 "Sussex Co. Bible Records, Bartholf-Ramsey Family, contributed by Sussex Co. Historical Soc." in *New Jersey Genesis*, Jan 1966, p. 546; Ryerson Genealogy, p. 25; 197; Clayton & Nelson, *History of Bergen & Passaic Cos.*, 1882, p. 333; Zabriskie, George Olin, *The Zabriskie Family*, 1963, vol. I, p. 712 (#4711 Abraham J. Hopper); Kakiat Marriages; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the] *Ramapo Reformed Church; Ramapo Lutheran Church*, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books)

### Ramsey, Peter W.

Peter W. Ramsey  
 son of

m. 9 Nov 1816  
 Saddle River Ref Ch

**Alida Ackerman** (Lydia; Aleny)  
 dau. of Daniel Ackerman &  
 Catalyntje Christie

b. 1794 NJ  
 d. 20 Apr 1867, age 72.10.14  
 buried Monsey, Rockland Co., NY

b. Jan 1798 NJ  
 d. 7 Nov 1873, age 75.10.7  
 buried Monsey, Rockland Co., NY

They were members of the Greenwich Ref Ch, NYC in 1820, and of the True Ref Ch in West New Hempstead, Rockland County, NY in 1834.

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New York, Rockland Co., Ramapo Twp., p. 26, Dwelling 230, Family 230 (both b. NY) -- Peter Ramsey, 53, Merchant, value property \$3,500; Alida, 51.

Peter W. Ramsey, 70, and his wife, Lydia Ramsey, 67, were listed in the 1865 New York State Census, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY.

They had no known children of their own, but adopted a daughter, Jane Ackerman Ramsey, who married, 13 Dec 1837 Jacob Young of Monsey, NY.<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

[1] Information April 1997 from Marjorie Smeltzer-Stevenot, 150 Johnstown Rd., Sloatsburg, NY 10974;  
 Tobey, *The Ackerman Family*, vol. 2, p. 216; 1865 NY State Census, Rockland Co., Town of Ramapo, 3rd E.D., family 217; Moos, Dorothy A., *The Blauvelt Family*, Revised Edition, Vol. II, 1994, p. 110 (#7-3932c Alida Ackerman); Saddle River Reformed Church (Upper Saddle River, Bergen Co., NJ) Records, including gravestones inscriptions from the adjacent chyd (typescript); Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947, p. 159 (Monsey Cem); Protzmann, Robert L., "Descendants of

Daniel Verveelen and Alida Schaets' draft April 1994; 1850 Federal Census, New York, Rockland Co., Ramapo Twp., p. 26, Dwelling 230, Family 230 (Family of Peter Ramsey); Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Reformed Dutch Church at Greenwich in the City of New York, p. 194 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society);

**Ramsey, Peter J.** (Peter P.)

Peter J. Ramsey m.  
son of

**Margaret Hopper**  
dau. of Jacob G. Hopper &  
Sarah -?-

b. 23 Nov 1804  
d. 10 May 1852, age 47.5.17  
buried Island Church Cem, Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ

b. 3 Oct 1809  
d. 10 Apr 1844, age 34.6.5  
buried Island Ch Cem, Mahwah, NJ

Peter J. Ramsey lived on what is today North Central Avenue in Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ.

---children of Peter J. Ramsey & Margaret Hopper:

- **James P. Ramsey**
- **Garret H. Ramsey**, m. (poss) **Catherine Demarest**.
- **Rachel Ramsey**, b. 29 Sep 1831; bp. 29 July 1832 Mahwah Luth Ch (Saddle Riv. Luth); d. 15 Feb 1925;  
m. **Henry B. Demarest**, widower of Mary Post Van Houten. Rachel Ramsey, 27, tailoress, b. NJ, was listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in the North Ward of Paterson, Passaic County, NJ, with the family of her brother-in-law, Henry Salyer.
- **Mary Ann Ramsey**, b. 7 Aug 1833; bp. 14 Sep 1834 Mahwah Luth Ch (Saddle Riv. Luth); m. **Henry W. Salyer**.
- **William I. Ramsey**
- **Sarah Ramsey**, b. 15 Feb 1837
- **Jemima Ramsey**
- **Lavinia Ramsey**, b. about 1842. Lavinia Ramsey, 18, tailoress, b. NJ was listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in the North Ward of Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ, with the family of her brother-in-law, Henry Salyer.
- **Abraham Ramsey** (twin), b. 10 Apr 1844; d. 15 Aug 1844 (15 July 1844, age 0.3.5<sup>1</sup>); buried Island Ch Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ.
- **John Jacob Ramsey** (twin), b. 10 Apr 1844; d. 15 Aug 1844, age 0.4.5; buried Island Ch Cem, Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ.

---Sources:

[1] Gravestone Inscriptions of Island Church Cemetery, Mahwah, Bergen County, NJ; 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. 393 (#1964 Margaret Hopper); Saddle River Lutheran Baptisms; Martha Ann Zabriskie Memorandum Book (Typescript at Bergen County Historical Society Library); The Demarest Family, 1964, Vol. I, p. VII-95 (#7-850); 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, North Ward of Paterson (taken July 1860), Dwelling 880, Family 1113 (Family of Henry Salyer)

**Ramsey, Peter P.**

Peter P. Ramsey m. (1)  
son of Peter Ramsey &  
Elizabeth Christie

**Jane Henion**  
dau. of

b. 25 Dec 1807  
d. 9 Feb 1900, age 92.1.14  
buried Union Cem., Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

b. about 1812  
d. 6 June 1881, age 68.8.20  
buried Union Cem., Ramsey, NJ

m. (2) by July 1860

**Mary Magdalene Bush**  
b. about 1819 NY  
d. 10 April 1868 age 50

They are listed in the 1850 Federal Census, Bergen Co., Hohokus Twp., Dwelling #420, Family #461. He is listed as a shoemaker, with real estate valued at \$3,000.

Peter P. Ramsey, 52, farmer, and Mary M., 42 in the 1860 census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Living with them were: Peter B., 25, farmer; John J., 10; Agnes, 9; David H., 2. Also living with them were Jane, 19, black, servant; Ann M. Bush, 20, white, deaf and dumb; Alice Burns, 13; and James Ramsey, 75, farmer.

They were listed in the 1865 New Jersey State Census, living in Hohokus Township (probably in or near the northern part of what became Mahwah): Peter P. Ramsey, Mary M. Ramsey, John J. Ramsey, Agness S. (or L.?) Ramsey, and David Henry Ramsey.

Peter Ramsey, 72, retired farmer, and Jane Ramsey, 67, his wife, were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Ramsey Village, Bergen County, NJ. Living with them were son John, 31, single, and daughter Agnes L., 29, single, both listed as deaf and dumb.

Living with Peter P. Ramsey, John [J.?] Ramsey, and Agnes Ramsey at the time of the 1885 New Jersey State Census, was Margaret Pulis, over 60 years of age.

---children of Peter P. Ramsey & (1) Jane Henion:

- **Peter Beekman Ramsey**, b. about July 1834 NY (NJ in 1860 census) (Dumb and deaf in 1860 census)
- **Albert Ramsey**, b. about 1837 NY
- **Eliza Jane Ramsey**, b. about 1843 NY; m. (poss) **Herman Terhune**
- **John J. Ramsey**, b. 23 March 1849 NJ; d. 29 July 1912; buried Union Cem., Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ. He was listed as deaf and dumb in the 1880 Census, when he was 31, single, and living with his parents.
- **Agnes L. Ramsey**, b. abt. 1851 NJ; d. 20 May 1892, ae 41.3.26, (23 May 1892, age 41, Ramsey, NJ mute dau. of Peter P. Ramsey<sup>1</sup>); buried Union Cem., Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ. She was listed as deaf and dumb in the 1880 Census; deaf in 1885 NJ State Census.



- **Infant Son**, b. 1854; d. 1 April 1854, age 1 month; buried Island Church Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ  
---*children of Peter P. Ramsey & (2) Mary Magdalene Bush:*
- **David Henry Ramsey**, b. 4 July 1858 Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ; m. 6 March 1905 Brooklyn, NY, **Mary Jane Carr**, dau. of James Carr & Eliza Ellen Van Ostrand. He became a resident of Rahway, NJ, where he served as Chief of Police.<sup>2</sup>

---Sources:

- [1] Bergen County, New Jersey Death Notices 1858-1892 Transcribed from Three Area Newspapers: Bergen Index, Bergen County Journal, New Jersey Citizen, (manuscript in library of Bergen County Historical Society), pub. 1998 by Bergen Historic Books, p. 122;  
[2] History of Union County, New Jersey, 1664-1923, Vol. 3, p. 175-176 (Biography of David Henry Ramsey);  
1850 Federal Census; 1860 Federal Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Hohokus P.O., dwelling 766, family 840 (Mahwah-Ramsey area?); 1885 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Dwelling 224, Family 270; 1865 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (#26 Peter P. Ramsey and his family); 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Village of Ramsey (taken June 1880), Dwelling 351, Family 398; Gravestone Inscriptions of Island Church Cemetery, Mahwah, Bergen County, NJ; Gravestone Inscription, Union Cemetery, Darlington Avenue, Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ

### Ramsey, Peter B.

Peter B. Ramsey m.  
son of

**Agnes Zabriskie**  
dau. of Albert Zabriskie &  
Heyltje Van Buren

b.  
bp.  
d.

b. 23 March 1813  
bp. 18 April 1813 Hackensack Ref Ch  
d. before May 1853

---*children of Peter B. Ramsey & Agnes Zabriskie:*

---Sources: 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. 1, p. 154 (Albert Zabriskie)

### Ramsey, Peter J.

Peter Ramsey m. 26 Jan 1856  
son of by John Y.  
DeBaun, True  
b. 27 Oct 1833 Ref. Ch. Hack &  
d. 17 Dec 1914 Eng. Neighborhood  
buried

**Levina C. Christie** (Lavinia)  
dau. of John Christie &  
Dinah Westervelt (Tiny)  
b. 25 Jan 1833 (1832?) (18 Jan 1832?)  
d. 5 Mar 1909  
buried Ponds Cem. (Oakland), Bergen Co., NJ

In the marriage record, he is of Franklin and she is of Hohokus.

Peter Ramsey, 45, Farmer, and Lavinia Ramsey, 46, his wife, were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County NJ. Living with them were their children: Carrie, 17; Alice, 14; Eliza, 14; Sarah, 10; Mary, 9; and Kate, 6.

Peter J. Ramsey, 71, Farmer, and Lavinia, 73, were listed in the 1905 New Jersey State Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ on a farm he owned. Listed with them were: Eliza Ramsey, 38, single; and Kate Ramsey, 31, single. Also living with them was Jacob Smith, 53 (b. Apr 1852 Poland), Farm Laborer.

Peter J. Ramsey, 77, widower, farmer, was listed in the 1910 Federal Census, living in Oakland, Bergen County, NJ in a house he owned.

---*children of Peter J. Ramsey & Levina C. Christie:*

- **David P. Ramsey**, b. 5 Oct 1857; d. 9 March 1897; buried Ponds Ref Chyd, Oakland, Bergen Co., NJ.
- **James Ramsey**
- **Carrie Ramsey**, b. about 1863 NJ
- **Alice Ramsey**, b. Feb 1865 NJ; d. 1935; buried Ponds Ref Chyd, Oakland, NJ; m. **James H. Fox**. In 1905 she was a widow, living with her sister, Sarah L. Cook. In 1910 she was a widow, living with her father.
- **Eliza Ramsey**, b. Apr 1867 NJ
- **Sarah L. Ramsey**, b. Feb 1870 NJ; m. **-?- Cook**. In 1905 she was a widow, living in Hohokus Township with her children, Lavinia Cook (b. Aug 1899 NJ), and Leroy Ramsey Cook (b. Sep 1902 NJ). Also living with her was her widowed sister, Alice Fox. In 1910 Sarah was a widow, a home nurse, living with her father.
- **Mary Ramsey**, b. about 1871 NJ
- **Catherine Ramsey** (Kate), b. Feb 1874 NJ
- **Charley Ramsey**, d. age 3 yrs.; buried Island Church Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ.

---Sources:

- [1] 1905 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken June 1905, dwelling 263, family 299 (Peter J. Ramsey family);  
[2] Ponds Churchyard Cemetery Gravestones, copied May 1909 by John Neafie and William B. Van Alstyne;  
Moos, *The Blauvelt Family Genealogy*, Vol. 1, p. 319; Westervelt, Frances A., *Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records*, 1929, True Ref. Church of Hackensack & English Neighborhood, p. 18; Maszalec, Edward T., *The Christie Families of Northern New Jersey*, 1989, p. 36; 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (taken June 1880), Dwelling 262, Family 277; 1885 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Dwelling 507, Family 612; 1910 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Borough of Oakland (taken April 1910), Dwelling 73, Family 75; Moos, Dorothy A., *The Blauvelt Family Genealogy*, Revised Edition, Vol. II, 1994, p. 282 (#7-5834 Levina Christie); 1905 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken June 1905, dwelling 266, family 302 (Sarah L. Cook family); Gravestone Inscriptions of Island Church Cemetery, Mahwah, Bergen County, NJ; Ponds Ref Chyd Gravestone Photos and inscriptions published in DAD (David Ackerman Descendants) Newsletter, Vol. 47, No. 1, Jan-Mar 2009, p. 4

### Ramsey, Peter Beekman (Beekman Ramsey)

Peter Beekman Ramsey m. about 1868  
son of Peter P. Ramsey &  
(1) Jane Henion  
b. about July 1834 NY

**Henriette**  
dau. of

b. about Sep 1837 NY

He was listed as dumb and deaf in 1860 census.

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (part of; West of E.R.R.), District 23, enumerated 1 June 1900 by Edgar A. DeYoe, Road leading from Allendale to R.R. Crossing North of Ramsey, Dwelling 24, Family 24 (Ramsey area) -- Ramsey, Beekman, Head, b. July 1834, age 65, married 32 yrs., b. NY, his father b. NJ, his mother b. NY, [occupation blank], Renting Home; [Ramsey], Henriette, Wife, b. Sept 1837, age 62, married 32 yrs., mother of 2 children, 1 child then living, b. NY, her parents b. NY; [Ramsey], Mary A., Daughter, b. July 1870, age 29, Single, b. NY, Teacher (High School); [Ramsey], John J., Brother, b. Mch 1849, age 51, Single, b. NJ, his father b. NJ, his mother b. NY, [occupation blank].

---children of Peter Beekman Ramsey & Henriette

• **Mary A. Ramsey**, b. about July 1870 NY

**Ramsey, Peter D.**

Peter D. Ramsey  
son of David Ramsey &  
Rachel Bogert  
b. Nov 1854 NJ  
bp.

m. 18 Sep 1872  
by Rev. Ephraim DeYoe  
(Luth Ch)

**Clara Wanmaker** (Clarinda)  
dau. of Henry R. Wanamaker &  
(1) Rachel Bush  
b. 27 Sep 1852 NJ  
bp. 3 Apr 1855 Saddle River Zion Luth Ch

Peter D. Ramsey, 25, Farmer, and Clara Ramsey, 26, his wife, were listed with their son David Ramsey, 6, in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ.

At the time of the 1885 New Jersey State Census they lived in Hohokus Township (probably in what became Waldwick or Hohokus Borough).

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (part of; West of E.R.R.), District 23, enumerated 2 June 1900 by Edgar A. DeYoe, Road leading from D. R. Cemetery to Isaac Ackerman R. R. Crossing, Dwelling 67, Family 70 (Ramsey area) (all b. NJ, all parents b. NJ) -- Ramsey, Peter D., Head, b. Nov 1854, age 45, married 28 yrs., Farmer; [Ramsey], Clarinda, Wife, b. Sept 1852, age 47, married 28 yrs., mother of 2 children, 2 children then living; [Ramsey], Henry, Son, b. July 1884, age 15, Single, At School.

Peter D. Ramsey, 50, Farmer, and Clarinda, 52, were listed in the 1905 New Jersey State Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ on a farm they owned.

---children of Peter D. Ramsey & Clara/Clarinda Wanamaker:

• **David C. Ramsey**, b. 5 July 1873 NJ; m. 17 June 1893 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah, NJ, **Mary/Mamie P. Garrison**

• **Henry R. Ramsey**, b. about July 1884 NJ

---Sources: 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (taken June 1880), Dwelling 173, Family 178; 1885 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Dwelling 108, Family 130; 1905 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken June 1905, dwelling 460, family 530m (family of Peter D. Ramsey); DeYoe, Ephraim (Rev.), Transcript of Baptisms, Marriages, and Funerals, taken from an informal record book of the Reverend Ephraim DeYoe, at one time Pastor of the Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church at Airmont, NY, of the Zion Lutheran Church at Saddle River, NJ, and of the Church of the Redeemer (Lutheran) at Ramsey, NY (in Bergen County Historical Society collection)

**Ramsey, Robert** (Ramsay)

Robert Ramsey  
son of

m. 14 July 1802  
Christ Episcopal Ch, NYC

**Mary Carlile**  
dau. of

---children of Robert Ramsey & Mary Carlile:

• **James Ramsey** (or Jane?), b. 11 May 1805; bp. 27 Nov 1805 Christ Episcopal Ch, NYC (no mother's surname in bp. record)

---Sources: Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of Christ Protestant Episcopal Church in New York City, NY, Vol. 1, 76; Vol. 2, p. 20 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society);

**Ramsey, Samuel**

Samuel Ramsey  
b. Scotland

m.

-?-

Samuel Ramsey is said to have come to America in 1772, where he settled at New Scotland, Albany County, NY.

---children of Samuel Ramsey

• **John Ramsey**, b. 1757; m. **Margaret Connolly**. They lived at New Scotland, Albany County, NY

• (supposedly) **Peter Ramsey**

---Sources: Harvey, Cornelius Burnham, Genealogical History of Hudson and Bergen Counties, New Jersey, 1900, p. 146

**Ramsey, Samuel**

Samuel Ramsey

Samuel Ramsey, single, along with Anna Black, single, and George Emrey & Dina Matthauss, wit. bp. 15 Feb 1773 NY-CLuthCh of Catharine, dau. of David Peterson "et ux nigra Hannah."

---Sources: "Baptisms in the Lutheran Church, New York City" in New York Genealogical & Biographical Record, Oct 1971, p. 203

**Ramsay, Siman**

Siman Ramsay  
son of

m. about 1723  
(Salmon Register)

**Phebe Rose**  
dau. of

According to the Salmon Register, they were married between 22 Feb 1723 & 12 June 1723.  
 ---Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at genealogy.com

**Ramsey, Stephen**

Stephen Ramsey m. -?-  
 ---children of Stephen Ramsey &

• **Mary E. Ramsey**, m. 20 Nov 1856 Fairview, NJ, **Benjamin W. Shreves**. At the time of their marriage, she was Mary E., daughter of Stephen Ramsey, late of New Jersey.

---Sources: Sawyer, Ray C., New Jersey Marriages, as published in the Christian Intelligencer of the Reformed Dutch Church from 1830 to 1871, Vols. 1 & 2, pub. 1932-1933 (reprinted 1998 in one vol., by Bergen Historic Books)

**Ramsey, William**

William Ramsey m. 19 Nov 1737 NY<sup>1</sup> **Rebecca Baxter**  
 son of dau. of

---Sources:

[1] Scott, James W. T., "Baxter Families, Genealogy and Notes" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1900, p. 178;

**Ramsey, William** (Remse; Wilhelm Remssis<sup>1</sup>)

William Ramsey m. **Marytje**  
 b.

d. on way home from French & Indian War

John Y. Dater wrote, in *The Old Station Time Table*, the publication of the Mahwah Historical Society, in the February-March 1982 (Vol. 5, No. 2) issue: "According to Rex Ramsey of Michigan, the Ramseys originated in Dalhousie, Scotland, west of Edinburgh. They had a castle there and Sir James Ramsey was knighted in 1236 by King David of Scotland. Dir James was also a member of Parliament. In 1701 William Ramsey came to Bucks County, PA and eventually to New Jersey and Hohokus Township."

William Ramsey, emigrated from Scotland or Ireland, and settled (before 1740<sup>3</sup>) one mile west of what became the village of Ramsey. He built a house on the north side of what is now Darlington Avenue, near Upland Road.<sup>2</sup>

On 30 March 1730 (B-270) Lucas Kiersted sold 200 acres to Evert Van Zile "att a certain place called Braband." On 30 March 1730, Lucas and Jannottye Kiersted, yeoman, of Bergen County, conveyed to Evert Van Zile, blacksmith, of same place, for £100.4, 200 acres, corner to William Stagg. Signed Lucas Kiersted, Jannottye Kiersted (her mark). Witnessed by Davyed L. Ackerman, Peter Stoutenburgh, Wilyam Ramsey (his mark), Jan Varick (his mark), William Provoost.<sup>4</sup>

He became a British soldier and fought in Canada against the French. He died from exhaustion on the return march.

---children of William Ramsey (order unknown)

- **Johannes Remse**, bp. 9 or 10 Jan 1741 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Johs. Theysse, Cath. Theysse)
- **Peter Ramsey** (Petrus Remssis<sup>1</sup>) (oldest child); bp. 11 Aug 1751 Ramapo Lutheran Church (no mother's name in bp. record) (wit: Pitter Wannemacher and his wife)<sup>1</sup>; m. **Jane Ryerson**. He purchased 11 June 1793, lot #132 in the Ramapo Tract (Birth of Ramsey, p. 85)
- **Maria Ramsey** (Maria Remssis<sup>1</sup>), bp. 11 Aug 1751 Ramapo Lutheran Church (no mother's name in bp. record) (wit: Pitter Wannemacher and his wife)<sup>1</sup>
- **William Ramsey**
- **Martin Ramsey**
- **Rachel Ramsey**
- **Catherine Ramsey**
- **Margaret Ramsey**

---Sources:

[1] "Ramapo Lutheran Church Records, 1750-1817" in *Proceedings of the New Jersey Historical Society*, Vol. VIII, No. 1 (April 1913), p. 6;

[2] Dater, John Y. in *Old Station Time Table*, the publication of the Mahwah Historical Society, in the February-March 1982 (Vol. 5, No. 2);

[3] Historic Sites Survey, Ramsey (compiled by the Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs);

[4] Davis, John David, Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records 1689-1801, Heritage Books, Inc., 1995, p. 30;

Clayton & Nelson, History of Bergen & Passaic Cos., 1882, p. 333 ; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 ; records of Montville, pages 211-258 ; type-script, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

From *The Minutes of the Board of Proprietors of the Eastern Division of New Jersey from 1725 to 1744*, Perth Amboy (Re: Ramapo Tract; paraphrased unless in quotes)

(Vol. II, p. 114)...While at Ramapo, Mr. Alexander found several other settlers who wished to take leases of the Proprietors and be protected against the Fauconier Company (including five who had already taken leases of Fauconier & Co.). On 13 April 1740 Derick Vandermaker (Wanamaker) and William Ramsay came to New York and showed Alexander and Ashfield two leases. Settlers without leases: ...William Ramsay, 200 acres

(Vol. II, p. 123)...18 August 1741...List of leases executed by the Board before and now: ...William Ramsey rent free, 100 acres

(Vol. II, p. 124)...18 August 1741...William Ramsey, because he persuaded a number of people to settle in the area, should have his place during the term rent free.

(Vol. II, p. 151)...23 March 1741[42 NS]...on 21 September last William Ramsay, with a discharge of rent, 100 acres, came and exchanged [his lease, apparently from Fauconier & Co.] for [one] executed by the Proprietors in August...

(Vol. II, p. 278, chart)...9. William Ramsey, lease date 12 June 1741, 100 acres, Free rent...

(Vol. II, p. 278, chart)...33. William Ramsey, lease date 25 March 1741/2, 100 acres NW of form, rent free, endorsed on former lease 1742...

(Vol. III, p. 67)...20 August 1746...Isaac Brower, William Ramsay and Coonraad Frederick, three of the lessees of this

Board of Romopock acquaint this Board that about a week ago, Edward Jeffers came to the mill of Johannes Slott and there publicly said that Mrs. Valleau, her son in law Stout, her son Theodore Valleau, Luycas Kiersted, Roeleff Westervelt and a great number between thirty and forty came and turned him out of possession and obliged him to take a lease of her for seven years and put John in possession of 100 acres adjoining, of which they had given him a lease before...

(Vol. III, p. 194)...27 March 1751...Mr. Ramsey requested a lease of 400 acres upon the north side of Vansiel's tract, including the 200 acres already leased to said Ramsey.

(Vol. III, p. 199)...30 March 1751...lease executed to William Ramsey, 200 acres at Romopock for 3 years at £1.0.0 a year.

### Ramsey, William P.

William P. Ramsey  
son of Peter Ramsey &  
Jannetje Ryerson

b. 25 Dec. 1774 Hohokus Township  
bp.

d. 19 July 1863, age 89.0.24

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

On 27 Feb 1806 (recorded 14 May 1806, Bergen Co. W:378) Thomas S. Banta of the Township of Franklin, and Margaret, his wife, conveyed to Peter Ramsey Junior of the same place, for \$175.50, 14-4/100 acres in Franklin Township, beginning SW corner of **William Ramsey**; mentioned land of Cornelius Peules. Bounded E by Jacob Young. Signed by Thomas S. Banta, Margaret Banta. Witnessed by Wm. P. Ramsey, William Tracy.<sup>1</sup>

On 11 April 1806 (recorded 14 May 1806, Bergen Co. Y:22) Thomas S. Banta of the Township of Franklin, yeoman, and Margaret, his wife, conveyed to William P. Ramsey of the Township of Franklin, for \$150, 10 acres in the Township of Franklin in the Ramapough tract, beginning at lot of John Springsteen; Van Gelder's land; Jacob Young; land of Peter P. Ramsey; heirs of Henry Van Gelder, deceased. Signed by Thomas S. Banta, Margaret Banta. Witnessed by William Tracy, Peter Ramsey.<sup>1</sup>

Rynier Van Riper, 43, farmer, and Anne, 42, his wife, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Peter, 19; Hannah M., 14; Hannah L., 12; Lida, 9. Also living with them at the time of the 1860 Federal Census was William P. Ramsey, 86. Listed in the 1860 census were both Hannah M. Van Riper, 14; and Hannah L. Van Riper, 12. They were probably living on or near Franklin Turnpike near the Mt. Prospect Hotel, south of the intersection with what became Main Street in Ramsey.

On 31 July 1861 (in testimony in Pension file for Peter Van Buskirk) William Ramsey, resident of Hohokus, aged 88 swore that he had lived in Hohokus all his life and was acquainted with Peter van Buskirk and his family when they lived at New Port [New Prospect?] and kept a tavern The deponent then kept a turning mill within one-half mile of Peter van Buskirk.

William P. Ramsey is listed as head of the household in the 1850 Federal Census, Bergen Co., Hohokus Twp., Dwelling #315, Family #341. His occupation is listed as None, and the value of his real estate is \$3,000. Living in the same household are his (prob.) son, William W. Ramsey, his wife Margaret, and Elizabeth Goetschius, 11.

It is likely this William P. Ramsey, 86, farmer, who was living at the time of the 1860 Federal Census, with the family of Rynier Van Riper, 43, farmer, and his wife Anne, 42.

---children of William P. Ramsey & Hannah Van Gelder:

• **William W. Ramsey**, b. abt. 1805; d. 4 May 1870; buried Union Cem, Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ; m. **Margaret -?-** (who was b. about 1806-07).

---Sources:

[1] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell; Typescript Gravestone Inscriptions, Union Cemetery, Darlington Avenue, Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ; 1850 Federal Census; Kakiat Ref Ch Marriages; Harvey, Cornelius Burnham, Genealogical History of Hudson and Bergen Counties, New Jersey, 1900, p. 146, 147; 1860 Federal Census, Bergen County, NJ, Hohokus Township, Hohokus P.O., Dwelling 622, Family 684; Shoemaker, Irene English, Van Burkirk: A Legacy From New Amsterdam, 1990, Vol. II, p. 975;

### Ramsey, William (Ramsay)

William Ramsey  
son of

m. 16 June 1799  
NYC Ref Ch

**Jane Stults**  
dau. of

---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

### Ramsey, William

William Ramsey

m.

**Jane**

---children of William Ramsey & Jane

• **Anna Ramsey**, b. 30 Dec 1799; bp. 2 Feb 1800 New Prospect Meth Ch; apparently d.y.

• **Anna Ramsey**, b. 1802; bp. 7 Nov 1802 New Prospect Meth Ch

---Sources: New Prospect Baptisms, in Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey, May 1989, p. 54

### Ramsey, William

William Ramsey

m. 17 Apr 1843

**Jane Van Riper**

At the time of their marriage, he was from New York and she was from Ramapo.

She m. (2) 9 Aug 1856 Presby. Church, Nyack, NY, **Benjamin Messenger**, divorcee of Martha Duryea, and son of John Messenger & Sarah Ann Post.

---children of William Ramsey & Jane Van Riper:

• **James Ramsey**, b. 24 Sep 1843; bp. [no date] Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah

---Sources: Martha Ann Zabriskie Memorandum Book (Typescript at Bergen County Historical Society Library); Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the] Ramapo Reformed Church; Ramapo Lutheran Church, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books)

**Ramsey, William W.**

William W. Ramsey m.  
son of William P. Ramsey  
& Hannah -?-  
b. abt. 1805  
d. 4 May 1870, age 64.6.22  
buried Union Cem., Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

William P. Ramsey is listed as head of the household in the 1850 Federal Census, Bergen Co., Hohokus Twp., Dwelling #315, Family #341. His occupation is listed as None, and the value of his real estate is \$3,000. Living in the same household are his (prob.) son, William W. Ramsey (farmer; value real estate \$1,500), his wife Margaret, and Elizabeth Goetschius, 11.

---children of William Ramsey & Margaret

• **Hannah Jane Ramsey**, b. 3 Feb 1832; bp. 20 March 1832 Saddle River Luth; d. about 27 March 1838

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census; Saddle River Lutheran Baptisms; Martha Ann Zabriskie Memorandum Book (Typescript at Bergen County Historical Society Library); Grave-stone Inscription, Union Cemetery, Darlington Avenue, Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ

**Ramsey, William J.**

William J. Ramsey m. 17 Aug 1844  
son of James Ramsey & Kakiat Ref Ch  
Maria/Polly Hopper  
b. 10 Aug 1823 NY (NJ in 1880 Census)  
bp. 7 Dec 1823 Greenwich Ref Ch, NYC  
d. 1901

buried Union Cem., Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

In the m. record, he was of Ramapo, she was of Masonicus.

His nickname, derived from his occupation, was "Whiskey Bill." He had a cider mill in Rockland County, in partnership with David J. Carlough.

He bought the former Terhune property including the house now standing at 64 Fawn Hill Road, Upper Saddle River, in 1893 and he owned it until 1902. It was said he ran a still on the property.

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New York, Rockland Co., Clarkstown, p. 46, enumerated 11 Sep 1850, Dwelling 369, Family 399 (all b. NY) -- William J. Ramsey, 27, Laborer, value real estate \$1500; Maria [Ramsey], 27; Mary S. [Ramsey], 4; [Ramsey], James H., 3; Catherine Blauvelt, 26.

In the 1860 census, he was an Innkeeper (probably of the Mount Prospect Hotel (later called Ferncroft), on the east side of Franklin Turnpike, south of what later became Main Street, in Ramsey).

William J. Ramsey, 48, distiller, and Maria, 48, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed with them were: James Ramsey, 22, worker on RR; and Fanny Ramsey, 19.

William Ramsey, 56, Farmer, and Maria Ramsey, 56, his wife, were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Village of Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ. Living in the same dwelling with them (separate family) were son James, 33, Farmer, his wife Maria, 25, and their children: Mamie, 7; Willie, 5; and Fanie (female - Fannie?), 3.

He was listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (part of; West of E.R.R.), District 23, enumerated 2 June 1900 by Edgar A. DeYoe, Road leading from Ramsey R.R. Crossing to D.R. Cemetery, Dwelling 44, Family 47 (Ramsey area) -- Ramsey, William, Head, b. Aug 1823, age 76, married 54 yrs., b. NY, his parents b. NJ [occupation blank].

---children of William J. Ramsey & Maria Blauvelt:

• **Mary Sophia Ramsey**, b. abt. Oct 1845 NY; m. 1884 **David Fisher**

• **James H. Ramsey**, b. Dec 1845 NY (NJ in 1880 Census); m. about 1872, **Maria Catherine Pulis**.

• **Frances C. Ramsey** (Fanny), b. abt. 1851 NY

---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/>>; 1870 Federal Census, Bergen County, Franklin Township, Ramsey's P.O., dwelling 177, family 189; 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Village of Ramsey (taken June 1880), Dwelling 354, Families 401 and 402; Gravestone Inscription, Union Cemetery, Darlington Avenue, Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ; "The Terhune Home on Fawn Hill" in *Upper Saddle River Historical Society Newsletter*, Vol. V, No. 2, May 1981, p. 3; "Ramsey-Sayre house finds a new home at museum complex" by Kay Yeomans, in *The Town Journal*, Sep 1999

**Ramsay, William R.**

William Ramsay m.  
Margaret

---children of William Ramsey & Margaret

• **John Ramsay**, bp. 1 Jan 1865 Christ's Ch., Rye, NY, age 2 yrs. and 1 mo. (wit: Robert & Matilda Jenkins)

• **James Ramsey**, b. 6 Sep 1866; bp. 6 Jan 1867 Christ's Ch, Rye, NY (wit: Alexander Jenkins, Mrs. A. J. Jenkins, and his father)

• **Reefe Ramsey** [or Reese, poss named after the church minister, Reese F. Alsop], bp. 13 June 1868 Christ's Ch., Rye, NY (wit: parents and W.S. Smith)

• **Mary Jane Ramsay**, bp. 1 Oct 1871 Christ's Ch, Rye, NY (wit: Parents)

---Sources: Sherman, Thomas T., "Vital Records of Christ's Church at Rye, New York" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, April 1916, p. 130, 132

**Ramsey, William H.** (William Henry Harrison Ramsey)

William H. Ramsey m.

son of John P. Ramsey &

Eliza Garrison

b. 13 Feb 1840 Oakland, Bergen Co., NJ

d. 29 April 1919 Ord, Valley Co., NE

They were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Hohokus Township, Ramseys P.O., p. 19, enumerated 17 June 1870, Dwelling 141, Family 154 -- Ramsey, Wm. H., 30, Farmer, value real estate \$3000, value personal estate \$300, b. NJ; [Ramsey], Sarah L., 26, Keeping House, b. NY; [Ramsey], Mary F., 7, b. NY; [Ramsey], Wm. L., 5, b. NY; [Ramsey], Margaret, 1, b. NJ.

They removed, by 1885, to Valley Co., NE.

---*children of William H. Ramsey & Sarah L.*

• **Mary F. Ramsey**, b. about 1863 NY

• **William Lincoln Ramsey**, b. 3 May 1865 NY; d. 17 April 1947 Ord, Valley Co., NE; m. **Ann Elizabeth Bingham** (Bigham)

• **Margaret Ramsey**, b. about 1869 NJ

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Ramsey's P.O., dwelling 141, family 154

**Sarah Lavinia Williams**

dau. of

b. 26 July 1844 Stroudsburg, Monroe Co., PA

d. 1 March 1930 Ord, Valley Co., NE

**Ramsey, William E.**

William E. Ramsey

m. about 1895

b. Nov 1847 NJ

**Frances J.**

b. Mar 1868 NJ (NY)

William E. Ramsey, 57, Salesman, and Frances F., 37, were listed in the 1905 New Jersey State Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ, in a house they rented. Listed with them were Emily B., 9; and Elsie M., 7.

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (part of; West of E.R.R.), District 23, enumerated 2 June 1900 by Edgar A. DeYoe, Road leading from Ramsey R.R. Crossing to D.R. Cemetery, Dwelling 50, Family 53 (Ramsey area) (all b. NJ, all parents b. NJ, except as noted) -- Ramsey, William, Head, b. Nov 1846, age [illegible], married 5 yrs., Agent (cigars); [Ramsey], Frances, Wife, b. Mch 1867, age 33, married 5 yrs., mother of 2 children, 2 children then living, b. NY, her parents b. Germany; [Ramsey], Emily B., Daughter, b. Dec 1895, age 4; [Ramsey], Elsie M., Daughter, b. June 1897, age 2, b. Ramsey, her father b. NJ, her mother b. NY; Cusler, Emma, Boarder, b. May 1869, age 31, Single, b. NY, her parents b. NY, House Servant.

William E. Ramsey, 62, with his own income, and Frances J. Ramsey, 42, his wife, were listed in the 1910 Federal Census, living in a house they owned on Maple Street in Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ.

---*children of William E. Ramsey & Frances J.* (in 1910 she was mother of 2 children, 2 then living)

• **Emily B. Ramsey**, b. Dec 1895 NJ

• **Elsie M. Ramsey**, b. June 1897 Ramsey, Bergen Co., NJ

---Sources:

[1] 1905 New Jersey State Census, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken June 1905, dwelling 376, family 439 (family of William E. Ramsey); 1910 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Borough of Ramsey (taken April 1910), Dwelling 164, Family 178

**Unplaced Ramsey Women**

**Ann Ramsey**, m. **John Hamilton**. They had a ch., Robert Bryson Hamilton, b. 27 May, bp. 14 June 1769 1st Prsby Ch.

NYC "Records of the First Presbyterian Church of the City of New York—Births and Baptisms [1728-?]" in *NYG&B Record*, Oct 1870, p. 170

**Catherine Ramsey**, m. before about 1822, **Abraham Courter**, son of Peter Courter & Mary Mead

**Diana Ramsey**, m. 3 June 1798 Christ Episcopal Ch, NYC, **James Wann**

**Eleanor Ramsay**, m. Jan 1795 NYC, **George Arnold** (*New York Magazine*)

**Frances Ramsey**, m. 13 Sep 1842 Greenwich Ref Ch, NYC, **Charles W. Allen**

**Jemima Ramsey**, m. before July 1832, **Richard Christie**, son of John D. Christie & Elizabeth Laroe

**Lucretia Ramsey**, m. **John Prys**. They had ch., **Elizabeth**, bp. 8 Jan 1749 Ref Ch Machackemeck (Deerpark) (wit:

Benjamin Dupuy, Elizabeth Swartwout, his wife); **Johannes**, bp. 16 Dec 1750 Ref Ch Machackemeck (Deerpark) (wit:

Johannes Westbroeck, Lena Westbroeck, his wife); etc. (in later records her surname is written "**Remsen**") Reformed Church at

Machackemeck (Deerpark) Baptisms, in *NYG&B Record*, July 1911, p. 248; Oct 1911, p. 370

**Maria Ramsey**, m. 5 Aug 1793 Kakiat Ref Ch, **Albert Westervelt**

**Maria Ramsey**, m. 6 Jan 1798 Kakiat Ref Ch, **Charles May**

**Mary S. Ramsey**, m. about 1860-1861 **David Fisher**.

**Rachel Ramsey** (Rechel), m. 2 Feb 1720 (Salmon Register), **Jonathan Dalton**

**Sarah Ramsey**, m. 1 Jan 1706 at Southold, NY, **Jn. Swesey** (Salmon Register)

**Sarah Ramsey**, m. 10 Nov 1724, **Solomon Reeve** (Salmon Register)