

PEAY FAMILY

- Gen. 1. Claiborne Peay of St. Johns Parish, King William County, Va.
Gen. 2 Elias Peay of St. Johns Parish, New Kent County, Va.
Gen. 3 George Peay of King William County, Va.

George Peay was born Jan. 16, 1734 in King William Co., Va. Married 1754. His wife, Mary - - - was born November 11, 1734 in Carolina City County, Va.

Children of George and Mary Peay

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| 1 - William | born May 12, 1755 |
| 2 - George | " Jan. 19, 1757 |
| 3 - Elizabeth | " Nov. 27, 1758 |
| 4 - Elias | " Sept. 30, 1760 |
| 5 - <u>Nicholas</u> | " Aug. 3, 1762 Hanover Co., Va. Married Martha Kesiah Ford born about 1765 (about 1783 married in S. C.) |
| 6 - James | " April. 12, 1765 Hanover City, Va. |
| 7 - John | " Mar. 8, 1767 at Googland City, Va. |
| 8 - Ambrose | " Aug. 29, 1769 |
| One son born dead 1771 | |
| 9 - Thomas | born June 22, 1773 at Gilford, N. C. Married Susannah Morton Sept. 3, 1800 in N. C. |

Copy of War Record of George Peay, War Dept., Washington, D. C. The Adjutant General's Office. The records of this office show:

One George Peay (rank not stated) served in the Revolutionary War in Captain Vernon's Company, North Carolina Troops. His name appears on an undated payroll for part of Richard C. Vernon's Company Troop Horse. Ordered out by Governor Martin to guard the Honorable Assembly under the command of William H. Allen, Sergeant, 1781.

His name also appears on an undated payroll of that Company, ordered by Colonel James Martin to collect delinquent deserters, etc. Aug. 20, 1781. No further record of service found.

Signed, Robert C. Davis
Acting Adjutant General

(This record has been verified by the National Society D.A.R. National No. 73661.)

The following is copied from an old book in Richmond, Va.

George Peay transferred property in King William County, Va., 1784 Sept. 2 - George Peay of St. David Parish to John Watkins of St. Peter's Parish, New Kent County, Va. a tract of land in St. John's Parish, in King William County which he got by the death of his father, Elias Peay, son of Clairborne Peay on Pamunky River (on Daingerfields line). He also sold his plantation of four hundred acres at Ruffins Ferry, St. Johns Parish to David Parnell, June 20, 1785.

Witnesses: (Robert Pollard
(James Elliott