

VIRGINIA:
(1629-1633)
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Henry Coney, Va. House of Burgesses from Archers Hope & Glebe Land...
P.55-58 of The Colonial Va. Register

Stephen Coney, seaman.. from "Virginians in the Revolution" p. 172

"Cavaliers and Pioneers by Nugent: An abstract of Virginia Land Patents & Grants
(1623 -1800) Mentions:

Henry Coney, 'gentleman' of Coneyborough(July 1632)Va. Hist. Index., Vol.1, A-K

Francis Coney 4V166 - Va. Mag. of History & Biography records sale of property to
Francis Coney, formerly of Yorktown, now of Stafford, on 21 March 1699 fr. Wm.Buckn.
Henry Coney 2V307 Burgess for Archers Hope & G.L. 1629-1633. States Coneys in York
Later in century.

Coneyborough, Martin's Lease at Archer Hope & G.L. 2V308

THOMAS CONEY Estate Inventory, Westmoreland County, Va.(1749) Va.Wills &Adm.1632-1800

VIRGINIA SUMMARY: Henry Coney was serving in Va. House of Burgesses in 1629 when
immigrant, John Coney(age 6-10) arrived in Boston, Mass. from Boston, England. I
have the book "Ancestors and Descendants of John Coney" by Holman from "oodspeed
Book Store, Boston. - It appears to me that any connection between New England
Coneys and Southern Coneys is prior to leaving England. The Southern Coneys were
farmers(planters) and the the New England Coneys were tradesmen & craftsmen plus
a Gov. and Adg. Gen. of Maine.

NORTH CAROLINA: Jeremiah Coney and wife Mary of Edgecomb County, N.C.(found by Mrs. R.C. Upton)

Deed Book 2, P.3 (8 Feb 1772) bought land

Deed Book 2, P.8 (2 Nov 1772) witnessed deed

Deed Book 2, P.126 (7 Jan 1773) witnessed deed

Deed Book 3, P.426 (24 Jan 1776) bought land

Deed Book E, P.392 (28 Oct 1782) grant by Gov. to Mary Coney

I went to Georgia State Archives on 30 July 73 & checked the following(by index):

Abstract E, Deeds of Edgecomb Co., N.C. 1759-1772 by Watson - nothing

" of Wills of " " 1733-1856 Wms. & Griffin - nothing

Marriages of Early " " 1733-1856 Wms. & Griffin - nothing

Tombstone & Census Records " " Wms. & Griffin - nothing

Bible Records of Early Edgecomb Co. " " - nothing

Early History of Tarboro, N.C. by Gaston Lichenstein - nothing

English Duplicates of Lost Va. Records by Louis des Cognets - not ing

ABSTRACT OF EARLY DEEDS OF EDGECOMB CO., N.C. 1772-1788,VOLII - Mrs. Upton's info

SUMMARY: Apparently Mrs. Upton found one of a very few records of Coneys in N.C..
This might indicate that they were in N.C. only about 50 years before moving to GA.

MISC.:

"Ga. Marriages & Deaths" 1763 to 1820 from Ga. newspapers: Cony, Miss Mary Ann Maria
to Tiot, Charles on 9 May 1811. Both of Savannah, Ga. Also, Mrs. Ann Maria Tiot,
died Savannah, Ga. 29 Nov 1811.

"Original List of Persons of Quality who went from Great Britain to American
Plantations" 1600 - 1700. Hotten 929.4 Georgia Archives:

"Coney, Conney, Conny, Cony":

Edmond Conney, Parish of Christ Church (1680 - 1½ acres) p. 474

John Conny, age 20, left London 1634 via the Barbadoes. p. 38

Nicholas Coney, parish record..Parish of St. Michael. buried 29 Sept 1678 p.429

Richard Coney, Esq. (Jan 1632) appointed Lt. Gov. and Comm.-in-Chief of Bermuda or
Summer Islands.

Oglethorpe County, Ga. Marriage Records . 1794 - 1798

Richard Conney to Delilah Patton

"CONE TO GEORGIA"

Connie, Henry - Gwinette County area - p.142

Cooney, James - Habersham County(1827)

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CONEY FAMILY IN GEORGIA (17?? to 1973)

"Early Tax Records of Georgia" by Blair
Montgomery County, Ga. (1805 & 1806, entered Jan 1807)
Jeremiah Coney - 31 $\frac{1}{2}$, p. 96
Aquiller Coney - 31 $\frac{1}{2}$, p. 96

1805 Land Lottery:

Jeremiah Coney of Montgomery Co., Ga. drew blank
Aquiller Coney of Washington Co., Ga. (?)

LAURENS COUNTY, GA. RECORDS (microfilm & book, History of Laurens County, Ga.)

Jeremiah Coney M. Sally (Sarah) Higdon 23 Feb 1812. (His Bible says 22 Feb 1812, in the fortieth year of his age, he being born in the year 1772, and in the nineteenth year of her age, she being born on the 7th day of June 1793) Bible printed by M. Carey & Son, 126 Chestnut St., Phila., 1818.

William Coney m. Fanny Bell 19 Aug 1813. This appeared in microfilm records to be William Coney, but another reference definitely establishes this to be William Coney.

John B. Coney M. Betsey Gay 27 Jan 1820. I have widow Betsy Coney's pension application (widow of War of 1812 veteran) filed June 1878. John died 1849. Joel T. or C. Coney m. Jemira Howard on 1 Jan 1850.

Census records:

- 1820 Laurens County Census lists Jeremiah Coney
- 1830 Laurens County Census lists Joel Coney
- 1840 Laurens County Census lists William D. Coney, son of Joel
- 1850 Laurens County Census lists William D. Coney, wife Mary, son Joel
- 1840 Fulaski County Census lists Jeremiah Coney, wife Sarar and children
- 1850 LAURENS COUNTY CENSUS LISTS JOEL CONEY, AGE 64, BORN NORTH CAROLINA
- 1850 Fulaski County Census lists Sarah Coney, Widow, age 57, and son, Wm. Ezekiel

LAND RECORDS: (Laurens Co., Ga.)

- Aquilla Coney to William Coney... 11 April 1818, Book F, P. 82, Laurens County
- * William Coney to Wm. Albritton .. 8 Oct 1818, Book F, P. 259, Laurens Co.
- Jeremiah Coney to Warren Lott .. 20 Sept 1822, Book H, P. 22
- Jeremiah Coney to Joel Coney... 3 Jan 1829, Book I, P. 141... moved to Fulaski Co.
- Many, many others between Coneys and others in Laurens, Fulaski, Lee, Dooly, etc
- * William and Aquilla Coney might have gone to Mississippi before this sale, but this might be the approx. time they left Ga. for Miss.

Known Coneys in Georgia (17?? to 1973)

I. Jeremiah Coney (1772 - 1845/46) m. Sarah (Sally) Higdon (7 June 1793 - 1850/60) on 22 Feb 1812 in Laurens Co., Ga.

CHILDREN:

- A. James Emmanuel Coney (12 Sept 1813 - 188?) single on 1880 Fulaski Co. Census
- B. Mary A. Coney (25 Nov 1815 - ?) no data
- C. Daniel H. Coney (21 July 1817 - ?) no data
- D. Charles Culpepper Coney (20 Oct 1819 - April 1855 Lee Co., Ga.) m. Susan Whitsett of Lee Co., Ga. (1819 - Oct 1903) on 15 Jan 1839 or 1846.

Children:

- 1. Sally Eliz. Coney (14 Nov 1847 - 30 Dec 1920) m. Perry C. Clegg
- 2. Samuel Whitsett Coney (31 July 1849/50 - 19 Jan 1916) m. 1st: Eola Eliz. Hamilton (12 Nov 1857 - 17 Feb 1890) dau. of Warren B. & Calad Hamilton of Dooly Co., Ga.
- Children born at Coney, Ga.
 - a. Susan Valaria Coney (27 Jan 1876 - 7 July 1879)
 - b. Sarah (Sallie) Eliz. Coney (19 Dec 1878 - 22 May 1961) m. William H. Cunningham on 4 Oct 1899 see Appendix 3
 - c. Callie Coney (22 Jan 1881 - 8 Sept 1968) m. George Oliver (Append. m. 2nd. Leolene Barfield (1 June 1862 - 31 May 1915) dau. of Richard Lee Barfield (1836-1912) and Sarah Margaret Peacock (1844-1917) Dooly Co. Children born at Coney, Ga.
 - d. Perry Clegg Coney (30 Dec 1882 - 29 Sept 1909) son of S.W. & E.E., m. Sallie M. Wheeler () appendix.
 - e. Charles Lee Coney (22 Nov 1891 - 26 Mar 1969) son of S.W. & L.B., m. Clara Dennard of Dooly Co., on 16 Sept 1917. appendix.
 - f. Samuel Whitsett Coney, Jr. (28 April 1893 - 22 Sept 1947) m. Dorothy Cargill of Columbus, Ga. appendix
 - g. Margaret Emma Coney (25 June 1895 - living) m. John Reed Gaudry of Savannah, Ga. on 31 July 1921 appendix
 - h. James Barfield Coney (31 March 1897 - 21 June 1952) single

CONEY FAMILY IN GEORGIA (17?? to 1973)

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- i. Walter Eugene Coney (12 June 1899 - 18 May 1949) m. Lexie Alice Dekle (23 Mar 1903 - living) dau. of George L. Dekle & Ida Alice Poston of Cordele on 12 June 1926. appendix.
- j. Nancy Ellen Coney (12 June 1902 - living) m. James N. Langford of Tenn. 6 Sept 1923. Now in Opelousas, La. appendi
- k. John Shine Coney (23 Oct 1904 - living) b. in Cordele, Ga. m. Martha K. Edwards of Enterprise, Ala. on 7 Nov 1942. Append

I D 3 (3rd. child of Charles C. Coney and Susan W. Coney)
3. Jeremiah Coney (1854 - d.y.?)

I (children of Jeremiah Coney and Sally Coney)

- E. Jeremiah Coney, Jr. (17 Feb 1822 - April 1850) m. Amanda M. Golightly on 15 Jan 1846. Children: Wm. C.; Chas R. & James Coney no data
- F. Celia Ann Coney (14 June 1823 - ?)
- G. Joel Crofford Coney (12 April 1828 - ?) no data
- H. Ezekiel William Coney (15 Feb 1831 - Jan 1865) m. Sarah E. Riley of Houston Co., Ga.

Children:

- 1. James Franklin Coney (1 June 1855 - 1 Sept 1928) m. (1st.) Lula Lee Wimberly (1 Jan 1865 - 9 June 1892) on 16 Nov 1889
- Children:
 - a. Ezekiel Wimberly Coney (8 Aug 1886 - 1 Sept 1959) no child.
 - b. Julia Fletcher Coney (6 May 1888 - 1944) m. Robert O. Fate of Hawkinsville, Ga. 4 child.
 - c. Lucy E. Coney (29 Dec 1889 - living) m. Duncan H. Brown of Warrenton, Ga. 2 child.
 - d. Sarah Lee Coney (20 May 1895 - ?) m. Earl McMurria (?) no child
- (2nd.) Married Marilu Napier (23 Oct 1876 - 6 Oct 1946) of Hawkinsville, Ga. Children:
 - e. James F. Coney, Jr. (15 Oct 1900 - 17 Sept 1960) m. Nancy B. f. Charlton Lovejoy Coney (25 Jan 1909 - living) m. Mabel McLene living in Hawkinsville, Ga. no child.

2. Cornelia Coney (?) m. R.A. Merritt of Macon, Ga. no data.

3. Eva Coney (30 Jan 1864 - 196?) m. Charlton B. Adams. appendix

II. Joel Coney (5 March 1786 - 12 Feb 1853) m. Elsie Drew (11 May 1788 - 3 Nov 1846) Laurens Co., Ga.

Children:

- A. Mahala (17 Oct 1814 - 30 July 1858) m. James Rowell Stanley (11 Feb 1807 - April 1858) appendix
- B. William D. Coney (2 Sept 1809 - 9 May 1880) m. Mary Dupree (8 May 1810 - 1881) on 9 Feb 1834.

Children:

- 1. Joel T. Coney (4 Nov 1839 - 24 Jan 1888) m. Martha Bowen () Children:
 - a. William Drew Coney (1876 - 8 Dec 1878)
 - b. adopted child, Omer Joel Coney.. no data
- C. Mary (Polly) Coney (?) m. James H. Loftin. Children: Iversen, Frank S. & Jc

III. John B. Coney (- July 1849) m. 1st. Sallie Frazier (- 1811); 2nd. Elizabeth (Betsy) Gay (?) lived in Laurens, Twiggs & Montgomery Co. I have of widow Betsy Coney's pension application as widow of War of 1812 veteran (3 June 1878. File #10,492 National Archives.

IV. Aquiller Coney (? - ?) Father of William Coney... went to Miss. in 1818?

V. William Coney (? - 1848) in Pike Co., Miss. M. Rachel..... (?) in Georgia moved to Mississippi around 1818. son of Aquiller.

VI. William D. Coney, born Atlanta, Ga. (20 Nov 1893 - 30 March 1921) Pioneer aviator (1st., U.S.A.) held transcontinental speed record Feb 1921; crashed Louisiana trying to improve record. died Natchez, Miss. SON OF Edgar Faircl Coney & Martha Ann Dillon Coney; Grandson of John Richard & Margaret Malvir Fraley Coney; G'Grandson of James Coney who came to U.S. from County West Ireland. (Source: The National Cyclopaedia, Vol. VI, 1929. JAS. T. White & Co. I have no idea where this fits in. if at all.