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24½ Winter Street
Built for,
CHARLES H. ODELL, real estate broker
in 1887

Research by,

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"to preserve Historic Sites, Buildings and objects,
and to work for the education of the community
in the true value of the same."

### 24½ Winter Street

This "Eastlake cottage" with all its fancy shingles, gables, dormers, bays, spindles and varied window shapes and sizes is typical of the "Queen Anne" style of architecture which was a reaction against the industrial revolution and an attempt to look hand-made. The style was an outgrowth of the movement begun by Hunt, Morris and Rosetti in England. The fancy brick chimney is a further reflection of the attitudes of the period. (Salem Historic Commission District Study)

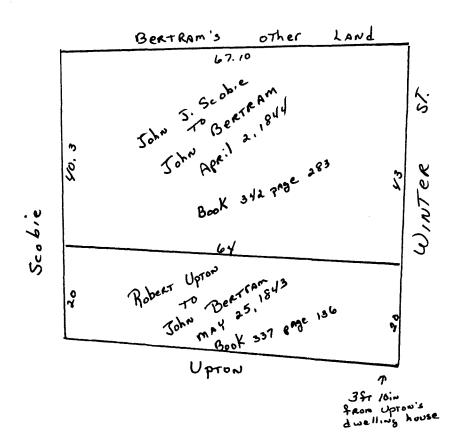
The history of Winter Street is given in the Essex Antiquarian vol. 8 page 66: "Winter street was an ancient road. It was called a lane or highway in 1668; Road leading to Beverly ferry, 1705; Highway leading from the training field to Beverly ferry, 1760; the way to the ferry, 1769; Road, 1771; Way leading to ferry lane, 1771; the ferry lane leading to Beverly, 1779; Ferry lane, 1780; Ferry lane or the way leading to Essex bridge, 1793; and Winter street. 1795."

The lot on which this house stands was part of the early homestead of Thomas Watson, a tailor. He conveyed the lot, which included nearly the entire west side of Winter St., to Jacob Pudeater, a blacksmith, on Oct. 18, 1672. Mr. Pudeater was then married to Isabel Mosier who had the reputation for being a brawler, railer and drunkard. She pawned nearly everything in his house for rum. Isabel died suddenly on March 2, 1676. Jacob Pudeater then married the widow Ann Greenslett, a neighbor, and carried on his blacksmithing business until his death

in 1682. All Jacob's estate was devised to his wife, Ann, for her life. There were then two dwelling houses, barn, shop and orchard upon the large parcel.

Mrs. Pudeater lived in one of these houses until the fateful summer of 1692. She was arrested on May 12 for "sundry acts of Witchcraft". Her neighbors and those "afflicted" by witchcraft gave testimony against her, and Ann Pudeater was executed as a witch on Sept. 22, 1692. (appendix A 1-6) A deed dated Nov. 12, 1746 places an "old cellar", which would have belonged to one of Ann Pudeater's houses, as being on the lot now known as  $24\frac{1}{2}$  Winter St. (book 90 page 168)

Captain John Bertram, one of Salem's most prominent citizens, purchased the land now known as  $24\frac{1}{2}$  Winter St. by two deeds:

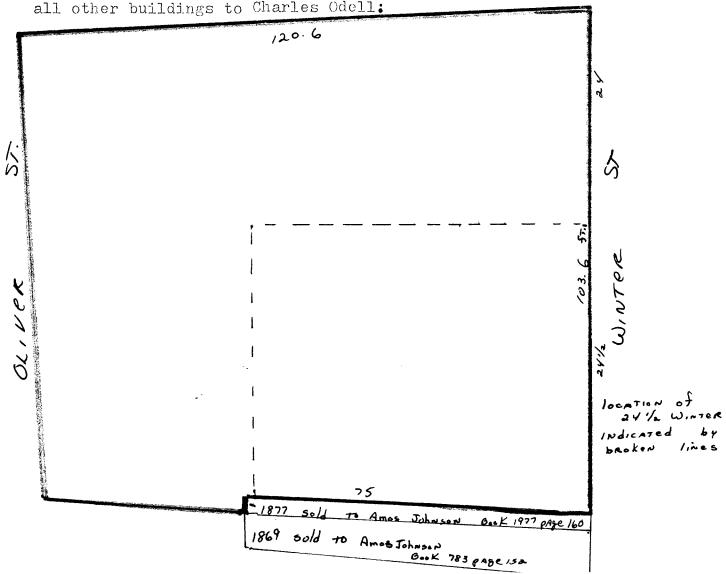


(The land formerly belonged to the owners of 6 Oliver St.)

Captain Bertram built his house at 24 Winter St. in 1844 and used the two parcels previously described as a garden spot. On May 19, 1855

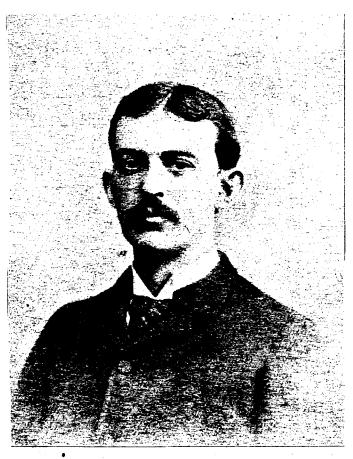
John Bertram sold his dwelling house (24 Winter St.) and the land adjoining to John Jewett. (book 513 page 165)

John Jewett, cabinetmaker, and his wife Catherine made their home at 24 Winter St. using the adjoining land as a formal garden (the layout can be seen on the 1874 map). Mr. Jewett died on Feb. 28, 1874. The property, which then included 24 Winter St. and 6 Oliver St., was left in trust to his wife Catherine. After Catherine's death, the trustee Gilbert L. Streeter, sold on May 4, 1887, the land, dwelling houses and all other buildings to Charles Odell:



On May 13, 1887 a building permit was issued to Charles H. Odell to build a dwelling house for one family, 28' X 52', of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  stories with a "Swiss" roof. (Essex Institute, Salem Building Permits) This house is  $24\frac{1}{2}$  Winter St.

"Charles H. Odell was born in Salem in 1864, receiving his education at the high school in this city, upon leaving which he entered into partnership with his father, Charles Odell, in the real estate and insurance business." He later assumed complete management of the business having his office at 62 Washington St. (Salem and Environs 1626-1897, page 139)

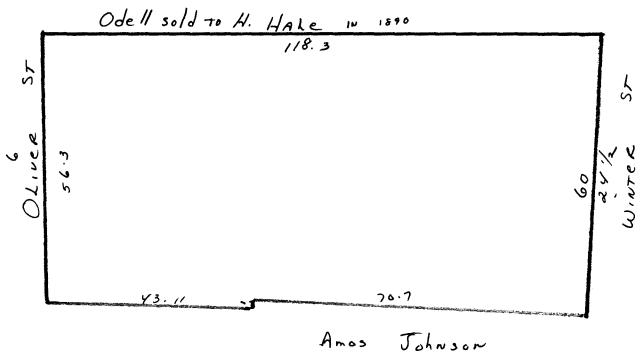


CHARLES H. ODELL.

The 1888 tax records show:

24½ Winter St. - new house Charles H. Odell real estate broker House value \$4,500; 3,744 sq. ft. land value \$1,400.

Charles Odell declared bankruptcy in 1899. Jeremiah T. Mahoney was appointed as trustee of the estate of Charles Odell. On June 6, 1899
Mr. Mahoney transferred the property title to Alice Odell wife of Charles:



(book 1578 page 114)

The Odell family lived at  $24\frac{1}{2}$  Winter St. and rented their other property at 6 Oliver St. to various tenants. The 1900 federal census gives a close look at the Odell household:

24½ Winter St.

Charles Od	dell	age	34	Insurance agent	born	Mass.
	11				11	•
Charles	11	11	8	son	11	11
Francis	11	11	3	son	11	11
Mary Train	or	11	23	servant	11	Ire. came U.S. 1899
Lizzie Wha	alen	11	20	servant		Ire. " unknown

The Odells lived in the house until 1915 when they leased the house at  $24\frac{1}{2}$  Winter St. to E. H. Parker. The exact month Mr. Parker moved in is not listed but his departure is clearly noted:

Salem Evening News Oct. 13, 1915

"TREASURER OF GAME CO. DEAD - Edward H. Parker Was Man Of Sterling Character, Leaves Widow, Son and Two Brothers

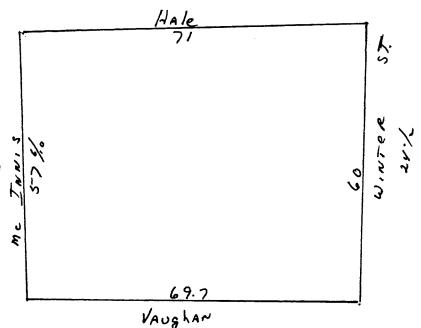
Edward H. Parker died at his home, 24½ Winter street, this morning having been ill for two weeks with grippe-pneumonia. Fr. Parker was treasurer of Parker Brothers and the eldest of the three brothers. He was the son of Capt. George A. Parker and was born July 28, 1855, in the old family house at the corner of Essex and Union streets. He subsequently resided in Medford and married in 1879 Miss Laura Foster, daughter of Hon. Joshua T. Foster, famous old time shipbuilder of Medford. He leaves beside his widow a son, Foster H. Parker of Chestertown, Maryland, and two brothers, Charles H. and George S. Parker. Salem loses in his death a man of sterling character and kindly heart."

The Odells moved back into 24½ Winter St. after Mr. Parker's death. On April 25, 1922 Charles H. and Alice F. Odell, in her own right, sold

William E. and Adelaide S.

Haywood. "Meaning to convey
the east portion of the
premises conveyed by

Jeremiah T. Mahoney in 1899."
(book 2514 page 245)



William E. Haywood was the proprietor of Haywood's Market on Central St. for many years. William and Adelaide lived in the house at  $2l_{72}$  Winter St. for a short time and sold the property to their daughter-in-law Margaret K. Haywood, wife of Ralph W., on May 17, 1929. (book 2806 page 335)

Dr. Ralph W. Haywood was one of Salem's highly regarded members of the medical profession. He maintained a family practice before specializing in gynecology. Along with the late Dr. De Witt S. Clark, he was one of the last interns at the former Salem Hospital on Charter St. and one of the first interns after the new building was completed on Highland Ave. Dr. Haywood attended Salem schools and graduated from Bowdoin College, class of 1916, and Bowdoin College Medical School in 1917. During World War One, he served as a surgeon with the Army Medical Corps in France. (Salem Evening News clipping 1978 - Salem Hospital Public Relations)

In 1930 Dr. Haywood's sister-in-law, S. Lillian Haywood, painted a beautiful mural on the walls of the dining room. Old Derby Wharf with the Custom House and surrounding area graces the main wall, with the House of Seven Gables and Ropes garden depicted on the other walls. The upstairs front bedroom was also decorated by Mrs. Haywood as a nursery with Mother Goose characters gaily portrayed on each wall. (These are now covered with wallpaper)

S. Lillian Haywood was born in Salem the daughter of Chester and Sarah (Upton) Arey. She lived in the House of Seven Gables as a child and

had "Clifford's" room as her bedroom. She told the story that when she was stricken with the mumps and confined to her bed, tourists still insisted on seeing the room and were marched through. Prs. Haywood was also noted for her hand-painted china (samples at the Essex Institute) and worked with Sarah Symonds a well known Salem artist. However, her first love was that of puppeteer in which capacity she traveled throughout New England.

Among the memories of Mrs. Wesley Bevins, daughter of Dr. Ralph Haywood, was the sight of the circus parade as they marched down Winter St. heading for the circus grounds on lower Bridge St. The circus people would take note of the Doctor's offices on the route and would walk in to get treatment and advice. On one such occasion the "thin man" came into her father's office. This caused her father to snatch her up and be brought out of harm's way "for circus people carried strange diseases and were not the kind you would want to be near".

On Oct. 7, 1939 the title to the property was transferred from Margaret K. Haywood to Ralph W. Haywood. (book 3197 page 357) On Oct. 11, 1939 Ralph W. and Margaret K. Haywood sold the land and buildings to J. Robert Shaughnessy. "The same premises conveyed to Ralph W. Haywood by deed of Margaret K. Haywood." (book 3201 page 251)

Dr. Shaughnessy lived in the house and used a portion of the first floor for his medical practice. On Oct. 13, 1959 J. Robert Shaughnessy sold the land and buildings, at  $2l_1\frac{1}{2}$  Winter St., to Americo H. and Gilda R. Mazzarini. (book 4608 page 234)

After selling his home to the Mazzarinis, Dr. Shaughnessy moved to Marblehead but continued his medical practice at 24½ Winter St. until the Shaughnessy Rehabilitation Hospital, named in his honor, was completed. With the completion of the hospital Dr. Shaughnessy transferred his office to that facility.

Mr. and Mrs. Mazzarini are now the proud owners of this fine home which is pictured on page 59 of The Salem Handbook by Historic Salem Inc.

Notes: Reference to book and page are deed books at the Registry of Deeds. Probate numbers are cases at Probate Court. Both offices are located in the same building on Federal St. All maps in this report are not meant to be exact, just for illustration purposes.

The Essex Institute has in its photo collection a view of the Story House at 26 Winter St. In this photo  $24\frac{1}{2}$  Winter is clearly shown in its original form. (Negative #92)

# Ann Pudeator

## Executed, September 22, 1692

(See also: George Jacobs, Sr. - Mittimus.)

(Warrant for Arrest of Ann Pudeater and Alice Parker)

To the Marshall of Essex or Constable in Salem

You are in theire Majes'ts names hereby required forthwith to apprehend and bring before us Alice parker the wife of John parker of Salem and Ann pudeator of Salem Widdow who stand Charged with sundry acts of Witchcraft by them Committed this day Contrary to the Laws of our Sov'r Lord & Lady. faile not Dated Salem. May the. 12'th 1692

 $\overline{p}$  us \*Jonathan. Corwin \*Assists

May 12'th -1692 I have apprehended the a bove named persons and Brought them att the place apointed by your honors

Pr mee

\*George Herrick Marshall of Essex

(Reverse) copyed

(Essex County Archives, Salem-Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 109)

(Sarah Churchill v. Ann Pudeator, Bridget Bishop, and George Jacobs, Sr.)

Sarah Churchwell confesseth that Goody pudeater brought the book to this Examin't and she signed it, but did not know her at that tyme but when she saw her she knew her to be the same and that Goody Bishop als Olliver appeared to this Examinant & told her she had killed John Trask's Child, (whose Child dyed about that tyme) & said Bishop als Olliver afflicted her as alsoe did old George Jacobs, and before that time this Examin't being afflicted could not doe her service as formerly and her s'd Master Jacobs called her bitch witch & ill names & then afflicted her as #[before] above and that pud-Eater brought 3: Images like Mercy Lewis, Ann putnam, Eliza' Hubbard & they brought her thornes & she stuck them in the Images & told her the persons whose likeness they were, would be afflicted & the other day saw Goody Olliver [fitt] sate upon her kneee,

Jurat in Curia by Sarah Churchill

This Confession was taken before John Hathorne and Jonathan Corwin Esq'rs 1'0 Juny 1692, as attests

\*Tho Newton

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 110)

(Examination of Ann Pudeator)

An Puddeater: examined before the Majestrates of Salem July 2: 92 Sarah Churchwell: was bid to: say what she: had to say of her: You have charged her with bringing the book to you:

A Yes said: Churchwell

have you seen her since. A no:

goodwife puddeater: you have: formerly: bin complayed of: we now further enquire: here is one person: saith you brought her: the book Sarah Churchell: look on the person: ses Churchill: you did bring me the book: I was at Goodman Jacobses

Puddeater s'd I never saw the Woman before now::it was told puddeater this mayd charged you with: bringing her: the book: at the last examinat'n Puddeater s'd I never saw: the Devils book nor knew that he had one Lt Jer: Neal: was asked what he could say of this woman Neal s'd she had been an ill carriaged woman: & since my wife has bin sick of the small pox: this woman has come to my house pretending kindnes: and I was glad to see it: she asked: whether she might use our morter: which was used: for my wife: and I consented

to it: but I afterward repented of it: for the nurs told. me my wife was the wors: for senc she was very ill of a flux: which she had not before

When the officer came: for puddeater: the nurs s'd you are come to late for my wife grew wors till she dyed: s'd Pudeater had often threatned my wife:

Eliz Hubard: s'd she: had seen s'd Pudeater [ ] s'd Mary Wolcot: but she had not hurt her she had seen her with goodwife Nurs goody puddeater what did you doe with the ointments that you had in the hous so many of them:she s'd I never had ointment nor oyl but neats foot oyl in my hous since my husband dyed: but the Constable Joseph Neal affirmd she had: she had near 20 that had oynment or greas: in them: a little in a thing: she s'd she never had any oyntment but neats foot oyl: in the hous but what was in these things the Constable speakes of.

A. It was greas: to make sope of::but: why: did you put them in so many things when one would have held all: but answerd not the porpose: but the constabl. s'd oyntments were of several sorts

Sarah Vibber did you ever se this woman: before now answered no An putn[u] m s'd she had never seen: her but since she come: to Salem Town last: s'd Putman fell into a fitt: & s'd Puddeater was commanded to take her by the wrist & did & s'd Putnum was well presently: many warin fell into: two fitts quickly after. one another: & both times was helped: by s'd Puddeaters: taking her by the wrist

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 111)

(Summons for Witnesses v. Ann Pudeator and Alice Parker)

Wm & Mary by the Grace of God of England Scotland France & Ireland King & Queen defend's &c.

To the Sheriff of Essex or deputy

Greeting

L. S.

We Comand you to Warn John Wesgate John Bullock Martha Dutch Susanna Dutch Lt. Jeremiah Neale John Beckett John Best Jun'r Jno Loader Sarah parott That they & Every of them appear at the Next Court of Oyer & Terminer holden at Salem on the Next Tuesday at Twelve of the Clock There to Testify the Truth to the best of thier knowledge On certain Indictments to be Exhibited against Alice Parker & Ann Pudeater hereof Make return fail not dated in Salem Sep'r 5'th 1692 in the fourth yeare of Our Reign.

\*Stephen Sewall Cler

(Reverse)

Sept 5'th 1692 I have Sumoned and have Warned all the within named persons John Best Jun'r Except s'd Best beeing Removed to Ipswich that thay and Every of them appeare to Give in their Evid: &c: att time and place within written

P'r me \*George Herrick Dep't Sheriff

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(Indictment v. Ann Pudeator)

Essex in the Province of the Massachussetts Bay In New England ss Annoq'e R R's & Reginae Gulielmi & Mariae Angliae &c Quarto Annoq'e Dom 1692 //

The Juriors for our Sov'r Lord and Lady the King & Queen Psent That Ann Pudeator of Salem in the County of Essex #[Widow] aforesaid Widdow The second day of July in the Yeare Aforesaid and divers others days and times as well before as after Certaine detestable Arts called Witchcraft & Sorceries Wickedly Mallitiously and felloniously hath used practised and Exercised At and within the Township of Salem aforesaid in & upon & against one Mary Warren of Salem aforesaid Single Woeman, by which said Wicked Acts the said Mary Warren the second day of July aforesaid and divers other days and times both before and after was and is Tortured Afflicted Pined Consumed Wasted & Tormented, and also for sundry other Acts of Witchcraft by the said Ann Pudeater Comitted and done before and Since that time Ags't the peace of Our Sov'r Lord & Lady the King

& Queen theire Crowne and Dignity and ags't the . ne of the Stattute in that Case made and Provided

Witnesses

Mary Warren Jurat Sarah Churchel Jurat Ann Putman Jurat

(Reverse)

Ann Pudeator on Mary Warren

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 108)

(Sarah Churchill v. Ann Pudeator)

Sarah Churchel: affirmd: to: the Jury of inquest: that Ann Puddeate: has: greatly afflicted her s'd Churchel by: choaking her pinching her & sticking pinse into her: & by pressing of her: &: making her sett her hand to: the book upon: the oath she hath: taken Sept: 6: 1692

Sworn in Court.

& brought poppets to her to stick pins to w'ch she did & the  $\overline{P}$ 'sons aflicted by it

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 112)

(Mary Warren v. Ann Pudeator)

Mary Warin upon her oath: that she hath taken affirms: to the Jury of inquest that Ann Puddeater hath often: afflicted me: by biting me pinching me sticking pins in me: & choaking me: and particularly on the 2 day of July: att her examination: s'd Puddeater did: afflict me greatly: also she or her Apperition did offer: me the book to sign to: she told me also that she was the caus of Jno Turners fal-

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ling off: the cher ree: to his great: hurt: & which: amazed him in his head & almost kild him: she told me also: she was the caus of: Jeremiah Neals wifes death: & I saw her hurt: Eliz Hubbard: Mary Walcot: & An Putnam: the last night she: afflicted: me also: last night: by her wichcrafts & I doe veryly: beleev: s'd Ann Puddeater is a: wich: she affirms puddeater: told her: she kild har husband Puddeater: & his first wife and that she was an instrument of Jno Bests: wifes death: Sept 7: 1692 Sworne in Court

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 112)

### (Elizabeth Hubbard v. Ann Pudeator)

Eliz Hubberd affirmd: upon: the oath she hath taken thatt: she hath seen: Ann: Puddeate: Afflict Mary: Warin: & that she or her Apperition did hurt me and Mary Warin the last night before. the Jury of inquest: Sep'r: 7: 1692 & that she hath afflicted her since she came into Court

Jurat in Curia.

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 112)

### (Ann Putnam, Jr. v. Ann Pudeator)

An Putnam affirmed: upon: her oath: to: the Jury of inquest: that: she: hath seen Ann Puddeater: afflict Mary Warin: Mary Walcot: & Eliz Hubbard: often: and perticulerly: att the time: of her: last examination: before the Majestrates: at Mr Tho. Beadles: she also: hath afflicted me: both then and at other times: Sept'r 7: 1692

Owned her Evidence in Court

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 112)

### (Sarah Bibber v. Ann Pudeator)

Sarah Vibber: upon: her: oath affirmed to the Jury of inquest that shee: hath seen: An Puddeater afflict: Mary Warin: Mary Walcot & An Putnam: both at the time of her examination at Mr Tho Beadles; and the last night she: together with goodwife Parker. did afflict: the forenamed: Warin Walcot & Putnum: s'd Puddeater: hath afflicted: me: to: and i do beleeve she is a wich Sep'r 7: 1692

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 112)

### (Mary Walcott v. Ann Pudeator)

Mary Walcot: upon oath affirmd to the Jury of inquest: that: she hath seen An Puddeater: afflict Mary: Warin: An Putnam: & Eliz Hubbard: at the time of her examination: at Mr Tho Beadles: and also the last night: I saw: her: afflict Mary Warin #[Mercy Lewis] An Putman & Eliz Hubbard: by wichcraft: & I verily beleev: s'd Pudeater: is a witch September: 7: 92. & that this day she hath afflicted this deponent.

Jurat in Curia Sep'r 10. 92.

Attest \*S Sewall

I find: by: my Characters: which I took: at the examination of An Puddeater that it was on the 2 day of July: that she was examined: at mr Tho Beadles thay bearing: date so:

Septr 7: 1692

\*Simon Willard:

(Reverse) Several Witnesses against An Pudeator

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 112)

### (Samuel Pickworth v. Ann Pudeator)

The testimony of Samuall Pikworth Whou testifieth that a bout six weckes agoo: I this deponant was coming along salim strete btween ann pudeaters hous and Captin higison hous. it being in the evening:

and I this dep Int saw awoman: neare Captin higisonn Cornar. the which I sopposed to be ann Pudeatar. and in a moment of time she pasid by me as swifte as if a burd flue by me and I saw said woman goo in to ann Pudeat [eat] ers hous

Jurat in Curia
\*S Sewall Cl.

Sam'll Pickworth: affirmeth: that the above written evidence is the truth: upon oath: to: the Jury of Inquest: Sept'r 7: 92

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(Ann Putnam, Jr. v. Ann Pudeator)

(Reverse)

September the 7. 92 ann Putnam afarmid to the grand Inquest that ann pudeatar: tould har that she flu by aman in the neight in to a hous

(Reverse) Sam Pickworth

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 112)

(John Best, Sr. v. Ann Pudeator)

The testimony of Jno Best Senior aged about 48 years Testifieth & saith that some years Last past that I this Deponat did often hear my wife saye that Ann pudeater would not Lett her alone untill she had killd her By her often pinching & Bruseing of her Till her Earms & other parts of her Body Looked Black by Reson of her soer pinching of her in the Tyme of her sickness of my wife did affarm that itt was an pudeater that afflict her & stood in the Belefe of itt as Long as she Lived.

Jurat in Curia
\*S Sewall Cler

Sep'r 7'th 92

Jno Best: afirmed: to the truth of the above written: befor the Jury of inquest. Sept'r 7: 1692

(Reverse) Jno Best Oath ags't An: Pudeator -

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 113)

(John Best, Jr. v. Ann Pudeator)

The testimony of John best Junear hou testifieth uppon his oath before the grand Inquest that his Mother did severall tims in har siknis complain of ann pudeatar of salim the wife of Jacob pudeatar how she had beewiched har and that she did believe she would kill har before she had dun: and soo she said severall times duering hear siknis: until har death allso I this deponant: did severall times goo in to the woulds to fech my fathars Cowes: and I did drive goode pudeatars Cow back from. our Cowes: and I being all alone: ann pudeatar would Chide me when I Came houm: for turning the Cow bak: by Reson of which I this deponant did ConClude said pudeater was a wich

Jurat in Curia

(Reverse) John best Junior against pudeatar

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 113)

(Petition of Ann Pudeator)

The humble Petition of Ann Poodeater unto the honoured Judge and Bench now Setting in Judicature in Salem humbly Sheweth:

That Wheras your Poor and humble Petitioner being condemned to die and knowing in my own conscience as I shall shortly answer it before the great God of heaven who is the searcher & knower of all hearts: That the Evidence of Jno Best, Sen'r and Jno Best Jun'r and Sam'll Pickworth w'ch was given in against me in Court were all of them altogether false & untrue and besides the abovesaid Jno Best hath been formerly whipt and likewise is roorded for a Lyar I would humbly begg of yo'r honours to Take it into your Judicious and Pious

consideration That my life may not be taken away by such false Evidence a vittnesses as these be likewise the Evidence given in against me by Sarah Church and Mary Warren I am altogether ignorant off and know nothing in the least measure about it nor nothing else concerning the crime of witchcraft for w'ch I am condemned to die as will be known to men and angells att the great day of Judgment begging and imploring your prayers att the throne of grace in my behalfe and your poor and humble petition'r shall for ever pray as she is bound in duty for your hon'rs health and happiness in this life and eternall felicity in the world to come

(Reverse)

Ann Pudeaters Peticon

(Essex County Archives, Salem - Witchcraft Vol. 1 Page 113)

# Wilmott Reed

Executed, September 22, 1692

(See also: Martha Carrier - Complaint.)

(Warrant for Arrest of Wilmott Reed)

To the Constables of Marblehead

You are in theire Majest's names hereby required to apprehend and bring before us willmot Reed the wife of Samuell Reed of Marblehead, on Tuesday next being the 31'st day of this Instant moneth of May aboute ten of the Clock in the forenoon at the house of Lt Nathan'll Ingerslls in Salem Village: who stands Charged with haveing Committed Sundry acts of Witchcraft on the bodys of Mary Walcot and Marcy Lewis and Others of Salem Village to theire great hurt &c, in order to her Examination Relateing to the aboves'd premises and hereof you are not to faile

Dated Salem May 28'th 1692

\*John Hathorne

\*Assis'ts

\*Jonathan. Corwin

(Reverse) In answer to the withinmentioned warrant I have apprehended Willmot Reed wife to Sam'll Reed of Marblehead & brought

\*James Smith Const' for Marblehead

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P us

her to the house of Lt Ingersals, May the 31'th 92.

