

## Peck Collection

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Containing reports, valuations, estimates and boring accounts of Richard Peck and others, 1685 – 1735. 19th Century list of contents at back signed "N. Wood"

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Creation dates: 1827-1828

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Creation dates: 3 March 1726

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Creation dates: 1685-1727

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Creation dates: 1 May 1725

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Creation dates: 1727

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Creation dates: 16 24 June 1727

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NEIMME/Peck/1/11

Creation dates: 22 April 1725

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NEIMME/Peck/1/12

Creation dates: 23 May 1726

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NEIMME/Peck/1/13

Creation dates: 30 Aug 1726

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NEIMME/Peck/1/14

Creation dates: 22 Sept 1725

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NEIMME/Peck/1/15

Creation dates: 1725, 1727

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NEIMME/Peck/1/19

Creation dates: 1711-1713

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NEIMME/Peck/1/20

Creation dates: c. 1710 - c. 1713

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NEIMME/Peck/1/21  
Creation dates: c.1714

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Creation dates: c.1664-c.1724

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Creation dates: 1725  
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Creation dates: c.1725-1726

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NEIMME/Peck/1/27  
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Creation dates: 1721

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Creation dates: 1719-1721

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Creation dates: 1719

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NEIMME/Peck/1/32  
Creation dates: 10 July 1719 17 June 1720

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NEIMME/Peck/1/33  
Creation dates: 1721 - 1722

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NEIMME/Peck/1/34  
Creation dates: 1722 1728

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Creation dates: 28 Sept 1724

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Creation dates: 29 Nov 1725

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NEIMME/Peck/1/37  
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NEIMME/Peck/1/41  
Creation dates: 5 - 22 May 1731

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Creation dates: 1728 - 1729

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NEIMME/Peck/1/45  
Creation dates: 26 Oct 1730

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Creation dates: nd

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NEIMME/Peck/1/48  
Creation dates: 1730

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NEIMME/Peck/1/50  
Creation dates: 1730

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NEIMME/Peck/1/51  
Creation dates: 1704 - c.1726

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NEIMME/Peck/1/52

Creation dates: 16 Feb 1730/31

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NEIMME/Peck/1/53

Creation dates: 1714 - c.1716

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NEIMME/Peck/1/54

Creation dates: 8 Oct 1716

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NEIMME/Peck/1/55

Creation dates: c.1718

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NEIMME/Peck/1/56

Creation dates: 22 April 1724

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NEIMME/Peck/1/57

Creation dates: 1731 - 1781

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NEIMME/Peck/1/58

Creation dates: 1731 - 32

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NEIMME/Peck/1/61

Creation dates: 1732

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Creation dates: 1732

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NEIMME/Peck/1/63  
Creation dates: 12 Sept 1738

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NEIMME/Peck/1/64  
Creation dates: 1732

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Creation dates: 1731 - 1734

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NEIMME/Peck/1/69  
Creation dates: 25 Nov 1734

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NEIMME/Peck/1/70  
Creation dates: nov. 1734

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NEIMME/Peck/1/72  
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NEIMME/Peck/1/73  
Creation dates: 1734

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NEIMME/Peck/1/75  
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NEIMME/Peck/1/76  
Creation dates: 16 March 1730/1

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NEIMME/Peck/1/77  
Creation dates: 1733 - 4

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NEIMME/Peck/1/79  
Creation dates: 14 April 1735

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NEIMME/Peck/1/80  
Creation dates: 9 April 1729

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NEIMME/Peck/1/81  
Creation dates: 1732-1735

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