

Justice James Claypoole (Claypole/Claypool/Cleypole)
1634-1687

Term

1685 (years taken from Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania)

Professional Experience

- Justice of the Peace, Philadelphia County, 1685-1687 (Presiding Judge, commissioned September 6, 1685)
- Commissioner of Property, Pennsylvania, 1684-1686
- Justice, Supreme Court, commissioned September 14, 1685, but declined position
- Member, Provincial Assembly, 1686
- Member, Provincial Council, 1687 (March 1687 until his death in August 1687)
- Register General, Pennsylvania, 1686-1687

Memberships and Associations

- Bull and Mouth Monthly Meeting
- Meeting for Suffering, London,
- London Quarterly Meeting
- Middlesex Quarterly Meeting
- London Yearly Meeting
- Founder and Treasurer, Free Society of Traders
- Philadelphia Monthly Meeting
- Philadelphia Quarterly Meeting
- Trustee, Bank Meeting House, 1686

Sources

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