

Kent Chatham

ANONYMOUS PAPERS!

At the AGM Brian was handed several papers but has no idea from whence they came and there are no identifying names on them. They are

Medway Marriage Index 1559-1812

A Descendants Chart beginning "William Goddard (1810)" with Pershore, Wednesbury and Reading among the places the family lived.

Some hand written charts of Goddard families who lived in Suffolk, Sussex and Chatham.

Please will those who handed them please identify themselves to me.

Julie in Newbury.

No answer

GODDARD

CHATHAM
"YORK HOTEL"
ORDNANCE TERRACE

CHATHAM
1891
31A

RG-12/658

No. 72

MARY

SERVANT U

20 DOMESTIC

X

CHATHAM

SEE MYALL Waiter

CHATHAM

GODDARD

PROSPECT ROW

(1842)

1851 Reel
15711 No 186

ANN

H

u

186

HK Bedfordshire

GODDARD

HERITAGE COTTAGE (p111)
REGENT PLACE

1801 Reel 11
ED 25 MO 59

CHARLES

H

M

28

SHIPRIGHT

M K Houghton Surrey

AMY

H

M

26

K Whetton

CHARLES HENRY

S

3

K Rooksta

EDMUND

S

1

K Whetton

GODDARD

2 BEST ST

(1/46)

1871 Quill
KD31 40152

CHARLES.

H

M

38

SHIPWRIGHT, Jockeyed.

Mr Doughton, Surrey

ANN

W

M

37

JAMES

S

11

HARRY

S

8

WILLIAM

S

6

KATHA

D

3

MARY

D

2 months.

Mr Chatham

CHATHAM

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GODDARD

123, HIGH ST.

1891

1A

No. 2

CHARLES

H

M

58

GREENGROCER

X

CHATHAM

AMY

W

M

57

"

CHARLES H.

S

U

32

GREENGROCER

X

"

AMY

D

U

18

"

ANNE E.

D

U

15

"

CRODDARD

105' BROOK

(PHD)

1881 Reel 21
KJ23 610118

CHARLES	H	M	48	PENSIONER & SHIPRIGHT	MK Houghton, Sunap
AMY	W	17	46		IC Chatham
CHARLES H.	S	u	23	ED STERMANCER	u
WILLIAM	S	u	16		u
KRISTA	D		14		u
MARY	D		11		u
AMY	D		7		u
ANN K.	D		4		u
THOMAS	S		1		u

GODDARD

CHERRY TREE HALL (p15) 1851 Rev 7
EJ 17 140 43

ELIZA

1818

8

171 Stork, Suffolk

GODDARD

BROOK (189)

1841 (RD 16)

HANNAH

H

35

BRITISH LACE MAKER

NK

HENRY

S

u

11

K

CHARLES

S

u

4
MONTHS.

K

GODDARD

CHATHAM
"YORK HOTEL"
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CHATHAM
1891
31A

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No 72

MARY

SERVANT U

20 DOMESTIC

X

CHATHAM

SEE MYALL Waiter

newway marriage index

1559 - 1812

by Groom

Groom	Bride	Month	Year	Parish
GLOVER	WHATMAN	May	1767	Rochester St Nic
GLOVER	BRIGGS	Dec	1772	Chatham
GLOVER	STYLES	Sep	1779	Chatham
GLOVER	HENDERSON	Feb	1781	Chatham
GLOVER	WATERS	Dec	1785	Strood
GLOVER	LAVENDER	Dec	1806	Rochester St Mgt
GLOVER	WHITFIELD	Jul	1807	Rochester St Mgt
GLOVER	COURD	Feb	1641/2	Chatham
GLOVER	GARDNER	Jan	1667/8	Chatham
GLOVER	COX	Feb	1696/7	Rochester St Mgt
GOAF	ANDARTONN	Dec	1586	Chatham
GOAGE	ROCK	Oct	1729	Gillingham
GOAR	LEE	Jan	1677/8	Rochester St Mgt
GOARE	GOOLDAM	Jul	1568	Gillingham
GOARE	STOMARD	Jun	1589	Gillingham
GOARE	GADD	Jul	1671	Rochester St Nic
GOAT	PAYNE	Jan	1801	Strood
GOATLEY	BAGHURST	Oct	1668	Rochester St Mgt
GOBBEN	COLLENSONN	Jan	1592/3	Chatham
GOBBINS	BELCHAM	Apr	1723	Strood
GOBLE	CASELDON	Apr	1647	Gillingham
GOBLE	POWELL	Apr	1713	Gillingham
GOBLE	REED	Jul	1743	Frindsbury
GOBLE	HOSMER	Sep	1806	Rochester St Mgt
GOBLE	EASON	Nov	1812	Chatham
GOBLE	HUDFORD	Feb	1661/2	Chatham
GOBLE	NETHERSOLE	Mar	1662/3	Gillingham
GOBLE	GOORD	Jan	1717/8	Frindsbury
GOBLES	HULSFORD	Oct	1666	Chatham
GOBYE	BAKER	Oct	1616	Strood
GODARD	GOARE	Feb	1652/3	Gillingham
GODBY	BROWN	Sep	1791	Chatham
GODDARD	GATCLIFFE	Oct	1655	Rochester St Nic
GODDARD	WATERS	Aug	1768	Frindsbury
GODDARD	SMITH	Jan	1786	Chatham
GODDARD	HOLFORD	Oct	1802	Rochester St Mgt
GODDARD	FOSTER	Aug	1806	Frindsbury
GODDARD	KETTLE	Nov	1811	Gillingham
GODDEN	TODDENTONN	Aug	1570	Chatham
GODDEN	NELLES	Aug	1627	Rochester St Nic
GODDEN	COVERLY	Sep	1698	Chatham
GODDEN	TAYLOR	Sep	1702	Chatham
GODDEN	DRUERY	Oct	1728	Rochester St Mgt
GODDEN	CHERRY	May	1732	Rochester St Nic
GODDEN	BYER	Dec	1733	Strood
GODDEN	RECORD	Sep	1737	Chatham
GODDEN	LARKIN	Mar	1741	Rochester St Mgt
GODDEN	DIPROES	May	1747	Chatham
GODDEN	HADSELL	Jul	1749	Gillingham
GODDEN	DOVE	Mar	1756	Frindsbury
GODDEN	QUINNEY	Oct	1764	Strood
GODDEN	JOHNSON	Aug	1774	Frindsbury

dad



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husband of Marjorie who was first GAE secretary

Grandfather

Frederick ? 1870? - 1930s

'baby of family'

born Gt Yarmouth / Lowestoft area

to a fisherman family

he did not go to sea (bec. of mother's persuasion)

apprenticed as a cooper

total & Salvation Army.

Lived in Sidcup, Kent.

Father

Frederick Leonard 1902 - 1964

Born Sidcup Died Durban, S. Africa

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married Lily Valentine Clarke
Lived s/Africa but wife came
home with son, Dennis and they parted

Not in 1881 census.



24/4/02

Dear Julie.

M. & I were so pleased to receive your letter. It's now 13 years! since I retired (whatever that may mean!). We keep very busy - $\frac{1}{2}$ acre garden, I'm church treasurer and general handyman. M. does book duty at Fairfax House.

M. has not been too well. Throughout last year she had ongoing dental problems. Also difficulty in swallowing - lost a lot of weight. Diagnosis "nursing" for months by her G.P. until early this year she saw, by chance, one of the partners. She diagnosed the problem in 2 minutes flat! She had developed a pharyngeal pouch in her throat which was trapping most of her food. An urgent operation produced an almost miracle cure within days. She has recovered her appetite and has made wonderful progress. We are off to the Lakes for week days Saturday. This is the first holiday since last Spring when we went on a Rhine Cruise.

As to your query I will do my best but it is, I fear, very vague. Here goes.

My father.

Frederick Leonard G.

Born in Sidcup/N. Kent region.

D.O.B. . 1. 12. 1902

Died (Durban S.A.) 29. 7. 1964

The background is that in 1948 my parents went to live in S. Africa. Soon after they separated and my mother came back to the UK the following year and never returned to S.A.. For his part my father never returned to UK so effectively I lost contact with him more than

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50 years ago. Hence I have virtually no first hand knowledge of his family!

(My mother, Lily Valentine, died in Ripon on 9.5.99. She was born in Sidcup, Kent on 14.2.05. Her maiden name was Clarke. She and my father married about 1925 in Sidcup).

My grandfather.

I believe was also "Frederick." My hunch is he died about 1930 or early 30's. Probable age say late 70's, ~~th~~ perhaps 80. So this suggests d.o.b. in 1850s?

(I hope my father was very much "an after thought" - he was very much the baby of the family. When born his brother and sister were in late teens/adults and even married. So he really never knew them).

Grandfather came from a family in the Gt. Yarmouth/Dorset/It area. They were fishermen. Some of his brothers/siblings were lost at sea. So he was persuaded by his mother never to go to sea. He swore that he would not and he never did. I remember my father saying that granddad would not even set foot on a ferry boat or passenger boat to the day he died.

Seemingly he was apprenticed as a cooper and settled in the S. London/Sidcup area with a small business making/repairing barrels, vats, tubs, casks etc. Perhaps a surprising vocation for a man who, all his life, was an avowed teetotaler and salvationist!

Sorry but that's about it. With the separation from my father I do not have any documentation (other than my father's death cert.). Best wishes to you and Brian
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GODDARD ASSOCIATION O



26 April 2002

Dear Dennis and Marjorie,

I am sorry to learn that Marjorie has been ill. By coincidence Brian's father had the same experience of doctors. He had similar symptoms to Marjorie and was wasting away. In hospital he was tested for TB and cancer without result; again it was an unfamiliar doctor who recognised that he had a throat hernia. A small operation and he was soon on the way to recovery. He mentioned his experience to his only cousin, Derek, and found that he had had the same operation, but he had been lucky and the problem had been quickly diagnosed.

Thank you Dennis for your family tree. I had a quick look at the 1881 census for your family but without result either in Suffolk or Kent. Of course you could find out more about your grandfather by getting a copy of your father's birth certificate, or by looking up Goddards in Sidcup in the 1901 census. But as you managed to grow up quite successfully without your father or his family, it would be understandable if perhaps you would rather not bother.

Brian retired last December 31st and we have been busy ever since! Me with making him cups of coffee while he has been redecorating several of the rooms in the house.

Best wishes to you both,

Yours sincerely,

Julie Goddard
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