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**COMMEMORATING 350 YEARS  
OF A GODDARD PRESENCE  
IN THE NEW WORLD**

In 1984 The Goddard Association of America celebrated 350 years of the Goddard presence in North America. The publication of Volume I of The Goddard Book was a major feature of that observance. The publication of Volume II, six years later, completes the literary part of that celebration.

Thus the results of 19 years of research and 11 years of editing and writing is now, partially, in a published record. However, this is only a beginning in what can .. and should .. be done.

The author hopes .. and expects .. that this Book will be of immediate value to those searching for ancestral heritage. However a more important value could be as a reminder that what is needed is a continuing process of research and publication that will delve deeply into the past and at the same time keep up with contemporary events.

There are other anniversaries toward which research and writing efforts might be focused. For example: The 20th anniversary of the founding of the Goddard Association of America in 1997 the 375th anniversary of the landing in North America in 2009 (the 32nd for the Association); or in 2031, the 800th anniversary of the emergence of the Goddards in Wiltshire, England at Sheldon Manor. Or perhaps the 50th anniversary of the Goddard Association of Europe in 2035; or some combination with one or another of these events into a 1000th anniversary celebration!

If this longer-range goal of ongoing research and publication can be realized, the publication of The Goddard Book in 1984 and 1990 will have served a maximum purpose.

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# THE GODDARD BOOK



## Volume II

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# North Standen is up for sale at £3m

FOLLOWING the death of Lord Rootes this year, the executors of his estate have instructed Knight, Frank and Rutley to sell North Standen.

The estate extends to about 1,000 acres and includes an 18th century house with later extensions.

The approach to the house is through a semi-mature lime avenue. It is traditionally built of red brick under a tile roof. It was extended from the original farmhouse and there is a date of 1795 on a brick on the north side of the house. There is wood block flooring through much of the ground floor, oil-fired central heating, and an alarm system.

The garden was designed by Lanning Roper in the 1960s. The pheasant shoot is of high quality with extensive duck flighting on the water meadows and partridge shooting over mature hedges. The River Dun, a chalk stream tributary of the



River Kennet, flows through the estate and offers about 1.5 miles of natural brown trout fishing.

The farm includes about 420 acres of winter wheat, 200 of winter barley and 142 acres of one year set aside. Yields average just under three tons to the acre. The soil varies from a medium clay loam to a sandy

or silty clay loam, mostly overlying chalk or clay on chalk.

There are 142 acres of woodland, most of which is mature oak, with some 25-year-old conifers and a recent planting of mainly broadleaved trees.

The estate is set in rolling countryside just west of Hungerford, with a guide price of £3,000,000.

WILTS AND  
DORSET

At the Opening of the Twentieth Century.

BY THE REV. E. E. DORLING, M.A.

# CONTEMPORARY BIOGRAPHIES

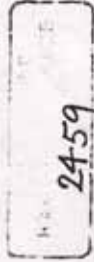
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## Wiltshire

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**Gladstone.**—JOHN EVELYN GLADSTONE, M.A., J.P., D.L., Bowden Park, Chippenham; son of the late Captain J. N. Gladstone, R.N., M.P. for Devizes, and nephew of the late Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone; born in 1855; educated at Eton, and Christ Church, Oxford; M.A.Oxon.; Justice of the Peace and Deputy Lieutenant for Wiltshire; High Sheriff of Wiltshire, 1897; County Alderman for Wilts; formerly Lieutenant in the Wilts Yeomanry Cavalry; unsuccessfully contested Spen Valley Division of West Riding of Yorkshire as a Conservative, in 1885. Married, in 1888, Gertrude Theresa, daughter of Sir Charles Hayes Miller, 7th Baronet, and has issue three daughters, Margaret Betty, Olive Mary, and Muriel Ivy.

Mr. J. E. Gladstone, M.A., J.P., D.L.



**Goddard.**—FITZROY PLEYDELL GODDARD, J.P., D.L., The Lawn, Swindon; son of the late Ambrose Lethbridge Goddard; born at The Lawn, Swindon, August 29th, 1852; educated at Christ Church, Oxford. Late Assistant Superintendent, Andaman and Nicobar Islands; H.B.M. Consul, St. Vincent; H.B.M. Consul, Corsica, and Queen's F.S. Messenger; Justice of the Peace, Deputy Lieutenant, and County Councillor for Wilts; late Major, second in command, Royal Wilts Yeomanry; commanded Yeomanry contingent of Imperial Representative Corps in



Mr. F. P. Goddard, J.P., D.L.



Mr. F. H. Goldney, J.P.

for the neighbouring poor, a charitable bequest which has been observed to this day; a prominent Freemason, and an officer of the three Grand Lodges of Craft, Royal Arch, and Knights Templar; Justice of the Peace for the counties of Wilts and Surrey. Married, February 6th, 1875, Ethel Julia, daughter of Henry James Fowle Swayne, J.P., of The Island, Wilton, Wilts, and has issue one son, Henry Hastings Goldney, born July 3rd, 1886, and four daughters. Club: Junior Carlton.

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Kathleen, widow of Alexandra Sutton. Club: St. James's, London.

**Goldney.**—FREDERICK HASTINGS GOLDNEY, J.P., of Beechfield, Corsham, Wilts, and Prior Place, Camberley, Surrey, second son of the late Sir Gabriel Goldney, Bart., M.P., who represented Chippenham in Parliament 1865 to 1885, and was High Sheriff of Wiltshire, 1893; born May 26th, 1845; educated at Harrow. Mayor of Chippenham, 1875 and 1888, when he carried through the enlargement of the boundaries of that Borough; his direct lineal ancestor, Henry Goldney, Member of Parliament for Chippenham, was, in 1554, appointed by Queen Mary's Charter to be the first "Baylyffe" of that borough, which office (in later times called "Mayor") has been filled by his direct lineal descendants, from father to son, in each generation from that time to 1888; Lord of the Manor of Stanley, Wilts; owner also of the adjoining estate, which his ancestor, Gabriel Goldney, of Chippenham, in 1681, charged with the payment of £8 annually to provide great coats for the three Grand Lodges of Craft, Royal Arch, and Knights Templar; Married, February 6th, 1875, Ethel Julia, daughter of Henry James Fowle Swayne, J.P., of The Island, Wilton, Wilts, and has issue one son, Henry Hastings Goldney, born July 3rd, 1886, and four daughters. Club: Junior Carlton.

Aug. 30, 1982

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Re: GOLDARD (Godard) from 1600 to present

Dear Mr. Harms:

Here are the listings I have for the surname GOLDARD (or Godard) which you requested back in June. Sorry to be so slow getting them to you.

The following quote is from "Obituary Notices in the Providence, Rhode Island, Newspapers" (book Irish Settlers in America, Vol. II) - "The first newspaper at Providence was known as "The Providence Gazette and Country Journal," and purported to contain 'the freshest advices, both Foreign and Domestic.' It was edited and published by WILLIAM GOLDARD; its first issue was dated Oct. 20, 1762, and it was discontinued in the year 1825."

<sup>C-1 #31</sup>  
THOMAS GODDARD, of Marlborough, laborer or husbandman, is included in "list of the names of such passengers as shipt themselves at the town of Hampton in the James of London of III C tonnes, Wm. Cooper Master versus New England in and about the VI of April 1635". (New World Immigrants, Vol. I)

<sup>C-2 #20</sup>  
JAMES GODDARD, carpenter & Joyner, aged 36, Elizabeth his wife, 42, John, his son, 9, and Elizabeth his Dau. 5, were in "A List of the Persons Sent to Georgia on the Charity by the Trustees for Establishing the Colony There. 16 Novbr. 1732, By Capt. Thomas (of the Anne)". Footnotes tell us that James died July 1, 1733, Eliz. died July 26, 1733, and John and Elizabeth were servants to Thomas Christie.

WILLIAM C. GODDARD is listed as one of the witnesses to the "naturalization" of Charles Coleman, 29 May 1846, in "Abstracts of Naturalization Records, Circuit Court, Distr. of Columbia".

JOHN H. GODDARD is named as witness to naturalization of Bernard Kelly, 15 Apr. 1840, also in "Abstracts of Naturalization Records, Circuit Court, Distr. of Columbia".

The following two names are from "American Passenger Lists, 1804-6" from Northern Ireland -  
<sup>C-3 #25</sup>  
GODDARD, J., Newry, Co. Down. Downshire MSS. June 26, 1796 (T)  
<sup>-4 #33</sup>  
Ensign Thos. T. S. P. I. 1715

The above listings (starting with James) are from book New World Immigrants, Vol. II.  
<sup>C-5 #5</sup>  
GODDARD, Anthony (in Virginia 1663, d. 1663); formerly of Suringden, Wiltshire, is listed in Some Emigrants to Virginia, Second Edition.

GODDARD (Godard), William (1627-91; son of Gen. Edward, of Norfolkshire), from Eng. to

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Watertown, Mass., 1665; schoolmaster; soldier King Philip's War; m Elizabeth (d 1697), dau.

Benjamin Miles. (Immigrant Ancestors, edited by Frederick Adams Virlus).

A. GODDARD, 23, farmer, sailed on Brig Mississippi, Johnson, master, to New Orleans, arriving during Quarter Ending Mar. 31, 1823, or June 30, 1823. He "belonged" to France; planned to inhabit U. S. (Pass. Who Arrived in the U. S. Sept. 1821 to Dec. 1823).

W. GODDARD, 39, male, Army, sailed on Brig Geo. Henry, Laken, master, to Nantucket, Q. E. Sept. 30, 1823. He belonged to Halifax and planned to inhabit Halifax. (Same book as above).

G. GODDARD, 20, male, merchant, sailed on ship Amazon, of Baltimore, to Baltimore, arriving during Q. E. Sept. 30, 1820. He belonged to Ireland; planned to inhabit U. S. (Passenger Arrivals 1819-1820)

G. GODDARD, 35, Supercargo, sailed on ship Amazon of Baltimore, to Baltimore, arr. Q. E. Mar. 31, 1820. He belonged to G. Britain; planned to inhabit U. S. (Pass. Arrivals 1819-1820)

JOHN GODDARD, a butcher, is listed as passenger on Sloop Phenix from Hallyfax, Hector McNeill, master, to Boston, Apr. 5, 1765. (Port Arrivals & Immigrants to the City of Boston, 1715-1716 and 1762-1769)

GODDARD, Giles, Boston, 1679, had wife and servants - from "A List of Names Found Among the First Settlers of New England". (Passengers to America, Tepper.)

HENRY GODDARD, bound to Peter Ware, Mar. 30, 1686. Goddard was of Whatden, sergeweaver; on the Bossterne Merchant, Wm. Curtis, Master, as listed in "Servants to Foreign Plantations." (Pass. to America, Tepper.)

JOHN GODDARD is included in "The Names of Stewards and Servants sent by John Mason, Esq., into this Province of New Hampshire", 1631. (Pass. to Amer., Tepper.)

The following are included in "English Convicts in Colonial America, Peter Wilson Coldham, Vol. 1 - ANN GODDARD, no age given, immigrated to America, 1695; EDWARD GODDARD, n.a., Barbados, 1672, ELEANOR GODDARD, n.a., America, 1764, ELIZABETH GODDARD, n.a., America, 1757, JOHN GODDARD, n.a., America, 1749, and MARY GODDARD, n.a., America, 1755. Listed in Vol. II, are - JAMES GODDARD, n.a., America, 1757, JOHN GODDARD, n.a., America, 1751, and WILLIAM GODDARD, n.a., Barbadoes and/or Jamaica, 1688.

GEORGE GODDARD, 30, New Orleans, 1820, is included in "New Orleans Ship Lists, Rieder, Vol. I. Included in Vol. II is ALEXIS GODDARD, 23, New Orleans, 1823.

The following are from \*Index to Records of Aliens' Declarations of Intention and/or Oaths of Allegiance, 1769-1860, in U. S. Circuit Court, U. S. District Court, Supreme Court of Pa., Quarter Sessions Court, Court of Common Pleas, Philadelphia, Vol. 4 - GEO PETER GODARD, <sup>✓ c23</sup> No age given, Phila., 1832, DAVID GODDARD, <sup>✓ c24</sup> n.a., Phila., 1868, and URIAH GODDARD, <sup>✓ c25</sup> n.a., Phila., 1857. Also, SAMUEL GODDARD, <sup>c26 ✓</sup> n.a., Phila., 1849.

STEPHEN GODARD, <sup>c27</sup> n.a., Jamaica, 1684, and Mr. GODDARD, <sup>c28</sup> n.a., Barbadoes, 1690, are included in \*A List of Emigrants from England to America, 1682-1692, Transcribed from the Orig. Records at the City of London Record Office, Michael Ghirelli.

The following are from \*San Francisco Ship Passenger Lists, Vol. I, Louis J. Rasmussen - Mr. GODDARD, <sup>c29 ✓</sup> n.a., San Fran., 1851, C. S. GODDARD, <sup>✓ c30</sup> n.a., San Francisco, CA, 1852, J. GODDARD, <sup>✓ c31</sup> n.a., San Fran., 1850, L. O. GODDARD, <sup>✓ c32</sup> n.a., San Fran., 1850, and W. J. GODDARD, <sup>✓ c33</sup> n.a., San Fran., 1850.

GEORGE GODDARD, <sup>c34</sup> n.a., Pa., 1772, is included in "Record of Indentures of Individuals Bound Out as Apprentices, Servants, Etc. and of German and Other Redemptioners in the Office of the Mayor of the City of Phila., Oct. 3, 1771, to Oct. 5, 1773" \*The Pennsylvania-German Society Proceedings and Addresses, Vol 16 (1905).

JOHN GODDARD, <sup>c35</sup> no age given, New Hampshire, no date given, is in \*Annals of Portsmouth; Comprising a Period of 200 Years from the First Settlement of the Town, with Biographical Sketches of a Few of the Most Respectable Inhabitants, Nathaniel Adams.

THOS. GODDARD, <sup>c36</sup> n.a., Mass., 1635, from \*The Planters of the commonwealth; A Study of the Emigrants and Emigration in Colonial Times: To Which Are Added Lists of Pass. to Boston and to the Bay Colony; the Ships Which Brought Them; Their English Homes, and the Places of Their Settlement in Mass., 1620-1640, Chas. Edw. Banks.

THOMAS GODDARD, <sup>c37</sup> n.a., New England, 1620-50, is included in \*Topographical Dictionary of 2885 English Emigrants to NewEngland 1620-50, Chas. Edw. Banks.

THOMAS GODDARD, <sup>c38</sup> n.a., N. Carolina, 1674, is included in "Some Pioneers of North Carolina, 1674-1701." \*National Geneal. Society Quarterly, 53:3 (Sept. 1965).

This concludes my listings. The titles marked with an asterick are publication which I do not possess. I have index information only and that is what I've given you. If you'd like

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## THE PARISH CHURCH OF OGBOURNE ST GEORGE

Marlborough, Wilts.

The present Church of Ogbourne St George was built between the 12th and 15th centuries and restored in the 19th century. Undoubtedly there was another Church on the site before the Norman Conquest and probably a heathen temple before that dating back to prehistoric times.

The name Ogbourne is of Saxon derivation. It is mentioned in the Domesday Book (1086) as Ocheburne, probably a corruption of Oca's Burne (or stream).

It was at the beginning of the 12th century that Ogbourne was really put on the map. Maud de Wallingford granted the manorial rights of Great and Little Ogbourne to the Abbey of St Mary of Bec Herlowyn in Normandy. This Benedictine Order built a priory (probably on the site of the present Manor) which became the administrative centre of the Order's estates in England. In 1103 Henry I granted to the Abbey "all liberties and free customs which a King is able to give to religious men".

The priory had a comparatively short life. In the second year of his reign (1414) Henry V, believing that foreign priests were responsible for the leakage of secret information to France, suppressed all "alien" monasteries and priories in England. The estates and revenue of Ogbourne St George therefore came into the King's hands. In 1422 they were assigned to the College at St George's Chapel Windsor. The Dean and Chapter of Windsor are still the Patrons, responsible for the appointment of clergy for the two Parishes of Ogbourne St George and Ogbourne St Andrew. In 1441 the King founded King's College Cambridge and transferred to it the Manors of Ogbourne and other property. The College continued to own land in the village until 1937.

### A Look Around the Building

**The Porch** - This dates from the 15th century. The arch at the entrance has unequal sides. Above the entrance is a sun dial and in the wall on the right is a scratch dial (or Mass dial). Lower down there is another of an earlier date.

### **South Doorway** - 13th century

**The Nave** - The solid pillars of the south arcade are the oldest parts of the existing Church (c1200). The pointed arches and mouldings of stiff-leaved foliage are characteristic of the Early English style. The north side of the nave was originally bounded by a wall. The doorway in it was moved to the present north wall when the aisle was built. The building was carried out in two stages. The two eastern bays were built about 1330 and the western bay was added at a later date. Notice the difference between the north and south arcades. The north has more slender pillars, different bases and capitals. The clerestory was added in the 15th century. The roof and most of the fittings are 19th century and the decoration over the Chancel arch was only recently restored. There is a 16th century brass on the floor near the pulpit. The inscription reads "Off ye charite pray for the soules of Thomas Goddard and Johan his wife which Thomas died the XXVII day of August MVCXVII o' who' soul JHU have mci". At the west end of the north aisle there is a floor stone in memory of Hannah Miles wife of John Miles and daughter of Elizabeth and John Panting. She died in 1685. In the floor of the nave there is a stone in memory of

Mary Potter who died 1719 aged 12 and buried with Thomas Potter aged 95.

**The North Aisle** - This was rebuilt and extended at the beginning of the 15th century - possibly at the time when the west bay of the north arcade was added. Note the change in the style of the windows in the west and north walls. The aisle was extended to the east to form a Chapel and an archway was made into the Chancel. In 1376 Richard Warde was presented to the "Chantry at the altar of St George and the Chantry at the altar of the Holy Trinity". Thomas Goddard asked in his will, dated 1536 to be buried within the Chapel of the Holy Trinity before the image of the Trinity.

The tall narrow opening in the east respond of the north arcade was perhaps a door or passage leading to the loft, or rood screen. It was enlarged and rebuilt in the 19th century. In the respond on the south side is a traceried window or squint. Before the south Chapel was built (in the 15th century) it would have come from the outside of the Church.

**The Chancel** - This was originally 13th century (the Chancel arch is probably from this date). It was partly rebuilt in the 15th century - when the arches into the side Chapels were made - and restored in the 19th century. The screens to the side chapels are of the same age as the arches but have been restored. The Royal Arms and the Ten Commandments originally in the nave are dated 1847. You can just see a previous inscription with the names of the Churchwardens and the date 1797.

**The Tower** - The tower with parapet was added about the middle of the 15th century. Access was originally from inside the Church and a small niche is a blocked up window which gave light to the stairs. The entrance is now at the south east corner of the tower outside. Note on the south-west buttress the carved figure of an angle holding a shield and some splendid gargoyles.

**Bells** - The second (9 cwt) and third (10 cwt) were cast by R Beconsall in 1603. They are inscribed "God be our Guyd and Geve thanks to God." The present treble was added in 1625. It weighs 8 cwt and is inscribed "I was given by Master Thomas Bande to prayse God and ring well and be the leading bell.". The present fourth and tenor weighing 13 cwt and 18 cwt were recast in 1652.

The church must have looked its most glorious at the end of the 15th century. It had been completed with aisles, tower and the clorestory. There were altars in the side Chapels. Everywhere on walls, wood and in windows there would be colour and illustrations of the Bible and representations of the saints.

But the greatest glory of this and every Church is that they are houses of prayer and sacrament. Please pray for those who worship here.

"Renew us by your Spirit,  
Inspire us with your love,  
and unite us in the body of your Son,  
Jesus Christ our Lord."