

WALPOLE

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CRATFIELD

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GODDARD ASSOCIATION C

1 June 2000

Dear Mrs Adams,

We have several members whose origins are in the numerous villages of Suffolk and who get stuck with their family tree somewhere in the early 1800s when their ancestor moves from one village to another in search of work. A familiar story I am sure!

One case is where we have **Francis Goddard** baptised 5 Oct 1800 at Cratfield s/o Joseph Goddard and Maria Burgess who (I am told) marries Martha ? 23 Nov 1834 at Huntingfield.

Could you please give an estimate for

1. checking the marriage of Francis and Martha and supplying full details. I already have details of six children born at Huntingfield.
2. searching for the origins of Joseph Goddard and giving details of occupation etc and where he married Maria. I have a note of their children born in Cratfield from the IGI, starting in 1796.

We have an e - mail address if you wish to reply that way <bpgoddard@freeuk.com>

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J.R.Goddard

Dear Julie,

Re our telephone conversation I am hoping you can give me information regarding the parents of William Goddard D.OB 23 OCT 1834 who married Emily DOB 1842 married?

I would be much obliged for any information which you can uncover.

Thank you for the information which you & your fellow researchers have uncovered for me. It is a privilege to be a member of the Goddard Association.

I look forward to hearing from you in due course.

Yours Sincerely

Barry Goddard

9.11.00

Dear Mrs. Goddard,

In the latest Suffolk Roots (Nov. 2000), I noticed you are looking for the surname GODDARD.

My Grandmother BESSIE POLLY GODDARD born 1875, WALPOLE.
2nd child of eight. Married my Grandfather DAVID STONE born 1874, HEVENINGHAM, PIMLICO 1897. (Ag. Lab./Policeman/1st WW/Politician).

My GODDARD line -

SAMUEL B. 1787 HADLEIGH, D. 1862 WALPOLE. Farmer. 8 children.

JAMES B. 1821 HEVENINGHAM, D. 1885 CRATFIELD. Farmer. 7 children.
(Married twice - 3 ch. / 4 ch.)

GEORGE GIPSON B. 1849 CHEDISTON, D. 1903 WALPOLE. Farmer. 8 children.
(1st marriage).

BESSIE POLLY B. 1875 WALPOLE, D. 1951 TWICKENHAM, MIDDX.
(STONE) 5 children.

Farms associated with my Goddards, HEVENINGHAM, WALPOLE,
WESTLETON, LINSTAD MAGNA, CRATFIELD and KNODISHALL.
(Kellys Directories, Suffolk).

If I can be of any further help, please let me know,

Yours sincerely,

John D. Stone.
(5823)

SUFFOLK

21.4.01

Dear Mrs. Goddard,

Thank you for your correspondence concerning Barry Goddard.

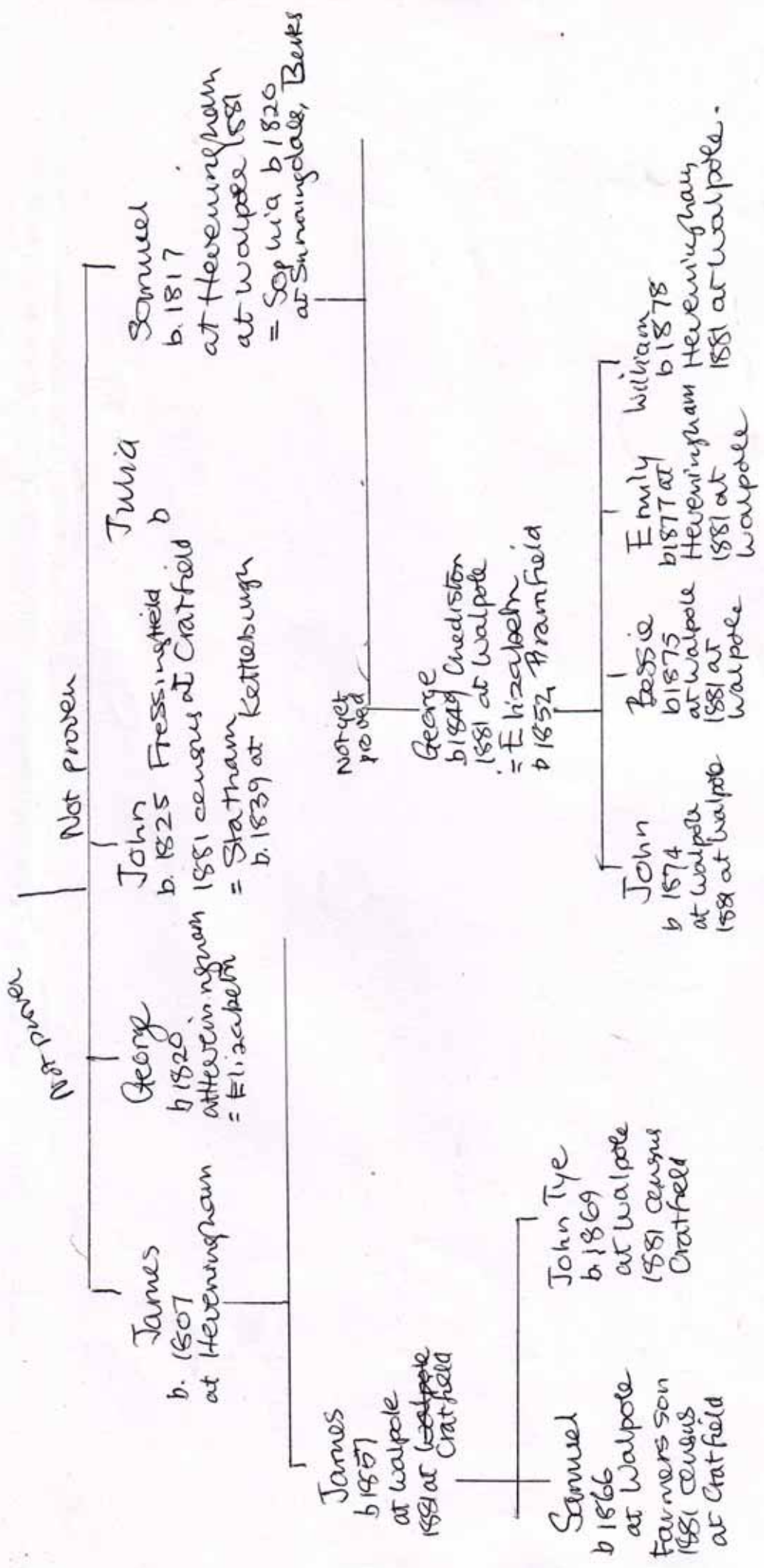
Although we could find no common denominator linking our two families, I was able to pass on to him and his Cousin David information concerning several of their ancestors.

This included their Great x 3 Grandparents Joseph/Marie (Burgess), both born Chatfield, their three sons/four daughters, all born at Chatfield between 1795-1803. I have also supplied wedding information of seven of the ten children, born 1833-51 at Huntingfield, born to Francis, born 1801, their 5th child. This included William and John named on their family tree! Also two other brothers and their children. So our contact has not been a complete waste!

I have been a member of S.F.H.S. since 1996 and researching the Surnames STONE, GODDARD and COE since 1988. So far have not found a 'live' Goddard related to myself yet! Fortunately, have traced and met several 'live' relatives in Suffolk/Norfolk of the other two families.

Yours sincerely,

John D. Stone



Joseph = Maria BURGESS

Cratfield 1111

Francis = Martha

GODDARD 23 Nov 1808

1801 - born Cratfield
born Hunningfield

All born at Hunningfield

Francis
1833 -

William
1835 -

Hannah
1837 -

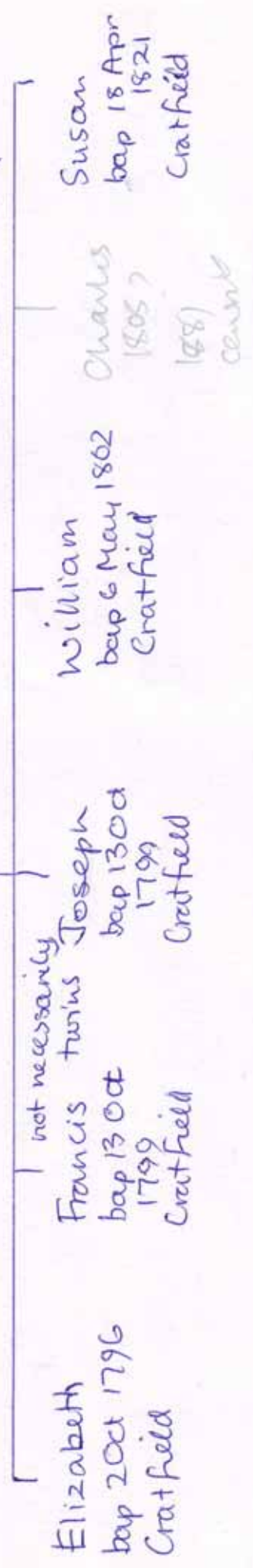
John
1839

Susan
1841

Charles
1848 -

Joseph GODDARD = Maria BURGESS
lived Cratfield
from I.G.I. marriage not recorded

Did they move from Cratfield for several years?



ELLOUGH
HUNTINGFIELD
CRATFIELD

GODDARD ASSOCIATION OF EUROPE

July 14, 1998

Dear Barry,

What is your query concerning whether or not David Goddard 1867-1949 is your ancestor? Have you obtained a copy of his marriage certificate? Everything is rather hypothetical if you have not proved this connection.

However, I have looked at the 1881 census and find the following people who are on your tree which you have sent;

At Ellough

*John Goddard aged 42 Agricultural labourer self employed born in Huntingfield, Suffolk
Eliza Goddard aged 41 John's wife born Wilthingham
George 15 Agricultural labourer son of John Goddard born Cratfield
David Goddard aged 13 Agricultural labourer son of John Goddard born Shaddingfield
Frederick aged 12 son of John Goddard born Wrentham
Mary Ann 18 no occupation daughter of John Goddard born Cratfield
Louisa 8 daughter of John Goddard born Brampton
Martha 5 daughter of John born Ellough
Ellen 3 daughter of John Goddard born Ellough
No sign of John or Joseph at home*

At Weston

*William Goddard aged 46 Ag. Lab. born Huntingfield
Emily Goddard aged 39 William's wife born Henstead
Arthur Goddard aged 20 Ag. Lab. married self employed born Henstead
Harriett E. Goddard 19 wife of Arthur born Kirby, Norfolk
James Goddard aged 17 Ag Lab. son of William self employed born Weston
No sign of Alice or Joseph*

At Cratfield

*Charles Goddard aged 74 widower Ag. Lab. born Cratfield
James Goddard aged 60 Farmer born Heveningham (married but wife not recorded)
James Goddard aged 24 Farmer's son born Walpole
John Tye Goddard aged 12 son of James born Walpole
John Goddard aged 56 farmer born Fressingfield, Suffolk
Statham (sic) Goddard aged 42 wife of John born Kettleburgh, Suffolk
Samuel Goddard aged 15 farmer's son Son of James born Walpole*

At Walpole

Samuel Goddard aged 64 Farmer born Heveningham

*Sophia Goddard aged 61 wife of Samuel born Berkshire, Sunningdale
George Goddard aged 32 Ag. lab. born Chediston
Elizabeth Goddard aged 29 wife of George born Bramfield
John aged 7 son of George born Walpole
Bessie aged 6 daughter of George born Walpole
Emily aged 4 daughter of George born Heveningham
William aged 3 son of George born Heveningham*

It looks as if the whole family were agricultural farm workers who hired themselves out annually and moved from farm to farm, a not uncommon way of life at the time, but difficult for the family historian. (I am chasing my great great grandfather around Norfolk as he moved in a similar manner).

*I have had enquiries about Goddard families who were in adjacent villages to the ones where the above Goddards settled. If you can make sure that this **David Goddard** is the one you want we can then proceed from there. Please write to me again if you want advice.*

Yours sincerely,

*Julie Goddard
Research Co-ordinator*

GODDARD ASSOCIATION OF EUROPE

1 August 2000

Dear Barry,

Goddards of Cratfield

I see from the Member's Interests file of Suffolk Family History Society that there is someone researching, or having ancestors, in Cratfield. The name and address is

Mr J.D.Stone, 23 Bryanstone Ave., Whitton, Twickenham, TW2 6HP

Of course this may be the nephew whom you said was also researching the family. If not, then it might be an idea to write and see if you can pool your findings.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J.R.Goddard
Research Co-ordinator

