

australia.

5 February 1992.

England.

Dear Brian,

I was most grateful for your letter of 23 Dec. last and very appreciative of the trouble you have taken to bring me up to date on your research. I didn't reply sooner because we had some trauma here about that time: Liliias had a heart attack early in Dec. and had to give up her clinic work at the hospital. Her recent examinations have shown that her heart has recovered well and she is now back to (almost) normal activity, but of course she is now on the retired list and we're both having to get used to 2 people at home - not as simple as it sounds.

Many thanks also for the computer print-out (will get back to that later) and for your comments on the Staple Fitzpaine names. I do think though that we should not make too much of the names. If you have a family living some distance from the ancestral group for 2 centuries it is inevitable that they will acquire a few local names that are not common among the ancestral group. But perhaps I should begin at the beginning (to coin a phrase) and base my points on your very interesting letter.

Congratulations on finding that post-mortem inquisition and thanks for sending me a copy. As you say, many of the Wilts Goddards will be disappointed to learn that they do not stem from Walter. One wonders how on earth the Wilts researchers like Jeffries could have missed its significance - perhaps too much wishful thinking. This brings up an interesting point: how do you set about correcting Burke? To most genealogists Burke is like the law of the Medes and Persians that altereth not!! Perhaps you will have to be content with correcting the misconception in the GODDARD BOOK and leave it at that. I'm afraid many of the American descendants of the Wilts line will not thank you. I get the impression they would be very reluctant to lose Sir Walter.

I did not know that the Goddard crescents are known as "Percy's Crescents" - thank you for this bit of information. Now here is a detail you may not be aware of: The Percy family of Northumberland held the manor of Staple Fitzpaine from 1446 to 1531 (Sixsmith: "Staple Fitzpaine and the Forest of Neroche", pub. 1958). The tower of St. Peter's Church at S.F. is decorated with 8 heraldic gargoyles known locally as "Percy's beasts". These stone gargoyles were built into the tower wall just below the parapet during the rebuilding programme carried out by Henry Percy, 3rd. Earl of Northumberland, after he acquired the manor.

Henry Percy, the 3rd. Earl, got Staple Fitzpaine through his wife Eleanor de Poynings. The Poynings family had held the manor prior to 1446. In that year Robert de Poynings died. His daughter Eleanor was the heir, so Henry Percy "took livery" of the manor. In your letter you say the original Henry Percy ("Hotspur") may not have been the first to use the 3 crescents, from which I deduce that he did use them in his arms. An idea that springs to mind is that perhaps the 3 crescents were taken to Staple Fitzpaine by the 3rd. Earl and they were then incorporated into the Goddard arms; but on reflection this could not have happened because according to Capt. John Goddard the Goddard chevron and crescents date from about 1380, and you tell me that they are probably a good deal older. Since the Percy family took possession of S.F. manor in 1446 clearly the Goddard crescents could not have come from him.

I concede your point that it is "dangerous" (your word) to conclude that the chevron and 3 crescents of the S.F. family necessarily came from Wiltshire. You say they could equally well have come from London, Shropshire or even Holland. Quite so, but the question that interests me is how did it get to Staple Fitzpaine, and Wilts is closer to S.F. than any of the other localities you mention. Still, I shall certainly be more careful in future, and less dogmatic about assuming that John Goddard (Perkin Warbeck's man) came from Wiltshire. You will notice on the pedigree chart enclosed that I leave this question open.

I was puzzled by your statement that the only Goddard family linked back to Wiltshire so far is the Enfield (Herts.) family. Surely you do not include in that statement the U.S. Goddards? And what about Malcolm's (Queensland) line? Do you mean there is no evidence that these are descended from the Wilts Goddards? I was under the impression that Malcolm has a very clear line back to Wiltshire. And the GODDARD BOOK is in no doubt that the U.S. line leads back to Wilts. I think I must have misunderstood you here..

Now here are a few comments on your computer print-out. I notice that most of the entries in the list I sent you are not included, so I take it you have not yet got around to entering them. Or perhaps you intend checking them all out first - if so, good for you but you will have an awful lot of checking to do. Many of the documents referred to are at the PRO in London and the rest are at the SRO in Taunton. It will take you a long time to get them (and a fair amount of money). I can assure you that my list is dependable. I am very careful about my references (my wife says I'm fussy) and the items I couldn't check for myself are obtained from two very reliable researchers, one in London and one in Bristol.

My second point is to do with your first 4 entries. I see that you base those entries on the article in "Notes and Queries for Somerset and Dorset", vol.18, p. 187, 1926. I'm sorry to tell you but that article was incorrectly translated from the Court Roll which is stored at the PRO, Chancery Lane (ref. SC2/200/36). I commissioned a very competent Latin scholar - M.J. Wood of 26 Bina Gardens, London, - to check the translation. Wood was very critical of the NQSD version. He is emphatic that the Court Roll does not mention a son named John Goddard. In fact, it does not mention any John Goddard, so your entries nos. 90011 and 90013 are not correct. (The vol. 17 entry, no. 90013, appears to be wrong - the Court Roll is only covered in vol. 18). The print-out on Robert Goddard is OK, but there is no evidence that his wife Agnes was a HORSEY before marriage. His wife's name was AGNES, but her maiden name is not given. Wood says that the person who translated the NQSD version got mixed up with the following entry, and the only Goddards mentioned in the Court Roll are ROBERT GODDARD and his wife AGNES.

Finally the pedigree chart you have been asking me for - here it is at last. I provided the information, wrote it out as I thought it should be set out, and sent it off to Malcolm in Queensland. Malcolm had kindly offered to put it on computer and print it out for me. He has excellent facilities at work and they have given him permission to use them. I was very pleased with the result. You will notice 2 sheets stuck on at the top, one an explanatory note and the other a drawing of Henry Goddard's will seal (1658). These were added after I got the print from Malcolm so I had no alternative but to stick them on.

I hope you find the chart useful. There are one or two Goddards that are not entered on it, an Amiae Goddard of Curland and her daughter Mary, but I could not find any hint as to where they fitted into the picture so I thought it best to leave them out. And with regard to the birth/death dates with question marks: these would be my own calculated dates, based on the documents in which their names appear and then following up on later documents in which they do not appear, so they are approximate only and not to be taken too seriously.

All best wishes to your good wife and yourself.

Sincerely,

Keith

WEST INDIES

27th November 1995

Dear Keith,

The *Family Tree Magazine* for December 1995 has an entry in the "Can you help" column which might interest you.

"Where can I find the list of the prisoners from Exeter gaol, who took part in the Penruddock Uprising? They were put aboard the ship *John of London* (under Captain John Cole) which left Plymouth in March 1656 (arrived 7 May 1656) and then sold as slaves. [Mrs B. Dye, 1010 Aldwickbury Crescent, Harpenden, Herts AL5 5SS]"

I have told Mrs Dye that I have an article which lists those who were prisoners in Exeter in 1654, but have never seen a list of those who were transported. I know that you wish that I had. Perhaps you would like to contact Mrs Dye yourself and ask if she has any records of the Uprising which mention your ancestor who went to Barbados about this time.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs Julie Goddard

27th November 1995

Dear Mrs Dye,

I have seen your enquiry in the "Can you help" column of the *Family Tree Magazine*.

Captain John Disbrowe sent a letter from Taunton on probably March 28th 1654 beginning

"May it please your Highnesse,

Accordinge to your commands, inclosed is a list of the prisoners in the several countyes and the places, where fgor the present they are secured.... I am forced to keep them for the most part in inns, not having any other places, where is any accommodation for them..." He enclosed a list, headed "Exon, March 22nd 1654". A copy of the names of 136 names, followed by the names of two held in Ilchester, is printed in "Records of the uprising in the West, A.D. 1655", by W.W.Ravenshill Esq., in *The Wiltshire Archaeological and Natural History Magazine*, 1857. I cannot give you a more correct reference as the volume which we have is composed of pages removed from the journal and stuck into a book. Mr Ravenshill refers often to the Thurlowe papers held in the Bodleian Library.

Unfortunately the very long article does not give a list specifically of the prisoners who were transported in 1656. I wish it did because one of our members, Dr Keith Goddard, of 712 Port Hacking Road, Caringbah, New South Wales 2229, Australia, has been trying for many years to discover how his Goddard ancestor got to Barbados around that time.

I can have a photocopy made of the list of the prisoners in 1654 made for you if you would like to send a stamped 9 x 6 envelope.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs Julie Goddard

Australia.

5 December 1995.

Dear Julie,

Thank you for the note informing me of Mrs. Dye's search (Family Tree Magazine). It immediately rang a bell and after scrambling through my files I found what I think Mrs. Dye is looking for. It is a list of convicts transported to Barbados in 1656 on the **John** of London by Captain Cole. I have written Mrs. Dye and sent her the reference:

P.W. Coldham - "The Complete Book of Emigrants 1607 - 1660"
published by The Genealogical Publishing Co. Inc.
of Baltimore, 1988.

She will find the list she is looking for on page 312 and should be able to borrow the book through any good reference library.

I'm afraid Coldham's book does not help with my Goddards. My ancestor Capt. **Nicholas Goddard** went to Barbados from Somerset along with his 3 brothers and 2 sisters in the 1640s. They were certainly in Barbados by 1649 when one of the brothers **William Goddard** made his will. They had no connection with the **John** of London and is not mentioned in the list published by Coldham. Still I thank you for the thought and I'm glad I was able to help Mrs. Dye. I have alerted her to Captain Nicholas Goddard and asked her to let me know if she finds anything on him or his brothers. One never knows.

My wife and I wish you and your husband a happy Christmas and a very good new year.

Sincerely,

Kitt Goddard

WEST INDIES

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C24/665 Pt.2/90

Extracts from: William Latham, Henry Steevens, David Moorehead, Andrew Morrison and divers others, creditors of the Rt. Hon. James, late Earle of Carlisle, pltfs.
vs. The Lady Lucy, Countess-Dowager of Carlisle, James Earle of Carlisle, Sir James Hay, Thomas Paramore, and others, dfts.

This dispute arises from the debts left by the late Earl of Carlisle and is of very great length. Interrogatories of Colonial interest only are extracted.

10. What goods either tobacco, cotton wool or any wares, merchandise or commodities is usually come over, or are expected to come over, to or for the persons trusted by the said Earl from Barbados or any other islands or parts beyond the seas, wherein the said Earl of Carlisle had any estate or interest, and who received the same or disposed of the same, and for what consideration, and what sums of money have been received for the same by the persons trusted or any other person or persons for them or for the said Earl, and what security is given for any monies and to whom and by whom, and when is the same payable or whether if the defendants Sir James or Archibald Hay or either of them, or any other persons by their direction and appointment had and received the said monies or any part thereof, and how much.

Interrogatories 11, 12, further concern tobacco.

14. What yearly profit have the foefees made of the several islands and of what particular islands have they made profit of, and how much of each island, and what yearly rent have they been offered for the said islands and for each of them, and by whom, and when.
23. Was yourself, or who was, or were, Governor or Governors or the persons principally employed in or upon the Islands of Nevis or Barbados or Antigua, and what rent, issues and profits, or what sums of money for fines or forfeitures or otherwise or what other goods, merchandises or commodities did yourself raise or take from the inhabitants of the said Islands for the space of 6 years last past, and for whom were you trustee and employed, whether for the late Earl of Carlisle and since his death for the defendants.

Schedule of the Several and Respective Debts and Sums of Money Due and Owing to the Parties Hereinafter Mentioned by the Rt. Hon. James, late Earle of Carlisle, deceased

William Latham	£ 746. 16. 8.
Henry Steevens	469. 19. 6.
David Moorehead	1046. 6. 7.
Andrew Morrison	1400. 0. 0.
John Gradon, Administrator of Jane Leech	274. 8. 8.
Peter Bennon	323. 2. 0.
Matthew Juniper	73. 0. 0.
William Brasy	57. 6. 0.
Anthony Falstaffe	138. 18. 0.
Lewis Reegent	468. 5. 0.
Richard Allen	300. 0. 9.
Margaret Burkett, Executrix of Roland Burkett	178. 3. 3.
Alexander Ramsay, Doctor of Physic	600. 0. 0.
Ralph Galle	49. 1. 0.
Rebecca Dower, Executrix of her	-- -- --

Richard Pemberton	£ 151. 4. 0.
Alexander Herriott for Philip Jacobsen	172. 0. 0.
John Nunne and Mary his wife	200. 0. 0.
Andrew Burrell	101. 0. 0.
William Edyer	20. 0. 0.
John Meeble	113.19.10.
John Johnston	120. 0. 0.
Paul Parre	901. 8. 7.
Edmund Hillard	47.10. 0.
Francois Burt	531. 6. 2.
Oliver Brown	149. 0. 0.
Robert Austen	449. 6. 0.
David Ramsay	95. 0. 0.
Isabel Lunby	60. 0. 0.
John Leech and Elizabeth his wife	266. 5. 9.
Innocentius Harris and Elizabeth his wife	120.12. 0.
<u>William Goddard</u> , Administrator to Christopher Matthews	381. 0. 0.
Joan Gray, Executrix of Thomas Gray	83.10. 0.
Edmund Eadlyn	52.12. 0.
Isabel Feele	465.12. 0.
Susan Trawell Executrix of William Trawell	72.14. 3.
Susan Powell Executrix of Jeremy Powell	311. 6. 4.
Nathaniel Matthews	110. 0. 0.
John Burghill	18.16. 0.
Henry Wood Executor of Robert Wood	143. 0. 0.
William Hay	631. 0. 0.
John Hull	91.12. 0.
Robert Hooke	12. 0. 0.

ANSWERS

25th January 1641/2

Henry Hawlye of St. Dunstan in the West,
London, Esquire. Aged 37

10. This deponent has spent but a small time in the Caribee Islands since the death of the late Earl and therefore cannot speak much of his own knowledge. Howbeit he knows of one parcel of cotton wools which were brought over to the use of the trustees of the said late Earl which contained between 3 and 7,000 lbs of cotton, and were brought over from Barbados in 1637. He believes that this parcel was received by the trustees out of the ship in which they were brought. He also says that there was 60,000 lbs weight of tobacco or thereabout that were sent from Barbados to Holland to be vended for the use of the said late Earl's trustees, but what prices the same was sold at he has not heard. He believes that there are yearly divers parcels of tobacco and cotton wools sent out of Barbados to this kingdom of England and to other countries for the use and benefit of the said trustees.
14. He has heard that the trustees have been offered £1200 per annum rent for the Island of Barbados alone by one Mr. Maurice Thompson of London, merchant, which offer was made some 2 years since as he has likewise heard, but what yealy profit the trustees have made of Barbados or any of the said other Caribee Islands as by the article is demanded, he does not know.

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Hannah CHURCHILL of ----, / sp. do., 4 yrs., do., Va.

WINDIES

Mathew BISSE of ---- / Thomas TAYLER of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.

William COTHAM of ----, / Nicholas GODDARD of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Bdos.Robert POOLEMAN of ----, taylor / Thomas TANNER of ----, mariner, 4 yrs.,
do., Bdos.

Anthony MATTHEWES of ----, / James BRIDGER of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Va.

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Anne RUSSELL of Bristol, sp. / Thomas FINES of Bristol, mariner, 4 yrs.,
do., Va.Charity BAGGS of Barnstaple / Elizabeth JONES (wife of Peter JONES, mariner),
4 yrs., usual, Bdos.

10 Oct 1660

Elizabeth BAGGS of do. / do., 4 yrs., do., Bdos.

Mary MAINWARING of Chester / Thomas AYLEWORTH (AYLEWARD, of Bristol, surgeon),
4 yrs., usual, Nevis.Mary MAINWARING of Chester, / Afterwards bound to Elizabeth, wife of Peter
JONES, mariner, 4 yrs., £10, Bdos.

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Francis HOWLETT of ---- / Robert SKINNER of ----, 7 yrs., usual, Va.

12 Oct 1660

William REANE of ---- / Thomas FINES of ----, 3 yrs., usual, Va.

William MATHEWES of ---- / Mathew STEEVENS of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.

Thomas AUST of ---- / James MATTS of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.

Sarah GEORGE of Salisbury, Wilts., / John HOPKINS of Bristol, grocer, 4 yrs.,
do., Va.

John PAYNE of Salisbury Wilts. / do., 7 yrs., do., Va.

Anne LUXMORE of Salisbury, Wilts., / do., 7 yrs., do., Va.

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Joan FRANCKLIN of Salisbury, Wilts, / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.

Rebecca FENIX of Salisbury, Wilts., / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.

Elizabeth MUSPRAT of Salisbury, Wilts., / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.

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Margaret WATERMAN of Salisbury, Wilts. / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.

John LUKE of Salisbury, Wilts. / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.

John BISHOP of Salisbury, Wilts. / do., 7 yrs., do., Va.

15 Oct 1660

Richard TALBOTT of ----, carpenter / Francis JONES of ----, mariner, 4 yrs.,
do., Va.John PLOTT of Harrow-on-the-Hill, Middx., carpenter / John KNIGHT of ----,
merchant, 4 yrs., £11 for the first 3 years £13 for the last year
according to the custom of the county, Nevis.

John NICHOLLS of ----, / Richard LUCOCK of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Va.

Edith WEBB of ----, / Teague DANIEL of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Bdos.

William BUCKLAND of ----, yeoman / George MORRIS of ----, mariner, 4 yrs.,
do., Bdos.

Anthony READ of ----, brewer / John CLARKE of ----, mariner, 4 yrs., do., Bdos.

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287 Oct 1660

Simon WYDNALL of ----, yeoman / Robert WEBB of ----, 3 yrs., do., Va.

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Robert PARKER of ----, yeoman / Robert GRIFFIN of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Bdos.

John COLE of Worcester, tailor / Francis HARMAN of ----, planter, 4 yrs.,
do., Bdos.Thomas WELSH of Nuten (Newton), Pembrokeshire / George STOKES of ----,
cooper, 5 yrs., do., Bdos.John FORD of Esterton (?Easterton, Wilts.), joiner / Robert CLEMENTS of ----,
mariner, 3 yrs., do., Bdos.

- John DECENT of ---- / John BODENHAM of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Va., Agreement.
- 471 John ARTHUR of ---- / do., 5 yrs., do., Va., do. (John Arthur, see George KEIRLE Lancaster Co., 29 Jan.1663/4. ^{Aug: 466/7})
- John DALCOTT of ---- / do., 5 yrs., do., Va., do.
- John JONES of ---- / David WARREN of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va., probably Phoenix of Bristol, (E.190/1240/6, 13 Sep.1662).
- John WATKINS of ---- / John BODENHAM of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va. probably Agreement of Va.
- Elizabeth WILLIAMS of ---- / Joseph TUCKER of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
- 398 Isaac WRIGHT of ---- / Thomas GAMER of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Va.
- Anthony GODDART of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Owen DAVIS of ---- / Richard WOOD of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
- 9 Jul 1662 John VINCENT of ---- / William BUTLER of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.,
John Vincent, see Thomas BUTLER W'moreland Co., 24 Mar,1664/5, Aug.432).
- Mary BLACKMAN of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va. See above Aug.432.
- 472 William CYMBER of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va. See above Aug.432.
- Alice SAER of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Timothy BENNET of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va. See above Aug.432.
- Thomas DAY of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Edward HARRIS of ---- / Fortune TWITT of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Mary GUNTUR of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- William HEMING of ---- / Thomas NUCKLE of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
- 399 Walter HODGES of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Margaret DAVIS of ---- / John TENCH of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Va., probably Agreement, E.190/1240/6, 27 Aug.1662.
- Alice MILTON of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- 473 Samuel DALE of ---- / William WHEATLEY of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Robert DALE of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Rachel HIGGS of ---- / Edward CLARKE of ----, 5 yrs., usual, Va.
- 14 Jul 1662 Jane NEWTON of ---- / William TAYLOR of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Va.
- David HAMBLETON of ---- / Benjamin BLINOMAN of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
(^{On David HAMBLETON see Henry Spicert. A. Council Co. S. Apr, 166 Aug. 555})
- John THOMAS of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Elizabeth DAVIS of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Margaret WINTER of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Francis WATLING of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- 400 John PARADISE^{ICE} of ---- / Thomas KNUCKLE of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
- 474 John RICKETTS of ---- / William CAVE of ----, 4 yrs., usual, Va.
- 15 Jul 1662 Mary DOWLE of ---- / Elizabeth ROADES of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Joan ROBERTS of ---- / do., 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Giles PARSONS of ---- / John STONE of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Nicholas HEATH of ---- / Arthur GRAUNT of ----, 4 yrs., do., Va.
- Robert CAWLEY of ---- / Thomas ELBRIDGE of ----, 5 yrs., usual, New England,
?Supply of New England, E.190/1240/6, 29^{Jul}/1662.
- Ralph JENKINS of ---- / Nicholas TOVEY of ----, 5 yrs., usual, Va., probably Elizabeth of Bristol, (E.190/1240/6, 4^{Oct}/1662).
- 16 Jul 1662 John NEWMAN of ---- / George HILL of ----, 3 yrs., do., Va.
- Thomas SIMONS of ---- / do., 3 yrs., do., Va.