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Carolyn Fulghum Schmershal, FFFNA VP for 2005

REUNION NEWS – DATES AND DEADLINE

From Carolyn F. Schmershal and Peggy F. Wood

The 2005 FFFNA Reunion will be in Annapolis, Maryland, July 8 - 10, 2005.

The hotel is the Maryland Historic Inns located at 58 State Circle in Annapolis.

Room rates will be \$115 + 7% lodging tax and 5% Maryland State tax (total about \$130 per night).

Telephone number for making reservations is 800-847-8882.

All guests register on arrival at the Governor Calvert House.

Reservations deadline: no later than May 27th.

Parking at the Hotel (valet parking) is \$ 18 per night. Parking at the city parking garage (about 2 blocks away) is \$8 per night. Parking at the Navy Stadium is \$4 per night.

Additional information on the Historic Inns may be found on the Internet at: www.annapolisinns.com.

Recreation Vehicles, the closest park is the Washington, DC NE KOA, located at 768 Cecil Avenue North, Millersville, MD 21108 This KOA is about 15 miles from the Historic Inns (about25 minutes travel time). Reservations: telephone 410-923-2771 or on the Internet at www.koa.com.

Peggy F. Wood has sent out the Registration Forms. If you did not receive one, please call her at (904) 389-6510. (E-mail: <u>WPegow@aol.com</u>.) REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS JUNE 1, 2005. Peggy must have head counts for meals and events by that time

MAKE RESERVATIONS TO ATTEND THE 2005 FFFNA REUNION BEFORE THE DEADLINES!

Fulgham-Fulghum Family National Association paid dues membership is on the rise. We urge you to join !

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Fulgham-Fulghum Family Facts, a newsletter, is a publication of the Fulgham-Fulghum Family National Association. (FFFNA) The FFFNA is a private, non-profit educational, historical and genealogical research society with a mission to preserve and interpret family history and the achievements of the family. The FFFNA promotes family interaction, stimulates interest in family historical events and genealogy through publications and instructive interaction at exhibits, reunions, with socials, workshops, lectures, and programs. Please address comments and questions concerning FFFF to the Newsletter Editor.

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MAILING YOUR NEWSLETTER

Why Your Newsletter may be Received Late

The Fulgham-Fulghum Family Facts newsletter is printed and mailed in Greenville, NC. It is sent via Presorted, Standard Mail. Our Presorted Standard Mail MUST be delivered by the US Postal Service or returned to Peggy Wood with an address change.

The mailings are handled by the US Postal Service Bulk Mail Centers. There is a Bulk Mail Center (BMC) in each state. The newsletters go to the Mail Center (BMC) Bulk in Greensboro, NC and are separated by state. Then the newsletters are sent to the BMC in your state. The routing from Greenville to Greensboro and thence to your state may be different than the routing for First Class Mail. Once the newsletters reach the BMC in your state, they are separated for distribution to your local address and usually go via the same routing as First Class Mail.

HOWEVER, the First Class Mail in the distribution to your address must be handled first, which often delays the Standard Mail. In addition, the complex routing to BMC's may also delay delivery of Standard Mail.

As an example of the complexity that delays delivery of the Newsletter, your Editor's copy is mailed with the others in Greenville, NC. It then goes to a mail center in Rocky Mount, NC, then to Raleigh, NC and finally to the BMC in Greensboro. After separation by states, my newsletter goes to the Richmond, VA BMC and then to Lynchburg, VA and finally to Danville. At each Post Office it may be delayed due to heavy First Class mail in the system. It often takes three weeks for my copy of the newsletter to reach me in Danville, VA.

Mailing the newsletter First Class Mail would more than double the cost for postage to FFFNA to over \$800/issue. You might remind your mail carrier and Postmaster that Standard Mail MUST be delivered. This is important to do by those receiving First Class Mail from the FFFNA but are not receiving the newsletter.

HELP!

Descendants of James Fulghum

Some of the descendants of James Fulghum (DB ID # 303) and Jane Harrison Fulghum of Georgia changed the spelling their sumame to FulghAm.

Those we know of were Stephen Fagin Fulgh*m and James Edgar Fulah*m. However, we do not know We seek information of others. regarding which others might have switched from the UM to the AM which well as 85 spelling descendants, if any, of those who switched from UM to AM kept the AM spelling and which went back to the UM spelling. We know of both switches and switch backs.

If you are descended from any of James and Jane Fulghum's children and you spell your name FulghAm, please let us know by contacting Robert S. Fulghum, Newsletter Editor. We need to resolve this and have the names in the FFFNA Data Base spelled as they are currently spelled.

The lineage of this James Fulghum is: Capt. Anthony (961) \rightarrow Michael (965) \rightarrow Anthony (974) \rightarrow Anthony (533) \rightarrow John (524) \rightarrow Matthew (295) \rightarrow James (303).

Sons of James and Jane with issue were: James Edgar (335), William Gary (337), Stephen Fagin (339), and Charles Mallary (341). If any of these men were your ancestor, please let us if you spell your sumame FULGHAM.

LINEAGES of PERSONS in NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

Cousin J. Robert Boykin III has suggested that the lineages of people featured in the *FFFF* newsletter be listed with the article. This we will do. We will add the FFFNA Database ID number in parentheses by each name Where the database has no data on the person, we will note that.

J. Robert Boykin is not in FFFNA database. We know his Great great grandmother was Chelly Fulghum (593) and the lineage is: Capt. Anthony (961) \rightarrow Michael (965) \rightarrow Anthony (974) \rightarrow Anthony (533) \rightarrow John (524) \rightarrow Jacob (527) \rightarrow Chelly (593).

NEWS YOU CAN USE

The FFFNA Database

Grant Fulgham, FFFNA Archivist and Historian, reports that the FFFNA database has grown from 15,639 names in 2004 to its current number of 16,393 person records. All of these go onto Gencircles webpage and are available to the family as needed. See the link to our Gencircles webpage on our FFFNA Homepage (see back page for Internet address). There are many family lineages that are incomplete. We encourage every Fulgh*m to check the database. If your lineage is incorrect or incomplete, we urge you to send the new data to Grant Fulgham

MAJOR FULGH*M PAPERS FINDS

During the past year, three major finds of papers, etc relating to the Fulgh^{*}m family have been located. 1) The Mildred Elizabeth Fulghum Rea papers at New Mexico State University, 2) The Dr. Fenton L. Fulgham's papers, and 3) the 1980's letters between Henry Miller and Henry Newton Fulghum at the University of Oregon. These papers represent a wealth of knowledge of the family life, occupations, times and locations in which these Fulgh^{*}ms lived. Some have pictures.

Undoubtedly, there are many other collections about Fulgh*ms in private collections and in libraries. If you know of any such collections, please let Grant Fulgham know about them. Such materials are extremely valuable to historians and genealogists.

Currently, your newsletter editor is arranging and indexing the many letters, papers, genealogical notes of his father, James Hooks Fulghum, who contributed much to Fulgh*m genealogical knowledge in the 1940's to the 1970's.

Family Bible genealogical pages and family history pages are very important documentation for genealogical work. If you know of any such materials, please consider giving them to the Fulgham-Fulghum Museum and Library. Send them or copies to J. Grant Fulgham, 2551 Corte Tela, Camarillo, CA 93010.

Family Stories and Articles for the FFFF Newsletter

Grant Fulgham and your newsletter editor, want to encourage everyone to write family stories as articles for the newsletter. We feel certain there are stories that Fulgh^{*}ms will want to author for the newsletter. Please, only true stories about Fulghams and Fulghums. In addition, we encourage you to write your family lineage such as you see on page 5 by Jim F. Mills.

Later, we wish to research and write articles such things as the involvement of Fulghams in Indian Affairs, connection with the Plymouth Colony, the founding of Isle of Wight County, connections to the early Baptists, the Quakers, to the Civil War, and the Westward Migration. Grant says we have only scratched the surface in documenting our history.

THE ROTHERHAM PLOUGH BY JOSEPH FOLJAMBE

(Submitted by Dan N. Fulghum)



THE ROTHERHAM PLOUGH

Joseph Foljambe was born in Eastwood, Rotherham, South Yorkshire, England.

In the mid 1600s the Dutch attempted to make improvements to ploughs; however a capital improvement in the plough was the invention of the iron mould-board and landside by Joseph Foljambe from Rotherham who built and patented what was described as, the Rotherham Swing Plough, in November, 1730.

While not the first iron plough, it was the first iron plough to have any commercial success, combining a number of technological innovations in its design, and being lighter than traditional ploughs. It remained in use in Britain until the development of the tractor.

It was referred to as a swing plough, because no depth wheel was used, it was constructed from wood. The fittings and coulter were made of iron and the mouldboard and share

In Memoriam

There were no obituaries submitted for this edition of the FFFF Newsletter.

Obituaries are significant items for genealogical research and we urge all readers to submit Fulgh*m obituaries. If no obituary is available, please submit the name of the deceased, names of her/his parents, the birth date, the death date and the place of interment of the deceased. Other information about the life of the deceased will be welcomed.

"We should not approach death with fear and trembling, repenting and weeping over such things that we left undone, or such things that we should not have done. We should rest assured that we have done our best with the gifts and the limitations that were ours, and that our condition in the presence of the Creator will be governed by our record and behavior here. Therefore, let us sing our death song and go out like herces going home" (unknown author)

MAILING LIST

PLEASE HELP PEGGY WOOD TO KEEP THE MAILING LIST UP TO DATE. PLEASE SEND YOUR CHANGED OR UPDATED US POSTAL SERVICE MAILING ADDRESS TO HER:

Peggy F. Wood, 2970 St. John's Avenue #12G, Jacksonville, Florida 32205-8729

ITEMS FOR SALE AT THE REUNION ! Fulgham/Fulghum Golf hats, tee shirts coat-of-arms magnets and flags will be available at the 2005 Reunion.

ROTHERHAM PLOUGH CONTINUED

were covered with an iron plate.

This new design was was more efficient as it was light and economical enough in draught to be drawn by a pair of horses.

Joseph Foljambe's was perhaps the first factory where a plough was produced on a large scale. For over 30 years this design proved very popular and was used extensively up and down the country, as well as abroad. One of these patented Rotherham ploughs was imported and used for some time with satisfaction by George Washington. On becoming worn, his plowrights were unable to repair it , as is shown in an extract Writings of George The from Washington , 1732-1799 in a letter to the merchant, Wakelin Welch of London.

Source : Agriculture of the United States in 1860 : compiled from the original returns of the eighth census, under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior by Joseph C. G. Kennedy. Publication date: 1864.

MATERIALS SUBCOMMITTEE SURVEY FOR MUSEUM/LIBRARY

The Materials subcommittee of the Marketing Committee is continuing the ongoing survey of materials available for gifting to the FFFNA Museum and Library. Following this survey of available materials, an inventory will be conducted to categorize the materials. This will furnish information to help to consider what exhibit facilities will initially be needed in the display area of the building.

The Materials Subcommittee is also interested in knowing the location of other Fulgh*m Family material that will not be available for gifting to the Fulgh*m Museum/Library. Perhaps such materials may be available for short, temporary loans for copying, or copies may be available. If you have or know of such materials in the possession of individuals, libraries, etc., please inform the Subcommittee.

Forms for reporting information to the Subcommittee were included in the March 2004 issue of FFFF. If you no longer have the forms, please send a complete description of the item or material to the subcommittee chairman anytime. The address is:

Robert S. Fulghum 1111 Main Street, Apt 203 Danville, Virginia 24541-2951

Now that the Fulgham-Fulghum Family National Foundation has received tax-exempt status from the US IRS, and the Museum/Library fundraising is now underway, we need to know what items and materials will be donated to the Museum/Library. While we urge you to donate the original items, copies of materials that can not or will not be donated, such as family information from bibles, letters, family stories, photographs, writings and publications are acceptable. We encourage Fulgh*m authors to send copies of their publications and books for inclusion in the Library/Museum. Send these materials to:

Peggy Fulghum Wood 2970 St. Johns Avenue, #12G Jacksonville, FL 32205-8729

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN for THE FULGHAM-FULGHUM FAMILY NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

While membership is not a pre-requisite for being on the FFFNA mailing list and receiving the FULGHAM-FULGHUM FAMILY FACTS newsletter, membership in FFFNA should appeal to Fulgh*ms as a way to show interest and pride in their immediate and extended family.

This spring we are mounting a campaign to build the membership of the Fulgham-Fulghum Family National Association. Our membership usually numbers about 200 to 250 paid memberships. We mail to over 1,500 Fulgh*ms and kin. We would like to double the number of paid memberships in order to help carry on and extend the work of the FFFNA and the new FFFN Foundation.

To determine if you are a paid up, full member of FFFNA, look for an '05 following your name on Please join today! See the back page for more information. the address label.

Luke Fulghum of the Denver Pioneers

Luke Fulghum made two power play goals of the six goals scored by the Denver Pioneers in the first period in the semi-finals of the NCAA hockey title games in Denver's 6 to 2 win over rival Colorado College. Fulghum also had an assist to go with his two power play goals. The defending champions will go on to play North Dakota for the NCAA Hockey Title. (Thanks to Carrie and Ron Fulgham for this article).

Luke's father, Christopher Fulghum, reports that Luke has recently joined the Toronto Mapleleafs' organization and will be playing for their AHL affiliate in 2005-6.



Richard Thomas 2532 → Alexander Andrews 3183 → John Richard 3184 → Christopher Lee 3186 → Christopher Luke Fulghum 6103.

The Fulgham-Fulghum Family Foundation Scholarship

The Fulgham-Fulghum Family National Association has established a tax exempt foundation known as the *Fulgham-Fulghum Family National Foundation* (FFFNF). This Foundation has applied, and has been approved by the Federal IRS, for 501 (c) 3 tax exempt status.

What does this mean?. It means that anyone making a contribution to the Fulgham-Fulghum Family National Foundation can claim a tax exemption for the gift on his or her income tax return. This includes gifts in kind (such as artifacts for the Museum/Library, books, papers, etc. for the Museum/Library) as well as gifts of money.

As one of its activities, the Foundation will offer a new higher education scholarship each year to any applicant, whether or not they are related to the family. Applications are now being accepted for the academic year 2005 – 2006.

The 2005-2006 Scholarship consists of a \$500 cash grant to the successful applicant on a competitive basis among the 2005-2006 applicants. The cash grant is to be used for books, required supplies or academic tuition.

Eligibility includes being accepted to, or current enrollment in, a post-secondary academic or technical training program. Applicants may be high school seniors, or in any level of post-secondary vocational training or at any level of post secondary academic higher education leading to a certification or an academic degree. Need, as well as academic promise, will be considered in making awards. The Committee reserves the right to not offer a scholarship to any applicants. The deadline for applications for 2005 will be July 1, 2005.

Please fill in the application blank on the back of this sheet and submit it along with the other required items specified in the application blank as a single application packet. However, transcripts to be sent directly from your school to the committee can be received separately. Incomplete applications cannot be considered.

The applicants will be notified early in August of the results of the scholarship competition.

The Scholarship Committee consists of The Rev. Peter C. Fulghum of Maryland, O. Thomas Fulghum of Georgia, Carolyn Fulghum of North Carolina, and Dr. Cordell Hatch of Pennsylvania. Application packets should be directed to The Rev. Fulghum at his address:

> Peter C. Fulghum 13007 Still Meadow Road Smithsburg, MD 21783-1322



FULGHAM/FULGHUM NATIONAL FAMILY FOUNDATION

The Fulgham/Fulghum National Family Foundation is offering a \$500.00 scholarship to eligible students who have been accepted to or who are currently attending a post-secondary academic/technical training program. Students may be a high school seniors or at any college or vocational training program leading to a degree or certification. The application deadline is May 15, of each year.

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION

TRANSCRIPT: A current transcript from the school/program you are currently attending or a letter of acceptance from the school/program enrolled.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT: Please provide the following information:

Cost of educational program for one year	\$
Amount you /your family will contribute	\$
Estimate financial aid (loans, grants, scholarships, etc.	\$
Amount needed to fund program	\$

Please provide us with a 150-200 word essay describing your life goals and how your educational choice will help you meet those goals. Tell about yourself. Describe your hobbies, interests, employment/volunteer experience. Describe any community service you have performed and feel is pertinent to your goals. Tell us if you are related to the Fulgham/Fulghum Family and if any are member of the National Association.

There is no obligation to reimburse the scholarship fund. However, as you reach your goals, we hope you will want to assist others through the Family Foundation Scholarship Awards.

NAME

ADDRESS

TELEPHONE (DAY)_____(EVENING)_____

Send completed packet to: Peter Fulghum 13007 Still Meadow Road Smithsburg, MD 21783-1322 (I will pick up where Cousin Robert S. Fulghum, Newsletter Editor, left off with our direct lineal common ancsetor)

MATTHEW FULGHUM (FFFNA DB ID # 295)

The lineage of our family group, William Enoch Fulghum (234) and Mabel Bryan Fulghum (274), parents of my mother, Mary Emma Fulghum (272), who married James Smith Mills, is now thought to be as follows: Captain Anthony Fulgham (961) \rightarrow Michael (965) \rightarrow Anthony (974) \rightarrow Anthony (533) \rightarrow John (524) \rightarrow Matthew (295) \rightarrow John Glenn (207) \rightarrow Joseph Harrison (212) \rightarrow William Enoch (234) \rightarrow Mary Fulghum.(272) This makes my mother a 9th generation progeny of Captain Anthony.

Matthew Fulghum (295) was born ca 1775 in Dobbs (now Wayne) County, NC, the fourth child of John Fulghum (524), ca 1747-1825 and Sarah (Barden) Fulghum, ca 1750-1827. ⁽¹⁾

Matthew married Sarah Dickinson ca 1797 in Wayne County, NC. Sarah Dickinson was from the Fairfield District of South Carolina.⁽²⁾

These are the known children (and who they married) of Matthew and Sarah Fulghum:

 Edna Fulghum (297)
 Ca 1807
 M
 Mr. Rogers

 Jesse Fulghum (?)
 Ca. 1809
 M
 Elizabeth _____

 Elizabeth Fulghum (299)
 Ca. 1812 – 1884
 M
 Howell Meeks
 Ca. 1800 – 187x

Married on 22 Oct 1833, Washington County, GA. Moved to Suwannee County, FL.

John Glenn Fulghum (207), 20 Sep 1814 – 2 Oct 1873 M Elizabeth Duggan Harrison ⁽³⁾ 16 Jun 1814 – 18 Dec 1885 Married on 13 Aug 1836, Washington County, GA. Buried at Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery, Warthen, Washington County, GA.

William Fulghum (300) Ca. 1816 – 1864 M Elizabeth A. Powell Ca. 1820 – 188x Married on 28 Jan 1840, Monroe County, GA. Lt. William Fulghum is believed to be buried at the Confederate Cemetery, Milner, Lamar County, GA. Elizabeth Powell Fulghum is believed to be buried at Monroe County, GA.

Matthew Fulghum (301) Ca. 1818 – 1882 M Penelope G. Harrison ⁽³⁾ 17 Dec 1815 – 28 Aug 1851 ⁽⁴⁾ M second Sarah E. Pilcher Ca. 1841 -

Married Penelope G. Harrison on 25 Feb 1844, Washington County, GA. Married Sarah Pilcher on 27 Dec 1857, Washington County, GA. Believed to be buried at Washington Co., GA.

Jacob D. Fulghum (Sr.)(302) Ca. 1824 - M Pheraba D. Cone Ca. 1818 - Married on 25 Dec 1845, Washington County, GA. Migrated to Texas, and believed to have settled in Seguin, Guadulupe County, TX.

James Fulghum (303) 17 Jan 1825 – 22 Dec 1863 ⁽⁵⁾ M Jane Selina Harrison ⁽³⁾ 20 Sep 1827 – 14 Jan 1864 ⁽⁵⁾ Married on 1 Feb 1846, Washington County, GA. James Fulghum is believed to be buried at some family cemetery. Jane Harrison Fulghum is believed to be buried at Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery (grave unmarked). See Fulgham-Fulghum Family Facts, November 2003, page 7.

- (1) Fulgham Fulghum Foljambe Family History, page 73.
- (2) Furnished compiler by written information left my Grandfather, William Enoch Fulghum.
- (3) Sisters, daughters of Joseph Harrison (1783-1857) and Pheraba Duggan Harrison (1785-1861) both buried at Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery.
- (4) Dates taken from Bible of Miss Mary Harrison located at the home of James H. Hooks, copied by William Enoch Fulghum, my grandfather.
- (5) Dates taken from Obituaries Published by The Christian Index 1822-1879, Overby, 1975, page 80.

Editor's Note: Many thanks to Jim Mills for this article with additional information on Matthew' Fulghum's family. The FFFNA Database has further information, some of which may need corrections. Any corrections and/or additional information on Matthew's children will be appreciated.

The next episode will feature John Glenn Fulghum and his wife Elizabeth Duggan Harrison.

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...to raise funds through the Fuignam-Fuignum Family Foundation for it's worthy causes, including the Foundation contained in Fund, the FFF Market Museum-Archives-building (in which we will maintain and constantly update a comprehensive research library with books, family data sheets, photographs, video tapes & documentation archives), as well as the Foundation research projects and other Foundation associated events & materials.

The North American beginning of our family was in ISLE of WIGHT County, VIRGINIA in ca. 1640. Now we have reunions in many states. Of the 15 national reunions the FFFNA has held since the first in 1985 in Rock Ridge, NC, the last five have been held: 2000 in Jackson, MS; 2001 in Jacksonville, FL; 2002 in Sacramento, CA; 2003 in New Iberia, LA; and 2004 in Savannah, GA

Fulgham-Fulghum Family National Association on the INTERNET: Our homepage URL is: http://homepages.rootsweb.com/~fulghum/web-text-html.htm

One can find links to the FFFNA database in GenCircles and in Rootsweb near the center left of the first page. Click on one of these links to access data and information on your ancestors and lineage. Use only the names of deceased ancestors since data on living persons is blocked for their privacy. For additional help in searching for Fulgh*m ancestors, please contact the Newsletter Editor (address on page 2) or the Family Archivist (address above).



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