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Family Foundation hosts Virtual Meeting



Foundation President Rev. Peter Fulghum opened the meeting with prayer and welcomed all to the historical first virtual meeting! See the minutes from the meeting for more details (pg 3). Peter welcomed everyone to the meeting and opened with prayer.

Scholarship Report from Peter Fulghum Scholarship Committee Chair

Matthew Wilkison of Preston, Maryland, was this year's selection by the scholarship committee to receive a \$1,000 gift toward his tuition.

Each year we have been enabled through family gifts to award a scholarship to a deserving student somewhere in America. This year's trend showed that most applicants applied from the eastern states rather than Midwest as in the past. This year we had 18 requests for mail-out applications via Scholarships.com and link to the Fulgh*m website. By not taking online applications, this mail method gives all applicants a good chance and doesn't overwhelm our small committee. In 2006 application requests were over 600. 2020 forms were received from 15 states: Missouri, Colorado, Ohio, Georgia, Illinois, Minnesota, Maryland, Texas, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, South Carolina, Massachusetts, North Carolina, and Virginia. Fourteen forms were completed out of the 18 sent out.

I am re-designing the application form to make the requirements very clear for 2021. So keep the scholarship in mind and remember Fulgh*ms and those related to Fulgh*ms who are high school seniors can apply, too. Send application requests to:

Peter Fulghum, Chair, Scholarship Committee
13007 Still Meadow Road
Smithsburg, MD 21783.

It is a good thing (however small) Fulgh*ms are doing for education. With our continued gifts, it could be substantial in years to come. Send donations for the Scholarship Fund to

Peggy F. Wood, Treasurer
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Please specify the donations "For Scholarship".

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What happens to your (Fulgh*m) "stuff" after you're gone?

Have you made plans to pass along your family research at the end of your life? You might have Grandma's Bible or Grandpa's WWII medals – what happens to them?

Some of us have children who are interested in family history and genealogy and will be willing to take them, but others have no interest at all. Some of our children might have plenty of storage room and others have very little.

If you are looking for a place to permanently archive your family memorabilia or research, the Fulgham-Fulghum National Family Foundation has storage available at the Library of Virginia in Richmond, VA. We already have items there donated by our members. They will accept your items or your research and catalog it into our Fulgh*m Collection. This is a permanent donation to the Library (you will be giving up your ownership) and will be available for viewing by those doing research into the Fulgh*m Family. Please contact Trenton Hizer at the Library of Virginia if you have items to donate. His contact information is:

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He will ask you to execute a Deed of Gift (to be published in a future newsletter) donating the items to the Library. If the items have an officially appraised monetary value, you can list them for tax deduction purposes. The Library is a 501(c)(3) organization.

So many precious family items have been discarded and years of research has been thrown away through the years. Don't let these valuable resources be lost forever! Discuss this honestly with your heirs and be sure they are aware of this opportunity.

Editor's Note: Thanks to Secretary Carolyn Allwine for researching this.

Fulgham-Fulghum National Family Foundation Minutes

August 29, 2020

The Fulgham-Fulghum National Family Foundation met via Zoom on Saturday, August 29, 2020. Attending were: Peter Fulghum, President; Robert Fulgham, Jr., Vice President; Carolyn Fulghum Allwine, Secretary; Peggy Fulghum Wood, Treasurer; Linda Fulghum Bruggemann, Newsletter Editor; Grant Fulghum, Historian; Tom Fulghum; Carolyn Fulghum Schmersahl, Holly Fulghum Young, Meeting Coordinator; Doug Fulghum, Sr.; and Cynthia McKinnon.

Peter Fulghum, President, opened the meeting with prayer and welcomed all attendees.

Secretary's Report

Motion was made to accept August, 2019 Secretary's Report as published in Issue 93 of the Family Newsletter.

Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report

Motion was made to accept 2020 Treasurer's Report which was sent to all officers via email. Motion passed. Report is attached..

Scholarship Report

This year's scholarship winner is Matthew Wilkison, recent graduate of Colonel Richardson High School in Federalsburg, Maryland. His bio is in Issue 95 of the Family Newsletter. There were 18 requests for applications and 14 completed applications returned from 15 states.

Historian's Report

Grant presented the Historian's Report – attached. He asked if his current method of presenting family facts is acceptable. Several people responded that they enjoy his articles and information. He asked that we let him know what other information would be of interest.

Discussion followed: Since the Library of Virginia serves as central repository for our Fulgh*m Family information, we need to be sure they have all the current Family Newsletters. Robert said he would contact them to find out since he lives in Richmond, where the Library is located. Grant asked everyone to be aware that the information we gather during our lifetimes is sometimes lost at our deaths. He asked that everyone make arrangements for our family history items to be sent to the Library of Virginia Fulgh*m archives for safekeeping. We will contact the Library to find the name of the appropriate person. Carolyn agreed to research this.

Nomination of officers

Robert, as Vice President, has had health issues this year and asked Peter if he would remain as President for one more year. Peter agreed to serve as President for 2020-2021 with Robert serving as President 2021-2022.

Carolyn Fulghum Allwine agreed to serve again as Secretary. Tom Fulghum as asked about taking the Treasurer's position. He agreed to serve as Peggy's assistant and to serve as advisor. Peggy agreed to serve as Treasurer for 2020-2021.

Website Updates

Carolyn Fulghum Schmersahl reported that Scholarships.com and our Rootsweb.com websites are up and running with our current scholarship information.

Discussion followed: Log in information and passwords are currently only known by the persons who operate the websites. In the event, something unfortunate happens to those operators, that information would be difficult, if not impossible, to recover. Decision was made that all log in and password information for Family websites will be sent to the Secretary to be held in confidence for the FFNFF.

Old Business

Discussion was held last year about moving the Family funds to a money market fund to earn more interest. Tom Fulghum reports that because of current conditions, a regular bank account is paying about the same interest as a money market fund. Decision was made to leave the money where it is until financial conditions improve.

Carolyn reported that, in response to the request last year to email newsletters when possible, 140 newsletters were emailed earlier in August with 814 mailed by USPS. After responses from several Family members, 162 newsletters will be mailed next time and 806 sent by USPS. Carolyn will continue to request email addresses in upcoming newsletters.

New Business

Tom asked if we had researched receiving dues payments electronically. He suggested that we might have more money

(Minutes are continued on page 4)



**FULGHAM-FULGHUM NATIONAL FAMILY FOUNDATION
TREASURER REPORT 2020**

CHECKING BALANCE 7/31/19		\$13,612.74
DEPOSIT - DUES	<u>2,550.00</u>	<u>2,550.00</u>
TOTAL		<u>\$16,162.74</u>
<u>EXPENSES CHECKING</u>		
NEWSLETTER	2,070.46	
FLA ANNUAL REPORT	<u>61.25</u>	<u>2,131.71</u>
TOTAL CHECKING BALANCE 7/31/20		<u>\$14,031.03</u>
<u>SCHOLARSHIP FUND BALANCE 7/31/19</u>		\$60,287.95
DEPOSIT		1,390.00
INTEREST	<u>29.27</u>	<u>1,419.27</u>
TOTAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND BALANCE		<u>\$61,707.22</u>
<u>EXPENSES SCHOLARSHIP FUND</u>		
SCHOLARSHIP 2019	1,000.00	
SCHOLARSHIP 2020	<u>1,000.00</u>	<u>2,000.00</u>
TOTAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND 7/31/20		<u>\$59,707.22</u>
CHECKING BALANCE		14,031.03
SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS		<u>59,707.22</u>
TOTAL FUNDS 7/31/20		<u>\$73,738.25</u>

Secretary's Report continued from page 3

come in if we could do this. It was mentioned that there would probably be a fee attached to this method. After some discussion, it was decided that Tom and Carolyn will research this issue.

Peter asked if Dan Fulghum in Texas was still managing the Fulgh*m DNA project. Grant has spoken to Dan and reported that Dan is in poor health and was not actively pursuing this anymore. Robert suggested that we need to ask for a volunteer to work with Dan to manage this project. We will do this through the upcoming issues of the Newsletter.

Doug Fulghum, Sr. introduced himself as an attendee. He is from Fayetteville, NC. Cynthia McKinnon, from Shelby, MI also attended.

The meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Carolyn Fulghum Allwine, Secretary

Also from our Secretary

We want to connect with our Fulgh*m cousins via their preferred method. If you would like to receive the Fulgham-Fulghum Family Facts Newsletter at your email address rather than through US Postal mail, please contact me at cfallwine@gmail.com.



2020 FFFNF HISTORIAN & ARCHIVIST SUMMARY

1. Review of Accomplishments in the Years 2017-19:

BIOGRAPHIES OF OUR ANCIENT ANCESTORS: – At the 2017 Reunion in Greenville, NC, the family historian provided an overview of the ancestral homes and patriarchs of our ancient lineage from the days of the conqueror until Captain Anthony emigrated to Virginia, as shown below. Biographies, beginning with Captain Anthony's, have been provided in FFFNF Newsletters leading up to William, the Elder

GODFREY DE FOLESCHAMPE (ca. 1040-.....) & Ughtred the Saxon Thane at Elton.

SIR RAPHE DE FOLESCHAMPE (ca. 1070-.....) & Ferrers at Duffield Frith.

GEOFFREY DE FOLESCHAMPE (ca. 1105-84) & Musard of staveley.

SIR HENRY FOLJAMBE (ca. 1170-99) & Fitzherbert of Norbury.

SIR JOHN FOLJAMBE (ca. 1190-1252) & the 1st Barons' War (1215-17).

SIR THOMAS FOLJAMBE (ca. 1207-83) & Edmund Crouchback after the 2nd Barons' War (1264-7)

SIR THOMAS FOLJAMBE (CA. 1265-98) & Eyre of Hope.

SIR THOMAS FOLJAMBE (ca. 1279-1310) & Furnival Lord of Hallam.

SIR THOMAS FOLJAMBE (ca. 1284-1330) & Darley of Darley and the ancient entail.

SIR GODFREY FOLJAMBE (ca. 1316-76) & the Duchy of Lancaster & the Hundred Years' War.

RICHARD FOLJAMBE, ESQ. (ca. 1347-1389) & the Hundred Years' War.

WILLIAM FOLJAMBE, the feoffee (ca. 1376-1444) & the family's involvement in the Hundred Years' War.

WILLIAM FOLJAMBE, Esq. the elder (ca. 1410-83) & Ralph, Baron Cromwell.

WILLIAM FOLJAMBE, the younger (ca. 1440-1501) & Sir William Chaworth and Elizabeth Bowett.

WILLIAM FOLJAMBE III (ca, 1463-1534) & Willoughby of Wollaton, Notts.

WILLIAM FOLJAMBE IV (ca. 1490-1548) at the Field of Cloth of Gold, Calais, 1520.

JOHN FOLJAMBE, YEOMAN (ca. 1525-72) armed in "a corselet furnished and a coat of plate" at Weston muster 1569.

CAPTAIN ANTHONY FULGHAM (ca. 1615-69) the original immigrant ancestor of the Fulgh*m family.

2. Planned Actions for the year 2020.

An article providing the biography of William "the feoffee" (ca. 1376-1444) has been submitted to the Newsletter Editor and the first segment is published in the summer 2020 issue. The family Historian is researching the life of Richard Foljambe, Esq. at the present time for a near future article.

3. Maintaining the Family Database:

48,927 PERSON RECORDS – Research into the English origins of our family has identified many previously unknown family members.

ROOTSWEB - The Fulgh*m database on RootsWeb appears to be back on line. Note that records will not show for person records not having a date of death. This is a security measure to protect living persons personal information on-line. Unfortunately, it blocks generational connectivity between family records when a party's death date is missing. It may be necessary to edit our database and enter guestimate death dates for persons over 100 years of age, or some higher age, since 100 might be the new 80-ish.

WILLIAM FOLJAMBE “THE FEOFFEE” (ca. 1377-ca. 1444) (continued)

The 6G GRANDFATHER OF CAPTAIN ANTHONY FULGHAM

By James Grant Fulgham, FFNFF Historian

MILITARY SERVICE & CAREER – Earlier in this work it was stated that between the late 11th and the late 14th centuries the center of Foljambe influence had been the Peak District of Derbyshire. The “seat” of the family’s leader within the Peak District during this 300-year period was Wormhill Manor. This was to change in 1316 with the birth at Wormhill of sir Godfrey Foljambe, the 4th son of Sir Thomas Foljambe (1284-1333) and Alice Darley of Darley Hall, his second wife. Sir Thomas’s will entailed all Foljambe estates then extant first to the senior male heirs of himself and his first wife, and if no male heirs remained from that line, then the estates were entailed to the senior male heirs of himself and his second wife.^{1,2} As the 4th son and of the second wife, and as was the custom of the time, younger gentry sons such as Godfrey could not expect to inherit any of their father’s landed estates and were encouraged to pursue their honors and fortunes as perhaps soldiers, clerics, lawyers, merchants or other occupations for which their talents suited them. As fate would have it, Sir Godfrey’s mother’s ancestral home, Darley Dale, was located only a short distance from Gratton Hamlet, a hamlet within which resided the manor of Sir William Foljambe (1267-1339), the king’s attorney and great-great uncle of Sir Godfrey.^{5,6} There can be but little doubt that Sir Godfrey was a precocious child and warranted special rearing. His exceptional achievements in his adult life bear this out. It is speculated that his parents may have influenced Sir William, his great-great uncle, to tutor and mentor him in the law during his childhood and early manhood. Sir William died at Gratton in ca. 1339 when Sir Godfrey was about 23. Sir Godfrey married Avena Ireland of Hartshorne, Derbyshire in 1342 and they set up housekeeping at Gratton Manor and their first son, Sir Godfrey Jr., was born there. Shortly, Sir Godfrey, Sr., negotiated an agreement with the Duchy of Lancaster for custody of Darley Old Hall in return for the keeping of Peverel’s Castle. Their second and third sons, Thomas, Esq. b. 1345, and Richard, b. 1347 were born at Darley. (Richard became in ca. 1377 the father of the subject of this article, William Foljambe “the feoffee”.) Their 4th and 5th sons, Alfred b. 1349 and Robert b. 1351 were both

born in Tideswell, an ancient Foljambe estate*. Sir Godfrey the elder, served as a man-at-arms under John of Gaunt in the Siege of Rheims in 1359-60 and then in the Siege of Harfleur in 1369. Sir Godfrey died in 1376 and the leadership of the Foljambe family passed to his second eldest son, Thomas Foljambe, Esq., by his 2nd wife, Avena Ireland. The following image is a typical man-at-arms in the Hundred Years’ War (1337-1453.) The Sovereign House of Plantagenet in England fought the French House of Valois from 1337 to 1453 over the right to rule the Kingdom of France. In 1328, the then king of France, Charles IV, died and his closest male relative was Edward III of England. Edward’s mother was the sister of the deceased Charles IV and she immediately claimed the throne for her son, Edward III. The French rejected her claim and settled the succession upon Charles IV’s patrilineal cousin, Philip, Count of Valois. Edward III did not immediately challenge the succession. Unfortunately, since Edward was a threat to his succession, Philip confiscated Edward’s lands in France. By 1337, in response to Philip’s undiplomatic action, Edward revived his claim to the French throne and prepared for war.⁴ Contemporaneously, the Foljambe family began, through building upon its historical good will with the earldom and duchy of Lancaster, expanding its sphere of influence and extending its center eastward from the Derbyshire Peak District to include lands in Nottinghamshire, Lincolnshire, and Yorkshire. Sir Godfrey, Sr. became chief Steward of Lands for Queen Philippa and when her son, John of Gaunt, was made Duke of Lancaster (1362-99), Sir Godfrey rose to Chief Steward for the duchy of Lancaster. As the war grew, Sir Godfrey became a trusted advisor to John of Gaunt and he accompanied him on his military cam-

paigns. Eventually, all military age able bodied Foljambe men were subject to feudal military duties and volunteered to accompany their assigned captain in the king’s campaigns. The following chart documents the Foljambe men mustered as Man-at-Arms in the war’s campaigns during William “the feoffee’s” lifetime. So that the reader may get a perspective of how deeply involved our branch of the Foljambe family was in the war, kinship of each soldier to William the feoffee is shown.

*The five youngest sons of Sir Godfrey Foljambe, Sr. may have all been born at Dublin Castle, Dublin, Ireland, while he was on duty there for King Edward III between 1344-56, and ultimately was made Chief Justice of the King’s Bench in Ireland.



DYAL ARMOURIES

**FOLJAMBE FAMILY MILITARY SERVICE DURING THE HUNDRED YEARS' WAR
(1337-1453)¹⁴**

NAME & RANK (All Were Ranked Man-at-Arms)	KINSHIP TO WILLIAM "THE FEOFFEE"	SERVICE & DATE	CAPTAIN	SOURCE	NOTES
Sir Godfrey Foljambe, Sr., Knt.	Grandfather	Expedition France - 1369	John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster	Letters of Protection	Steward of the Duchy of Lancaster
Sir Godfrey Foljambe, Jr., Knt.	Uncle	Expedition France - 1369	John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster	Letters of Attorney	Died in 1375 before his father.
Robert Foljambe, Esq. Aka, Folyambe	Uncle	Expedition France - 1380	Sir William Windsor	Retinue Roll	Cleric: Rector of Brailsford 1393
John Foljambe, aka, Folejaumbe	3 RD Cousin 3 Times Removed (Presumptive)	Crusade of 1383 – Under Henry Despencer, Bishop of Norwich	Sir John Birmingham, of Warwickshire	Letters of Protection	Pope Urban of Rome Declared a Crusade against Anti-pope Clement of Avignon
Sir Godfrey Foljambe, III, Knt.	1 st Cousin	In Arundel fleet of 53 Ships at Sea in 1388.	Lord Thomas Mowbray, 1 st Duke of Norfolk	Muster Roll – Under Lords Appellant	Grandson of Godfrey, Sr. above.
James Foljambe, Esq.	Half 1 st Cousin	Garrison Roxburgh, Scotland - 1401	Lord Richard Grey of Codnor	Retinue Roll	Scotland Allied w/ France in the 100 Years' War
Edmund Benstede, Esq.	Brother-in-Law	Expedition France - 1415	Sir Thomas Strickland	Agincourt Roll	Strickland bore the King's banner at Agincourt.
Richard Foljambe, Esq.	Son	Expedition France - 1417	Lord John Grey of Codnor – Under Hen. 5, Commander	Muster Roll	Richard served his 1 st cousin Thomas in the Foljambe-Pierrepoint Feud of 1434.
Sir Edward Foljambe, Knt.	Half 2 nd Cousin	Expedition France - 1417	Lord John Grey of Codnor – Under Hen. 5, Commander	Muster Roll	Knighthed 1425. Son of James F. above.
James Foljambe	Brother	Garrison Harfleur – 1418	Thomas Beaufort, 1 st Earl of Dorset (2 nd Creation)	Muster Roll	Cleric: Rector of Fenney Bentley – 1432

Article and citations to be continued in Issue 97

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Reunions

The North America beginning of our family was in ISLE OF WIGHT County, Virginia in ca. 1640. Now we have had reunions in many states. Of the 30 national reunions, the FFFNA held the first in 1985 in Rock Ridge, NC. The last ten gatherings have been held 2006 in Nacogdoches, Texas; 2007 in Williamsburg, VA; 2008 in Raleigh, NC; 2009 at Smith Mountain Lake (Wirtz, VA); 2013 on St. Simon's Island, GA.; 2014 in Callaway Gardens; 2015 in Asheville, , NC, 2016 in Winston-Salem, NC. , and 2017 in Greenville, North Carolina. In 2017 the National Association voted to combine with the Foundation. The Foundation met in August 2018 in Richmond, VA, in August 2019 in Raleigh, NC, and, due to COVID constraints, held a virtual meeting via Zoom in August 2020.

Fulgham-Fulghum National Family Foundation on the INTERNET

Our homepage URL is: <https://sites.rootsweb.com/~fulghum/>

One can find links to the FFNFF database in Rootsweb. Using the Rootsweb links from the family website takes you to the database. If you go to Rootsweb.com directly you will need to enter tree ID 110024 to locate names in the family database. Apparently Rootsweb separates family site trees from the tree database.

Since much of the data on living persons are blocked for their privacy, it is easier to start the search using the names of a deceased ancestor.

For additional help in searching for Fulgham-Fulghum ancestors, please use the steps outlined in FFFF Issue No 82, page 4. Or contact the family Historian or the Family Archivist, GRANT FULGHAM. It is strongly urged that searchers for Fulgham-Fulghum information try to obtain as much information as possible from the Internet sources before contacting the Family Archivists.