

Dear Family and Friends,

Everytime I sit down to do this Newsletter I can't believe how fast another year has gone. 1983 hasn't been much better than 1982 as far as the economy and world situation is concerned and I am sure many would say it has been much worse. Spare time has been at a premium again as I juggled work, family and my second term as Ist Vice President of the B.C. Genealogical Society.

As a Family Society we have seen a steady growth in the number of researchers interested in their Whit(e)lock(e) ancestors. The additions lists for this year reflect this increase. The majority growth this year is due to the terrific efforts of Margaret (James) Cohoe of Kingston, Ontario and Adrienne (Hastie) Campbell of Alice Springs, Australia who put together a survey of all the Whitlock families of Australia. The questionnaire forms and letters being returned to Mrs. Campbell and then passed on the me for cataloguing have been terrific, and I would like at this time to welcome all those of you who have been kind enough to take the time to fill in the questionnaires and add so many details about your section of the family. My only regret is that I have able to connect only a few of the families so far. Thanks also to those of you who helped out with the bain of all Societies - high postal rates.

I have talked each year about the eventual computerization of our files and this year has been very exciting in this regard. For the first time I have actually seen several computer programs that looked worth the work of inputting all those entries. My first goal is still to produce a computerized Marriage Index and I feel we are very close to being able to do this in the near future. Of course once we get started it will take a good year just to get everything we have now onto disk. I did manage to input a few things throughout the year and will list them on my additions sheets so that you can order copies if you are interested. I would appreciate an airmail stamp for each five copies requested. The B.C. Genealogical Society runs a stamp exchange program so airmail stamps from any country can be traded for the Canadian ones I need. (postage coupons are expensive).

One of printouts I did this year was every reference to the name pre-1538. (reproduced in Tom Roach's Whitlock Gleanings Newsletters) Listed in chronological order this four page list gives a mini history of the changes in spelling from 1180 to

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Hair, White Lake, etc. none of which seem very likely to me. I would love to know what the Anglo Saxon meaning of "Quit" or "Wit" and "Loc" or "Lok" was. At a guess I would say there is a good chance it was a physical description ie the "end" of something. This could mean the name springs from more than one source. Any ideas?

The other lists are the charts I have put onto disk so far. They are only the bare bones mainly because of the length of them. As each section is entered I can update and get new copies easily and even merge two sections into one so hope to get more and more of the families onto disk in the coming year. Any one out there with an Apple compatible computer looking for something to do???

Well that is about it for another year. Thanks to all of you who have kept me up to date on your finds over the years. Thanks to Jean Cole for sending me two small extracts relating to the marriage of Elston Whitlock - something I had looked for ten years.

I hope you all have a Merry Christmas and best wishes for a Happy New Year.

Sincerely

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1983 "REF" ADDITIONS

- R 94/2 Photocopy of Emigrants From England "Port of **London**, Feb.1776" by Gerald Fothergill, 1976 re Mr.Willm Whitlock - from Vona Smith
- R 95/2 Will of Solomon Whitlock of **New Brunswick** dated 30th October 1829 from Gerry Gower
- R 96/1 Photocopy of page 403 of Annals of Newtown, in Queens County, **New York** re William Whitlock who marriage Jane Hallett from Laura M. Foltinek
- R 97/8 Will of John Parsons of Farley, **Wilts.** dated 21st January 1806 from Claude Parsons
- R 98/25 Thomas Judd's family Birthday Calendar 1981 from Pam Smith

1983 "X" MISC ADDITIONS

- X 183/2 Extracts from various books about the Whitlocks of **New Brunswick** 1790-1830 from Gerry Gower
- X 184/1 Letter from John R. Whitlock Dd.Nov.7,1982 re burials at Northam, **Devon**
- X 185/2 Research report by Nicholas Humphrey-Smith on family of Henry & Maria (Kampf) Whitlock (M1829)
- X 186/1 Letter from Joan (Whitlock) DeAngeli Dd.Dec.1982 re death of Hervey Frank Whitlock Aug.1981 in Brazil.
- X 187/1 Notes made my May (Whitlock) McSweeney re Brompton Family Vault, St.Pancras Cemetery, **London**
- X 188/1 Notes by May (Whitlock) McSweeney re Henry Whitlock of Turnham Green born 1786? son of Robert Whitlock
- X 189/2 Further notes by May (Whitlock) McSweeney re family of Henry & Maria (Kamph) Whitlock (M1829) from Jill (Shirley) Whitlock
- X 190/1 List of Marriages re family of William & Adelene (Dean) Whitlock from Jean Whitlock
- X 191/1 Piral Co., **Ariz.** school records 1891 re Scott & Henry B. Whitlock sons of Edmund Whitlock Whatcom Co., **Washington** Marriages Mrs.Jeannette Witlock & Joseph Foss July 9,1893 from Valerie Melanson
- X 192/1 W.Whitlock, photographer of Bury St.Edmunds, **Suffolk** - request for information **Ontario** Marriage register re Henrietta Whitlock & William Hart Jul.16,1851 from Valerie Melanson
- X 193/1 **New Brunswick** Vital Statistics 1816-1823 re Priscilla, Solomon, Thomas and William Whitlock - from Valerie Melanson
- X 194/1 Brighton, **Sussex** bapt. 1701&1706 from Valerie Melanson
- X 195/1 Letter From Chris Whitlock Dd.Dec.17,1982 re death of Hervey Frank Whitlock
- X 196/2 Letter from Helen Offer Dd.Dec.2,1982 re Whitelock Metcalfs of **Yorkshire**
- X 197/1 Winchester Ordinations re William Whitelock 1797 - from Valerie Melanson
- X 198/1 Oak Grove Cemetery, Laton, **California** re Jennie Mae Whitlock 1970 - from Valerie Melanson
- X 199/2 Letter from Jean Cole Dd.Feb.21,1983 re Marriage of Elson Whitlock & Margaret Robins at Malmesbury, **Somerset** Dec.27,1700 plus burial of Margaret (Robbins) Whitlocke Dec.3,1708
- X 200/2 Family of Neil & Mary Jean (Graham) Coeur-Barron from Doris Barrett
- X 201/1 Marriage William Whitlock & Mindful A. Anderson Apr.27,1857 Lawrence, **Kansas** - from Valerie Melanson
- X 202/1 **New Mexico** Genealogist, Vol.20 list of Whitlocks in Index from Valerie Melanson
- X 203/1 Bapt. Gagetown, **N.B.** May 31,1786 Harriot d.of John & Ellen Whitlock - from Valerie Melanson
- X 204/1 Family of Chistopher & Grace (Whitlock) Ayre (M.1808) from Sheila (Smale) Pike
- X 205/1 Family of Roger & Elizabeth (Horn) Smale (M.1786) - from Sheila (Smale) Pike
- X 206/2 Family of Ernest William & Elizabeth Florence (??) Whitlock from Harold Whitlock
- X 207/1 Extracts from Bideford [**Devon**] Weekly Gazette re deaths of Thomas Whitlock May 10,1879 and John Henry Whitlock Oct.12,1891 from John R. Whitlock
- X 208/2 Letter from John R. Whitlock Dd.Apr.17,1983 re 1881 census for **Devon** - extracts from registers for Shebbear, Sheepwash, Buckland Filleigh, Black Torrington, Great Torrington [**Devon**]
- X 209/2 Notes from Noel Ross re John Whitlock of Bread St., **London** 1764 - Mrs. Eliza (Kemble) Whitlock - St.Peter's, Cornhill [**London**]
- X 210/3 Notes from the will of William Smale of Frithelstock, **Devon** 1869/1870 from Gwen broad
- X 211/1 Letter from Lottie Hill Dd.Mar.4,1983 re birth of Erin Rebecca Hill Oct.28,1982
- X 212/2 Letter from Jean Cole Dd.Dec.9,1982 re **Wilts** Quarter Sessions 1871 Oliver Whitlock - Assault with intent
- X 213/1 Card from Rex & Noreen Whitlock Dd.Dec.1982 re child star Lee Whitlock
- X 214/1 Card from Bill & Wilma Whitelock Dd.Dec.1982 re birth of Sean Allen Whitelock Mar.30,1982
- X 215/2 Letter from Noel Ross Dd.Sep.11,1981 re Sarah Ann Whitlock b.May.30,1790 married Charles Jarvis Apr.12,1808 **Conn.**
- X 216/2 Letter from Janis Kirby Dd.May 16,1983 re family of Hillary Charles & Eliza Mary Whitlock (M.about 1820)
- X 217/2 1851 Census Stepney re Hillary Whitlock - extracts from **Essex** IGI from Janis Kirby
- X 218/2 **Essex** extracts, Boyd, Wills, Non-conformist registers from Janis Kirby
- X 219/4 Letter from Iola Ebendorf Dd.May 2,1983 re family of Samuel S. Whitlock of Strawberry Point, **Iowa**
- X 220/1 Family of James & Sallie (Ghee) Whitlock (M.1800-1820) from Sandra G. Morgan
- X 221/1 Family of John & Elizabeth I. (Whitlock) Cole from Sandra G. Morgan
- X 222/1 Martha A. Whitlock, Coal Co., **Oklahoma** 1917 Tax Assessment from Valerie Melanson
- X 223/1 Burials St.Mary, Rotherhithe, **Surrey** 1852 from Valerie Melanson
- X 224/1 Letter from Charles Whitlock Rockett Dd.May 24,1983 re Reuben Whitlock of **New Jersey** 1750-1770
- X 225/1 Fern B. Whitlock Feb.6,1907 age 3 Eudora Cemetery, Douglas Co., **Kansas** from Valerie Melanson
- X 226/1 Canadian Census 1871 Dereham, South Oxford [**Ont**] re families of Matthew Whitelock, John Whitelock(2) and George Whitelock from Maureen Hyde
- X 227/1 Family of John Ernest & Selina (Redcliffe) James from Margaret Cohoe
- X 228/1 Family of Sidney & Bessie (Collacott) Redcliffe (M.about 1890) from Margaret Cohoe
- X 229/1 Family of George & Elizabeth (Kase) Whitlock (M.1808) from Charles W. Rockett
- X 230/1 Family of William & Elizabeth (Neel) Whitlock (M.1806) from Charles W. Rockett
- X 231/1 Family of William & Catherine (Benner) Whitlock (M.1830) From Charles W. Rockett
- X 232/1 Family of Abram Benner & Mary P. (Mowry) Whitlock (M.1853) From Charles W. Rockett

- X 233/1 Family of John & Mary (Morris) Whitlock (M.1793) from Charles W. Rockett
- X 234/1 Myrl Whitelock (1905-1950) Ocean View Cemetery, Burnaby, **B.C.** from Valerie Melanson
- X 235/1 Dec.12,1826 **New Brunswick** Royal Gazette loss of H.M.Schooner "Magpie"- drowned : Stephen Whitlock - from Valerie Melanson
- X 236/1 Great Register of Fresno, **Calif.** Thomas Whitlock, carpenter age 56 born **New Jersey; Northampton** Census 1851 - College St. Private Boarding School William Whitlock age 16 from Valerie Melanson
- X 237/1 Kelso, Roxburgh, **Scot.** Parish Reg. 1720-1819 re Andrew Whitelock from David Jackson Toronto [**Ont**] Globe & Mail re marriage of Sarah Whitelocke, eldest d.of late John Whitlocke, Q.C. of Stanhope Place, Hyde Park, **London** & Thomas Harley Roche in Peterboro Nov.29,1856 from Brian Porter
- X 238/1 Family of Peter & Anne (Jeffrey) Whitlock (M.about 1840) from Les Brown
- X 239/2 Letter from Bruce Raffell Dd.Sep.14,1983 re Family of Ethel (Hastie) Raffell
- X 240/2 Letter from Les Brown Dd.Oct.3,1983 re Pitton/Farley, **Wilts.** Marriages 1707-1833
- X 241/1 Family of John & Ann (Light) Whitlock (M.1798) from Les Brown
- X 242/2 Letter from Adrienne Campbell Dd.Aug.31,1983 re Sands Directory of Sydney, **Australia** 1885-89
- X 243/1 Extract from Methuen, Perth, **Scotland** re bapt. of Cecil s.of James Whitlock May 19,1799 from David Jackson