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Dear Peter

Many thanks for the article re Stephen Whitlock in the June Newsletter. I did hear from Janis Kirby, who as you will know gave me many suggestions on possible records to check - all very helpful. I notice you have had a letter from Sue Clives dated 22 July X2017/3 - as she has not actually written to me can you let me have a copy of her letter please? At the moment I am reserving judgement on whether Elizabeth died prior to Stephen's marriage to Sarah Chalk, I would like to explore all available records before assuming this.

* In the past months I have obtained further Whitlock Wills and I am enclosing copies of three which I don't think you have, hopefully not. These, together with those you sent back in April help to prove relationships but as always do not answer all the queries.

I have discovered an Oliver Hugh Whitlock living near Lymington whose father was a Francis Gerald Bulstrode WHITLOCK, born 1906. With names like that I had to find out more! Unfortunately, apart from believing the inclusion of Bulstrode was deliberate as Hugh's grandfather maintained the family are descended from Sir Bulstrode Whitelocke and that Hugh now wears a ring once belonging to his father/grandfather with a crest of an eagle on top of a castle, he knows no more of their family tree. Hugh does have a cousin, Neil, whom I have also contacted but am waiting a reply from him. I have in my notes that Sir James Whitelocke in his book "Liber Famelicus" there is a mention of "the arms of the Whitelocke family being a chevron between three falcons - or, as they are called in one pedigree, three eagles, and the crest, a like a bird rising out of a tower."

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I do have a copy of your file "The Whitlocks of Wokingham, Berks" WHITLOCK/WP11/ File:WHITLOCK.2H January 6 1991 but cannot see any branch that could be that of those mentioned above. The queries are never ending!

I think I need to buy the booklet on the Whitlocks of Wokingham and therefore enclose my payment for this. Perhaps I can arrange to visit Fawley, Bucks, in the not too distant future.

Best Wishes.

Muriel

Muriel Allen

PS: I notice Eddie Gullick has beaten me to it with R1191/3, so only two enclosed, which are Obligations. Can I have copies of R1179/1: R1192/6: R1193/1 and R1199/4 please.