

October 2, 1936.

Captain James Peto Chaplin, Savannah, Georgia.

Dear Captain Chaplin;

Reglying to yours of September 29, 1 am deeply sorry to have to say that is will be impossible for me to undertake any extended search for many weeks, for the reason that 1 am now engaged on some rather difficult Englash research which will require all of my time for a long time, also, 1 have now enough engagements to occupy me for the winter. I am very sorry.

I am wondering if this Chaplin line was originally our Chaplain family, who came first to Virginia very early, thence over into Maryland. I am rather familiar with this line though have not seen any connection with Chaplin data, but so often I find names of families who left Maryland even after the Rev. War whose names became changes, evidently spelled phonetically.

I have looked about for a suggestion, hoping, too, 1 might find some of the name over here. However, on page 337-338 of this handbook of American Genealogy there are quite a number of those living in various parts of S.C. who are listed as researchers.

And certainly this plan for the searches will be much less expensive than employing some one at such great distance as I am. While that is not an item to a great many, it is a fact that the same outlay will make the more complete record. If you do find a drift toward our Chaplain line I may later help somewhat up here.

Again, my regreats, and with best wished for success, 1 am Chiplain, Very sincerely yours,

Chapline & Chapin.

Berish Hall Tall Talet

See also VOL 3, Compendium of American Senealogy: page 467, the line from William Chaplin, to S.C. 1670.

VOL 1v, p 156:

Descent from Hugh Chaplin, buried 1653, had son
Joseph Chaplin, 1646-1705, who had son,
Capt. Jeremiah Chaplin, 1680-1765, father of
Mercy Chaplin who married 1725 Solomon Nelson.....

Some of those who published these records may have fuller accounts which will put you on the long road to success.

B.H.T.

liandbook of American Genealogy, Vol. 2, 1932.

page 200, see k, No. 16:

Judge Max Kidder, Monmouth, Illinois.

Invites correspondence with many families, of given names, and several names listed are, Kidder; Hoisington;

CHAPLIN, and Hammond............

page 216. No. 59:

Rev. Harry Howard Martindale, Box 162, Oxford, Indiana. Compiler of Martindale records, and menealogist-for Martindale family, (and allied families).

Compiling the history of the descendants of William Martindale, Sr., (born in Phila. abt 1730, and moved to Union District, S.C. about 1770.

Wants to correspond with allied families of the Martindale family.....

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I am wondering whether the MARTINANGELE family you want is not the same as the Martindale family? It is so easy for names to just grow different after a branch has left the original group, and grown up in a different environment; we find so much of this that I am suggesting correspondence with the compiler of the Martindale family because in his extended search he may know if they are from the same original stock.

B.H.T.

The Hon: George Bellew, M.V.O.

Somerset Herald of Arms

and

Registrar

The College of Arms Queen Victoria Street London, E.C.4

City 2549

23rd September, 1936.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of enquiry dated 13th September and addressed to Somerset House, has been handed to me.

I regret to say I am unable from your letter definitely to decide the particular line of research you wish to have made, and I would be much obliged if you would kindly advise me further in this matter.

Should you desire to have investigations made in English records with a view to obtaining such genealogical information as has already been registered in the records here of families of the name Chaplin, Peto, and Martinangele, these I should be pleased to have conducted on your behalf. The fee for such enquiries would be one pound in each case.

Yours truly,

Somerset Herald and Registrar.

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James Peto Chaplin Esq., 829, East 39th Street, Savannah, Ga.

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October 27, 1936.

Dear Mr. Chaplin;

Is is with real pleasure 1 express to you appreciation of this copy of your research on the Chaplin-Chaplain family, although 1 note, what appears to be, that only the Tamily which came to Maryland has gained a letter in the name Chaplin.

l shall study it with real interest. If you wish to prove connection with this line it may be i can later send you some of our families; I do know that a descendant of Isaac Chaplin, Em. to Virginia, but running into the Chaplain line of Maryland, has been accepted by the President of the society, "First Families of Virginia". In the History of Western Maryland, by Searf Scharf, pp 1189-1190-1209-1206-1211, show quite a number of our lines.

They were very prominent in the Revolutionary War, and all were prominent citizens.

Perhaps 1 mentioned earlier that in the Compendium of American Genealogy; 1 really refer to the Handbook of genealogists, that Judge Max Kidder lists Mss., offers data on your line, which was compiled by the late Almon Kidder; address Monmouth, lilinois; also that Jennie Starke Mckee, Greensburg, Indiana, offers data. these are found p 200, K 16; and p 212, M 25; p 216, M 59, shows Rev. Harry Howard Mattindale, Box 162, Oxford, Indiana, who wants to correspond with families of this name "or allied families".

I mention this because I beliefe you frMattingele was earlier in the Martindale family; so often a change of location got lines mixed by improper spelling of clerks of the court.

These are merely suggestions. Again thanking you, 1 remain,

Very sincerely yours, Bertha Hall Saltatf.

From

The Hon: George Bellew, M.V.O.

Somerset Herald of Arms

and

Registrar

The College of Arms
Queen Victoria Street
London, E.C.4
City 2549

10th November, 1936.

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter of the 27th October, together with enclosures and Money Order for £1.0.5d.

I have to-day put the Chaplin search in hand and will send you my report at the earliest possible moment.

Yours truly,

Somerset Herald and Registrar.

Capt. James Peto Chaplin, 829, East 39th Street, Savannah, Ga.

From

The Hon: George Bellew, M.V.O.
Somerset Herald of Arms
and
Registrar

The College of Arms Queen Victoria Street London, E.C.4

City 2549

4th February, 1937.

Dear Sir,

Referring to our correspondence, the search you requested me to have made in the Records of the College of Arms has now been completed and I beg to report as follows.

Chaplin who married Mary Calvert has been traced in the genealogical records of the College. It is apparent that in order to establish Isaac's ancestry, it will be necessary to make extensive research in original records, such as Parochial and Testamentary Registers, and these enquiries I should be pleased to conduct on your behalf. It is not possible at this stage to advise you of the exact cost of such research, but from my experience in such matters, I feel you would have to spand about £35. If you wish me to proceed, I would ask you kindly to let me have, say, £15 on account in order to meet the "out-of-pocket" expenses as incurred.

Reverting to the search in the Records of the College of Arms, the Grant of Arms for Chaplin mentioned in your previous letter as having been made in 1593 was, I find, made in 1592 to one John Capelen, xor Chaplin of Stoneham in County Southampton. The Arms then assigned are as follows: "Ermine on a chief indented azure three griffins heads erased or".

Later, in 1668 almost identical Arms, "Ermine on a chief indented vert three griffins heads erased or", were assigned to Francis Chaplyn of London, clothworker, who appears on a pedigree of the family of your name of Blankney and Tathwell, both of Lincoln, as "Sir Francis Chaplin, Knight, Lord Mayor of London, died 1680". According to this pedigree Sir Francis Chaplin's father was Robert Chaplin of Bury St. Edmunds, co. Suffolk, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Francis Asty.

If I can be of further service to you in this matter, please let me know.

Yours truly.

Somerset Herald and Registrar.

Capt. James Peto Chaplin, 829, East 39th Street, Savannah, Ga.



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December 2, 1936

Capt. James Peto Chaplin 1108 East 38th St. Savennah, Georgia

Dear Sir:

We note from your letter of December 1 that you have one of the large 44 caliber Powder and Ball revolvers which we presume is the Dragoon or holster model probably made in the early fifites. But we cannot give you the date of manufacture owing to the destruction of our old records by fire years ago. Regretting that we cannot furnish the information desired we are

Yours very truly,

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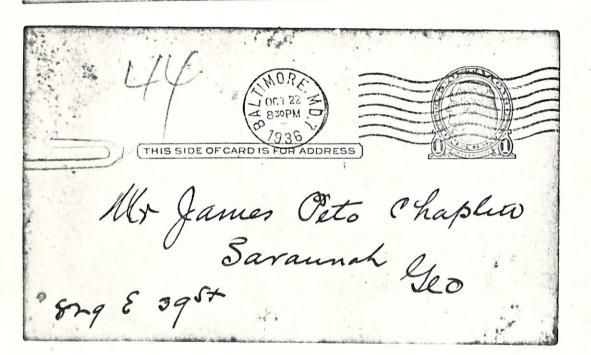






Capt. Jas. Peto Chaplin

1108 East 58th Street,
Savannah. Ga..





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Dear Sir

In reply to your kind letter, the price of each family coat-of-arms in colors, size 9x12 inches, also framed, is \$ 5.00, single or collective. Kindly advise the nationality or province of the arms requested as to look over for the proper branch.

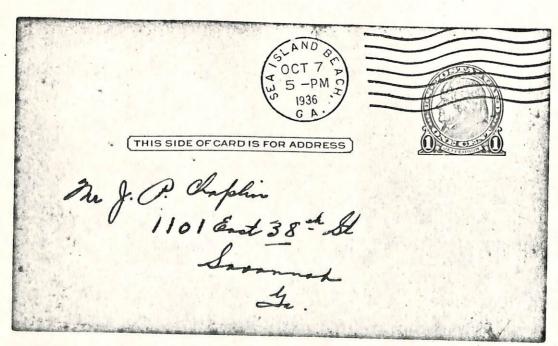
Christo Wost respectfully yours,

Dear Si Balti oct vr Making a personal repey to yours - ang 15-36 There was a low chap him came to md 165k and 1658, as lld was must have gone to Va if 1610 is right 943 Focke Balton &

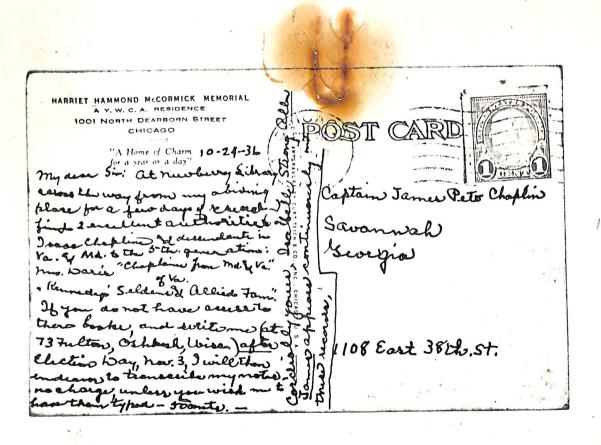
Greensburg Indiana.

Dear Sir: - From my records, I cannot accurately place your John Chaplin b. July 1682, however I do believe he is of the Isaac Chapling descent, whom you mention. If you have not seen the bhok " Chaplines from Haryland and Virginia" by Maria J. Liggett Dare, I advise you to study it. The book is printed by the Franklin Print, Washington and it is in the Library of Congress. If you care to buy the book, I recall two years ago that Goodspeeds Bookshop in Boston Mass. had a few copies for sale at 10.00. expensive, but the book is getting rare. I am descended from Isaac Chaplin, who came to Amer. 1610, then 3 gen. of Williams, Coll Joseph, son Jeremiah who married Plizabeth Nourse and have only that branch and Joseph's descendants. Medule.





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Oct 5-1936 Ou me Chaplia: Harko so much for the lineary you sent I have my chart my chart me so I cont check up with I seach home stant Oct & 3rd I me be delighted to you you may infor matern I have « Could y an ge Olos fel he where to find the coal of dime