

This is a mixed up mess & I should write it
over

Dear, Dear, Robert & Cora:

How did you ever get all this information about Faith Washington? my Great grandmother Elizabeth Pople tried to tell me something about her but I either didn't have sense enough or wasn't interested in her.

Robert I may never get in FTV but believe I'll try -- after we get back from the Huguenot Convention, I shall try to mention it to Miss Frances Parker if I meet her on the London-Paris trip. From what I understand there will be Huguenot descendants from all over the US and Canada. Unless she is one of our group I may not ever see her, apparently we will definitely not all be going over in a group or even on one plane.

I have almost changed my mind about going quite a few times. But won't ever hear me talk about not going, all it will cost her will be meals, she says she will never get a chance like this again and now that the money has gone, she says it will be foolish not to enjoy it all. I hope we'll both enjoy it but

~~them~~, they don't want new members.

Before I try to apply I'll talk with Miss Mabel B. Passard Mrs. Harold A. Moore. I'll also do my best to meet and talk with Miss Frances Parker.

That name sounds familiar but I can't recall why.

I am still working on the Mauldin family history. I started it mostly to find a Revolutionary War ancestor for Sarah Jo and it has "skyrocketed" - I now have 45 typed pages and at least two more family names to contact, at first, the people I knew, sent their whole individual families because I promised to send each family one copy of the information when I completed it. That was the family of William Hamilton Mauldin that settled in Hampton. Then H. G. Dooling gave me the name and address of Mary Frances Mauldin Spearman - she sent her family and the names of several other descendants from other brothers and sisters of the original John and the first Jack. None of the people I knew knew even knew these people were alive or had ever existed. Now I send one complete copy of what I have to each new member I write and more and more information keeps coming. (See p. 5)

4) because none of the names mean anything to me. I know the names from some (some people) and the family connections (filling out the application for DAR was senseless and followed a reasonable line or chain of events. Even following the family history for Betty Ruth was easy. I was born where each one is buried and the Cemetery. At present all of the family names prior to Schum are just names and from your letter F&V members are not interested in new members.

One reason I enjoy DAR is because they do want to increase membership and I keep working on that. It is much more fun if you have someone you know go to meetings with you.

I like living alone pretty well but don't like to travel alone and certainly not at night. Even if I should be accepted as a member, I don't know any other members near.

Don't think, please, that I'm not going to, at least, try and that I don't appreciate all the good information furnished by you. To be truthful I'm a little doubtful but I do plan to try later. Even in view of the fact

5) I almost hope I won't get any more but each time someone sends me a new name they tell me to please send them a copy of what I get.

As you very well know, it can get expensive because I've sent quite a few and I don't know any of the names of people I'm getting. Two people I had never heard of until I started this came to see me and thank me for all the work and information I had given them even tho the persons that had sent me their names said "I hope you have better luck by writing to them than I have had. (enough of that)"

Would Betty Ruth also be eligible for JTV? We had such a hard time getting information on Jasiah but he was also the son of Zsorn (Zshum) and because I knew the history back to them, I traced ever the land from both sides of the family to prove it. You see I really do not know any of the connections of Elizabeth Baker with the Bowlin's - (Bekir) Jordan's) Washington) or Wood (Widd) except what is in the information you have sent me. It is quite well documented but I don't know the people and am not sure I can follow it all the way. Before I begin work on it after I get back from this trip, you & Caro will maybe come up for lunch and bring me a "Puppers Book" for the Library.

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sent and it was - I have a

letter from the IRS wanting \$300

last year or one of the children and one

from the state means they tell me that

is a balance due of \$6000 or another

one of the children - just got them yesterday

but I'm almost certain the 300⁰⁰ fee

was paid - she made copies of the checks

and said there is - tax amount checked on the

we¹⁵ - when you put into history - anyway

she hasn't pay quarterly payments or

5 I was in dept. just before I leave to

state + federal. They take out a big bite

I do want to work on the 7th, more for

Stoke + Ted than for me. I'd not work

you going to anything alone over 12 about

as much enough to be accepted when I

apply.

It is a greater big now and he wants

to belong to everything (he will enter first

about the year and to begin the (about) the

is taking place, there and almost done me

out of my mind until he was accepted in the

Argument basically. I gave him the membership

for the membership for the history. Keeping

3 children in college plus the trips and

to do. don't leave too much after income tax

Hope to see you in November - this year about 7 -

Ernie