

2nd stage

Goldsbrough, Robt.
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Primary:

Proc. C. Deeds

Patents

1783 Inf. Asses.

Oaths of Fid. & Census of 1776

Debt Bks - DO, TA, QA

DO Deeds - some

Probate (for father)

many:

basics

7/22/81 Charlotte Fletcher has pointed out:

Highly unlikely that ROBERT GOLDSBOROUGH (1933-1988)
went to Middle Temple before College of Philadelphia.
Source is Alan's dissertation.

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Goldsborough, Robert of DO

SCOT

E - 25 Nov 1776

Present

5 Feb 1777

16 June 1777

13 Mar '78

39 Oct '78

20 July 79

38 Mar '80

5 Nov. '81

25 April '82

4 Nov. '82

E 17 Sept. 1781

Senate Journals (11/24/1783)

from Senate (U)

RG resigns in May, 1783, but re-elected in Nov. after giving assurance he would attend when health permitted

Linkage:

Hillsborough, Post.

Oaths of Fidelity

RG of DO - 1778 - CA - Minutes of Court 1777-81, p. 30

RG of DO - 1778 - DO - B4 3 f. 37.1, p. 1 [2 items]

Census of 1776

(19) RG, Esq. of DO - Transquakin Hund. - B4 2 f. 6, p. 6  
→ 15 slaves

re: father

(29) 050

Wills DO 1767 35 f. 429-442 CG of DO

dau. - Betty, wife of William Ennalls - lands in DO whereof  
 I have possessed her & where she lately lived, Richardsons Folly,  
Wellesborough, Edmondsons Add., Seavins Folly, pt. Skipton  
 - also as much of the  
 Indian Land which I bought of Joseph Fooks & Jas. Benn & wives,  
 & which Jas. Phillips & wife already conveyed to her & her husband  
 (ie: 1/2) - negroes, cattle, etc.  
 - 1/2 the sterling money  
 I have in Eng.

son - Charles - all lands in DO from E. side of branch where  
 Wm. Edmondson, dec'd. had a water mill up as far as my lands go  
 to Chas. Dickinsons', on Hunting Creek & Choptank River  
 - The sd. branch is to be the boundary bet.  
 Chas. & Betty's lands & they're to hold sd. branch & run of water  
 freely & build a water mill on it  
 - negroes, cattle, etc. on plant. at Hunting Creek  
 where he now dwells

to the eldest dau. of my cozen Elizabeth Campbell, the dau.  
 of my brother John & the wife of Mr. John Campbell - 500a.  
 (DO) which I purch. of the dau. of John Lawton, dec'd.

3 dau.s of my son Robert - Rebecca  
 Sarah  
 Elizabeth } residue of my sterling  
 money in Eng. & all  
 my current money except  
 £50

grandson - Charles, son of my son Charles - 1/2 my lands at  
 Mersley Hope & my lot in Cambridge; residue of Indian  
 Land not devised to my dau. 60a. of land to possess after  
 death of marriage of Mary Mc Keel (who shall own it until then)

Mary Mc Keel, who lives w/ me & hath kept my house divers yrs.  
 - 2 slaves & issue; £50 cm; use of -> a tract purch. of Thos. Howard,  
 use of Stewarts Lott, & use of afid. 60a. - all till death or marriage

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Wills 35 f. 429-442 [con't]

also to Mary Mc Keel - 6 lots where I live in Cambridge & my dwell. house, other houses & garden thereon, while single, & cattle, etc. on sd. plant. ; personally (incl. crops & foodstuffs), 4 slaves, until she marries

mentions his lodgings in Annapolis

grandson John, son of my son Robt. - other moiety of lands at Marshey Hope

grandson Charles <sup>eldest</sup> son of ditto - above, if John d. w/out issue

grandson William, son of ditto - above, if Chas. d. w/out issue  
- all my lands on Transquakin.

(DO)

also to gr'son Chas. - 6 lots in Cambridge, tract purch. of Jas. Howell, & Stewarts Lot after death or marriage of Mary Mc Keel  
- all my other lands on W. side of the main road

exec. son Robert - all my other lands  
my 3 children to divided <sup>residue</sup> of pers. estate after debts are pd.  
these equally <sub>slaves given to Mary Mc Keel until her marriage</sub>

→ no appraisal of my estate ←

each child to pay a proportional pt. of my debts, which are very few

signed: 2/18 / 1766

probated: 7/28 / 1767

NAME: John-merch, Robert

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Reference

21 6.41  
RG, Esq.  
21 6.37

216.48  
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21 648-9  
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|     | code! |            |
| ✓ - |       | non-patent |
| X - |       | patent     |
| o - |       | purchased  |

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1783 Ant. Ores. - DO

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NAME: Robertson, R. B.

SOURCE: Lower Pitt. Land, P. 8

| NAME OF LAND                     | No. ACRES | VALUE | SURVEY RE-SURVEY OR ESCHEAT | NAME OF ORIGINAL SURVEY | SITUATE  | GENERAL QUALITY SOIL | IMPROVEMENTS | QUANTITY OF ARABLE, WOOD, MEADOW LAND |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|----------|----------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|
| Hompson & Tuma (150)             | 295       | 150   |                             |                         | inland;  | poor clay            | —            | 50-A<br>245-W                         |
| Buck Island (21)                 |           |       |                             |                         |          |                      |              |                                       |
| Out Let (34)                     |           |       |                             |                         |          |                      |              |                                       |
| Bathelme's<br>T. Tuma (88)       | 121       | 100   |                             |                         | in       | in                   | —            | 121-W                                 |
| (144 to Hopper's<br>T. Tuma (46) |           |       |                             |                         |          |                      |              |                                       |
| Hopkins Island (50)              |           |       |                             |                         |          |                      |              |                                       |
| 2 High 6 mws<br>soil (25)        |           |       |                             |                         |          |                      |              |                                       |
| Hopkins Island                   | 500       | 150   |                             |                         | on water | marsh                | —            | 500-W                                 |
|                                  |           | 3365  |                             |                         |          |                      |              |                                       |

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1783 Jan. 2000 - 50 [General]

080

NAME: Deborah, Post

SOURCE: General Dist., P. 4; Middle Dist., P. 6

| REFERENCE                             | No. ACRES | VALUE | SLAVES                      |       |                      |       |             |       |               |       |                                    |       | PLATE              |                                | HORSES    | CATTLE          | VALUE        | VALUE OF OTHER PROPERTY | TOTAL AMOUNT | ASSESSMENT | <del>WHITE</del> <i>all white</i><br><del>ALL SPECIES</del> <i>in</i> | No. WHITE INHABITANTS |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|-------------|-------|---------------|-------|------------------------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                                       |           |       | MALES + FEMALES UNDER AGE 8 | VALUE | MALES + FEMALES 8-14 | VALUE | MALES 14-45 | VALUE | FEMALES 14-36 | VALUE | MALES ABOVE 45<br>FEMALES ABOVE 36 | VALUE | OUNCES             | VALUE                          |           |                 |              |                         |              |            |                                                                       |                       |
| <i>General Dist.</i><br>P. 4<br>[RG]: | 3365      | 2600  | 6                           | 51    | 4                    | 100   | 6           | 420   | 2             | 120   | 4                                  | 140   | —                  | 15                             | →<br>53 → | 76<br>80        | 63           | 3649                    | 45.12.<br>3  | —          | —                                                                     |                       |
| <i>Middle Dist.</i><br>P. 6<br>[RG]:  | 5266      | 7365  | 21                          | 168   | 21                   | 485   | 23          | 1610  | 16            | 960   | 20                                 | 403   | 376<br>156<br>13.4 | 53<br>→<br>530<br>149 →<br>220 | 525       | 12,419.13.<br>4 | 155.<br>4.11 | 40<br>9                 | —            | —          |                                                                       |                       |
| do. for<br>Over Howell                |           |       | 4                           | 32    | 2                    | 50    |             |       |               |       | 1                                  | 58    |                    |                                |           |                 | 140          | 1.15.0                  | —            | —          |                                                                       |                       |
| <u>Te</u> : <u>8631</u>               |           |       |                             |       |                      |       |             |       |               |       |                                    |       |                    |                                |           |                 |              |                         |              |            |                                                                       |                       |

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all ~~STATE~~ infirm negroes

1783 Ant Acres. - Do

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NAME: Waldenough, Polt.

SOURCE: Middle Dist., Land, P. 7

| NAME OF LAND                      | No. Acres | VALUE | SURVEY RE-SURVEY OR ESCHEAT | NAME OF ORIGINAL SURVEY | SITUATE        | GENERAL QUALITY SOIL | IMPROVEMENTS                                                                                                                                           | QUANTITY OF ARABLE, WOOD, & MEADOW LAND |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| [RG]:                             |           |       |                             |                         |                |                      |                                                                                                                                                        |                                         |
| Howes                             | 1020      | 2580  |                             |                         | Great Choptank | R. clay              | 1 good brick dnd. house, 1 kitchen, 1 coal house & stable, 10 negro quarters, 1 stables house, 3 tobacco houses, 1 barn, 2 corn houses, 1 apple house, | 400-A<br>620-W                          |
| Stevens Regulation                | 30        | 40    |                             |                         | "              | clay                 | 1 bog dnd. house, 2 negro quarters, 2 tobacco houses, 1 corn house                                                                                     | 30-A                                    |
| Buckley Part                      | 100       | 100   |                             |                         | "              | "                    | —                                                                                                                                                      | 100-W                                   |
| Seigler, Ft. Hopkote, & Ft. S — s | 112       | 190   |                             |                         | Great Choptank | clay                 | 1 taverners house, 2 negro quarters, 1 tobacco house, 1 stable & corn house                                                                            | 60-A<br>52-W                            |
| Woolfords Anterior                | 100       | 120   |                             |                         | "              | "                    | 1 dnd. house, 1 am. bog house                                                                                                                          | 40-A<br>60-W                            |
| Emmells Duke                      | 51        | 40    |                             |                         | "              | "                    | —                                                                                                                                                      | 51-A                                    |
| Cotmons Swamp                     | 65        | 48.15 |                             |                         | "              | "                    | —                                                                                                                                                      | 65-W                                    |
| Waldenough's Out Port             | 268       | 201   |                             |                         | inland         | "                    | —                                                                                                                                                      | 268-W                                   |

1783 504 Acres. - D0

080

NAME: Producersburg, Pa.

SOURCE: Middle Dist., Land, p. 7

| NAME OF LAND                             | No. ACRES | VALUE  | SURVEY RE-SURVEY OR ESCHEAT | NAME OF ORIGINAL SURVEY | SITUATE       | GENERAL QUALITY SOIL | IMPROVEMENTS                                                                               | QUANTITY OF ARABLE, WOOD, & MEADOW LAND |
|------------------------------------------|-----------|--------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Stewart's lot                            | 126       | 96.10  |                             |                         | inland        | —                    | —                                                                                          | 126-10                                  |
| Housells Regulation (pt.)                | 80        | 120    |                             |                         | Mr. Cambridge | clay                 | 1 frame dnd, house, 1 kitchen 2 out houses                                                 | 40-A<br>40-10                           |
| Jarvis Chance                            | 379 1/2   | 474    |                             |                         | Blackwater    | —                    | —                                                                                          | 40-A<br>333 1/2-10                      |
| Woolfords Plains                         | 21        | 15.15  |                             |                         | —             | —                    | —                                                                                          | 21-10                                   |
| Stewart's Chance                         | 50        | 37.10  |                             |                         | —             | —                    | —                                                                                          | 50-10                                   |
| Woolfords Add                            | 62 1/2    | 47     |                             |                         | —             | —                    | —                                                                                          | 62 1/2-10                               |
| Canterbury                               | 370       | 550    |                             |                         | Transquakin   | clay                 | —                                                                                          | 50-A<br>320-10                          |
| Canterbury Add. (20)                     | 192       | 102.10 |                             |                         | —             | —                    | —                                                                                          | 192-10                                  |
| Chance (10)                              | 192       | 102.10 |                             |                         | —             | —                    | —                                                                                          | —                                       |
| Canterbury Meadows (166)                 | 192       | 102.10 |                             |                         | —             | —                    | —                                                                                          | —                                       |
| Linkwood pt. or Bonithdonald's Range pt. | 182       | 400    |                             |                         | —             | clay                 | 1 frame dnd, house, 1 barnhouse, 2 quarters, 2 houses, 2 corn houses, 1 granary, 1 orchard | 100-A<br>82-10                          |
| Emmells Wood                             | 1715      | 1200   |                             |                         | inland        | —                    | —                                                                                          | 1715-10                                 |

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NAME: Pollorenau, Peter

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| NAME OF LAND               | No. ACRES | VALUE | SURVEY RE-SURVEY OR ESCHEAT | NAME OF ORIGINAL SURVEY | SITUATE       | GENERAL QUALITY SOIL | IMPROVEMENTS                                                         | QUANTITY OF ARABLE, WOOD, & MEADOW LAND |
|----------------------------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Bolsang<br>Emangement      | 136       | 102   |                             |                         | Brick burning | —                    | —                                                                    | 136-00                                  |
| Saufois District<br>(P.T.) | 54        | 39    |                             |                         | Shanquakin    | —                    | —                                                                    | 54-00                                   |
| Out Range                  | 148       | 111   |                             |                         | —             | —                    | —                                                                    | 148-00                                  |
| Le bolls in<br>concession  | 4         | 750   |                             |                         | Dr. Creptank  | clay                 | 1 frame dnd, houses, 1<br>kitchen & garden, 8 out<br>houses & garden | 4-A                                     |
|                            | 5406      |       |                             |                         |               |                      |                                                                      |                                         |

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Prov. Ct. Deeds

DD # 4 f. 103-4

6/4/1766

(15) RG of DO, one of the attornies of our [Said Prop.]  
Prov. Ct. in Md., Esq. - nominated as Attorney General & Prosecutor  
of our Suits, Pleas & Actions in Md.

DD # 5 f. 312-13

4/29/1772

Johm Hall, Esq. of AN To RG of DO, attny-at-law  
Hall demanded, w. RG, in Prov. Ct., a tract "Home" (DO)  
- 1020 a. Stevens Regulation of John's Creek, & Willoughby's Regd  
(DO) (beginning) - 246 a.  
Hall (for 5 sh.) quits claim to use & behoof of RG

## Patents

- X 1769 TA Holdborough's Reserve - 42 a. unpat. cert. # 122
- X 1766 TA Holdborough's Choice - 100 1/2 a. unpat cert # 120
- (23) 1762 DO John's Desire - 185 a. BC+GS # 16 f. 49-51  
(cert. in name of John Stevens - BC+GS # 14 f 523)  
RG, Esq.
- 1768 DO Lee Grand - 304 1/2 a. BC+GS # 31 f 483  
RG of DO (Lecheated land)
- 1769 DO Town Point - 15 a. BC+GS # 35 f 117  
RG, Esq., Jr. of DO
- 1774 DO Add to Storakes Adventure - 34 a. BC+GS # 46 f 300  
RG, Esq. of DO
- 1783 DO Woolfords Add. - 75 a. IC # A f 151  
(cert. - Levin Woolford - BC+GS # 50 f 415)  
RG, Esq. of DO
- 1784 DO Fair Field - 599 1/4 a. IC # A f 322  
RG, Esq. of DO - resurv. of Levins Chance, Stevens Chance, Woolfords  
Plain, & Woolford's Add. → now 530 1/2 a. + 68 3/4 a. vacant land
- X 1784 DO Seveston - 569 1/2 unpat cert # 1219

## Patents

1785 DO Clifton - 478  $\frac{3}{4}$  a.

IC# A / 559

RG, Ex. of DO - resurv. pt. Clifton, pt. Hogg-hole, pt. Busby, pt. Sewell's  
 choice, Woolfords Interest, Ennalls Luck, pt. Cotmans Swamp → now th.  
 440 a. + 38  $\frac{3}{4}$  a. vacant land

1788 DO Hayland - 938  $\frac{1}{2}$  a.

IC# C / 690

RG, Ex. of DO (in 1783) - resurv. Stokes's Adventure, Stokes' Lot, Add. to Stokes'  
 Adventure, Gerrard's Desire, pt. Peter's Adventure - 841 a. + 97  $\frac{1}{2}$  a. vacant land  
 (12/18/1783)

1788 DO Bellfield - 888  $\frac{3}{4}$  a.

IC# C / 636

RG of DO, Ex. - resurv. <sup>in 1784</sup> pt. Howells Regulation, Holdsborough's Out Lot,  
 Stewarts Lot, Cambridge Forest, Lee Grand, pt. Ennalls Out Range + 4 a. vacant  
 (11/19/1788) land

1792 DO Retaliation - 220 a.

cert. IC# F / 728

(pat. to Wm. Holdsborough - IC# G / 147)

Do Deeds

Old 19 f. 200 5/2/1764

RG of DO, Sheriff

f. 390 11/24/1764

Charles G. of DO, Gent. To Robt. G. - Betty's  
Enlargement - 136 a. (for £136 cm)

Old 20 f. 117 6/11/1765

RG of DO, Gent. To Chas. G. of DO, Gent. - Betty's  
Enlargement - 136 a. (for £136 cm)

2NH f. 26 7/15/1782

Mat. Manning & wife To RG of DO - (in consid. of lands  
conveyed to Manning by RG & wife Sarah) - Littleworth - 50a.,  
Stevens Chance - 50a., Lewins Chance - 385a., Poplar Plains,  
Woolfords Plains, & Woolfords Odd. & other lands conveyed to  
Manning by Jas. Woolford on 7/12/1782

f. 29 7/15/1782

RG of DO & wife Sarah To Mat. Manning - (in consid.  
of lands conveyed to RG by Manning) - Saw Bof, Mannings  
Choice, Mannings Beginning, etc. Margarets Fancy & Pokety,  
heretofore conveyed by John Manning & wife Eliza To RG on  
2/13/1770 also pt. Margarets Fancy (from Stephen Gary  
Warner to RG on 3/8/1770) & pt. Devors Choice (from Thos. &  
John McKeel to M. Robt)

f. 150 5/10/1783

RG of DO, atty at law & wife Sarah To Charles  
G. their son - RG's late dwell. plant. at Horns Point &  
a tract called "Home" - 1020 a. Stevens Regul. of Solms  
Creek & Willoughby Reglet - 246 a. [in exchange for lands in f. 152]

f. 152 5/10/1783

Chas. G. of DO To his father RG of DO, atty at law -  
6 lots in Cambridge devised To Chas. by his grandfather Chas., dec'd,  
where afd. Robt. now lives, 100 a., Busby, also

Do Deeds

2 NA f. 152 [con't]

lands on road from Cambridge to late dwell. plant. of John Stewart, dec'd. devised to sd. Chas. by his grandfather Chas.

f. 341

5/10/1784

Hustavus Scott, Esq. of DO, attny. at law to RG of DO, attny. at law - pt. Ennalls Out Range - Ta.

f. 497

6/11/1782 - 3/11/1784

commis. to perpetuate bounds of RG's land 'Lee Grand'

f. 504

6/11/1782 - 3/10/1784

commis. to perpetuate bounds of RG's lands, Littleworth, Stevens Chance, Lewis Chance, Poplar Plains, Woolfords Plains, & Woolfords Add.

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Hodderough, Port.  
DO

Civil Office Index

Civil List (1777-1800): #4013 f. 189a. - DO Judge, Ct. of Appeals, for Ind  
Asses. - (4/22/1786) - appt'd.

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GOLDSBOROUGH, ROBERT  
DO

DO, Great Choptank Parish Vestry Minutes 1788-1886, (12288)

P. 1 - discharged from vestry (1788), reelected same day

P. 11 - declines (1788)

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Holdsborough, Polt.  
No

MHM, 1915, pp. 100-9 "Hon. Robt. C. Holdsborough (1733-88)"  
b. in Cambridge, 12/3/1733 - d. 12/22/1788  
educated 1<sup>st</sup> in Amer., then went to Eng., when  
c. 20 yrs. old, studied law in the Temple & became a  
barrister

Son of Char. Holdsborough & 1<sup>st</sup> wife Eliz. Ennalls  
in Eng., m. (3/27/1755) Sarah Yerbury, dau.  
of Richard of Basinghall St., London, & for 4 yrs.  
after his marriage, con'td to live in London

Returned to Md. 7/12/1759 (recorded in Md.  
Bazette) - family consisted of wife & 2 dau. S. Rebecca  
(aged 2) & Sarah (9 mos.); Chas., eldest child, had  
d. shortly bef. family left Eng. (aged 3)

at d. of his father, RG came into possn. of  
"The Point", DO Co.

9/25/1761 - appt'd. High Sheriff of DO & was in  
office till election to lower house for 1765-6 sessn.

6/4/1766 - commis. Atty. Gen. of Md. - resigned  
10/1768 & devoted self to his law practice & care of his  
estates

9/5/1774 - appt'd. to meet at Congress in Phil.,  
as a member from Md. - RG, Esq. - served till 1775

member of "even" Md. Convention <sup>(a moderate)</sup>, though never  
in favor of D. Separation; member of Council of Safety -  
elected 8/14/1775; elected member of State Senate  
1777-81, re-elected, but declined

doesn't seem to have been present at Md.  
Convention of 4/1788, though "Hon R.C., Sen., Esq." of  
DO appears on list of delegates in newspaper

long obit. in Md. Journal (1/16/1789) w/ wrong  
death date; from "Myrtle Grove" Diary or Farm Journal  
of Wm. B. of "Hartlands" (whose bro. Hous. m. RG's eldest

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Goldsborough, P. 20.  
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MHM, 1915, pp. 100-9 (con't)

wife? dau.) - "1787, Tuesday, 1st of May ... at [7:00 AM] ... Mrs. R. Goldsborough of Dorset died, at my brother, H.G.'s House, ..."

"Wednesday, 2d. ... [corps buried in Cambridge Church  
yd.]

"Tuesday 23d Dec., 1788 ... Today I heard of my cousin Robt. Goldsborough's death [of 20 Co.] a Gentleman respected by all good men ... " → d. Mon., 12/22, bet. 8:00 - 9:00 PM; 12/26, RG interred in Cambridge Church yd.

p. 106 - Sarah Yerbury (wife of R. of Middle Temple, Esq. - m. 3/27/1755) - dau. of Rd. Yerbury of London (who d. 1754)  
- sister Rachel m. Thos. Watson  
- brother Richard, married, but no issue  
- her father left a lg. estate

p. 107 - 8-R.G. & Sarah - issue - 9 children:  
eldest living son - 1) Chas. (rec'd. Hom's Pt.) → his dau. Sarah Yerbury d. m. Rev. Chas. d. of "Shoal Creek"

next living son 2) Robt. Esq. (rec'd. The Point) - drowned 2 yrs. later, unmarried, aged 24 (9/5/1790)

other sons → Wm. → ancestor of FR Co. Goldsboroughs  
Richard → " " "Springfield" "  
Mr. Cambridge, The Robinsons of Louisville, etc.  
Howes → no issue

daughters - Sarah → no issue  
Rebecca - (Mrs. Howes Goldsborough)  
Rachel - (Mrs. Horatio Tidout)  
Elinor - (Mrs. James Sykes)

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GOLDSBOROUGH, ROBE  
DO

JT Schaaf, ~~HIST of WMA~~ 2 vols (rep. Pa. 1788) Vol 2, p. 49

elected to St. Ratifica conv. of 1788 to DO

(20)

- I. GOLDSBOROUGH, Robert 1733-1788
- A. Provincial Court April 1760  
(P.C. Judgments, B.T. No.5, f.511)  
  
Dorchester County by November 1772  
(D.C. Court Proceedings, R.S. No.12)  
  
Queen Anne's County March 1760  
(Q.A. Judgments, 1759-1760, no folio).
- B. Born in Maryland in December 1733.<sup>1</sup>
- C. Dorchester County.
- D. Eldest son of Charles GOLDSBOROUGH (see under for details).  
Nephew of William GOLDSBOROUGH (see under for details); cousin  
of Robert GOLDSBOROUGH IV, 1740-1798 (see under for details).
- E. Entered the Middle Temple in December 1752 and called to the  
bar in February 1757. He returned to Maryland in 1759 and  
graduated from the College of Philadelphia in 1760.<sup>2</sup>
- G. Married in March 1755 Sarah, daughter of Richard Yerbury of  
London.<sup>3</sup>
- H. Burgess, Dorchester County, 1765-1766  
1765, 1766 On Committee of Accounts

1765            On Committee to inspect public records

Member, Dorchester County, Annapolis Conventions 1774-1776,  
Sessions 1, 5, 7, 8 and 9

1775-1777      Council of Safety, but did not sit

1776-1781      State Senator

1781-1786      State Senator. Resigned during the fourth  
session. Elected to the fifth session but  
but declined to serve

1774            Member, Continental Congress,<sup>4</sup>

I. Lawyer.<sup>5</sup>

J. 1761-1764      Sheriff, Dorchester County

1766-1768      Attorney General.<sup>6</sup>

K. Had land worth £7,365 in Dorchester County on 1783 Assessment  
List.<sup>7</sup>

L. Wife inherited large estate in Wiltshire and London from  
father. Robert owned at least 5266 acres in Dorchester  
County in 1783.<sup>8</sup>

1. "Hon. Robert Goldsborough, Barrister, 1733-1788", MEM, X  
(1955), 101-109.
2. E. Alfred Jones, American Members of the Inns of Court  
(London: The St. Catherine Press, 1924); Biographical  
Dictionary of the American Congress, 1774-1949 (Washington

D.C., 1950).

3. Jones, American Members of the Inns of Court.
4. Papenfuse et.al., Directory, 38; MA, LIX, 137, 205; ibid., LXI, 18; Biographical Dictionary of the American Congress.
5. MA, XIV, 335.
6. Biographical Dictionary of the American Congress; Owings, 134.
7. Assessment List, 1783, Dorchester County.
8. Ibid.; "Hon. Robert Goldsborough, Barrister, 1733-1788".