

Letters to the Editor

Frank Davis Responds to Michael Marcus

Dear Editor:

It is unfortunate that Mr. Marcus found my article on *Groatsworth* in last year's *The Oxfordian* as "pointless" and saying that "without even seeing it." I can only hope that if he had the courtesy to read the article he might have found some redeeming feature. I would like to point out that the subject of *Groatsworth* has recently involved nearly a hundred responses on this thread on Phaeton.

Indeed, there does seem that many find the topic of extreme importance. I would venture that the most "pointless" issue is denigrating an article that one hasn't read!

Frank M. Davis, M.D.

Oxford and the Avon

Dear Editor:

Are you aware that Oxford's daughter Susan lived in Stratford in Wiltshire, that at the bottom of her garden was the river Avon, and that she was married to Montgomery to whom the First Folio of Shakespeare plays were dedicated, together with his brother, Pembroke, who owned the house they lived in? This helps support the view Oxford may have been involved in writing some of the plays.

Regards,

Ben Alexander Marple

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