

of the family to pay off the accumulated taxes on the estate and assume the title. No one of the name had either the money or the desire to return to Cornwall so the Crown took it over. It is now a part of the Duchy of Cornwall.

I'm not sure Stan knew any of this. Joe didn't have much chance to talk and was, besides, an exceedingly reticent person. There was no one else to tell Stan except me or my sisters Corda, and it just never came up. He might have enjoyed exploring it. I doubt that