

NUCKOLLS NEWS

Official Newsletter of the Nuckolls Worldwide Kindred Society

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The Nuckolls News is published quarterly by the Nuckolls Worldwide Kindred Society for the benefit of our members, and for all who have an interest in the surnames NUCKOLLS/NUCKOLS/NUCHOLS/NUCKLES/KNUCKLES/NUCKOLES/, etc. The Society was formed in 1995 by Sandi Koscak, Adrian Hopkins and Edward Reynolds in an effort to reprint the book "First Virginia Nuckolls and Kindred" by Bertha Nuckolls including an index which was not in the publication. When the cost of reprinting was beyond a budget on a personal level, they decided to form a Society to raise the funds for reprinting the book. We wanted to also include our direct lines to include in the new publication, and the project soon became so popular, that many people contacted me with their lines to also be included. The book which was originally 175 pages then became a major publication with over 1200 pages. We have published the newsletter 4 times yearly since the Society was founded.

Most of the NUCKOLLS families in North America come from either of two origins. One comes from a story from the granddaughter of Nathaniel Nuckolls. "For over three hundred years, there have been Nuckols families in Scotland, so James could have very well been from there. Whatever his roots, James was a yeoman, a man who worked for years to earn the right to a piece of land. A small piece, by the standards of the James River planters, but land of his own, that may still be in the possession of his descendants, some three hundred years later. A letter copied Aug 31, 1957 by Bertha Nuckolls, written by Ann Elizabeth Nuckolls, daughter of Nathaniel Nuckolls, granddaughter of Thomas Nuckolls "his ancestors came from Dunfermline, Scotland, and settled in Virginia.""



Another source appears here: History of Ohio, American Historical Society, Chicago, 1925. Section V pg 302 "While analysis of the surname Nuckols seems to indicate a remote German origin, the American branch of the family traces its lineage to a sturdy Scotchman, who was a substantial shipbuilder in Scotland, where he maintained his home in the City of Glasgow. According to well established family tradition there were nine Nuckols brothers who came from Scotland to America, and their posterity is now scattered about in different states of the union. Investigation made by representatives of later generations of the family all seem to indicate a common ancestor, the Glasgow shipbuilder. " The Ross Co, Ohio biography of James Austin Nuckols proudly attests to the Scottish shipbuilder from Glasgow.

From the chronological history of Scotland we find that 1684 The first trans-Atlantic voyage made by a Clyde ship (The "George") when a vessel sailed from Greenock employed on a special mission to America with 22 persons transported to Carolina for attending conventiclers and 'being disaffected to Government'. In 1719 First Greenock based vessel (built at Crawfurdseyke in 1719) crosses Atlantic. It was part of the Darien expedition, having been fitted out at Cartsdye in 1697. (This expedition was to Panama)

Because our first records of Nuckolls are 1657 York County, 1689 in New Kent Co and 1702 in Hanover, the "Scottish Shipbuilder" would have had to come to America prior to 1657, prior to the time Scotland was able to produce sea-going vessels. See history of Greenock <http://www.greenock-town.co.uk/history.html> and history of Glasgow <http://www.scotland.org/about/innovation-and-creativity/features/education/maritime.html>

Which brings us to the second story handed down by family members that they were all from England.....

Welcome to the Nuckolls Worldwide Kindred Society

Researching Nuckolls, Nuckols, Nuckles, Nuckels, Nuchols, Knuckles, Nuckoles



NUCKOLLS Of England

Legend of the Nuckols Rose

From a self-published book by Frances C Griffin, 1313 Butts Station Road, Chesapeake, VA 23320 entitled "Nuckles of Virginia" "It says by tradition in the Nuckles family that three brothers came from York England. They were merchants. Their names were John, James and William. They came to Jamestown Virginia. They, with the colonists came over and established the first permanent English colony in America....." Further support of this story is found in **THE NEW RIVER FRONTIER SETTLEMENT ON THE VIRGINIA-NORTH CAROLINA BORDER 1760-1820** by Paula Hathaway Anderson-Green* Published in the Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, V86: pgs. 413-431 ,1978.

In Pioneer Settlers, (by Benjamin Floyd Nuckolls), Nuckolls states that according to family tradition three Nuckolls brothers from York, England, came to Jamestown, VA; their descendants spread out in Virginia. From the brother John came a line into Louisa Co., with a John who m. Mary Garland circa 1776. Then circa 1790 John and Mary's family moved from Louisa to New River on Meadow Creek, following a cousin Charles Nuckolls, who came in 1780. Eventually John and Mary returned to Louisa, but several sons remained in the Grayson area, as did descendants (some moved on to TN and KY)

Perhaps there is more romance than truth.

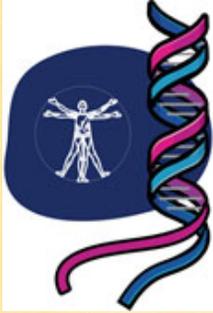
"John Nuckolls married Agatha Bullock in Virginia, perhaps in Dinwiddie County. The Nuckolls family came over from England and settled in Virginia. Their history runs back to 1452, when the "War of the Roses" began. The house of York led one faction and the house of Lancaster the other. They were adherents to the house of York, the emblem of which was the white rose. One family that sided with York in that struggle was named Nuckolls. When the original Nuckolls emigrated to America he brought a bush of that rose with him. Each member of the family kept a bush of this famous rose. When John Nuckolls and his wife Agatha, came to South Carolina, they brought the rose with them and planted it at Whig Hill, near Grindall Shoals. From that plant, their descendants got cuttings or roots, and several members of the family had the white rose until 1860, when sentiment was knocked out of the hearts of many of our people. If the Rose of York is now living, it is at the residence of John D Jeffries, who owns the W T Nuckolls homestead. "Aunt Nancy " Dawkins had the rose until the time of her death, about 1861 or 1862, and T D Littlejohn now owns the famous homestead."

NUCKOLLS COAT OF ARMS

The arms has very interesting meaning. The colors denote truth, justice, peace and virtuous qualities, wisdom and steadfastness. The gold chief of the shield denotes illustrious deeds, elevation of mind, domination, and authority. The three Cornish choughs* are the emblem of long life. It is the king of crows, a carnivorous bird. The silver pales symbolize military strength and fortitude given to those who defend cities, or who had supported his government of their sovereigns by standing up rightly for prince or country. Engrailed signifies on land or earth. In crest, the ear of golden wheat, we find symbolized that the bearer deserves well for his hospitality and it is also an allusion to plenty. *Cornish Chough: is called "the king of crows." "...may betoken the bearer thereof to be a man of stratagems to the disadvantage of his enemies." Might (also) betoken "watchful activity for friends."



Source.... "Pioneer Settlers of Grayson Co, VA" pg 93 and "History of Grindal Shoals" by J B Bailey



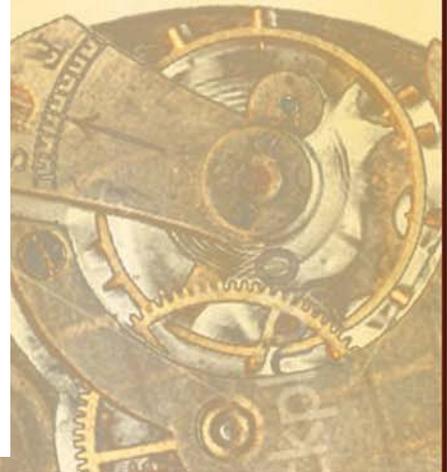
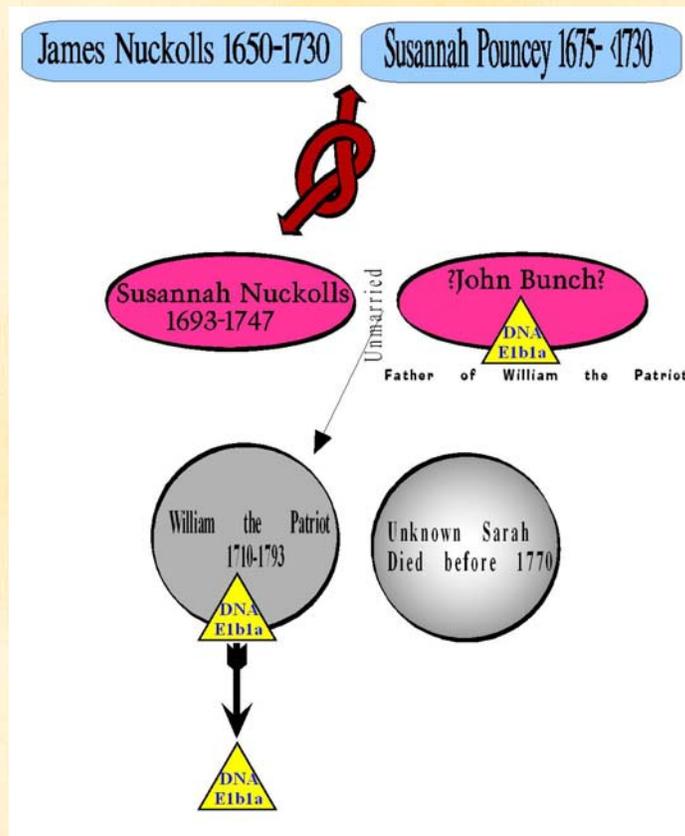
DNA NEWS

The Nuckolls Worldwide Kindred Society began a DNA project 3 years ago in order to try and connect some families who were not documented to be descended from the immigrant ancestor, James Nuckolls who signed the Blissland Complaint in April 1677.

The DNA project began with descendants from the lines of Silvester Nuchols (VA-NC-TN) and John Nuckles of North Carolina. DNA results confirmed they had the same ancestor as recent as 6-8 generations, which made these two most likely brothers having the same father. As of this date, we have not proven their connection, but have a likely candidate in Charles Nuckols who lives in same county of Warren NC on the tax list from 1771—1786. The William Nuckolls in Warren Co, NC in 1715 is the possible father of Charles. William’s date of birth would match with the son William of the immigrant who was born c1768. Although no confirmed documentation, all of these dates and locations seem to have a nice fit.

With other test results, we were able to determine what seems to be a merging line of African American descent. DNA results with Haplogroups of **E1b1a** are of African descent.

Proven the William the Patriot the son of Susannah Pouncey. Susannah the daughter of James Nuckolls. The father of William a likely BUNCH since 36 markers match for DNA. See [Will of James Nuckolls](#) and read Indenture of [William the Patriot](#). Both published in this current newsletter.



Books and Materials Offered by NWK



BOOKS

First Virginia Nuckolls & Kindred by Bertha Nuckolls

Book is out of print, and is not copyrighted, so the Society offers copies of the pages. Bertha Nuckolls died before finishing this book and so it was completed and edited by Sally Stetson Tongren. I assume Sally and husband Hale Nuckolls Tongren are both still living (as of 2008), as I do not find them in the SDDI. This book was printed by Thomas Todd Company in Boston Mass. originally and the dedication reads: Dedication to Benjamin Floyd Nuckolls, Ruth Nuckolls Johnson and Bertha Nuckolls, The historians of the Nuckolls family who believed that "The long toil of the brave is not lost in darkness." 146 pages. \$15.00

First Virginia Nuckolls & Kindred Book II

Over 900 pages and has a hard bound cover. There are also many old family photos. The Book may be ordered from Higginson Books. 148 Washington St, Salem, MA 01970. 978-745-7170. It is now available to be ordered on line at www.higginsonbooks.com.

First Virginia Nuckolls & Kindred Book II Addendum

The Nuckolls Society has added thousands of additional names and many family lines that did not appear in the first published book in 2000. The new book will have the newly discovered connections and many family lines that were not included in the first book. It is about the same size and will include much more research material. We are now collecting payment for the addendum which will cost 79.95 plus 5.00 for media mail shipping.

Kentucky Knuckles

New book provides all of the research and documentation that proved Obediah Nuckles and Overton Knuckles were one and the same person. Includes all of his descendants known today. This book was a limited print and sold out immediately. A recent discount in printing fees made it possible to print 14 additional copies of this book. So if you missed out on the first one, or wish family members to have a copy, now is your chance! \$43.00 Includes shipping and handling.

NOW also can be ordered in spiral bound soft cover for \$29 (\$26 for members), which includes shipping. Over 300 pages

DOCUMENT DVD



Includes hundreds of family photos, tombstones, 1000's of scanned documents, birth, marriage, death certificates, deeds, wills, military documents, and all past newsletters, as well as source documents and letters. Each year we add at least a hundred if not more new documents as they continue to be released. For the contents of this year's 2010 Version 10.0, the list of documents can be viewed at <http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~nuck141/Contents2009.txt>

Members \$5 Non Members \$15.00

ALL Nuckolls Society Books on CD

First Virginia Nuckolls & Kindred by Bertha Nuckolls

First Virginia Nuckolls & Kindred Book II

First Virginia Nuckolls & Kindred Book II Addendum

Kentucky Knuckles- Ancestors & Descendants of Obediah Overton Nuckolls

Pioneer Settlers of Grayson County Virginia by B F Nuckolls

All Society Newsletters 1998-2010

Complete GEDCOM 28643 individuals, 262,000 text note records

All descendants of James Nuckolls, the immigrant, in searchable PDF format.

Nuckolls Society New Web Pages Now User Friendly!!!

<http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~nuck141/>

LETTER FROM THE EDITOR



Well, the tumultuous year is finally over for us. During 2012 we purchased a vacation home, and sold the vacation home. We sold our old home in Montana and bought a new home in New Mexico. We also sold my deceased aunt's home in Arizona. We traveled 4 times last year to New Mexico and two times to Arizona. We moved permanently back to Truth or Consequences, New Mexico. I lost an aunt and an uncle (siblings) within one week of each other. We vacationed in January and again in May and June. Needless to say we did not make our annual trip to Lake Powell, Utah.



The we lost two sets of best friends who moved away. One in Montana, and the other in New Mexico.

So I pray your year was exciting, but not as stressful as ours.

REMINDER: Annual Dues due in the amount of \$15.00 by December 31, 2012 for 2013. Mail to NWK at 608 Sierra Vista Dr,

Truth or Consequences (T or C), NM 87901-1544 \$20.00 includes the newest CD in January

*I wish everyone a very Merry Christmas
from T or C, New Mexico
where the SON always shines.*



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JOIN OR RENEW YOUR NWK MEMBERSHIP

Any of our readers who are not now members of the Nuckolls Worldwide Kindred Society are invited to join us. Benefits of membership include four (4) issues of the NUCKOLLS NEWS each year. You will have the benefit of free research on your family lines, even if they are not related to the Nuckolls. You will be eligible for discounts on all of the books, CD's and materials published by the Society. By submitting at least three (new) documents in a year, you qualify for a discount on your membership. New first-time members may receive our document CD for \$5. Our memberships run from January through December of each year. If renewing or joining in mid-year, please submit pro-rated amounts on the membership form found at: <http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~nuck141/memberapp.html>

Please send your \$15 annual dues to NWK c/o Sandi Koscak, 314 Hope Rd, Helena, MT 59602. Checks can be made payable to NWK or Nuckolls Society. Current members on the postal mailing list have an expiration date on their address labels. New members are requested to submit their direct lineage so contact can be made when I uncover someone from under a rock.

Most all of our newsletters are delivered by an email delivery system that allows attachments. Mark Knuckles was kind enough to provide this free service for the Society. In order to receive your quarterly newsletters without disruption, you need to set your spam filters to receive mail from : NuckollsSociety@EmailList.cc. Each time you renew, you will receive a farewell message immediately followed by a welcome message. This is the system updating the expiration date of your subscription.

If you are not a member of our discussion, group, I encourage you to join. There are 4 lists at rootsweb: NUCKOLS-NUCKOLLS- NUCKLES & KNUCKLES. I am the moderator for all 4, so when I post a message it is sent to all 4 lists. If someone posts a message to the board, I try to intercept it and make sure the other 3 lists receive the contents also. To subscribe send an email with the word "subscribe" in the subject line to: Nuckolls-L-request@rootsweb.com (or) Nuckols-L-request@rootsweb.com (or) Nuckles-L-request@rootsweb.com (or)

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George M Hamp	Lillian Rose Nuckles Semar	
Katie Watts Nuckols	Delight Nuchols Salyer	Virginia Dare Collins Nuckols
Donna kay Benjamin Woolum	Patricia Jean Stinnett Floyd	
Betty Ann Nuckols Mitchell Gibson	Denise Dawn Nuckols	
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Nuckles-Zola Rowena Bailey	Martha Lucille Nuckols	
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Jonas Alfred Nuckolls	Eleanore Elaine Allard Nuckols	Charles R Knuckles
Eula Fay Nuckolls Thompson	Audrey Hobbs Nuckles	
Rose Lee Krewitz Nuckolls	Samuel C Nuckles	James Franklin Nuckols (family line is Nuckolls (2 ll's) of Wythe Co, VA)
Hester Brock Knuckles	Lula Shelton Nuckols	
Carolyn Sue Brock Beverly Mayes	Margurite Nuckols Roderick	
Donna Gail Kelly Knuckles	Hale Nuckolls Tongren	
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Robert Allen Nuckolls	Jeanette Knuckles Horn	
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Peg Altland Nuckles	Adkins Knuckles	
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eva Wilson Knuckles	Margaret Earle Nuckols	
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Bertha Marie Knuckles Brewer	Mary F Mahand Nuckles	
Melvin Orville Brewer	Patsy Lou Stidman Nuckolls	
Tresia M Nuckolls Pearce	Carolyn Tucker Nuckols	
Willie Nuckels Dingus	William Leon Carter	
Martha Underwood Nuckles	David W Nuckles	
Frank D Knuckles	Joseph Edward Nuckles	
James David Knuckles	Mary Katherine Nuchols Nelson	
Dr Robert C Nuckols	Emma Leona Nuckolls Heiser	
Betty Jo Brown Nuckolls Edwards	Eileen Nuckols Craft	

C.D. NUCKOLLS age 60 married Mrs Alice Meekan age 60 Logan Co, Sterling, Colorado 3/6/1926

James M NUCKOLLSs age 43 married Estelle M Creek age 30 Mesa Co, Grand Jct, CO 4/19/1913

Elizabeth Morgan was born 10/28/1870 Sangamon Co, Auburn, IL to Jackson Baker and Eliza Nuckolls. She died 11/26/1942 in Sangamon Co, Divernon, IL. She married Richard Morgan . She is buried in Bush Creek Cemetery Divernon, IL. I am placing her as a child of John Nuckolls, son of James and Jane Swift Nuckolls because of location and elimination of all other families. Need proof. 1900 Sangamon Co has James Hollie Nuckolls in the vicinity and if correct, makes him her step brother.

William Slater was born 1935 and died 3/4/1947 Cook Co, Chicago, IL. He was the son of Ernest Slater born 6/4/1906 died 12/1977 Cook Co and Ila Mae Nuckles born 3/15/1906, d 3/25/1988 . This Ila Mae Nuckles not found 1910-1920-1930. IN 1940 Ernest Slater was negro. Wife was IDA not ILA and she listed also as negro born in Arkansas. Not able to locate her with parents to confirm.

Velma Knuckles born 1921 died 5/2/1946 Cook Co, IL Father Charlie Knuckles, mother Cornelia Johnson

Lydia Knuckles was born 2/1860 in Iowa and died 12/21/1944 in Denver, Co. She is buried at Fairmont Cemetery in Denver Co, divorced at time of death. She married James L Thornton. 6/30/1880 in Jackson Co, Iowa. IN 1900 they lived in Whiteside Co, IL, and 1910-1940 in Colorado. Daughter Minnie was born 3/28/1884 in Maquokota, Iowa. Her husband James is also buried in Fairmont. He born 12/1860 and died 4/1/1944 in Kansas City, divorced at time of death.

Felix Burnette died 1/14/1932 Alpena, Michigan, no age given, son of Luke Burnette and Rebecca Knuckles.

6/6/1896 California Voters Registration Cards, Los Angeles, Pct 55 Ward 7
William Nuckles, age 28, caterer, 5'6", dark compl, dark eyes, dark hair, born Texas, res 316 Azusa Ave.
(I had thought this might be William Duke Nuckols but the age is off by 10 years)

10/21/1896 San Bernardino CA Voters Registration Card
Richard Nuckolls, age 34, 5'10" fair compl, blue eyes, light hair, miner, born Virginia, res, Bagdad

1868 and 1872 Santa Cruz Voters Registration
Joseph Ellis Nuckolls, teamster.

6/1/1959 City Directory Independence, MO
Marshall L Nuckols wife Wilma, cement form setter, res 116 Hedges, Kansas City, MO

Willis Hubert Knuckles born @1944 married Opal Lee Sharp in 1961 Campbell Co, KY (because they both under age). Unable to locate a KY birth record for either, the marriage cert is transcribed on line, but the image is not up yet to find the parents. Willis died 4/14/1998 Whitley Co, Corbin, KY. No grave site located yet. The only clue is a possible brother in a news article in 1975- For having beer in possession for the purpose of sale, fines were levied against Jerry Leatherwood, William Ramsey, Leland Owens, Willis Knuckles, and Frank Knuckles. For driving while under the influence of intoxicating beverages, fined \$126.50

NUCKOLS, Virgilia E 8/31/1859-4/4/1932 buried Riverview Cemetery, Richmond, VA
E W Nuckols died 1903 age 23 buried close to Elias Henry Nuckols...

Remember that I spend hours looking up these records trying to tie these people into the tree by using census, marriage records, death records, and FAG. So it is only after an exhaustive search that I place these in the newsletter. I have so much info on some of the folks, that I have begun to put them into the database without parents so that I can keep track of all of the source documents. Then, whenever connected, it can be done with one "click"

NEW

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Fredwyn Creech Schwendeman, is the granddaughter of Nan Knuckles. Her mother, Lillian Broughton Creech, wrote a Knuckles family history book and finished it shortly before she died. She and I worked together to edit each book that she ever published on the families of SE Kentucky. I expanded this one and edited it after she passed away. Dr. Hildegard Hendrickson, did further editing, published it, and will update additional information as it unfolds for future editions. This book is available only in paperback. After this first edition it will be offered only in CD form. For those desiring paper copies in future years the CD may be used to have additional paper copies made, but the cost will be prohibitive.

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BARREN
COUNTY
KY

WHO

IS THIS ??

In all my years of research I often wonder how any person can avoid the census for 7 or 8 decades, then just pop up out of relatively NOWHERE. Judy Lowe sent me this one and the only single man in Barren County Kentucky who lived a minimum of 70 years was Broaddus Nuckols, also seen as Andrew Brock Nuckols but according to Cemetery records he died 1895, and the 1900 census confirms he not around. So who is this character? Maybe President David Nuckols can help with this since it is his family.

A friend of mine sent me this clipping from the Nashville American ,
issue of 28 Feb 1907. This is a story I'd never heard ...

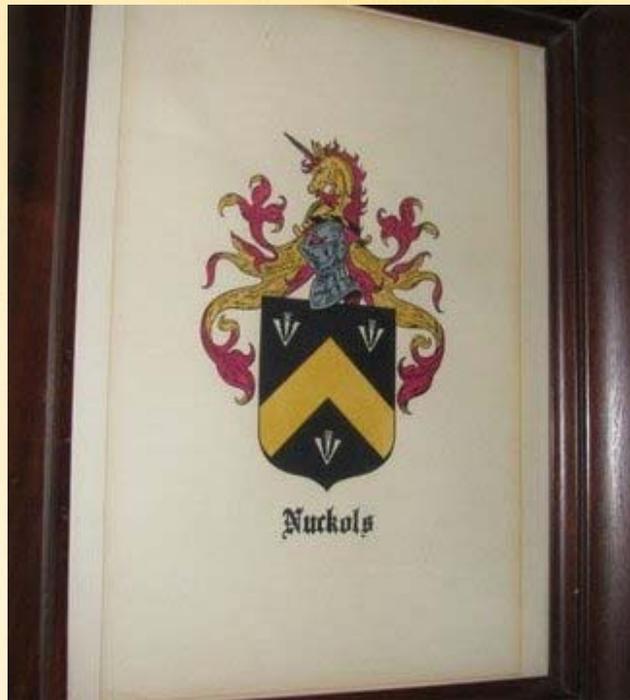
"Death Reveals A Romance. GLASGOW, Ky., Feb. 27 (Special). -

The death of B. K. Nuckols, one of the best known and wealthiest farmers of this county, reveals a touching incident and case of devotion almost without a parallel. The story goes that when in his 20's, Mr. Nuckols was engaged to be married to a young Virginia lady, and the day was set for the wedding. In the meantime the young lady was taken violently ill, and three days before the day she was to be married, died. Mr. Nuckols remained in Virginia for two or three weeks, and on leaving for his home here he was asked by the dead sweetheart's family if there was anything he would like to have for a keepsake. He asked for her wedding dress, which was given him, and he returned to his Kentucky home a stricken and much changed man. On his death bed - nearly a half-century after - he gave instructions that the wedding dress of the girl he had lost fifty years before should be buried in the coffin with him, and his wishes were carried out. Being a man of wealth and influence, kind and hospitable and generous to a fault, his neighbors have often wondered how, with all these noble traits, he could persistently be a woman-hater, but only a few knew and the rest never guessed, the real admiration he had for the fair sex, and the constancy of his love for a woman. Could they have known, the story of his life they could have easily understood why he remained a bachelor."

Sandi Gorin, Kentucky Colonel

President, South Central KY Historical & Genealogical Society

Sandi's Website: <http://www.gensoup.org/gorin/index.html>



NUCKOLS COAT OF ARMS

Submitted by Mary Lu Yavenditti

Mary Lu says this is the Coat of Arms used by her family, and as we see it is not the same we discovered in the Nuckolls book by Bertha Nuckolls. Perhaps One L verses 2 LL's?

Mary Lu has promised to submit the description some time after the first of the year. From her research, she has found that each Coat of Arms is not limited to a surname, but for only a family. Hopefully she will provide some additional information later. Her line is John Thomas Nuckols, Edmund Smith Nuckols, Joseph Nuckolls, William, Charles, James II

Tribute to Carolyn Tucker Nuckols

Those of us within the Nuckolls Society over the past several years have become very close. It is as though we have our own special family “within” a family. Those who have lost a loved one like Fredwyn, Charles Nuckols, Robin Woolum [if I missed someone I apologize] know the devastating emotional change it brings. It can take months, years, or even an eternity to overcome our grief. Life is never the same. Our spouses, as the Bible declares, become “one flesh.” We lose a part of ourselves.

Norman Nuckols has contributed so very much to our society, and keeps me up to date on all of the deaths and events within the Richmond area. Losing his wife in August was very difficult for him, and I want to take this opportunity to extend the condolences of the entire Society.

NUCKOLS, Carolyn Tucker, of Glen Allen, Virginia, passed away on Sunday, August 12 at the age of 76. Mrs. Nuckols committed her life to Christ at an early age and devoted her life to family, friends and church. She delighted in the accomplishments of her family and called it pure joy to teach the Bible at Monument Heights for over 40 years. Mrs. Nuckols is survived by her husband, Norman Nuckols; her children, Mrs. Robin Lipps, Mrs. Paige DeCatur and Mr. Todd Nuckols and their spouses, Mr. Norman Lipps, Mr. Alan DeCatur and Mrs. Jamie Nuckols; her granddaughters, Mrs. Jennifer Davis and husband, Kevin Davis, Miss Kimberly Lipps, Miss Kelly Lipps, Miss Carolyn DeCatur, Miss Maggie Nuckols and Miss Ellie Nuckols; her three great-grandchildren; her brother-in-law, Mr. Walt Henry; and her niece, Dr. Lynn Myers. She was preceded in death by her sister, Mrs. Barbara Henry. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, August 14, from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. at the West Chapel of Bennett Funeral Home, 11020 West Broad Street. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, August 15, at 11 a.m. at Monument Heights Baptist Church, with interment to follow at 12:30 p.m. at Greenwood Memorial Gardens. The family requests donations be made to the Building Fund of Monument Heights Baptist Church in lieu of flowers.

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Wilmington Illinois, Circa November 6, 1942.

FATHER, CHILD DIE IN TRAILER FIRE

2 SONS ESCAPE IN FATAL BLAZE AT WILMINGTON

A. V. McGuffey, 39, EOP Worker, 8-Year-Old Daughter Victims

A munitions plant employee and his eight-year-old daughter were burned to death in a trailer camp fire in Wilmington at 2 o'clock this morning. The man's two sons, one 15 years old and the other 13, saved their lives by making a desperate dash in their night clothing thru a flaming doorway.

The father was Alonzo Vance McGuffey, 39 years old, a pipefitter employed at the Elwood Ordnance Plant, whose hometown was Kilgore, Tex. ~~His daughter's name was Audra Juanell McGuffey, and she died in her bed without waking from her sleep.~~

Mother, Older Girl Away

James McGuffey, 15, and Ronald, 13, heard the fire and ran outside. When they learned that their father and little sister were still in the burning trailer they tried to return to save them but the fiber-board structure was like a furnace. The mother of the family and another daughter, June, 17 years old, were away. June was visiting friends at Fairfield, Ill. and Mrs. McGuffey had gone to Troy yesterday to look for a house to rent, and was staying overnight with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hyatt, of that village.

Cause Undetermined

Authorities today could establish no cause for the fire, which spread to an unoccupied trailer and destroyed it. There are 200 trailers in the camp, built by the government or munitions plant families on route 66-A just inside the east limits of the Wilmington city limits. Approximately 800 persons reside in the camp, but the fire caused no panic among them. The trailer occupied by the McGuffey family had three rooms and three doors. O.L. Addleman, Wilmington undertaker, and deputy coroner, who recovered the charred bodies this morning, said the child's was in the bed and the father's was on the floor near a door on the west end of the trailer.

Started in the Kitchen

One of the boys, Ronald, told George A. Fairhead, superintendent of the camp, that he thought the fire started in the kitchen, and suggested it might have been set off by electrical wiring. Fairhead reported to Deputy Coroner Addleman that the fire started at 2 o'clock and the cause is unknown. Mrs. Herbert Kisse, occupying the trailer on the east side of the McGuffey trailer, said she was awakened at about 2 o'clock by a noise "like somebody pounding". She called her husband who looked outside and saw the two McGuffey boys running out of their trailer in their night clothes. They ran right thru a mass of flames, then they stopped.

Boys Tried to Return

Kisse ran to them and asked who else was inside. The boys said they did not know, and when they could not find their father or Audra Juanell they had to be restrained from going back into the inferno. Mrs. Buell Sims, living in a nearby trailer, helped console the boys. All of the other families soon were aroused. A Wilmington city fire hydrant in the camp was turned on and Kisse threw water over his trailer and kept it from catching fire until the city fire department arrived.

Son of James Parson McGuffey and Annie Jane Nuckolls

Annie was the daughter of Alonzo Broaddus Nuckolls and Maria Cordelia Bowles.

Web Site Updates
1928 Indianapolis Indiana City Directory

1940 Census Complete and entered into events for all known Nuckolls/Nuckols/Knuckles, etc

Added 1940 Census records of those unconnected to web pages.

Itasca Cemetery, Hill County, Texas

[Military Tombstone Applications](#) new on line. I have spent December scanning them and entering info into database. They will be on the CD, and I hope to upload the images on the web pages in January.

FOUND– Parentage of Willis Hubert Knuckles. Was the son of Jacob Elijah Knuckles and Julia Eva Walden. He was murdered by Charles ODell Shores in 1998. Updated this family line.

