
NUCKOLLS NEWS

Nuckols, Nuckles, Knuckles

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POUNCEY NAMESAKE

submitted by David Nuckols

Using Family Names To Make Connections.

Trying to connect our ancestors with lines already known is a difficult task at best and there are many ways known to help us with that process such as, dates or places of birth, census or other records, etc. Another opportunity that can help us make those connections is matching up family names, those names used in a branch of the family and passed down, in some cases, for hundreds of years. To illustrate, I will use two family names from the 1-L branch of the Nuckolls Family; Pouncey (probably pronounced "paw-ney") and Knight.

Susannah Pouncey (sometimes spelled Pouncy or Pounce), the daughter of Roger Pouncey married James Nuckolls (b. 1670) about 1694 in New Kent Co., Virginia. Though we don't know much more about the early history of this family than we do about the Nuckolls we do know that they were a prominent family that had settled early in Virginia. They lived in the same area as the Nuckolls and had close contacts with them through the years. James and Susannah had four children, the youngest of whom would later be known in the family as William "The Patriot" Nuckolls (b. 1710). The nickname comes about

because of William's patriotic act of furnishing beef and other supplies to the Continental Army. William will retain the 2-L spelling of his name throughout his life but all his children will switch to the 1-L spelling. It is believed that this change occurred because of a religious controversy in the family. And this is where things begin to get complicated! William marries two women, the second being Elizabeth Duke. They name their first child Pouncey (b. 1746) and he is later known as Pouncey Sr. Their third child is named William Knight Nuckolls (b. 1749). Pouncey is obviously named after his grandmother Susannah and her family and William Knight is named after the Knight family. We know even less about this family than we do about the Pounceys but, again, they obviously have very close ties to the Nuckolls as three of William's sons, Pouncey, William Knight and Samuel, will marry Knight daughters.

First, we will follow the Pouncey connection. (Please refer to the "family tree" provided below for ease in keeping track of all these names!)

Pouncey Sr. marries Susannah Knight (1774) and they have ten children, among them are Andrew (b. 1776), Pouncey Jr. (b. 1790), and Joseph Pouncey Nuckolls (b. 1793).

Joseph Pouncey Nuckolls will marry Elizabeth Duke and they will name one child Lafayette Pouncey Nuckolls. (There is some question as to whether or not Elizabeth is the mother of Lafayette).

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Andrew will marry Martha "Patsy" Puryear (1801) and they will name one child Pouncy Nuckols (b. 1805).

This Pouncy will marry Esther Powell Saunders and they will have a grandchild, Henry Pouncy Gardner, by their child, Martha Jane who marries Ivy Gardner.

Andrew and Martha will also have a child Hezekiah P. Nuckols (b. 1802). Though I cannot prove it yet, my guess is that the "P" stands for Pouncy or maybe Puryear for Hezekiah's mother.

And, finally, Pouncy Jr, has a grandson Pouncey Nuckols (b. 1855/6), the son of Virgil Poet "Doc" Nuckols, who marries Tinnie McCay, Agnes Griffin and several others, at last count!

As if that weren't enough Pouncys already we still have two more! William, the son of William Knight Nuckols and Elizabeth Woody Knight, has a grandson named Ponce(y) Lafayette Nuckols (b. 1849) who marries Martha Shelburn. And, off in Barren Co. KY, there is a Pouncy Nuckols Pedigo (b. 1859) who, though not otherwise connected with the family, obviously has a close friend named Nuckols!

Now back to the Knight Family connection with the Nuckols Family. As mentioned above, Samuel Nuckols, son of William "The Patriot", marries Eleanor Knight (1776) and they have eleven children, three of whom are named, David Knight Nuckols, Israel Nuckols and Andrew Knight Nuckols (b. 1782). Andrew Nuckols marries Martha Patsy Graves and they have one son who carries on the Knight name, Samuel Knight Nuckols (b. 1815). Israel marries Jane Woodson (1832) and they have among other children, Henry Knight Nuckols (b. 1833). Henry Knight Nuckols will have a grandson, Alvin Knight Nuckols (b. 1897) by his son Aurelius Nuckols. The other son of Samuel and Eleanor, David Knight Nuckols, will continue the "Knight" tradition by marrying

Philadelphia Robinson in 1825 and naming a son Benjamin Knight Nuckols (b. 1844). Benjamin himself, will have a grandson, Willard Knight Nuckols (b. 1911) and a ggrandson named Jerry Knight Nuckols (b. 1943) bringing the Knight name down in the family for 200 years.

As can be seen from the names listed above, finding names in families that are common and passed down for many years is an excellent way to identify branches of the family that a particular line might connect into. Names are kept from generation to generation usually for two reasons; in remembrance of a beloved ancestor and/or because it sounds nice and is traditional! And, by the way, after all the Pounceys listed above there is still one more unconnected and floating around! Members of the Society have identified a Pouncy Nuckols (b. 1820) who married a Jane Creighton. It is thought that he might be the son of Pouncy Jr. listed above but there is no evidence to prove it. However, with the name "Pouncy" we know we are barking up the right tree (or branch of the tree, if you will!). Where does this Pouncy fit? Any ideas?



CEMETERY RECORDS (CONT)

Willamette National Cemetery Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon

Nuckolls, Francis J, b. 04/14/1923, d. 05/31/1968, BM 1 USN, Plot: T 965, bur. 06/18/1968,

Pike Cemetery Yamhill County, Oregon

Nuckols, Dorothy I. Shelton, b. 1917, d. 1980, Mother, Block 4, Lot W1

Nuckols, Fuchsia L., b. 1891, d. 1956, Wife of Wilbur E., Block 4, Lot W5

Nuckols, James L., b. 1910 d. no date given, Dad, Block 4, Lot W1

Nuckols, Robert Joseph, b. 1923, d. Feb 16, 1932, 9

yrs, 15 dys, Son Wilbur E & Fuchsia L N, Block 4, Lot W4

MARION COUNTY, OREGON - LONE OAK - STAYTON CEMETERY

CHANCE, H. H. CHANCE, Harry H. Oct 26, 1841 - Nov 28, 1904 June 7, 1888 - Mar 26, 1941 63 yrs 1 mo 2 days GAR [Civil War]

Henry H. Chance was born near Columbus, Ohio and came to Oregon from the Kokomo, Indiana area. He had 3 children by his first wife, whose maiden name was Nuckolls, and from whom he was divorced after coming home from the Civil War.

Oklahoma, Jefferson County

NUCKOLLS WILLIAM RUSSELL 5 JUN 1914 21 SEP 1914

Wagoner County, Oklahoma

Elmwood Cemetery

Nuckolls, Fremont W. 27 Apr 1899 15 Apr 1973 Section D Row 12

Nuckolls, Izola M. 1 Jun 1899 3 Nov 1993 Section D Row 12

Resthaven Memorial Park, Shawnee, Pottawatomie CO. OK

- NUCKOLLS, ELISE H 84 05-17-73
- NUCKOLLS, JOE E 82 07-11-77
- NUCKOLS, C.E. 73 07-12-44
- NUCKOLS, ELIZABETH (LIZZIE) 86 07-02-64
- NUCKOLS, JAMES ROBERT 81 12-22-80
- NUCKOLS, LEVI 42 08-04-54

Tecumseh Mission Pottawatomie OK Nuckols,

- BONNIE BELL 5/16/1910 5/22/1942
- WILLIAM HENRY 7/26/1898 7/3/1984

Fort Gibson National Cemetery Fort Gibson, Muskogee County, Oklahoma

Nuckolls, Johnnie R, b. 05/24/1951, d. 07/21/1962, Plot: 10 40, bur. 08/07/1962,

Pottawatomie Co OK, Fairview Cemetery

- NUCKOLLS, ALVIN S. 1872 1948
- NUCKOLLS, CARLISLE 1889 1953
- NUCKOLLS, EVA 8/23/1887 7/9/1989
- NUCKOLLS, MARGARET ANN (RICE) 8/4/1917 9/27/1996
- NUCKOLLS, TOMMIE INGRAIN 7/3/1889 8/4/1992
- NUCKOLLS, WILLIAM CARLISLE 3/22/1916 7/21/2000
- NUCKOLLS, William Russell 6/5/1914 9/21/1914

CLEVELAND COUNTY OK

Norman IOOF Cemetery

Nuckols, CHESTER 1/10/1878 7/31/1959

Cleveland Co, OK-Lexington Cemetery

- Nuckols, DONNIE RAY 9/7/1938 8/22/1997
- Nuckols, EFFIE 4/14/1910 10/11/1991
- Nuckols, GREEN 2/11/1910 7/20/1973

UNKNOWN MARRIAGES



Virginia **NUCKOLS** married John Smith **PURYEAR** c1860 Henrico, Co, VA. They could not be located in the 1880 Census of Virginia.

William **PURYEAR** married a Virginia **NUCKOLS** in Richmond (Henrico Co) in 1850. (Is she the same?) A search of the 1850 census shows no William Puryear in Henrico Co, VA as head of house and none of the families have a William of marrying age.

Alice **TAYLOR** married **C D NUCKOLS** December 30, 1889 in Sullivan Co, TN. The family of Richard Franklin Nuckolls settled in Sullivan County, TN, but I don't seem to find any males with these initials. A search of the 1900 Sullivan Co, TN census yields no clues.

Harvey G **NUCKOLLS** married Jennie D **WALLACE** c1898 in Colorado.

Jessie **WILKINSON** married Elizabeth **NUCKOLS** 2/16/1807 in Goochland Co, VA. Jesse Wilkinsons in the 1850 Virginia census were all too young for this fellow.

William A **WODFIN** married Coby or Coley H **NUCKOLLS** 6/13/1834 Henrico Co, Richmond, VA. William A Woodfin is found in the 1850 Census of Henrico Co, VA pg 502 but wife's name is Elizabeth age 37. Oldest child is 17 which would correspond with the marriage date.

SOCIETY FINANCIAL REPORT

Bal Sept 30, 2002	\$ 1,616.44
Dues & Sales of Matierials	294.00
Expenses	(159.45)
Balance Dec 30, 2002	\$1,750.99



New Leaves

Congratulations to Daniel and Teryl Kirsten (Nuckols) Scott on the birth of their son Tobias

Howe Scott on Jan 20, 2002. (Yes a year ago, as I only found out in December). He is the grandson of William Marshall Nuckolls, Nuckolls Society member who lives in Finland.



Prayers of Sympathy

Dorothy Nuckols Dotson, 89, of Fairfax, formerly of Henrico County, died Thursday, February 6, 2003. She is survived by her loving husband of 63 years, Allan Thurman "Jiggs" Dotson Jr.; a daughter, Jo Ann D. Holland of Arlington; a son, Allan Thurman Dotson III of Warrenton; and six grandchildren. Mrs. Dotson was a graduate of Longwood State Teachers College and taught at Montrose, Central, Glendale, Varina and Baker Elementary Schools in Henrico County over a period of 32 years. She was a member of Laurel Hill United Methodist Church and the Fidelis Gamma Chapter, Virginia Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority. The family will receive friends 3 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the Nelsen Funeral Home, 4650 South Laburnum Ave. A celebration of her life will be held 11 a.m. Monday at Laurel Hill United Methodist Church. Interment church cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Laurel Hill United Methodist Church Building Fund, 1919 New Market Rd., Richmond, Va. 23231 or the charity of

your choice. (*Dorothy was a member of the Nuckolls Society*) Daughter of Courtland Jerome Nuckols and Harriett Ambler Nuckols.

The Daily Citizen 2/5/2003

Mr **Earl Nuckolls**, 88 of Dalton died Monday Feb 3rd 2003 at Hamilton Medical Center. A graduate of Berry College, he pastored the following churches in the North georgia Baptist Association; New Hope Baptist Church, Tunnell Hill Baptist Church and the Hill City Baptist Church in the Gordon County Baptist Association. He was moderator of the Gordon County Baptist Association in the 1960's. He is a retired teacher with 31 years experience in Whitfield and Gordon County school. He taught in the following schools: Westside, Valley Point and Resaca. He is a member of First Baptist Church, Dalton, the Scrap Iron

Sunday School class, Georgia retired Teacher's Association and the Dalton-Whitfield Retired Teachers. He was ordained as a deacon and also into the gospel ministry at Mill Creek Baptist Church, Rocky Face. In May 2002 he was entered into the Valley Point Alumni Association Hall of Fame, having graduated Valley point in 1935 and taught there for 21 years. Earl Nuckolls was born Nov 4, 1914 in Whitfield County. He grew up in the Mill Creek community, the son of the late James A "Jim" and Margaret "Maggie" Babb Nuckolls. He was preceded in death by brothers, William Truman and James Luther Nuckolls; sisters Viola Cantrell and Sue Wells. Survivors include his wife Grace Kirby Nuckolls; sons and wives, Dr Frank and Joy Nuckolls of Tyrone, Alan and Cheryl Nuckolls of Rocky Face; grandsons Andrew Nuckolls, Rocky Face and David Nuckolls of Tyrone; special nieces, Brenda Wells Shull of Columbia SC, Margaret Newton of Lafayette, Melba Yoder of Lafayette and other nieces and nephews; sister-in-law and brother-in-law, the Rev and Mrs Ted (Sue) Page of Statesboro. Services are Thursday at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church with the Rev George Ross, Dr Frank Nuckolls and Dr Charlie Bridges officiating. The family will receive friends today at Love Funeral Home from 5 to 9 p.m. Flowers will be accepted or contributions may be made to the North Georgia Baptist Association Building Fund, P O Box 4389, Dalton, GA 30721 or to the Gordon County Baptist Association 373 Morrow Bld, SE Calhoun, GA 30701. Love Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Aubrey Cortez Nuckols Jr., 75, died peacefully at his home on Thursday, January 16, 2003. He was retired from the lumber business. Mr. Nuckols was born October 25, 1927 in Louisa County and was preceded in death by his father, Aubrey Cortez Nuckols Sr.; his mother, Mary Elizabeth Bagby Nuckols; his first wife, Mary Elizabeth Kennon Nuckols and a sister, Gretna Nuckols Walton, all of Louisa County, Va. He is survived by his wife, Gracie S. Nuckols;

seven children, A.C. Nuckols III, R. Garland Nuckols, Diane Nuckols, Ashby Johnson Nuckols, Frances J. Groome, Barbara A. Barrett and James

M. Cline Sr., all of Louisa County; two sisters, Mary N. Davis and Barbara N. Sprouse of Louisa County; one brother, Carlton Cortez Nuckols of Beaverdam, Va., 16 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, January 19, 2003 at Woodward Funeral Home, Louisa, Va. The pallbearers are Brian "BJ" Barrett, William "Bucky" Harris, Joe Harris, Roger Browning, Jimmy Cox and Thomas Groome. The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday, January 18, 2003 at the funeral home. Interment at Spring Grove Memorial Park Cemetery, Mineral, Va. The family extends their grateful appreciation to the Hospice of the Piedmont and the nurses and physicians who so kindly provided their assistance. Woodward Funeral Home Inc., Louisa, is handling the arrangements.

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CALIF DEATH INDEX CONT

NUCKOLLS WILLIAM M 06/14/1906 M
CALIFORNIA FRESNO 08/31/1977 566-18-2817
71 yrs

NUCKOLLS ZELMA MAY 05/02/1913 POLLOCK
WILDER F CALIFORNIA BUTTE 08/12/1981
567-05-8059 68 yrs

NUCKOLS AARON 03/04/1910 DUELITTLE M
OKLAHOMA LOS ANGELES 08/16/1982
512-05-9612 72 yrs

NUCKOLS ADDIE LAVERNE 01/15/1898 F
NORTH CAROLINA SAN DIEGO 12/19/1978
224-10-6612 80 yrs

NUCKOLS ALFRED MILTON 02/17/1886
HORTON NUCKOLS M TEXAS MERCED
07/07/1948 62 yrs

NUCKOLS AMOS LEE 05/24/1931 M
VIRGINIA SAN DIEGO 04/13/1985 228-32-2480
53 yrs

NUCKOLS ARTHUR J 10/12/1878 M
MISSOURI SONOMA 05/17/1967 563-34-9911
88 yrs

NUCKOLS CHARLES E 01/17/1933 RAMSEY
M KERN 04/30/1969 461-38-2062 36 yrs

NUCKOLS CLARA MABEL 06/06/1880

WHITSELL THORNBURG F IOWA ORANGE
10/21/1954 74 yrs

NUCKOLS CLARENCE FRANKLIN 01/17/1919
MCKINZIE M VIRGINIA SAN DIEGO
01/20/1992 559-28-2120 73 yrs

NUCKOLS DARIUS LANE 08/24/1960
THOMPSON M INDIANA LOS ANGELES
02/06/1994 312-74-3960 33 yrs

NUCKOLS DEBORAH LYNN 06/02/1959
RAMIEREZ F CALIFORNIA SAN MATEO
05/15/1994 563-15-6888 34 yrs

NUCKOLS DEBRA A 07/21/1952 FAURE F
CALIFORNIA TULARE 01/24/1962 09 yrs

NUCKOLS DOLLY MARJORIE 08/15/1897
MADDY BEVIS F WEST VIRGINIA LOS
ANGELES 09/21/1982 233-54-9288 85 yrs

NUCKOLS EDGAR MOORE 12/30/1892 M
TEXAS SAN LUIS OBISPO 03/07/1978
568-16-9562 85 yrs

NUCKOLS EDSON BENTON 05/10/1863
CHAMBERLAIN NUCKOLS M MISSOURI LOS
ANGELES 11/03/1946 83 yrs

NUCKOLS EDWARD BRUCE 09/19/1875
NUCKOLS M MISSOURI LOS ANGELES
10/20/1956 81 yrs

NUCKOLS ELIZA JANE 04/08/1919 CARTER
BURKEEN F ARKANSAS KERN 07/20/1991
559-30-0032 72 yrs

NUCKOLS ELIZABETH JEAN 03/14/1898
GROVES STANTON F MISSOURI SONOMA
02/16/1989 545-58-6779 90 yrs

NUCKOLS BENJAMIN H 09/12/1879 M
TEXAS FRESNO 05/01/1970 121-18-8500 90
yrs

NUCKOLS BERTHA E 08/20/1882 KRUGER
F WISCONSIN SONOMA 10/20/1964 82 yrs

NUCKOLS BEULAH LEWIS 02/25/1917 LEWIS
F IDAHO SAN DIEGO 06/16/1989 519-07-3991
72 yrs

NUCKOLS BILLY RAY 05/20/1940 MCDANIELS
NUCKOLS M CALIFORNIA SAN LUIS OBISPO
03/24/1942 01 yrs

NUCKOLS CARLOS D 09/28/1899 M
KENTUCKY FRESNO 01/27/1970 551-56-8919
70 yrs

NUCKOLS CHARLES ANDREW 09/16/1911
BREIT M MISSOURI SONOMA 10/31/1996
412-26-2222 85 yrs

NUCKOLS ELMER J 03/23/1913 PADGETT M
MISSOURI ORANGE 04/30/1967 486-05-9610
54 yrs

NUCKOLS ELSIE PEARL 06/29/1901 F
ILLINOIS SAN BERNARDINO 02/05/1979
561-50-5979 78 yrs

NUCKOLS ESTER HELEN 04/04/1920 BOYD
JOHNSON F ARKANSAS SACRAMENTO
04/12/1982 572-30-3909 62 yrs

NUCKOLS FLOYD IRA 06/20/1910 SMITH M
TEXAS TULARE 06/03/1982 560-09-7216 71
yrs

NUCKOLS FLOYD W 12/02/1936 NABORS M
CALIFORNIA TULARE 04/24/1961 560-48-0115
24 yrs

NUCKOLS FRANK P 04/12/1878 ROBERTS
NUCKOLS M INDIANA SAN FRANCISCO
03/12/1950 71 yrs

NUCKOLS FRED S 08/10/1916 BROWN M
ARKANSAS IMPERIAL 05/01/1995 488-18-7943
78 yrs

NUCKOLS GARY R 06/15/1940 BUTTE M
OREGON PLUMAS 10/22/1963 543-44-8876 23
yrs

NUCKOLS GEORGE H 05/01/1892 M
 VIRGINIA SAN DIEGO 01/11/1971
 224-05-5761 78 yrs

1880 Virginia Census Index, Cont

NUCKOLS, Amanda MotherL <1805> FWBir: VA
 Cen: VA Hanove Ashland
 NUCKOLS, Eliza S. Mother <1805> FWBir: VA
 Cen: VA Hanove Ashland
 NUCKOLS, Mary Mother <1805> F W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Hanove Ashland
 NUCKOLLS, Clark Self <1808> M W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Grayso OldTown
 NUCKOLS, Susan Wife <1810> F W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Hanove Ashland
 NUCKELS, Elijah Self <1812> M W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Tazewe ClearFork
 NUCKOLLS, Henry Self <1812> M B Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Goochl LickingHol
 NUCKOLS, Thos E. Self <1813> M W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Henric Tuckahoe
 NUCKOLS, William FatherL <1813> M W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Hanove Ashland
 NUCKOLS, Angelina B. Wife <1814> F W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Henric Tuckahoe
 NUCKELS, Mary E. Other <1816> F W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Tazewe ClearFork
 NUCKOLS, Edward Other <1817> M W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Rockin StoneWall
 NUCKOLS, Thomas Self <1817> M W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Carrol SulphuSpri
 NUCKOLLS, Rosemond Wife <1818> F W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Grayso OldTown
 NUCKOLS, Mary Self <1819> F W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Hanove Ashland
 NUCKOLS, William Self <1820> M WBir: VA
 Cen: VA Hanove Ashland
 NUCKOLLS, Betsey Wife <1824> F B Bir: VA

Cen: VA Goochl LickingHol
 NUCKOLS, Francis Mother <1824> F W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Hanove Ashland
 NUCKOLS, Elias Self <1825> MW Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Norfol Norfolk
 NUCKOLS, Mary J. Self <1825> F W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Hanove Ashland
 NUCKOLLS, Adison L. Self <1826> M W Bir: VA
 Cen: VA Louisa

This Census information is now on line FREE at the LDS web site
 found at <http://www.familysearch.org/>

Please continue to send in your articles, obits, family photos, documents, etc. They are used in the newsletter, scanned to the archival CD and photos are uploaded to the Nuckolls Secure Photo Web site. We appreciate your contributions



WELCOME NEW MEMBER

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Ken descends from Richard H Nuckols in Rockbridge Co, VA, a brother of George W Nuckles. It was thought he was a son of Overton Nuckols, but new info has come to light from a letter written to his cousin saying their parents were double cousins. George W was supposedly a son of Nathaniel Nuckols and Mary Cary. We are working on these lines trying to prove parentage.