



# THE FUQUA FOUNDATION NEWS

Published Quarterly by The Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126  
Subscriptions are \$15 for four issues, back issues are \$4



The Fuqua Family Foundation is Operated for the Benefit and Education of the General Public

## Vol 3, No. 1 - Spring, 1995

Edited by Frank Fuqua (303) 470-0882  
Internet: f.fuqua@genie.geis.com

### Contents:

- Current News-----77
- Basic Genealogy -----78
- Genealogical Queries -----81
- Genealogical Documents -----85
- Genealogy and Personal Computers -----90
- Pot-Pourri -----91

### Is this your last issue?

If the last line of your mailing label says VOL 3-1, your subscription has expired with this issue. Please submit \$15 for a one year renewal. You don't want to miss a single issue!

### For the record

A brief survey of the public record discloses that genealogists who are serious about conducting research in existing records had better get a move on. While some of the records are being preserved for future generations, others are rapidly deteriorating, and no attempt is being made at preservation.

This editor recently made a pilgrimage to a series of county courthouses in Kentucky, seeking the trail of some elusive Fuqua ancestors. The experience was a real eye opener. Eighteenth Century records abound but, in some cases, not for long. In many cases the original records are easily accessible for hands-on examination. Courthouse staff members cheerfully make photocopies of whatever is desired, despite the fact that the records are disintegrating before their very eyes.

The state of the county records appears to be a function of two factors. The first is whether or not a county has the financial resources to undertake a preservation effort. The second is whether or not elected officials are motivated to do so. In some observed cases it is clear that much expense and effort have been applied to preserving and protecting the records. In other observed cases it is equally clear that

no expense or effort have been applied and the records will not survive much longer.

While it is very easy to be critical, it must be understood that these old records have very little application in the day to day activity of county government. Genealogists are generally welcome to poke around, but only to the extent that they do not interfere with "today's" work.

Much of these public records have been microfilmed by the LDS and others. However, the quality of the original records transferred to microfilm and then photocopied for your own use, is such that in many cases they are unreadable. An examination of the original record (prior to its turning to dust) frequently solves the readability problem. If you intend to use these records you had better not plan on doing so during retirement or some other "someday" situation. In many cases there will be no records left to examine.

This situation is not restricted to county courthouses. Those who are familiar with the state of public records in Virginia will be aware of the battle which has been engaged between the State Archives and an angry segment of the population. The Archives, charged with holding and preserving these records (after collecting them from the counties) was, primarily for financial reasons, about to permit an enormous storehouse of Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century records to be both unpreserved and unavailable for research. The battle is not over, but progress is being made toward a genealogically correct solution.

The situation is similar on a federal level. An editorial in the Confederate Gazette recently described how over 5,700 cubic feet of Confederate Archive records which include muster rolls, payrolls, hospital records, prison records, and government correspondence are in danger. These historic and genealogical important records are currently stacked in card boxes in the non-climatic controlled area of the National Archives. A National Archives spokesman admitted that they are "going to seed" rapidly. No plans for their preservation have been announced.

There are many other, similar, situations. If you are not inclined to become a "records activist", at least get on with your own research, now, while you can.

# Basic Genealogy

## Building a chronology

Genealogical research is not difficult. It does, however, require a knowledge of available types of records, and a great deal of patience and persistence. It is similar to putting together a jigsaw puzzle without knowing in advance how many puzzle pieces there are or what they look like.

The pieces of the puzzle are found at different times and at different places. Occasionally the significance of a piece of information is not recognized because the researcher has not taken the time to organize the growing body of knowledge.

One way to organize research information is chronologically. This approach puts things into a logical sequence, and makes the need for specific additional research obvious. In addition, it helps the researcher to develop reasonable theories to guide the research effort.

One of our readers, Verna Fuqua Pace, recently submitted information on her family line. Included was a chronological presentation of source records which she used to build her particular puzzle. Although the puzzle is not yet complete, her chronology illustrates her research skill and her knowledge of the types of records which can be accessed.

A portion of her chronology is summarized below. It begins with her ancestor, Gabriel Fuqua (Guillaume Fouquet, Joseph, William, Joseph Fuqua Jr.) in 1810, and covers approximately one century. It can be used as a guide to one's own research.

1810 - Buckingham Co., VA Census listed Gabriel, plus wife, one son and one daughter.

1815 - Davidson Co., TN Deed Book listed Gabriel's purchase of 40 acres of land in the county.

1817 - Card Index for Land Grants from the State of Tennessee listed a grant of 38 acres to Gabriel in Davidson Co.

1818 - Davidson Co., TN Circuit and County Court Book listed Gabriel's sale of 284 acres of land in Virginia.

1820 - Davidson Co., TN Census listed Gabriel, plus wife, four sons and two daughters.

1821 - Gabriel's fifth son, Samuel, born 30 Aug 1821.

1823 - Davidson Co., TN Will Book recorded Gabriel's estate inventory on 16 April 1823.

Gabriel's sixth son, Gabriel II, born 7 Aug 1823.

Davidson Co., TN Will Book recorded on 9 Oct 1823 the sale of part of Gabriel's estate.

1825 - Davidson Co., TN Will Book recorded on 15 Mar 1825 additional sales from the estate, and other settlement information.

1827 - Davidson Co., TN Marriage Book recorded the marriage of Gabriel's daughter, Judy, to James Lenox on 19 April 1827.

1829 - Davidson Co., TN Marriage Book recorded the marriage of Gabriel's widow, Judith, to James Hollis on 2 Mar 1829.

1830 - Davidson Co., TN Will Book recorded on 18 May 1830 the sale of slaves on behalf of Gabriel's minor heirs by James Hollis, their guardian.

Davidson Co., TN Census listed James Hollis, wife [*Judith, Gabriel's widow*], five young males and two young females.

Davidson Co., TN Census listed James Lenox, wife [*Judy, Gabriel's daughter*], one son and one daughter.

Williamson Co., TN Census listed Thomas Shelton, wife [*Lydia, Gabriel's daughter*], one son and one daughter.

1837 - Davidson Co., TN Deed Book recorded the sale of three tracts of land by James Lenox and wife Judy, William Fuqua, Joseph Fuqua, John Fuqua, and Thomas Shelton and wife Lydia. The tracts were part of Gabriel's estate.

1839 - Robertson Co., TN Deed Book recorded the purchase of 110 acres by John Fuqua of Robertson Co. J.S. Hollis was a witness.

1840 - Robertson Co., TN Census listed William Fuqua [*brother of Gabriel*], Samuel Fuqua [*William's son*], John Fuqua [*Gabriel's son*] with an infant female but no wife, and Joseph Fuqua [*Gabriel's son*].

1841 - Sumner Co., TN Marriage Book records the marriage of John Fuqua [*Gabriel's son*] and Mary Taylor on 14 Jan 1841.

Davidson Co., TN Marriage Book records the marriage of Samuel Fuqua [*Gabriel's son*] to Malinda Clinard on 18 Nov 1841.

- 1842 - Davidson Co., TN Deed Book recorded on 9 Jan 1843 the sale on 8 Dec 1842 by Samuel Fuqua [*Gabriel's son*] of Robertson Co., TN his share (13 acres) of the three tracts of land in Davidson Co. inherited from his father.
- 1845 - Davidson Co., TN Deed Book recorded on 2 Oct 1849 the sale on 4 Jun 1845 by Gabriel Fuqua [*Gabriel's son*] of Robertson Co., TN of his 1/7 share (about 14 3/4 acres) of the three tracts of land in Davidson Co. inherited from his father.
- 1847 - Sumner Co., TN Marriage Book recorded the marriage of Gabriel Fuqua [*Gabriel's son*] to Ninivah Saunders on 18 Feb 1847.
- 1850 - Robertson Co., TN Census listed the following:  
 Gabriel Fuqua (36), Ninivah (29), Franklin (2), Nancy A. (1) and Gabriel.  
 Joseph Fuqua (35), Elizabeth (37), Margaret (14), John (12), Catherine (10), Malinda (8), Ewing (6), Brown (4), James (11/12) and William Knight (22).  
 Samuel Fuqua (29), Matilda (24) and Thurse (8).  
 William Fuqua (34), Mary (33), James (14), Samuel (13), Joseph (12), Lydia (9), Levi (5) and Sarah (1).  
 James Hollis (55), Judea (*Judith, Judy* - 56), Samuel (12) and Wm T. Shelton (7).  
 Sumner Co., TN Census listed John Fuqua (35), Mary (40), Sarah (10), William (9), James (7), Mary (6), John (4) and Thomas (3).  
 Samuel Fuqua [*Gabriel's son*] died 4 Oct 1850.
- 1851 - Robertson Co., TN Deed Book recorded the sale of 110 acres by John Fuqua on 14 Nov 1851.
- 1852 - Robertson Co., TN Marriage Book recorded the marriage (2nd) of Joseph Fuqua to Susan Binkley on 14 Oct 1852.
- 1860 - Robertson Co., TN Census listed the following:  
 John Fuqua (44), Mary (50), Elizabeth [*Sarah*] (20), William L. (18), James B. (17), M.J. [*Mary Jane*] (14), John L. (12) and Thomas (11).  
 Joseph Fuqua (45), Susan (39), Ewin (14), Henry (11), Josephine (8), Samuel (6), George (2) and Dudley Payne (80).  
 James Hollis (55?), Judea (*Judith, Judy* - 67) and James Fuqua.  
 Cheatham Co., TN Census listed James Lenox (63), Judith (*Judy* - 50), Ten[?] (16, female), S.F. (14, female), M.L. (10, female), M. (83, female) and J. Hudson (75, male).
- 1865 - Robertson Co., TN Marriage Book recorded the marriage of Sarah E. Fuqua to Matthew Morris on 22 Jan 1855.  
 Robertson Co., TN Marriage Book recorded the marriage of John Fuqua to F.A. Farmer on 14 Mar 1865.
- 1868 - Roberston Co., TN Will Book recorded the inventory and sale of the estate of James S. Hollis on 2 July 1868. Among the buyers were Mrs. Hollis, W.T. Hollis, G. Fuqua, John Fuqua, James Fuqua and S. Fuqua.  
 Robertson Co., TN Will Book recorded in Aug 1968 Mrs. James Hollis' provisions for the year.
- 1870 - Robertson Co., TN Deed Book recorded the sale by Joseph Fuqua of 137 acres to John Fuqua on 29 Jun 1870.  
 Robertson Co., TN Deed Book recorded the sale by S. H. Fuqua of 171 acres to Joseph Fuqua on 14 Nov 1870.  
 Roberston Co., TN Census listed the following:  
 Joseph Fuqua (56), Susan (43), Josephine (17), Samuel (14), George (12) and David (5).  
 Gabriel Fuqua (47), Ninivah (50), Matilda (19), John (17), Lucy (15) and Gabriel III (8).  
 William Fuqua (54) living in the household of H. H. Binkley.  
 John Fuqua (54), F. A. [*Frances Amanda*] (48), J. L. [*John Lewis*] (24), M. J. [*Mary Jane*] (22) and T. M. [*Thomas M.*] (20).
- 1871 - Roberston Co., TN Marriage Book recorded the marriage of Thomas M. Fuqua to Martha I. Farmer on 26 Oct 1871.
- 1873 - Roberston Co., TN Marriage Book recorded the

marriage of John Fuqua to N. A. [Nancy Ann] Farmer on 7 May 1873.

1878 - Robertson Co., TN Deed Book recorded the sale by John Fuqua and wife Nancy, and Joseph Fuqua and wife Susan of 123 acres on 20 Feb 1878.

Robertson Co., TN Deed Book recorded the purchase by John Fuqua of 121 acres on 9 Aug 1878.

1880 - Robertson Co., TN Census listed the following:

John Fuqua (63), Nancy (49), James (17) and George Farmer (64).

Thomas Fuqua (33), Martha (33), Isaac (7), Mary (6), Minnie (4) and John T. (4/12).

[John] Lewis Fuqua (34), Nancy (38), Thomas (4) and William (1).

1883 - Thomas M. Fuqua, son of John, died on 12 Aug 1883.

1884 - Robertson Co., TN Will Book recorded the inventory and sale on 3 Oct 1884 of the estate of Thomas M. Fuqua.

Robertson Co., TN Will Book recorded in Nov 1884 Martha Fuqua's yearly allowance.

*The chronology contains considerably more information, including specific details regarding the source documents. It also continues on in time, but your editor believes that the point has been made.*

*The primary sources of information were the U. S. Census records plus local county records of land, marriage and estate probate transactions. Additional information came from published cemetery records, land grant records, military records and a family bible. Some of the records were examined directly, and others were accessed via LDS microfilms.*

*By following the trail through these records, several generations of the family were easily identified. Similar records exist for most of our Fuqua ancestors. The pattern of where various family members lived was also identified. Become a time traveler and follow your own trail, gathering missing puzzle pieces as you go.*

## Family Group Record

HUSBAND: Gabriel Fuqua

Born: ca 1774 Place: Buckingham Co., VA

Marr: ca 1810 Place:

Died: bef 9 Oct 1823 Place: Davidson Co., TN

Father: Joseph Fuqua Jr.

Mother: Rebekah \_\_\_\_\_

WIFE: Judith \_\_\_\_\_

Born: ca 1793 Place: Virginia

Died: aft Jul 1868 Place:

Father: (?)

Mother: (?)

CHILDREN:

1. Judy Fuqua

Born: ca 1810 Place:

Marr: 19 Apr 1827 Place: Davidson Co., TN

Died: Place:

Spouse: James Lenox

2. Lydia Fuqua

Born: ca 1811/1819 Place:

Marr: Place:

Died: Place:

Spouse: Thomas M. Shelton

3. Joseph Fuqua

Born: ca 1815 Place: Tennessee

Marr: Place:

Died: Place:

Spouse: Elizabeth \_\_\_\_\_

4. John Fuqua

Born: 21 Jan 1816 Place: Davidson Co., TN

Died: 17 Apr 1890 Place:

5. William Fuqua

Born: ca 1816 Place: Kentucky

Marr: 15 May 1834 Place: Logan Co., KY

Spouse: Mary (Polly) H. Powell

6. Samuel Fuqua

Born: 30 Aug 1821 Place: Tennessee

Marr: 18 Nov 1841 Place: Robertson Co., TN

Died: 4 Oct 1850 Place:

Spouse: Malinda Clinard

7. Gabriel Fuqua Jr.

Born: 7 Aug 1823 Place: Robertson Co., TN

Marr: 19 Feb 1847 Place:

Spouse: Niniviah Saunders

# Genealogical Queries

*Subscribers are encouraged to submit queries for publication in The Fuqua Foundation News. Queries will be read by not only our subscribers, but by members of the many genealogy societies with whom we exchange publications, and by the patrons of libraries to whom we send the newsletter. There is no charge, no limit to the number of queries which may be submitted, and no restriction regarding the surnames for which queries may be submitted. Each query will be published once, unless re-submitted. The desired format is illustrated below.*

## Do queries work?

Have you ever wondered whether or not it is worth the effort to submit a query? The Foundation did! It has been rare for anyone to send a copy of a query response to the Foundation, despite the fact it is obvious that the Foundation also needs the requested information. Was anyone getting answers? We now have the answer.

You may have noticed that all responses must now be sent to the Foundation for forwarding to the person placing the query. Four pages of queries were published in the last issue of this newsletter. Detailed responses were received to 14 queries. The information was entered into our database (Thank you) and forwarded to 14 very happy readers. Several responses with partial information were also received (Every little bit helps).

Keep those queries coming!!

**John Samuel LAUGHLIN** was a son of **James LAUGHLIN** of VA and **Elizabeth J. SLEDD**. He married **Martha J. FUQUA** in Bedford County, VA, probably after 1870. Need info on **Martha's** parents, siblings, and descendants.

Roberta E. Fuqua, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Edward Brown FUQUA** was born ca 1887 in MO, and married **Maude Bell HYATT** who was born ca 1880 in Shelby County, TN. Their children were: **William, Edward Fulton, John Alden, Valerie, and Cecil Oliver**. Need info on the parents/siblings of **Edward** and **Maude**. **Edward** may have had an ancestor named **John ALDEN**. Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Hedgeman WILSON** was born in VA on 28 July 1802. He married **Lavina FUQUA** in Bourbon County, KY on 23 July 1823, and died on 10 May 1869 in Ralls County,

MO. **Hedgeman's** siblings were **Benjamin, John F., Alexander, and Frances**, all born in Virginia. Need info on his parents.

Dolores Syme, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

The 1870 Census for Adams County, OH listed **James FUQUA** (age 50), his wife **Rachel** (41), and children **Charles** (23), **William** (20), **Nancy** (17), **Ala** (15), **Anna** (12), **David** (9), **James** (7), **Emma** (3), and **Sarah E.** (1). **James** was born in VA. His wife and children were all born in OH. Need info on **James' parents/siblings**.

Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Charles McKINNEY** lived in Charlotte County, VA from 1760 to 1780. Prior to that he lived in Cumberland County, VA. **Charles** named a son **Daniel Fuquay McKINNEY**. This family is known to have had connections to the **AYRES, CHASTAIN, and ROBINSON** families, all of whom had **FUQUA(Y)** connections. Need info on the connection between **Daniel Fuquay McKINNEY** and the **FUQUA(Y)s**.

Randy May, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Alford G. FUQUA** arrived in El Dorado County, CA in late 1854 or early 1855 by wagon train. He died in early 1855 in the Pleasant Valley area of El Dorado County. He was allegedly killed in a gold robbery. Need any info which will confirm the circumstances, date and place of his death.

Frank Fuqua, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**William FUQUA** was born ca 1750, and lived in Chesterfield County, VA from at least 1776 until his death in 1806. He married **Mary IRBY**, who died in 1809. Their Children included **William** (who married **Mary HOOKER**), **IRBY** (who married 1st **Betty HORNER**, 2nd **Nancy STEWART**), **John** (who married **Lucy CLAYTON**), **Samuel** (who married **Elizabeth ROBERTSON**), **Mary** (who married **John Lewis MORGAN**), and **Elizabeth** (who married **Ezekial HORNER**). Need info on **William**, his wife **Mary IRBY**, and their parents/siblings.

Jacqueline Johnston, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**John FUQUA**, son of **John FUQUA** and **Margaret LAWSON**, was born in Charlotte County, VA on 17 February 1788. In 1797, at the age of 9, he relocated with

his parents to an area of Clark County, KY which later became Montgomery County. In 1810 he was included in the Montgomery County Census, and was still single. In 1810, 1811 and 1812 he was listed on the Montgomery tax rolls as **John, Jr.** In 1813 as **John.** He was not listed after 1813, and is presumed to have left the County. No further information has been found until 1830, when his son, **Alford G. FUQUA** (born in KY in 1813) applied for guardianship with the family of his aunt **Lavina FUQUA WILSON** in Ralls County, MO. **John's** siblings were **Thomas Lawson FUQUA, Susannah FUQUA HITCHCOCK, William FUQUA, Mary (Polly) FUQUA SANDUSKY, James FUQUA, Matilda FUQUA BROTHERS,** and **Lavina FUQUA WILSON.** Siblings who died young were **Elizabeth, Martha, Sally,** and **Smith FUQUA.** Need info on John's wife, other children, and his date and place of death.

Frank Fuqua, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

Seeking info on **Jordan FUQUA** who lived near Willamina, Washington County, OR in 1870. Also seeking info on **Charles Harden FUQUA,** son of **John W. and Sally McMAHON FUQUA.** Charles was married to **Jane DAY,** and they had a son, **Ray D. FUQUA.**

Lillian L. Nelson, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

Seeking contact with researchers of the following surnames, all of whom are connected to **FUQUA** lines by marriage: **EYRE, FLEMING, HAYNES, JACKSON, KNOX, TARLETON,** and **WEST.**

Larry Walker, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

Seeking missing family Bible once owned by **Paralee FUQUA WILSON** which was lost during a move from IL to CA. Among other things, it contains the birth record of **Pressley FUQUA** (born ca 1848), **Paralee FUQUA** (born ca 1854), and **William FUQUA** (born ca 1859).

Judy Lynn Karl, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 80126-0068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**William FUQUAY** died in Halifax County, NC ca 1763. He had a son, **William,** who married ca 1790. **William FUQUA** was on the 1783 tax list for Halifax County, NC. **William FUQUA & C.** were listed in the 1786 Census for District 12, Halifax County, NC. The household included 1 white male between 21 and 60 years, 3 white males under 21 or over 60, 4 white females of all ages, and no blacks. Need additional info on these individuals and their relationships.

Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Absolom FUQUA** was born ca 1800 in NC, married **Tabitha \_\_\_\_\_,** who was born ca 1805 in SC. They moved to Covington County, AL by 1830, to Walton County, FL by 1840, and to Conecuh County, AL before 1850. They had 14 children. Need info on **Absolom and Tabitha's** parents and siblings, plus death dates and places.

Curtis H. Thomasson, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**John Thomas FUQUA and Margaret CALL** had a daughter, **Margaret FUQUA,** who was born in IN ca 1842. She married (1st) **Thomas Green LeGRAND** on 12 November 1857 in Appanoose County, IA, and had two daughters, **Martha LeGRAND** who was born in IA ca 1859 and who married **John W. SLATTERY,** and **Sarah Margaret LeGRAND** who was born 22 April 1861 in IA. She was married (2nd) to **William B. Hill** ca 1869 in Potawatami County, IA, and had two daughters, **Elvira (Polly) HILL,** who was born ca 1870 in IA, and **Nellie HILL** who was born ca 1874 in NE and who married **Charles FRIDLEY** ca 1904. **Margaret** died ca 1881, probably in Ft. Calhoan, NE, and husband **William** in a mill explosion in Ft. Calhoan shortly thereafter. Need additional info on this family.

Constance Gram, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Thomas FUQUA** was born in TN and migrated to Webster County, KY. He was married to **Belle VICKERS.** Their children were **Ella, Henry Clay, Ona, Roy,** and **Andrew FUQUA,** all of whom eventually moved to Evansville, IN. **Thomas FUQUA's** parents are believed to have come to TN from NC. Need info on **Thomas' parents/siblings.**

Robert F. Fuqua, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Harrison FUQUA** was born 25 March 1850 in Macon County, MO. He married **Lizzie Schoefield** on 1 April 1883 in Stockton, San Joaquin County, CA. On 13 May 1898, **Harrison** married **Sophia Bird STAGE** in San Joaquin County, CA. Need info on what happened to **Lizzie Schoefield** between her marriage to **Harrison** in 1883 and his marriage to **Sophia** in 1898.

Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Lawrence Allen FUQUA** was married to **Luvana \_\_\_\_\_.** They had at least one child, **Joe Bivens FUQUA.** **Luvana** died 28 May 1992 at the age of 83 in Beaver Dam, KY. Her husband and son both preceded her in death. Need info on the parents of both **Lawrence and Luvana.**

Sharon Verity, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**John J. FUQUA** was born 12 July 1805. He was married 1st to **Mary B. BEASLY** on 23 July 1829, and 2nd to **Eliza Ann EDWARDS** on 17 April, 1834. Need info on **John's** Parents/siblings/children.  
Frank Fuqua, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

Seeking documented cases where **FUGATE** has been used as a variation of **FUQUA**. **FUGATE** is an old English surname. There should be no confusion, but reports persist of **FUGATEs** who are actually **FUQUAs**.  
Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**William FUQUA** married **Frankie DUNAVANT** on 11 December 1792 in Amelia County, VA. **Elizabeth FUQUA** married **Thomas DUNAVANT** on 7 April 1866 in Caswell County, NC. What is the connection?  
Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Margaret LAWSON** was born 17 March 1764 in VA and died 15 January 1819 in Montgomery County, KY. She was married to **John F. FUQUA** in VA and they had the following children: **Thomas Lawson, Susannah, John, William, Elizabeth, Martha, Polly, Sally, James, Smith, Matilda, and Lavinah**. Need info on **Margaret's** parents and siblings.  
Claire Fuqua, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**William A. FUQUA** is believed to have been born on 17 May 1864. He married **Sarah M. "Lizzie" SPAIN** on 23 December 1891 in Cherokee County, TX. **William** and **Sarah** are known to have had one son, **Frazier Adolphus FUQUA**, who was born 11 December 1892, and who lived with his grandparents in Cherokee County, TX after both parents died in 1899. Need info on all members of this family, particularly **William's** parents.  
James R. Fuqua, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Jack FUQUAY** was born July 1867 in Stephenson Station, IN. Need info on parents/siblings.  
Fuqua Family Foundation., P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Opha B. FUQUA** married **Elmer W. FARRELL** on 6 December 1940 in Skamania County, WA. The ceremony was performed by Orr A. Cheek, Minister. Need info on **Opha's** ancestors, siblings, and descendants.  
Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Sarah PRATHER** was the wife of **William FUQUA** (son of **Ralph Fuqua** and **Priscilla OWEN**). Need info on **Sarah's** parents/siblings.  
Claude Fuquay c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Elizabeth FUQUA**, daughter of **Joseph FUQUA Jr.** and **Judith DANIEL**, married **Edmund FERGUSON** on 23 April 1782 in Charles City, VA. Need info on this family, especially regarding **Elizabeth** and her descendants.  
Sharon Neem, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Mary Belle FUQUA** was married to **Wes SMITH**. They were both from Gainesville, Jackson County, TN. They had a son, **William Ezekiel SMITH Jr.** (born ca 1901) who married **Minnie Inez SMITHSON** on 27 December 1920 in Davidson County, TN. Need info on **William's** parents/siblings/descendants.  
Addie Dyal Rickey c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Gabriel FUQUA** was the son of **Joseph FUQUA Jr.** and **Rebekah \_\_\_\_\_**. He married **Judith \_\_\_\_\_**. They had several children (see page 83 of this newsletter). Need info on the parents/siblings of both **Rebekah** and **Judith**, as well as the exact date and place of **Gabriel's** marriage.  
Verna Fuqua Pace, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Benjamin FUQUA** married **Grace RAMSEY** on 23 June 1808 in Jackson County, TN and died there on 21 August 1842. **Martha H. FUQUA (FUQUAY)** was born on 19 November 1819 in TN, married **Elijah Anderson WEBB** on 29 October 1840 in Jackson County, TN, and died on 9 February 1891 in Chidester, AR. **Martha** and **Elijah** had a son, **Benjamin Allen WEBB** who was born on 6 February 1846 in Jackson County, TN. Need info on the parents/siblings/children of **Benjamin FUQUA**, and proof that **Martha** was his daughter.  
Gene K. Gregory, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**John FUQUAY** was born ca 1813 in NC, settled in Cass County, GA in 1840, and married (third) **Jane GENTRY** in GA ca 1849. **John's** children included **Henry Washington**, born in TN ca 1837, plus **William, Jane, and John**, all born in GA. Need info on **John FUQUAY's** parents.  
Harold & Evelyn Fuqua, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

The 1860 Census for Appanoose County, IA listed **Edward FUQUA** (age 25, born in KY), wife **Margaret** (age 25, born in IN), and two young children, **John** and **William**. Living nearby was a household which included **Moses FUQUA** (age 23), **Nancy** (age 31), **Hannah** (age 6, born in IA), and **Sarah** (age 4, born in IA). Need info on the relationship between these families as well as the identity of their parents.

Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**William FUQUA** was born in Kentucky ca. 1814. He married **Elizabeth A. FIGGINS** (who was born in Kentucky ca. 1820) on 24 December 1837 in Ralls County, MO (he was listed as being from Pike County, MO). In 1850 they were living in Saverton Township, Ralls County, MO with their children **John** (age 11), **James** (age 9), **Edward** (age 5), and **George** (age 1), all of whom were born in Missouri. In 1860 they were living in Clay Township, Ralls County, MO with the same children plus three girls who do not appear to be their own. Need info on **William's** parents/siblings, and **William's** whereabouts after 1860.

Frank Fuqua, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**Anna Beagle FUQUA** was born ca December 1814 in TN. She married **James Henderson CANTER** ca December 1832. They had thirteen children: **Sidney** (1834), **Marshall** (1836), **Timothy** (1837), **William** (1840), **Martha** and **Alexander** (1841), **Larkin** (1843), **Martha Ann** (1845), **Sarah** (1847), **Mary** (1850), **Mahala** (1853), **James Jr.** (1855), and **Savannah** (1858). Seeking info on **Anna's** parents/siblings and the descendants of her children. My family is from **Martha Ann**, born in 1845.

Carol McKillop, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

**John M. FUQUA**, son of **David** and **Druscilla TERRY FUQUA**, was born in Greenup County, KY, in 1807. He was married several times, and lived in IN and IA as well as KY. One of his wives, **Ellen**, was the mother of **Amanda FUQUA**, born in 1851. What was **Ellen's** maiden name, where was **Amanda** born, and was she the same **Amanda FUQUA** who was married to **Henry M. WITHROW** in Greenup County, KY on 2 June 1867?

William H. Johnson, c/o Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

The June 1890 Territorial Census for Reno City, Oklahoma listed on page 795, dwelling #133, **Thomas L. FUQUA** (age 33, born KY, lived in Indian Territory 8

years), wife **Cora** (age 28, born in WI), **Eva** (age unreadable, born WI), and **OKLEY** (a daughter, may have been born in OK, rest unreadable). Need additional info on this family.

Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

Mr. and Mrs. **Noble FUQUA** of the Backusburg Community of Calloway County KY celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on 27 December 1970. The couple was married on 25 December 1920 at South Fulton, Obion County, TN. In 1970 they had one daughter, **Frances FUQUA STOKES** who was a teacher at Christian County (KY) High School.



Need info on **Noble's** parents/siblings/descendants.

Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

The 1900 Census for Elmore County, AL listed **Henry M. FUQUA** (born April 1861), wife **Rena** (born June 1869), and brother **George** (born November 1881) all of AL. Need info on this family.

Fuqua Family Foundation, P.O. Box 260068, Littleton, CO 80126-0068

*The Foundation receives a constant stream of letters asking for family information of one sort or another. The volunteers who do ALL of the work of the Foundation do their very best to answer these letters in a timely manner. In most cases, it has been possible to provide the requested information. In other cases, queries are published in The Fuqua Foundation News to try and help obtain the requested information. The information received in responses to the queries is added to the database, and then passed not only to the person who made the query, but also to others who are known to have an interest in the information.*



# Genealogical Documents

**Will of Richard Booker Fuqua (Guillaume Fouquet, William, John, Joseph Jr. Fuqua)  
Eminance, Henry County, Kentucky**

**Will Book 16, Page 15, Henry County, Kentucky**

I Richard B. Fuqua of the County of Henry and State of Kentucky do make this my last will and testament hereby revoking all others heretofore made by me. I give and bequeath all my estate of every description to my son John S Fuqua, my daughters Sarah Hopkins, Susan A Turner, Martha A Martin and my two grandchildren Catherine Jane Moody [daughter of daughter Jane Catherine, deceased] and Palmer Pollard [son of daughter Miriam, deceased], to be divided equally between them - deducting from the portion of Catherine Jane Moody One hundred & fifty dollars which I have advanced to her mother, and from the portions of each of the others above named the amount I have advanced to each respectively and for which I hold their receipts. I appoint my son John S Fuqua Trustee for my said daughters and grandchildren with power to use, according to his discretion the money or other property hereby bequeathed to them for the sole and separate use and benefit of each respectively provided however, that he is to pay over to my said grandson, Palmer Pollard, his portion when he shall have attained the age of twenty one years - I desire that my said Trustee should loan out the money and pay to each of them the interest annually or often as he may see proper to do - but if he fail or neglect to loan the money, then he himself shall be held responsible for legal interest on the same for and during the time it may remain in his hands - or until he shall have invested it in properly for the benefit of each as above directed. I direct my said Trustee to pay to my granddaughter, Catherine Jane Moody, such portion of the principle coming to her, in addition to the annual interest, as may be necessary for her support - and in case she should marry and leave children at her death, then her portion is to be held in trust for them - but should she die without issue then, to revert equally to my children and grandchildren above named - and should my said grandson die without issue before arriving to the age of Twenty one, his portion also is to revert in like manner as that of my said granddaughter - but should he marry and have a child or children before that time then in case of his death during his minority, the same shall be given to his said child or children.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and scrole by way of seal this 14th day of December 1868

Signed in the presence of Richard B Fuqua (seal)  
James L Allen  
W.B. Wilson

State of Kentucky Henry County Court  
June Term 1876

The foregoing will of Richard B Fuqua was this day duly

admitted to probate and ordered to Record & Recorded  
Attest W.W. Turner C.H.C.C.

## Family Group Record

**HUSBAND: Richard Booker Fuqua**

Born: 4 Jun 1790 Place: Charlotte Co., VA  
Marr: 18 Jan 1823 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Died: Abt Jun 1876 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Father: Joseph Fuqua Jr.  
Mother: Catherine Palmer

**WIFE: Deborah Boone Sisk**

Born: 5 Jan 1802 Place:  
Died: 20 Aug 1850 Place: Henry Co., KY

**CHILDREN:**

1. Miriam Palmer Fuqua

Born: Place:  
Marr: Place:  
Died: Bef Dec 1868 Place:  
Spouse: E.B. Pollard

2. Jane Catherine Fuqua

Born: Place: Henry Co., KY  
(1st) Marr: Place:  
(2nd)Marr: Place:  
Died: Bef Dec 1868 Place:  
(1st) Spouse: William Taylor  
(2nd)Spouse: Richard Fuqua Moody

3. John Samuel Fuqua

Born: 4 May 1829 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Marr: 17 Dec 1860 Place: Fulton Co., KY  
Died: 24 Jun 1911 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Spouse: Nancy Jane (Nannie) Shaw

4. Susan Amanda Fuqua

Born: ca 1831 Place: KY  
Marr: 11 May 1854 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Died: Aft Dec 1868 Place:  
Spouse: Benjamin Franklin Turner

5. Mary Elizabeth (Betty) Fuqua

Born: ca 1833 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Marr: Place:  
Died: Bef Dec 1868 Place:  
Spouse: John F. Hagan

6. Sarah A. Fuqua

Born: ca 1834 Place:  
Marr: Place:  
Died: Aft Dec 1868 Place:  
Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_ Hopkins

7. Martha (Mattie) Fuqua  
 Born: 10 Mar 1834 Place: Henry Co., KY  
 (1st) Marr: Place:  
 (2nd) Marr: 4 Jan 1864 Place: Henry Co., KY  
 Died: Bef Dec 1868 Place:  
 (1st) Spouse: Nicholas Pollard  
 (2nd) Spouse: P.B. Martin

8. Armita Fuqua  
 Born: ca 1841 Place:  
 Marr: Place:  
 Died: Bef Dec 1868 Place:

**Will of Nancy Jane (Nannie) Fuqua, spouse of John Samuel Fuqua (Guillaume Fouquet, William, John, Joseph Jr., Richard Fuqua) Eminence, Henry County, Kentucky**

**Will Book 16, Page 492, Henry County, Kentucky**

Know all men that I Nannie J. Fuqua being of sound mind and disposing memory do make publish and declare this to be my last will and testament hereby revoking any other will heretofore made by me.

After my just debts and funeral expenses are paid I give and devise to my husband John S. Fuqua all my property real and personal and mixed of every kind and description and wherever situated to have and to hold, same during his life, After the death of my said husband, I give to my daughter Hattie Fuqua Moody and the heirs of her body the two story frame residence and lot situated on north side of elm street in the City of Eminence, KY, the balance of my property of all kinds to be given at will by my husband John S. Fuqua to my son J[ohn] Richard Fuqua.

I nominate and appoint my husband John S. Fuqua, executor under this will and direct that he qualify without bond, and that no inventory of my estate be made.

In testimony whereof witness my signature this 8th day of September 1900.

Nannie J. Fuqua

We the undersigned subscribe our names hereto as witnesses to the foregoing last will and testament of Nannie J. Fuqua, at her request and in her presence, and in the presence of each other and she signs in our presence and all of us sign our names simultaneously in the presence of the other.

Eminence KY Sept. 8th 1900  
 W.O. Moody  
 Jno D. Shaw

Henry County Court November 5th 1906

The foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Nannie J. Fuqua deceased, was this day offered for probate which was duly proven by oath

of W.O. Moody one of the attesting witnesses thereto to be the last will and testament of Nannie J. Fuqua deceased, Jno D. Shaw the other attesting witness being absent his signature and attestation was duly proven by the oath of the said W.O. Moody whereupon the same was adjudged and declared by the court to be the last will and testament of the said Nannie J. Fuqua deceased, and ordered to be filed and recorded as such which is now done accordingly.  
 Attest S T Dunthitt C.H.C.C.

**Will of John Samuel Fuqua (Guillaume Fouquet, William, John, Joseph Jr., Richard Fuqua) Eminence, Henry County, Kentucky**

**Will Book 17, Page 16, Henry County, Kentucky**

The last will and testament of J.S. Fuqua. Henry CO Ky  
 August 17th 1908

I do hereby and herein will and bequeath to my son John Richard Fuqua in connection with the will of my deceased wife Nannie J. Fuqua's will all of my interest in the Hotel property known as the Moody House. to have and to hold during his natural life time and it is herein provided that should the said John Richard Fuqua die without heirs then what is left of the effects of the aforesaid Hotel property is to go to the heirs of his sister Mrs Hattie Fuqua Moody it is further provided that my funeral and burial expenses shall first be paid from the proceeds of the above said Hotel property.

I further will that if the said J.R. Fuqua should not out live myself then I will that my daughter Hattie Fuqua Moody or the legal representative of her estate shall qualify and carry out the provisions of the above will of J.S. Fuqua.

Codacil

I desire that the said John Richard Fuqua shall act as administrator or executor without bond.

Written and signed by my own hand day and date above.

John S. Fuqua

Henry County Court July 3, 1911

The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John S. Fuqua, deceased together with a Codicil thereto was this day offered for probate, which was duly proved by the oaths of John R. Fuqua and W.R. Moody to be wholly in the hand writing of the said decedent, and signed by him in his own proper hand, and the Court being satisfied from proof heard, that the same is wholly in the hand writing of said John S. Fuqua, deceased, and signed by him with his own proper hand. It is adjudged and declared by the Court to be the last will and testament of the said John S. Fuqua deceased, and ordered to be filed and recorded as such, which is now done accordingly.

Attest: S T Dunthitt Clerk

**Deed of sale of property by John S. Fuqua, R.W. Moody, Hattie Fuqua Moody, and John R. Fuqua. Eminence, Henry County, Kentucky**

**Deed Book 66, Pages 594 and 595, Henry County, KY**

WHEREAS John S. Fuqua & Nannie Fuqua his wife, Miss

ers deed recorded in Commissioners Deed Book 3 Page 482 case of D.P Brannin &c vs John Brannin &C in the Henry Circuit Court. To have and to hold unto the second party his heirs and assigns forever with Covenant and General Warranty,

In testimony whereof the parties of the first part have hereto set their names and seals this day and date first written.

John S. Fuqua  
R. W. Moody  
Hattie Fuqua Moody  
J.R. Fuqua

)sect

County of Henry

I William P. Thorne a notary public in and for the County and State aforesaid do certify that the foregoing deed from John S. Fuqua Hattie Fuqua Moody and R.W. Moody her husband to C.W. Bauer was this day produced to me in my County and signed and acknowledged by them the aforesaid grantors John S. Fuqua, Hattie Fuqua Moody, and R.W. Moody her husband to be each their act and deed all of which is certified to the proper office for record.

Given under my hand and seal this the 7th day of January 1911.

Wm. P. Thorne

(seal) Notary Public, Henry Co., KY.  
My Commission expires March 44[?], 1914.

MEXICO D F. MEXICO

I ARNOLD SHANKLIN CONSUL GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AT MEXICO. MEXICO duly appointed Commissioned and qualified to take acknowledgements to deeds having a Seal Certify that on this day the foregoing deed was produced to me in my territory by J. Richard Fuqua a single or unmarried man and signed and acknowledged the foregoing Deed from John S. Fuqua, Hattie Fuqua Moody, and R. W. Moody her husband and J. Richard Fuqua to C.W. Bauer to be his act and deed all of which is certified to the proper office for record, In testimony whereof I have set my hand and seal official this 13th day of January A.D. 1911.

Arnold Shanklin

(seal) Consul General of the United States of America at Mexico. Mexico

N.S.No. 43, Tariff No. 31

\$2 (Received \$4.04 Mexican Pesos

Fee Stamp equal to \$2.00 U.S.CY.)

dle of the Alley that separates the Barbershop lot and the Hotel lot, Thence in a west direction with the center of the Alley out to a corner at the edge of the sidewalk, Thence in a North direction with the Sidewalk to the Beginning Corner It being the Southwest Corner of the Bank Deposit lot. This is the same property conveyed to the first party by two

ence KY Fuqua & wife an er an undivided one fourth, one fourth, which property or \$7000, Mrs Fuqua is dead aw J.S. Fuqua her husband, Moody & J. Richard Fuqua ge, this deed is intended to lf of the property hereinafter d of Conveyance made and of January 1911 by and be- a Moody & R.W. Moody all Y and J. Richard Fuqua of Charles W. Bauer of Emi- ond part Witnesseth,

part [should say first part] ren have this day for and in Thirty Five hundred dollars ys to-wit, Seven hundred & l receipt acknowledged Five ths, Five hundred dollars in undred dollars in thirty six in Forty eight months, and fifty dollars in sixty months notes of even tenor and date interest from date until paid ve described house and lot by these presence do hereby party his heirs and assigns in and to the following real house and lot, in Eminence n the east side of main street Beginning at a corner at the street at the Southwest cor- thence in an east direction e Deposit Building, to its n a north direction with the g to a corner in the Line of irs said Corner being the Building, Thence in an east of the Rice lot to a corner e with the West line of said tel property to Bauers lot it and the Southeast corner of auers line in West direction e Barbershop lot owned by e division line it being the hop to a corner in the Mid-

moody must an undivided one ha Woolridge heirs has been sold to leaving as her o Hattie Fuqua M who lives in Me convey their und described, There entered into this tween J.S. Fuqua of Eminence He Mexico of the fi nence henry Cou That the parties the said J.S. Fuq consideration of paid and to be p fifty dollars cash hundred dollars i twenty four mor months, Five hu the balance Seve from date eviden herewith bearing secured by a lie have bargained a sell and convey an undivided one estate known as Henry County K seventy five feet edge of the side ner of the Depos with the south Southeast rear co rear wall of the the lot of Thom Northeast corner direction with th with Rice in an Alley to the Corn being Bauers Nor this Hotel lot, T to the Southeast John A. Crabb T rear line of the C

STATE of KENTUCKY,)

County of Henry.)Sct

I, Wm. Stalker, Clerk of the County Court of the County aforesaid, do certify that the foregoing Deed was on the 9th day of March 1918 lodged in my office for record; and that I have truly recorded it, together with this and the foregoing certificate, in my said office.

Witness my hand this 14th. day of March, 1918.

\$\$Wm Stalker - C. H. C. C.

*The following was hand written in the margin on page 594.*

The undersigned, Hattie Fuqua Moody, being the only heir, of Nannie Fuqua and J.S. Fuqua, R.W. Moody and J. Richard Fuqua. all of whom are deceased, does hereby release all liens retained herein, this 15th day of March - 1918.

Attest Wm Stalker C.H.C.C. Hattie Fuqua Moody.

### Family Group Record

HUSBAND: John Samuel Fuqua

Born: 4 May 1829 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Marr: 17 Dec 1860 Place: Fulton Co., KY  
Died: 24 Jun 1911 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Father: Richard Booker Fuqua  
Mother: Deborah Boone Sisk

WIFE: Nancy Jane (Nannie J.) Shaw

Born: ca 1840 Place: KY  
Died: ca 1906 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Shaw  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

CHILDREN:

1. Hattie Fuqua

Born: 4 Oct 1861 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Marr: 18 Jan 1882 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Died: Aft Mar 1918 Place:  
Spouse: Richard Willis Moody

2. John Richard Fuqua

Born: ca 1863 Place:  
Marr: Place:  
Died: ca 1915 Place: Mexico  
Spouse:

3. George Coffey Fuqua

Born: ca 1866 Place:  
Marr: Place:  
Died: ca 1888 Place: Henry Co., KY  
Spouse:

**Guardianship Bond by Zelpha Fuquay, Widow of Aaron Fuquay (Guillaume Fouquet, Ralph and Henry Fuqua, Joseph Fuquay) Warrick County, Indiana**

Source not identified by submitter

Know all men by these presents that we Zelpha Fuquay and Chester Elliot are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the final sum of six hundred dollars the payment of which sum we bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals & dated this 12th day of July, 1838

The condition of the above obligation is said that whereas the above bound Zelpha Fuquay has been appointed by the probate Court of Warrick County Guardian of the infant heirs of Aaron Fuquay to wit Franklin F Fuquay - Mary E Fuquay - Frances M Fuquay - Phideler Ann Fuquay - Aaron Addison Fuquay and Orsamus O Fuquay

Now if the above bound Zelpha Fuquay shall well and truly & faithfully perform the duties as said Guardians of said heirs as aforesaid according to the statute laws of the State of Indiana their word in that Case the above bond to be due & paid else to be and remain in full force & virtue Given under our hands & Seals this the day and date above written Zelpha Fuquay (Seal)

Chester Elliot (Seal)

### Family Group Record

HUSBAND: Aaron Fuquay

Born: ca 1797 Place: Nelson Co., KY  
Marr: 7 May 1822 Place: Warrick Co., IN  
Died: 20 Oct 1832 Place: Warrick Co., IN  
Father: Joseph Fuquay  
Mother: Elizabeth Lout

WIFE: Zelpha Melvina Ellis

Born: ca 1803 Place: MA  
Died: 28 Nov 1843 Place: Warrick Co., IN

CHILDREN:

1. Franklin F. Fuquay B/D: 15 Dec 1823/17 Mar 1891  
2. Mary E. Fuquay B/D: 31 Jan 1825/16 Sep 1864  
3. Ferdinand Fuquay B/D: 10 Sep 1827/16 Sep 1827  
4. Phidelia A. Fuquay B/D: 8 Mar 1828/  
5. Francis M. Fuquay B/D: 28 Dec 1829/22 Dec 1846  
6. Aaron A Fuquay B/D: 18 Apr 1831/ 7 Sep 1863  
7. Orsamus O. Fuquay B/D: 31 Jan 1833/30 Oct 1866

*This Family Group Record has been abbreviated. A more complete record can be obtained on request.*

# California Death Index 1965 - 1970, a continuing series

Surname	First Name	Initials	Spouse's Initials	Sex	Social Security #	Death County	Death Date	Registrar Number	State File Number
Fuqua	Clarence	V		M	332-16-3402	70	02-23-66	84740	27938
Fuqua	Claude	M	E	M	572-01-0521	34	01-23-67	2410	7532
Fuqua	Dameon	L		M		60	02-10-70	885	37703
Fuqua	Earline	L	L	F	553-30-6376	30	07-08-70	4700	90850
Fuqua	Edward	D	I	M	565-01-4307	39	09-03-67	17500	100411
Fuqua	Elijah	G	LG	M	562-28-5162	70	09-25-69	400230	115234
Fuqua	Ernest	A		M	549-07-5244	70	03-15-65	103640	33474
Fuqua	Floye	I	R	F	559-68-1090	70	11-13-70	46205	141665
Fuqua	Gertrude	N	GT	F	566-20-1585	07	01-08-69	840	440
Fuqua	Henry	G	G	M	572-50-2631	39	03-21-65	5340	26246
Fuqua	James	H	J	M	568-07-0859	70	06-04-67	230690	67701
Fuqua	Jane	M		F		17	07-09-65	1390	67003
Fuqua	Julia		L	F	085-05-8665	41	02-21-70	583	23341
Fuqua	Leta	L	CV	F	430-44-3429	70	02-20-66	86100	27939
Fuqua	Lloyd	C	WJ	M	307-03-6918	70	12-23-68	520770	149223
Fuqua	Mary	R		F	559-16-7058	09	10-26-69	3020	123808
Fuqua	Mildred		WT	F	295-18-3210	36	01-31-70	509	20225
Fuqua	Robert	F	DA	M	564-10-1425	70	11-06-68	39070	133183
Fuqua	Shelly			M		60	02-10-70	884	37704
Fuqua	Steven	E	RL	M	572-18-2033	47	09-26-65	2320	105934
Fuqua	Thomas		M	M	522-10-2233	39	10-27-65	20190	116238
Fuqua	William	W	BB	M	522-10-9523	70	12-12-69	516000	151586
Fuquay	James	W		M		33	06-06-67	17630	60134
Fuquay	Paul	Q		M		90	05-31-67	40910	74213

(to be continued)

## California counties listed above:

07 - Contra Costa  
 09 - El Dorado  
 17 - Lake  
 30 - Orange  
 33 - Riverside  
 34 - Sacramento  
 36 - San Bernardino  
 39 - San Joaquin  
 41 - San Mateo  
 47 - Siskiyou  
 60 - Alameda  
 70 - Los Angeles  
 90 - San Francisco

## California Death Certificates (\$9 each) can be ordered from:

By Mail: Office of the State Registrar of Vital Statistics  
 California Department of Health Services  
 410 N Street  
 Sacramento, CA 95814-4381  
 By Fax: (800) 858-5553 (provide VISA or MasterCard info)

# Genealogy and Personal Computers

## Genealogists do it ON-LINE!

In the last issue, we provided a brief overview of the various on-line services which include genealogical information. We also provided a high level description of America On-line, one of the most rapidly growing services. This article is a continuation of service descriptions.

## Compuserve

Compuserve is probably the most well known of the commercial on-line services. With rising competition, Compuserve lowered its rates in February of this year.

The monthly service fee is now \$9.95 which provides for unlimited access 24 hours per day to more than 100 basic services. This includes 90 free three page mail messages per month. Connect time charges are now \$4.80 per hour (8¢ per minute) for all MODEM speeds up to 14,400 bps. Connect time charges do not apply when composing, sending or receiving mail messages. Other than connect time charges there is no fee for posting or reading messages in the genealogy section.

Connections can be made, in most large cities, through a local telephone number. In more sparsely populated areas, a long distance call to the nearest connection point may be required. Compuserve provides a list of all of the connection numbers which can be used.

Like all of the commercial services, Compuserve has so many features that a thick manual is required to explain them all. For the purposes of this article, only the genealogy section will be described.

After connecting to the service, the keyword ROOTS is used to get to the genealogy section. Once within this section, a menu is displayed which offers a list of genealogical subjects for which messages have been posted. On the day of this writing, the list was as follows.

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Messages</u>	<u>Topics</u>
I'm new and....	198	78
U.S. Surnames A-G	451	259
U.S. Surnames H-M	370	213
U.S. Surnames N-S	320	178
U.S. Surnames T-Z	185	103
Canadian Genealogy	163	52
UK & Irish Genealogy	292	117
European Genealogy	181	92
Latin America	67	26
All Other Countries	11	6
Jewish Genealogy	43	15

Menu continued.....

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Messages</u>	<u>Topics</u>
Societies/Libraries	30	18
How to Find Records	275	114
Software/Computers	85	31
History/Heraldry	3	3
Adoption Searches	190	61
Wandering Messages	24	13
Ask the SYSOPS	40	23

The genealogy library contains 15 sections which contain files which can be downloaded. These include text files, graphic files, and executable genealogical software files.

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Files</u>
New to Genealogy?	66
Windows Software	127
MS-DOS	400+
Macintosh	63
Other	37
Text Files	434
Info About Surnames	179
Tiny Tafel Files	663
Societies & Org's	208
Salt Lake City Rec.	200+
Public Archives	188
Book Reviews	400+
Genealogy Magazines	457
Graphics Files	154
Compuserve Info	21

File downloads can be accomplished using the features of the communications software you used to connect to Compuserve. There are also a number of communication packages which have been designed to work exclusively with Compuserve. For the newcomer, these packages may be easier to use.

The Compuserve Information Manager is available in both Windows and DOS versions. The latest versions are WinCIM 1.4 and DOSCIM 2.2.3, both of which can be downloaded directly from Compuserve (GO CiMSOFT).

A demonstration version of NavCIS Pro can also be downloaded (GO DVORAK, Lib 1, WPROTE.EXE). The producer can be contacted at 1-800-861-0345.

These and others provide for "offline" processing which will reduce connection time charges significantly.

Compuserve can be contacted at 1-800-848-8199.

# Pot-Pourri

## His own grandfather?

*The following article is from the 30 April 1822 edition of The Western Citizen, a newspaper published in Paris, Bourbon county, Kentucky.*

### Proof that a man may be his own grandfather.

There was a widow and her daughter-in-law and a man and his son. The widow married the son and the daughter the old man; the widow was therefore mother to her husband's father, consequently grandmother to her own husband. They had a son to whom she was great-grandmother; now, as the son of a great-grandmother must be either a great uncle, this boy was therefore his own grandfather.

*Although it appears that something was inadvertently left out of the last sentence, it still seems to make sense... sort of.*

## Colonial occupations

*The following list of little known colonial occupations was published in the May 1994 newsletter of the Permian Basin Genealogical Society.*

- Colporteur - Peddler of Books
- Stuffgownsmen - Jr. Barrister
- Pettifogger - Shyster Lawyer
- Boniface - Innkeeper
- Perigrinator - Itinerant Worker
- Duffer - Peddler
- Manciple - Steward
- Snobscat - Repaired Shoes
- Hatcheler - Combed or Carded Flax
- Webster - Operated Looms
- Vulcan - Blacksmith
- Tipstaff - Policeman
- Whitwing - Streetsweeper
- Chiffonnier - Ragpicker
- Bluestocking - Female Writer
- Rattlewatch - Town Watchman
- Crowner - Coroner
- Tide Waiter - Customs Inspector
- Scrutineer - Election Judge

## Adoption records

"In Re" means "in regards to something". That something for a genealogist might be an adoption record. You sometimes find adoptions listed in the county record books where divorce and probate records are filed. The courts were very clever and instead of putting adoptions under

"A" they placed them under "I". In these record books, generally open to the public, they are indexed alphabetically. The first rule is to NEVER say you are looking for an adoption, but rather say divorce or probate. Then turn to the "I" index to find "In Re". Under this you may find In Re: petition to change name, petition to adopt, etc.

*From the May 1994 newsletter of the Permian Basin Genealogical Society.*

## Copy machine hint

When copying photographs on a photocopy machine, the quality can be improved by using a copyscreen. These are available in 65 to 85 line sizes. Use of the screen under a photo being copied creates a dot matrix image and produces a copy with better detail and contrast balances. Such screens are available from larger art supply stores.

*From the newsletter of the Mesquite Historical Genealogical Society.*

## Poor children

Prior to the laws that gave our country free public education, the bill for schooling their children was paid by the parents. If the parents were unable to pay, the county would take care of the fee. This was noted in the local township tax records. The list is usually found after the tax assessments. All children between the ages of 5 and 12, whose parents were unable to pay, are listed. Many times the father's name and the exact age of the child are noted. This is a wealth of information. Census records of the day listed only the head of the household and age ranges of males and females. These "poor children" records provide a unique opportunity to establish families prior to 1850 with primary source material.

*From Lycoming Lineage, the newsletter of the Lycoming County [PA] Genealogical Society.*

## L.O.C. catalog on Internet!

The catalog of the Library of Congress is now open to computer operators via the Internet. The catalog is called Library of Congress Information System (LOCIS) and contains 15 million catalog records. It is available free of charge for search via computer and MODEM, M-F 6:30 AM to 9:30 PM, Sat 8 AM to 5 PM, and Sun 1 to 5 PM. Call 1-800-444-4345 for more information.

*From the newsletter of the Mission Oaks Genealogy Club, Carmichael, California*

"A" they placed them under "T". In these record books generally open to the public, they are indexed alphabetically. The first rule is to NEVER say you are looking for an adoption, but rather say divorce or probate. Then turn to the "T" index to find "In Re". Under this you may find in the petition to change name, petition to adopt, etc.

From the May 1994 newsletter of the Permian Basin Genealogical Society.

### Copy machine hint

When copying photographs on a photocopier machine, the quality can be improved by using a copystone. These are available in 62 to 82 line sizes. Use of the screen under a photo being copied creates a dot matrix image and produces a copy with better detail and contrast balance. Such screens are available from larger art supply stores.

From the newsletter of the Mesquite Historical Genealogical Society.

### Poor children

Prior to the laws that gave our country free public education, the bill for schooling their children was paid by the parents. If the parents were unable to pay, the county would take care of the fee. This was noted in the local township tax records. The list is usually found after the tax assessments. All children between the ages of 5 and 12, whose parents were unable to pay, were listed. This is a wealth of information. The father's name and the mother's name are listed only the head of the household and age ranges of males and females. These "poor children" records provide a unique opportunity to establish families prior to 1850 with primary source material.

From Wyoming lineage, the newsletter of the Wyoming County (PA) Genealogical Society.

### L.O.C. catalog on internet

The catalog of the Library of Congress is now open to computer operators via the Internet. The catalog is called Library of Congress Information System (LOCIS) and contains 12 million catalog records. It is available free of charge for search via computer and MODEM. M-F 6:30 AM to 9:30 PM, Sat 8 AM to 5 PM, and Sun 1 to 5 PM. Call 1-800-444-1343 for more information.

From the newsletter of the Mission Oaks Genealogy Club, Camarillo, California.

### His own grandfather?

The following article is from the 30 April 1853 edition of The Western Citizen, a newspaper published in Paris Bourbon county, Kentucky.

Prove that a man may be his own grandfather.

There was a widow and her daughter-in-law and a man and his son. The widow married the son and the daughter the old man; the widow was therefore mother to her husband's father, consequently grandmother to her own husband. They had a son to whom she was great-grandmother, now as the son of a great-grandmother must be either a great uncle, this boy was therefore his own grandfather.

Although it appears that something was inadvertently left out of the last sentence, it still seems to make sense.

### Colonial occupations

The following list of little known colonial occupations was published in the May 1994 newsletter of the Permian Basin Genealogical Society.

- Colporteur - Peddler of Books
- Stuffingman - Jr. Farmer
- Pentologist - Sister Lawyer
- Boniface - Banker
- Portmanteau - Blacksmith Worker
- Duffin - Peddler
- Masque - Steward
- Snoose - Repeated Shoes
- Hatchel - Combed or Carded Flax
- Webster - Operated Looms
- Volcan - Blacksmith
- Tipstaff - Policeman
- Whining - Stenographer
- Chiffonier - Rapsodist
- Blusocking - Female Writer
- Rattawatch - Town Watchman
- Crowner - Coroner
- The Waiter - Customs Inspector
- Sentinel - Election Judge

### Adoption records

"In Re" means "in regard to something". That something is a record. You sometimes find adoptions under

**If the last line of your mailing label says VOL 3-1, your subscription has expired with this issue. Please submit \$15 for a one year renewal. You don't want to miss a single issue!**