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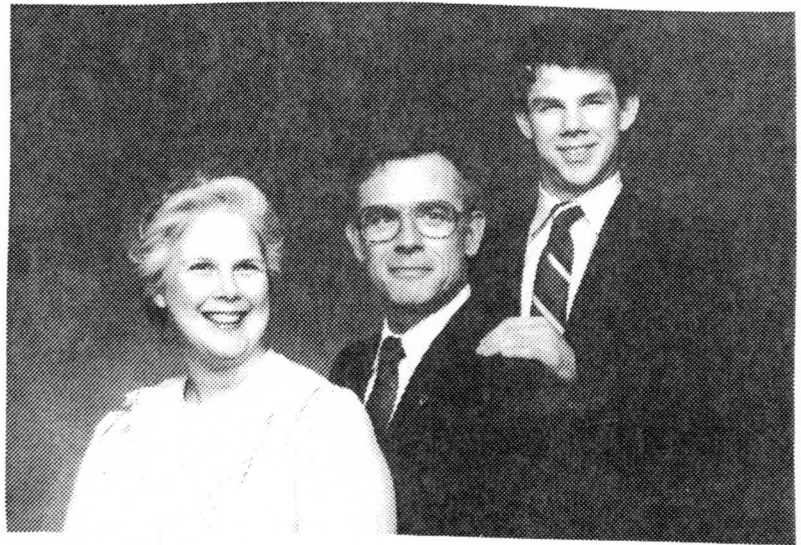
FAMILY PROFILE

MICHAEL PRICE RUCKER & HARRIET ALLEN JONES

"An arranged marriage," is what Harriet Allen Jones Rucker calls her marriage to her third cousin Michael Price Rucker. The two met at the wedding of Mike's first cousin (Harriet's third cousin), Martha Anne Rucker to Raymond Diggle June 25, 1966.

They did not correspond with each other initially. Shortly after that, Mike was assigned to Singapore by his employer, Caterpillar Tractor Co. During his two year stay in the Far East, Mike's grandmother, Lillian Eliza, Rucker wrote him urging him to "seriously consider" Harriet. "You are not too close kin," she advised him. Lillian should have known, she married her third cousin (once removed), Dr. Henry Cowles Rucker.

Mike heeded his grandmother's sage advice and began corresponding with Harriet. Shortly after Mike's return to the U. S., they were married on September 20, 1969. The wedding was held at Arlington's Westover Baptist Church. Harriet's grandfather, Ashton Crenshaw Jones, a founder of the Geo. H. Rucker Realty Corp., is credited with providing the financial contribution to build that church.



Harriet, Mike, and Derek Rucker

Mike was born August 9, 1940, at Pinehurst, NC, the son of Henry Cowles Rucker Jr. and Phoebe Katherine Price. Harriet was born April 18, 1945, in Washington, DC, the daughter of John (Jack) Rucker Jones and Helen Peck McClagherty.

Mike and Harriet have one child, Derek Peck Rucker, born in Peoria, IL, on September 21, 1971. Derek is currently a junior in Materials Engineering at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Among other activities, Derek is "lead Sabre" and a squad leader for the MIT varsity fencing team.

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Derek is descended from Peter¹ Rucker by four lines on his father's side and three on his mother's side. Can any other cousin claim this many lines of descent from our first American Rucker forefather?

Mike graduated from Virginia Tech with a B. S. in Civil Engineering in March 1963. He immediately began employment with Caterpillar in Peoria, IL. He is currently a Marketing Supervisor there. Mike and Harriet agree that his most enjoyable assignment was four years in Melbourne, Australia, from 1973 through 1977.

Unfortunately, while in Australia, Harriet was diagnosed as having multiple sclerosis. This precluded the possibility of additional overseas assignments for the family.



Campaigning for the Duryea car
Photo, courtesy of The Peoria Journal Star

Since returning to Peoria, Mike has become quite involved with community activities. He was president of the Peoria Regional Museum Society for two years. In this connec-

tion, Mike agreed to accept the leadership role in an endeavor called "The Duryea Trust."

The initial goal of this not-for-profit organization was to purchase one of America's earliest automobiles and return it to Peoria, its place of origin. The vehicle was built in 1898 by Charles Duryea of Peoria, who with his brother, Frank, invented America's first successful gasoline powered automobile. The brothers had invented the first car in Springfield, MA, but Charles returned to Peoria and began making vehicles there in 1898.

Only two of these early Peoria vehicles remain and the price for this one is a hefty \$125,000. The fund raising was going smoothly until September, 1990, when the project took a strange twist: an individual challenged whether the vehicle in question was made in Peoria. The dispute raised by this auto historian was picked up by the Associated Press and made news across the nation. Many of the automobile interest magazines picked up on the story as well.

Mike states: "Here we were trying to do something nice for the community and this individual attempted to charge us with a federal crime of using the U. S. Postal Service for false solicitation. Actually, the challenge to the vehicle's authenticity turned out to be the best publicity we could have gotten." Mike and his group have now proven to the satisfaction of the public and the media that the vehicle was made in Peoria and the fund raising is proceeding well.

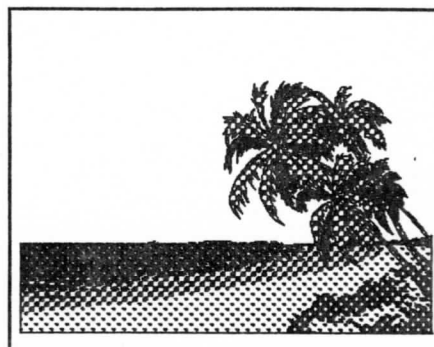
Mike is currently serving his third term as president of the Peoria Area Arts & Sciences Council (PAASC). PAASC is a federation of 55 arts and sciences organizations covering five counties. It is the official arts organization" for the City of Peoria and is the area's

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DROWNINGS OF RUCKER RELATIVES

Peter Rucker survived the shipwreck on his arrival in America. Others have not been so lucky. Here is the story of two drownings of Rucker relatives:

MARCELLUS⁷ PARKS RUCKER, born 26 July 1834, Amherst County, drowned 26 April 1862, Robinson River. Body not recovered. Husband of Lizzie Higginbotham, Co. E., 2nd Calvary. [From Tombstone, "Poplar Grove," home of the Higginbothams, Amherst Co., VA. Marcellus was the son of Nathan⁶ Dawson Rucker and Mary Woodroof.] The following article is from Sudie Rucker Wood's, Rucker Family Genealogy, p.84-85:



MARCELLUS RUCKER MARRIED ELIZABETH HIGGINBOTHAM SHORTLY BEFORE JOINING THE 2ND VIRGINIA CAVALRY, COMPANY "E." WHEN HIS DAUGHTER, MINNIE, WAS BORN, HE CAME HOME ON A FURLOUGH. THIS WAS THE LAST TIME HE EVER SAW HIS FAMILY. HIS COMPANY WAS ON PICKET DUTY NEAR ROBINSON RIVER WHERE THEY WERE DRIVEN BACK BY; THE ADVANCING FEDERAL FORCES. WHEN THEY REACHED ROBINSON RIVER IT WAS PAST FORDING, BUT THE ORDER WAS GIVEN TO SWIM ACROSS. THE CAPE THAT MARCELLUS WAS WEARING BECAME ENTANGLED IN GRAPEVINES OVERHANGING, ALSO HIS HORSE, WHICH WAS WASHED FROM UNDER HIM. HIS COUSIN, HENRY⁶ RUCKER SWAM HIS HORSE AFTER HIM TRYING TO UNTANGLE AND SAVE HIM, BUT BOTH BECOMING ENDANGERED, AND MARCELLUS GOING DOWN, HENRY HAD TO FOLLOW HIS COMPANY. MARCELLUS'S BODY WAS LATER FOUND BY THE RESIDENTS AND BURIED, BUT LATER HEAVY RAINS WASHED IT UP, TAKING IT DOWN THE RIVER, AND WAS NEVER RECOVERED.

A SAD CASE OF DROWNING

The following was copied from a clipping printed in the Harrisonburg, VA, newspaper and sent to us by Marvin Robinson, 2133 Montgomery Ave. 231, Woodbridge, VA 22191. It was dated 14 Feb. 1890:

ON FRIDAY NIGHT, MR. W(ILLIAM) H. ROBINSON, OF THE RAWLEY SPRINGS NEIGHBORHOOD, WAS DROWNED IN DRY RIVER.

IT SEEMS THAT MR. ROBINSON, WHO CARRIES THE MAIL PART OF THE WAY TO FRANKLIN, PENDLETON CO., W. VA., STARTED ON FRIDAY MORNING WITH THE MAIL AS USUAL, AND MET THE MAIL-CARRIER COMING EAST AT THE USUAL POINT AT THE FOOT OF THE MOUNTAIN ON THE OTHER SIDE. THE HARD RAIN WHICH FELL CAME THROUGH THE MOUNTAIN, LEAPING, FOAMING, AND RUSHING MADLY ON OVER THE STONES AS ONLY A MOUNTAIN STREAM DOES.

MR. ROBINSON WAS SEEN ON HIS RETURN BY SEVERAL, AND WE UNDERSTAND STOPPED AT COL. GLADWELL'S FOR A SHORT WHILE. WHEN HE GOT OPPOSITE TO RAWLEY SPRINGS, HE ATTEMPTED ABOUT NIGHT TO FORD THE RIVER ON AN OLD DAM, BUT HE AND HIS HORSE WERE SWEEPED DOWN BY THE IRRESISTIBLE CURRENT. HIS BODY WAS NOT FOUND UNTIL SUNDAY, THOUGH A DILIGENT SEARCH WAS KEPT UP FOR IT. WHEN FOUND IT WAS ABOUT TWO MILES BELOW THE PLACE HE WAS DROWNED, AND THE MAIL POUCH WAS FOUND ABOUT 150 YARDS FROM WHERE HIS BODY WAS.

THE HORSE GOT OUT ABOUT 250 YARDS BELOW THE FORDING, THE PLACE WHERE HE SCRAMBLED BEING PLAINLY SEEN, AND IT WAS UP AN ALMOST PERPENDICULAR BANK. W. H. ROBINSON WAS A ONE-LEGGED CONFEDERATE SOLDIER AND A MAN POSSESSED OF MANY GENEROUS AND KINDLY IMPULSES. HE LEAVES A WIFE (LUCY RUCKER) AND SEVERAL CHILDREN TO MOURN HIS LOSS.

HE WAS BORN ON THE SECOND DAY OF MARCH, 1840, AND CONSEQUENTLY WOULD HAVE BEEN FIFTY YEARS OLD HAD HE LIVED UNTIL THE 2ND DAY OF MARCH NEXT.

HIS FUNERAL WILL BE PREACHED ON THE 2ND DAY OF MARCH NEXT.

WILLIAM H. ROBINSON, born ca. 1840, married LUCY RUCKER. Their children are: Tilden Robinson, born 12 Aug. 1877, Buck Robinson, Ada Robinson, and Charles Robinson (no kin to the Editor's husband).

Mike and Harriet Rucker

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regranting agency for the Illinois Arts Council.

Mike and Harriet noted the significant impact that the regranting funds have had on advancing the arts and quality of life within the area, but were concerned that nothing was available for the sciences. So, in December, 1990, the couple started the "Michael P. and Harriet J. Rucker Science Endowment Fund" to further science education and interest within the Peoria Area. Mike insists: "It really is just a very small beginning, but we hope to make it grow."

Mike also serves on the Board of Trustees of Peoria's Lakeview Museum of Arts & Sciences as chairman of the Science Committee. He is particularly pleased that Lakeview's first science "Blockbuster," Dinosaurs Alive, during Summer, 1990, drew larger attendance than any previous art exhibit including Norman Rockwell, Grand-

ma Moses, Rodin, and other renowned artists. "I love art" Mike asserts, "But not enough is being done for the sciences."

Harriet maintains that Mike's major fault is that "He doesn't know how to say no!" As a case in point, she notes that he recently accepted an invitation from the mayor to join the board of Peoria Housing Commission. Mike's response: "Everyone is concerned about housing these days, someone has to do something."

The remainder of Mike's "spare time" is involved with the Geo. H. Rucker Realty Corp. of Arlington, VA. His father-in-law, Jack Rucker Jones, asked him to become involved with the company in 1981. Mike was elected chairman of the board in 1989. He travels to Arlington during most of his "Vacation days" in conjunction with his Rucker Realty duties and plans to assume a full time role with the company upon his eventual retirement from Caterpillar.

(See Mike and Harriet Rucker's Lineage Chart on p.10)

LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

Thanks to all who sent in the correct address for Tom and Suzanne Brannan. No one has notified us of the address of James Edwards or Thelma Rucker as yet. Other Lost Ruckers are:
Miss Debbie Rucker, Rt. 8, Box 207, Decar, IL 62522.
Mr. Thomas Hutton, Rt. 2, 7 Chimney Hill Drive, Temple, TX 76502.
Mrs. Naomi King, Rt. 3, 70 Apple Way, Madison Heights, Va 24572.

NOTICE TO ALL DESCENDANTS WHO HAVE NOT SENT IN THEIR LINEAGE CHART: Send it to Doris Edwards, 2017 43rd S.E. U-2, Grand Rapids, MI 49508.

NEW MEMBERS: This newsletter is being sent to members only, now totaling 238. If you know of someone who wants to join, have them send \$5.00, dues for 1991, and donations to the Cemetery Repair Fund to the treasurer: Lewis M. White, 9751 Firth Court, Vienna, VA 22181.

NOTE TO DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM RUCKER: This summer, I plan to research William² Rucker and his descendants in Amelia County, VA. I would greatly appreciate any information on William and his sisters, Margaret² Tinsley and Ann² Cook, who also settled in Amelia County. Write to Mrs. Jean B. Robinson, 304 Charmian Rd, Richmond, VA 23226.

REMEMBER: This is your newsletter. Articles and suggestions for the family profile section are welcome.

JEANNIE-LOGY

THE COGHILL CONNECTION -- "For Love and Affection"

Last fall I made an in depth effort to determine, once and for all, the relationship between the Coghills and the Ruckers. The deed (D. B. 13, p.90-91, 28 Jan. 1707/8, Essex Co., VA.), where Frederick Coghill deeded 56 acres of land to Peter Rucker "for the kind love and affection I owe unto John, Peter, and Thomas Rucker, sons of said Peter Rucker," signifies a family relationship.

Sudie Rucker Wood in The Rucker Family Genealogy, p.4 and p.309-312, suggests that either Peter¹ Rucker married Elizabeth, daughter of James Coghill, or John² Rucker married Susannah, daughter of Frederick Coghill. After research, we now know that neither is true:

1. James Coghill in his Will, provided for an unborn child. (W. B. 6, p.80, probated 2 Sept 1685, Rappahannock Co., VA.) Some have suggested that this child was Elizabeth Rucker. In The Family of Coghill, by James Henry Coghill, 1879, Smallwood Coghill, eldest grandson of James Coghill, lists James's children: "...his sons William, James, David, Frederick, and the child unborn at the date of the said Will, and also his daughters Margaret and Mary..." This document, dated 8 May 1752, leads us to believe that the unborn child was male and didn't survive or he would have been named. Elizabeth Rucker could not have been the daughter of James Coghill.

2. Susannah Rucker, wife of John² Rucker, never remarried. She signed a deed, dated 27 May 1769, as Susannah Rucker (D. B. 115, p.94, Orange Co., VA.). Frederick Coghill's daughter Susanna was named in her father's Will as "Suanna (sic) Miller," wife of John Miller (W. B. 11, p.146, 12 Oct. 1758, Essex Co., Va.). Susannah Rucker could not have been the daughter of Frederick Coghill.

We cannot prove any relationship between the Ruckers and the Coghills, nor can we prove the maiden names of the wives of Peter¹ and John² Rucker. In those early days, it was not the custom to list the maiden names of men's wives. We may never know the family names of the wives of our immigrant ancestor and his eldest son.

[Note to anyone that thinks that Peter Rucker was married to Elizabeth Fielding, and John Rucker was married to Susannah Phillips: Edythe Whitley has admitted that she was young when she wrote her book in 1927 and has acknowledged these statements to be mistakes. See "Rucker Ruckus," Vol. 1, Issue 1, page 1.]

Experts have said that "for love and affection" signifies a relationship not a friendship. Unless new evidence can be found, the matter must remain unsolved.

[There is one clue, in the Coghill deed, that has not been considered: Was Peter Rucker previously married with three sons before marrying Elizabeth? Was the deed from Frederick Coghill to insure that the three boys received an inheritance?]

RUDY RUCKER

Author, Teacher, "Mathenaut"

Rudy Rucker descends from the line that runs from Peter¹, Thomas², Cornelius³, John⁴, to Joseph⁵ Rucker of Ruckersville, Georgia. From there the line goes through Tinsley⁶ White Rucker, Tinsley⁷ White Rucker Jr., Tinsley⁸ White Rucker III, and Embry⁹ Cobb Rucker to Rudy¹⁰, born Rudolf von Bitter Rucker in Louisville, Kentucky, March 22, 1946.

Rudy presently lives in California, with his wife Sylvia Boggsch Rucker and his three children, Georgia¹¹ Louise, Rudolf¹¹ von Bitter Jr., and Isabel¹¹ Emma Rucker. Rudy teaches Mathematics and Computer Science at San Jose State University, and is also employed as a "Mathenaut" by Autodesk, Inc., a computer graphics company.

Rudy is the author of 14 published books, including such popular science books as The Fourth Dimension and Mind Tools as well as seven science-fiction novels. His two novels Software and Wetware started the "cyberpunk" movement in science-fiction writing, and each received the Phillip K. Dick Award for the best paperback science-fiction novel of the year. His most recent novel, The Hollow Earth, is partly based on genealogical research into the Rucker family, and features the batteaux of Anthony and Benjamin Rucker. Rudy describes how he wrote this book:

"My family and I lived in Lynchburg, Virginia, from 1980 through 1986. For the first two years I taught mathematics at Randolph-Macon Woman's College, and for the rest of the time I was a freelance writer. I was intrigued by the closeness of Ruckersville, and by the fact that all the many other Ruckers in Lynchburg were black -- surely a carryover from the plantation days. Once I had to take traffic school, where I met a black man named Otha Rucker. In my last year in Lynchburg, I participated in the very first Lynchburg-to-Richmond batteau race. I was well aware that the batteau was invented by Anthony Rucker of Hardware, Virginia. Poling past the mouth of the Hardware River made quite an impression on me. In my book The Hollow Earth, I tried to imagine what it would be like to be a boy growing up on a small Hardware farm in the 1830s. I was particularly interested in trying to write about the relations between blacks and whites of the period.

"In 1836, Mason Reynolds, the fifteen-year-old hero of The Hollow Earth, leaves the Hardware farm with his slave Otha to take a barrel of whiskey to Lynchburg to sell. He is cheated by an innkeeper, mistakenly kills someone in his attempt to get his money, and flees down the James River in a batteau with Otha. In Richmond, Mason meets no less a man than Edgar Allan Poe, and accompanies Poe on a voyage by ship and balloon to the center of Antarctica, where they break through the ice and enter the huge interior of the earth, which is hollow as a tennis ball. Inside this Hollow Earth, blacks are as gods, leading to an interesting reversal in Otha and Mason's relations. Eventually Mason and Eddie find their way through the center of the Hollow Earth and back to the surface, not of the Earth they started from, but the surface of a nearly identical MirrorEarth.

Notes from the President

Greetings, cousins. Our Rucker Society now has 238 members (families and singles) who will be receiving this issue of the newsletter. More are still coming in and we ask again that you spread the word to other Ruckers whom we may have missed in our previous mailings. The cemetery fund contains \$718.

The reprints of Sudie Rucker Wood's *THE RUCKER FAMILY GENEALOGY* have been ordered and they will be ready for mailing in about 6-12 weeks (a little longer for the hard cover copies). Although we had originally planned to order only the number for which we had received prepaid orders (155 now), we ordered 200 copies because of continuing interest. More orders can be filled @\$16 for laminated paper cover copies. Orders for hard covers @\$30 additional can also be taken, but only if received before printing is completed so that unbound copies can be sent to the bookbinder for hard covers.

Your board of directors will meet in Fredericksburg Virginia on May 18-19, 1991, to plan for our next reunion in the fall of 1992 in Essex County Virginia, Peter Rucker's first known home in America. We will be looking at the

available sites and activities in both historic Fredericksburg and nearby Essex County.

The marker at the family cemetery of James Alexander Rucker which was suggested by Jeannie Robinson in Vol 1 No 1 of the newsletter and discussed in my letter in Vol 1 No 2, has been placed by a number of his descendants. The cemetery is located in Amherst County near the headwater of Harris Creek on land believed to be part of the original Rucker land grant.

All who have traced their line back to Peter Rucker and have not already done so, are reminded to please send a copy to Jean B. Robinson, editor of the newsletter, who plans to update *THE RUCKER FAMILY GENEALOGY*, written in 1932 by her grandmother, Sudie Rucker Wood. Jeannie will distribute copies of lines received to Doris Edwards for placement in the genealogical records of the Virginia Historical Society and to Mary Rucker Snyder, editor of the *RUCKER RUCKUS*.

Your comments and suggestions for the furtherance of our Rucker Society are invited and welcome. Best regards to all.

Rod Mason

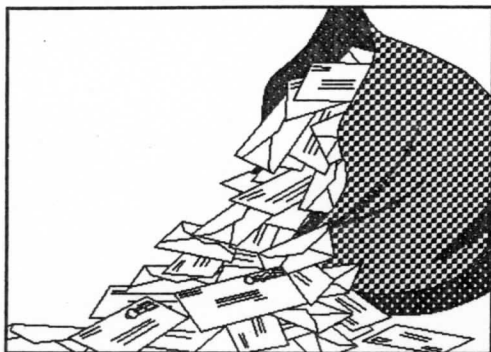
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"This book is written in as convincing a nineteenth-century style as I could bring off. In fact, I present the tale as a manuscript which I found in the Poe collection in Charlottesville, and add an editor's note about how I found the manuscript. Several people have already written to me to ask if the book is really true. In a roundabout kind of way, it is!"

The Hollow Earth was published in hardback by James Morrow in 1990, and will be available in paperback from Avon Books in 1991.

Rudy, we welcome you as a member of The Rucker Society and hope you will return to Virginia for future Rucker Reunions and Batteaux races.

Q U E S T I O N S A N D A N S W E R S



SUGGESTION FROM JACK WHITE: "I think a debate on the origin of the Rucker name would be useful. It could be that it originally had an umlaut, but it is also true that the French "u" is pronounced very much like the German "u" with an umlaut. If Rucker were pronounced by a Frenchman it would sound like Rooker. I have run into a great many Frenchmen with German sounding names. They were usually from Alsace. The Alsations were especially prevalent in the French Colonial Service."

Others have asked why Peter Rucker's children have anglo-saxon names. Did Peter go to England before sailing to America? Were the names, biblical in origin, anglicized? Was Peter's wife English? Did Peter know English before immigrating? Is anyone researching Peter Rucker's origins? Comments welcome.

"I am searching for any information available on a SARAH LUCINDA RUCKER, who married Simon Miller, Sr., 26 April 1802 in Davidson County, Tennessee. She is my gr-gr-gr grandmother on my mother's side of the family. I found a deed in this county that names James Rucker, Thomas Rucker and Simon Miller, but can't document who they are and what relation, if any, to Sarah Rucker. I will gladly reimburse you for any copy expense if you have any documents that might help me with this line." From Mrs. DEE TARR, 2210 Cooke Street, Abilene, Texas 79605.

[Editor's note: See Wood's Rucker Family Genealogy, p.122, for Lucinda Rucker, daughter of James and niece of Thomas.]

"I would like to hear from anyone who has information about MILDRED (Milly) RUCKER who married George Marshall Head, 11 Nov. 1789. In what year did they leave Virginia for Kentucky? Were they buried in KY or VA? In 1830 and 1840 they were on the census of Todd County, KY. In 1840 they were between 70 and 80 years old. Yet many say they died in VA." From DOROTHY WATTS BROOKS, 140 Church Ave. N., Camden, TN 38320.

"I descend from Peter¹, William², and Mordicia³. I need more information on Mordicia, especially during the Revolutionary War." From Mrs. ERMA DEVORE, Box 242, Altamont, IL. 62441.

QUERY OF THE QUARTER: Vice President Alben W. Barkley was married to a Rucker. Can anyone identify her and send us information on her?

"Seeking information on Colonel EDMUND⁶ WINCHESTER RUCKER (Edmund⁵, Thomas⁴, Benjamine³, John², Peter¹). Have only Edythe Whitley and Lee's Colonels. Is there a biography, published or manuscript? Picture? Happy to pay repro costs etc. Any leads greatly appreciated." From Col. JOSEPH M. WARE, 505 Balfour Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78239.

[Note from Editor: Edmund Winchester Rucker is found on page 127 of Studie Rucker Wood's Rucker Family Genealogy. Rucker distinguished himself during the Civil War and was later made brigadier general. Fort Rucker, Alabama, was named for him in 1942. I will send Col. Ware xeroxes of the pages from the Wood book, and information on Fort Rucker, including page 99, Vol. 3, Issue 2 of the "Rucker Ruckus." A picture of Gen. Rucker hangs at Post Headquarters, Fort Rucker, AL 36362-5000.]

CORRECTION: The book, that I described in the last newsletter, by Rudy Rucker, is The Hollow Earth, not The Hollow Hills. [Editor's note: I have just finished reading The Hollow Earth and found it suspenseful and full of imagination. I haven't read anything like this since reading Jules Verne in high school.]

MICHAEL P. RUCKER has read books by Rudy Rucker and from Mind Tools, he was able to contact him through the publisher. Rudy Rucker immediately joined The Rucker Society and sent information on himself and how he got ideas for The Hollow Earth. (See elsewhere in this newsletter).

Mike also has a tip from Kovels newspaper column, "Antiques and Collecting:" "Newspapers many be preserved. Dissolve Milk of Magnesia tablet in a quart of club soda and chill the mixture. Let the paper soak in the fluid for an hour. Drying completes the process. This works on all printed material, but not for handwritten letters." (I suggest this be tried on a scrap piece of paper first. Photocopy the material first in case something happens. Let us know if it works.)

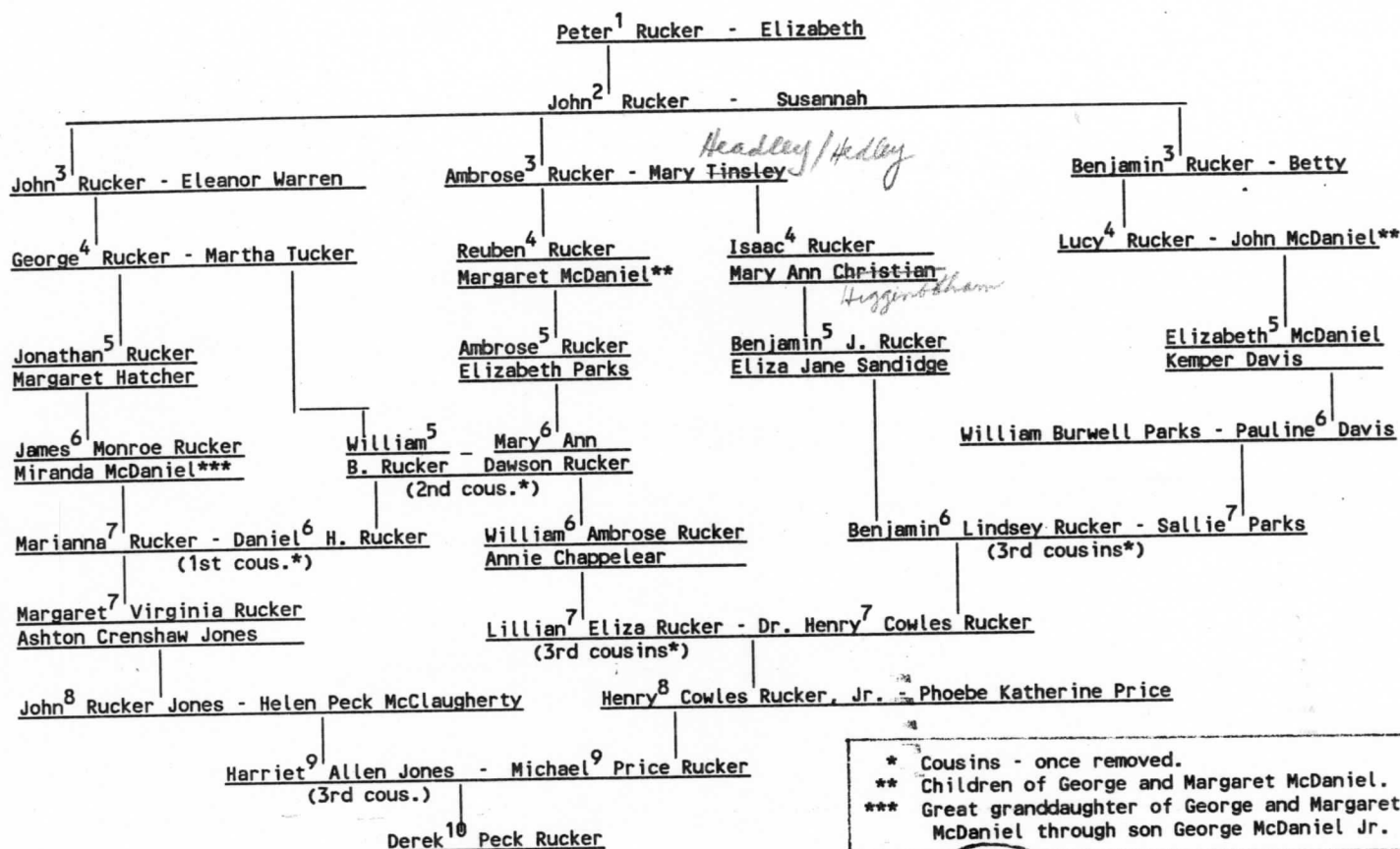
"My query was printed in the last newsletter with the wrong address. Please run it again with my correct address. Here it is:

"I would like to correspond with anyone in our line: Peter¹ Rucker, John² Rucker, Anthony³ Rucker, Abner⁴ Rucker, Julius⁵ Rucker (Wood, p.157), Richard⁶ Morton Rucker, Thomas⁷ Loren Rucker, Harold⁸ Robert Rucker, Loren⁹ Delmar Rucker. ALICE and LOREN RUCKER, 13331 Gridley Street, Sylmar, CA 91342. Phone 1-(818)-365-7027.

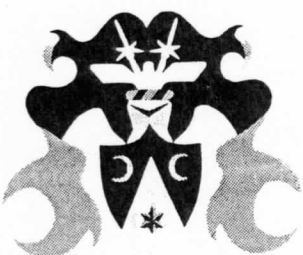
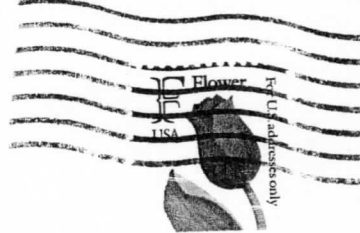
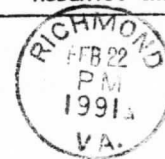
"The Rucker Society Newsletter is great! Made me want to hit the road on more genealogy. My query in the Nov. 1990 issue has the wrong zip code. Will you reprint it? Thanks." Doris is requesting information on the parentage of her gr-gr-gr-grandmother, ELIZABETH RUCKER (b. ca. 1784, d. 30 July 1837, Indiana), married 17 Feb. 1802 to FIELDING CROMWELL, Jefferson Co., KY. Please write to DORIS McMANIS CAMDEN, P. O. Box 214, Warsaw, IN 46581-02140.

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MICHAEL PRICE RUCKER & HARRIET ALLEN JONES - LINEAGE CHART



* Cousins - once removed.
 ** Children of George and Margaret McDaniel.
 *** Great granddaughter of George and Margaret McDaniel through son George McDaniel Jr.



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