

THE HUNGATE FAMILY

a

Genealogical and Historical Record

of

The Descendants of

William Hungate of Saxton, Yorkshire, England

and

Charles Hungate of Virginia

also of the

Family of William Anning Hungate of England

and Kindred Families and Individuals

with

Historical Data of the Times in which they lived.

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PROLOGUE

John H. Hungate of La Harpe, Illinois wrote in his journals on the Hungate family the following:

"When Sir Charles Carrington Hungate, Bart., died in 1749, the immediate line of his father, save a granddaughter, Lady Gascoigne, became extinct, but in fact there was then living, male members of an older branch of the family. By the law of primogeniture - in 1831 William Anning Hungate, claiming descent brought suit to recover the lands in Sherburn, but failed to satisfy the court as to descent.

"He traced his descent from Sir Francis Hungate, Bart., the oldest son of Colonel Francis Hungate, who was slain at the siege of Chester in 1645 while fighting for Charles I against the Commonwealth. The American Hungates trace descent also from Colonel Francis through his son, Sir Francis, and more recently from Sir Francis, Bart. and Margery, daughter of Charles, Lord Carrington and hence stand nearer than William Anning in line of succession to the Baronetcy of Sherburn. On the death of Sir Charles in 1749 they should have succeeded. The estate of Colonel Francis was sequestered from his three children Sir Francis, William and Mary. Sir Francis, however, in 1655 inherited the Baronetcy and family estates from his grandfather Sir Philip. The second son William, during his early married life resided on the estate with his brother until he became a colonel in the army. His issue are noted in the pedigree of William Anning Hungate adduced at the trial in 1831. On page 147 under the heading, **Notes from the Saxton Register**, we find the following entry - 1668, William, born at Huddleston Hall April 10, 1669; Charles, born at Huddleston Hall, 10th July.

These children could have been none other than sons of said Francis H. Bart. (We infer that after the birth of these children the family removed from the ancestral home since none of them are buried in Saxton Church. This church was used as a burying place by the Hungates for centuries, in fact, ever since the Battle of Towton, the beginning of the War of Roses.)

"(There is some obscurity as to the movements of this family after they left Yorkshire until 1747 when they appear as pioneers in the wilds of Virginia, west of the Blue Ridge.)

From the journals of John Hungate we also learn he wrote:

"Charles Hungate, fifth son of Sir Francis, settled in Augusta, afterwards Botetourt and in 1747 obtained lands and resided near where Blacksburg now stands. He died in 1749 leaving an only son William who five years later died leaving three sons, William, Charles and John, orphans of tender age - - - William married about 1741."

As a matter of fact there is no present way in which we can trace the ancestry of the original American Charles. If Charles was born at Huddleston Hall July 10, 1669 he was some 78 years of age when he first appears in the history of Virginia. This seems highly improbable as the majority of those living in those years rarely survived to such an age. Furthermore, his son William died five years later leaving small children. If the grandfather was 78 years of age at his death, his grandchildren should have been in their forties at least and there should have been great grandchildren alive at Charles death.

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who died without issue in December, 1634.

Sir Philip Hungate, Baronet, succeeded his brother William.

Wheater, in his History of Sherburn and Cawood, states that the Hungates were restored to their estates, probably under Charles I. Certain it is that Sir Philip Hungate was created a Baronet by Charles I.

Sir Philip was a Catholic and a Royalist, and supported the King in his contest with Parliament, but, being feeble, his active duties in the Civil War devolved upon his son, Francis Hungate, Colonel of Horse, who fought under Prince Rupert, and who lost his life at the Battle of Chester in 1645. He left surviving him his sons, Francis and William, and a daughter, Mary.

Francis, upon the death of Sir Philip Hungate, his grandfather, succeeded to the Baronetcy of Sherburn. He married Margaret, daughter of Charles, Lord Carrington, of Wooton, County Warwick, and had issue, Sir Philip, Francis, M.D., Roger, William, Charles, Margaret, and Eliza.

After Charles II came to the throne, Sir Francis was taken into the royal favor, and was called to Court. In 1663, Leeds was the rendezvous of conspirators whose object was to dethrone the "Merry Monarch," and the King ordered Sir Francis Hungate to be furnished with three horses (horsemen) as an escort, probably to visit the disaffected district and report as to the threatened uprising. It is likely that he died about the time of the death of the King, and he was succeeded in the Baronetcy by his son, Sir Philip Hungate, who married Eliza, daughter of William, Lord Mounson, and had issue, Sir Francis, Sir Philip, and Sir Charles Carrington Hungate, who, each in turn, succeeded to the Baronetcy, none leaving surviving male issue.

Sir Charles Carrington Hungate was a Captain, and served under the great

Marlborough in the war on the Continent, which humbled the proud Louis XIV. He died at Huddleston Hall, November 6, 1749, and was interred in Saxton Church. He was the last of the name to occupy the ancestral estates.

Mary, daughter of Sir Francis, eldest brother of Sir Charles Carrington Hungate, and the latter's niece, took possession of the estates and carried them to her husband, Sir Edward Gascoigne, whose descendants by adoption now occupy them. Their right to the Baronetcy of Sherburn and the lands was called in question in 1831 by William Anning Hungate, Lieutenant in the Royal Navy, who, at the first trial before the jury obtained a verdict. The case was reversed, however, on appeal by the Court, on the ground that he did not satisfactorily prove his descent. We have his pedigree which was in evidence at the trial, and now, also having a complete pedigree of the family as given in Wheater's history, and, in addition, a complete pedigree of the American branch of the family, we are prepared to prove that the American Hungates have lineally descended from William Hungate, Esq., of Saxton. So also, was William Anning Hungate, but the American Branch of the family takes precedence.

The undoubted facts are as follows:

Charles Hungate, fifth and youngest son of Sir Francis Hungate, and his wife, Margaret, daughter of Charles, Lord Carrington, was born July 10, 1669, at Huddleston Hall (History of Sherburn and Cawood, page 147). He came to America when a young man, and after the vicissitudes of pioneer life, obtained, in 1747, a patent to a small tract of land on the headwaters of the Roanoke River, about ten miles from where Blacksburg now stands. (See Land Records, Richmond, Virginia).

When he left England he was in the line of succession, but his older brothers and

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their issue stood between him and the inheritance. He therefore put aside all thoughts of preferment, and resolved to his fortune in the New World.

He was among the first settlers in that part of Southwest Virginia. His neighbors were nearly all Scotch-Irish who had come down through Pennsylvania, among them, the Madisons, Pattons, Christians, Drapers, Harmons, and members of the celebrated Lewis families. At that time there were no roads over the Blue Mountains, and the settlers became isolated, in a measure, from the outside world, and were constantly exposed to raids of savage Indians.

38:1 He died intestate, leaving his widow, Anne, and two sons, Charles and William. Letters of administration were granted to his widow, May 17, 1749 (see Minutes of the Court of Augusta County, Virginia, Book I, page 149, Staunton, Virginia), only a few months prior to the death of his nephew, Sir Charles Carrington Hungate, Baronet. Had he survived Sir Charles, he would have inherited the Baronetcy by the laws of primogeniture.

2:28 His son, Charles, was next in the line of succession. He also acquired a patent to lands in the same locality in Virginia, on December 15, 1749, some months after his father's death. (See Land Office, Richmond, Virginia.) He never married, and died leaving his brother, William Hungate, as his sole heir.

2:14 William Hungate occupied the lands of his father and brother up to the time of his death, which occurred about 1755. He left a widow and three sons, William, Charles, and John, then of tender age.

2:14 Charles When Charles Hungate, the Colonist of Virginia, died, he was not aware of the fact that he had survived all of his near relatives except his nephew, Sir Charles Carrington Hungate, who, as has been shown, died a few months afterwards, and who left no issue. Neither did the Colonist's sons, Charles and William, know that fact, and yet, in turn, they were

the true successors to Sir Charles Carrington Hungate and the Baronetcy of Sherburn. The three orphans, William, Charles, and John, son of William of the Second Generation in America, were, at the time of their father's death, too young to know or assert their rights, and continued to reside at the ancestral home in Virginia with their mother.

They grew to manhood amid extraordinary environments and dangers, surrounded by Indians who were often hostile. William was captured and carried away across the Ohio River, whence he made his escape, swam the river, and returned to his home.

William was the oldest of the three brothers. He became an experienced scout, hunter, and Indian fighter. He was at the Battle of Point Pleasant, where General Lewis, after one of the hardest fought battles in Indian warfare, gained a decisive victory which disconcerted the plans of Governor Dunmore, and forced the Indians to sue for peace. These transactions were upon the heels of the Revolutionary War, and, in less than a year thereafter, Dunmore was forced to leave Virginia. General Lewis was avenged, and Ensign William Hungate rejoiced with him in the glorious result.

William Hungate, all his life, had been inured to hardships and trouble. Before his captivity by the Indians, as above related, in 1757 a band of Shawnee Indians raided the Hungate home, and captured his mother, who had married a man named Eson, and his two sisters, Nancy and Elizabeth, who were about nine and twelve years of age. That morning William had gone from home with his stepfather. Charles, John, and their little sister, Mary, were playing in the orchard, and saved their lives by hiding in the weeds and brush, but the mother and two girls were seized by the Indians, and dragged out of the house. As they passed across the yard, the Indians tore an infant from its mother's arms, and dashed its

One was a deed from John Curry of the County of Lincoln and Parish of Kentucky to Charles Hungate of the same Parish and County of Mercer. Conveying for the consideration of sixty pounds the following described lands situated in the Parish of Kentucky and County of Mercer on the waters of Chaplin Fork at the mouth of Thompson Run, containing by estimation two hundred acres more or less. It being the one half of a survey of four hundred acres, granted to the said Curry by patent bearing date December 1, 1782, said deed dated the 19th of June 1788. It was approved at a court held for Mercer County at Harrodsburg, September 23, 1788 and attested by Thomas Allen, Clerk.

The other is a deed bearing date September 5, 1788 from James Renfro of the County of Fayette, Parish of Kentucky to John Hungate of Mercer County and Parish aforesaid, for the consideration of Forty Pounds, conveying a tract of land by metes and bounds lying on Chaplin Fork of Salt River adjoining the lands of Christopher Lillard. This deed is duly witnessed by Edward Willis, Joseph Hale, John Hale and Robert Caldwell.

Approved at a court held for Mercer County, September 23, 1788. Attested by Thomas Allen, Clerk. Thomas Allen was clerk of the first court held in Mercer County. He was a very influential man and the office seems to have descended from father to son to grandson. The writer, John H. Hungate, visited Harrodsburg in 1895 and there met Colonel Ben Allen who was then clerk of the county court and had held office since 1866. He was then eighty-seven years old. Up to that time the office had been in the family ever since the organization of the court in 1786, except from 1862 to 1866, during which time a Republican served.

We are indebted to the Colonel for much valuable information and for the courtesy he extended to us while examining the records of his office. At that time (1895) Mr. Bushrod W. Allen was Circuit Clerk

and had been employed or served as county or circuit clerk since the year 1866. Phil T. Allen was another prominent member of this family who removed to Texas and became chief of the Department of Agriculture.

Notes from the Marriage Register of Mercer County, Kentucky

The first couple married was
John Berry to Ann Mitchell
By D. Rice-August 1, 1786
Major Farris to Nancy Hungate
By John Rice-September 10, 1793
John Hungate to Polly Coffman
By John Rice-November 12, 1794
William Hungate to Sally Coffman
By Rev. William Hays-July 8, 1800
Samuel Kelsoe to Sally Hungate
By Thomas Freeman-October 4, 1801
John Haines to Rhoda Huff
By -December 28, 1801
John Hale to Elizabeth Hungate
By Rev. Bennett Noel-August 30, 1801
Vincent Morgan to Harriet Hungate
By Rev. James Long-April 5, 1804
Samuel Huff to Polly Hungate
By Rev. William Bottom-June 29, 1806
Joseph Hungate to Sally Hale
By Rev. William Bottom-March 26, 1807
Charles Hungate to Peggy Bottom
By Rev. William Bottom-June 17, 1807
John Carey to Polly Hungate
By Rev. James Long-April 5, 1804
Levi Lockhardt to Elizabeth Hungate
By Rev. Jesse Head-August 10, 1815
Jehu Hungate to Annie DePaw
By Rev. William Bottom-February 1, 1816
Charles Hungate to Catherine Odel
By Rev. John Rice-August 6, 1816
William Hungate to Nancy White
By -March 26, 1819
John Hale to Catherine Dorothy
By Rev. James Durham-May 18, 1826
Henry Banta to Eliza Hungate
By Labin Jones-July 31, 1828
Elias Hungate to Isabel Taylor
By Rev. B. F. Keeling-May 20, 1853

The abovenamed Charles Hungate who married Catherine Odel was the emigrant from Virginia whose first wife was Mollie Hale. William Hungate who married Nancy White was his grandson, being the son of Colonel John Hungate who served in the War of 1812.

Charles Hungate)
William McDaniels) Appraisers
James Haines)

April 23, 1803

The records of Administration of Mercer County, Kentucky show that in November 1811 John Hungate, the emigrant from Virginia, died and that his wife Elizabeth administered on the estate. As administratrix, she gave a bond in the penal sum of \$3,000 dated November A.D. 1811, with the following named sureties to wit: John Hungate, Vincent Morgan, Jesse Dunn, Lewis Powell, James Cooney and Charles Hungate, a brother of the deceased. All the signatures to this bond show good penmanship. The administratrix, however, signs by mark.

An inventory in the ordinary form is filed with the papers of the estate. The deceased at the time of his death lived at Harrodsburg and was engaged in the manufacture of hats. The names of his children will be given later on.

The aforesaid records also show that William Huff, who intermarried with Mary Hungate in Virginia, a sister to Charles and John Hungate, died in March 1803 and his son William administered the estate. He executed a bond in the penal sum of 500 pounds and his mother, together with John Kirkland and Noah Hayden became his sureties.

An accompanying inventory is recorded in the Record of Wills Volume 2 with an appraisal Bill as follows to wit:

33 head of hogs	f 5-0-0
17 head of sheep	f 4-11-6
14 head of neat cattle	f 17-2-0
Farming utensils	f 2-16-0
1 Loom	f 4-6-0
1 Man's saddle	f 1-0-0
Household furniture	f 1-4-13

THE HUNGATE FAMILY IN AMERICA

We propose now to give a connected and complete genealogy of the American branch of the Hungate family beginning with Charles Hungate. We shall pursue the same method adopted by Howe Peyton Cochran, Esq. of Charlottesville in his genealogy of the Lewis family which may be found on page 286 of "The History of Augusta County" by Peyton.

Explanation

Charles Hungate of Virginia the founder of the family in America is marked A, his children AA, AB, AC, etc. Two letters show that the person before whose name they are placed, is a child of said Charles Hungate. Three letters so placed indicate a grandchild; four letters a great-grandchild; five letters a great-great-grandchild, etc. The letters therefore, placed before his or her name shows his or her descent. For example ABCEF will be the sixth child of the fifth child of the third child of the second child of said Charles Hungate propositus. For example:

A	Charles Hungate
AB	William Hungate
ABC	John Hungate
ABCE	John Hungate
ABCEF	James DePaw Hungate

Take another example.

A	Charles Hungate
AB	William Hungate
ABB	Charles Hungate
ABBC	John Hungate
ABBCE	Adonijah Hungate

To find a relationship between two persons, e.g., ABCEF and ABBCE, we see that ABC and ABB have the same father and are, therefore, brothers; ABCE and ABBC have the same grandfather and are, therefore, cousins; ABCEF and ABBCE have the same great grandfather and are, therefore, second cousins, etc.

We believe that this is the most succinct and simple form in which a family genealogy can be written and may be made to comprehend all that is necessary to be made known. The name of each person will occur twice, first as son and second as parent and under the latter designation a full biography can be written provided it is important.

Inasmuch as we have already given the details of all we know of the founder and his children we shall omit further reference to them except to say in brackets (see former reference). We think that when this genealogy is finished it will be one of the most complete histories of any family in this country and yet will lack many details and dates which it has been impossible to obtain. When the issue of any member of the family is unknown, a blank is left for its insertion; also as to dates of births, marriages and deaths. The residence and post office of living members of the family is given when known. We find it impractical to give the descent of the female line beyond the second generation. However, certain descendants of that line of the third and fourth generations may be mentioned.

A	CHARLES HUNGATE (propositus) born in England, married Ann. First appears in Virginia history in 1747 when he received patents on land in what is now Montgomery County. He died in 1749. He left at his death in Virginia the following issue - namely:
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AA	1. Charles, b. in Virginia, date unknown.
AB	2. William, b. in Virginia, date unknown.

AA	Charles Hungate never married and made his home with his brother William until the latter died.
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AB William Hungate married Nancy and left at his death in Virginia the following issue:
 ABA William Hungate, b. about 1744 in Virginia.
 ABB Charles, b. about 1745 in Virginia.
 ABC John, b. about 1747 in Virginia.
 ABD Mary, B. about 1750 in Virginia.
 ABE Nancy, b. about 1751 in Virginia.
 ABF Elizabeth, b. about 1752 in Virginia.

ABA William Hungate, born about 1744 in Augusta County, Virginia. When a boy of fourteen or fifteen years old he was captured by the Indians and taken to Ohio. He escaped, swam the Ohio River and returned to his home in what is now Montgomery County, Virginia. In 1775, he was commissioned as Ensign by the Commission of Safety (see his Commission in former references). He raised a company to serve on the frontier and served during the Revolutionary War. The following letter was written by William Hungate, Ensign, while encamped on Sinking Creek, Virginia and came into the hands of Vincent Morgan as administrator of the estate of Charles Hungate and has been preserved by his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Kirkland of Washington County, Kentucky.

"Camp Withers
 September 5, 1778

"Murry got in last night with your letter to Charles and me. I know you and mother want Charles or John at home but you must get along the best you can for about a month yet. A furlow for either of them must not be thot of Col. Preston when he started on the Cherokee Campaign ordered me to keep the men together until snow falls—I must not grant favors—I must adhere to my rule and give no furlows except by consent of all the men. My company was never full and we now have only 24 men. I know you will be kind and indulgent to mother. Poor mother she has never been right since little Bess and Nan were carried away by the Indians about twenty years ago. Indulge her moods and

make her feel that we will keep her safe. We shall all of us be at home probably within a month. Charles will enclose this with his and I will send Murry back in a few days—poor fellow, he has caught cold and I have given him an extra blanket.

"I beg to subscribe myself,
 Your devoted Bro.,
 Wm. Hungate, Ensign"

To Mrs. Mollie Hungate

William Hungate, Ensign, was the brother of Charles Hungate. He was appointed by the Committee of Safety for the Colony of Virginia to be Ensign of a Company of Militia of the County of Botetourt. Given at Williamsburg 22 October 1775.

William Hungate raised a company by virtue of his commission in which Charles Hungate served as a private. Said company was engaged in defending the border settlements from Indians and it continued in the service until Virginia was organized as a state and for over two years after the Declaration of Independence. On June 4, 1778 William Hungate received the following order:

"Sir: You are to march the men to one Withers on Sinking Creek and to continue on duty one month unless relieved sooner—you are to keep out two spies pretty constantly and if they discover any signs of Indians to acquaint Col. Preston or Col. Fleming of it as soon as possible by express. It will be necessary to rang the woods now and then with your party.

"I am Sir
 Your Humble Serv't.
 Hugh Crockett."

From the D.A.R. papers of L.G. Hungate of Walla Walla, Washington.

William Hungate died in 1822 in Floyd County, Virginia leaving issue only one son as heir, namely:

ABAA William Hungate.

- ABB Charles Hungate born about 1745, probably before his father settled in Augusta County, Virginia, afterwards Botetourt County, and later still Montgomery County cut off from Botetourt in the year 1776 and constituting a part of it known as Fincastle. After serving in the Militia of Virginia during the Revolutionary War, part of the time in the Company commanded by his brother, William, he removed to Kentucky in 1786 to Harrodsburg about the time of the count was held in Mercer County at that place. Two years later he purchased land and settled near the Chaplin River in the present county of Washington about 15 miles from where Abraham Lincoln was born. He died in Washington County, Kentucky in 1828. His estate was administered by his son-in-law, Vincent Morgan. He was about 83 years old when he died and he is said to have retained a clear and vigorous mind to within a year of his death. Financially he was always in comfortable circumstances, but never wealthy. (see former reference.) He was married twice. First to Mollie Hale in Virginia in 1770; second, to Catherine Odel in Kentucky in 1816. Marriage record on file in the office of the clerk of the Mercer County Court in Marriage Bond Book 1, page 206, stating that on August 6, 1816, Charles Hungate and Catherine Odel were joined in Holy Matrimony by the Reverend John Rice. By his first wife he had nine children; by his second, three namely:
- ABBA Polly Hungate - born in Augusta County, Virginia, d. in Mercer County, Kentucky, m. Samuel Huff, 29 June 1806.
- ABBB Rhoda Hungate - born in Augusta County, Virginia, d. in Mercer County, Kentucky, m. William Kirkland, 18 August 1809.
- ABBC John Hungate - Colonel in War of 1812, b. 1774 in Virginia, d. near Tatam Springs, Kentucky, m. Polly Coffman 12 November 1794.
- ABBD Charles Hungate - b. 1778 in Augusta County, Virginia, d. near Tatam Springs, Kentucky, m. Katie Korn in 1799.
- ABBE Nancy Hungate - b. in Augusta County, Virginia, d. in Washington County, Kentucky, m. Major Farris.
- ABBF Elizabeth Hungate - born in Augusta County, Virginia, d. in Missouri, m. first John Hale 30 August 1801, second Long.
- ABBG Hannah Hungate - b. in Augusta County, Virginia, d. in Nodaway County, Missouri, m. Vincent Morgan 5 April 1804.
- ABBH Sally Hungate - b. in Augusta County, Virginia, d. in Illinois, m. Samuel Kelso 4 October 1801.
- ABBI William Hungate - b. in Augusta County, Virginia, d. in Hamilton County, Illinois in 1782, m. Sally Coffman 8 July 1800.
- ABBJ Larkin Armstead Hungate - b. in Washington County, Kentucky, d. in Posey County, Indiana in 1868, m. Ann Axton.
- ABBK Charles O. Hungate - born 1820 in Washington County, Kentucky, d. in Posey County, Indiana, m. first Martha Cox, second Charlotte Axton.
- ABBL Lucy Hungate - born 1822 in Washington County, Kentucky,

d. in Posey County, Indiana, m.
William Axton.

You will perceive that one
child by each wife was named

after himself, Charles. We know
not how this happened,
probably one originally was the
middle name.



ESTATE OF CHARLES HUNGATE

1 Agreeable to an order of the Washington County Court to us directed we have made the Settlement with the administrator of Charles Hungate deceased we being first sworn as the law directs Vincent Morgan administrator) of Charles Hungate to said) Dr Estate)		Credit by sundry vouchers	
To the amount of sales	410.51	By cash paid	No.
To Cash on hand	18.00	W. B. Booker as per receipt	1 10.00
To the amount of notes	<u>45.90</u>	John C. Anders per a/c	2 3.00
	474.41	John S. Watts as per receipt	3 1.00
leaving in the hands of the said) administrator not accounted for) by vouchers) 396.51 1/2.		James Faris as per receipt	4 3.00
To an allowance made by the) commissioner for his expenses) 20.00		Charles Stewart as per ditto	5 2.00
and trouble in settling of said) Estate leaving balance due) <u>376.51 1/2</u>		Cornelius Shewmaker as per ditto	6 2.00
Widows dower	<u>125.50 1/2</u>	Cornelius Shewmaker for making coffin	7 10.00
leaving a balance of	271.01 1/2	John Hughes per fee bill	8 1.70 1/2
To cash paid commisioners for) their services to make this) Settlement) <u>2.00</u>		Ditto as per fee bill	9 3.43
	269.01 1/2	John Reed as per fee bill	10 3.40
By cash paid Major Faris found) after this Settlement was made) No. 20.) <u>8.20</u>		J. W. Bainbridge as per receipt	11 2.09
	\$260.79 1/2	John Hughes per fee bill	12 .58
		John Hughes per fee bill	13 2.89
		Edward L. Head as per receipt	14 8.00
		John Hughes per fee bill	15 2.30
		John Hughes as per fee bill	16 2.75
		John Hughes as per fee bill	17 2.15
		For copy of will	18 5.00
		Major as per a/c	19 <u>17.50</u>
		leaving in the hands of the ad-) ministrators not accounted for) \$77.90 1/2	
		by vouchers)	
		William Willis)	
) Commrs.	
		Arthur E. Gibbins)	

Washington County set

The within named Willis and Arthur E. Gibbins has this day been duly sworn on this order given under
my hand this 28th of August 1826 Ign's S Johnston J P W C

At a county Court began and held for Washington County at the Courthouse in Springfield on Monday
the 27th day of November 1826 this Settlement of the accounts of the administration of the Estate of Charles
Hungate deceased was exhibited in court and ordered to be recorded which is done accordingly

Att John Hughes Jr. C. W. C. C.

State of Kentucky, ()

Washington County, ()

I, John M. Smothers, County Court Clerk in and for the County and State aforesaid, do certify that
the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the settlement of the Estate of Charles Hungate, deceased, as it
appears of record in my office in Will Book D, Page 209.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 11th day of February, 1952.

/s/ John M. Smothers, Clerk
Washington County, Kentucky, Court.

ABCF Nancy Hungate - b. in Mercer County, Kentucky, m. Nimrod Cornwell 1811.
 ABCG Joseph Hungate - b. in Mercer County, Kentucky, m. Sally Hale 25 January 1807.
 ABCH Elizabeth Hungate - b. 1792 in Mercer County, Kentucky, m. Levi Lockhart 10 August 1805.
 ABCI John Hungate - b. 27 September 1796 in Mercer County, Kentucky, m. Edith Pruitt.
 ABCJ Cynthia Hungate - b. in Mercer County, Kentucky, m. Elias Hale in 1823.
 ABCK Jesse Hungate - b. in Mercer County, Kentucky, m. Mary Deborah Hale in 1825.
 ABD Mary Hungate, granddaughter of the founder, was born in what is now Madison County, Virginia about 1750. She was married to William Huff in Virginia and in 1786 removed to Mercer County, Kentucky. Her husband was many years her senior and died in Harrodsburg, Kentucky in 1804. In his youth, William Huff had been captured by the Indians and adopted by a squaw who was very kind to him and whom he called mother. Mary Hungate was about six years old when her two sisters were captured by the Indians and carried away. She only escaped the same fate by being out at play in the orchard with her small brothers, Charles and John (see former reference). While among the Indians William Huff had learned their language and also their mode of collecting herbs and raising them as medicine. He practiced as a physician after he settled in Kentucky. An inventory of his personal effects mentions a spinning wheel and a

loom. We have not been able to find the exact date when Mary Hungate Huff died, but in 1826 she joined Charles, her brother, in a deed to William Hungate to lands in Virginia. Her Issue is as follows:

ABDA William Huff
 ABDB Samuel Huff
 ABDC Charles Huff
 ABDD Richard Huff
 ABDE Molly Huff
 ABDF Nancy Huff
 ABDG Rhoda Huff
 ABDH Sally Huff
 ABDI Betsy Huff - died **sine prole.**

ABE Nancy Hungate, granddaughter of the founder, was carried off by the Indians as has been heretofore fully detailed. She probably died in captivity and left no issue (see former reference.).

ABF Elizabeth Hungate, granddaughter of the founder, was carried off by Indians at the same time with her sister. They were never recovered and doubtless died in consequence of exposure in captivity, leaving no issue (see former reference).

ABAA William Hungate - born December 5, 1777 in that part of Botetourt County, Virginia afterwards created into Montgomery County. He died in 1832 in Montgomery County. His father, William, after the death of Charles, his uncle, a bachelor who patented the land, inherited the same under the then law of progenituas, about 1793. Shortly after this he sold the old homestead and settled in that part of Montgomery afterwards created into Floyd County on the