Juanita Patience Moss
Alexandria, Va.
BA, Secondary Education 1958
Career: High school biology teacher, New Jersey
Notable: Amateur historian revealed previously unknown fact that black men served with white regiments in the Civil War
Above: Moss has learned of at least 1,000 black soldiers who served in white Union regiments during the Civil War.

Insets: Photos show Moss’ father, coal sculptor Charles Edgar Patience. Crowder Patience’s grave can be found in West Pittston Cemetery.

PHOTOS BY HOWARD KORN AND KIM BOWER-SPENCE