

“Poetry Not Yet Written”

A History of African Americans in Fulton County, Pa.

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Part 2: “Census Records and More”

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