William Warner Williams

Warner was born on June 16, 1913 in Mexico, MO. To Thomas A Williams and Anna Elizabeth (Elsie) Corder. The family moved shortly after his birth to Quincy, IL (613 Chestnut). He attended St. Rose of Lima grade school and then went to Quincy College Academy (high school). After high school he attended Quincy College with a major in journalism. In his sophomore year he married Elizabeth C Ludwig on 7 Mar 1934 in St. Peter's Church by Fr. Masterson. After their marriage, they opened a grocery store, Williams Grocery. The store was located at 1207 Broadway. The business lasted for one year. He then worked for Morris Brothers Shoe Factory as did his father. Morris Brothers was bought by International Shoe and is now Brown Shoe. In the late 40's he went to work for Davis Cleaver as a salesman. Davis Cleaver mainly sold chickens. In the early 50's he went to work for Moorman Mfg. Moorman's manufactured feed for farm animals. He worked in the shipping department. He retired in 1975 from Moormans. On 4 Jan 1982 he died from cancer. He is buried in Calvary Cemetery in Quincy.

http://www.green-acre-plants.com/Family_Tree/Williams_WilliamWarner.htm

Thomas Alexander Williams

Tom was born on the Williams farm. It was an 100 acre plot located on the SW corner of Hwy C and Fahrni Road. The land is about 3 miles due west of the town of Russellville, MO. Per the 1940 census, he completed two years of high school. I do not know the names of the schools that he attended. Tom was born on 27 Aug 1880 to William E Williams and Lucy Ellen Stone. In the mid 1890's the family had to leave the farm and move to Jefferson City as his father had tuberculosis. His father died in 1900. His sister, Olive died from tuberculosis a few years later. Shortly after Olive's death the family (his mother and two brothers) moved to Hannibal, MO. He worked for Star Shoe Co in Hannibal. Around 191- he moved to Mexico, MO and was working for the Shoe factory there. He married Anna Elizabeth (Elsie) Corder on 7 April 1910 in Mexico MO in St. Brendan's Church. On June 13, 1913 a son, William Warner was born to them. Elsie and her sister worked for Crown Linen in Mexico. It was run by William Warner Williams (he died around 1910, no relation). The family moved to Quincy shortly after the birth of their son. Tom worked for Morris Brothers Shoe Factory in Quincy which was bought by International Shoe and is now part of Brown Shoe. Tom worked for the shoe factory until he retired. He died on 27 Dec 1958 in Quincy.

http://www.green-acre-plants.com/Family_Tree/Williams_ThomasAlexander.htm

William E Williams

William was born on the Williams farm 24 Feb 1856. The farm is a 100 acre plot of land located on the SW corner of Hwy C and Fahrni Road. The land is about 3 miles due west of Russellville, MO. The land was originally the property of his uncle, William E Green. William was the eldest son of Fidelio Williams and Judith Ann Bennett. He married Lucy Ellen Stone on 9 Jan 1876. They were married in Moniteau County by Lucy's grandfather, John Warren West. John Warren was a Primitive Baptist preacher. William and Ellen had 5 children (Lafayette, Leslie, Thomas A, Olive Zeluma, George R). Leslie died in infancy. Olive died at the age of 17 from tuberculosis. William also contracted tuberculosis. In the mid 1890's he had to sell the family farm and they moved to Jefferson City for medical help. He died from tuberculosis on 14 Apr 1900 in Jefferson City. He is buried in Enloe Cemetery about 2 miles from Russellville and a mile from the family farm. http://www.green-acre-plants.com/Family Tree/Williams WilliamE.htm

Fidelio Green Williams

Fidelio was born in either Graves or Christian County Kentucky to Thomas Simpson Williams and Alaphar Green. He was born on 10 Jan 1828. His father had left for Perry County, Illinois the previous Fall. He never returned. Alaphar and her parents left Christian county either shortly before or after Fidelio's birth. The moved to a farm near the town of Wingo. In the early 1840's the Green family and Fidelio moved to a farm near Hickory Hill, Missouri. In the 1850 census he is living with his uncle William E Green and his mother and grandmother. On 26 Dec 1854 he married Judith T Bennett in Moniteau County, Missouri. They bought a farm from William E Green and raised their children on it. The farm was located on the Southwest corner of Hwy C & Fahrni Road about 3 miles due west of Russellville, MO. During the Civil War, Fidelio served in the 42nd & 43rd EMM (home guard). Judith and Fidelio divorced on 23 Aug 1877. Judith married Henry M Cornell on 3 Sep 1877. Henry was a widower who owned property due north of the Williams farm. Fidelio married Sarah Alifar Russell on 15 Sep 1878 in Cole County. Sarah was the daughter of Henry Russell and Louisa Green. Louisa was a sister to Alaphar. She was Fidelio's aunt. Fidelio died on 14 Jun 1895 in Cole County, Missouri. He is buried in Enloe Cemetery which is about two miles east from the family farm.

Note: After the death of Simpson Williams. Fidelio sued the estate for his portion of the estate. He won and was awarded a portion of the estate.

http://www.green-acre-plants.com/Family Tree/Williams Fidelio.htm

Thomas Simpson Williams

Simpson was born in Edgefield County, SC on 6 Aug 1806 to William Williams and Martha Ann "Polly" Wells. Shortly after his birth the family moved to Christian County, KY. They originally were going to farm in Perry County, IL but the Indians were not friendly there. The family was familiar with the area as they had hunted in IL and KY when they lived in SC. The farm was about 10 miles north of Hopkinsville, KY. Simpson "married" Alaphar Green in 1827. No marriage record has been found. The Greens had a farm near the Williams farm. In the fall of 1827, Simpson and his 7 brothers left for Perry County, IL. They had land near the town of Tamaroa, IL. Simpson never did return to Christian County nor to Alaphar and his son, Fidelio. On 10 Mar 1833, Simpson married Margery Dixon in Perry County, IL. He died on 27 Jul 1837 in Perry County, IL. He burial spot is unknown. http://www.green-acre-plants.com/Family_Tree/Williams_ThomasSimpson.htm

William Williams

William was born to Frederick William Williams and Annah Bryant on 15 Apr 1774 in Edgefield County, SC. He married Martha Ann "Polly" Wells on 21 Oct 1802 in SC. They lived in either Edgefield or Greenville County, SC. They moved from there around 1807 to a farm in Christian County, KY. The farm was about 10 miles north of Hopkinsville, KY. Polly's parents had also moved to the area. Originally both families had intended on farming in IL but Indian trouble kept them out of the IL. In the fall of 1827, all of his sons moved to Perry County, IL. He had several land grants in the area. In the early 1830's, Polly and two daughters left for Perry County. Polly's parents had moved to the area earlier. None of the family ever returned to Christian County. William continued to farm in the area. After the death of his eldest son, Simpson, Margery, her son, and daughter moved from Perry County to live with William. Margery was living with him when he died on 8 May 1860. William is buried in Old Petersburg Cemetery which is near his farm.

http://www.green-acre-plants.com/Family_Tree/Williams_William.htm

Frederick William Williams

Frederick was born around 1745 in Virginia to William Williams and Nancy Stevens. He moved to Edgefield County, SC around 1770. The land was Cherokee territory at one time. He farmed in this area for the rest of his life. He married Annah Bryant. She died around 1800 and he remarried Nancy Marshall. In the mid 1780's he was the constable for Edgefield County in the Republic of South Caroliana. He died on 18 May 1808 in Edgefield County. His burial is unknown. http://www.green-acre-plants.com/Family_Tree/Williams_FrederickWilliam.htm

William Williams

William was born in Wales about 1720. He came to the US and settled in Virginia. He married Nancy Stevens. We know little on his. His only son that we know is Frederick William. He died in Edgefield County, SC in 1794. His burial is unknown. http://www.green-acre-plants.com/Family_Tree/Williams_WilliamSr.htm

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