

William Hayden Campbell (1848-1919)

William Hayden Campbell was the first child born to William Campbell (1819) and Sarah Ann Havens (1825). The story of William Hayden Campbell begins a few years before his birth when his father, William Campbell, emigrates from Aberdeenshire, Scotland to begin a new life in Ontario, Canada. Whether William Campbell traveled alone or in concert with several members of his original family is unclear this time. William Campbell first shows up in Norfolk County, Ontario, Canada when he marries Sarah Ann Havens in the late spring or early summer of 1845 in St. John's Anglican Church, Woodhouse Parish in Norfolk County, Ontario. Within a few months William Campbell and his new bride, Sarah Ann Havens appear in the 1845/1846 church records of the Cold Springs Congregational Church in Hamilton Township, Northumberland County, Ontario. William Campbell has been said to have served as secretary of the Church Board and to have developed a close personal relationship with the minister, William Hayden. It appears that the two families interacted socially as well as spiritually for some years. William Campbell continued for some time working a farm for David Sidey who lived just down the road from this property. By early 1848 William Campbell and Sarah Ann Havens were expecting their first child.

William Hayden Campbell was born to William Campbell and Sarah Ann Havens on June 29, 1848. The choice of the middle name, Hayden, is attributed to the close relationship between the William Campbell family and that of the Reverend William Hayden. The presence of William Hayden Campbell was first recorded in a municipal census completed in 1848 when the household of William Campbell was enumerated as having three members: William Campbell, Sarah Ann Havens and William Hayden Campbell, although only the name of William Campbell actually appears in the census. By the date of the 1851 census, the Campbell household numbers four with the addition of a younger brother for William Hayden Campbell named Sylvester Campbell. A third son, John Campbell, probably born in January 1853 dies after only two months on March 17, 1853 and, presumably, is buried in the Pioneers' Memorial Cemetery at Cold Springs. By the beginning of 1854, the Campbell household has four living members; William Campbell, Sarah Ann Havens, William Hayden Campbell and Sylvester Campbell. This membership drops to three when Sarah Ann Havens dies on May 3, 1854. The tombstone memorializing the lives of both Sarah Ann Havens and her youngest son, John Campbell, still stands in the Pioneers' Memorial Cemetery. Excepting a brief stay in Norfolk County, the entire episode of this family has so far taken place in the hamlet of Cold Springs, North of Cobourg, in Hamilton Township, Northumberland County, Ontario.

Within a year or two following the death of Sarah Ann Havens, William Campbell has remarried. The bride is one of the daughters of David Sidey, Isabella Jane Sidey. William Campbell and Isabella Jane Sidey will form a permanent couple until they both pass away many years later. The actual record of their marriage, probably in the Congregational Church at Cold Springs and likely performed by the Reverend William Hayden, is lost, almost certainly due to a pair of fires that occurred on the church property subsequent to this time period. At any rate, all records reviewed by this researcher to date describe William Campbell and Isabella Jane Sidey as husband and wife. At this point in the marriage, Isabella Jane Sidey assumes responsibility for William Campbell's living sons, William Hayden Campbell and Sylvester Campbell and the couple will soon move on to build a second family having numerous additional children.

Evidence from the 1861 Census of Canada shows the family of William Campbell and Isabella Jane Sidey still working the Sidey farm at Cold Springs. William Hayden Campbell is still part of the family structure at this time and identified in the census as a "labourer". On December 23, 1869 William

Hayden Campbell marries Catharine Jane Beggs in the village of Port Hope in Northumberland County. By the time of the census in 1871 William Campbell has purchased a farm in Percy Township, Northumberland County and moved his family north to live there. Just two years following his wedding William Hayden Campbell and his new wife Catharine Jane Beggs are mentioned in a land deal together with Sylvester Campbell and their father, William Campbell, as William Campbell sells his farm in 1871 to his two oldest sons William Hayden Campbell and Sylvester Campbell. William Campbell and Isabella Jane Sidey again move their family north to Chandos Township in Peterborough County. William Hayden Campbell and Sylvester Campbell dispose of the farm in a matter of a few months and move on. William Hayden Campbell and his wife Catharine Jane Beggs do not follow William north to Chandos Township as does Sylvester Campbell, who continues to assist his father, William Campbell, on the new farm for several years. In 1874 William Hayden Campbell and Catharine Jane Beggs welcome the arrival of their first son, Fredrick Havens Campbell. At the time of Fredrick's birth the family is living in Smiths Falls, Lanark County, Ontario. In 1879 William Hayden Campbell and Catharine Jane Beggs have a second son, Burtrim Campbell. By the time of the 1881 Census of Canada, William Campbell and Isabella Jane Sidey are resident in Chandos Township, Peterborough County. William Hayden Campbell and Catharine Jane Beggs are living in Wellington Ward, Ottawa, Ontario. Here, at least for the moment, the story of the William Hayden Campbell and Catharine Jane Beggs family ends. As of the date of April 2013, this researcher has not discovered any evidence to suggest what happened - but something did indeed happen. William Hayden Campbell never appears again in any record with Catharine Jane Beggs or his children.

In 1913 William Hayden Campbell provides intimate details of his life to the publisher of a significant volume titled "Who's Who on the Pacific Coast, 1913". In the subsequent article William Hayden Campbell identifies his full name, birthdate, location of birth, fathers name, mother's maiden name and many details of his education and work experience. This entry constitutes a significant biographical sketch of William Hayden Campbell's life and clearly, leaving no doubt, identifies him as the son of William Campbell and Sarah Ann Havens. Among the biographical details is the fact that William Hayden Campbell entered the Montana Territory, USA sometime in 1882, just one year after he appeared together with his family in Wellington Ward, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. On January 11, 1885 William Hayden Campbell marries Rose Harriot Ferte in Livingston, Park County, Montana Territory, USA. This would constitute a second "marriage" for William Hayden Campbell and the first marriage for Rose Harriot Ferte. This couple appears to remain together for the rest of their lives. Fifteen years later in the census of 1900, William Hayden Campbell is still together with Rose Harriot Ferte living in the town of Livingston, Park County, Montana, USA, where William Hayden Campbell is practicing medicine as he has become a licensed physician in the state of Montana. In 1901 William Hayden Campbell moves his family and medical practice to Kalispell, Flathead County, Montana, USA. The census of 1910 illustrates that William Hayden Campbell and Rose Harriot Ferte are still resident in the town of Kalispell, Flathead County, Montana where William Hayden Campbell still practices medicine. On June 14, 1915 William Hayden Campbell moves his medical practice to Los Angeles, California, having secured a license to practice medicine in California. A year later, in 1916, William Hayden Campbell again moves his medical practice to Santa Monica, Los Angeles County, California. William Hayden Campbell and Rose Harriot Ferte remain in Santa Monica, Los Angeles County, California until he dies there on January 4 (8), 1919 and she passes away on January 31, 1922. William Hayden Campbell and Rose Harriot Ferte are both buried in the Angelus Rosedale Cemetery (Section 6) in Los Angeles, Los Angeles County, California, USA.

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and Surgeon; *born*, Ontario, Canada, June
29, 1848; *son*, William and Sarah Ann
(Haven) C. *Edu.*: common schools, Co-
bourg, Ontario; Coll. Inst., Port Hope,
Ont.; Victoria College Med. School;
Gross Med. College, 1890. Married, Rose
Harriot Ferte, Jan. 11, 1885, at Living-
ston, Mont. Went to Mont. in 1882; lived
in Livingston, 19 years; moved to Kalis-
pell, 1900. In active practice of medi-
cine. Secy., Bd. of Mgrs., Mont. Soldiers
Home; Trustee, Conrads Memorial Ceme-
tery; State Sen. from Park County, 1897
and 1899. Member: Flathead Med. Soc.,
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