

## HAWMAN FAMILY

The Hawmans came from Pennsylvania of German descent. Our earliest records 1860 show Gabriel Hawman owned Lot 1, rear concession 10, King Township. John Hawman owned 200 acres lots 6 and 7 rear concession 10 King Township. John donated the property for the Old Primitive Methodist Church Cemetary on the Bolton road. Also part of the Nobleton Community Cemetary on Highway 27 was given by this gentleman.

The son of one of these men, William Hawman born 1847 married Mary Ann Stewart. They farmed near Purpleville in the 1870's. They had seven children - Margaret, Stewart, William, Gabriel, Herbert, Edgar, and Elwood twins and Edna.

Margaret married William Copothorn having five children - Jennie, Herbert, Lyman, Etta and Eva. Lyman married Pearl Bell and was a resident of Nobleton following his farming career in Vaughan Township.

Stewart married Hannah Breedon. They lived on the tenth concession of King until they bought a farm at Kleinburg. They had seven of a family. Delbert, Olive (Mrs. Carl Shaw) Velma, Ewart, Ormy, Kenneth and Henry.

William Gabriel was born in 1876 at Purpleville. He married Elizabeth Ann Breedon in 1901. Their nine children are Myrtle, Herschell, Henry, Thomas, Merle, Pearl, Orma, Madeline and Marshall.

Myrtle married George Bell a farmer in Vaughan. They have two girls and two boys.

Herschell never married and was a veteran of World War 11.

Henry married Peggy Whan, they have one son and reside in Toronto.

Thomas married Macel Palmer, they have eight children. Merle married Herman Kelly a farmer and they have one daughter .

Pearl married Herbert Hilliard of Kleinburg. They have three sons. Orma died at the prime of life.

Madeline married Templeton Mactaggart, they have a son and a daughter.

Marshall married Violet McBain and have two girls.

Mr. Hawman rented several farms around Nobleton until he purchased property on concession 10 in Vaughan township. On his retirement to Nobleton, son Thomas took over the farm. History repeated itself when Tom retired and his son William took over the farm. However, the farm has been sold and William continues farming near Peterborough.

Herbert Hawman married Annie McCarroll, they had one daughter.

Alma married Harold Long, they have one son William.

Edgar and Elwood never married.

Edna married Wilbert Allan farming in the Bolton district. They had thirteen children - Mildred, Gladys, Garnet, Leonard, Myrtle, Viola, Jim, Jack, Ronald, Alvin and three who died in infancy.

Gladys married George Malloy of Nobleton, they had a daughter and a son.