

Mary Florence Graham-Stevick (1876 – 1921)

Mary Florence Graham was born June 24<sup>th</sup> 1877<sup>i</sup> to William Graham (1833-1908)<sup>1</sup> and his last wife,<sup>2</sup> Margaret Stuart<sup>3</sup> Hildebrand-Culbertson<sup>4</sup> in Shippensburg Cumberland County Pennsylvania. Mary Florence was baptized, along with her mother and sisters, on May 19<sup>th</sup> 1888 at the German Reformed Church in Shippensburg by Reverend J. David Miller.<sup>5</sup> She went by the name Florence.

Florence married Wilbur J. Stevick in 1894. William was born May 10<sup>th</sup> 1870 to Jacob M. Stevick and Clara Mull in Franklin County Pennsylvania.<sup>6</sup>

In 1897 William and Florence were boarding at 422 Market Street, 1898 – 1900 at 101 North 4<sup>th</sup> Street, 1901 – 1902 at 31 Balm Street, 1903 at 1420 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, 1904 – 1905 at 643 Calder Street, 1906 – 1907 at house 9 at 13<sup>th</sup> Street, 1908 at the rear of house 8 on 13<sup>th</sup> street, all in the city of Harrisburg Dauphin County Pennsylvania.<sup>7</sup>

Florence was 45 years old when she died July 21<sup>st</sup> 1921 from cancer of the uterus. She was laid to rest on July 23<sup>rd</sup> 1921 in the Spring Hill Cemetery, Section 7.2 Shippensburg.<sup>8</sup> FAG#120820423<sup>ii</sup>

Wilbur was 52 Years old when he died May 4<sup>th</sup> 1923 of acute dilation of the heart in Chambersburg Franklin County Pennsylvania. He was laid to rest May 7<sup>th</sup> 1923 with his wife at the Spring Hill Cemetery.<sup>9</sup> FAG#120820357<sup>iii</sup>

Florence and William had no children.

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<sup>i</sup> Another birth date July 4<sup>th</sup> 1876 was identified on her Pennsylvania Death Certificate #71069.

<sup>ii</sup> Find-A-Grave, FAG, is a web site for cemetery memorials, <http://www.findagrave.com>

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<sup>1</sup> William Graham (1833-1908) research paper, Taylor-Graham Library, 479 County Line Rd, York Springs Pennsylvania, 17372

<sup>2</sup> A few researchers indicated William first married Mary Culbertson-Hilderbrand, and second to Mary Elizabeth Ablewalt in 1875. These marriages are in the wrong order. The name of Ablewalt must have been derived from the death certificates of two daughters, Annie Angle (Allewett) and Cora Geistwhite (Allewett). Then there is William's 1908 obituary, which indicated he was first married to Mary Oliver.

<sup>3</sup> Margaret Stuart Hildebrand Middle Name: The middle name came from her son, William Culbertson's Obituary: The Shippensburg Chronicle, Tuesday, August 24<sup>th</sup> 1944, Shippensburg Historical Society Obituary Collection, Shippensburg Historical Society, 52 West King Street Shippensburg, Pennsylvania, 17257. Copy, Taylor-Graham Library, 479 County Line Rd, York Springs Pennsylvania, 17372

<sup>4</sup> Mary Stuart Hidebrand-Culbertson Name: Mary's maiden name of Hildebrand came from William Graham's obituary; The Chronicle Shippensburg Pennsylvania, Thursday, August 6, 1908, and her obituary; The Chronicle, Shippensburg, Thursday, February 10<sup>th</sup> 1921. Both obituaries came from the Shippensburg Historical Society Obituary Collection, Shippensburg Historical Society, 52 West King Street Shippensburg, Pennsylvania, 17257. Copy, Taylor-Graham Library, 479 County Line Rd, York Springs Pennsylvania, 17372

<sup>5</sup> Mary Florence Name, Birth Date, Baptism, and Parent's Names: The information came from church baptism records, Historical Society of Pennsylvania; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Collection Name: Historic Pennsylvania Church and Town Records; Reel: 293; Historic Pennsylvania Church and Town Records. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

<sup>6</sup> William (Wilbur) Stevick Birth Date and Parent's Names: The information came from his Pennsylvania Death Certificate #58049, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1944; Pennsylvania (State). Death certificates, 1906-1963; Series 11.90 (1,905 cartons); Records of the Pennsylvania Department of Health, Record Group 11; Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. <http://www.phmc.state.pa.us>. Copy, Taylor-Graham Library, 479 County Line Rd, York Springs Pennsylvania, 17372

<sup>7</sup> William Stevick Residence: U.S. City Directories, Historical Society of Dauphin County, 219 S Front Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, 17104.

<sup>8</sup> Florence Stevick Death Date and Burial: The information came from her Pennsylvania Death Certificate #71069, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1944; Pennsylvania (State). Death certificates, 1906-1963; Series 11.90 (1,905 cartons); Records of the Pennsylvania Department of Health, Record Group 11; Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. <http://www.phmc.state.pa.us>. Copy, Taylor-Graham Library, 479 County Line Rd, York Springs Pennsylvania, 17372

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