

[From William J. ("Jim") Haynes, Colonel, USAF retired]

My **grandfather** was from Longtown. He had 13 children most of whom settled in Winnsboro. My Uncle John and my father, Joe, enlisted in the medical corps and served in the First World War in France. My father was an ambulance driver. Uncle John moved to Colorado Springs, Colorado, where he became sheriff.

My aunt Fannie was married to Dr. McMeekin, DDS. Their son Joe was also a dentist in Winnsboro.

My uncle Tom owned and operated Haynes Shoe Shop on main street until his death. His widow, Christine, ran it until my brother, John, returned from WWII. My uncle Tal owned a grocery store and Liquor store for years on main street. He sold those and operated the Men's Shop until his death. His son, Rev Tal Haynes, recently died in Richmond, Va.

My father Joe met my mother to be in Massachusetts enroute to France and married her on his return from the war. He was a police officer for years and then sold automobiles for Ruff Ford Motor until his death in 1941. My mother Eva was employed by Belk for many hears.

My brothers John and Joe were in the military during WWII and my sister Connie worked in the Charleston Naval Yard.

My sister-in-law Jane, widow of John, lives on Garden Street in Winnsboro.

My aunt, Hazel Smarr, was postmistress and owner of Smarr Insurance Agency.

All our family attended Mt. Zion and were members of Sion Presbyterian Church.

I graduated Mt. Zion in 1953, graduated University of South Carolina in 1957. Married Caroline Heyward Bynum was commissioned 2nd Lt USAF and reported for active duty. I retired Colonel in 1982.

My wife, Caroline's, great grandfather was Isaac N. Withers... a member of Sion Presbyterian. Another Great grandfather, Joseph Caldwell was also a member of Sion Presbyterian.

My oldest son, William James Haynes II (Jim) is a graduate of Davidson College and Harvard Law School. He served as Army General Counsel in the first Bush administration and as General Counsel of the Department of Defense in the second Bush administration.

We have 3 married children. Caroline and I retired in Maryville, Tennessee.

[1880 Federal Census, Township 5, Fairfield County, South Carolina, Roll 1229, Page 140C, William G. Hanes.]

William J. Haynes, age 26

Nany Haynes, age 17

Anney Haynes, age 3

William L. Haynes, age 6 months

[1900 Federal Census, Township 5, Fairfield County, South Carolina, Roll 1527, Page 21A, Willie J. Haynes.]

Willie J. Haynes, age 46 (born December 1853); married 1877; occupation farmer

Father's birthplace North Carolina

Mother's birthplace North Carolina

Nannie Haynes, age 20

Mamie B. Haynes, age 18

John McAHaynes, age 16

Austin S. Haynes, age 14

Fannie I. Haynes, age 12

Rosa B. Haynes, age 10

Tomas S. Haynes, age 8

Joseph Haynes, age 7

Jennie M. Haynes, age 4

Robert T. Haynes, age 2

Hasel M. Haynes, age 2 months

[1920 Federal Census, Winnsboro, Fairfield County, South Carolina, Roll T625-1695, Page 5B, William J. Haynes.]

William J. Haynes, age 65; born about 1855; Occupation shoe maker; Industry Cobbler Shop

Nannie J. Haynes, age 57

Fannie H. Haynes, age 32

Thomas S. Haynes, age 26

Joseph R. Haynes, age 24

Taldmage R. Haynes, age 22

Hazel M. Haynes, age 20

Hollie I. Haynes, age 18

Daisy Bell, age 9

William C. Bell, age 6

[U.S. World War I Draft Registration Card for Joseph Ryon Haynes]

Joseph Ryon Haynes

Born January 3, 1894 (age 22)

[Standard Certificate of Death, Bureau of Vital Statistics, State of South Carolina]

W.J. Haynes

Born December 5, 1854

Died September 2, 1931

Buried Sion Presbyterian Cemetery, Winnsboro

Trade/profession, Shoe and harness maker

Father Edward W. Haynes, born North Carolina

Mother Mary Bass, born North Carolina

[Find A Grave]

William James Haynes

Born December 5, 1854

Died September 2, 1931

Buried Sion Presbyterian Cemetery, Winnsboro, Fairfield County, South Carolina

Wife Nancy Jane Stewart Haynes (July 18, 1862-December 23, 1931)

[Standard Certificate of Death, Bureau of Vital Statistics, State of South Carolina]

Joseph Rion Haynes

Born January 3, 1894

Died June 24, 1941 (age 47 years)

Buried Sion Presbyterian Cemetery, Winnsboro

Father W.G. Haynes

Born Longtown, Fairfield County, South Carolina

Mother Nancy Y. Stewart

Born Longtown, Fairfield County, South Carolina

Shoemakers Once Were Well Paid

Thirty years ago, when all shoes were made by hand, the shoemaker earned a fair salary of from \$12 to \$16 per week. Every shoe shop had from five to ten shoemakers working. Shoes and boots cost from \$8 to \$15, and they received much more repairing than do the shoes of today. Now girls are working in the factories and hundreds of good shoemakers are looking for something to eat. Over half of the shoemakers who formerly worked in the shops are working at other lines of business, and making more money.

A journeyman cobbler seldom makes more than \$8 or \$9 per week.

One may wonder why it is that the cobbler nearly always finds a mean, dirty hole to crawl into and to call it a repair shop. The fact is, he cannot afford to pay much rent. In the average shoe shop in the good seasons - spring and summer - he can do \$4 worth of repairing a day, and not more than \$6 if he works in the night time. Four dollars per day and six days a week make \$24 per week.

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