



## JAMIESON William Wilson

**Parents:** William Jamieson and Annie Scot

**Siblings:**

1. Allan b 2 September 1823
2. Ann b 24 April 1827
3. Thomas b 18 March 1832
4. Janet Wilson b 3 May 1835
5. Margaret b 3 June 1838
6. James b 1840 d 1916

**Birth:** 1830, Beath, Scotland

**Marriage:** 1861 Mary Coulstock b 1840 d 1909

**Immigration:** arrived on the *Gilmore* in 1851

**Children:**

1. Mary Frances b 1862 d 1873
2. Annie b 1864 d 1952 m 1887 William James Pearce Davies b 1864 d 1941
3. William Wilson b 1866 d 1931 m 1915 Myrel Morgot Finlay b 1893 d 1962
4. George b 1867
5. John Bell b 1869 d 1942 m 1897 to Elizabeth Andrea Poppens b 1879 d 1940
6. Margaret b 1871 d 1874

**Place of Residence:** NW Corner Timor and Henna Streets

**Education:** William had completed an apprenticeship as an Ironmonger before arriving in Port Phillip.

**Death and Burial:**

Died 10 March 1882 and was buried on the 11 March 1882 at the Warrnambool Cemetery, Presbyterian Section, Row 22, Grave 58. Mary was buried on the 2 February 1909 and is in the same grave as William.

**Obituary:**

*The Warrnambool Examiner*, 11 March 1882

We regret to have to record the death of Mr. W. W. Jamieson, which took place at his residence, Timor Street west, yesterday evening, after a lingering illness. Mr Jamieson arrived in the colony from Scotland in the year 1851. He was for some time in a wholesale house in Melbourne, and subsequently in business in Heidelberg, near Melbourne. In the year 1856 he came to Warrnambool, where he opened a business in Liebig Street as a grocer and ironmonger. In those early days his name is bound up in the history of Warrnambool. He was foremost in all public movements for advancing the interests of the town, and he took an active part in municipal matters, having been three times elected Mayor of the town, twice in succession. He attained to the prosperity which he so well deserved, and in the year 1874 he retired from business a wealthy citizen. In that year he paid a visit to the old country with his family, remaining away about two years. The love of the town in which his fortunes had been so long cast was strong upon him, and he returned again to Warrnambool in 1876. His name again became associated with the various business ventures in the town, in the guidance of which his eminent commercial qualifications were of good service. Thus he was a director of the Western Steam Navigation Company, of the Lighterage Company, and the Gas Company, and he was also President of the Warrnambool Permanent Building Society. Municipal matters also occupied some portion of his time, but failing health compelled him to relinquish those

duties, and for several months past he has suffered acutely from the illness which yesterday culminated in death. He has died comparatively a young man, much beloved by his bereaved family, and honoured as a citizen. The funeral is announced to take place at four p.m. today.

**Life:** Mr William Wilson Jamieson was a native of Beath, Scotland and had served his apprenticeship to the ironmongery business in Scotland. He came to Warrnambool from Hawthorn where he had previously had a small ironmongery business and prior to that time he had been in the employ of Messrs. McEwan and Co, Melbourne. On coming to Warrnambool he selected a site just north of the well known firm of Cramond and Dickson in Liebig Street, taking a weatherboard building that had been erected by a man named Elliott as a bowling saloon. William is described as a keen, shrewd man of business and a hearty jovial friend. During his life he bore his share of work in the affairs of his adopted town.

W. W. Jamieson and Co. - Issued a Token penny in 1862

Jamieson Street is named after William.