

**England
(Manchester)**

John Cobain (Packer)
b. 1830s

marries Mary ? (Milliner), b. 1848

Children:

- a) John Thomas b. 1867
 - b) Alfred b. 1869
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a) John Thomas marries Mary Ellen Townley 1891

- John Alfred b. 1892
- Ann b. 1893
- William E. b. 1895
- Elsie b. 1897
- Mary Ellen b. 1899
- Nellie b. 1900
- George B. b. 1901
- Baden b. 1902
- Henry b. 1903
- Ada b. 1904

b) Alfred marries Louisa

- Dorothy b. 1903
- Alfred b. 1905
- James b. 1908

**Ireland to England
(Toxeth Park, Liverpool)**

John Cobain (Packer)
b. 1836

- marries Mary Elizabeth Gallagher
- John and Mary were born in Ireland, moved to England approx. 1864.

Children:

- a) John b. 1858 (Belfast)
 - b) James b. 1860 (Belfast)
 - c) Henry b. 1862 (Belfast)
 - d) Elizabeth b. 1865 (Lancashire)
 - e) Jane b. 1870 (Lancashire)
 - f) Robert b. 1872
 - g) Thomas b. 1875
 - h) Mary Ethel b. 1884
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h) Mary Ethel marries James Johnson 1902

**England
(Liverpool)**

John Cobain

b.

marries Margaret Penn

Children:

a) Florence Mary b. 1890

b) Margaret P. b. 1893

c) John b. 1892

d) Robert b. 1898

England (Salford, Lancashire)

William Cobain
b. 1806 (Ireland)
Dispenser of Drugs

marries Sarah Lloyd b. 1806, d. 1864

Children:

- a) William Edward b. 1829, d. 1870, marries Mary Moorehouse 1865
- b) John b. 1831, marries Sarah Hughes 1853
- c) Elizabeth b. 1834
- d) Sarah Jane b. 1836, marries Henry Holmes 1865
- e) Harriet Ann b. 1839, marries John F. Skivington 1863
- f) Ann Maria b. 1842
- g) Mary b. 1845, marries Thomas Ryan 1867
- h) Hannah M. b. 1843, marries James Mather 1861

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- a) William Edward marries Mary Moorehouse 1865
 - William Edward b. 1866, d. 1874
 - John Thomas, b. 1867 (at the time of John Thomas' birth William Edward is employed as a waiter and the family live on Wilburn St.)
 - Alfred b. 1869

Notes:

1. Inquest held in 1843 due to deaths as a result of drugs he dispensed at the Manchester and Salford Lying-in-Hospital. Inquest indicates he had been employed at the hospital for 18 yrs. This means he would have been in England since at least 1825 (19 yrs. old).
2. Rev Edward de Cobain also has a daughter named Anne Maria b. 1827. Could William and Edward be related? Edward also has a sister named Elizabeth b. 1802. William has a daughter named Elizabeth. In addition, William is a Wesleyan Methodist and his children are all baptized at the Gravel Lane Wesleyan Methodist Chapel in Salford.
3. William and his family appear in the 1841 and 1851 UK census (under "Cabain"). He does not appear in 1861. They reside at 20 Sidmouth St. for a long period of time.

**Ireland to England
(Toxeth Park, Liverpool)**

William Henry Cobain*

b. 1840s

d.

- marries Sarah Mealy 1873
(they move to Liverpool)

Children:

a) Annie Catherine 1874

b) William Henry b. 1877

c) Elizabeth b. 1881

b) William Henry marries Mary Alice Copestake, 1903 in Liverpool

* William Henry is son of Edward Cobain, Farmer b. 1800, d. 1873
(1st marriage Ann Robertson, 2nd marriage Mary Martin, 1857)