

Registered 1999 - Haines / Haight Homestead - Circa 1841



This home was built in 1841 by William H. Haines. He was the first Municipal Councillor for the Marshalltown area. William Haines was the president of “The Union Agricultural Society of St. Mary’s Bay”, postmaster for Hainesville (Hillgrove) from 1876 to 1892, and Justice of the Peace.

William and his brother bought the land in 1840 (200 acres). William built on the western half and Robert built on the eastern half. William sold the home in 1897 to John Blinn and his wife Mary who were from Clare. In 1915 Fred Haight bought this farm house and 84 years later the property is still being farmed by descendents of Fred Haight.

This Greek Revival farm house has remained virtually unchanged and is a fine example of the old country farms that once flourished throughout the county.