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known as the Nelson House. He continued in the business until 1862, when he retired from active life, with a well-earned competency. His wife died during the year of 1838. The year following he married Miss Eliza Wilson of Camden. Her death occurred in 1865. He married again in November, 1866, Mrs. Mary Spencer of North East, Pa., who was left a widow the second time. Mr. Spencer's death occurring in 1869, aged 73 years. He left no children or descendants.

## ALEXANDER WAUGH

Was one of the pioneers of Camden, emigrating here about 1800 from Connecticut, and located in the northern part of the town, near what is known as the Bates District. His wife's maiden name was Elizabeth Throop. Their children were all born in Litchfield, Conn., Dan, Norman, Freeman, Irene, Rhody, and Elizabeth. Alexander Waugh and wife are buried in Hamilton, N. Y. Daniel, his oldest child, married Irene Smedley in 1794. and were among our early settlers. About 1811 he moved to Lewiston, N. Y., where he died January 30, 1812. His wife died in 12 days after, leaving eight children. They were brought back to Camden by their uncle Norman, and found homes among their relatives. Norman was the second son of Alexander. He died at Scriba, New York, in 1821. Freeman was the third son of Alexander. He moved to Wisconsin. Gideon, second son of Daniel, married Minerva Miner at Scriba. had 6 children. This family roved about, and in the year 1833 they went in a sailing vessel from Oswego to Ohio, and settled in the northwestern part of the State. He was the third settler in the town of Henrietta. A town was set off from Henrietta, Gideon Waugh suggested the name of Camden in honor of his early home in Camden, Oneida County, N. Y. His son James, born August 24, 1833, was the pioneer baby of Camden, Ohio.