

to be rechecked

<u>LOT #</u>	<u>Concession</u>	<u>Name Township</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Owner</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
<u>On East Branch of Big Otter - cont'd.</u>					
123	N.T.R.		Woollen	Murphy	
22	N. Gore		Saw	Martin Hubbard	
24	N. Gore		Shingle	Hazelton	
28	8		Shingle	Nehemiah Leach	
12	5		Saw	Henry Stratton	
131	N.T.R.	on Silver Brook	Saw	Hill	Not in existence long
111	S.T.R.	at Filmore Bridge	-	-	Evidence of a mill or rollway
28	9		Saw	Wm. Stilwell	
<u>On Little Otter, East of Port Burwell</u>					
14	1		Flour	Emery & Youell	
24	2		Saw	W.W. Williams	
26	5	Grange Hall Creek	Saw	J. Cooper - Spore	
26	S. G.	Grange Hall Creek	Saw	Lawrence Stansell	
23	S.G.	Crandall Creek	Saw	Gillett	

MILLS IN MIDDLETON

On the East Branch

	Saw	Jno. Ostrander
	Grist	Jno. Ostrander
	Grist	Jas. Watson
Bell Mill	Saw	H. Stratten
	Saw	Jake Nunn farm

MILLS IN DEREHAM

On the Big Otter in Dereham

	Dam	Tillson
	Dam	Tillson
on Jerry Creek	Woollen	

Mills in Norwich Township

Rosanna	Flour	
Rocks Mill	Flour	Rock
Otterville	Grist	

on Little Otter & branches

(compiled by W. Stansell)

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18	W.N.R.		Saw	J. W. House	
7	W.N.R.		Saw	Wm. Francis	
9	E.W.R.		Saw	Bailey	Later M. Safford
12	E.W.R.		Saw	J. B. Ball	
18	E.W.R.		Saw	Jehu Mosher	
12	E.W.R.		Saw	Jas. Truman	
14	E.W.R.		Grist	J. Skinner	
16	1		Saw	M. D. Winans	
17	1		Saw	J. Swayze	

on Beech Lane Branch

9	E.W.R.		Saw	Thos. Forsyth	
13	2		Saw	J. B. Dayfoot	

on Hemlock Creek

2	N.L.R.		Saw & Tannery	S. Beckett	Later Ben Gates
1	E.N.R.		Saw	Ephram Payne	
2	E.N.R.		Smelter	VanNorman	

on Clear Creek

18	S.L.R.		Grist	Albert Misner	
4	6		Saw	W. & D. Taylor	
5	6		Saw	Dickensons	
10	6		Saw	Laycocks	
2	5		Saw	Raymond (possibly)	

EARLY SETTLERS IN BAYHAM TOWNSHIP
AS RECORDED IN AN
HISTORICAL ATLAS OF ELGIN COUNTY

1877

Anderson P. A. & Co.	1814	Merchants	Laing, George	1845	Merchant & J.P.
Arnold, John	1821	Farmer	Lundy, Homer	1839	Farmer
Best, George	1824	Farmer	Light, Lazarus	1836	Mason & bricklayer
Brien, Benjamin	1856	Farmer	Lamond, Archibald	1838	Farmer
Bell, Mrs. A. B.	1825	Farmer	Meston, Archibald	1869	Merchant
Borbridge, John W.	1833	Farmer	McCollom, W. H.	1858	Carriagemaker
Best, Henry	1840	Farmer	Mann, P. M.	1832	M.D.
Best, Casper	1842	Farmer	Moore, William	1843	Merchant & P.O.
Best, F. A.	1844	Merchant	Marr, Guilford	1852	Grain & Produce & brick maker
Bowes, Edwin	1854	Teacher	Marlatt, George	1835	Farmer
Bilow, Michael	1854	Farmer	Mitchell, W. A.	1816	Farmer
Connor, Isaac	1856	Conveyancer	Moore, Soloman	1837	Farmer
Cook, Sylvester	1816	Hotelkeeper	McQueen, Alex	1863	Farmer
Caulfield, H.	1856	Cabinetmaker	McCurdy, Lyndes	1832	Farmer
Crane, William	1816	Farmer	McCurdy, Richard	1830	Farmer & Lumberman
Cook, H.	1828	Farmer & J.P.	McKinnon, Angus	1848	Farmer
Cook, A. L.	1836	Farmer & J.P.	McDiarmid, Duncan	1840	Farmer & J.P.
Dobbie, T. W.	—	Farmer, P.L.S. & Reeve	Newills, Richard	1860	Farmer
Dobbie, Chas. T.	1838	Farmer	Neff, Cornelius	1838	Farmer
Drake, Richard C.	1875	Farmer	Norton, Joseph	1833	Farmer
Denton, John A.	1851	Hotelkeeper	Purdy, W. B.	1875	Shoemaker
Donaldson, Robert	1871	Hotelkeeper	Procunier, George	1846	Farmer & Mill owner
Dalrymple, Robert	1866	Cabinetmaker	Pillmon, W.	1859	Farmer & bailiff
Donahue, D.	1851	Schoolteacher	Rickwood, James G.	1871	Blacksmith
Dean, Darius	1857	Farmer	Russling, Joseph	1855	Farmer & Fruit grower
Firby, W. Walker	1844	Farmer	Smuck, W.R.	1868	P.M. & Prop. Ont. House
Fenn, William	1856	Farmer	Stratton, Henry	1846	Farmer & Deputy Reeve
Ford, Thos. M.	1835	Farmer	Saunders, M. N.	1826	Twp. Treasurer
Ford, James	1850	Farmer	Soper, Edward	1849	Farmer
Grey, Franklin	1848	Farmer & Mill owner	Tompkins, George	1851	Farmer
Gilbert, H. W.	1857	Wagon & Carriage maker	Timpany, B. J.	1837	Farmer
Garnham, George	1838	Farmer	Turnbull, James	1858	Farmer
Gilbert, Isaac H.	1865	Farmer	Weaver, E. A.	1856	Farmer
Grey, A.	1822	Farmer	Weaver, Thomas	1857	Farmer
Hankinson, Francis	1850	Schoolteacher	Wilson, John	1861	Farmer
Hoagg, W. C.	1848	Merchant	Vanamburgh, J.M.	1821	Farmer
Hubbard, C. H.	1854	Hotelkeeper			
Hooper, G. W.	1876	Carriage maker			
Hunt, John	1852	Farmer			
Howey, Samuel	1834	Farmer			
Hatch, David	1814	Farmer			
Heardman, Mrs. S.J.	1856	Land owner			
Hatch, Levi	1814	Farmer			
Hayward, Isaac	1860	Farmer			
Howey, William	1818	Farmer			
Jones, J. S.	1837	Municipal Clerk			
Johnston, Miss M.	1855	Teacher			
Kennedy, William	1854	Farmer			
Ketchabaw, John	1841	Tanner & farmer			
Kerr, Noble L.	1851	Farmer			

Bayham Township got its name from the ruins of the Begeham or Bayham Abbey in Kent built 1200 a.d., named for Viscount Bayham of Bath, England.

Notes from Assessment Roll

1865 Teacher - Richardson Scidmore - age 22 - lived in Solomon Day house - 9 - 23 s pt. E.P.r.)

Age 52 - butcher - Thomas Ball - E. main 9 - 23

P.Office - John Nethercott - S.E. 9 - 22 S.S. # 18

Blacksmith - William age 44 S pt. 9 - 22

1861 Doctor Peregrine M. Mann M.D.

3 horses

S.S. # 11 - 6 East Mill St. 111 age 38 in 1871 - 5 in family C. Erel

Teacher - Augustus V.W. Hewitt S.S. # 17 - 6 - 117

1863 Teacher V. W. Hewitt S.S. # 17 - 6 - 117

Teacher Robert J. Husband - (in 1866 age 29) S.S. # 8

Surgeon - Peregreen Mann S.S. # 11

Innkeeper - Israel Stilwell - age 35 - S.S. # 18 9 S.W. angle 23

Cooper - Egbert Nims - age 39 - 9 - 23

Wheelwright - Henry W. Gilbert - age 43 - 9 - 23

Blacksmith - William Cole - 9 - 23

1866 John (Jones James?) blacksmith - age 30 - 9 - 6

Francis Lilly - blacksmith - age 34 - 10 - 15 centre

Mason - William Grey - 1 - 11 age 57

Teacher - William A. Moore - age 35 - 1 - 12

1868 Teacher Miss C. H. Gauld (Gould?) 22 E.

Merchant Israel Stilwell - 8 - 23

Teacher - R.P.Scidmore - age 25 S.S. # 18 - 9 - 23

Yeoman

Alvin Caswell - mariner - Catholic - 38 years.

1868 Innkeeper - Joseph Schrum(?) 9 - 25

Wagonmaker H.W. Gilbert - 9 - 22

1868

Eden 60 acres value \$4800 Income \$1200. prop \$1300 Total value \$6100

5 dogs, \$5.00 tax - no arrears

Eden families	1	53	cattle	24	sheep	36	hogs	10	horses	11
	2	103		119		172		74		36
	3	89		117		203		37		32

Cleared 60 acres

444 acres

787 acres

1863 John Shingler House - age 38 or 58 Methodist - S.S. # 16 - 6 - 131

Levi Hatch - age 49 S.S. # M - 7 - 119 N. pt.

David W. Hatch - age 54 - S.S. # M - 7 - 120

Wm. Hatch Jr. S.S. # M - 171 7 Centre 121

Joseph Hatch age 21 (Levi's son) S.S. # 17 - 7 - 14

1865 James House - age 68 - N $\frac{1}{2}$ S.G. 25 (great uncle)

James Hainor House - son - 24 aged

1866 Levi J. Hatch - age 21 - 7 - 119

1871 age 38 - Isaac House - 5 in family

Fred H. House S.G. 28 - 23 acres \$100. 1871 age 31 P. rel.

A.W. House - Straffordville

1865

Wm. Hatch - age 80 - pt E pt n $\frac{1}{2}$ 6 - 122 - 28 acres \$250.

John S. House - age 40 N. end s $\frac{1}{2}$ 7 - 131 - 75 acres \$550.

Henry Hatch - 22 yrs. - N. end s $\frac{1}{2}$ 7 - 119 - 30 acres

Levi Hatch - 50 yrs. S end n $\frac{1}{2}$ 7 - 119 - 75 acres \$1100. 1350. total

David W. Hatch - 56 yrs. N pt. 7 - 120 90 acres

Wm. Hatch Jr. - 29 yrs. S pt. n $\frac{1}{2}$ 7 - 121 - 59 acres

Thomas G. Hatch - 23 yrs. n end 7 - 123 - 50 acres \$300.

Joseph Hatch - 23 yrs. Centre N.G. 14 - 30 acres

L.J. Hatch - 6 - 124 - 1871 age 59 - 2 in family P.

Notes from the Assessment Roll - 1865

Wm. Youell - merchant - Con. 1 Lot 11
Freeman Chute - age 35 E $\frac{1}{2}$ 2,6 \$1500.
Sidney Chute - age 4- s $\frac{1}{2}$ 6,3 \$1,000.
Mahlon Chute 1st class service
D. Stilwell - laid out part Vienna

1865 John Ketchabaw - 57
Jacob Ketchabaw - 76
1865 Andrew Caswell, age 49, miller 8,16,17
100 acres valued \$1600.
Nehemiah Leach - lumberman - age 50 or 56
Sept. 8, 28 - 170 acres \$1200.
Francis Lilly - blacksmith - age 33 centre part 10,15
3 acres \$200.

1865 Rev. Ed Clement
1861 Rev. P. Rose - W.M.M. S.S.# 11 6-111
Straffordville - Dutton (?) survey
Wm. Veitch - assessor
1863 broommaker in Pt. Burwell area - William Mason (?)
W.L.A. or U.L.A.? occupation?

U.E.L. United Empire Loyalist abbreviations
R.C. Roman Catholic
C. E. Church of England
Pres. Presbyterian
M. Methodist
Ba. Baptist
L. Lutheran
F. Friends

18171
John B. Tyrell Rel. - age 56.
1863 Edwin Gray - mail stage - S.S. # 18
Con. 8 N. end 21 - 50 acres
Isaac Plewis - millowner - age 38 S.S. # 18 9 n $\frac{1}{2}$ 21 - 100 acres
1866 Absolom Travis - age 35 N.G. 22 - 130 - 50 acres
1871 Peter Burwell - fisherman - 30 years
7 - 9 E. Robinson - 5 in family C.E.
Friend Constantine Colver
Deciple - Edward F. Soper
U. Amos Weeks

Wilsonburg - 1871 = 16 households - 2 millers - 2 seamstresses -
labourer - farmer

1871 Jacob Ketchabaw - age 30, shoemaker - 3 in family
1871 Zaccus Kennedy - age 23 - 4 in family M.
Howard Johnson - 1871 - age 35- 5 in family M.
James Chandler - age 36- 10 21 - 3 in family - 6 cattle - 6 sheep
2 horses.
1873 - Mrs. Mary Buchner - Con. 1, 10 Pt. Burwell - 3 in family M.
John Thomas Adams
Dr. Mann (Peregrin) - doctored in Pt. Burwell
Hoshal in Pt. Burwell
Mrs. Eliza Ryan Oliver C. Rouse

1871
Joseph Norton - age 54
Hercules Burwell - age 22
Pedlar - Reuben G. Robinson - age 40 - lived 9 - 20 - 5 in family
Teacher - Nicholas Stilwell - age 25 pt. of 23
Millwright - Isaac Plewis - age 46 - 9 - 21
Wagon maker H.W. Gilbert - age 52 - 9 - 22
Cheese Manufacturing Co. R.P. Scidmore , H. Ostrander, Edwin Gray,
E. Buchner, D. P. Mabee.

Notes from the assessment roll - 1871

Butcher - Thomas Ball - age 60 - 1 dog and 1 horse - 4 in family
Teamster - I. B. Leach - age 48 - 6 in family
Teacher - Alexander Stilwell - age 25 - 5 in family
Teacher - Isaiah Dougherty - age 32 - 3 in family Bapt.
P.M. John Nethercott - age 46 - 9 in family 9 - 22 M.
Blacksmith - John Link - age 34 - 5 in family
Mill - John Ostrander - age 50 - 9 s $\frac{1}{2}$ 23 N.W. 24
Weaver - Abram Meddaugh - age 58 - 4 in family 9 pt. of 23
Wagon maker H.W. Gilbert - age 52 - 5 in family 9 - 23
Teamster - David Pollock - age 50 - 4 in family 9 - 23
Harness maker - W. P. Cheeseman - age 26 - 4 in family 9 - 23
Taylor Sam(?) McLean - age 58 - 2 in family 9 - 23
PM Frederick Best - age 25 - 5 in family 10 - S.W.6
Meth. 4 in family - 1 horse

1877 John & Wm. Inman 8 N $\frac{1}{2}$ 26
Henry Ostrander - miller - age 52 - 8 N $\frac{1}{2}$ 16 & 17
H. Lamond Jr. - director of Bayham & Middleton Cheese Co. 9 - N end 26
Edward Grace - wagonmaker - age 36 - 9 pt. 23
William Buckborough - blacksmith - age 27 - 9 - 23
John Nethercott - M.P. age 52 - 9 - 23
Thomas Ball - butcher - age 67 - 9 - 23
Hercules Burwell
Joseph Norton
Hans Caulfield 8 - 22
1878 Eden paid \$99.00 taxes
Total for township \$7,894.96.

1873 - Freeman Chute - age 43 - farmer S.S. # 1 Con. 2 E $\frac{1}{2}$ 6 6 in family
Russell Backhouse - John - 28 years Thomas J.R. age 22
Moody & Scanlans - Wilsons
James Chandler - age 37 farmer M.
Jacob Bentley
Jeremiah House - age 50 teacher S.S. # 10 - 5 - 28
Brockway A. Roloson age 53
1873 Households - 13 family approx. 33 people - 2 millers, carpenter, 2 farmers & 2 laborers.
David Griffin - minister - 75 years M.
2 blacksmiths & wagon maker in Straffordville.

Talbot Street Union Cheese Factory Company - James Marshall, Joseph Hobbs
7 - 1 - 36 Henry Garnham
Otter Cheese Manufacturing Company 7 S part 114 Geo. Procunier
Amos High, Peter Anderson Rbt.
Ambrose
Eden - Mahlon Westover - innkeeper - 36 years
Isaiah Dougherty - merchant - age 34 years W? 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ 23 Con.9

Post Master John Nethercott - age 49 9 pt 22
Thomas Ball Sr. 63 yrs. butcher 9 pt 23
Bowman Cowell - 35 - blacksmith 9 S pt. 22
Henry W. Gilbert - 50 - wagonmaker - 9 pt 23
Israel Stilwell - 50 - merchant 8 pt. 23
Isaac Brown, Jacob Learn, Jacob Pound, John Veitch, Peter Hemingway
directors M. & B. Cheese Manufacturing Company S.S. # 16 8 NW C10

Samuel Howey, Jr. Charles Ostrander, James Cowan, Oliver P. Mabee,
M. Herron, directors of Middleton & Bayham Cheese Manufacturing Company
S.S. # 18 9Npt. 26

William Buckborough, blacksmith - 23 yrs. 9 NW pt 24
Ebenezer Buchner, - cheesemaker 42 yrs. 9 NE pt 26
James Z. Leach - innkeeper - 33 yrs. 9 pt 25
Dewitt C. Phelps - carpenter - 45 yrs. 9 pt 28
Great Western Railroad Company Air Line
Joseph Graves - miller - age 54 - 8 N pt 16 & 17

Notes from Assessment Roll

1861 - Lewis House - age 27 - S.S. # 13 S.G. NP 25- 96 acres
Wm. Hatch - conveyancer
Lawrence J. merchant - age 49
Straffordville - S.S. # 14 - 6-124
Margaret Hatch - Reuben J. Tyler S.S.#14 - 6 STRW 3- 24
Isaac House - age 30 S.S. # 15-6-132
Levi Hatch - age 46
David Hatch - age 52
Wm. Hatch Jr.

1868 S.J. Hatch - age 56- 6 - 124

1863 Lawrence J. Hatch - carder
Adelmer J. Hatch S.S. # 14 - 6 -124
/ (John)
Wm ?

1865 Albert McDowell - householder - age 25 - s $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ 8-17 -50 acres
\$3.00 property \$800. - 5 days statute labour

1866 Wm. Kadzebac - age 23 - N.G. 12 - 100 acres (Henry a school teacher
at Maple Grove) value \$7.00 - no personal property - 5 days statute labour

1868 - age 27 - S.S. # 17 N.G. 12 - 100 acres # acres cleared 30 (\$1000.
property) \$100. personal property -4 in family - 3 cattle, 11 sheep,
2 horses (2 adults) 6 days work - 46 rd. division - 2nd class
militia service.

1871 - age 30 - farmer - tenant - 17 N.G. 12 - 100 - 30 cleared - 5 in
family - real property \$900. -\$150 . 6 cattle - 3 sheep, 1 hog, 2 horses,
Feb. 21 delivered notice under section 48.

1873 Wm. Hatch - age 89 - 2 in family M.

1877 Lawrence Hatch - age owed back taxes.

The population of Bayham in 1848 - 4030
1852 - 5092
1861 - 5151
1871 - 4892

First provisional Council met at the Town Hall, St. Thomas, April 15, 1852
John Elliott - Reeve, Bayham
J. Skinner - Deputy Reeve, Bayham

1877 T. W. Dobbie, Reeve of Bayham - Henry Stratton 1st Deputy Reeve.
William Backhouse 2nd Deputy Reeve.

Bayham No. of Acres Assessed in 1862 -	601,782
60,000.	1867 794,388
	1870 871,402
	1878 719,705
	1885 1,506,866

1820 first school in Bayham; 1847 amount expended for schools \$1,864,00.
The Township of Bayham contains 56, 704 acres of land.

Col. Mahlon Burwell - one of Col. Talbot's first settlers was a United
Empire Loyalist from New Jersey and located at Port Talbot in 1809. His
residence was burned at the burning of the mill in 1813. He built another
log house, west of Watson's Corners in Southwold, and in 1824 the brick;
lived until his death there - now owned (in 1877) by his youngest son
Hannibal, a resident of the city of London. Surveyed townships of Malahide
and Bayham, City of London, Port Burwell, Vienna and others.

He was elected to Parliament , Middlesex & Oxford (24 years). Built the
church at Port Burwell and endowed it with 600 acres - had 6 sons, Hannibal
Edward and Leonidas being three of them.
