

Douglas Livingstone Farm

With information received the north half of Lot 19 Conc. 2 Aldborough township had as its first settlers Gilbert Ramsey, Dan McNeil and Mr. Jamieson. On June 5, 1907 David Daniel and Andrew Newbigging brothers, bought this property. Allan Welch became the next owner. He had Art Long, Alex Matheson and George Johnston families as tenants. Malcolm Livingstone bought the farm in 1933 from Allan Welch and deeded it to his son Douglas in 1950.

THE JOHNSTON FARM

The present owners of the South $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lot 1, Concession 3, and the West $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lot 1, Concession 4, are the Johnstons who bought it from William Hathaway in November 1933. Mr. Hathaway, who had it for 24 years, bought from Mr. Dougal McGill, who in turn owned it about 30 years.

With information received, we believe Mr. Philip Ashton to have bought the farm as crown land.

FARM HISTORIES

Wm. G. McCallum

(a) N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Lot Z (Con. 3)

The earliest known owner of this farm was Archie McCallum. Upon his death in 1906, the farm passed to his son Daniel McCallum and, in turn, it went to Annie McCallum after her brother Daniel's death in 1939. Annie McCallum passed away in the spring of 1945. That year Wm. McCallum purchased it from the Estate.

(b) S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Lot Y (Con.3)

Edward McCallum was the earliest known owner of this farm. His brother Dugald purchased the farm but later resold it to Edward. In 1901, Daniel McCallum bought the farm. Upon his death in 1939, it went to his sister Annie. Annie McCallum passed away in 1945 and the farm was purchased by Dugald D. McCallum, who, in turn, sold it to his son, William in 1948. Sold to John D. McGill in 1969.

D.D. McCallum

(a) S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Lot Y (Con.3)

The earliest known owner of this farm was Dugald McCallum. Upon his death in 1881, it went to his son, Dugald Jr. In 1903, Dugald Jr. passed away and the farm passed to his wife, Mrs. Euphemia McCallum. In 1917, her son, Dugald D. became owner of the farm. Passed on to his son, Edward, in 1965.

(b) S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Lot 24 (Con. 3)

The earliest known owner of this farm was an F. Tasker. In 1872, he sold the farm to James F. Jones who sold it to John McLean in 1888. Malcolm D. Leitch purchased the farm in 1889 and sold it to Mrs. Euphemia Rember in 1910. Her son, D.D. McCallum purchased it from the family estate in 1952. Purchased by his son, Wm, in 1965, Sold to John D. McGill in 1969.

THE MCGILL FARM

The McGill farm is located on Lot Z, Concession 4.

The hundred acres facing Concession 4 were bought by John McGill and his brother Dugald McGill from Sir Richard Airey in the year 1874. In 1881, the two brothers dissolved partnership, and John McGill was the owner until 1917, when he deeded the property to his son, John J. McGill.

The remainder of the McGill farm, the fifty acres facing the Dunwich-Aldbrough townline, changed hands more often than the other section. In 1871 John A. Munroe purchased the land from Sir Richard Airey. He sold the property to Hugh Calder in 1874. In the year 1878, Hugh Calder sold the farm to Archie McCallum, who, in turn, in 1882, sold it to John McGill. In 1917, John McGill deeded the property to his son John J. McGill, and he in turn deeded the property to his son John D. McGill in the year 1947.

DUNCAN McPHERSON FARM

The farm is situated on the Alborough and Dunwich Townline and Concession III. David Andrew received it as Crown land from Col. Airey in 1850. In 1895, Ronald Walker purchased it, and sold it to James McPherson in 1913. Duncan McPherson Bought it in 1953.

WM. McEACHREN FARM

The 100 acres known as the Wm. McEachren farm is situated on the North $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lot 23, Concession 2, in the Township of Aldborough. In 1937, Mary Thomas sold to Ethel S. Fratcher. In 1951, Wm. Wilton purchased the farm from Mrs. Fratcher, of Detroit. In 1965, the farm was sold to Joe Duquette.

ALLAN McLEAN FARM

The North $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lot Z, Concession 2, was bought as Crown land in 1852 by Neil McEachren. His son, Duncan, inherited it, and it was sold after his death by his sister, Catherine, to Allan McLean and ~~James McEachren~~, in 1930.

D.B. McCALLUM FARM

The farm is situated on the North-east $\frac{1}{4}$ of Lot Y, Concession 2. The ownership passed from the Crown to Richard Airey in 1851, then to Finlay McNab in 1874, John Baumez in 1888, to John D. Campbell in 1902, and finally to Douglas and Mildred McCallum, the present owners, in 1946.

The S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Lot Y, Concession 1, Aldborough, went from the Crown to Richard Airey, then to John H. Munro. In 1880, it went to Donald C. McCallum, then to Jane McCallum. In 1892, George Dobie bought it; and in 1896 he sold it to John D. Campbell, who sold it to his father, Duncan Campbell, in 1904. At his death in 1924, John D. Campbell received it. In 1953, he sold it to Douglas and Mildred McCallum, the present owners.

DR. STALKER FARM

The farm is situated on Concession II, South-east Lot Z, Township of Alborough. This farm was bought from John Harder, who was of Pennsylvania Dutch descent, in 1850, and was owned by the Stalker family until Walter Cadogan purchased it in 1940.