

Pupils S.S. No.23, "The Glen School" 1896



Front row: Mabel Baker
Edith McGregor
Mark McGregor
Colin McIntyre

Second row: Maggie Taylor
James Patterson
Percy Blewett
Effie Taylor
Miss Currie Campbell-Teacher
Duncan McIntyre
Donald Ferguson
Louie Baker
Ora Lefler
Carrie McGregor

Third row: Annie Hair
John Handford
Blanche Gilbert
Hazel Gilbert
Ida Penhale
Mimie McGregor
Catharine McIntyre
Margaret McGregor
Mervyn Paddon
Mabel Westlake
Effie Patterson
Maggie Patterson

Fourth row: Charles Caswell
Claude Caswell
Neil Taylor
Mr. W. Paddon-Trustee
Mr. N.C. McIntyre-Trustee
James McIntyre
Matthew Curtis

"The Glen" Pupils, 1896.

Pupils S.S. No.23, "The Glen School", 1899.



Front row: Edith McGregor
Mabel Baker
Grace Chapman
Ethel McIntyre
Minnie Baker
Ethel Gilbert
Sadie McGregor
Myrtle Paddon
John McGregor
Archie Ferguson
Harvey Bowen
Colin McIntyre

Second row: Maud Chapman
Lewis Gilbert
Mark McGregor
Stewart Ferguson
Louie Baker
Roy Baker

Third row: Miss Lottie Gilliland-Teacher
Blanche Gilbert
Effie Taylor
Catharine McIntyre
Carrie McGregor
Duncan McIntyre
John D. Ferguson-Trustee
Margaret McGregor
Hazel Gilbert

"The Glen" Pupils, 1899.

Yarmouth Dec. 22nd., 1898.

Dear Miss Campbell:

It is with much regret we realize that the pleasant relations existing between us, for the past four years, are about to be severed.

During that time you have labored with zeal and earnestness and the improved state of our school is due to your wise council, and determined efforts.

As a teacher, your instructions were ever given with such kindness and patience, that none amongst us could help profiting by them.

The exercises were looked forward to with pleasure leaving pearls of thought to encourage us to renewed diligence and to awaken within us new inspirations of knowledge.

As a friend, you were ever ready to sympathize with us in all our troubles, and rejoice in our pleasures. We felt that you had our best interests at heart and were always encouraged to come to you when in need of help or council.

You have been not only the patient and conscientious teacher but also the wise and loving friend of all.

And now that our relations are about to be severed, we unite in asking you to accept these books as a slight token of the love and esteem which we bear you. We hope you will enjoy many happy hours in their company and trust that your future will be as bright as our best wishes could make it.

Signed on behalf of the scholars of the Glen school,

Maggie McGregor
Ida Penhale
Blanche Gilbert
Mervyn Paddon

S.S. # 23, Yarmouth.

The Teachers from 1870 to 1966 have been the following.

Mary Sinclair	Margaret Lawson
Flora Black	A.E. Rapelje
Miss Potticary	Jennie McGregor
Miss McColl	Minnie McGregor
Archie McCallum (later Dr)	Hazel Gilbert
Clara Wigley	Donald G. Smith
George Joyce	Evelyn Clark
Angus McIntyre (later Dr)	Mabel Baker
Miss McCardic	Leola Williams.
Edith Parlee	Eva Dennis
Hugh McIntyre (later Dr)	Mary Benner
Miss Saxton	Hazel Taylor
W.L. McKenzie	Ida Lewis
Archie Sproule	Mary B. Campbell
Colin Munro (later Dr)	Jean McCallum
John G. Taylor	Edith Kilpatrick
John F. Turner	Kathleen Armstrong
John W. Emery	Horace McGregor
Annie Locke	Dorothy Kilpatrick
Louie McPherson	Eleanor Skinner
Carrie Campbell	Mary Purdy
Annie Milloy	Bonnie Bissett
Florence Nichol	Barbara McCallum
Lottie Gilleland	Mrs. Annie May Meek
Edith Danbrook	Mrs. Elgie
Flora Buchanan	Mrs. Faulds
Louise McKenney	Anne Anderson (Churchill)
	Mrs. Lorna Lozon.

Trustees from 1904 to 1966

a number have served more than one term.

John Gilbert	John C. Penhale
Neil McIntyre	Bruce Smith
John J. Smith	Russell McCallum
John A. Campbell	Robert VanPatter
Gilbert E. Taylor	Lorne Campbell
William Paddon	John L. Gilbert
John D. Ferguson	Carl Fishbach
Neil Curtis	Robert Martin
Nelson Penhale	Stanley Curtis
Harvey Fishbach	Earl Grawburg
Colin McIntyre	Keith Davis
C.F. Evans,	Calvin Watson
Ross R. Penhale	Mrs. Betty Elms
Ferguson Campbell	Morris Taylor.
Angus Miller	
Mervyn Paddon	

S. S. # 23, Yarmouth.

The secretary treasurers during this period.--

Neil C. McIntyre
Duncan C. McBain
Duncan J. McIntyre
Angus Miller
Cedric Evans
Miss Donna Evans, (Mrs. Bushell)
Alma Penhale (Mrs. J.C. Penhale)



School in School Sections no 24. Southwold and 25 Yarmouth
1874.

SCHOOL SECTION NO. 24 SOUTHWOLD AND NO. 25 YARMOUTH.

Pupils --- 1874.

Left to Right.

Back Row

George Stringer.
Mable Coughlin
Lizzie Ford
John Munroe
Bill Munroe
Lida Arnold.
Frances Hill
Kate Logan
Bill Butcher
Charlie Mailing
Henry Freeman
Frank Mailing

Middle Row

Auley Whitwam
Blanche Saywell
Frank Healry
Sherwood Freeman
Martha Flexen
Mary Burnett
Gertie Stringer
Bill Logan
Jennie Flexen
Louie Hill
Annie Gaines
Emma Arnold
Alice Sutton
Alice Newland

Front Row

Annie Smith
Billie Hill
Louie Gaines
Bertha Axford
Manley Mailing
Georgina Smith
Flora Gaines
Lizzie Calcott
Jennie Toles
Lizzie Butcher
Laura Butcher
Beulah Axford
Irene Smith
Charlie Ford
Russell Hill
Bill Arnold
Rom Flexner

Seated

Arthur Freeman
Neil Munroe
Norman Logan
Manley Calcott
Sherwood Hill
Ern. Mailing
George Logan
Jim Arnold.

Teacher-- Mixx Kirpatrick

SCHOOL SECTION NO.24 SOUTHWOLD AND NO. 25 YARMOUTH.

The School known as No. 24 Southwold and No. 25 Yarmouth was situated on the Town Line between Yarmouth and Southwold (later called the Wellington Road) about two miles north-west of St. Thomas.

The land comprising 625/1000 of an acre was purchased from Samuel Freeman for \$110.00 and the frame school was built in 1874. It served the community for forty-nine years and then, when St. George St. and Lynhurst were built up more and so many scholars came from that district, it was thought advisable to build a school further south. So one and one-half acres of land were purchased from Henry Pressey for \$800.00 and a modern two room red brick school was built in 1923.

On December 28, 1923, the old school and land were sold by public auction to the highest bidder, Mr. E. McCaulley of Malahide for \$488.75.

The following year September 6, 1924, Mr. McCaulley sold it to Mr. A.D. and C.C. Askew for \$625.00. They kept bees there for two years and, on November 2, 1926, they sold the land to Henry Freeman, son of the former owner for \$225.00 and the school building to Wesley Trigger for \$225.00. Mr. Trigger removed the building to his farm and is using it for an implement shed. Mr. Freeman cut the trees down and removed the fence, so to-day nothing remains there of the old frame school house but a memory.

The following are the names of most of the teachers and trustees.

TEACHERS

Mr. Young	Mr. Archie Coulter	Mr. Will Haight
Mr. C. Sinclair	Miss Taylor	Mr. Chas. Brant
Miss Kirkpatrick	Miss Edith Murray	Miss Woods
Mr. U. Bailey	Miss Jennie Lees	Miss Bertha Axford
Miss Anna Dodd	Miss Ruby Hill	Miss Clara Saywell
Miss Florence Whiting	Miss E. Haines	Miss M. Heenan
Mrs. Hicks	Miss Winnie Gillard	Miss Myrtle McBain
Miss E. Turner		

TRUSTEES

Mr. D. Eastabrook	John Andrews	Henry Freeman
Wm. Hill	Wm. Dodd Sr.	Arch. Munroe
Albert Calcott	Jonas Axford	Will Dodd Jr.
Chas. Saywell (21 years)	John Munroe	
Fred Hill	Jim Hill	

In the early days the older boys took turns in looking after the fires, sweeping floors etc. Later they were paid ten cents a day in the winter and five cents a day in the summer. In 1906 the total expenditure for the school was \$338.46. This included teacher's salary \$225.00, Janitor fees \$20.00, 6 cords of wood at \$2.25 a cord, insurance \$2.00, cleaning well \$1.50, cleaning school twice at \$3.00, cleaning of clock 75¢, two brooms 25¢ each. Twenty years later in 1926, the total expenditure for the same school section, though a new school, was \$2,684.25. This included two teachers' salaries. Another twenty years, 1946, the total expenses were over \$4,000.00.

(Miss) Muriel Freeman.

Jan. 10. 1946.

YARMOUTH RED CROSS SOCIETY

On Monday, October 30, 1939, at 8 p.m., a meeting was held in the Township Hall at Yarmouth Centre to consider the forming of a branch of the Ontario Division of the Canadian Red Cross Society. Norman Martin was appointed chairman and Mrs. Clarence Gloin, secretary. It was decided to form a branch and a nominating committee, N.R.Martin, W.E.Locke, H.L.Lawton, Roy Tansley and Mrs. Ralph Heydon, were appointed.

On Monday, November 6, the following officers were appointed:

Hon. President:	Mrs. M.F.Hepburn
President:	Mrs. Blanche Curtis
Vice-President:	N.R.Martin
2nd Vice-Pres.:	William A.Butler
Secretary:	Miss Mary B. Campbell
Treasurer:	Mr. Harvey L. Lawton

The following committees: Campaign, to arrange a general canvass for funds, and Advisory, consisting of one woman from each of the 12 polling-divisions, were set up and it was decided to use part of the Township Hall as a work-room.

On November 12, at a meeting of the Executive and Advisory Committee the following committees were set up: Purchasing, Sewing, Knitting, Supply, Transportation, Hall, Publicity and Finance.

In January, 1940, Norman Martin became President and continued as such until January 31, 1947. Mrs. Blanche Curtis became War-work Convenor (continued until January 1, 1943). Mrs. Cyril Williams became Secretary (continued until January 1947). Miss Catherine McIntyre became Supply room Convenor (continued until January, 1947). Mr. Harvey Lawton became Treasurer and continued as such until January, 1947 when the branch was dis-banded.

Various methods of raising money were employed:- general canvass by polling divisions; 2 garden parties at Mr. and Mrs. Morrison McLaws; salvage collections; food sales (weekly in Gould's Drygoods store for several months); teas; autograph quilt (Mrs. Fred Hill convenor); dances; raffles; sales of goods donated by people of the community; and donations from other organized societies.

On instructions from Toronto, 25 hospital units were set up to be used as an emergency reserve. At the close of the war these had not been used and were divided equally among the four branches of the Women's Institutes of Ontario, situated in the Township of Yarmouth. Added to these were sufficient articles to complete a loan cupboard for the use of any needy persons in our township. These cupboards are

the property of the Women's Institutes.

On January 18, 1947, a donation of \$3,000.00 was made to the Memorial Hospital Extension Fund, a cheque being presented to C.W.Kemp, Treasurer of the Hospital Extension Fund by the Society Treasurer, Harvey Lawton. This donation is to endow a private room in the proposed new hospital in memory and to honor the girls and boys from Yarmouth Township who served in World War II. A committee with W.M. Anderson as convenor was set up to secure the names and addresses of these girls and boys.

At the annual meeting January 31, 1947, it was reported by Miss Catherine McIntyre that the total number of articles completed during the war years was 37,363. The auditors reported the total amount of money raised was \$37,016.13.

On January 31, 1947, the Secretary was instructed to notify the Secretary of the Ontario Division of the Canadian Red Cross that the Yarmouth branch was disbanding.

Minnie E. Williams.

(Mrs. Cyril Williams).

March 16, 1951.