



TAKEN
1980

(By MRS S.
PARKINS.)

Steiner Home

On the north side of Highway #3 are several older homes, west of Gordon Street with lots extending back to Rose Street. The Steiner home is one of these. This land was also bought by Donald Currie from Colonel Talbot in 1833; sold to Alex Rose in 1855; to David and Archibald McLaws in 1867; to Wm. Jackson in 1878; to Lazarus McIntyre in 1879 and in 1899 to George McKee. The McKee family lived here for many years and following the deaths of the parents, a daughter, Margaret Steiner, of Detroit became the owner, and spent her later years here. She passed away in 1979 and the home is now owned by her son, Jack, also of Detroit, who still uses it as a summer home and visits here periodically.



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(By B. RoBB)

Gladys Graham Home

Further to the east on Highway #3, just past Gordon Street and opposite the Wallacetown Post Office is the home of Gladys Graham. Originally these lots Part 23 & 24 belonged to Donald Currie from Colonel Talbot in 1833; to Lazarus McIntyre in 1854; Robert Barr in 1863; Randall Campbell in 1871; in 1872 George W. Ling and then to Ann Parker; in 1874 to David Clay; 1882 John McIntyre; 1892 Eliza and Martha Clay and 1892 Catherine Laing was the owner of Lot 24 with Wm Cusack owning Lot 23 in 1894; In 1923, Charlotte Lee was the owner; going to Mary Martha Carroll in 1936 and in the same year Wm. Adlington resided there and had a bakery business in his home for several years. In 1942 George Casey acquired both lots, but sold it to Sarah Gilbert in 1943; In 1948 Carl McDonald being the owner and in the same year Ed Docker's name appears as owner. Carl McDonald again purchased it in 1955 and then sold it to Stuart and Gladys Graham in 1960. Stuart passed away in 1971 and Gladys still resides there.



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(By B. Robb)

John Wright's Home

This home is adjacent to the Graham home on the east side. It also had come from Colonel Talbot to Donald Currie in 1833 and in 1847 to Duncan McTavish; and 1856 to Daniel DeCow; in 1865 to David Clay and 1870 to James McKellar; 1873 to Daniel McPherson and in 1874 to Isabella Gunn; in 1885 to John Clay and in 1925 to Helen Gunn, with Isabella Gunn's name being on the deed again and then sold to Jennie Campbell in 1941. Following her death the property was left to a nephew Jack McKillop in 1964; it was sold in 1970 to John and Elizabeth Wright, who still reside there, with their two sons and a daughter.



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(By G. SLOAN)

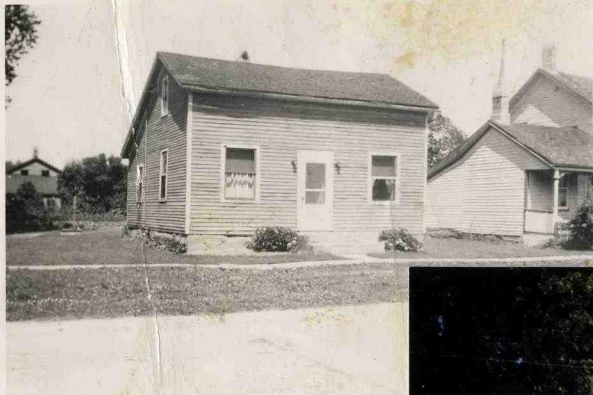
Sloan's Home

One street north of Highway#3, at the end of Gordon Street, this home is on Rose Street. This property was also acquired by Donald Currie from Colonel Talbot in 1833; sold to Alex Rose in 1855; to Angus Rose in 1871 and in 1877 to Mary C. McLean; in 1883 to Catherine McIntyre, with Mary McPherson owning some of the lots in 1887; but generations of McIntyres' resided here until it was sold in 1961 to Harold and Gertrude Sloan. Harold continued to farm on 10th Concession of Dunwich for several years commuting back and forth, while Gertrude was postmaster and owned a small grocery store until her retirement in 1980. Four daughters grew up here, but married and moved to places within a radius of twenty miles. Harold and Gertrude still reside here in 1984.

*Harold + Gertrude Sloan were both deceased in January, 1991.
Randy + Margaret Bos bought this home in June 1991. They have 2 children Sarah + Leah.*

1946

PHOTOS TAKEN
By D. LAMB



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Dorothy Lamb's Home

This is another older home north of Highway #3, on the corner of Currie Road and Church Street. In 1821 this was part of land granted by the Crown to Colonel Talbot. In 1853 George MacBeth was the owner and then in 1857 Donald B. Gunn; in 1858 Peter McIntyre; 1869 John Thomas McColl and in 1873 Samuel McColl. In 1878 Isabella Graham was listed as the owner and then John Farley. In 1893 John T. Kerr and Alexander McCallum purchased the property; in 1903 Leah Frogatt was the owner and then Robert Moss. In 1904 Mary Elizabeth Church's name appears and in 1908 Andrew and Emily McIntyre. In 1934 the home was purchased by Donna Lynch, husband and family. In 1941 Alex Watson was the owner and in 1946 Edward James and Dorothy Voila Lamb bought the property. Edward (Ted) passed in 1963 and his wife, Dorothy, still resides there. They had two children, David and Beverley (Mrs. Larry McCaffery).

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JUN



TAKEN
1955

(By ILA
McARTHUR)

Wm. Webster's Home

This home is situated on the outskirts of the village, on the south side of Highway #3 - Concession 8, Lot 11. A large parcel of land in this area was given by the Crown to Colonel Talbot in 1813 and in the same year Charles Benedict became the owner. In 1819 John Pearce bought it and in 1833 it passed to Wm. Pearce and in 1875 to John L. Pearce. The most of the land remained in the Pearce family until the last member, Stewart passed away in November 1968. During the years, this particular lot became the property of Elizabeth McKay and in 1901 Fred Kourtz bought it. He and his family remained there until 1922 when Alex and Ina McArthur and family moved there. They had three children, Gertrude (Mrs. Harold Sloan), Allan and Ila. Ina McArthur passed away in 1944 and Alex in 1955. Following his death, Ila moved to Sarnia. Their home was rented for four years and then sold in 1959 to Mrs. Christine Knapp. It was sold again in 1962 to Gordon and Kathleen Ford and in 1974 to David and Mary Ballantine and since 1979 has been the home of William and Helen Webster and son John, who were formerly of London.

This home was sold in June 1988 to Kim and Elizabeth Wood. They have one daughter, Erin Michelle.



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By
G. SLOAN

Lloyd Paul's Home

This home on a large lot on the corner of No. 3 Highway and the west side of Gordon Street, was known to many Wallacetown residents as the "Cameron Homestead".

In 1833 this land was sold by Colonel Talbot to Donald Currie. In 1855 it was sold to Joseph Scott and in 1869 to Archibald McKillop. For many years it belonged to the Cameron family - In 1874 - Nancy Cameron; 1878 - Peter Cameron; 1882 - Donald Cameron; 1891 - Peter Cameron; 1908 - John A. Cameron, who operated a general store at the main intersection on the south side of the highway for many years; His wife, Christena Cameron was the owner from 1936- 1961, when it was sold to Dorothy Perry who resided there with her neice and her husband Harold and Betty Smith until 1969. It was purchased by David and Judith Andrew. In 1971 - Edmund and Donna Edwards were the occupants; 1974 - Raymond and Linda Briggs and in 1975 it was sold to the Renaissance Home Incorporation of London. For a few years it was used as a rehabilitation home for disturbed teenagers, but this became an unsuccessful venture and the home was vacant for a year or so until 1983 when it was purchased by Oswald Lloyd Paul and his wife Margaret Alexandra Paul, who live there with their two children.

On February 1st, 1986 this property was sold to John and Diane Hughson, of Hamilton, who are living here with their five children (six)

PRESENT OWNER IS D. KALITA.



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TAKEN
By

B. ROBB.

Larrie Lamb's Home

This home is situated on the corner of No. 3 Highway and east side of Gordon Street. The land was sold by Colonel Talbot to Donald Currie in 1833; then in 1854 to Lazarus McIntyre; 1874 to John McIntyre; 1882 -Adolphus Urlin; 1883 to James Parker; 1893 to Jane McIntyre; 1904 to John McParlane; 1924 to Wm Moss and in 1927 to Roy Leeming, who had a blacksmith shop and also brought the mail from Dutton to Wallacetown for many years. Mrs. Leeming (Blanche) became postmistress in 1938. The Leemings had a family of four girls and one boy. Mr. Leeming passed away in 1956 and in 1959 Blanche remarried and this home was registered in her name, Blanche Reitz. In 1960 Mr. and Mrs. Reitz moved across the highway to a newly renovated apartment over the post office and sold this home to Donald Dean and his wife Lorna. The Deans with three children lived here until 1965 when the home was sold to Larry and Beverley Lamb who still reside here with their two sons and a daughter.



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TAKEN
By
R. ROBB.

Hans Van Oorspronk's Home

This home is on the north side of No. 3 Highway, just east of the Currie Road intersection. This lot was owned by Colonel Talbot until 1853 when it was sold to George MacBeth; in 1854 it was sold to R. Blackwood; in 1857 to James Blackwood; 1863 - Ann Cameron; 1868 - Archibald McBrayen; 1871 - Abram W. Bowlby; 1876 - Alexander McBrayen and in 1895 to Martha and George Myers (or Meyer). In 1913 it was owned by John C. Graham; 1942 - Campbell Graham and in 1949 - Kenneth McIntyre. Following his death the home was sold to George Pyatt then in 1975 to Thomas Henry Fryer; in 1980 to Hans and Johanna Van Oorspronk who reside there with their three daughters and one son.