

A LITTLE FARM FAMILY HISTORY

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The Clarke Rea Farm

The Clarke Rea Farm is the corner farm on lot 15, concession 15 west half in the township of East Garafraxa and was bought from the crown in 1873 on the 29th of January for \$200.00 by James Brown who died 2 years later. The farm was then divided north and south by the two sons, William John on the south and Robert the north. In 1907 David Thompson bought the Robert Brown 50 acres. In 1908 Robert Rea bought this part and in 1914 bought the other 50 from William John. Ernest Rea bought the 100 acres from his father in 1916 and sold it to Clarke his brother in 1925 who still owns it in 1968.

On this farm the Brown family born were Mrs. Susannah Morden, Mrs. Enna Cole, Mrs. Jennie McArthur, Jim and William Brown and the Rea family are Gordon, Robert and Mrs. Wilma Young.

