HAROLD BAIN Lots 2 & 3, Conc. 17 (cont'd)

In 1911 the Bruce Municipal Telephone was installed and in 1931 hydro was put in and in 1953 a bathroom. In 1925 a garage was built and in 1929 a steel driving shed and later in 1956 a pole barn measuring 20 x 40 feet was built.

Beef farming has been carried on for a number of years. The original orchard of fifty trees, planted around 1870 were all destroyed, but two trees, after the cyclone that came on July 8th, 1956. The Bain family have many happy memories of "Prospect Place", the old swimming hole and a magic raft on which we sailed the Seven Seas, all on Plum Creek and where we had our show of dark as well as bright days.

Here is a poem by H. Halbissh--

OUR DAYS

"Some days, you say, are good days
And other days are bad;
The dark days make you gloomy
And the bright days make you glad
But when you weave the cloth of life
You must use warp and woof,
And the good days and the bad days
Make your fabric weather-proof".

Mr. & Mrs. Harold Bain sold their farm to Rodger Hood in 1963 and are now residing in Kincardine. In 1963 the bush of 17 acres was sold to Knechtels of Hanover, leavine 191 acres in this two lots.

In 1969 Rodger Hood sold the farm to his son, James Hood. Mr. James Hood married Qwen Funston in 1959 and they have a family of three children; Elizabeth, John, and Allen. They are carring on mixed farming here.