

LOT 1, CONCESSION 5, KINLOSS

DONALD MACLEOD and FAMILY

Donald MacLeod

His parents were from Invernessshire, Scotland.

Born October 20, 1832 in Orwell, Prince Edward Island, Canada.

Died - November 18, 1909 in Kinloss, and is buried in South Kinloss cemetery near Lucknow, Ont. He married Mary Martin in 1859, and four of their children were born in Prince Edward Island before he came to Kinloss in 1867 and purchased Lot 1. Con.5, from Sam Roach. He was a builder and stone mason and built his first house of logs, also a log barn. He used a team of oxen before acquiring a team of horses. Some time later, he built a frame barn and drive-shed. In 1889 he built the present stone house. Late in 1867 his wife and four children came by boat to Goderich then by stage coach to Kinloss.Township.

Mary Martin of Valleyfield, Prince Edward Island

Born - in 1837 at Staffin Bay, Isle of Skye, Scotland. Her father was William (More) Martin. He moved his family to Prince Edward Island, Canada in 1840. Her seven year old brother, Donald, was the first white person to sleep in a house in the whole district of Valleyfield. The home of William Martin, the first citizen, was selected as the first religious meeting house and was used during 1841 and into 1842 when the first meeting house of logs was built.

Died September 5, 1914 in Ripley, Ontario and was buried in South Kinloss Cemetery, Lucknow, Ont.

Children- eight.

Mary - Mrs. Malcolm J. MacLennan.  
Born - February 13, 1861 (probably at Valleyfield) Prince Edward Island.

Died - in Cleveland, Ohio. 19

- There were five children.
- Marguerite
- John - Died
- Howard - Died
- Nina - Mrs. Marty Andree
- Vera - Mrs. Thomas Kirk

Catherine - not married.

Born - January 30, 1863, Valleyfield, P.E.I.  
Died - in 1885 in London, Ontario. Buried in South Kinloss Cemetery.

Angus - Born April 21, 1864, Valleyfield, P.E.I.  
Died May 24, 1912 in Lucknow, Ontario, buried in South Kinloss. Angus was a merchant tailor in Lucknow. He married Margaret Gollan of Lucknow, Ont. They had one son, Kenneth.