

The International Plowing Match is ours this year!



Mr. and Mrs. Bradish

Tom and Helen Bradish say the chance to be host farmers for the I.P.M. 1985 is an experience that they are looking forward to with great anticipation.

The site for the tented city includes about 125 acres owned by William F. Bradish and sons. The Bradish family, who live in Glanworth, farm more than 1,000 acres in Elgin and Middlesex Counties. The Bradish home farm was purchased in Glanworth in 1926 by William F. Bradish, who still resides on that farm. William, who is 85, farmed and dealt in dairy cattle all of his life. His sons have continued the farming operation: Ed continues to deal in dairy cattle and Tom manages the farming and cash cropping.

As Tom and Helen explain, "The I.P.M. is a tremendous community effort. It brings the people of the host county together and gives everyone the opportunity to meet with old friends and to make new ones, work together and provide local organizations an opportunity to raise funds for their various causes. We both feel the I.P.M. is the greatest exhibit of what Ontario Agriculture has to offer, and would like to see the match used more as a promotional tool for our agriculture products displayed before our potential customers within the rural and urban communities."



Tom and Helen Bradish, of Glanworth are hosts of the International Plowing Match this year. They were involved in the organizational efforts and planning of the show, for quite some time.