

children. Of these there are five now living, viz., Walter, Sarah Ann, Huldah, Lilly and Richard. Our subject first settled in the Township of Yarmouth, where he remained about sixteen years, and then removed to his present location. He is now in his 66th year, and in the enjoyment of good health.

MILES HOTCHKISS is a son of David and Temperance Hotchkiss, and was born near Niagara Falls in 1815. David, his father, was of Dutch descent, and was born on the Mohawk River, New York State. He was a veteran of the War of 1812, and at the conclusion of the conflict took up 100 acres of free grant land in the Township of Bayham, County of Elgin. Two years after coming to Bayham, Mr. David Hotchkiss lost his wife, by whom he had a family of seven children, three of them, viz., John, Jane and Miles, being now alive. The subject of our sketch now owns 150 acres of land on lot 26, concession 6 of the same township, which is worth about \$5,000. He was married, in 1869, to Margaret Mitchell, of Inverness, Scotland.

CHARLES HARE is a native of Yorkshire, England, where he was born in 1830. He came to Canada, and settled in Bayham Township, on lot 24, concession 3, in 1867. He was married, in 1855, to Mary Ann Betts, of Norfolk, England. Mr. Hare has worked very hard since coming to Canada, at that time his 200 acre farm in Bayham having been a standing forest. It is now worth about \$8,000. Mr. Hare is much respected by all who know him, and has faithfully discharged the duties of School Trustee for the past fifteen years. He has also been Secretary-Treasurer of the township.

L. L. HUTCHISON is a son of A. B. Hutchison, of whom a sketch appears herein. He has a farm of 100 acres on lot 25, concession 3 of the Township of Bayham, which is worth about \$3,500. Mr. Hutchison was born in this township in 1841, and in 1868 was married to Eliza J. McCurdy, a native of the same locality.

ELIJAH HAINES is the owner of 50 acres of land, worth \$2,000, on lot 11, concession 2 of the Township of Bayham. He was born in the same locality in 1843, and married Emma E. McConnell, of Malahide Township, in the year 1880. Our subject is a son of Alexander and Frances Haines, elsewhere mentioned.

ALEXANDER HAINES farms 100 acres of land on lot 3, concession 1 of the Township of Bayham, the property being valued at \$6,000. He was born in Nova Scotia in 1803, and settled in the County Elgin in 1825. In 1852 he married Frances Willis, of Norfolk County, by whom he had six sons and two daughters, viz., Elizabeth, Calup, William, Elijah, Clarine, John, Benjamin and Alexander. Our subject's father and mother, Calup and Sarah Haines, were among the old United Empire Loyalists who went to Nova Scotia from New York State at the close of the revolutionary war, being then as refugees. Mr. Haines came to Canada when about 22 years of age, and worked hard to bring his land under proper cultivation. He has now retired from active life, and his farm is managed by his sons.