

According to this map there were in 1848 the following settlers in Upper Nichol, reading northwards from the Grand River :

Concession XI.—James Allan, John Keith, John (Sen) Wissler, Alex. Watt, George Frazer, George Barron, James Moir, Thos. Young, John Marriot, James Young, Edward Thomas Day.

Concession XII.—John Mennie, David Foote, Robert Gerrie, Thos. McQuaker, James Middleton, Wm. Hay, Alex. (Wm.) Tytler, John Gibbon, — Sanger (?), Geo. Elmslie (rented by Mr. Allardice), Wm. Gibbon, Joseph Wedderburn, Chas. Michie, Alex. Rennie, Thos. Burton (Ogston), Wm. Mackie, John Brooks (Brockie), Wm. Branders, Joseph Geddes.

Concession XIII.—Alex. Harvey (rented by James Wilson), Andrew Grant, John Mason, James Skinner, Wm. Gerrie, John Gerrie, Wm. Gibson, George Pirie, Samuel Trenholm, (a correspondent says all the lots from Trenholm's up to the Irvine River, 150 acres along the Bon Accord Road, belonged to Melvine, while Gall and Stephen's lots were in behind that), Alex. Gauld (Gall), John Stephen, Peter Brown, John Brockie, Thos. Muir, Archibald Cumming.

Concession XIV.—A. Harvey (rented by John McNaught), James Gill, Thomas Curzon Allardice, George Skene, James Duguid, Francis Anderson, Robert Low, James Young, George McHardy, Wm. Clark, David Smith, David Henderson, Alexander Dingwall Fordyce, (Alex. Lillie), George Chambers ? (John Davie).

Concession XV.—Hon. Adam Ferguson, D. B. Ferguson, James Perry, Wm. Hay, Andrew Burns, Wm. Moorhead, Robert Gavin, David Allan, John McPhail, Geo. C. Hamilton. A. D. Fordyce, jr., Thos. W. Valentine, John Valentine, George Muir, Edward (Edwin) (Henry Hatcher's lot was front half of this lot) Hatcher, Wm. Robertson (no clearing).

Concession XVI.—Wm. Buist, Charles Allan, James (Davidson), Wm. (Reid), Edward Ford, Robert Powrie, Francis Anderson, Arthur Walker, Alex. Walker, Alex. (James Lamond) Smith, Arthur Ross, James Ross, Alex. (John and Brebner) Cadenhead, James Courtney Hatcher.

How few of these surnames would be found on the same farms in a modern map !