

MARY REDDICK

Mary was the second child of John Reddick and Margaret McMullin. She was born on March 23, 1862 and baptised in the North Gower Presbyterian church on April 4, 1866.

On January 26, 1898 Mary, age 30, married John Alexander Elliott, age 24, at her mother's home in Marlborough township. John's parents were John Elliott and Elspeth McLean. John was born in South Gower township but lived in Marlborough township when he was married. Where they lived after their marriage is not known but by 1902 they were renting her mother's farm on lot 4, concession 4, of Marlborough township. In 1915 they purchased it.

There was one child of this marriage, Roy Hammond, born on May 21, 1898 and baptised in the North Gower Anglican church on July 23, 1899.

The 1901 census listed the following:

Elliott,	John	27	lot 4, concession 4
"	,	Mary	35
"	,	Roy H	2

Mary died on June 26, 1932 and was buried in the Malakoff cemetery. John died on July 6, 1939 and was also buried at Malakoff but only her name appears on the stone.

The farm passed to their son, Roy, who did not marry. Because of debts he lost the farm many years before his death and it passed through a stranger's hands to a neighbour in 1944, a son of Mary's sister Eliza.

Roy died on February 27, 1976 and was buried at Malakoff.