

Jessie Mary Brown - ^{husband} DeVries ^{John} born 1920
in Montana, Gilford
Childhood memories

Gordon Crosby - former Sandough that told her about Alaska
Married 1943 - husband wrote ma. thesis on Matanuska Colony

Coming to Alaska - ^{husband in} March 1945, Jessie son in May
Boat to Seward, train to Anch, car to Palmer

Dry Creek army camp north of Glenn Allen. Mat. Valley Coop
purchased Dry Creek Quonsets for \$50 each + reselling for \$55.
Then had to go get it, at Dry Creek. Set it up. Purchased 40 acres
on Lazy Mt. @ \$3 1/2/acre. Moved Quonset.

Living in Quonset - up to 1957

Quonset materials - insulation

Heating

heating

chainsaw

interruption

other Quonset hts

housekeeping

Quonset tricks

radio -

Noise

Kids

Christmas Tree

Windows -

Palmer Quonset Hospital - May 18 1946 when pr. hospital bldg.

Nursing -

Presbyterian women of U.S. raise money for Palmer hospital

General Quonset statement

"Pennies for Palmer"