

Studebaker, Madeline

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Names & Places Subjects covered

- 00-222 J.Oberto, C.Silva, M.Ackerman, A.Reid, Pilchers, Goldsworthy, Paulke
 Early history. Speaks of Joe Oberto. Typical school day. She graduated from Telluride High School in 1930. Describes classrooms in school. Speaks of helping father study for citizenship papers. Family spoke Italian at home. Style of clothes and social activities. Names different markets where they shopped.
- 22-234 L.VonValkenberg, M.Inama, McMahn, H. Pilcher
 Speaks of Red Light District on Pacific St. Describes the Pastimes Saloon where brother worked. Talks about all the gamblin saloons. Describes family life and parties at home. Mentions song titles of records that popular then. Ice skating on McMahns pond.
- 324-355
 Transportation on train from Canyon City to Telluride. Rode the Galloping Goose to Montrose, then continued by train to Denver.
- 355-469 Waggoner, E. Collins, J. McCabe, P.Paul, N.Nelson, Pilchers
 Depression days. Speaks of the five students that graduated in her high school class. Needy people in town were taken care of at holkday times. Finns, Swedes, Italians and Germans all had sections of their own in town. Holidays celebrated. Formal Valentines Day Dance was the big event of the year. Describes Italian food mother cooked.
- 469-491 Waggoner, Hicks
 The bank closed in 1930. Hicks house was caught in Ajax snow slide, family killed, baby survived.
- 491-569 P.Studebaker, C.Ackerman, T. Ackerman
 Attended Park's Business School after graduation from high school. She worked at Colorado Candy Co. in Denver, wages started at \$1 a day. Boarded with different families and worked baby sitting and cleaning house. Lived in Denver until 1933. Eloped and moved to California. Speaks of her first marriage. Moved back to Telluride in 1935. Met and married Paul Studebaker when son Bill was 11 months old. She worked as a waitress.

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- J.Moore, C. Silva, G. Swan, H.Lazzarino, Peterson's Garage
 Worked 2 years at Sheridan Hotel. Describes courtship married in 1937. Moved to California and husband worked for mining company. Moved back to Telluride in 1947 where husband worked at the mine, until they purchased Petersons Garage. They displayed and sold the Hudson Homet automobile. Sold garage and pruchased the S&S Bar and Cafe. Later sold it to Gusty Swan and Gene Pilcher. Describes the S&S as a local hangout for young people and school teachers . After selling the S&S, they moved to California and then back to Sawpit where they purchased the store. Describes their business there.

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Bill Studebaker

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Alley Oop, J.James

Son Bill's college and war service . Speaks of Bill life now.

Changes in Telluride through the years.