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Oral History Collection

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Colgate, George and Eva

April 14, 2006

Interviewed by Colby Colgate

00:00 Hillside, 9 children named, George's family's property

2:45 walked everywhere, 1922 Chevy truck

3:15 fishing vacations

4:00 school information, rode horses bareback in winter so blankets wouldn't freeze

7:15 chores, 2 cents a day, milk cow, feed calves, chickens

9:00 Grew most of the food they ate, war time

12:45 all work, no play

13:15 went to state fair

14:15 1st car, homemade radio, 1930s

15:00 electricity and telephone

17:30 read, sew, piece quilts

23:00 isolated community

24:00 changes in the county