

Name of Interviewer: Barbara Riordon

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Interview:

1 hour

1. Mrs. Frank McFarlane
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3. Flora Wilson
4. 453 Browing Street, Haileybury
5. 672-3779
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7. Revelstoke, British Columbia. Her father was prospecting there
8. Father born in Sault Ste. Marie Mother born in Glasgow, Scotland
9. Of Irish descent
10. In 1928 just after they were married
11. Car
12. Highway. At that time there was no pavement until you reached Richmond Hill. There was an old washboard road between Haileybury and North Bay and anyone travelling it had to sign in at Temagami and sign out at North Bay
13. two
14. A pharmacist
15. Housewife
16. Pharmacist in Englehart
17. Welcome Wagon Gonvenor for the district.
18. Was quite depressed for the first while here because she was alone and did not know anyone.
19. Much the same as now.
20. Husband had a jobhere.
21. Much the same as now
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24. It was a nice bungalow near the mining school
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26. Indoor plumbing
27. Electricity
28. Electric stove
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30. Same as now
31. Played golf, went to the golf club dances, to teas.
32. Skating, softball, badminton, cards and swimming
33. Took 3 or 4 years of public schooling in New Liskeard
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35. Trains & Cars. There was a road to Toronto

36. Dr. Arnold
37. Same as now
38. Toronto
39. One son who has a university degree
40. Now is the Probation Officer in Haileybury
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45. Dresses and skirts and aprons
46. Had a special outfit for Sunday. Always wore a hat
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49. It's a comfortable place to live and they have their own home here. Their house was built in 1911
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51. Mining school was a good addition
52. Feels the water rates are too high
- 53.
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55. yes
56. Would like to see a residence for mining students on the campus
- 57.
58. Welcome Wagon Committee and curling
- 59.
60. There is nothing here to attract manufacturing and there is nothing to make the town go ahead. She feels the young people have no basic interest in the town. They want to get away as soon as possible
61. It is a good place to raise a family to a certain age.
62. Feels it has nothing to offer the visitor. The lake is treacherous and has been fished out. There is no place for visitors to stay here and there is no half decent restaurant in which to eat.