

APPENDIX 1: INTERVIEWS

By Martha and Phillips G. Davies

Carlo, Leila Williams, August 14, 1994
Crawford, Rosella Williams, August 16, 1994
Davis, Luther, August 16, 1994
Griffith, Edward, August 16, 1994
Jones, Harriet, August 16, 1994
Owen, Gomer, July 26, 1994
Owens, LeRoy, August 15, 1994
Plett, Dorothy Davis, August 16, 1994
Rotter, Gayle Edwards, August 16, 1994

By Ruth Hall

Butler, Margaret (Peg), September 26, 1994
Cecil, Marian Pugh, August 3, 1994
Davis, Donald Lee, August 2, 1994
Davis, Everette, September 28, 1994
Davis, Margaret, September 28, 1994
Edwards, William (Bill) John, August 2, 1994
Fuller, Elsie, October 26, 1994
Gipple, Ruth Williams, August 30, 1994
Greene, Marie, October 25, 1994
Hawkins, Rosina Williams, August 1, 1994
Hogue, Tiffany, September 27, 1994
Morrow, Irene Thomas, September 27, 1994
Quigley, Evelyn Arthur, September 28, 1994
Quigley, Margaret Williams, August 3, 1994
Thomas, Elmer, October 30, 1994
Whitham, Norma, September 29, 1994

Additional Information

Czerniakowski, Marion, August 15, 1994

Owen, Iva, July 26, 1994

Letters

Mary Ann Elgan Edwards, from Williamsburg, Iowa, September 12, 1994

Mary L. Edwards Holmes, from Salt Lake City, June 1994

APPENDIX 2: INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

The questions provided the broad outline for the interviews, but we should note that the actual interviews could diverge from topics agreed by the oral history project committee.

We are interested in what it was like to grow up in a Welsh-American settlement. Would you tell us some of your early memories of a time when Welshness figured in the activities of Louisa County.

When did your family leave Wales? What part of Wales? What occupations did your family practice? Why did they come to this country? How did they come to the US, and did they stop on the way to Iowa?

What keepsakes did they bring over with them? Do you still have the family Bible? Is it in Welsh? What stories did they tell about Wales or their early days in Iowa? Do you still have relatives in Wales? Have your Welsh friends and relatives visited this country? Have you visited Wales?

In your childhood what did you do on Saturdays as opposed to weekdays? When did your family go to town? What happened there? How was Sunday observed in your family?

Did family mealtimes include table grace? Welsh foods? Was afternoon tea a part of your family's day? Did you have special foods for St. David's Day, Christmas or . . . ?

What games or activities do you recall from early years at home? What sort of visiting did your family do? What music do you recall from home or community? What hymns or songs were sung? Who sang? Choirs? Solos? Was there an Eisteddfod or *Gymanfa Ganu*? Was the Welsh National Anthem sung or played?

Tell us about special events like Children's Sunday, Decoration/Memorial Day, baptisms, weddings, funerals.

Was Welsh spoken in your home, in the community? Any Welsh greetings, names for

relatives, farm names? What stories or rhymes were told?

Were there role models or heroes from your family, teachers, community/church leaders?

What do you feel is most special about having grown up Welsh here?