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Tanana Yukon Historical Society lists of tapes

Harrie Hughes

Harrie described recordings done in 1960 for the Pioneers of Alaska. Reel no. 1 – Trip to Nenana. Reel no. 2 Lewis Johnson, Pioneer Parks and monument meeting, Bill Cooloff, Natalie Babinsky and Harrie Badger. Reel no. 3 Mr. Bucko, Mr. Dipolion, Mr. Harbo. Reel no. 4 Pete Columbo. Reel no. 5 Sam George (Dog-face Sam) and George Walsh. Reel no. 6 Sam Noonan. Reel no. 7 Sticky Griffin and Nate Sporoni. Reel no. 8 Committee report from the TYHS and Bob Sheldon. Reel no. 9 Jimmy Mahoney and Julian Hurley. Reel no. 10 Park and monument committee report and Robert Sheldon. Reel no. 11 Robert Sheldon. Reel no. 12 Jeff Davis. Reel no. 13 Jack Hughes and Jeff Davis. Reel no. 14 Mr. Butterworth from Dawson and Clara Rust. Reel no. 15 Operations of the recorder and a chamber of commerce Golden Days report by Bob Caffee. Next tape was a recording by Audrey Loftus, next reel is a report of a trip to Dawson and an interview of Jerusalem Joe. That completed the list by Harrie Hughes recorded on September 5, 1960 in Fairbanks, Alaska.

A recording of the first park and monument committee meeting in Fairbanks, Alaska recorded in 1960. Unidentified person proposed using the area around the steamboat Nenana for the park. [recording is difficult to understand] There was a discussion about using the area and the needs for the park. They talked about designating the park, a monument and requesting the land from the city.