

Bernard & Louise Knapp

Family History

Life Sketch Outline for
Mabel Hale Knapp

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FROM THE FILES OF BERNARD ELDEN KNAPP

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I shall begin my life story from a perspective not usually given represented in one's life sketch, before I was born.

Circumstances surrounding Alma H. Hale Jr. call to serve a mission

II

He leaves -

wife and Elizabeth at home

III

Birth, circumstances time etc -
 relations between parents.

IV

Return of father -

I met my father for the first time -
 circumstances where met - residence -
 family circumstances over next several years -

V

move to Marysville -

store part office.

baptism -

4th 24th of July celebrations -

grand parents -

uncles -

cousins -

stones - intermingled in life sketch -

the squirrel - the sun & the rock -

the apples

schooling growing up - in shadow of big sister -
 younger brother -

loving father -

VI

Yellowstone state organized,

town of Astoria started - railroad -

first electric light bulb -

change light bulbs -

trips to Yellowstone -

Utah relatives visit - the father's choquimed fishing trip (new) pole -

VII Off to Richards Academy - afraid - some new friends -

great respect for teachers + church leaders - meets young man taking missionary counsel -

VIII Letters of correspondence for 2 years - his return -

visits Marysville - runs to catch train at Astoria -

IX trip to SLC for marriage in temple

X Honey moon to Yellowstone National Park with Jennie + Frank Walters -

XI Move to the ranch at Plena the new house -

the sensitivity of the Indians - loneliness -

XII happiness with children -

loss of little girl - new drawing of Warren loss of second little girl -

hard-ship -

XIII ranch life - dairy farm - heavy work - new best agricultural methods - county agent - Fremont divided and Madison County created -

Richie to become college from normal school - Desire for children's future -

Depression - severe -

Grandpa Knapp goes on mission - to Calif -

house plunger - some of barrels at night -
 home from the ranch

al. barn - operation by Doc Rigby.

parents move to Utah

XIV

Grandpa Knapp dies -
loss of ranch -

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move to Smithfield.

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work at alexander on dam -

XV

move to I P

Sister Finnie at Ashton - other places at fish
church stays with Finnie. Hatcheries.

School house

church

community activities.

in terpretation of rugged life & people -

men mean to dogs - cursing - swearing - loud mouthed
baiters.

visits by sisters -

cabin - wood pile melting water for stock etc -

people - blacksmith

store keepers - commissary (Ponds)

Taylor the superintendent

XVI

move to Goshen - 2 teams - visits by parents

sold teams - moved from house to house -

worked in church - active in genealogy

XVII

move to Rexburg

Christmas visits to relatives @ Rexburg

back to I. P. visit by parents - experience with moose
(boer & granddaughter)

XVIII

move to I. F. a home again rebuilt -

Oh, yeah! visits with parents -

keep down - problems -

work for Ben Smith - et. al. others

summer away from home -

XIX

genealogy and temple clothes

Call to the temple - records of fine church

XX

leaders - would have II - all off to the service

day Pearl Harbor was bombed

wind Ho San temple

Paternal blessing
for sons -

advice -

Savings bonds for school children -

XXI
Older children leave home - loneliness - longing for
relatives -

walks to town - library - genealogy library - help
XXII
others - family - friends - word & state members -

Knap records -

family reunions - uncles, cousins -

daughters -

visits to daughters -

families growing -

proud of grandchildren

walked & walked, walked

Resting - cow came running across

60th - walked to Relief Society ^{pasture}

I F walked to town - post office

finally got mail carrier service to house

XXIII
house 1st to become garage -

12' x 16' water in side -

finally addition on back end plumbing put in -

building - chinking log - blue paper on inside -

finally rough fir boards covered with celotex,

and painted - and papered -

cellar -

garden

sheds

XXIV
Temple
Begins work in the temple -

laundry dept -

then linen

husband leaves temple job

works in I P again -

does temple work -

XXV
growth of family -

make knapp life sketch S outlines

XXVI war ends - Al home - Paul home

XXVII temple produce many friends the Dyes - Smiths - others
raising of the east son -

hold to him -

hope for him -

confused life -

the army -

school -

mission -

XXVIII return to school -

to teaching

to watch

to marriage

loss of Sandra

XXIX suffering of last little years -

fears become reality -

valiant effort amid pain - discomfort -

love of many years cemented in last few days

of devotion - concern for others -

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V

apple -
squirrel
baptism

work in post office -

anchors -
cousins

work in Yellowstone Park

stage drivers

wild animals - mouse dangerous

bears - feeding grounds -

attract tourists -

bleachers -

black bears first -

Roving six - (silvertips)

clerk and work in post office

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