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- 1005 Interview begins. Narrator is Peggy Eglund, nee Boyer. Born 1951 in Hawthorne, California; now lives in Genesee. First residence in Idaho was Nez Perce. Parents had moved from Idaho to California, stayed there for one year (when Peggy was born) and then moved back to Idaho.
- 1045 Mother. Maiden name is Johnson, first name Jeanette. Narrator not sure of her ~~mi~~ date of birth, thinks her birthplace was Nez Perce, doesn't know year mother married. Mother a homemaker, probably never had any other jobs.
- 1060 Father's name, Robert Johnson. Not sure of his birthdate or place. Father is a farmer, has always been a farmer. Both parents living.
- 1069-end of side one Siblings. Two sisters: Donna and Phyllis. Five brothers: Randy, Steve, Keith, Larry, and Stan.
- Side two 005 Husband's ~~name~~ name, Nick Eglund, Now a student. Was in the army.
- 008 Narrator married in Moscow in 1972. No children. Peggy is a student at the University of Idaho, will graduate this spring in Pre-Veterinary program.
- 014 Other skills: sewing. Jobs: swimming instructor for one summer, has driven grain truck. Hobbies: watercolor painting. Clubs and groups: member of Alpha Zeta, ~~involved in 4-H for 8 years and won a lot of awards from~~ Peggy was involved with 4-H for 8 years and won a lot of awards. Exhibited animals and sewing ~~work~~ projects.
- 029 Rural life. Narrator doesn't know many people who live in urban areas. Feels rural area a better place for raising children. Plans to be a veterinarian, would like to work with both large and small animals. She enjoys the country, can have animals, no close neighbors as there would be in an apartment. Country much prettier than the city.
- 047 ~~While husband was stationed at Ft. Leavenworth~~ Lived with husband while he was stationed at Ft. Leavenworth. She tried to ~~find~~ ^{get} a job but didn't find any she enjoyed. Didn't have a lot of ^{get} friends there, hard to get to know people. Not a pleasant experience as an army wife at Ft. Leavenworth. After that, she returned home and worked for her father.
- 055 Narrator is satisfied with the way her parents raised her. ~~and~~ She plans to raise her future children in the same way. Narrator's chores as a child: raising a few 4-H animals and housework. Feels boys and girls had similar chores.
- 067 Story about starting a track and basketball team for herself and other girls in school. Feels girls didn't have as many opportunities in athletics as boys did. ~~It~~ Difficult to find a coach for the girls' teams.
- 074 Father expected narrator to have more education beyond high school, he felt it was important for her. She felt no pressure from her parents to marry. Narrator did quit ~~school~~ college to marry, but now is finishing her degree. Got married because she wanted to. Met husband at the University of Idaho; ~~dated 1 1/2 years before marrying~~ married 1 1/2 years later.

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- (074 cont) Married when husband was home on leave from the army.
- 093 Expectations of marriage. So far, no surprises. Narrator does not want to have a large family; wants about three children. Future plans: wants to have a job, some money, and be more settled.
- 107 Childhood. Large age differences between her siblings.
- 116 TV. Both she and husband watch a lot of TV, but only get one channel. Watch the news a lot. Other recreations: have friends visit, some parties.
- 123 Narrator and husband drive to U of I campus daily and spend the day there. She feels women have the same opportunities as men ~~in the~~ in the U of I veterinary program.
- 143 Sees a lot of differences between her marriage and her parent's marriage. Peggy and Nick more equal, both attend school and help with housework. She notes that her father ~~was~~ always away from home and her mother always at home taking care of children. Narrator and husband want to plan the number ~~and time~~ and timing of their future children. Feels her father made most of the decisions in the family. Narrator feels she and her husband will be more equal in their decision making.
- 170 Farm life different from city life. In order to adjust, need to be able to appreciate the things that are on a farm that aren't available in a city.
- 178 ~~Before marriage~~ Narrator and husband made plans to return to school after marrying. ~~Most~~ She feels that most decisions made together, but notes that she usually runs the house and he maintains ~~their~~ car. Both usually share cooking.
- 201 Narrator feels good about not having to be dependent on husband. When first married and living as an army wife, she felt more dependent on husband and didn't like it. ~~She didn't have~~ It was hard to have friends then because not much in common with other army wives since ~~they~~ most of them had young children.
- 212 Feelings about women's movement. Women have equal opportunities in college and in careers, but not in grade school and high school.
- 218 Reasons for going to college. Father wanted her to go to school, and she wanted to get away from ~~and~~ home and gain a wider perspective. Initially, she thought she ~~was~~ was not smart enough to attend college, even though she was an honors student in high school. After entering college, narrator did very well in biology classes, got encouragement from a professor. This was very helpful for deciding to enter the veterinary program. She notes there was no career counseling in high school.
- 241 End of interview.

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