

**NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Lucy Wren**

3/4" video, 1987, N.N.B.Y., colour, sound, 5 min. 29 sec.

The subjects of this short documentary are Lucy Wren and Jenny Atlin, two elderly and long time residents of Carcross. The narrator provides background information on the lives of the two women and they themselves reminisce about their traditional native childhoods and about how the native way of life was affected by the building of the South Klondike Highway and the White Pass and Yukon Railway. These memories are illustrated through the use of numerous still photographs.

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Subject headings: Atlin, Jenny; Indians of North America - Yukon Territory - Personal narratives; Indians of North America - Yukon Territory - Social life and customs; Wren, Lucy

**Video Number: V-168-1**

DETAILED LISTING SHEET

Program Title: NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Lucy Wren

Time/Footage	Description	Format (Colour/ bw/mag/opt/sil)
0:00	Narrator introducing Lucy Wren and Jenny Atlin; still photographs and scenes of Carcross	colour, sound
0:28	Lucy Wren talking about the building of the South Klondike Highway through Carcross and about its effects on traditional native transportation methods; Lucy Wren and Jenny Atlin are shown hiking	
0:58	Narrator talking about transportation and trapping during Lucy Wren's and Jenny Atlin's childhood; still photographs of native camps	
1:12	Jenny Atlin talking about her childhood spent on the trapline and following seasonal activities; still photographs of Carcross	

- 1:45 Lucy Wren talking about how modern transportation methods have affected her life
- 2:05 Narrator talking about the effects of the White Pass and Yukon Railway on Carcross; still photographs of Carcross
- 2:27 Lucy Wren talking about the White Pass and Yukon Railway
- 2:40 Jenny Atlin talking about the White Pass and Yukon Railway; Lucy Wren and Jenny Atlin are shown walking on a street, Carcross
- 3:08 Lucy Wren talking about the White Pass and Yukon Railway; Lucy Wren and Jenny Atlin are shown walking on a street, Carcross
- 3:35 Narrator talking about the effects of highway building during WW II on Carcross and its people; still photographs of Carcross
- 3:46 Jenny Atlin talking about her first trip to Whitehorse; Lucy Wren and Jenny Atlin are shown on a bridge, Carcross

- 4:08 Lucy Wren talking about her first trips to Whitehorse; Lucy Wren and Jenny Atlin are shown walking on a street, Carcross
- 4:40 Narrator commenting that Lucy Wren and Jenny Atlin go to Whitehorse more often now
- 5:01 Lucy Wren talking about the changes which have taken place in Carcross; Lucy Wren is shown playing bingo; scenes of Carcross
- 5:29 End

**NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Virginia Smarch**

3/4" video, 1986, N.N.B.Y., colour, sound, 5 min. 58 sec.

The subject of this short documentary is Teslin elder Virginia Smarch. Ms. Smarch reminisces about fur farming, trapping, and farming during her childhood, her mother and father, and the lessons she learned from her parents. She also talks about the effects of government on the native way of live and of the need for native peoples to speak up for their rights.

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Subject headings: Fur farming; Indians of North America - Yukon Territory - Personal narratives; Smarch, Virginia

**Video Number: V-168-2**

DETAILED LISTING SHEET

Program Title: NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Virginia Smarch

Time/Footage	Description	Format (Colour/ bw/mag/opt/sil)
0:00	Woman introducing program	colour, sound
0:19	Narrator talking about Twelve Mile and about how George Geddes and Annie Geddes (the parents of Virginia Smarch) settled there at the turn of the century; scenes of Twelve Mile	
0:47	Virginia Smarch talking about fur farming, trapping, farming, and other forms of work during her childhood at Twelve Mile; scenes of Twelve Mile; still photographs	
1:52	Virginia Smarch talking about the lessons and duties she learned from her parents; still photographs	
2:35	Virginia Smarch talking about her mother and father; still photographs	

- 2:55 Virginia Smarch talking about the decline in fur prices during WW II; scenes of an old fur farm at Twelve Mile
- 3:21 Virginia Smarch talking about the effects of government on the native way of life; Virginia Smarch is shown mending a fish net
- 4:42 Virginia Smarch talking about the need for native peoples to speak up for their rights; still photographs; Virginia Smarch is shown looking at photographs, putting wood in a stove, walking by a lake
- 5:58 End

**NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Dan Van Bibber**

3/4" video, 1987, N.N.B.Y., colour, sound, 6 min. 55 sec.

The subject of this short documentary is Dan Van Bibber, an elderly and long time resident of Pelly Crossing. The narrator provides background information on the life of Mr. Van Bibber and Mr. Van Bibber himself reminisces about trapping and transportation during his childhood and about his family's founding of Pelly Crossing.

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Subject headings:   Indians of North America - Yukon Territory -  
                          Personal narratives; Pelly Crossing; Van Bibber,  
                          Dan; Van Bibber family

**Video Number: V-168-3**

DETAILED LISTING SHEET

Program Title: NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Dan Van Bibber

Time/Footage	Description	Format (Colour/ bw/mag/opt/sil)
0:00	Narrator introducing the show and Dan Van Bibber; Narrator and Dan Van Bibber are shown walking along a road, Pelly Crossing	colour, sound
0:19	Narrator talking with Dan Van Bibber about his family; Narrator and Dan Van Bibber are shown walking along a road, Pelly Crossing	
0:39	Narrator talking about Dan Van Bibber's family and about their founding of Pelly Crossing; Narrator and Dan Van Bibber are shown entering a cabin	
0:51	Narrator talking with Dan Van Bibber about his family's founding of Pelly Crossing	
1:30	Dan Van Bibber talking about the building of the road from Minto to Mayo	

- 2:49 Dan Van Bibber talking about trapping and transportation during his childhood; still photographs
- 3:16 Narrator commenting on Dan Van Bibber's involvement with the Selkirk Band; scenes of a Selkirk Band meeting
- 3:41 Narrator talking about how Dan Van Bibber keeps himself busy with chores and trapping; Dan Van Bibber is shown cutting wood
- 3:55 Narrator talking about Dan Van Bibber's domestic life; Dan Van Bibber is shown at home
- 4:07 Dan Van Bibber telling an anecdote about the honesty of his neighbour; still photographs
- 6:00 Narrator talking about how Dan Van Bibber makes his own tools; Dan Van Bibber is shown displaying and sharpening knives

6:23 Narrator talking about how  
Dan Van Bibber has lived  
all over the Yukon but has  
settled in his childhood home  
of Pelly Crossing; Dan Van  
Bibber is shown sharpening  
knives

6:35 End

**NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Charles Linklater**

3/4" video, 1987, N.N.B.Y., colour, sound, 5 min 19 sec.

The subject of this short documentary is Charles Linklater, a hunter, trapper, and former riverboat pilot between Dawson City and Old Crow. The narrator provides background information on the life of Mr. Linklater and Mr. Linklater himself reminisces about the hardships of his life and of his years of work aboard boats on the Yukon and Porcupine Rivers.

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Subject headings: Indians of North America - Yukon Territory -  
Personal narratives; Linklater, Charles

**Video Number: V-168-4**

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Program Title: NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Charles Linklater

Time/Footage	Description	Format (Colour/ bw/mag/opt/sil)
0:00	Joanne Henry introduces the program and Charles Linklater; Charles Linklater is shown playing a fiddle	colour, sound
0:17	Narrator provides details on the life of Charles Linklater	
0:31	Charles Linklater talking about his childhood and his father	
0:52	Narrator talking about the hardships and responsibilities of Charles Linklater's childhood and about his current life in Dawson City; Charles Linklater is shown in a boat	
1:16	Charles Linklater talking about the poverty of his early life; still photographs; film footage of river barges	

- 2:27 Narrator talking about Charles Linklater's work aboard boats on the Yukon River and the Porcupine River
- 2:42 Charles Linklater talking about his work aboard boats on the Yukon River and the Porcupine River; film footage of boats on rivers, boats unloading supplies
- 3:38 Charles Linklater telling an anecdote about a hunter's attempt to capture a moose
- 4:39 Narrator talking about Charles Linklater's job working on electrical generators in Aklavik and Carcross, his peaceful retirement in Dawson City, and his new skill of boat building: Charles Linklater is shown in a boat
- 5:00 Charles Linklater talking about his peaceful life in Dawson City
- 5:19 End

**NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Andy Smith**

3/4" video, 1988, N.N.B.Y., colour, sound, 5 min. 21 sec.

The subject of this short documentary is Teslin elder Andy Smith. The narrator provides background information on the life of Mr. Smith and Mr. Smith himself reminisces about his life as a trapper and big game hunting outfitter. Andy Smith also demonstrates his skills setting squirrel snares, moose calling, and playing the accordion.

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Subject headings: Big game hunting - Yukon Territory; Indians of North America - Yukon Territory - Personal narratives; Smith, Andy; Trapping

**Video Number: V-168-5**

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Program Title: NEDAA - Elders Profiles: Andy Smith

Time/Footage	Description	Format (Colour/ bw/mag/opt/sil)
0:00	Narrator introducing Andy Smith; Andy Smith is shown playing a drum and singing	colour, sound
0:24	Andy Smith talking about his childhood, learning to trap, and becoming a big game hunting outfitter; Andy is Smith is shown at home; still photographs	
1:11	Narrator talking about how Andy Smith's son Phillip now runs the family's big game hunting outfitting business	
1:18	Andy Smith talking about and demonstrating moose calling	
2:04	Narrator talking about Andy Smith's domestic life; Andy Smith is shown leaving his house and chopping wood	

- 2:27 Narrator talking about  
Andy Smith's current  
trapping activities; Andy  
Smith and others are  
shown walking through  
the woods
- 2:37 Andy Smith talking  
about and demonstrating  
the setting of squirrel  
snares; Andy Smith  
playing with his dog
- 3:45 Andy Smith playing an  
accordion; Narrator  
talking about Andy  
Smith's playing of the  
accordion; Andy Smith  
continuing to play an  
accordion
- 4:53 Andy Smith talking  
about his daughters;  
Andy Smith is shown at  
home
- 5:14 Andy Smith saying  
goodbye
- 5:21 End