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Mrs. Donald McPhail (Terrill)

Came from Denver Colorado Apr 19, 1902 settled in Granite in 1902 – 5 women. Mrs. James, Mrs. Walter Holmes, Mrs. TP Cook, Mrs. Terrill's daughter Belle lived in the government house owned by Hugh Hunter who had been moved to Princeton.

Don Ross. First man she met. He was at wedding and gave five-dollar gold piece.

Dad was to make fortune at placer mining. Then moved to Hedley 1906.

Mr. Donald in Granite Creek. He was working for TP Co McBalle for locks sunlight soap. Was long time coming talking to Mrs. Cooks clerk. She was only girl. Thynne the only other was 15 miles away. Donald and Belle married July 12, 1904 at Hugh Hunters house. Minister Nicola took from Sunday pm to Tuesday 3pm. Wedding at 4.

Ethel Thynne bridesmaid went to Kamloops from honeymoon. Stage to Nicola. Don by horse and rig. No horses all went by stage to Nicola, then got horse and buggy and went to Kamloops.

Lived one and a half years in Granite then Don and Duncan lock homesteaded. First child born, Dave in Nicola, Florence at Middlesborough, North East of Merritt was a village

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