

*Stenslie reunion, July 3, 1977*

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Transcript

00:00 Munkel: This is Sunday, July third in Stump Lake, North Dakota. We're here for a family reunion- Stenslie Family reunion. And I'm going to make this recording now of voices of a few people and relatives here, friends too, for the benefit of Mrs. Emma Klinge, who is now residing in the convalescent home at the Spring Grove Tweeten Memorial Hospital. It is connected with the convalescent home here. She's been here in the convalescent home since around December, a little before Christmas.

It's real nice warm weather here. We arrived up here at McVille last night about 7:30, but we stopped in Finley, North Dakota and had supper. And it was getting kind of dark and black- looked like a storm coming up, and raining. After we started out, we run into a real heavy rainstorm at Aneta, North Dakota. It got real dark and blowed real hard, and rained real heavy. And we couldn't hardly see to keep the car on the road, but we managed to make it alright. Now we're here at Stump Lake and it's a beautiful day. It's kind of warm and high humidity. But I see there's a lot of other people here, too. This place is real popular. They spent a lot of money and fixed it up. They got a lot of things they hadn't had here before when I was here before. But like everything else, time improves everything.

Now I'm going to try and get some voices of the relatives onto this tape here.

01:59 Munkel chats with reunion attendees

42:09 Munkel: Yea, we forgot to say that this is the year 1977, but that's what it is.