

at Pleasant Ridge my home .

We were married Aug 3 1929. Allen & his  
dad were building a house for Early Hamer in  
Newton. We lived with Allen's family that  
fall & winter. In March we moved to an  
apt. Hamer's owned. Allen had built our  
furniture during winter. (Kitchen Dining room  
& Bed room furniture) We didn't like the apt  
& wanted to get another before winter. In  
Aug. we got one 3 houses above Allen's father  
on Chestnut St & moved in. It was nice  
little apt. Deb was little & we enjoyed it.  
Allen got work in spring of 1930 at Brookville  
for Mr Adams. He worked back & fore by train  
's to 6 & P.M. Sometimes he took car. Until  
of 31. He worked quite steadily & summer  
building mill at Brookville. Work in year  
32 was not steady but we managed fine  
Sept 15 - 32. Cudray came that winter he  
worked most all winter & in March 1933  
we moved to Terrebonne to Mrs Baileys house  
That year Allen's father lived with us & worked  
at Mill building more buildings.

We were happy. In spring 34. Ted, Murray  
Allen's brother & my brother Cereher came  
with us & worked in mill. They were  
there about 2 months. Allen's father  
Geo & Cereher worked days & Cereher <sup>evening</sup>  
nights. It was a busy person. I did all the

By fall 1935 Work was over. Cereher went to  
Boston to see if he could get work. He had met  
Fred Hayes in Saint John which was the  
wrong thing. They way we left in "Hod" for  
Boston stored our furniture & sold some.  
Went to Aunt Lillian's before Mackers Leslie in  
Malvern. Hodder & I stayed there & Cereher  
went to see this man & found out he was a  
real bum. But he heard of U. S. Gypsum  
remained near. He used to see them & got  
a job & got us an apt at 5 Cross St.  
Somerville. It was not the best of places  
but we moved in. Hodder liked his work &  
was doing real well. In 1936 My Dad was  
very sick Cancer. They said us word to come  
if we could see him home for 2 weeks in Aug.

Fred died in Oct & Celen's Grandmother was sick in Bealor's. His Mom came to see her in Nov. She died last Nov. Celen's Mom stayed till first Jan. It's nice to have her. Bob started Kindergarten in Jan 1936 & Grade 1 in Sept. 36

Both Kiddies had whooping cough Christmas 36. Then they had chickenpox & in Mar. Bob had scarlet fever. He was real sick we were quarantined <sup>sp</sup> 3 weeks. Fred

Hayes looked us up & kept bailing Ellen to come & help him & Ellen recd. He was fixing a compressor in an old building & got a bad dose of carbon monoxide. He nearly passed out & after that he had boils & sores. Between 2 & 3 hundred.

He had very bad time and out of hosp. 1937 was an night nurse. By spring of 1938 he was not able to walk steady. We decided to come home.

Arrived by boat in St John May 24  
Mrs Hayes, Geo Sdee, Emerson Hayes  
Irene met us. We came up to

Narlow & Allen got tree'd next day so  
go to St. John for furniture. We stayed at ice  
garage for time being. Allen's Mom had  
not been so well & the first week we  
were home she had a stroke & was in  
bed all summer. But got so she could get  
about by fall. She was a very patient  
patient. We stayed & I kept house till  
Nov 1940. In Sept 1939 War broke out & Sussex  
army camp was becoming quiet. Allen got job  
He was a building foreman had 200 men  
to look after. His & Murray worked there too  
It was able to help out by keeping house  
for them all. In 1940 fall Allen's Dad fell  
& broke his shoulder. They got very hard  
the youngsters bothered him & he was broken  
in Nov 1940.  
We got ourselves a place by ourselves & the  
boys got a lady to go in & take care of their  
Mother. Murray was married in Dec <sup>Marie</sup>  
moved in & their new house was ready  
in spring of 1941

In Feb. 1941 Allen's mother died. So Maude  
Geo. was married & later in spring. The two  
boys joined the army. Allen still worked  
at Camp Sussay. By the spring of 1942.  
Camp Sussay was completed & of March  
Allen joined the Navy. He was in Saint John.

In Aug we moved to another house. Bigger  
one & larger. Was just in one month & it  
was sold. We had to move again in Nov.

The youngsters & I worked very hard.  
But got settled in before winter.

Allen never sent out of Saint John his eye  
kept him from going to sea. We had wonderful  
time in that house. Allen brought so many  
facts from Navy house for next seeds. And we  
had other service men at home on week.

end. when Allen was home. In 1945 Oct.

He got out of Navy & did odd jobs around town  
of Norton till spring. He went with Diamond  
Construction Co. to Milltown on Housing Project  
Bob worked down there in summer.

He had worked in 1945. at Wallace Lumbering in

Sussex: In spring #7 he was sick again  
Bred scarlet fever again & he had pneumonia  
several times. But he graduated from High  
School & passed Matric. The job was though  
in Mill Toronto Gov & Murray got at home so  
go to Fredericton they would start a wood  
working factory, stone, hoesing etc.

We bought a house & moved up site seed  
June. Not happy time - 1948 My sister  
Florence died his came to live with us.  
Bob had several sick spells. 1949 Audrey  
graduated from Acadia High Alice getting  
along good in mill. Bob got married  
Audrey's girl friends came to live with  
us while going to College - 1950. Things  
not going so good at work Audrey graduated  
in Commercial & got job with Musical life  
1951 She went to Montreal to train for Nurse in  
Feb. Things bad at Mill. Alice operated on  
& sold house to rest in May. We sold house  
Alice left mill & we settled on Kings College  
Rd. 11 Sept. Audrey went back for Sept class.

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Gillean worked till Aug with Beaumont Coast  
on Lovers Lane. Then Bob came to  
Nfld for Beaumont to build houses for DOT.  
Earline & Eric 1 yr + 5 months & Jacob 6  
months & I left for Nfld to St. Ceddrews  
lived in Camp there. Had real good  
winter. Feels so freely. Was there till  
April 1952. We were transferred to Gros Cap  
~~Pennard~~ Peninsula to Whitboerne.  
Stayed a week in Hotel there in camp.  
We were all home during summer  
for week (at different times) Moved in Sept  
to Plessertia to friends houses. Left for home  
in Dec. We spent a week at St. Ceddrews.  
Bob & Earline were in Hotel in St. John's most  
of week. Could not get out on place because of  
weather. We rented John Darling house  
& lived at Melsbrene for winter. Gillean visited  
feeling good. In March <sup>1953.</sup> He got job with Schumacher  
in April went to Chalcoce NB. Got a place.  
I moved up end April. Bob & Earline came in  
June.

They built shafels at Air base finished  
in Dec. Belie born Sept. We all left for  
Summerside. Got house very comfortable  
& happy in <sup>May</sup> 1954 Allen went to  
Moncton to Naval Base to build building  
Cedree graduated in June & went to Nfld.  
to graduation. End of fence Bob & Earlene  
sent to Oromocto. The start of Camp  
Gagetown. They had house at Benton.

Cedree married Sept 11 1954 in Summer  
side, & moved to an apt in Sussex  
Sept 19. couldn't get one near Belie work  
in Moncton. Had real good winter in  
Sussex. In <sup>April</sup> 1955 Belie sick with  
Meulier's disease. Feeling good & he was sent  
to Chathams again in June. In Aug I visited.  
apt left some furniture & went up to Galtown  
lived with Mr. Birbridge & daughter  
Josie MacEwan. Good winter Allen got  
finished at Air base in <sup>July</sup> 1956 ~~for~~ for.  
May we bought a Glendale Mobile Home  
8 ft wide 36 ft long. It was traded in soon.

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feenileeere in on it & sold some. In July  
He was sent to Flonto build Connaught St.  
School. We moved over. first house in  
Bobs yard at Burton for mobile hill there  
was a place by school we moved up there  
in Nov. City put us out No mobile houses  
to be in city. We moved to Kellps on  
Half Creek Rd. We lived out by barn  
Alphonse Bernard office & us.

Allen drew up places for Court for Omond  
during winter. In spring He started Court.  
In Aug we moved down to a lot.

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In Sept. Allen went with ~~the~~ Civil Service  
Education Dept. In spring 1959 we  
spent on holidays at Andreeys in Hill Came  
back & Omond wanted us to trade houses. We  
did & bought a 10 ft wide & 7 ft long & moved  
in 24 May up by Aft house. In summer  
Allen built fence & put around lot & poured  
cement for blocks for patios. Then in 1963 He  
built a room on ~~the~~ near length of house  
& we have been in it since. He put Hat

Water heating in home in 1975. Then  
he just lived 6 yrs to enjoy it.