

Corley, Fern Pring
Colorado College, Class of 1922

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DATE: March 15, 1977

Name (print in full) Fern Pring Corley Class 1922

(as usually signed) _____

ADDRESS Resident 4031 Shadybrook Lane

Business P.O.Box 1821

Date of Birth February 11, 1900 Place of Birth Gwillimville, Colo.

January 30, 1924 Willard Douglass Corley Farrel, Miss. March 2, 1901 Class 1923

Marriage (Date, Place, Wife's of Husband's Names, Where and When Born)

Willard Douglass Corley Died March 2, 1968

Subsequent Marriage(s) (Same Facts)

Children (Name, Dates, Places of Birth, Deaths, if any, Married Names, Present Addresses)

Doris Fern Corley October 2, 1933 Colorado Springs, Colorado Class 1955

Doris Corley Jackson 316 Venado, Los Alamos, New Mexico 87544

Darryl Dean Jackson 316 Venado, Los Alamos, New Mexico 87544 (Husband)

Willard Douglass Corley Jr. May 10, 1936 Colorado Springs, Colorado Class 1958

Andrea Jelstrup Corley 2605 Constellation Drive Colorado Springs, Colo. 80906 (Wife)
Class 1958

Any Information About Your Forebears

My Grandfather, John W. Pring, owned one of the ranches The Air Force Academy is located on.

My Father in law, William Delbert Corley, owned the ranch Fort Crason is located on.

My Father, William John Pring, owned the land where Seven Village is located.

Relatives Who Have Attended Colorado College or Who Have Been Employed by C.C. (Dates)

Kimberly Davies

Your Education (School, College, Dates, Degrees, Major)

| <u>College or University</u> | <u>Dates</u> | <u>Major</u> | <u>Degree</u> | <u>Date</u> |
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Working on advanced degree at University of Chicago in food chemistry during 1922 and 1923.

Tranfered to Ames, Iowa in 1923 and continued working on my Master Degree but came home before I finished.

Thesis Subject: M.A. _____

Ph.D. _____

Academic Honors, Fellowships, Honorary Degrees, etc.

Colorado College Information (When, Why, How You Came to Colorado College)

Entered Colorado College in 1918 and graduated in 1922

Career History

Memberships in Organizations

Professional

Civic

Social

Church

Public Positions Held (Dates, Places, etc.). Other Civic Service

Published Books, Articles, if Applicable

Any Military Service (Dates, Places, Branches)

Your Special Interests, Activities, Hobbies, etc.

After W. Douglass Corley' death, I gave this tennis cup to the Racquet Club for the top boy and girl. There is room for their names for twenty five years. Mr. Corley was the organizer of the Racquet club.

Any Other Facts Which Would Be of Interest to Your Family, The Public or Historians In Later Years

My husband, Willard Douglass Corley, and his Father bought the radio station KFUM in 1925. They operated it to advertise The Corley Mountain Highway until 1932 when they sold it. The present station KVOR is the same.

Mr. Corley bought the Shortline Rail Road at auction and made a toll road and operated it for fifteen years. The Corley Mountain Highway.

Mr. Corley Sr. and W. Douglass Corley ran a purebreed Hereford ranch on what is Fort Carson. They showed cattle all over the country.

The Corleys also had a trout^{fish} hatchery on the Corley Mountain Highway near Clyde, Colorado.

Date March 21, 1977

Signature *Fern Ping Corley*

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