

C.D. This may be a photo of the former "Kid Crew" group, which you may have belonged too, & mentioned in your Sept 20th e-mail?

The KID CREW

Members were from left to right:
Ben, CD, Lawrence, Lloyd, & Alice

Residence:
310 S Ohio, Roswell, NM
Photo taken by: Norma Eda Taylor

As I recall, the "Kid Crew" established themselves at the residence on 310 Ohio St, Roswell, NM in about 1938. Originally, the home shown in the photo, was a two bedroom house with a truck body hooked onto the back. The truck body served as a bedroom for Lawrence, CD & Ben. Later, the truck body was removed and a kitchen & bedroom were added to the house. The former truck body became a Pigeon Coup.

Note the wagon, in the background, that Lawrence made at Tyner Welding Shop to haul the younger "Crew" members, Lloyd & Alice, around in the area. Note, also, the older members of the group, Lawrence, CD, & Ben had bicycles. Later, as the Kid Crew grew older Lawrence, CD, Ben & Lloyd became the "Work Crew" and carried on their Father's, "Family Tradition's".....Alice, was an accomplished piano player, singer, & coordinator for the "Crew".....

The original Shop, Bud Taylor's Garage, can be seen in the photo's background. Their Dad carried on numerous business projects such as welding, saw filing, a car & truck repair shop, building cabinets & numerous other jobs. He was a "Jack of all trades" & passed many of these traits on to his family members. Later a new garage & workshop was built in the same area.

This 310 S Ohio was home to the Crew until 1950 when the family moved into the new home which was constructed on 308 S Ohio...next door... by "Crew" family members. A friend by the name of Hessie Miles or "Hess Boy" assisted.

Many years have passed & family members have since moved on to a set of points within a given distance; but, are still connected by recalling the Old Days now & then....

Reminiscing,

Ben....Historian & Ancient Member of "The Kid Crew"

AJ (biographer & typist of "Tall Tales")

