

**Transcript of edited excerpts.**

**DOUGLAS, COLETTE**

"My name is Colette Smith, my maiden name, Douglas, my married name... I have seven grandchildren. And I've lived in this neighborhood since 1952 or 3, I forget... And I may be the oldest person on the block. I don't know.

Another Depression memory was one fall when we came back from France, my father had come to get us in his car. And I guess he was unloading the suitcases, and this man stopped and said, "May I help you?" And my father said, "Sure." And he was a guy without work, in a sort of tattered suit, but sort of good manners and whatnot.

So my dad said, "I'd like to help you." I'll never forget this. So he brought him in. He let him take a bath. Gave him a suit, and maybe gave him some money. I don't know. But he said, "Let me know how you make out." Well we never heard from him. But that stuck in my mind, you know?"