Pioneer families - Reels 507 & 508 (see mitsubishis)

Cameron photo - Reel 507, 7:11:45
Girl feeding chicks-Reel 501, 1:09:10
Nebraska boys w/pail -- Reel 506, 6:07:50
Girl milking cow - Reel 507, 7:26:50

Out West, there were plenty of pioneer families willing to adopt children. Charity wasn't their only motivation. On a farm, there was always room for one more pair of hands to help with the chores.

Young Toni Weiler Reel 501, 1:20:19

Toni Weiler lived in an orphanage in New York City from the time she was 10 days old until she was put on a train west at the age of three.

Live footage of Train -- Reel #915, 15:06:22?

TONI: "The first thing I remember the most is when we went down to board the train and its big shot of steam happened to come out right then and it was really scary, and every time that we went through a town there was this clang, clang, clang kind of noise, a bell ringing, and then the whistle on the train."

TONI: "It was fine to tell us that we were going to a home where there would be a new mom and a papa to get along with. Well, what was a mom and a papa? We didn't know those things."