

#1st picture - our old Darwin School house. #2 also

#3. old house by road coming in to Darwin - across a chace middle is "the long house" as called in 1910's when we used it as a recreation & dance hall when we had one. later Re's lived in it as a home. Then Thorson's in the '30's later they made it into rooms to rent when they bought the Out Post 1935 from Hilda & Charlie King - and moved into the house in back of lot where the tin cabins are - built for tourist travel to Death Valley in the '30's before present Death Valley road built, 5 miles north of town over the Summit. Coso Hills in back ground.

#4 Front of Out Post & side to cabin in back and on right side living room & kitchen - later when Thorson's lived there at first. In 1928 Kings came over from Stone Pipe Wells - Death Valley where they were working - maid & maintenance - bought the original building on corner from Al Ross, who had built it after our 1918 fire for a soft drink - card tables & gathering place. King added on put in a Cafe' and built the cabins in back - business was good by tourists.

#5. Same building - different view.

#6. Theodore Petersen's Cafe at his gas station. built 1941 after Christmas eve 1940 fire burned the first one & his station. arson very lightly; likely!

#7. Same building.

#8. Rear of Same building

#9. #10. Darwin jail - built 1920 of corrugated iron after the original 2 cell & entrance room

- pg 2. #9-10 - cont. built of 6x6 ties 1876 - 1 window high in back room - grill doors to cells - & heavy wooden front door into front small entrance - stood empty for years never used in my time - drunks slept in it. and burned down in 1918-19 and this one built - 1920 - and never used in my time - up to 1948
- #11 - Can't make out - Could be front porch of Crossons old "Gin Mill"
- #12 - #13 built after I left - located where?
- #14 - Family by name of Brannigan built some time after I left - in 1950's probably. I believe some still live in it.
- #15 Don't know - looks like a junk gathering up the main St.? towards water tanks? - not there that I (recgo) recognize.
- #16 Don't recognize - been added to - could be Alan McConnells place on Reddy St.? across from where the school house stood - up from town built 1914 - torn down several years ago for no good reason.
- #17. Looking up street to "Crosson's" place.
Mt. Sybil in back ground.
- #18 - Front view of Crosson's Place
- #19. Cabins - 1 room - built by King in 1929-30's for tourists \$3.00 per night. in back of Out Post. as they named their Cafe 1929 - still called that by us who are left.

3) #20 original, a stone & brick 1876 - probably a Brewery - later 1900's & on used as a home - off & on - a room built inside of the walls, in front where door is

#21 - Part of same - at back was a small cave ^{built in as a dug} cool storage place.

#22 - Entrance door?

#23 - Inside Crosson's?

#24 - We called the Ring House - on road into town next to Al Ross' pool hall - later Out Post - built 1912 as a recreation hall - dances etc - later made into a home - 1930's on rooms & rent to d.v. tourists -

#25 - Same building.

#26 - House on road into town - originally built by Alce
Ruona & rent - in late 1930's

#27 - Looking up to The Hill (Anaconda) Mt. Ophir in back ground. Mine dump to left.

#28 - Looks like the Indians homes - edge of town - down Main Street - edge of Lucky Jim Wash. Coso Hills in back ground. Old Coso road & Junction road is to the left

#29 Same -

#30. Entrance to one of the old dug-outs in shallow ravine or gulch - west edge of town.

31 - Entrance into dug-out?

32 - Nancy Williams white marble head stone. murdered in her home - about where Cross-Junction road turns off end of main street. story was 2 young men thought she had money & cut her throat. miners and town folks chipped in \$500⁰⁰ and monument ordered from San Francisco. shipped by boat to San Pedro & freighted in by Remi Nadeau team. Nancy Williams died Sept. 13th 1877 age 45 yrs.
in the 1940's kids living on the hill used it for target practice. we complained to Sheriff. traces of the bullets 22 - still show.

33 Looking across Lucky Jim wash to the Cross and the faint road to the "hills" - couple three miles out of town. near as I can see - our cemetery would be to the right.

34. Looking up to The Hill - Mt. Ophir - town to right. from our cemetery?

35 Road in to Darwin - looking back to Summit. 4 miles out. The Hill up on right - foot of Summit old road goes right. up & over the hill to the Lucky Jim Mine. from there over hill & down to Christmas Gift. The shallow Randy wash at foot of Summit is head of Lucky Jim wash as it widens & deepens and the Lucky Jim Smelter was below town on west side - just below our cemetery