

Oh, yes that! I met a boy up there at Carlisle. He was Onadage. Real nice boy. But see, I had never went with boys at home. In fact, I hadn't never thought about it. They were just all pals as far as I was concerned. So this boy, then, we had to--the boys came to the dormitory and reserved tables to see these girls. So there was this boy, the Onadaga boy, came up and reserved a table for me and him. And so the girls then, after they seen my name on his--on the table--then got to kidding me about this boy. So that really did get my goat. So when time for the boys to come, I ran and hid, I went to my room and stayed there and I wouldn't even show up. And he had brought me a nice bunch of carnations. I guess I was still a little savage from the reservation. I still wanted to get under the bed and hide. And I was really punished for doing that. And I said I've always been sorry I did that because he's the only boy that ever sent me flowers to this day. Course my grandson he brings me sunflowers. I even appreciate them. And I know this boy he got disgusted for meeting such a ignorant Sae & Fox woman, and I don't blame him. I'd probably have done the same thing. But see, that's just the way you get I guess when you're raising up, trying to be white girl. It took them a long time to teach me to be a white girl, but I'm a white girl now.

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(Things were different then than they are now. What do you think about the way Indian kids are brought up now--in this modern society?)

Well, I think it's all right, provided they stick to the rules as I call them. Some of them just goes to the extremes and don't want to do anything the house to help their folks--their mothers or parents or whatever it is. And I think that part is real bad because you learn by doing. Boys and girls. That's the way we did when we went to school and I think the kids would appreciate their money when they get it instead of just spending it like some