

Oh we went to box suppers and had kitchen sweats you know, dance in the kitchen.

(Kitchen sweats. Yeah.)

And used to go. Yeah it was sure something.

(Yeah, that's something a lot of people have missed now. They had a good time.)

They have to have lous music and they don't dance now. Everything they do is vulgar.

(That's right. It is.)

And the way the women dance it's pitiful, and the way--the clothes they wear these short dresses. I'm telling you if I had a daughter or anybody that I could control, they'd not buy them dresses. John Hicks, down here, was another old family.

(Yeah.)

Did you know Henry Hicks when he was on the police force over in Vinita?

(Yeah.)

He comes to see me every decoration. His daddy and them are buried up here at Spavinaw, you know.

(Yeah.)

And he always comes by to see how I'm getting along.

CANNING FOOD - WEAVING CLOTH IN EARLY DAYS

(Yes, at that time of the year, when you were a girl, people were canning, I guess and putting up vegetables.)

This girl that comes here. This last week she'd been awful busy. She's canning peas and beans and she told me today she might can a few more beans but--

(Yeah.)

But you see there's nobody, but just her and her husband.

(Yes ma'am.)