

keepers, called the mountain builders. Now, that's that's the early history. Do you remember it?

(I remember it.)

And they built that places that there, and they'd always, you imagine about what they built them out of. I imagine mud or some kind of brush or something. I never did--the first thing they done, they build a mound. They built a mound, and, then, built a house. And that's that L. A. Rounds and his field. They used to--you could see them. You just locate them by driving along there, you could see them. There's one right there in my corner, and, then, there's one down in the field there toward down toward --

(Now, I have read in some history books a long time ago that there used to be--it might have been a army. It had a building or two somewhere on Bayou Manard here. They said it was built like a cellar but above ground to store stuff in. And, I never did know just exactly where that was.) Now, this evidently was built to protect something. It could have artillery, you see.

(Oh, yes, it could have been that.)

Evidently, the place to live, and too, they had it in connection with a -- did you know they just come along like that? Just -- here's one, then, there's one and on down, and there's location. That's what always seem funny to me.

(All along this bayou Manard Creek then?)

Yeah.

#### RECALLS NAMES OF FAMILIES IN THE AREA

(Yeah, this is an old country through here now. And there been a lot of people lived in here, too, I guess.)

Oh, yeah.