

had to take care of them. But the folks--people--they used to not just leave their kids any time they want to. They stayed home with their kids, all the time. Womanfolks. Men go out hunting and they used to stay home with their kids. They didn't just leave them like these. Everything is different.

(You know, like girls are not supposed to talk to their brothers or play right with their brothers, but what about an older sister and younger brother?)

Well, all of them--all of them--brothers and sisters, they weren't supposed to talk to them. I don't care how old they are, they didn't allow them to talk to them. And then they were not allowed to talk to their father-in-laws or their mother-in-law. Over here they just mingle with their father-in-law and mother-in-laws.

CHILDREN'S QUARRELS AND METHODS OF HANDLING THEM

(Did kids ever fuss or fight with each other--like girls have an argument about something.)

No. They'd fight, but they wouldn't argue.

(What would be the difference between the fighting and arguing?)

Well, I don't think there's any difference in it, but they used to just fight--maybe push one another. Hit one another, and that was all. They didn't really fight, but they just--

(Would they ever be corrected for doing that?)

Yeah. They was corrected all the time from the time they were born.

They didn't just let them go like these young generation. They-- soon as their baby come out they just throw them away like puppies!

Yeah, that's right.

(Now like if a girl is fighting with her sister, and they were sort of pushing each other around--who would be the one that would--?)