EARLY LIFE

(Your sister's name is Ella?)

Mary Ella Still now, used to be Ella Nave.

(Ella Nave?)

Yeah.

(Unidentified voice) You all go ahead and talk and I'll go and tell her.

Yeah, explain to her, (Interruption)

(How old are you?)

I'm eighty-three.

(Eighty-three, and where did you go to school?)

Parkhill Presbyterian Mission.

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Um-hum.

(Do you recall any stories about Parkhill in the old days?)

Well, that's all I know, I went to that school, and, --- but this was since then, you see, I was married when Capps had the store over here at New Parkhill. Old Parkhill was way over, where they had the Presbyterian Church and Mission and that's where I had gone to school. And then, when Mr. Capps come over here and run this store, my husband worked over there at Parkhill. And then, we traded there with Mr. Capps.

(Could you tell me about your father?)

Well, my father was Andy R. Nave, he was her uncle. Mrs. Hinton's, uh, Mrs. Douglas' uncle. They lived right down there.

(And then your mother?)

Well, her name was Julie, from Juliga. Her girl was the only one that had children at Parkhill.

(Do you remember any of the teacher's name?)

Yes, several. Mrs. Russell, I stayed with her in that school.

(You stayed with her?)

Um-hum. Then, my sister knows the older ones.