

that was her baby. (TAPE RUNS OUT...)

(Now after you got back home, you said you met him?)

Yes, we ..I met him here in town. And he said, "Did you come home for good? To stay?" And I said, "I was thinking about going back to work you know, during school month during school month you know. September. And he said, "I'm going down there..going down there. Going down to your home and ask your parents for you.

(Right after you met him?)

Yeah, he'd be..he came down home and he ask my parents, my daddy and his wife and they said, "If you want to, you can take her." At that time, they don't..the girls and boys they don't go together where they'd be seen in.. dating. Those times you know they do come and visit like they do now days. And he came and he ask my folks and they told him it was alright and he said I'll go back and tell my folks. At that time there was that church and there was that preacher, living there close so he..

(Living close to your house or his?)

My house. So he went and he brought his folks and then the preacher and our two fathers, his father and my father, they all came to town to get the license to get married. Right at the preachers house, his name was Rev. Treat. They came back out with the license so we got married at the preachers home and that the way..? I got things at home just trying to keep things together.

(How long did you know him before you married?)

Not very long because he was a school boy, but he went off to school and I was over there. It might be just a year, you know, I was kind of thinking that he don't mean it. That's what I was uneasy about. But he did, he just had to go and ask my folks and his folks. So we got married. He was younger than I'm. His daddy had to sign the papers for him. My daddy didn't have to. But they were nice enough to do that. They went together. They took him along but I didn't come. They came to the court house and got the license.