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(What about this pendant that this woman had? This great big one that was almost a foot across?)

Uhuh. Yeah. They wore those. That's why I was looking for that picture that I wanted you to see. See the old timers they always wore that large one up here. That big one goes up above. There's always three. And a small one right in front where they fasten their blouses. When they wear the berth jacket, they wear those. It's never worn on a plain dress like she had on, but I guess that was one of, one symbol that she had. Like Wilma Jean, she said, "I don't know any better." said, "that time when grandma was in a parade, one of them buttons came off and I called it a plate."

(What about necklaces? Are there any special sort of necklaces that are supposed to be worn?)

Yes, they have several in the old days. They were made of various shells and things and they were then different berries such as chimaberries and things like that. They boiled and then they were pierced with some, of probably whatever they had to use as a stiletto. These punch needles were made out of turkey bones. You know, the ones that come in the leg part. One of the tendons. They'd sharpen that with a rock and then that's what they's use for a needle. That's what they sewed with in the early days before the...

(What about earrings? Are there any special earrings that you're supposed to wear?)

Yes, they wear those ~~frang~~ earrings. They're little short earrings. I have a pair in there like that like they wore.

(What did you call them French?)