

And do whatever they want to do, which I didn't want it but, I just had to. It's one of the have to cases. That's way they believe, you know. Osages believe that.

(Do you still have your wedding coat?)

No. Not not. I have a wedding coat but there's none of them. Course I give it away you see at the party. Got all my wedding things.

(Oh, you give your things away? Who do you give them to?)

In-laws gets it.

(The bridesmaids?)

No. The in-laws. The boys folks get everything.

(Now you and your three bridesmaids wore wedding coats. Red military coats? Brass buttons?)

Yes.

(When did you give the wedding coat to the - - ?)

They took it off when we get over there. See, they send you to the boy's people.

(Right after the wedding?)

No. They send you over there to get married.

(Oh -- un-huh -- And that's where the ceremony is held? With his people?)

Yes. Un-huh.

(Did you have a Minister perform the ceremony?)

No. Not at the boy's home. See the way the old times do -- When the bride goes over to the boy's parents they usually stay all night there.

But I didn't. My father fixed it so I come back the same afternoon. And he had a priest there ready for us -- To marry when I got back.

(You went back home?)

Yes.

(Mr. Neil went with you and you were married there by the Priest?)

Yes. By Father Edward.