

patent on it and they gave her the five acres and it's way in the middle of the property, and let's say that mother passed away and we become heirs of the land, well, we can block her road, right of way. If we were ornery and she has no way of getting into the land. So my brother told her, "Why don't you get on the corner? Why do you want it way in the middle of the ground?" And she said, "That's where Carl wanted to build." So, my brother was unhappy about it. We go along with him because he's the man of the family. Well, she got her patent and she had to start paying her income tax in January, and she claimed that they can't get a loan--which is true--through G.I. loan, unless the land is in his name. So that's the way it stands today. The land is in his name and we weren't too happy about it because, let's say, they get a divorce or she pass away or something--that land is his. And my brother said, that with the way army life is, he said, "I don't feel it's going to happen, but if she get a divorce or something," he said, "the land is in his name and he's a white man. He don't even have no right on that land. And he'll have a home." So this is what they were kinda unhappy about. But everything's straightened up--I don't think she's gonna build over there.

(Will they just keep the land then?)

Yeah, that's their land. Mama gave it to them.

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(What's her name?)

Dorothy. Yeah, they gave it to her and her husband went overseas for two--no a year. He's coming back in three weeks. And the guy was good--the guy that leased the land. The woman that is leasing this land, she has till January. She paid for the lease of this land but she wanted to see me get a home and she was good enough that she turned it loose. But I'm thankful for that. If she wanted to, and she was ornery, she could say..... But that's what