

(Hum.)

And it rode through there. And the Methodist had just bought that place over there and fixed it up, and it (words not clear). And that old building over there, moved it down a little. And washed the grist mill away over there on the bank. That was '45. That's what kind of encourages these dams, I guess. Now, the creek runs so smooth and nice. I've got a new way fixing that dam down here. I've got my pasture at that place. And I've got the middle of the creek. And it's the prettiest thing. It runs the year around.

(Uh-huh.)

And I got a dam right across the highway that runs into it from my pasture. Right in the corner of my pasture. I've got one of (words not clear) five and a half acres of land. Don't have that much water, of course.

(Yeah.)

Then, there's one up this hollow right up here. And then, there's one over down this way. There's one over two miles from this way, the mountain, back up this way. There's a number of them; and that city lake up there, that controls this creek. And it's---

(That's a wonderful hole.)

It sure is.

(Sentence not clear)

It's not been too high since I've been here. We've had fifteen or sixteen about like that. You see, this branch is (word not clear) down here. It gets so full. Now, if it gets so full, we've got trouble. And it couldn't run off and it'd back up in here.

(Uh-huh.)

And this dam up here takes care of that.