

Yeah he used to be a judge back in Missouri long time ago when dad knew him. Then he come here to Pawhuska.

(And he was an uncle to the Younger brothers.)

He was an uncle to the Younger brothers and the James brothers. He talkèd a lot about them but I can't remember what he said.

EARLY DAYS AFTER MARRIAGE

(You was telling me one time, where was it you met dad, over at--?)

At Peggs.

(Peggs.)

Oklahoma, in the New Home Church.

(What were you doing?)

I was visiting my uncle down there.

(Which uncle?)

Uncle Will Hudson and Aunt Vicie Hudson. She was my mother's sister and he was my father's own cousin.

(Tell me how, you was telling me about one time you were sitting up here you were sitting in the church and you saw dad.)

We was in church and dad, your dad had this little boy, Bert. He was just about a year and a half old. And I went up to him and was playing with the baby. And I told my cousin, I said, "You know I'm going to marry that man sometime." She says, "Why he's already married." And I said, "Well my chance is lost." She said, "No his wife's dead." So I said, "Well maybe I'll get him anyhow." And so I did.

(How long after that did you get married?)

Oh it was, I guess it was about a year.

(How old were you?)

I was sixteen when I married.

(Did you live there at Peggs after you got married?)

Yeah we lived in little old log house out on the farm and I took Bert when