

(--I was interested in and that in the early days when you were school girls. About the schools that were around this part of the country in your immediate neighborhood here. What they were? And if you can remember any of the teachers that taught there.)

SCHOOL - WORCESTER ACADEMY

Well, we started our first year at the Worcester Academy.

(Worcester Academy.)

It's up here. It was on a location where the junior high school is about a block and a half north of here. And I don't know. Our first teacher was Mrs. Sherrer. I don't know where she came from or anything about her, but she was a wonderful teacher.

(Was that the same academy that Will Rogers attended?)

No, he went to the Willie Halsell.

(Oh, Willie Halsell.)

I don't think he, maybe he did come to the Worcester Academy.

/second female voice: Didn't he go to that Clark school?/

Tht what?

/second female voice: Clark/

Oh, that was over on the east side. I don't know who Mr. Clark was.

But Mr. Amos was the editor and publisher there where the Journal is.

And they had a business college up there and they had the grammar grades.

(Well.)

And we was little girls then. We went there, but our first one was at Worcester Academy.

(Well.)

And then we went to public school.

RECALLS LOCATION OF EARLY DAY SCHOOLS

(Do you recall any of the little country schools around Vinita of a long time ago?).

Well--