

(Well it's hard to believe that --)

I think my prayer was answered. Somebody said what would you have done?

I said I'd have been down in the cellar on my knees praying, "Lordie have mercy on the people." I said these houses and all this junk and all that stock can be replaced but human life can't be replaced. It was there when we come here, and this one was here, this one on the corner here.

MANY THINGS ARE SEEN WHILE DRIVING AROUND TOWN

We'll drive around town. That little church is the one I was telling you about. And this place here, of course, it's been added on to and built on to more, it was an old man of Sperry and the old Lady lived there. This here house here is -- used to be a store, where those pickup is sitting. Grocery store and I had owed him three hundred and some dollars at one time. And the hardware was right over here and the drug store was right there.

(Well mind you there was quite a town then.)

And the bank right back there on the corner, barber shop down yonder and the barber killed hisself, shot his head off with--didn't shoot his head off, but --

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(Yes, Talala has been quite a town and its day.)

That elevator is a lot bigger than it was in them days. And there's Talala's depot still here.

(Talala depot.)

I went down here where this old boy is working, where this house is, wanted me to go to sawmill. I went and ordered a house pattern for 'em and built him a house. Here's the old Man Beaty house, in front of the