

know. That water was just running down my legs and she said, "Oh; you start hurting in the back there, and then when the pains come to the front, that's when the baby's about to come. Are you sure you're not having pains?" "No, I'm not having pains." I didn't have no pains at all, but that water just busted. That was a real dumb question. I use to not even know where babies come from. I saw her coming out. I just have to sit there. I didn't know what it was all about. That water coming out. Oh, she got scared and ran out. (not clear) They all got excited and my cousin was running all over the house fixing it up. They called the doctor. It was six o'clock. They put me on the bed. I couldn't even walk. Every time they moved me water would just come. It all drained out. And my sister she gave me two capsules, a lady had given her to give me two capsules to break my water. I wouldn't take them for a long time. No, I don't want to take them.

(What were they?)

Oh, to lift the pain. They didn't stand the pain for anything.

(Did you ever take them?)

I took one. And I went and called the doctor the next morning. I was sickly for quite a while.

(Who delivered the baby? Did the doctor come when the baby was born?)

After the baby came. My grandmother and two of my aunts.

(Do you remember what they did?)

I don't know. I guess I was passed out when they came. (words not clear) I didn't even know my baby was born. I come back and it was laying on the bed. And my grandma called me to see that baby there. And my aunt and uncle came back that evening. They didn't know nothing about it.

(Did they have you walk around or just lay there?)

No, the doctor told me to just lay there.