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ABSTRACT

INTERVIEWEE NAME: Nelson and Lottie McQuiston

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IDENTIFICATION: Nelson born in 1897. The two are married and lived in the Atchafalaya Basin. At the time of the interview, they lived in Baker, Louisiana

INTERVIEWER: Sue Hebert

SERIES: Sue Hebert

INTERVIEW DATE: October 1, 1979

FOCUS DATES: 1912-1945

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Tape 54

Geographical changes in the area since 1929 because of the Atchafalaya spillway; lumbering; illnesses and how they were treated; how residents of the Atchafalaya Basin got groceries and clothes; mail service; education; boat building; housing; crops and livestock; births, weddings and funerals; fishing; picking and ginning moss

TAPES: 1 (T54)

TOTAL PLAYING TIME: 1 hour 30 minutes

PAGES IDEX: 2 pages

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RESTRICTIONS: None