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I. Letters to Sister Saint Jude

Informant: Linwood C. Brown

- A letter explains the tiff over where Gerry's Rock is located.
- A letter includes the words to Tomah Stream composed by Larry Gorman.
- Lindy Brown talks about the songs "Jam on Gerry's rock," "St. Croix's Long Winding shores."
- The words to the song "Howard Carey."
- A letter mentioning the songs, "The Red Light Saloon," "Lord Banner," "Jim Morrow."
- The words to a song possibly titled, "Rise Up"
- The words to the song "St. Croix's Long Winding Shores"
- The words to the song "The Banks of the Gaspereaux"
- The words to the song "Jam on Gerry's Rock"
- The words to the song "Tomah Stream"
 - The words to the song "John Morrissey"
- The words to the songs "John Thompson's Hill," "Lord Banner"
- The words to the song "Paddy Miles"
- Lindy Brown's genealogy
- The words to "The Black Cock and the Brown Cock"

II. Tape 247 side A: Forrest Libby and Robert French

- Libby recites "The Old Pod Auger Days"
- A discussion of Mt. Kineo, Rockwood and Greenville.
- A story of a man who worked the Kennebec.
- Discussion of the "Wreck of the Flying Cloud."
- Talk of an Indian who was head of the camp.
- Discussion about John Ross, the big boss of the drive.
- Libby sings "Lass of the Mohee."
- Libby sings "Champion of Moose Hill"
- Discussion of the area.
- Libby sings "Canady-I-O"
- French sings "Jim Whelan" and "Jam on Gerry's Rock"
- Discussion of someone named Lone Pine?

III. Tape 247 side B: Robert French

- French sings "Derry Down"
- French sings "Larry Gorman"
- Discussion of Mr. French's genealogy along with a couple Irish stories.
- French sings "Highland Laddie" and "The White Pines of Arkansas"

Informant: Mrs. Nickerson

- Singing of "Jam on Gerry's Rock"
- Singing of "The Maid of the Mountain Brow," "The Black Cock," "The Wise

Doctor," "Johnny Bull," and Pretty Mohee."

Informant: Mr. Potter

- Sing-song recitation of "India's Burning Sands."
- Talks about his father.
- Sings "Jacket of Blue."
- Sings "Enoch Arden's Farewell to Ireland."

Informant: Mrs. Hatch

- Sings "Jam on Gerry's Rock"
- Sings "The Montreal Express."

IV. Tape 248 side A: Mr. Kelley

- Talks of "Lord Randall" means Fannie Moore.
- Sings "Texas Rangers"
- Discussion of Greenville, then sings "Jack Haggerty."
- Sings "Jam on Gerry's Rock" then discusses origin.
- Sings "Fannie Moore"

Informant: Mr. Brown

- Plays a recording of "Lord Randall"
- Sings "Peter Emberly"
- Sings "The Dunbarton Hooper" [Dungarvon Whooper, etc.]
- Sings "St. Croix's Long Winding Shores," "The Bull Moose Song"
- Sings "Be it oft times I wonder how women love men?" and "Matty Groves"

V. Letters from Sister St. Jude to Sheryl Spurl and Sandy Ives.

- Sister St. Jude's letters are mostly about the work she is doing collecting the folklore material.
- Includes the words to "The Sad Ballad of Jack Haggerty." "The Shacker Boys of Wesley." "Down Went McGinty." "The Jam at Gerry's Rock." "Texan Rangers," "Fannie Moore."
- The last letter includes a list of the songs she used in her research paper.
- Also included is a short paper entitled "A Classification and Literary History of the Ballads known in Hancock and Washington Counties, Maine, Mid-Century"

VI. Sister Saint Jude Poulin's Thesis Paper

Entitled "A Classification and Literary History of the Ballads known in Hancock and Washington Counties, Maine, Mid-Century"

- Outline (three chapters)
- Paper includes the words and music to many of the songs collected from the informants.