**Description:** 0900 Harold Gower, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, February 22, 1972, at Gower’s home on Beals Island, Maine. Gower, age 72, talks about his life as a master boat builder; moving from Nova Scotia; fishing for his dad from 14-21; building boat cabins; how he came to work for William Frost (a boat builder); Frost’s boat building; various boat designs; cost to build each model; taking in his young nephew (Dougie) and raising him; Dougie’s schooling; rebuilding his shop for Dougie; and what it takes to be a boat builder. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 9 pp. detailed index
Recording: T 0869 - T 0870 1 1/2 hours
Description: 0901 Ossie Beal, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, February 2, 1972, at Beal’s home on Beals Island, Maine. Beal, president of the Maine Lobstermen’s Association, talks about issues concerning fishermen and the Association in Maine; lobbying attendance and dues; cooperative versus incorporated; various legal battles with State and Federal governments; the inability to set prices on lobsters; and affecting prices through “tie-up” versus striking. Recording is in English.

Text: 4 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0901_t0871_01 34 minutes

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Description: 0902 Clifton Lunt, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, March 14, 1974, in Frenchboro, Long Island, Maine. Lunt talks about his youth inside the fishing community in Frenchboro; his father Nelson P. Lunt; lobstering; types of fish: hake, cod, cusk, and salmon; getting “Dogged up”; various types of boats he has owned over the years; magnetic courses traveled that caused equipment failure; changes in lobstering business; working on steamboats; his service during WWI; using his boat to run mail; and how he convinced the governor of the need for buoys. Recording is in English.

Text: 4 pp. detailed index
Recording: T 0872 1 hour
Description: 0903 Myles O’Reilly, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, November 13, 1973, on board the Portland pilot boat, Portland, Maine. O’Reilly talks about his youth; what life was like on Jewels Island; how his father had come to the island; being a deckhand for Captain Morrill at 14; the small size of the school; majority religion was Seventh Day Adventist; doctors having to travel from other islands; how he worked a schooner and a dory; his time as a dory man; spending the other part of the year as a lobsterman; working his way up to pilot; what it is like to be a pilot boat captain; the unpredictable weather; how dangerous pilot work can be; his time in the Merchant Marines; and about his children. Recording is in English.

Text: 7 pp. detailed index
Recording: T 0873 1 hour
Description: 0904 Mildred Young, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, August 6, 1974, in Cushing, Maine. Young, a retired rural school teacher, talks about her life on Isle Au Haut, Maine; her family; her first job teaching at “Pint Basin” at age 19 on the island; moving from school to school; teaching bookkeeping and penmanship; how the handkerchief game is played; visiting New York; and the how education has changed since her retirement in 1952. Patt and Petra Franklin present. Recording is in English.

Text: 4 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0904_t0874_01 40 minutes
Description: **0905 Bert McBernie**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, June 20, 1974, in Chesuncook, Maine. McBernie, a proprietor of the Chesuncook Hotel, talks about the early days of Chesuncook; Great Northern; Seboomook Dam; environment effects; the paper industry; humorous stories of how people come ill-equipped to camp; respect and disrespect of rules and property; his father’s work as a trapper; illegal trapping methods; how things have actually gotten worse in the region; decreasing gaming population (deer and moose); anti-social behavior of locals; increased crime; tips for dealing with bugs and tenting while camping. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 6 pp. detailed index
Recording: **mfc_na0905_t0875_01** 57 minutes
Description: 0906 Rodger Jondreau, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, January 23, 1974, at Bill Pinkham’s camp along the St. John River in Northern Maine. Jondreau talks about work as woods foreman at Bill Pinkham’s camp: what it was like growing up and working with his father in the woods; being a foreman building roads; how the trade has changed; inexperience of younger workers; various job positions such as jobber, foreman, chopper, skidder, and trucker; equipment used: bucksaw, chainsaw, trucks, and winch; jobber: Bill Pinkham; training family versus strangers; less experience can lead to safety and equipment issues; the various effects on trees: worms, animals; experienced versus inexperienced choppers; and his family. Recording is in English.

Text: 8 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0906_t0876_01 39 minutes
Description: 0907 Clyde Taggett, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, January 23, 1974, at Bill Pinkham’s camp along the St. John River in Northern Maine. Tagget talks about hauling logs from Bill Pinkham’s camp; the effects of weather conditions on the roads; weight of loads; overall cost of truck and equipment; length of time spent on trips; types of roads driven on and the dangers of; continuous truck maintenance; low pay rates for drivers; additional costs: insurance, registration, various taxes, and fuel; safety on the roads; cost of fixing damages from a wreck; different types of trucks; consequences of overweight trucks; and how Pinkham is a good employer to work for. Recording is in English.

Text: 9 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0907_t0877_01 48 minutes
Description: **0908 Earl Pelletier**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, January 22, 1974, at Bill Pinkham’s camp near St. Francis, Maine. Franklin talks about the early years (1920s and 30s) of wood working; what the camps were like; employees who worked at the camp; work week and year; shackers and pullers; types of equipment used: hacksaws, bucksaws, and later on, chainsaws; his father’s days as a lumberman and walking boss; getting paid; crews; how the logs were hauled out of the woods; tending to horses (repairing harnesses and shoeing); and the types of foods provided for workers. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 8 pp. detailed index
Recording: **mfc_na0908_t0878_01** 44 minutes
Description: **0909 George Bress**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, July 22, 1974, at Bress’s deli in Portland, Maine. Bress, age 63, talks about his 40 years in the deli business; owning four stores; being married for 40 years; his children; the freshness of the products he provides; where they buy their meats and vegetables; the hours of operation; staff; his mother-in-law’s family recipes; his property lease expiring in a year; not wanting to retire or relocate; the family’s bonds with the community; and his days as a hand ball champion in Maine. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 6 pp. detailed index
Recording: **mfc_na0909_t0879_01** 27 minutes
Description: 0910 Dr. Willard H. Bunker, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, April 24, 1974, at Bunker’s home in York Harbor, Maine. Bunker discusses his life as a physician; growing up in Calais, Maine; his father’s life, carrying gravel and lumber, and as captain of the “Etta M. Barter”; his grandfather serving as a cook for captain Hiram Cook; how Bunker met his wife; his three children; his early practice and salary; traveling the county practicing medicine; what it was like to practice medicine around the Depression; unique ways people paid him for his services; different jobs he held as a doctor; his advanced degrees, honors, and recognitions; surgery; how medicine practices have changed; treating fishermen and lumbermen; child delivery; abortion practices; various types of injuries; his yacht; and what it takes to be a doctor. Recording is in English.

Text: 15 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0910_t0880_01&02, mfc_na0910_t0881_01 85 minutes
**Description:** 0911 Morris Wing, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, January 16, 1974, Livermore Falls, Maine. Wing talks about his experiences as a woodsman: his 5 generations of family logging; how the Wing family arrived in Maine; how he started logging at age 9 peeling wood; his love of horses and working with them; being promoted to chopper at 14; learning from his father; hunting and fishing; hay collecting; equipment used in 1930s vs. 1950s/60s; working for Augusta Lumber Company as a clerk; “Blaine Files”; trucks versus horses; dangers of driving logs on the water; salary; lodging; types of food; canoeing; working for “Oz Fahey”; joining Woodland (International Paper Company) as a superintendent; becoming manager and establishing company policies; and his issues with conservationist and ecologists. Recording is in English.

Text: 12 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0911_t0882_01&02, mfc_na0911_t0883_01 89 minutes

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Description: **0912 Edgar Drisko**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, October 1972, New Harbor, Maine. Drisko, age 41, talks about his 27 years as a lobster fisherman: growing up in Corea, Maine; fishing on Beals Island, Maine, later moved to New Harbor; types of boats: Dory, Pea-Pod, and Jonesport; working briefly as a truck driver; fishing for lobster, but also for clam and shrimp; worm business/sport fishing; competition between lobstermen; number of and types of traps; his views on state regulations; limiting (traps vs. licensing); newer trap designs and equipment; size of lobsters; importance of the female lobster; cost of running a boat; load capabilities. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 11 pp. detailed index
Recording: **mfc_na0912_t0884_01** 52 minutes
Description: 0913 Samuel “Sonny” Wilson & his wife (no name provided), interviewed by Lynn Franklin, December 27, 1973, in Jackman, Maine. Wilson, age 92, and his wife provide details about Wilson’s life as woodsman, trapper, guide, and gold prospector: coming from Canada; working at a rock quarry at 13; woodworking in Spencer, ME; moving to Jackman, ME; fur trapping; animals trapped; number of traps, length of trap lines, and bait used; building roads at the lumber camp; river logging; gold prospecting (pan handling) on the Jordoir (Jordon?) River; Wilson’s family; his wife’s family; Canadian cattle drive into Maine; life at the lumber camps: type of food, hunting deer; canoeing; fishing; women in the camps; trappers overstepping their bounds; trapping equipment used; other jobs he has held. Wife talks about her family and coming over from Wales. Recording is in English.

Text: 16 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0913_t0885_01&02, mfc_na0913_t0886_01 99 minutes
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/Narrator: Eddie Hagan  

Interviewer Lynn Franklin  
Depositor:  

Description: 0914 Eddy Hagan, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 26, 1973, in Jackman, Maine. Hagan, age 77, originally from Hinckley, Minnesota, talks about his life as a woodsman in Maine: his Irish/French heritage; his parents; “The Great Hinckley Fire of 1894”; various jobs he’s had: log scaler, woodsman, grocer, construction worker, ballplayer, horse driver, caretaker, and clerk; scaling; what a cord of wood consists of; meeting his wife and attending convent school; how, as a clerk, he ran a five man crew, provided medical care, and inventoried food; tools used; pay; type of food eaten; hard times for Canadian workers; playing cards and music; caring for horses; dealing with harsh winter weather; and hunting deer for food. Recording is in English.

Text: 16 pp. detailed index  
Recording: mfc_na0914_t0887_01&02, mfc_na0914_t0888_01 76 minutes

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Interviewer Lynn Franklin  Narrator: Phil Nichols
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Description: 0915 Phil Nichols, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 7, 1974, in Round Pond, Maine. Nichols, age 80, talks about building Friendship Sloop boats, starting in 1926: his first shop; changing to Friendship and Norwegian sloops (from Cats); working as a draftsman for Hyde Windlass Company; joining the Friendship Sloop Society; old-fashioned boat making; screws vs nails; his work during WWI; baseball games (locals vs. summer folk); the type of wood used for his ships; Wilbur Morse; different boat models; his shop; how he developed his own models (based on Morse’s); details about boat construction; the differences between then and now (both in life and boat building); parts used; tools used; naming of his boats; how costs have changed. Recording is in English.

Text: 21 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0915_t0889_01&02, mfc_na0915_t0890_01&02, mfc_na0915_t0891_01 147 minutes
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Description: 0916 Captain Frank Hatciel/Hatcil Delano, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, February 6, 1974, at Delano’s home in Bucksport, Maine. Delano, age 92 (b. 1882), talks about his life as a fisherman; his childhood, family, and various shipping mates he encountered over the years; becoming a Doryman; shore fishing; navigating through various weather; types of pay and food received; types of fish; fishing on the Grand Banks; steam-boating in WWI; carrying cargo to various places: Scotland, Newfoundland (Bay of Bulls), Naples, and Africa; serving as a Liberty boat captain during WWII; various types of cargo carried; carrying coal; various ships he served on: Archilles (coal vessel), the Thomas Lawson, Gladiator, and Hiram Lowell; working as a captain, 2nd mate, and navigator; different ways of fishing; humorous stories; and various fishing stories. Recording is in English.

Text: 27 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0916_t0892_01, mfc_na0916_t0892_02, mfc_na0916_t0893_01 121 minutes

Interviewer/Depositor: Lynn Franklin
Narrator: Captain Frank Hatciel/Hatcil Delano

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**Description:** 0917 Nick Ranco and Delia Daylight Ranco, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 1973, at the Rancos’ home in Old Town, Maine. The Ranco’s talks about their Native American ancestry (Pemaquid/Pemeequida); how he raced canoes and won championships; meeting and marrying; his two separate weddings; being an Indian); camping and hunting; how nonresidents lack proper hunting skills; poling (steering); and details proper materials and techniques for canoe building. Recording is in English.

Text: 10 pp. detailed index

Recording: mfc_na0917_t0894_01, mfc_na0917_t0894_02 125 minutes
Description: **0918 Armand Pomerleau**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, October 2, 1973, at Pomerleau’s grocery store in Jackman (Moose River), Maine. Also present: Patricia (his wife) and his daughters. Pomerleau talks about being a storekeeper: how he bought and started his own business; worked at a camp at Indian Pond as a boy; learned salesmanship from traveling and selling his father’s goods; his father’s various jobs as postmaster, railroad superintendent, and storekeeper; Max Hilton and obtaining a bank loan; where he buys his products; how he sells to everyone in the community: lumber camp customers; issues with accepting credit; and general storekeeping. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 6 pp. detailed index
Recording: `mfc_na0918_t0896_01` 43 minutes
Description: 0919 Clarence Sands, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, October 3, 1973, at Sands house in Stockholm, Maine. Sands talks about his experiences as a woodsman and guide: Sands, age 78, started guiding at age 15; various things he cooked in the woods; the notorious Dr. Harmond Smith; “sports” he worked with and types of people he guided; snippets of stories; being a soldier during WWI; outdoor work; outdoor recreation; family. Recording is in English.

Text: 8 pp. index (partially typed)
Recording: mfc_na0919_t0897_01, mfc_na0919_t0898_01&02, mfc_na0919_t0899_01
156 minutes
Description: 0920 Farrell Lenfesty, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, December 12, 1973, Beals Island, Maine. Lenfesty talks about being a lobster fisherman, an elder of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints, and one of the founders of the Maine Lobsterman’s Association and the Jonesport-Beals Co-op: growing up on Beals Island; his family; trapping (lobster) in high school; various boats he has owned over the years; changes in boat designs; boat builders William Frost and Harold Gower; boat engines; fishing in fog and ice; boating at night; wood-work and hauling wood; history of the Church of Latter Day Saints; being a pastor; church practices; The Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints vs. the Church of Latter Day Saints; his community; helping people; lobstermen co-ops; clamming. Also present: Mrs. Lenfesty. Recording is in English.

Text: 19 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0920_t0900_01&02, mfc_na0920_t0901_01&02, mfc_na0920_t0902_01 139 minutes
Description: 0921 Herbert Elwell, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, June 1972(73?), in Spruce Head, Maine. Elwell talks about being a lobster buyer and pound manager; lobster fishing; weather signs; superstitions; starting fishing at 13; owning his first boat at 16; his father working in the quarries; partnering with his father to buy lobster; boat instruments; the origins of the island; trawling for: herring, ground fish, cod, haddock, and hake; how poor his family was when he was a child; digging for clams in the winter; various traps; using herring for bait; comparing bait and supply costs of the 1930s to modern prices; the weight & length of lobsters; shrinkage; disease; how to handle lobster; feeding, migration patterns, and habits of lobsters; and several stories about being at sea. Recording is in English.

Text: 36 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0921_t0903_01&02, mfc_na0921_t0904_01&02, mfc_na0921_t0905_01 184 minutes
Description: 0922 Lyman “Gus” Alley, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 1971, in Kittery, Maine. Alley, age 63, talks about lobster fishing: racing boats; the types of boats he has owned; types of engines; what makes a good boat; his gas tank made from a beer keg; boat builders: William Frost & Harold Gower; too many “lobster pots” (traps); the inconsistency in state to state laws concerning lobster fishing; oversized lobsters; types of traps; placement of traps; bait used; and bait producer Emile “Frenchy” Plant. Recording is in English.

Text: 10 pp. detailed index
Recording: mfc_na0922_t0906_01&02, mfc_na0922_t0907_01 68 minutes

Related Collections  See other accessions that contain interviews with members of the Alley family (possibly NA & Accessions 0972, NA 0982, NA 2590, NA 2600, NA 2960, NA 2964)
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Collection: Lynn Franklin
Name: Collection/ Hunting,
Trapping, Poaching.

Interviewer: Lynn Franklin

Description: 0923 Octave Pease, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, July 11, 1973 & August 17, 1974, at Pease’s home in Jackman, Maine. Also present: Pease’s friend Herb Hartman. Pease talks about his life as a woodsman and trapper in Jackman, Maine: what he trapped; using a hammer and a hatchet as a weapon; using bait; hunting and fishing for food; lumber camp life: using axes, alcohol, entertainment, sleeping arrangements, hours worked, and pay; the Penobscot tribe moving to Old Town; types of traps; how traps were made and used; how his hunting camps were arranged; his relationship with the Indians; how the Indians lived; how the Indians taught him to build canoes and make traps; and guiding. Hartman tells various short stories about how everything has changed over the years. Recording is in English.

Text: 24 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0923_t0908_01&02, mfc_na0923_t0909_01,
mfc_na0923_t0910_01&02, mfc_na0923_t0911_01  218 minutes

Narrator: Octave Pease

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Description: 0924 Bob Sparks, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, July 23, 1973, at the Holiday Inn in Ellsworth, Maine. Sparks talks about his upcoming Trans-Atlantic flight in his balloon the “Yankee Zephyr”; the thrill of being a balloonist; the size & dimensions of the balloon; defines “lift” and “climb”; explains his flight plan; his origins and travels; the tools and equipment he uses; how he has trained for this flight; safety; types of balloons; weather patterns; stories of his own personal crashes; stories of others’ failed attempts; how he judges height and distance over water using a string; and expresses his confidence in himself and his balloon. Recording is in English.

Text: 13 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0924_t0912_01&02, mfc_na0924_t0913_01 97 minutes
Accession Number: 0925

Description: 0925 Clyde Torrey, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, at Torrey’s home, Swan’s Island, Maine. Torrey, a local character, plays his accordion and sings random WWI songs: “Rosey O’Grady,” Rocker-bye-Baby,” and “Lonesome Blues”; tells various random stories; and shows a book dedicated to himself called Biography of an Island, which is based on Swan’s Island. Recording is in English.

Text: 2 pp. brief catalog
Recording: mfc_na0925_t0914_01 28 minutes
**Description:** 0926 Malcom Durgin, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, October 21, 1973, in Durgin’s home, Gorham, Maine. Durgin talks about being a gunsmith: about being a machinist by trade; the machinery used; how he uses molds; types of molds; the famous gunsmith “Eli Whitney”; expensive versus inexpensive; “sloppy copies”; aligning cylinders and making fixtures; boring holes versus drilling or reaming; tool making as an important trade; how he learned his craft from traveling; alterations; design guns to improve their operation; how each part of the gun operates; why it’s important to learn handcraft by working; satisfaction in his work. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 7 pp. brief catalog
Recording: mfc_na0926_t0915_01, mfc_na0926_t0915_02 62 minutes

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**Restrictions**
Description: 0927 Mr. & Mrs. Ferd Dahlgren, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, October 16, 1973, in Stockholm, Maine. The Dahlgren’s talk about the Swedish settlements of Stockholm and New Sweden, Maine: how Mr. Dahlgren’s grandparent arrived; New Sweden settlers receiving initial government assistance; how his mother and father met in Boston; life on the family farm and one room cabin; parents making shingles and hauling potatoes to Caribou; getting into trouble in and out of school; lacking English when first starting school; rafting railroad ties down river; always going barefoot; working as a carpenter and a barber; the bustling industry: starch factories, sawmills, and gristmills; the French in Stockholm; serving in WWI; the Depression; getting a job as a janitor; planting various crops (mostly potatoes); and the variations in the Swedish language. Recording is in English.

Text: 10 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0927_t0916_01&02, mfc_na0927_t0917_01 69 minutes
Description: 0928 Myron Smart, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 18, 1973, in Milo, Maine. Smart talks about his experiences as a Maine guide: his family originally living in Vermont; his father moving to Maine to work as a woods superintendent at Pittston Farms; working as a guide from 1917 to 1942; receiving guide license at 16; working as District Warden for the State; his responsibilities as a guide: cooking, canoeing; traveling the St. John River; fishing; campgrounds; types of canoes with similarities to Indian designs; how to use canoes according to the types of rivers; camping and fishing practices; the river routes guides used; poling canoes; teaching canoeing; satisfying the customer’s needs; some guides inappropriate practices; hunting: moose, deer; why the caribou never took hold; taking a beaver census and beaver issues. Recording is in English.

Text: 13 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0928_t0918_01&02, mfc_na0928_t0919_01 91 minutes
Description: **0929 Sara Aker**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, April 10, 1974, in Eastport, Maine. Aker, age 84, talks about life in Eastport, Maine and the Pittston Co. attempts to acquire her land: customs of hippies and their way of living; her dislike of Indians; being married three times; the drug problems in Eastport; working in the cannery; the Pittston Co. attempting to acquire her land; how she collects money; feeding stray dogs and cats; tourism of President Roosevelt’s home on Campobello Island; how she is a “sticher” by trade; Sara talks about her descents; others miscellaneous stories. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 9 pp. catalog
Recording: **mfc_na0929_t0920_01, mfc_na0929_t0920_02, mfc_na0929_t0921_01** 74 minutes
Description: **0930 George Sawyer**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, January 25, 1974, in Ashland, Maine. Sawyer discusses his life as a forest manager: how his family came to Ashland; “common and undivided” land purchases; the condition of the land he inherited; managing 180,000 acres for 33 heirs; types of crops and animal husbandry on the farm; describes the mechanics of woodland management; harvesting with modern machinery; how some operators are too rough on the land; working for Maine Forest Service and the U.S. Forest Service in Wisconsin and Alaska; obtaining his guider’s license and guiding during the 1920s; attending forestry school during the Depression; growing Green Mountain potatoes; the museum project; the Carry Brook fire in 1924; “Ponderosa” farm; infestations, road conditions, and rescuing lost hunters. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 12 pp. catalog  
Recording: **mfc_na0930_t0922_01&02, mfc_na0930_t0923_01** 97 minutes
Description: **0931 Royal Lowell**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, early 1970s, at Lowell’s home in Parnell, Maine. Lowell, age 45, discusses being a lobster boat designer: his grandfather Will Frost (a master boat builder); designing over 100 different models; how models vary and each are special; reasons why the v-bottom boat is hard to build; people overloading boats; variations between his grandfather’s designs and his own; never joining the Association of Small Craft Designers; how his designs hold more freight; his desire to make a faster boat and to see a 55’ boat. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 4 pp. brief catalog
Recording: **mfc_na0931_t0924_01** 33 minutes
Description: 0932 Richard Bruno, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, early 1970s, at Bruno’s office in Newington, New Hampshire. Bruno discusses fiberglass lobster boats and his boat building firm, Bruno & Stillman Co.: building fiberglass lobster boats; one of his designers ‘Royal Lowell’; Lowell’s reputation as a boat designer; how he talked with fisherman and researched Lowell’s work before hiring him; fishermen have a lack of understanding and confidence in fiberglass; how fiberglass works and the quality it has over wood and steel; the chemistry involved; Navy and Coast guard clique and poor designs; popularity of Lowell’s designs; and his desire to push heavy equipment such as sounders and radar. Recording is in English.

Text: 5 pp. brief catalog
Recording: mfc_na0932_t0925_01 34 minutes
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Interviewer/Lynn Franklin

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Narrator: Freddie Lenfesty

Description: 0933 Freddie Lenfesty, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, July 12, 1972 & July 24, 1973, in Jonesport, Maine. Lenfesty, age 55, discusses boat building: playing with model boats as a child; building boats for a living; spending 7 years building lobster boats and 18 years building yachts; balancing, materials, and fastenings; cost of making a model; type of engine used; pre-race checks; other local designers: Morris Dow, Will Frost, George Brown, and Eddie Beal; the designs used in lobster boat racing; his personal boat ‘Carry and Tammy’; power and speed of boats; hull design; offers from plastic companies to buy his models; and winning the 4th of July race at the 1972 World Lobster Boat Championship. Recording is in English.

Text 14 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0933_t0926_01, mfc_na0933_t0927_01 101 minutes
Accession Number: 0934

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P S V D D mfc_na0934_t0928_01

Collection Lynn Franklin
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Interviewer Lynn Franklin
/Depositor:

Narrator: Guy Carver, Jr

Description: 0934 Guy Carver, Jr., interviewed by Lynn Franklin, summer 1972, Beals Island, Maine. 8 pp. Tape: 3/4 hr. w/ cat. Carver was the skipper of boat built by Freddy Lenfesty and winner of the 1972 World Champion Lobster Boat Race.

Text: catalog
Recording: T 0928 3/4 hour

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Accession Number: 0935

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Narrator: Austin Hall

Interviewer Lynn Franklin /Depositor:

Description: 0935 Austin Hall, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, summer 1973, Jackman, Maine. 15 pp.
Tape: 1 hr. w/ cat. Interview with Austin Hall about his experiences as a woodsman.

Text: catalog
Recording: T 0929 - T 0930 1 hour

Related Collections & Accessions
Restrictions
Description: 0936 Lucien Jandreau, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, January 1974, in Bill Pinkham’s Camp St. Francis, Maine. Jandreau, age 47, talks about being a skidder operator and woods worker at Bill Pinkham’s camp: how to operate machines to cut trees; different kinds of wood; weather conditions for operating skidder machines; importance of experience to work in woods; make Canadian lumberjacks which parts of the wood cut; different payment conditions for workers; comparisons between horses and skidder; being a lumbermen as a way of life; why his sons chose different jobs and professions; woodsmen had learned their trade from their fathers; lack of benefits working as a lumberman; the boss Bill Pinkham. Recording is in English.

Text: 13 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0936_t0931_01, mfc_na0936_t0931_02, mfc_na0936_t0932_01 78 minutes
Description: 0937 Donnie Hopkins, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, early 1970s, in Lynn’s car Gorham, Maine, Hopkins talks about being an auto-mechanic and going into business for himself: he has been worked on cars since high school; he describes how his wife has helped in his business and how he has adapted his house for working there; importance of try to do a quality work at a reasonable rate; experience in a job to create his own business. Recording is in English.

Text: 7 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0937_t0933_01 30 minutes
Description: **0938 Mrs. Abby Gove**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, early 1970s, in Mrs. Gove’s home, Stonington, Maine. Gove talks about life on Eagle Island at the turn of the century: her parents; her father’s frequent travels due to his job yachting; her husband’s work as a lobsterman and fisherman; her work for Porter Family; her decision to leave Eagle Island; walking on saltwater ice between islands in winter. Also present: Grove’s son Andrew. Recording is in English.

Text 3 pp. catalog
Recording: **mfc_na0938_t0934_01** 19 minutes
Description: 0939 Wilbert Gove, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, early 1970s, Stonington, Maine. Gove, age 67 of Owl’s Head, talks about his life as a lobster fisherman, weir tender, trawlerman and growing up on Eagle Island coast: starting his sons fishing a young age; changes in fishing practices because modern equipment; family’s work with Fred Hutchins; expense of new marine engines; how requirements and demands for fishing are too expensive today; how people could make a living at lobstering before, but not now; his adopted father being a mean drinking man; his religious beliefs. Recording is in English.

Text 8 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0939_t0935_01 39 minutes
Description: **0940 Andrew Gove**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, 1972, Stonington, Maine. Gove, son of Wilbert Gove, talks about life as a lobster fisherman: particular rules for fishing according to the place; the importance of security when fishing; how Stonington people work part time in other jobs besides fishing; models of boats; boat builder Joel White; the type of engines for fishing boats; features of fishing boats’ engines. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 4 pp. catalog
Recording: **mfc_na0940_t0936_01** 21 minutes
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Description: 0941 Keith Ames, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, Matinicus Island, Maine. Part of the interview take place aboard Ames’ lobster boat. Ames talks about life as a lobster fisherman: how traps for lobsters get lost; equipment materials for fishing; usefulness of instruments for navigation; weather conditions for navigation in fog and in snow; practices for using lobster traps; marketing and price of lobsters. Recording is in English.

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**Description:** Dr. Vincent Hartgen, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, UMaine Orono, Maine. Dr. Hartgen, Head of the Art Department at UMaine, talks about establishment of "Maine Artists" Gallery at Carnegie Hall, UMaine: objectives of the gallery; exposing rules; choosing to only exhibit professional paintings; what a professional painting is; placement of the paintings; regularly moving the artwork; how students can go to the gallery to see and study the paintings; how UMaine owns over 1400 paintings; UMaine reserves the right to move paintings; how there is no vault like other galleries. Recording is in *English.*

Text: 5 pp. catalog  
Recording: **mfc_na0942_t0938_01** 17 minutes
Description: 0943 Gooden Grant interviewed by Lynn Franklin, February 22, 1972, Archie Hutchinson’s home in Stonington, Maine. Grant, age 96, talks about his life as a lobster fisherman and life on Isle Au Haut: his relatives’ origin and their activities with different places in the state; Knowlton’s generations; starting lobstering as a child; how companies did not take into account preserving the fishing business; lack of profit in lobstering; how fishing customs have changed; owning Friendship sloops built by Wilbur Morse; why lobsters were bigger some years ago; why Indians used to kill gulls during the summer; Indian customs and business; Gilman Merchant starting the great fire on Isle Au Haut; different sorts of boats. Recording is in English.

Text: 15 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0943_t0939_01, mfc_na0943_t0939_02, mfc_na0943_t0940_01 77 minutes
Description: 0944 Walter Howe, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 12, 1974, Howe’s home in Camden, Maine. September 12, 1974. Howe talks about his life as a fourth generation farmer from the late 1800s to the present: raising his own food; how he has stayed on the farm most of the time: management of the farm by his family; small family business with products from the farm; his dislike of modern ways of living: different uses for different sorts of wood; food. Recording is in English.

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**Interviewer** Lynn Franklin  
**/Depositor:**  
**Narrator:** Scott Doherty

**Description:** 0945 Scott Doherty, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 1974, Boothbay Harbor, Maine. September 1974. Doherty talks about dealing with summer people and the impact of tourism: changed summertime habits in Boothbay Harbor; difficulties making life for local people; disappearance of the old productive industries; disappearance of different fish species; foreign drag companies; tourism jobs; auctioning of bankrupt land; selling land by economic crisis; why out-of-staters bringing troubles; why local people cannot buy local lands; how crime increased with tourism. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 7 pp. catalog  
Recording: **mfc_na0945_t0943_01** 56 minutes
Description: 0946 Leighton Davis, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 1974, Boothbay Harbor, Maine. Davis, chief of police, talks about his job and the impact of tourism: land prices increased; majority of people in favor of tourism; crimes in summertime; policeman staff in summertime; seasonal workers; boating laws; properties re-valued on the waterfront; local students; good public management entities. Recording is in English.

Text: 8 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0946_t0944_01 36 minutes
Description: 0947 E. W. Thurlow, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, October 2, 1974, Augusta, Maine. October 2, 1974. Thurlow, president of Central Maine Power Company, talks about power companies and power: millwright practices; building conflict in Maine; how Maine is a part-time luxury for people out-of-state; growth of population; hard for growth jobs; disadvantages in salary scales; power plan for next 3 years; location needs of an atomic power plant; projected demand for power in the future; dangers in a power plant; arguments for nuclear power; viability of different sources of energy; sale of energy in and out of ME; rules and regulations for the nuclear plant; government's involvement (Atomic Energy Commission); different types of plants; water contamination; experts in nuclear power; his belief in the safety of nuclear plan. Recording is in English.

Text: 20 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0947_t0945_01&02, mfc_na0947_t0946_01 107 minutes
Description: 0948 Avery Kelley, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, May 5, 1974, at Kelly’s home in Jonesport, Maine. Kelley, age 33, talks about his experiences on lobster smacks and as a fisherman: starting fishing at a young age; placement practices on boats; great expense of fishing; hard demands on the body; heavy work load; phosphorous; cost guard; different kinds of fishing; fishing using weirs; how new instruments change fishing; doing lots of types of fishing, but an expert in none; old traditions vs. new knowledge about fishing. Recording is in English.

Text: 10 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0948_t0947_01 59 minutes
Description: **0949 Frank Williams**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 1974, East Boothbay, Maine. Williams, a real state broker, talks about the real estate business and the influx of out-of-staters: success on certain business; living expectations for business people moving to Maine; part time vs. full time vs. over working; sustainable business' difficulties; social impact of seasonal businesses; how price of properties increased. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 4 pp. catalog
Recording: **mfc_na0949_na0950_t0948_01** 24 minutes
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Description:
0950 Mrs. Parker H. Vincent, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 1974, Boothbay Harbor, Maine. Vincent talks about the gift shop she runs in Boothbay Harbor: Moses bottle collection; Maine gift items; making and selling handcrafts; lobster lamps; craftsman Bill Van Buskirk’s. Recording is in English.

Text: 3 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0949_na0950_t0948_01 24 minutes
Description: **0951 Eva Peters**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, October 8, 1974, Belfast, Maine. Peters, age 31, talks about her life and work experiences in Belfast: how bridges and Broiler Festivals changed Belfast; reduced jobs; poultry factories; her night school studies; her different jobs; her family marriages; displacement to look for jobs; her housing maintenance; importance of her four daughters’ education. Recording is in *English*.

Text 10 pp. catalog
Recording: **mfc_na0951_t0949_01** 48 minutes
**Description:** 0952 Jim Thomas, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, August 22, 1974, his office in Boothbay Harbor, Maine. Thomas, a fisheries research scientist, talks about changes in fisheries conservation on the Maine Coast: maturity of female lobsters; reasons for lobster catch decline; contradictions about the amount of lobster fishing; interests of researchers and fishermen; increase of licenses; size range of lobsters; fishing resources preservation; environmental factors in survival rate; biological cycle; desire for an economic evaluation of the lobster market; desire for a mandatory reporting system for fishermen; how Robert Dow is trying to change the system based on biological facts to help fishermen; challenge of distrust on fisherman; influence of fisherman on laws; lack of science basis of laws; articles in press. Recording is in *English*.

Text 15 pp. catalog
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**Interviewer /Depositor:**

Lynn Franklin

**Narrator:** Suzy Thompson

**Description:** 0953 Suzy Thompson, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, April 1973 and September 11, 1974, Cape Split, Maine. Thompson talks about her life living on the Maine Coast: her love for painting; her love for Nantucket island; church service in the island; homemade medicine with plants; food supplies on the island; raising her own foods; planting, growing and canning her own food; Dr. Ernest White; her friendly relationships with artists Paul Strand and John Marin; living a farming life; her relationship with Indians; her way of painting; the meaningful things in her life; how terrible is to destroy nature; beauty of nature; her painting in shows. Also present: Thompson’s husband Poppy. Recording is in English.

Text: 22 pp. catalog

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**Description:** **0954 Ted Smith and Frank Simpson**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, October 3, 1974, at Donnelly Sign in South Portland, Maine. Smith and Simpson, salesmen at the Donnelly Sign Co., talk about billboards and the economic development of Maine: placement for billboards; state regulations for putting up a sign; importance of billboard advertisement on sales; how billboards affect the surroundings; billboard advertising business in future. Recording is in English.

Text: 8 pp. catalog  
Recording: **mfc_na0953_na0954_t0953_01** (starting at 10:30) 40 minutes

**Related Collections & Accessions**

**Restrictions**
Description: **0955 Betty Mooz**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, October 3, 1974, Brunswick, Maine. Mooz, Bowdoin College chemistry researcher and colleague of David Page, talks about moving to Maine and buying a house, Maine as a good place for children. Recording is in English.

Text: 4 pp. catalog
Recording: **mfc_na0955_na0956_na0957_t0954_01&2** 1/4 hour (65 minute recording)
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Description: 0956 Dwayne Herrick, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 12, 1974, Belfast, Maine. Herrick, manager of Maplewood Poultry, talks about the poultry company. Herrick talks about capability of production; salary variations; Mr. James Mendelson, president of Maplewood Poultry. Recording is in English.

Text: 2 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0955_na0956_na0957_t0954_01&2 1/4 hour (65 minute recording)
Description: 0957 Jim Verrill, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 20, 1974, Searsport, Maine. Verrill, gift shop owner, talks about the possible construction of an atomic power plant on Sears Island: people's reactions to zoning and the construction of power plant; resentment with foreign people; owners land in Searsport; reducing taxes by power plant construction. Recording is in English.

Text: 5 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0955_na0956_na0957_t0954_01&02 1/2 hour (65 minute recording)
Description: 0958 Richard Lund and Ronald Carter, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 4, 1974, Wells, Maine. Lund and Carter, police chiefs of Old Orchard Beach and Wells, talk about the impact of tourism on the Town of Wells: increase of population during summer; kind of common crimes on summertime; resources to face crimes and felonies; police staff according to the season; how weather affects business; patrolled miles by police force; main tasks for police department: larceny, breaking and entering, lost children; firemen cooperation; warden Jim Shaw and Dennis Hardy cooperation with police department; traffic crowding; salaries and job hours for policemen. Recording is in English.

Text: 10 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0958_t0955_01 41 minutes
Description: 0959 Kenneth Weed, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, Lincolnville Beach, Maine. Weed, age 29, talks about his experience as a lobster fisherman: schedules of hauling; lobster scarcity; fishing locations; lobster fishing profits; better lobster fishing months; lobster traps lost; legislature for lobster fishing. Also present: Weed’s wife and children. Recording is in English.

Text: 5 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0959_na0960_t0956_01 1/2 hour (47 minutes)
Description: 0960 John Alfiero, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, Portland, Maine. Alfiero, employee of the Harbor Fish Market, talks about the operation of a fish market and marketing lobsters: buying to the wholesalers; variations on the lobster price; restrictions on size of lobsters; regulations for foreign fishers of lobster; how wholesalers lost profits in lobster purchase. Recording is in English.

Text: 3 pp. catalog
Recording: T 0956 1/4 hour (47 minutes)
**Description:** 0961 Lloyd Cushing and Nathan Brackett, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, Portland, Maine. Cushing, lobster fisherman, and Brackett, president of the Orr and Jennings Co. machine shop, talk about plans for the development of a lobster trap hauler/lander system: how to operate automatic haulers; improvement in lobster fishing; size of lobster marketable; steel boat built by Blount marine; types of boats for fishing; features of fishing boats; different populations of lobster; talk given by Robert Dow about lobster fishing; cycles of lobstering fishing; hauler and lander machine models; Orr and Jennings Inc. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 7 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0961_t0957_01 30 minutes

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**Restrictions**
Description: 0962 Phil Walters, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, January 22, 1974, in his airplane enroute to Fort Kent. Walters, bush pilot for International Paper Company from Jay, Maine, talks about experiences as a pilot: weather conditions for flying; mechanical maintenance of the plane; different landing conditions; speed and height of flying; average flying hours per year; description of places during flight; plane motors performance in different weather conditions. Recording is in English.

Text: 4 pp. catalog
Recording: mfc_na0962_t0958_01 33 minutes
**Description:** **0963 Paul Luke**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, March 20, 1973, East Boothbay, Maine. Luke, a boat builder, talks about aluminum racing yachts: competition in yacht building; learning by practice; knowledge interchange about boat building; how to shape aluminum for building boats; danger in aluminum boats; types and properties of alloy metals; prices of boats; her sons’ plans for their company; cost of equipment in metal business; an old worker Earl Dodge; changes in racing boats; shaping and welding boats; Eckold company; designer Sony Hodgson; lasting of wood and metal materials. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 10 pp. catalog  
Recording: **mfc_na0963_t0959_01, mfc_na0963_t0959_02** 62 minutes
Description: 0964 Ray Towne, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, early 1970s, Hinckley, Maine. Towne talks about beekeeping: buying queen bees; changing queen bees in hive; types of bees; artificial mating of bees; raising and selling queen bees; speed of bees; meaning of bee dancing; behavior of bees; how bees eliminate waste; types of honey; bee behavior related to the season; importance of heat for the hive; raising bees requires experience; pollinating orchards; maintenance and repairing hives; animals that bother the hive; death of bees by spraying insecticides; how crops get better by pollination; pollination period. Recording is in English.

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**Interviewer** Lynn Franklin

**/Depositor:**

**Narrator:** Vital Quellette

**Description:** 0965 Vital Quellette, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, Brunswick, Maine. Quellette talks about his life as a woodsman and lumber contractor: working as a lumberman at a young age; feeding in lumber camps; customs in lumber camps; job schedules; wood transportation; yard tender; how to cut trees; lumbermen teams; ice roads; job conditions; law prohibiting carrying wood by river; utility of horses in the lumber business; clothing needed to work in lumber camps in winter; horses in winter; cost of equipment and procedures for his lumber business; buying of woodlots; unionizing of workers; differences between types wood weights; Pejebscot Company; Gypsum Lumber; variations of wood prices; buying wild land; difficulties for doing sustainable wood business. Recording is in English.

Text: 18 pp. catalog
Description: **0966 Berenice Abbott**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, September 1971, at Abbott’s home in Abbott Village, Maine. Abbott talks about her experiences as a professional photographer: professional vs. amateur photographers; women’s rights; teaching and learning photography; photographer Diane Arbis; photographer Walt Whitman; relationship of painting to photography; subjects of photography; photographer Margaret Bourque White; photographer Man Ray; quality of photograph material; photography being about the present; art and artists. Recording is in *English*.

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Narrator: Theodore McLain

Description: 0967 Theodore McLain, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, 1973, Bremen, Long Island, Maine. McLain, age 80 and a boat builder, talks about life on Bremen, Long Island, lobster boat building and lobster fishing: his family’s early deaths; types of wood for building boats; closed businesses because of Depression; lobster hatcheries; saving supplies for winter; lobstering practices without technology; lobstering according to the weather; performance of fishing boats; cities for boat building; families Morse, Carter and McLain (all boat builders). Recording is in English.

Text: 9 pp. catalog
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**Description:** 0968 Dr. Lyman Page, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, November 5, 1974, Page’s home in Saco, Maine. Dr. Page talks about the development of energy resources in Maine and the development of the Maine Coast: development of existing and new energy sources; spills and leakage on continental shelf; destructive sources of energy; energetic technology for cars; environmental budget; different kind of energy consumption; Burma Oil Co.; Gibbs Oil Co.; James Erwin; solar sources of energy; industrialization pollutes states; how taxes and tourism affect lobstering; how progress affects people; advantages of small industries; controlled industry in Maine. Recording is in *English*.

Text: 13 pp. catalog
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**Interviewer** Lynn Franklin  
**Depositor:**

**Narrator:** Dr. Lyman Page

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Description: 1172 John Rossignol, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, spring 1977, Aroostook County, Maine. 75 pp. Tape: 3 hrs. w/ trans. Rossignol talks about his life; experiences in World War II; work ethic; over a 60 year period.

Text: transcript
Recording: T 1232 - T 1234 3 hours
**Description:** 1527 Nettie Mitchell, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, January 6, 1976, Fayette, Maine. Mitchell talks about her childhood; education; teaching experiences; family history; her grandfather and husband; her father and what he did for work; building the first country store in Hallowell. Also included: handwritten poem about the grandfather and what his life meant to her.

Text: 10 pp. partial transcript, 6 pp. of poems
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**Interviewer:** Lynn Franklin  
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**Narrator:** Lester Blodgett, Jr.

**Description:** 1537 **Lester Blodgett, Jr.**, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, April 4, 1981, Moscow, Maine. Blodgett talks about his life working in the woods.

Text: no catalog or transcript  
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Interviewer Lynn Franklin
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Narrator: Edward D. “Sandy” Ives

Description: 1636 Edward D. “Sandy” Ives, interviewed by Lynn Franklin, winter 1983, Orono, Maine. 40 pp. Tape: 1 1/2 hr. w/ trans. Ives talks about his early life; education; college teaching experiences; interest in folklore and folksongs; work as Director of Northeast Archives of Folklore and Oral History and President of Northeast Folklore Society.

Text: 36 pp. transcript
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