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Summary Information

Repository:	Northeast Archives of Folklore and Oral History
Source:	Alexander-Crawford Historical Society
Title:	Alexander-Crawford Historical Society Oral History Collection
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Date [inclusive]:	1980-1991
Physical Description:	38 items
Language of the Material:	English .
Material Specific Details:	Audio files are the primary source material. Transcriptions are the transcriber's best effort to convert audio to text, but should be considered secondary to the audio.
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Scope and Contents

Accession consists of 38 cassette recordings of interviews with residents of the towns of Alexander and Crawford, Maine, conducted under the auspices of the Alexander-Crawford Historical Society (ACHS) between 1980-1991. Topics range widely but cover aspects of the history and lifeways of the area; Townsend House; School in the Woods; mills; stage routes; blueberries; Princeton (community); Pembroke (community); woods work; lakes; Alexander Frost; ghosts; and other topics. Deposited by John Dudley for the Alexander-Crawford Historical Society, Alexander and Crawford, Maine, deposited October 1998.

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Arrangement

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Date Interviewee Cassette Subject
09/1980 Hazel (Cousins) Frost c1818 Townsend House, Ghosts
10/21/1980 c1819 Fenalson family, Breakneck Mt.
05/1981 Rich Oldson, ACHS c1819 ACHS Cake Walk
12/10/1980 ACHS c1820 Christmas Coffee
12/10/1980 Pliney Frost c1819 (Alexander Historian)
05/05/1981 Pliney Frost c1821 Harry Edgar, Ned Lamb family

Cone's stable, Wolves 07/22/1981 ACHS c1822 Family Picnic
09/14/1981 ACHS 1st birthday c1822 Celebration – Awards, Etc.
03/16/1982 Harold Fenlason c1823 04/10/1982 & 04/23/1982
c1824 School in the Woods 05/01/1982 & 05/29/1982 c1824 School in the Woods
04/20/1982 Frank Fenderson c1825 St. Croix Island Spring 1982 c1826 School in the Woods
05/15/1982 c1826 School in the Woods 05/18/1982 Reed Holmes c1827 Cake Walk
05/18/1982 c1828 School in the Woods 09/21/1982 Dr. John Ahlin c1828 Attitudes on Native Americans
10/19/1982 Roberta Wheaton c1829 Early Princeton 11/06/1982 Floyd Hunnewell
c1830 Mills on Pocomoonshine Lake 12/14/1982 Sammy Saunders c1831 12/1982 John M. Dudley
c1831 Grand Lake & Pokey Stories 02/15/1983 Frank Fenderson c1833 Winters Past
04/24/1983 Floyd Hunnewell c1834 Mail stage, cattle drives, stories 08/16/1983 Sandy Ives
c1835 Poaching 08/21/1984 Jarod Fendleson, Sammy Saunders, c1836 Stories

Frank Fenderson, J M Dudley 12/18/1984 ACHS Christmas Coffee c1837 02/1985 Floyd Hunnewell c1838 Blueberries 05/17/1985 Grace Mahar Taylor c1839 Pembroke Memories 09/1985 Jack Dudley c1840 The 1920s 12/23/1985 Clinton Flood c1841 Farming and memories 06/30/1986 Audrey Ketner c1842 Chocolate cakewalk & parade 01/22/1990 Lloyd Blaney c1843 Stowell-MacGregor Mill 04/11/1990 Parks Carle c1844 Land Policy (Charlotte) 06/13/1990 John Ahlin c1845 Unity v. Margareta 10/10/1990 William Hatfield c1846 Cooper Stories 04/27/1991 Ina Johnson c1847 McKaskell family 05/19/1991 Albert "Bud" Anderson c1848 Mills and Woods, 1930s

c1849 Vowels and commands

John M. Dudley c1850 Tree Squeaks

John M. Dudley c1850 Voices of the Loons

John M. Dudley c1851 Lakes in Alexander and

Crawford

Millie Winkler, Jack & Jane Dudley c1852 Teacher in Alexander

John M. Dudley c1853 Pokey Dam, Commercial

Fisheries 07/02/1986 Pliney Frost c1854 Alexander Frost

John M. Dudley c1855 Tree Squeaks

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

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Controlled Access Headings

- Folklore
- Oral histories
- Crawford (Me.)
- Alexander (Me.)
- Alexander-Crawford Historical Society

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Creator: Alexander-Crawford Historical Society

Abstract: NA2606 Various residents of the towns of Alexander and Crawford, Maine, deposited by John Dudley, 1980-1991, Alexander and Crawford, Maine. Interviews with residents of the towns of Alexander and Crawford, Maine, conducted under the auspices of the Alexander-Crawford Historical Society between 1980-1991. Topics range widely but cover aspects of the history and lifeways of the area; Townsend House; School in the Woods; mills; stage routes; blueberries; Princeton (community); Pembroke (community); woods work; lakes; Alexander Frost; ghosts; and other topics. Text: 154 pp. admin. 70 pp. catalog. No transcripts. Recording: mfc_na2606_c1818_01 - mfc_na2606_c1855_02. Time: 1,898 minutes (32 hours). Cassettes are labeled with interview number (see below).

Controlled Access Headings:

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- Alexander (Me.)
- Crawford (Me.)
- Princeton (Me.)
- Pembroke (Me.)
- Rural life -- Maine -- Social Life and Customs
- Ghosts
- Poaching -- Maine
- Mills and mill-work -- Maine
- Rural schools
- Native Americans
- Lumbering -- Maine
- Blueberries

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