

**SUMMARY OF TAPE A111.2**  
**INTERVIEWS WITH ETHELIND ELBERT AUSTIN AND**  
**HOLCOMBE AUSTIN**  
**September 23, 1989**  
**Interviewer: Sandy Crain**

Ethelind Austin tells an interesting story of traveling to Idaho Springs with Uncle Leonard. He was in his 60's, and she was a young girl. Uncle Leonard wanted to buy a horse. The story tells of riding over the road built by sawmill owners, the Devlin brothers. Holcombe interjected that Margaret Davis, Governor Evan's granddaughter, used to dynamite the road during hunting season to keep the hunters off the road.

The Austin's discuss the size and topography of the land around the ranch. They also talk about the sale of the Hayden/Evans family land to Colorado Open Lands.

Sandy and Ethelind wonder about the possible friendship between Aunt Louise and Gutzon Borglum. Borglum was the builder of Mt. Rushmore. Before he became famous, he wandered around the West, including the Evergreen area.