

## Oral History Interview Metadata

Name of Interviewee(s)	Ashland Fortune
Birth Year of Interviewee(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Exact <input type="checkbox"/> Estimate
Name of Interviewer(s)	Susan Fletcher
Date of Interview	10/31/2018
Location of Interview	Not stated
Total Length of Interview	39:52
# of Audio Files	2 - Combined into one audio file on 05/14/2020

### Abstract

Ashland Fortune describes his childhood and what it was like to grow up on a farm and be a self-reliant family. He attended Bells Crossroads School and A.G. Richardson High School. He started out working at a lumber yard, and then become a police officer, eventually becoming sheriff. He retired in 2019 after serving in law enforcement for over fifty years.

#### Subjects:

Businesses, Clothing and Goods Stores

Businesses, Specific

Businesses, Traveling Salesmen

Childhood

Churches, Specific

Community Life, Neighbors

Community Organization, Specific

Community Services, First Responders

Description of Time Period

Domestic Life, Family

Domestic Life, Home Farming

Domestic Life, Labor

Economy, Local

Education, Primary School

Education, Middle School

Education, High School

Education, College  
Employment  
Healthcare, Diseases  
Healthcare, Doctors  
Healthcare, Home Remedies  
Industry, Agriculture  
Industry, Lumber  
Industry, Sawmills  
Industry, Textile Factory  
Military  
Neighborhoods  
News, Local  
Race Relations  
Real Estate, Domestic  
Recreation General  
Recreation, Movies  
Recreation, Sports  
Religion, Sunday School  
Segregation, Public Spaces  
Shopping  
Technology, Electricity  
Technology, Heating  
Technology, Plumbing  
Technology, Radio  
Technology, Television  
Transportation, Alternative  
Transportation, Car  
Transportation, Public transportation  
Transportation, Train  
War, WWII