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a month. Loren, my brother, paid fifteen dollars a month.

Interviewer: It went a long way in those days, didn't it?

Lucille Clark: I did their washing and ironing, and fed them.

Interviewer: That was hard work, wasn't it.

Lucille Clark: Oh, boy. Then we moved over and I took in three boys. Two were working downtown, and then my nephew from Idaho came down. He stayed with us.

Interviewer: What year were you married by the way, I should get that in.

Orson Clark: December 24, 1920.

Interviewer: And you were married where?

Lucille Clark: In the Temple.

Interviewer: In the Salt lake Temple?

Orson Clark: Yes.

Interviewer: Did many people go on honeymoons in those days?

Lucille Clark: Yes. We went to Salt Lake.

Interviewer: You went right to work boarding, huh?

Lucille Clark: We stayed in two different hotels and then went out to his Aunt Mame's in Holladay. And we went to see "The Bird of Paradise" at the old Salt Lake Theater.

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Orson Clark: That is something that our young people will never know; what that old Salt Lake Theater ever was.

Interviewer: I think that is a tragedy that that was ever pulled down.

Lucille Clark: Well, that was our honeymoon.

Ruth Knowlton: As a young girl, I went to "David Copperfield" at the old Salt lake Theater. I was just approaching my teens when it was torn down.

Interviewer: Were there any teachers at the U who especially influenced you?

Orson Clark: Yes, there was one man. He taught economics. I have forgotten his name. He was just one of these good old genuine