

Elder Video Catalog			
Name:	Commodore T. Metoxen	Accession #:	OHE-67-68
Date:	12/5/1996	Length:	Part1-23mins Part2-14mins
Description			
Boarding School ☐ Military ☐ Government ☐ Language ☐ Gaming ☐			
DOB: Feb 7,1922 Place of Birth: Born at home near Freedom Mother: Agnes (Skenadore) Father: Edward Metoxen Siblings: Bertha, Raymond, Isaac, Samantha, Joseph, Dorothy, Della, Earl, Virginia, Linda Grandparents: Dilion Skenadore, Jane Skenadore- Mother's side Spouse: Children: <u>Additional Information</u> Commodore's father worked WPA and logging. The family moved up near Bowler, then Wittenburg, and then back to Tigerton. He went to CC camp. Commodore worked at Stevathore when he was 17 years old. Commodore and his parents spoke Oneida, but he got punished for speaking Oneida. Commodore went into the service in 1941 and was in for four years. After he got home he got married. Commodore drove the DoDo bus for 11 years (1975-1986). His parents belonged to a Lutheran Church, he was Methodist. Agnes (commodore's mother) made blankets and quilts. More homes, transportation for site seeing, and the Dodo bus were changes that Commodore noticed when he moved back to Oneida. When Commodore was asked if he had any advice for the youth he just answered by explaining, that when he speaks with a young person he tells them how little money he made back then.			
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