

came in 1916 to visit her. They then lived at 1530 Vermont and I was curious about that backyard with the animal in it. I thought it was alive and I went over to look at it but it was only stone and plaster. [Did he have anything else in his backyard?]. He may have had earlier but this was the only piece I ever saw there and that disappeared before Mrs. Myche died. Before Mrs. Myche died after I visited with them but before anything else happened they built a small house in the back. The house they lived in was a big one. They rented rooms sometimes in the third story, so it was completely furnished in the third story. I had a room in the second story. One year while I was there George was there but somehow I never talked to him very much. I knew him alright. I can't say what he would have said about his parents or anything. Well, they built this little house in the back of their yard and rented it and I think the idea when they built it was to move into it but I don't think that Mrs. Myche could ever live in any other house. It had been their home when Mr. Myche was living, he had been very proud of it and well anyway how do you get out of a big house into a little bit of one. [It would be a hard move, that's a step down.] Yes that's a step down and how do you dispose of your things, you almost have to really get rid of things that she didn't want to depart with, so they never moved. Ruth never lived in the little house either, but friends of mine lived there for quite some time. It's quite a nice little house. [Did the boy or Mr. Myche help to build the house?] No, Ruth was responsible for building that. It was after her father's death and the boys were away. Now the boy George who lived in Kansas City, and he may yet, but you cannot locate him, it is odd that he would not have a name in the <sup>telephone</sup> directory if he is still living. He would be about my age I'm afraid, might be a little bit younger, but he is not a young man at all. But after he went to Kansas City for a while and away from home he married a very attractive girl. I never knew her very well but she was up several times to see her mother-in-law and I thought that he had