

A Oh, I think he was there about three years: three or four years, something like that.

Q When did they leave?

A When the place was destroyed.

Q When was that ?

A I don't know what year that was. About three years ago, when the truck damaged the house; three or four years any way.

Q Well, now, what I am primarily interested in now is what has happened to the property since 1951 when Cora died. She was living there till she died?

A It stayed idle for quite a while.

Q And the Hills rented it?

A Yes. It was just run down with no one in it, and my sister and I had our work in New Haven and it just didn't pay to come down here and not have any work to do.

Q When did you leave the property? You say you lived there as a child; when did you leave?

A I was about ten years old.

Q That is 55 years ago?

A Yes, it's been a long time.

Q As I understand, you want me to declare that this property is now to be put in the names of you and your sister?

A Yes, sir.

Q Solely? A. Yes.

THE COURT: Mr. Burgee, she mentioned about the house being run into; what is she talking about?

MR. BURGEE: The house is very close to the road and a tractor-trailer ran off the road and smashed into the house and caused extensive damage, and it has been vacant since that time, and there is another suit in law in this Court about that particular matter.

Q You said you had been paying the taxes; how much have the