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**Biographical/Historical Note:** Oral history interviews conducted by various members of University Archives staff.

**Description:** Interview of Boyce and Amelia Tate members of the class of 1950. Boyce Denton Tate native of Hardinsburg, KY graduated from WKU in 1950 and joined the faculty at WKU in 1965 as an assistant professor of math. In 1967 he was named Director of Engineering Technology. He married Amelia Meador while attending WKU.

**Dates:** September 9, 2000

**Subject Analytics:**

Engineering (WKU)  
Tate, Amelia  
Tate, Boyce  
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