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“Oh we were, we were all, er, quite thrilled about it I think, to think that we were all going to be together and we were all set out, er, in these different dormitories. According to, er, they kept each, er, set of girls, you know, from each school, tried to keep us all together so we all knew, erm who we were with and who we were, who our teachers were. We had, er, two teachers from our school, Tilton Road School, and, erm, well we were in these bunk beds and, erm, a lavatory at each end (LAUGHS) erm, the teachers had a room at each end, er, well we used to go off to the, erm, the washroom to have a proper wash or a, a bath or a shower or something in the morning. Troop up there with our towels over our arm and our dressing gowns on and (LAUGHS) and, erm, you know, come back and get dressed and go, go and have our breakfasts and go to school, go, go to the classroom for our lessons.”