

Well, I got may, I began to drink real good and I didn't have that mean pulling my face all the time. It loosened it. But this was her power with that ball. And when I came from that treatment she told me to put all the balls that were around away, for about three or four days. She said she had put a curse on for four days. And when I was supposed to go back the fourth day, well, they'll take the curse off. And then the boys can play ball again. And all the time this little boy that was born, that was came from the sky, well, that's where her doctoring came from. Whenever these two little boys they threw a ball on top of her house, over tipi.

(About how long ago was this?)

The story or my...

(No, your stroke.)

The stroke. Let's see it was a year ago.

(Carl) Little over a year.

Yeah, about year ago.

(I've heard some other people tell about this. Is it something inside or...?)

Well, it paralyzes your throat. They say it's an owl that did it but, well, doctors now days say it's probably infected tooth or nerve or something that caused it. But we Indians believe it's an owl.

(Did you go see a regular medical doctor?)

Yeah.

(Was he able to do anything?)

He said he couldn't do anything. Till I went to this Indian doctor.

(Carl speaks unintelligible in background.)

(Did she do anything special to your...?)