

And they still had on their damn convict clothes, you know. Didn't have no way of getting no others. Still had them on. Troy said, "These are convict clothes we got on." Had big numbers on them, You could see them like they was in a parade, you know. Everybody knew they was convicts. (Yeah.)

And she said, "Well, you boys come on in, and I'll fix you something to eat." So, she cooked them something to eat, and they eat. It was way up in day then, nearly noon. He said they eat and she finally told those boys, "By god, they better not eat all they want. They could get sick." They eat a pretty good meal, and they quit. Said, "Johnny, come in for dinner?" "Yeah, he come in for dinner." "We ain't got a damn cent of money." They took what money they had down there. "We flat broke. Ain't got a goddamn bit of money. We got to get rid of these clothes." "Johnny comes home, he'll help you." He come into dinner. He was glad to see the boys. They told him. He said, "Goddamn, I got some money. I'll get you some clothes." He told them, "You boys tell me what size you wear, shirt and pants." And he wrote down, and he went down town, and he bought them a kaki suit, shirt, you know, and brought them back. And he got some medicine down there to put on their feet. He said it was good for blistered feet. And they soak them in hot water and put that medicine on them, and they stayed there a week before they got to where they walk very damn much, you know. And he told them, "Now, listen, I don't work Sunday." He said, "Sunday, if you boys want to go on, I'll take you wherever you want to go." He said, "Well, we'll stay where we can stick together. Show me where you want to go." They told him. Said, "All right." So him and his wife got the car and they took them to Mounts. Well, Mount had married one of them Carlisle girls, Belle Carlisle.

(Yeah.)