

MOTHER WAS INDIAN DOCTOR

(Still back there in your young day when there was sickness, did you all get a white doctor?)

No. My own mother was a Indian doctor and if we got pneumonia, my mother use to fix some ointment and treat us with that and broke our fever.

(Did she doctor other people besides family?)

Yes, her sisters kids or kinfolks. She use to stay overnight doctoring. She use to go out and doctor a lot. They called her Indian woman doctor.

(Did you have to work out any?)

No, we worked around farms, like picking cotton, chop corn. But after I got out of service, I work on construction. I don't have a job now. I got hurt on a job and now recovering.

TIMES EASIER IN OLDEN DAYS

(Was it hard times back in those days? For Indians was it hard times?)

No, I believe it was easier back in old days. We raised hogs and had lots of crops, but now we have to buy everything. I think now, if our younger generation get education, they will live a better life with better jobs. If they do it.

(Do you have a talent of making anything with your hands in art or anything like that?)

No, I don't I cannot make anything.

(Do you like to do things like that?)

Yes, I would if I could get a chance to.

(Did they made you go to school?)

Yes, but after my parents died there was no one to make me go to school so I went in service.

WISHES HE HAD ATTENDED SCHOOL

(Did you like to go to school?)

I now wish I went on to school. After I got old, I wish that 'cause if I