

brother, like see. That makes us brothers, in that clan. And when I was a little boy I used to like to be in woods with my dogs. I was gone all the time every day. Lot of times when my father's hogs came around where they were let out and roaming around the hills. Whenever they showed up around the house why I started riding that big, old boar that was among them. Ride 'em like a horse, boy they started running because I was riding one of 'em and as long as they run I get on one 'em, jump off and get on another, just kept going through the woods, bushes and out in the field and then to the woods again then, down the hill. I just kept riding them following them, chasing them I'd wide up way about 2 or 3 miles from home, doing that and then, I would just stop it. Its a wonder I didn't lost them hogs for my father, but I'd get off and then just get tired of it and then quit and I'd start back home and then I'd decide to stay out there is its early in the day and when I got hungry out there I'm not going to tell you what all I ate around the country side, but sometimes I would have my dog tree a rabbit. I'd get him out and kill it, and clean it and roast it and eat it out there in the woods. Sometimes I'd have salt with me if I intended to eat, so I would have salt with me, no bread, but I ate my meat and went on. Sometime birds, I roasted them and ate 'em.

(Did you wash 'em?)

Yeah. Well, I cleaned 'em. I figured when they're cooked why they were, it was all right after it was cooked. That is clean inside, yeah I cleaned it and cooked it. That's the way I used to cook, lot of times I'd just play cooking, you know, cooking my meal. I liked to do that and that's why I was so accustomed to doing things like that even when they were drying beef, you know, and they'd have that beef spread out on the roof of a house for the sunshine to dry that meat. There would be a ladder standing behind the house up to the roof. I'd climb up there and get a big piece of meat, was cut flat, you know, and I'd bring it down and me and my sister would go in the