TALKS OF FAMILY HISTORY OF ROSS FAMILY HOUSE

The main body of the house has three large rooms and a long kitchen on the rear. When Chief John Ross landed in Oklahoma ten years after the house was built, he bought the property later. He deeded it to his oldest daughter. Jane Nave. He didn't have but one daughter. And the property has remained in the family since that time. Many pages of history could be written about this house. One of the stories, may go with this as follow; a large stone chimney; see that's where Uncle Bob Nave that was mama's half brother. They all had the same mother. But Nave was her first marriage. And had five children. (Not clear) right there. And so he wanted to get to be the merchant. So he went with the gold rush in '49. So he died close to, in Utah, close to Salt Lake City. In a car wreck they said. That was in 1850. In two years later, that's when she married Andrew Nave. Who was the father of Uncle Bob Nave, and my mother. And that's where she got the name Sis, cause she was the baby, you see. So grandmother was the mother of seven children. See five by the first, and two by her last one. So when the bushwhackers you know. The children of Nave, Uncle Bob Nave, climbed up in that chimney. (Not clear) well, part of it is round, there. I had John Reggis seal it off. When he found out the log had been on fire in there. (Not clear) So, they tried to start a fire but, with green wood. So that's what saved him. And grand-dad ran out the back way. He started to go over the fence. Down close to where the well is well they shot him, that was Andrew Nave. So you see, that way, and grandma went out to look for him and they said you house