

fast. He was runnin' away with me," she said. "I just kinda kick. I couldn't do nothin'." she said, "And all of a sudden I flew in the air. I guess he run over those soapweeds and he stumbled. He just through me way up in the air. When I hit I kinda rolled," she said, "And before I could get up and run, there he come again and pick me up, second time. And that's how come I marry this boy," she said. I guess that's the way most of them do.

(Well, when they got married like that, did his folks give her family any presents or anything?)

Yes. Well, after they been married maybe several days--or just when they got ready--they'd bring horses too. But it wasn't so colorful wedding as this one. They give, too. They bring the girl home. They say they bring her back home with all these gifts to her parents. And her parents knew that they were going to do that, so they prepared too. Tipi's and moccasins and quilts. And they take her home and they divide these gifts among her relatives and the friends that they have invited. And in turn they already brought these quilts and moccasins--see--the quilts and moccasins came from the girls side. And the shawls and dress material and dishes come from this side. And all the cooked food would come from that side. They have feast--I left out that they have feast afterwards.

#### MARRIAGE FEAST:

(Tell me about that. This is for the marriage of the chief's daughter?)

Yeah. Chief's daughter and this other marriage, too. The wedding part's about the same, but only--there's more--the other way--to give. And this way it's not so very big big to do. Well, after they--these women--they invite these boy's folks. They come over there and divide these tents and quilts and moccasins. Then they bring the food. They divide that food up. Maybe vegetables and meat and fry bread, light bread. Just enough for a meal. And fruit and coffee, or tea. Well, they give to each family. And the main food that is being cooked from this girl's folks--they keep that together and they take that to this boy's father and mother. And so he sits all these visiting friends of his--men folks--those that are not invited. And maybe some of them that's invited him, sits them in a circle. And