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MARY POAFPYBITTY NEIDO, COMANCHE
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GENERAL SUBJECT: WITCHCRAFT; INDIAN CURSES; DOCTORING, ETC.

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

WITCHES AND WITCHCRAFT

AN OLD INDIAN CURSE

HOW A DOCTOR PRAYS

MARY'S VISION QUEST

GRANDFATHERS (LITTLE RAVEN AND WHITE WOLF)

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Mary Poafpybitty Neido (she is married to Joey Neido) is Arapaho and half Comanche. She was born May 20, 1895 in Fort Sill, Oklahoma. She now lives south of Apache, Oklahoma, north of Porterhill, Oklahoma along Chandler Creek. One of her brothers is James Isaac Poafpybitty. Mary is one of the last Comanche Eagle doctors.

Note: The other interview on this tape is Lou Ella Brace, Kiowa.