

I think it was the first--the second drink no cold water, and man, seem like if I didn't get a drink of water I woulda died. Well, while she was gone, I got me a drink of water. And don't you know, but by the times she got back there I was----my stomach was just like that. I couldn't set down--(bleated) Yes suh. I couldn't set down and I couldn't lay down. So she come in. She said, ah, and find me a sufferin' so bad, say, "You drink some cold water, didn't you?" I tole her yes, I couldn't lie--~~Ida died~~. The old man got on a horse and hurried on there. Rode in some water you know, and I made me drink that water and that water come jumpin--is heaved it up. Dat's de only thing that give me any ease. De ole saying is, you know, heh, ehh, heh--I heave to. Yes suh.

(Well, did you get back on the medicine, then, for four days?)

No, no no. I jus had two days.

(And you were all right?)

Oh yes, yes suh.

(Well, you've had quite an experience yourself then, with Indian medicine?)

Oh yeah, I grow up with it, partly, row up with them India s. Ah, Cephus Walker, and ah, Jeff Walker, Alex Walker, Phillip Walker, ah old Leslie Tiger, among 'em. I partly growed up with the Indian boys. I would do de same way for dem. Yes suh, back there, the Indian folks, were friendly. Well dey, dey some of 'em is that way til yet. Now ah, ah, a color, ah Indian family, if I had somethin', les say if I had something dey want, dey'd come to my house and get it. If dey had somethin' I want I'd go dere and get it. Deys de way dey lived here. Now all de folks that lived r und here in early days, dey was Ind an's, yes suh, Indian folks.

(Do you remember the first white family that came to the Seminole county?)

Well, I don't wether he defust or not, but ah, I remember the first white family I heard tell of, you know. It been a good while before I see dem. Dat was a man by de name of E.J. Brown. Yes suh. And next was George Davis.

(They were both married to Seminoles weren't they?)

Seminoles' yes suh.