

(Did you know Daba yourself?)

Howard: No, I never did. I didn't know him. I just seen him.

(Was he noted for any particular events or things that he did?)

Howard: Well, I heard somebody speak of him as having a fine physique--he was a tall man. And he was quite a joker. Yes. He told funny stories and was just a good, hearty fellow. He's a man that was noted for his stories that he tells, and for his jokes. Of course, they were all Indian jokes. I don't know any of them.

(Are there any of the stories that he used to tell that you know?)

Howard: No, I don't. I didn't hear any. He died before I ever knew him.

(Did you say he was a chief?)

Howard: Yes.

(Back at that time would the Kiowa-Apaches have more than one chief?)

Howard: Well, they usually have a head chief and one just next to him--I don't know what kind of chief he would be, but I think that's the kind of chief he was to this here Peso--was that his name?

Ray: Pacer. (Says a name in Apache too soft to hear well)

Howard: That's "White Man", isn't it?

(What did you say his name was? Apache Ben's father?)

Howard: What was his name now?

Ray: I can't recall now--I can't recall that. Louise (Saddleblanket) knows.

Howard: I don't remember either, really.

Ray: Louise knows. --I can't recall. She called his name, but I can't recall.

(Who was this Peso?)

Howard: He's another Kiowa-Apache chief. But I don't know where he fitted in at--whether he's before--he was before Apache John, I know, but whether he was the next to the last, before Apache John, I can't remember. I really don't know.