

Didn't take those (not clear) We'd tie them on a little bush. (inaudible)
Something flat to put them on, Put a little water on there, put another
one on there, and hit it with a hammer. That's what we had for the
4th of July.

(It would make a noise?)

It'd make a noise like a shotgun. There wasn't such thing...like a fire-
cracker. (sentence not clear) That old boy talked coarse and fine, you
know. Told me (not clear) And he said what time was it Charley?

(interruption)

Jim Eagle's wife came up to the store when she wanted the vinegar. By
golly, then she wouldn't tell us what it was. Bought everything except
the vinegar. I said, what is it? Indian word, I said. You know what it
is in English? And (not clear) were lying up there on the counter,
made out of quilts, and as long as he'd been in the store business he
didn't know what that (interruption) I said, Lee, you what it was?
He said, "No, I shore don't!" Well, she went off without it. --And he
was waiting on us, and I was waiting on the dry goods side. And he
hollered over there. He said, "Oh, Frank, here's that woman wants that
(not clear) Well, I said, "Charley sell it to her." Few day, her nephew
came down here, and I said to him, I said, Columbus--Columbus Wall,
what-- Well, he said, that's vinegar. Well, I said, you aunt was up
here the other day and she wanted some (not clear) And I said, well,
heck I didn't know what it was. But she couldn't tell it in English.
Why, he said, she's a lying.. she can talk as good as I can. Well, I
said, she didn't talk to me. Yeah, one old woman came up there one day,
she and her daughter. And she was a buying some stuff. Bought everything
but, I forget what it was, but anyway. I asked her daughter, well, what
does she want. She said to her daughter, "Don't tell him. He knows.