

had some of the children's heads already cut off and thrown in there. She saw them and then she just act like she woked up. And she moved and she stopped. That witch said, "What's the matter, you're not asleep?" She said, "My little sister wants to use the bathroom." And, well, she didn't say bathroom but you know what I mean. And this big girl didn't want to but just kind of woke her up and she cried. She said, "It's all right. Let her go right here, in the inside. Just let her right here." She said, "No, she's crying. She won't do that. Can I just take her out, you know, outside the door?" And then she said, the witch said, "Well, I'm gonna hold your dress so you won't get away. Go ahead and step right out there and I'm gonna hold your dress like that." So she took her little sister out there, right by the door. I don't know what kind of door it is. Anyway, that witch went and hold her. And this girl went out and they just stood there cause that little girl didn't want to go. They just act like that and then this girl was crying. And she said, "Oh, Good Spirit, help us. Help us some way to get away." She prayed like that, I guess, to herself. Finally a bird came flying on her shoulder. "I'm gonna help you," he said, "to get away." Somehow, I don't know what happened--anyway, he went and cut that piece where she was holding it. That bird helped cut it off and that bird got hold of it with his two legs. Just got hold of that thing and then the girls--this bird said, "Run for your life. I'll stay here long as I can." So this girl and her--she pick up her little sister. Then they got away, ran and ran and ran. The witch said, "Hurry up. What's taking ya'll so long for? Why don't ya'll hurry and come on in?" This bird won't say nothing. Just holding on to that rag like they were standing out there. So way