

they didn't have no--they didn't have no knife. That's the only two that I've got. That's mostly for--it's not big, but too big, but mostly for little work, I guess. And that's what they'll use. And that, see I just got them, let's see. I got them about a month ago. And it's a Parker Brace's wife brought me them. I told them. that I thought she'd bring kind of a tomahawk. But that's what--they wasn't. They was just used by hand.

(Listen, what kind of steel did you use to make the blades for this scraper?)

Well, I saw my mother. She made one out of, uh--let me get you some. That's a homemade knife out of a wood saw. Jenny's brother made that and give it to her. That's made out of a wood saw. You know, when they saw wood. He cut that. I don't know how he cut it and he made that, see.

(Well, I bet that's a good knife.)

And give it to Jenny for a bone knife. And my mother, she cut here and here. Then sharpen it like that. Put it in here, that way. But it's got to be that wide, see. And then sharpen it like that and that's what they use. That's the only thing I saw my mother use.

Bonnie: Put a blade right in here.

(Yeah, there'll be a steel blade right in here and it'll just sharpen the knife.

Looks like it ought to have that.

(Well, it probably did at one time, but it's been taken away.)

I wonder what kind of bone this is.

(I don't know. I thought maybe you could tell me.)

It's some kind of a--it must be elephant, elephant bone. This was