

(Uh-huh) (Not clear)

Yeah, that's what happened. Unless you have a one per cent sales tax. You have to pay that yourself. We don't want it and I guess they don't either.

(No)

To little a town to fool with. So I was told by Carl Hanks that lives in Muskogee, he's an insurance man, that I think he lives at Chouteau, he lives in there close. Lives in Maiden.

(Uh-huh.)

But they (not clear) right here.

(Right here.)

You know that, that quarry.

(Yes.)

That's what we call the Quarry Mountain. And from that on the Illinois River and the Cookson Hills.

(Uh-huh.)

COOKSON HILLS - OUTLAWS - EXPERIENCES

Between Sallisaw Creek, and the Illinois River is the Cookson Hills.

(Uh-huh.)

There's a Cookson Hills' game reserve back in there.

(Uh-huh.)

You go about four miles and get to it out here. Did you come from Cookson through there?

(Yes sir.)

Well, you came through that game reserve.

(Yes sir.)

That's Cookson Hills.

(Cookson Hills about all I remember, is the old timers and my folk talking about Cookson Hills as a refuge for outlaws.)

Well it was. And I knew some of them.

(Well)

They traded with me. A lot of them did.

(Yes sir.)

And had some pleasant experiences with them. And they've always been good to me.

(Well isn't that remarkable?)