

cake and it was a great big cake and I couldn't cut it with a knife so they got one of the swords. So, I had to use a sword to cut that cake and so that was that. Then a few days after that why everything was over with and they brought us back home.

(Did they make any pictures while you were down there?)

Well they took picture there in front of the hotel. There was 25 or us that went and then there was 2 boys that followed us.

(They didn't take a picture of you cutting the cake or anything did they?)

No. They didn't.

(Seem like there should have been some pictures made, shouldn't there?)

Uh-huh, but they didn't. I just cut the cake and that was all. I had to use a sword to do that. So, anyway we all got ready and they brought us back home and we had a nice trip and we all were glad to see the country again.

(Is that the first trip you'd made back to Louisiana?)

Yes.

(First time you'd been there?)

First time I been there and maybe the last time, I don't know. I like their country pretty well. The water is so soft and there are tall pine trees and real beautiful to us. And we were all happy to see that country. And then when we come back there was a dance going on at Monroe's. We all went to that and we all felt good to get back and told the people, the rest of the people, what we had seen.

TURKEY DANCE IS A RELIGIOUS CEREMONY

(Tell me about that Turkey dance)