

We rode over here to school. And that was the first school in this part of the country. Pretty close to where that Nash school is. And these school houses are three miles apart.

(Well.)

There must have been about two and three-quarter miles, yeah about two and a quarter miles. That was the first school. They got these teachers that is what do you call 'em subscription students?

(Yeah.)

That's the one. There's a lot of Indians in here then.

(I bet there was a lot of Indians here.)

People know (rest of sentence too low) You know there's a bunch of children here. (Shows a picture of a group) This man right here where I am is my cousin, one of my cousins right along there.

(Yeah.)

Now this Simms. My daddy's sister married a Simms. And they live down below there. And that's the reason they named that. It was on piece of property. That's the reason they called it Simms school.

(Yeah)

And this school way back over here where you turn to come from Porum there on the right, that's Ross school.

(Ross school.)

PLENTY OF TALL GRASS IN EARLY DAYS

I rode after cattle here when you could ride five miles to a house. Grass up in your saddle stirrups.

(Well, its hard to believe now that it was like that in those days.)

Papa had a big feed lot over here. Go out anywhere and cut our hay and haul it in these bit hay wagons you know. Stack'em in the lot.

(Yeah.)