

Third: (not clear)

(Yeah.)

Third: You'd like him. Boy, you'd like him.

(Those old men they knew what they were talking about too.)

They didn't get it with a promise.

(No. There wasn't no such thing as a promise.)

I never did get a promise.

(Third: One time the girls was going to school. They was writing notes.

He got a hold of 'em. Well, it was too late for him to give 'em a whipping when they were going to school. He said, all right, girls you got to school. Get back here this evening you're going to get it. Well, he never said a word.

(Well.)

Third: Got supper over with. Dishes washed and everything. Girls come in and sat down before they went to bed. He raised up, he had a switch about that long. Laying up on the fireboard. He step back a little. He said, girls, I don't lie to the boys and I don't lie to the girls. He said, no pardon. Like that. I told you this morning I'd give you a whipping, didn't I? Said, yes sir. And he said just line up then. He just layed on them.

(He laid the hickory to 'em, huh? Yep it didn't make any difference if you were 18 or 21 or 10, they'd lay the leather to you. But they made good kids out of them though.)

Third: I seen my old man use--whip two or the girls when they's 18. He said if you stay here till you're 25, it didn't make any difference to me. He said I've been whipping them a long time.

(Boy they just don't do that anymore.)

No.