

(The songs they sing in there, are they like the ones they sing in the Sun Dance? Or are they different?)

Yeah, they sing Sun Dance songs in there.

SINGERS IN SUN DANCE

(Down here in Oklahoma when they used to have a Sun Dance, who were some of the men that led those songs?)

Well, just anybody could lead them that knows them.

(Were there any that were especially good as singers--sort of outstanding?)

Oh, that Ira Sankey used to be the one that used to sing. That's Warren G.'s grandfather. And oh, my husband and just any of them goes in there.

(I notice that this Mike Willow was leading the songs up there.

I remember seeing him at the Sun Dance.)

Yeah, just anybody that could sing good, they let them lead songs. Even Jimmy Warden always sings them.

(Is he a very good singer?)

He is. He's a good singer.

TYING OFFERINGS TO RAFTERS OF SUN DANCE LODGE

(In the Sun Dance there were four of the rafters that had rags and things tied on them--did they used to have that here?)

Yeah, they used to have it. People would, you know, if a kid or anybody's sick would, "I'm gonna tie that for them." Well, they used to pledge, you know. Them that does they're the ones that tie it. Not just anybody could do it. They pledge, you know.

(Do they have to do anything else besides just tie that on there you know, like fast or anything?)