

(It's dried catnip though, isn't it?)

Yeah. That's where I always got mine when my daughters had a baby. I went to the store and got it. I didn't have no trouble going out and looking for it. It's good.

(So out of the boxes you get at the store, you'd just boil it?)

Uh-huh. Just boil it just like I would the green.

(And give them the tea off of the leaves?)

Uh-huh. Yeah. Put a little sugar in it, in the tea. And it's just as good--the dry one is just as good as the green one.

(Now you'd use that on the babies when they'd have what?)

Hives. Hives coming out on the baby.

(Is that heat rash?)

Pretty near like measles. The baby got to have hives break out in little ones, maybe a young baby. Looks like measles. Well, that's it.

(Like it would be good for things like that too?)

It is.

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(I was just wondering if you ever heard of anything that's good for rheumatism or arthritis?)

Well, I don't know for rheumatism or anything like that. But I know they used to use some kind on knees or something, down on the knees--something. It's, in that time linament.

(Linament?)

Linament, some kind of linament. Instead of this here alcohol what they're using now. It was linament at that time or Vick's salve.

(Or they used a lot of Vicks?)