

forget a lot of things. He told about the fiddle dance the Indians used to have. He said that they sang Indian songs just like the white people will sing the language in English. The Indians sang their song in their fiddle dance, and it used to be fun, but they don't have those anymore. And he said he went hunting a lot. He went fishing and they used to get 'possum, but they didn't eat them. And they used to go hunt for anything that they could find that they could sell to make some money. And then he said he used to cook, and he used to iron, wash and his friends mother didn't have to do too much work around the house, like hard work because they used to do it for her. And then he was telling about how they used to run around together and people used to ask them when they were going to separate from each other, because they were such good friends. And they used to cut wood together, sometimes they sold wood and they done lot of things, even if it was a woman's job. And now he cooks for himself--he lives all along, and then he washes for himself. And he does real good job of it and he's going to be 71 years old on his next birthday. And he is a very friendly man. And he said at that place where they used to live that's near Fain, there's nobody out there anymore. Indians used to live close around each other, but they all have gone and it's just like a deserted country. There's not much Indians living out there. And then that place where they used to live, they rent the house to some colored people and they lived there awhile and her husband died and she moved out and ever since then there hasn't been nobody living out there. And so he was telling how the Indian used to live close together and they'd come over and if somebody needed something done around the house, they would just come right in and help them. But now, he said, even if you paid anyone to come ask them to do something, that you can't find anyone to do anything for you hardly much less anybody come to see you. And he said that these young people now coming up since he's older, he says, nobody never--