

(And they have all the sticks on there except the guessing stick?)

Yeah, all the sticks. This man has his over here and then when they can't find anybody over here, this man, he gets their stick and puts it on the side of his. And then if they find this one over there from the south side, well, this man gets to take a stick.

(What's the Arapaho name for these sticks?)

hʷəw'wəw -- "hand game sticks."

(How many people would they have drumming?)

Just as many as wants to drum. Maybe six. Sometime s there maybe just be two, or three or four.

(What kind of a drum do they use?)

Same kind of drum they use when they dance.

(Is the drum in any particular place?)

Anywhere. If they want it over there, they put it over there. If they want it on this side--they don't have a particular place.

(Do the drummers play?)

Yeah. Half and half. They always play.

(Do they pass the drum back and forth?)

No. Stays in one place.

(These men that drum, do they just go back and forth to the drum when it's their turn?)

No. They stay right there.

(Do women ever drum?)

No. They don't drum.

(How many people can play?)

Just as many as want to. Just as many as there is (room) where they're playing hand game. Before the game is over some of them don't get to play. All of them don't. There be lot of people. Don't have to be certain amount.