

(How did they do that?)

They pick 'em out of the --you know pick 'em all out. And they just dry them out in the sun. I never did eat them, though, after they dry them. But I seen them, but I never eat any till I always see them dry them.

(Did they have to pound them up or anything?)

No, no just the whole grape, you know, just like your picking 'em out, out of where they always be, and then you just dry them out. And they all right.

(And how did they store those?)

They just throw 'em in a sack, sack and put 'em away. Maybe they hang 'em up somewheres.

(How did they cook them then?)

Oh they cook 'em just like you cook fresh grapes, you know. Just a little bit water and then put sugar in 'em. And they be done.

(Do they ever mix them with anything else?)

Little bit flour just a little bit, you know. Kind of gravy like. Not too much. Some people makes it too thick.

(Did your mother ever dry those grapes?)

No she never did dry 'em.

STRAWBERRIES

(Ok, tell about the strawberries as much as you know.)

Uh-huh. I had a aunt. We used to go with her to pick 'em. There's some don't grow tall; some tall. Those little--you know, those that ain't tall there always be lot of sand on 'em. And my aunt, she don't like to pick them. She likes to pick these tall strawberries. And then she says they son't have much sand on them. So we just--we don't--we don't eat them--you know when we going to eat strawberries we don't eat in the morning. Well us kids, not the old folks, just the kids--they don't let us eat, it's just a Indian rule.