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I was here. She used to pick 'em, I guess.

(Did the Kickapoo use to eat them?)

Uh-huh, they cook 'em and eat 'em.

(Did they ever dry them or save them in anyway?)

No, I never heard 'em drying plums.

(What's the name of those plums in Kickapoo?)

--Po-kama.č-- I kinda say it slow so you can catch on.

(Oh good I appreciate it)

### CHERRIES

(And what about the wild cherries?)

I never--I don't think think there's any wild cherries here, I never heard about them  
But way down in Kansas, them Indians over there, they say something about cherries.

### KANSAS KICKPOOS

(Are those Kickapoo Indians?)

Um-hum.

(Do you know any of those Indians up there in Kansas?)

Yeah, I know some of them.

(How did you get acquainted?)

Oh, my husband was related to them. He's from over there. And that's when we  
used to go down and see them sometimes.

(What part in Kansas do they live in?)

Harden, Kansas.

(Harden?)

Uh-huh.

(How did he happen to meet with you down here?)

He was raised down here, but his father was from over there. And he come around  
here when he was young. Then he got with my husband's mother, marry her, and he