

Oh, they just always say--they just went under the water. Call it "lost tribe," that's all.

(How would you say "lost tribe"--the Arapaho word for that?)

Well, I don't know how I would translate it--but they went under the water.

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(What's the Arapaho name for themselves--what do the Arapahoes call themselves?)

hín w̄ n̄w̄n̄ w̄

(Does that mean anything?)

It means "Arapaho."

(Does it mean anything else?)

No, it don't mean anything else.

(These northern Arapahoes--is there a name for that group?)

Let me tell you--they call these Wyoming Arapahoes--how would you say--

just like "red string man." b̄w̄ w̄ .ciin̄ èn

(Is there any reason why they call them that?)

I don't know. I don't know they call them that, but that's what

they call them, b̄w̄ w̄ .ciin̄ èn

(Is there any other group of Arapahoes that you have a separate name for?)

No. But these over here are Arapahoes. Them Wycmings (Arapahoes), they call us "southern Arapahoes"--n̄w̄ w̄ n̄ è n̄n̄ w̄ they always call us.

(or n̄w̄ w̄ w̄ n̄ è n̄n̄ w̄) -- "southern"--"southern Arapaho." That's means "southern man."

(This word that you call the northern Arapahoes, b̄w̄ w̄ .ciin̄ èn, what does the b̄w̄ w̄ .cii- mean?)