

then they all lost. But I don't know. Wah-hre-she tell it I don't know big deal it was. I can't remember all about it.

WHITE MAN DOES NOT UNDERSTAND THE INDIANS - INFORMATION NOT CORRECT

(Yeah, you know I was down to Muskogee a week or so ago, and they got a museum down there. Five Civilized Tribes--and I went in there, and I was talking to this lady that was in charge of that museum. And I asked her if she had anything in there about the Osages. She said, "No, it couldn't be because this is just Five Civilized Tribes." Something like you said, you know something ought to be in there. But they got a lot of books down there you can read, you know.)

Yes but them museums, you know they don't know nothing about Osage. All they do is just sit there. They might tell something but it wouldn't be right, just the way they think. Just like (name not clear) up here writing all them books. They not right, half of 'em. I say they heard or read in a book someplace but it is not right. Inside what to do--Osage--white man see outside dances. They see that and they tell it. But that is only half of it. Nobody knows, nobody ever will know what Osage done in ceremony in there.

(That is kinda like old Osages used to practice--you know, white man might call it witchcraft you know, and you put that aside, way back you know. And like you say, they put it in that medicine bag, you not supposed to get in there you know. You not supposed to get in there and supposed to be--well, white man might look in there, wouldn't be nothing to him; he ain't supposed to get in there. So its such thing like that we don't divulge to anybody.)

Just like Navajo and these western tribes, before they do anything they go inside someplace nobody else would dare go in there. They have their ceremony and when they get through then they dance. They don't have it in there but they have to have it outside, dancing and all that. Nobody ever know what they do inside. They won't let you see it. They do things down there nobody knows.