

Cantonment where the lake is. Along the red banks there. Them people used to camp there year round. There used to be some Indians working there as policemen and day laborers. They'd camp there all the time. I've got written statement of a certain man who used to be a doctor here at Cantonment years back. I've still got it in my scrapbooks. My scrapbooks are not here--they're in the high school. The school principal got word that I had them. I got about six or eight of them.

#### ORIGIN OF ARAPAHO TRIBE

(Will you get them back?)

Yeah. I better get them back! If I was offered big money for them I wouldn't take them. Because they got lot of good history in them. If I get them back I'll let you know about them. They're about different tribes. Even got some things on Indians of South America. And the Alaskan Indians, and Indian tribes of the United States. I don't know what the high school is using them for. The superintendent said he needed them. They wanted me to interpret the movement of the Arapahoes when they first came to the United States. And they really had the crowd when I came down and spoke to them. Another Cheyenne spoke before I did. He had a lot of things to say. I just told them how the Arapahoes came into the United States. They asked me where the Arapahoes started from. I told them he was started from the Tower of Babel. The Bible teaches that God punished the people by giving them--man and wife--to speak certain language. And spread them out. So Arapaho came from there. And he was descended from one of these--I believe the tribe of Benjamin. So that's where they started from--a foreign country. They came across Russia to Bering Strait. They came over on ice. And there's one little young Indian woman that seen a horn sticking out of the ice. They used to use them horns for a toy that they flew on the ice that would skid for quite a ways. And she said, "Grandma, cut that horn. I want to use it for my toy." The old lady hit that horn and hit a nerve and that big thing--animal--might have been a whale or something--moved around and broke the ice and separate the tribe. That's where the Arapahoes came from. Came into