

just known when grandpa used to go out, and talking outside. Oh, there's so-and-so star. If I just know, I could have said, grandpa, what is that star, and so-forth. That's the way with all of us. We don't even know the evening star. I ain't found it yet.

### WOMEN'S STICK GAME

(There were a lot of Wichita games, weren't there. Wasn't there a game the women used to play with sticks?)

nae?akwas The one we always throw double ball with a string. I'm going to make me a set. Women had long sticks, that's nae?cakwas.

(Was there a game the women played with long sticks?)

Yea, we always have sticks. I don't know in the olden days... what they...cause I heard grandma say some of them would play and gamble. It's a nice game. You can keep score, and count, and you know how many are partners in sides. Grandma used to say some played, gambled, you know. I don't know what it's made out of, but today, I can use this fish pole canes. That's what we use. I don't know whether that was the same thing they used or not, way back there. They split those, and make four or them, all alike. About...a little wide, and they hollow there, all way across. Well, three of them has to be red, and one blue one. That game is called nae?s cancus. Three red ones and one blue one.

(About how long are those?)

They make them...some have long ones and some short ones. Doesn't make much difference there. Then they take that, and they lay a flat rock there. I saw some women playing, they didn't have a rock. They had a big old brick sitting there. Something that, when you hit them, they bounce up. And just the way they fall. And if they fall, all of them up, or they're all down, you score. I'm just trying to think, is that a five... I don't quite remember now. But anyway, and then you do it again, you hit them, another one. If you make three ones up and a blue one down, or the red ones down, and the blue one up, it's the same score. But if you have two red ones up and one red one down and either the blue up or down, you don't score nothing.