

or forty dollars. You know when I sliced meat for them, they said, "Let's go visit." Well, we went. And they were playing with these Suttons. My gosh, they went and one cash out forty-two dollars, and the other one thirty-six dollars, and over here eight dollars. They had over a hundred dollars in the pot. Now whose money is it--I'd like to know--unless it's Madiline's. Them Suttons won. Sally, she got thirty-eight dollars, and that one she calls Nancy got forty-two. And then that girl that's married to a white boy--what's her name? Georgia--she got twenty-four dollars and eighty-five cents.

(Is that one of the Sutton girls?)

Yeah. And then that Charlene, she cashed out eight dollars. And Floyd cashed out four dollars. That was all that had money. They rest were broke. I always looked at Madiline once in a while--but I think she was feeling bad when that money went. She had a sad face on her. And I don't know how I'd feel if I'd lose that much. Oh, I'd hate to! Let me tell you--when I want to play, I always just take maybe two dollars. And if I don't win, that's all. But if I win, then I'm happy to win. I don't like to lose more than five dollars. Because money is hard to get. And then besides I'm by myself and I'm having a hard time, and why should I go and throw money away? That's the way I feel.

(What kind of poker do they play?)

They play both--draw and stud poker. And then where they get me is where they--they play poker, but then have "ten," "four" and "deuce" for wild cards. And I tell you, some of them always have five aces, or six aces--! They get me there. Then they play this deuce wild. And joker. Joker and deuce wild. Then they say two-card draw. They have to draw two or three--three-card draw. (correcting herself.) They throw three away.