

whatever you see, just keep it in mind. And after the meeting is over I'll translate it or whatever.

(Does the person that puts on the meeting provide food for everyone?)

No, well, he furnishes the main, which is the beef. And then maybe the coffee and they generally elect someone whoever the sponsor is the host why then maybe he'll get his sisters or whoever it is to do the cooking for him..

(Does the sponsor have to do anything else?)

No, that's all they have to do, furnish whatever they're going to furnish. Which isn't just a little, might be a whole beef or whatever they have. That's the way they do.

(Is the sponsor usually the same as the roadman or the leader or the priest?)

No, it could be. Like anybody that wants to give a memorial dinner or a special service that they want, well, then they'll go get any of the men that runs the meeting. I think we have about 3 among the Caddos that does the actual service. That's about all that we have.

INHERITENCE OF PEYOTE ITEMS:

(Do they ever talk about how they got to be leaders? Do they ever say anything about it?)

No, it's handed down from one generation to the other.

(Oh, it is?)

Uhuh.

(Is there any certain way it's handed down?)

Well, I guess whoever takes the staff. Wherever there's a staff, then it's handed down to the next one. In case of you know a deceased person, then it's handed down to the next one. It's just in the family.