

HORSES WERE OFTEN WITCHED AT HORSE RACES

Sometimes they witch a horse, too.

(Oh, really.)

They can witch a horse. When they have horse races and when one horse beats another one, well, the other witch man, he gets mad and he witch him in the back so he won't run anymore. They do that too. And they do that in different ways. I am trying to think about during the war. There was a man that went on a warpath, that he'd always know what was going to happen the next day. And he was a witch man but there was--at that time how he become to know what's going to happen--there was an owl that would always come to him in the night and talk. He talks to this bird, an owl. And now, he's a witch doctor and this owl would tell him, "There was a certain thing going to happen for you in this to be ready. Have your ammunitions and all that ready to fire." And sometimes there'd be a big rain coming. Well, this witch man would find out before that would happen. And he would tell his people that what's going to happen tomorrow. And they tell me that that always happen. He was kind of a prophet. That's what he was, a prophet. He looked ahead. But he learned this from an owl. The owl would come and talk to him and tell him what's going to happen next day. "Big war"--or "You better run for the mountains cause there's a big enemy coming after you"--or "Someone's going to get killed." And that's the way that this big witch man know--by talking with this owl. (Do you remember what his name is?)

Well, one of them names is Dauhà (speaks in Kiowa to Jenny, confirming that this name is correct). He was a great medicine man and one of the greatest witch doctors that the Kiowas ever had. He was, oh,