

(Where does this name, Red Moon, come from?)

He must have been one of their leaders that was with this band.

And that's where this "Red Moon" come in. He must have been Chief Red Moon.

(Did these different bands have any other names before they settled down at these different places?)

No. See, one group of people had to have some kind of a name.

Maybe they name them after their leader.

(What about this Cantonment group--did they have any other name besides--?)

No. Well, that's just the English name that was given to them. But their Indian name is--they had a well-known man in there and he used to have thick eyebrows. I don't know what you would call it--what these little children call the "booger man." See, they classed him as a booger man, this man with long eyebrows. And that's the clan they call, they call them after.

(How would you say the name of that clan in Cheyenne?)

mista vihi'nos s'utaniyo' -- mista means "booger man," or "owl."

Some person that scares people. That's the name they went by.

(What about the Arrow People, what was their name in Cheyenne?)

Arrow Men -- m a.h'e'taniyo' --niyo' is "people."

(Tell me some more about this Sotah group. Do you know any more about their history?)

Well, we're not through with these ma.h'e'taniyo' yet. See, they keep the Arrows. They were the leading tribe. And it never did go out of their hands, because you might say like--it just stays in that band. It never goes to different people. And that's the way it is --they carry on.