

Eleven day of November and eleven minutes and eleven days. They signed it.

The Kaiser signed it. We stayed till first.

(You stayed until the 1st.)

Yeah. We all stay there till some of them went home.

(You were in Germany then?)

Couldn't let us go. Orders here--put us back (not clear). We stayed all that time. All the rest of 'em went. From here--Atoka. Load 'em up here.

(You said your sisters are on the same roll?)

Same roll. Papa's first. Then they put me--I've got two brothers--half brothers. And one half-sister. They all dead. They all on the rolls. All got land. They all there. (next sentence not clear).

(Are they Choctaws?)

I don't know. Papa used to (not clear) and officer said, "Well, let him stay." Willie will stay and that (rest of sentence not clear)--all went. And I was in National Guard then. Out there, and they send me to Ft. Sill down there stay. I got dollar a day. We all be asleep, oh learn how to load our guns. I used to carry gun, but I can't now. My eyes bad too. All kind of changes we've got. Horseback--all like that. Riding a horse, I'd jump over them gullies in pasture. Jump over that--I do that pretty good, but I can't now. My legs kinda giving away... I can't stand up hardly. Walking stick. Well, I guess (not clear), Papa said (not clear)--1888. I was born December 19, 1888. That's when I was born.

(December 19, 1888. You were born.)

And December 19.

(December 19.)

Count 70 now-- I rode up there-- (static)

(You rode up where?)