

Comanches back over in there and sometimes they run the Kiowas back over here. But the Kiowas were greater warriors then the Comanches. They didn't fight very much with the Comanches. Very few times. They said that they fought greatly with was Navajos and Utes, and Osages and Pawnees. But they never did fought--the Kiowas, Kiowa Apaches never did fought the Caddo, Wichitas, and Delawares. Never did fought--fight with them.

HORSES AND EQUIPMENT:

(You said that your grandfather had a lot of horses. Where did he get them?)

Well those horses, where he got them from is from the west. Way back in Navajo country. They were over there and they brung herds of them back. And they were all colors. They were spotted different colors on them horses. Some of them were grey, some of them were brown, some of them were spotted, different colors on them horses. You know, you seen these paint horses? But they were small Indian Ponies. They weren't big. See, when they drove them over here they were wild, and when they got them here they broke them. They ride them, no saddle, they make ropes out of these hides their own selves. They make bridles and put on there for--use for their bridles. And they have these, what they have for their saddle blankets, was buffalo hides that were tanned. That's what they used for their saddle blanket. No saddle. Wasn't no saddle found in them days. There wasn't none nowhere. And some of them smart, wise Indians, they made a wood saddle out of a sinew and then some of them make it out of a bone. Buffalo bone.

(Squaw saddles?)

Yeah. That's what they make saddles out of, bone and then out of a tree.

(Did they use any kind of spurs?)

No, they didn't have no spurs in them days. Not one. If anybody tell you that, well, he's mistaken. The older people they couldn't tell you that because there wasn't no spurs in them days. They didn't even have guns to shot with. All they has was spears, and they had bow and arrows. Made out of flint rocks. You know, the spears and the end of a arrows.