

and I let him go first and I go last. When we was about ten yards from the house I saw a shadow behind me and my shadow and the little boys, three shadows, I saw. It didn't even scare me. I had a towel and I just took it and hit that shadow, and Billy said, "Grandma, what you hitting?" And I don't want him to get scared and I said, "It's mosquitoes around us." And I hit them. We went on and when we got to the fence he crawled under, Billy, my grandson, and I went under too and here that shadow and I went under too and here come under and I just hit it. We got to the plowed ground and the house and it's not very far and here comes that shadow again. Come very far and behind me and I hit it and I happen to look and it's an owl flying around. And I said, "My golly, I'm not scared of you. You can't scare me." And when we got home I told my husband and he say, "You crazy. That thing going to twist your mouth." I said, "Oh, he can't do it. Just nothing, but a bird." Didn't nothing happen to me. They say that they always twist the lips around like that..twist it. But it didn't do nothing to me. My husband was blind and I was in the house. I got lot of chickens, you know, and it was late. Coming on..on hour after sun down when I saw that thing and my husband said, "You better listen, something catching the chickens. They holler in there." And I just went out, without anything. And I listen and they was just catching one of them and I ran out there and I didn't see nothing. The door was closed. I just listen. I was standing there here behidd the chicken house and I went and nobody was there, nothing was there. And I just listen again and it was in the plowed ground and I crawl under..I never get up, I just look and it was an owl. Owl, trying to scare me flying around like that. So I pick up a big black of wood and I hit it and throw at it and chase it. I canse it and it got scared. I scared him all right. And I tool him running way down and I came back and my husband said, "What is it, a coyote or what?" And I said, "Oh, it's an owl and he try to scare me but I seare him and I chase him in