

follow that, watch the horse and him, you know, and the dogs a trying to catch a coyote, . . . and I never did know the man to ever catch a coyote. ((Laughter)).

(The grass was just so high. . . ((Laughter)).)

Yes, and so thick. . . but he sure did like to see his dogs run. And then he'd bring them in, he had a pen he kept them in. He didn't let them run loose, so they'd want to run.

WILL ROGERS' FAMILY LIVED IN THIS AREA

(Didn't the Will Rogers family live in this district too?)

Third Voice; They lived across the river over there.

I really don't know, round here. . . . Like I said, when Will Rogers was killed, we, I was married and we was living down in south Texas and I remember one party asked me if I knew him. I said, "No doubt more times than once we've been at the same place at any gatherings, but as far as having conversations and saying I'd met him, known him, I don't." And he said, "I just thought, my wife just knew of him and she just cried like a baby, she'd just read it, you know." I said, "Well, I hated it too." But when I was in the Seminary and then the orphanage burned, the Cherokee Orphanage and they were brought to the seminaries and his sister Lelia.

(Was that the orphanage at Salina?)

Yes, that's the one, that was the Cherokee Orphanage that burned. They brought the girls in there and the boys in over the male seminary. That's where Will was sent. Boge Mizer we don't know the name, but he goes by the name of Boge all the time, but his wife's mother, Mrs. Deal, she's an old time friend of ours, and then when her husband: . . . they lived over here. . . between here and Chelsea, when her husband, a horse kicked him and killed