

Mr. Ragsdale: Might have been a little gold, but I think maybe it's paper money. I can remember that time, I know I was just awful young. I just can remember it, so I don't know, I just guess it's paper money.

Like your food stamps or something wasn't it, or something like that?

(I would think so.)

Mr. Ragsdale: That is what I mean, now, you know there's those--

Now, I'll tell you who would know what it was--

(W. O. Hale?)

Yeah, he would know, I'm sure because he was back here, oh, I think it was last summer that Mrs. Milner and one of her sisters going back and we taken some pictures up here, and I had taken some of him and mine didn't turn out any good. So, I think theirs did:

Mr. Ragsdale: He's about the only one left that was in there. I know Hooley Bell used to (interruption) Doc who?

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Mr. Ragsdale: I think Doc Couch might have come in--

Yeah. Yeah.

Mr. Ragsdale: Course he moved up there when the start of the--

(Was he here when they had the courthouse or after?)

Mr. Ragsdale: Well, it was pretty well after--

(When they had the store here?)

Yeah. And then later on this Doc Couch lived up here at Rose, but he's dead and his wife is dead. Now she's the one that told me that one time they had shooting here and the outlaw run out the front door--he grabbed a gun and run out the front door and the sheriff run out the back door and each one of them shot and killed each other as they fell. And said they planted those two trees--that maple on the other side of the side and that one in front of the house at the head of their graves.

(Well.)

Mrs. Couch told me that, yeah, and (interruption) Yeah. And this is