that's what he was looking for, a big old dry log there; he set that log afire, with his horse blanket and leaves he covered himself up real well by this burning log, of course the temperatures were sub-zero but he kept pretty warm all night long, he said, laying in those leaves inside the ground with horse blankets; of course the snow covered him he said, but he had that log burning took he survived the sub-zero weather, of course Indians know what to do in that type of weather.

(Do you remember ever him talking about traditional stories, or ceremonies or the older days? He was too young to go on raids wasn't he or was he?)

I don't think he ever went on a raid. He's a nephew of the original chief Kicking Bird I think, he was the favorite nephew of the original Chief Kicking Bird, the Peace Chief as they call him, I think he gave him that name, he was known as Kicking Bird, too, I don't think he ever went on a raid.

(Did he pass along any other traditional type stories?)

Oh, no. Just folks stories or lore as you might call it about Saynday, Iguess Saynday was quite a character, he always come across a good thing but he'd foul up, he generally fouls up, it's more or less children's tales, children like, well, their bedtime stories, children like to hear those stories, their grandfathers and grandmothers tell those stories, and they enjoy them. I've heard a lot of these tales about Saynday, of course, the stories that most fascinated me were the stories about black magic that the Indians practiced.

(What do you remember hearing about that?)

Well, lemme see, I'll give you a--well, Indian medicine man, that's the thing that impressed me because I've seen one particular man, a cousin who was dying from pneumonia I saw him how he operated, I was sitting there and he had this little boy on a bed there.

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He got out a black handkerchief and looked through that black handerkerchief at his chest, his bare chest, he said, he looked through that black handkerchief for a moment and then he said, I've located what the trouble is, now it's pneumonia and he pointed at a spot right there on his chest, he got a piece of glass it was sterilized I guess, he had it in hot water, and made an incision with that, where it bled a little bit,