

were living in a dug-out. And Joe Hunter had drifted away into--he was hidin' out with those Mexicans in that dug-out. And they knew about where-- they spied around and located the dug-out and the Commanding General told them to go get 'im. And he was armed. Joe Hunter was armed. And pretty dangerous to go in there in the cellar and he knew somebody was coming after 'im. And they see the army officials coming and he know they coming after him, and they're going to shoot to kill. He said, "We had orders to come and get him and so that's all we have to do." We went. And he told me that when I had orders to go with two other men to get Joe Hunter it was a time in my life when I was sent out by a war expedition party when I was young, and the river was over-flowing. It was full. Canadian River, or some big river. And it was up to us to get across. And I made up my mind and had courage to wade in and get across. I waded in and made it across. So I determined to get across that river and get Joe and bring him back. So we went over there and we arrived there before daylight. We waited for daylight coming. We sat outside. Daylight come early. We knock on the door. We came inside. No, a Mexican came out first, and he saw we was soldiers armed. We was hunting Joe Hunter and the Mexican said "He's in here, but he's got a gun, he shoot." Now, we knew he was in there. Next thing we go get him out there. We told him somebody wanted to see him out there and one of them got behind the other one and one of 'em got at the door. He's coming up the cellar and he saw one of them way back there and he thought that was only one, and the other ones behind him. And he come up there he says I was waiting for him, and he had his gun. He had his head up behind the cellar door. I pounced on him. He said, I'm the one that got a hold of him, both hands so he couldn't use his gun. Well, we wrestle there and they took his gun away from him and handcuffed him and we took him over. That's an incident. Stories I could tell you. He told me many more but I can't remember very many anymore. I'm