

who got 21 was the first winner.

BALL GAMES WITH TWINE BALL AND HICKORY STICK

And we'd have ball games out of twine ball--make twine ball and have ball game.

(Using twine ball. What did you use for bat?)

We'd make 'em out of hickory.

(Make 'em yourself?)

Yeah. Make hickory bats and then we'd make locust bats, you know. Old boy that used that locust bat, he was the home run slugger then.

(What is the difference in locust and hickory?)

Well, locust is more solid one way and it don't season--crack as bad if you'll cut it the right time of year. And it is pretty good.

STOMP DANCES

(What--did they have any kind of Indian dances besides square dances?)

No. Not back there the. They had stomp dances.

(Stomp dances?)

Yeah. What they call stomp dances over by Stony Point. They had one back here. I don't know just how you describe it in English but the Cherokees--they called it (Cherokee name). If you say it in English, you call it "Over the Nose."

(Over the nose?)

Yeah. (Laughter)

(That the description of that stomp dance?)

INDIAN STICK BALL GAME - WOMEN AND MEN

Yeah. And they played ball there and I'd go over there and they had a pole set up there--the men against the women. And a man wouldn't--a boy wasn't allowed to catch that ball with his hands, it was done with sticks. I still got one or two of them around.

(Was that stick ball they were playing?)