

Well the Nighthawks wouldn't allot their land. And the government just allotted them wherever there was any land.

(Uh-huh)

And the Keetowahs had an organization of Indians too.

(Then the Keetoowahs, a more or less religious organization then?)

Yeah.

(Where there any of the other Cherokee organizations similar to those? That you've heard of.)

No. No the Keetoowah is an organization of Cherokee. A Cherokee by the name of Smith headed it for a long time.

(Uh-huh)

His boy Moses Smith is the head of the Keetoowahs now.

(Uh-huh)

(Much static here) West of the railroad tracks. (Not clear) was his brother.) That was their home.

(Yeah).

And his mother was an Adair.

(Uh-huh).

DISAPPROVES THE GOVERNMENT TRYING TO TEACH THE CHEROKEE LANGUAGE TO THE CHEROKEE PEOPLE

(Not clear). Ah-h-h this present administration in Washington has created every damn thing in the world. And they got an outfit advocating the white people, advocating teaching the Cherokee language.

(Yeah)

Well for three hundred years, three or four hundred years they've been trying to teach them the English language.

(That's right.)

And there's lot of them Cherokee's now. It may be through the whole