

well, this one might get killed and the next one get saved. And come back and tell the other men. So Black Bear took the lead and they went on and on. Finally they find a place where they could come out and that's where he got them out. And the soldiers didn't know that they got out. They were all guarding that place, but still they got out some other way. Then they went on, and they were starving--didn't have nothing to eat for maybe a whole week. And they kill, you know, they have bow and arrows. It don't make noise when they shoot. They kill buffaloes, you know, somewhere way out. They had to run you know. They had to run to get away from those soldiers. So they walk and walk and walk and walk till they come--went long ways. Like I said, they were just like coyotes because they so used to doing that. They fast, too. And they came to a place where it's warm, I guess. They saw some buffaloes and maybe they kill one or two--butcher them. And along the creek they built fire and just made--cooked them on the fire. They even carry salt. They carry everything when they go out like that.

(Oh, they do?)

Jenny: So they always take meat, dry meat. They pound it, but they run out. They eat all them up by staying out so long--maybe month or two or three months. Naturally you run out of food. They got them and they carrying them. No horses or nothing, they just carrying them. And they run out. And they was starving. So they killed a buffalo. There always be buffalo, you know, all over. He build a fire and told this other man to collect the other boys way back there somewhere to rest. Took another young man with him. Build fire and kill buffalo. He said he sure can shoot too. He shoot to kill and he kill two buffaloes--butcher them. They said he was good worker