

(Well twenty miles.)

Yeah. Go over there and camp. Now they don't do that anymore.

(No. And how was the roads.)

Oh they was just a country roads.

(Yeah)

Yeah didn't have no section line.

(Uh-huh)

Through the woods.

(Just go down through the woods.)

Yeah through the woods. There's a wagon road had. That's all they had.

(Hum)

There's a big change in less than fifty years.

(I guess so. Well has the timber changed too?)

Who?'

(The wood, timber, trees changed?)

No, no timber in them days was the same timber is here when they had them days.

(Well just like it was in the early days.)

Just like it was in the early days. Same thing. Grass didn't change.

(Uh-huh)

Nothing didn't change. Only they just cut the roads and everything like that you know.

(Yeah)

That changed. (word not clear)

TOWNS OF VINITA, LOCUST GROVE, ROSE AND PRYOR

(The towns though change, grow up.)

They didn't have so many towns either. Vinita I reckon, was the oldest town in the Cherokee Nation.

(Well the closest one, Vinita.)