

They took them down Texas. They had some Cherokee Indians in there. Do what they want to do. They kill the rest of them you know except my brother and them. They turned over the Cherokee.

(Yeah)

See if they were going to shot or kill them. They take them to prison. They sent them to prison and took them to Texas.

(Well)

They took them there to Texas. They had a big prison there. Didn't have nothing to eat over there. Only feed them corn. Said one time he cut up a harness. He tried to eat harness. Couldn't eat them.

(Well. It was just too tough.)

Yeah. Said when the war was through. These boys hid their money down at military ford down there where they captured them.

(Yeah)

And they walked from Texas back to Kansas City. Said they wore their shoes out. When they come down over that mountain over there they dug their money up. Walked to Kansas City without shoes.

(Well, my that's a long ways to walk.)

Yeah. Barefooted. Didn't have no shoes. They walked a lot during the Civil War they didn't ride. When those boys went to Kansas City you know, they want to get a pair of boots. And they just let them walk barefoot until they got over there. Said they couldn't (Words not clear). They took them about a half a mile north there. Then whirled around, turned around they went to fighting. Had four days battle there. They run them clear down towards Texas.

(Yeah)

The war was already over with then. But old (not clear) wanted to go down to Kansas to get them a pair of boots. (Laughter) And lots of people got killed-- Both sides.