

whipmen's duty to see that you were out there, but nowadays like everything in the past its just been enforced. Of course we don't want to make anyone dance that don't want to dance. It's his duty just to go down the line and see that, he just goes down the line nowadays without even addressing any of the people. He makes a half-heartedly attempt to get people to dance. In the olden days he didn't want to dance he wouldn't get out there. And 'course and then the taildancers, the only taildancers that's supposed to dance on these finales of each song would be the two taildancers of this specific district. Nowadays they all, all the taildancers of all the districts dance and I think they have, they're allowed to have two dancers and two alternates. Sometimes they all get out there and even at times they, even certain individuals dance on a tail. When they dance on a tail. they supposed to go up and announce that they have danced on this tail, this finales, and they're supposed to present a gift to the drumkeeper, but they more or less give a gift to whomever they want, nowadays. And like these water boys they supposed to, anyone that wants a drink of water back in the old days they would just send'em to the water boy and the water boy would take him individually a drink and he was the only one beings he's the one that called for it, he's the one that brought drink to. But nowadays the two waterboys they, --the water they give the drummers a little drink of water, but the end of each certain session of dancing. Then they go down the line and give all the dancers a drink of water, if they want one, which isn't quite up to tradition, but that's the way they go nowadays.

CUSTOM OF CAMP CHIEFS OR LEADERS

It seems like the way they--another custom is the way that, the-- if you want to for one certain family wants to put someone in the dance committee they have it announced that they, tell beforehand what they want to do at the beginning of the dance, the party takes his youngster up there to the headcommitteemen and the headcommitteemen more or less what they call, performs a ceremony and places the roach, the headdress on the youngster's head and gives him a word of encouragement and at that time the town crier is supposed to call his name and that ceremony is just