

PROCEDURE FOR DRYING CORN

(In those - in those days when they dried their corn, Della, did they - did they have any certain ceremonies they performed when they dried that corn?)

No, I don't know if they did. No, I don't know now if they did. They might have.

(And it seem to me - I mean, way back there seemed like it was quite a chore to have all that corn dried like that.)

It was. They would have the men go out and gather this corn and bring it in and the women would dry it. The womenfolks did the drying of the corn, and putting it away and cooking it. They had three grades of corn. They grade the fine, the middle grade, and then the coarse grade.

LIVERY STABLES IN EARLY DAYS

(And just like - back in those early days - early Hominy days, did you know any, do you remember any merchants way back there?)

Well, Mathew Wilson I guess was one of the oldest people we knew here, and Old man Dickson, Percy Dickson, old man Percy Dickson, he used to - what they call the Hominy trading Ven.

(And did they - seemed like to me that, I always remember there used to be stable didn't, there used to be some kipda stables around Hominy? For those that wanted a hack.)

Yes, they had good many livery - what they call livery stables.

(Did that - that means that they didn't have any cars that day.)

Oh no, they had livery stables.

(Instead of garages they had livery stables.)

That's right. Everybody drove horses them days.

PLEASANT ASSOCIATIONS AMONG TRIBES

(I guess that the days back then were pretty colorful, weren't they?)

Yes, it was - it really was. Sure was nice to go out and meet those people.