

I've seen loaded corn strung out here west of town, plum up to there where they couldn't get in.

(Well)

Corn.

(They must have raised a lot of corn.)

Oh they raised a lot of corn. 'Course the land was new you know.

(Yeah)

They used to raise a lot of corn here, oats, wheat. Now you got to fertilize to put in your crops now.

(Yeah. You didn't have to use fertilizer in those days.)

No.

(Land was rich and wasn't worn out.)

Made a good garden. Plant everything. Fall of the year why pa he'd bury the turnips. Take them out and wrap them and put them in the cellar. We had a good cellar. He'd wrap them and put them in a cellar. Keep them all winter.

(Hum-m.)

Sometimes he'd bury them out in the yard. Yard, there. Butcher his own hog. Had his own beef.

(Yeah)

KINDS OF GUNS USED FOR HUNTING IN EARLY DAYS

Sometimes us boys get out there and cut enough wood. Several ricks up there for cook stove. And heat stove wood. (Not clear) two feet long. We had, course we had a big house. You know. Had to warm it up.

(Yeah. Oh I was going to ask you too. When you all used to go deer hunting in Osage country in those days what kind of guns did you use in those days?)
Different kinds.