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Well, so Hotgun he say he don't think the Great Spirit was put his name in the pot with See A Castle and Kid Morgan and Ridge Pasture and Henry Be Robbing when they powwowed over to Shawnee.

And Tookpafka Micco he was asked Hotgun, "Well, so what reason was you had for it?"

And Hotgun he say, "Well, so 'cause they didn't had any good weather. A big wind was blowed they arbor down and the rain was droweded 'em out and the hail didn't had no mercy on 'em."

Then Tookpafka Micco he say, "Well, so the Bible say it was rained on the just like on the unjust."

And Hotgun he say, "Well, so it do; but when it was rained on the unjust by themselves, like over to Shawnee, it was blow and hail to."

Then Tookpafka Micco he say, "Well, so I hear

they was five hundred delegates there from Injin Territory."

And Hotgun he say, "Well, so that's newspaper talk. Muskogee and Wagoner didn't had that many lawyers that could dig up they car fare and settle they hotel bill and blow theyselves for a morning's morning in Shawnee."

Then Tookpafka Micco he say, "Well, maybe so, but they was so many of 'em there they couldn't had order."

And Hotgun he say, "Well, so they was the people that live in Shawnee doing all that milling."

Then Tookpafka Micco he say, "Well, so when the chairman was made a racket with his maul and asked a preacher to say the blessing, "they was all bend over the beer kegs except Cliff Jack's Son, and when they was all raised up he was had the floor to make a big talk."

And Hotgun he say, "Well, so that was a big scoop. What sort a oration was he got off."

Then Tookpafka Micco he say, "Well, so the newspapers say he was talked so fine the band was played ragtime and they was all blister they hands

enjoying it, like when William Ginning Bran was hoodooed the Democrats in Chicago."

And Hotgun he say, "Well, so who else was get up and recite?"

And Tookpafka Micco he say "Well, so it was Ridge Pasture."

And Hotgun he say, "Well, so what tribe do he belong to anyhow?"

And Tookpafka Micco he say, "Well, maybe so he was a Cherokee, but I think he was druther be a Republican and had a big appetite for pie. The newspapers say he was had lots a brains he didn't had no use for, but the Keetowahs aint onto it and can't appreciate it like the boomers for single statehood. So when he was say his piece he was throwed 'high life, on the Injin that was made everybody laugh."

And Hotgun he say, "Well, so no good Injin was do anything like that to a dog."

Then Tookpafka Micco he say "Well, so when Henry Be Robbing was made his big talk they was something doing. He was had a fine voice with music in it like a mule braying in the meadow, and he was knowed it all like a set a encyclopedia, and maybe so he was

seed it all 'cause he was from Missouri. He was worked em up like Mark Antony when Ceaser was died with his boots on. He was hold up the map a the United States and showed 'em how little Rhode Island was and how big Ohio was and say, 'well, so, my friends, how you like that? Would you druther Injin Territory and Oklahoma was divided up so they was looked like two Rhode Islands or would you druther they was joined together so they was looked like Ohio.' When he says this, See A. Castle and Kid Morgan and Cliff Jack's Son was want to lynch Chief Make Certain and Hulbutta Micco and burn they houses down and chop Secretary It's Cocked's head off."