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Went out & cut 2 sprouts I was sitting
outside the door — They then in Council say
we give up our Childs — they no whip them
he let up — They ~~to~~ give up & took shackles
off — Took off of Women & us 2 —
Leotiah was the only one in prison —

Chillip Kree

I never known I stole anything — but been treated
pretty badly — Wife & I had fall out —
I slapped her with my own hand twice —
Policeman went after me arrested me
& brought me up to Agent — I told Milroy
I slapped her — take me out tie me up to
a tree with a piece of rope — then cut 4
apple sprouts — then I stood on tip toe
all they gave me to bear my weight on
ground — Policemen wants to know who
shall whip them — Then Capt has to do the
whipping — He gave me 15 lashes —
gent says who take that fellow & cut all
his hair off — Then Capt come up to me
again — Hair down to my waist & cut it
off up to my face — Went home with wife
as I got near home I think it over & feel
pretty bad over it — Then I get bad heart —
then take my wife & whipped her then —
Then my wife go to Wanchawke house

Police arrest me - allowed him to say nothing - Gene says take this man out & give him 30 lashes - Then take a rope tie me up to tree with my wrists & let weight come on my wrists -

Then brought 6 apple sprouts - gave me more lashes - strip me off naked had no cloth on my back when they whipped me - Then cut off all my hair every bit of it - Then Gene says go to your wife -

Now I make a good boy of you give you 1 horse Wagon & plow - he never gave me anything he promised Harness he gave me & took it away from me again - I never begged him - he made promise on his own mind -

Sat - Low - we ^{above} Father of Gled Lee New Agent - Came here to help me - Milroy treat us pretty rough - I got 4 boys dont steal - law bundles for getting out of humor with wife - I am getting poor - Boys had to take 12 Horses out of band to pay their fines - which Milroy levied -

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Old Man Sic Sic

I am old man you can see - This part of
Country is mine - the law come in -
These Kellicates take law up & bring it
into Reservation - Then the who
belong this part of Country didn't take
that law - Then all told us Washington
give us law to live kindly & help one
another - These Killatch's mind the law

We never had no Church house - no pray-
ers to keep us safe - My mother had her
mind on this world - I never raised
my children to the law - I got my Wagon
ploughs Wagon & tools from White man
to make his living - I just as much like
I raised my children with another law with
my own hands - If give us good law
we will take it up and mind it -

I will take my own heart & give it to
my friends when I find out from him -

Lat - ti - lieu - ah

I didn't done anything wrong - I had 2 Wife
- Melroy asked was I working against the
law - I told him No - Told him I
was taken em 2 for my wife - What
is your mind - do you want break law
- I told him No - I was taking the old
law of my fathers -

You must take this law — Dont go back to
other wife — bound over to court \$50 —
then I went home — that woman went
with ^{me} — I brought up again — What reason
you go to other wife — Did you think to
break the Washington's law — He say you
a pretty hard one — Put me in jail —
I staid there 2 nights ^{1 day} — No irons on me —
— told me go home — dont go with other
wife any more — Give 30 days to find
5 dolls & pitch it up here — My
Horse had run back to Range — Genl
Milroy owe me 25 dol for work —
— thought I give 5 out of that — Milroy
pay no cash pays in goods — Anens pays
the 5 — & took goods out of commissary
M — Pays me bal in goods — I walked home
& packed it on my back — I find pretty
bad feelings — I thought I didnt done
no wrong — Was pretty near dead when
he come to 1st house — he went back
to other wife & was taken up by justice
of the peace — I waited then for Court sets
in — J Peace put the fine on me 10 dolls
then I come to the Court then —
— told me if I gone part with one my

wife - lots times I told them No -
 - J P was there - Say if you keep on
 saying so - you go to jail - Then they
 took me - put shackles on me - this
 in the afternoon - Then they brot me up
 here - Put me in jail with the shackles
 on my hands - In the night long ways
 I was sleeping I heard some one come in -
 - He took shackles off my hands -
 - Say if you keep on saying you wont put
 off extra life keep you to 4th July &
 then send you to the Penitentiary -
 - Then I got scared - Then I went back
 to my old wife - When July comes he
 come over here - had a borrowed horse -
 - Policeman take it from me - for the
 fine they put on me of \$30 - he was
 fined twice \$10 - 1st time then
 20 dolls 2^d time - Owner of horse
 said that horse belong to me - Then I
 promised ^{more} ~~asset~~ & cost ^{for 20} I say I take
 it to Mollulu & Pat Ahlanum - Then
 I had to, they told me - Then Come on
 him for the \$10 - Then I give them
 another horse - then they couldnt sell
 that horse - then told me we sell horse for
 5 & look to you to pay other 5

I said No I pay horse for \$10 - They then
saw Horse & bridle for 7 dolls + gave
policemen the money - Then they say I
owe \$3 to the lawyer - + I don't
answer them any more -

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I was prisoner once - I didn't do anything
wrong - to Capt. Polic or Agt - Arrested
me for nothing - 2 Soldiers came down
there - sat down there 1½ day ask lots
questions - One man here had 2 Wives -
- Policemen wants arrest that young
man - but he got away to Yakama -
he rides somebody else horse - took my
brother horse - he told me follow him up
he might take my horse off - then I
went to old Yakama - Then I see lots white
+ lots Indian people - Then I hear 2 Ind
men want to fight - Sheriff say this
no place for Ind to come + fight - this is
outside City for white folks - go back to
Res - that's your place - Sheriff talk loud
I got scared + told young man to go
away from there - I took young ^{man} home
with me - told polic to arrest him -
Then I went sleep in field - One police
staid there all night other came back

The young man then Ran off = Police
 then arrest him all armed — I was
 sleeping — took him & put shackles on
 him — took me to old town Genl Milroy
 was there then — The 2 Soldiers were
 in town yet, then brought me up this way
 — had nothing to eat — put me in jail
 here — Next day 821K took me out —
 — then give me grub — then put me to
 work at stones — I worked until noon
 Genl Milroy came — asked him questions —
 Young man run off his own mind —
 — Genl say You tell ~~any~~ one lies you
 told him get out of way — and telling
 Soldiers — had 4 days Council with Soldiers
 & only said 1 1/2 day — Milroy asked if they
 were making reports on him — I told
 them him yes, I was reporting how he was
 breaking me — Then he called me a big
 liar, I asked him if he wasnt breaking us
 that way — Soldiers no good nor a dog —
 If I had seen them on the Reservation I
 would put them in jail — then he said
 I put you in jail for good I never put you
 out — You told lies to Soldiers — I will
 keep you in jail as long as you live —

I got shamed such talk = I put my finger
 to my mouth - I say I know - you a General -
 I know you thief you took my land -
 - I was on different land when I was
 raised - Not on my own heart it is on yours -
 - I no sell my mother or my child -
 - You taken my lands from me - The
 Genl had Irons on him - Looked at me
 with his eyes - Joe Shyer was there - he
 picked up his cane - + punched his
 writing table - told me you better look out
 today - I was looking at him pretty close
 - He sweat - long time said nothing -
 - ~~Cold~~ Cooled down - I told him he
 was more thief than I was - Midway took
 Irons off + told him go home - told him I
 had no horse How I go home = Why you
 let me go tell me - go look for young man
 - told him pay me for time I was in
 prison for nothing - He let me off

Owlneips

Sometime ago I had a good place to live -
 Old people live happy - old bodies all worn
 out & in dirt - the like old fashioned
 way - find grub on ground eat it -

Aint satisfied with present law -
 this law destroy our strength and our
 growing - that way I think today -
 RR on Reserve Council -

None here was there - Joe Stayer &
 lots old people around here was there -

make up mind they all say B's they
 want RR on R - You who dont want RR
 go out on other side of R - Thursto said
 let RR go thro Res - His Bro said same
 - Big Maank was so as say something -

- It was dark near night making up minds
 - Geo Minanick objected - Cousier said
 same thing - Galap also - Jim - mustee
 I objected - Train run over our horses & no
 good living - I have sons - I put up good
 crops when I die my son will have title
 to it - my children grow when I am in
 grave yard - Objt to RR, because land is
 like ones father or mother - I want
 my land - Old Minanock objected - Stayer
 says thats what I think too -

Like putting me under ground
 then how people up here treat

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Cotiah Rum

You see who I have old folks offering
you look at em - You come down by law to see
people by honest law - ~~What~~ Where is place
all this - Know minds - I say what I am thinking
on the heart - I saw last before I go home
young mans old mans say first -

Sis - Liah - Kate

Oct. 8th 85 - You just met - you see what kind people
he is - We living here since world began
no old people living here ever since -

I see and look am happy to live where
my old folks lived - I feel glad ever since
then & all my friends & make me feel good
- Everything I see on this place - I feel very glad
over it - We will ~~not~~ mind one another
live kind & we will never have no fault -

Everything here keep us down - we want
get out that, where we can see daylight -

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I see no RailR - you got better eyes -
Sand get old with me - You heard me
blowing that my breath out - Don't let it
all out - Got some left I keep it down
it - Now I tell you some words now -
I didn't want to say it, but I have to
say it now - our old peoples further
back again - was growing yet was put
here by another ~~rule~~ rule -

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Of course my father kept me son of his - I have
say for myself - My heart was lost one
time I did know what my father aimed to do

Now you can listen to me see me I am
old man - I want to say only on 3 things
- you to tell you - but first about child
& making 2 wife, law handled me - &
I am gone ask you a question

When White Man said this made for
us, not for you - You must not put your
mind on this - I mean liquor - When I
hear that - I think pretty good advise - If we
dont use that we will save that thing -

- Then I turned give brothers and friends
all that good advise - Then rest boys wont
mind me, wont get drunk for me - They
go off - They say lots of Cotrah Crowds
drinks - I am shamed bout it - White
folks make liquor themselves then tell us
not touch it - I am going to say on your
accounts again - I am pretty near to the last

May be my heart get lost - Agent say take
your child & put it to school - after he
go through - I thought I put my child to school
- I want hear you say about drinking liquor
and school children - send children if want
to - & if not to keep them home -

Agt - I spoke that yesterday
and read the law

Orntuch

Everything you got, is on your heart - That
way with me, what I got at my home I
earn by my work I got that on my heart

Of course I am awanty by you - we
cant change RR while it is there -
- You see people sitting here - getting no
benefit out of their lands these days -

There is where I think I could not
Knock down - white mans farms + give
nothing for it - Washington pays no
attention to it, they get nothing -

Went through Lebiah land cut through
front trees - they will make it good
Reason of old people want land - get grub
out of land - We want hear by that -

Where you see I come to neighbors -
raise grub I eat it feel glad over it -
- like his mother gives him his grub -

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Want know if Washington gives for
making up mind for RR run through
land - I tell you same as telling
Washington about it - I want you tell
me something about it -

Agst Shove Commission Cobrah Kurn

Thats where he is very fraid about that paper you was showing me - I never seed that man (G. C.) but have heard of him -

Things bothering me thought I go and see how things going - I take 80 dolls to use when I go and start on the way -

Then asked me what my name was, but I dont give him my name - I was going around outside where the law is - Then

after a while I got to Vancouver - Then Gent Miles asked me - Who are you -

I told him my name, who I was and how poor I am - Then he told me ^{see me} about noon at a house where lots of others were

there - I went there at the time and saw him + a lot of others - Then he told me - Tell the reason why you travelling around here - Then I told him Yes I will tell you everything what I know -

I told him what law was in the Port here - how my arms + feet hurt with handcuffs and our people feel pretty bad over it - Gene Milroy say Cobrah very bad go down and arrest him - You see me I havint much flesh since I was arrested + I am telling you about it today -

Then he told me - Tell me in a hurry why did Milroy hurt you that way - Then I told the gent all about it, that it was all on account of his son

Les-Sia-cate 2^d time

I take good notice looking you as you do looking at my people - You can have good heart after this you see my people & my people see you & I see you myself - Now like to go out the way of the law, I feel glad of it - I feel easier of it than I did before -

Now I think I ended & I see new agent my friend, just come in - Won't say long words - When he gets through we will be satisfied and be good friends & then go home that's all

Omtuch 2^d time

Today last I see you I go down home few nights - We been telling you how we been treated - So you remember this until we come again when we want to say something again -

Leotaiah - Run

All these people sitting down know, but me I don't believe I know it - Don't what you think he ~~know~~ know it - he do know it but its bothering me - Agent Mr was agent on this Res - New agent here to day would like him to tell him what Agent he is -

Miles asked did you take Gene Milroy child away from him - I said No, it was my child - Told me tell him no lies, to tell him the truth - then I said I told no lies I told truth - it was my own child and there was where he hurt me -

Then I told him I was telling all truth out of my own heart & am keeping nothing back that I wont say it -

Then I told that the Indian men are - est me & take me to where Milroy was living - Gene Milroy asked me what I was thinking about my child -

I told Milroy - I am poor I like to keep my boy at home cause he is lots of help to me - Then Gen Milroy say wait 2 years & we will have more to say about this child - Then I say all right we will await 2 years before we speak more about my child - Milroy said dont be afraid we will talk over this thing -

After we talked - Milroy asked me if I had any money to put in that purse - (Ray with his head I think was Poll Tax) I said I dont know what that means - M said Calvin Hales was Treasurer then - I had Green back 10 \$ in my box & I handed it to him

then he took it - he felt good over it & said I done well - then he take his paper & put it down after I gave him the 10 dolls - then Ambrose a Cold Man the Interpreter signed the paper

Then the cold man handed me the paper & I ask what he handed me the po of paper for - He said the Agt very glad he act as good man & hand him the 10 dolls to day - then he told me to go home & nobody shall bother me anymore - Then I went home when Aenius came down - then Aenius said Gen Milroy want to see me - I told him just been there 3 nights since I see the Agt - He said you neednt get mad about it I didnt know it - I said I aint going to get mad I got paper from Milroy - then he says Milroy got 2 ways to say, he says one way & then he sends me down to say another way - Aenius say well I go back home and see Milroy

One or 2 nights lots of them came down after me again. - then I told I told Capt Tom - I refuse to go because I see Gen Milroy not long ago - Capt Tom - said dont say that Gen M said you got to go - he want talk to you - then I said I have to go then I cant say no more - I never told no lies to Gen M - he told it himself - he said after I paid \$10 we wont say anything about child for 2 years - this I told all to Gen Miles when I seen him -

Gen Miles put down all I said how Gen M - treated me & he said if I told him any lies it would be much worse for me -

Then I said I told all the truth After I gave Milroy the \$10 he arrested me again - Then the Gen Miles say when I have this all written down I will