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Riding horses over the moor.

We used to ride horses all out over the moors like, still ride horses out there but the bike has come in, the four-wheeled bike and its used quite a lot out there.

Not the same as on horseback.

No nothing like it, nothing like it, it's so delightful to ride a horse, a nice horse, canter on, stand in the stirrups, really canter on like, I remember, we used to go hunting and then every village, during the winter every Friday night, there would be a hunt ball somewhere, and that would be your entertainment; you'd be invited to somebody's house first and then you went on to the Hunt Ball, and then probably Saturdays you'd hunt, take your horse out, everybody used to keep their horses like, and there'd be a pride in keeping your horse, nice horse, the same horse you'd use then in the summer and that, for gathering stock on the moors.