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RESP: You know everyone killed a pig at that time, killed two pigs depending on the size of the family and when you killed a pig he used to save the barrell and pump it up and make a football [out] of it for us.

INT: Excellent, and how often...

RESP: I remember him well. And my grandmother then we used to go in, it was on our way home from school and we used to go in and she'd have the bacon and cabbage down in the pot on the hearth and she'd give us the mug of the cabbage water and say, "Drink that into you then and run away home and don't be eating blackberries and haws on your way home and don't delay that will bring you home until your mother gets you your dinner". And if she hadn't the cabbage water and the dinner down, she'd give us a fist of raisins.

INT: She'd give you?

RESP: A fist of raisins. She had a big black apron pocket and she'd have raisins there for us and if she hadn't raisins she'd have white lozenges, they came loose at that time, they are called Silvermints now today.

INT: Yes I like the Silvermints