T-553-2 (Second of Five Interviews)
INFORMANT: JULIUS PENNINGTON, CHEROKEE
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GENERAL SUBJECT: CENTRALIA COMMUNITY: EVENTS, PEOPLE, CHURCHES, SCHOOLS, ETC.

## TOPICS DISCUSSED:

BRIEF INTRODUCTION

LOCATION - PEOPLE AND CEMETERIES

**\$CHOOLS** 

THERE WAS A SMALL TOWN CALLED RUBY - MORE ABOUT SCHOOLS

DOC ELAM WAS A GOOD DOCTOR

TRAVEL IN EARLY DAYS - NO ROADS

## BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Julius Pennington was born in 1882 in the Centralia community and lived there for a number of years. He attended the Centralia school, which his grandfather helped to build. Mr. and Mrs. Pennington now live in Vinita, Oklahoma.

Remarks: Mrs. Pennington is present and participates in this interview.

Note: The other interviews on this tape are: Cooper Grayson, Creek
Ernest Walker, Cherokee
Andy Thompson, Cherokee
Henry Clay, Cherokee