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NOLA JONES EGNOR, CHEROKEE

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GENERAL SUBJECT: LIFE HISTORY MATERIALS AND RELATED SUBJECTS; WHITE

OAK COMMUNITY

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

BRIEF INTRODUCTION

OLD ITEMS OF FURNITURE AND OTHER ANTIQUES

FAMILY SETTLED IN WHITE OAK COUNTRY LONG BEFORE STATEHOOD

LOCATED WHITE OAK COMMUNITY IN OLD PHOTOGRAPH

MORE ABOUT WHITE OAK COUNTRY

TIMES HARD IN EARLY DAYS IN CERTAIN TIMES OF YEAR

BUFFALO RAFFERTY WAS AN UNCLE

"OLD HALL SCHOOL" PHOTOGRAPHS

NAMES OF PROMINENT FAMILIES IN EARLY DAYS

MORE ARTIFCATS AND ANTIQUES

WOMEN FOUND TIME TO HAVE FLOWER GARDENS

MOTHER WORKED HARD - CANNED FRUIT BEFORE DAYS OF GALSS JARS

SPELLING BEE - OTHER ENTERTAINMENT - LOVE FOR NEIGHBORS

TRAVEL BY WAGON TO VISIT FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

OPTIMISTIC CONCERNING FUTURE - LIKES YOUNG PEOPLE

DOCTORS IN EARLY DAYS!

OLD GRIST MILL - STEAM OPERATED

PLENTY OF SPRINGS FOR WATER - CHEROKEE LAW - SELLING WHICKEY

OLIVER HAYNES MADE MONEY OFF OF THE INDIANS

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Nola Jones Egnor was born in 1903. She lives in the White Oak Community in Craig County, Oklahoma and has lived in this area all of her life. She attended the local school, which at that time was Hall School and later rode in a buggy to go to school in Vinita.

Note: The other interviews on this tape are: Joseph Rogers, Delaware Kenneth Oyler, Cayuga Martha Redman, Delaware