Mr. O'Field's value on the property, is that a value in your opinion and in who you mean in the paragraph, is that a value of an individual in a sense that he not a member of the Cherokee people?

Mrs. E.: He is just an individual, his tribe and his relationship with his ways has no to do with it, he's an individual. If he were not compident you might conful body else, but to me he is a competent individual.

In other words, in a fair sense of this paragraph is to ignore the class to white Mr. O'Field belongs, that is, that he is a member of the Charokee people?

Why of course. ~

Mr. T.: In the last paragraph on another page, which is section 331.51 the department' manual it states: the client is responsible for taking all steps necessary to convert the resource, etc. for use in meeting current needs. In this sentens what in the case of Mr. O'Field he is the resource?

Mrs. E.: / His excess property:

What is the amount of his excess property?

Mrs. E.: 82 acrès.

Mr.T.:

Mrs. E.:

Mr. T.

Mr. T.: And how do you determine that is what you call excess?

Mrs. E.: Ke has 120 acres. According to our policy a family is allowed their home an acres.

Referee: I think rather than make a paraphrase of this since this is pertonant to the in-

Mrs. E.: This is from our Marual Section 321.51 the date is 11-1-65, it is page 4 its Real Estate part A the second paragraph. Real estate owned and directly assisted with shelter shall not be considered as a capital resource available for main if it is 40 acres or less in extent and has a market value not to exceed \$8.000 If the client owns property jointly with someone else, the cash value of his considered.

lirs. Evenger, in the statement of Mr. O'Field you have Tollowed the procedure out by the namual of the Department of Welfare, is that right?

Mrs. E.: Well, I tried to.

Mr. T.: * Do you know of any occasion in which you have not?

Mrs. E.: Well, there are bound to be mistakes but we try to correct them as soon as the discovered.

Mr. T.: Has there been any mistakes in the treatment of Mr. O'Field under the manual?

Mrs. E.: As far as I know there are none.

Mr. T.: So to your best knowledge, your treatment of Mr. O'Field has been that required the Department of Welfare Manuel?

Mrs. E.: Yes sir