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DAVID PITTS, OSAGE  
INTERVIEWED BY: KATHERINE RED CORN  
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GENERAL SUBJECT: REMINISCENCES ABOUT EARLY LIFE; MISCELLANEOUS  
STORIES ABOUT FAMILY, TRAVEL AND EDUCATION

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

EDUCATION  
WORKS WITH GOVERNMENT IN INDIAN AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT  
MORE EDUCATION  
JOINS BAPTIST CHURCH  
HELPS TO ACQUIRE A BUILDING FOR INDIAN VILLAGE  
ASSOCIATION  
CHARTER MEMBER OF AMERICAN LEGION POST IN PAWHUSKA  
SHORT COURSES IN NORMAN AND TULSA  
TURKISH BATH HOUSES IN HOMINY AND PAWHUSKA  
BUILDING HIS HOME AND GIVES LOCATION OF NEIGHBORS  
ONE DAUGHTER - HER HUSBAND IN MILITARY SERVICE  
VISITS DAUGHTER AND FAMILY BY PLANE AND ALSO BY CAR  
OSAGES GO TO COLORADO IN SUMMER IN EARLY DAYS  
MANY SIDE TRIPS WHILE IN COLORADO

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

David Pitts is 62 years of age. He was born and reared in Wynona, Oklahoma. He is a graduate of Hominy High School and also attended Tennessee Military Institute, one semester at the University of Oklahoma and Tulsa University. He is President of the Indian Village Association of Pawhuska, a charter member of American Legion Post # 198 of Pawhuska. He is a veteran of World War II. Mr. Pitts is a brother of Chief of the Osage Tribe, Paul Pitts. He retired after many years service in the Department of Indian Affairs.

Note: The other interview on this tape is: Georganne Gray Robinson, Osage