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INFORMANT: MATTIE HINTON DOUGLAS, CHEROKEE

PARK HILL COMMUNITY, CHEROKEE COUNTY

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BRIEF INTRODUCTION

(October 15, 1968. Today I am visiting with Hattie Hinton Douglas an 80 year old Cherokee of Parkhill Community, Cherokee County, Oklahoma. She is a grand-daughter of Chief John Ross and relates some interesting accounts of early day Indian Territory and personalities. She has lived in the community all of her life and attended Cherokee Female Seminary in the early 1900's.)

FAMILY PICTURES - IDENTIFICATION

(Mrs. Douglas begins by showing pictures)

Mrs. Douglas: Well, for me that is Sue Ross's daughters and her grandpa was a first cousin to my mother and of course his dad was a brother to Grandma. Uncle Allan name Ross. That's where Bob Ross and all of them came from, and Bruce. Here's John Ross, right there. Now his daughter's name was Jane Ross.

(Jane Ross)

And she married a Nave and had five children and when he went with the gold runners in '49 and he took cholera and died in Utah, close to Salt Lake City. And two years later, that was in 1850, and Grandmother married my Grandad. Grandad Nave. And they had two children. Uncle Bud Nave and, well his name was Andrew, and Mama, Henrietta, was my mother's name. Well, she married the Hinton y'see. Papa. (Now which one is this.)

This is my mother right there. That's Jane's daughter y'see. She was the youngest. Of course they all had the same mother, they wasn't