

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING OF A NEW INDIAN  
GROUP IN LAWTON, OKLAHOMA  
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Mrs. Blackerby, would you like to say something? Mrs. Blackerby is one of the, I think-- about the only one of the former installation group that is here. If I make a mistake--she has worked with Bob once before and she knows the workings of the program itself.

Mrs. Blackerby: Thank you, Bud. We are delighted to be here and see so many younger people here and parents. My thinking is that having young people --what I call--I know you are much younger than I am with children that you, the parents, are going to have to go forward and that way your children will follow in your footsteps. I believe that this is real good for me to see is these younger people here to attend, to see the parents take part in the workings of the school. Taking part in PTA--their parents take part. You are going to set an example for the children and then whenever you raise them and going to church and children taking part in church work. Putting yourself forward. That is the way I do. Now I go to all the places, all the meetings and civic organizations. It's a wonderful thing to drive to. I just to get out ~~in~~ the car and go to all those places. Your purpose of the organization is got to have a purpose. You've got to work at some kind of-- to give an incentive, to want people to attend. And we need to organize and that's really the purpose. I noticed here--I was taking a few notes and one thing is help. You've got to help yourself. You've got to get out and do it. And that's I noticed in making my notes is this--how can I help him. Well, course as I say--he's got to help himself and we need our help, we need our guidance, its guidance, or--have it where he will know where to go.