

LIES IN SIMPLE GRAVE

The immense slab covering the grave of Governor Brown is the most elaborate of all and in its simple, modest inscription bearing only the following necessary facts: "John F. Brown, Chief of the Seminole Nation, Oct. 23, 1843-Oct. 2, 1919, a Servant to His Country," somehow brings out the grand dignified air of the Seminole chieftain, whose philosophy was to live only for others.

One cannot view the old piece of splendid architecture where the governor once resided without recalling to mind a bit of the life of the celebrated Indian chief and the important part he played in the making of Oklahoma history and looking for traces of his work achieved in the thirty years he served as chief or governor of the Seminole tribe.

It was just across the road from the old mansion that the first postoffice and trading point of Sasakwa was established with Governor Brown as postmaster, a position he held for about twenty-five years, and the town of Sasakwa which he founded in 1904, is located on forty acres of land which was in his original allotment.

FIRE RAZES OLD BUILDING

The first building, the remains of the native