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My name is Sarah Pohocsucat and I live in Lawton. And I am 73 years old now. When I was a little girl, about 7 years old, Lawton came, to be a little tent town. Just about a mile from where I live, I have many playmates that we use to play in the meadow, where Lawton is now. One day we woke up and was to rush away to a playground. We saw a big tent. We thought some people had come to camp there, and be going on. So my playmates told me, that they says we wait till they gone--go way. So we waited then after while they started to build frame buildings. My playmates says, "They start building something. What you think they've doing?" Well, I says, I don't know. Well after while someone went to see what was going on. So they come back and say, "They have a lot of things to see, ~~everything~~ everything is pretty over there." No tents, in frame buildings. So we go look around and see what was going on. First time I ever see a lot of white people. And then as we go on they start building a lot of more houses. A street and I could remember a street named coo coo Avenue. So on until they made lots of streets, and we said "All right we have seen what they've done, so we've been going to school at a boarding school, name Ft. Sill Indian School. So after a while we grow up to be young ladies. And still the people were there. We haven't seen them gone away but they have built a big city today its great big city. So today I have seen a great many things happen there, that I could not describe, but it's a wonderful thing that this great big city is here, as we have said we went to get away from there we go play there, but still today, I'm still waiting. So I think today, that I ain't waiting anymore. I have found a big city, and I live in the city myself. My children grewed up there, and mingled with white children. And I think that's a fine thing, to give them a chance to be like them. As for me, I am getting old, and I will passing on, and I have given my children their chance. They have gone to school, finished their high

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