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DR. ROSS UNDERWOOD, CHEROKEE
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GENERAL SUBJECT: "CHEROKEE EDUCATION - FROM MISSIONS TO STATEHOOD"

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

OPENING REMARKS BY MARTIN HAGERSTRAND
BACKGROUND OF SELF: DR UNDERWOOD
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EDUCATION IN INDIAN TERRITORY
ESTABLISHMENTS OF FIRST SCHOOLS
THE EFFECTS OF CULTURE, SOCIAL AND POLITICAL LIFE ON EDUCATION
WHITE INTEGRATION INTO INDIAN EDUCATION
INTERFERENCE OF FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ON INDIAN EDUCATION
NEGRO EDUCATION AMONG INDIANS
PERSONAL COMMENTS ON INDIAN EDUCATION
CLOSING REMARKS BY MARTIN HAGERSTRAND
QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION

BACKGROUND OF LECTURER:

Dr. Ross Underwood was born and grew up near Grove, Oklahoma. He received his B.S. and Masters Degree from Northeastern State College, Tahlequah, Oklahoma, and his Doctorate from the University of Oklahoma in 1966. Dr. Underwood has taught in the high schools of Oklahoma City, Chickasha, and Tahlequah. He has been an instructor at Northeastern State College for the past four years.