T-544-2 (Second of Four Interviews) BESSIE SKINNER NELSON, CHEROKEE INTERVIEWED BY: J.W. TYNER INTERVIEW DATE: NOVEMBER 17, 1969 TRANSCRIBED BY: MARY WIKA PROOFREAD BY: NONA KERR

GENERAL SUBJECT: LICK BEND COUNTRY

1

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

, Q

BRIEF INTRODUCTION LOCATION OF OLD HOPEWILL MISSION SALT WELLS MISSION BUILDINGS MADE OF STONE AND HOMEMADE BRICK MORE ABOUT UNION MISSION COMPLEX NELL HARLAN WAS A SLAVE COOK MADE BUTTER IN A WOODEN CHURN LICK BEND SCHOOL

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Bessie Skinner Nelson was 70 years of age at the time of this interview. She was born in Lick Bend Community and still lives very near her former home.

Note; The other interviews on this tape are: Joe Ray, Cherokee Georgia Still, Cherokee Agnes Gunter Gordon, Cherokee