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AUSLEY WELCH, CHEROKEE

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GENERAL SUBJECT: HISTORY OF PETERS PRAIRIE COUNTRY AND OTHER AREA OF DELAWARE COUNTY.

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

INTRODUCTION
POINTS OUT OLD HOMEPLACES
WHITEWATER CREEK
OLD NEGRO SCHOOL
PRINCIPLE CROS
TOWN DIVIDED BY OKLAHOMA-ARKANSAS LINE
BATTLE OF MAYSVILLE
RECALLS SOME OF THE PLACES AND PEOPLE

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Ausley Welch is 79 years of age. He is a retired electrician and lives in Pryor, Oklahoma and has lived in this area all of his life.

NOTE: The other interviews on this tape are: Jefferson Tindall Cherokee
Isaac Watts Rogers, Cherokee
Ben Garvin, Cherokee