

T-559-1 (First of Four Interviews)
JOEL THORNTON, CHEROKEE
INTERVIEWED BY: J. W. TYNER
INTERVIEW DATE: MARCH 24, 1970

GENERAL SUBJECT: INOLA COUNTRY, ROGERS COUNTY, OKLAHOMA: THE
PEOPLE IN THAT PART OF OKLAHOMA: EVENTS, ETC.

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Joel Thornton was born in 1895. He has lived in the Inola Community all of his life and has many memories of the people, events and history of this area. Mr. Thornton is a retired laborer, farmer.

Note: The other interviews on this tape are: Nellie Roberts, Cherokee
Margaret Sixkiller Bagby, Cherokee
Dr. Caldeen Gunter, Cherokee

REMARKS: This is a summary of interview between Field Worker J. W. Tyner and Joel Thornton. The largest portion of this tape was inaudible and the summary is reproduced here. A precise transcription of the tape has not been made.