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INFORMANT: MARTHA TIGER, CREEK INTERVIEWED BY: LUCINDA TIGER INTERVIEW DATE: JANUARY 15, 1970 TRANSCRIBED BY: DARLENE FIELDS

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GENERAL SUBJECT: LIFE HISTORY AND RELATED SUBJECTS

## TOPICS DISCUSSED:

CONCERNING NAME, AGE, AND FAMILY INDIAN COOKING RECREATION YESTERDAY AND TODAY - CHURCH ON SUNDAY WENT TO CHURCH IN WAGON - USED TENT AND COOKED OUTSIDE CHURCH IN EARLY DAYS - BUILDINGS. COMMUNION SERVICE - SPECIAL DAYS MORE ABOUT FAMILY EDUCATION CONCERNING CIVIL WAR - LOCATION OF FAMILY HOME CONCERNING PHOTOGRAPHS AND OLD LOG HOUSE ALWAYS USED INDIAN DOCTOR SAW ONLY TWO STOMP DANCES INDIAN STICK BALL GAMES - FIGHTS FUNERALS AND PROCEDURE IN EARLY DAYS DOES NOT REMEMBER FAIRY STORIES STRANGE NOISES - INTERPRETATION WORKED IN THE FIELD WHILE GROWING UP FAMILY MEMBERS WORKED HARD WHILE GROWING UP LENGTH OF DRESSES IN EARLY DAYS STORMS AND TORNADOES INDIAN WEATHER SIGNS OPINIONS ABOUT PEOPLE GOING TO THE MOON CARRYING WATER IN PAIL ON HEAD SELDOM IN HOSPITAL CHILDBIRTH ENJOYS TALKING TO PEOPLE DISCIPLINE FOR HER CHILDREN GREAT GRAND CHILDREN - SOME IN CALIFORNIA HAS A CARDEN - CANS VEGETABLES FOR CHILDREN - MAKES KRAUT

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT: Ben Pac. 10, 1889 about one mile from her present Mrs. Martha Tiger is a eighty-one year old full blood Creek Indian. how She has lived in the area of Weleetka, and Eufaula all of her life. She is the mother of five girls and two boys, all living.