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GUY QUOETONE, KIOWA

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GENERAL SUBJECT: LIFE HISTORY MATERIALS AND INFORMATION ON KIOWA BLACK LEGGINGS SOCIETY, JAMES MOONEY, CRATERVILLE INDIAN FAIR, INDIAN ALLOTMENTS, ETC.

PARTICULAR TOPICS DISCUSSED:

COMMENTS ON OLD PICTURES

KIOWA BLACK LEGGINGS SOCIETY: GUY'S PARTICIPATION

MORE COMMENTS: PICTURES OF JIM TAKONE AND HUNTING HORSE

GUY'S FIRST THANKSGIVING

LIFE HISTORY MATERIAL; SCHOOLING AT METHVIN INSTITUTE AND RAINY MOUNTAIN SCHOOL

WORKING FOR SURVEYING CREW IN 1906

HOW INDIANS SELECTED THEIR ALLOTMENTS

GUY'S WORK AS LEASE CLERK

JAMES MOONEY STAYED WITH GUY IN 1909 OR 1910

GUY'S WORK AS FIELD AGENT FOR SUBAGENCY

ANDELE MARTINEZ AND KIOWA SOCIETIES

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT: Guy Quoetone was born October 15, 1885. He is a Methodist minister, now retired and has been active in church work for many years. He is also a student of Kiowa history, having been interested in listening to stories told by the old-timers about life and happenings in the old days. He has written notes and memoranda concerning many of these happenings in recent years, but they are his own composition and from his memory of either viewing them or hearing them from other Kiowas. He has often served in the Indian police and was an interpreter for the surveyors when the country was opened up. At 82, he is alert, articulate and seems to have a very good memory of things in past years. He is hard of hearing and sometimes misunderstands questions or must have them repeated.

ATTACHED MATERIALS:

"An Indian Pastor's Tribute to his Wife"

Manuscript entitled: "Early Mission Work"