

Then he moved to another Indian lease three mile east of that and then came back took a lease right across the road, north from us--lived there seven or eight years before he retired from farming.

(Do you remember what he paid for it?)

I think he give \$50.00 a year for that first lease that he had, that he broke out.

(Was that one year at a time?)

One year at a time. \$50.00 a year for the first five years, I believe it was and then build a little two-room house on it and then the lease that he farmed, had across the road from us, I think he have \$225 a year for that one.

(This was still a year at a time?)

Yes.

(What about other people you know that had leased from the Indians, they have much trouble with payin' off?)

No, I don't think they--I don't know of anyone having trouble paying off. I think they all got along with 'em pretty good--all that I know of. I never heard anything of. Nearly all the land at that time was leased through the Indian department. And in recent years or here of late years, there's a lotta Indians have a priority of leasing their land or selecting their leasee of who they lease to. That' created some static, so I understand. However, I never had any dealings with 'um. Think it first opened up with they first started Carnegie ah, it was called Latham and it was on the north side of the river. And in later years, a few years later, I don't remember just what year that was, they moved it back on the south side of the river, and build a bridge across the river on account of the depot being on the south side of the river and then they cahnged the name to Carnegie. So, But I don't remember jest what year that was, they moved it back on the south side of the river and build a bridge across the river on account of the depot being on the south side of the river and then they changed the name to Carnegie, so, but I don't remember jest what year, that was, but then we've had several big fires in Carnegie and burned out the, maybe burned three or four whole block, of businesses