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BERTHA PROVOST

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GENERAL SUBJECT: LIFE HISTORY MATERIALS, EARLY HISTORY OF CHURCHES

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

EARLY CHURCH MISSIONS

FEELINGS ABOUT RELIGIONS AND POW-WOWS

COMMENTS ON PEYOTE RELIGION

INDIAN FOODS

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANTS:

Bertha Provost is in her early sixties. She knows a great deal about traditional Wichita horticulture and food preparation and other subjects. She is fairly well educated and has lived in the Western Oklahoma area near Anadarko most of her life. She is active in the Baptist Mission work among the Wichitas