

T-541-1 (First of Four Interviews)  
COLUMBUS LONG, CHEROKEE  
INTERVIEWED BY: J. W. TYNER  
INTERVIEW DATE: OCTOBER 28, 1969

GENERAL SUBJECT: SOME HISTORY OF ADAIR COUNTY

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

PERSONAL BACKGROUND  
CHURCHES AND SCHOOLS  
FAMILIES OF THAT AREA  
COMMUNITIES—FIRST STORE IN ELDON STILL OPERATED BY SAME FAMILY  
ANECDOTE ABOUT INDIAN MINISTER  
STONE POINT SCHOOL  
INDIAN HOME CONSTRUCTION

Background of Informant:

Columbus Long is 79 years old. He was born and raised in the Wauhilla Community of Adair County and still lives in this same area. His father was at one time, high sheriff of the Goingsnake District. Mr. Long has a very good memory of the older places, people, and events and dates of the history of Adair County.

Note: The other interviews on this tape are: Bertha Coker King, Cherokee  
Zek Reed, Cherokee  
GeorgeHouston, Cherokee

Remarks on this interview: This tape was for the most part inaudible. A summary of the tape was furnished by Field Worker J. W. Tyner and is reproduced here. A precise transcription has not been made.