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PRESTON HOLBROOK, NON-INDIAN  
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GENERAL SUBJECT: FIRST SETTLERS IN OKLAHOMA; EXPERIENCE WITH  
INDIANS

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

FIRST SETTLING IN OKLAHOMA  
DEALINGS WITH INDIANS  
CARNEGIE  
RELATIONS WITH THE INDIANS  
MOVING AROUND  
INDIANS AND EDUCATION  
INDIAN ATTITUDES  
CONTRAST OF INDIAN AND NEGRO  
SELLING DISEASED BEEF TO INDIANS  
FARMING  
MORE ABOUT FIRST COMING TO OKLAHOMA

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Preston Holbrook was born in 1909 in Seymour, Texas. He came to Oklahoma when he was about 15 years of age. Mr. Holbrook remembers that when he first came here all the Indians wore blankets. He has lived near Carnegie since moving to Oklahoma.