

T-233-3 (Third of Four Interviews)
JOE CHOPPER, CHEROKEE
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GENERAL SUBJECT: LIFE HISTORY MATERIALS; EARLY CHURCHES; WILD
CATTLE ROUND-UP; CHEROKEE MALE SEMINARY

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

BRIEF INTRODUCTION
ROUND SPRINGS CHURCH
CHIEF THOMPSON AND OTHER PERSONALITIES AND SCHOOL IN
EARLY DAYS
BUYING AND SELLING WILD CATTLE IN 1900
MORE EARLY DAY PERSONALITIES

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Joe Chopper was born in 1884. He is a full blood Cherokee and lives in Rattlesnake Hollow, Delaware County, Oklahoma. Mr. Chopper was born and reared in this vicinity of the Cherokee Nation. He attended Cherokee Male Seminary in 1900.

(Ausley Welch, Cherokee is visiting Mr. Chopper and participates in this interview.)

Note: The other interviews on this tape are: Abraham Terrapin, Cherokee
New Jordan Church, Cherokee
Singing
George Butler, Cherokee