

Mrs. West: There might a been a few more stores there, then I haven't been to Ft. Gibson for thirty years or longer.

(Well of course in my memory it hasn't changed that I can tell.)

Mrs. West: Well it hasn't changed any, same--

Hurt West: Did you look in that drawer?

Mrs. West: No, not in this 'un.

ORIGIN OF THE TOWN OF OKAY

(I am very interested Mrs. Smith, in what you were telling me once before about how Okay got it's name. And how old a town it is. (I just wonder if you can tell me again.)

Mrs. West: Well, all I know is jest the names of the town.

(Yeow. What was the first name?)

George West: Correta.

Mrs. West: Correta.

(Correta.)

Hurt West: Correta Switch. That was jest a little 'ole Post Office and deal up here on the Railroad. Then they moved the Post Office down here and that's when they named it Rex?

Mrs. West: Yeow. Named it Rex and then, North Muskogee--

George West: No, Falls City.

Mrs. West: Falls City, that's right--

George West: Falls City. North Muskogee. Now I've got a card, bunch a some cards, it's one of these foldin' cards y'know about when they was namin' North Muskogee, that's what I been tryin' to find, but I don't know where it's at. And that was long in 1912, but that'us North Muskogee then, but now back prior to that, when it was I don't know. I don't know. Then Okay.

Mrs. West: Then North Muskogee, Okay.

(Then it became Okay then. Well that is interesting isn't it. One, two, three, four, five. Five different names.)