

T-354-3 (Third of Five Interviews)  
RANDLE CARPENTER, SHAWNEE  
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GENERAL SUBJECT: CHILOCCO SCHOOL AND LIFE HISTORY MATERIAL

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

AUNT CALLED HIM "RANDY"  
ROSE DAUGHTERY WAS WELL LOVED AT CHILOCCO  
GOOD FOOD AT CHILOCCO IN EARLY DAYS  
SCHOOL UNIFORMS AND RIFLES  
BELT LINE MEANT PUNISHMENT  
HOPE OTTO WAS AN ORPHAN AND WELL LIKED  
THERE WERE OTHER STUDENTS WHO ARE REMEMBERED  
HEAD BAKER WAS A BOXER - INCIDENT  
STYLES FOR BOYS IN EARLY DAYS  
RECALLS SEVERAL MATRONS AND TEACHERS  
SCHOOL JAIL NEEDED  
MILITARY TRAINING AT SCHOOL  
RECORDED INDIAN MUSIC IS PLAYED

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Randle Carpenter is 80 years old. He was born in the Shawnee Hills area and still makes his home here. He went to Chilocco Indian School for seven years. Mr. Carpenter has raised cattle and also farmed. He attends Indian meetings, stomp dances and is Chairman of the Shawnee Dance Committee

Remarks: James Thomas, a nephew who lives with Mr. Carpenter is present and participates in this interview.

Note: The other interviews on this tape are: Bunch Payne, Cherokee  
Bennie Whiteday, Shawnee  
Gilbert Fallin, Cherokee  
John Armstrong, Cherokee