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Field Worker's name Raymond C. Jantz

This report made on (date) January 27, 1938

1. Name T. J. Samuels

2. Post Office Address Apache, Oklahoma.

3. Residence address (or location) in Town

4. DATE OF BIRTH: Month October Day 20 Year 1868

5. Place of birth Coal Valley, Illinois

6. Name of Father Charles Samuels Place of birth England

Other information about father Coal Miner

7. Name of Mother Nancy McKain Place of birth Pennsylvania

Other information about mother _____

Notes or complete narrative by the field worker dealing with the life and story of the person interviewed. Refer to Manual for suggested subjects and questions. Continue on blank sheets if necessary and attach firmly to this form. Number of sheets attached 1.

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Raymond C. Jantz,
Investigator.
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Interview with T. L. Samuels
Apache, Oklahoma.
Born October 20, 1868.
Father-Charles Samuels
Mother-Nancy McKain.

I came to Oklahoma, October, 1901, from Morris County, Kansas. I came for the purpose of getting land to homestead. I filed at El Reno, October 22, 1901, and settled on my place December 27, 1901. I built my house and started to breaking land. We came from Kansas to El Reno by train. I settled on the SE. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 25, Township 6, Range 14, and lived there until a few years back.

In 1902, we neighbors put our heads together and organized a school and built a frame school house. This school had modern equipment for the time. We named the school Mound Valley but later it was called Little Alden. It is a wing school to the Alden High School.