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Field Worker's name Naomi L. Garringer

This report made on (date) June 23, 1937

1. Name John H. Fauchier.

2. Post Office Address Medford, Oklahoma

3. Residence address (or location) _____

4. DATE OF BIRTH: Month July Day 14 Year 1867

5. Place of birth _____

Name of Father Henry W. Fauchier Place of birth Indiana

Other information about father _____

7. Name of Mother Nancy Cobb Place of birth Indiana

Other information about mother _____

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

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Naomi L. Garringer,
Field Worker,
June 28, 1937.

An Interview with Mr. John H. Fauchier,
Medford, Oklahoma.

John H. Fauchier was born in Indiana July 14, 1867. He made the race into the Cherokee Strip from Old Oklahoma where he was living at that time and staked a claim in what was known as Pony Pasture. He bought a frame house in old Oklahoma and moved it on his claim.

In January his family came and five or six days after they came there was an awful snowstorm and they had to hang canvas and blankets up around the wall to keep the snow out. This storm lasted for three days and they sure had quite a time keeping warm. They lost some cattle as they didn't have any shed built yet.

They had to haul all their supplies thirty-two miles, from Perry. They also took anything they had to sell to Perry.

Mr. Fauchier only stayed five years as his wife had some poor health.