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Field Worker's name Jimmie Birdwell

This report made on (date) January 12 1938

1. Name Leon Fielder

2. Post Office Address Community Camp, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

3. Residence address (or location) \_\_\_\_\_

4. DATE OF BIRTH: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

5. Place of birth \_\_\_\_\_

6. Name of Father \_\_\_\_\_ Place of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Other information about father \_\_\_\_\_

7. Name of Mother \_\_\_\_\_ Place of birth \_\_\_\_\_

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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Jimmie Birdwell  
Investigator  
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Interview with Leon Fielder,  
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A Bank In a Tent at Hobart.

In the early days when the country was settling up around Hobart, I was coming through there and stopped a few days. At that time Hobart was only a tent town. There were two or three frame buildings and all the rest tents. Two men there saw the need for a bank. One of them had a tool chest so they moved their tent up as close to the main business part of town as they could get and opened a bank, using the tool chest to store the money in and guarding it night and day. I do not know how long they kept this up, but do know that this was the first bank in Hobart.