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BIOGRAPHY FORM  
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Indian-Pioneer History Project for Oklahoma

Field Worker's name Levina R. Beavers

This report made on (date) February 13, 1938

1. Name Sam Loman

2. Post Office Address Broken Bow, Oklahoma

3. Residence address (or location) Yesho Creek

4. DATE OF BIRTH: Month March Day 7 Year 1888

5. Place of birth Hochatown, Oklahoma

6. Name of Father Sim Loman Place of birth Near Hochatown,  
Oklahoma

Other information about father farmer & a hunter.

7. Name of Mother Seliee Loman Place of birth Boktuklo

Other information about mother Housekeeper.

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 2.

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Investigator - Levina Beavers  
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A village situated on the old Military Trail near the geographical center of McCurtain County, is beautifully located on a level plain near the bank of the mountain stream of the same name. It was here that the Federal Government established a supply depot for the Indians who settled in the extreme eastern part of the country.

Authorities do not agree as to the meaning of the word "Lukfata." Some state that the station was named for a prominent Choctaw family of that name but the name of Lukfata does not appear in the official roll of the tribe while others claim that the word means literally "calk dirt." For many years Lukfata was the only post office in what is now McCurtain County.