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Field Worker's name _____

This report made on (date) Jimmie Birdwell. 193
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1. Name _____

2. Post Office Address Dee Creekbaum.3. Residence address (or location) 916 West California,4. DATE OF BIRTH: Month _____ Day _____ Year Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

5. Place of birth _____

6. Name of Father _____ Place of birth _____

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 _____.

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Jimmie Birdwell.
Investigator,
March, 24, 1938.

An Interview with Dee Creekbaum.
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

I used to live south and a little east of Canadian, Oklahoma. It was about ten miles back in the low hills.

A man by the name of George, that was his last name, had a nice farm and had lots of chickens. On a business trip, he bought one dozen Game fighting chickens and brought them home. His wife would not let him turn them loose with the other chickens so he went back into the hills, about two miles from the house, and built a log chicken house and turned the Game chickens loose. Now the Game chickens were just a little wild and were able to fly out of reach of the wild animals, like wolves, and it was not long until he had a big bunch of chickens. It was about 1900 when he turned the chickens loose and in five years there were at least one hundred of them. The only way to get them was to shoot them. When I was back there a few years ago, I was told that they still could see one once in a while.