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Field worker's name Jimmie Birdwell

This report made on (date) December 14, 1937. 193

1. This legend was secured from (name) Fred Dunlap

Address 1107 West Second Street

This person is (male or female) Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.  
White, Negro, Indian,

If Indian, give tribe \_\_\_\_\_

2. Origin and history of legend or story \_\_\_\_\_

A Hideaway Cave

3. Write out the legend or story as completely as possible. Use blank sheets and attach firmly to this form. Number of sheets attached 1

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An Interview with Fred Dunlap, Oklahoma City.  
By - Jimmie Birdwell, Investigator.  
December 14, 1937.

A HIDEAWAY CAVE.

Over in Creek County, one mile east of the little oil town of Slick on the Slick and Beggs Highway, there is an old cave.

This highway has not been there very many years; it used to be just a sandy trail with a few horseback riders and once in a while a wagon coming over it.

The old cave is back in the thick brush and rocks about two hundred yards from the road.

The cave is back under a cliff and was very deep; it runs far back but the top has broken off piece by piece until it is not over twenty feet to the back.

It is claimed that this cave was a "hangout" for the Dalton boys and that it was also used for a shelter for a crowd of horse thieves.

In later years, during the oil boom, this cave was used by moonshiners until the Federal Government broke up the band of moonshiners.