

ORAL HISTORY COLLECTION

MAIN ENTRY: Cagle, Woodrow

DATE OF INTERVIEW: July 3, 2008

LOCATION OF INTERVIEW: Lubbock, Texas

INTERVIEWER: David Marshall

FORMAT: CD

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 4173 2132 9045

LENGTH OF INTERVIEW: 1:46

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE: Woodrow Cagle talks about his childhood in the countryside and the farming skills he has learned. He discusses the city structure of the town he lived in and the weather conditions there. Lastly he reminisces about urban lifestyles.

ABSTRACT:

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TIME STAMP

Background information

0:00

Born in Carter, OK in grandfather's place

Location of Carter

Born October 5, 1918

Smallpox epidemic

Quarantined during epidemic

Water well

Other siblings' places of birth

Uncle's blacksmith shop

Got a tractor in 1923

Model T truck

Left many family members

Camping experience

0:23

Cats owned

Camped on the way

Camp fire and camp food

"Big Prince" and "Slim Prince"

Road conditions	
Caprock and Matador	
A shack lived in	
Source of water	
Early exploration of the area	
Impressions of different kinds of countries	
Worked with older brother	0:39
Two summers of working	
Clinic in the country	
Health problems	
Middle school	0:43
School house	
Favorite seventh grade teacher	
Friends at school	
Favorite subjects	
Farming skills and their effect on school	
Structure of West Texas towns	0:48
School, Church, Post office	
Hardware store	
Existence of buffalos	
Ways to warm up the house	
Distribution of electricity	
Tools of farming	
Cotton market	
Location of the buildings back then	
Selling cream	
4 th of July celebration	
Farming and drought	
Equipment in the gym	
Sand Storms	01:14
Impact on agriculture	
Transported the corps	
Killed a cow	
Church activities	01:18
Only one Methodist church in town	
Sunday school	
Cards with bible verses	
Bell tower	
Church of Christ gathering	
Mom played piano at church	

Bad weather conditions	01:27
Tornado and hail	
Impact on cotton production	
A tornado that destroyed buildings	
Storm pattern	
Hail damage	
Predator problem with the livestock	01:33
Rattlesnake	
Mountain lions	
Big snake 6 feet long	
First impression of Texas Tech	01:41
Football program of Texas Tech	
Called Matadors back in those days	
Uniform of the football team	
The city of Lubbock	

DATE OF BIRTH OF INFORMANT: 1918

GENDER OF INFORMANT: Male

ETHNICITY OF INFORMANT: