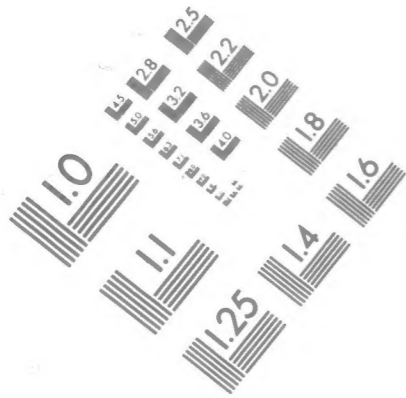
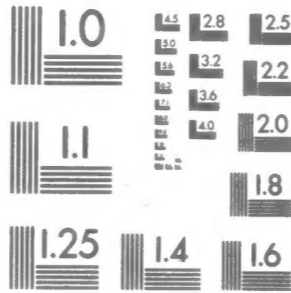
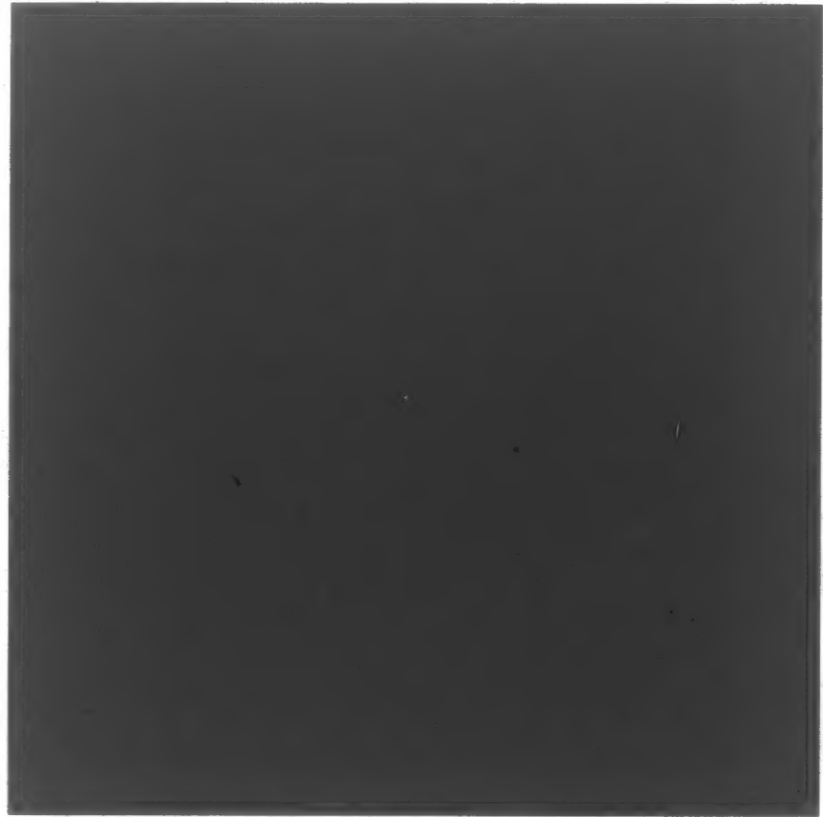
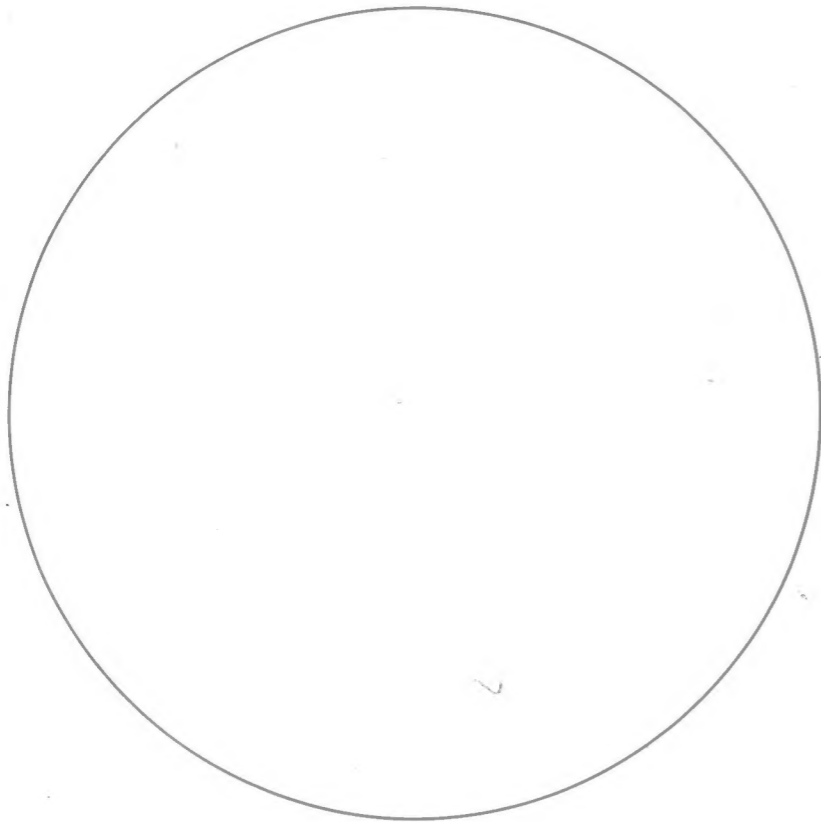
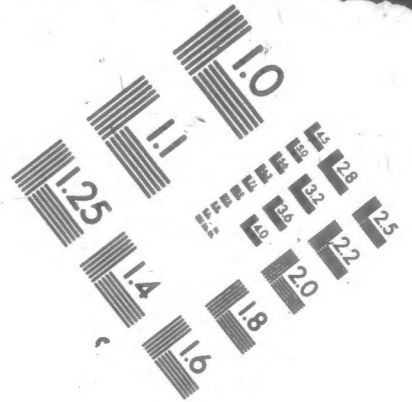


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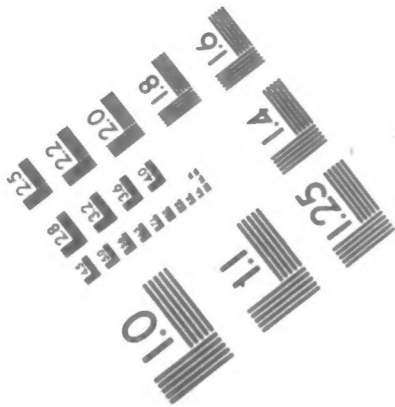
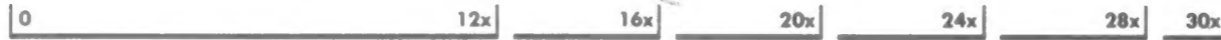


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Lucy LORETTA SMITH

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 19, 1906.

G. A. Welch,

Talihine, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 12, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Kizzie F. Woods and Ada Holson to the birth of Cleo G. Woods, child of Stephen Woods and Kizzie F. Woods, December 14, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-687

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 8, 1906.

Cora J. Smith,

Spire, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 25, 1906, asking if your baby Lucy Loretta Smith has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Lucy Loretta Smith has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Lucy Loretta Smith

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

7-7805

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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[Signature]
COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Lucy Loretta Smith, born on the 11th day of January, 1906
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Zack S. Smith a citizen of the Now Citizen Nation
 Name of Mother: Cora Smith a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Spirs, Ill.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
 District. }

I,, on oath state that I am.....
 years of age and a citizen by..... of the..... Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of....., who is a citizen, by
 of the..... Nation; that a..... child was
[Male or Female]
 born to me on..... day of....., 1906; that said child has been named
 and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... day of..... 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
 District. }

I, Mrs. W. J. Wilkett, a Mid-wife, on oath state that I
 attended on Cora Smith, wife of Zack S. Smith
 on the 11th day of January, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
[Male or Female]
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Lucy Loretta Smith Mrs. W. J. Wilkett

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Jan 1906.

Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Lucy Loretta Smith

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved *SEP 18 1906* 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

7-2805

Born Jan. 11, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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~~Commissioner.~~

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Lucy Loretta Smith, born on the 11th day of January, 1906
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Jack I. Smith a citizen of the Non Citizen Nation
Name of Mother: Cora Smith a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice Spira, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Cora Smith, on oath state that I am 26
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Jack I. Smith, who is a citizen by
Non Citizen of the Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 11th day of January, 1906 that said child has been named
Lucy Loretta Smith, and was living March 4, 1906.
Cora Smith

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June, 1906.
[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }
I, on oath state that I
attended on wife of
on the day of 1906; that there was born to her on said date a
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
.....
WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.
.....
Notary Public.

Choc minor 688

Purcell STEWART

M 688

Certificate of Record of Marriage.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY, } sot.
SOUTHERN DISTRICT. }

I, C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk of the United States Court, in the Territory and District aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the License for and Certificate of Marriage of

Mr. John Stewart and

M Karnie Bosler

were filed in my office in said Territory and

District the 6 day of

Dec A. D. 1904, and

duly recorded in Book 4 of Marriage

Record, Page 440

WITNESS my hand and Seal of said Court,

at Ardmore, this 6 day

of Dec A. D. 1904

C. M. Campbell
CLERK.

Return this license to the United States Clerk at Ardmore, that it may be recorded, when it will be mailed to the proper address.

FILED
AT ARDMORE
DEC 6 1904

C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk
and Ex-officio
District No 21

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

FILED

JUL 19 1906

Commissioner

No person is authorized to perform the Marriage Ceremony in the Indian Territory unless the proper credentials have first been recorded in the Clerk's office.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

No. 1727

United States of America,
Indian Territory,
Southern District } ss.

To any Person Authorized by Law to
Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. Jim Stewart of Ardmore in the Indian Territory, aged 20 years, and M. Kennel Boshaw of Ardmore in the Indian Territory, aged 18 years, according to law; and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

Witness my hand and official Seal, this 22 day of Nov. A. D. 1904
C. M. Campbell.
Clerk of the United States Court.

Certificate of Marriage.

United States of America,
Indian Territory,
Southern District } ss.

I, R. J. Lee

Minister of the Gospel do hereby certify that on the 22 day of Nov. A. D. 1904, I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this 22 day of Dec. A. D. 1904

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Southern District, at Ardmore, Book 24, Page 157.

R. J. Lee
Minister of the G.

NOTE (a)—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, at Ardmore, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100).

See 688
NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Purcell Stewart

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved *NOV 28 1906* 190...

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Sept. 6, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF CIVILIZATION

L. W. D.
JUN 25 1906

[Signature]
COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 29, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Pussell Stewart, born on the 6th day of September, 1905.
Name of Father: Jimm Stewart, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Annice B. Stewart, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: Okmulgee Ind. Terr.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Annice B. Stewart, on oath state that I am nineteen years of age and a citizen by of the Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Jimm Stewart, who is a citizen, by Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was born to me on 6th day of September, 1905; that said child has been named Pussell Stewart, and was living March 4, 1906.



WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of June, 1906.

Wm. H. Russell
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Ridson D. Moore, Physician, on oath state that I attended on Annice B. Stewart, wife of Jimm Stewart, on the 6th day of September, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Pussell Stewart.



WITNESSES TO MARK:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of June, 1906.

Wm. H. Russell
Notary Public.

7-5687

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 20, 1906.

Jim Stewart,

Wheeler, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Kinnie B. Stewart and Rindon D. Moore to the birth of Pursell Stewart, child of Jim and Kinnie B. Stewart, September 6, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of your parents, the time and place application was made for your enrollment and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give your roll number as it appears upon your allotment certificate.

You are requested to forward evidence of your marriage to Kinnie B. Stewart to be used in the matter of the enrollment of your child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

C O P Y

Wheeler, D. T.

July 6, 1906.

Hon Commission of the Five Civilized tribes

I ll answer the questions that you requir of me in regard to the enrolling my baby Purcell Stewart my father name John Stewart my mother name Mollie Stewart my mother made application for enrollment in 1896 was living at Coalgate Choctaw nation the number of my roll on my certificate is 15022

I'll send you my marriage certificate bearing the name of the witnesses and the name of the U S Clerk at Ardmore I, T. I suppose what I have written is satisfactory with the Hon commission

Respectfully,

Jim Stewart

Please return my marriage certificate.

23-688.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 20, 1906.

Jim Stewart,
Wheeler, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 6, giving information, which has enabled this office to identify you upon its records, and inclosing the license and certificate of marriage between Jim Stewart and Kennie Boslan, and same has been filed with the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Purcell Stewart, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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25-388

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 20, 1906.

Jim Stewart,

Wheeler, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 15, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Purcell Stewart.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of this child has not yet been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, but in event additional evidence is necessary to enable this office to determine the right of said child to enrollment you will be duly notified.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-688

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 8, 1906

Jim Stewart,

Wheeler, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 26, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Purcell Stewart.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Purcell Stewart has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when his enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Choc minor 689

Lottie Lee Sniles

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Maskogee, Indian Territory, June 5, 1906.

H. R. Stiles,

Edwards, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Ora D. Stiles and Laura Rushing to the birth of Lottie Lee Stiles, child of H. R. Stiles and Ora D. Stiles, March 4, 1906.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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In reply to the above, look on the roll for Ara D. Folsom now Ara D. Stiles, Roll No 8414

Respectfully yours,

Ara D. Stiles,

Edwards, I. T.

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NEW BORN 199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Lothie Lee Stiles*

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

Approved ~~SEP 18 1906~~ 190


Commissioner.

Born March 4, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Lottie Lee Stiles, born on the 4th day of March, 1906
(Here insert name of child)

Name of Father: H. R. Stiles a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Name of Mother: Ara D. Stiles a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: Ara D. Folsom

Postoffice: Edwards Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Ara D. Stiles, on oath state that I am 17
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of H. R. Stiles, who is a citizen, by
not a citizen of the _____ Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 4th day of March, 1906, that said child has been named
Lottie Lee Stiles, and was living March 4, 1906.

Ara D. Stiles

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of May, 1906.

W. J. Leueantman
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

Laura Rushing Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Ara D. Stiles, wife of H. R. Stiles
on the 4th day of March, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lottie Lee Stiles

Laura Rushing

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of May, 1906.

W. J. Leueantman
Notary Public.

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7-4609.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 2, 1905.

John B. Strong,

Krebbs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is heraby acknowledged of the affidavits of Bridget Strong and J. C. Robinson to the birth of Aloysius Gleason Strong, May 1, 1905.

You are advised that under the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, the Commission was authorized for a period of sixty days from that date to receive applications for the enrollment of children born to enrolled citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations between September 25, 1902, and March 4, 1905, and living on the latter date. It appearing that this child was born May 1, 1905, you will see that the Commission is without authority to enroll said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner in Charge.

7-4609

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 8, 1905.

John B. Strong,

Krebs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 1, 1905, asking if the application for the enrollment of your child Aloysus Gleason Strong has been received and if a child born May 1, 1905, can be enrolled.

In reply to your letter you are advised that affidavits have been received to the birth of a child Aloysus Gleason Strong and on June 2, 1905, a letter was addressed to you acknowledging receipt of these affidavits and advising you that under the provisions of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, children born subsequent to March 4, 1905, could not be enrolled.

The matter of the plate referred to in your letter will be made the subject of another communication.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

7-4609

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 23, 1906.

John Strong,

Krebs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Bridget Strong and J. C. Robinson to the birth of Aloysius Gleason
Strong, child of John and Bridget Strong, May 1, 1905, and the same
have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-690

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 18, 1906.

Mrs. J. B. Strong,
Krebs, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 3, 1906, asking if you can file for your child.

In reply you are advised that the name of your child, Aloysius Gleason Strong, has not yet been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior, and pending her enrollment and the approval thereof by the Secretary of the Interior no selection of allotment can be made in her behalf.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-690

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 20, 1906.

John B. Strong,

Krebbs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 15, 1906, asking if your infant child Aloysius Gleason Strong has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Aloysius Gleason Strong has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when his enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Josephine Louise Thomas

as a citizen of

Wisconsin Nation.

Approved 190...

Commissioner.

23-690



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Aloysius Gleason Strong born on the 1 day of May, 1905
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: John B. Strong a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Bridget Strong a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Post-office Krebs Ind. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central District.

I, Bridget Strong, on oath state that I am 26 yrs 9 mo
years of age and a citizen, by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John B. Strong, who is a citizen, by
Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(male or female.)
born to me on 1 day of May, 1905; that said child has been
named Aloysius Gleason Strong, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Bridget Strong

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of May, 1905.

W. G. Oglesby
NOTARY PUBLIC

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central District.

I, J. C. Robinson, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Bridget Strong, wife of John B. Strong
on the 1 day of May, 1905; that there was born to her on
said date a Female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been
(male or female.)
named Aloysius Gleason Strong.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

J. C. Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of May, 1905.

W. G. Oglesby
NOTARY PUBLIC

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NEW BORN

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Aloysius Gleason Strong

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved ~~SEP 18 1906~~ 190

~~Commissioner.~~

Born May 1, 1905
ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Aloysius Gleason Strong, born on the 1st day of May 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: John Strong, a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Bridget Strong, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw by Inter. Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw by Blood
Postoffice: Krebs, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District District. }

I, Bridget Strong, on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John Strong, who is a citizen, by
Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 1st day of May 1905; that said child has been named
Aloysius Gleason Strong, and was living March 4, 1906.

Bridget Strong

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June 1906.

Chas. B. Rice
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District District. }

I, J. C. Robinson, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Bridget Strong, wife of John Strong
on the 1st day of May 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Aloysius Gleason
Strong.

J. C. Robinson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June 1906.

Chas. B. Rice
Notary Public

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Rena Tashka

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906

Anna Suska

is a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved **SEP 18 1906** 190

[Signature]

Commissioner.

Born June 1, 1905 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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[Signature]
Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Rena Tashka, born on the 1st day of June, 1900.
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Wallace Tashka a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Isabelle (Wilson) Tashka a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: 2314 Tribal enrollment of mother: 3427
 Postoffice: Luskata Ind. Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Isabelle Tashka (ne Wilson) on oath state that I am 21
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Wallace Tashka, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 1st day of June, 1900; that said child has been named
Rena Tashka, and was living March 4, 1906.

Isabelle ^{her} Tashka (ne Wilson)
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { W. H. Home
W. O. Corrington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of May, 1906.

Lacy P. Peto
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Laisa Tashka a mid-wife, on oath state that I
 attended on Isabelle Tashka (ne Wilson) wife of Wallace Tashka
 on the 1st day of June, 1900; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Rena Tashka.

Laisa ^{her} Tashka
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { W. H. Home
W. O. Corrington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of May, 1906.

Lacy P. Peto
Notary Public.

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Homer Baxter ward

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 2, 1906.

Selina Watson,

Koota, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of M. Van Matre to the birth of Mamie L. Watson, child of Adam E. and Selina Watson (nee Luce), July 30, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

No. 386

Certificate of Record of Marriages.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
THE INDIAN TERRITORY, } SCT:
Centerville DISTRICT.

I, *E. J. Furrin*, Clerk
of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. *T. L. Ward* and
Mrs. *Mary Furrington* was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
10 day of Oct, A. D. 1909
and duly recorded in Book 1 of Marriage
Record, Page 197.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court,
at Durant this 10
day of Oct, A. D. 1909

E. J. Furrin
Clerk.
By *M. J. Stone* Deputy

No. 386

FORM No. 598.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT. } SS:

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mrs. I. S. Ward of Coalds in the Indian Territory, aged 34 years, and Mrs. Mary H. H. H. H. of Coalds in the Indian Territory, aged 32 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 6th day of October, A. D. 190 3

E. J. Fanning
Deputy. Clerk of the United States Court.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT. } SS:

I, Wm. W. W. W.
a minister

do hereby CERTIFY, that on the 7 day of Oct, A. D. 1907, I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the BANNES OF MATRIMONY between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this 7 day of Oct, A. D. 190 3

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District, Book B, Page 17

Wm. W. W. W.
a minister of gospel

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the Office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Homer Baxter Ward

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190.....

Commissioner.

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Caddo J.T. June 19 '06

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Homer Bantes Ward, born on the 15 day of January, 1906
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Timothy L Ward a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary Ward a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father 1505 H Tribal enrollment of mother None
Listed on Choctaw Card # 2985
Postoffice Caddo I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

I,, on oath state that I am
years of age and a citizen by of the Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of, who is a citizen, by
....., of the Nation; that a child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on day of, 1.....; that said child has been named
....., and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, John D. Wierker, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mary Ward wife of Timothy L. Ward
on the 15 day of January, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Homer
Bantes Ward.

John D. Wierker, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1906.

C. J. Palston

Notary Public.

My Commission on
expires Oct, 4 - 1907

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Homer Baxter Ward

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation

Approved ~~SEP 20 1906~~ 190

Commissioner

Born Jan 15, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
of Homer Banter Ward born on the 15 day of January, 1906.
Name of Father: Timothy L. Ward a citizen ^{by blood} of the Cherokee Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary Ward a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Father listed on Cherokee Roll # 1595 (if not listed on roll) or mother None
Postoffice Locust J. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Mary Ward (formerly Farrington), on oath state that I am 42
years of age and a citizen by U. S. of the U. S. Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Timothy L. Ward, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 15 day of January, 1906; that said child has been named
Homer Banter Ward, and was living March 4, 1906, and is now present.
Mary Ward

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1906.

B. F. Maddox
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
District.

I, _____, on oath state that I
attended on _____ wife of _____
on the _____ day of _____, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a _____
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named _____

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1906.

Notary Public.

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mamie L. WATSON

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Name of Father Thos. Luce
" " Mother Phoebe Luce

Selina Watson Dilat. no. 3778
Hornhead 21st 1877

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Mamis L. Watson

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation

Approved ~~SEP 20 1906~~ 190

[Signature]
Commissioner

Born July 30, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE, APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... *Choctaw* Nation,
 of *Mamie L. Watson*, born on the *30th* day of *July*, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: *Adam E. Watson* a citizen of the... *Choctaw* Nation.
 Name of Mother: *Selina Watson* a citizen of the... *Choctaw* Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father... *Choctaw* Tribal enrollment of mother... *Choctaw*
 Postoffice... *Koata, P. I.*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, *Selina Watson*, on oath state that I am *19*
 years of age and a citizen by *Blood* of the... *Choctaw* Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of *Adam E. Watson*, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the... *Choctaw* Nation; that a *Female* child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on *30th* day of *July*, 1905; that said child has been named
Mamie L. Watson, and was living March 4, 1906.

Selina Watson
 Matric

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Nicholas M. Silberry
Bibbie McSilberry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22nd* day of *May*, 1906.

M. W. Neuman
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, *M. Van Matre*, a *Physician*, on oath state that I
 attended on *Selina Watson* wife of *A. E. Watson*
 on the *30th* day of *July*, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a *Female*
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named...

Mamie L. Watson *M. Van Matre*

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22nd* day of *May*, 1906.

M. W. Neuman
 Notary Public.

Choc minor 694

Timothy Washington

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COMMISSIONERS:
TAMM BEERY,
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,
C. E. BRACKENRIDGE,
WM. O. BEALL,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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REPORT IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING
7-3719
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ADDRESS ONLY THE
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.


Atoka, Indian Territory, March 31, 1905.

Marcus Washington,
Caney, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is returned herewith marriage certificate issued to yourself and Louisa Wright, certified copies thereof having been made and filed with the records of the Commission.

Respectfully,



Enc. WHC. 31/12

Chairman.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 15, 1906.

Marcus Washington,
Caney, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Louise Washington and J. D. Walker to the birth of Timothy Washington, child of Marcus and Louise Washington, January 18, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to state the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

You are requested to forward evidence of the marriage of yourself and Louise Washington to be used in the matter of the enrollment of your child Timothy Washington.

Respectfully,



Commissioner,

June 20th 1906

Muskogee I. T.

Hon. Tams Bixby

Sir your letter of June 15 is received would say I enclose marriage certificate also a letter date March 31 1905. Roll number 10632 Allotment of land was filed at Choctaw Land office Atoka Homestead Certificate number 563 and allotment certificate number 5242 Was mail it to you on about August 20 1906 for correction taken by by M. K. & T. rail road Company.

Marcus Washington

Osney, I. T.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 18, 1906.

Marous Washington,
Camey, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 20, 1905, enclosing marriage certificate between Marous Washington and Miss Louisa Wright, together with letter from this office of March 31, 1905, returning marriage certificate issued to yourself and Louisa Wright, and letter of June 15, 1906, acknowledging receipt of affidavits to the birth of your child Timothy Washington. You state that Louisa Wright is enrolled at No. 10982; that she has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw Nation, and that the numbers of her homestead and allotment certificates are 563 and 3242, respectively.

In reply you are advised that this information has enabled this office to identify Louisa Wright as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and same has been filed with the records of this office in the matter of the enrollment of your child Timothy Washington.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

CANONICAL

This is certify that MR Marcus Washington and Miss Louisa Wright

of the Choctaw Nation were united by me in the

Holy Bond of Matrimony at Loring Robison Home in the B. I. Co.

County Choctaw Nation on the 11 Day of January 1905 in the

Presence of witnesses

ABEIL WADE Minister of the

CumBex len D Presbyterien Church

NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD
Act Congress approved April
26 th 1906,

TIMOTHY WASHINGTON
as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

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Approved SEP 20 1906 190

Commissioner.

Born Jan. 18, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23 1903

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chectaw Nation,
of Timothy Washington, born on the 18 day of January 1906
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Marcus Washington a citizen of the Chectaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Louisa Washington a citizen of the Chectaw Nation.
Postoffice: Caney, Indian Territory,

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Louisa Washington, on oath state that I am 17
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Chectaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Marcus Washington, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Chectaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 18 th. day of January 1906; that said child has been named
Timothy Washington, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

Louisa Washington

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of May, 1906

Abnorton Phillips
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, J. D. Walker, M.D., on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Louisa Washington, wife of Marcus Washington
on the 18 th day of January 1906; that said child was living March 4, 1906 and is said to have been named Timothy Washington

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

J. D. Walker, M.D.

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of May, 1906

Abnorton Phillips
Notary Public.

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Joetta James

Allen Washington

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Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Jonette James

as a citizen of the

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Jonette James, born on the 1 day of Nov, 1902
(Here insert name of child.)
 Name of Father: Tomie James, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: May James, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Post-Office: Mayhew D. J.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central District. }

I, May James, on oath state that I am 23
 years of age and a citizen, by birth, of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Tomie James, who is a citizen, by
birth, of the Choctaw Nation, that a female child was
(Male or female.)
 born to me on the 1 day of Nov, 1902; that said child has been
 named Jonette James, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK: May James
 (Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of Nov, 1902
Thomas V. McKeon
 Notary Public.
 My Comm. expires Apr. 23-1906

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central District. }

I, Belle Vinson, a midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Mrs. May James, wife of Tomie James
 on the 1 day of Nov, 1902; that there was born to her on said
 date a female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been
(Male or female.)
 named Jonette James.

WITNESSES TO MARK: Belle Vinson
 (Must be Two Witnesses.) Geo W Adair
Tomie James
 Mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of Nov, 1902
Thomas V. McKeon
 Notary Public.
 My Comm. expires Apr. 23-1905

Joe 695
NEW BORN

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Joetta Jamie

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved *JAN 15 1907* 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Nov. 1, 1902

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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[Signature]
COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Joetta James, born on the 1st day of November, 1902.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Thomas James a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary Washington a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Freedman Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw by blood.
Postoffice: Burse, Indian Territory.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Mary Washington on oath state that I am twenty-seven years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of E. D. Washington, who is a citizen, by of the United States Nation; that a female child was born to me on first day of November, 1902; that said child has been named

Joetta James and was living March 4, 1906. I was the lawful wife of Thomas James who was the father of this child at the time she was born. Thomas James died and I have since married E. D. Washington. I am enrolled as Mary James No. 10484.

Mary Washington

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-ninth day of May, 1906.

J. R. Armstrong
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Belle Vinson, a mid-wife, on oath state that I attended on Mary Washington, wife of E. D. Washington on the first day of November, 1902; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Joetta James.

That Mary Washington was at that time the wife of Thomas James.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Heathie Mae Tice
J. R. Armstrong

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-ninth day of May, 1906.

J. R. Armstrong
Notary Public

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

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as a citizen of

..... **Nation.**

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Commissioner. ▾

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Jonette James, born on the 1st day of November, 1902
Name of Father: Thomas James a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary James a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Burse, S.I.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Mary James, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Thomas James, who is a citizen, by
freedman, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 1st day of November, 1902; that said child has been named
Jonette James and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of February 1907

Richard Shansfelt
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Issabelle Vinson, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mary James, whose wife of Thomas James, died,
on the 1st day of November, 1902; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Jonette James

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of February 1907

Richard Shansfelt
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Allen Washington

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Jan. 5, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Allen Washington, born on the 5th day of January, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: E. D. Washington a citizen of the United States ~~MARK~~
Name of Mother: Mary Washington a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Not enrolled Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw by blood
Postoffice: Burse, Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central District. }

I, Mary Washington, on oath state that I am twenty seven
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of E. D. Washington, who is a citizen, by
..... of the United States ~~MARK~~ (that a male child was
[Male or Female])
born to me on fifth day of January, 1905; that said child has been named
Allen Washington and was living March 4, 1906.

Mary Washington

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Twenty-ninth day of May, 1906.

J. A. ...
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central District. }

I, Belle Vinson, a mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Mary Washington, wife of E. D. Washington
on the fifth day of January, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Allen Washington.

Belle Vinson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-ninth day of May, 1906.

J. A. ...
Notary Public.

Choctaw 3705

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 9, 1906.

Mary Washington;

Bogwell, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 4, giving your roll number and stating that you filled out applications for the enrollment of your two children, Jessie James and Allen Washington, and forwarded them to this office but have heard nothing from them since that time.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it does not appear from the records of this office that applications for the enrollment of your two children above named were received at this office under the act of Congress approved March 3, 1903, and under the provisions of that act this office is now without authority to receive or consider original applications for the enrollment of infant children.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-3703

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 8, 1906.

Jas. R. Armstrong,
Boswell, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 29, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Mary Washington and Belle Vinson to the birth of Joetta James, child of Thomas James and Mary Washington, November 1, 1902; also the affidavits of Mary Washington and Belle Vinson to the birth of Allen Washington, child of H. D. and Mary Washington, January 5, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as applications for the enrollment of said children.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 696

Charles Thomas WINTERS

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September 19"1906.

Hon. Commissioner to Five Tribes

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

I herewith inclose you certified copy of the marriage license issued to C. E. Winters and Myrtle Farris, which please file as additional evidence of the parentage of Charles Thomas Winter, minor, in his petition for enrollment as a member of the _____ Tribe of Indians now pending. Please acknowledge receipt.

Very truly,

Alvin F. Pyeatt.

United States of America,
Indian Territory,
Southern District.

SS.

I, C.M. Campbell, Clerk of the United States Court,
within and for the Southern District of the Indian Territory,
do hereby certify that the above is a true and perfect copy of
the original Marriage License issued out of this office on the
30th day of December, ¹⁹⁰⁴ and duly recorded in Book "H" on page
553, of Marriage License Record.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this the
10th day of September, A.D, 1906.

C.M. Campbell, Clerk.

By



Chief Deputy.

RECORDED & INDEXED

CERTIFICATE OF
RECORD OF MARRIAGE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY, } act.
SOUTHERN DISTRICT, }

I, C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk of the United States
Court, in the Territory and District aforesaid, do
hereby certify that the License for an Certificate of
Marriage of Mr. C. E. Winters
and M. Myrtle Farris
were filed in my office in said Territory and District
the 15th day of
January A. D. 1904 and
duly recorded in Book WH of Marriage
Record, Page 553.

Witness my hand and Seal of said Court, at Ard-
more this 5th day
of JANUARY A. D. 1904

C. M. Campbell CLERK

Return this license to the United States Court at Ardmore,
that it may be recorded, when it will be mailed to the
proper address.

No person is authorized to perform the Marriage Ceremony in the Indian Territory unless the proper credentials have first been recorded in the Clerk's office.

Marriage License

No. 51

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, } ss.
INDIAN TERRITORY, SOUTHERN DISTRICT }

To any Person Authorized by Law to
Solemnize Marriage, Creating:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. G.E. Winters of Robberson in the Indian Territory, aged 24 years, and Miss Myrtle Farris of Robberson in the Indian Territory, aged 19 years, according to law; and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official Seal, this 30th day of December A. D. 1906

Seal

G.M. Campbell
Clerk of the United States Court.

By S.H. Wooten, Deputy.

Certificate of Marriage

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, } ss.
INDIAN TERRITORY, SOUTHERN DISTRICT }

A.B. Hughes

A Minister do hereby certify that on the 1st day of January A. D. 1906 I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 1 day of January A. D. 1906

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Southern District, at Ardmore, Book A, Page 108.

A.B. Hughes

Minister.

NOTE (a).—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, at Ardmore, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100).

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I saw all men by their parents
that we Henry Craig Lee Weatherford
and Dean Rayburn were present
and witnessed the marriage of
Winters to Myrtle Farris on Jan 1st 1906

Henry Craig
Dean Rayburn
Lee Weatherford

Southern Dist.
Ind. Ter.

Sworn to before me on
the 26th day of June 1906

Clarence E. Maryland
Notary Public

My Commission Expires June 8-08

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Charles Thomas Winters*

as a citizen of
CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved

~~SEP 20 1906~~

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~~Commissioner.~~

Born Nov. 7, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 2, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Charles Thomas Winters, born on the 7th day of November, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Cliff E. Winters a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Myrtle Winters a citizen of the _____ Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
Postoffice: Robbersville, La.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.
I, Myrtle Winters on oath state that I am 20
years of age and a citizen by _____ of the _____ Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Cliff E. Winters, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 7 day of Nov., 1905; that said child has been named
Charles Thomas Winters and was living March 4, 1906.
Myrtle Winters

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of June, 1906.
My Commission Jan 8-1908 Charles E. Mansfield
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.
I, Dr. C. C. Pruitt a Physician on oath state that I
attended on Myrtle Winters wife of Cliff E. Winters
on the 7th day of November, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Charles Thomas Winters
C. C. Pruitt M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May, 1906.

W. H. Adkins
Notary Public.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 19, 1906.

Cliff E. Winters,

Robberson, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Myrtle Winter and C. G. Pruett to the birth of Charles Thomas Winters, child of Cliff E. and Myrtle Winters, November 7, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It will be necessary that you forward evidence of your marriage to Myrtle Winters to be used in the matter of the enrollment of your child Charles Thomas Winters.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 697

CEO G. Woods

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Oleo G Woods

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

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~~Commissioner.~~

Born Dec. 14, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL LAND OFFICES

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C. A. WELCH

Attorney for

CHOCTAW

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Cleo G Woods, born on the 14th day of December, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Stephen Woods a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Kizzie F Woods a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw by blood Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw by blood
 Postoffice: Talibina Fl

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Kizzie F Woods on oath state that I am 36
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Stephen Woods who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a ~~child~~ child was ~~born~~
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 14th day of December, 1905; that said child has been named
Cleo G Woods and was living March 4, 1906.

Kizzie F Woods

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June, 1906.

A A Kelch
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Ada Holson acting Midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Kizzie F Woods wife of Stephen Woods
 on the 14th day of December, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Cleo G
Woods

Ada Holson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two with cases]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June, 1906.

A A Kelch
Notary Public

Choc minor 698

Rose Anna Wallen

Sm 698

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 31, 1906.

Sim Wallen,

McCartain, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Hiney Wallen and Sarah Wallen to the birth of Rose Anna Wallen, child of Sim and Sinney Wallen, January 23, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It appears from the affidavits that your wife, Sinney Wallen, is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct, you are requested to state when, where and under what name application was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and other members of her family for whom application was made at the same time, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

McCurtain, Ind. T.

June 9, 1906.

Commissioner to Five Tribes;

Muskogee, I. T.

In Replying to yours of May 31, 1906, Siney Wallen my wife was
Siney Thomas daughter of Loman Thomas, and her roll number is
7883.

Respectfully,

Siney Wallen.

Enclosed also please find marriage certificate of Watson Wallen
and Follie Smith both Choctaws by blood.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Rose Anna Hallie*

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

SEP 20 1906

Approved _____ 190



Commissioner.

Born Jan. 23, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Rose Anna Wallen, born on the 23 day of January 1906.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Sim Wallen a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Simney Wallen a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 8008 Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
Postoffice: Mc. Couston Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Simney Wallen, on oath state that I am 17 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Sim Wallen, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was born to me on 23 day of January 1906; that said child has been named Rose Anna Wallen, and was living March 4, 1906.

Simney her Wallen mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { F. E. Parke
Leroy E. Parke

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of May, 1906.

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Frank E. Parke
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Sarah Wallen, a Midwife, on oath state that I attended on Simney Wallen, wife of Sim Wallen, on the 23 day of Jan 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Rose Anna Wallen.

Sarah her Wallen mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { F. E. Parke
Leroy E. Parke

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of May, 1906.

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Frank E. Parke
Notary Public.

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Martha Taylor

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Alikehi, Indian Territory, May 29, 1906.
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In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Martha Taylor, minor child of Benjamin Taylor, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5860, Field Card No. 2045, and Sallie Taylor, nee Lowman, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 2743, Field Card No. 1032.

BENJAMIN TAYLOR, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

--:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:--

HAMPTON JOEL, ^{Official} ~~Public~~ Interpreter:

- Q What is your name ? A Benjamin Taylor.
Q How old are you ? A 35.
Q What is your post office address ? A Bethel.
Q Application has just been made for the enrollment of Martha Taylor. Are you the father of this child ? A Yes, sir.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of your father ? A Sam Taylor.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A A-the-a-hona.
Q What was your former wife's name ? A Hinnie.
Q Is she dead ? A Yes, sir.
Q What are the names of your deceased children ? A Josephine, Jorum and Alixen.

The name of Benjamin Taylor appears as No. 5860 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 2045.

- Q What is the name of the mother of this child Martha Taylor ? A Sallie Taylor.
Q Is Sallie Taylor your wife ? A Yes, sir.
Q What was her maiden name ? A Sallie Lowman.
Q What was her father's name ? A Ellis Lowman.
Q What was her mother's name ? A Lista Lowman.

The name of Sallie Lowman appears as No. 2743 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 1032.

- Q You have not your marriage certificate with you ? A No, sir.
Q Are you and Sallie Taylor, who was Sallie Lowman, living together now as husband and wife ? A Yes, sir.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his

stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.

Edw. W. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 29th day
of May, 1906.

W. W. Martin

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Martha Taylor

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

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Born Aug. 14, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Martha Taylor, born on the 14th day of August, 1905.
Name of Father: Benjamin Taylor a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sallie Taylor, ne Lowman a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Bitter, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Sallie Taylor, on oath state that I am 19
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Benjamin Taylor, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 14th day of August, 1905; that said child has been named
Martha Taylor and was living March 4, 1906.
Sallie Taylor

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of May, 1906.

W. W. Martin

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Lista Lowman, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Sallie Taylor, wife of Benjamin Taylor
on the 14th day of August, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Martha Taylor.
Lista Lowman

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of May, 1906.

W. W. Martin

Notary Public.

Choc minor 700

Simon Lester Scott

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Application for
the removal of
status from Simon
born May 30, 1902
application of
Simon Lester West.
a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation

~~Approved~~

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~~Simon Lester West~~
born May 30, 1902
application of
Simon Lester West
a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation

Commissioner

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

Born May 30, 1902

Simon Lester West
a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation
application for enrollment
of infant child
In the matter of the ap-

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In the matter of the application for enrollment of infant child Simon Lester Scott as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Born May 30, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Application for
enrollment of
Simon Lester Scott
a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation
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Application of
May 2, 1906
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enrollment of
Simon Lester Scott
a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation
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Application
of
May 2, 1906
Read from book

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Commission to the FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

HERE application for Enrollment of the Choctaw Nation.
of Simon Lester Scott, born on the 30th day of May
1875
Name of father: Chapling Scott / a citizen of the Choctaw
Nation.
Name of the mother: Phoebe Ethel Scott, a citizen of the Choctaw
Nation.
Post Office: Lebanon, T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
Indian Territory.

Southern DISTRICT.

I, Phoebe Ethel Scott, on oath, state that I am 22 years
of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the
lawful wife of Chapling Scott who is a citizen by inter marriage
of the Choctaw Nation that a male child was born to me on the
30th day of May 1905, that said child has been named Simon
Lester Scott and is now living.

Witness to me
O. B. Morrison
Jas. M. Hanna

X Phoebe Ethel Scott
her mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of May 1906.

F. J. Hamilton

My Commission Expires Jan 17th 1907.
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
Indian Territory

Southern DISTRICT.

I, Rebecca Robbins on oath, state that I attended
on Mrs. Phoebe Ethel Scott wife of Chapling Scott
on the 30th day of May 1905; that there was born to her on said day
a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been
named Simon Lester Scott.

Witness to me
O. B. Morrison
Jas. M. Hanna

X Rebecca Robbins
her mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of May 1906.

F. J. Hamilton
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Jan 17th 1907.

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mona wilson

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

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as a citizen of

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Mona Wilson, born on the 3 day of May, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Raymond Wilson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Matilda Wilson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 19.14 Tribal enrollment of mother: 12.87
Postoffice: Octavia, Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Matilda Wilson, on oath state that I am 34
years of age and a citizen by intention of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Raymond Wilson, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 3rd day of May, 1905; that said child has been named
Mona Wilson and was living March 4, 1906.
Matilda Wilson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of November, 1906.
[Signature] Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Beatrice Littel, on oath state that I
Matilda Wilson, wife of Raymond Wilson
on the 3rd day of May, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Mona Wilson
Beatrice Littel

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of November, 1906.
[Signature] Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Mona Wilson

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

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Born May 3, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE CIVIL SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Mona Wilson, born on the 3 day of May 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Raymond Wilson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Matilda Wilson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice Octavia I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

Matilda Wilson on oath state that I am 34
years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Raymond Wilson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 3 day of May 1905; that said child has been named
Mona Wilson, and was living March 4, 1906.

Matilda Wilson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of June 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Raymond Wilson on oath state that I
attended on Matilda Wilson, wife of [Signature]
on the 3rd day of May 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Mona Wilson

Raymond Wilson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

United States Of America,)
Central District, (SS.
Indian Territory.)

I, E. T. Goolsby, being duly sworn, on oath state that I am 16 years of age; that my post office address is Octavia, Indian Territory; that I was living with the family of Raymond Wilson and his wife, Matilda Wilson, on the 3rd day of May, 1905, and I know that a female child was born to said Matilda Wilson on said date; that said child has been named Mona Wilson, and was living March 4, 1906.

E. T. Goolsby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 7th day
of June, 1906.

W. W. Martin
Notary Public.

Choctaw Nation,
County of Nashoba

April 9th, 1896.

To the Hon Co. Clerk
of N. C. C.

This is to certify that I have on this 9th day of
April A.D. 1896 solemnized joint together and married Raymond Wilson
of Nashoba County C. N. and Telle Smith citizen of the United
State of America this 9th day of Aprile.

H. J. Ludlow.

Co. & Pro. Judge N.C.C.N.

I do hereby I have Received this certificate and Holy Bond of
Metarimony and recorded this 8 day of May A.D., 1896.

Given under my hand this 8 day of May, A.D., 1896.

(SEAL)

C. J. Taylor, Co. & Pro. Clk

Nashoba County, C. N.

The above certificate is true and correct this 26th day of Sept.
A. D. 1896.

C. J. Taylor Co. & Pro. Clk. N.C.C.N.

Department of the Interior, Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes
Filed Mar. 18, 1904.

Fans Bixby,
Chairman.

I, Hattie A. Hammer, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing
is a true, accurate and correct copy of the marriage license and cer-
tificate of Raymond Wilson and Telle Smith, which is on file with
the records of this office in Choctaw jacket No. 769.

Hattie A. Hammer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of May, 1906.

W. W. Chappell
Notary Public

(SEAL)

BILL OF DIVORCE.

THE CHOCTAW NATION,

In Circuit Court of the Second Judicial District, regular December term 1884, a petition of Martha Pisachobbe being presented by Watkins Attorney in said Court, for a Bill of Divorce, setting forth the acts, etc. and after the Court hearing the Testimony in regard to the petition do order and decree that a Bill of Divorce be issued to the applicant, Martha Pisachobbe.

THEREFORE, I do issue a Bill of Divorce to said applicant, Martha Pisachobbe forever releasing her from the Bonds of Matrimony heretofore existing between Martha Pisachobbe and Craven Pisachobbe

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 5th day of December, A.D. 1884.

Ben Watkins.

→ Circuit Clerk, 2nd District,
C.N.

(SEAL)

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Bill of Divorce in case of Martha Pisachobbe Versus Craven Pisachobbe. This the 9th day of November, A. D., 1904.

C. J. Anderson,
Circuit Clerk 2nd Dist. C N.

Octavia, I. T.,
Nov. 16 A.D. 1904.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Gentlemen: the name Grayin Pisachubbe on this Bill of Divorce, is my
Choctaw name, the name I was known by when this Divorce was ob-
tained.

Yours respectfully,

Raymond Wilson,

Octavia, I. T.

Indorsed on back,

Department of the Interior, Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes
Filed Nov. 21, 1904.

James Bixby,
Chairman.

I, Hattie Hammer, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five
Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is
a true, accurate and correct copy as to the explanation of the name
in Bill of Divorce of Raymond Wilson, now on file with the records
of this office in Choctaw jacket No. 769.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of December, 1906.

Hattie Hammer
Hattie W. Chappell
Notary Public.

BILL OF DIVORCE.

THE CHOCTAW NATION,

In Circuit Court of the Second Judicial District, Regular December term 1894, a petition of Raymond Wilson, being presented by A. W. James, Attorney in said Court, for a Bill of Divorce, setting forth the acts, etc. and after the Court hearing the Testimony in regard to the petition do order and decree that a Bill of Divorce be issued to the applicant, Raymond Wilson.

THEREFORE, I do issue a Bill of Divorce to said applicant Raymond Wilson, forever releasing him from the Bonds of Matrimony heretofore existing between Raymond Wilson and Elizabeth Wilson.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 5th day of December, A. D. 1894.

Ben Watkins,
Circuit Clerk, 2nd District, C.N.

(SEAL)

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of decree of divorce issued to Raymond Wilson Versus Elizabeth Wilson.

This 19th day of March, A. D. 1904.

C. J. Anderson,

Circuit Clerk, 2nd District
Choctaw Nation.

Indorsed on back.

Department of the Interior. Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Filed Nov-21, 1904.

Chairman

23-701

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Raymond Wilson,

Octavia, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Mona Wilson, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward the affidavit of one disinterested witness who has actual knowledge of the facts, that the child was born the date of her birth, and that she was living on March 4, 1906.

You should give this matter your prompt attention as nothing further can be done in this case until this affidavit is received.

Respectfully,

Commissioner,

23-701

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

Raymond Wilson,

Octavia, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 7, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Matilda Wilson and Beatrice Littell to the birth of Norma Wilson, child of Raymond and Matilda Wilson, May 3, 1905, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 702

Robert Anderson, JR

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7-4230

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 27, 1906.

R. B. Coleman,
Attorney at Law,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 13, 1906, enclosing affidavits of Rosa Anderson and Tykina Christ to the birth of Robert Anderson, child of Robert and Rosa Anderson, July 19, 1905.

You are advised that the affidavit of Robert Anderson heretofore forwarded to the birth of Robert Anderson, Jr., gives the date of the birth of said child as March 16, 1905, and it will be necessary that new affidavits be forwarded showing the correct date of his birth. For the purpose of assisting you in this matter there is enclosed you herewith a partially filled out application which you will please have executed and return to this office at the earliest date practicable. You will note that I have left blank the date of the birth of Robert Anderson, Jr., and you will please insert the correct date of his birth.

Respectfully,

Encl. W.M. 25/2

Commissioner.

23-702.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 14, 1906.

Rosa Anderson,
McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 2, in closing affidavits of Rosa Anderson and Texannie Crist to the birth of your child, Robert Anderson, Jr., on July 19, 1905, and requesting that your husband, Robert Anderson, be not permitted to file on the allotment for your child, as he has deserted you and does not support you or your children.

The affidavits inclosed in your letter have been filed in the matter of the application for the enrollment of said child.

You are advised that the question of who shall select allotments for children cannot be determined until formal application is made at the land office.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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25-702

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 20, 1905.

Robert Anderson,
McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Rosa Anderson and Texie Annie Christ to the birth of Robert Anderson, Jr., child of Robert and Rosa Anderson, July 19, 1905, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-702

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 20, 1906.

A. B. Coleman,

McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 17, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of Robert Anderson, child of Robert and Rosa Anderson, as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Robert Anderson, Jr., child of Rosa and Robert Anderson, has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior, but this office has not yet been notified of Departmental action thereon.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Smithville, Indian Territory, June 5, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Robert Anderson, Jr., minor child of Robert Anderson, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 13334, Field Card No. 4830, and Rosie Anderson, Choctaw by intermarriage, Roll No. 590, Field Card No. 4830.

ROBERT ANDERSON, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

--:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:--

- Q What is your name ? A Robert Anderson.
Q How old are you ? A About 35.
Q What is your post office address ? A Bethel.
Q What is the name of your father ? A Thomas Anderson.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A Siney Anderson.

The name of Robert Anderson appears as No. 13334 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 4830.

- Q You have just made affidavit relative to the birth of Robert Anderson, Jr., - are you the father of this child ? A Yes, Sir.
Q When was Robert Anderson, Jr. born ? A Born March 16, I think just about, of the year 1905.
Q Has any application been made before this time for the enrollment of this child ? A No, sir.
Q What is the name of the mother of this child ? A Rosie Anderson.
Q Is she an intermarried citizen of the Choctaw Nation ? A. Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of her father ? A Her father name Sam Wheat.
Q What is the name of her mother ? A Martha Wheat.
Q Was Rosie Anderson at one time your wife ? A Yes, sir.

The name of Rosie Anderson appears as No. 590 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Intermarriage, Field Card No. 4830.

- Q Are you and Rosie Anderson now separated ? A Yes, sir.
Q Have you been divorced ? A Yes, sir.
Q When were you and your wife, Rosie Anderson, separated ? A. We separated last April a year ago somewhere along there.
Q April of what year ? A 1905.
Q Were you and Rosie Anderson living together as husband and wife when this child, Robert Anderson, Jr. was born ? A Yes, sir.

- Q Since the birth of this child you and she have separated ?
A. Yes, sir.
- Q With whom does this child, Robert Anderson, Jr., live ?
A. Lives with his mother.
- Q Is the child's mother, Rosie Anderson, living ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Where does she live now ? A She lived at Howard, Arkansas, the last time I heard.
- Q Is this child, Robert Anderson, Jr., living now ? A Yes, sir.
- Q And he lives with his mother, Rosie Anderson, at Howard, Arkansas ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Is there anyone here who was present when this baby, Robert Anderson, Jr., was born ? A No, sir, no one here.
- Q Since you and Rosie Anderson have been separated have you remarried ? A Yes, sir.
- Q What is your present wife's name ? A. Her name is Podenia-, used to be Podenia Watson but Podenia Anderson now.
- Q You have not anything to do with the care and custody of this child, Robert Anderson, Jr., have you ? A No, sir.
- Q Do you know whether the mother of the child, Rosie Anderson, intends to make application for its enrollment ? A I don't know, I am feared they might not put in application for him and that is how come I to put in application for him.
- Q You make this application then simply to protect the ~~rights~~ rights of this child not knowing that his mother will appear to make application for the baby's enrollment, is that correct ? A Yes, sir, that is correct.
- Q Who was present when this baby was born besides yourself and Rosie Anderson ? A A fellow named Tom Crist - him and his wife were present.
- Q What is his wife's name ? A Annie Crist, I believe.
- Q Where does Annie Crist live now ? A At old McAlester last time I heard. The man's a coal digger and they might have moved somewhere else now.
- Q Did you have a physician to attend on your wife when this child was born ? A Yes, sir.
- Q What was his name ? A Mr. Connally at Coalgate.
- Q Does he live at Coalgate now ? A Yes, sir.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.



Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 5th day of June, 1906.



Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Robert Anderson Jr

as a citizen of

Schweitzer Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Robert Anderson, Jr., born on the 19 day of July, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Robert Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Rosie Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 1333 3/4 Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
Postoffice: McAlester, Indian Territory.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Rosie Anderson, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert Anderson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 19th day of July, 1905; that said child has been named
Robert Anderson, Jr. and was living March 4, 1906.

Rosa Anderson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Aug, 1906.

D.W. Hopkins

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Trxian Christ, a Mid-Wife, on oath state that I
attended on Rosie Anderson, wife of Robert Anderson
on the 19th day of July, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Robert Anderson, Jr.

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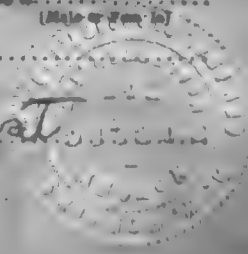
WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Aug, 1906.

D.W. Hopkins

Notary Public.



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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Robert Anderson, Jr.

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

7-4830.

Born March 16, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Robert Anderson, Jr., born on the 16th day of March, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Robert Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Rosie Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:

Postoffice: { Father: Bethel, Ia.
mother: Howard, Arkansas,

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Robert Anderson, on oath state that I am
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I ~~was~~ ^{was} the lawful ~~wife~~ ^{husband} of Rosie Anderson, who is a citizen, by
Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female)
said Rosie Anderson born to me on or about 16th day of March, 1905; that said child has been named
Robert Anderson, Jr., and was living March 4, 1906, and I am the
father of said child. Robert Anderson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1906.

M. Martin

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

..... District. }

I, on oath state that I
 attended on wife of
 on the day of; that there was born to her on said date a
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress approved
April 26, 1906.

Robert Andrewou

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

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Approved..... 190...

~~Signature~~
Commissioner.

Born July 19, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Robert Anderson born on the 19th day of July 1905
Name of Father: Robert Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw
Name of Mother: Rosa Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw
Tribal enrollment of father: 13334 Tribal enrollment of mother: [unclear]
Postoffice: [unclear]

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.
I, Rosa Anderson on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by [unclear] of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert Anderson, who is a citizen, by
Blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child
born to me on 19th day of July 1905; that said child has been named
Robert Anderson and was living March 4, 1906.

Rosa Anderson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July 1906.

D. W. Hopkins

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.
I, Isaac Christ Midwife on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Rosa Anderson, wife of Robert Anderson
on the 19th day of July 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Robert
Anderson.

Isaac Christ

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July 1906.

D. W. Hopkins

Notary Public.

ChOC minor 703

Willie Ervin Anderson

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7-5626

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 4, 1906.

Tom Anderson,

Pontotoc, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 28, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Alice Anderson and O. W. Rice M. D., to the birth of Willie Eric Anderson, child of Thomas and Alice Anderson, August 25, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

23- 703

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Thomas Anderson,

Pontotoc, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

It appears from the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your minor child, Willie Ervin Anderson, that the name of your wife, Alice Anderson, is given as "Mrs. Thomas Anderson", in the affidavit of the physician, and for the purpose of correctly showing her name, there is inclosed herewith affidavit which please have O. W. Rice execute and return to this office as early as practicable.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

25-705.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 1, 1906.

Tom Anderson,

Pontotoc, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 24, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child, Willie Irvin Anderson.

In reply you are advised that there has this day been addressed to you a letter stating fully the evidence necessary in the matter of the enrollment of this child.

It is desired that the matter receive immediate attention in order that early disposition may be made of this case.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-763

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 23, 1906.

Thomas Anderson,
Pontotoc, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of O. W. Rice to the birth of Willie Ervin Anderson, child of Thomas and Alice Anderson, August 25, 1906, and the same has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

This is to certify that Tom Anderson and Allece Ridge was celebrated for rite of Marriage Tom Anderson is a citizen of the said Nation and resident of Jacks Fork County Allece Ridge she is a citizen of the United State have appeared before me for rite of marriage and I Joseph B. James have marry the cupple according the constitution and laws of the Choctaw Nation, this the 19th day of April A. D. 1897.

(signed) Joseph B. James.

witness

Rev W. B. Anderson
J. D. Anderson.

I, Lola Mann, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original certificate of marriage of Tom Anderson and Alice Ridge, now on file with the records of this office in Choctaw jacket No. 5626.

Lola Mann

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of December 1906.

Walter P. Chappell
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 22, 1906.

Willie Erwin Anderson

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Willie Ervin Anderson, born on the 25th day of August, 1905 -
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Thomas Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Alice Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: 1154 Tribal enrollment of mother: 1536
 Postoffice: Pontaloc, S.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District. }

I, on oath state that I am
 years of age and a citizen by of the Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of who is a citizen, by
 of the Nation; that a child was
[Male or Female]
 born to me on day of; that said child has been named
 and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, O. W. Rice, a Physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Alice Anderson, wife of Thomas Anderson
 on the 25th day of August, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Willie Ervin
Anderson.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of Nov, 1906.

Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Willie Eavin Anderson

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved *NOV 28 1906* 190

Commissioner.

Born Aug. 25, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Willie Ervin Anderson, born on the 25 day of August, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Thomas Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Alice Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw

Postoffice: Pontotoc Ind Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Alice Anderson on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Thomas Anderson, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
born to me on 25th day of August, 1905; that said child has been named
Willie Ervin Anderson and was living March 4, 1906.

Alice Anderson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of May, 1906.

M. S. Bradford

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, O. W. Rice a Physician on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Thomas Anderson, wife of Thomas Anderson
on the 25 day of August, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Willie Ervin Anderson.

O. W. Rice M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 1906.

W. S. Kelly

Notary Public.

Choc minor 704

Jerome G. Arndt

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7-4630

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 7, 1906.

W. M. Arndt,

McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mary E. Arndt and Annie Selby to the birth of Jerome G. Arndt, child of W. M. Arndt and Mary E. Arndt, November 20, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Jerome G. Urndt

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906 190



Commissioner.

Born Nov. 20, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Jerome E. Arndt, born on the 20th day of November, 1905.
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: W. M. Arndt a citizen of the United States Nation.
 Name of Mother: Mary E. Arndt a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother 12797.....
 Postoffice W. Hester Ind. Territory.....

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District,

I, Mary E. Arndt, on oath state that I am 37
 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of W. M. Arndt, who is a citizen, by
 of the United States Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 20th day of November, 1905; that said child has been named
Jerome E. Arndt, and was living March 4, 1906.

Mary E. Arndt

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 1906.

R. S. Coleman
 My Commission expires Feb 4th 1908 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District,

I, Annie Selby, a Midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Mary E. Arndt, wife of W. M. Arndt
 on the 20th day of November, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Jerome E.
Arndt.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 1906.

R. S. Coleman
 My Commission expires Feb 4th 1908 Notary Public.

Choc minor 705

Heber De WITT Aston

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 31, 1906.

Charles S. Aston,

Quinton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Chlora A. Aston (nee Chlora A. Fulsom) and J. Pendergraft to the birth of Heber DeWitt Aston, child of Charles S. Aston and Chlora A. Aston (nee Chlora A. Fulsom), October 23, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct, you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Quinton, Ind. Ter.

6/6/1906.

Hon. Tams Bixby,

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Ind. Ter.

Sir:

In reply to yours dated May 31st 1906.

Will say that my parents names are William S. Fulsom and Ophelia Fulsom, application for enroll was made at South McAlester, in Sept. I think the year was 1894 in the Name of Chlora A. Fulsom, I have selected an allotment of lands in the Choctaw Nation and my Roll No. is 12618.

If this information is not satisfactory you will please let me know.

Respectfully,

Chlora A. Aston,
(nee Chlora A. Fulsom)

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 12, 1906.

Chlora A. Aston,
Quinton, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 6, 1906, in which you state that you are a daughter of William S. and Ophelia Folsom and were enrolled under the name of Chlora A. Folsom, your roll number being 12618.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the information contained therein has enabled this office to identify you upon its records as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child Heber DeWitt Aston have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Commissioner.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Maskogee, Indian Territory, October 6, 1906.

Chlora A. Aston,
Cornish, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Replying to that portion of your letter of September 12, 1906, in which you ask if you can file for your child Heber DeWitt Aston you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward new affidavits to the birth of your child Heber DeWitt Aston October 23, 1906, being careful to see that the Notary Public before whom the affidavits are acknowledged affixes his seal to each separate affidavit. For this purpose there is inclosed herewith new blank and the matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

W. C. Beall

Acting Commissioner.

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23-706

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Chas S. Aston,
Quinton, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed you herewith for execution application for the enrollment of your infant child, Heber DeWitt Aston, born October 23, 1905.

In having these affidavits executed care should be exercised to see that all names are written in full, as they appear in the body of the affidavits, and that each affidavit is executed before a Notary Public and that the notarial seal and signature of the officer is attached to each separate affidavit.

This matter should receive your immediate attention as no child until ~~the~~ received.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 13, 1906.

Charles S. Aston,

Quinton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Chlora A. Aston (nee Folsom) and J. Pendergraft to the birth of Henry Aston child of Charles S. Aston and Chlora A. Aston (nee Folsom) October 23, 1906, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 23, 1900.

Heber Willitt Aston

as a citizen of

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Heber De Witt Aston, born on the 23rd day of October, 1905
[Note: Insert name of child]
Name of Father: Chas. S. Aston a citizen of the U.S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Clara A. Aston (nee Tolson) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: #12618
Postoffice: Quinton, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Western District. }
I, Clara A. Aston on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Chas. S. Aston, who is a citizen, by
..... of the U.S. Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 23rd day of October, 1905; that said child has been named
Heber De Witt Aston and was living March 4, 1906.

x Clara A. Aston (nee Tolson)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of November, 1906.

L. B. Williams,
Quint Co., Texas, Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Western District. }
I, J. Pendergraft Physician on oath state that I
attended on Clara A. Aston wife of Chas. S. Aston
on the 23rd day of October, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Heber De Witt
Aston

x J. Pendergraft

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Nov., 1906.

James M. White,
Notary Public.

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

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as a citizen of

Choctaw. Nation

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~~Commissioner.~~

Born Oct. 23, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chectaw Nation,
of Heber DeWitt Aston, born on the 25th day of October, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Chas. S. Aston a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Chlora A. Aston (nee Chlora A. Fulson) a citizen of the Chectaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Not enrolled Tribal enrollment of mother: Chectaw
Postoffice: Quinton, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Western District.

I, Chlora A. Aston, on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Chectaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Chas. S. Aston, who is a citizen, by U.S.
United States of the United States Nation; that a Male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 25th day of October, 1905; that said child has been named
Heber DeWitt Aston, and was living March 4, 1906.

Chlora A. Aston (nee Chlora A. Fulson)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of MAY, 1906.

J. M. White



AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Western District.

I, J. Pendergraft, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Chlora A. Aston, wife of Chas. S. Aston
on the 25th day of October, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Heber DeWitt Aston

J. Pendergraft

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1906.

J. M. White

Notary Public.

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Gardner Baker

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a
citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation of

GARDNER BAKER.....23-706.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Smithville, Indian Territory, June 5, 1906.
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In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Gardner Baker, minor child of Davis Baker, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 1474, Field Card No. 632, and Silvina Baker, nee Miashintubi (now deceased), Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 13428, Field Card No. 5612.

DAVIS BAKER, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

---:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:---

Through Holton Hayes, Official Interpreter:

- Q What is your name ? A Davis Baker.
Q How old are you ? A 24.
Q What is your post office address ? A Bethel.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of your father ? A John Baker.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A Elsie Baker.

The name of Davis Baker appears as No. 1474 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 632.

- Q You have just made application for the enrollment of Gardner Baker - are you the father of this child ? A Yes, sir.
Q When was Gardner Baker born ? A March 4, 1906.
Q Gardner Baker was born on the 4th day of March of this year, 1906 ? A Yes, sir.
Q What time in the day ? A At seven o'clock in the evening.
Q Do you know what day of the week it was ? A Sunday.
Q You state on oath, do you, that this child, Gardner Baker, was born on Sunday the 4th day of March, 1906 ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of the mother of this child ? A Silvina Baker.
Q What was her name before you married her ? A Miashintubi.
Q Was Silvina your wife ? A Yes, sir.
Q Were you legally married to her ? A Yes, sir.
Q What was her father's name ? A Barnes Miashintubi.
Q What is the name of her mother ? A Mary Miashintubi.

The name of Silvina Miashintubi appears as No. 13428 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 5612.

- Q You and Susan Noah have made affidavit that Silvina Miashintubi died on the 10th day of April, 1906, is that correct ? A Yes, sir.
Q This Silvina Miashintubi who died on April 10, 1906, is the same person as your wife, Silvina Baker, who is the mother of this child Gardner Baker, is she ? A Yes, sir.

- Q You and Susan Noah have also made affidavit that this child, Gardner Baker, died on the 6th day of March, 1906, is that right ? A Yes, sir.
- Q How long did this child, Gardner, live ? A Child was born on Sunday and died on the next Tuesday.
- Q Who was present when this child, Gardner Baker, was born ? A. This man and that woman.
- Q What are their names ? A Simeon Noah and Susan Noah.

Witness excused.

SUSAN NOAH, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

Through Helton Hayes, official interpreter.

- Q What is your name ? A Susan Noah.
- Q How old are you ? A 34.
- Q What is your post office address ? A Noah.
- Q Are you a citizen of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you know Davis Baker ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Did you know his wife, Silvina Baker, who was Silvina Miahintubi ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Were you present when Gardner Baker was born ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Is Davis Baker the father of this child ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Is his wife, Silvina, the mother of the child ? A Yes, sir.
- Q When was this child, Gardner Baker, born ? A 4th of March, 1906.
- Q Do you know what day of the week that was ? A On Sunday.
- Q What time of the day was the child born ? A About seven o'clock.
- Q Did you wait on Silvina Baker at the birth of this child ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Is this child, Gardner Baker, living now ? A No, sir, dead.
- Q When did he die ? A He died on March 6, 1906.
- Q What day of the week was that ? A Tuesday.

Witness excused.

SIMEON NOAH, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

- Q What is your name ? A Simeon Noah.
- Q How old are you ? A 36.
- Q What is your post office address ? A Noah.
- Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you know Davis Baker ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Did you know his wife, Silvina ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Is Silvina dead ? A Yes, sir.
- Q When did she die ? A 10th day of April, 1906.
- Q Do you live close to these people ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you know anything about the birth of their child Gardner Baker ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Were you present when this child was born ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Are you a physician ? A I am not a doctor but I attend to business of this kind.
- Q Did you wait on Silvina Baker at the birth of this child in the capacity of a doctor ? A Yes, sir.
- Q How when was this baby, Gardner Baker, born ? A 4th of March, 1906.
- Q What day of the week was that ? A Sunday.

- Q Is this child, Gardner Baker, living now ? A No, sir.
- Q Do you know when he died ? A Yes, sir, he died on the 6th of March, 1906.
- Q Do you know what day of the week that was ? A Yes, sir, Tuesday.
- Q What time of the day was this baby born ? A About seven o'clock in the evening.
- Q Gardner Baker was born about seven o'clock on Sunday the 4th day of March, 1906, and died the following Tuesday, is that right ? A Yes, sir.
- Q You know all of this of your own personal knowledge, do you ? A Yes, sir.
- Q You were present when this baby was born ? A Yes, sir.

Witness excused.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.

Wm. L. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 5th day of June, 1906.

Wm. L. Martin
Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

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a citizen of the

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Gardner Baker
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Noah (Here insert name of postoffice.) Ind. Ter., and died on the 6 day of
March, 1906.

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Davis Baker, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Noah (Here insert name of postoffice.) Ind. Ter.; that I am
Father of Gardner Baker
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Gardner Baker died on the 6 day of
March, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Davis Baker

(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1906.

Daniel J. Griffin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
DISTRICT.

I, S. B. Noah, on oath state that I am 34
years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Noah (Here insert name of postoffice.) Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Gardner Baker
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Gardner Baker died on the 6 day of
March, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

S. B. Noah

(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1906.

Daniel J. Griffin
Notary Public.

23-706.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Gardner Baker as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on June 5, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Gardner Baker as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (Public No. 129).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that the applicant, Gardner Baker, was born on March 4, 1906, and is the son of Davis Baker, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, whose name appears as number 1474 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 12, 1902, and Silvina Baker, whose name (as Silvina Miashintubi) appears as number 13428 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 19, 1903; and that said applicant died on March 2, 1906.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that Gardner Baker should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (Public No. 129), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 2, 1906.

Davis Baker,
Bethel, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 2, 1906, granting the application for the enrollment of Gardner Baker as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations have been furnished a copy of this decision and have been allowed fifteen days from the date of this notice within which to file protest against his enrollment. If at the expiration of that time no protest has been filed, the name of Gardner Baker will be placed upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

W. B. Bixby

Commissioner.

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 2, 1906.

G. B. Weeks,
Attorney at Law,
Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified that the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on October 2, 1906, rendered his decision granting the application for the enrollment of Gardner Baker as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations have been furnished a copy of the decision and have been allowed fifteen days from the date of this notice within which to file protest against his enrollment. If at the expiration of that time no protest has been filed, the name of Gardner Baker will be placed upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED
Tams Dixby
Commissioner

Registered:

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 2, 1906.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 2, 1906, granting the application for the enrollment of Gardner Baker as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from the date of this notice within which to file protest against his enrollment. If at the expiration of that time no protest has been filed, the name of Gardner Baker will be placed upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tamoc Bixby
Commissioner.

Registered.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Gardner Baker

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

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Born March 4, 1906

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Gardner Baker, born on the 4th day of March, 1906
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Davis Baker a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Silvina Baker ne miashintubi Choctaw a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Bethel, Ia

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Davis Baker, on oath state that I am 24
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful ~~wife~~ ^{husband} of Silvina Baker ne miashintubi ^{now dead,} who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to ~~me~~ ^{my said wife} on 4th day of March, 1906, that said child has been named
Gardner Baker, and was living March 4, 1906, but died march
6, 1906. Davis Baker

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1906.
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Susan Noah, a mid wife, on oath state that I
 attended on Silvina Baker wife of Davis Baker
 on the 4th day of March, 1906, that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Gardner Baker, and
 said child died March 6, 1906. Susan R. Noah
Noah

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1906.
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 22, 1902.

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as a citizen of

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Gardner Baker, born on the 4th day of March, 1906
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Davis Baker, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Sulphina Baker, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Noah, Ind. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Davis Baker, on oath state that I am 24
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful ^{husband} wife of Sulphina Baker ^{now deceased}, who ^{was} a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
 born to me on 4th day of March, 1906; that said child has been named
Gardner Baker and was living March 4, 1906.

Davis Baker

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1906.
Daniel J. Griffin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Simon Noah, on oath state that I
 attended on Sulphina Baker wife of Davis Baker
 on the 4th day of March, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Gardner Baker.

Noah Carter Simon Noah

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1906.
Daniel J. Griffin
 Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

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a citizen of the

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Silvina Washintubi
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Alkchi (Here insert name of postoffice.), Ind. Ter., and died on the 10th day of
April, 1906

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }
I, Davis Baker, on oath state that I am 34
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Bethel, Ind. Ter.; that I am
Husband of Silvina Washintubi
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Silvina Washintubi died on the 10th day of
April, 1906

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Davis Baker

(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1906

W. H. Martin

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }
I, Susan Noah, on oath state that I am 34
years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Noah, Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Silvina Washintubi
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Silvina Washintubi died on the 10th day of
April, 1906

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Susan L. Noah
mark

(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1906

W. H. Martin

Notary Public.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 20, 1906.

C. B. Weeks,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 27, 1906, enclosing affidavits of Davis Baker and Simeon Noah to the birth of Gardner Baker, child of Davis and Silvine Baker, March 4, 1906; also affidavits of Davis Baker and S. N. Noah to the death of Gardner Baker March 6, 1906, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Bessie Lee Betts

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Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Bessie Lee Petta

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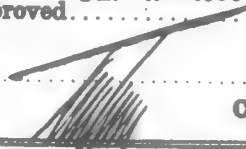
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Commissioner.

Born Dec 31, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MIXORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Bessie Lee Betts, born on the 31st day of Dec, 1905.
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Charley A. Betts a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Ora Lee Betts a citizen of the _____ Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
 Postoffice: Otoka, I.T. R.F.D. # 1.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Ora Lee Betts, on oath state that I am 19 years of age and a citizen by _____ of the _____ Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Charley A. Betts, who is a citizen, by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was born to me on 31st day of December, 1905; that said child has been named Bessie Lee Betts and was living March 4, 1906.

Ora Lee Betts

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of June, 1906.

J. L. Hieronymus
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Emerline Betts, a midwife, on oath state that I attended on Ora Lee Betts, wife of Charley A. Betts on the 31st day of Dec, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Bessie Lee Betts.

Emerline Betts
Her mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of June, 1906.

J. L. Hieronymus
Notary Public.

7-4368

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 14, 1906.

Charley A. Betts,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Ora Lee Betts and Emerline Betts to the birth of Bessie Lee Betts, child of Charley A. and Ora Lee Betts, December 31, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-707

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 18, 1906.

Charlie A. Betts,

R. F. D. No. 1,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 10, 1906, in which you ask the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Bessie Lee Betts.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Bessie Lee Betts has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which is now being prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-707

No. 1901

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY.) ss
CENTRAL DISTRICT.)

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage-
Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish
the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. C. A. Betts of Atoka, in the
Indian Territory aged 30 years, and Miss Ora Lee York of Atoka
in the Indian Territory, aged 16 years according to law, and do
you officially sign and return this license to the parties therein
named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 9 day of September
A. D. 1903.

E. J. Fannin,
Clerk of the United States Court.

J. D. Catlin,
Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) I. J. W. Slaten a Minister of
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss the Gospel do hereby certify that
CENTRAL DISTRICT.) on the 9 day of Sept. A. D. 1903
I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing
License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony be-
tween the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 10 day of Sept. A. D. 1903.
My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of
the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District,
Book C Page 47.

I. W. Slaten,
a Minister.

must
Note-This License and Certificate of Marriage, be returned to the
Office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Terri-
tory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date
thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable
in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (100.00).

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD OF MARRIAGES.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,) act.
CENTRAL DISTRICT,)

I, E. J. Fannin, Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of Mr. C. A. Betts and Miss Ora Lee York was filed in my office in said Territory and District the 21 day of Sept. A. D. 1903 and duly recorded in Book 2 of Marriage Record, Page 336.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at Atoka, this 21 day of Sept. A. D. 1903.

E. J. Fannin,
Clerk.

By J. D. Catlin,
Deputy.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage license and certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

Choc minor 708

Clarence Bishop

Clara Bishop

m 708

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MINOR
CHOCTAW
ENROLLMENT

CLARANCE BISHOP
CLARA BISHOP

As Citizen of the
CHOCTAW NATION
Act of Congress
Approved April 26, 1906

DECISION RENDERED NOV 16 1906

DISMISSED Nov 16 1906

Copy of Decision forwarded
Attorneys for Choctaw and
Chickasaw Nations Nov 16 1906

COPY OF DECISION FORWARDED
APPLICANT NOV 16 1906

RECORD FORWARDED DEPARTMENT NOV 16 1906

DEC 22 1906 BRIEF & AGREEMENT FILED WITH
COM.

DEC 28, 1906 " " " " Forwd. Dept.

ACTION APPROVED BY
SECRETARY OF INTERIOR FEB 16 1907

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENT ACTION MAR 2 1907
MAILED PARTIES HEREIN

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FEB 21-07 MOTION AND BRIEF DENIED BY
DEPT.

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENTAL ACTION
MAILED PARTIES HEREIN
APR 24 1907

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

COPY,

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Clarence Bishop, born on the 28 day of Jan, 1904
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Hugh A. Bishop a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Eunice Bishop a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice Tupelo S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Eunice Bishop, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Hugh A. Bishop, who is a citizen, by
marriage, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 28 day of Jan, 1904; that said child has been named
Clarence Bishop, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of April, 1905.
(Seal) R. J. Bredmore
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, W. H. McBryer, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Eunice Bishop, wife of Hugh A. Bishop
on the 28th day of January, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Clarence Bishop

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of April, 1905.
(Seal) W. J. Whitman
Notary Public.

New Born

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Clarence Bishop
as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

Jan 28 1904

Act of Congress approved March 30 1905

Department of the Interior
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes

Filed

Apr 17 1905

James Bixby
Chairman

Choctaw
1480

Received
Apr 17 1905

New Born

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Clara Bishop

as a citizen of

Chactaw

Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

Born Jan 28 1904

act of Congress approved March 30 1905

*Department of the Interior
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes*

Filed

Apr 17 1905

*James Bixby
Chairman*

*Chactaw Received.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Copy

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Clara Bishop, born on the 28 day of Jan, 1904.
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Hugh A. Bishop a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Eunice Bishop a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice Tupelo S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Eunice Bishop, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Hugh A. Bishop, who is a citizen, by
marriage, of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 28 day of Jan, 1904; that said child has been named
Clara Bishop, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses) }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of April, 1905.
(Seal) R. T. Breedlove
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, W. H. McBrayer, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Eunice Bishop, wife of Hugh A. Bishop
on the 28th day of January, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Clara Bishop

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses) }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of April, 1905.
(Seal) W. J. Whitman
Notary Public.

H.F.

7-1480-NB

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

--: D E C I S I O N :--

It appears from the record herein that on April 17, 1905 there were filed with the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes applications for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and the records of this office that the applicants were born January 28, 1904, and are children of Eunice Bishop, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation whose name appears opposite number 15870 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of said nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior June 12, 1905, and Hugh A. Bishop, a recognized and enrolled citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

The Act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212) among other things provides:

"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of children born subsequent to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and prior to March fourth, nineteen hundred and five, and who were living on said latter date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this act; and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

I am of the opinion that, inasmuch as the enrollment of said Eunice Bishop, the mother of the applicants herein, through whom they claim, was not approved prior to March 3, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes was without authority to receive or consider the applications for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that, therefore, I should decline to receive or consider such applications, under the provision of law above quoted, and so is so ordered.

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

OCT 6- 1905

7-NE-1480

COPY

Maskogee, Indian Territory, October 8, 1906.

Hugh A. Bishop,

Tupelo, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 6, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your minor children, Clarence and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Y. M. D. D.

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 7-NE-1480.

7-11-2480

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 6, 1905.

COPY

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 6, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Clarence and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commissioner is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

STONED

Tame Dixby
Commissioner

Incl. 7-11-2480

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 6, 1908.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is herewith transmitted the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 6, 1908, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tatus Bixby

Commissioner.

2 Incl. 7-ND-1450.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

G.R.

LLB

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

D.C. 18997-1906.
I.T.D. 18510-1905.

May 14, 1906.

L.R.S.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskegee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Pursuant to section 2 of the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (Public No. 129), providing for the enrollment of children who were minors living March 4, 1906, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the approval hereof, the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, born January 28, 1904, whose applications were denied by you on October 6, 1905, for the reason that the enrollment of the parent of said children had not been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212) is returned to you for readjudication in view of the later act of April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Jesse R. Wilson

Assistant Secretary.

In inclosure
Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

7-MB-1480

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 31, 1906.

Manafield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on May 14, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior returned the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence and Clara Bishop, children of Hugh A. and Eunice Bishop, as new born citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, for readjudication under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Hugh A. Bishop, father of the applicants, has been notified of Departmental action in this case and has been advised to forward new affidavits to the birth of said children.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tamm Bixby.

Commissioner.

7-HB-148

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 31, 1906.

Hugh A. Bishop,
Tupelo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

May 14, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior returned the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your children Clarence and Clara Bishop as new born citizens of the Choctaw Nation for readjudication under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906. It will now be necessary that new affidavits be filed to the birth of these children showing that they were living March 4, 1906, and for this purpose there is inclosed herewith blanks for the enrollment of minor children under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tame Bixby.*

Commissioner.

S. B. C.

(COPY-DeB)

Atoka, Ind. Ter. July 17th, 1906.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

We enclose herewith the applications of Clarence and Clara Bishop, born Jan. 28th, 1904, being twins; their mother's name is Eunice Bishop and the father's name is Hugh A. Bishop. You will notice that the applications state that these children were living on the 4th day of March, 1905, and that it is not contended that they were living on the 4th day of March, 1906 both having died after March 4th, 1905 and prior to March 4th, 1906 and they are the same children rejected by your Commission in 7-1480-NE under date of October 6th, 1905, for the reason that at that time the Commission held that the parents of these children not being approved, their children could not be enrolled.

We desire a decision on the present status of the case according to the two acts taken together.

Kindly file these applications and notify us of your action and oblige,

Very respectfully,

Ralls Brothers.

IN RE

**Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD**

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... Clarence Bishop

as a citizen of

..... Choctaw

..... Nation.

Approved.....

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.....
Commissioner.

JUL 18 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the.....Choctaw.....Nation,
of Clarence Bishop born on the 28 day of Jan..... 1904.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Hugh A. Bishop a citizen of the..... Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Eunice Bishop a citizen of the..... Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father by intermarriage Tribal enrollment of mother..... blood
Postoffice..... Tupelo, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central District. }

I, Eunice Bishop on oath state that I am Twenty-four
years of age and a citizen by blood of the..... Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of..... Hugh A. Bishop who is a citizen, by
..... Intermarriage of the..... Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 28 day of January 1904.; that said child has been named
..... Clarence Bishop and was living March 4, 1906
..... Eunice Bishop

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Annice Davis
(SEAL) { Theo Bishop

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July 1906.

..... Wm. K. Morgan
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central District. }

I, W. H. McBrayer a Physician, on oath state that I
..... Eunice Bishop wife of..... Hugh A. Bishop
on the 28 day of January 1904.; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Clarence Bishop

..... W. H. McBrayer, M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
(SEAL) {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July 1906.

..... M. J. Whiteman
Notary Public.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 20, 1906.

Clara Bishop

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

JUL 18 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Clara Bishop, born on the 28 day of January 1904
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Hugh A. Bishop a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Eunice Bishop a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Intermarriage Tribal enrollment of mother: Citizen by blood.
Postoffice: Tupelo, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Eunice Bishop, on oath state that I am 24 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Hugh A. Bishop, who is a citizen, by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was born to me on 28 day of January 1904; that said child has been named Clara Bishop, and was living March 4, 1906.

Eunice Bishop

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] } Annice Davis }
(SEAL) } Theo Bishop }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July 1906.

Wm. K. Morgan

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, W. H. McBrayer, a physician, on oath state that I attended on Eunice Bishop, wife of Hugh A. Bishop, on the 28 day of January 1904; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Clara Bishop.

W. H. McBrayer

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] }
(SEAL) }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July 1906.

W. J. Whiteman.

Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

Clarence Bishop
a citizen of the

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
F I L E D
AUG 23, 1906,
Tams Bixby Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Clarence Bishop
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Tupelo, Ind. Ter., and died on the 2 th day of
September, 1905.

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
(SEAL) Central DISTRICT. }

I, Hugh A. Bishop, on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen, by Marriage, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Tupelo, Ind. Ter.; that I am
the father of Clarence Bishop
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Clarence Bishop died on the 2 day of
September, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

James C. Griffith

Sloan Roberts

Hugh A. Bishop

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug. 1906

W. S. Partain

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
(SEAL) Central DISTRICT. }

I, Sloan Roberts, on oath state that I am 22
years of age, and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Owl, Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Clarence Bishop
who was a citizen, by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation,
and that said Clarence Bishop died on the 2 day of
September, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

T. T. Knight

J. A. Hargrave

Sloan Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of AUG 1906

W. S. Partain

Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

Clara Bishop
a citizen of the

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES
F I L E D
AUG 23 1906
Tams Bixby Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Clara Bishop
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Tupelo, Ind. Ter., and died on the 7 day of
September, 1905.
(Here insert name of postoffice.)

(SEAL)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Hugh A. Bishop, on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen, by Marriage, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Tupelo, Ind. Ter.; that I am
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
the father of Clara Bishop
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Clara Bishop died on the 7 day of
September, 1905.
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Hugh A. Bishop

(Must Be Two Witnesses.) {
James C. Griffith
Sloan Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug., 1906.

W. S. Partain
Notary Public.

(SEAL)

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Sloan Roberts, on oath state that I am 22
years of age, and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Owl, Ind. Ter.;
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
that I was personally acquainted with Clara Bishop
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Clara Bishop died on the 7 day of
September, 1905.
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Sloan Roberts

(Must Be Two Witnesses.) {
O. H. Mathews
T. T. Knight

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of AUG., 1906.

W. S. Partain
Notary Public.

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23-700,
O.L.J.

DoB.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

-: D E C I S I O N :-

It appears from the record herein that on April 17, 1905, written application was made to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (33 Stats. 1070).

From the record herein it appears that applicants were born January 28, 1904, and are the children of Eunice Bishop, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, whose name appears as No. 15370 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior June 12, 1905, and Hugh A. Bishop, a recognized and enrolled citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation, whose name appears as No. 1455 upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior June 12, 1905.

October 6, 1905, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes declined to receive or consider the applications for the enrollment of the above named applicants as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (33 Stats., 1070), for the reason that the enrollment of Eunice Bishop, the mother of said applicants, was not approved prior to March 3, 1905.

The Department on May 14, 1906 (I. T. D. 15510-1906), returned the record in the matter of said application for readjudication in view of the provisions of Section 2 of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

On July 18, 1906, written application was made for the enrollment of said applicants under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

The record herein further shows that Clarence Bishop died on September 2, 1905, and that Clara Bishop died on September 7, 1905.

Section 2 of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137) provides:

"That for ninety days after the approval hereof applications shall be received for enrollment of children who were minors living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at

the approval hereof, and for the purpose of enrollment under this section illegitimate children shall take the status of the mother, and allotments shall be made to children so enrolled.

It is therefore ordered that the applications for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation be, and the same is, hereby dismissed.


Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

Hugh A. Bishop,
Tupelo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered November 16, 1906, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Vlarance Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Bixby
Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-708.

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

Rall Brothers,
Attorneys at Law,
Atoka, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered November 16, 1906, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

SIGNED *James D. Diddy*

Commissioner.

Registered

Incl. - 23-708.

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered November 16, 1906, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

W. H. D. D. D.
Commissioner.

Incl. 23-708.

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

October 6, 1906, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered his decision declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and on the same day the record in the case was forwarded the Secretary of the Interior.

May 14, 1906, the Department returned the original record for readjudication under the provisions of Section Two of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137).

It appearing that these children died prior to March 4, 1906, on November 16, 1906, the application for their enrollment was dismissed by the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, and is, together with decision and subsequent proceedings, transmitted for the consideration of the Department.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Bixby

Commissioner.

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Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
CLARENCE BISHOP AND CLARA BISHOP FOR
ENROLLMENT AS CITIZENS BY BLOOD OF THE
CHOCTAW NATION. BRIEF AND ARGUMENT.

The Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes on Nov. 16th, 1906 denied the application of Clarence and Clara Bishop for enrollment as members of the Choctaw Tribe of Indians, for the reason that said children were not living on March 4th, 1906.

We admit that the children the applicants, were not living March 4th, 1906, but we contend that the Commissioner erred in refusing to admit said applicants on their application which was filed April 17th, 1905.

The Commissioner contends that because the parents of the applicants were not approved as citizens on the day the original applications were made by their children, that the Commission had no authority to hear said applications; we contend that the fact that the applications of the two children were made during their life-time and filed in due time under the law of March 3rd, 1905 and pending the decision of the Interior Department on the rights of the parents, gives the children the absolute right to be enrolled when their parents are finally admitted as citizens. To hold that the children could not be admitted under the circumstances of this case we consider, would be a great injustice and wholly unwarranted. The very fact that the parents of the applicants had their applications pending and were finally admitted to citizenship, is conclusive evidence to our mind, that the children should be admitted as under the law of March 3rd, 1905. This would be true in any case in the United States Court in a matter

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true in a case of this kind.

The fact that the parents were not finally approved by the Department prior to March 4th, 1905, should not be considered a bar to the admission of their children whose applications were then pending.

We are unable to see any reasonable legal excuse on the part of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for refusing to enroll the applicants herein, for unquestionably, they are Indians by blood and should be enrolled under the Law of March 3rd, 1905 or the law of April 26th, 1906.

In our opinion they should be enrolled under the former law as they had, at that time, complied with all the rules and regulations of the Department and were at the time the applications were made.

Believing that you will consider this matter in the light of the facts and from an equitable and legal standpoint, we ask that the judgment of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes be set aside and the children, Clarence and Clara Bishop be duly enrolled as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

Ralls & Brothers

Attorneys for Applicants.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 26, 1906.

The Honorable,
The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

October 6, 1905, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes transmitted the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence and Clara Bishop, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of March 3, 1905, together with decision of that date declining to receive or consider said application.

May 14, 1906 (I.T.B. 15510-1906) the record in this case was returned by the Department for readjudication under Section 4 of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1904.

November 10, 1906, the record in this case was returned to the Department, together with decision of that date dismissing the application for the enrollment of these children for the reason that they died prior to March 4, 1904.

I now have the honor to transmit herewith brief and argument of Hall Brothers for consideration in connection with this case.

Respectfully,

Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

Acting Commissioner.

C.R.W.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

D.C. 9979-1907.
I.T.D.
3290-1907.

February 16, 1907.

IRS

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

May 14, 1906, the Department returned the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, in view of the provisions of Sec. 2 of the Act of Congress, approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137).

Nov. 16, 1906, you rendered a decision adverse to the applicants, in which the Indian Office concurred. The Department also concurs and your decision is affirmed.

The papers have been returned to the files of the Indian Office, as well as a copy hereof.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan

First Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

February 13, 1907.

The honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

Referring to Department letter of May 14, 1906 (I. T. D. 15510-1905) there is enclosed a report from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated November 16, 1906, relative to the application for enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. On November 14, 1906, the Commissioner dismissed the applications.

The record shows that the applicants are the children of Eunice Bishop, an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Hugh A. Bishop, an enrolled citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

On July 19, 1904, written application was made for the enrollment of the applicants under the provisions of the Act of April 26, 1906, (34 Stat. L., 137). The record further shows that Clarence Bishop died on September 2, 1905, and that Clara Bishop died on September 7, 1905. Therefore by virtue of the Act of April 26, 1906 (34 Stat. L., 137), the applicants are not entitled to enrollment.

It is therefore recommended that the decision of the Commissioner adverse to the applicants be approved.

Very respectfully,

J. P. B. - HL

C. V. Larrabee, Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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I.T.D. 3290-1907.
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February 21, 1907,

L. R.S.

Direct.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

February 18, 1907, the Indian Office transmitted brief on behalf of the applicants in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

On February 15, 1907, the Department affirmed your decision adverse to the applicant.

The aforesaid brief shows no reason for changing departmental action, which is accordingly adhered to.

The brief has been returned to the Indian Office for its files, together with a copy hereof. Copy of Indian Office letter is enclosed.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan,
First Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

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February 19, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed herewith a communication from the Acting Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated December 28, 1906, enclosing a brief filed in his office by Rollé Brothers for consideration with the case of Clarence and Clara Bishop, applicants for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The record in this case was transmitted to the Department on February 13, 1907, (Land 102748-1906).

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1907.

Hugh A. Bishop,

Tupelo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on February 16, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered November 16, 1906, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1907.

Rails Brothers,

Attorneys at Law,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on February 15, 1907,
 the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the
 Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered Novem-
 ber 16, 1906, dismissing the application for the enrollment
 of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of
 the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-118-1480

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1907.

Mansfield, Mc Murray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on February 16, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered November 16, 1906, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

23-708

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 24, 1907.

Hugh A. Bishop,

Muskele, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on February 21, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior adhered to his decision of February 16, 1907, affirming the decision of this office of November 16, 1906, dismissing the applications for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and held that the brief filed on behalf of said applicants shows no reason for changing departmental action.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 24, 1907.

Halls Brothers,
Attorneys at Law,
Atoka, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on February 21, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior adhered to his decision of February 16, 1907, affirming the decision of this office of November 16, 1906, dismissing the applications for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and held that the brief filed on behalf of said applicants shows no reason for changing departmental action.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-708.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 24, 1907.

Mansfield, McKurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Chectaw and Chickasaw Nations.

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on February 21, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior adhered to his decision of February 16, 1907, affirming the decision of this office of November 16, 1906, dismissing the applications for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation, and held that the brief filed on behalf of said applicants shows no reason for changing departmental action.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-708

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 1, 1906.

Balls Brothers,

Attorneys at Law,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sirs:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 17, 1906, enclosing applications for the enrollment of Clarence and Clara Bishop, twin children of Hugh A. and Eunice Bishop, born January 28, 1904.

You state that it is not contended that these children were living March 4, 1906; that both died after March 4, 1905, and are the same children rejected by the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes under date of October 6, 1905, for the reason that the parents not having been approved prior to March 4, 1905, the children could not be enrolled. You desire a decision on this case under the Acts of March 3, 1905, and April 26, 1906, taken together.

In reply you are advised that the affidavits to the birth of Clarence and Clara Bishop have been filed with the record in this case.

For the purpose of making the death of these children a matter of record there are enclosed you herewith two blanks which

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please have executed and return to this office as early as practicable.

Respectfully,

J. D. Co.

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 24, 1906.

Ralls Brothers,

Attorneys at Law,

Atoka, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 15, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Hugh A. Bishop and Elean Roberts to the death of Clara Bishop and Clarence Bishop, which occurred September 7, 1906, and September 2, 1906, respectively, and the same have been filed with the records in the matter of the enrollment of said children.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 26, 1906.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

October 6, 1906, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes transmitted the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence and Clara Bishop, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of March 3, 1906, together with decision of that date declining to receive or consider said application.

May 14, 1906 (I.T.D.15610-1906) the record in this case was referred by the Department for readjustment under Section 2 of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

November 16, 1906, the record in this case was returned to the Department, together with decision of that date dismissing the application for the enrollment of these children for the reason that they died prior to March 3, 1906.

I now have the honor to transmit herewith brief and argument of Balls Brothers for consideration in connection with this case.

Respectfully,

Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

Acting Commissioner,

C.R.W.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

D.C. 9979-1907.
I.T.D.
3290-1907.

February 16, 1907.

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DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

May 14, 1906, the Department returned the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, in view of the provisions of Sec. 2 of the Act of Congress, approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137).

Nov. 16, 1906, you rendered a decision adverse to the applicants, in which the Indian Office concurred. The Department also concurs and your decision is affirmed.

The papers have been returned to the files of the Indian Office, as well as a copy hereof.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan

First Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

February 12, 1907.

The honorable,
The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

Referring to Department letter of May 14, 1906 (I. T. D. 18810-1906) there is enclosed a report from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated November 16, 1906, relative to the application for enrollment of Clarence Bishop and Clara Bishop as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. On November 14, 1906, the Commissioner dismissed the applications.

The record shows that the applicants are the children of Eunice Bishop, an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Hugh A. Bishop, an enrolled citizen by intermarriage

On July 18, 1906, written application was made for the enrollment of the applicants under the provisions of the Act of April 26, 1906, (34 Stat. L., 137). The record further shows that Clarence Bishop died on September 2, 1906, and that Clara Bishop died on September 7, 1906. Therefore by virtue of the Act of April 26, 1906 (34 Stat. L., 137), the applicants are not entitled to enrollment.

It is therefore recommended that the decision of the Commissioner adverse to the applicants be approved.

C. J. [Name], Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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D. C. 10979-1907.
I.T.D. 3200-1907.
4144-1907.

February 21, 1907.

S. M.

Direct.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

February 16, 1907, the Indian Office transmitted brief on behalf of the applicants in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Nishey and Clara Nishey, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

On February 16, 1907, the Department affirmed your decision adverse to the applicant.

The aforesaid brief shows no reason for changing depart-

The brief has been returned to the Indian Office for its files, together with a copy thereof. Copy of Indian Office letter is enclosed.

Respectfully,

Thos. Ryan,
First Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

D. C. 10929-1907.
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February 19, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed herewith a communication from the Acting Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated December 28, 1906, enclosing a brief filed in his office by Hollis Brothers for consideration with the case of Clarence and Clara Bishop, applicants for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The record in this case was transmitted to the Department on February 13, 1907, (Land 102743-1906).

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Alma Dormal

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

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Approved..... 1906

~~Signature~~

Commissioner.

Born Sept. 17, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Ahwa Darnuel born on the 17th day of Sept 1905
Name of Father: Adam Darnuel a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lilly Darnuel a citizen of the Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother:

Postoffice: Pan Lodge, Dist 14, A.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Creek District.

I, Lilly Darnuel on oath state that I am 19
years of age and a citizen by of the Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Adam Darnuel, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a girl child was
born to me on 17th day of Sept 1905; that said child has been named
Ahwa Darnuel and was living March 4, 1906.

Lilly Darnuel

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of May 1906.

J M Garty

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Creek District.

I, Annie Mastin a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Lilly Darnuel, wife of Adam Darnuel,
on the 17th day of Sept 1905; that there was born to her on said date a girl
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Ahwa.

Annie Mastin

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of May 1906.

J M Garty

Notary Public.

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD

STATE OF ARKANSAS }
COUNTY OF SEBASTIAN FORT SMITH DIST. }

I, T. N. REED, Clerk of the County Court of said County, certify that the above License for and
Certificate of Marriage of Mr. Adam Donueal and
M^{rs} Ida Belle Mathis were on the 19th
day of Dec 1904, filed in my office and the same are now duly recorded on page
124 of Book 2 of Marriage Records.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said County, this 19 day of Dec 1904
T. N. Reed Clerk

By _____ D. C.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Mr. Adon Donnell

TO

Miss Silki Mastin

NOTE.—This License, with Certificate duly executed and officially signed, must be returned to the office from whence it was issued within sixty days from the date of License, under penalty of forfeiture of the Bond. No minister of the Gospel is authorized to solemnize the rites of matrimony until he shall have his license or credentials recorded in some county in the State. He should then fill out the above blank certificate.

Filed for record this 19 day
of June 1904
Y. J. [Signature] Clerk
By _____ D. C.

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Marriage License



STATE OF ARKANSAS
COUNTY OF SEBASTIAN
FORT SMITH DISTRICT

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the rite and publish the bans of Matrimony between Mr. Adam Danvers of Oak Grove in the County of Chicot State of Ark aged 22 years, and Miss Lillie Mashie of Oak Grove in the County of Chicot State of Ark aged 18 years, according to Law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties herein named.

Witness my hand and official seal this 19 day of Dec 1904.

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COUNTY CLERK

BY _____

DEPUTY CLERK

Certificate of Marriage

STATE OF ARKANSAS
COUNTY OF Sebastian

I, J. G. W. Good do hereby certify that on the 19 day of December 1904, I did, duly and according to Law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the rite and publish the bans of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this 19 day of December 1904

My credentials are recorded in Recorder's office Sebastian County, Ark.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 8, 1906.

Adam Darneal,

Oaklodge, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of Lilly Darneal and Annie Martin to the birth of Alma Darneal, child of Adam and Lilly Darneal, September 17, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

You are requested to forward evidence of your marriage to Lilly Darneal to be used in the matter of the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-2670

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 16, 1906.

Adam Darneal,

Oakledge, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the marriage license and certificate of Adam Darneal and Lillie Mastin, and the same have been filed with the records in the matter of the enrollment of Alma Darneal.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Salina Bohanan

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Smithville, Indian Territory, June 6, 1906.
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In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Salina Bohanan, minor child of Jesse Bohanan and Sophia Bohanan, Choctaws by blood, Roll Nos. 2017 and 2018, Field Card No. 799.

AMY BOHANAN, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

---: EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER: ---

Through Jamison Lewis, Official Interpreter.

- Q What is your name ? A Amy Bohanan.
Q How old are you, Amy ? A I cannot tell you how old I am.
Q About how old are you ? A, About 32.
Q What is your post office address ? A Smithville, I.T.
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know Jesse Bohanan ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know his wife Sophia Bohanan ? A Yes, sir.
Q They have made affidavit here relative to the birth of Salina Bohanan - is Jesse Bohanan the father of this child?
A. Yes, sir.
Q Is Sophia Bohanan the child's mother ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know when this baby, Salina, was born ? A November 5, 1905.
Q Do you live close to these people ? A Yes, sir.
Q Are you any kin to Jesse Bohanan ? A Yes, sir, I am his sister.
Q Do you know this child, Salina Bohanan, to be the child of Jesse Bohanan and his wife Sophia Bohanan ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is this baby living now ? A Yes, sir.

Witness excused.

JESSE BOHANAN, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

Through Jamison Lewis, Official Interpreter.

- Q What is your name ? A Jesse Bohanan.
Q How old are you ? A I think I am about 42.
Q What is your post office address ? A Smithville.
Q Sophia Bohanan has just made affidavit relative to the birth of Salina Bohanan - are you the father of this baby ?
A. Yes, sir.
Q Is Sophia Bohanan your wife ? A Yes, sir.
Q When was Salina born ? A November 5, 1905.
Q Was there anyone present with your wife when this baby, Salina, was born ? A No, sir.

- Q Where were you at that time ? A I went over to Sam Watsons
Q How long after the baby's birth was it before you returned?
A. I never asked her what time the baby was born. I came
back the same day.
Q Is Salina living ? A Yes, sir.

Witness excused.

HITTIE GIBSON, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

Through Jamison Lewis, Official Interpreter.

- Q What is your name ? A Hittie Gibson.
Q What is your post office address ? A Smithville.
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know Jesse Bohanan ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know his wife Sophia ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know when their child, Salina Bohanan, was born ?
A. November 5, 1905.
Q Were you present when the baby was born ? A No, sir.
Q Do you live close to these people ? A Yes, sir.
Q How long after the baby was born was it before you saw it ?
A. Just about a week.
Q Do you know this child, Salina Bohanan, to be the child of Jesse Bohanan and Sophia Bohanan ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is this baby living now ? A Yes, sir, that is the child.
Q That is the child there in Sophia Bohanan's lap ? A Yes, sir.

Witness excused.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.

Wm. L. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 6th day of June, 1906.

Wm. L. Martin
Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Salina Bohannon

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved **SEP 20 1906** 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

7-799

Born Nov. 5, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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JUN 14 1906

[Signature]
Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Salina Bohanan, born on the 5th day of Nov, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Jesse Bohanan a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Sophia Bohanan a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice Smithville, Ia

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Sophia Bohanan on oath state that I am 28
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Jesse Bohanan, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
[Male or Female]
 born to me on 5th day of November, 1905 that said child has been named
Salina Bohanan, and was living March 4, 1906.

Sophia Bohanan
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WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

M. Martin
A. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of June, 1906.

M. Martin

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

..... District. }

I, a on oath state that I
 attended on wife of
 on the day of 1906; that there was born to her on said date a
[Male or Female]
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

Choc minor 711

Irene Dyer

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7-1361

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 31, 1906.

David Dyer Jr.,
Bagletown, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lena Dyer and Pikey Dyer to the birth of Irene Dyer, child of David Dyer Jr. , and Lena Dyer, October 1, 1903, and you are advised that under the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes was authorized for a period of sixty days from that date to receive applications for the enrollment of infant children of citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, this sixty days expired midnight May 2, 1906, and since that time there is no provision for the reception of original applications for enrollment of children of citizens of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

If it is alleged that application has been made for the enrollment of this child and you will state when, where and under what name the same was made, and if the mother Lena Dyer has selected an allotment of the Choctaw and Chickasaw lands, give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate, the matter of your inquiry will receive

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further consideration.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 4, 1906.

Peter J. Hudson,
Tuskahoma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 22, 1906, in which you ask the status of the application of Irene Bohanon, child of Lena Dyer, formerly Bohanon.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it will be necessary that new affidavits be forwarded to the birth of Irene Dyer, child of David Dyer, Jr., and Lena Dyer, showing that this child was living March 4, 1906, and for this purpose there is inclosed herewith blank application for the enrollment of an infant child under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

B. C.


Commissioner.

23-711

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

David Dyer Jr.,

Bagletown, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Irene Dyer, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward the affidavit of one disinterested witness showing that said child was living on March 4, 1906.

This matter should receive your immediate attention as no further action can be taken relative to her enrollment until this affidavit is received.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD
Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

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as a citizen of

..... Nation.

Approved. **FEB. 1 1907** 190...

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSIONER.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Irena Dyer [Here insert name of child] born on the 1st day of October 1903
Name of Father: David Dyer, Jr. a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lena Dyer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Hochatown, MS

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, ~~John Joseph~~ John Joseph on oath state that I am 42
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
personally acquainted with Lena Dyer David Dyer, Jr. who is a citizen, by
that I am the lawful wife of David Dyer, Jr. of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 1st day of October 1903; that said child has been named
Irena Dyer and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Sampson Jefferson
Hatten Galt }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Jan 1906.
W. H. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }

I, on oath state that I
attended on wife of.....
on the day of.....; that there was born to her on said date a.....
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.
.....
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

United States of America,
Indian Territory, SS.
Central District.

Peter J. Hudson being duly sworn on oath states that he is 45 years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that his post office address is Tuskahoma, Indian Territory; that he is personally acquainted with David Dyer, Jr., and his wife, Lena Dyer, formerly Bohanan, both citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, having known them for several years; that he knows their child, Irene Dyer, who is now between two and three years of age, and knows that said child was living on March 4, 1906, and is yet living, being at this time with the family of affiant.

Peter J. Hudson,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this June 12th, 1906.

M. W. Martin
Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Irene Dyer

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved... FEB 11 1907 190...

[Signature]
Commissioner.

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Born Oct. 1, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Irene Dyer, born on the 1st day of October, 1903
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: David Dyer, Jr., a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lena Dyer, nee Bohanan, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Eagletown, IA

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Lena Dyer, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of David Dyer, Jr., who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 1st day of October, 1903; that said child has been named
Irene Dyer, and was living March 4, 1906.
Lena Dyer

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June, 1906.
[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }

I,, a, on oath state that I
attended on, wife of,
on the day of, 1.....; that there was born to her on said date a
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.
.....
Notary Public.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Irene Dyer

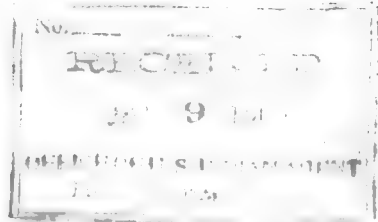
as a citizen of

Choctaw. Nation.

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Commissioner.

Jan 9, 1906



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,

of Irene Dyer born on the 1st day of October, 1903
(Here insert name of child.)

Name of Father: David Dyer Jr a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Name of Mother: Lena Dyer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Postoffice Hockley Town S.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
LeFlore DISTRICT.

I, Lena Dyer, on oath state that I am 22

years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;

that I am the lawful wife of David Dyer Jr, who is a citizen, by

blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)

born to me on 1st day of October, 1903 that said child has been named

Irene Dyer, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

Lena Dyer

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

W. H. Dollenbaker
Simon Billy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of January, 1906.

W. H. Dollenbaker

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
LeFlore DISTRICT.

I, Pitkey Billy, a Medicine Man, on oath state that I

attended on Mrs. Lena Dyer, wife of David Dyer Jr

on the 1st day of October, 1903 that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female.)

child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Irene Dyer

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

Pitkey Billy

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

W. H. Dollenbaker
Simon Billy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of January, 1906.

W. H. Dollenbaker

Notary Public.

Choc minor 712

Franklin Fobb

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 8, 1906.

Benjamin Fobb,

Kosoma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 26, 1906, asking when you will receive notice of the enrollment of your child.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Franklin Fobb has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when his enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

Franklin Fobb

a citizen of the

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

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Commissioner.

Act Apr. 26/06

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Franklin Fobb
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Kosoma, Ind. Ter., and died on the 3 day of
April, 1906.
(Here insert name of postoffice.)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Louisa Fobb, on oath state that I am 31
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Kosoma, Ind. Ter.; that I am
mother of Franklin Fobb
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Franklin Fobb died on the 3 day of
April, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK: Louisa Fobb
[Signature] mark
(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June, 1906.
[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Dickson John, on oath state that I am 5-3
years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Kosoma, Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Franklin Fobb
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Franklin Fobb died on the 3 day of
April, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK: Dickson John
(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June, 1906.
[Signature]
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Franklin Cobb

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved. 1906

~~Signature~~

Commissioner.

7-1646

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Born May 30, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Franklin Fobb, born on the 30 day of May 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Benjamin Fobb a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Louisa Fobb a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice Kosoma, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Louisa Fobb, on oath state that I am 31
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Benjamin Fobb, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 30 day of May, 1905; that said child has been named
Franklin Fobb, and was living March 4, 1906.
Louisa Fobb

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. L. DeLoach
W. W. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June, 1906.
W. W. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Sophia John, a midwife on oath state that I
attended on Louisa Fobb, wife of Benjamin Fobb
on the 30 day of May, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Franklin Fobb
Sophia John

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. L. DeLoach
W. W. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June, 1906.
W. W. Martin
Notary Public.

Choc minor 713

Willie Garland

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7-2615

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 8, 1906.

W. G. Garland,
Garland, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mary L. Garland and J. M. Cook M. D., to the birth of Willie Garland, child of W. G. and Mary L. Garland, October 12, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

You are advised that the date of the birth of this child is given as October 12, 1906, in the affidavit of the physician. As this is apparently an error, you are requested to have the inclosed blank executed, showing correct date of birth of child, and return to this office as early as practicable.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 23, 1906.

W. S. Garland,

Garland, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mary L. Garland and J. M. Cook to the birth of Willie Garland, child of W. S. and Mary L. Garland, October 12, 1905, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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This is to certify that I have this day joined in the Holy
Bond of Matrimony Mr. W. G. Garland a Choctaw Indian and Miss
Mary Beller in accordance with the law of the Choctaw Nation.

Given under my hand this the 30th day of June 1889.

N. F. Krebs,

County Judge,

Scullyville County,

Choctaw Nation.

Marriage Certificate of
W. G. Garland
and
Miss Mary Beller.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,
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Dec. 20, 1902.

Tans Birby,

Acting Chairman.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five
Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing
is a true and correct copy of the marriage certificate now on
file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Willie Garland.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Oct. 12, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Nation,
of Willie Garland, born on the 12th day of Oct 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: W. B. Garland a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary L. Garland a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Intermarried citizen
Postoffice: Garland

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.
I, Mary L. Garland on oath state that I am 37
years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of W. B. Garland, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that Female child was
born to me on 12th day of Oct 1905; that said child has been named
Willie Garland and was living March 4, 1906.

Mary L. Garland

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May 1906.

M. W. Newman
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.
I, J. M. Cook Physician on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Mary L. Garland wife of W. B. Garland
on the 12th day of Oct 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Willie Garland

J. M. Cook M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of May 1906.

M. W. Newman
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Willie Garland

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 190.....

 Commissioner.

Born Oct. 12, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

WILLIAM D.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Willie Garland, born on the 12th day of Oct 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: W. B. Garland a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary L. Garland a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Garland I T

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Mary L. Garland on oath state that I am 37
years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of W. B. Garland who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 12th day of Oct 1905; that said child has been named
Willie Garland and was living March 4, 1906.
Mary L. Garland

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of June 1906.
M. W. Newman
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, J. M. Cook Physician on oath state that I
attended on Mary L. Garland wife of W. B. Garland
on the 12th day of Oct 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Willie Garland
J. M. Cook M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of June 1906.
M. W. Newman
Notary Public

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Goldie W. Hudson

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Goldie N. Hudson

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

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Commissioner.

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Born Sept. 9, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Goldie W. Hudson, born on the 9 day of Sept. 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Peter J. Hudson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Amanda J. Hudson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: Tuskahoma, IT.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Amanda J. Hudson, on oath state that I am 31 years of age and a citizen by of the Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Peter J. Hudson, who is a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was born to me on 9 day of Sept. 1905; that said child has been named Goldie W. Hudson, and was living March 4, 1906.

Amanda J. Hudson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June 1906.

W. W. Martin

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, J. C. McGinnis, a physician, on oath state that I attended on Amanda J. Hudson, wife of Peter J. Hudson, on the 9 day of Sept. 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Goldie W. Hudson.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June 1906.

J. C. McGinnis

Notary Public.

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Incey James

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,

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Smithville, Indian Territory, June 7, 1906.
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In the matter of the application for the enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation of Incey and Jacob James, minor children of Geon James, Choctaw byblood, Roll No. 1713, Field Card No. 707, and Artie James, formerly Samuel, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5822, Field Card No. 2031.

JAMISON LEWIS, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

--:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:--

- Q What is your name ? A Jamison Lewis.
Q How old are you ? A 25.
Q What is your post office address ? A Beach.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of your father ? A Mulwit Lewis.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A Lina.

The name of Jamison Lewis appears as No. 5797 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card

- Q Do you desire to make application for the enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation of Incey and Jacob James ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do the parents of these two children belong to that element of Choctaws commonly known as "Snake" Indians ? A Yes, sir.
Q You make this application for the reason that it is probable that the parents of these children will not appear to have them enrolled, and in order to protect whatever rights they may have in the lands and tribal property of the Choctaws and Chickasaws ? A Yes, sir.
Q Are both of these children, Incey and Jacob James, living at this time ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of their father ? A Geon James.
Q Do you know his father's name ? A Bob James.
Q Do you know his mother's name ? A Metsy James.
Q What was his first wife's name ? A Lita.

The name of Geon James appears as No. 1713 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card 707.

- Q How what is the name of the mother of these two children Incey and Jacob James ? A Artie Samuel.
Q Is Artie Samuel now the wife of Geon James ? A Yes, sir.
Q What was her former husband's name ? A Sampson Samuel.
Q Do you know her father's name ? A I don't know.
Q Do you know the name of the father of Sampson Samuel, Artie's first husband ? A No, sir.
Q Do you know the names of her children ? A Yes, sir, Emeline and Joel that is all I know.

The name of Artie Samuel appears as No. 5822 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 2031.

- Q Are Artie Samuel and her former husband, Sampson Samuel, separated? A Yes, sir.
- Q And Artie Samuel is now the wife of Geon James? A Yes, sir.
- Q Her name at this time then is Artie James? A Yes, sir.
- Q Q What is the post office address of Geon James? A Beach.
- Q Artie James, who was Artie Samuel, is the mother of both of these children Incey and Jacob James? A Yes, sir.
- Q And Geon James is their father? A Yes, sir.
- Q How when was Incey James born? A In July, 1903.
- Q Q Do you know the day of the month? A No, sir.
- Q When was Jacob James, this other child, born? A August, 1905.
- Q Do you know the day of the month? A No, sir.
- Q Both of these children are living, are they? A Yes, sir.
- Q Has any application ever been made for their enrollment before this time? A No, sir.
- Q Is Incey a boy or a girl? A Girl.
- Q Is Jacob a boy or a girl? A Boy.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date,

Wm. L. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 7th day of June, 1906.

Wm. L. Martin
Notary Public

7-107-(Leon James) ✓
NEW BORN
7-2031

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Jacob James

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

SEP 20 1906

1906


Commissioner.

Born Nov. 5, 1905 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Jacob James, born on the 5th day of November, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Samuel James a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Artie James (nee Samuel) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
 Postoffice: Beale, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Artie James (nee Samuel), on oath state that I am 37
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Samuel James, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
 born to me on 5th day of November, 1905; that said child has been named
Jacob James, and was living March 4, 1906.

Artie nee James (nee Samuel)
male

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Thompson Taylor
Harrison McGee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1906.

W. H. Kinn
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Sissie Meyer, a mid-wife, on oath state that I
 attended on Artie James wife of Samuel James
 on the 5th day of Nov., 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Jacob
James.

Sissie nee Meyer
male

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Thompson Taylor
Harrison McGee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1906.

W. H. Kinn
 Notary Public.

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7-705 (George James)
NEW BORN
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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

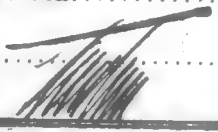
Esau Samuel James

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 1906



Commissioner.

Born June 4, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

AUG 3 - 1906

[Signature] COMMISSIONER

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BIR. AFFIDAVIT.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 24, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation
of Lucie Samuel James, born on the 4th day of June, 1903
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Sam James a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Name of Mother: Artie Samuel a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Beulah, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Cherokee District.

I, Artie Samuel, on oath state that I am 37
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Sam James, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Cherokee Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 4th day of June, 1903; that said child has been named
Lucie Samuel, and was living March 4, 1906.

Artie Samuel

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Thompson Taylor
Harrison McGe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1906.

W. H. Conroy

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Cherokee District.

I, Sissie McGe, a mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Artie Samuel, wife of Sam James
on the 4th day of June, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lucie Samuel

James Sissie McGe

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Thompson Taylor
Harrison McGe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of July, 1906.

W. H. Conroy

Notary Public.

Choc minor 716

Thomas Aline John

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23-718

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 31, 1906.

Dixon John,

Kosona, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 24, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your new born child.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Thomas Aline John is being placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress which is being prepared for forwarding the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when the enrollment of this child is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.


Thomas Aline John

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 190...



Commissioner.

7-1792

Born Nov. 4, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Thomas Aline John, born on the 4th day of November, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Dickson John a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sophia John a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Kosoma I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Sophia John, on oath state that I am 40
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Dickson John, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 4 day of November, 1905; that said child has been named
Thomas Aline John, and was living March 4, 1906.

Sophia her John
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. DeLoach
M. Mathis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June, 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Louisa Fobb, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Sophia John, wife of Dickson John
on the 4 day of November, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Thomas Aline John

Louisa her Fobb
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. DeLoach
M. Mathis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June, 1906.

Notary Public.

Choc minor 717

Newton John

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Tuskahoma, Indian Territory, June 12, 1906.
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In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Newton John, minor child of George Jehn, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5081, Field Card No. 1792, and Sophia Jehn, nee Carnes, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5373, Field Card No. 1883.

GEORGE JOHN, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:--

---:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:---

- Q What is your name ? A George Jehn.
Q How old are you ? A 28 next January.
Q What is your post office address ? A Dexter.
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q Application has been made for the enrollment of Newton John; are you the father of this child ? A Yes, sir.
Q When was Newton born ? A February 23, 1905.
Q Is this child living now ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of your father ? A Dickson Jehn.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A Susanna.
Q What is the name of your step-mother ? A Sophia Jehn.

The name of George Jehn appears as No. 5081 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 1792.

- Q What is the name of the mother of this child Newton John ?
A. Sophia Jehn.
Q Is she your wife ? A Yes, sir.
Q What was her name before you married her ? A Sophia Carnes.
Q What is the name of her father ? A Louis Carnes.
Q What is the name of her mother ? A Selina Carnes.

The name of Sophia Carnes appears as No. 5373 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 1883.

- Q Were you legally married to Sophia Carnes ? A Yes, sir.
Q You have not your marriage certificate with you, have you ?
A. No, sir, I gave it to the land office man when I was filing for myself and my wife and they never sent it back to me.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 12th day
of June, 1906.

Wm. L. Martin
Notary Public.

23-717

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 12, 1906.

George John,

Dexter, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 4, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of Newton John, child of yourself and Sophia John.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Newton John has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when his enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Newton John

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906 190...

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Commissioner.

7-1792

7-1883.

Born Feb. 23, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. | ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Central Nation,
of Newton John, born on the 23 day of Feb, 1906
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: George John a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sophia John nee Carnes a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: _____

Postoffice: Dexter, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Sophia John, on oath state that I am 21
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of George John, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 23 day of February, 1906; that said child has been named
Newton John, and was living March 4, 1906.

Sophia John

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June, 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, A. Harrington, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Sophia John, wife of George John
on the 23 day of Feb, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

Newton John of A. Harrington

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June, 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

Choc minor 718

Horace Turner Kirby

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7-1407

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 18, 1906.

Tom Kirby,

Jericho, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Jimmy Kirby and J. H. Colby to the birth of Horace Turner Kirby, child of Tom and Jimmy Kirby, August 7, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

There is inclosed herewith new affidavit and you are requested to have the physician in attendance at the birth of this child make out new affidavit as the name of the child was not given in his affidavit.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

7-1467

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Tom Kirby,

Jericho, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Jimmy Kirby and J. H. Colby to the birth of Horace Turner Kirby,
child of Tom and Jimmy Kirby, August 17, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-718

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 10, 1906.

Jimmy Kirby,

Jericho, Texas,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 19, 1906, asking if a birth certificate for the enrollment of your baby, Horace Turner Kirby, has been received.

In reply to your letter you are advised that affidavits to the birth of Horace Turner Kirby, child of Tom and Jimmy Kirby, August 17, 1905, were received at this office June 8, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

23-718

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1906.

Jimmie Kirby,

Merico, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 15, 1906, asking if you can have land set aside for your child before his enrollment is approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Horace Turner Kirby has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified of the approval of his enrollment.

You are further advised that this office cannot make reservation of land for children of Choctaw and Chickasaw citizens for whose enrollment application was made under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-71B

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 25, 1907

Mrs. Fannie Kirby,

Forlone, Texas.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 16, 1907, relative to having your baby's name changed upon the roll; you state you wish his name changed from Herace Turner Kirby to Charles Turner Kirby.

In reply to your letter you are advised that your child Herace Turner Kirby has been enrolled as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation and his enrollment as such approved by the Secretary of the Interior October 15, 1906.

You are further advised that by the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 24, 1906, the rolls of citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes were completed March 4, 1907, and it is therefore impracticable to make any changes in the names of the persons appearing upon said rolls.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Horace Turner Kirby.....

as a citizen of

CHOCTA

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Aug. 17, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Horace Turner Kirby, born on the 17 day of Aug 1906.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Tom Kirby a citizen of the United States
Name of Mother: Jimmy Kirby a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Postoffice: Jericho Texas

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Jimmy Kirby on oath state that I am Twenty-one
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Tom Kirby, who is a citizen, by
of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 17 day of Aug, 1906; that said child has been named
Horace Turner Kirby, and was living March 4, 1906.

Jimmy Kirby Notary Public

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of May, 1906.

J. H. Altiger Notary Public

My commission expires June 1 1907.

Douley County Texas

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District District.

I, J. H. Colby M.D. Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Jimmy Kirby wife of Tom Kirby
on the 17 day of August, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

J. H. Colby

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Horace H. Turner
Alvin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June, 1906.

J. H. Colby Notary Public

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Horace Turner Kirby.....

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

..... Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906 190.....



Commissioner.

Born Aug. 17, 1905 -
ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE CIVIL SERVICE

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation,
of *Horace Turner Kirby* born on the *17* day of *Aug* 1906.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: *Tom Kirby* a citizen of the *United States*
Name of Mother: *Jimmy Kirby* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: *Choctaw*
Postoffice: *Jericks Texas*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

~~UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,~~
State of Texas }
Douley County } ss. District.
I, *Jimmy Kirby*, on oath state that I am *Twenty-one*
years of age and a citizen by *Blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of *Tom Kirby*, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the *United States* Nation; that a *male* child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on *17* day of *Aug* 1906; that said child has been named
Horace Turner Kirby and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *June* 1906.

My commission expires June 1 1907 } *J. H. Uttinger*
Notary Public,
Douley County Texas

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

~~UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,~~
Southern District } District.
I, *J. H. Colby*, a *physician* on oath state that I
attended on *Jimmy Kirby*, wife of *Tom Kirby*
on the *17* day of *August* 1906; that there was born to her on said date a *male*
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *Horace Turner*
Kirby

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26th* day of *June* 1906.

J. H. Colby, M.D.
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1904.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Horace Turner Kirby born on the 17 day of Aug 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Tom Kirby a citizen of the United States
Name of Mother: Jimmy Kirby a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Jericho Texas

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
State of Texas }
DeWitt County } SS. District.

I, Jimmy Kirby, on oath state that I am Twenty-one
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Tom Kirby, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the United States Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 17 day of Aug 1906; that said child has been named
Horace Turner Kirby and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Jimmy Kirby
(nee) Stalard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June 1906.

My commission expires June 1 1907
J. H. Altman
Notary Public,
DeWitt County Texas

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District } District.

I, J. H. Colby, a physician on oath state that I
attended on Jimmy Kirby, wife of Tom Kirby
on the 17 day of August 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Horace Turner
Kirby

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

J. H. Colby, M.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of June 1906.

J. H. Leavitt
Notary Public.

Choc minor 719

L. Vinsey Lewis

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Smithville, Indian Territory, June 6, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of L. Vinsey Lewis, minor child of Jamison Lewis, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5797, Field Card No. 2024, and Ida Lewis, nee Wallace, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 3215, Field Card No. 1183.

JAMISON LEWIS, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

---:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:---

- Q What is your name ? A Jamison Lewis.
Q What is your post office address ? A Beach.
Q How old are you ? A 23.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q You have just made affidavit here relative to the birth of L. Vinsey Lewis - are you the father of this child ? A. Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of your father ? A Mulwit Lewis.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A My step-mother's name is Marsie.

The name of Jamison Lewis appears as No. 5797 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 2024.

- Q Is this child, L. Vinsey Lewis, living ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is this child a boy or a girl ? A Girl.
Q When was she born ? A September 20, 1905.
Q What is the name of the mother of L. Vinsey Lewis ? A Ida Lewis.
Q Is she your wife ? A Yes, sir.
Q What was her name before you married her ? A Wallace.
Q What is the name of her father ? A Dixon Wallace.
Q What is the name of her mother ? A Her own mother was called Becky, but her step-mother was Serena.

The name of Ida Wallace appears as No. 3215 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 1183.

- Q Were you legally married to Ida Wallace ? A Yes, sir.
Q Have you your marriage certificate ? A Pay master got it and never returned it to me.
Q Is your wife, Ida, living ? A Yes, sir.
Q Who attended on her at the birth of this child ? A Vinsey Behanan.
Q Will you secure the presence of your wife and Vinsey Behanan in order that they may make affidavits to the birth of this child ? A Yes, sir.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the

Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date,

[Handwritten Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 6th day of June, 1906.

[Handwritten Signature]
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

L. Vinsey Lewis

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 190...

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of L. Vinsey Lewis, born on the 20th day of Sept. 1905.
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Jamison Lewis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Ida Lewis ne Wallace a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Beach, Ft.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Ida Lewis, on oath state that I am 19
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Jamison Lewis, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 20th day of September, 1905 that said child has been named
L. Vinsey Lewis, and was living March 4, 1906.
Ida Lewis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1906.
[Signature]
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Viney Bohanan, a mid wife, on oath state that I
 attended on Ida Lewis, wife of Jamison Lewis,
 on the 20th day of Sept, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
L. Vinsey Lewis Viney Bohanan
[Signature]

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1906.
[Signature]
 Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

L. Vinsey Lewis

as a Citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved: 190...

Commissioner.

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Born Sept. 20, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation,
of *L. Vinsey Lewis* [Here insert name of child], born on the *20th* day of *Sept* 1905
Name of Father: *Jamison Lewis* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Ida Lewis, ne Wallace* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: *Beach, Ia*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, *Jamison Lewis*, on oath state that I am *73*
years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation;
that I am the lawful *husband* of *Ida Lewis, ne Wallace*, who is a citizen, by
blood of the *Choctaw* Nation; that a *female* child was
my said wife born to me on *20th* day of *September*, 1905; that said child has been named
L. Vinsey Lewis, and was living March 4, 1906.

Jamison Lewis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6th* day of *June*, 1906.

W. H. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }

I,, on oath state that I
attended on wife of
on the day of, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of, 1906.

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Notary Public.

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Gladys Ivy McAdoo

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 16, 1905.

A. F. McAdoo,

Rush Springs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Carrie McAdoo nee Sperling and Dr. J. Hampton Kunn to the birth of Ivis Gladys McAdoo, child of A. F. and Carrie McAdoo, August 2, 1905.

You are advised that under the provisions of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, there is no authority for the enrollment of children born to Choctaw and Chickasaw citizens subsequent to March 3, 1905.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 11, 1906.

A. F. McAdoo,

Rush Springs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 1, 1906, asking if application has been received for the enrollment of your child Ivy Gladys McAdoo, whose mother is enrolled as Carrie Sperling.

In reply to your letter you are advised that affidavits to the birth of your child Ivy Gladys McAdoo have been forwarded this office but it will be necessary that new affidavits be forwarded showing that said child was living March 4, 1906, and for that purpose there is inclosed herewith new blanks for the enrollment of minor children under the act of Congress approved April 25, 1906.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 14, 1906.

Carrie Sperling McAdoo,

Rush Springs, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 7, 1906, inclosing affidavits of yourself and Dr. J. Hampton Strum to the birth of Gladys Ivy McAdoo, child of Algernon F. and Carrie Sperling McAdoo, August 2, 1905, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-720

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 29, 1906.

A. F. Maddox,
Lindsay, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 16, asking why your baby, Gladys Ivy Maddox, has not been approved.

In reply you are advised that the name of your child, Gladys Ivy Maddox, has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Ivy Gladys M^cAdoo

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Aug. 2, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1900.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Inf Gladys M Adoo, born on the 2nd day of August 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Algernon F. M Adoo a citizen of the us Nation.
Name of Mother: Carrie M Adoo (ne Spurling) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: no Tribal enrollment of mother: yes
Postoffice: Rush Springs Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District }

I, Carrie Spurling - M Adoo on oath state that I am 19
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Algernon F. M Adoo, who is a citizen, by
of the us Nation; that a Female child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 2nd day of August 1905; that said child has been named
Inf Gladys M Adoo and was living March 4, 1906.
Carrie Spurling - M Adoo

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June
Arthur Bonn
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District }

I, J H Stumm a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Carrie Spurling - M Adoo wife of Algernon F M Adoo
on the 2nd day of August 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Inf Gladys M Adoo
J H Stumm

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June
Arthur Bonn
Notary Public

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Miss Gladys McAdoo
as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

Approved... 190

Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED MARCH 26, 1906

Born Aug. 2, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Iris Gladys M^cAdoo, born on the 2nd day of August, 1905
(Use legal name of child.)
Name of Father: A. F. M^cAdoo a citizen of the _____ Nation.
Name of Mother: Carrie M^cAdoo a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Rush Springs, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
South DISTRICT. }

I, Carrie M^cAdoo, on oath state that I am 19
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of A. F. M^cAdoo, who is a citizen, by
_____ of the _____ Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 2nd day of August, 1905; that said child has been named
Iris Gladys M^cAdoo, and is now living.

Carrie M^cAdoo speaking

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of July, 1905.

L. M. Brown
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
South Dist DISTRICT. }

I, Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Carrie M^cAdoo, wife of A. F. M^cAdoo
on the 2nd day of Aug, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child is now living and is said to have been named Iris Gladys M^cAdoo

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Dr. J. Staphin

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of July, 1905.

L. M. Brown
Notary Public.

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Muskegee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

A. F. McAdoo,

Rush Springs, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Referring to the applications for the enrollment of your minor child, you are advised that the name of your child is given as Ivia Gladys McAdoo, in the affidavits received at this office April 26, 1906, while it is given as Ivy Gladys McAdoo, in the affidavits received June 21, 1906. You are therefore requested to have the inclosed blank executed, shewing the correct name of said child, and return same to this office as early as practicable.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Gladys Lory McAdoo

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Gladys Ivy McAdoo, born on the 2nd day of August, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Algernon F. McAdoo a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
 Name of Mother: Carrie Spurling McAdoo a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother..... *378

Postoffice Rush Springs

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Southern District. }

I, Carrie Spurling McAdoo on oath state that I am 19
 years of age and a citizen by Hood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Algernon F. McAdoo, who is a citizen, by
 of the U. S. Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 2nd day of August, 1905; that said child has been named
Gladys Ivy McAdoo and was living March 4, 1906.

Carrie Spurling McAdoo

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Nov, 1906.

Burton R. Branch

Notary Public

My commission expires Aug. 30th 1910

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Southern District. }

I, J. H. Shannon Physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Carrie Spurling McAdoo wife of Algernon F. McAdoo
 on the 2nd day of August, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Gladys Ivy McAdoo

J. H. Shannon

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Nov, 1906.

Burton R. Branch

Notary Public

My commission expires Aug. 30th, 1910

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Dorothy McBride

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Shirley McBride

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved ~~SEP. 20, 1906~~ 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

Born April 7, 1905 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Dorothy McBride born on the 7th day of April 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: W. R. McBride a citizen of the U.S. Nation.
 Name of Mother: Robbye Travis McBride a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
 Postoffice: Anthony Kansas

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ^{State of Kansas} Indian Territory,
Harpers County District. } SS

I, Robbye Travis McBride, on oath state that I am 70
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of W. R. McBride, who is a citizen, by
Birth of the U.S. Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 7th day of April 1905; that said child has been named
Dorothy McBride and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Mrs. A. B. Seacock

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of May 1906.
My Commission Expires April 21st 1909. A. B. Seacock
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ^{Oklahoma} Indian Territory,
Garfield County District. }

I, Mahlon Skues Physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Robbye Travis McBride, wife of W. R. McBride
 on the 7th day of April 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Dorothy McBride

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of May 1906.
Chas. Collinson
 Notary Public.
 My Commission Expires Apr. 20, 1909

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 7, 1906.

W. R. McBride,

Anthony, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 2, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Robbye Travis McBride and N. A. Kelse to the birth of Dorothy McBride, child of W. R. and Robbye Travis McBride, April 7, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Irene McCann

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 19, 1906.

Cornelius McCann,
Walls, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 14, 1906, asking why the enrollment of your child Irene McCann has not been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Irene McCann has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior, and you will be notified when his enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

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This is to certify that I did solemnize the Right of
Matrimony on October 28, 1898 between Mr. C. McCann and Mrs. Leonia
Conway.

Witness my Hand this 17 day of June 1899.

W. M. Wood,
A Minister of the Gospel.

I Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civil-
ized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a
true and correct copy of the marriage certificate now on file with
the records of this office.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Irene M. Carr

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved **SEP 20 1906** 190


Commissioner.

Born Feb. 16, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Irene McLean born on the 16 day of Feb 1906
Name of Father: Cornelius McLean a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Leonia McLean a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw by blood Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw by Inter
Postoffice: Walls and Terry

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Leonia McLean, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Cornelius McLean, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 16 day of Feb 1906; that said child has been named
Irene McLean and was living March 4, 1906.

Leonia McLean

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of May 1906.

Myron E. Spivey Feb 1-1909 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Emily Allor, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Leonia McLean, wife of Cornelius McLean,
on the 16 day of Feb 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Irene
McLean.

Emily Allor

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of May 1906.

Myron E. Spivey Feb 1-1909 Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Smithville, Indian Territory, June 5, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Baston McGee, minor child of Arsehill McGee, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5879, Field Card No. 2051, and Artimissa McGee, nee Jones, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5999, Field Card No. 2084.

ARSEHILL MCGEE, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

---:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:;--

Through Holton Hayes, Official Interpreter:

- Q What is your name ? A Arsehill McGee.
Q How old are you ? A 20.
Q What is your post office address ? A Beach.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q Application has just been made for the enrollment of Baston McGee - are you the father of this child ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is Baston McGee living ? A Yes, sir.
Q When was he born ? A 5th day of December, 1905.
Q What is the name of your father ? A Gilbert McGee.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A Sissie McGee.

The name of Arsehill McGee appears as No. 5879 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 2051.

- Q What is the name of the mother of this child, Baston McGee?
A. Artimissa McGee.
Q Is Artimissa McGee your wife ? A Yes, sir.
Q What was her name before you married her ? A Artimissa Jones.
Q What is the name of her father ? A Logan Jones.
Q What is the name of her mother ? A Nancy Jones.

The name of Artimissa Jones appears as No. 5999 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 2084.

- Q Were you legally married to Artimissa Jones ? A Yes, sir.
Q Have you your marriage license and certificate ? A. No, sir.

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W. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 5th day of June, 1906.

W. L. Martin
Notary, Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906

Boston McGee

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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[Signature]
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Commissioner.

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Born Dec. 5, 1905 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
Baston McGee, born on the 5 day of Dec. 1905
Name of Father: Arsehill McGee a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Artemissa McGee nee Jones a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Beach I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Artemissa McGee, on oath state that I am 21 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Arsehill McGee, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on 5 day of December, 1905; that said child has been named Baston McGee, and was living March 4, 1906.

Artemissa McGee mark

WITNESSES TO MARK

[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. D. ... Artemissa McGee }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of June 1906.

J. D. ... Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Albert Harris an attendant, on oath state that I attended on Artemissa McGee wife of Arsehill McGee on the 5 day of Dec. 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Baston McGee.

Albert Harris

WITNESSES TO MARK

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Artemissa McGee }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of June 1906.

J. D. ... Notary Public.

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Benno S. McKinney

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Tuskahoma, Indian Territory, June 11, 1906.
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In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Benno S. McKinney, minor child of Egtill B. McKinney, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5706, Field Card No. 1996, and Artiamissia McKinney, formerly Morris, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 15296, Field Card No. 1989.

Egtill B. McKinney, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

---:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:---

- Q What is your name ? A Egtill B. McKinney.
Q How old are you ? A 28.
Q What is your post office address ? A Tuskahoma.
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Choctaw nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of your father ? A Swinney McKinney.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A Jincey McKinney.

The name of Egtill B. McKinney appears as No. 5706 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 1996.

- Q Application has just been made for the enrollment of Benno S. McKinney; are you the father of this child ?
A. Yes, sir.
Q Is this a boy or a girl ? A Boy.
Q When was he born ? A September 21, 1905.
Q What is the name of the mother of this child Benno S. McKinney ? A Artiamissia McKinney.
Q Is Artiamissia McKinney your wife ? A Yes, sir.
Q What was her name before you married her ? A Her name was Morris before I married her, she has been married twice.
Q What is her father's name ? A Colbert Anderson.
Q What is her mother's name ? A Lizzie Anderson.
Q What was her former husband's name ? A Elias Morris.
Q Is he living ? A Yes, sir, living.
Q Have they been divorced ? A Yes, sir.
Q Were you legally married to Artiamissia Morris ? A. Yes, sir.

The name of Artiamissia Morris appears as No. 15296 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 1989.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his

stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.

Geo. W. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 11th day
of June, 1906.

Geo. W. Martin

Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Benno S. McKinney

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

7-1995-

7-1989

Born Sept. 21, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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~~Commissioner.~~

CHOCTAW

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Bennis S. McKinney, born on the 21st day of Sept 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Egtill B. McKinney, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Artemissia McKinney, formerly Morris, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Tuskahoma, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Artemissia McKinney, on oath state that I am 24 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Egtill B. McKinney, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on 21st day of September, 1905; that said child has been named Bennis S. McKinney, and was living March 4, 1906.

Artemissia McKinney

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of June, 1906.

M. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Rosa Lewis, a midwife, on oath state that I attended on Artemissia McKinney of Egtill B. McKinney on the 21st day of Sept, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Bennis S. McKinney, Rosa Lewis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { M. Martin
M. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of June, 1906.

M. Martin
Notary Public.

choc minor 725

MATTIE Lorna Vermell Morris

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 21, 1906.

Calvin G. Morris,

Fox, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Julia A. Morris and J. R. Wilson to the birth of Mattie Lorna Virmitt Morris, child of Calvin G. and Julia A. Morris, July 26, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If she will state her age, the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate, the matter will receive further consideration.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Fox, Ind. Ter.

May 29, 1906.

Commissioners Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, I. T.

In answer to yours of the 21 I respectfully submit all I think that you requested name of Father Charles Powell Name of Mother Lillie V. Carpenter Roll No of Mother 408 Homestead certificate No. 5670 Certificate No. 6596 Julia A. Morris age 24 years Roll No 409 We were enrolled at Ardmore by the Commission in 1897 or 1898 name of the child Mattie Lorma Vernell please write me if this is alright.

Respectfully,

Julia A. Morris.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 12, 1906.

Julia A. Morris,

Fox, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam,

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 29, 1906, transmitting your affidavit and the affidavit of J. R. Wilson to the birth of Mattie Lorna Virmitt Morris, child of Calvin G. Morris and Julia A. Morris, July 26, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Mattie Loma Vermell

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved... SEP 20 1906 ... 190...

~~Signature~~

Commissioner.

Born July 26, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL SURVEY

JUN 12 1906

COMMISSIONER

CHOCTAW

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
 of Mattie Louma Vermell-Morris, born on the 26 day of July, 1905.
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Calvin G. Morris a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
 Name of Mother: Julia A. Morris a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Morris Tribal enrollment of mother: Cherokee
 Postoffice: Gay and Co

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Sevitham District.

I, Julia A. Morris, on oath state that I am 24 years
 years of age and a citizen by birth of the Cherokee Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Calvin G. Morris, who is a citizen, by
Mary, of the Cherokee Nation; that a girl child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 26 day of July, 1905; that said child has been named
Mattie Louma Vermell Morris and was living March 4, 1906.

Julia A. Morris

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Rev. J. M. ...
Lara Tyler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of May, 1906.

J. B. ...

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Sevitham District.

I, J. R. Wilson, a Physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Julia A. Morris, wife of Calvin G. Morris
 on the 26 day of July, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a girl
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Mattie Louma Vermell Morris.

J. R. Wilson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Rev. J. M. ...
Lara Tyler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of May, 1906.

J. B. ...

Notary Public.

Choc minor 726

Mary Pickens

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Record in the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation of:

MARY PICKENS

7-NB-1438.

7-4921 ✓

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Mary Pickens

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190.....

Commissioner.

Born Jan. 29, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED MARCH 30, 1905.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Mary Pickens born on the 29 day of January, 1903
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Nelson Pickens a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Malinda Pickens a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Postoffice Mc Alester, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Malinda Pickens, on oath state that I am 20
 years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Nelson Pickens, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
 born to me on 29 day of January, 1903, that said child has been named
Mary Pickens, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK: Malinda Pickens

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, 1905.
[Signature]
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Sallie Wade, a midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Mrs. Malinda Pickens, wife of Nelson Pickens
 on the 29 day of January, 1903, that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female.)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Mary Pickens

WITNESSES TO MARK: Sallie Wade
[Signature]

(Must be Two Witnesses.)
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, 1905.
[Signature]
 Notary Public.

H.F.

7-NB-1438.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Mary Pickens as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N

It appears from the record herein that on May 1, 1905, there was filed with the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes an application for the enrollment of Mary Pickens as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and the records of this office that the applicant was born January 29, 1903, and is a daughter of Nelson Pickens, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, whose name appears opposite No. 15801 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of said Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 15, 1905, and Malinda Pickens, an alleged citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, but who, it appears from the records of this office, never applied to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and who has never been enrolled by said Commission as a citizen of said Nation.

The act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212), among other things provides:

"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of children born subsequent to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and prior to March fourth, nineteen hundred and five, and who were living on said latter date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this act; and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

I am of the opinion that, inasmuch as the enrollment of the said Nelson Pickens, the father of the applicant, Mary Pickens, through whom she claims, was not approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to March 3, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes was without authority to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of the said Mary Pickens as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and that, therefore, I should decline to receive or consider such application, under the provision, of law above quoted, and it is so ordered.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

OCT 6- 1905


Commissioner.

7-ND-1438

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 6, 1905.

Nelson Pickens,

Atalester, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 4, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your infant child, Mary Pickens as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Jane Bixby

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 7-ND-1438.

7-7B-1438

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 6, 1905. COPY

Manafield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory,
Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 6, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Mary Pickens as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tams Dixie
Commissioner.

Incl. 7-7B-1438.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

B.C. 18995-1906.
I.T.D. 704-1906.
L.R.S.

May 14, 1906.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Pursuant to section 2 of the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (Public No. 129), providing for the enrollment of children who were minors living March 4, 1906, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the approval hereof, the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Mary Pickens, born January 29, 1903, whose application was denied by you October 6, 1905, for the reason that the enrollment of the father of said applicant, Nelson Pickens, had not been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of the act of March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212), is returned to you for readjudication in view of the later act of April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Jesse E. Wilson

Assistant Secretary.

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Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

7-NB-1438

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 31, 1906.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys at Law,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on May 14, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior returned the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Mary Pickens, child of Nelson and Malinda Pickens as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 for readjudication under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Nelson Pickens father of the applicant has been notified of Departmental action in this case and has been advised to forward new affidavits to the birth of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-12 1438

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 31, 1906.

Nelson Pickens,

McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on May 14, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior returned the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Mary Pickens for readjudication under the act of Congress of April 26, 1906. It will now be necessary that new affidavits be filed, to the birth of this child showing that she was living March 4, 1906, and for this purpose there is inclosed herewith blank application for the enrollment of a minor child under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

B. G.

Commissioner.

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Indian Office,

Incl. No.

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NEW BORN

In the matter of the application
for enrollment of minor child
Mary Pickens
as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation

Born Jan. 29, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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W. O. B.

COMMISSIONERS:
TAMM RIXBY,
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,
C. R. BRECKINRIDGE.
—
WM. O. BEALL,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

NUMBER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:
7-NB-1436.

ADDRESS ONLY THE
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 13, 1905.

Nelson Pickens,
McAlester, Indian Territory,

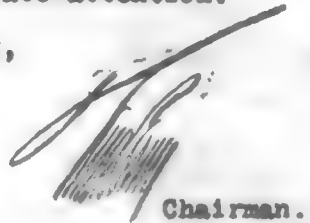
Dear Sir:

Referring to the application for the enrollment of your infant child, Mary Pickens, born January 29, 1903, it is noted that your wife claims to be a Choctaw citizen by blood.

If this is correct you are requested to state when, where and under what name she was listed for enrollment, the names of her parents and other members of her family for whom application was made at the same time, and if she has selected an allotment, give her roll numbers as the same appears on her allotment certificate.

Please give this matter your immediate attention.

Respectfully,


Chairman.

V-4921

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 27, 1906.

Nelson Pickens,

McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Malinda Pickens and Sallie Wade to the birth of Mary Pickens, child of Nelson and Malinda Pickens, January 29, 1903, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-726

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 20, 1906.

Nelson Pickens,

McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 15, 1906, in which you ask if your child Mary Pickens has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the affidavit heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child Mary Pickens has been filed as an application for her enrollment, but her name has not yet been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior. If further evidence is necessary to enable this office to determine the right of this child to enrollment you will be duly advised.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Mary Pickens

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved... NOV 28 1906 ... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Jan 29, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Mary Pickens [Here insert name of child], born on the 29th day of January, 1903.
Name of Father: Nelson Pickens, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Maliuda Pickens, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: McAlester, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Maliuda Pickens, on oath state that I am 21
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Nelson Pickens, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 29th day of January, 1903; that said child has been named
Mary Pickens, and was living March 4, 1906.
Maliuda Pickens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] }
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, 1906.
My Commission expires January 10, 1907 Edgar L. Sigall
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Sallie Wade, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Maliuda Pickens, wife of Nelson Pickens
on the 29th day of January, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Mary Pickens.
Sallie Wade
midwife

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] }
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, 1906.
My Commission expires January 10, 1907 Edgar L. Sigall
Notary Public.

Choc minor 727

Annie Pernell

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 15, 1906.

Henry Parnell,

Royal, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Wincy Parnell and John B. Morgan to the birth of Annie Parnell, child of Henry and Wincy Parnell, September 9, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

6/28/-06.

In reply to the above request, Wincy Parnell is the daughter of Hudson Frazier and Silvey Frazier. Wincy Parnell Roll No, 11848, Choctaw by blood.

A. B. Hughes, Commissioner,

Postmaster at Royal, I. T.

Royal I. T. June the 16 1906

To the Comison to the five civilized Tribes dear Sir I tuck my
Baby to Foster May the 23 and had Mr. Wm. Houston a notrey to
fill out a Blank to inrole my Baby her name is Aney Purnell
and I have not heard from it sense Please let me hear from you
as Soon as you git this as I Want to no if my Baby is of the
Rolle

Winey Purnell

(nee Frasier)

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7-4328

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 25, 1906.

Wincy Purnell,
Royal, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 16, 1906, in which you ask if the application for the enrollment of your baby, Ansy Purnell, has been received.

In reply you are advised that the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of Annie Purnell have been filed as an application for her enrollment, and you will be notified in the event further evidence is necessary to determine the right to enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-727.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 11, 1906.

Henry Pernell,
Royal, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 28, 1906, in which you state that your wife, Winey Pernell, is the daughter of Hudson and Silvey Frazer and that her number upon the approved roll of Choctaws by blood is 11848. In reply you are advised that this information has enabled this office to identify your wife under the name of Winnie Frazer, and has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your child, Annie Pernell, as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M. *Annie Pernell*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved *SEP 20 1906* 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Sept. 9, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906,

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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[Signature]
COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Annie Bernell, born on the 7 day of September, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Henry Bernell a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
Name of Mother: Winey Bernell a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Acme, Okla.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Winey Bernell, on oath state that I am 20
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Henry Bernell, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 7 day of September, 1905; that said child has been named
Annie Bernell, and was living March 4, 1906.
Winey Bernell

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of May, 1906.

W. W. Houston
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, John B Morgan, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Winey Bernell, wife of Henry Bernell
on the 9 day of Sept, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Annie Bernell.
John B Morgan

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of May, 1906.

W. W. Houston
Notary Public.

Choc minor 728

Laman Pope

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7-5578

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 14, 1906.

Robert P. McWhorter,
Krebs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 9, 1906, inclosing affidavit of Lucy Pope and Jack Campbell to the birth of Laman Pope, child of Gilbert and Lucy Pope, January 3, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Krebs, I. T. June 9, 1906.

Wm. C. Bealle,
Muskogee, I. T.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a "Birth affidavit" filled out. I want to call your attention to the affidavit of midman. The creeks were up at the time of the birth of this child, making it impossible to secure the services of a Physician. But Mr. Jack Campbell acted in the capacity of a midwife. Hence, I explain why I used a man's name as midwife.

Very truly yours,
Robert F. McWhorter.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 25, 1906

Gilbert Pope,

Krebs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of a letter from Robert F. McWhorter of July 16, 1906, saying that you desire information relative to the enrollment of your child, and in reply you are advised that affidavits to the birth of Laman Pope have been filed as an application for his enrollment.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Laman Pope

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 190

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Born Jan. 3, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Laman Pope [Here insert name of child], born on the 3rd day of January, 1906,
 Name of Father: Gilbert Pope a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Lucy Pope a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
 Postoffice: Krebs, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central Court District.

I, Lucy Pope on oath state that I am Twenty nine
 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Gilbert Pope, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
 born to me on 3rd day of January, 1906; that said child has been named
Laman Pope and was living March 4, 1906.
Lucy Pope

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] Paul Edgee
Sallie Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1906.
Robert E. McPhute
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central Court District.

I, Jack Campbell Mid-man on oath state that I
 attended on Lucy Pope wife of Gilbert Pope
 on the 3rd day of Jan. 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Laman Pope.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] Paul Edgee
Sallie Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1906.
Robert E. McPhute
 Notary Public.

Choc minor 729

Henry Samis

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Smithville, Indian Territory, June 5, 1906.
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In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Henry Samis, minor child of Lyman Samis and Susan Samis, Choctaws by blood, Roll Nos. 971 and 972, Field Card No. 490.

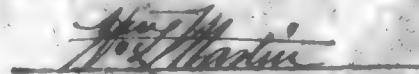
JOHNSON NOAH, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

---:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:---
Through Holton Hayes, Official Interpreter:

- Q What is your name ? A. Johnson Noah.
Q What is your post office address ? A Noah.
Q How old are you ? A 48.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know Lyman Samis ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know his wife Susan ? A Yes, sir.
Q They have just made affidavits relative to the birth of Henry Samis - do you know when this child was born ? A Yes, sir, in the year, 1905.
Q Do you know the month and day ? A In the month of July, but I have forgotten the day.
Q Do you live close to these people ? A Yes, sir, about three miles.
Q Do you know this child, Henry Samis, to be the child of Lyman Samis and Susan Samis ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is this baby living now ? A Yes, sir.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.



Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 5th day of June, 1906.


Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Henry Samis

As a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 1906

~~Commissioner.~~

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Dm July 5, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Henry Samis, born on the 5th day of July, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Lyman Samis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Susan Samis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Noah, Ia

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Susan Samis, on oath state that I am 33

years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;

that I am the lawful wife of Lyman Samis, who is a citizen, by

blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was

born to me on 5th day of July, 1905 that said child has been named

Henry Samis and was living March 4, 1906, and no one was present at the birth of said child except myself and my husband Lyman Samis.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. L. ...
...

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1906,
M. Martin

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Lyman Samis, on oath state that I

attended on Susan Samis, wife of myself

on the 5th day of July, 1905 that there was born to her on said date a Male

child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

Henry Samis Lyman Samis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
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.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1906.
M. Martin

Notary Public.

Choc minor 730

Emerson Samuel

Lawrence Samuel

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Smithville, Indian Territory, June 7, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation of Emerson Samuel, minor child of Austin C. Samuel, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5872, Field Card No. 2050, and Bilecie Samuel (now deceased), Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5873, Field Card No. 2050; and Roland Samuel, minor child of said Austin C. Samuel and Lucy Ann Samuel, nee Harris, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5792, Field Card No. 2025.

JAMISON LEWIS, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:--

Q What is your name ? A Jamison Lewis.
Q How old are you ? A 23.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q Are you a full blood Choctaw ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of your father ? A Mulwit Lewis.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A Marcey is my step-mother's name and my own mother is Lina.

Witness is identified as No. 5797 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 2024.

Q Do you desire to make application for the enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation of Emerson and Roland Samuel ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do the parents of these two children belong to that element of Choctaws commonly known as "Snake" Indians ? A Yes, sir.
Q You desire to make application for the enrollment of these children for the reason that it is not probable that their parents will appear to have them enrolled, and in order to protect whatever rights they may have in the lands of the Choctaws and Chickasaws ? A Yes, sir.
Q Are you related in any way to these children ? A Yes, sir, I am kin to Emerson but I am not to Roland.
Q Have these children different mothers ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of the father of these two children, Emerson and Roland Samuel ? A Austin C. Samuel.
Q Is he living ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is his post office address ? A Beach.
Q Do you know the name of his father ? A No, sir.
Q Do you know the name of his mother ? A No, sir.
Q How many children has he ? A He has got three now - these two and Gillan who is on the roll.
Q Has he one child dead ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the child's name ? A Sophvin.

The name of Austin C. Samuel appears as No. 5872 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 2050.

Q How what is the name of the mother of Emmerson Samuel ?
A. Silesie.

Q Was she the wife of Austin C. Samuel ? A Yes, sir.

Q Is she dead now ? A Yes, sir.

The name of Silesie Samuel appears as the wife of Austin C. Samuel on Choctaw Field Card No. 2050, Approved Roll No. 5873.

Q When was Emmerson born ? A In January, 1902.

Q Do you know the day of the month ? A No, sir.

Q Is this child, Emmerson Samuel, living now ? A Yes, sir.

Q Has any application ever been made before this time for the enrollment of this child Emmerson Samuel ? A No, sir.

Q Now who is the mother of Roland Samuel ? A Lucy Ann Harris.

Q Is Lucy Ann Harris now the wife of Austin C. Samuel ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q Is Lucy Ann living ? A Yes, sir.

Q What is the name of her father ? A Gilbert Harris.

Q What is the name of her mother ? A Jincey.

Q Is she now living with Austin C. Samuel as his wife ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q Her post office is Beach the same as her husband ? A Yes, sir.

The name of Lucy Ann Harris appears as No. 5792 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 2023.

Q Her name now then is Lucy Ann Samuel, is it ? A Yes, sir.

Q When was this youngest child, Roland Samuel, born ? A The nearest I can get is August, 1905.

Q Is ~~Sam~~ Roland Samuel living ? A Yes, sir.

Q Is this the first application that has ever been made for his enrollment ? A Yes, sir.

Q Are both of these children boys ? A Yes, sir.

Q The father and mothers of these two children, Emmerson and Roland Samuel, are all full blood Indians, are they ?

A. Yes, sir.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.

Wm. L. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 7th day of June, 1906.

Wm. L. Martin

Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

McAlester, Indian Territory, October 19, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, of Emerson Samuel, minor child of Austin C. Samuel, Choctaw by blood Roll Number 5872, Field Card Number 2050, and Silesie Samuel, deceased, Choctaw by blood, Roll Number 5873, Field Card Number 2050; and Lawrence Samuel, minor child of said Austin C. Samuel and Lucy A. n Samuel (nee Harris) Choctaw by blood, Roll Number 5792, Field Card Number 2023.

Testimony taken in McAlester, Indian Territory, October 11, 1906.

JAMISON LEWIS, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Jamison Lewis.
Q How old are you? A 23 last January.
Q What is your post office address? A Beach, I. T.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation?
A Yes, sir, I am a full blood.
Q State the names of your parents?
A Mulwit Lewis is my father.
Q Did you appear before the Choctaw Enrolling Field Party at Smithville, Indian Territory, on June 7, 1906, for the purpose of enrolling the minor children of Austin C. Samuel?
A Yes, sir.
Q Why did you appear and give testimony regarding these minor children?
A The parents and grandparents all belong to the "Snake" Indians.
Q Do said "Snake" Indians refuse to make selection of land, to draw their per capita townsite money and to enroll their new born children? A
A Yes.
Q Who is the mother of Emerson Samuel? A Silesie Samuel, now dead.
Q Was Silesie Samuel the wife of Austin C. Samuel? A Yes, sir.
Q When was Emerson Samuel born? A In January 1902.
Q How old is he at the present time? A Going on five years old.
Q Is Emerson living at the present time? A Yes, sir.
Q Did you make application for the enrollment of this child on the 7th day of June 1907 before the Choctaw Enrolling Party under the name of "Emerson" Samuel?
A Yes, sir, I made application for him.
Q Who is the mother of Lawrence Samuel? A Lucy Ann Samuel, nee Harris.
Q Who is the father of Lucy A. n Samuel? A Gilbert Harris.
Q Did you make application for the enrollment of Lawrence Samuel under the name of Roland?
A I think the name is Lawrence; when I went before the enrolling

In re the application of Emerson & Lawrence Samuel --- #2?

party I thought the name of the child was Roland, and I think I had it enrolled as Roland.

Q Do you know positively whether the child is named Lawrence Samuel or Roland Samuel.

Q I never paid much attention to the little baby, and besides full-blood Choctaw hardly ever call baby's by their names.

Q When was this child born?

A It was born in the month of August 1905.

Q How near do you live to the parents of this child.

A Within half a mile.

Q How long have you known them? A All my life.

Q From the records of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes it appears that Lucyan Samuel, lawful wife of Austin C. Samuel, appeared before William H. McKinney, an employee of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, and made affidavit that she gave birth, on the 27th of August 1905, to a male child, living March 4, 1906, and named Lawrence Samuel (Affidavit shown witness). Do you know positively that this is the same child for whose enrollment you made application before the Dawes Commission Enrolling Party under the name of Roland?

A Yes, sir, that's bound to be the same child.

Q Is this child living at the present time? A Yes, sir.

Q Has Austin C. Samuel any other minor children besides Emerson and Lawrence not on the approved roll?

A No, sir.

Q What is your business in South McAlester to-day?

A I am returning to my home at Beach, I have been to Atoka to finish filing for one of my children.

Witness Excused.

W. P. Covington, being duly sworn, states that the above and foregoing is a full and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said case on date set forth.

W. P. Covington

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 19 day of

Oct. 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

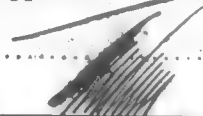
Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Emerson Samuel

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

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ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
of Emerson born on the 9 day of January 1907
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Austin C. Samuel a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Silisia Samuel a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Beach, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER Father

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.
I, Austin C. Samuel, on oath state that I am 34
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful husband Silisia Samuel, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to her on 9th day of January, 1907, that said child has been named
Emerson Samuel and was living March 4, 1906.
Austin C. Samuel

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1906.
[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.
I, Astin James (nee Samuel) mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Silisia Samuel, wife of Austin C. Samuel
on the 9th day of January, 1907, that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Emerson
Samuel.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Thompson Jay
Harrison [unclear]
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1906.
[Signature]
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Lawrence Samuel

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

NOV 28 1906

Approved

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[Signature]
Commissioner

Born Aug. 27, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation,
of Lawrence Samuel, born on the 27 day of August, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Austen C. Samuel a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sueyan Samuel a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: Beach, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Sueyan Samuel, on oath state that I am 18
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Lehotaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Austen C. Samuel, who is a citizen by
blood of the Lehotaw Nation; that a male child
[Male or Female]
born to me on 27th day of August, 1905; that said child has been named
Lawrence Samuel and was living March 4, 1906.
Sueyan Samuel

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1906.
[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Artie James (nie Samuel), a mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Sueyan Samuel wife of Austen C. Samuel
on the 27 day of August, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lawrence
Samuel.
Artie James (nie Samuel)
[Male]

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Thompson Taylor
Harrison McNeil
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of July, 1906.
[Signature]
Notary Public.

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Joseph sexton, JR

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23-731

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 18, 1906.

John E. Turner,

LeFlore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 30, 1906, enclosing marriage license and certificate between Joseph R. Sexton and Miss Ora Turner, together with affidavits of W. H. Hall and J. W. Parker to the birth of Joseph Sexton, Jr., child of Joseph R. and Ora Sexton, February 17, 1906, and same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-731

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 23, 1906.

Henry J. Sexton,
Sumnerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 13, 1906, in which you ask if the name of Joseph Sexton has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior.

In reply you are advised that the Notary Public before whom the affidavit of the physician, heretofore forwarded to the birth of Joseph Sexton, Jr., child of Joseph R. and Ora Sexton, was acknowledged failed to affix his seal thereto. It will, therefore, be necessary that a new affidavit of the physician be forwarded to the birth of this child, and in having the same executed care should be exercised to see that the Notary Public affixes his name and seal to said affidavit.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Acting Commissioner.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

25-751

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 1, 1906.

Henry J. Sexton,

Summerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of John E. Turner to the birth of Joseph Sexton Jr., child of Joseph R. and Ora Sexton, February 17, 1906, and the same is returned you herewith for the reason that N. T. Mitchell who appears as the midwife has failed to sign the affidavits. Please have the affidavit signed by N. T. Mitchell and return the same to this office as early as practicable.

Respectfully,

W. O. Beall

Acting Commissioner.

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*Enclosed find affidavit of N T Mitchell
properly signed as above and for*

Henry J. Sexton

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 26, 1906.

John E. Turner,
Sumnerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of
September 18, 1906, enclosing affidavits of John E. Turner and
M. T. Mitchell to the birth of Joseph Sexton Jr., child of Joseph
R. and Ora Sexton, February 17, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-781.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 6, 1906.

Henry J. Sexton,

Summerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 13, asking what disposition has been made of the application for the enrollment of Joseph Sexton, Jr., as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

In reply you are advised that the name of Joseph Sexton, Jr., has not yet been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, but in the event additional evidence is necessary, in order to determine the right of this child to enrollment, you will be duly notified.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-731

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 8, 1906.

Henry J. Sexton,
Summerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Joseph Sexton Jr., it will be necessary that J. W. Parker execute another affidavit to the birth of this child for the reason that the one heretofore forwarded shows that it was acknowledged June 10, 1910. Please give this matter immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-731

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 24, 1906.

John Turner,

Summerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 15, 1906, inclosing affidavit of J. W. Parker to the birth of Joseph Sexton, Jr., child of Joseph Sexton Sr. and Ora Sexton, February 17, 1906, and the same has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-731.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 28, 1906.

Henry J. Sexton,
Summerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Joseph Sexton, Jr. as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, there is returned herewith the affidavit of J. W. Park, for the reason that the name of this affiant appears in the body of the affidavit as J. W. Parke, while it is signed to the affidavit J. W. Parker.

Respectfully,

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Acting Commissioner.

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Muskegee, Indian Territory, April 1, 1907.

Henry J. Sexton,

Summerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 16, 1907, in which you ask the status of the application for the enrollment of Joseph Sexton Jr.

In reply to your letter you are advised that Joseph Sexton Jr., has been enrolled as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and his enrollment as such was approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 1, 1907.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-731

United States of America
Central District

J. W. Parker, first duly sworn deposes and says, I am forty-five years of age, and a resident of Central District. And I have been acquainted with Joseph Sexton Sr. and Ora Sexton more than twelve years, and that the said Joseph Sexton and Ora Sexton were lawful wife and husband, and on the 27 day of Feb. 1906 there was a male child born to her and has been named Joseph Sexton Jr.

The mother (Ora Sexton) of said Joseph Sexton Jr. died on the 26th day of March 1906, and the said child is now living.

J. W. Parker

sworn to and subscribed before me this 15 day of Dec. 1906

Robert E. Lee
Notary Public

My com. Exp. Jan. 5-1910

Affidavit of J. W. Parker
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I, J. W. Parker on oath state that I am
45 years of age and that I am not related to
Joseph Sexton, Jr. nor interested in any way
with his parents whatever, and that on the 17
day of February 1906, there was a male child
was born to Mrs. Ora Sexton, the wife of
Joseph R. Sexton, Sr. and the same has been named
Joseph Sexton, Jr. and was living March 4-1906
and is now living. Ora Sexton the mother of said child
(Joseph Sexton, Jr.) died on the 25th day of March 1906, and
that said Joseph R. Sexton Sr. also died in December
1905.
J W Parker

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day
June 1910

Robert E. Lee
Notary Public

My commission expires Jan. 5-1910.

No. 2524-

Certificate of Record of Marriages.

United States of America,)
The Indian Territory.) SCT.
Central District.

I, E. J. Fureman Clerk
of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the license for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. Joseph R. Denton and
Miss Bra. Barnes was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
8th day of June
A. D. 1905, and duly recorded in Book 3
of Marriage Record, Page 47.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at
Poteau
this 8th day of June
A. D. 1905.

E. J. Fureman Clerk.
By B. P. Barnes Deputy.

P. O. Sumnerfield.

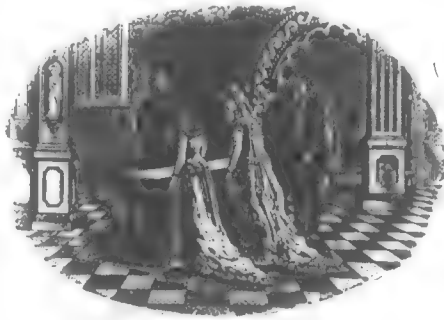
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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Commissioner.

No. 2529

MARRIAGE LICENSE



United States of America,

The Indian Territory,
Central DISTRICT, SS.

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. *Joseph R. Sexton* of *Summerfield* in the Indian Territory, aged - *19* - years, and Miss *Ora Turner* of *Summerfield* in the Indian Territory, aged - *19* - years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this *1st* day of *June* A. D. 1905

E. J. Farniss
Clerk of the United States Court.

By *T. T. Verner* Deputy.

United States of America, }
The Indian Territory, } SS.
Central District. }

Certificate of Marriage.

I, *Nerry J. Sutton*
a *County Judge* do hereby certify, that on the *4th* day of *June* A. D. 1905, I did, duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand, this *4th* day of *June* A. D. 1905

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of
~~the United States Court~~
the United States Court in the Indian Territory,
Central District, Book *C*, Page *84*

Nerry J. Sutton
a *County Judge*

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

Affidavit of W. H. Hall.

7-3096

LEFLORE, I. T. June 31 - 1906

I, W. H. Wall, on oath state that I am 19 years of age and that I am not kin to Joseph Sexton, Jr. nor interested in any way, of said Joseph Sexton, Jr. nor his parents what ever, and that on the 17 day of February 1906. there was a male child born to Ora Sexton the wife of Joseph R. Sexton, Sr. and the said Joseph Sexton, Jr. was living March 4 - 1906. and is now living. Ora Sexton Sexton, the mother of said child (Joseph Sexton) died on the 25 day of March 1906. and that Joseph R. Sexton Sr., the father of said child (Joseph Sexton) also died December 1905

W. H. Hall

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of June 1906

Robert E. Lee
Notary Public

My commission expires Jan. 5 - 1910

7-3096

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 11, 1906.

John E. Turner,

Summerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 26, 1906, inclosing affidavits of John E. Turner and M. A. Mitchell to the birth of Joseph Sexton, Jr., child of Joseph R. and Ora Sexton, February 17, 1906.

It appears that the mother of this child is dead. If this is true it will be necessary that you forward affidavits of two disinterested witnesses to the birth of said child, the date of her birth, the names of her parents, and that she was living March 4, 1906. The affidavits should also show the date of death of the mother.

You are also requested to forward evidence of the marriage of Joseph R. and Ora Sexton to be used in the matter of the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Joseph Sexton, Jr

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved. FEB 11 1906 190...

Commissioner.

Born Feb. 17, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Joseph Sexton Jr., born on the 17 day of Feb 1906.
Name of Father: Joseph R. Sexton a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Ora Sexton now citizen of ~~the~~
Tribal enrollment of father: 8839 Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
Postoffice: Sumnerfield, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, John E. Turner, a guardian of Joseph Sexton Jr., on oath state that I am 43 years of age and a citizen by non of the _____ NATION; that I am the lawful wife of father of Ora Sexton deceased Joseph R. Sexton, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to her on 17 day of Feb, 1906; that said child has been named Joseph Sexton Jr. and was living March 4, 1906.
John E. Turner

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of May, 1906.

Robert E. Lee

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, M. T. Mitchell, a midwife, on oath state that I attended on Ora Sexton, wife of Joseph R. Sexton, on the 17 day of Feb, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Joseph Sexton Jr.
M. T. Mitchell

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of May, 1906.

Robert E. Lee

Notary Public.

My com. expires Jan. 5-1910.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Joseph Sexton, Jr.

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved ~~Feb 17 1906~~ 1906

~~[Signature]~~

Commissioner.

Done Feb. 17. 1906.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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SEP 25 1906

~~[Signature]~~

Commissioner.

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Application
Received
May 29, 1906

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BIRTH AFFIDAVIT

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Joseph Sexton Jr., born on the 17 day of Feb. 1906.
Name of Father: Joseph R. Sexton Sr., a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Ora Sexton, a non citizen Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 8839 Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
Postoffice: Summerfield, N.Y.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, John E. Turner, on oath state that I am 44 years of age and a citizen by _____ of the non Citizen Nation; that I am the lawful wife of father of Ora Sexton, the wife of Joseph R. Sexton who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on 17 day of Feb. 1906; that said child has been named Joseph Sexton Jr. and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Must be Two Witnesses

John E. Turner
Grandfather and guardian of Joseph Sexton Jr.
M. T. Mitchell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug. 1906.

my Com expires Jan. 5-1910

Robert E. Lee
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, M. T. Mitchell, a midwife, on oath state that I attended on Ora Sexton, wife of Joseph R. Sexton on the 17 day of Feb. 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Joseph Sexton Jr.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Must be Two Witnesses

B. H. Mitchell
L. A. Mitchell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug. 1906.

my Com expires Jan. 5-1910

Robert E. Lee
Notary Public

Choc minor 732

James McClure Turner

m 732

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 8, 1906.

Andrew J. Turner,

Kiowa, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Ida F. Turner and J. S. Denison to the birth of James McClure Turner, child of Andrew J. and Ida F. Turner, September 7, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to state the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Kiowa, I. T. 6/6

Commission to Five Civ Tribes,
Muskogee, I. T.

In reply to your advice of the 2nd inst. requesting information regarding the enrollment matter of Ida F. Turner will say George M. Bond is her father Narcissia Bond was her mother I am not informed as to the date of application for her enrollment, no doubt your records will show it. She was originally enrolled as Ida M. (or F) Bond. After her marriage changed on rolls to her present name. Is the mother of Yulee Turner who was enrolled the summer of 1901. She has selected her allotment excepting a small portion her roll # is 12725.

Respt.

Andrew J. Turner.

7-4598

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 12, 1906.

Andrew J. Turner,

Kiowa, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 6, 1906, in which you state that your wife Ida F. Turner is the daughter of George M. Bond and Narcissa Bond and that her roll number is 12725.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the information has enabled this office to identify her upon its records as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child James McClure Turner have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-732

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 25, 1906.

Andrew J. Turner,
Kiowa, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 11, 1906, in which you ask if your child James McClure Turner has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child James McClure Turner has not yet been placed upon a schedule of new born citizens of the Choctaw Nation, but you will be notified when his enrollment is approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

85-738

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 30, 1906.

Andrew J. Turner,

Kiowa, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 21, 1906, in which you ask if your child James McClure Turner has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of this child is now being placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when his enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M. *James McChesnel Turner*

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

Approved ~~SEP 20 1906~~ 190

~~Commissioner.~~

Born Sept. 7, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 24, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,

of James M. Clare Turner, born on the 7 day of Sept, 1905

(Here insert name of child)

Name of Father: Andrew J. Turner a citizen of the USA Nation.

Name of Mother: Ida F. Turner a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Tribal enrollment of father: rescinded Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw

Postoffice: Showa, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Ida F. Turner, on oath state that I am 26

years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;

that I am the lawful wife of Andrew J. Turner, who is a citizen, by

of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was

born to me on 7 day of September, 1905; that said child has been named

James M. Clare Turner and was living March 4, 1906.

Ida F. Turner

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of May, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, J. S. Denison, a Physician, on oath state that I

attended on Ida F. Turner, wife of Andrew J. Turner

on the 7th day of Sept, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male

child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named James M. Clare Turner

J. S. Denison M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of May, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My Com. Expires 2/27-06.

Choc minor 733

Herbert Zacariah Ward

m 733

No. 1972

Certificate of Record of Marriages.

United States of America, }
THE INDIAN TERRITORY. } SCT.
CENTRAL DISTRICT

I, E. J. Hammin Clerk
of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. David Ward and
Miss Essie Crawford was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
22nd day of December

A. D. 1903, and duly recorded in Book 2
of Marriage Record, Page 368

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at

Poteau

this 22nd day of December

A. D. 1903

E. J. Hammin

Clerk.

By J. J. Warner

P. O.

Warner, J.

INDIAN TERRITORY, CENTRAL DISTRICT,
AT POTEAU,

I hereby certify that the within is a
true and correct copy of the original.

E. J. Hammin Clerk

By J. J. Warner D. C.

DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF CIVILIZED TRIFES.
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No. 1972

Marriage License.

United States of America, The Indian Territory,
Central District---ss.

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between
Mr. David Ward
of Harmer in the Indian Territory, aged 23 years,
and Miss Gussie Crawford of Harmer
in the Indian Territory, aged 21 years, according to law, and do you officially sign
and return this license to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 14 day
of December A. D. 1903.
E. J. Hamlin
Clerk of the United States Court.
By J. J. Warner Deputy.
[Issued at _____]

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY. } SS
CENTRAL DISTRICT.

Certificate of Marriage.

I, Thos M. Kimbro
Minister do hereby certify, that on the 20 day
of December A. D. 1903, I did, duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing
License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand, this 20 day of December A. D. 1903

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of
the United States Court in the Indian Territory. Cen-
tral District, Book C Page 58

Thos M. Kimbro
Minister

NOTE: This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00.)

Yes
NEW BORN

733

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD.

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Herbert Zacariah Ward*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved: *JAN 15 1907* 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Jan. 31, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Herbert Zacariah Ward, born on the 31 day of January 906
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Dave Ward a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Gussie Ward Non citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: non citizen
Postoffice: Reichert, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central Dist District.

I, Gussie Ward, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Dave Ward, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 31st day of January 906; that said child has been named
Herbert Zacariah Ward, and was living March 4, 1906.

Gussie Ward

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of May, 1906.

J. M. Young
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central Dist. District.

I, Tobitha Heavener, Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Gussie Ward wife of Dave Ward
on the 31st day of January, 906; that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Herbert Zacariah Ward

Tobitha Heavener
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WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { John H. Dunn
Ja. Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of May, 1906.

J. M. Young
Notary Public.

23-733

Kaakegoc, Indian Territory, March 7, 1907.

David Ward,

Heavener, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of February 26, 1907, addressed to the United States Indian Agent has been by him referred to this office for consideration and appropriate action. Therein you ask if your infant son Herbert Zachariah Ward has been enrolled.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on February 15, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child Herbert Zachariah Ward as a minor citizen of the Chectaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 24, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-2213

McGehee, Indian Territory, June 11, 1906

Dave Ward,

Reichert, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Gussie Ward and Tobitha Heavener to the birth of Herbert
Macariah Ward, child of Dave Ward and Gussie Ward, January
11, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application
for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-733

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Dave Ward,

Reichert, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Before any further action can be taken in the matter of the enrollment of your minor child, Herbert Zachariah Ward, it will be necessary that you forward either the original or a certified copy of the marriage license and certificate of Dave Ward and Gussie Ward.

Please give this matter your prompt attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-733

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 24, 1906.

Chief Clerk,
Choctaw Land Office,
Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are advised that Dave Ward, Choctaw roll card No. 2313, approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation No. 6417 has advised this office that the marriage license between himself and his wife Gussie Ward was filed with your office.

It does not appear from the records of this office that a copy has been forwarded and you are requested to advise if such marriage license has been filed and if so forward a certified copy thereof for use in the matter of the enrollment of his child Herbert Zachary Ward as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-733

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 10, 1906.

Dave Ward,

Belohert, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 13, 1906, in which you state that your marriage license is on file at the Choctaw Land Office at Atoka, Indian Territory.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on November 24, 1906, a letter was addressed to the Choctaw Land Office requesting a copy of the marriage license between yourself and your wife Gussie Ward and this office is now in receipt of a letter from the Choctaw Land Office under date of November 26, 1906, advising that the marriage license referred to is not on file with the records of that office.

You are therefore requested to forward at once certified copy of the marriage license and certificate between yourself and Gussie Ward in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Herbert Zachary Ward as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 25, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-733

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 24, 1906.

David Ward,

Reichert, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the marriage license and certificate between David Ward and Gussie Crawford and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of their child Herbert Zachariah Ward.

Respectfully

Acting Commissioner.

Choc minor 734

ora Ida white

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22-2417

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 8, 1908.

Livingston B. White,

Summerfield, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Angeline White and M. T. Mitchell to the birth of Ora Ida White, child of Livingston B. and Angeline White, September 16, 1908, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

23-734

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 9, 1906.

Livingston B. White,

White, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 31, 1906, asking when you can file for your child Ora Ida White.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on October 15, 1906; the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of Ora Ida White as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 and selection of allotment may now be made in her behalf in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the selection of allotments and the designation of homesteads in the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Copy

Sugar Loaf Co.
Choctaw Nation/
Ind. Terr.

this to certifies that L. B. White and Angelina Mitchell
were at my house joined together in the holy bonds of matrimony
according to the usual custom and laws, direct by the Methodist
E. C. S. this 12 day of May 1899.

In presence of
G. A. Ellis.

Jerre Ellis.

NEW BORN

734

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Ora Ida White

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved. **SEP 20 1906** 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Sept. 16, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Ora Ida White, born on the 16 day of Sept 1905
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Livingston B White a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Angelina White a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: No 985 Tribal enrollment of mother: 3403
roll number roll number
 Postoffice: Summerfield, La.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Angelina White on oath state that I am 33
 years of age and a citizen by marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Livingston B White who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
Male or Female
 born to me on 16 day of Sept 1905; that said child has been named
Ora Ida White and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two] Witnesses

M. T. Mitchell
Emma E. Lee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of June 1906.

Angelina White for White
mark
Robert E. Lee
 Notary Public.

My com. expires Jan. 5-1910.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, M. T. Mitchell a midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Angelina White wife of Livingston B White
 on the 16 day of Sept 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
Male or Female
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Ora
Ida White

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two] Witnesses

M. T. Mitchell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of June 1906.

Robert E. Lee
 Notary Public.

My Com. expires Jan. 5-1910

Choc minor 735

Sillian Wilkin

m 735

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory, June 12, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Sillian Wilkin, minor child of John Wilkin, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5335, Field Card No. 1873, and Delia Wilkin, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 5801, Field Card No. 2025.

MARY MORRIS, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

--:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:--

Q What is your name ? A Mary Morris.
Q How old are you ? A About 33.
Q What is your post office address ? A Tuskahoma.
Q Do you know John Wilkin ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know his wife Delia Wilkin ? A Yes, sir.
Q They have just made application for the enrollment of Sillian Wilkin; is John Wilkin the father of this child ?
A Yes, sir.
Q Is Delia Wilkin this child's mother ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is this baby, Sillian Wilkin, living ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know that Sillian Wilkin is the child of John Wilkin and his wife Delia Wilkin ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you live close to these people ? A Yes, sir, I live about three miles from them.
Q Do you know when this child was born ? A Yes, sir, November 6, 1905.

Witness excused.

JOEL MORRIS, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

Q What is your name ? A Joel Morris.
Q How old are you ? A 40.
Q What is your post office address ? A Tuskahoma.
Q Do you know John Wilkin ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know his wife Delia ? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you live close to them ? A Yes, sir.
Q They have just made application for the enrollment of the child Sillian Wilkin; is John Wilkin the father of this child ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is his wife, Delia, this child's mother ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is this baby, Sillian, living now ? A Yes, sir.
Q You know, do you, that Sillian is the child of John and Delia Wilkin ? A Yes, sir.

Witness Excused.

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Wm L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the

Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.

[Handwritten Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 12th day of June, 1906.

[Handwritten Signature]

Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Sillian Wilkin

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

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Commissioner.

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Born Nov 6, 1905 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Silliam Wilkin, born on the 6 day of Nov 1905
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: John Wilkin a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Delia Wilkin a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
 Postoffice: Tuskahoma I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Delia Wilkin, on oath state that I am 37 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of John Wilkin, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was born to me on 6 day of November 1905; that said child has been named Silliam Wilkin and was living March 4, 1906.

Delia Wilkin

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { John
W. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June 1906.
W. Martin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, John Wilkin, on oath state that I attended on Delia Wilkin, wife of myself on the 6 day of Nov 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Silliam Wilkin

John Wilkin

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { John
W. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June 1906.
W. Martin
 Notary Public.

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Beulah Herndon

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 14, 1906.

John G. Herndon,

Glover, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Isabell Herndon and Jennie James to the birth of Beulah Herndon,
child of John G. and Isabel Herndon, January 24, 1906, and the
same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said
child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Beulah Herndon*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

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[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Jan. 24, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 24, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Beulah Herndon, born on the 24 day of January, 1906.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: John C. Herndon a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Isabell Herndon a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw 1289 Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw 3384
Postoffice: Glover 29

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Isabell Herndon, on oath state that I am about 22
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John C. Herndon, who is a citizen, by
Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 24 day of January, 1906; that said child has been named
Beulah Herndon, and was living March 4, 1906.

Isabell Herndon

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of May, 1906.

J. L. Merry

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Jessie James, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Isabell Herndon, wife of John C. Herndon,
on the 24 day of January, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Beulah Herndon.

Jessie James

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of May, 1906.

J. L. Merry

Notary Public.

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MINOR
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ENROLLMENT

LILLIE NOAH

D.P.

As Citizen of the
CHOCTAW NATION
Act of Congress
Approved April 26, 1906

DECLINE TO RECEIVE FEB 21 1907
COPY OF DECISION FORWARDED
APPLICANT FEB 21 1907

COPY OF DECISION FORWARDED
ATTORNEYS FOR CHOCTAW AND
CHICKASAW NATIONS FEB 21 1907

RECORD FORWARDED DEPARTMENT.
FEB 21 1907

ACTION APPROVED BY
SECRETARY OF INTERIOR MAR 4-1907

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENTAL ACTION
FORWARDED ATTORNEYS FOR CHOCTAW
AND CHICKASAW NATIONS. APR 4-1907

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENTAL
ACTION MAILED APPLICANT. APR 4-1907

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 5, 1906.

Ellen Noah,

Nashoba, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of yourself and Stroden Noah to the death of your child Lillie Noah a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation which occurred December 9, 1905.

You are advised that it does not appear from the records of this office that application has been made for the enrollment of Lillie Noah as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 8, 1906.

Clinton O. Dunn,

Ardmore, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Ellen Noah and Streden Noah to the birth of Lillis Noah, child of Ebeneser Noah and Ellen Noah, March 4, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It will be necessary to have the inclosed blank executed so as to show the child was living March 4, 1906. Please attend to this matter at once.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 15, 1908.

Ebenezer Noah,

Nashoba, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Ellen Noah and Steroden Noah to the birth of Silina Noah on October 28, 1905, and same have been filed as an application for her enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Ebeneser Noah,

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed herewith for execution application for the enrollment of your minor child, Lillie Noah, born March 4, 1905.

The affidavits heretofore filed with this office show the child was living March 4, 1905. It is necessary, for the child to be enrolled, that she was living on March 4, 1906.

In the event of her death prior to that date, you will erase the words, "was living March 4, 1906" and insert instead the date of her death.

This matter should receive your immediate attention as no further action can be taken relative to the enrollment of your said child, until this information is furnished.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

I. T. B.

WASHINGTON,

March 4, 1907.

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DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Cheatew citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed.

Title of Case.	Date of your letter of transmittal.
Euna Crawford (intermarried)	February 18, 1907.
Doris A. Stidham (intermarried)	February 18, 1907.
Polce Hall (freedman)	February 18, 1907.
Lucretia Weatherly, et al.	February 12, 1907.
Charlotte Jones (freedman)	February 14, 1907.
Clayton Howlaway, et al. (freedman)	February 14, 1907.
Lillie Yeah	February 21, 1907.
Agnes Childers (intermarried)	February 14, 1907.
Berna Brown (freedman)	February 19, 1907.
Sallie Schooley, et al.	February 23, 1907.
Abner Owens, et al. (freedman)	February 23, 1907.
Edna W. Gardner	February 21, 1907.
Mary H. Boyles, et al. (freedman)	February 20, 1907.
Roscoe Burney	February 21, 1907.
Richard S. Bannight, et al.	February 18, 1907.
Abigail Kimble, et al.	February 21, 1907.

A copy hereof and the papers in the above mentioned

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cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

E. A. Hitchcock,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

March 1, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

sir:

There is enclosed a report from Commissioner Bixby dated February 21, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the application of Lillie Neah for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw nation, together with the Commissioner's decision of February 21, 1907, declining to receive the application.

The record has been examined and it is found that the action of the Commissioner is correct. Its approval is recommended.

Very respectfully,

G. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 4, 1907.

~~Ebenezer~~ Noah,

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 4, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 21, 1907, declining to receive the application for the enrollment of Lillie Noah as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Chas. Rogers
Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 20, 1907.

Fred V. Kinkade,

Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

I have hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 18, 1907, with which you inclose affidavit of Ellen Noah to the birth of Billie Noah, child of Ebenezer and Ellen Noah, March 4, 1905, and ask to be advised the status of the application for the enrollment of said child.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on February 21, 1907, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes declined to receive the application for the enrollment of Billie Noah, child of Ebenezer and Ellen Noah as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, and on March 4, 1907, this action was approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 28, 1906.

Lillie Noah

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MIXORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Lillie Noah born on the 4th day of March, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Ebenezer Noah a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Ellen Noah a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 5630 Tribal enrollment of mother: 5631
Postoffice: Tuskahoma, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.
I, Ellen Noah, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Ebenezer Noah, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 4th day of March, 1905; that said child has been named
Lillie Noah and born living March 7, 1905.
x Ellen Noah

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.
I, Sallie Pickens, a Nurse, on oath state that I
attended on Ellen Noah wife of Ebenezer Noah
on the 4th day of March, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child born living March 7, 1905 and is said to have been named Lillie Noah.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Lillie Noah Born on the 4th day of March 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Ebenezer Noah a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Ellen Noah a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 5630 Tribal enrollment of mother: 5631
Postoffice: Tuskahoma, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Ellen Noah, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Ebenezer Noah, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 4th day of March, 1905; that said child has been named
Lillie Noah and born March 4, 1905
x Ellen Noah

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Sallie Pickens, a Nurse, on oath state that I
attended on Ellen Noah wife of Ebenezer Noah
on the 4th day of March, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was born March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Lillie Noah

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1906.

Notary Public.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

as a citizen of

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Lillie Noah (Here insert name of child.) born on the 4 day of March, 1904
Name of Father: Ebinger Noah a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Ellen Noah a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice Washoba MS

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Ellen Noah, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Ebinger Noah, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 4 day of March, 1904 that said child has been named
Lillie Noah died February 22/1906
and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { Robert White
Lewis E. Wilkin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of February, 1907.

F M Fuller

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Sallie Pickens, a Nurse, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Ellen Noah, wife of Ebinger Noah
on the 4 day of March, 1904 that there was born to her on said date a Female
died February 22 1906 child; that said child Lillie Noah
(Male or Female.)
and is said to have been named Lillie Noah

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { Robert White
Lewis E. Wilkin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of February, 1907.

F M Fuller

Notary Public.

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IN RE
THE DEATH OF

Lillie Noah

a citizen of the

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Lillie Noah
(Here insert name of deceased)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Nashoba, Ind. Ter., and died on the 9 day of
December, 1905
(Here insert name of post office)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,

Central District.

I, Ellen Noah, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my post office address is Nashoba Ind. Ter.; that I am
the mother of Lillie Noah,
(State relationship as: the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Lillie Noah died on the 9 day of
December, 1905. Ellen Noah

WITNESSES TO MARK:
(Must be Two Witnesses) } Silas Lewis
O. J. Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of April 1906
J. M. Fuller
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,

Central District.

I, Stroder Noah, on oath state that I am 32
years of age, and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my post office address is Nashoba Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Lillie Noah,
(Here insert name of deceased)
who was a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Lillie Noah died on the 9 day of
December, 1905. Stroder Noah

WITNESSES TO MARK:
(Must be Two Witnesses) } Silas Lewis
O. J. Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of April 1906
J. M. Fuller
Notary Public.

my commission expires April 21 1908

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 23, 1906.

Lillie Noah

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 1906

Commissioner.

Born March 4 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Lillie Noah, born on the 4 day of March 1905
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Ebenezzer Noah a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Ellen Noah a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Tus h k ahomwa, OI
(near Big Luck)

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Ellen Noah on oath state that I am 28
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Ebenezzer Noah, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 4 day of March 1905; that said child has been named
Lillie Noah and was living March 4, 1906.
Ellen Noah

WITNESSES TO MARK:
 [Must be Two Witnesses] { Silas Lewis
O. G. Lewis
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of April 1906.
(Seal) F. M. Fuller
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Staded Noah, on oath state that I
 attended on Mrs. Ellen Noah, wife of Ebenezzer Noah
 on the 4 day of March 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lillie Noah
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WITNESSES TO MARK:
 [Must be Two Witnesses] { Silas Lewis
O. G. Lewis
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of April 1906.
(Seal) F. M. Fuller
 Notary Public.

My commission expires April 18th 1908

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

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a citizen of the

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..... *Commissioner.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.**

In the matter of the death of Lillie Noah
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Nashoba, Ind. Ter., and died on the 22nd day of
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
February, 1906.

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Ebenezer Noah, on oath state that I am 57
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Nashoba, Ind. Ter.; that I am
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
father of Lillie Noah
(State relationship as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Lillie Noah died on the 22nd day of
(Here insert name of deceased.)
February, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must Be Two
Witnesses.)

H. V. Wilmath

W. H. Martin

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February, 1907.
(SEAL)

W. H. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Sallie Pickens, on oath state that I am 17
years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Nashoba, Ind. Ter.;
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
that I was personally acquainted with Lillie Noah
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Lillie Noah died on the 22nd day of
(Here insert name of deceased.)

February, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must Be Two
Witnesses.)

H. M. Wilmath

(SEAL) W. H. Martin

Sallie her
mark Pickens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February, 1907.

W. H. Martin
Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

A CITIZEN OF THE

Nation

Approved *190*

Commissioner

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Department of the Interior,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Lillie Noah
(Here insert name of deceased)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Nashoba Ind. Ter., and died on the 22nd day of
February, 1906
(Here insert name of post office)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE

Indian Territory
Central District

I, Ellen Noah, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen, by Hood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Nashoba Ind. Ter.; that I am
Mother of Lillie Noah
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased)
who was a citizen, by Hood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Lillie Noah died on the 22nd day of
February, 1906
(Here insert name of deceased)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Ellen Noah

(Must Be Two Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February, 1906

W. H. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE

I, _____, on oath state that I am _____
years of age, and a citizen by _____ of the _____ Nation;
that my postoffice address is _____, Ind. Ter.;
(Here insert name of postoffice)
that I was personally acquainted with _____
(Here insert name of deceased)
who was a citizen, by _____ of the _____ Nation;
and that said _____ died on the _____ day of _____
(Here insert name of deceased)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must Be Two Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1906

Notary Public.

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O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Lillie Noah as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

It appears from the record herein that on May 31, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Lillie Noah as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein that said applicant was born on March 4, 1906, and is the daughter of Ebenezer Noah and Ellen Noah, whose names appear opposite Nos. 5630 and 5631, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior January 16, 1903; and that said applicant died on February 22, 1906.

I am of the opinion that inasmuch as the applicant was not born prior to March 4, 1905, and was not living on March 4, 1906, I am without authority to take any action looking to the enrollment of said applicant as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and that under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (33 Stats., 1060), and April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), I should decline to receive or consider the same, and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

Ebenezer Noah,

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 21, 1907, declining to receive the application for the enrollment of Lillie Noah as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-737.

Registered.

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COPY

Maskogee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

Manfield, McFarrey & Gernish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 21, 1907, declining to receive the application for the enrollment of Lillie Noah as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tams Bixby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 17-EB-409.

COPY
Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior:

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Lillie Neah as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 21, 1907, declining to receive said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner

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Through the Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

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WASHINGTON.

March 4, 1907.

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7304, 6896, 7576, 7632- "

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Choctaw citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed.

Title of Case.	Date of your letter of transmittal.
Emma Crawford (intermarried)	February 18, 1907.
Sadie A. Stishes (intermarried)	February 18, 1907.
Saloo Hall (freedman)	February 18, 1907.
Isabella Weatherly, et al.	February 18, 1907.
Charlotte Jones (freedman)	February 18, 1907.
Clayton Newlsey, et al. (freedman)	February 14, 1907.
Lillie Noah	February 21, 1907.
Agnes Childers (intermarried)	February 14, 1907.
Erna Brown (freedman)	February 19, 1907.
Callie Schooley, et al.	February 21, 1907.
Almer Owens, et al. (freedman)	February 23, 1907.
Bessie H. Gardner	February 21, 1907.
Mary E. Boyles, et al. (freedman)	February 20, 1907.
Roscoe Barney	February 21, 1907.
Richard E. Bennett, et al.	February 18, 1907.
Abigail Kimble, et al.	February 21, 1907.

A copy hereof and the papers in the above mentioned

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cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

R. A. Hitchcock,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

March 1, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

sir:

There is enclosed a report from Commissioner Bixby dated February 21, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the application of Lillie Noah for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw nation, together with the Commissioner's decision of February 21, 1907, declining to receive the application.

The record has been examined and it is found that the action of the Commissioner is correct. Its approval is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 4, 1907.

Ebenezer Noah,

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 4, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 21, 1907, declining to receive the application for the enrollment of Lillie Noah as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers,

Acting Commissioner.

23-787

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 4, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 4, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 21, 1907, declining to receive the application for the enrollment of Lillie Neah as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. W. Rodgers,

Acting Commissioner.

Department of the Interior.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

MUSKOGEE, IND. TER.



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~~Ebenezer Nash,~~

~~Tuskahoma, Indian Territory.~~

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

Ebenezer Noah,

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

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The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-737.

Registered.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

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OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

March 1, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from Commissioner Bixby dated February 21, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the application of Lillie Noah for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, together with the Commissioner's decision of February 21, 1907, declining to receive the application.

The record has been examined and it is found that the action of the Commissioner is correct. Its approval is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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Choc minor 738

Lizzie Anderson

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Lizzie Anderson

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

..... Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906

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~~Commissioner.~~

Born July 28, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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~~Commissioner.~~

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Lizzie Anderson, born on the 28 day of July, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Noel Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Mary Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
 Postoffice: Lowen - Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Mary Anderson, on oath state that I am 27
 years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Noel Anderson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 28 day of July, 1905; that said child has been named
Lizzie Anderson and was living March 4, 1906.
Mary Anderson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of July, 1906.

John Reed
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

W.K. Hudson, Physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Mary Anderson, wife of Noel Anderson
 on the 28 day of July, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lizzie Anderson.
W.K. Hudson m.d.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of July, 1906.

John Reed
 Notary Public.

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CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT Mr. Noel A. Anderson of Gaines County and Miss Mary Hirt of Gaines County have been by me joined together in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony. This 17th day of June 1901.

Frank Battes,
County and Probate Judge of Gaines
County, C. N.

WITNESSES Jno. Grayson,
Mrs. Jno. Grayson.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
FILED
Dec. 24 1902.

Tams Bixby,
Acting Chairman.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

A Choc. Minor 738

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 27, 1906.

Noel Anderson,

Gowen, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mary Anderson and W. R. Hudson to the birth of Lizzie Anderson, child of Noel and Mary Anderson, July 28, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

The date of the birth of this child is given in the caption as July 28, 1905, while the date of the birth in the affidavits of the mother and the physician appears as July 28, 1906.

As this is evidently an error there is inclosed herewith new blank which you are requested to have executed showing the correct date of the birth of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

B. C.

~~Choctaw, 758~~

Minor 738

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 19, 1906.

Noel Anderson,

Owen, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mary Anderson and W. K. Hudson, M. D. to the birth of Lizzie Anderson, child of Noel Anderson and Mary Anderson on July 28, 1905, and the same have been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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NEW BORN

199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Lizzie Anderson*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved _____ 190_____

Commissioner.

Born July 28, 1905-
ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Logge Anderson, born on the 28 day of July, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Noel Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Lovett - D. Tex

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Mary Anderson, on oath state that I am 26
years of age and a citizen by ~~inter-marriage~~ of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Noel Anderson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 28 day of July, 1906 that said child has been named
Logge Anderson, and was living March 4, 1906.
Mary Anderson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of June, 1906.

Gerald Reed
Notary Public.

My term expires Jan 7-1908

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

W. K. Hudson, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mary Anderson, wife of Noel Anderson,
on the 28 day of July, 1906 that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Logge Anderson
W. K. Hudson M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of June, 1906.

Gerald Reed
Notary Public.

Choc minor 739

Cynthia Gladys Allen

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Cynthia Gladys Allen, born on the 3 day of December 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Charley Allen a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Cora E. Allen a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father Chas W # 13842 Tribal enrollment of mother Chas E Allen # 15057
listed on Choctaw card # 5902 listed on Choctaw card # 3935
Postoffice Caddo, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Cora E. Allen, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Charley Allen, who is a citizen, by
intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 3rd day of December, 1905; that said child has been named
Cynthia Gladys Allen, and was living March 4, 1906, is now present
Cora E. Allen

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1906.

J. T. Reppole
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, W. J. Melton, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Cora E. Allen wife of Charley Allen
on the 3rd day of December, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Cynthia Gladys Allen
W. J. Melton

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of June, 1906.

B. F. Maddox
Notary Public.

Choc minor 740

Joseph Alexander

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Joseph Alexander
as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED MARCH 3d, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Joseph Alexander, born on the 13th day of June, 1903
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Eastman Alexander a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sissy (Hancock) Alexander citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Talihina I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,

Central DISTRICT.

I, Sissy (Hancock) Alexander, on oath state that I am about 20
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Eastman Alexander, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 13th day of June, 1903, that said child has been named
Joseph Alexander, and was living March 4, 1905. That my reason
not appearing at Tushkahema, when the dates were named for enrollment,
was that Joseph, my said child, was sick and I could not attend.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { William Jones Sissy (Hancock) Alexander
Raymond Bryant her

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of Sept, 1905
my com. [unclear] [unclear] John Thomas
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,

Central DISTRICT.

I, Ida Speer, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Sissy (Hancock) Alexander wife of Eastman Alexander
on the 13th day of June, 1903, that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Joseph Alexander
Ida Speer

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of September, 1903.
my com. [unclear] [unclear] 2. B. Lunsford
Feb. 4, 1905. Notary Public.

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IN RE.

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Joseph Alexander

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved _____ 190

Commissioner.

Received Sep 25, 1905

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Joseph Alexander, born on the 13th day of June, 1903
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Rastman Alexander a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sikey (Hancock) Alexander a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice Talibnia I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Sikey (Hancock) Alexander, on oath state that I am about 23
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Rastman Alexander, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 13th day of June, 1903; that said child has been named

Joseph Alexander and was living March 4, 1906. That my name
start appearing at Talibnia, when the date was named
enrollment, was that Joseph, my said child, was sick and
could not attend.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses) }
William James
Raymond Bryant

Sikey (Hancock) Alexander mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of September, 1905.
my commission Mich 30/09 Joe J. Thomas
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Ida Speer, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Sikey (Hancock) Alexander wife of Rastman Alexander
on the 13 day of June, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Joseph Alexander

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Seal)

(Must be Two Witnesses) }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of September, 1905.
my Com expires Feb 4, 1908 J. B. Crawford
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Joseph Alexander

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

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~~Commissioner.~~

Born June 13, 1903

OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... **Choctaw** Nation,
of **Joseph Alexander** born on the **13th** day of **June** **1905**.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: **Eastman Alexander** a citizen of the **Choctaw** Nation.
Name of Mother: **Sikey Alexander, nee Hancock** a citizen of the **Choctaw** Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father **Roll No. 4088** Tribal enrollment of mother **Roll No. 5118**

Postoffice..... **Talihina Ind Ter.**

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... **Central** District. }

I, **Sikey Alexander, nee Hancock** on oath state that I am... **about 21**
years of age and a citizen by... **Blood** of the... **Choctaw** Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of... **Eastman Alexander** who is a citizen, by
..... **Blood** of the... **Choctaw** Nation; that a... **male** child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on... **13th** day of... **June** **1905** ; that said child has been named
Joseph Alexander and was living March 4, 1906.

Sikey Alexander nee Hancock

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *Emaline Mc Coy*
John Grant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this... **22** day of... **June** 1906.
J. H. Billy
my Com - expires Feb 24 1910 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... **Central** District. }

I, **Ida Speers** a... **midwife** on oath state that I
attended on **Mrs Sikey Alexander nee Hancock wife of Eastman Alexander**
on the... **13th** day of... **June** **1905** ; that there was born to her on said date a... **male**
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named... **Joseph Alexander**

Ida Speers

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this... **22** day of... **June** 1906.
J. H. Billy
my Com - expires Feb 24 1910 Notary Public.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1905.

John J. Thomas,

Talibina, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 22, inclosing affidavits of Sikey (Hancock) Alexander and Ida Spear to the birth of Joseph Alexander, son of Eastman and Sikey (Hancock) Alexander, June 13, 1903.

You are advised that under the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes was authorized, for a period of sixty days from that date, to receive applications for the enrollment of children of citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations born prior to March 3, 1905. You will therefore see that the time for the reception of such applications expired at midnight, May 2, 1905.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 27, 1906.

Thomas & Lansford,

Talihina, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 25, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Sikey Alexander nee Hancock and Ida Speers to the birth of Joseph Alexander, child of Eastman Alexander and Sikey Alexander nee Hancock, June 13, 1903, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 741

Nettie Maud Ansley

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

Nettie Maud Anoley

as a citizen of

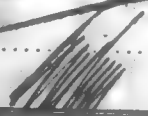
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Approved

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Commissioner

Born Feb. 3, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Nettie Mand Ansley born on the 3d day of Feb., 1906.
Name of Father: Joseph A. Ansley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mand Ansley a citizen of the U.S. Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: None
Postoffice: Chagris, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Mand Ansley, on oath state that I am 17
years of age and a citizen by U.S. of the U.S. Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Joseph A. Ansley, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 3d day of Feb., 1906; that said child has been named
Nettie Mand Ansley and was living March 4, 1906.
Mand Ansley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June, 1906.
W. F. McKnight
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, M. H. Logan, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Mand Ansley, wife of Joseph A. Ansley
on the 3d day of Feb., 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Nettie Mand Ansley.
M. H. Logan, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1906.
W. F. McKnight
Notary Public.

7-3167

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 27, 1906.

Joseph A. Ansley,

Okmulgee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Maud Ansley and H. H. Logan to the birth of Nettie Maud Ansley, child of Joseph A. and Maud Ansley, February 3, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It will be necessary that evidence of the marriage between yourself and Maud Ansley be forwarded in the matter of the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-741

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 8, 1906.

Joseph A. Ansley,
Chagris, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 10, 1906, asking if your child Nettie Maud Ansley has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Nettie Maud Ansley has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior. You will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Department.

Commissioner.

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CERTIFICATE OF
RECORD OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY, } sct.
SOUTHERN DISTRICT. }

I, C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk of the United States Court,

in the Territory and District aforesaid, do hereby cer-
tify that the License for and Certificate of Marriage of

Mr. J. C. Ausley and
M Maudie Dawson

were filed in my office in said Territory and District
the 22 day of

April A. D. 1905, and
duly recorded in Book 2 of Marriage

Record, Page 128

WITNESS my hand and Seal of said Court, at Ardmore,
this 22 day

of April A. D. 1905

C. M. Campbell
CLERK.

Return this license to the United States Clerk at Ardmore, that
it may be recorded, when it will be mailed to the proper address.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

FILED
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Commissioner.

FILED
AT ARDMORE.

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C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk and,
Exofficio Recorder, District No 21, Ind. Ter.

No person is authorized to perform the Marriage Ceremony in the Indian Territory unless the proper credentials have first been recorded in the Clerk's office.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

No. 680

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

ss.

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize
Marriage, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to solemnize the Rite and publish the
Banns of Matrimony between Mr. Joseph A Ansley
of Chagris in the Indian Territory, aged 19 years, and
Miss Maud Dawson of Chagris
in the Indian Territory, aged 16 years, according to law; and do you
officially sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official Seal, this 17th day
of April A. D. 1905
C. M. Campbell
Clerk of the United States Court.

Certificate of Marriage.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

ss.

I, Jas W Jackson

do hereby certify that on the 19th day
of April A. D. 1905, I did duly and according to law, as commanded
in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony
between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 19th day of April A. D. 1905
My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court,
Indian Territory, Southern District, at Ardmore, Book A, Page 285
Jas W Jackson an
authorized clergyman

NOTE. (a)—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court
in the Indian Territory, at Ardmore, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will
be liable in the amount of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100).

Choc. minor 742

Alfred Christie Ben

M 742

NEW BORN

742

1906

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Alfred Christie Ben

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved

SEP 20 1906

1906

Commissioner.

Born Oct. 7, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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CHOCTAW

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Alfred Christie Ben, born on the 7th day of Oct 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Byington Ben a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Sophia Ben a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
 Postoffice: Tusahoma, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Sophia Ben on oath state that I am 25
 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Byington Ben who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 7th day of October 1905; that said child has been named
Alfred Christie Ben and was living March 4, 1906.
Sophia Ben

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June 1906.
My Com. Expires Dec. 29th 1910 P. W. Hudson
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Byington Ben a Husband on oath state that I
 attended on Sophia Ben wife of Byington Ben
 on the 7th day of Oct 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Alfred Christie Ben Byington Ben

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June 1906.
My Com. Expires Dec. 29th 1910 P. W. Hudson
 Notary Public.

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7-1992

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 26, 1906.

Byington Ben,

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Sophia Ben and Byington Ben to the birth of Alfred Christie Ben, child of Byington and Sophia Ben, October 7, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

You are advised that it will be necessary that you forward the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who know of the birth of the child, the date of its birth and that it was living March 4, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-742

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 31, 1906.

Wyington Sen,

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Simon Garland and Ellis Colbert to the birth of Alfred Christie
Sen, child of Wyington and Sophia Sen, October 7, 1905, and the
same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said
child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 26, 1906.

Byington Ben,

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on October 15, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your minor child, Alfred Christie Ben, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and that the name of said child appears upon the roll of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation, enrolled under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, as Number 601.

The child is now entitled to an allotment, and application therefor should be made without delay at the Land Office for the Nation in which the prospective allotment is located.

Respectfully,

MH

Commissioner.

U.S.A.

D. C.
Central Dist

I Simon Garland. On oath, state that I am 46 yrs of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, that my post office address is ~~Fort~~ Tuskahoma, I. T. That I am personally acquainted with Alfred Christie Ben who is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that said Alfred Christie Ben was born on the 4th day of October 1905. Byington Ben and Sophia Ben are his parents, and that he was living on March the 4th 1906

Simon Garland

Subscribed & sworn to before me this the 18th day of July 1906

P. W. Hudson

My Comm. Expires

Dec. 29 1910

Notary Public

United States of America, Tuskahoma, Ind. Ter., 1905
Ind. Ter
Central Dist.

I, Ellis Calbert, On oath, state that I am 36 yrs of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; That my post-office address is Tuskahoma, I.T. That I am personally acquainted with Alfred Christie Ben, who is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and that the said Alfred Christie Ben was born on the 7th day of October 1905 - Byington Ben and Sophia Ben are his Parents, and he was living March 4th 1906,

Ellis Calbert

Subscribed & sworn to before me this
the 18th day of July 1906

P. W. Hudson

Notary Public

My Comm. Expires

Dec. 29th 1910

Choc minor 743

Alice Billy

m 743

NEW BORN

743

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD,

Alice Billy

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

SEP 20 1906

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Commissioner.

Born March 3, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER

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CHOCTAW

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JUN 23 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Alice Billy (Here insert name of child.) born on the 3d day of March, 1906
Name of Father: Wesley Billy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Elsie Billy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Wapanucka I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Elsie Billy, on oath state that I am 39
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Wesley Billy, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 3d day of March, 1906; that said child has been named
Alice Billy, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1906.
[Signature] Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Wesley Billy, on oath state that I
was present alone with my wife Elsie Billy when she
1906. There was no physician present neither any other
day of June 1906; that there was born to her on said date
at the time Jackson Bellis was the first person (Male or Female.)
afforded to examine the new born child, that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been there
a day or two before
Wesley Billy

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1906.
[Signature] Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In re application for enrollment, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, of Alice Billy, born on the 3d day of March, 1906., Name of father: Wesley Billy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, name of mother Elsie Billy a citizen of the Choctaw nation, Postoffice, Wapanucka, I.T.

Affidavit of Witnesses.

United States of America, Indian Territory, Central District.

I, ~~James Pritchard~~ James Pritchard on oath state that I am 21 years old, a white man and reside 4 miles E of Wapanucka, I.T.

That I am personally and well acquainted with Wesley Billy and his wife Elsie Billy, citizens of the Choctaw Nation by blood who reside four miles SE of Wapanucka, I.T.,

That I was at their home just before March 3d, 1906., and saw said Elsie Billy, and that she showed clearly to in an enient condition and about to give birth to a child;

That I was at their home on the fourth day of March, 1906., and saw her in bed with a babe that looked to be a day or two old by her side nursing her breast, which said child was living on the fourth day of March 1906., and is still living and being nursed by her and is said to have been named Alice Billy to her mother Alice Billy,

I am not related to any of the persons named, or interested in the enrollment of said Alice Billy.

James Pritchard

My commission expires Feb'y 7th, 1909.

Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of June 1906

Richard

Notary Public

my Commission expires July 7-1909

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In re application for enrollment, as a citizen of the Chectaw Nation, of Alice Billy, born on the 3d day of March, 1906., Name of father: Wesley Billi a citizen of the Chectaw Nation, name of mother Elsie Billy a citizen of the Chectaw nation, Postoffice, Wapanucka, I.T.

Affidavit of Witnesses.

United States of America, Indian Territory, Central District.

I, James Jackson Bixie on oath state that I am 53 years old, a Chectaw Indian and reside 4 miles E of Wapanucka, I.T.

That I am personally and well acquainted with Wesley Billy and his wife Elsie Billy, citizens of the Chectaw Nation by blood who reside four miles SE of Wapanucka, I.T.,

That I was at their home just before March 3d, 1906., and saw said Elsie Billy, and that she showed clearly to in an ancient condition and about to give birth to a child;

That I was at their home on the fourth day of March, 1906., and saw her in bed with a babe that looked to be a day or two old by her side nursing her breast, which said child was living on the fourth day of March 1906., and is still living and being nursed by her and is said to have been ~~born to Elsie Billy~~ born to Elsie Billy Alice Billy,

I am not related to any of the persons named, or interested in the enrollment of said Alice Billy.

James Jackson Bixie
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th of July 1906
W. J. [Signature]

My commission expires Feby 7th, 1909.

Notary Public.

7-4188

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Wesley Billy,

Wapanuoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Elsie Billy, Wesley Billy, J. W. Pritchard and Jackson Billis to the birth of Alice Billy, child of Wesley and Elsie Billy, March 3, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-742.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 7, 1906.

Wesley Billy,

Wapanucka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of August 30, 1906, relative to the status of the application for the enrollment of your infant child, Alice Billy, as a citizen by blood of the Chee-taw Nation, you are advised that the matter of the enrollment of said child is now pending before the Secretary of the Interior.

You will be notified of the action taken thereon.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Choc minor 744

Thursa m. Brock

m 744

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NEW BORN

1906

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

Thurs M Brock

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved **SEP 20 1906** 1906

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Jan. 2, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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[Signature] COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
of Thursa M Brock born on the 2 day of January 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: W. E. Brock a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Minnie L Brock a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: No claim Tribal enrollment of mother: Cherokee # 126673
Postoffice: So. Mc Alester I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Minnie L Brock, on oath state that I am 29
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of W. E. Brock, who is a citizen, by
of the U. S. Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 2nd day of January, 1906; that said child has been named
Thursa M. Brock, and was living March 4, 1906, & is now living
Minnie L Brock.

WITNESSES TO MARK

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. O. Lloyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June 1906.
My commission expires January 4, 1908. B. J. Jones
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, A. J. Harris, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Minnie L Brock wife of W. E. Brock
on the 2 day of January, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Thursa M Brock.

WITNESSES TO MARK

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. O. Lloyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June 1906.
My commission expires January 4, 1908. B. J. Jones
Notary Public.

Choc minor 745

Dana kelsey Carter

m 745

23-745

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 29, 1906.

Ella Carter,

Tupelo, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 19, 1906, asking if the enrollment of your child has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on October 15, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of Dana Kelsey Carter child of T. L. and Ella Carter as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

745

1906

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Dana Kelsey Carter

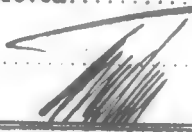
as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

..... Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 1906



Commissioner.

Born Jan. 26, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Dana Kelley Carter born on the 24 day of January 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: J. G. Carter a citizen of the non citizen Nation.
Name of Mother: Ella Carter a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: — Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Tulalo, S. I.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Ella Carter, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of J. G. Carter, who is a citizen, by
— of the — Nation; that a male child was
born to me on the 24 day of January 1906; that said child has been named
Dana Kelley and was living March 4, 1906.
Ella Carter

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of June 1906.
J. H. Leland
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Jessie Bird, a Physician on oath state that I
attended on Ella Carter, wife of J. G. Carter
on the 26th day of Jan 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Dana Kelley
Carter.
Jessie Bird

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of June 1906.
J. H. Leland
Notary Public.

Choc minor 746

Norris Cassell

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7-4436

Kuskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

J. S. Cassell,

Crowder, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Serena Cassell and Thomas F. Norris to the birth of Norris Cassell,
child of J. S. and Serena Cassell, October 12, 1905, and the same
have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

746

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Nomis Cassell

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906 190...

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Oct. 12, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

JUL 2 - 1906

[Signature] COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation,
of *Norris Cassell* born on the *17* day of *October* *1905*
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: *J. Cassell* a citizen of the *White* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Serena Cassell* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: *Choctaw*
Postoffice: *Crowder Ind. Ter.*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Western District.

I, *Serena Cassell* on oath state that I am *33*
years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of *J. Cassell*, who is a citizen, by
_____ of the *United States* Nation; that a *male* child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on *17* day of *October* *1905*; that said child has been named
Norris Cassell and was living March 4, 1906.
Serena Cassell

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15* day of *June* 1906.

My commission expires Dec 19-1908
James Henderson
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Western District.

I, *Thomas T. Norris* a *Physician*, on oath state that I
attended on *Serena Cassell* wife of *J. Cassell*
on the *17* day of *October* *1905*; that there was born to her on said date a *male*
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *Norris Cassell*.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15* day of *June* 1906.

My commission expires Dec 19-1908
James Henderson
Notary Public.

Choc minor 747

Mami Clark

m 747

7-2006

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 6, 1906.

F. M. Clark,

Lehigh, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Josephine Clark and Julia Smith to the birth of Mamie Clark, child of F. M. Clark and Josephine Clark, January 21, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Mamie Clark

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

Born Jan. 21, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Commissioner.

CHOCTAW
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Manie Clark, born on the 2nd day of Jan 1906
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: H. M. Clark a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Josephine Clark a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Lehigh 19

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Josephine Clark, on oath state that I am 26
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of H. M. Clark, who is a citizen, by
of the U. S. Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 21st day of January 1906; that said child has been named
Manie Clark and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] E. B. McBride
Gallan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of May 1906.
Osborne
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

State of Tennessee
County of Bradley District.

I, Julia Smith, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Josephine Clark, wife of H. M. Clark
on the 21st day of Jan 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Manie Clark.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22d day of May 1906.
J. H. Hagan
Notary Public.

Choc minor 748

JOE T. DAVIS

m 748

NEW BORN

748 ✓

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Joe T. Davis

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 190...

Commissioner.

7-5691

Born Aug. 5, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

W. L. BIRD
JUN 9 - 1906

CHOCTAW

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JUN 4 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Joe T. Davis born on the 5 day of August, 1903
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Sherwood Davis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Laura Davis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice Bethel I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Laura Davis, on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen by interracial of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Sherwood Davis, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 5 day of August, 1903; that said child has been named
Joe T. Davis, and was living March 4, 1906.
Laura Davis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of June, 1906.
W. W. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Sarah Nichols, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Laura Davis, wife of Sherwood Davis
on the 5 day of August, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Joe T. Davis Sarah Nichols

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of June, 1906.
W. W. Martin
Notary Public.

7-3691

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Thermon Davis

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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CHAIRMAN

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chectaw Nation,
of Thermon, Davis. born on the 5th day of August, 1903.
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Sherwood, Davis. a citizen of the Chectaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Laura, Davis. a citizen of the Chectaw Nation.
Postoffice: Hochatown, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Laura, Davis., on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by Intermarriage, of the Chectaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Sherwood, Davis., who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Chectaw Nation; that a Male or Female
born to me on 5th day of August, 1903, I, 1; that said child has been named
Thermon, Davis., and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Sherwood Davis
Laura Davis

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of April, 1905
C. I. Evans Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, W. H. McBrayer, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mr. Laura, Davis., wife of Sherwood, Davis.
on the 5th day of August, 1905, that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Thermon, Davis.
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Thermon, Davis.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

W. H. McBrayer

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of Apr, 1905
[Signature] Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 23, 1900.

..... *Joe Sherman Davis*

as a citizen of

..... *Choctaw* Nation.

Approved..... 190...

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Choctaw Nation* Nation,
of *Joe Sherman Davis*, born on the *5* day of *August* 1903
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: *Sherwood Davis* a citizen of the *Choctaw Nat* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Laura Davis* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: *Choctaw* Tribal enrollment of mother: *Inter Marage Citizen*
Postoffice: *Bethel Choctaw Nation Et*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, *Laura Davis*, on oath state that I am *25* years of age and a citizen by *Marage* of the *Choctaw Nation* Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of *Sherwood Davis*, who is a citizen, by *Blood* of the *Choctaw Nation* Nation; that a *male* child was born to me on *5* day of *August* 1903; that said child has been named *Joe Sherman Davis* and was living March 4, 1906.
Laura Davis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *November* 1906.

J. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, *Sarah Nichols*, on oath state that I attended on *Laura Davis* wife of *Sherwood Davis* on the *5* day of *August* 1903; that there was born to her on said date a *male* child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *Joe Sherman Davis*.
Sarah Nichols

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *November* 1906.

J. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

Choctaw 5691.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 4, 1908.

Sherwood Davis,
Hochatown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Laura Davis and T. H. McBlayer to the birth of Theron Davis, son of Sherwood and Laura Davis, August 5, 1903.

It appears from our records that Sherwood and Laura Davis have not yet been enrolled as citizens of the Choctaw Nation. Under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, this Commission is authorized, for a period of sixty days from that date, to receive applications for the enrollment of children born prior to the date of the approval of said act, to duly enrolled citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, whose enrollment was approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to March 3, 1905. You will therefore see that the Commission is without authority to enroll the said Theron Davis.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

7-11-1487

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 29, 1906.

Sherwood Davis,

Hochatown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Theron Davis born August 5, 1903 you are requested to advise this office if this child is now living and if so please forward affidavit to birth on the inclosed blank.

This matter should receive immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

H. C.

Commissioner.

7-NB-1487

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

Chief Clerk,

Chickasaw Land Office,

Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Referring to Choctaw new born card (Act of March 5, 1905) No. 1487, you are advised that a red line has this day been drawn through the name of Theron Davis No. 1 thereon and the following notation in black ink placed on said card:

"No. 1 is same child as Joe T. Davis on NB (Apr. 26, 1906) card No. 748."

The following notation in red ink has also been placed on the face of this card:

"Transferred to NB (Apr. 26, 1906) Card No. 748, Nov. 16, 1906."

You are therefore directed to make duplicate copies of this possession conform to this information and eliminate the name of this child from your list of undetermined applicants for enrollment in the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

23-748

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

Sherwood Davis,

Bethel, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Laura Davis and Sarah Nichols to the birth of Joe Thomson Davis, child of Sherwood and Laura Davis, August 8, 1903, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-NB-1487

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 17, 1906.

Chief Clerk,
Choctaw Land Office,
Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Referring to Choctaw new born card (Act of March 3, 1905) No. 1487, you are advised that a red line has this day been drawn through the name of Thermon Davis No. 1 thereon and the following notation in black ink placed on said card:

"No. 1 is same child as Joe T. Davis on KB (Apr. 26, '06) card No. 748."

The following notation in red ink has also been placed on the face of this card:

"Transferred to KB (Apr. 26 '06) Card No. 748.
Nov. 16, 1906."

You are therefore directed to make duplicate card in your possession conform to this information and eliminate the name of this child from your list of undetermined applicants for enrollment in the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

RED RIVER COUNTY,
CHOCTAW NATION.

11-28-1900

This is to certify that I have this day united in the
holy Bonds of matrimony Mr. Sherwood Davis, a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation, and Miss Laura Willis, a United States citizen
according to the Laws of the Choctaw Nation.

Given under my hand this the 28th day of November
A. D. 1900.

Mr. J. Brown,
County and Probate
Judge Red River County
Choctaw Nation.

FILED in my office for Record and Recorded in Docket
Book No. 2 on page 42.

Given under my hand and seal of office this Nov.
30th, 1900.

S. J. Herndon,
Co. & Prob. Clerk
R. H. Co. C. N.

FILED
Jan. 16, 1901

Sam Sixby,
Acting Chairman.

Choc minor 749

Clarence C. Durant

m 749

7-4602

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Wallace Durant,

Enterprise, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Laura Durant and D. S. Billington to the birth of Clarence C. Durant,
child of Wallace and Laura Durant, January 31, 1906, and the same
have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

749

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IN RE

* Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Clarence C. Durant

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved **SEP 20 1906** 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Jan. 31, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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CHOCTAW

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Clarence C. Durant, born on the 31 day of Jan., 1906
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Wallace Durant a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Laura Durant a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Enterprise T.F.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Western DISTRICT.

I, Laura Durant, on oath state that I am 33
years of age and a citizen by marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Wallace Durant, who is a citizen, by
Blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 31 day of Jan. 1906; that said child has been named
Clarence C. Durant, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:
(Must be Two Witnesses.) Minnie E. Lott
Maud. Pearson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1906.
My commission Expires on 10 1907 James Low Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Western DISTRICT.

I, D. S. Billington, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended Mrs. Laura Durant, wife of Wallace Durant
on the 31 day of Jan. 1906, that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Clarence C. Durant.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:
(Must be Two Witnesses.) D. S. Billington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1906.
Book Mower Notary Public.

Choc minor 750

William P. Franklin

m750

NEW BORN

750 ✓

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

William P. Franklin

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 190...

[Signature]
Commissioner.

7-4783 Born Aug. 11-1905

7-7500,

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN THE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of William P. Franklin born on the 11th day of Aug. 1905
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Nicholas Franklin, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Sibbie Franklin nee Garland Choctaw, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice Whitefield, Ia

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Sibbie Franklin, on oath state that I am 73
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Nicholas Franklin, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
[Male or Female]
 born to me on 11th day of August, 1905 that said child has been named
William P. Franklin, and was living March 4, 1906.
Sibbie Franklin

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June 1906.
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Adeline Woolridge, a midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Sibbie Franklin, wife of Nicholas Franklin
 on the 11th day of August, 1905 that there was born to her on said date a Male
[Male or Female]
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
William P. Franklin Adeline Woolridge

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June 1906.
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

Choc minor 751

Herman Evertt Ross Gotcher

m 751

NEW BORN

751

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Herman Everett Ross Gotcher*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

SEP 20 1906

Approved

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[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Dec. 30, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Herman, Everett Ross Gatcher, born on the 30th day of December, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father W E Gatcher a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
Name of Mother Susan E Gatcher a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
Tribal enrollment of father _____ Tribal enrollment of mother Ind by blood
Postoffice Sawanna IA

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Susan E Gatcher, on oath state that I am 29
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of W E Gatcher, who is a citizen, by
Ind by blood of the _____ Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 30th day of December, 1905; that said child has been named
Herman Everett Ross Gatcher, and was living March 4, 1906.

Susan E Gatcher

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1906.

W H Robertson
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, J O Ross, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Susan E Gatcher wife of W E Gatcher
on the 30th day of Dec, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Herman Everett Ross
Gatcher.

J O Ross M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1906.

W H Robertson
Notary Public.

7-4642

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 27, 1906.

W. E. Gatcher,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Susan E. Gatcher and G. P. Ross to the birth of Herman Everett Ross Gatcher, child of W. E. and Susan E. Gatcher, December 30, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-751

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 28, 1906.

Susan E. Gatcher,
Savannah, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 12, 1906, asking if you may file for your child Herman Evertt Ross Gatcher.

In reply you are advised that the name of your child, Herman Evertt Ross Gatcher, has not yet been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation, prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and pending his enrollment and the approval thereof by the Secretary of the Interior an allotment of allotment can be made in his behalf.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Choc minor 752

Zona Guess

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7-8940

Luskogee, Indian Territory, June 26, 1906.

John M. Guess,

Missy, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Maud Guess and Mary Pursley to the birth of Zona Guess, child of John M. and Maud Guess, February 14, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

INDIAN TERRITORY: } ss
BLUE COUNTY? CHOCTAW NATION }

I, F. E. Folsom, Clerk of the County court of said county do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing, dated the 4 day of July 1897, with its Certificate of Authentication, was filed for record in my office the 10 day of August 1897 and duly recorded this 10 day of August 1897 in the records of said County, in Volume A 5n Pages 483 WITNESS my hand and seal of the county court of said county, at office in Caddo, the day and year last above mentioned.

F. E. Folsom,
Clerk, County Court, Blue County.

(SEAL)

This is to certify that I. M. O. Clark Minister of the Gospel, did solemnize the rites and publish the Bonds of matrimony be between John Guess a citizen of the Choctaw nation and Maud Brackett a citizen of the united States. this don on the 4th of July 1897 this Sind under the Seal of a minister of the Gospel.

M. O. Clark,

P. G. Durant, I. T.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public

NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Miss *Jona Guess*

as a citizen of

Choctaw. Nation

Approved **SEP 20 1906** 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Feb. 14, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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[Signature] COMMISSIONER.

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June 19 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 24, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Gona Guess, born on the 14th day of February, 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: John M. Guess a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Maud Guess a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Massey, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Maud Guess on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John M. Guess, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 14th day of February, 1906; that said child has been named
Gona Guess, and was living March 4, 1906.
Maud Guess

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1906.
A. Bails
Notary Pub

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Mary Cursley midwife on oath state that I
attended on Maud Guess wife of John M. Guess
on the 14th day of Feb, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Gona Guess her Mary Cursley
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { W.B. Hanson
Maud Bails
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1906.
A. Bails
Notary Public.
My Commission Expires Feb 6 - 1910

Choc minor 753

Milton Madlynn Hayes

M753

7-5648

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 16, 1906.

Cornelius Hayes,

Caddo, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 5, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Lina Hayes and W. J. Melton M. D., to the birth of Melton Metlynn Hayes, child of Cornelius and Lina Hayes, July 31, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

In the mother's affidavit the name of this child is spelled Melton Metlynn Hayes, while in the affidavit of the physician and in the caption it is spelled Melton Metlynn Hayes. It will therefore be necessary that you have the inclosed blank executed showing correct name of child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 11, 1906.

Cornelius Hayes,

Caddo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 6, 1906, asking if the application for the enrollment of your child Melton Matlynn Hayes has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Melton Madlynn Hayes has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when the enrollment of this child is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner,

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Melton Mellynn Hayes

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 1906

Commissioner.

Born July 31, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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JUN 19 1906

[Signature]
COMMISSIONER

CHOCTAW

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JUN 16 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... Choctaw... Nation, of MELTON Metlynn Hayes... born on the 31st day of July... 1905. Name of Father: CORNELIUS HAYES... a citizen of the... Choctaw... Nation. Name of Mother: LINA HAYES NEE NICHOLAS... a citizen of the... Choctaw... Nation. Tribal enrollment of father: 10061... Tribal enrollment of mother: 10061... Postoffice: GADDO Ind TER

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, } CENTRAL District.

I, Mrs LINA HAYES... on oath state that I am 25 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of CORNELIUS HAYES, who is a citizen, by BLOOD of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on 31st day of July 1905; that said child has been named MELTON Metlynn HAYES, and was living March 4, 1906.

Lina Hayes

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of May 1906.

8th Jan 11 1909

O. T. Tolson Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, } CENTRAL District.

I, W. J. Melton, Physician, on oath state that I attended on Lina Hayes, wife of Cornelius Hayes, on the 31st day of July 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Melton Metlynn Hayes.

W. J. Melton M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of May 1906.

Exp Jan 11 1909

O. T. Tolson Notary Public.

In Re William Madlyn Hayes, Cherokee New Born.

United State of America }
Indian Territory }
Central District } 3

Cornelius Hayes being duly sworn on oath
doth depose and say, that he is a citizen by blood of the Cherokee
Nation, that he was lawfully married to Lina Nicholas
a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation on September³⁰ 1904
by Rev. C. Army, County Judge of Blue County, now deceased.

Cornelius Hayes

Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 20th day of June 1906

B. F. Maddox
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

753

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Milton Madlyn Hays.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born July 31, 1905 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
of Milton Madlynn Hayes [Here insert name of child] born on the 31 day of July 1905
Name of Father: Cornelius Hayes a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lina Hayes nee Nicholas a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw #10061 Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw #10309
Listed on Choctaw Bands # 3545 Listed on Choctaw Bands # 3544
Postoffice: Coaddo I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lina Hayes nee Nicholas, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Cornelius Hayes, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 31 day of July, 1905; that said child has been named
Milton Madlynn Hayes, and was living March 4, 1906. Lina Hayes

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of June, 1906.

R. F. Maddox
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, W. J. Melton, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Lina Hayes, wife of Cornelius Hayes
on the 31 day of July, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Milton Madlynn
Hayes. W. J. Melton

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June, 1906.

R. F. Maddox
Notary Public.

Choc minor 754

Comby Hicks

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Smithville, Indian Territory, June 4, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Comby Hicks, minor child of Cephus Hicks, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 2509, Field Card No. 934, and Elensie Hicks, formerly Noah, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 1070, Field Card No. 519.

CEPHUS HICKS, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

---:EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:---

Through Holton Hayes, Official Interpreter:

- Q What is your name ? A Cephus Hicks.
Q How old are you ? A 39.
Q What is your post office address ? A Bethel.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation ? A Yes, sir.
Q What is the name of your father ? A Adam Hicks.
Q What is the name of your mother ? A Onahima Hicks.

The name of Cephus Hicks appears as No. 2509 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 934.

- Q You and Elensie Hicks have just made affidavits relative to the birth of Comby Hicks - are you the father of this child ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is Comby Hicks living ? A Yes, sir.
Q Is that the boy standing there ? A Yes, sir.
Q When was Comby born ? A July 16, 1902.
Q What is the name of the mother of Comby Hicks ? A Elensie Hicks.
Q Is Elensie Hicks your wife ? A Yes, sir.
Q What was her name before you married her ? A Elensie Noah.
Q What was her father's name ? A David Jefferson.
Q What was her mother's name ? A Sarah Jefferson.
Q What was her former husband's name ? A Nellis Noah.

The name of Elensie Noah appears as No. 1070 upon the approved Choctaw Roll by Blood, Field Card No. 519.

- Q Your wife, Elensie Hicks, stated in her affidavit that no one was present when Comby was born except herself and you, is that correct ? A Yes, sir.
Q How have you ever before this time made application for the enrollment of Comby Hicks ? A Yes, sir.
Q When did you make application to have Comby Hicks enrolled ? A In the year 1903.

- Q Who did you go before to make this application ? A I forgot the man's name - he was a notary public.
- Q Where does he live ? A Talihina.
- Q Did you go to Talihina to fill out affidavits ? A No, I didn't go to Talihina the man came close to my house.
- Q You don't know this man's name ? A I don't know - he was a Choctaw.
- Q What did this man do with these affidavits that you filled out before him ? A He took these papers with him to Talihina.
- Q Do you know whether this Choctaw Notary Public who took these affidavits to Talihina ever sent them to Muskogee to the Dawes Commission ? A I think he sent them to Washington.
- Q Did you ever hear definitely that he did send these papers anywhere ? A Yes, sir, that fellow told me himself that he did send them.
- Q Did you ever receive a letter ~~from~~ or hear from the Commission at Muskogee about this boy ? A Yes, sir, I got a letter.
- Q What did that letter state ? A Letter stated that I must enroll the boy again.
- Q Whose was that letter signed by ? A I have forgotten the name.
- Q When did you get that letter ? A About a year.
- Q Have you that letter with you now ? A No, sir.
- Q Is this the first time you have tried to have this boy enrolled since then ? A Yes, sir.

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Wm. L. Martin, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said cause on said date.



Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 4th day of June, 1906.



Notary Public.

United States of America
Indian Territory
Central District }

we Calbert Balliett
and Ashford Bond on oath
state we are acquainted with
Eliasia Hicks and that on
the 6th day July 1902
there was a male child born
to her a male child and that
said child is now living and
is said to have been named
Comby Hicks

Calbert Balliett
Ashford Bond

Subscribed and sworn
on this the 6th Day of Dec 1906
By Griffin Notary
Public

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Comby Hicks

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved. JAN 15 1907 190...

[Signature]
Commissioner.

7-934 Born July 16, 1902
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ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, of Comby Hicks, born on the 16 day of July 1902. Name of Father: Cephus Hicks, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. Name of Mother: Elensie Hicks, formerly Noah Choctaw, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. Postoffice: Bethel, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Elensie Hicks, on oath state that I am 32 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Cephus Hicks, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on 16 day of July 1902 that said child has been named Comby Hicks, and was living March 4, 1906; that none was present at this birth except myself and my husband, Cephus Hicks.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of June 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Cephus Hicks, on oath state that I attended on Elensie Hicks, wife of myself on the 16 day of July 1902; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Comby Hicks.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of June 1906.

Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Comby Hicks (here insert name of child), born on the 16 day of July 1902
 Name of Father: Cephus Hicks a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Elenais Hicks formerly Noah a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: do Tribal enrollment of mother: do
 Postoffice: Bethel, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Elenais Hicks, on oath state that I am 32 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Cephus Hicks, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on 16 day of July, 1902 that said child has been named

Comby Hicks and was living March 4, 1906; that no one was present at this birth except myself and my husband, Cephus Hicks. Elenais Hicks her mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. D. Spoot
W. J. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of June 1906.

W. J. Martin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Cephus Hicks, on oath state that I attended on Elenais Hicks wife of myself on the 16 day of July, 1902; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

Comby Hicks Cephus Hicks

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of June, 1906.

W. J. Martin
 Notary Public.

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cations

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Cephus Hicks,

Bethel, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

It appears from the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your minor child, Comby Hicks, that you were the only one in attendance. If this is correct, you are advised that it will be necessary for you to forward the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who have actual knowledge of the facts, that the child was born, the date of his birth and that he was living March 4, 1906.

Please give this matter your immediate attention as no further action can be taken in the matter of the enrollment of said child, until this evidence is furnished.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-784

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 12, 1906.

Cephus Hicks,

Bethel, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the joint affidavit of Gilbert Battiest and Ashford Bond to the birth of Cecy Hicks, child of Elincia Hicks, July 15, 1902, and the same has been filed with the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 755

Vester may Browder

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23-755

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 20, 1906.

W. R. Browder,
Nail, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 23, 1906, asking if application for the enrollment of Vester May Browder has been received.

In reply you are advised that affidavits to the birth of your child, Vester May Browder, have been received.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-755

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 20, 1906,

W. R. Browder,

Hall, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter without date giving information relative to the enrollment of your child Vester May Browder.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of this child do not bear the date on which they were acknowledged before the Notary Public and the same are returned you herewith in order that you may have them acknowledged before a Notary Public and the date of such acknowledgment inserted.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 29, 1906.

W. E. Browder,

Hall, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of corrected affidavits of Allie Browder and R. P. Dickey to the birth of Vester May Browder, child of William and Ollie Browder, March 1, 1906, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-755

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 16, 1907

Henry J. Sexton,

Summerfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of J. W. Parker to the birth of Joseph Sexton, Jr., February 17, 1906 and the same has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-758

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 17, 1907.

W. R. Browder,

Alma, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 1907, stating that you made application for the enrollment of your child Vester Mae Browder as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation but have heard nothing from it.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on December 20, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child Vester Mae Browder as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and you will

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

No. 780

Certificate of Record
of Marriages.

United States of America,
The Indian Territory. } SCT.
Central District.

I, *E. J. Fannin* Clerk
of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. *Wm. B. Crawford* and
Miss *Ollie McAllen* was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
21 day of *November*
A. D. 190*7* and duly recorded in Book *1*
of Marriage Record, Page *990*

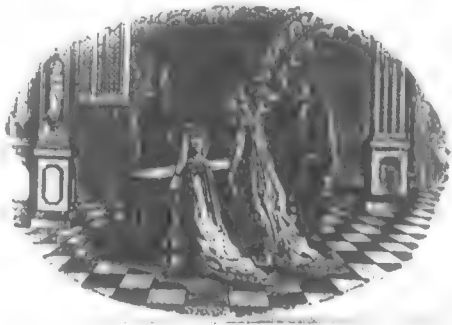
WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at
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this *21* day of *Nov*
A. D. 190*7*

E. J. Fannin Clerk.
By *M. B. Stone* Deputy.

P. O. *Nair, A. T.*

No. 780

MARRIAGE LICENSE.



United States of America,

The Indian Territory,
Central DISTRICT, SS.

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. Mr. R. Bawder of Naie in the Indian Territory, aged 22 years, and Miss Ollie McLellan of Naie in the Indian Territory, aged 17 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 18th day of November A. D. 1904

E. J. Lavin
Clerk of the United States Court.
W. H. Moore Deputy.

United States of America, }
The Indian Territory, } SS.
District. }

Certificate of Marriage.

I, P. C. Atkins
a Minister do hereby certify, that on the 20th day of Nov A. D. 1904, I did, duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand, this 24 day of Nov A. D. 1904

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District, Book 2, Page 109

P. C. Atkins
a Minister

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued, will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Vester May Crowder

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner

Born March 1, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE-APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
Vester May Browder (Here insert name of child.) born on the 1st day of March, 1906
Name of Father: William Browder ~~non citizen~~ a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Ollie McLellan ~~non citizen~~ a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice Mail and Exp.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.
I, Ollie May McLellan, on oath state that I am 19
years of age and a citizen by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William R Browder, who is a citizen, by
of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 1st day of March, 1906 that said child has been named
Vester May Browder, and was living March 4, 1905.
Ollie May McLellan

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of June, 1906
John R. Price
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.
I, R. P. Dickey, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Ollie Browder, wife of William Browder
on the 1 day of March, 1906, that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Vester May Browder
R. P. Dickey

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June, 1906
John R. Price
Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Vester May Browder

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved ~~NOV 1906~~ 1906

~~Commissioner.~~

Born March 1, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Vester May Browder, born on the 17 day of March 1906
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: William Browder a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
 Name of Mother: Ollie Browder nee McLellan a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Cone Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw, Roll # 15315
On Choctaw Card # 3919 as Ollie McLellan
 Postoffice: Mail J. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Ollie Browder (nee McLellan), on oath state that I am 19
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of William Browder, who is a citizen, by
 of the U. S. Nation; that a female child was
Male or Female
 born to me on first day of March, 1906; that said child has been named
Vester May Browder, and was living March 4, 1906.
Ollie Browder

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of October, 1906.
John R. Price
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, R. P. Dickey, a physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Ollie Browder wife of William Browder
 on the first day of March, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
Male or Female
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Vester May Browder.
R. P. Dickey

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of October, 1906.
John R. Price
 Notary Public.

Choc minor 756

Viola Impson

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Lillie Impson,

Woolsey, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 25, 1906, enclosing the affidavits of Lillie Impson and Tyler to the birth of Viola Impson, child of Isaac Impson and Lillie Impson, August 2, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-756

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 12, 1906.

Isaac Impson,

Woolsey, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 1, 1906, asking relative to the application for the enrollment of Viola Impson.

In reply you are advised that application has been received for the enrollment of Viola Impson under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, but her name has not yet been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation, prepared for forwarding the Secretary of the Interior for approval.

In the event further evidence is necessary, you will be notified.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-756

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 28, 1906.

Isaac Impson,

Woolsey, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Viola Impson as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward evidence of the death or divorce of your former wife Mary J. Impson prior to your marriage to Lillie Impson, the mother of this child.

This matter should receive your immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of your child Viola Impson.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-756

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 18, 1907.

Isaac Impson,

Woolsey, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 28, 1907, requesting that we secure from Will Everidge a certified copy of the decree of divorce granted to you from Mary J. Impson as you have been unable to secure the same from him.

In reply to your letter you are advised that a letter has this day been addressed to Will Everidge, of Grant, Indian Territory, requesting that he forward at once the certified copy of the decree of divorce granted you from Mary J. Impson.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-756

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 18, 1907.

Will Everidge,

Grant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are requested to forward this office at once a certified copy of the decree of divorce granted Isaac Impson from his wife Mary J. Impson. Please give this matter immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 26, 1907.

Isaac Impson,

Woolsey, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 28, 1907, requesting that we secure from Will Everidge a certified copy of the decree of divorce granted to you from Mary J. Impson as you have been unable to secure the same from him.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the testimony of E. M. Everidge relative to the divorce proceedings between you and your former wife, Mary J. Impson has been secured by one of the representatives of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, in the field and it will not be necessary to take further steps relative to this matter.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Post Master
Grant. I. P.

Kind Sir:-

I sent Mr Will
Everidge \$100 some time ago
on the condition that he
send me a certified copy of
my divorce which was granted
me at Mayhew, I. P. by the
Choctaw Court Feb 5th 1903

from my former wife Mrs
Dimpson. And I have failed
to hear from him.

So if you will manage to get
him to issue a certified copy
of the divorce for me I will
pay you \$500 for your services.
you send it to the Post Master at
Comanche, I. P. C. O. P. subject to
my examination and if it is
satisfactory I will pay Post Master at
Comanche, I. P. \$500 so he may send
it to you. please do this at once

Isaac Dimpson
Comanche, I. P. Jan 25 1907

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P.S. I need this certified copy
of my divorce to produce evidence
before the Laws Commission.
and am awaiting for it.

Respect.

Isaac Duppsan

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Grant, Indian Territory, February 13, 1907.

In the matter of the divorce between Isaac Impson and his wife, Mary J. Impson.

E. M. Everidge, being first duly sworn and examined, testifies as follows:

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A E. M. Everidge.
Q How old are you? A Fifty-five years old.
Q What is your postoffice address? A Grant, I.T.
Q Were you ever District Judge in the Choctaw Nation? A Yes, sir, I was District Judge for the Third District of the Choctaw Nation.
Q Did you ever in your office capacity grant a divorce to Isaac Impson and his wife, Mary J. Impson? A I remember that Isaac got a divorce, but I don't remember which one got it. I granted the divorce. I believe it was him. He applied for the divorce.
Q You do remember, however, that a divorce was granted between Isaac Impson and his wife, Mary J. Impson? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you remember about what year this divorce was granted? A I don't know.
Q To the best of your recollection what time was it? A It was between August, 1902 and February, 1903.
Q Do you know the names of the parents of Isaac Impson and his wife, Mary J. Impson? A I think Isaac's father's name was William, but am not certain. I don't know his mother's name or his wife's parents name.
Q You know it to be a fact them that you granted a decree of divorce between Isaac Impson and his wife, Mary J. Impson some time between August, 1902 and February, 1903, do you?
A. Yes, sir.

(Witness excused)

I, Fay E. Blachert, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, upon oath, state that I reported the proceedings in the above and foregoing cause, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of my stenographic notes taken

Fay E. Blachert

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of February, 1907.

Richard H. Hargrett

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF THE
INDIAN TERRITORY,

Before me the Undersigned authority on this 28th day of June 1905, personally appeared R. G. Freeney, who after being duly Sworn to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, deposes and says that he was on the 7th day of Feby. 1903, was the duly authorized and acting county Judge of Blue County Choctaw Nation of the Indian Territory; that on the said 7th day of Feby. 1903, Isaac Impson and Lillie Driver appeared before at my residence at Caddo, said nation and Territory, and requested me to marry them, they each stating to me that they wished to be married. Therefore by virtue of the authority vested in me as such county Judge of the county and Territory above mentioned, performed the marriage ceremony according to the laws and customs of the Choctaw Nation of the Indian Territory. That at the time of the said Marriage there was present the following named persons, to wit; Josephine Freeney Mary Freeney and others whom I cannot now recall

In testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and seal this the 28th day of June 1905.

Robert G. Freeney,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 28th day of June 1905.

Sol. J. Homer.

Notary Public in and for the central District of the Indian Territory.

(SEAB)

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the affidavit of Robert G. Freeney to the marriage of Isaac Impson and Lillie Driver, which is now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March 1908

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Viola Impson

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved. *JAN 15 1907* 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

Born Aug. 2, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Viola Dupson born on the 2 day of August 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Isaac Dupson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lillie Dupson a citizen of the By marriage Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
Postoffice: Woolsey, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District. }
I, Lillie Dupson on oath state that I am 22
years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Isaac Dupson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 2 day of August 1905; that said child has been named
Viola Dupson and was living March 4, 1906.
Lillie Dupson

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be Two Witnesses] J. B. Anderson
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of June 1906.
H. W. Sutton
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District. }
I, M. Tyler a Mid-Wife on oath state that I
attended on Lillie Dupson wife of Isaac Dupson
on the second day of aug. 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Viola Dupson.
M. Tyler

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be Two Witnesses] _____
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June 1906.
J. B. Wickman
Notary Public.

Choc minor 757

Cleo Jones

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for enrollment, as a citizen of the Choctaw
Nation, of Cleo Jones, born on the 4th day of March 1905

Name of father Charles W. Jones a Citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Name of mother Lucetta Jones a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Postoffice Cade Indian Territory.

Affidavit of mother

United States of America, Indian Territory
Central District

I, Lucetta Jones, on oath state that I am 21 years of age and
a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of
Charles W. Jones, who is a Citizen of the Choctaw Nation, by marriage;
that a female child was born to me on the 4th day of March, 1905, that
said child has been named Cleo Jones, and was living March 4th 1905

Lucetta Jones

(S E A L)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the 26th day of April 1905.

J. L. Rappolee,

Notary Public.

Affidavit of Attending Physician.
United States of America, Indian Territory,
Central District

I, H. E. Rappolee, a Physician, on oath state that I attended
Mrs Lucetta Jones, wife of Charles W. Jones on the 4th day of March
1905 that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said
child was living March 4th 1905, and is said to have been named Cleo
Jones.

H. E. Rappolee

(S E A L)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the 26th day of April 1905.

J. L. Rappolee

Notary Public.

INDORSED ON BACK AS FOLLOWS:

NEW BORN 7-5351
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In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Cleo Jones
as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation Born March 4, 1905.

Act of Congress approved March 3d, 1905.

Department of the Interior,
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes

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Chairman.

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Apr 27 1905.

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7-NE-1341.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Glee Jones as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

—: D E C I S I O N :—

It appears from the record herein that on April 27, 1906 there was filed with the Commission application for the enrollment of Glee Jones as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and the records of the Commission that the applicant was born March 4, 1906 and is a daughter of Luetta Jones, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation whose name appears opposite number 13667 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 19, 1905, and Charles W. Jones, a recognized and enrolled citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

The Act of Congress approved March 3, 1906 (Public No. 112) among other things provides:

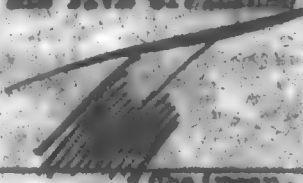
"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of children born subsequent to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and prior to March fourth, nineteen hundred and five, and who were living on said latter date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior previous to the date of the approval of this act; and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

It is the opinion of this Commission that, inasmuch as the said Glee Jones was not born prior to March 4, 1906, the Commission is without authority to receive or consider

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the application for her enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that, therefore, the Commission should decline to receive or consider such application, under the provision of law above quoted and it is so ordered.


COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

JUN 30 1895

9-NB-1341.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1908.

COPY.

Charles W. Jones,
Caddo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered June 30, 1908, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Clee Jones as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

J. W. Bixby

Registered.

Chairman.

Incl. 9-NB-1341.

7-NB-1341.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

COPY.

Hensfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of this Commission, rendered June 30, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Clee Jones as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Dixey*

Incl. 7-NB-1341.

Chairman.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1905.

COPY.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is herewith transmitted the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clee Jones as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commission, dated June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

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Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Chairman.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

J.W.H.

WASHINGTON.

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December 8, 1905.

L.R.S.

D.C. 55585-1905.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskegee, Indian Territory.

SIR:

June 30, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes transmitted the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clee Jones as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including its decision of the same date, declining to receive or consider said application.

Reporting July 25, 1905, the Indian Office recommends that the Commission's decision be approved. A copy of its letter is inclosed.

The Department concurs in said recommendation, and said decision is hereby affirmed.

Respectfully,

(Signed) Thos. Ryan,
First Assistant Secretary.

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Refer in reply
to the
following:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

July 25, 1905.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose a report from the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated June 30, 1905, transmitting the record of the application made April 27, 1905, for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation by Clee Jones.

June 30, 1905, the Commission decided adversely to the applicant.

The record shows that the applicant was born March 4, 1905, and is a daughter of Lucetta Jones whose name appears opposite No. 2387 on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Department March 19, 1903, and Charles W. Jones, a recognized and enrolled citizen by intermarriage.

In view of the record and of the act of March 3, 1905 (33 Stat., 1071) the approval of the Commission's decision adverse to the applicant is recommended.

Very respectfully,

G. F. Larrabee

Acting Commissioner.

H. M. H.
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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 20, 1905.

Charles W. Jones,

Caddo, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified that the Secretary of the Interior under date of December 8, 1905, affirmed the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Clee Jones as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-NB2341

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 20, 1905.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that the Secretary of the Interior under date of December 8, 1905, affirmed the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes dated June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Cleo Jones as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

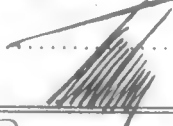
Cleo Jones

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved **SEP 20 1906** 190...



Commissioner.

Born March 4, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
of Cleo Jones born on the 4th day of March, 1905
Name of Father: Charles W. Jones a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Name of Mother: Luetta Jones a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Chas. W. # 598 Tribal enrollment of mother: Luetta # 13557
Parents on Cherokee land # 5357
Postoffice: Caddo I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Luetta Jones, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Charles W. Jones, who is a citizen, by
intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 4th day of March, 1905; that said child has been named
Cleo Jones, and was living March 4, 1906. (is not present)
Luetta Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of June, 1906.

J. P. Rappole
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, H. E. Rappole, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Luetta Jones, wife of Charles W. Jones,
on the 4th day of March, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Cleo Jones.
H. E. Rappole

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, 1906.

J. P. Rappole
Notary Public.

Choc minor 758

Elias John

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

W. A. Shoney,

Kullituklo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 22, 1906, enclosing the affidavit of Eliza John and the joint affidavits of Susan Edwards and Pheba Shoney to the birth of Elias John, child of Morris John and Eliza John, July 30, 1905.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

United States of America, Indian Territory -
Central District.

We, Susan Edwards and Phelena
Shoney, on oath state that
we know that a male child
was born to Eliza John
wife Morris John, on the
30th day of July, 1905,
that said child was living
on March 4th 1906, and is
said to have been named
Elgas John.

Witnesses Mark: Susan ^{hus} Edwards
Phelena ^{hus} Shoney

Loranz Walker.

Jas. Y. Fuller

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 18th day of June, 1906

My Com Expire Jan 10. 1909.

W. A. Shoney
Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

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MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Elias John*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved ~~SEP 20 1906~~ 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born July 30, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Elias John, born on the 30th day of July, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Morris John a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Elyza John a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 3031 Tribal enrollment of mother: 3032
Postoffice: Tululutsala St

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Elyza John, on oath state that I am 37
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Morris John, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 30th day of July, 1905; that said child has been named
Elias John and was living March 4, 1906.
Elyza John

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { Loramy Walker
Jas G. Fuller
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June, 1906.
W.A. Shoney Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, _____, on oath state that I
attended on _____, wife of _____
on the _____ day of _____, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a _____
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named _____

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____
Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1906.

Notary Public.

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Jeoraldean Lee

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 26, 1906.

Mack Lee,

Citra, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Margaret Lee and Eva Gauch to the birth of Jeeraldine Lee, child of Mack and Margaret Lee, February 7, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

You are requested to forward evidence of your marriage to Margaret Lee to be used in the matter of the enrollment of your child Jeeraldine Lee.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 16, 1906.

Maek Lee,

Citra, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 9, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Jeoraldean Lee.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of this child have been filed as an application for her enrollment and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Department. In event further evidence is necessary in this case you will be duly advised.

The matter of the patents referred to in your letter will be made the subject of a separate communication.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

No. 4731

Certificate of Record of Marriages.

United States of America,)
The Indian Territory.) SCT.
Central District.

I, E. J. Fannin Clerk

of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. Mark C. Lee and
Mrs. Margaret Cornish was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
20th day of February

A. D. 1905, and duly recorded in Book 11
of Marriage Record, Page 442.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at
South McAlester
this 20th day of February
A. D. 1905.

E. J. Fannin Clerk.

By Deputy.

P. O. Citra Co.

JOHN G. BARRETT & CO., PRINTERS, ST. LOUIS

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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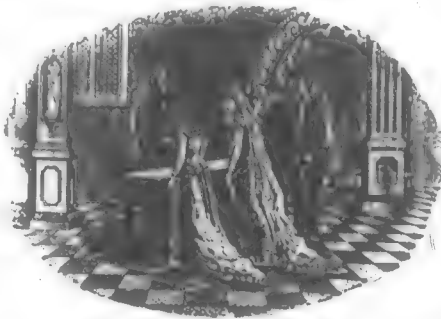


Commissioner.

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No. 4731

MARRIAGE LICENSE.



United States of America,

The Indian Territory,
Central DISTRICT, SS.

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. *Mack C Lee* of *Citra* in the Indian Territory, aged *21* years, and *Mrs. Margaret Couch* of *Ada* in the Indian Territory, aged *21* years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this *20* day of *February* A. D. 190*5*

Clerk of the United States Court.

Deputy.

United States of America, }
The Indian Territory, } ss.
Central District. }

Certificate of Marriage.

I, *J. M. Millan* a U. S. Commissioner do hereby certify, that on the *20th* day of *February* A. D. 190*5*, I did, duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand, this *20th* day of *February* A. D. 190*5*

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District, Book....., Page.....

J. M. Millan
U. S. Commissioner
Central District SS.

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Georaldian Lee.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved ~~NOV 28 1906~~ 190.....

~~[Signature]~~
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Commissioner.

Born Feb. 7, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

JUN 30 1906

~~[Signature]~~
COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation, of Jeorldean Lee, born on the 7th day of Feb. 1906. Name of Father: Mack Lee a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation. Name of Mother: Margaret Lee a citizen of the United States Nation. Tribal enrollment of father: Chocktaw Tribal enrollment of mother: United States Postoffice: Citra, Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, Southern District.

I, Margaret Lee, on oath state that I am twenty-three years of age and a citizen by of the United States Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Mack Lee, who is a citizen, by blood of the Chocktaw Nation; that a female child was born to me on 7th day of February, 1906; that said child has been named Jeorldean Lee, and was living March 4, 1906.

Margaret Lee

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June 1906.

Jno P. Crawford Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, Southern District.

I, Eva Buch, a midwife, on oath state that I attended on Margaret Lee, wife of Mack Lee, on the 7th day of February, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Jeorldean Lee.

Eva Buch

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June 1906.

Jno P. Crawford Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Joseph H. Morgan

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved: **SEP 20 1906** 190



Commissioner.

Born March 26, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MIXERS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Joseph H. Morgan born on the 26 day of March 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Floyd Morgan a citizen of the us Nation
 Name of Mother: Mabel Morgan a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
 Tribal enrollment of father: None Tribal enrollment of mother: by blood
 Postoffice: Wornack, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Mabel Morgan on oath state that I am 22
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Floyd Morgan, who is a citizen by
Birth of the us Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 26 day of March 1905; that said child has been named
Joseph H. Morgan and was living March 4, 1906.
Mabel Morgan

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June 1906.

James N. McCall
 my Commission expires July 9th 1910
 Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, M. J. Morris a Physician on oath state that I
 attended on Mabel Morgan wife of Floyd Morgan
 on the 26th day of March 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Joseph H. Morgan

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of June 1906.

M. J. Morris, M.D.
 Notary Public

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

Joseph H. Morgan

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born March 26, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Joseph H. Morgan born on the 26th day of March, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Floyd Morgan non a citizen of the Chickasaw Nation
 Name of Mother: Mable Morse a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
 Tribal enrollment of father: none Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
 Postoffice: Shomack I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Mable Morse on oath state that I am 72
 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Floyd Morgan who is a citizen, by
none of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 26th day of March, 1905; that said child has been named
Joseph H. Morgan and was living March 4, 1906.
Mable Morse

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1906.
L. S. Jones
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Dr. J. Manis a Physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Mable Morse wife of Floyd Morgan
 on the 26th day of March, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Joseph H. Morgan
Dr. J. Manis, M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of May, 1906.
L. S. Jones
 Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 3, 1906.

Floyd Morgan,

Womack, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mabel Morgan and W. J. Manise to the birth of Joseph H. Morgan, child of Floyd and Mabel Morgan, March 26, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 15, 1906.

Floyd Morgan,

Womaok, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mable Morse and W. J. Maniss to the birth of Joseph H. Morgan, child of Floyd Morgan and Mable Morse, March 26, 1905.

As it appears that Mable Morse is now your wife her name should be signed in the affidavit as Mabel Morgan or Mabel Morse Morgan and as her Christian name appears upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation as "Mabel" it should be so signed to the affidavits. For the purpose of forwarding new affidavits there is inclosed herewith blank for the enrollment of minor children under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 25, 1906.

Floyd Morgan,

Wanaek, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 10, 1906, and the information contained therein has enabled this office to identify your wife as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. The affidavits heretofore received have been filed in the matter of enrollment of your child, Joseph H. Morgan.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Womact, I. T., July 16, 1906.

Dear Sir:

Rec'd your letter of 3rd of this month requesting me to give names of my wife's parents and etc.

Her fathers name is James Morse & her mothers name is Henrietta Morse. Her mothers maiden name was Henrietta DeFlora.

She first married a man by the name of Donly, then James Morse.

It would take me some time too find out the time and place application was made for her enrollment.

She has selected her allotment in the Chickasaw Nation. No. of her allotment certificate is 275. If absolutely necessary I can find out the time and place of her enrollment.

Respt.

Floyd Morgan.

Choc minor 761 James Morris

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MINOR
CHOCTAW
ENROLLMENT

JAMES MORRIS

As Citizen of the
CHOCTAW NATION
Act of Congress
Approved April 26, 1906

DECISION RENDERED OCT 19 1906

REFUSED

COPY OF DECISION FORWARDED
ATTORNEYS FOR CHOCTAW AND
CHICKASAW NATIONS OCT 19 1906

NOTICE OF DECISION FORWARDED
APPLICANT OCT 19 1906

RECORD FORWARDED DEPARTMENT
OCT 19 1906

ACTION APPROVED BY
SECRETARY OF INTERIOR FEB 27 1907

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENTAL ACTION
FORWARDED ATTORNEYS FOR CHOCTAW
AND CHICKASAW NATIONS APR 3-1907

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENTAL
ACTION MAILED APPLICANT APR 3-1907

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... James Morris

as a citizen of

..... Choctaw

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

..... Tams Bixby

Commissioner.

Born Feb. 7, 1906.

Act of Congress approved
April 26, 1906.

Department of the Interior,
Commissioner to the Five Civ-
ilized Tribes.

Filed Jul 24 1906.

Tams Bixby, Commissioner.

CHOCTAW
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JUN 28 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS, ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of James Morris, born on the Seventh day of February, 1906.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Nelson Morris a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mallissa Morris a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 7368 Tribal enrollment of mother: 7400
Postoffice: Iron Bridge, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Mallissa Morris on oath state that I am Seventeen (17) years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Nelson Morris who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was born to me on Seventh day of February, 1906; that said child has been named James Morris and was living March 4, 1906.
Mallissa E. Morris

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Twenty-Fifth day of June, 1906.

Frank E. Parke
Notary Public.

(SEAL)
My Com Exp 2/2/08.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Elsie Jackson, a Midwife, on oath state that I attended on Mallissa Morris, wife of Nelson Morris on the Seventh day of February, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named James Morris.
Elsie (her x mark) Jackson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
J. W. Frederick
Donnie Mitchell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Twenty-fifth day of June, 1906.

Frank E. Parke
Notary Public.

(SEAL)
My Com Exp 2/2/08.

Garland, Ind. Ter. July 2nd, 1906.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, I. T.

Sir:- In the matter of application for enrollment an infant children born to the members of the Tribes- Petitioners Nelson Morris (husband) and Malissa Morris (wife) parents to an Infant child born to them and Elsie Jackson as midwife to the birth.

It is heard that affidavit having been signed and ready to file in your office as an application for enrollment an infant.

You are hereby advised to investigate very close to that case as it might push themselves in bad shape or it might robbed our property.

If there is any provisions, provided, and allow the deceased infant to be placed on roll, then it would be no further annoy between you and the petitioners. As it is heard, that Infant was already dead before its birth. You can easily procure a good evidence on the case by applying to Mr. Loman Thomas and his wife at McCurtain, I. T. who personally attended to the birth of said child.

Yours Truly,

Cephus W. Scott.

Iron Bridge, I. T. July 7, 1906.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, I. T.

Gentlemen:

Yours recent dated 7/3/06 was rec'd into my hand yesterday,
And in reply I will say this, Your epistle was inquiring about my par-
ents and my roll no. I will say this, I am the daughter of "John
and Eliza Bond" both citizen by blood. My name on the certificate
is Malissa Bond my allotment is in Chickasaw time was July 28th 1903
Choctaw Roll No. 7400 By Blood, But I am now lawfull wife of Nelson
Morris and thats the reason, why, I change my name.

I hope you will find it correspond in the record.

Resp.

Malissa E. Morris (nee Bond)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Siloam Springs, Arkansas, August 30, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
James Morris, Choctaw New Born, Card Number 761.

Testimony taken at McCurtain, Indian Territory, August
2, 1906.

LOMAN THOMAS, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Through Jacob Homer, Interpreter.

BY THE COMMISSIONER:

What is your name? A. Loman Thomas.

How old are you? A. 48.

Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation?

Yes, sir, full-blood.

What is your post office address? A. McCurtain, I. T.

Are you acquainted with Nelson Morris?

What is his wife's name? A. Malissa Morris.

What was her name before her marriage? A. Malissa Bond.

How many children has Malissa Morris given birth to?

She has given birth to one, but it was dead when born.

Where did Malissa Morris give birth to this child that you
state was already dead?

At Elsie Jackson's house, five miles from my home.

Is Elsie Jackson related to Nelson Morris or wife?

She is the mother of Nelson Morris.

Who attended Malissa Morris at the time of the birth of this
child that was born dead? A. My wife, Sykey Thomas.

When did Malissa Morris give birth to this child you mention?

It has been six or seven months. I do not know the exact month,
I know the weather was very cold.

Was it since last Christmas? A. Yes, sir.

Was it before or after March 4th, this year?

I believe it was before.

How do you know this child was born dead?

They come after my wife when that child was born, and she told
me it was born dead; it was born in the night and was buried
next day about sundown. I was there the next day when it was
buried.

Did your wife shroud the child and prepare it for burial?

Yes, she washed it and fixed it for burial.

When your wife in the capacity of mid-wife attended Malissa
Morris, did Malissa Morris give birth to only one child or two
children? A. There was only one born.

Did any other party except your wife tell you the child was
born dead? A. Yes, Arthur Jackson came over to my house and
told me I must come down and help bury the child, and I asked
him if the child was living when it was born and he said No
it was born dead, and so I went and helped bury it.

In re the application for the enrollment of James Morris---#2.

Q It appears from the records of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes that Malissa B. Morris, wife of Nelson Morris, as mother, and Elsie Jackson, midwife, made oath on the 26th of June 1906, in re application for the enrollment of James Morris, New Born, that said James Morris was born the 7th day February 1906 and was living March 4, 1906; Do you positively know that this child was not living March 4, 1906, and that it was born dead? A Yes, sir.

Witness Excused.

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Testimony taken at same place as preceding.

SYKEY THOMAS, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Interpreter: Jacob Hamer.

BY THE COMMISSIONER:

Q What is your name? A Sykey Thomas.
Q How old are you? A About 80.
Q What is your post office address? A McCurtain, I. T.
Q Are you a duly enrolled and recognized citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes, sir.
Q What is your husband's name? A Lemar Thomas.
Q Do you know Nelson Morris? A Yes, sir, I do.
Q What is his wife's name? A Malissa.
Q What was her name before she married? A Malissa Bond.
Q Are Nelson Morris and wife citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes, sir.
Q Are you kin to either of these parties?
A Yes, sir, Malissa is my eldest sister's child.
Q How long has this couple been married?
A This coming winter will be two years.
Q Has Malissa given birth to a child or children? A Yes, sir.
Q How many? A Only one.
Q When was this child born? A In February this year.
Q Were you present at its birth in the capacity of midwife?
A Yes, sir, I attended his wife.
Q Where was the child born?
A At Elsie Jackson's house.
Q Did Elsie Jackson also assist at the birth of the child?
A She was present, that's all.
Q Was this child living at its birth? A No, sir, it was born dead.
Q How long after its birth was it before it was buried?
A It was born about midnight or past midnight and next day about sundown it was buried.
Q Did you shroud the child and prepare it for burial? A Yes, sir.
Q Did your husband also assist in the burial of this child? A Yes.
Q Did this child have any name? A No, sir, it was born dead, it was not named; people never name children when they are born dead.
Q What was the sex of the child? A Boy.
Q Who attended the burial besides your husband and yourself?
A My son, Isaac, and the child's father, Nelson.

In re the application of James Morris-----#3.

Q What is the post office address of Malissa Morris and husband?
A Iron Bridge.

Q From the records of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes it appears that Malissa Morris, wife of Nelson Morris, as mother and Elsie Jackson, as midwife, on the 25th of June 1906, made affidavits that a male child was born to Malissa Morris on the 7th of February 1906 and was living March 4, 1906; You state as a positive fact that this child was born in February 1906 and was dead at its birth? A Yes, sir.

Testimony taken near Sans Bois Switch, August 10, 1906.

MALISSA MORRIS, being duly sworn, testified as follows, through interpreter Jacob Homer.

BY THE COMMISSIONER:

Q What is your name? A Malissa Morris.

Q How old are you? A 17.

Q What is your post office address? A Iron Bridge, I. T.

Q Are you a Choctaw by blood? A Yes, sir.

Q What is your husband's name? A Nelson Morris.

Q What was your maiden name? A Malissa Bond.

Witness is identified as Number 4 on Choctaw Card Number 2547.

Q Have you had children, if so how many? A One.

Q When was that child born? A The 7th day of February 1906.

Q Was the child living at its birth? A No, sir, it was born dead.

Q Who attended you in the capacity of midwife at the time of the birth of the child? A Elsie Jackson and Loman Thomas' wife.

Q Did you name this child that you state was born dead?

A No, sir.

Q Did you make an effort to have the child enrolled?

A No, I guess it was my husband who tried to enroll the child?

Q Do you know one Frank E. Parke? A Yes, sir.

Q Where does he live? A At McCurtain.

Q Did you appear in person before Frank E. Parke, together with Elsie Jackson on the same date, and make affidavit before him regarding the birth of this child born dead? A Yes.

Q Can you speak English? A A little.

Q At the time you appeared before the Notary Public, did your husband accompany you? A Yes, sir.

Q Can he speak English? A Yes.

Q Did you explain to the Notary Public that this child was born dead on the 7th of February 1906?

A I guess he knew it; he never asked me about it.

Q Did he swear you? A Yes.

Q Did you sign the affidavit? A Yes.

Q Did you read the affidavit you signed?

A No, he only asked me to sign my name and I signed it.

Q How did you sign it, by mark or signature?

A I signed it myself.

Q Did the Notary Public, Frank E. Parke read the affidavit to you and explain what it set forth?

A No, when he got through writing he asked me to sign my name and I signed it.

Q It appears from the records of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes that in signing this affidavit, you as mother, affirmed you were the wife of Nelson Morris; that a male child

In re the application of James Morris -----74.

and said child had been named James Morris and was living March 4, 1906: Why did you swear the child was living March 4, 1906 when it was born dead?

A I do not know; I did not know I signed it that way; I thought it was just put down the child was born in February; the child was not living in March.

Q Were you present when Elsie Jackson made similar affidavit to the one you signed? A Yes.

Q Was the affidavit read and explained to her?

A I do not remember whether they read it to her or not; I guess Nelson knows what they did.

Q Did Elsie Jackson sign by signature or by mark?

A She signed by mark.

Q Did you not know when you appeared before Frank E. Parks that the law authorizing minor children to be enrolled provided that they must be living March 4, 1906?

A No, sir, I did not.

Testimony taken at same place and on same date.

NELSON MORRIS, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

BY THE COMMISSIONER:

Q What is your name? A Nelson Morris.

Qb How old are you? A I am 20 years old.

Q What is your post office address? A Iron Bridge, I. T.

Q Are you a duly enrolled and recognized citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes, sir.

Witness is identified as a Choctaw by blood,
Roll Number 7568.

Q Are you a married man? A Yes, sir.

Q Whom did you marry? A Malissa Bond.

Q Has Malissa Bond given birth to any children? A One.

Q Was it a boy or girl? A Boy.

Q When was this child born?

A February 7th, I believe it was.

Q When? A This year.

Q Was the child living at its birth? A No, sir.

Q Did you name the child?

A No, we did not name it, it was dead.

Q It appears that application has been made for the enrollment of this child under the name of James Morris--

A I guess Mitchell enrolled it that way; Mitchell was working on it.

Q Did you know the law relating to the enrollment of minor Choctaws provides that they must be living March 4, 1906?

A Yes, sir.

Q If aware of this, why did you make an effort to have the child enrolled?

A Well, this is what they said; I was not doing anything with it until this fellow McCannell had something to say about it; he asked me why not have it enrolled; and I told him I did not want to do anything like that as the child was dead, and he said I would have the papers fixed anyhow and see what could be done with it, and I went over and Parks was around with lawyer Fredericks; they talked to each other about it and fixed the papers up and they telephoned to me to bring my wife and mother over there, and I took them over there and asked them what they wanted and they said they wanted to take their testimony and have them swear to those papers for us; they said they were all right and were an application for the enrollment of my child; I said all right, and they went ahead and took

In re the application of James Morris-----#5.

- their acknowledgments and gave them to me in a sealed envelope and I mailed them that evening.
- Q What is the present postoffice address of this McConnell who insisted on you enrolling this child?
- A I think he is at Vian, you can find out by asking Mitchell.
- Q Was the Parke you allude to as taking the acknowledgements of your wife and mother, Frank E. Parke? A Yes, sir.
- Q Did you explain fully to Mr. Parke that this child was born dead February 7, 1906? A Yes, sir.
- Q What did he say to this?
- A He did not say anything; he asked me over at my mother's about it and I told him, and also that my mother and step-father knew about it, and he asked them, but he said he would go ahead and see if he could not get it through anyway. I told him if he could get it through it would be all right.
- Q The Notary Public Frank E. Parke and Fredericks questioned you closely and knew the child was born dead?
- A Yes, sir, they ought to have known it, I told them about it.
- Q Were you present when your wife acknowledged these birth affidavits? A Yes, sir.
- Q Was it read and explained to her?
- A Well it was not explained to her, I do not think; they just told her to sign that paper.
- Q Was it read or explained to your mother, Elsie Jackson?
- A I think not.
- Q Did they make it plain to your wife and mother that these affidavits they signed set forth that the child was living March 4, 1906, more than three weeks after its birth?
- A I do not know whether they explained that or not.
- Q You state you mailed the affidavits? A Yes, sir, I mailed the affidavits.
- Q Did you seal the envelope, or was it sealed when handed to you? A It was sealed.
- Q While your wife and mother were signing these affidavits, did you not read them?
- A No, sir, I just stood round some place else and did not pay any attention; of course I knew they were taking acknowledgements.
- Q Where does this Frank E. Parke live? A At McCurtain.
- Q What does he do? A He is a kind of a grafter.
- Q What did he say when you told him, in response to his questions, that the child was not living March 4, 1906?
- A He did not have anything to say; I have told him about it, and he said: "Well, it will go through all right."
- Q Were you in doubt as to its going through?
- A I told him I was afraid to do it and doubted if it would be approved, because it was dead before March 4th.
- Q Did you know that it appears from the affidavits regarding this new born child that your wife and mother were guilty of perjury?
- A No, I thought they were fixed like I told them; if I had been signing them I would have read them; they did not have any interpreter.
- Q Could you not have acted in the capacity of interpreter?
- A Well, they did not ask me to.

The witness speaks both English and Choctaw.

- Q Was it well understood between the parties who fixed the birth affidavits you wife and mother signed that if this child was enrolled they would buy the claim from you?
- A Yes, they said if they child was approved they would buy the claim and pay me the price for it.

Witness Excused.

In re the application for the enrollment of James Morris

W. P. Sevington, being duly sworn, states that the above and foregoing is a full and complete transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said case on dates and at places set forth.

W. P. Sevington

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this _____ day of

Sept 1906.

Henry C. Lee

Notary Public.

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O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
James Morris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on June 28, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein that said applicant was born dead on February 7, 1906; and that he was the child of Nelson Morris and Malissa E. Morris, whose names (as Nelson Morris and Malissa Bond) appear as numbers 7368 and 7400, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior January 17, 1905.

Section Two of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), provides:

"That for ninety days after approval hereof applications shall be received for enrollment of children who were minors living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the approval hereof, and for the purpose of enrollment under this section illegitimate children shall take the status of the mother, and allotments shall be made to children so enrolled".

I am of the opinion that inasmuch as said applicant was not living on March 4, 1906, I am without authority to receive or consider any application for the enrollment of said applicant as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and I, therefore, decline to receive the same, and it is so ordered.


Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 19, 1906

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Helann Morris,

Ironbridge, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Blalock
Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-761.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 19, 1906

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
McAlester, Indian Territory.

COPY.

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Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tamm Blaine

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 19, 1906

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The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Dixby

Commissioner.

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Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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February 27, 1907.

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Cherokee citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed:

Title of Case.	Date of Your Letter of Transmittal.
Tom Isaac, (Miss. Choc.)	December 28, 1906.
Vinny King et al., (Preadmon)	October 19, 1906.
Frank Seink.	October 19, 1906.
James Morris	October 19, 1906.
Frank A. Davis et al.,	January 14, 1907.
James Jackson et al.,	January 14, 1907.
James Jackson et al.,	January 14, 1907.
Patrice Parsons,	January 9, 1907.
William H. Mitchell et al.,	January 9, 1907.
Dwight B. Blake et al.,	November 22, 1906.
Corn A. Pyle,	January 9, 1907.

A copy hereof and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

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Inc. for Ind. Of.

James H. Wilson

Assistant Secretary.

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Refer in reply to the following:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

COPY

February 20, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 19, 1906, adverse to the applicant.

The record shows that on June 23, 1906 application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. The record further shows that the applicant was born dead on February 7, 1906, and that he was the child of Nelson Morris and Melissa R. Morris, whose names appear on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Inasmuch as the applicant was not living on March 6, 1906, the Office concurs in the decision of Commissioner Binby denying the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 20, 1906, (34 Stat., L., 157).

Very respectfully,

G. P. Lorrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 3, 1907.

Nelson Morris,

Irenbridges, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on February 27, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 3, 1907.

Wansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on February 27, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 21, 1906.

Melissa S. Morris,
Iron Bridge, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 7, 1906, in which you state that the names of your parents are Lolin and Eliza Bond; that you selected an allotment in the Chickasaw Nation July 28, 1905, and that your roll number is 7400.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify you as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your child James Morris.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 24, 1906.

Levey P. Babe,

Smithville, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

There is enclosed you herewith copy of the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of James Morris as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, together with copy of letter from Gen. W. Scott of Garland, Indian Territory, in which he intimates that there may be fraud in connection with the application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Encl. W.M. 24/3

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 24, 1906.

Cephus W. Scott,

P. O. Box 3,

Garland, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 3, 1906, asking that an investigation be made of the right to enrollment of the child of Nelson and Malissa Morris as you intimate there may be fraud in connection therewith.

In reply you are advised that the matter of the right to enrollment of James Morris, child of Nelson and Malissa F. Morris, will be investigated by a representative of this office.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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7-2547

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Nelson Morris,

Iron Bridge, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Malissa R. Morris and Elsie Jackson to the birth of James Morris, child of Nelson Morris and Malissa R. Morris, February 7, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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4642, 4640, 4668, 4702,
4716, 4722, 4724, 4728.

February 27, 1907.

DIRECT

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Shectaw citizenship
cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies
of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recom-
mending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed:

Title of Case.	Date of Your Letter of transmittal.
Tom Isaac, (Miss. Cho.)	December 18, 1906.
Viney King et al., (Breeden),	October 19, 1906.
Frank Going.	October 19, 1906.
James Morris	October 19, 1906.
Floy K. Davis et al.,	January 16, 1907.
Bowman Jackson et al.,	January 20, 1907.
Edie Henderson,	January 16, 1907.
Stella A. Plate et al.,	December 24, 1906.
William W. Brecken et al.,	January 9, 1907.
Theo D. Blake et al.,	January 9, 1907.
Cora A. Pyle,	November 22, 1906.
	January 9, 1907.

A copy herewith and all the papers in the above mentioned
cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

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inc. for Ind. Of.

James H. Wilson

Assistant Secretary.

5-18-07.

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Refer in reply to the following:

LANE
92796-1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

COPY

February 20, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 19, 1906, adverse to the applicant.

The record shows that on June 28, 1906 application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. The record further shows that the applicant was born dead on February 7, 1906, and that he was the child of Nelson Morris and Melissa E. Morris, whose names appear on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Inasmuch as the applicant was not living on March 4, 1906, the Office concurs in the decision of Commissioner Dixby denying the enrollment of James Morris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 20, 1906, (34 Stat.L., 137).

Very respectfully,

G. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

LANE-L.C.

Choc minor 762

Callie Lane

Allie Lane

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7-2485

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 20, 1906.

Poster & Dalton,
Attorneys at Law,
Stigler, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 13, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Allie Lane and L. K. Stephens to the birth of Callie Lane and Allie Lane, April 16, 1905.

You are advised that the affidavits of the physician do not show that these children were living March 4, 1906, and it will be necessary that new affidavits be forwarded showing that they were living March 4, 1906. For this purpose there are inclosed new blanks which you are requested to have executed and returned to this office as early as practicable.

Respectfully,

S. B. O.

Commissioner,

7-2463

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 6, 1906.

Foster & Dalton,
Attorneys at Law,
Stigler, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 27, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Allie Lane and L. K. Stephens M. D., to the birth of Callie Lane and Allie Lane, children of J. P. and Allie Lane, April 16, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office in the matter of the enrollment of said children.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

762

217

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Callie Lane

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved 190.....

Commissioner.

Born April 16, 1905 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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JUN 25 1906

[Signature]
COMMISSIONER

CHOCTAW

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JUN 13 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Callie Lane (Here insert name of child.) , born on the 16th day of April, 1906
Name of Father: John P Lane a citizen of the White Nation.
Name of Mother: Alice Lane a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Stigitt Ind Ter,

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Alice Lane, on oath state that I am 31
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John P Lane, who is a citizen, by
of the White Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 16th day of April, 1906; that said child has been named
Callie Lane, and was living at this date March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June, 1906
my Com Expires Oct 20 1908 E. M. Patton Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, L. R. Stephens, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Alice Lane John P Lane
on the 16th day of April, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Callie Lane.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June, 1906
my Com Expires Oct 20 1908 E. M. Patton Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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1906

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Callie Lane.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw... Nation.

Approved..... SEP 20 1906 190...

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born April 16, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF CIVILIZATION

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
of Callie Lane born on the 16 day of April 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: J. P. Lane a citizen of the White Nation.
Name of Mother: Ullie Lane a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father not enrolled Tribal enrollment of mother not enrolled
Postoffice Steyler, W. Va.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Leah District.
I, Ullie Lane, on oath state that I am 31
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of J. P. Lane, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the White Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 16 day of April 1905; that said child has been named
Callie Lane and was living March 4, 1906.
Ullie Lane

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1906.
E. M. Walton
Notary Public.
My Commission Expires Oct. 29, 1908

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Leah District.
I, L. K. Stephens, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Ullie Lane, wife of J. P. Lane
on the 16 day of April 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Callie
Lane.
L. K. Stephens M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1906.
E. M. Walton
Notary Public.
My Commission Expires Oct. 29, 1908

NEW BORN

762

199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Allie Lane

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born April 16, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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JUN 29 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Allie Lane, born on the 16 day of April 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: J. J. Lane a citizen of the White Nation.
Name of Mother: Allie Lane a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: not sworn Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Stigler, J. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Allie Lane, on oath state that I am 31
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of J. J. Lane, who is a citizen, by
blood of the White Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 16 day of April 1905; that said child has been named
Allie Lane and was living March 4, 1906.
Allie Lane

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1906.

O. M. Walton

Notary Public.

My Commission Expires Oct. 29/1908

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, L. R. Stephens, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Allie Lane, wife of J. J. Lane
on the 16 day of April 1905, that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Allie
Lane L. R. Stephens, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1906.

O. M. Walton

Notary Public.

My Commission Expires Oct. 29/1908

NEW BORN

762

217

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

A. M. Lane

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

Born April 16, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1908:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER

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JUN 25 1906

[Signature]

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JUN 13 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Allie Lane (Here insert name of child.) born on the 14 day of April, 1905
Name of Father: John P Lane a citizen of the White Nation.
Name of Mother: Allie Lane a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Sight End Tex.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Allie Lane, on oath state that I am 31
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John P Lane, who is a citizen, by
of the White Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 14th day of April, 1905; that said child has been named
Allie Lane, and ~~is~~ ^{at this date} living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June, 1906.

my Com Expires Oct 28, 1908 E.M. Dalton Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, L.H. Stephens, a physician, on oath state that I
Allie Lane wife of John P Lane
on the 14th day of April, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Allie Lane

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June, 1906.

my Com Expires Oct 28, 1908 E.M. Dalton Notary Public.

Choc minor 763

myrtle Lee McCarty

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7-2685

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 17, 1906.

Robert L. McCarty,
Scipio, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lissie Y. McCarty and Rachel A. Sutton to the birth of Willie May McCarty daughter of Robert L. and Lissie Y. McCarty, June 7, 1904, and the same have been filed with our records as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.)
INDIAN TERRITORY)
NORTHERN DISTRICT)

ss

No. 596

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage--Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. R. L. McCarty of Spiro in the Indian Territory, aged 38 years, and Miss Lizzie Young of Sprig in the Indian Territory, aged 21 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Muskogee, Indian Territory, this 31st day of December A. D. 1901.

Chas. A. Davidson,
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

By Wm. R. Shackelford, Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
INDIAN TERRITORY)
NORTHERN DISTRICT)

ss

I, A. Lee Boyd, a Minister of the Gospel, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that on the 1st day of January A. D. 1902, I did duly and according to law as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 2nd day of January A. D. 1902.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Northern District,
Book Page A. Lee Boyd,

A Minister of the Gospel.

Note-This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof or the party to whom the license was issued, will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss
NORTHERN DISTRICT.)

I, Charles A. Davidson, Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for record in my office the 3 day of Jany 1902 at -----M and duly recorded in Book 5 Marriage Record, Page 400.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, in said Territory this 8 day of Jany. A. D. 1902.

Chas. A. Davidson, Clerk.

-----Deputy.

Northern Dist. Ind. Ter.

FILED

Jan. 3, 1902.

Chas. A. Davidson,
Clerk, U. S. Courts.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

F I L E D

May 6, 1902

Tame Bixby,

Acting Chairman.

Choctaw D 715.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage license and certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March 1902.

John C. Tidwell
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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1906

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 28, 1906.

Myrtle Lee Mc Carthy

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved

SEP 20 1906

1906

~~Commissioner.~~

Born Oct. 2, 1903-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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To Mr. Alexander J. T. June 26 06

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Myrtle Lee Mc Carty, born on the 2 day of October, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Robert L. Mc Carty, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
by blood
Name of Mother: Lizzie G. Mc Carty, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
by intermarriage
Tribal enrollment of father Choctaw, by blood # 7825; Tribal enrollment of mother Choctaw, I.W. # 727
blue card # 2685 blue card # 2685
Postoffice, Scipio, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lizzie G. Mc Carty, on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert L. Mc Carty, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 2 day of October, 1905; that said child has been named
Myrtle Lee Mc Carty, and was living March 4, 1906.

Lizzie G. Mc Carty

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

D. Lloyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.

James Graham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Rachel A. Sutton, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Lizzie G. Mc Carty, wife of Robert L. Mc Carty,
on the 2 day of October, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

Myrtle Lee Mc Carty

Rachel A. Sutton

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

D. Lloyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.

James Graham
Notary Public.

Choc minor 764

Annice McGee

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23-764

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 25, 1906.

John T. McGee,
Provenoe, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 18, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Anice McGee.

In reply you are advised that the name of your child Anice McGee has not yet been placed upon a schedule of new born citizens of the Choctaw Nation, but you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-764

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 19, 1906.

John T. McGee,
Prevence, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 10, 1906, asking early approval of the enrollment of your child Annice McGee.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Annice McGee has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

CERTIFICATE OF
RECORD OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY, } sct.
SOUTHERN DISTRICT }

I, C. M. CAMPBELL Clerk of the United States Court,
in the Territory and District aforesaid, do hereby cer-
tify that the License for an Certificate of Marriage of
Mr. J. T. McGee and
M^{iss} Bonnie Stewart
were filed in my office in said Territory and District
the 6 day of
July A. D. 1904
duly recorded in Book H of Marriage
Record, Page 225

WITNESS my hand and Seal of said Court, at Ardmore

this 6 day
1904
of July A. D. 1904
C. M. Campbell.
CLERK.

Return this license to the United States Clerk at Ardmore, that
it may be recorded, when it will be mailed to the proper address

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

RECORDED
JUN 30 1906

United States of America,
Indian Territory,
Southern District.



SS.

I, C.M. Campbell, Clerk of the United States Court within and for the Southern District of the Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and perfect copy of the original Marriage License issued out of this office on the 2nd day of July, A.D, 1904, to J.T. McGee to Miss Bonnie Stewart, and recorded on the 6th day of July, A.D, 1904, in Book H of Marriage Record, Page 225.

Witness my hand and official seal this the 14th day of June, A.D, 1906.

C.M. Campbell, Clerk.

By


Chief Deputy.

No person is authorized to perform the Marriage Ceremony in the Indian Territory unless the proper credentials have first been recorded in the Clerk's office.

Marriage License

No. 868.

United States of America, } ss.
Indian Territory, Southern District.

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize
Marriage, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of
Matrimony between Mr. J. T. McGee

of Mansville, in the Indian Territory, aged 21 years, and

Miss Bonnie Stewart of Ardmore

in the Indian Territory, aged 15 years, according to law; and do you officially
sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official Seal, this 2 day

of July A. D. 1906 - 1904.

G. M. Campbell, Clerk of the United States Court

Certificate of Marriage

United States of America, } ss.
Indian Territory, Southern District.

I, J. N. Moore

do hereby certify that on the 4 day
of July A. D. 1904, I did duly and according to law, as commanded

in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the
parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 5 day of July A. D. 1904

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian
Territory, Southern District, at Ardmore, Book A, Page 2

J. N. Moore.

NOTE. (a)—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court
in the Indian Territory, at Ardmore, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be
liable in the amount of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100).

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Annice M^cGee

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved ~~SEP 20 1906~~ 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

Born July 17, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Annice Mc Gee, born on the 17th day of July, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: John J. Mc Gee a citizen of the U.S. Nation.
 Name of Mother: Bonny Stewart (Mc Gee) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: U.S. citizen Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
 Postoffice: Prorance, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District }
 I, Bonny Stewart (Mc Gee) on oath state that I am 18
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of John Irrel Mc Gee, who is a citizen, by
(U.S.) of the (U.S.) Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 17th day of July, 1905; that said child has been named
Annice Mc Gee and was living March 4, 1906

Bonny Stewart (Mc Gee) now Mrs

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]
W. S. Gaetaway
W. Hollifield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of June, 1906.
J. G. Fletcher
 Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District }
 I, J. H. Norris a physician on oath state that I
 attended on Bonny Stewart (Mc Gee) wife of John J. Mc Gee
 on the 17th day of July, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

Annice Mc Gee J. H. Norris, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of June, 1906.
W. F. Noble
 Notary Public

Choc minor 765

Jackson Baker

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7-1849

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1905.

Jackson Baker,

Valliant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Augusta Baker and R. A. Grigsby to the birth of Jackson Baker, November 6, 1905.

You are advised that under existing legislation there is now no authority for the reception of original applications for enrollment in the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Choctaw 1849

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 14, 1906.

Jackson Baker,

Valliant, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 11, asking if the affidavits for the enrollment of your child, Jackson Baker, have been received.

In reply you are advised that this office is unable to identify your son, Jackson Baker, as an applicant for enrollment under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and for the purpose of presenting proof of the birth of this child there is inclosed herewith blank for the enrollment of a minor child under the act of April 26, 1906, above referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

B.C.

7-1849

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Jackson Baker,

Valliant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Augusta Baker and R. H. Wigby to the birth of Jackson Baker, child of Jackson and Augusta Baker, November 6, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-765

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 22, 1906.

Jackson Baker,
Valliant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Jackson Baker, Jr., you are advised that it will be necessary that you state if the Bettie Baker to whom you were first married is the M. E. Baker who secured a divorce from J. B. Baker in the United States Court for the Southern District of Indian Territory and if so you should forward affidavits to that effect.

This matter should receive your immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of your child Jackson Baker, Jr.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-765

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 11, 1906.

Jackson Baker,

Valliant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit to the effect that you are the person referred to in the evidence of divorce between J. B. Baker and M. E. Baker, and that your first wife, Bettie, is identical with the M. E. Baker referred to, and the same has been filed with the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, Jackson Baker, Jr.

Respectfully,

MR

Commissioner.

23-765

Muskogee, Indian Territory. January 12, 1907.

Jackson Baker,

Valliant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 4th, asking for the status of the application for the enrollment of your child, Jackson Baker.

In reply you are advised that on December 20, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior, approved the enrollment of your minor child, Jackson Baker, Jr., as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress April 26, 1906, and selection of allotment may be now made for said child, in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the selection of allotments and designation of homesteads in the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,)ss
CENTRAL DISTRICT.)

TO ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED BY LAW
TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE--GREETING.

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. Jack Baker of Oak Lodge in the Indian Territory, aged 32 years, and Miss Mollie Chandler of Tushkahomma in the Indian Territory, aged 25 years, according to law and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

.. WITNESS my hand and Official Seal, this 19 day of Jan.

A. D. 1908.

(SEAL)

E. J. Fannin,
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

Thos. B. Latham, Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss.
CENTRAL DISTRICT.)

I, Earl D. Bailey an Elder DO HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 20th day of January A. D. 1898, I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 29 day of Jan. A. D. 1898.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, in the Indian Territory, Central District. Book B Page 101.

Note-This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the Office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00):

INDIAN TERRITORY)
CENTRAL DISTRICT) ss

I hereby certify that this instrument was filed for record in my office at Antlers Feb. 11 1898 and is duly recorded in Book 1 Page 22.

E. J. Fannan, Clerk.

By Theo. B. Latham Deputy.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage license and certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of April 1908.

Arthur W. Hopper

Notary Public,

Department of the Interior
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes
Garvin, Ind. Ter. November 28, 1902.

Original
Intermarried
Choctaw:

In the matter of the original application of Augusta Baker
for enrollment as an intermarried citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Augusta Baker, having been first duly sworn, upon her
oath testifies as follows:

Examination by the Commission:

- Q What is your name? A Augusta Baker.
Q How old are you? A Thirty eight.
Q What is your post office address? A Vallant, Indian Territory.
Q That is in the Choctaw Nation? A Yes sir.
Q How long have you lived in the Choctaw Nation? A I have been
in the Choctaw Nation now about three years this last August.
Q Have you lived here continuously for the past three years? A Yes
sir.
Q Never have made your home anywhere else during that time? A No
sir.
Q Where did you live before that? A In Arkansas and Texas, I was
raised in Arkansas.
Q Do you claim intermarried rights in the Choctaw Nation? A Yes
sir.
Q What is the name of your Choctaw husband through whom you claim
these rights? A Jackson Baker.
Q Is he a recognized and enrolled citizen of the Choctaw Nation?
A Yes sir.
Q Have his rights ever been disputed? A No sir.

(The name of the applicant's husband, Jackson Baker, appears
upon the records of the Commission upon Choctaw roll Card
Field No. 1849, having been listed for enrollment as a citizen
by blood of the Choctaw Nation upon the identification of his
name upon the 1896 Choctaw Census roll, Yebucksey County, No.
908.)

- Q When were you married to Jackson Baker? A 11th September, 1901.
Q Where was the marriage ceremony performed? A Up here at Fowler-
ville.
Q In the Choctaw Nation? A Yes sir.
Q At that time were both you and your husband residents of the
Choctaw Nation? A Yes sir.
Q Who performed the marriage ceremony? A Judge Fowler.
Q Did you procure a marriage license? A No didn't have any license
when we married.
Q Have you any evidence of that marriage with you? A Judge Fowler
married us and he is here.
Q What became of your marriage certificate? A My husband sent it
off--he gave it to Judge Hinson to send it off.
Q Who was Judge Hinson going to send it to? A To the Commission.

Augusta Baker-----2.

- Q Did Judge Hinson tell you that he had sent it? A He told my husband that he had sent it.
- Q You don't know whether he ever sent that or not? A No sir, I don't know whether he did or not.
- Q Were you ever married before your marriage to Jackson Baker?
- A Yes sir.
- Q How many times? A Once.
- Q What was the name of your former husband? A Dick Denial.
- Q Was he a white man? A Yes sir.
- Q Was he dead at the time of your marriage to Jackson Baker? A Yes sir.
- Q Was your present husband ever married prior to his marriage to you?
- A Yes sir.
- Q How many times? A Twice.
- Q What were the names of his former wives? A His first wife's name was Betty, and the second, Nellie.
- Q Were both of those women dead at the time of your marriage to Jackson Baker? A Nellie is dead; his first wife is not dead.
- Q He was separated from his first wife? A Yes sir.
- Q Were they divorced? A Yes sir.
- Q Where did they procure the divorce? A Arizona.
- Q In the Chickasaw Courts or the United States courts? A In the United States Court.
- Q Have you any evidence of that divorce with you? A No sir.
- Q Since your marriage to Jackson Baker have you lived together continuously as husband and wife up to the present time? A Yes sir.
- Q There has been no separation, abandonment or divorce? A No sir.
- Q Are you at present living together as bona fide residents of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes sir.
- Q What is the name of your father? A Watt Morrow.
- Q Is he living or dead? A He is dead.
- Q Was he a white man? A Yes sir.
- Q What is the name of your mother? A Silona Morrow.
- Q Is she living or dead? A She is dead.
- Q Was she a white woman? A Yes sir.
- Q Did either of your parents ever make claim to enrollment as a member of any Indian tribe? A No sir.

(Applicant Examined)

H. L. Fowler, called as a witness, being first duly sworn, upon his oath testified as follows:

Examination by the Commission:

- Q What is your name? A H. L. Fowler.
- Q How old are you? A Forty three years old.
- Q What is your post office address? A Valiant, Indian Territory.
- Q How long have you been a resident of the Choctaw Nation?
- A Twenty three years.
- Q You have lived here continuously for that length of time? A Yes sir.
- Q Are you a Choctaw Indian by blood? A No sir, by intermarriage.
- Q Have you ever held any official position in the Choctaw Nation?
- A Yes sir.
- Q What positions have you held? A County Judge.
- Q Are you acquainted with Jackson Baker? A Yes sir, I know him.
- Q Do you know the name of his last wife? A Yes sir, I know her.
- Q What is her name? A I believe Augusta, I don't remember what her name was before she was married.

Augusta Baker

Q Do you know anything regarding the marriage of these two persons?

A Yes sir, I married them.

Q At that time you were county judge? A Yes sir.

Q How long ago was that? A Some time along last fall a little over a year ago, I think it was in September.

Q Where was the marriage ceremony performed? A At my house at Fowlerville, at that time, before we moved the post office to Valliant.

(Witness Excused)

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Harry C Risteen, being first duly sworn, upon his oath states: That as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full all proceedings had in the above entitled cause on the 28th day of November, 1902, and that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete record of his stenographic notes of said proceedings on said date.

Harry C Risteen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of December 1902.

J. C. Bolger
Notary Public

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Jackson Baker

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Jackson Baker, born on the 6th day of November, 1905
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Jackson Baker a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Augusta Baker a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Valliant. I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }
I, Augusta Baker, on oath state that I am 41
years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Jackson Baker, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 6th day of November, 1905, that said child has been named
Jackson Baker, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK: Augusta Baker

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of February, 1906
E. Gardner
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }
I, R. A. Grigsby, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Augusta Baker, wife of Jackson Baker,
on the 6th day of February, 1905, that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Jackson Baker

WITNESSES TO MARK: R. A. Grigsby M.D.

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of February, 1906
E. Gardner
Notary Public.

Valliant.

Affidavit.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
Central District.
Ind Terr.

I Jackson Baker after being duly sworn according to law depose and says, My name is Jackson Baker, I sometime sign my name J.B.Baker, and that I am the identical J.B.Baker who secured a devorce from M.E.Baker about the year 1895. and further state that M.E.Baker and Bettie Baker is one and the same person. and that Jackson Baker and J.B.Baker is one and the same person. the above devorce was secured in the United States Court at Ardmore.I.T. and further state that there is other person except myself that know any thing about my former wife Bettie Baker or M.E.Baker, in this coutry that I could get to make an affidavit to that effect.

Jackson Baker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 6th day of October 1906.

C. Bar duval
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Jackson Baker

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

Commissioner.

*Cancelled
Sept 4, 1906*

Born Nov. 6, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL LANDS AND SURVEY

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Jackson Baker born on the 6th day of November 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Jackson Baker a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Augusta Baker a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Postoffice: Valliant, Ind. Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Augusta Baker, on oath state that I am 41
years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Jackson Baker, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
born to me on 6th day of November 1905 that said child has been named
Jackson Baker
Augusta Baker

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June 1906.

J. Gardner
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, R. A. Grigsby, Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Augusta Baker wife of Jackson Baker
on the 6th day of November 1905 that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Jackson Baker R. A. Grigsby, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of June 1906.

J. Gardner
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906,

Arthur Pickens

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

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Commissioner.

Born Feb. 3, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Arthur Pickens, born on the 3rd day of Feb 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father Wilson Adams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother Milvina Pickens a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother Choctaw
Postoffice Gowen - Ind Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I Milvina Pickens on oath state that I am 10
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the ~~lawful~~ wife of Wilson Adams, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that male child was
born to me on 3rd day of Feb 1906 that said child has been named
Arthur Pickens and was living March 4, 1906.

Witnesses to Mark:
Banjamin Hampton
O. Burroughs
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of June 1906.
Geord Riedt
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I Baillie Williams Mid-wife on oath state that I
attended on Milvina Pickens wife of Wilson Adams
on the 3rd day of Feb 1906 that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Arthur

Witnesses to Mark:
Banjamin Hampton
O. Burroughs
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of June 1906.
Geord Riedt
Notary Public

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Arthur Pickens

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Arthur Pickens, born on the 3rd day of Feb, 1906
 Name of Father: Wilburn Adams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Melvina Pickens a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: 9314 Tribal enrollment of mother: 9127
 Postoffice: Groven, Ia

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
 District.

I, _____, on oath state that I am _____
 years of age and a citizen by _____ of the _____ Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of _____, who is a citizen, by
 _____ of the _____ Nation; that a _____ child was
 (Male or Female)
 born to me on _____ day of _____; that said child has been named
 _____, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
 District.

I, Sallie Williams, midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Melvina Pickens Wilburn Adams
 on the 3rd day of Feb, 1906, that there was born to her on said date a _____
 (Male or Female)
 said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Arthur Pickens.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of Nov, 1906.

Notary Public.

23-767

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Melvina Pickens,
Gowen, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Referring to the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Arthur Pickens, you are advised that the midwife fails to give the name of said child in her affidavit to the birth, and it will therefore be necessary that you have Sallie Williams execute the inclosed affidavit, returning the same to this office as early as practicable in order that early disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of Arthur Pickens.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 26, 1906.

Wilburn Adams,

Gowen, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 19, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Melvina Pickens and Sallie Williams to the birth of Arthur Pickens, child of Wilburn Adams and Melvina Pickens, February 5, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-767

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 7, 1906.

Melvina Pickens,

Gowen, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of Sallie Williams to the birth of Arthur Pickens, child of Wilburn Adams and Melvina Pickens, February 3, 1906, and the same has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Eitle Florence Riddle

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Richard R. Riddle,

Wilburton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Florence Middle and E. L. Evans to the birth of little Florence
Riddle, child of Richard R. and Florence Riddle, December 1, 1905,
and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of
said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 18, 1906.

Richard B. Riddle,

Wilburton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 15, 1906, asking if your child Bittle Florence Riddle has been approved.

In reply you are advised that the name of Florence Bittle Riddle has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which is now being prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that I united Richard Riddle and Florence Champ in holy bonds of Matrimony according to the laws and constitution of the Choctaw Nation.

Given under my hand and seal this the 1st day of February 1898.

Geo. W. Riddle,
County and Probate
Judge of Gaines County, C. N.

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a marriage certificate as recorded in the records of Gaines County, Choctaw Nation This 24 day of Dec. 1898.

I.T.

(SEAL)

J. W. Vawter,
County Clerk of Gaines Co. C. N.

I Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a certified copy of a marriage certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Ette Florence Riddle

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved... **SEP 20 1906** ... 190...



Commissioner.

Born Dec. 1, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Etta Florence Riddle born on the 10th day of December, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Richard R. Riddle a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Florence Riddle a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Intermarried
Postoffice: Wilburton Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Florence Riddle, on oath state that I am Twenty seven (27)
years of age and a citizen by Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Richard R. Riddle, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 10th day of December, 1905; that said child has been named
Etta Florence Riddle and was living March 4, 1906.
Florence Riddle

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1906.
Geo M Godwin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, E. L. Erms, a Physician on oath state that I
attended on Florence Riddle wife of Richard R. Riddle
on the 10th day of December, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Etta Florence Riddle.
E. L. Erms, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1906.
Geo M Godwin
Notary Public.

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Luke Roberson

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

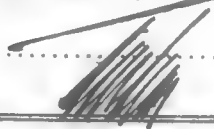
Luke Roberson

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved ~~SEP 20 1906~~ 1906



Commissioner.

Born Jan. 14, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Luke Roberson born on the 14 day of January, 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: James W. Roberson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Reola Roberson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw # 680 Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw # 12657
Parents enrolled in Choctaw band # 4569
Postoffice: Kiamoi, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Reola Roberson, on oath state that I am 29
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of James W. Roberson, who is a citizen, by
intermarriage, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 14 day of January, 1906, that said child has been named
Luke Roberson, and was living March 4, 1906.

Reola ^{her} Roberson
(X) mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. C. Lloyd
H. C. Reader

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.
James Graham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Evie Robinson, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Reola Roberson, wife of James W. Roberson
on the 14 day of January, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Luke
Roberson.

Evie ^{her} Robinson
(X) mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. C. Lloyd
H. C. Reader

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.
James Graham
Notary Public.

Choc minor 770

James Andrew Ryan

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 2, 1906.

Theron J. Ryan,

Durant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 25, 1906, asking if the enrollment of your child James Andrew Ryan has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on October 15, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child James Andrew Ryan as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 and selection of allotment may now be made in behalf of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-767

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 26, 1906.

Melvina Pickens,
Gowen, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 19, 1906, asking if allotment can be filed for Arthur Pickens.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Arthur Pickens will be placed upon the next schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and you will be notified when his enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

James Andrew Ryan

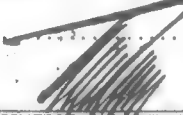
as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved *SEP 20 1906*

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Commissioner.

Born Feb. 7, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of James Andrew Ryan, born on the 7th day of February, 1906.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Theron J. Ryan a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Annie Ryan a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw # 12492 Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw # 12493
Parents enrolled in Choctaw Band # 4500.
Postoffice: Savannah, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Annie Ryan, on oath state that I am 34
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Theron J. Ryan, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 7th day of February, 1906, that said child has been named
James Andrew Ryan, and was living March 4, 1906, is not present
Annie Ryan

WITNESSES TO SIGN

[Must be Two Witnesses]

D. Bellard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.

James Graham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Kate Evans, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Annie Ryan, wife of Theron J. Ryan
on the 7 day of February, 1906, that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
James Andrew Ryan Kate Evans

WITNESSES TO SIGN

[Must be Two Witnesses]

D. Bellard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.

James Graham
Notary Public.

Choc minor 771

Susan Silmon

m 771

23-771

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 2, 1906.

Lizzie Sam,

Krebbs, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 24, 1906, asking if your child Susan Silmon will be enrolled.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Susan Silmon has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Susan Silman

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

Born May 13, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER IN CHARGE OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Susan Silmon, born on the 13 day of May, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Lee Silmon a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Eliza A. Sam a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw blood # 12819 Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw blood # 128903
On Choctaw Card # 4637 on Choctaw Card # 4668
Postoffice: Krebs, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Eliza A. Sam, on oath state that I am 20
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I ~~am~~ the lawful wife of I am unmarried, who is a citizen, by
of the Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 13 day of May, 1905; that said child has been named
Susan Silmon, and was living March 4, 1906. It is now present
that said Susan Silmon is my illegitimate child and that the father of said child
is Lee Silmon Eliza A. Sam
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { James E. Graham
E. N. Wilkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.

James E. Graham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Fannie Sam, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Eliza A. Sam wife of on May 13 - 1905
on the day of; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Susan Silmon. and that Lee Silmon is said to be the father of said child
Eliza A. Sam
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { James E. Graham
E. N. Wilkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.

James E. Graham
Notary Public.

Choc minor 772

Herbert E. Shockley

Enrollment of Herbert E. Shockley Disapproved
by Secy of Interior March 1, 1907

Choc m 772

7-5188

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 4, 1906.

Charles L. Shockley,

Durwood, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed herewith blank application for the enrollment of an infant child for which you may forward affidavits to the birth of your child Herbert Shockley, if you desire to make application for his enrollment under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

7-5188

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 16, 1906.

Thomas Norman,

Ardmore, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 13, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Callie Shockley and Lula West to the birth of Kerbert E. Shockley, child of Charles L. and Callie Shockley, June 15, 1903.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

COPY

No. 454

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.)

TO ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED
BY LAW TO SOLEMNIZE MAR-
RIAGE--GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish
the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. Charles Shockley of Mannsville
in the Indian Territory, aged 24 years, and Miss Callie Mitchers-
son of Mannsville in the Indian Territory, aged 15 years, accord-
ing to law and do you officially sign and return this License to
the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and Official Seal this 9 day of Dec.
A. D. 1893.

Jos. W. Phillips
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

By E. M. Sitman Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss
THIRD JUDICIAL DIVISION.)

I, J. F. Snarely a M. G.
DO HEREBY CERTIFY that on

the 10 day of Dec. A. D. 1893, I did duly and according to law,
as commanded in the foregoing License solemnize the Rite and pub-
lish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 10 day of Dec. A. D. 1893.

My credentials are recorded in the Office of the Clerk
of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Judicial Division,
Book A, Page 68.

J. F. Snarely
M. G.

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,) set.
THIRD JUDICIAL DIVISION.)

I, JOSEPH W. PHILLIPS, Clerk of the United States Court in the Territory and Division aforesaid DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the license for, and certificate of the Marriage of Mr. Charlie Shookle and Miss Callie Mitcherson were filed in my office in said Territory and Division the ----day of-----A. D. 189----- and duly recorded in Book 5 of marriage Records page 551.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Ardmore, this 10 day of Jan. A. D. 1894.

JOSEPH W. PHILLIPS, CLERK.

by F. J. Pearce, deputy.

Department of the Interior,
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.
Filed Mar. 6, 1908.
Tama Bixby, Commissioner.

F I L E D.

Jan. 10, 1894.

Joseph W. Phillips,
Clerk.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Herbert E. Shockley
.....
as a citizen of

CHOCOTAW
..... FEB 12 1907 Nation.

Approved..... FEB 12 1907 190.....

[Signature]
.....
Commissioner.

Born June 15, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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[Signature]
COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Herbert E. Shockley, born on the 15th day of June, 1903.
Name of Father: Charles L. Shockley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Callie Shockley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Durwood, Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District. }
I, Callie Shockley on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Charles L. Shockley, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 15th day of June, 1903; that said child has been named
Herbert E. Shockley and was living March 4, 1906.
Callie Shockley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of June, 1906.
W. S. [Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District. }
I, Lula West a mid-wife on oath state that I
attended on Callie Shockley wife of Charles L. Shockley
on the 15th day of June, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Herbert E. Shockley.
Lula West

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of June, 1906.
J. R. [Signature]
Notary Public.

Choc minor 773

Plassee shockley

enrollment of Plassee shockley disapproved
by Secy Interior march 4, 1907

m 773

7-5109

Muskogee Indian Territory, June 5, 1906.

Ephram E. Shockley,

Sulphur, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Ava Shockley and A. V. Ponder to the birth of Plasssee Shockley, child of Ephram E. and Ava Shockley, April 6, 1903.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-5109

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 4, 1906.

Ephriam Shockley,

Sulphur, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed herewith blank application for the enrollment of an infant child for which you may forward affidavits to the birth of your child Plassee Shockley if you desire to make application for his enrollment under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Shakegee, Indian Territory, March 7, 1907.

George H. Bartlett,
Sulphur, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of February 19, 1907, in which you ask the status of the citizenship of E. E. Sheckley and family as he is anxious to file on land.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on February 23, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior reversed the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes granting the application for the enrollment of Ephraim E. Sheckley in accordance with an opinion of the Attorney General of the United States of February 19, 1907, holding that the applicants in the consolidated case of Mattie Sheckley et al. were not entitled to enrollment and on March 1, 1907, the schedules containing the names of the persons whose applications for enrollment were granted in this case were disapproved by the department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss
Third Judicial Division,)

TO ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED
TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE--
GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to solemnize the Rite and publish
the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. Ephriam Shockley of Mansville
in the Chickasaw Nation aged twenty-one years, and Miss Aver
Townsend of Mansville in the Chickasaw Nation aged Eighteen
years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return
this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and Official Seal, this twenty ninth day
of July

Wm. Nelson
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

(SEAL)

By A. S. Matthews Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss.
Third Judicial Division,)

I, C. Stubblefield a Mans-
ville I. T. DO HEREBY CERTIFY

that, on the 30 day of July A. D. 1890, I did duly and according to
law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite
and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein

named by me on this 30th day of July A. D. 1890.

My credentials are recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the
United States Court, Indian Territory, Third Judicial Division,
Book A. Page 15.

C. Stubblefield.

a Mannville, I. T.
Minister of the Gospel.

Indian Territory, Third Division, I. T.

I, William Nelson Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the within license for and certificate of Marriage was duly filed in my office Third Division, at Ardmore for record this 15th day of August A. D. 1890 and recorded in Marriage Record a page 55.

Witness my hand and seal at Ardmore of said Court the day and year aforesaid.

Wm. Nelson, Clerk.

(SEAL)

By A. D. Matthews, Deputy.

Department of the Interior,
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Filed, Mar. 6, 1906.
Tama Bixby, Commissioner.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Plasse Shockley*

as a citizen of

CHOCOTAW Nation

Approved ~~FEB 12 1906~~ 190

~~[Signature]~~
Commissioner.

Born April 6, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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~~[Signature]~~
COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Plausse Shockley, born on the 6th day of April, 1903.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Ephram E. Shockley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Ava Shockley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Sulphur Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Seethers Judicial District.
I, Ava Shockley, on oath state that I am 33
years of age and a citizen by marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Ephram E. Shockley who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 6th day of April, 1903; that said child has been named
Plausse Shockley, and was living March 4, 1906.
Ava Shockley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of May, 1906.
My Commission expires January 25 1909
R. B. Webster Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Seethers Judicial District.
I, A. V. Bonds, Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Ava Shockley, wife of Ephram E. Shockley
on the 6th day of April, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Plausse Shockley.
A. V. Bonds M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of May, 1906.
My Commission expires Jan. 25 1909
R. B. Webster Notary Public.

Choc minor 774

James Andrew Slinker

m 774

7-4347

Maskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

James I. Slinker,
Durant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lizzie Slinker and J. E. Coyle to the birth of James Andrew Slinker, child of James I. and Lizzie Slinker, July 7, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-774

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 25, 1906.

Chief Clerk,

Choctaw Land Office,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 16, 1906, inclosing for proper disposition letter received by your office from Wilkins & McIntosh, Attorneys at Law, of Durant, Indian Territory, relative to filing allotment for Andrew Slinker a minor child; you state that you are unable to identify Andrew Slinker upon any of the approved rolls in the possession of your office.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of James Andrew Slinker, child of James I. Slinker and Lissie Slinker appears on Choctaw roll case No. (Act of April 26, 1904) No. 774, and his name appears upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under said Act as approved by the Secretary of the Interior October 15, 1906.

The communication of Wilkins & McIntosh inclosed with your letter is herewith returned.

Respectfully,

23-774

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 5, 1907.

L. D. Horton,

Durant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 28, 1907, asking if the names of James Andrew Slinker born July 7, 1905 and Preston Jackson Slinker born February 23, 1907 appears upon the roll of Choctaw citizens by blood.

In reply to your letter you are advised that James Andrew Slinker has been enrolled as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1905 and his enrollment as such was approved by the Secretary of the Interior October 11, 1906.

You are further advised that Preston Jackson Slinker, having been born February 23, 1907 there was no provision for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

James Andrew Slinker

as a citizen of

Chocataw

Nation.

Approved. **SEP 20 1906** 1906

~~Commissioner.~~

Born July 7, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of James Andrew Slinker, born on the 7th day of July 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: James A. Slinker a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Lizzie Slinker a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: U.S.C.T. tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Durant, S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Lizzie Slinker on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of James A. Slinker, who is a citizen, by
of U.S. of the U.S. Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 7th day of July 1905; that said child has been named
James Andrew Slinker, and was living March 4, 1906.
Lizzie Slinker

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

L. B. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of June 1906.

My Commission Expires May 30th, 1910.

J. P. McIntosh
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, J. E. Coyle M.D. on oath state that I
attended on Lizzie Slinker, wife of James A. Slinker
on the 7th day of July 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named James Andrew
Slinker.
J. E. Coyle M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

L. B. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of June 1906.

My Commission Expires May 30th, 1910.

J. P. McIntosh
Notary Public.

Choc minor 775

Veno Spring

m 775

23-775

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Benjamin J. Spring,

Kinta, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

You are advised that before final disposition can be made of the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Vena Spring it will be necessary that you forward the affidavit of a disinterested witness who has knowledge of the facts, that the child was born, the date of his birth, and that he was living March 4, 1906.

Please give this matter your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

23-775

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

B. J. Spring,

Kinta, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 10, 1906, including affidavit of Ella Shorpton to the birth of Vena Spring child of B. J. Spring and Alice Spring, September 10, 1905, and the same has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 20, 1906.

Veno Spring.....
as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Veno Spring, born on the 10th day of Sept, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Benjamin J. Spring, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Alice Spring, ne Conser, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice Kinta, IA

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }

I,, on oath state that I am.....
years of age and a citizen by..... of the..... Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of....., who is a citizen, by
..... of the..... Nation; that a..... child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on..... day of....., 1906; that said child has been named
..... and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... day of..... 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central..... District. }

I, Joe Conser, on oath state that I
am personally acquainted with Alice Spring Benjamin J. Spring,
and know that 10th day of Sept, 1905; that there was born to her male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Veno Spring..... Joe Conser.....

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June, 1906.

Notary Public.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

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a citizen of

----- Nation

Approved----- 190-----

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Vena Spring, born on the 10 day of Sept, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: B. J. Spring a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Alice Spring a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
Postoffice: Hinta 85

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

I, _____, on oath state that I am _____
years of age and a citizen by _____ of the _____ Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of _____, who is a citizen, by
_____ of the _____ Nation; that a _____ child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on _____ day of _____, 1906; that said child has been named
_____, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Western District. }

I, Ella Sharpton a mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Alice Spring _____ B. J. Spring
on the 10 day of Sept, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Vena Spring
Ella Sharpton

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Nov, 1906.

Notary Public.

My Commission Expires Feb. 22, 1907.

NEW BORN

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190

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Vena Spring

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved *NOV 28 1906* 190...

[Signature]
Comm[issioner].

Born Sept. 10, 1905 *7-7492*
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ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Vena Spring, born on the 10th day of Sept. 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Benjamin J. Spring a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Alice Spring, nee Conser a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Winta, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Alice Spring, on oath state that I am 70
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Benjamin J. Spring, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 10th day of September, 1905; that said child has been named
Vena Spring, and was living March 4, 1906.
Alice Spring

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June 1906.
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Benjamin J. Spring, on oath state that I
 attended on Alice Spring, wife of myself
 on the 10th day of Sept. 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Vena Spring B. J. Spring

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June 1906.
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

Choc minor 776

Susie STEWART

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7-2632

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

William Stewart,

Iatham, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Isabelle Stewart and Patsie Nunley to the birth of Susie Stewart, child of William Stewart and Isabell Stewart, April 9, 1906.

It appears from the affidavits that this child is not living and there is inclosed herewith new blank which you are requested to have executed and returned to this office showing the date of the death of this child.

Respectfully,

D. C.

Commissioner

7-2632
7-714

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 2, 1906.

William Stewart,
Latham, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Isabelle Stewart and Patsie Nunley to the birth of Susie Stewart, child of William Stewart and Isabelle Stewart, April 9, 1905.

It appears from the affidavits that this child is not living and there is inclosed herewith blank which you are requested to have executed and returned to this office showing the date of the death of this child.

Respectfully,

D. G.

Commissioner.

Dear Sir:

the child Susie Stewart is not Dead and is in good health for its mother had it present when the application was laid out.

yours Very Respectly

J. D. Shaw
Notary Public.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 23, 1906.

Willie Stewart,

Latham, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Isabelle Stewart (nee Choate) and Patsey Nunnally to the birth of Susie Stewart, child of Willie and Isabelle Stewart, April 9, 1905, and the same have been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-776

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 19, 1906.

J. D. Shaw,

Bokoshe, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 6, 1906, in which you state that Susie Stewart, child of William and Isabelle Stewart, is not dead and was living and in good health when her mother made out the application for her enrollment.

If this is the case you are requested to state why in the affidavits of both the mother and mid-wife that portion which stated that the child was living March 4, 1906, was scratched out and the word "mistake" written above?

Please give this matter your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Bokoshe, I.T., July the 20-06.

Dear Sir;

I stated that the child of Mrs. Stewart at the time of affidavits was living & in good health is correct it was present. I cant say why I wrote Mistake unless I dintent understand it, the child is still alive.

Respectly

J. D. Shaw I. T.

23-776

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 12, 1906.

George W. Rogers,
Butter, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 4, asking if Susie Stewart has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

In reply you are advised that the name of Susie Stewart has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and the parties in interest will be duly notified when the same is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Susie Stewart

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved NOV 28 1906 190

Commissioner.

Born April 9, 1905

CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Susie Stewart born on the 9th day of April, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Willie Stewart a freed citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Isabelle Stewart (ne Choate) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: A-7654
 Postoffice: Latham, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Isabelle Stewart (ne Choate) on oath state that I am 21
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Willie Stewart who is a freedman
 of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 9th day of April, 1905; that said child has been named
Susie Stewart and was living March 4, 1906.
Isabelle Stewart (ne Choate)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of July, 1906.

Lacey
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Patsy Neunally a midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Isabelle Stewart (ne Choate) wife of Willie Stewart
 on the 9th day of April, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Susie
Stewart

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Jacob Homer
M. O. Covington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of July, 1906.

Patsy Neunally
 Her mark
Lacey
 Notary Public.

Child appeared

NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Susie Stewart*

as a citizen of
CHOCTAW Nation

Approved _____ 190_____

Commissioner.

Born April 9, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Susie Stewart, born on the 9 day of April, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: William Stewart a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Isabelle Stewart a citizen of the " Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Freedman Tribal enrollment of mother: Indian
Postoffice: Latham 37

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, } Choctaw Roll No 7654
Central District. }
I, Isabelle Stewart, on oath state that I am Twenty
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William Stewart who is a citizen, by
Freedman of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 9 day of April, 1905; and that said child has been named
Susie Stewart, and was living March 1905
Isabelle Stewart

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { J. S. Statham Es

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.
My Comm Exp Feb 5-1907 J. D. Shann Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Patsie Murreley, a midwife on oath state that I
attended on Isabelle Stewart, wife of William Stewart
on the 9 day of April, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 1905, and is said to have been named Susie Stewart
Patsie Murreley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { J. D. Shann
J. S. Statham Es

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1906.
My Comm Exp Feb 5-1907 J. D. Shann Notary Public.

Isabelle Stewart nee Isabelle Stewart

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:
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AS

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 2, 1906.

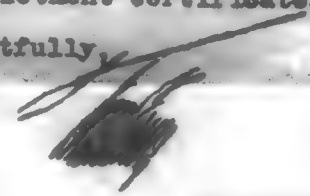
William Samuel Levingston Gann,
Hickory, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Letha Gann and P. H. Elliott to the birth of Ivy Dena Gann, child of William Samuel Levingston Gann and Letha Gann, August 10, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

6-16-1906

Hickory, I. T.

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Sir in answer to your Request to my enrolment for one child you sed
you must have my wifes mothers and father name father name is John
Erwin Jenkins mother name is Amanda Melvina Jenkins and mother
has moved to R. H. Elliott if not Right we will Git a blank and
fill it again

yours very Respectfully,

W. S. T. Gann.

Hickory Ind. Ter. June 26th 1906.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Muskogee, Ind. Ter.

Dear Sir: yours of June 2nd to hand and would say in reply the name of Mother to Lethia Gann is Amanda Elliott wife of John Genkin Indian by Marriage Roll No to Lethia Gann allotment being No. 163-9000, also No. 164-9000. Lethia Gann made application for enrollment at Harts I. T. her certificate was issued Dec 21st 1903. Certificate No. 6145 also 9228, hoping these explanations may be of use to you I beg to remain yours & c

William Samuel Livingston Gann.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 10, 1908.

W. L. L. Gamm,

Hickory, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Leathia Gamm and Amanda Elliott, to the birth of Ivy Deaner Gamm,
child of Leathia and W. L. L. Gamm, August 10, 1908, and the same
have been filed with the records in the matter of the enrollment of
said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... *Dr. Dena. Gann.*

as a citizen of

..... *Choctaw.* Nation.

Approved..... 190.....

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Commissioner.

Born Aug. 10, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Duy Dena Gann, born on the 10th day of August, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: William Samuel Livingston Gann, citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Litha Gann, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Atishony Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Litha Gann, on oath state that I am Minister years of age and a citizen by Birth of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of William Samuel Livingston Gann, who is a citizen, by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was born to me on 10th day of August, 1905; that said child has been named Duy Dena Gann, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Wm Mosley
J. W. Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of May, 1906.
J. L. Mosley Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, P. H. Elliott, a Midwife, on oath state that I attended on Mrs. Litha Gann, wife of William Samuel Livingston Gann on the 10th day of August, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Duy Dena Gann.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Wm Mosley
J. W. Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of May, 1906.
J. L. Mosley Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Ivy Deane Gamm.....

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

..... Nation.

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Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Aug. 10, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *C. N. G. U. S. A. N.* Nation,
of *Jay Deaux Gamm*, born on the *10th* day of *August*, 1905.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: *W. L. Gamm*, a citizen of the *C. N. G. U. S. A. N.* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Leathia Gamm*, a citizen of the *C. N. G. U. S. A. N.* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: *none*. Tribal enrollment of mother: *C. N. G. U. S. A. N.*
Postoffice: *Hiwory Dist. C. C. Ind. Terr.*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, *Leathia Gamm*, on oath state that I am *19*
years of age and a citizen by *birth* of the *C. N. G. U. S. A. N.* Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of *W. L. Gamm*, who is a citizen, by
blood of the *United States* Nation; that a *female* child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on *10th* day of *August*, 1905; that said child has been named
Jay Deaux Gamm, and was living March 4, 1906.
Leathia Gamm
mark.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *R. H. Elliott*
Katy Westhoff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *2nd* day of *July*, 1906.

E. W. Westhoff
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, *Annanda Elliott*, a *midwife*, on oath state that I
attended on *Mr. Leathia Gamm* wife of *W. L. Gamm*
on the *10th* day of *August*, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a *female*
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Jay Deaux Gamm *Annanda Elliott*
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *E. W. Shaw*
Katy Westhoff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *2nd* day of *July*, 1906.

E. W. Westhoff
Notary Public.

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Irene K. Swink

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

William Swink,

Valliant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mrs. Nannie Swink and E. F. Bester to the birth of Irene K. Swink child of William and Nannie E. Swink, September 18, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Irene N. Swink*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation

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[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Sept. 18, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Irene H Swint, born on the 18th day of September, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: William Swint a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Nannie E Swint a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice Valliant, D. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Mrs Nannie E Swint on oath state that I am 36
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William Swint, who is a citizen, by
Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 18th day of September, 1905; that said child has been named
Irene H Swint, and was living March 4, 1906.

Mrs Nannie Swint

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1906.

E F Hester

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, E F Foster a Physician on oath state that I
attended on Mrs Nannie Swint wife of William Swint
on the 18th day of September, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Irene H Swint.

E F Foster M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1906.

H L Fowler

Notary Public.

Choc minor 779

Susan Tonler

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Panama, Indian Territory, January 29, 1906.

Five Tribes Commission,

Miss Anna Bell, Clerk of Choctaw-Chickasaw Enrollment Division,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

In the matter of the enrollment of Susan Tonler, Choctaw New Born, Card Number 1369, there is herewith enclosed the affidavit and testimony of Lila Tonler (nee Ghubbee) mother of said Susan Tonler. Said affidavit and testimony tends to conclusively show that Susan Tonler was born on Sunday night, March 5, 1906, and not on March 3, 1905, as alleged in affidavits heretofore sent and made a matter of record by the Commission.

Very respectfully,

Lucy P. Bolo

question as to whether child was born April 7, or March 7, 1935.

If possible, secure additional testing showing correct date of birth of this child.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 22, 1906.

Ellis Tonla,

Peatheraton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Nicholas J. Nail, Lula Tonla and Ellis Tonla to the birth of Susan
Tonla, child of Ellis and Lula Tonla, March 5, 1906, and the same
have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Susan Tonler

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 1905

Commissioner.

Born March 3, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED MARCH 30, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

~~Commissioner~~ to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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[Signature]
Chairman.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Susan Tonler (Here insert name of child.) born on the 3rd. day of March, 1905
Name of Father: Ellis Tonler a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. 2640
Name of Mother: Lila Tonler, nee Chubbee a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Quinton, Indian Territory.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Western DISTRICT.

I, Lila Tonler, nee Chubbee, on oath state that I am 36
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Ellis Tonler, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 3rd. day of March, 1905; that said child has been named
Susan Tonler, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Charles Bascomb
Jincy Bascomb

Lila X Tonler
not

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th. day of April, 1905.

Gayle Crispy
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Western DISTRICT.

I, _____, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. _____, wife of _____
on the _____ day of _____, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named _____

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1905.

Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 5, 1905.

Ellis Tonler,
Quinton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is enclosed herewith for execution affidavit of the attending physician or midwife, in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your infant child, Susan Tonler.

The application heretofore filed in this office did not contain the affidavit of the attending physician or midwife. It will, therefore, be necessary that the enclosed application be executed and returned to this office.

In having this affidavit executed care should be exercised to see that all the names are written in full, as they appear in the body of the affidavit, and in the event that the person signing the affidavit is unable to write, signatures by mark must be attested by two witnesses. The affidavit must be executed before a Notary Public and the notarial seal and signature of the officer must be attached to each separate affidavit.

Respectfully,

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 5, 1908.

Ellis Tonler,

Quinton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavits of J. T. Bradshaw, Noel Pope, and Belle Hancock to the birth of Susan Tonler, daughter of Ellis and Lila Tonler, March 3, 1908, and the same have been filed with the records of this office in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

In the Matter of the *
 Application of Susan *
Tonler for enrollment *
 as a citizen of the Choctaw *
 Nation. *

* * * * *

Noel Pope being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that he is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory; that he is 24 years of age and of no relationship to the applicant herein; that he was in Quinton, I. T. on the evening of the fourth day of March, 1905 in company with Ellis Tonler, Father of the said Applicant and that late in the afternoon of said date the said Ellis Tonler told him in Choctaw (the said Ellis Tonler) language that he would have to hurry home because a child was born at the home of him the said Ellis Tonler the night before, meaning the night of March 3rd. 1905. That ~~said~~ child has been born to Lila Tonler, nee Chubbee, the wife of the said Ellis Tonler and is said to have been named, Susan Tonler.

Noel Pope

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1905.

Geary Berry
 Notary Public.

In the Matter of the *
Application of Susan *
Tonler for enrollment *
as a citizen by blood *
of the Choctaw Nation. *
Affidavit.

United States of America *
Indian Territory * SS
Western Judicial District *

Belle Hancock, being first duly
sworn on oath deposes and says that she is of the age of
22 years and resides near Featherstone, I. T.; that
on the 5th. day of March, 1905 she was at the home of
Ellis Tonler a citizen^{by} by blood of the Choctaw Nation
which had been
and while there saw a child, born to Lila Tonler ~~ma~~, wife
of the said Ellis Tonler ; that from all appearances the
child was from two to three days old and that said child
has been said to have been named Susan Tonler.

Belle Hancock

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th. day of May, 1905.

W. J. Perry
Notary Public.

In the Matter of the *
Application of Susan Tenler *
for enrollment as a citizen of *
the Chectaw Nation. *
* * * * *

Ellis Tenler, being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that he is of the age of 50 years; that he is the husband of Lila Tenler, nee Chubbee and the Father of the said Susan Tenler, the applicant herein; that on the night of the 3rd. day of March, 1905 a female child was born to his wife, Lila Tenler and that he was present at the birth of the said child and that said child has been named Susan Tenler; that said Susan Tenler was living on the 4th. day of March, 1905; that at the time of the birth of said child there was no physician or mid-wife present;

W. D. Gantson
P. B. Bascomb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th. day of June, 1905.

Ellis Tenler
Lila Tenler

Wm. C. Curry
Notary Public

In the Matter of the *
Application of Susan *
Tonler for enrollment *
as a citizen by blood * Affidavit of Physician.
of the Choctaw Nation. *
* * * * *

United States of America *
Indian Territory * SS
Western Judicial District *

J. T. Bradshaw, being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that he is 34 years of age and a resident of Featherstone, Indian Territory; That he is a regularly licensed physician in and for the Indian Territory and that on the 23rd. day of February, 1905, he was called to the home of Ellis Tonler, a Choctaw citizen by blood, to wait upon one, Lila Tonler, wife of said Ellis Tonler.

That on his arrival he found the said Lila Tonler nearing her term of pregnancy and bordering on labor; that he gave the said Lila Tonler medicine to relieve her but was not present at birth of child; That a child is said to have been born to the said Lila Tonler on the 3rd. day of March, 1905 and is said to have been named Susan Tonler

That said child has been said to have been ~~found~~ living on the 4th. day of March, 1905.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th. day of May, 1905.

J. T. Bradshaw M.D.
Notary Public

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FINE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
CHOCTAW-CHICKASAW DIVISION.
One mile East of Featherstone, I. T., Jan. 19, 1906.

In the matter of the enrollment of Susan Tonler, Choctaw New Born, Card Number 1389: Testimony taken at home of Lila Tonler.

LILA TONLER, being first duly sworn, testified as follows: through Jacob Homer, interpreter:

EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Lila Tonler.
Q What is your age?
A My father and mother never found out my age, so I do not know my age--about 25.
Q What is your post office address? A Featherstone, I. T.
Q What was your name before you married Ellis Tonler?
A Lila Chubbee.
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation?
A Yes, sir, I am a Choctaw.

Lila Tonler is identified as a Choctaw by blood, Roll Number 7605.

- Q Have you given birth to a child since September 25, 1902?
A Yes.
Q Was said child a boy or girl?
A Girl.
Q Has it been named; if so, what is the name?
A Susan.
Q When was Susan Tonler, your little daughter, born?
A Born the 5th day of March, 1905.
Q On what day of the week was she born?
A Sunday night at 9 o'clock.
Q The records of the Commission show that on _____ 29, 1905, you made affidavit that your said daughter, Susan Tonler, was born the 3rd day of March, 1905: explain why you stated the 3rd day of March 1905 in that affidavit, and now state the 5th day of March, 1905.
A They say that child wont be enrolled and I never thought it ever exactly the time the child was born, and others said the child was born the 3rd day of March, and afterwards
Q Do you state positively under oath that your infant daughter, Susan Tonler, was born Sunday night, March 5, 1905, not on March 3, 1905?

Susan Tonler-----#2.

A Yes, sir, it was positively born on the 6th day of March,
Sunday night, 1905.

Witness Excused.

W. P. Covington, being first duly sworn, states that the
above and foregoing is a full, true and correct tran-
script of his stenographic notes taken in said case on
said date.

W. P. Covington

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26 day
of January, 1906.

Lacey P. Robt
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Susan Tonler

as a citizen of

Choctaw
By Blood

Nation.

Approved 190.....

Commissioner.

Born March 5, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Susan Tonler (Here insert name of child.) , born on the 5th day of March, 1905
Name of Father: Ellis Tonler a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lila Tonler - nee Chubbe a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Featherstone, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT.

I, Lila Tonler - nee Chubbee, on oath state that I am about 25
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Ellis Tonler, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 5th day of March, 1905 that said child has been named
Susan Tonler is now living
~~and was living March 4, 1905.~~

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { W.P. Covington
Jacob Hamer

Lila Tonler - nee Chubbe - mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Jan'y, 1906.

Lacey G. Bobo
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
DISTRICT.

I, _____, on oath state that I
_____ wife of _____
on the _____ day of _____, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a _____
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named _____

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1906.

Notary Public.

Choctaw 2619

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 14, 1906.

Ellis Tonler,

Featherston, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lila Tonler and Ellis Tonler to the birth of Susan Tonler, March 3, 1905.

You are advised that the testimony of Lila Tonler taken before a representative of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes in the field shows that Susan Tonler was born March 5, 1905, and for the purpose of showing the correct date of the birth of this child there is inclosed herewith new blank which you should have executed and forwarded to this office as early as practicable.

If you are the only person who was in attendance at the birth of your child, it will be necessary for you to forward the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who know of the birth of this child, the date of her birth, the names of her parents and that she was living March 4, 1906, in lieu of the affidavit of a physician or midwife.

This matter should receive your prompt attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

779

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Susan Jowler

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born March 3, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Susan Loula, born on the 3 day of March 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Ellis Loula a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lulu Loula a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 7672 Tribal enrollment of mother: Lulu Chyber 760
Postoffice: Leathertown S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lulu Loula, on oath state that I am 35
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Ellis Loula, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 3rd day of March 1905; that said child has been named
Susan Loula and was living March 4, 1906.

Lulu Loula
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] Fulsom Ganey
R. Boatright

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of June 1906.

J. H. Hubert

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Ellis Loula, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Lulu Loula, wife of Ellis Loula
on the 3 day of Mar 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Susan Loula.

Ellis Loula
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] Fulsom Ganey
R. Boatright

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of June 1906.

J. H. Hubert

Notary Public.

**FEATHERSTON MINING
& DEVELOPMENT CO.,
OF FEATHERSTON, I. T.**

Ind Ser Featherston
Central Dist

Before me, J. H. Hubert a notary public in and
for above named district, appeared Nicholas J
Mail and Folsom Carney, who being duly
sworn, state that they are personally
acquainted with Ellis Loula and Lila
Loula his wife, and say that there was
born to Ellis Loula and Lila Loula, on
March 5 1905 a ~~set~~ female child, which
was living on March 4 1906

Nicholas J. Mail
Folsom Carney

Central Dist Ind Ser

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the
18 day of June 1906 J. H. Hubert

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Susan Jones

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved **NOV 28 1906** 190...

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born *March 5, 1905*

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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[Signature] COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Susan Loula, born on the 5 day of March 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Ellis Loula a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lala Loula a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 7472 Tribal enrollment of mother: 7603
Postoffice: Leatherstocking Ind Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Lala Loula on oath state that I am 35
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Ellis Loula who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 5 day of March 1905; that said child has been named
Susan Loula and was living March 4, 1906.

Lala Loula
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Hulson Cassey
Nicholas J. Mail

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March 1906.

J. Hubert

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Ellis Loula a midwife on oath state that I
attended on Lala Loula wife of Ellis Loula
on the 5 day of March 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Susan Loula.

Ellis Loula
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Hulson Cassey
Nicholas J. Mail

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March 1906.

J. Hubert

Notary Public.

7-1389

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 23, 1905.

Guy A. Curry,

Attorney at Law,

Quinton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 18, 1905, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of Susie Tonler now born child of Ellis and Lila Tonler.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it appears from the record in this case that Susan Tonler was born March 3, 1905, but it does not appear that any physician or midwife was in attendance at the birth of this child and the only affidavits which gives the date of the birth of said child are those of the father and mother.

The affidavit of Belle Hancock states that on March 4, 1905, the said Susan Tonler appeared to be three or four days old, while the affidavit of Noel Pope is from hearsay only.

Before consideration can be given the application for the enrollment of this child it will be necessary that testimony be offered establishing the date of the birth of said child.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

7-1389

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 20, 1905.

Guy A. Curry,

Quinton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 14, 1905, in the matter of the application of Susie Tonler, new born child of Ellis and Lila Tonler for enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation in which you state that there was no physician or midwife present at the birth of the child and you are therefore unable to file an affidavit as to its birth; you state that it seems from evidence in the possession of this office that there can be no doubt that the child was living on March 4, 1905, and by reason of this fact is entitled to enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

In reply to your letter you are advised that there is a question in this case as to whether Susie Tonler was born on March 3, or March 4, 1905, and under the provisions of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, no person born subsequent to that date is entitled to enrollment. You will therefore see the necessity of introducing evidence to show the exact date of the birth of this child as well as the fact that said child was living on

G. A. C. #2

March 4, 1905.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 780

Mattie May Tubby

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7-2621.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 26, 1906.

William Tubby,

Tucker, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Cora Tubby and A. D. Hill to the birth of Mattie May Tubby, child of William and Cora Tubby, February 3, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

MARRIAGE LICENSE,

STATE OF ARKANSAS,)
County of Sebastian,)
Fort Smith, District.)

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage--Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the rite and publish the bans of Matrimony between Mr. William M. Tubby of Tucker in the Choctaw Nation, Ind. Ter. aged 26 years, and Miss Cora Patton of Tucker in the Choctaw Nation, Ind. Ter. aged 16 years, according to Law, and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties herein named.

Witness my hand and official seal this 4th day of May 1900.

D. B. Reed,
County Clerk.

(SEAL)

By Jno. C. Gardner,
Deputy Clerk.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

STATE OF ARKANSAS,
County of Sebastian,

I, Daniel Baker do hereby certify that on the 4th day of May 1900, I did, duly and according to Law, as commanded in the foregoing license, solemnize the rite and publish the bans of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this 5th day of May 1900.

Daniel Baker, J. P.
County, Ark.

My credentials are recorded in Recorder's Office.

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD?

STATE OF ARKANSAS.

County of Sebastian,
Fort Smith, District.

I, T. N. Reed, Clerk of the County Court of said County, certify that the above License for and Certificate of the Marriage of Mr. William M. Tubby, and Miss Cora Patton were on the 5 day of May 1900, filed in my office, and the same are now duly recorded on page 158 of Book "G" of Marriage Records.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said County, this 5th day of May 1900.

T. N. Reed, Clerk.
By Jno. C. Gardner, D. C.

"Ex A."

Mr. William M. Tubby,
to
Miss Cora Patton.

Note- This License with Certificate duly executed and officially signed, must be returned to the office from whence it was issued within sixty days from the date of License, under penalty of forfeiture of the Bond. No minister of the Gospel is authorized to solemnize the rites of Matrimony until he shall have his License or Credentials recorded in some county in the State. He should then fill out the above blank certificate.

Filed for record this 5 day of May 1900.

T. N. Reed, Clerk.
By Jno. C. Gardner, D. C.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

FILED
Dec. 18, 1902.

Thos. Hixby,
Acting Chairman.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage license and certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17th* day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

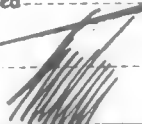
M. *Mattie May Tubby*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved SEP 20 1906 190



Commissioner.

Born Feb. 5, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
of Mattie May Tubby, born on the 5th day of July, 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: William Tubby a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Cora Tubby a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: by blood Tribal enrollment of mother: Intermarried
Postoffice: Jucker, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Cora Tubby on oath state that I am twenty two
years of age and a citizen by Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William Tubby, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 5th day of July, 1906; that said child has been named
Mattie May Tubby, and was living March 4, 1906.
Cora Tubby

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June, 1906.

Jos. J. Ranton
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, A. D. Hill, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Cora Tubby, wife of William Tubby,
on the 5th day of July, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Mattie May Tubby.
A. D. Hill

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of June, 1906.

Jos. J. Ranton
Notary Public.

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7-378

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Sam Turnbull,

Bokohito, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Jessie Turnbull and Dr. H. W. Yeats to the birth of Goldia Turnbull, child of Sam and Jessie Turnbull, September 23, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

You are requested to forward evidence of your marriage to Jessie Turnbull to be used in the matter of the enrollment of your child Goldia Turnbull.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-781

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 25, 1906.

Sam Turnbull,

Bennington, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 16, 1906, transmitting certified copy of marriage license and certificate between Sam Turnbull and Jessie Hughes, and the same has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your child, Goldia Turnbull.

You will be notified when the enrollment of this child is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-781

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 2, 1906.

Sam Turnbull,

Kemp, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 24, 1906, asking if the enrollment of your child Goldie Turnbull has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on October 16, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child Goldie Turnbull as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 and selection of allotment may now be made in behalf of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

State of Texas. ##

County of Grayson. ## I, W. E. Baird, Clerk of the County Court of Grayson County, do hereby certify that the marriage license shown on the reverse side hereof, is a true and correct copy of the license issued to Sam Turnbull and Jessie Hughes as the same appears of record in Vol. f. Page 328 of the Marriage License Records of Grayson County, Texas. Witness my hand and official seal, on this the 13th. day of July, A.D. 1906.

W. E. Baird County Clerk
of Grayson County, Texas.

By W. E. Stevens Deputy.

Certified Copy of
No. _____

Marriage License

Sam Turnbull

AND

Jessie Hughes

Issued the 16 day of Dec, 1906

W. E. Baird
Clerk County Court, Grayson County.

By W. E. Stevens
Deputy.

Filed the _____ day of _____ 190_____

Clerk County Court, Grayson County.

By _____
Deputy.

Recorded in Book 7 Page 328
of Marriage Records.

State of Texas. ##

County of Grayson. ## I, N. S. Baird, Clerk of the County Court of Grayson County, do hereby certify that the marriage license shown on the reverse side hereof, is a true and correct copy of the license issued to Sam Turnbull and Jessie Hughes as the same appears of record in Vol. 7, Page 328 of the Marriage License Records of Grayson County, Texas.

Witness my hand and official seal, on this the 13th day of July, A.D. 1906.

N. S. Baird County Clerk
of Grayson County, Texas.

By W. E. Stevens Deputy.

Certified Copy of

No. _____

Marriage License

Sam Turnbull

AND

Jessie Hughes

Issued the 16 day of Dec 1904

N. S. Baird

Clerk County Court, Grayson County.

By O. H. Jansen Deputy.

Filed the _____ day of _____ 190_____

Clerk County Court, Grayson County.

By _____ Deputy.

Recorded in Book 7 Page 328
of Marriage Records.

State
of
Texas

MARRIAGE LICENSE

County
of
Grayson

To any Judge of the District Court, Judge of the County Court, Ordained or Licensed
Minister, Jewish Rabbi, or Justice of the Peace of Grayson County

GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CELEBRATE THE

WEDDING

Between Sam Turnbull
and Jessie Hughes
and make due return to the Clerk of said Court within Sixty days thereafter,
certifying your action under this License.

Witness my official signature and seal this 16

{Seal}

day of Dec 1904

W.E. Baird

Clerk

By

P.H. Jowenat

Deputy

I S.E. Conner certify that on the
18 day of Dec, 1904. I united in Marriage
Sam Turnbull and
Miss Jessie Hughes the parties above named.

Witness my hand this 18 day of Dec 1904

S.E. Conner

Minister of the Gospel

Returned and filed for record the _____ day of _____ 190_____

and recorded the _____ day of _____ 190_____

Deputy

County Clerk

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD,

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Goldie Turnbull

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

SEP 20 1906

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~~Commissioner~~
Commissioner.

Born Sept. 23, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Goldia Turnbull, born on the 23 day of September, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Sam Turnbull a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jessie Turnbull a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw Intermixed
Postoffice: Box chito, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Cent. Ind. Dist District.

I, Jessie Turnbull on oath state that I am Eighteen
years of age and a citizen by Intermixed of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Sam Turnbull, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a girl child was
born to me on 23 day of September, 1905; that said child has been named
Goldia Turnbull and was living March 4, 1906.

Jessie Turnbull

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1906.

L. Hollingsworth
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Cent. Ind. Dist District.

I, Dr. H. W. Yeats a physician on oath state that I
attended on Jessie Turnbull wife of Sam Turnbull
on the 23 day of September, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a girl
child, that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Goldia Turnbull

Dr. H. W. Yeats

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1906.

L. Hollingsworth
Notary Public.

Choc minor 782

Anna Reva Tyler

m 782

7-974

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

George W. Tyler,
Parsons, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Carrie Tyler and W. A. Jones to the birth of Anna Beva Tyler, child
of Geo. W. Tyler and Carrie Tyler, October 11, 1905, and the same
have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

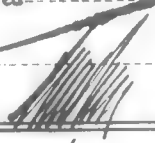
M. *Anna Reva Tyler*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved SEP 20 1906 190



Commissioner.

Born Oct. 11, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Anna Reva Tyler, born on the 11 day of Oct, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Geo W Tyler, a citizen of the U.S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Carrie Tyler, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Parsons T.

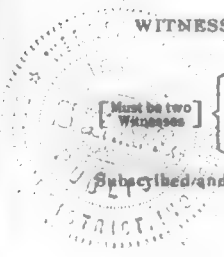
AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Carrie Tyler, on oath state that I am 19
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Geo W Tyler, who is a citizen, by
_____ of the U.S. Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 11 day of Oct, 1905; that said child has been named
Anna Reva Tyler, and was living March 4, 1906.

Carrie Tyler

WITNESSES TO MARK:



[Must be two Witnesses] _____
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 1906.
William Surin
Notary Public.

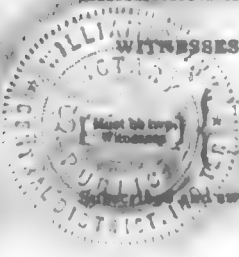
AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Dr. W. A. Jones, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Carrie Tyler, wife of Geo W Tyler
on the 11th day of Oct, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Anna Reva Tyler

W. A. Jones M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:



[Must be two Witnesses] _____
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of May, 1906.
William Surin
Notary Public.

Choc minor 783

Thelma Dorean ward

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Charles O. Ward,

Kiowa, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lucy D. Ward and Anne C. Gardner to the birth of Thelma Dorean Ward, child of Charles O. Ward and Lucy D. Ward, June 20, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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July 29, 1897.

MARRIAGE

Certificate of Mr. Charles O. Ward and Miss Lucy D. Patrick
To all whom it may Concern:

This is to certify that I. W. M. Davis, a regular ordained
Elder of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, At the Residence of
Mr. Charles Leflores Lime Stone Gap Choctaw Nation Indian Terri-
tory on the 22d day of July 1897, did unite in the bonds of Holy
Matrimony the above named parties, conformably to the ordinance
of God and the laws of the united States of America, and Choctaw
Nation.

Rev. W. M. Davis.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and fore-
going is a true and correct copy of the marriage certificate now
on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of March 1908.

John C. Tidwell
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Thelma Korean Ward

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

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[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born June 20, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN THE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Thelma Sorean Ward, born on the 20 day of June, 1905
(Must insert name of child)
Name of Father: Charles O Ward a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lucy D Ward a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Hiowa St.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Lucy D Ward, on oath state that I am 27

years of age and a citizen by marriage of the Choctaw Nation;

that I am the lawful wife of Charles O Ward, who is a citizen, by

blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was

born to me on 20 day of June, 1905; that said child has been named

Thelma Sorean Ward and was living March 4, 1906.

Lucy D Ward.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1906.

A. D. Rowley
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Anna C Gardner midwife, on oath state that I

attended on Lucy D Ward wife of Charles O Ward

on the 20 day of June, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female

child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Thelma Sorean

Ward Anna C Gardner

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { E. A. Robinson
G. P. Simpson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1906.

A. D. Rowley
Notary Public.

Choc minor 785

Clara Arine Bell

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NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Clara Rena Bell

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

Born March 21, 1905.

Choc-Chic Enrollment

Act of Congress approved
March 30, 1905.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
Commission to the Five Civil-
ized Tribes.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Clara Rena Bell, born on the 21st day of March, 1905
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: William M. Bell a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Malena Bell a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Stuart, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Molena Bell, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William M. Bell, who is a citizen, by
intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 21st day of March, 1905 that said child has been named
Clara Rena Bell, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Malena Bell

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of April, 1905.

SEAL.

L. Jake Collins

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Mattie Pusley, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended the birth of Malena Bell, wife of William M. Bell
on the 21st day of March, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Clara Rena Bell
her
Mattie X Pusley
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Minnie Nail

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Jim Porter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of April, 1905.

SEAL

L. Jake Collins.

Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Clara Arine Bell*

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

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 Commissioner.

Born March 21, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Clara Arine Bell, born on the 21st day of March 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: William M Bell a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Melena Bell a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Not Enrolled Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Stuart Ind Terr

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

1459 Choctaw District.

I, Melena Bell, on oath state that I am 29
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William M Bell, who is a citizen, by
Birth of the United States Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 21st day of March 1906; that said child has been named
Clara Arine Bell, and was living March 4, 1906.

Melena Bell

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May 1906

My Comm Exp pres July 27/08 J H Elliott
Notary Public



AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Choctaw District.

I, Ma Paisley, Midwife, on oath state that I
attended Melena Bell wife of William M Bell
on the 21 day of March 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Clara Arine Bell

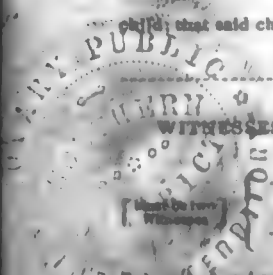
M A Paisley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of May 1906

My Commission Exp June 20/06 W W Horvostro
Notary Public.



W.F.
9-NE-1459.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clara Rena Bell as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

--: D E C I S I O N :--

It appears from the record herein that on April 10, 1905 there was filed with the Commission application for the enrollment of Clara Rena Bell as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and the records of the Commission that the applicant was born March 23, 1905 and is a daughter of Malena Bell, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation whose name appears opposite number 15036 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 10, 1903, and William M. Bell, a noncitizen.

The Act of Congress approved March 3, 1903 (Public No. 218) among other things provides:

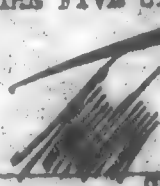
"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of children born subsequent to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and prior to March fourth, nineteen hundred and five, and who were living on said latter date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this act; and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

It is the opinion of this Commission that, inasmuch

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as the said Clara Rena Bell was not born prior to March 4, 1905, the Commission is without authority to receive or consider the application for her enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that, therefore, the Commission should decline to receive or consider such application, under the provision of law above quoted and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,



Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

JUN 30 1905

Choctaw 5500.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 21, 1906.

William N. Bell,

Stuart, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Malena Bell and Mattie Pusley to the birth of Clara Rena Bell, daughter of William N. and Malena Bell, March 21, 1906.

You are advised that the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1906, authorizes the Commission for a period of sixty days from that date to receive applications for the enrollment of children born to enrolled citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations subsequent to September 25, 1902 and prior to March 4, 1906 and living on said latter date.

You will therefore see that the Commission is without authority to enroll your child, Clara Rena Bell, which was born March 21, 1906.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

7-118-1459

Wuskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1905.

COPY.

William M. Bell,

Stewart, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Clara Rena Bell, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary of the Interior will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED.

Tames Bixby

Chairman.

Registered.

Incl-7-118-1459.

7-113-1489

Muskegee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

COPY.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of this Commission, rendered June 30, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Clara Rosa Bell as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

SIGNED

JAMES BIRBY
Chairman.

Incl-7-113-1489,

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1905.

COPY.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior,

SIR:

There is herewith transmitted the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clara Rena Bell as a citizenry blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commission, dated June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Bixby

Chairman.

Through the

Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON,

July 24, 1908.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose a report from the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated, June 30, 1908, transmitting the record of the application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation by Clara Rena Bell.

June 30, 1908, the Commission decided adversely to the applicant.

The record shows that the applicant was born March 21, 1905, and is a daughter of Malena Bell, whose name appears at No. 12222 on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Department March 10, 1908, and William H. Bell, a non-citizen.

In view of the record and of the act of March 3, 1905 (32 Stat., 1071) the approval of the Commission's decision, adverse to the applicant is recommended.

Very respectfully,

(signed) C. F. Harrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

H. N. M.

G.R.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, LLB

WASHINGTON.

I.T.D. 9086-1905.
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October 21, 1905.

LRS.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskegee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

June 30, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes transmitted the record of the application made April 18, 1905, under the act of March 3, 1903, for the enrollment of Clara Rena Bell, an infant, born March 21, 1905, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commission of same date, declining to receive or consider said application, on the ground that said Clara Rena Bell was not born prior to March 2, 1905, and the Commission is therefore without authority to receive or consider said application,

July 24, 1905, the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs

declining to receive or consider said application, be affirmed. A copy of his letter is inclosed.

The Department concurs in the recommendation made and the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes dated June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Clara Rena Bell, an infant, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation is hereby affirmed.

Respectfully,
(Signed) E. A. Hitchcock,
Secretary.

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7-NB-1459

Maskogee, Indian Territory, November 1, 1905.

William M. Bell,
Stewart, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified that the Secretary of the Interior under date of October 21, 1905, affirmed the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Clara Rena Bell as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-NB-1459

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 1, 1905.

Mansfield, McMurray & Gernish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that the Secretary of the Interior under date of October 21, 1905, affirmed the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Clara Rena Bell as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 29, 1906.

William M. Bell,

Stuart, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Malena Bell and M. A. Pensley to the birth of Clara Arine Bell, child of William M. and Malena Bell, March 21, 1906.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to state the name under which she was enrolled, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation, give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

June the 13 1906

Commission to the five civilized tribes

Roll on 13935 Choctaw by blood

Malena Bell

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1906.

Malena Bell,
Stuart, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 18, 1906, in which you state that your number is 13958 upon the roll of Choctaws by blood.

This information has enabled this office to identify you as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child, Clara Arine Bell, have been filed as an application for her enrollment.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 786

Bertha m. Orndorff

Granted Jan 16, 1907

Copy of decision forwarded applicant and
ATTYS for Choc-Chic Nations Jan 16, 1907

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
Pauls Valley, Indian Territory,
May 23, 1906.

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Bertha Orndorff as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

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Mollie M. Hybarger, after being duly sworn, testified as follows:

EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER

- Q State your name, age and post office address? A Mollie M. Hybarger, age thirty-four and my post office is Pauls Valley, Indian Territory.
- Q Do you know John Orndorff? A Yes, sir.
- Q What relation is he to you? A Half brother.
- Q Same mother or same father. A Same mother.
- Q Where is he now? A I don't know; he took his allotment, but I don't know where he is now; down close to the gulf; somewhere down in Texas, but I don't know just where.
- Q When did he go down there? A I couldn't say just exactly, but some time within the last six months.
- Q Did he have any minor children? A Yes, sir; he has one child living and one dead.
- Q What is the name of the child that is living? A Bertha.
- Q What is the name of the mother of that child? A Clara Orndorff.
- Q Has any application ever been made for the enrollment of this child Bertha? A Yes; I sent in proof of birth, but I haven't ever heard from it.
- Q Was it returned to you? A No, not to me, it may have been to him.
- Q Do you know whether that child is living? A Yes, sir; it was living then.
- Q Was that child living two months ago? A Well, I couldn't swear to that.

Witness excused.

Frank Boswell, after being sworn, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name, age and post office address? A Frank Boswell, age thirty-two, Dibble, Indian Territory.
- Q Do you know John Orndorff? A Yes, sir.
- Q How intimately? A Pretty well.
- Q How many years have you known him? A Quite a number of years.
- Q Do you know whether he is married or not? A Yes, he is married.
- Q To whom? A Clara Wadlow.
- Q Is she a white woman? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you know how old that child is; how old to the best of your judgment? A Some where in the neighborhood of two years.
- Q Do you know whether any application has ever been made for the enrollment of that child? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you know whether that child is living or not? A It was living a month ago.
- Q Where is John Orndorff living now? A He is living at Valley Mills, Texas.

IN RE Bertha Orndorff -2-

Q Do you know whether that application was ever returned? A No.

Witness excused.

J. C. Hybarger, after being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Q State your name, age and post office address? A J. C. Hybarger, age forty, Pauls Valley, Indian Territory.

Q You are the husband of Mollie M. Hybarger? A Yes, sir.

Q Do you know whether any application has been made for the enrollment of Bertha Orndorff? A Yes, sir.

Q When and where was that application made? A It was made when the Commission was here last Spring; I dont remember the month, but it was last Spring when the Dawes Commission was here.

Q Do you know whether proof of marriage between John Orndorff and his wife has been filed with the Commissioner? A I am not positive

Q Who filed that application last Spring? A I did.

Witness excused.

Vester W. Rose, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, states on oath that he reported the proceedings had in the above case on the 23rd day of May, 1906, and that the above is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said case.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 23rd day of May, 1906.

Vester W. Rose
Notary Public
Notary Public.

INDIAN TERRITORY,)
Southern District,) Affidavits in the matter of the identity of Clara
At Purcell,) B. Wadlow and Clara Orndorff,
)

John Orndorff, being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the husband
of Clara Orndorff who is the mother of the child named Bertha M. Orndorff;
that said Clara Orndorff was Clara B. Wadlow when affiant married
her, and Clara B. Wadlow and Clara Orndorff are one and the same person.

John Orndorff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

7th day of January 1907

Geo W Miller
Notary Public.

Also on the same day appeared before me P. F. Hill, of Purcell, I. T. who has
is
being duly sworn states that he, acquainted with both John Orndorff and
his wife Clara Orndorff and that they have a baby girl named Bertha M.
Orndorff, and that said Clara Orndorff was called Clara B. Wadlow before
her marriage with said John Orndorff.

P. F. Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th
day of January 1907.

Geo W Miller
Notary Public.

My commission expires April 18 1908.

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AFFIDAVIT

OF

TO

Filed 190

..... Clerk

By Deputy.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

FILED

JUN 18 1906

[Signature]
COMMISSIONER

JUN 14 1906

The State of Texas,)

County of

Boque

Before me

P. E. Nowlin

Notary Public

in and for said County, State of Texas, this day personally came and appeared

J. Lane

to me well known, and who, after being by me duly

sworn, did depose and say

that Bertha Omdorff was born 19-00 Dec 1903 and she was living March 4-1906 and that Bertha Omdorff is his mother

J. Lane

SWORN TO and subscribed before me. Witness my hand and seal of office, in

Valley Mills this the *12* day of *June* 1906

P. E. Nowlin
N.P. Boque

County, Texas.

By

Deputy.

No.

AFFIDAVIT

OF

TO

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..... Clerk

By Deputy.

JUN 14 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF LANDS AND MINES

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JUN 14 1906

The State of Texas,)

County of }
Doogue }

Before me

P. A. Nowlin

A. Notary Public

in and for said County, State of Texas, this day personally came and appeared

J. B. Odle

to me well known, and who, after being by me duly

sworn, did depose and say

that Bertha May Omdorff
was born, 19th Dec 1909, and she
was living March 4 - 1906, and
that Clara Omdorff is her
mother

J. B. Odle

SWORN TO and subscribed before me. Witness my hand and seal of office, in

Vauy Mills

this the

12

day of

June

1906

P. A. Nowlin
N. R. Benzel

County, Texas.

By

Deputy.

12-06
No 1082

Certificate of Record of Marriage

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Southern District. } *scf.*

I, C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk of the United States Court, in the Territory and District aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the License for and Certificate of Marriage of

Mr. *John Guidaff* and
Mrs. *Clara B. Mattson*

were filed in my office in said Territory and District the *6th* day of *Nov* A. D. 190*6*

and duly recorded in Book *E.* of
Marriage Record, Page *15-6*

WITNESS my hand and Seal of said Court, at

Ardmore, this *24th* day

Nov A. D. 190*6*

C. M. Campbell
CLERK.

C. M. CAMPBELL

Return this License to the United States Clerk at Ardmore, that it may be recorded, when it will be mailed to the proper address.

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ATTORNEY OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSIONER.

Marriage License

United States of America,
INDIAN TERRITORY
SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

ss:

To Any Person Authorized by Law
to Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You Are hereby Commanded To solemnize the Rite and publish the
Banns of Matrimony between Mr. John Orndoff
of Mclsa in the Indian Territory, aged 19 years and
Mrs. Clara B. Madlow of Mclsa
in the Indian Territory, aged 18 years, according to law; and do
you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

Witness My hand and official Seal, this 26th day

of October A. D. 1900

CHAS. M. CAMPBELL.

By Clerk of the United States Court

Certificate of Marriage.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

ss:

H. L. Griffin
Elder

do hereby certify, that on the 31st day of October, A. D. 1900,

I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and
publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand, this the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1900

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian
Territory, Southern District, at Ardmore, Book CL, Page 510

H. L. Griffin
ordained Elder

(NOTE.—The person officiating should fill in the spaces
for book and page and sign here.)

NOTE (a)—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the
Indian Territory, at Ardmore, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued
will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.)

NOTE (b)—No person is authorized to perform the Marriage Ceremony in the Southern District unless the proper credentials have
first been recorded in the Clerk's office.

Exhibit "A"

23-786.
O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Bertha M. Orndorff as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on May 22, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Bertha M. Orndorff as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that the applicant, Bertha M. Orndorff, was born December 19, 1903, and is the legitimate daughter of John Orndorff, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, whose name appears as No. 15821 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 15, 1905, and Clara Orndorff, a non-citizen; and that said applicant was living March 4, 1906.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that Bertha M. Orndorff should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

JAN 16 1907

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 16, 1907.

John Orndorff,

Purcell, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 16, 1907, granting the application for enrollment of Bertha M. Orndorff as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Bertha M. Orndorff will be placed upon the next schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Jama Hixby*

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-786.

23-786.

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 16, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray and Cornish.

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sirs:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 16, 1907, granting the application for enrollment of Bertha M. Orndorff as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Bertha M. Orndorff will be placed upon the next schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-786.

M.F.

7-NB-1472.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Bertha May Orndorff as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

--: D E C I S I O N :--

It appears from the record herein that on May 1, 1905 there was filed with the Commission application for the enrollment of Bertha May Orndorff as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and the records of the Commission that the applicant was born December 19, 1903 and is a daughter of John Orndorff, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation whose name appears opposite number 15821 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 15, 1905, and Clara Orndorff, a noncitizen.

The Act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212) among other things provides:

"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of children born subsequent to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and prior to March fourth, nineteen hundred and five, and who were living on said latter date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this act; and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

It is the opinion of this Commission that inasmuch as the enrollment of the said John Orndorff, the father of the applicant herein, was not approved prior to March 3, 1905 the Commission is without authority to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Bertha May Orndorff as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that, therefore,

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the Commission should decline to receive or consider said application, under the provision of law above quoted, and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,



Chairman.

Commissioner.

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

JUN 30 1905

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1905.

John Orndorff,

Pauls Valley, Indian Territory,

COPY

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Bertha May Orndorff, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Jame Bloddy

Chairman.

Registered.

Incl. 7 NB-1472.

7-NE-1472

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 30, 1905.

Hansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

COPY

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of this Commission, rendered June 30, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Bertha May Ordorff as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Tame Bixby

Incl. 7-NE-1472.

Chairman.

J.P.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, LLB
WASHINGTON.

D.C. 18398-1906

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May 2, 1906.

I.R.S.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In view of the provisions of the act of April 26, 1906 (Public No. 129), for the enrollment of minor children of Choctaw citizens living March 4, 1906, the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Bertha May Orndorff, received with letter of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes of June 30, 1905, is inclosed, in order that the matter may be readjudicated.

A copy of Indian Office letter of July 22, 1905, submitting the case, is also inclosed.

Respectfully,

Thos. Ryan

Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
Washington. July 22, 1905.

The Honorable,
The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose a report from the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated June 30, 1905, transmitting the record of the application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation by Bertha May Orndorff.

June 30, 1905, the Commission decided adversely to the applicant.

The record shows that the applicant was born December 19, 1903, and is a daughter of John Orndorff whose name appears opposite No. 15821 on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 15, 1905, and Clara Orndorff, a non-citizen.

In view of the record and of the act of March 3, 1905 (33 Stats., 1071) the approval of the Commission's decision adverse to the applicant is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. P. Larrabee

Acting Commissioner.

H.N.M.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 14, 1906.

John Orndorff,

Valley Mills, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 7, 1906, relative to the enrollment of your child Bertha M. Orndorff.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on May 2, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior remanded the record in the matter of the application of Bertha May Orndorff for enrollment as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation for readjudication in accordance with the provisions of the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906; you should therefore forward new affidavits to the birth of this child on the blank inclosed herewith in order that the application for the enrollment of this child may receive consideration under the act of Congress above referred to.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 16, 1906.

Mansfield, McMurray & Berrish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on May 2, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior returned the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Bertha May Ornderff as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation, for readjudication under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and the parents of this child have been notified of departmental action in this case, and have been advised to forward new affidavits for the purpose of making application for her enrollment under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, above referred to.

Acting Commissioner.

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Indian Affairs 1905
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Department of the Interior,
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Enc. No. 3 of 9010
Indian Territory Division.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Bertha M. Crandall.....

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

..... Nation.

Approved..... FEB. 11 1907..... 190...

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Commissioner.

Born Dec. 19, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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[Signature]
COMMISSIONER

CHOCTAW

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Bertha M. Orndorff born on the 19 day of June 1903
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: John Orndorff a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Clara Orndorff a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
 Postoffice: Valley Mills Texas

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

District. }

I, Clara Orndorff on oath state that I am 33
 years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of John Orndorff who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 19 day of June 1903 that said child has been named
Bertha M. Orndorff and was living March 4, 1906.

Clara Orndorff

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of May 1906.

P. A. Nowlin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

District. }

I, _____, on oath state that I
 attended on _____ wife of _____
 on the _____ day of _____ 1906; that there was born to her on said date a _____
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named _____

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1906.

Notary Public.

NEW BORN ✓

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Bertha May Jindoff
as a citizen of

Nebraska Nation.

Approved 190.....

Commissioner.

Born Dec. 19, 1903

AOT OF CONGRESS APPROVED MARCH 30, 1905.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation,
of Bertha May Crandoff (Here insert name of child.) born on the 19 day of Dec, 1903
Name of Father: John Crandoff a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Clara Crandoff a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation.
Residence Paul's Valley, N. T.

Oklahoma
AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Oklahoma TERRITORY,
Adair County, Oklahoma District.

I, Clara Crandoff, on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Chocktaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John Crandoff, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Chocktaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 19 day of Dec, 1903; that said child has been named
Bertha May Crandoff, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { J. M. Condit
Plat 2192 }
Clara Crandoff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of April,
Amesbury Sept 15-1908 X P. O. Busch Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Oklahoma TERRITORY,
Pottawatomie County, Oklahoma District.

I, Susie Bullock, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Clara Crandoff wife of John Crandoff
on the 19 day of December, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Bertha May Crandoff

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { Susie Bullock }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of April, 1905
H. S. Kaurit Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 24 1907.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Gertha M. Andorff

as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation 786

Service of a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to
the Five Civilized Tribes rendered on January 16 1907, to-
gether with the customary fifteen days within which to protest
against the said decision is hereby waived.

Mansfield M. Murray, Attorney
Attorney for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation.

7-NB-1472

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 1, 1905.

Chilton Riley,

Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 25, 1905, asking to be entered as Attorney of Record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Bertha M. Orndorf, child of John and Clara Orndorf, and that this matter take the same course as the application for the enrollment of Wauweta Reagan, child of Walker and Stella Reagan.

In reply to your letter you are advised that your request has been made a matter of record and you are informed that on June 30, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered its decision declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Bertha May Orndorf as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and on the same date the record was forwarded the Department. This office has not been advised of further action in regard to this matter.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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7-NB-1472

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 1, 1906.

T. C. Walker,
 Stonewall, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of February 24, 1906, in which you state that the wife and child of John Orndorff concerning whom you requested information in a previous letter are Clara and Bertha May Orndorff.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it does not appear from the records of this office that application has been made for the enrollment of Clara Orndorff, wife of John Orndorff, for enrollment as an intermarried citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

It appears that application was made for the enrollment of Bertha May Orndorff as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation, but the enrollment of her father not having been approved until after March 3, 1905, a decision was rendered by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes on June 30, 1905 declining to receive or consider the application.

The record in this case was forwarded the Secretary of the Interior on that date and this office has not yet been notified of Departmental action thereon.

Acting Commissioner

7-NB-1472

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 2, 1906.

John Orndorff,

Valley Mills, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 26, 1906, asking if your child Bertha M. Orndorff can be enrolled.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on June 30, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered its decision declining to receive or consider the application of Bertha M. Orndorff for enrollment as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation for the reason that your enrollment had not been approved prior to March 4, 1905. On the same day this decision together with the record in the case was transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior, but this office has not yet been notified of Departmental action thereon.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner,

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING

7-MB-1472

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 4, 1906.

John Orndorff,

Pauls Valley, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of April 27, 1906, addressed to the Secretary of the Interior has been by him referred to this office for appropriate action. Therein you ask if your child Bertha M. Orndorff cannot be enrolled.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on June 30, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered its decision declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Bertha May Orndorff as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation for the reason that your enrollment had not been approved prior to March 3, 1905. On the same date the record in this case was forwarded the Secretary of the Interior, but this office has not been advised of Departmental action thereon.

Inasmuch as the act of Congress approved April 24, 1906, provides for the enrollment of such children it is presumed that the record in this case will be returned to this office by the Department for further investigation and readjudication. You will be advised of any action as is taken therein.

Respectfully,

W. O. Beau
Acting Commissioner.

7-5890

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 31, 1906.

John Ornderff,

Valley Mills, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 21, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Clara Ornderff to the birth of Bertha M. Ornderff, child of John and Clara Ornderff, December 19, 1903, and the same has been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

You are advised that if it is impossible for you to secure the affidavit of the midwife, it will be necessary that you forward the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who have actual personal knowledge of the facts, that the child was born, the date of her birth, that she was living March 4, 1906, and that Clara Ornderff is her mother. This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choctaw 8890

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 18, 1906.

John Orndorff,

Valley Mills, Texas,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of I. Lane and J. B. Cole to the birth of Bertha M. Orndorff December 19, 1905, and the same have been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-786

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 25, 1906.

John Orndorff,
Valley Mills, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 16, 1906, asking if Bertha M. Orndorff has been enrolled.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Bertha M. Orndorff has not yet been placed upon a schedule of new born citizens of the Choctaw Nation, but you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-786

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

John Orndorff,

Valley Mills, Texas,

Dear Sir:

Referring to the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Bertha M. Ornderff, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward either the original or a certified copy of the marriage license and certificate of ~~the~~ and Clara Orndorff to be used in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Please give this matter your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-786

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 27, 1907.

John Ornderff,

Purcell, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your two letters of February 22, 1907 and March 8, 1907, in which you ask relative to the approval of the enrollment of your child Bertha Ornderff.

In reply to your letters you are advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child Bertha M. Ornderff as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-786

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 5, 1907.

John Orndorff,

Purecell, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 28, 1907, in which you ask if the enrollment of Bertha M. Orndorff has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of Bertha M. Orndorff as a minor citizen of the Cheateau Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-786

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 6, 1906.

John Orndorff,
Valley Mills, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 1, 1906, asking relative to the removal of restrictions and asking to be advised the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Bertha May Orndorff.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward evidence of your marriage to Clara Orndorff in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Bertha May Orndorff as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

You are further advised that the matter of the removal of restrictions is within the jurisdiction of the United States Indian Agent and for information upon this subject you should address him at Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 12, 1906.

John Orndorff,
Valley Mills, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 5, 1906, in which you state that your marriage license is in the possession of Charles von Weise of Ardmore, Indian Territory, and you desire to know how to procure a certified copy of the same.

In reply to your letter you are advised that if you cannot secure the original marriage license and certificate between yourself and your wife Clara Orndorff for filing in support of the application for the enrollment of your child Bertha M. Orndorff as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you might procure a certified copy thereof from the court from which the license was issued.

This matter should receive immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of your child Bertha M. Orndorff.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-786

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 19, 1906.

John Orndorff,

Port, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 7, 1906, inclosing marriage license and certificate between yourself and Clara B. Waldo which you offer in support of the application for the enrollment of your child Bertha M. Orndorff; you also ask if your wife can be enrolled as an intermarried citizen.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it does not appear from the records of this office that application has been made by or on behalf of Clara B. Orndorff for enrollment as an intermarried citizen of the Choctaw Nation and if no application was made prior to December 1, 1905, there is now no authority for the reception of an application in her behalf.

You are advised that the marriage license and certificate inclosed with your letter has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your child Bertha M. Orndorff.

You are further advised that you should forward an affidavit showing that the Clara B. Waldo whose name appears in the marriage certificate is identical with Clara Orndorff who appears

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the mother of this child. This matter should receive your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

23-786

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 5, 1907.

John Orndorff,

Purcell, Indian Territory.

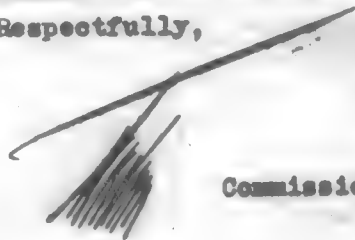
Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter without date asking if more evidence is necessary in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Bertha M. Orndorff.

In reply you are advised that you should forward an affidavit stating that Clara B. Wadlow, whose name appears in the evidence of marriage, is the same person as Clara Orndorff who appears in the affidavit as the mother of your child Bertha M. Orndorff.

This matter should receive your immediate attention and the evidence requested should be forwarded so as to reach this office not later than January 15, 1907.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

23-786

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 12, 1907.

John Orndorff,

Purcell, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of P. F. Hill to the effect that Clara B. Wadlow, whose name appears in the marriage license and certificate and Clara Orndorff who appears in the affidavit as the mother of your child Bertha M. Orndorff are the same person and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 784

Ella Williams

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Ella Williams

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved... ~~NOV 29 1906~~ 190...

Commissioner.

Born Jan. 17, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

JUN 6 - 1906

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Ella Williams born on the 17 day of January 1906
Name of Father: Fobis Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Emma Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Leon

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Emma Williams on oath state that I am eighteen
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Fobis Williams who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 17th day of January 1906; that said child has been named
Ella Williams and was living March 4, 1906.

Emma Williams

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { A. F. Wilson
Laura Spencer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of May 1906.

G. R. Spencer
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Fobis Williams a midwife on oath state that I
attended on Emma Williams wife of Fobis Williams
on the 17 day of Jan 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Ella
Williams

Fobis Williams

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { A. F. Wilson
Laura Spencer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May 1906.

G. R. Spencer
Notary Public.

RECORDED
7-1608

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 11, 1906.

G. R. Spencer,
Reck, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 15, 1906, and the information contained therein has enabled this office to identify Emma Williams as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and the same has been made a part of the record in the matter of the enrollment of Ella Williams.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-784

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 24, 1906.

Eddleman & Graham,
Attorneys at Law,
Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 15, 1906, giving the roll numbers and the names of the parents of Emma Williams in the matter of the enrollment of her child Ella Williams.

You are advised that this information has enabled this office to identify Emma Williams as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and has been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of her child Ella Williams.

In the matter of the enrollment of Ella Williams you are advised that it appearing that there was no physician in attendance at the birth of said child it will be necessary that the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses be forwarded showing the date of her birth, the names of her parents, and that she was living March 4, 1906. This matter should receive immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

25-984

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 18, 1906

Forbis Williams,

Reck, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Ella Williams you are advised that there was no physician or midwife in attendance at the birth of said child. It will therefore be necessary that you forward affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who know of the birth of your child, the date of her birth, and the names of her parents.

This matter should receive your immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-784

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Forbis Williams,

Beck, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Referring to the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Ella Williams, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are advised that if you were the only one in attendance at the birth of said child, it will be necessary for you to forward the affidavits of two disinterested witness who have actual knowledge of the facts, that the child was born, the date of her birth, that she was living March 4, 1906, and that Emma Williams is her mother.

Please attend to this matter as early as practicable, as nothing further can be done in the matter of her enrollment until the evidence requested is furnished.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-784

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 7, 1906.

Forbis Williams,

Reek, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the joint affidavit of
W. T. Woodrume and T. D. Tipler and affidavit of Emma Williams
to the birth of Ella Williams, child of Forbis and Emma Williams,
January 17, 1906, and the same have been filed in the matter of the
enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

INDIAN TERRITORY,
SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

Personally appeared before me W.P. Woodrume and
T.S. Tipler after being by me sworn stated to me
that they resided near Forbes Williams that they know his wife
Emma Williams and there infant child Ella, that said child was
born on the 17th day of Jan. 1906, that it is now living, that
Emma and Forbes Williams its father and mother appears to be
full blood Indians. W.P. Woodrume & T.S. Tipler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the first day of Nov. 1906.
W.H. Kelton
notary pub. con. dist ind ter.
my comission expires the 8th day of Mar. 1909.

Affidavit of Emma Williams.

My name is now Emma Williams, my name was when
enroled, Emma ~~Thompson~~ Coleman, my role number is 45 53, my
fathers name is Thompson Coleman, I am a Choctaw by blood, my
mothers name was Moley Coleman, she is now dead, I was
enroled at Soper, TO the best of my knowledge and
belaf, Emma Williams

subscribed and sworn to before me this the first day of Nov. 1906.
W.H. Kelton
notary public con. dist. Ind. Ter.

Reck I. T.

June 18, 1906.

Commission to Five Tribes

Muskogee, I. T.

I herewith enclose information desired:

Emma Williams Maiden name was Coleman. Daughter of Thompson
Coleman. Roll number 4553.

Thomps Coleman Hugo, I. T.

Forbis Williams Roll No. 4695.

Hoping this all O. K.

Sincerely Yours

G. R. Spencer.

7-1668

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 3, 1906.

G. R. Spencer,

Beck, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 26, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Emma Williams and Fobis Williams to the birth of Ella Williams, child of Fobis Williams and Emma Williams, January 17, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner,

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Daniel Sanders

as a citizen of

..... Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906 190...


.....
Commissioner.

Born August 6, 1900

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF LANDS AND CIVIL SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1908.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Daniel Sanders born on the 6th day of August, 1908
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Robert Sanders a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Frances Sanders a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw

Postoffice Boswell, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Frances Sanders, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert Sanders, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
born to me on 6th day of August, 1908; that said child has been named
Daniel Sanders and was living March 4, 1906.

Frances Sanders

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Jimmy Hollis
Walter Washburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of June 1906.

Com Exp' Jan 1, 1910

L. W. Johnson
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Siby Scott, Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Frances Sanders wife of Robert Sanders
on the 6th day of August, 1908; that there was born to her on said day a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Daniel Sanders

Siby Scott

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Jimmy Hollis
Walter Washburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of June 1906.

My Com Exp' Jan, 1910

L. W. Johnson
Notary Public.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Daniel Sanders

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved

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Commissioner.

Department of the Interior,
Commission to the Five Civilized
Tribes. Filed May 3 1905

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Daniel Sanders (Here insert name of child.), born on the 6 day of August, 1900
Name of Father: Bob Sanders a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Francis Sanders a citizen of the _____ Nation.
Postoffice Boswell Ind Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Francis Sanders, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Bob Sanders, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 6 day of August, 1900; that said child has been named
Daniel Sanders, and was living March 4, 1905.

her
Francis X Sanders
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses) { Watson J. Belvin
J. L. Trout

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of May, 1905.

(SEAL) S. H. Downing
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Siby Scott, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs Francis Sanders, wife of Bob Sanders
on the 6 day of August, 1900, that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Daniel Sanders

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Siby X Scott
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses) { Watson J. Belvin
J. L. Trout

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of May, 1905.

(SEAL) S. H. Downing
Notary Public.

7-EB-1475.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Daniel Sanders as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N

It appears from the record herein that on May 3, 1905, there was filed with the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes an application for the enrollment of Daniel Sanders as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and the records of this office that the applicant was born August 6, 1900, and is a son of Bob Sanders (enrolled as Robert Sanders) and Francis Sanders (enrolled as Frances Sanders), recognized and enrolled citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation whose names appear opposite numbers 10902 and 10903, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior February 4, 1903.

The Act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212) among other things provides:

"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is hereby authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of infant children born prior to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and who were living on said date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this act; and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

I am of the opinion that, inasmuch as the application for the enrollment of the said Daniel Sanders was not filed with the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes within the sixty days provided by law, said Commission was without authority to receive or consider said application, and that, therefore, I should decline to receive or consider the same under the provision of law above quoted, and it is so ordered.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

SEP 28 1905

Commissioner.

7-NB-1475

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 25, 1905

Robert Sanders,

Roswell, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered September 25, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your infant child, Danuel Sanders, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Y. L. Smith

Registered.

Commissioner.

Incl. 7-NB-1475.

7-7B-1475

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 26, 1905.

Mansfield, Hurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered September 25, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Daniel Sanders as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James E. Felt

Incl. 7-7B-1475.

Commissioner.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 28, 1908.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is herewith transmitted the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Daniel Sanders as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated September 28, 1908, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Lewis B. Boyd

Commissioner.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

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G.R.
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November 9, 1905.

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Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

September 28, 1905, you transmitted the record of the application filed May 3, 1905, for the enrollment of Daniel Sanders, an infant, born August 6, 1900, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including your ~~same~~ decision of same date denying said application, on the ground that the same had not been filed ~~at~~ within the 60 days provided by law, and that you were without authority to receive or consider said application and therefore declined to receive or consider the same.

October 18, 1905, the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs reporting thereon, recommended that your action be affirmed. A copy of his letter is inclosed.

The Department concurs in the recommendation made and your decision dated September 28, 1905, denying the application for the enrollment of Daniel Sanders, an infant, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation is hereby affirmed.

Respectfully,

1 inclosure.

THOS. RYAN
First Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

October 18, 1908.

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The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose a report from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated September 29, 1908, transmitting the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Daniel Sanders as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner, of September 28, 1908, declining to receive or consider said application.

The record in the case consists of the application, the Commissioner's decision, apparently the envelope in which the application was transmitted to the Commissioner, and copies of communications of the Commissioner to Robert Sanders and Mansfield, McBarry & Cernish,

It is set forth in the affidavit of Francis Sanders, mother of Daniel Sanders, that said child was born August 9, 1900, and that he was living on March 4, 1908.

The Act of Congress approved March 3, 1908, (35 Stats, 1048), provides, among other things:

That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is hereby authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this Act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of infant children born prior to September 25, 1902, and who were living on said date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this act; and to enroll and make allotments to such children.

The Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes held that application for the enrollment of Danuel Sanders was not made within the time limit fixed by law and declined to receive the application. It appears that the application was mailed at Roswell, Indian Territory, at four o'clock P. M. May 2, 1905, and that it did not reach Muskogee until seven o'clock A. M. May 3, 1905.

The position of the Department with reference to the enrollment of Byington Wade, I. T. D. 11786, is not applicable to this case, as it was shown in the Byington Wade case that the application was mailed in sufficient time to have reached the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes on or before December 23, 1902. The application for the enrollment of Danuel Sanders could not, considering the time it was mailed, have reached the Commission on May 2, 1905, the last day within which applications for enrollment of new-born children could, under existing law, be made, and the Department, in *Malced vs LaRock* (18 L. D., 137), with reference to practice, before the General Land Office, said:

The rules of practice contemplate that appeals from your judgment where notice is served by the Register should

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be forwarded through the Local Land Office; but in this case La Beak forwarded his own appeal direct to you, and it did not reach your office until November 19, 1902, or on the seventy-first day, one day too late.

The motion must be and it is granted, and the appeal dismissed because not taken in time under the rules. *Graham v Lansing* (15 L. D. 697).

Under the Department's holding in the case of *McLeod vs. LaBeak*, this application was not made within the time limit prescribed by law, and it is believed by the Office that the action of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes is correct and should be approved. It recommends accordingly.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

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7-NB-1478

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 18, 1905.

Robert Sanders,

Boswell, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified that the Secretary of the Interior under date of November 9, 1905, affirmed the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated September 28, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your infant child, Daniel Sanders, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

(signed) Wm. O. Beall

Acting Commissioner.

7-NB-1475

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 18, 1905.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that the Secretary of the Interior under date of November 9, 1905, affirmed the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated September 28, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Danuel Sanders as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

(signed) Wm. O. Beall
Acting Commissioner.

Department of the Interior.
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,
MUSKOGEE, IND. TER.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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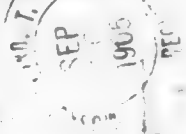
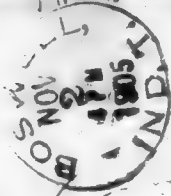
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COMMISSIONER.

Robert Sanders,

~~Roswell~~, Indian Territory.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

H. J.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 28, 1905

Robert Sanders,
Boswell, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered September 28, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your infant child, Danuel Sanders, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 7-ND-1475.

7-3867

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 16, 1906.

Frances Sanders,
Boswell, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of Siby Scott to the birth of Daniel Sanders, child of Robert and Frances Sanders, August 6, 1900, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

You are advised that the year of the birth of said child is not given in the affidavit of the midwife, and it will therefore be necessary that you have the inclosed blank executed, returning the same to this office as early as practicable. Exercise care to see that all the blanks are properly filled out.

Respectfully,

B C

Commissioner.

7-3867

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 29, 1904.

Robert Sanders,

Nowell, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Frances Sanders and Siby Scott to the birth of Daniel Sanders, child of Robert and Frances Sanders, August 6, 1900, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Daniel Sanders

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved _____ 190

Commissioner.

Born Aug. 6, 1900

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1900.

Choctaw

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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BIRTH AFFIDAVIT.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chectaw Nation,
of Daniel Sanders born on the 6 day of August, 1900
Here insert name of child
Name of Father: Robert Sanders a citizen of the Chectaw Nation
Name of Mother: Frances Sanders a citizen of the Chectaw Nation
Postoffice: Boswell, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Frances Sanders, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Chectaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert Sanders, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Chectaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 6th day of August, 1900; that said child has been named
Daniel Sanders, and was living March 4, 1900

Frances Sanders
mon.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

{ Must be Two
Witnesses }

J. M. Wright
A. J. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of May, 1906.

G. W. Johnson
Notary Public.

My com exp Jan 7 " 1910

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Sibby Scott, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Frances Sanders, wife of Robert Sanders
on the 6th day of August; that there was born to her on said date male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1900, and is said to have been named Daniel Sanders

Sibby Scott
mon.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

{ Must be Two
Witnesses }

J. M. Wright
A. J. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of May, 1906.

G. W. Johnson
Notary Public.

My com exp Jan 2 " 1910

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Daniel Sanders

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IN THE MATTER OF THE BIRTH
OF

CHOCTAW COMMISSION No.....

NEW BORN AFFIDAVIT

No. _____

CHOCTAW ENROLLING COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT as a citizen of the Choctaw
Nation, of Odis Atchison Keffer, born on the 9th day
of Sept 1903.
Name of father C O Keffer a citizen of US Nation,
final enrollment No _____
Name of mother Ardella Keffer a citizen of Choctaw Nation,
final enrollment No 15916
Howe Subs Postoffice.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY

DISTRICT Central

I, Ardella Keffer on oath, state that I am 18 years of
age, and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation, and as such have been placed upon
final roll of the Choctaw Nation, by the Honorable Secretary of the Interior, my
final enrollment number being 15916; that I am the lawful wife of
C O Keffer, who is a citizen of the US Nation, and as such
has been placed upon the final roll of said Nation by the Honorable Secretary of the Interior, his final
enrollment number being _____, and that a Boy child was born to
me on the 9 day of Sept 1903; that said child has
been named Odis Atchison Keffer, and is now living.

WITNESSETH:

Must be two witnesses
who are citizens

Learynetie Runton
J J Tolson

Ardella Keffer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, the 11 day of Sept 1905

W. S. Bartlow
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires:

Mar 20 - 1907

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IN THE MATTER OF THE BIRTH
OF

Ochs Atchison Kipper

CHOCTAW COMMISSION No.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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Affidavit of Attending Physician or Midwife

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT

I, *Ella Redding*, a *Midwife*

on oath state that I attended on Mrs. *Ardella Keffner*
wife of *C. O. Keffner*, on the *9th* day of
Sept, 190*3*, that there was born to her on said date a

Boy child, that said child is now living, and is said to have
Male or female
been named *Alta Atchison Keffner*

Ella Redding M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, the *11th* day of *Sept*, 190*3*
W. S. Stewart
Notary Public.

WITNESSETH:

Must be two witnesses
who are citizens and
know the child.

We hereby certify that we are well acquainted with _____,
a _____ and know _____ to be reputable and of good
standing in the community.

Must be two citizen
witnesses.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Eurana Kiefer

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

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Commissioner.

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Born April 7, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Eurana Kiefer, born on the 7th day of April, 1905
(Must insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Charles Kiefer a ~~citizen of the~~ Non-Citizen Nation
 Name of Mother: Ardella Kiefer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Howe, IA

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Ardella Kiefer, on oath state that I am 19
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Charles Kiefer, who is a citizen, by
Non-Citizen, of the _____ Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 7th day of April, 1905, that said child has been named
Eurana Kiefer, and was living March 4, 1906.
Ardella Kiefer

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of June, 1906,
W. W. Weston
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Ella Reding, a midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Ardella Kiefer wife of Charles Kiefer
 on the 7th day of April, 1905, that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Eurana Kiefer Ella Reding

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of June, 1906,
W. W. Weston
 Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Odis A. Kiefer

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved.

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1906

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[Signature]
Commissioner.

7-2378

Born Sept. 9, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Odis A. Kiefer born on the 9th day of Sept. 1903.
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Charles Kiefer a citizen of the Non-Citizen Nation.
 Name of Mother: Ardella Kiefer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother

Postoffice Howe, Ia

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Ardella Kiefer, on oath state that I am 19
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Charles Kiefer, who is a citizen by
Non-Citizen of the Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 9th day of September, 1903; that said child has been named
Odis A. Kiefer, and was living March 4, 1906.

Ardella Kiefer

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27nd day of June, 1906.
M. M. Martineau
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Ella Reding, a mid-wife, on oath state that I
 attended on Ardella Kiefer wife of Charles Kiefer
 on the 9th day of Sept., 1903; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

Odis A. Kiefer Ella Reding

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27nd day of June, 1906.
M. M. Martineau
 Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

C O P Y

March 2, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

Acknowledgment is hereby made of the receipt of Departmental letter of this date, (I. T. D. 6902-1907), enclosing for report copy of letter of February 21, 1907, from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, relative to the names of persons who have heretofore been placed on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, who are affected by the opinion of the Attorney General of the United States of February 19, 1907.

Commissioner Riky, sets out in his letter the names of all the persons now appearing on the rolls who are deemed by him to be without right to enrollment under the opinion of the Attorney General mentioned. In some of these cases patents have been executed and recorded, and in others no patents have been issued.

The Office is of the opinion that the list prepared by the Commissioner contains the names of persons who in the light of the opinion of the Attorney General are not entitled to enrollment, and it is therefore recommended that the action of the Commissioner in striking the names of these persons from the roll be

approved, and that their names also be stricken from the copies
of the rolls in the possession of the Department and of this
office.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Sarrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 29, 1907.

Ardella Kiefer,

Nowe, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that in accordance with an opinion of the Attorney General of the United States of February 19, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior, on March 4, 1907, directed the cancellation of the enrollment of yourself and your children, Odie A. and Burana Kiefer, upon the rolls of citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Your names have accordingly been stricken from the copy of said roll in the possession of this office.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

D.C. 17932
I.T.D. 7794-1907
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

March 4, 1907.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In answer to Departmental telegram of February 23, 1907, and letter of the same date, you reported in letter of February 27, 1907, after inspection of the partial rolls of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations, prepared under the act of June 23, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and subsequent legislation, the persons whose names have been placed on such partial rolls, in your opinion, contrary to the views expressed in the Attorney-General's opinion of February 16, 1907, in the case of Kyllie Randolph and others, copy of which was transmitted to you with letter of February 23, 1907, and which names you recommend be stricken from the partial rolls, opposite the numbers mentioned by you.

Your list is as follows:

CHOCTAW BY BLOOD AND INTERMARRIAGE.

Charley S. Vincent, opposite No. 1466, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 251; no appeal. Patents recorded.

John Calvin Gray, opposite No. 151A, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 80, and denied by the United States Court for the central district of Indian Territory on appeal; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Daisy Shelton, Frank Shelton, Emma Shelton, opposite Nos. 15951, 15952, 15953, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. All denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1407; admitted by United States court for southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents for No. 15951 recorded.

John Shelton, opposite No. 1495, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1407; admitted by United States court for southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Jacob B. Sumpter, opposite No. 1469, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1073; no appeal. Patents recorded.

John Sumpter, Amanda Isabella Sumpter, Jim Andy Sumpter, and Scott Taylor Sumpter, opposite Nos. 1544, 1546, 1547, and 1548, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No.

1073; no appeal. Patents for No. 15548 recorded; homestead patent for No. 15547 recorded.

Dixon D. Supter, opposite No. 15649, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Son of Nancy Supter, deceased, who was denied by Commission in 1896, in case No. 1073, and no appeal. Born in 1897.

Mattie S. Mitchell, opposite No. 1519, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1299; no appeal.

Georgia Hyden, opposite No. 1501, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1544; admitted by United States Court for the central district of Indian Territory; denied by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court; Decision of Commissioner of October 1, 1906, granting enrollment affirmed by Department November 17, 1906 (I.T.D. 22524-1906).

Eva Marguerite Hyden, opposite No. 16102, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1544; admitted by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; denied by Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Application for enrollment granted

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by Commissioner October 1, 1906; affirmed by Department November 17, 1906 (I.T.D. 22524-1906).

J. H. Kirk, opposite No. 1390, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 947; appeal to United States district court dismissed.

Sarah Kirk and Gabriella Kirk, opposite Nos. 15393 and 15394, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 948; appeal to United States district court dismissed. Patents recorded.

William J. Crowder, Abigail Crowder, Maggie Crowder, Rosa Crowder, William H. Crowder, and John F. Crowder, opposite Nos. 15000, 15005, 15001, 15002, 15003, and 15004, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by the Commission in 1896 in case No. 760; no appeal. Patents for No. 15009 recorded.

Winnie Gertrude Crowder, born June 8, 1901, opposite No. 15006 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Daughter of William J. Crowder, she was denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 760; no appeal.

Josephine Crowder, opposite No. 1523, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 783; no appeal. Wife of William J. Crowder opposite No. 15899.

George W. Crowder, Louisa Crowder, Joe Crowder and Belzori Crowder, opposite Nos. 15906, 15907, 15908 and 15909, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 712; no appeal. Patents for Nos. 15906, 15907 and 15908 recorded.

Willie Crowder, born October 16, 1898, opposite No. 15910, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Son of George W. Crowder, who was denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 712; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Parlee C. Crowder, opposite No. 1584; upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 699; no appeal.

Van Crowder, opposite No. 15911, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 749; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Abrose L. Rice, opposite No. 1400, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 662; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Betsy Wright, Thomas E. Wright, opposite Nos. 15912 and 15913, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 507; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Mary M. Wright and Leonard Daleo Wright (both born since 1896), opposite Nos. 15914 and 15915, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Children of Betsy Wright, who was denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 507; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Andrew J. Allen, opposite No. 1638, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 483; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Elizabeth Allen, opposite No. 16103, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 483; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

William E. Tucker, opposite No. 1470, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 238; admitted by United States

court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the
Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Arthur Jennings and Clyde Jennings, opposite Nos. 18972
and 18973, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood
of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No.
1048; admitted by United States court for Southern district of
Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship
Court.

William Reichert, opposite No. 1491, upon the final roll
of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by
Commission in 1896 in case No. 1117; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Ella Reding, opposite No. 1490, upon the final roll of
citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Com-
mission in 1896 in case No. 1245; admitted by United States court
for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw
and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Ardella Kiefer, opposite No. 15916, upon the final roll
of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Com-
mission in 1896 in case No. 1845; admitted by United States
Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Cho-
ctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Angelina White, opposite No. 1403, upon the final roll
of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by

Commission in 1896 in case No. 980; no appeal. Enrollment ordered by Department February 3, 1906 (I.T.D. 1130-1906).

David Ritter, opposite No. 16104, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 486; denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1107; admitted by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Ida Crutchfield, Ina Crutchfield, Louvinia Crutchfield, William Crutchfield, and Loutitia Crutchfield, opposite Nos. 16105, 16107, 16108, 16109 and 16110, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 484; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Everst Crutchfield, opposite No. 16106, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Born in 1887, and son of Ida Crutchfield, above mentioned. Was not before the Commission in 1896 and possesses no tribal status.

George V. Crutchfield, opposite No. 16111, upon the final

roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Born since 1896, and child of Ida Crutchfield, opposite No. 1410B.

James T. Leard, opposite No. 1626, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1223; admitted by United States court for the central district of Indian Territory; denied by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Robert L. Raben, opposite No. 1406, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1017; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Sarah North¹⁸⁹⁶, opposite No. 1408, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 345; no appeal.

Hallie V. Beagles, opposite No. 15917, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 11; no appeal. Patents recorded.

August Klugh, opposite No. 290, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 323; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Henry Febworth, opposite No. 9253, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1376; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Mary M. Sewling, opposite No. 1400, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by

Commission in 1896 in case No. 1081; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Alice E. James, Maggie E. James, Ellis E. James, Analeura James, and Evalena James, opposite Nos. 18480, 18481, 18482, 18483, and 18484, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1081; no appeal. Patents for Nos. 18480, 18481, 18483 and 18484 recorded.

Chester U. Atwood, opposite No. 1400, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1127; no appeal. Patents recorded.

William D. Faxon, opposite No. 1416, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 828; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Charles A. Spurgeon, opposite No. 662, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 828; denied by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Homestead patent recorded.

Frederick E. Robinson, opposite No. 1531, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 878; admitted by United

States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Virginia P. Mitchell, opposite No. 1218, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 389; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Andrew Deal, opposite No. 1493, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 77; no appeal.

Benjamin B. Gunter, opposite No. 1214, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 267; denied by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Calvin Q. Harris, opposite No. 1329, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 428; denied by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Homestead patent recorded.

Lidia Ann Greeder, opposite No. 1412, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by

Madell McClure, opposite No. 1414, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1328; no appeal.

Mary E. Robinson and Mary A. Fries, opposite Nos. 1506 and 1507, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 661; no appeal. Patents for No. 1506 recorded.

Lucy McMurtry, opposite No. 1407, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1324; no appeal.

Eli W. Crowder, James Crowder, Vatie B. Crowder and Pinkie B. Crowder, opposite Nos. 15921, 15922, 15923, and 15924, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 782; no appeal.

John A. Crowder, opposite No. 15925, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Born in 1897, and son of Eli W. Crowder, opposite No. 15921. Patents recorded.

Henry Gutherland, opposite No. 668, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1301; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Robert A. Travis, opposite No. 340, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by

Commission in 1896 in case No. 438; no appeal.

Mary Haran, opposite No. 1416, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 350; no appeal. Patents recorded.

George W. Roberts, opposite No. 1229, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 639; denied by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Viccy Lewis, opposite No. 1476, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1239; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Ira L. Smith, opposite No. 1127; upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 790; denied by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Hattie Treany, opposite No. 1451, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 467; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Rosa E. Rigney, opposite No. 1478, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 708; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Josiah T. Marshal, opposite No. 1341, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in Case No. 392; denied by United States court for the central district of Indian Territory; appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship court dismissed on May 4, 1903, on general averment, in case No. 3 upon the McAlester docket.

Fannie Shultz, opposite No. 1423, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1007; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Hattie A. Perkins, opposite No. 1027, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 184; no appeal. Patents recorded.

John T. Staten, opposite No. 1422, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1072; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Ananda Cheate, opposite No. 1430, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by

Commission in 1896 in case No. 757; no appeal.

Eva Coleman, opposite No. 1586, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 971; no appeal.

William F. Kelly, opposite No. 1480, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1198; admitted by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Mattie M. Russell, opposite No. 1353, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1116; no appeal.

Grever Randall, opposite No. 15928, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 667; admitted by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Agnes James, opposite No. 18961, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1019; no appeal.

Martha Hyden, opposite No. 1609, upon the final roll of

citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1344; admitted by United States Court for Southern district of Indian Territory; denied by Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Wiley Adams, opposite No. 15027, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1128; no appeal.

Mary A. Foster, opposite No. 585, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 437; no appeal.

Jeannetta H. Buckholts, opposite No. 1637, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 943; no appeal.

Selden T. Lindsey, opposite No. 1189, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 28; denied by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. patents recorded.

Henry A. Cummings, opposite No. 1461, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 943; admitted by United

States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Ordered enrolled by Department April 1, 1905 (I.T.D. 3131-1905). Patents recorded.

Allen Beagles, opposite No. 1486, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 14; no appeal. Patents recorded.

William Newton Barn, opposite No. 1489, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1910; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

John W. Carter, opposite No. 1543, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 922; no appeal.

Julia One, opposite No. 1550, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1407; admitted by United States Court for Southern District of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Robert G. Malendon, opposite No. 16032, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Com

mission in 1898 in case No. 1329; no appeal. Directed to be enrolled by Department April 5, 1906 (I.T.D. 5932-1906).

Martha J. McCahey, opposite No. 1614, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1898 in case No. 1268; no appeal. Decision of Commissioner of June 5, 1906, granting application affirmed by Department October 20, 1906 (I.T.D. 21232-1906).

Mattie L. Armstrong, Layton B. Armstrong, and Bessie D. Armstrong, opposite Nos. 16054, 16055 and 16056, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1898 in cases No. 477 and 478; admitted by United States Court for Southern District of Indian Territory; denied by Chectaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Decision of Commissioner of July 9, 1906, granting application affirmed by Department August 11, 1896 (I.T.D. 13700-1906).

Rebecca K. Armstrong, opposite No. 16057, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation. Born in 1896 and child of Mattie L. Armstrong opposite No. 16054.

Thomas J. Howard, Horace Howard, Lennie Howard, Mary Howard and Elmer Howard, opposite Nos. 16033, 16034, 16035, 16036 and 16037, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1898 in case No.

1354; no appeal. Directed to be enrolled by Department April 6, 1906 (I.T.D. 5364-1904).

Bettie Pernay Howard and Dora Lee Howard, opposite Nos. 16038 and 16039, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Born in 1897 and 1899, respectively; children of Thomas J. Howard, opposite No. 16033.

Garric Howard, opposite No. 1578, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1354; no appeal. Wife of Thomas J. Howard, opposite No. 16033.

Gertrude Beaver, Clarence Beaver, Nellie Beaver, and Myrtle Beaver, opposite Nos. 16040, 16041, 16042 and 16043, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Nos. 16040 and 16041 denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1354; no appeal. Nos. 16042 and 16043 born in 1896 and 1900, respectively, and children of Gertrude Beaver, opposite No. 16040. Ordered enrolled by Department April 6, 1906 (I.T.D. 5364-1904).

Barrell F. McLendon, John E. McLendon, Thomas McLendon, Ida W. McLendon, Ralph McLendon, Harry McLendon, and Fannie McLendon, opposite Nos. 16025, 16026, 16027, 16028, 16029, 16030 and 16031, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood

of the Choctaw Nation. All but Nos. 16030 and 16031 denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1271; no appeal. Nos. 16030 and 16031 born in 1896 and 1898, respectively, and children of No. 16028. Directed to be enrolled by Department April 6, 1906 (I.T.D. 6372-1904).

Cornel McLendon, opposite No. 1577, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1271; no appeal. Wife of Burrell F. McLendon, opposite No. 16028.

George A. Hungarner, opposite No. 16112, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 620; no appeal.

James S. Long, Joseph Long, Ferbis Long, opposite Nos. 16003, 16004, and 16005, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Placed on 1896 Choctaw Census Roll by Choctaw Revisionary Board without authority of law, as in William C. Thompson case. Ordered enrolled by Department January 19, 1906 (I.T.D. 5192-1905).

Columbus S. Autry, Lenora Green and Teddy Green, opposite Nos. 16048, 16049 and 16050, respectively. Nos. 16048 and 16049 placed on 1896 Choctaw Census Roll by Choctaw Revisionary Board without authority of law as in William C. Thompson case. No. 16050 born

February 14, 1901; son of 16049. Record transmitted to Department
December 21, 1906, for consideration in case of Hezekiah Enoch
Autry.

CHOCTAW MINORS; ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED
APRIL 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

Hettie Myrl Crowder, opposite No. 674, child of George
W. Crowder, opposite No. 15906, upon the final roll of citizens
by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Parlee C. Crowder, opposite
No. 1524, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the
Choctaw Nation.

Rufus Clay Crowder, opposite No. 4, child of William J.
Crowder, opposite No. 15899, upon the final roll of citizens by
blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Josephine Crowder, opposite No.
1523, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the
Choctaw Nation.

Fannie Jane Wright, opposite No. 253, child of J. W.
Wright, non-citizen, and Betsey Wright, opposite No. 15912, upon
the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Lee Green, opposite No. 485, child of V. F. Green, non-
citizen, and Lamera Green, opposite No. 16049, upon the final roll
of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Ruth McLendon, opposite No. 706, child of Robert C. McLendon, opposite No. 16032, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Annie McLendon, a non-citizen.

Roy D. McLendon, opposite No. 268, child of Barrall V. McLendon, opposite No. 16025, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Gerneal McLendon, opposite No. 1577, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

Jennie Louise Brandrick, opposite No. 724, child of Mary A. Trice, opposite No. 15857, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and William M. Brandrick, non-citizen.

Hazel Calvin Beaver, Claud Damon Beaver and Herbert Howard Beaver, opposite Nos. 487, 488, and 489, children of Gertrude Beaver, opposite No. 16040 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Calvin Beaver, a non-citizen.

Effie Barnett, opposite No. 467, child of Amanda Isabella Sumpter, opposite No. 16446, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and A. P. Barnett, a non-citizen.

Odie A. Kiefer and M. L. Kiefer, opposite Nos. 700 and

791, respectively, children of Ardella Kiefer, opposite No. 16916, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Charles Kiefer, a non-citizen.

Josephine Laflere Long, Francis Long and Jake Laflere Long, opposite Nos. 921, 669, and 922, respectively, children of Verbia Long, opposite No. 18008, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Lennie Long, a non-citizen.

CHICKASAW BY BLOOD AND INTERMARRIAGE.

Gustavus A. Ramsey, opposite No. 814, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 123; denied by United States court for Southern District of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Sallie J. Hargis, opposite No. 626, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation; denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 201; no appeal.

John E. Goldsby, Linnial E. Goldsby and Bessie Goldsby, opposite No. 4964, 4966 and 4968, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation. All admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 254; admitted by United States

court for Southern District of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Decision of Commission of May 23, 1905, granting application affirmed by Department October 6, 1905 (I.T.D. 2142-1905).

Murray Milton Goldsby, opposite No. 4987, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation. Born in 1898, and son of John E. Goldsby, opposite No. 4944.

Joe Perry and Dillard Perry, opposite Nos. 5013 and 5014, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 116; no appeal. Ordered enrolled as citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation by Department on October 10, 1906 (I.T.D. 18962-1906).

The names of these persons formerly appeared opposite Nos. 267 and 268 upon the roll of Chickasaw freedmen, approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 12, 1903; and in the event their names are stricken from the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation, their names should be re-instated upon the Chickasaw freedmen roll.

Benjamin F. Vaughan, opposite No. 408, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1898 in case No. 97; admitted by United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal.

to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Edward A. Vaughan, Grover Cleveland Vaughan and Oscar S. Vaughan, opposite Nos. 4969, 4970 and 4971, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 92; affirmed by United States court; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

William T. Lancaster, opposite No. 512; upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 102; appealed to United States Court and affirmed; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

John W. Archerd, opposite No. 528, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 178; appealed to United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory and affirmed; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

James W. Ragland, opposite No. 531, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 55; appealed to United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory, and appeal dismissed.

Action of the Commissioner of October 25, 1905, enrolling applicant affirmed by the Department January 9, 1906 (I.T.D. 17408-1906).

Thomas St. John, opposite No. 596, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in Choctaw case No. 1059; no appeal. Patents recorded.

John Quincy Adams, opposite No. 621, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 3; denied by United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Mary A. Shanks, opposite No. 629, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 319; admitted by United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Clay McCoy, opposite No. 506, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 141; admitted by United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Directed to be enrolled

by Department April 1, 1906 (I.T.D. 5128-1905).

The Indian Office, to which was referred your letter of the 27th ultimo for report, concurs in letter of March 2, 1907, in your recommendation that such names be stricken from the rolls.

The Department is compelled to rely upon your investigation, as the act of April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), provides in section 2 that the rolls of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations shall be completed on or before the 4th day of March, 1907, and that the Secretary of the Interior shall have no jurisdiction to approve the enrollment of any person after such date. Assuming, therefore, that your information is correct, the names of the persons mentioned, not heretofore stricken from the partial rolls, are stricken from such rolls this day, notwithstanding any decision that may have been made by the Department in favor of such persons.

As recommended by you, the names of Joe and Dillard Perry have been reinstated upon the Chickasaw freedman roll, opposite Nos. 267 and 268.

The Department concurs in your views relative to the following persons:

Wm. Mitchell and Ellen Yates Mitchell, opposite Nos.

15655 and 15656, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1299; no appeal. Patents recorded.

David E. Strickland and Martin P. Strickland, opposite Nos. 15916 and 15920, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 941; no appeal.

Hettie P. McMurtry and Martha E. McMurtry, opposite Nos. 15448 and 15449, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1324; no appeal. Homestead patents recorded.

Rufus Batterfield, opposite No. 15920, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1062; no appeal.

Charles William Thompson, opposite No. 4965, on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 162; admitted by United States Court for southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

You state that such persons are minor children of duly enrolled citizens by blood of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation, and that the names of one parent of each of these children appears upon

the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation approved by the Department prior to March 3, 1905, and that while under the opinion of the Attorney-General of February 19, 1907, it would appear that these children are not entitled to enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation under the acts of June 28, 1898 (30 Stat., 495), and July 1, 1902 (32 Stat., 641), you believe that such children can be enrolled under a provision of the act of March 3, 1905 (33 Stat., 1060), which is as follows:

"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is hereby authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this Act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of infant children born prior to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and who were living on said date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this Act, and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

In this the Department concurs, and as you suggest, the names of these children will be permitted to stand as they are at present on the rolls of citizens by blood of these two nations.

If by inadvertence the name of anyone has been left on any partial roll after decision adverse to him was made by the Department prior to March 3, 1907, and since the opinion of the

Attorney-General referred, to, the name of such person will be stricken from the roll as of this date.

A copy of Indian Office letter of March 2, 1907, is inclosed.

Respectfully,

E. A. Hitchcock,
Secretary.

1 inclosure.

COPY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

Address only
The Secretary of the Interior

G W W

January 18, 1909.

File 2-51.

The Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, Oklahoma.

SIR:

November 30, 1908, the Supreme Court rendered decisions in what are known as the Goldsby and Allison cases. These suits were brought to obtain mandates against the Secretary of the Interior to correct the rolls as to said Goldsby and Allisons, on the ground that the Secretary of the Interior after placing their names upon approved rolls of citizenship had attempted to strike them from those rolls without notice and an opportunity to be heard. The decision of the Supreme Court is that mandate shall issue in these cases.

There are many suits of a similar nature pending against the Secretary of the Interior, and after careful conferences between the Department and the Department of Justice it was decided that judgment should be allowed in all pending mandamus actions in which the relatives stand clearly in the

same position as Goldsby and Allison. Pursuant to these conferences and to the judgment which may be entered on account of the above decisions of the Supreme Court, you are hereby directed to cause the interlineations and notations which purport to strike any of the following names from the rolls of citizens of the respective nations of the Five Civilized Tribes:

PERSONS WHO HAD PRIOR TO THE GOLDSBY DECISION INSTITUTED SUITES THE PRINCIPLES BY WHICH ARE UNDOUBTEDLY SIMILAR TO THE OPINION OF THE SUPREME COURT IN THAT DECISION.

Strikeaway by Hand.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>NAME.</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Court.</u>
4984	Goldsby, John E.	248	U. S. D. C.
4985	Goldsby, Linniel E.	30033	E. C. D. C.
4986	Goldsby, Jessie	30032	E. C. D. C.
4987	Goldsby, Murray M.	30032	E. C. D. C.
4988	Vaughan, Edward A.	378	U. S. D. C.
4970	Vaughan, George G.	372	U. S. D. C.
4972	Vaughan, Oscar E.	372	U. S. D. C.

Strikeaway by Interlineation.

421	Alamo, John Quincy	30035	E. C. D. C.
418	Laconter, William T.	30035	E. C. D. C.
406	McGay, Gray	49568	E. C. D. C.
431	England, James E.	31025	E. C. D. C.
396	St. John, Thomas	30357	E. S. D. C.
405	Vaughan, Benjamin F.	373	U. S. D. C.

PHENIX BY BLOOD

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>Suit No.</u>	<u>Court</u>
15027	Adams, Wiley	50033	S. C. D. C.
16048	Autrey, Columbus B.	49722	S. C. D. C.
15040	Beaver, Gertrude	50033	S. C. D. C.
16041	Beaver, Clarence	50033	S. C. D. C.
16042	Beaver, Nellie	50033	S. C. D. C.
16043	Beaver, Myrtle	50033	S. C. D. C.
15917	Beagles, Nellie F.	50033	S. C. D. C.
15911	Crowder, Van	50033	S. C. D. C.
15910	Crowder, Willie	50033	S. C. D. C.
15909	Crowder, Melasool	50033	S. C. D. C.
15908	Crowder, Joe	50033	S. C. D. C.
15907	Crowder, Louisa	50033	S. C. D. C.
15906	Crowder, George E.	50033	S. C. D. C.
16060	Green, Today	49724	S. C. D. C.
16042	Green, Leura	49724	S. C. D. C.
16033	Howard, Thomas J.	50033	S. C. D. C.
16034	Howard, Herman	50033	S. C. D. C.
16035	Howard, Lennie	50033	S. C. D. C.
16036	Howard, Mary	50033	S. C. D. C.
16037	Howard, Elmer	50033	S. C. D. C.
16038	Howard, Nettie Percy	50033	S. C. D. C.
16039	Howard, Dora Lee	50033	S. C. D. C.
15451	James, (or Richardson) Maggie M.	50033	S. C. D. C.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Court.</u>
15452	James, Ellis B.	50033	S. C. D. C.
15453	James, Analsauris	50033	S. C. D. C.
15454	James, Eyalina	50033	S. C. D. C.
15961	James, Agnes	50033	S. C. D. C.
16396	Kirk, Gabrielle	50355	S. C. D. C.
16393	Kirk, Sarah	50355	S. C. D. C.
16953	Shelton, Emma	51240	S. C. D. C.
16962	Shelton, Frank	51240	S. C. D. C.
15645	Sumpster, John	50033	S. C. D. C.
15646	Sumpster, Amanda Isabella	50033	S. C. D. C.
16647	Sumpster, Jim Andy	50033 51240	S. C. D. C.
15548	Sumpster, Scott Taylor	50033 51240	S. C. D. C.
15649	Sumpster, Dixon D.	51240	S. C. D. C.
16912	Wright, Betsy	50033	S. C. D. C.
16913	Wright, Thomas E.	50033	S. C. D. C.
16914	Wright, Mary A.	50033	S. C. D. C.
16915	Wright, Leonard D.	50033	S. C. D. C.
<u>Children by Marriage.</u>			
1628	Allen, Andrew J.	50033	S. C. D. C.
1409	Arwood, Chester G.	50355	S. C. D. C.
1475	Keal, Andrew	50945	S. C. D. C.
1486	Bowling, Mary H.	51036 50033	S. C. D. C.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Court.</u>
1543	Carter, John W.	50534	S. C. D. C.
1464	Cummings, Henry A.	50033	S. C. D. C.
1524	Crowder, Paul G.	50033	S. C. D. C.
1327	Harris, Calvin G.	49723	S. C. D. C.
1573	Howard, Carrie	50033	S. C. D. C.
1399	Kirk, J. W.	50354	S. C. D. C.
290	Klugh, August	50033	S. C. D. C.
1027	Parkins, Mattie A.	50353	S. C. D. C.
1491	Reichert, William	51026	S. C. D. C.
1400	Rice, Andrew L.	374	S. C. D. C.
1423	Shultz, (or Shultz) Fannie	51026	S. C. D. C.
1495	Shelton, John	50946	S. C. D. C.
1489	Sumpter, Jacob D.	50033	S. C. D. C.
340	Travis, Robert A.	50748	S. C. D. C.
1403	White, Angelina	51026	S. C. D. C.
252	Woodward, Charles	49496	S. C. D. C.

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367	Barnett, Nettie	50033	S. C. D. C.
437	Beaver, Hansel Calvin	50033	S. C. D. C.
438	Beaver, Glad D.	50033	S. C. D. C.
409	Herbert, Howard	50033	S. C. D. C.
574	Crowder, Mattie Myrl	50033	S. C. D. C.
606	Brown, Lee	49724	S. C. D. C.
253	Wright, Fannie Jane	50933	S. C. D. C.

Overseers by Blood.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Court.</u>
51910	Allison, John	49434	S. C. D. C.
51960	Allison, Johnnie B.	49436	S. C. D. C.
51961	Allison, Frankie F.	49437	S. C. D. C.
51954	Allison, Ida B.	249	U. S. S. C.
51957	Allison, George A.	250	U. S. S. C.

A careful investigation of those names concerning which no suits were brought, but which, after being upon an approved roll of citizens or freedmen of any of the Five Civilized Tribes, were stricken therefrom without notice and an opportunity to be heard, has thus far developed a list of which undoubtedly falls within the principles expressed by the Supreme Court in the Goldsby decision. All these persons are in the same position as those named in the above list of those who had filed suits prior to that decision. It follows necessarily that, if suits were instituted in these cases, judgment must be entered in favor of the persons of the names on the above lists. For this reason I have decided that it would be improper to delay the correction of the rolls as far as these persons are concerned. Such delay would continue the rolls in an incorrect condition according to the opinion of the Supreme Court, would bring hardship and expense upon the citizens and freedmen involved, and would delay completion of the work of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

The corrections of the rolls in these cases does not add names to the rolls, but merely erases from the rolls interlinations and notations which the court says the Secretary of the Interior has no power to place there. For these reasons you are hereby directed to erase the interlinations and notations which purport to strike any of the following names from the rolls of citizens of the respective nations of the Five Civilized Tribes.

PERSONS WHO HAD NOT INSTITUTED SUITS PRIOR TO THE GOLDSBY DECISION BUT WHOSE CASES FALL INDUBITABLY UNDER THE PRINCIPLES OF THAT DECISION.

Chickasaw by Blood.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>
5013	Perry, Joe	5014	Perry, Dilard

Chickasaw by Marriage.

522	Archerd, John V.	529	Shanks, Mary A.
526	Harris, Sallie J.	514	Kennedy, Gustavus A.

Chickasaw by Blood.

15103	Allen, Elizabeth	15110	Gratchfield, Leontine
15112	Bungarner, George A.	15106	Gratchfield, Nyret
15925	Crowder, John A.	15111	Gratchfield, George W.
15924	Crowder, Fannie E.	15409	James, Alice E.
15923	Crowder, Eric E.	15972	Jennings, Arthur
15921	Crowder, Eli W.	15973	Jennings, Clyde
15922	Crowder, James	15916	Kelifer, Arville
15905	Crowder, Winnie		
	Bertrude	16003	Long, James H.
15904	Crowder, John T.	16004	Long, Joseph

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name</u>
15903	Crowder, William H.	14008	Long, Verbin
15902	Crowder, Ross	921	Long Josephine LaFlore
15901	Crowder, Maggie	922	Long, Jake Laflora
15900	Crowder, Abigail	9258	Fehworth, Henry
15899	Crowder, William J.	15908	Randall, Crower
16106	Crutchfield, Ida	16104	Ritter, David
16107	Crutchfield, Emma	15856	Robinson, Mary M.
16108	Crutchfield, Louvina	15951	Shalton, Daisy
16109	Crutchfield, William	15887	Trice, Mary A.

Orphans by Marriage

1486	Beagles, Allen	1414	McClure, Madell
1537	Buckholts, Jeannette E.	1616	McGahay, Martha J.
1559	Cheate, Amanda	1407	McMurtry, Lucy
1412	Crowder, Lydia Ann	1450	One, Julia
1523	Crowder, Josephine	1410	Foster, William D.
985	Foster, Mary A.	1408	Foster, William D.
1422	Froxy, Mattie	1499	Hodding, Ella
1499	Hann, William Newton	1478	Rignor, Ross E.
1512	Gray, John Calvin	1219	Roberts, George W.
1216	Gunter, Benjamin B.	1531	Robinson, Frederick A.
1490	Kelly, William F.	1593	Russell, Mattie E.
1476	Lewis, Vincy	1129	Smith, Ira L.
2155	Lindsay, Selena F.	1428	Staten, John T.

1408	Morryman, Sarah	608	Sutherland, Henry
1218	Mitchell, Virginia P.	1470	Tucker, William H.
1519	Mitchell, Mattie S.		
1416	Noran, Mary	1448	Vincent, Charlie S.

Minor Obsolete Citizens.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>
724	Breadrick, Jennie Louise	791	Keifer, Marann
4	Crowler, Rufus Clay	600	Long, Francis
790	Keifer, Gata A.		

Errors by Hand.

31958	Allison, Elmer C.	31959	Allison, Jasper F.
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In order that the action of erasures may be uniform for all names and upon rolls, you will make such erasures in the following manner: The lines drawn through and purporting to cancel the names from the rolls shall be lined out by drawing across them short traverse lines in red ink. The notations purporting to cancel the names from the rolls shall be lined out by drawing through each line of said notations red horizontal lines. In addition to lining out the interlineations and notations you will insert a note at the foot or side of each page containing any of these corrections, said note to be indicated by stars placed before the names involved. The note shall read as follows:

"Words and lines purporting cancellation erased by

authority of departmental letter of January 19, 1909,
(File 5-51)."

You will notify all persons, whose status on the rolls has been recognized as above, of the action taken, and that they have all the rights to allotment and payment enjoyed by other citizens, as though no attempt had ever been made to cancel their names from the rolls.

Except for the Allison named in above lists, I am not ready to give you a list of the Cherokees and Creeks whose status upon the rolls will be corrected under the principles of the Goldsby decision. Direction concerning them will follow within a week.

There are other names which were upon approved rolls and were erased or stricken therefrom by the Secretary of the Interior without notice. Some of these are already the subject of injunction or mandamus actions against the Secretary of the Interior, and in other cases such action has not been instituted. There are reasons which make it doubtful whether these persons fall indubitably under the principles of the Goldsby decision. Careful consideration of the matter will be given at once, and, according to the decision reached in each case, the persons involved will be left to such court action as they deem wise or will have the rolls corrected by departmental action in the manner indicated for the two lists set forth above.

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A sample page is enclosed, showing the method of erasure
to be followed by all officers in the correction of the rolls.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) James Rudolph Garfield,
Secretary.

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R-940

R-791

Muskogee, Oklahoma, February 11, 1909.

Mrs. Ardella Kiefer,
Now, Oklahoma.

Sir:

I am instructed by the Department of the Interior that the case of yourself and children, Odis A. and Eureka Kiefer, falls within the principles of the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of John E. Goldsby et al., seeking to have their names restored to the rolls of citizens of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, and that the notations striking your names from the roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation shall be erased and that you have all the rights to allotments and payments enjoyed by other citizens as if no attempt had ever been made to cancel your names from this roll.

Such instructions have been carried out by this office and you are now advised that the status of your names on the approved roll of citizens of the Choctaw Nation and of your allotment selections in said nation is the same as prior to March 4, 1907, when the Secretary of the Interior directed that your names be stricken from the roll.

Respectfully,

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Acting Commissioner.

Choc minor 789

Rebecca E. Cooper

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1906.

Robert Cooper,
Kinta, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Lucinda Cooper and Elsie Moore to the birth of Rebecca Elsie Cooper
January 31, 1906.

You are advised that under existing legislation there is
no provision for the enrollment of children born to citizens of
the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations subsequent to March 3, 1905.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

NEW BORN



IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Rebecca E. Coper

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

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Born Jan. 31, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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[Signature]
COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Rebecca E. Cooper, born on the 31st day of January, 1906
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Robert Cooper a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lucinda Cooper, formerly Belvin Choctaw a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice Skinta, I.G.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lucinda Cooper, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert Cooper, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 31st day of January, 1906 that said child has been named
Rebecca E. Cooper and was living March 4, 1906.
Lucinda Cooper

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of June, 1906.
M. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Emmett Johnson, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Lucinda Cooper, wife of Robert Cooper
on the 31st day of Jan'y, 1906 that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Rebecca E. Cooper Emmett Johnson M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of June, 1906.
M. Martin
Notary Public.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Rebecca Elsie Cooper

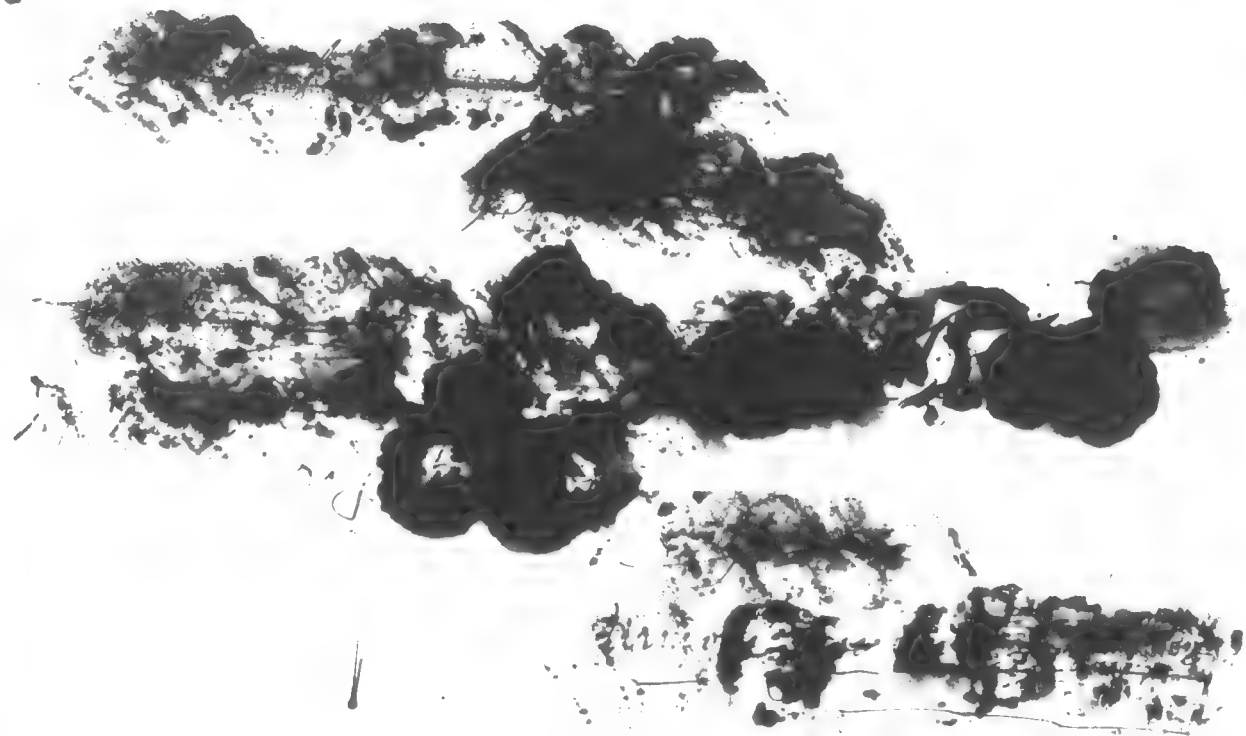
as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Rebecca Elsie Cooper, born on the 31 day of Jan, 1906
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Robert Cooper a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lucinda Cooper ^{Thomas Belvin} a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
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AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Lucinda Cooper ^{Thomas Belvin} as Lucinda Belvin, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert Cooper who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 31st day of January, 1906; that said child has been named
Rebecca Elsie Cooper, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Feb, 1906
Calvin H. Lewis
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Elsie Moore ^{Midwife} on oath state that I
attended at the birth of Rebecca Elsie Cooper with Robert Cooper
on the 31 day of January, 1906 that she was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child is now living and is said to have been named Rebecca Elsie Cooper
Elsie Moore

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of Feb, 1906
Calvin H. Lewis
Notary Public.

Choc minor 790

Minnie V. Davis

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New Born

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IN RE 72B 242

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Minnie V. Davis

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

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Commissioner.

Born March 4, 1905?

Act of Congress approved March 30, 1905.

Department of the Interior

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Minnie V Davis, born on the 4 day of March, 1905
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Alfred W. Davis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Magie Davis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Antioch Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Southern DISTRICT.

I, Magie Davis, on oath state that I am 22
years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Alfred W. Davis, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on the 4th day of March, 1905; that said child has been named
Minnie V Davis, is now living and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) G. L. Grisham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1905.

(seal)

G. L. Grisham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Southern DISTRICT.

I, Loula Guthrie, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Magie Davis, wife of Alfred W. Davis
on the 4th day of March, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child is now living and is said to have been named Minnie V Davis
was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) G. L. Grisham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1905.

(seal)

G. L. Grisham
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Minnie V Davis

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved **SEP 20 1906** 190...


Commissioner.

Born March 4, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Minnie V. Davis, born on the 4th day of March, 1906.
Name of Father: Alfred Davis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Maggie Davis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: By blood Tribal enrollment of mother: by marriage
Char. by laws of 10198, Choctaw Card # 3610 Apr. 23, 1906 569 Char. Card # 3610
Postoffice: Paducah Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Century District.

I, Maggie Davis do hereby swear that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Alfred Davis who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 4th day of March, 1906; that said child has been named
Minnie V. Davis, and was living March 4, 1906.
Maggie Davis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, 1906.

A. R. Coffey

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Century District.

I, Minnie Cariker do hereby swear that I
attended on Maggie Davis wife of Alfred Davis
on the 4th day of March, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Minnie
Davis.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, 1906.

A. R. Coffey

Notary Public.

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7-NB-242.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Minnie V. Davis as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

--: D E C I S I O N :--

It appears from the record in this case that on March 18, 1905 there was filed with the Commission application for the enrollment of Minnie V. Davis as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and the records of the Commission that the applicant was born on March 4, 1905 and is a daughter of Alfred Davis, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation whose name appears as number 10198 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior February 4, 1903, and Maggie Davis, a recognized and enrolled citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation whose name appears as number 869 upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior February 8, 1904.

The Act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212) among other things provides:

"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of children born subsequent to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and prior to March fourth, nineteen hundred and five, and who were living on said latter date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this act; and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

It is the opinion of this Commission that, inasmuch as the said Minnie V. Davis was not born prior to March 1905, the Commission is without authority to receive or consider the application for her enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that, therefore, the Commission should decline to receive or consider such application,

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under the provision of law above quoted and it is so ordered.
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,



Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 20, 1906.

C. C. Price,

Antioch, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Maggie Davis and Lula Guthrie to the birth of Minnie D. Davis infant daughter of Alfred Davis and Maggie Davis March 4, 1906, and the same have been filed with our records.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 27, 1905.

Alfred Davis,

Antioch, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of April 14, asking if the case of Minnie D. Davis has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that affidavits have been forwarded to the birth of Minnie V. Davis, daughter of Alfred W. and Maggie Davis, March 4, 1905, and the Commission has not yet passed upon the right of this child to enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You will be advised of such action as is taken in this case.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON, June 30, 1906.

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The Honorable

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose a report from the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated June 22, 1905, transmitting the record of the application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation of Mianie V. Davis.

June 22, 1905, the Commission decided adversely to the applicant.

The record shows that the applicant was born on March 4, 1905, and is a daughter of Alfred Davis whose name appears at No. 10198 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Department February 4, 1905, and Maggie Davis whose name appears at No. 566 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Department February 8, 1904.

In view of the record and of the fact that the applicant was not born prior to March 4, 1904, as required by the act of March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212) the approval of the Commission's decision adverse to the applicant is recommended.

Very respectfully,

G. F. Larrabee

Acting Commissioner

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 22, 1906.

Alfred Davis,

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Antiesh, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered June 22, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Minnie V. Davis, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Tamr Bixby

SIGNED

Chairman.

Regd. recd.

Incl. 7-ND-242

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 22, 1905.

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Hansfield, McMurray & Gornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of this Commission, rendered June 22, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Minnie V. Davis as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Bixby

Chairman.

Incl. 1-NB-242.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 22, 1908.

COPY.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is herewith transmitted the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Minnie V. Davis as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commission, dated June 22, 1908, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Bixby

Chairman.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON, August 1, 1905.

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J.P.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee Indian Territory.

Sir:

June 22, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes transmitted the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Minnie N. Davis as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including its decision of the same date, rejecting said application.

Reporting June 30, 1905, the Indian Office recommends that said decision be approved. A copy of its letter is inclosed.

The Department concurs in said recommendation, and the Commission's decision is hereby affirmed.

Respectfully,

Thos. Ryan

Acting Secretary.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 9, 1905.

Alfred Davis,

Antisak, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on August 1, 1905, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes of June 22, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Winnie V. Davis, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner

Chester W B 242

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 9, 1905.

Manfield, McMurray & Gernick,

Attorneys for the Cheatew and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on August 1, 1905, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes of June 22, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Minnie V. Davis, child of Alfred Davis, as a citizen by blood of the Cheatew Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner,

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 31, 1906.

Alfred Davis,

Caddo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 25, 1906, asking if Minnie V. Davis has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Minnie V. Davis is being placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress which is being prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when the enrollment of this child is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Choc minor 791

Caleb Cox

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 5, 1906.

Caleb Cox,

Poteau, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mary Cox and J. B. Wear to the birth of Caleb Cox, child of Caleb and Mary Cox, August 27, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
CENTRAL DISTRICT,

BEIT REMEMBERED THAT , on this 15th day of June A. D. 1906, before me L. J. Warner a notary public within and for the Central District of the Indian Territory duly commissioned and acting personally appeared Mary Cox to me well known and under oath made the following statement: My name is Mary Cox, I am the wife of Caleb Cox and I am the mother of Caleb Cox who was born on the 27th day of August 1905, and for whose enrollment as a member by blood of the Choctaw Tribe of Indians an application is pending before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes. My father 's name was Lyman Bohanan and he was a Choctaw by blood. He has been ^{dead} several years. I do not know exactly how long he has been dead. ~~My mother was also~~ My mother was also a member of the Choctaw tribe by blood and she has been dead for a number of years. Her name was Sarah Bohanan and she was sometimes called Celia Bohanan. I was enrolled by the name of Mary Bohanan, my enrollment taking place before my marriage. My roll number is Choctaw by Blood no. 7785. I have selected an allotment for which I have homestead certificate no. 6675, and allotment certificate no. 6576, both of the Choctaw Land office, and both dated December 3rd 1903. My husband Caleb Cox died March 25th 1905, hence I make this affidavit.

Mary Cox
Subscribed and sworn to before me at Poteau Indian Territory this 15th day of June A. D. 1906.

L. J. Warner
Notary Public.

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MINOR CHILD

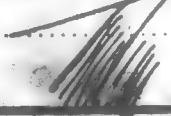
Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Calib Cox

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved. ~~SEP. 20 1906~~ 190...



Commissioner.

Born Aug. 27, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,

of Caleb Cox, born on the 27th day of August, 1905.

Name of Father: Caleb Cox a citizen of the United States Nation.

Name of Mother: Mary Cox a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw

Postoffice: Poteau Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Mary Cox, on oath state that I am 26

years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

that I am the lawful wife of Caleb Cox, who is a citizen, but

of the United States Nation; that a male child was

born to me on the 27th day of August, 1905; that said child has been named

Caleb Cox and was living March 4, 1906.

Mary Cox

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of May, 1906.

Muleton E. Rossier

Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, J. B. Wear, a physician, on oath state that I

attended on Mary Cox, wife of Caleb Cox

on the 27th day of August, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male

child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Caleb Cox

J. B. Wear, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of May, 1906.

Muleton E. Rossier

Notary Public

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Henry F. Moore

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

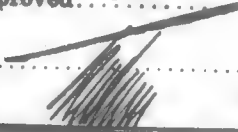
Henry A. Mann

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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Approved..... 190...



Commissioner.

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Born Jan. 19, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Henry A. Moore, born on the 19th day of January, 1906
[Here insert age of child]
 Name of Father: John H. Moore a citizen of the Non Citizen Nation
 Name of Mother: Louina E. Moore, nee nail a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Williams, Ala

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Louina E. Moore, on oath state that I am 74
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of John H. Moore, who is a citizen by
Non Citizen of the Non Citizen Nation; that a Male child was
[Male or Female]
 born to me on 19th day of January, 1906 that said child has been named
Henry A. Moore, and was living March 4, 1906.
Louina E. Moore

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1906.
W. H. Martin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Margaret J. Pounds midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Louina E. Moore, wife of John H. Moore
 on the 19th day of January, 1906, that there was born to her on said date a Male
[Male or Female]
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Henry A. Moore..... Margaret J. Pounds

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1906.
W. H. Martin
 Notary Public.

No. 1671

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD OF MARRIAGES.

United States of America, }
THE INDIAN TERRITORY. } SCT.
Central District.

I, E. J. Fannin Clerk
of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. John H. Moore and
Mrs. Louvia Hall was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
15 day of January
A. D. 1903, and duly recorded in Book 2
of Marriage Record, Page 218

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at
Poteau
this 15 day of January
A. D. 1903.

E. J. Fannin Clerk.
By G. A. Varner Deputy.

P. O. Cameron

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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INDIAN TERRITORY, CENTRAL DISTRICT,
AT POTEAU,
I hereby certify that the within is a
true and correct copy of the original.
E. J. Fannin Clerk,
By G. M. Bunker D. C.

No. 1671

...Marriage License...

United States of America, The Indian Territory,
Central District--ss.

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. John H. Moore of Cameron in the Indian Territory, aged 20 years, and Miss Louvinia Nail of Cameron in the Indian Territory, aged 21 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 7 day of January A. D. 1903.

E. J. Fannin
Clerk of the United States Court.

G. P. Varner Deputy.

[Issued at _____]

United States of America, }
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.
Central District. }

Certificate of Marriage.

I, J. E. Mc Gee do hereby certify, that on the 8 day of Jan A. D. 1903, I did, duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand, this the 8 day of Jan A. D. 1903

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District, Book 2, Page 152

J. E. Mc Gee
M. G.

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

Choc minor 793

Rebecca E. Halcomb

m 793



NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Rebecca E. Halcomb...

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved. **SEP 20 1906** 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

Born May 28, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE CIVIL SERVICE

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COMMISSIONER

CHOCTAW
N.B. 793

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Rebecca E. Walcott, born on the 28th day of May, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Louis Walcott a citizen of the U States Nation.
Name of Mother: Jane Walcott a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Jane Lane or Walcott
Postoffice: OAK Lodge Inda Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Jane Walcott on oath state that I am Nineteen
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Louis Walcott, who is a citizen, by
of the United States Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 28th day of May, 1905; that said child has been named
Rebecca E. Walcott and was living March 4, 1906.

Jane Walcott

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June, 1906.

J. H. Bowman
Notary Public.

My commission expires Mar. 3, 1910

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Rebecca Lane, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Jane Walcott, wife of Louis Walcott,
on the 28th day of May, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Rebecca E. Walcott.

Rebecca Lane
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June, 1906.

J. H. Bowman
Notary Public.

My commission expires Mar. 3, 1910

7-2689

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 9, 1906.

Jane Halcomb,

Oak Lodge, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Jane Halcomb and Rebecca Lanear to the birth of Rebecca E. Halcomb, child of Louis and Jane Halcomb, May 28, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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MINOR
CHOCTAW
ENROLLMENT

CICERO HENRY BERNARD

As Citizen of the
CHOCTAW NATION
Act of Congress
Approved April 26, 1906

DECISION RENDERED DEC 21 1906
DECLINE TO RECEIVE DEC 21 1906

Copy of Decision forwarded
Attorneys for Choctaw and
Chickasaw Nations. DEC 21 1906

COPY OF DECISION FORWARDED
APPLICANT DEC 21 1906

RECORD FORWARDED DEPARTMENT
DEC 21 1906

ACTION APPROVED BY
SECRETARY OF INTERIOR FEB 28 1907

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENTAL ACTION
FORWARDED ATTORNEYS FOR CHOCTAW
AND CHICKASAW NATIONS. APR 16 1907

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENTAL
ACTION MAILED APPLICANT APR 16 1907

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Choc minor 794

Cicero Henry Bernard

m 794

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Cidero Henry Bernard

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved..... **180**...

Commissioner.

Born ^{May} 18 1906

Act of Congress approved April 26 1906

Department of the Interior,
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

F I L E D Jul 10 1906

(Signed) Tams Bixby Commissioner.

CHOCTAW
N.B. 794

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Jun 23 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, of Cicero Henry Bernard, born on the 18 day of May 1906. Name of Father: Cicero E. Bernard a citizen of the US Nation. Name of Mother: H. Ellen Gertrude Bernard a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. Tribal enrollment of father: NO Tribal enrollment of mother: YES. Postoffice: Rusu Springs Ind Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, District.

I, Helen Gertrude Bernard (nee Sperling), on oath state that I am 17 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Cicero E. Bernard, who is a citizen, by of the US Nation; that a male child was born to me on the 18 day of May 1906 that said child has been named Cicero Henry Bernard.

(SEAL)

Helen Gertrude Sperling Bernard

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June 1906.

Stephen Brown Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, District.

I, P. J. Hampton, a Physician, on oath state that I attended on Mrs. Helen Gertrude Bernard (Sperling) Cicero E. Bernard on the 18 day of May 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Cicero Henry Bernard.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June 1906.

(SEAL)

Stephen Brown Notary Public

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D. Hall

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Cicero Henry Bernard as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

It appears from the record herein that on June 23, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Cicero Henry Bernard as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records of this office that the applicant Cicero Henry Bernard was born May 18, 1906, and is the Son of Helen Gertrude Sperling Bernard whose name appears as Gertie Sperling opposite number 379 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 12, 1902, and Cicero H. Bernard a non citizen white man.

Section 2 of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (Public No. 129), provides:

"That for ninety days after the approval hereof applications shall be received for enrollment of children who were minors living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the approval hereof."...

I am of the opinion that inasmuch as the applicant Cicero Henry Bernard was not living March 4, 1906, I am without authority to receive or consider the application for his enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that, therefore, I decline to receive or consider the same, under the provisions of the above Act and it is so ordered.


Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

DEC 21 1906

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 21, 1906

Cicero H. Bernard,
Rush Springs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered December 21, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Cicero Henry Bernard as citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Acting Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-794

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 21, 1906.

Mansfield, McMurray & Carnish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered December 21, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Cicero Henry Bernard as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

W. O. Beall
Acting Commissioner.

Incl. 23-794.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 21, 1906.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Cicero Henry Bernard as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated December 21, 1906, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Wm. C. Bell*
Acting Commissioner.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Incl. 25-794.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON.

February 28, 1907.

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LRS.
DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Chestaw citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed, viz:

Title of Case.	Date of year letter of transmittal.
Merrill and Elizabeth Jackson (Freedmen)	February 2, 1907.
Teddy Beon Brown	January 10, 1907.
Clarence R. Pickens,	January 9, 1907.
Dallas Edgar Betts,	November 28, 1906.
Bettie May Brimage,	November 28, 1906.
Cleore Henry Bernard,	December 21, 1906.
James Jackson,	November 8, 1906.
Charles M. Avery (Intermarried),	January 16, 1907.
Lucie Glaze,	January 9, 1907.
et al.,	January 26, 1907.
Willie V. and Daniel G. McVicker,	January 10, 1907.
Ernest L. Verthy, et al.,	December 1, 1906.
Frank Vise, et al.,	January 30, 1907.
Hatty Dell Louise McCarty,	January 16, 1907.
Willis Edmond Hagreaves,	January 23, 1907.
Jack Fulton,	December 21, 1906.
Larence Sheals, (freedman)	February 9, 1907.

Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be approved, are inclosed.

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A copy hereof and all the papers in the above-mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Jesse H. Wilson,

Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
WASHINGTON

February 23, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Cicere Henry Bernard as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated December 21, 1906, adverse to the applicant.

The record shows that on June 25, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Cicere Henry Bernard as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. The record further shows that Cicere Henry Bernard was born May 18, 1906, and is the son of Helen Gertrude Bernard, nee Sperling, whose name appears on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Cicere E. Bernard, a non-citizen.

Inasmuch as the applicant was not living on March 4, 1906, the Office concurs in the decision of Commissioner Dixby denying the enrollment of Cicere Henry Bernard as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat. B., 137).

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larambee,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 16, 1907.

Cicero E. Bernard,

Rush Springs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on February 28, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of December 21, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Cicero Henry Bernard as citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-794

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 16, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on February 28, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of December 21, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Sicero Henry Bernard as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

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COPY.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

February 23, 1907.

WASHINGTON.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Cicero Henry Bernard as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated December 21, 1906, adverse to the applicant.

The record shows that on June 23, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Cicero Henry Bernard as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. The record further shows that Cicero Henry Bernard was born May 18, 1906, and is the son of Helen Gertrude Bernard, nee Sperling, whose name appears on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Cicero E. Bernard, a non-citizen.

Inasmuch as the applicant was not living on March 4, 1906, the Office concurs in the decision of Commissioner Bixby denying the enrollment of Cicero Henry Bernard as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat. L., 137).

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

KEM-D

Choc minor 795

Rhoda Beulah Pitchlynn

m 795

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Phoda Beulah Pitchlynor

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 1906

 Commissioner.

Born Feb. 5, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

JUL 10 1906

[Signature] Commissioner

CHOCTAW

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JUN 25 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Rhoda Beatilah Pitchlynn, born on the 5 day of February, 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: William B. Pitchlynn a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
Name of Mother: Minnie E. Pitchlynn a citizen of the U.S. Nation
Tribal enrollment of father Choctaw Card # 14441 Tribal enrollment of mother None
Choctaw Card # 4597 Postoffice So. McAlester, Okla.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Minnie E. Pitchlynn on oath state that I am 21
years of age and a citizen by U.S. of the U.S. Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William B. Pitchlynn, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born me on 5 day of February, 1906; that said child has been named
Rhoda Beatilah Pitchlynn, and was living March 4, 1906, is unmarried
Minnie E. Pitchlynn

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. C. Lloyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1906.
My commission expires January 4, 1908. B. E. John
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

M. C. Wilson a physician on oath state that I
attended on Minnie E. Pitchlynn wife of William B. Pitchlynn
on the 5 day of February, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Rhoda Beatilah Pitchlynn. M. C. Wilson M.D.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. C. Lloyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1906.
My commission expires January 4, 1908. B. E. John
Notary Public.

No. 3828

MARRIAGE LICENSE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,
CENTRAL DISTRICT, SS

TO ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE,
GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. W. B. Pitchlynn of So. McAlester in the Indian Territory, aged 21 years, and Miss Mannie E. Wilson of So. McAlester, in the Indian Territory, aged 18 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 19 day of Oct.

A. D. 1903.

(SEAL)

E. J. Fanning

Clerk of the United States Court.

W. C. Donnelly, Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss
CENTRAL DISTRICT.)

I, W. J. Pinkerton a Minister of the Gospel do hereby certify, that on the 25th day of Oct. A. D. 1903, I did, duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this 25th day of Oct. A. D. 1903.

W. J. Pinkerton,

a Minister of the Gospel.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District, Book B, Page 30.

Note-This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

No. 3826.

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD OF MARRIAGES.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,) not
CENTRAL DISTRICT.)

I, E. J. Fannin, Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of Mr. W. B. Pitchlynn and Miss Mannie E. Wilson was filed in my office in said Territory and District the 31 day of Oct. A. D. 1903, and duly recorded in Book 10 of Marriage Record, Page 617.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, at So. McAlester, this 20 day of March A. D. 1905.

E. J. Fannin,

(SEAL)

Clerk.

By W. C. Kennelly, Deputy.

Department of the Interior,
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes

FILED

Mar. 20, 1905.

Sam Bixby,

Chairman.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage license and certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

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Ruby may sorrels

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NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 1908

Ruby Mary Jones

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved *Sept 2 1911* 190

Commissioner.

Born Oct. 30 1898
ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 1908

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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NAME OF FATHER

NAME OF MOTHER

DATE OF BIRTH

PLACE OF BIRTH

DATE OF ENROLLMENT

NAME OF TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Ruby May Sorrels, born on the 30 day of October, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Alex Sorrels a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Ida Sorrels nee Pitchlynn a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: No Claim Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw by blood # 14443
in Choctaw band # 4597
Postoffice: McAlester

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Ida Sorrels nee Pitchlynn, on oath state that I am 21
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Alex Sorrels, who is a citizen, by
of the U. S. Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 30 day of October, 1905; that said child has been named
Ruby May Sorrels, and was living March 4, 1906. in my presence
Ida Sorrels

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Ob Lloyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of July, 1906.
Commission expires May 11 1908
M. J. Weimer
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Hannah Bell, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Ida Sorrels, wife of Alex Sorrels
on the 30 day of October, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Ruby May Sorrels Hannah Bell

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Ob Lloyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of July, 1906.
Commission expires May 11 1908
M. J. Weimer
Notary Public.

25-796

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 2, 1906.

Alex Sorrels,

McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 22, 1906, in which you ask if you can make selection of land for your child Ruby May Sorrels and hold the land until her enrollment is approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Ruby May Sorrels has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior. You will be notified when her enrollment is approved by

You are advised, however, that no reservation of land can be made for children for whom application was made under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, until their enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 797

ETTIE VICTORIA DILLARD

m 797

7-268

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 6, 1906.

Lee Hamilton Dillard,

Keller, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Ettie May Dillard and Mollie L. Round to the birth of Ettie Victoria Dillard, child of Lee Hamilton and Ettie May Dillard, May 4, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

You are requested to forward evidence of your divorce from your former wife, Alpha Vitoria Dillard, or if she is dead, proof of death; also evidence of your marriage to Ettie May Dillard, to be used in the matter of the enrollment of Ettie Victoria Dillard.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-797

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 23, 1906.

Lee Hamilton Dillard,

Keller, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the decree of divorce of Lee Dillard and Uriah Dillard, February 13, 1904, and the marriage certificate of Lee Dillard and Miss Wita Wizing, April 13, 1904, and the same have been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of Nettie Victoria Dillard.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-797

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 28, 1906.

Lee Hamilton Dillard,
Keller, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Ettie Victoria Dillard, you are advised that the affidavits to the birth of this child gives your name as Lee Hamilton Dillard and the name of the mother of this child as Ettie May Dillard while in the evidence of marriage offered in support of this application your name appears as Lee Dillard and your wife's name as Etta Fleming.

It will therefore be necessary that you forward an affidavit stating that Lee Hamilton and Etta Fleming, whose names appear in the evidence of marriage are the identical persons whose names appear in the affidavits to the birth of this child as Lee Hamilton Dillard and Ettie May Dillard. This matter should receive immediate attention in order that early disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of your child Ettie Victoria Dillard.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-797

Muskegee, Indian Territory, May 8, 1907.

Mrs. Etta Dillard,

Balsentz, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 3, 1907, asking if Ettie Victoria Dillard has been enrolled; you state that her father left home over a year ago and you do not know where he is and you request to be informed which is the proper one to see about her allotment, yourself or the child's grandfather.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of Ettie Victoria Dillard as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

You are further advised that in the absence of the citizen parent it will be necessary that a guardian be appointed for the child by the United States Court in Indian Territory, for the purpose of selecting her allotment.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-D-780.

Department of the Interior.
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.
Muskegee, Indian Territory, August 29, 1902.

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In the matter of the application of Alpha Vituria Dilliard for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

Applicant not represented by attorney.

Alpha Vituria Dilliard being first duly sworn, upon her oath testifies as follows:

Examination by the Commission.

- Q What is your name? A My given name?
- Q Your full name. A Alpha Vituria Dilliard. A-l-p-h-a V-i-t-u-r-i-a D-i-l-l-i-a-r-d.
- Q What is your age? A I'll be nineteen the first day of December.
- Q What is your post office address? A Baum, Indian Territory.
- Q Is Baum in the Choctaw Nation? A No sir, it's in the Chickasaw Nation.
- Q How long have you been a resident of the Chickasaw Nation? A I have been raised there.
- Q Lived there all your life? A Yes sir.
- Q What is the name of your father? A Dabney Barnes.
- Q Is he a white man? A Yes sir, this is my father.
- Q Is he a citizen of the United States? A Yes sir.
- Q What is the name of your mother? A Nellie Barnes.
- Q Martha? A Nellie.
- Q Maudie? A Nellie.
- Q Is she living? A No sir, she's dead.
- Q Was she a white woman? A Yes sir.
- Q Are you now applying for enrollment as an intermarried citizen of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes sir.
- Q What is the name of your Choctaw husband? A My Choctaw husband?
- Q Yes, full name? A Lee Hamilton Dilliard.

Alpha Vituria Dilliard, 2.

- Q Is he a recognized and enrolled citizen of the Choctaw Nation?
A Yes sir.

The name of the applicant's husband, Lee Hamilton Dillard, is identified on the records of the Commission on Choctaw roll card, field No. 268, having been listed for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes upon his identification upon the 1898 Choctaw census roll of Choctaws residing in the Chickasaw District, No. 3644. His name appears upon said roll as Lee Hamilton Dillard.

- Q When were you married to your Choctaw husband? A 10th of February a year ago.
Q February 10, 1901? A Yes sir.
Q Were you married in accordance with the Chickasaw law? A No sir.
Q Did you obtain a marriage license from the United States District Court? A Yes sir.
Q Have you that license with you? A Yes sir.

There is offered in evidence, marked "Exhibit A" and made a part of the record in this case a certified copy of the marriage license of Lee Dilliard and Urie Barnes, issued by the Clerk of the United States Court for the Southern District of Indian Territory, to which license is attached the certificate of J. W. Tennison to the effect that he married said parties on February 10, 1901. Said marriage license and certificate being on file in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court for the Southern District of Indian Territory, in Book "K", page 318.

- Q Are you the identical party referred to in this marriage license as Urie Barnes, B-a-r-n-e-s? A Yes sir.
Q Were you ever married before your marriage to your present husband? A No sir.
Q Was your husband, Lee Dilliard ever married before his marriage to you? A No sir.
Q Was there any legal obstacle in the way of your marriage at the time of its celebration?
Q Have you lived together as husband and wife since your marriage?
A Sir?
Q Have you lived together as husband and wife since this marriage?
A Till May.
Q Until May? A Yes sir.
Q Has there been a separation since that time? A Yes sir.
Q Has there been any divorce? A No sir.
Q Did you leave your husband in May? A Yes sir.
Q What was the cause of this separation? A Well, he went off and left me when I was looking to be sick, and he left before that, though and then he come back, and then he left me when I was looking to be sick.

Alpha Vituria Dilliard, 2.

- Q Did he leave you or did you leave him? A I left him.
Q Is that the only cause of your separation? A Yes sir.
Q His treatment of you? A Yes sir.
Q Did he abuse you? A No sir, he didn't abuse me in any way only going off and leaving me when I was looking to be sick and was gone away from home all the time.
Q I want to get the facts now, in regard to your separation? A That's all I know. I left him because he left me at night.
Q He never abused you or mistreated you? A No way only that.
Q Only by leaving you? A Yes sir, and playing cards.
Q Has your husband ever tried to get you to return to him? A No sir.
Q There has never been any divorce proceedings brought by either one of the parties? A Not by him that I know of. I know the havn't.
Q You are simply not living together at the present time? A No sir, we ain't living together.
Q Is his residence in the Chickasaw Nation? A Yes sir.
Q At the same place that your residence is? A No sir, its at Keller, Indian Territory.
Q Have you any children by your husband? A This one.
Q What is the child's name? A Walter.
Q Walter? A Yes sir.
Q That is the full name? A Yes sir, that's the full name.
Q When was this child born? A 27th day of July.
Q This year? A Yes sir.

Hal Belford, being first duly sworn, upon his oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full all the proceedings in the above entitled cause on August 29, 1902, and that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of the stenographic notes in said cause on the said day of August, 1902.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of August, 1902.

Hal Belford
H. Renter

Notary Public.

Chickasaw Nation,

Indian Territory.

On this day personally appeared before me J. H. Dillard of Keller, Chickasaw Nation, Indian Territory, being by me first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am the father of Lee Hamilton Dillard, and know that Lee Dillard and Etta Flemming are man and wife, and that they are the same persons mentioned in affidavits of birth of their minor child Etta Victoria Dillard.

J. H. Dillard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 5th day of December, 1906.

J. H. Brown
Notary Public.

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On this 18 day of July 1906
Personally appeared before me
a Notary Public for the within
District and Territory
Wm Keith who being duly
sworn by me states upon
oath that on the 15 day of April
1904 he the said Wm Keith
sit at his house in Antlers
T.T. solemnize the marriage
ceremony between on the
Lee Dillard, and Miss
Etta Fleming
Wm Keith -

Sworn to and subscribed
before me on this 18. day of
July. 1906.
C. G. Walker,
Notary Public

DECREE OF DIVORCE.

Lee Dillard
vs.
Uriah Dillard
Plaintiff, }
Defendant. } No. 5711

Now on this 13th day of Feby. 1904, this cause comes on to be heard upon the report of the Master in Chancery, filed herein which said report is by the Court confirmed and approved, and exhibits filed therewith; and the plaintiff appeared by his attorney,

H.H. Brown, and it appearing that the defendant had been legally summoned and failed to appear and make answer; and it appearing from said Master's report that the allegations in the plaintiff's complaint are true, and the Court being fully advised in the premises:

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the Bonds of Matrimony existing between the Plaintiff and the Defendant be, and the same are hereby, set aside and held for naught.

It is further ordered

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss:
SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

I, C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk of the United States Court for the Southern District of the Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original decree as appears from the records of this Court.

Witness my hand and seal of office, at Ardmore, this the 25 day of July 1906

C. M. Campbell
Clerk U. S. Court, Southern District, Indian Territory.

By W.S. Cuckett
Deputy Clerk.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Ettie Victoria Dillard

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved *FEB 20 1907* 190...

Commissioner.

Born May 4, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... *Choctaw* Nation,
of *Ettie Victoria Dillard* born on the *4* day of *May*, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: *Lee Hamilton Dillard* a citizen of the... *Choctaw* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Ettie May Dillard* a citizen of the... *U.S.* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father... *Choctaw* Tribal enrollment of mother...
Postoffice... *Keller, S. I.*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.
I, *Ettie May Dillard*, on oath state that I am *17*
years of age and a citizen by... of the... Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of *Lee Hamilton Dillard*, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the... *Choctaw* Nation; that a *female* child was
born to me on... *4* day of *May*, 1905; that said child has been named
Ettie Victoria Dillard and was living March 4, 1906.
Ettie May Dillard

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this... *22* day of *June*, 1906.
A. B. Davis
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.
I, *Mollie L. Rownds*, on oath state that I
was present + assisted Dr. A. M. Davis on May 4-1906 when
attended on Ettie Victoria Dillard, wife of *Lee Hamilton Dillard*
on the... *4* day of *May*, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a *female*
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *Ettie Victoria*
Dillard
Mollie L. Rownds

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this... *22* day of *June*, 1906.
A. B. Davis
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Minnie Carney.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved... **NOV. 28 1906**..... 190...

~~Signature~~.....
Commissioner.

Born Feb. 6, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Minnie Barney, born on the 6 day of February, 1906.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Aaron Barney a citizen of the Chickasaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Nellie Barney a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Clas. by Head #13079
Clas. Land # 4735 as Nellie Barney
Postoffice: Alderson

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Nellie Barney, of age 35 years,
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Aaron Barney, who is a citizen, by
Chickasaw of the Chickasaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 6th day of February, 1906; that said child has been named
Minnie Barney, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Ida Brown
Henry Ward
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of June, 1906.
John Jolley
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Rosa Nail, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Nellie Barney, wife of Aaron Barney,
on the 6 day of February, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Minnie Barney.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of June, 1906.
John Jolley
Notary Public.

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James Sexton

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

James Sexton

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

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Commissioner.

Born April 3, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of James Sexton [Here insert name of child] born on the 3 day of April 1905
Name of Father: Sam Sexton a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
Name of Mother: Isabella Sexton nee McKinney a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
Tribal enrollment of father: Chas. Friedman (Tribal enrollment of mother: Chas. H. Wood # 13023
Postoffice: Heatherton, D. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Isabella Sexton nee McKinney, on oath state that I am 22
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Samuel Sexton, who is a citizen, by
Choctaw of the Friedman Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 3 day of April, 1905; that said child has been named
James Sexton, and was living March 4, 1906. is not present
Isabella Sexton

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of January, 1906.
James Graham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Easter Lewis, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Isabella (McKinney) Sexton, wife of Samuel Sexton
on the 3 day of April, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
James Sexton Easter by Lewis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of January, 1906.
James Graham
Notary Public.

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M Caril Morrison

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

Approved SEP 20 1906 190

 Commissioner.

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Born Oct. 25, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Cearil Morrison, born on the 25th day of October 1905

Name of Father: Hannibal E. Morrison a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Name of Mother: Edna Pickens a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: _____

Postoffice: { Mother: Sans Bois, Ia.
Father: Canadian, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Edna Pickens, on oath state that I am 22
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;

that I am the lawful wife of Hannibal E. Morrison, who is a citizen, by
not blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female)

born to me on 25th day of October, 1905; that said child has been named
Cearil Morrison, and was living March 4, 1906, that said Hannibal E. Morrison,
Morrison, to whom I was never married, is the father of said child.
Edna Pickens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of June, 1906.
W. M. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Western District. }

I, Nancy Holt Midwife, on oath state that I

attended Edna Pickens wife of _____
on the 25th day of Oct 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male

child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Cearil Morrison

Cearil Morrison Nancy Holt
Holt

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { Dr. D. B. Lewis
Rev. Vance

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of June, 1906.
Myron D. Cox Joseph E. Mason
Notary Public.

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Catherine Folsom Scott

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

Catherine Folsom Scott

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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~~Commissioner.~~

7-5405

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Born May 7, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Catherine Folsom Scott, born on the 7th day of May 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: George W. Scott a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Alice Scott a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Roll #13709 Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw #8342.
Postoffice: Kinta, Indian Territory.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Western District. }

I, Alice Scott, on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of George W. Scott, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 7th day of May 1905; that said child has been named
Catherine Folsom Scott and was living March 4, 1906.

Alice Scott

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June 1905.

My Commission Expires Feb. 22, 1909

[Signature]
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Western District. }

I, E. Johnson, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Alice Scott, wife of George W. Scott,
on the 7th day of May 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Catherine Folsom Scott.

E. Johnson M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June 1905.

My Commission Expires Feb. 22, 1909

[Signature]
Notary Public

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Cora B. McMurtrey

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 6, 1906.

Joseph B. McMurtry,
Hartsheerne, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Minnie L. McMurtry and R. I. Bend M. D., to the birth of Cora B. McMurtry child of Joseph B. and Minnie L. McMurtry, October 31, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-802

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Joseph B. McMurtrey,
Hartshorn, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, Cora B. McMurtrey as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward evidence of your marriage to Minnie E. McMurtrey, the mother of said child.

Please give this matter immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-802

Muskegee, Indian Territory, January 12, 1907.

Joseph B. McMurtrey,

Hartsheerne, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit stating that your wife Minnie L. McMurtrey is the mother of your child Cora B. McMurtrey, and the same has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Certificate of Marriage.

This is to Certify that J. B. McMurtry of Hartshorne,
I. T. and Miss M. L. Barnes of Hartshorne, I. T. have been by me
joined together in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony. This 14th day of
September 1908:

Witness John Barnes,

(Signed) Frank Battles,
County Judge Gaines
County O. N.

Filed in the Clerk's
Office
Dec. 20, 1902.
Page 66,
Easton Nelson.
Clerk of Gaines County, C. N.

AFFIDAVIT.

I, J. B. McMurtry, do solemnly swear that the above Certifi-
cate of Marriage is a true copy of the one which I hold and is
signed by Frank Battles, County Judge, of Gaines County, O. N.
and filed in the Clerk's Office by Easton Nelson.

J. B. McMurtry,

Sworn and Subscribed before me this the 29th day of April 1908.

Samuel A. Haysby,
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
F I L E D

My Commission expires
May 2d 1908.

May 1, 1905.

(SEAL)

Tams Dixby,
Chairman.

Ellen Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and fore-
going is a true and correct copy of the marriage certificate now on
file with the records of this office.

Ellen Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of March 1908.

John L. Tidwell
Notary Public

Requested to refer to 23-802.

Joseph B. McMurtrey first being duly sworn deposes and says:

That he was legally married to ~~Sarah~~ Minnie L. McMurtrey, the mother of Cera B. McMurtrey, on the ~~12th~~ 14th day of September 1902, by Frank Battles, County Judge, Gaines County Choctaw Nation and that in the application ~~and~~ for enrollment of Thomas Walter McMurtrey an older child borned to the affiant and Minnie L. McMurtrey, that affiant filed therewith a duplicate copy of his marriage ^{certificate} to Minnie L. McMurtrey.

This affidavit is made in support of the application for enrollment of Cera B. McMurtrey, a child borned to the affiant and Minnie L. McMurtrey, his wife and now on file with the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Joseph B. McMurtrey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 13th day of Dec. 1906.

Robert W. Hagan

Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Cora B. McMurtry.....

as a citizen of
CHOCTAW

..... Nation.

Approved... *JAN 15 1907* 190...

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Commissioner.

Born Oct. 31, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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COMMISSIONER.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Gora B Mc Murtry born on the 31 day of October 1905.
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Joseph B Mc Murtry a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Minnie L. Mc Murtry nee Manning a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw No. 341 Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
 Postoffice: Hartshorne Ind Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Minnie L. Mc Murtry on oath state that I am 19 years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Joseph B Mc Murtry who is a citizen, by Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was born to me on 31 day of October 1905; that said child has been named Gora B Mc Murtry and was living March 4, 1906.

Minnie L. Mc Murtry

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1906.

My Commission Expires
MAY 2D 1908;

Samuel A. Maysey
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, R. D. Bond M.D. a Physician on oath state that I attended on Minnie L. Mc Murtry wife of Joseph B. Mc Murtry on the 31 day of October 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named _____

Gora B. Mc Murtry R. D. Bond M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1906.

My Commission Expires
MAY 2D 1908;

Samuel A. Maysey
Notary Public.

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Edward Brinkley

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M. *Edward Brinkley*

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

Approved *SEP 20 1906* 190

~~_____~~
Commissioner.

Born June 5, 1905 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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COMMISSIONER

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Edward Brinkley, born on the 5th day of June, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Robert B Brinkley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Carrie Brinkley a citizen of the United States Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: By Blood Tribal enrollment of mother: by Inter-Marriage
Postoffice: Lewis, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Carrie Brinkley, on oath state that I am 37
years of age and a citizen by Inter-marriage of the United States Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert B. Brinkley, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 5th day of June, 1905; that said child has been named
Edward Brinkley, and was living March 4, 1906.

Carrie Brinkley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of June, 1906.

Charles S. Lewis

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, J. R. Stierwig, Doctor, on oath state that I
attended on Carrie Brinkley wife of Robert B. Brinkley
on the 5th day of June, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Edward Brinkley.

J. R. Stierwig

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1906.

Charles S. Lewis

Notary Public.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

NO. 77B

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss.
CENTRAL DISTRICT,)

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage--Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Bans of Matrimony between Mr. R. B. Brinkley of Atoka, in the Indian Territory, aged 22 years, and Mrs. Carrie Moody of Atoka, in the Indian Territory, aged 26 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 9th day of July A. D. 1900.

E. J. Fannin,
Clerk of the United States
Court.

(SEAL)
Don J. Folsom,
Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
INDIAN TERRITORY,) ss. I, J. S. Murrow a Minister of
CENTRAL DISTRICT.) the Gospel do hereby CERTIFY that
on the Ninth day of July A. D. 1900 I did duly and according to
law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and
publish the Bans of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this Ninth day of July A. D. 1900.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of
the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District,

Book A. Page 47.

Joseph S. Murrow,
a Clergyman.

10 cent Revenue Stamp

Note-This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the Office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

No. 778.

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD OF MARRIAGES.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.)
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,) act.
CENTRAL DISTRICT.)

I, E. J. Fannin, Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of Mr. R.B. Brinkley and Mrs. Carrie Moody was filed in my office in said Territory and District the 15 day of Aug. A. D. 1900 and duly recorded in Book One of Marriage Record, Page 389.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, at Atoka this 15 day of Aug. A. D. 1900.

E. J. Fannin,
Clerk.

By Don J. Folsom, Deputy.

Department of the Interior,
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

FILED
Aug. 19, 1905.
Tams Bixby,

Commissioner.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage license and certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March 1906.

John E. Tidwell

Notary Public.

7-4443

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 9, 1906.

Robert B. Brinkley,
Lewis, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Carrie Brinkley and J. R. Stiewig to the birth of Edward Brinkley, child of Robert B. and Carrie Brinkley, June 5, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 804

James Clayton Bench

m804

7-1308

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 9, 1906.

John Bench,
Lula, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mary M. Bench and Minnie L. Allen to the birth of James Clayton Bench, child of John and Mary M. Bench, March 1, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It will be necessary that you forward to this office, in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, James Clayton Bench, evidence of your marriage to Mary M. Bench.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-804.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 25, 1906.

John Bench,

Iula, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 13, 1906, transmitting marriage license and certificate between John Bench and Mary M. Swaffee, and the same have been filed in the matter of enrollment of your child, James Clayton Bench.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

James Clayton Bench

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

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Commissioner.

From March 1, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of James Clayton Bench [Here insert name of child] born on the 1st day of March, 1906
Name of Father: John Bench a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary M. Bench a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Lula, Choctaw n. Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Mary M. Bench on oath state that I am eighteen
years of age and a citizen by marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John Bench, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on first day of March, 1906; that said child has been named
James Clayton Bench and was living March 4, 1906.
Mary M. Bench

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1906.
B. D. Fry
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Minnie L. Allen, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Mary M. Bench wife of John Bench
on the first day of March, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named James
Clayton Bench.
Minnie L. Allen

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1906.
B. D. Fry
Notary Public.

No. 2575

Certificate of Record of Marriages.

United States of America,)
The Indian Territory.) SCT.
Curt District.

I, E. J. Fannin, Clerk
of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. John Bench and
Mrs. May M. Suoff was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
3 day of July
A. D. 1905, and duly recorded in Book 3
of Marriage Record, Page 70

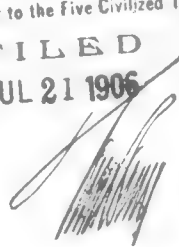
WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at
Atoka
this 3 day of July
A. D. 1905

E. J. Fannin, Clerk.
By J. Cotton Deputy.

P. O.

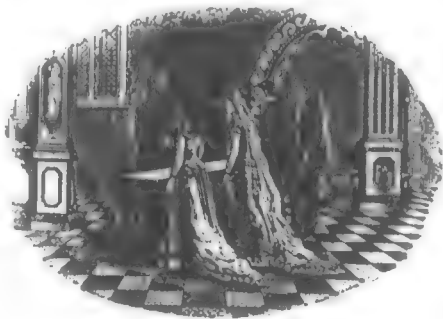
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

FILED
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Commissioner.

No. 2575

MARRIAGE LICENSE.



United States of America,

The Indian Territory,
Central DISTRICT, SS.

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. John Rensch of Owle in the Indian Territory, aged 25 years, and Miss Mary M. Swaffor of Lehigh in the Indian Territory, aged 17 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 3 day

of July A. D. 1905

E. J. Tanner
Clerk of the United States Court.

J. S. Collier Deputy.

United States of America, }
The Indian Territory, } SS.
Central District. }

Certificate of Marriage.

I, James S. Collier a Minister do hereby certify, that on the 3 day of July A. D. 1905, I did, duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand, this 3 day of July A. D. 1905

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District, Book B, Page 112

James S. Collier
a Minister

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

Choc minor 805

William Ray Anderson

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7-1901

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 11, 1906.

Jincoy Anderson,
Ti, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Jencoy Anderson and Sallie McKintubby to the birth of William Ray Anderson, child of Charles and Jincoy Anderson, November 22, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

There is inclosed herewith a partially filled application which please have signed as the names appear in the body of the affidavits, returning same to this office as early as practicable.

Respectfully,

Comptroller.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 30, 1906.

Charles Anderson,
 Ti, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits
 of Jincey Anderson and Sallie McKintubby to the birth of William
 Ray Anderson, child of Charles and Jincey Anderson, November 22,
 1905, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enroll-
 ment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

William Ray Anderson

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

Born Nov. 22, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of William Ray (Here insert name of child.) born on the 22 day of Nov, 1905
Name of Father: Charles Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jincey Blair a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Pi IA

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }
I, Jincey Blair, on oath state that I am 20
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Chas. Anderson, who is a citizen, by
Blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a Boy child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 22nd day of November, 1905, that said child has been named
William Ray, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARRIAGE: Jincey X Anderson
mark
(Must be Two Witnesses.) { H. Hancock
Gilbert James
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1906.
G. S. Jennings
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
DISTRICT. }
I, Sallie McKinstry, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Anderson, wife of Chas. Anderson,
on the 22nd day of Nov, 1905, that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named William Ray.

WITNESSES TO MARRIAGE: Sallie McKinstry
(Must be Two Witnesses.) { H. Hancock
Gilbert James
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1906.
G. S. Jennings
Notary Public.

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

William Ray Anderson

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

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Commissioner

Born Nov. 22, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of William Ray Anderson, born on the 22 day of Nov, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Charles Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Jinney Anderson (Clay) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: 5434 Tribal enrollment of mother: 5342
 Postoffice: Si, Ind. Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Jinney Anderson, on oath state that I am 20
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Charles Anderson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 22 day of November, 1905; that said child has been named
William Ray Anderson and was living March 4, 1906.

Jinney Anderson
her
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Ellis Simpson
J. H. Barnes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of July, 1906.
My Com. Expires Dec. 29-1910 P. W. Hudson
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Sallie Mc Kintubby, a mid wife, on oath state that I
 attended on Jinney Anderson, wife of Charles Anderson
 on the 22 day of Nov, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named William Ray
Anderson.

Sallie Mc Kintubby

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of July, 1906.
My Com. Expires Dec. 29-1910 P. W. Hudson
 Notary Public.

Choc minor 806

Mary Margaret Overstreet

M 806

7-3693.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 10, 1906.

William Newton Overstreet,
Mail, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of Addie A. Overstreet and R. P. Dickey, to the birth of Mary Margaret Overstreet, child of William Newton and Addie A. Overstreet, August 20, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Mary Margaret Overstreet*
citizen of
CHOCTAW

Nation

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Approved

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Commissioner.

Born Aug. 20, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF NEGROES. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 24, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Mary Margaret Overstreet born on the 20 day of August, 1905.
Name of Father: William Newton Overstreet a citizen of the U.S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Addie A Overstreet McMoran a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: none Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw 10451
Postoffice: Nail 27

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Addie A Overstreet, on oath state that I am 20
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William Newton Overstreet, who is a citizen, by
U.S. of the U.S. Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 20 day of August, 1905; that said child has been named
Mary Margaret Overstreet, and was living March 4, 1906.

Addie A Overstreet

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of July, 1906.
J. E. Reader
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, R. P. Dickey, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs Addie A. Overstreet wife of William Newton Overstreet
on the 20 day of August, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Mary Margaret Overstreet

R. P. Dickey

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June, 1906.
J. E. Reader
Notary Public.

Choc minor 807

Rosie Finley

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7-3310.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 10, 1906.

Joe Finly,
Citra, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Estelle Finly and Frances Burris, to the birth of Rosie Finly, child of Joe and Estelle Finly, March 2, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner,

23-807

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 24, 1906.

Joe Finley,

Citra, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 3, 1906, asking relative to the enrollment of your minor child, Rosie Finley, and if you may now file for her.

In reply you are advised that before further consideration can be had of the application for the enrollment of Rosie Finley it will be necessary that you forward evidence of your marriage to Stella Finley.

No selection of allotment can be made in behalf of Rosie Finley until her enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-807

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 1, 1906.

Joe Finley,

Citra, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 28, 1906, inclosing marriage license between yourself and Estella Scott which you offer in support of the application for the enrollment of your child Rosie Finley, and the same has been filed with the record in this case.

You are advised that it is impracticable to comply with your request for the return of your marriage license at this time.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-807.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 29, 1906.

Joe Finley,

Citra, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 16, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child, Rosie Finley.

In reply you are advised that the name of Rosie Finley has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior, and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

No. 4665

Certificate of Record of Marriages.

United States of America,)
The Indian Territory.) SCT.
Central District.)

I, E. J. Fannin Clerk
of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. _____ and
M. _____ was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
11 day of Jan
A. D. 1905 and duly recorded in Book 11
of Marriage Record, Page 409

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at
South McAlester
this 11 day of Jan
A. D. 1905

E. J. Fannin Clerk.

By _____ Deputy.

P. O. _____

Commissioner

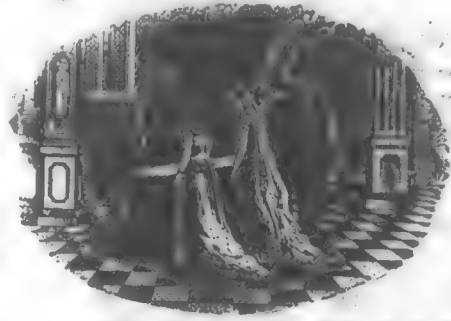
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

No. 4665

MARRIAGE LICENSE.



United States of America,

The Indian Territory,
Central DISTRICT, SS.

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. Joe Finley of Citral in the Indian Territory, aged 21 years, and Miss Estella Scott of Citral in the Indian Territory, aged 18 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 4th day of January A. D. 1905

J. J. Quinn
Clerk of the United States Court.
J. A. Rose Deputy.

United States of America, }
The Indian Territory, } SS.
District. }

Certificate of Marriage.

I, J. F. Stansford a Minister of the Gospel do hereby certify, that on the 9th day of Jan A. D. 1905, I did, duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand, this 9th day of Jan A. D. 1905

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, District, Book A, Page 24

J. F. Stansford

My credentials is valid at all times before me.

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of one hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Rosie Finley

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

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Approved.

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~~Signature~~

Commissioner.

Born March 2, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Rosie Finley, born on the 2nd day of March 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Joe Finley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Estelle Finley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Citra, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Estelle Finley, on oath state that I am nineteen
years of age and a citizen by marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Joe Finley, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on second day of March 1906; that said child has been named
Rosie Finley and was living March 4, 1906.
Estelle Finley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this third day of July 1906
B. C. Fry
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Francis Bueris, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Estelle Finley, wife of Joe Finley,
on the 2nd day of March 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Rosie
Finley Francis Bueris

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this third day of July 1906
B. C. Fry
Notary Public.

Choc minor 808

Gladys Ross

m 808

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Gladys Ross

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved **SEP 20 1906** 190...

Commissioner.

Born June 6, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Gladys Ross born on the 6th day of June 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: James N Ross a citizen of the United States
Name of Mother: Selina Ross a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Jesse Ind Ter,

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Selina Ross, on oath state that I am 32
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of James N Ross, who is a citizen, by
of the United States Nation; that a Female child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 6th day of June 1905; that said child has been named
Gladys Ross and was living March 4, 1906.

Selina Ross

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of June 1906.

M. S. Bradford

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, A. H. Hathaway, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Selina Ross, wife of James Ross
on the 6th day of JUNE 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

Gladys Ross

A. H. Hathaway M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of June 1906.

M. S. Bradford

Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 16, 1906.

Selina Ross,

Jesse, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of A. H. Hathaway M. D., to the birth of Gladys Ross, child of James N. and Selina Ross, June 5, 1905.

It appears from the affidavits that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct, you are requested to state when, where and under what name application was made for your enrollment, the names of your parents, and other members of your family for whom applications were made at the same time, and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Jessie Ind Ter June 23 1906

Department of The TheInterior

Commissioner

I am a Choctaw by blood My maiden name was Selina Moran my father's name is Marzaduke Y Moran in 1898 I married a white man by the name of Robert G. Brady and I made application and was enrolled by the Commission at Stonewall in Sept 1898 Robert G. Brady lived 5 years and was murdered Jan 6 1903 and May 21 1904 I again married another white man by the name of Jas N. Ross and on June 6 1905 Gladys Ross was born I have three children by my first marriage, Bruce M Robert Goldston and Joanna Brady I will give you mine and my children Roll No. also my first husband Roll No. and Our filing Selina Brady 15169 Sec 26X25 1 N 7 E

Robert G. Brady Roll No 1058 Sec 34X1 N 7 E 320

Bruce M. Brady 15160 Sec 24 1 N 7 E Robert Goldston Brady Roll No 15161 Sec 25 1 N 7 E

Joanna Brady not filled yet our allotment are all in the Chickasaw Na if it is necessary I will send my marriage certificate and affidavit of my father as to my Identity Yours Truly

Selina Ross Nee Brady

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 11, 1906.

Selina Ross,

Jesse, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 23, 1906, and the information contained therein has enabled this office to identify you upon its records as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the name of Selina Brady, and the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child, Gladys Ross have been filed as an application for her enrollment.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-808

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 17, 1906.

Selina Ross,

Jesse, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Your letter of September 25, 1906, addressed to the Secretary of the Interior has been by him referred to this office for consideration and appropriate action. Therein you ask if the enrollment of Gladys Ross has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Gladys Ross has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by him.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Lizzie Hammons

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 14, 1906.

John Hammons,

Crowder, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lizzie Hammons and W. C. Lewallen to the birth of Clara Ines Hammons, daughter of John and Lizzie Hammons, January 7, 1904, and the same have been filed with our records as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

45-809

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 21, 1906.

Lizzie Hammons,

Crowder, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 2, 1906, asking if you can file for your son, John Henry Hammons, born March 22, 1901. You state that you enrolled him April 25, 1901, and that he died August 19, 1901.

It appears that said child died August 19, 1901, and under the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1902, those persons who died prior to September 25, 1902, are not entitled to enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tame Bixby.*

Commissioner.

23-809

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 13, 1906.

Chief Clerk,

Choctaw Land Office,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on November 10, 1906, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes dismissed the application for the enrollment of Noland Hammons as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, for the reason that said child died prior to March 4, 1906. A red line has accordingly been drawn through the name of Noland Hammons No. 1 on Choctaw new born card (Act of April 26, 1906) No. 809 and the stamp "Dismissed" Nov. 10, 1906, has been placed on said card. You are therefore directed to make duplicate card of this number in your possession conform to this information.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-809

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 13, 1906.

Chief Clerk,

Chickasaw Land Office,

Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on November 10, 1906, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes dismissed the application for the enrollment of Noland Hammons as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, for the reason that said child died prior to March 4, 1906. A red line has accordingly been drawn through the name of Noland Hammons No. 1 on Choctaw new born card (Act of April 26, 1906) No. 809, and the stamp "Dismissed" Nov. 10, 1906, has been placed on said card. You are therefore directed to make duplicate card of this number in your possession conform to this information.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-809

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 10, 1906.

John W. Hammons,

Crowder, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on November 10, 1906, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes dismissed the application for the enrollment of your child Noland Hammons as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 for the reason that said child died prior to March 4, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-809

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 13, 1906.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on November 10, 1906, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes dismissed the application for the enrollment of Noland Hammons as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, for the reason that said child died prior to March 4, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Noland Hammons

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation

Approved 1906

Commissioner.

Born Nov. 5, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER

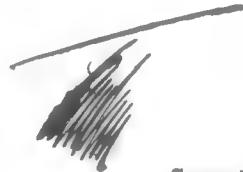
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It appearing from the within affidavits that Noland Hammons, born November 5, 1905, for whose enrollment as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, application was made under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), died February 5, 1906, it is hereby ordered that the application for the enrollment of said Noland Hammons, as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, be dismissed.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Noland Harmon, born on the 15 day of November, 1905
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: John W. Harmon a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Giggie Harmon a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Postoffice _____

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Western DISTRICT.

I, Giggie Harmon, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John W. Harmon, who is a citizen, by
of the United States; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 5th day of November, 1905; that said child has been named
Noland Harmon, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of July, 1906.

Will T. Walker
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Western DISTRICT.

I, E. A. Smith, Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Giggie Harmon, wife of John W. Harmon,
on the 15th day of November, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child is now living and is said to have been named
Noland Harmon.
indeed - died February 5th 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of July, 1906.

Will T. Walker
Notary Public.

Choc minor 810 Annie J. PUCKETT

minor 810

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Annie J. Puckett

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

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Commissioner.

Born April 22, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Annie J. Puckett born on the 22nd day of April 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: William Puckett a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Liddy Puckett a citizen of the Entre-Marion Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: 10942 Tribal enrollment of mother: 1007
 Postoffice: Blair, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.
 I, Liddy Puckett on oath state that I am 23
 years of age and a citizen by Entre-Marion of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of William Puckett who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 22nd day of April 1905; that said child has been named
Annie J. Puckett and was living March 4, 1906.

Liddy Puckett

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June 1906.

W. J. O'Donley
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.
 I, A. J. Wells a Physician on oath state that I
 attended on Liddy Puckett wife of William Puckett
 on the 22nd day of April 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

Annie J. Puckett a. J. Wells, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June 1906.

W. J. O'Donley
Notary Public.

7-3884

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 26, 1906.

William Puckett,

Blue, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Liddie Puckett and A. J. Wells to the birth of Annie J. Puckett, child of William and Liddy Puckett, April 22, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-810.

Mr. William Puckett,

Blue, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 18th, asking if your child, Annie J. Puckett, has been approved.

In reply you are advised that the name of the child, Annie J. Puckett, has not yet been placed upon a schedule of minor children of the Choctaw Nation prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior, but you will be notified when her enrollment has been approved by the Department.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

B. C. C.

25-810

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 28, 1906.

William Puckett,

Blue, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Annie J. Puckett, you are advised that your name appears in the affidavits to the birth of this child upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation as William Puckett, while in the evidence of marriage your name is given as J. W. Puckett.

You are informed that it will be necessary that you forward an affidavit stating that William Puckett, the father of Annie J. Puckett, is identical with J. W. Puckett, whose name appears in the evidence of marriage above referred to.

This matter should receive your immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Blue I.T. Dec. 3 1906

Commission to the five civilized tribes

Dear Sir:

in reply to your of 11/28/06.

requiring an affidavit for the identification you will herewith find the signatures of three prominent men who will vouch for same. I will give you a little history of why this arises while my mother was alive she had me enroled as William and untill her death I knew no better since her death my uncle informed me that my name was J. W. Puckett and since that time I have went by the name just mentioned and here is where the trouble is now if this is not satisfactory please forward me an affidavit blank and I will show you that it is the same one those parties assigned here with inclosed has know me almost since an infant and you can rely on their statement so I will close for this time hoping an erly reply and a satisfactory one

Very resp

William Puckett

23-810

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 8, 1906.

William Puckett,
Blue, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 24, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Annie J. Puckett.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on November 28, 1906, a letter was addressed you stating fully the evidence necessary in the matter of the application for the enrollment of said child as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-810

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 12, 1906.

William Puckett,
Blue, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 5, enclosing statement that J. W. and William Puckett are the same person.

In reply you are advised that you should forward an affidavit of yourself or some other persons, who know the facts in the case, to the effect that the J. W. Puckett named in the evidence of marriage to Minnie Puckett is identical with the William Puckett who appears in the affidavits to the birth of Annie J. Puckett.

This matter should receive your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-870

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 19, 1907.

L. D. Horton,
Attorney at Law,
Durant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 5, 1907, transmitting the affidavit of William Puckett and A. Frank Ross in support of the application of Annie J. Puckett for enrollment as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and the same has been filed with the record in this case.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Musrege, Indian Territory, February 12, 1907.

William Puckett,

Blue, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of February 4, 1907, asking if your child Annie J. Puckett has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Annie J. Puckett has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Department.

The matter of the patent referred to in your letter will be made the subject of a separate communication.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

United States of America, :

Indian Territory, :

Affidavit of A. Frank Ross.

Central Judicial District:

I, A. Frank Ross, after having been first duly sworn state that I am 55
Indian
years of age and reside in the City of Durant, ~~INDIAN~~ Territory. That I
am a minister of the Gospel and duly ordained by the Missionary Baptist
Church ~~XXXXXX~~ and have been for about 30- I am acquainted with J.W.
Puckett whose post office is Blue, Indian Territory. I am also acquainted
with his wife Liddy Puckett- I was acquainted with each of them before
they were married and I performed the marriage ceremony between them-
Her name was Boehme- I married them December 10, 1901 here at Durant, I.
T.- I have known Mr. Puckett's family about 12 years and knew that this
J.W. Puckett above named is the same who is enrolled as a citizen by
blood as William Puckett, and is the father of Annie J. Puckett for whom
he has made application for enrollment.

Comes Expires
Feb 8th 1903

A. Frank Ross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 5th day of January 1903.

Charles A. Phillips

Notary Public.

United States of America,

Indian Territory,

Affidavit of William Puckett.

Central Judicial District.

I, William K. Puckett, after having been first duly sworn state that I am 29 years of age and my post office address is Blue Indian Territory and that I am a citizen by blood, duly enrolled, of the Choctaw nation and am the husband of Liddy Puckett, formerly ~~NAME~~ Liddy E. Beehne and that I was married to her by Rev. A. Frank Ross in the City of Durant Dec. 10, 1901 under the name of J. W. Puckett, and that I am the father of Annie J. Puckett for whom I have made application for enrollment and that I am enrolled as William Puckett.

Corno Expires
Feb. 8 1908

William Puckett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 5 day of January 1907.

Charles G. Phillips

Notary Public.

INDIAN TERRITORY, S. S.
Blue County, Choctaw Nation.

I, F. E. Folsom, Clerk of the County court of said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing, dated the 10th day of Sept. 1901, with its Certificate of Authentication, was filed for record in my office the 24th day of Sept. 1902, and duly recorded this 24th day of Sept. 1902 at ___ o'clock ___ M., in the records of said County, in Volume A on Pages 273.

Witness my hand and seal of the County court of said county, at office in Caddo, the day and year last above mentioned.

F. E. Folsom.

Durant, I. T. Sept. 10, 1901.

This is to certify that on the 10th day of September 1901, I united in marriage Mr. J.W. Puckett a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, to Miss Liddle Boehme, a white citizen of the United States, according to the laws of the Choctaw Nation. This the 10 day of September A. D. 1901. I am a minister of the Gospel and my credentials are recorded at South McAlester, I. T. in the clerks office of the U. S. Court, in Book A Page 56. Respectfully signed,

A. Frank Ross,
A Baptist Minister,

Durant, I. T.

Blue Ind Ter

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Commission to the five civilized Tribes

Sir

We the signers do hereby vouch for the said J.W.Puckett being identically William Puckett who is known to us for the past ten years also known by others and we know him to have his allotment certificate also patents to his land and his enrollment No. 10942 and our enrollment are as following

We are respectfully yours

- 1 Abner W. Willis 9872 roll No.
- 2 Sidney Hogan 9874 Roll No.
- 3 Frank Burris 334 Roll No.

Choc minor 811

Ethel Zion

M 811

NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Ethel Jean

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved 190

~~Commissioner.~~

Born March 26, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Ethel Zion (Care insert name of child) born on the 26 day of March 1905
 Name of Father: Henry Zion a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
 Name of Mother: Ora Zion a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: None Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw blood #10886
Ora Zion
 Postoffice: Caney, T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Ora Zion (nee Matoy) on oath state that I am 21
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Henry Zion, who is a citizen, by
U. S. Nation; that a female child was
 born to me on 26 day of March 1905; that said child has been named
Ethel Zion and was living March 4, 1906. in my presence
Ora Zion

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. C. Lind

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of June 1906.

[Signature]
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lorena Byington a midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Ora Zion wife of Henry Zion
 on the 26 day of March 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Ethel Zion Lorena Byington

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. C. Lind

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of June 1906.

[Signature]
 Notary Public.

Choc minor 812

Thelma Lee Thompson

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Indian Territory Division

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Incl. No. 1905

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Record in the matter of the application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation of:

THELMA LEE THOMPSON

7-NB-681.

The State of Texas }
County of Tarrant }

Personally appeared before me Mrs Jewelle Thompson, who being duly sworn deposes and says that she is the lawful wife of Charley Calvin Thompson, who lives at South McAlister, I. T., and whose mother's name was Georgia Connady. That affiant gave birth to a child, Dec 26th 1903, and that said child is the child of the said Charley Calvin Thompson, and her name is Helma Lee Thompson. That affiant and her husband Charley Calvin Thompson separated when their said child was about three months old, and have never lived together since. That affiant has said child in her possession.

B. D. SHROPSHIRE,
LAWYER.

FORT WORTH, TEXAS,

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and that they are now living
in Fort Worth Texas, and affiant
wants to keep, care for and
educate said child, and
wants to be the guardian of
said child.

Mrs Jewelle Thompson

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23rd
March 1905-

C. C. Cunningham
Notary Public Tarrant County, Texas

NEW BORN 7-681 7-5284

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Thelma Lee Thompson as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation

Born Dec 26, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED MARCH 30, 1908

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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[Handwritten signature]
COMMISSIONER

CHOCTAW

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No. 3406

Certificate of Record
of Marriages.

United States of America, }
The Indian Territory. } SCT.
Central District.

I, *E. J. Jamieson* Clerk
of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. *Charley Thompson* and
M. *Jewell Sumrell* was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
18th day of *February*
A. D. 1903, and duly recorded in Book *110*
of Marriage Record, Page *410*

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at
So. McAlester
this 18th day of *February*
A. D. 1903

E. J. Jamieson
Clerk.

By _____ Deputy.

P. O. _____

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
INDIAN TERRITORY
CENTRAL DISTRICT

AT SOUTH MCALESTER.

I, E.J. Fannin, Clerk of the United States Court within and for the Central District of the Indian Territory, hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and exact copy of marriage license issued to Charles Thompson and Jewell Lumley February 16th 1903/, from my office together with the minister return certificate thereon as the same appears at page 410 of volume 10 of the Marriage Record now in my office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court at South McAlester, I.T. This the 1st day of May 1905.

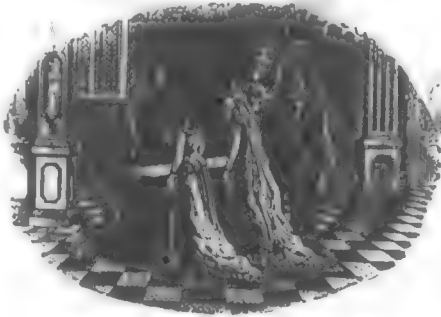

Clerk of U.S. Court
Central District, I.T.


Deputy Clerk.

No. 3406

MARRIAGE LICENSE

United States of America,



The Indian Territory,
Central DISTRICT, SS.

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. *Charles Thompson* of *Haileyville* in the Indian Territory, aged *23* years, and *Mrs. Jennie W. Lemley* of *Haileyville* in the Indian Territory, aged _____ years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this *16th* day

of *Feb* A. D. 190*3*

seal

E. J. Hamilton
Clerk of the United States Court.
J. M. Dodge Deputy.

United States of America, }
The Indian Territory, } SS.
Central District. }

Certificate of Marriage.

I, *J. M. C. Hamilton*

Minister of the Gospel do hereby certify, that on the *17th* day of *February* A. D. 190*3*, I did, duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand, this *17th* day of *February* A. D. 190*3*

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District, Book _____, Page *133*

J. M. C. Hamilton
M. G.

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

H.F.

7-NB-681.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Thelma Lee Thompson as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

--: D E C I S I O N :--

It appears from the record herein that on April 11, 1905 there was filed with the Commission application for the enrollment of Thelma Lee Thompson as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and the records of the Commission that the applicant was born on December 26, 1903 and is a daughter of Charles Thompson, a recognized and enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation whose name appears as number 15805 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior on March 15, 1905, and Jewelle Lee Thompson, a citizen of the United States.

The Act of Congress approved March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212) among other things provides:

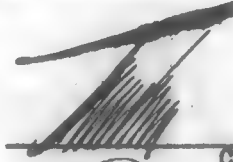
"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of children born subsequent to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and prior to March fourth, nineteen hundred and five, and who were living on said latter date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this act; and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

It is the opinion of this Commission that inasmuch as the enrollment of Charles Thompson, the father of the applicant herein, was not approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to March 3, 1905 the Commission is without

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authority to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Thelma Lee Thompson as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that, therefore, the Commission should decline to receive or consider such application, under the provision of law above quoted, and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,



Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 22, 1908.

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The Honorable,
The Secretary of the Interior,

Sir:

There is herewith transmitted the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Thelma Lee Thompson as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commission, dated June 22, 1908, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

Tama Bixby

SIGNED

Chairman.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Encl. 4-ND-351.

7-NB-681

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 22, 1905.

Charles Thompson,
Fort Worth, Texas,

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Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered June 22, 1905, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Thelma Lee Thompson, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tama Bixby

Registered.

Chairman.

Incl. 7-NB-681.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 22, 1906.

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Hamerfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of this Commission, rendered June 22, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Thelma Lee Thompson as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Incl. 7-NE-681,

Chairman.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Thelma Lee Thompson

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved *NOV 23 1906* 1906

Commissioner.

Born Dec. 26, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1900.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Thelma Lee Thompson, born on the 26 day of December, 1903.
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Charlie Calvin Thompson, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Jewelle Lee Thompson, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw

Postoffice: Maricitta Ind. Ter.

CONSULATE-GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES,

MONTEREY, MEXICO,

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

District.

I, Jewelle Lee Thompson, on oath state that I am 19
 years of age and a citizen by adoption of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Charlie Calvin Thompson, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 26 day of December, 1903; that said child has been named
Thelma Lee Thompson, and was living March 4, 1906.

Mrs Jewelle Lee Thompson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Mrs L. L. Stewart
M. C. Van Cott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1906.

Whitey Cannon

CONSUL GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES



AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

District.

I, Ed. D. James, Physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Mrs Jewelle Thompson, wife of Charlie Thompson
 on the 26th day of Dec, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Thelma Lee
Thompson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Ed James M.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of May, 1906.

Edough J. ...

My commission expires Apr. 5, 1908

Notary Public.

NEW BORN ✓

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Helma Lee Thompson

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

Born Dec. 26, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED MARCH 30, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Division of the Five Civilized Tribes

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Thelma Lee Thompson, born on the 26th day of Dec, 1903
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Charley Calvin Thompson, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jewelle Lee Thompson, a citizen of United States
Postoffice: South Hollister, Tex.

The State of Texas AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.
~~UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,~~
County of Tarrant District.
I, Jewelle Lee Thompson, on oath state that I am 18
years of age and a citizen by Birth of the Texas Nation,
that I am the lawful wife of Charley Calvin Thompson, who is a citizen, by
Birth, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 26th day of December, 1903; that said child has been named
Thelma Lee Thompson, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:
Mrs Jewelle Lee Thompson
(Must be Two Witnesses.) B. S. Shropshire
Mrs L. R. New

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of April, 1905.
C. C. Cummins
Tarrant County, Texas Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central District.
I, C. Savary, Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Charles C. Thompson, wife of Chas. C. Thompson
on the 26 day of December, 1903; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named
Thelma Lee Thompson
C. C. Savary M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:
(Must be Two Witnesses.)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of April, 1905.
[Signature] Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 12, 1905.

Jewell Thompson,
of B.W. Shropshire 4/29/05
Fort Worth, Texas,

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed you herewith for execution application for the enrollment of your infant child, Thelma Lee Thompson, born December 26, 1903.

The affidavit heretofore filed with the Commission is of the mother only. You will notice from the inclosed application that the affidavit of the attending physician or midwife is also required. Please insert your age in space left blank for the purpose.

The affidavit also shows that the child claims through her father, Charles Thompson. It is, therefore, necessary for you to furnish the Commission either the original or a certified copy of the license and certificate of your marriage to the child's father, forwarding same with the return of the inclosed application.

In having these affidavits executed care should be exercised to see that all the names are written in full as they appear in the body of the affidavit, and in the event that either of the persons signing the affidavit are unable to write, signatures by mark must be attested by two witnesses. Each affidavit must be

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executed before a Notary Public and the notarial seal and signature
of the officer must be attached to each separate affidavit.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner in Charge.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

June 30, 1905.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior,

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose a report from the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated June 22, 1905, transmitting the record of the application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation of Thelma Lee Thompson.

June 22, 1905, the Commission decided adversely to the applicant.

The record shows that the applicant was born December 26, 1903, and is a daughter of Charles Thompson, whose name appears at No. 15805 upon the final roll of citizens by blood approved by the Department March 15, 1905, and Jewella Lee Thompson a citizen of the United States.

In view of the record and of the fact that the enrollment of the father of the applicant was not approved by the Department prior to March 3, 1905, as required by the terms of the act of March 3, 1905 (Public No. 212) the approval of the Commission's decision adverse to the applicant is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee

Acting Commissioner

M.M.N. (W)

J.P.

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I.T.D. 7998-1905.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON. May 2, 1906.

L.R.S.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In view of the provisions of the act of April 26, 1906 (Public No. 129), for the enrollment of minor children of Choctaw citizens living March 4, 1906, the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Thelma Lee Thompson, received with letter of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes of June 22, 1905, is inclosed, in order that the matter may be readjudicated.

A copy of Indian Office letter of June 30, 1905, submitting the case, is also inclosed.

Respectfully,

Thos. Ryan

First Assistant Secretary.

2 inclosures.

Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

7-NB-651.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 14, 1906.

Charlie Thompson,
Marietta, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 7, 1906, asking if you will have to make new affidavits to the birth of your child Thelma Lee Thompson.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on May 2, 1906 the Secretary of the Interior remanded the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Thelma Lee Thompson as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation for readjudication, in accordance with the provisions of the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 and you should forward affidavits to the birth of this child upon the blank enclosed herewith for the purpose of making application for her enrollment under the provisions of the act of Congress above referred to.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

B.C.

7-115-681

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 16, 1906.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on May 2, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior returned the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Thelma Lee Thompson, as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation, for readjudication under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and the parents of this child have been notified of departmental action in this case, and have been advised to forward new affidavits for the purpose of making application for her enrollment under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, above referred to.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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McAfee, Indian Territory, July 26th, 1906.

Charlie Calvin Thompson,

Marietta, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Jewell Lee Thompson and Ed D. James to the birth of Thelma Lee Thompson, child of Charlie Calvin Thompson and Jewell Lee Thompson, December 26, 1903, and the same have been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 4, 1906.

Mr. Charley Calvin Thompson,
South McAlester, I.T.

Dear Sir:-

You are hereby advised that on December 20, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your minor child, Thelma Lee Thompson, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and that the name of said child appears upon the roll of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, No. 795.

The child is now entitled to an allotment, and application therefor should be made without delay at the Land Office for the Nation in which the prospective allotment is located.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

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Jesse Lewis

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 30, 1906.

Jaslin Lewis.

Caney, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 7, 1906, in which you ask if the application for the enrollment of your child has been approved.

In reply you are advised that the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child, Jesse Lewis, have been received and filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-813

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 2, 1906.

Charles A. Daney,
Voca, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 25, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of Jesse Lewis.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Jesse Lewis has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior. You will be notified when enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-813

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 9, 1906.

Charles A. Daney,

Voca, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 31, 1906, advising that the present post office address of Sallie Lewis is Voca, Indian Territory and asking that she be notified when her child Jesse Lewis is approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the change of address of Sallie Lewis has been made a matter of record and she has this day been advised that on October 18, 1906 the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of her child Jesse Lewis as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 9, 1906.

Sallie Lewis,

Voca, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that on October 15, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child Jesse Lewis as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 and his name appears upon the approved roll of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation opposite No. 650. Selection of allotment may now be made in behalf of this child and application therefor should be made at the land office for the nation in which the allotment is located.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

In the matter of the Enrollment of Jesse Lewis
as a Citizen New Born.

United States of America, Indian Territory } ss.
Central District

Charles A. Dana, being sworn states that I am 33 years of
age, a citizen of State of the Cherokee Nation, that I am the
brother of Sallie Lewis, the mother of Jesse Lewis, that I was present
at the marriage of said Sallie Lewis to Josiah Lewis a Cherokee
by blood at Caney, D.T., that the marriage ceremony was performed
by Judge Comby, County Judge of Blue County, now deceased, that they
were married about 3 years ago and that they were living together
as husband and wife when Jesse Lewis was born

Charles A. Dana

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of June 1906

R. F. Maddox
Notary Public

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

Jesse Lewis

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906

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~~Commissioner.~~

Born May 19, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Jesse Lewis, born on the 19 day of May, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Joslin Lewis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sallie (Mitchell) Lewis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
First enrollment of father Choctaw On Choctaw Card # 3745 First enrollment of mother Choctaw On Choctaw Card # 3785.
Postoffice: Barney, D. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Sallie Lewis, formerly Mitchell, on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Joslin Lewis, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 19 day of May, 1905; that said child has been named
Jesse Lewis and was living March 4, 1906 and is now present
Sallie (Mitchell) Lewis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. C. Lloyd }
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1906.
D. J. Madden
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Eliza Dana, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Sallie Lewis wife of Joslin Lewis
on the 19 day of May, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Jesse Lewis
Eliza (her name) Dana

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. C. Lloyd }
W. P. Jones
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1906.
D. J. Madden
Notary Public.

Choc minor 814

Hiram F. Jones

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 15, 1906.

Rodham F. Jones,

Wapanucka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Sallie C. Jones and H. P. Skeen to the birth of Hiram F. Jones, child of Rodham F. and Sallie C. Jones, July 17, 1905, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

You are requested to forward marriage license and certificate between yourself and Sallie C. Jones to be used in the matter of the enrollment of your child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 20, 1906.

R. F. Jones,
Wapanucka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 27, asking to be advised with regard to filing and inclosing marriage license and certificate of marriage between R. F. Jones and Sallie C. Epperson.

In reply you are advised that said license and certificate of marriage has been filed with the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Hiram F. Jones, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, and you will be duly notified of such action as is taken in this case.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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No. 1823

Certificate of Record of Marriages.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
THE INDIAN TERRITORY, } SCT:
Central DISTRICT.

I, *E. J. Fannin*, Clerk
of the United States Court in the Indian Territory
and District aforesaid, do hereby CERTIFY that
the License for and Certificate of the Marriage of
Mr. *R. F. Jones* and
Miss *Ellie Egan* was
filed in my office in said Territory and District the
2 day of *June*, A. D. 190*3*
and duly recorded in Book *2* of Marriage
Record, Page *297*

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court,
at *Okla* this *2*
day of *June*, A. D. 190*3*

E. J. Fannin Clerk.
By *J. D. [Signature]* Deputy.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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JUN 28 1906

[Signature]
Commissioner.

JUN 22 1906

No. 1823

FORM NO. 598.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT. } SS:

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. R. F. Jones of Wopamuk in the Indian Territory, aged 26 years, and Miss Vallie C. Epperson of Ego in the Indian Territory, aged 18 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 29 day of May, A. D. 1903.

[Signature]
Deputy.

E. J. Fannin.

Clerk of the United States Court.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
THE INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT. } SS:

I, H. J. Homer
a Minister, Ch. E. C.

do hereby CERTIFY, that on the 31 day of May, A. D. 1903, I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the BANNES OF MATRIMONY between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this 2 day of June, A. D. 1903

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Central District, ^{credential} Book _____, Page 286

H. J. Homer

a Minister, Ch. E. C.

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the Office of the Clerk of the United States Court of the Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Hiram F. Jones

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved **SEP 20 1906** 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born July 17, 1903 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Hiram F Jones, born on the 17 day of July, 1905
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Rodham F. Jones, Roll Number 15238, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sallie C Jones, a citizen of the _____ Nation.
Postoffice: Wapanucka I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT }

I, Sallie C Jones, on oath state that I am 20
years of age and a citizen by _____ of the _____ Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Rodham F. Jones, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on seventeenth day of July, 1905; that said child has been named
Hiram F Jones, and was living March 4, 1906

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of June, 1906.
W. L. Richard
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT }

I, M. P. Scien, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Sallie C Jones, wife of Rodham F Jones
on the 17th day of July, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906 and is said to have been named Hiram F Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of June, 1906.
W. L. Richard
Notary Public.

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Siala John

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 27, 1906.

Albert John,

Garvin, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Elizabeth John and Albert John to the birth of Biale John, child of Albert and Elizabeth John, March 29, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

In the event no one attended your wife at the birth of this child it will be necessary that you forward affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who know of the birth of this child, the date of her birth, the names of her parents, and that she was living March 4, 1906. This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 19, 1906.

Albert John,

Lukfata, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the joint affidavit of David Hinson and Harkin Franklin to the birth of Siada John, child of Albert and Elisabeth John, March 29, 1905, and the same have been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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United States of America
Central District. Ind. Ter.
W. David Hinson. and
Harkin, Franklin.

after being duly sworn on
our oath Swear that we are
Well acquainted with Albert. John.
and his Family.

and we further Swear that there was
Born to them on the 29 day of
March 1905 a Female Child, and
they call the Child Siala. John.
we further Swear we have no
Interest in the Enrollment of
this Child, and said Child is
Now living

David Hinson
Harkin Franklin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
9 day of July 1906

J. F. Mery
Notary Public

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Suala John

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born March 29, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Siala John (Here insert name of child.) , born on the 29 day of March, 1905
Name of Father: Albert John a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Elizabeth John a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Garvin

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Elizabeth John, on oath state that I am 35
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Albert John, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 29th day of March, 1905; that said child has been named
Siala John and was living March 4, 1906

WITNESSES TO MARK:
(Must be Two Witnesses.) John C. Earle
P. R. Dsh Comer

Elizabeth John
obert

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, 1906
John C. Earle
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Albert John, a _____, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Elizabeth John, wife of myself
on the 29th day of March, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Siala John

WITNESSES TO MARK:
(Must be Two Witnesses.) John C. Earle
P. R. Dsh Comer

Elizabeth John
Albert John

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of June, 1906
John C. Earle
Notary Public.

Choc minor 816

Rabon Garland

m816

7-2442

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 16, 1906.

Columbus Garland,
Garland, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lettie Garland and J. M. Cook M. D., to the birth of Rayben Garland, child of Columbus and Lettie Garland, May 6, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-816

Muskogee, Indian Territory August 31, 1906.

Columbus Garland,

Garland, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

You are advised that it will be necessary for you to forward evidence of your marriage to Lettie Garland to be used in the matter of the enrollment of your minor child, Rayben Garland.

Please attend to this matter at once.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-816

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 28, 1906.

Columbus Garland,

Garland, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Raybon Garland, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward evidence of your marriage to Lettie Garland, the mother of this child.

This matter should receive your immediate attention in order that early disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-816

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 19, 1907.

Columbus Garland,

Garland, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 1, 1907, transmitting the affidavits of J. W. Scantlin and Bennie Donald to the effect that they were present at the marriage ceremony performed between Columbus Garland and Little Hughey, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your child Raybon Garland.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

United States of America,)
Central District,) Affidavit.
Indian Territory.)

Comes Bennie Donald and on Oath states, that, "I am a Citizen o
of the United States and over the age of 21 years, and reside near Gar-
land, Indian Territory, and was present on December 4th, 1902, at the
marriage of Columbus Garland, a Citizen of the Choctaw Nation, Indian
Territory, to Little Hughey, a Noⁿ Citizen of Indian Territory, and that
Judge Joseph Garland officiated at said marriage; and that said above
named parties were married according the Choctaw Law for marriages.

Witness my hand and seal this the 18th day of Dec., 1906.

Bennie Donald, (seal).

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 18th day of Dec., 1906.

G. A. Holley, Notary Public.

United States of America,)
Central District,) Affidavit.
Indian Territory.)

Comes J.M.Scantlin and on oath states, that, "I am a Citizen of the United States and over the age of 21 years, and reside near Garland, Indian Territory, and was present on December 4th, 1902, at the marriage of Columbus Garland, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory, to Little Hughey, a Non-Citizen of Indian Territory, and that Judge Joseph Garland officiated at said marriage; and that said above named parties were married according to the Choctaw Law for marriages.

Witness my hand and seal this the 4th day of Dec., 1906.

J.M.Scantlin (Seal)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 4th day of Dec, 190

L.A. Kelly
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Rabon, Garland.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved... FEB 11 1907 190...

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born May 6, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER IN CHARGE CIVILIZED TRIBES

RECORDED
JUN 18 1906

[Signature] Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN REAPPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Rayton Garland, born on the 6th day of May, 1905.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Columbus Garland a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lettie Garland a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Garland Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lettie Garland, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Columbus Garland, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 6th day of May, 1905; that said child has been named
Rayton Garland, and was living March 4, 1906.
Lettie Garland

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of June, 1906.
M. W. Newman
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, J. M. Cook, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Lettie Garland, wife of Columbus Garland,
on the 6th day of May, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Rayton Garland - J. M. Cook M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of June, 1906.
M. W. Newman
Notary Public.

Choc minor 817

Clemency H. Dillard

m 817

7-3904.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 11, 1906.

Vera E. Jones,

Hewitt, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 14, in which you state that you were enrolled under the name of Dillard and that your parents' names are Hamilton and Elizabeth H. Dillard.

In reply you are advised that this information has enabled this office to identify you upon its records as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and the affidavits, heretofore forwarded, to the birth of your child, Harry Douglas Jones, have been filed as an application for his enrollment.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DOE

Caddo, It August 1889.

This is to Certify that T. W. Dillard and Virginia Russell was married by the undersigne according to the laws of the Choctaw Nation on the date and above mention.

In Presance of M. F. Robinson, Judge of Blue Co. G. W. Gardner, C. N.

Recorded this 3rd Day of December 1889.

J. J. Gardner,
Clerk.

This is to certify that this is a True and correct Copy copied from Record Book A on Page 469.

Giving under my hand and Seal of Office this 30 Day of September A. D. 1894.

F. E. Folsom,
Clerk of Blue Co.
C.N. (SEAL)

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the certificate of marriage now on file with the records of this office:

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March 1908.

John C. Tidwell
Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

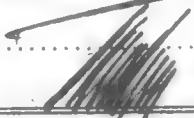
Clemency H. Billard

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved ~~SEP 20 1906~~ 190...



Commissioner.

Born Oct. 10, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Clemency H. Dillard, born on the 10 day of October, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Tandy W. Dillard a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
by blood
Name of Mother: Virginia Dillard a citizen of the Choctaw Nation
by intermarriage blood
Tribal enrollment of father: #10984 Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw #361
Parents listed on Choctaw card # 3904
Postoffice: Choctaw, Okla.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Virginia Dillard, on oath state that I am 35
years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Tandy W. Dillard, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 10 day of October, 1905; that said child has been named
Clemency H. Dillard, and was living March 4, 1906, and is now present
Virginia Dillard

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be Two Witnesses] { D. C. Lloyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of June, 1906.
B. F. Maddox
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, W. J. Melton, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mr Virginia Dillard, wife of Tandy W. Dillard
on the 10 day of October, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Clemency H. Dillard
W. J. Melton

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of June, 1906.
B. F. Maddox
Notary Public.

Choc minor 818

William W. Hancock

m 818

7-5557
7-2905

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 23, 1906.

Willis Hancock,

Red Oak, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Jinsey Hancock and Amanda Hancock to the birth of William W. Han-
cock, child of Willis and Jinsey Hancock, April 6, 1905, and the
same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said
child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

William W. Hancock

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

SEP 20 1906

1906

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born April 6, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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JUN 25 1906

[Signature]
COMMISSIONER

CHOCTAW

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JUN 18 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of William W Hancock born on the 6 day of April, 1908
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Willis Hancock a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jinsey Hancock a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Post-office Red Oak Ind Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY. }
Central District.

I, Jinsey Hancock, on oath state that I am a about 36 years of age and a citizen, by birth, of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Willis Hancock, who is a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was (male or female.) born to me on April day of 6, 1908 that said child has been named William W Hancock, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:
(Must be Two Witnesses.) } Jinsey Hancock
Emma Hornidy Mark
Minnie Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of May, 1908
W W Ish
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY. }
Central District.

I, Mandy Hancock, a Nurse, on oath state that I attended on Mrs. Jinsey Hancock, wife of Willis Hancock on the 6 day of April, 1908 that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been (male or female.) named William W Hancock

WITNESSES TO MARK:
(Must be Two Witnesses.) } A. Manda Hancock

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of May, 1908
W. W. Ish
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Choc minor 819

Ruth Gould

m 819

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23-819

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 19, 1906.

Boulah Thompson Gould,
513 North Park Street,
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 12, 1906, in which you ask if the application for the enrollment of your daughter, Ruth Gould, has been received.

In reply you are advised that the affidavit heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child, Ruth Gould, have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child. In the event other evidence is necessary to determine her right to enrollment you will be duly advised.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Ruth Gould

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

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Commissioner.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Shochoctaw Nation,
of Ruth Gould - born on the 23 day of August, 1905
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Charles E. Gould - a citizen of the M Nation.
Name of Mother: Beulah Thompson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice Shawnee
Okla. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER,

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
DISTRICT.

I, Beulah Thompson on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Chas. E. Gould, who is a citizen, by
not a of the citizen Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 23 day of August, 1905 that said child has been named
Ruth Gould and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Feb, 1906.
Sam - Expires May 6th 1906 L. M. D. Stiles
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
DISTRICT.

I, J. D. Rowland a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Beulah Thompson Gould, wife of Charles E. Gould
on the 23rd day of August, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living at 9:06. March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Ruth Gould.
J. D. Rowland M.D.
Shawnee O.T.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Feb, 1906.
Sam Expires May 6th 1906 L. M. D. Stiles
Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Ruth Gould

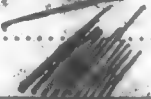
as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

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Approved..... 190...



Commissioner.

Born Aug. 23, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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W. H. ... COMMISSIONER

CHOCTAW
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Ruth Gold born on the 23 day of August, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Chas. E. Gold a citizen of the no Nation.
 Name of Mother: Beulah Thompson Gold a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: no Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
 Postoffice: Shawnee Okla.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

District.

I, Beulah Thompson Gold, on oath state that I am 24
 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Chas. E. Gold, who is a citizen, by
no, of the no Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 23 day of August, 1905; that said child has been named
Ruth Gold and was living March 4, 1906.
Beulah Thompson Gold

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this July 2nd day of July, 1906.

G. M. Stet
 Notary Public.
Patt. ev. D.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

District.

I, J. D. Rowland, physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Beulah Gold wife of Chas. E. Gold
 on the 23rd day of Aug., 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Ruth Gold.
J. D. Rowland M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1906.

G. M. Stet
 Notary Public.
Patt. ev. D.T.

Choc minor 820

Aaron Homma

m 820

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7-1311

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 13, 1905.

A. W. James,

Smithville, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There were received at this office on May 6, 1905, in an envelope postmarked Cove, Arkansas, May 4, 1905, the affidavits of Jincy Homma and Asbell Horner to the birth of Aaron Homma, son of Jincy and Simson Homma, April 20, 1904; also the affidavits of Eliza Dyer and Jincy Homma to the birth of Mary Jane Bohanon, son of Eliza Dyer and Sam Bohanon, July 20, 1905.

You are advised that these applications were not received at this office until May 6, 1905, and under the provisions of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1903, the Commission was authorized for a period of sixty days from that date to receive applications for the enrollment of children born to enrolled citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations prior to March 3, 1903, within which the Commission could receive such applications expired May 2, 1903, and no authority is now vested in the Commission for the reception of such applications.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

7-NB-1495

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 13, 1905.

Simon Homma,

Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter without date asking relative to the enrollment of your new born children.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on May 8, 1905, there were received at this office affidavits to the birth of your child Aaron Homma which occurred January 18, 1904.

These affidavits were received subsequent to the expiration of the sixty days within which the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes was authorized by the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, to receive applications for the enrollment of infant children and there is now no authority for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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7-1317

~~Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 26, 1906~~

Simeon Homer,

Ragletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Jincy Homer and Ellen Mamby to the birth of Sophie Homer, child of Simeon and Jincy Homer, March 15, 1906.

It appears from the affidavits that this child was born March 15, 1906, and you are advised that the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, provided only for the enrollment of children of Choctaw and Chickasaw citizens who were living March 4, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-820

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 24, 1906.

Simeon Hanna,
Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to the application for the enrollment of your child, Aaron, born January 15, 1904, you are advised that the surname of this child is given in the affidavits heretofore forwarded as "Homer."

It appears from the records of this office that your surname upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation is "Hanna," and there are enclosed you herewith partially filled out new applications for the enrollment of this child, and you are requested to have the same executed and returned to this office at the earliest date practicable. You should be careful to see that the signature by mark of the mother of said child corresponds with that in the body of her affidavit.

Respectfully,

Encl. WLM. 24/1

Commissioner.

23-820

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 11, 1906.

Simeon Homer,

Register No. 5039, Box 7,

Leavenworth, Kansas.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of July 23, 1906, addressed to the United States Indian Agent has been by him referred to this office for appropriate action. Therein you ask relative to the enrollment of your baby Aaron Homer.

In reply you are advised that the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child, Aaron Homer, have been filed as an application for his enrollment. In the event further evidence is necessary to determine the right of said child to enrollment you will be duly advised.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-220.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 14, 1906.

Simeon Homma,

Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:—

On April 29, 1905, Jincy Homma, as the mother, and Abel Homma, as the mid-wife, executed affidavits to the birth of Aaron Homma on April 20, 1904; on November 7, 1905, Jincy Hommer, as the mother, and Lanty Jones, as the mid-wife, executed affidavits to the birth of Aaron Hommer on January 18, 1904, and on May 19, 1906, Jincy Homer, as the mother, and Elson Jones and Laurina Wilson, as disinterested witnesses, executed affidavits to the birth of Aaron Hommer on January 18, 1904.

There is inclosed herewith a blank form of birth affidavit, partially filled out, which you are requested to have properly executed by the mother and attending physician or mid-wife. Be careful to see that all blank spaces are properly filled, that the mother signs her name as same appears in the body of the affidavit, and that the correct date of birth is given.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DCB.

23-820

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 24, 1906.

Simeon Homma,

Eagletown, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Jincy Homma, Elson Jones and Laurina Wilson neo Bohanan, to the birth of Aaron Homma, child of Simeon and Jincy Homma, January 15, 1904, and the same have been filed with the records in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 29, 1906.

Simeon Homma,

Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Jinoy Homma and Lanty Jones to the birth of Aaron Homma, child of
Simeon and Jinoy Homma, January 15, 1904, and the same have been
filed in the matter of the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-820

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 4, 1906.

Simeon Roma,

Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, Aaron Roma, you are advised that one affidavit of the mother, Jincy Roma, says no physician or mid-wife attended her, and the affidavits last received to the birth of said child give the affidavit of Lanty Jones as midwife.

You are requested to forward an affidavit explaining this discrepancy.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-820

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 27, 1906.

Simon Homma,

Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Jincy Homma and Lanty Jones to the birth of Aaron Homma child of Simon and Jincy Homma, January 15, 1904, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-820

Atoka, Indian Territory, April 22, 1907

Simon Homer,

Atoka, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 2, 1907, in which you ask if your child Aaron Homer has been approved, as you state you have some land located which you would like to have allotted for said child.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child Aaron Homer as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and selection of allotment may now be made in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the selection of allotments and the designation of homesteads in the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

23-820

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskegee, Indian Territory, April 22, 1907.

Simon Homer,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 2, 1907, in which you ask if your child Aaron Hemmer has been approved, as you state you have some land located which you would like to have allotted for said child.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child Aaron Hemma as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and selection of allotment may now be made in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the selection of allotments and the designation of homesteads in the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
Eagletown, Indian Territory, Jan. 15, 1907.

In the matter of the application for enrollment as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation (Act of Congress of April 26, 1906()) of Aaron Homma, card No. 820.

TESTIMONY TAKEN NEAR EAGLETOWN, I. T.

Jincy Homma being duly sworn testifies as follows:

Aaron Dyer official interpreter.

EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Jincy Homma.
Q How old ar you? A Thirty.
Q What is your post office address? A Eagletown, I. T.
Q What is the name of your husband? A Simeon Homma.
Q Are you the mother of Aaron Homma? A Yes sir,
Q Is Aaron living? A Yes sir.
Q What is his father's name? A Simeon Homma.
Q When was Aaron Homma born? A January 15, 1904.
Q On November 7, 1905, you and Lianty Jones made affidavit before Jeff Gardner, Notary Public, that Aaron Homma was born the 18th day of January 1904; on April 29, 1905, you and Asbel Homma made affidavit that Aarog Homma was born April 20, 1904: How is it that in these affidavits made on November 7th and April 29th, 1905, the date of the birth of this child is given different from what you now state it is? A Allen James let on like he was going to enroll it and got it wrong some way.
Q These dates given in these first affidavits, January 18, 1904, and April 20, 1904; are wrong are they? A These two are wrong.
Q Are you positive that this child was born on January 15, 1904? A Yes sir, I know good that was the time.
Q Did you have a mid-wife or anyone attending you at the birth of this child? A Yes sir, Lianty Jones.
Q Was Asbel Homma with you when the child was born? A She was not here.
Q Did Lianty Jones attend you in the capacity of mid-wife when this child was born? A Yes sir, Lianty Jones was here.
Q On August 4th 1906, you made affidavit before Scott Gardner, Notary Public, that Aaron Homma was born January 15, 1904, and that no mid-wife or physician attended you; also on May 19, 1906, you made affidavit before Lacey P. Robo, relative to the birth of this child, and you also stated in this affidavit that no mid-wife or physician attended you: How you state that Lianty Jones was mid-wife when Aaron Homma was born? A Yes sir.

- Q How did you come to make affidavit before Gardner and Bobo that no one attended you when this baby was born?
A They made their own mistake.
- Q Who made their own mistake? A Scott Gardner and Lacey P. Bobo.
- Q Did you tell them that no one was with you when the baby was born? A The way it was, Lianty Jones was sick at that time, and couldn't get down there, and that is how her name was left out.
- Q Did you tell these Notaries Public that no one was with you when the baby was born? A I told them that there was a mid-wife, but they made the mistakes themselves; I ~~xx~~ said it was Lianty Jones.

Simeon Homma being duly sworn testifies as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Simeon Homma.
- Q How old are you? A About twenty-six.
- Q What is your post office address? A Eagletown.
- Q Are you the husband of Jincy Homma? A Yes sir.
- Q And the father of this child, Aaron Homma? A Yes sir.
- Q When was Aaron Homma born? A January 15, 1904.
- Q Your wife, Jincy Homma; Elson Jones, Laurina Wilson and Lanty or Santy Jones, have made affidavits that Aaron Homma was born January 15, 1904: That date is correct, is it?
A Yes sir; that is right, the other ones are all wrong.
- Q You heard the testimony of your wife relative to the affidavits which were made giving different dates as to the birth of this child, did you? A Yes sir.
- Q And these ~~xxxx~~ affidavits that were made giving dates of Aaron Homma's birth as January 18, 1904, and April 20, 1904, are wrong, are they? A Yes sir.
- Q Who was present with your wife, acting in the capacity of mid-wife, when this baby was born? A Lianty Jones.
- Q Is that the same person that signed an affidavit before Scott Gardner as Lanty or Santy Jones? A All the same person.

Frank L. Doble on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in the above entitled cause near Eagletown, Indian Territory, on January 15, 1907.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this January 15, 1907.

Frank L. Doble

W. W. Watson
Notary Public.

Birth affidavit

Enrollment of minor act of
Congress, approved April 26, 1906

I in re application for Enrollment, as a citizen of
of the Choctaw nation of Aaron Homma born on the
15 day of January 1904

Name of father Simon Homma citizen of the Choctaw ^{nation}

Name of mother Jincy Homma a citizen of the Choctaw ^{nation}

Tribal Enrollment of father _____ Tribal Enrollment of

mother _____ Post office Eagletown, T. T.

United States { Affidant of mother }

of America, Ind. Ter.

Central District

I Jincy Homma on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw nation
that I am the lawful wife of Simon Homma who is a citizen
by blood of the Choctaw nation; that a male child was
born to me on 15th day of January 1904 that said
child has been named Aaron Homma and was living
March 4, 1906

witnesses J. R. Packer
Edmond

Jincy ^{his} Homma
_{mark}

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Nov
1906.

Scott Gardner

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affidavit of attending physician or midwife
United States of America, Ind. Terr. }
Central District

I Fanty Jones a midwife, in both states
that I attended on Jerrey Homm wife of Simon
on the 15 day of Jan. 1904 that there was born on
said date a male child, said child was living
march 4, 1906 and is said to have been named
Asron Homm Fanty ^{his} Jones
mark

Witnesses R. M. Jones
J. R. Paetmatt

^{Sub}scribed and sworn of before me this
day of November, 1906.

Scott Gardner
N.P.

I Elson Jones a D. M. was there the same day
which that child was born on 15 day of
Jan. 1904. said date a male child said child
was living march 4, 1906 and is said to
have been named Asron Homm
Elson Jones

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Aaron Hommer

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

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Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED MARCH 30, 1906 .

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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[Signature]
COMMISSIONER.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Arvin Hommer, born on the 18 day of January, 1904
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Simon Hommer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jincy Hommer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Eagleston, IT.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Jincy Hommer, on oath state that I am 35
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Simon Hommer, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 18 day of January, 1904; that said child has been named
Arvin Hommer, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

David Wilson
Stiles Monchie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of November, 1905.

my Commission expires 23rd Dec 1905

Jeff Gardner
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Leanty Jones, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Jincy Hommer, wife of Simon Hommer
on the 18 day of January, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Arvin Hommer

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

David Wilson
Stiles Monchie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of November, 1905.

my Commission expires 23rd Dec 1905

Jeff Gardner
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Carou Honma

as a citizen of

Chretaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

Received May 6 1905

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Alaron Homma, born on the 20 day of April, 1904
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Simson Homma a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jincy Homma a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Coyle Town T.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Jincy Homma, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Simson Homma, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 20 day of April, 1904 that said child has been named
Alaron Homma, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Jincy Homma
mark
(Must be Two Witnesses.) { Daniel Wilson
Elijah Dyer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of April, 1905.

A. W. James
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Asbel Homma, a mid wife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Jincy Homma, wife of Simson Homma
on the 20 day of April, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Alaron Homma.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Asbel Homma
mark
(Must be Two Witnesses.) { Daniel Wilson
Elijah Dyer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of April, 1905.

A. W. James
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE AFFIDAVIT FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the.....Nation,
of born on theday of1.....
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father:.....a citizen of the.....Nation.
Name of Mother:.....a citizen of the.....Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father.....Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice.....

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }

I,, on oath state that I am.....
years of age and a citizen by..... of the..... Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of..... who is a citizen, by
..... of the.....Nation; that achild was
[Male or Female]
born to me on.....day of....., 1.....; that said child has been named
..... and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this.....day of..... 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }

I, *Laurina Wilson (ne Bohanan)*, a *disinterested witness*, on oath state that I
am acquainted with *Jincy Homer*, wife of *Simon Homer*,
on the *15th* day of *Jan*, 19*04*; that there was born to her on said date a *Male*
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *Aaron Homer*.

Laurina Wilson ne Bohanan

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *May*, 1906.

Jincy Homer

Notary Public.



IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 20, 1906

Aaron Homer

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Aaron Homer

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

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Commissioner.

Born Jan 15, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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May 31, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Aaron Homer, born on the 15th day of January 1904
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Simon Homer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jincy Homer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: Coalgate, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Jincy Homer, on oath state that I am 31
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Simon Homer, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 15th day of Jan, 1904; that said child has been named
Aaron Homer, and was living March 4, 1906, that no midwife
or physician attended me Jincy her Homer
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. W. Homer
Elson Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 1906.

Lacey G. Bobb
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.
Disinterested witness

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Elson Jones, a disinterested witness, on oath state that I
I am acquainted attended on Jincy Homer, wife of Simon Homer
on the 15th day of Jan, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Aaron Homer
Elson Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 1906.

Lacey G. Bobb
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Aaron Homma

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Aaron Homma, born on the _____ day of _____
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Siméon Homma a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jincy Homma a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Roll No. 1449 Tribal enrollment of mother: Roll No. 14655
Postoffice: Bagletown, Ind. Terr.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Jincy Homma on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Siméon Homma, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 15 day of January, 1904; that said child has been named
Aaron Homma and was living March 4, 1906.

^{both} WITNESSES TO MARK: Jincy Homma

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Elson Jones
Laurena Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1906.

my Commission Expires
May 31 1910

Scott Gardner
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lanty Jones, mid-wife on oath state that I
attended on Jincy Homma, wife of Siméon Homma
on the 15 day of January, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named _____

Aaron Homma Lanty Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Elson Jones
Laurena Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1906.

Scott Gardner
Notary Public.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 24, 1906.

Simeon Kemma,
Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to the application for the enrollment of your child, Aaron, born January 15, 1904, you are advised that the surname of this child is given in the affidavits heretofore forwarded as "Homer."

It appears from the records of this office that your surname upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation is "Kemma," and there are enclosed you herewith partially filled out new applications for the enrollment of this child, and you are requested to have the same executed and returned to this office at the earliest date practicable. You should be careful to see that the signature by mark of the mother of said child corresponds with that in the body of her affidavit.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

Encl. W.L.M. 24/1

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD
Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Aaron Nomma

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the..... Nation,
of , born on the day of
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father:..... a citizen of the..... Nation.
Name of Mother:..... a citizen of the..... Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice.....

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

I, on oath state that I am.....
years of age and a citizen by of the..... Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of....., who is a citizen, by
..... of the..... Nation; that a child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on day of; that said child has been named
..... and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

Laurina Wilson (nee Bohanon), disinterested witness
was acquainted with Jincy Homma, wife of Lincoln Homma
on the *15th* day of *Jan*, *1904*; that there was born to her on said date a
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Lincoln Homma *Laurina W. Wilson nee Bohanon*

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *August*, 1906.

Scott Gardner
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Aaron Homona

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

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Commissioner.

Born Jan. 15, 1907

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Aaron Homma, born on the 15th day of Jan. 1904
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Simon Homma a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jincy Homma a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Eagletown, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Jincy Homma on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Simon Homma who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 15th day of January 1904; that said child has been named
Aaron Homma and was living March 4, 1906, and ~~was~~
~~mid-wife or physician attended me:~~ Jincy Homma

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] Edmon Homer
W. A. Brown Billy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of Aug. 1906.
Scott Gardner
Notary Public.

~~Disinterested Witness~~
AFFIDAVIT OF ~~ASSENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE~~

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
I, Elson Jones ~~disinterested witness~~ on oath state that I
~~was acquainted with~~ Jincy Homma wife of Simon Homma
on the 15th day of Jan. 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Aaron Homma Elson Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of Aug. 1906.
Scott Gardner
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires May 31 1910

23-820

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Jincy Homma,

Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, Aaron Homma, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, the date of the birth of this child is given as January 15, 1904, January 18, 1904 and April 20, 1904. You are requested to forward at once, a statement as to the correct date of the birth of this child.

You are further advised that in the affidavit filed by you, you state that no physician or mid-wife attended you, while in other affidavits both Lantx Jones and Asbel Homma appear as attending mid-wives.

You are requested to forward at once, an explanation as to this discrepancy. Please give this matter your immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Annie Beams

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

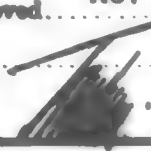
Annie Plame

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved **NOV 28 1906** 190



Commissioner.

Born Aug. 6, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Annie Beams, born on the 6 day of August, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Patterson Beams, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Lacem Beams, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
 Postoffice: Lenox Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lacem Beams, on oath state that I am 19
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Patterson Beams, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 6 day of August, 1905; that said child has been named
Annie Beams and was living March 4, 1906.

Lacem Beams
 mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Ben Hillis
James Willis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of June, 1906.

Stephen L. Ramsey
 Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Mary James, a mid-wife, on oath state that I
 attended on Lacem Beams, wife of Patterson Beams,
 on the 6 day of Aug., 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Annie Beams.

Mary James
 mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Ben Hillis
James Willis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of June, 1906.

Stephen L. Ramsey
 Notary Public

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 9, 1906.

Patterson Beams,

Lenox, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Isaac Beams and Mary James to the birth of Annie Beams, child of Patterson and Isaac Beams, August 6, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct you are requested to state where and under what name application was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Copy.

Talihina, Ind. Ter. Sept 20th 1906.

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Question

23-521 Sept 5th

Commissioner to the Five Tribes,
Muskogee Ind. Ter.

Dear girl:-

Answering your letter of July 9th, also of Sept 5th, you are advised that my wifes name, prior to our marriage, was Lacin Milton, Roll No. 6060, and a Choctaw by Blood. See surplus certificate No. 4097 in Chickasaw Nation and Homestead certificate No. 3721 in same Nation.

Trusting this information may assist you in the enrollment of our newborn, Annie Beams, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, however, in event of any further correspondence address my Atty. Mess Thomas & Lunsford, who will attend to it for me and call me in for date.

Yours truly

Patterson Beams.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 5, 1906.

Patterson Beams,

Lenox, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 27, 1906, requesting to be advised of the status of the application for the enrollment of your infant child, Annie Beams, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

In the affidavit of the mother filed July 11, 1906, it is stated that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this statement is correct, you are requested to state where and under what name application was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of lands in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation, giving her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate. In case she is a non-citizen white woman, your marriage certificate should be forwarded.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 26, 1906.

Patterson Beams,

Lenox, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 20, 1906, in which you state that your wife's name prior to your marriage was Lacin Milton, Choctaw by blood, Roll No. 6060.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify your wife, Lacin Beams, as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and has been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of your child Annie Beams.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Harry Douglas Jones

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Harry Douglas James
as a citizen of
Choctaw Nation.

Approved. ~~SEP 20 1906~~ 190...

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Commissioner.

Born Jan. 16, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Harry Douglas Jones born on the 16 day of Jan 1906
Name of Father: Charles P. Jones a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Vera E. Jones a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Intermarriage Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Newitt Ind.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
District.

I, Vera E. Jones on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by birth of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Charles P. Jones who is a citizen, by
marriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 16 day of January 1906; that said child has been named
Harry Douglas Jones and was living March 4, 1906.
Vera E. Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May 1906.

J. Darling
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
District.

I, John Tidmore a Physician do hereby state that I
attended on Mrs Vera E. Jones wife of Charles P. Jones
on the 16 day of Jan 1906 that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Harry Douglas Jones John Tidmore

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May 1906.

J. Darling
Notary Public.

Muskegee, Indian Territory, June 2, 1906.

Vera E. Jones,

Hewitt, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of John Tidmore to the birth of Harry Douglas Jones, child of Charles P. and Vera E. Jones, January 16, 1906.

It appears from the affidavits that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct, you are requested to state when, where and under what name application was made for your enrollment, the names of your parents, and other members of your family for whom application was made at the same time, and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 16, 1905.

James Dyer,

Bagtown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Carrie Dyer and Lorena Wilson to the birth of Evaline Dyer, child of James and Carrie Dyer, October 28, 1905.

You are advised that it will be necessary that you forward to this office evidence of your marriage to Carrie Dyer in the matter of the application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-823

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 28, 1906.

James Dyer,

Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Evalina Dyer, you are advised that the affidavits to the birth of this child give the name of the mother as Corrie Dyer, while the evidence of marriage filed shows the name of your wife as Cora Dyer formerly Lockley.

It will be necessary that you forward an affidavit showing that Corrie Dyer named in the affidavit as the mother of your child is Cora Dyer whose name appears in the evidence of marriage.

Please give this matter immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 15, 1906.

James Dyer,

Eagleton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the joint affidavit of Lorena Wilson and Flora Hobbs to the marriage of James Dyer and Cora Lockley, July 15, 1904, and the same has been filed with the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Evalina Dyer.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 29, 1906.

James Dyer,

Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the joint affidavit of
F. M. Hobbs and Lorena Wilson, stating that Corrie Dyer and Cora
Lockley are the same person, and the same has been filed with the
record in the matter of the enrollment of your child, Evalina Dyer.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Eagle town I. T.

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Commission to the Five Civilize Tribes

Gentle-man-

I would state to you that, - Carrie Dyer and I were married by a County Judge of Eagle County by the name of Jefferson going on July 15th 1904, as in Indian customs and were Divorce July, 1905, in the nation term of Court, and this Judge he died before he furnished me a married Certificate. The Divorce was brought about by her bad reputation and now this child Hvaline Dyer is in my possession.

Yours Truly

(Signed) James Dyer.

D. C. #31892.

23-823.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 11, 1906.

James Dyer,

Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 24, 1906, relative to your marriage with Carrie Dyer, and in reply you are advised that if you cannot secure certificate of marriage it will be necessary that you forward to this office affidavits of two or more disinterested persons who were present at your marriage.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 15, 1906.

James Dyer,
Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, Evalina Dyer, you are requested to advise this office of your age and the names of your parents.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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NEW BORN 199

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Evalma Dyer*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation

Approved *JAN 15 1907* 190

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Oct. 26, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Caroline Dyer, born on the 26th day of October, 1904.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: James Dyer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Blanche Dyer a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: U.S. Tribal enrollment of mother: not enrolled
Postoffice: Wright Town, Ind.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Blanche Dyer, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by derivation of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of James Dyer, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 26th day of October, 1904; that said child has been named
Caroline Dyer, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be two Witnesses] { W. H. Colburn
W. H. Colburn
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of Jan, 1906.
W. H. Colburn
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lorena Wilson, on oath state that I
attended on Caroline Dyer, wife of James Dyer
on the 26th day of October, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be two Witnesses] { Wash Thompson
Abraham Dyer
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of July, 1906.
W. H. Colburn
Notary Public

Centerl District,
Antlers Divission
Indian Territory.

In The Matter of The Petition to
Enroll Evalina Dyer.

Comes, Mrs F M Hobbs ----- and
Louisa Wilson ----- and on oath say; That they are well
acquainted with Corrie Dyer, who is the mother of Evalina and know
her to be the same person who was married to ~~Part~~ James Dyer under
the name of Cora Lockley and that she is now the ^{sworn}wife of said James
Dyer, the mother of the child and the same person as Cora who is
shown by the proof to have married the said James Dyer.

Mrs F M Hobbs
Louisa Wilson

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 20th day of Decr 1906

W K Hollister

My commission expires
Sept 18 1909.

Eagletown.

Chootaw Nation

Affidavit.

This is to certify that we Lorena Wilson and Flora
 Hobbs Citizens of the Chootaw Nation do ^{on} oath declare that we are
 well acquainted with James Dyer and Cora Dyer (formerly Cora Lockely)
 and that we were present at the marriage of said James Dyer and Cora
 Lockely at James Dyers residence near Eagletown Chootaw Nation. ~~with~~
 on or about July 15th 1904. We further certify that said
 James Dyer and Cora Dyer (formerly Cora Lockely) are the parents of
Evelyn Dyer aged 1 yrs.

In witness whereof we have hereto signed our names this 1st day of
Sept 1906.

Lorena Wilson
Mrs Flora Hobbs

Subscribed and sworn to before me a Notary Public in and for the
 Central District Chootaw Nation this 1st day of Sept
 1906.

W. K. Hollander
 Notary Public for Central District
 Chootaw Nation.

My Commission Expires Sept 15th 1907

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Lena may Cooper

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 7, 1906.

James T. Cooper,

Whitfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Annie Cooper and James Culburtsen to the birth of Lena May Cooper, child of James T. and Annie Cooper, February 4, 1906, and the same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-824

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 24, 1906.

Walter & Frost,

Attorneys at Law,

Hill Creek, Indian Territory.

Dear Sirs:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 30, 1906, in which you state that on April 18, 1906, a letter was received by James Cooper of that place in which he was advised that on July 22, 1905, the enrollment of Sister Cooper, child of James and Tory Cooper, as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation was approved by the Secretary of the Interior. You state that there seems to be a mistake in the name of the child and also in the name of the mother; that the correct name of said child is Mamie Cooper and the mother is Annie Cooper. You, therefore, ask the proper procedure in order to adjust this matter.

In reply you are advised that it appears from the records of this office that application was made for the enrollment of Lena May Cooper, child of James T. and Annie Cooper, February 4, 1906. If this is the child referred to in your letter as Mamie Cooper you are requested to state the names of the parents of James T. Cooper and give his roll number as it appears upon

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his allotment certificate.

You are also requested to state if the said James T. Cooper was ever married prior to his marriage to Annie Cooper, and if so the name of his wife and whether she was a citizen by blood or intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. You will also please give the names of all the children of James T. Cooper.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

23-824

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 29, 1906.

James T. Cooper,

Whitefield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Lena May Cooper you are requested to advise this office your age, the names of your parents and if you were ever married prior to your marriage to Annie Cooper, the mother of this child, give the name of said wife and whether she is a citizen by blood or intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Please also state the names of all your children and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificate. This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Whitefield, I. T. Oct 31, 1906.

Commissioner to the five civilized tribes,

Muskogee, I. T.

Dear Sir. My age 31 yrs. Father name Samul Cooper Mothers
name Susan Cooper. I was married prior to my marriage to Annie
Cooper the mother of the child. My 1st wifes name was Tora
Forrest. 2nd by blood wifes name Annie Jones. obtain by
intermarrage of Choctaw Nation. Lester M. Cooper Hubbard
Cooper Sister Cooper & Lena May Cooper. I have selected the
allotments of the land of the Choctaw Nation. My roll No.
is 7329.

Yours truly,

J. T. Cooper.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 9, 1906.

J. P. Cooper,

Whitefield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 31, 1906, stating that your first wife was Tora Forest a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that your second wife is named Annie Jones a citizen by intermarriage; you also give the names of your children and state your roll number is 7329.

In reply to your letter you are advised that in the matter of the enrollment of your child Lena May Cooper as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, it will be necessary that you forward the evidence of the death of your wife Tora Cooper or in the event she is not dead and you have been divorced from her, evidence of your divorce. It will also be necessary that you forward evidence of your marriage to Annie Cooper, mother of Lena May Cooper. This matter should receive immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,


Commissioner.

23-824

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 27, 1906.

James T. Cooper,
Whitefield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 23, 1906, inclosing affidavits of yourself and J. Gulbertson to the death of Terry Cooper, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation which occurred April 17, 1904; also marriage license and certificate between James Cooper and Annie Jones, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your child Lena May Cooper as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-284

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 8, 1906.

James T. Cooper,

Whitefield, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the enrollment of your minor child, Lena May Cooper, born February 4, 1906, you are advised that the affidavits heretofore filed to the birth of said child, do not show that she was living March 4, 1906. For the purpose of showing that she was living on March 4, 1906, there is inclosed herewith a blank application which please have filled out and return to this office as early as practicable.

Respectfully,

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Acting Commissioner

23-824.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 29, 1906.

James T. Cooper,
Whitesfield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Annie Cooper and James Gulbertson to the birth of Lena May Cooper, February 4, 1906, and the same have been filed with the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-824.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 31, 1906.

James T. Cooper,
Whitefield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, William A. Cooper, as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward at once your affidavit that the James T. Cooper who appears in the affidavits as the father of this child is identical with James Cooper, who appears in the marriage certificate between James Cooper and Annie Jones, and also the James Cooper whose name appears at No. 7169 upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

This matter should receive your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-224

Muskegee, Indian Territory, January 19, 1907.

James T. Cooper,
Whitefield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit stating that you are the father of Lena May Cooper, and are the same person who appears in the affidavit as the father of said child and in the evidence of marriage between yourself and Annie Jones, and the same has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your child Lena May Cooper.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Lena May Cooper

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

Born Feb. 4, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONERS OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chaactaw Nation,
of Sena May Cooper (here insert name of child.) born on the 4th day of Feb, 1906
Name of Father: James T. Cooper a citizen of the Chaactaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Annie Cooper intermarried of Chaactaw a citizen of the Chaactaw Nation.
Postoffice: Whitefield S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Western DISTRICT.

I, Annie Cooper, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by marriage, of the Chaactaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of James T. Cooper, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Chaactaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 4th day of February, 1906; that said child has been named
Sena May Cooper, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3^d day of May, 1906.

John H. Oliver
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Western DISTRICT.

I, James Culbertson, Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Annie Cooper, wife of James T. Cooper
on the 4th day of Feb, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Sena May Cooper.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3^d day of May, 1906.

John H. Oliver
Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

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a citizen of the

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Nation.

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Tory Cooper
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Whitefield, Ind. Ter., and died on the 17 day of
April, 1904
(Here insert name of postoffice.)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, James T. Cooper, on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen, by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Whitefield, Ind. Ter.; that I am
Husband of Tory Cooper
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by Blood of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Tory Cooper died on the 17 day of
April, 1904
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:
James T. Cooper
(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Nov 1906.
My com - Expires Oct 29 - 1908 Henry F. Cooper
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, J. Culbertson, on oath state that I am 39
years of age and a citizen by United States of the United States Nation;
that my postoffice address is Whitefield, Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Tory Cooper
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Tory Cooper died on the 17 day of
April, 1904
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:
J. Culbertson
(Must Be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Nov 1906.
My com - Expires Oct 29 - 1908 Henry F. Cooper
Notary Public.

J. W. CLARKE
POSTMASTER

Dealer in

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

CASH BUSINESS

WHITEFIELD, I. T., 1/2

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Commission To the five Tribes

Dear Sir

I Do here by State on oath
that I am the James T. Cooper
who appears in the Affidavit as the
father of this Child, Lena May Cooper
and that I am the identical
James Cooper which appears in the
marriage certificate between
James Cooper and Annie Jones and
that I am also the James Cooper
whose name appears at NB 7329
up on the approved Roll of Citizens
By Blood of the Choctaw Nation

Signed James T. Cooper.

Witness. J. L. Hillhouse
Jas Harrell

Subscribed and sworn
to before me this 2nd
day of January 1907

John H. Oliver
Notary Public

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Jan 17 1907
J. H. O.
NOTARY PUBLIC

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
 COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
 MUSKOGEE, INDIAN TERRITORY,
 JANUARY 2, 1907.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, of Lena May Cooper.

James Copper, after being duly sworn, testified as follows:

BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A James Cooper.
 Q What is your full name? A James Thompson Cooper, sometimes I sign my name James T., sometimes James Cooper, but James Thompson Cooper is my full name.
 Q What is your postoffice address? A Whitefield.
 Q You are a citizen of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes.
 Q What is the name of your father? A Samuel Cooper.
 Q Is he living? A No, he is dead.
 Q What is the name of your mother? A Susan Cooper.
 Q Is she living? A Yes; she is married now again, Shropshire is her name now.
 Q What is your wife's name? A Why my first wife's name was Tory.
 Q Was she a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation? A Citizen by blood, yes.
 Q Is she living? A No.
 Q When did she die? A She died on the 11th day of April 1904, I wont be certain, but I think she died though on the 11th or 17th, or long about there sometime.
 Q Have you any children? A Yes.
 Q State their names? A Lester M., Hubbard and Sister that is my three children by my first wife.
 Q Have the children been enrolled and approved? A Yes.
 Q Have you selected allotments for them? A Yes.
 Q You are married again now? A Yes.
 Q What is your second wife's name? A Annie Jones was her name.
 Q When were you married to her? A 8th day of January---will be two years tomorrow---1906.
 Q Have you any children by her? A Yes.
 Q How many? A One.
 Q What is the name of this child? A Lena May Cooper.
 Q When was she born? A She was born the 3rd or 4th day of February I dont know which day but the 4th I think.
 Q The affidavits to the birth of Lena May Cooper show that she was born on the 4th day of February 1906, are you willing to leave it that date? A Yes.
 Q Have you evidence of your marriage to Annie Jones? A I did have it, but I sent my license to the Commission.
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Lena May Cooper----2.

Q The marriage license and certificate forwarded in the matter of the enrollment of your child gives the names of the contracting parties as James Cooper and Annie Jones and the affidavits to the birth of your child, Lena May Cooper give the name of the father, as James T. Cooper. A Well that is--- sometimes I sign my name James T., sometimes James and sometimes just J. T., I never paid any attention.

Q Do you know your roll number? A Yes, 7329.

Q Do you know how you are enrolled? A Choctaw by blood.

Q What name? A James Cooper.

Q Is James Cooper whose name appears as No. 7329 upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation identical with James Cooper who appears in the evidence of marriage offered in support of the application of Lena May Cooper and with the James T. Cooper who appears in the affidavits as the father of this child?

A Yes.

Q You also forwarded affidavits to the death of your former wife, Tory Cooper, under the name of James T. Cooper? A I know I have signed the affidavits---I never paid any attention to how I signed them, in fact I didnt know how I was enrolled until just here while back when I found I was enrolled as James Cooper.

Q You are one and the same person? A Yes.

Witness excused.

I, Lola Mann, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true, full and complete translation of my stenographic notes taken in above entitled case on this the 7th day of January, 1907.

Lola Mann

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 7th day of January, 1907.

Walter W. Chappell
Notary Public.

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

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United States of America, }
Indian Territory, } ss.
Western District. }

I, **ROBERT P. HARRISON**, Clerk of the United States Court in the
Western District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument herelo
attached was filed for record in my office the 27 day of Feb.

1905, at _____ M., and duly recorded in Book B, Marriage
Record, Page 9.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, in said Territory, this
12 day of Apr, A. D. 1905.

Robert P. Harrison
Clerk.

By John Harlan Deputy.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE.

United States of America, }
Indian Territory, } ss.
Western District.

No. 2393643

To All Whom These Authorities May Come in Solemnizing Matrimony.

You are Hereby Commanded to Solemnize the Rite and Publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. James Cooper of Whitfield, in the Indian Territory, aged 29 years, and Miss Cornie Jones, of Whitfield, in the Indian Territory, aged 22 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Muskogee, Indian Territory, this 5th day of January, A. D. 1907.

R. P. Harrison
Clerk of the U. S. Court.
By W. E. Wice Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

United States of America, }
Indian Territory, } ss.
Western District.

I, Eld J. T. Evans, a Minister of the Gospel, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that on the 8 day of Jan, A. D. 1907, did duly and according to law as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and Publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 24 day of Feb, A. D. 1907.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Western District, Book A, Page 87.

Eld J. T. Evans
A Minister of the Gospel.

NOTE—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Western District, Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the license was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Lena May Cooper

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

JAN 15 1907

Approved..... 190...



Commissioner.

Done Feb. 4. 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Jan 27 1906.


COMMISSIONER.

*Application
Received
May 4. 1906.*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Lena May Cooper [Here insert name of child], born on the 4 day of Feb 1906
 Name of Father: James T. Cooper a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Annice Cooper a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. By marriage

Postoffice Whitefield & T

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Western District.

I, Annice Cooper on oath state that I am 24
 years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of James T. Cooper who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
 born to me on Fourth day of February 1906; that said child has been named
Lena May Cooper and was living March 4, 1906.

Annice Cooper

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Dec 1906.

John H. Oliver
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Western District.

I, James Cribberson a Physician on oath state that I
 attended on Annice Cooper wife of James T. Cooper
 on the Fourth day of Feb 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lena May Cooper

James Cribberson M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Dec 1906.

John H. Oliver
Notary Public.

Choc. minor 825

John F. Williams

M 825

23-825

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Senora W. Williams,

Pawnee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, John F. Williams, as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are advised that the Notary Public, before whom the affidavit of E.L. Collins, physician in attendance was executed, failed to affix his seal thereto, and it is therefore necessary that you forward new affidavits on the blank inclosed herewith, being careful to see that the Notary Public, before whom the same is acknowledged, affixes his name and seal to such affidavit.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

E. C.

23-825

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 10, 1906.

Senora W. Williams,

Panama, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Sarah E. Williams and E. L. Collins to the birth of John F. Williams, child of Senora W. and Sarah E. Williams, November 12, 1905, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

No. 365.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
The Indian Territory SS.
Central District

To Any Person Authorized By Law
to Solemnize Marriage-Greeting.

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Bans of Matrimony between Mr. Sanorah W. Williams of Farmer, in the Indian Territory, aged 31 years, and Miss Sarah B. Carter of Farmer, in the Indian Territory, aged 16, years, according to law and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

Witness My hand and Official Seal, this 27th day of Aug.
A. D. 1898.

E. J. Fannin
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

T. T. Varner,
Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA SS.
Indian Territory
Central District

I, J. E. McGee a Minister of the gospel DO HEREBY CERTIFY That on the 28 day of August A.D. 1898, I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Bans of Matrimony between the parties therein named,

WITNESS my hand this 28 day of August A. D. 1898.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, in the Indian Territory, Central District, Book A Page 152.

J. E. McGee
M.G.

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NEW BORN

199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *John F. Williams*

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved _____ 190-

Commissioner.

Born Nov. 12, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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CHOCTAW
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of John F. Williams, born on the 12th day of Nov, the 12th 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Senora W. Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sarah E. Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: By Blood Tribal enrollment of mother: By Enter. marriage
Postoffice: Panama, Ind. Terr.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Sarah E. Williams, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Senora W. Williams, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 12 day of November, 1905; that said child has been named
John F. Williams, and was living March 4, 1906.

Sarah E. Williams *ms*
ms

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { Jack Meadart
J. M. Maus

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 1906.

J. H. Goodnight
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, E. L. Collins MD., on oath state that I
attended on Sarah E. Williams, wife of Senora W. Williams
on the 12th day of NOV., 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named John F. Williams

E. L. Collins M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of May, 1906.

J. H. Goodnight
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

John F. Williams

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...



Commissioner.

Done Nov. 12. 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

F I L E D


COMMISSIONER.

CHOCTAW

NB 825

*Application
Received
May 23. 1906*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of John F. Williams, born on the 12 day of November 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Senora W. Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sarah E. Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Panama Fla.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Sarah E. Williams on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by Inter Marriages of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Senora W. Williams, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
born to me on 12 day of November 1905; that said child has been named
John F. Williams

Sarah E. Williams *her mark*

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] Emma Goodnight
J. W. Yardley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Nov 1906.
John H. Goodnight
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, E. L. Coccini Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Ballie Williams wife of Senora W. Williams
on the 12th day of Nov 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named John F. Williams

E. L. Coccini M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
.....
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Nov 1906.
John H. Goodnight
Notary Public.

Choc minor 826

Ruth Bench

m 826

7-5002

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 24, 1906.

Daniel Bench,

Bozwell, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Katie Bench and Amanda Beckworth to the birth of Ruth Bench,
child of Katie Bench and Daniel Bench, December 27, 1905, and
the same have been filed with the records of this office as
an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

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this is to settie that I have joine to gether Daniel C. Bench
Katie Stthens in the Rits of Matamoni

Lewis Johnson

Recorded Page 552.
this 12 day of Nov. 1895.

D. F. Wade, clerk.

(SEAL)

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the Above and fore-
going is a true and correct copy of the marriage certificate now
on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

826

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Ruth Bend

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

Born Dec. 27, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... Choctaw... Nation,
of ... Ruth Bench ... , born on the 27th day of December... 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: ... Daniel Bench ... a citizen of the... Choctaw... Nation.
Name of Mother: ... Katie Bench ... a citizen of the... Choctaw... Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father... 10172... Tribal enrollment of mother... 974...
Postoffice... Boswell, ... Indian Territory...

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
... Central ... District. }

I, ... Katie Bench ... on oath state that I am Twenty-seven...
years of age and a citizen by inter-marriage the... Choctaw... Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of... Daniel Bench ... , who is a citizen, by
... blood ... of the... Choctaw... Nation; that a female... child was
born to me on... 27th... day of... December... 1905...; that said child has been named
... Ruth Bench ... and was living March 4, 1906.

Katie Bench

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
..... }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this... 14th... day of... July... 1906.

Thos W Hunter
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
... Central ... District. }

I, ... Amanda Beckworth ... a mid-wife... , on oath state that I
attended on ... Katie Bench ... wife of... Daniel Bench ...
on the... 27th... day of December... 1905...; that there was born to her on said date a... female...
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named... Ruth Bench ...

Amanda Beckworth

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
..... }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this... 18th... day of... July... 1906.

Thos W Hunter
Notary Public.

Choc minor 827

Vernis E. Brians

m 827

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906

Vernis E. Evans.....

as a citizen of:

CHOCTAW

Nation.....

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 180...

Commissioner.

Perm Jan 21, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Vernis E. Brians, born on the 21 day of Jan 1904.
Name of Father: Robert H. Brians a citizen of the U.S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary M. Brians a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Non I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Mary M. Brians, on oath state that I am 23 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Robert H. Brians, who is a citizen, by Inter-marriage, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on 21 day of Jan 1904; that said child has been named Vernis E. Brians and was living March 4, 1906.

Mary M. Brians
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { B. J. McCain
Vivie Brians

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of July 1906.
B. J. McCain
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Mrs. A. E. Brians, a mid wife, on oath state that I attended on Mary M. Brians, wife of Robert H. Brians on the 21 day of Jan 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Vernis E. Brians.

A. E. Brians

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of July 1906.
B. J. McCain
Notary Public.

7-3325

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 23, 1906.

Robert H. Brians,
Non, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mary M. Brians and A. E. Brians to the birth of Vernis B. Brians, child of Robert H. Brians and Mary M. Brians, January 21, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

choc minor 828

David Dyer

m 828

MINOR

828

CHOCTAW
ENROLLMENT

DAVID DYER

As Citizen of the
CHOCTAW NATION
Act of Congress
Approved April 26, 1906

REFUSED FEB 13 1907

RECORD FORWARDED DEPARTMENT,

FEB 13 1907

ACTION APPROVED BY
SECRETARY OF INTERIOR MAR 2-1907

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENTAL ACTION
FORWARDED ATTORNEYS FOR CHOCTAW APR 4-1907
AND CHICKASAW NATIONS.

NOTICE OF DEPARTMENTAL
ACTION MAILED APPLICANT. APR 4-1907

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
Garvin, Indian Territory, Jan., 26, 1907.

In the matter of the application for enrollment as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation of David Dyer, card number 828.

Testimony taken near Garvin, I. T.

Carrie Lockley being duly sworn testified as follows:

EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Carrie Lockley.
Q What is your age? A 22 years old.
Q What is your post-office address? A Garvin, I. T.
Q Are you a citizen of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation? A No sir.
Q Are you a non-citizen, white woman? A Yes sir.
Q Are you the mother of David Dyer? A Yes sir.
Q How old is David Dyer, this child? A 3 years old.
Q When was he born? A November 2, 1903.
Q Is he living now? A Yes sir.
Q What is the name of the father of this child? A David Dyer.
Q Is that David Dyer Jr? A Yes sir.
Q What is the name of the father of David Dyer, who is the father of this child? A David Dyer.
Q Do you know the name of the mother of David Dyer Jr? A I do not know.
Q Is David Dyer Jr, the father of this child, a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes sir.
Q Were you ever married to David Dyer Jr, this child's father? A No sir.
Q This child David Dyer is the illegitimate child of yourself, and David Dyer Jr? A Yes sir.
Q You and David Dyer Jr were never legally married? A No sir.
Q Is David Dyer Jr a full-blood Choctaw? A Yes sir.
Q Are you the same person who made affidavit on July 3, 1906 before W. K. Dollarhide relative to the birth of David Dyer and in which affidavit is signed Carrie Dyer? A Yes sir, I was married to James Dyer, and that was my name when I made that affidavit.
Q Your name then was Carrie Dyer? A Yes sir.
Q You were at that time the wife of James Dyer? A Yes sir.
Q But the father of this child is David Dyer Jr? A Yes sir.
Q To whom you were never married? A Yes sir.

I Frank L. Doble on oath state that the above and foregoing is a full, true, and correct transcript of my stenographic notes taken in the above entitled cause at Garvin, Indian Territory on January 26, 1907.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this January 26, 1907.

Frank L. Doble

Notary Public
Notary Public.

23-828

199

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

.....
David Dyer.....

as a citizen of

.....
Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

.....
Born Nov 2. 1903-

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of David Dyer, born on the 2nd day of November 1903
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: David Dyer, Jr., a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Eva Lockley, a citizen of the Ark Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: ✓ Tribal enrollment of mother not enrolled.
Postoffice: Eagle Town, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Eva Dyer, nee Lockley, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of David Dyer, the Teacher, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that an illegitimate child was
born to me on 2nd day of November, 1903; that said child has been named
David Dyer, and was living March 4, 1906.
Carrie Dyer

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

W. K. Dollarhide
Jas. S. Billy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of July, 1906.



W. K. Dollarhide
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Pikey Billy, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Carrie Lockley, wife of David Dyer,
on the 2nd day of November, 1903; that there was born to her on said day a illegitimate male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named David Dyer.
Pikey Billy

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

W. K. Dollarhide
Susanna Billy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1906.



W. K. Dollarhide
Notary Public.

My Com 24 Sept 13 1909 -

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
David Dyer as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

- : D E C I S I O N : -

It appears from the record herein that on July 17,
1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five
Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of David Dyer as a citizen
by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the
Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137).

It further appears from the record herein that
said applicant was born on November 2, 1903, and is the
illegitimate daughter of Carrie Lockley, a non-citizen
white woman.

Section 2 of the Act of Congress approved April
26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137) provides:

"That for ninety days after approval hereof applications
shall be received for enrollment of children who were minors
living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents
have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw,
Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enroll-
ment pending at the approval hereof, and for the purpose of
enrollment under this section illegitimate children shall
take the status of the mother, and allotments shall be made
to children so enrolled."

I am therefore, of the opinion that the application
for the enrollment of David Dyer as a citizen by blood of the
Choctaw Nation, should be denied under the provisions of the
Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, (34 Stat., 137), and
it is so ordered.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory,


Commissioner.

FEB 13 1907

7-1361

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 21, 1906.

David Dyer, Jr.

Eagle Town, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of
Carrie Dyer and Pikey Billy to the birth of David Dyer, child
of David Dyer and Cora Lockley, November 2, 1905.

Respectfully,

James Dixey

Commissioner.

23-828

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Carrie Lockley,

Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, David Dyer as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are requested to advise this office if you were ever married to David Dyer Jr., the father of this child.

Please give this matter your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

James Dyer

Commissioner.

23-828

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Garric Lockley,

Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, David Dyer as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are requested to advise this office if you were ever married to David Dyer Jr., the father of this child.

Please give this matter your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

J. A. [Signature]

Commissioner.

COPY

Waskagee, Indian Territory, February 13, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of David Dyer as a citizen by blood of the Chectaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 13, 1907, denying said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED: *Tanis Bixby*

Commissioner.

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through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

23-828.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 13, 1907.

Mansfield, McFurray & Cernish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 13, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of David Dyer as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James D. Dyer

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-828.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

25-828.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 13, 1907.

Carrie Lockley,

Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 12, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of David Dyer as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Registered
Incl. 25-828.

ENCLOSURE.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON.

February 27, 1907.

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to invite your attention to the enclosed record of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes in the matter of the application for enrollment of David Dyer as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The Commissioner found that the applicant was born on November 2, 1903, is an illegitimate daughter of Carrie Lockley, a non-citizen white woman, and on February 13, 1907, he disapproved the application.

It is recommended that the decision of the Commissioner in this case be approved.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee

Acting Commissioner.

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J.P.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON,

S.P.

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5802, 5804, 5820, 5824, 5842-
5848, 5854, 5886, 5888, 5890-
5918, 5920, 5944, 5958, 5962, -
5964, 5968- "

March 2, 1907.

IRS

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following citizenship cases adverse to the applicant are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed:

Title of case.	Date of your letter of transmittal.
John W. Betts, et al.,	June 19, 1906,
Rachel Dyer,	December 20, 1906,
Mary E. Price, (intermarriage)	February 14, 1907,
Ells Horn, et al., (Freedman)	February 14, 1907,
James E. Mahardy, (Freedman)	February 14, 1907,
Andy Cotton (Freedman)	February 14, 1907,
Oscar L. Stone, (intermarriage)	February 14, 1907,
Archie Newton, et al., (Freedman)	February 14, 1907,
Charletta McCurtain, (intermarriage)	February 14, 1907,
Cleoric Phillips, (Freedman)	February 14, 1907,
Rasaphelt Butler, (Freedman)	February 11, 1907,
Lewis Bird Springs, (Freedman)	February 7, 1907,
Rutha Green, (Freedman)	February 11, 1907,

Title of Case.		Date of your letter of transmittal.
Sam Stewart,	(freedman)	February 11, 1907.
Jane Freeman, et al.	(freedman)	January 26, 1907.
Nyree Dangerfield, et al.	(freedmen)	January 26, 1907.
Linder Harlan,	(freedman)	February 13, 1907.
Frieda Lucas, et al.	(Miss. Choc.)	February 12, 1907.
Inez Crunk, et al.	(Miss. Choc.)	February 12, 1907.
Maggie Getton,	(freedman)	February 8, 1907.
William P. Cook,	(Miss. Choc.)	February 11, 1907.
Wavery Columbus Hunter, et al.	(Miss. Choc.)	February 12, 1907.
Augustus Anderson,	(freedman)	February 13, 1907.
Albert Fulson, et al.	(freedmen)	February 13, 1907.
David Dyer,		February 13, 1907.
Martha J. Moore, et al.		December 22, 1906.
Bill Daniels, et al.	(freedman)	February 14, 1907.
Nelvina King, et al.		January 29, 1907.
Levi Cornish, et al.	(Miss. Choc.)	February 12, 1907.
John Roberts,		January 25, 1907.
Joe P. Hunter,	(Miss. Choc.)	February 12, 1907.
Florence L. Roberts,	(Miss. Choc.)	February 12, 1907.

A copy herewith and the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Jesse E. Wilson

Assistant Secretary.

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23-528

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 4, 1907.

Carrie Lockley,

Magletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 13, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of David Dyer as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

Acting Commissioner.

23-836

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 4, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 13, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of David Dyer as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

Acting Commissioner.

Department of the Interior.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

MUSKOCOE, IND. TER.

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Edward Conn

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 23, 1906.

J. A. Conn,

Roberts, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Minnie J. Conn and Robert A. Lively to the birth of Edward Conn child of J. A. Conn and Minnie J. Conn, April 11, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

NEW BORN

829

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Edward Conn

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

SEP 20 1906

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Commissioner.

Born April 11, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Edward Conn, born on the 11th day of April, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: J. A. Conn not a citizen of the any Nation,
Name of Mother: Minnie J. Conn a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: not Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw.
Postoffice: Roberts, Indian Territory.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Minnie J. Conn, on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of J. A. Conn, who is not a citizen, or
of the any Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 11th day of April, 1905; that said child has been named
Edward Conn, and was living March 4, 1906.

Minnie J. Conn

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, 1906.

Victor Phillips
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

I, Robt. A. Lively, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Minnie J. Conn wife of J. A. Conn,
on the 11th day of April, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Edward Conn.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, 1906.

Robt A Lively M D
Victor Phillips
Notary Public.

Choc minor 830

Walter R. Cross

m 830

COPY

No. 254.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

United States of America,
The Indian Territory, } ss.
Southern District, }

To any person authorized by law to solemnize Marriage--
Greeting: You are hereby commanded to solemnize the rite and pub-
lish the banns of matrimony between Mr. A. G. Cross of Overbrook
in the Indian Territory, aged 18 years, and Miss R. J. Mayo of
Overbrook, in the Indian Territory, aged 16 years, according to
law, and do you officially sign and return this license to the
parties therein named.

Witness my hand and official seal this 15 day of July,
A. D. 1896.

JOS. W. PHILLIPS.

Clerk of the United States Court.

(SEAL)

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

United States of America,
The Indian Territory,
Southern District,

I, Jos. W. Phillips, a clerk of U. S. Court, do hereby
certify that on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1896, I did duly and
according to law, as commanded in the foregoing license, solemnize
the rite and publish the banns of matrimony between the parties
therein named. Witness my hand this 15th day of July, A. D. 1896.
My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the
United States Court, Indian Territory, Southern District, at

Ardmore, Book _____ page _____

Seal.

Clerk of U. S. Court So. Dist.

Jos. W. Phillips.

Endorsed:

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD OF MARRIAGE.

United States of America, }
The Indian Territory, } sct.
Southern District, }

I, Jos. W. Phillips, Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory and District aforesaid, do hereby certify that the license for and certificate of marriage of Mr. A. G. Gross and Miss R. J. Mayo were filed in my office in said Territory and District the 13 day of July A. D. 1896 and duly recorded in Book B of Marriage Record, page 128.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court at Ardmore this 13 day of July A. D. 1896.

Jos. W. Phillips,

Seal.

Clerk.

Indian Territory,
Southern District,

I do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true, perfect and literal copy of the original record in my office on page 128, vol. "B" of Marriages.

Witness my hand and official seal at Ardmore this 19 day of Sept. 1898.

EMAL

C. M. Campbell,

Clerk U. S. Court So. Dist. Ind. T.

NEW BORN

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Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Walter P. Cross

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved

190...

Commissioner.

Born Feb 10, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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CHOCTAW

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Walter R. Cross born on the 10 day of Feb 1906
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Alexander G. Cross a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Rillie J. Cross a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
 Postoffice: Womack I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Rillie J. Cross, on oath state that I am 26
 years of age and a citizen by Birth of the US Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Alexander G. Cross, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 10 day of Feb 1906; that said child has been named
Walter R. Cross and was living March 4, 1906.

Rillie J. Cross

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July 1906.

James H. McCall
 Notary Public.
 My Commission expires Feb 9th 1910

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Dr. A. W. Love, a Physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Rillie J. Cross, wife of Alexander G. Cross
 on the 10 day of Feb 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Walter R. Cross

Dr. A. W. Love

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July 1906.

My Commission expires Aug 22, 1907

John H. Venables
 Notary Public.

choc minor 831

Rosie Pearl Wright

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NEW BORN

831 ✓

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Rosie Pearl Wright

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 190...

[Signature]

Commissioner.

Born April 22, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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CHOCTAW
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Rosie Pearl Wright born on the 22 day of April 1905
Name of Father: John Wright a citizen of the U. S. Nation
Name of Mother: Sarah Ann Marguett Wright citizen of the Choctaw Nation
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Atta, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Sarah Ann Marguett Wright on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John Wright, who is a citizen,
of the U. S. Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 22 day of April 1905 that said child has been named
Rosie Pearl Wright and was living March 4, 1906.
Sarah Ann Marguett Wright

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of May 1906.
R. O. Delaney
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Mrs. Addie Wright a Mid-Wife on oath state that I
attended on Sarah Ann Marguett Wright wife of John Wright
on the 22 day of April 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Rosie Pearl
Wright
Addie Wright

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of May 1906.
R. O. Delaney
Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 24, 1906.

Sarah Ann Margerett Wright,
Atlee, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of Addie Wright to the birth of Resie Pearl Wright, daughter of John and Sarah Ann Margerett Wright, April 22, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It appears from the affidavits that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to state when, where and under what name application was made for your enrollment, the names of your parents and other members of your family for whom application was made at the same time, and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

the Commissioner
to the Five Civilised Tribes,

Ardmore, I. T.

Gentlemen:

Your Favor of the 24 received in reply will state my
Maden Name was Stidham My Fathers Given Name was Johatton My Mothers
name was Mary Durant I have Two sisters named Lillie Perl and
Drusiller and two Brothers Named Zacharah and Marion My roll No.
on my allotment certificate is 533 hoping this will be satisfactory
information I am yours respt.

Sarah Wright.

7-248

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 20, 1906.

Sarah Wright,

Atlee, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 29, 1906, in which you state your maiden name was Stidham and that your father's given name was Jolhatton and your mother's name Mary Durant.

This information has enabled this office to identify her as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child Missie Pearl Wright have been filed as an application for her enrollment.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-248

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 30, 1906.

Sarah Wright,

Atles, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 15, 1906, asking if your letter giving the information requested by this office, in the matter of the enrollment of your child, Rosie Pearl Wright, has been received.

In reply you are advised that your letter giving information relative to the names of your parents was received and the same has enabled this office to identify you as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The affidavits forwarded to the birth of your child have been filed as an application for her enrollment.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 832

Cephose beams

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7-2017 Daniel Robert ✓
NEW BORN
1-1-205 Nancy Beams
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832 IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Cephase Beams

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved. JAN 15 1907 190...

 Commissioner.

Born Sept. 14, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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 Commissioner.

CHOCTAW
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

THE RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
 of Cephus Barnes, born on the 11 day of Sept, 1894
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Daniel Robart a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
 Name of Mother: Nadley Barnes a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice..... Smithville, Tenn.....

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Nadley Barnes, on oath state that I am 18
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Daniel Robart, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 11 day of September, 1904; that said child has been named
Cephus Barnes, and was living March 4, 1906.

Nadley Barnes

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Daniel Stephens
William

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of July, 1906.

H. R. James
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

We Daniel Stephens & William, a acquaintance, on oath state that we
 are personally acquainted with Nadley Barnes Daniel Robart
 on the 11 day of Sept, 1904, that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Cephus
Barnes.

Daniel Stephens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of July, 1906.

H. R. James
Notary Public.

Choc minor 833

Fannie Carn

M 833

23-632

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Daniel Robert,

Smithville, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, Cephas Beams, you are requested to advise this office the names of your parents and the names of the parents of your wife, Nadsey Beams, and if you have selected allotments in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations, give your roll numbers as the same appear upon your allotment certificates.

You are also requested to inform this office if Nadsey Beams is the correct name of your wife.

In the matter of the enrollment of this child, it will also be necessary that you forward an affidavit of another disinterested witness to the birth of this child on September 11, 1904, and you are further requested to state the correct name of this child, as it is spelled "Cephus" in one affidavit, and "Cephas" in the other affidavit.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-833

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Harlie, Carnes,

Glover, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, Fannie Carnes, you are advised that the surname is given in the affidavit as Carnes, while the names of the parents on the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, are "Carn". It will therefore be necessary that you forward new affidavits to the birth of this child, having your surname spelled correctly throughout.

You are further advised that in the matter of the enrollment of this child, it will be necessary that you forward affidavit of Mary Charley, mother of this child, or in the event of your inability to secure such affidavit, you should forward affidavits of two disinterested persons.

Please give this matter your immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

United States of America.

Indian Territory

Central District.

Affidavit of Harlie Barnes.

I, Harlie Barnes on oath state that
I am 23 years of age and a citizen by
blood of the Choctaw Nation and that I was
legally married to Mary Charley by M. B.
Brown, County Judge of Red River County, Choctaw
Nation and lived together until sometime
in the year 1905 and was divorced
from her in December Term of The Court
2nd Judicial District of the Choctaw Nation.
& the copy of the Certificate of marriage
& divorce was duly submitted & attested
I am in possession of the child
Fannie Barnes of our child.

Harlie ^{his} Barnes.

Witness to Make

Edmund P. Willis

Notary Public

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 20th day of

1907
Notary Public

This is to Certifies that _

Harlis Carnis

And

Mary Charley

Wereby me united in marriage at Lukfata, I.T.
according to the laws of the Chectaw Nation,
on the 20 day of January 1903.

P. N. Schommer

County and Probate Judge of

Bektuklo County

Chectaw Nation, Ind. Terr.

I A. N. Schommer County Clerk of Bektuklo County
Chockaw Nation, hereby certify that the above and
foregoing is a true, perfect and literal copy of the original
letter of marriage issued to Harlis Carnis and Mary Charley,
the same now appears on record in my office.

Witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and affixed
my seal this 20 day of Jan 1903.

A. N. Schommer
County Clerk Bektuklo County.

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NEW BORN
7-930

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Fannie Barnes

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Feb. 7, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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CHOCTAW

713 833

RECEIVED
JUL 25 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Fannie Barnes, born on the 7th day of February, 1903
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Harlis Barnes a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary Charley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Shoals, I. T.

Father
AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Harlis Barnes, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful ~~wife~~ ^{husband} of Mary Charley, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to ~~me~~ ^{my wife} on 7th day of February, 1903; that said child has been named
Fannie Barnes, and was living March 4, 1906.

Harlis Barnes
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Edmund P. Willis
Daniel Anderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

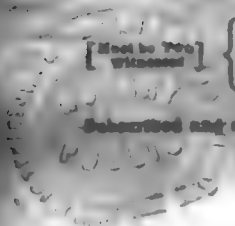
Mr. Edmund P. Willis and Harlin Franklin, on oath state that we
are personally acquainted with Harlis Barnes and
attended on Mary Charley, wife of Harlis Barnes, at
on the 7th day of February, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Fannie Barnes.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Harlin Franklin
Edmund P. Willis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES
Lukfata, Ind. Ter., January 18, 1907.

In the matter of the application for enrollment as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Fannie Carn, card No. 833.

HARLIS CARN being duly sworn testifies as follows:

Sam Burris, official interpreter.

EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Harlis Carn.
Q What is your post office address? A Glover, I. T.
Q Have you a child named Fannie? A Yes sir.
Q When was Fannie born? A Seventh of February, 1903.
Q What is the name of the mother of Fannie Carn? A Mary Charley.
Q On July 20, 1906, one Harlis Carnes, C-a-r-n-e-s, made affidavit that a female child was born to his wife, Mary Charley, February 7, 1903, and that this child was named Fannie Carnes, C-a-r-n-e-s: Are you the same person who made this affidavit as Harlis Carnes? A Yes sir.
Q Your name is signed to this affidavit by mark as C-a-r-n-e-s: Your correct name is Carn, C-a-r-n, is it? A Yes sir.
Q Your name appears upon the approved roll of Choctaws by blood as Harlis Carn, C-a-r-n? A Yes sir, enrolled that way.
Q And the name of this child should be Fannie Carn, C-a-r-n, instead of Fannie Carnes, C-a-r-n-e-s? A Yes sir.
Q On the same date you made this affidavit, July 20, 1906, Harkin Franklin and Edmund P. Willis also made affidavit relative to the birth of this child, Fannie Carnes: This is the same child as Fannie Carn, C-a-r-n, is it? A Yes sir, the same child.
Q And her correct name is Fannie Carn, C-a-r-n? A Yes sir/
Q Is Fannie Carn now living? A Yes sir.
Q Does she live with you? A Yes sir.

Frank L. Doble on oath states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in the above entitled cause near Lukfata, Indian Territory on January 18, 1907.

Frank L. Doble

Subscribed and sworn to before me this January 18, 1907.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

Jcc

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

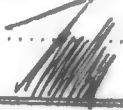
Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Fannie Carn

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved **FEB 11 1907** 190...



Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Fannie Carn born on the 7th day of February 1903
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Harlis Carn a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary Charley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Glover, A.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Thomas Fisher, on oath state that I am 70 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
acquainted with Mary Charley who was that I am the lawful wife of Harlis Carn, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was [Male or Female] born to me on 7th day of February 1903; that said child has been named Fannie Carn and was living March 4, 1906.
Thomas Fisher mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { W. W. Martin
Frank L. Doble

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Jan'y 1906

W. W. Martin

Notary Public,

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Daniel Anderson, on oath state that I am acquainted with Mary Charley who was wife of Harlis Carn, and know that on the 7th day of Feb'y 1903 that there was born to her female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Fannie Carn.
Daniel Anderson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Jan'y 1906

W. W. Martin

Notary Public.

Choc minor 834

Noel Charley

m 834

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 30, 1906.

Thomas Fisher,

Lukfata, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, of Noel Charley, child of Amos and Hetsie Charley, you are advised that you should state the name of the father of Amos Charley, his age, and if he has selected an allotment in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations, give his roll number as the same appears on the allotment certificate.

You are also advised that if Hetsie Charley is living, you should secure her affidavit to the birth of this child, and if not, you should secure the affidavit of one additional witness who knows of the birth of this child, the date of his birth, and that he was living March 4, 1906.

Please give this matter your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

**Act of Congress Approved
April 20, 1900.**

.....
as a citizen of

..... **Nation.**

Approved..... **190...**

.....
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Noel Charley born on the 17th day of Aug, 1903
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Not known a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Netsie Charley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
 Postoffice: Ludford, MS

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Charles Colbert, on oath state that I am 42
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 was personally acquainted with Netsie Charley, now dead,
 that I was the lawful wife of Netsie Charley, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
 born to Netsie Charley on 17th day of August, 1903 that said child has been named
Noel Charley
 is illegitimate, and his father is unknown, since the death of Netsie Charley
 on May 17, 1906, Noel Charley has lived with me, Charles Colbert.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Jan, 1909

M. Martin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Sarah Siner Tonikka, on oath state that I was
 personally acquainted with Netsie Charley, now dead
 attended on Netsie Charley
 and know that on the 17th day of Aug, 1903 that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Noel Charley; that
 said child is illegitimate, and his father is unknown.
Siner Tonikka

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Jan, 1909

M. Martin
James L. Doble
M. Martin
 Notary Public.

7023 (Notsie Charley)

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Noel Charley

as a citizen of

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CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved FEB 11 1907 190...

Commissioner.

Born Aug. 15, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
of Noel Charley, born on the 15 day of August, 1903.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: Neddie Charley a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: Luftsch, I.T.

Acquaintance
AFFIDAVIT OF MEMBER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central District. }

I, Thomas F. Fisher, on oath state that I am 20 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Neddie Charley ^{personally acquainted with} decd. who is a citizen, by blood of the Cherokee Nation; that a Male child was born to me on 15 day of August, 1903; that said child has been named Noel Charley, and was living March 4, 1906.

Thomas F. Fisher
Notary Public.

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be Two Witnesses] { Daniel Anderson
Alfred Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July, 1906.
W. H. Murray
Notary Public.

Acquaintance
AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central District. }

Mr. Daniel Anderson and Alfred Davis on oath state that we are personally acquainted with Neddie Charley, wife of Amos Charley decd. + that on the 15 day of August, 1903, that there was born to her on said date a Male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Noel Charley.

WITNESSES TO MARK:
[Must be Two Witnesses] { Daniel Anderson
Alfred Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July, 1906.
W. H. Murray
Notary Public.

Choc minor 835

Edwin Cole

M 835

23-855

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Louisa Nanomantubbes,

Fort Towson, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Edwin Cole, there are inclosed herewith blank affidavits to be executed by yourself and the physician or midwife in attendance at the birth of this child.

In having these affidavits executed be careful to see that the Notary Public before whom the same are acknowledged affixes his name and seal to each affidavit and in the event either person making affidavit signs by mark, such signature should be attested by two disinterested witnesses who can sign their own names.

Respectfully,

B. T.

Commissioner.

23-955

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 10, 1906.

Edwin Cole,

Fort Towson, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Edwin Cole born January 9, 1906, you are requested to furnish this office at once the affidavit of the mother and the affidavit of the attending physician or midwife to the birth of this child on the blank inclosed herewith.

Please give this matter immediate attention.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

23-855

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

Israel Cole,

Port Towson, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Louisa Cole and Robt. H. Faught to the birth of Edwin Cole, child
of Israel and Louisa Cole, January 9, 1906, and the same have been
filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-835.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 20, 1906.

J. F. Larecy,

Hugo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of the 15th instant, requesting to be advised of the status of the application for the enrollment of Edwin Cole, infant child of Louisa and Israel Cole.

Relative thereto you are advised that the name of said Edwin Cole has been placed upon a schedule of minor Choctaw citizens and is now pending before the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

United States of America Ind. T. }

Central District (

Louisa Cole an oath. State that I am 25
years of age and a citizen By Blood of the
Choctaw Nat. and will state
that I was leg. my Husband
Last. The Court suspect I
Don't know the Ball No.
of his as mine

Louisa Cole,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
10th. Day of - Oct - 1906

Thomas Fennell
Notary Public

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NEW BORN
7-1034

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Edwin Cole

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

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Commissioner.

Born Jan. 9, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation,
of Edwin Cole born on the 9 day of January, 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Israel Cole a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Louisa Nanomantube a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: _____

Postoffice: Fort Towson, I.T.

Acquaintance
AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Wister David, on oath state that I am 16
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Lehotaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Israel Cole, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Lehotaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 9th day of January, 1906; that said child has been named
Edwin Cole, and was living March 4, 1906.

Wister David

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

Acquaintance
AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Wilmon Nanomantube, on oath state that I
am personally acquainted with Louisa Nanomantube wife
of Israel Cole
on the 9 day of Jan, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named _____

Edwin Cole Wilmon Nanomantube

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Edwin Cole.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

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[Signature]
.....
Commissioner.

From January 9, 1906.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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[Signature]

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BIRTH AFFIDAVIT.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Edwin Cole, born on the 9 day of January 1906.
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Ireal Cole a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Fanisa Cole a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:

Postoffice: W. Dawson Ind Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Fanisa Cole, on oath state that I am 25
 years of age and a citizen by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Ireal Cole, who is a citizen, by
Blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 9th day of January 1906; that said child has been named
Edwin Cole and was living March 4, 1906. Still living
Louisa Cole

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Nov 1906.
Thomas Fenwick
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Robert H. Faugh, a Physician, on oath state that I
 attended on Fanisa Cole, wife of Ireal Cole,
 on the 9th day of January 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Edwin Cole.
Robt. H. Faugh M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Nov 1906.
Thomas Fenwick
 Notary Public.

Choc minor 836

Rephay Williams

Minnie Christy

m 836

23-836

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Sam Christie,

Hugo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Minnie Christie, child of yourself and Lottie Christie, born July 26, 1904, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward the affidavit of the mother and the affidavit of the attending physician or midwife to the birth of this child. In the event Lottie Christie, the mother is dead it will be necessary that you forward the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who know of the birth of this child, the names of her parents and that she was living March 4, 1906.

~~if Emma Williams who signs the affidavit as midwife was~~
the only person in attendance at the birth of this child and there was no physician it will be necessary that you procure the affidavits of two more disinterested witnesses who know of the birth of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-1587 Simi + Lottie ✓

NEW BORN *Christie*

836

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

Minnie Christy

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born July 26, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Leho clan* Nation,
of *Minnie Christy*, born on the *26* day of *July*, 19*04*
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: *Samuel Christy* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Saite Christy* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: *Hugo and Co*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER. *affirmed*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, *Emma Williams*, on oath state that I am *21*
years of age and a citizen by *Blood* of the *Leho clan* Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of *Samuel Christy* who is a citizen, by
Blood of the *Choctaw* Nation; that a *Female* child was
born to me on *26* day of *July*, 19*04*; that said child has been named
Minnie Christy, and was living March 4, 1906.
Emma Williams

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *July*, 1906.
W. J. James
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE. *affirmed*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, *Emma Williams*, on oath state that I
attended on *Saite Christy* wife of *Samuel Christy*
on the *26* day of *July*, 19*04*; that there was born to her on said date a *Female*
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Minnie Christy. *Emma Williams*

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *July*, 1906.
W. J. James
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Minnie Christy.....
as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved **FEB 11 1907**..... 190...

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Winnie Christy (Here insert name of child) born on the 26 day of July 1904
Name of Father: Sim Christy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lottie Christy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Hugo Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Okmulgee District. }

I, Lottie Christy, on oath state that I am about 35 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Sim Christy, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was (Male or Female) born to me on 26 day of July 1904; that said child has been named Winnie Christy and was living March 4, 1906.

Lottie her Christy
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Carl Gattison
Sam Cole }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of January 1907
Carl Gattison
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Okmulgee District. }

I, Emma Williams, a Mid wife, on oath state that I attended on Lottie Christy, wife of Sim Christy on the 26 day of July 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Winnie Christy.

Emma her Williams
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Carl Gattison
Sam Cole }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of January 1907
Carl Gattison
Notary Public.

7-1587 *Sims Christie*
Emma Williams

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Raphy Williams.....

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born July 22, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Raphey Williams, born on the 22 day of July, 1904.
(here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Samuel Christy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Emmie Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....

Postoffice Hugo Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }

I, Emmie Williams, on oath state that I am 21
 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the ^{not wife} lawful wife of Samuel Christy, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
 born to me on 22 day of July, 1904; that said child has been named
Raphey Williams and was living March 4, 1906.
Emmie Williams

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July, 1906.
A. W. James
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }

I, Loide Christy, a Mid. Wife, on oath state that I,
 attended on Loide Williams wife of.....
 on the 22 day of July, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male
[Male or Female]
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
Raphey Williams Loide Christy
 mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Samuel Christy
N. M. Nelson
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July, 1906.
A. W. James
 Notary Public.

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MINOR CHILD

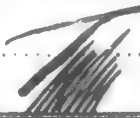
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Rufey Williams.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Raphy Williams born on the 27 day of July 1904
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Jim Christy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Emma Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....

Postoffice: Kuga Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
bernal District. }

I, Emma Williams, on oath state that I am 23 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am ^{not} the lawful wife of Jim Christy, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was born to me on 22 day of July 1904; that said child has been named Raphy Williams and was living March 4, 1906.

Emma Williams
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Carl Patterson
Sam Cole

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of January 1907
Carl Patterson
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
bernal District. }

I, Loetie Christy, a Midwife, on oath state that I attended on Emma Williams, wife of _____ on the 22 day of July 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Raphy Williams.

Loetie Christy
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Sam Cole
Carl Patterson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of January 1907
Carl Patterson
Notary Public.

23-836

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 1, 1906.

Emma Williams,

Hugo, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Rephey Williams born July 22, 1904 you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward new affidavits to the birth of this child on the blank inclosed herewith. In having the same executed be careful to see that the Notary Public before whom the affidavits are acknowledged affixes his name and seal to each affidavit. Signatures by mark must be attested by two disinterested witnesses.

You are informed that in the affidavits heretofore forwarded Laide Christie who makes the affidavit as midwife states that the mother of this child is Laide Christie, and you are advised that it will be necessary that both affidavits to the birth of this child give the correct name of the mother. Please give this matter immediate attention.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

Choc minor 837

James Davis

m 837

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

WB

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 24, 1906.

Sissie Davis,

Hugo, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your minor child, James Davis, born October 27, 1904, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward either your affidavit, the affidavit of the attending physician or mid-wife or the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who have actual knowledge of the facts, that the child was born, the date of his birth, that he was living March 4, 1906, and that you are his mother.

This matter should receive your prompt attention.

Respectfully,

W. O. Beall

Acting Commissioner.

23-837

Waskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Sissie Davis,

Hugo, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child James Davis born October 27, 1904, as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward your affidavit and the affidavit of the physician or midwife in attendance at the birth of this child on the blank inclosed herewith.

This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

7-1599
7-1582 - Missy Davis ✓
NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

James Davis

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Oct. 27, 1904
Illegitimate

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Jane Davis born on the 27 day of October 1904.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: John Billy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Essie Davis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....

Postoffice: Hugo Ind Ter

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER. against

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

I, Emma Williams, on oath state that I am 21
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Essie Davis + John Billy, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a child was
born to me on 27 day of October, 1904; that said child has been named
Jane, and was living March 4, 1906.
Emma Williams

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1906.
W. J. James
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE. against

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

I, W. M. Wilson acquaintance, on oath state that I
am personally acquainted with Essie Davis wife of John Billy
and that on the 27 day of October, 1904 that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named
Jane Davis W. M. Wilson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1906.
W. J. James
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

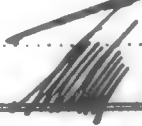
James Davis

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved **FEB 11 1907** 190...



Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER.

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*Application
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July 25, 1906*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of James Davis, born on the 27 day of October 1904
Name of Father: John Riley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Sissie Davis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Hamden, Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central District. }

I, Sissie Davis, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am ^{not} the lawful wife of John Riley, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 27 day of October, 1904; that said child has been named
James Davis and was living March 4, 1906.
Sissie ^{her} Davis
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { W.M. Maynard
Carl Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February 1907
Carl Johnson
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central District. }

I, Emma Williams, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Sissie Davis, wife of _____
on the 27th day of October, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
James Davis Emma ^{her} Williams
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { W.M. Maynard
Carl Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of February 1907
Carl Johnson
Notary Public.

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Form No. 260.

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY

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ROBERT G. CLOWRY, President and General Manager.

Receiver's No.

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Collect.

SEND the following message subject to the terms
on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 16, 1906.

W. M. Nelson,
Antlers, Indian Territory.

Replying telegram fifteenth instant, Cellin Kneyabbi not yet for-
warded Secretary for approval. If additional evidence is necessary
you will be advised.

Bixby,
Commissioner.

READ THE NOTICE AND AGREEMENT ON BACK.

23-838

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 15, 1906.

Forbis Emeyabbi,

Noah, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 8, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Sillen Emeyabbi.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Cellin Emeyabbi has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior, and you will be notified of the approval of her enrollment.

Respectfully;

Commissioner.

United States of America
Indian Territory
Central District
Affidavit of Acquaintance.

I, Smallwood Frazier on oath state that I am 26 years of age and a citizen, by blood, of Choctaw Nation, that my post office address is Noah, I.T. That I ~~was~~ personally acquainted with Forbis Emeyutbi and Miniffie Emeyutbi (nee Edward) husband and wife - and that a female child was born to Miniffie Emeyutbi (nee Edward) on the 23rd day of May 1905 and that child has been named Bellie Emeyutbi and was living on the 4th day of March 1906.
Smallwood Frazier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day
of July 1906.

A. W. Turner
Notary Public

United States of America
Indian Territory
Central District.

Affidavit of Acquaintance.

I, Paul Stephen on oath state
that I am 56 years of age, and a citizen by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that my
post office address is Noah, Ind. Ter.;
that I was and I am personally acquainted
Forbis Emeyubbi and Maniffi Emeyubbi (née Edward),
husband and wife, and that a female child
was born to Maniffi Emeyubbi (née Edward) on
the 23rd day of May 1905 and that child
has been named Cullin Emeyubbi and
was living on the 4th day of March 1906.

Paul Stephen

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 16th day of July 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

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NEW BORN ✓
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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Cellin Emeyabbi.....

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved..... **NOV 28 1906** 1906..

~~Commissioner.~~

Born May 23, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Bellin born on the 23 day of May 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Fortis Emeyabbi a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Mameffia Emeyabbi, nee Edward, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: 990 Tribal enrollment of mother: 2307
 Postoffice: Noah, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Mameffia Emeyabbi (nee Edward), on oath state that I am 38
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Fortis Emeyabbi, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
[Male or Female]
 born to me on 23rd day of May 1905; that said child has been named
Bellin Emeyabbi, and was living March 4, 1906.

Mameffia Emeyabbi (nee Edward)
male

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Smallwood Frazier
Paul Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July 1906.

W. H. K. K. K.
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Fortis Emeyabbi, on oath state that I
 attended on Mameffia Emeyabbi, nee Edward my lawful
 wife on the 23 day of May 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
[Male or Female]
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Bellin Emeyabbi

Fortis Emeyabbi
male

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Smallwood Frazier
Paul Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July 1906.

W. H. K. K. K.
Notary Public.

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Charles Hugh Fargo

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Charles Hugh Farys

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved JAN 15 1907 190

~~[Signature]~~

Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

SECRET OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

NOV 10 1906

~~[Signature]~~

COMMISSIONER.

Application
Received
July 13, 1906

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Chas Hugh Fargo born on the 14th day of Oct, 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Issac A Fargo a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Maud L Fargo a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Cherokee
Postoffice: Wulhian 25

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

North District.

I, Maud L Fargo Wulhian on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Cherokee Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Issac A Fargo who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
born to me on 14th day of Oct, 1905; that said child has been named
Chas Hugh Fargo and was living March 4, 1906.

Maud L Fargo

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Nov, 1906.

Joe W Goodman
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

North District.

I, S R Bates a Cherokee on oath state that I
attended on Maud L Fargo wife of Issac A Fargo
on the 14th day of Oct, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Chas Hugh
Fargo

S R Bates M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Nov, 1906.

Joe W Goodman
Notary Public.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 23, 1906.

Isaac A. Fargo,

Muldrow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Maud L. Fargo and Samuel R. Bates to the birth of Charles Hugh Fargo, child of Isaac A. Fargo and Maud L. Fargo, October 14, 1905; and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-839

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 1, 1906.

Isaac A. Fargo,
Muldrow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Charles Hugh Fargo, born October 14, 1905 you are advised that the affidavit of the mother does not give the year of the birth of this child. It will therefore be necessary that you forward new affidavit on the blank inclosed herewith. It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation and if this is correct you are requested to state the name under which she made application for enrollment and in the event she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Cherokee Nation please give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate.

Please give this matter immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 14, 1906.

Chief Clerk,

Choctaw and Chickasaw Enrollment Division.

Dear Madam:-

Replying to your verbal request you are advised the records of this office fail to show that any application has been made for the enrollment, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), of Charles Hugh Fargo, minor child of Isaac A. Fargo, a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Maud L. Fargo (Maud Hope), a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,


Commissioner.

23-839

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 14, 1906.

Isaac Fargo,

Muldrow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Maud L. Fargo and S. B. Bates to the birth of Charles Hugh Fargo, child of Isaac A. and Maud L. Fargo, October 14, 1905 and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

You are also requested to forward evidence of your marriage to Maud L. Fargo, the mother of this child, to be used in the matter of his enrollment.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-839

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 27, 1906.

Isaac Fargo,

Muldrow Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 19, 1906, transmitting marriage license and certificate between Isaac Fargo and Maud Hope and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your child Charles Hugh Fargo.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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FB 1-13.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 13, 1906.

Isaac Fargo,

Muldrow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the affidavits to the birth of your minor child Charles Hugh Fargo executed November 9, 1906, you are advised that the affidavit of the physician gives the date of the birth of this child as October 14, 1906, while the affidavit of the mother gives the date as October 14, 1908. The same are herewith returned for the purpose of having the affidavit of the physician show the exact date.

You are further advised that you should forward joint affidavit of yourself and wife electing whether you desire to have your child Charles Hugh Fargo enrolled as a citizen of the Choctaw or Cherokee Nation.

You are also requested to forward an affidavit showing that Maud L. Fargo who appears in the affidavit as the mother of this child is identical with "Maud" who appears in the marriage license and certificate. This matter should receive your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

FB 1-13.

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 27, 1906.

Isaac Fargo,

Muldrow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of corrected affidavits relative to the birth of your child, Charles Hugh Fargo, which occurred October 14, 1906, and the same have been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of this child.

You are advised, however, that you should forward affidavit showing that the Maud Hope referred to in the marriage license and certificate is the Maud L. Fargo who appears in the affidavits as the mother of the child; also a joint affidavit of yourself and wife, electing whether you will have your child, Charles Hugh Fargo, enrolled in the Choctaw or Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1907.

Isaac Fargo,

Muldrow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 2, 1907, in which you ask relative to the approval of the enrollment of your child Charles Hugh Fargo.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on February 15, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child Charles Hugh Fargo as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

United States of America)
Northern District) ss
Indian Territory)

On this day personally appeared before me the undersigned,

a Notary Public, duly acting and commissioned for the Northern District of the Indian Territory at Muldrow, ~~Isaac Fargo~~ and ~~Maud L. Fargo~~, his wife, and who after being duly sworn deposes and says:-

Our names are Isaac Fargo and Maud L. Fargo, respectively; we are 25 and 24 years of age, respectively; that we live at Muldrow; that Maud L. Fargo, the wife, is the same and identical Maud Fargo whose name appears on the final rolls of Cherokee Citizens by blood as Maud L. Hope she having married the Applicant Isaac Fargo on the 26th. day of December 1904.

Deponents further say that they and each of them elects that the name of their son, Charles Hugh Fargo, aged 14 months, be enrolled upon the final rolls of the Choctaws by blood.

Further deponents say not.

Isaac Fargo
Maud L. Fargo

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 1st. day of

January 1907

Joseph M. ...
Notary Public.

My Com. Exp. 27 of Jan 07

~~United States of America~~
~~Northern District~~

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD

United States of America }
INDIAN TERRITORY } ss.
NORTHERN DISTRICT }

NORTH DIST. IND. TER.
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AT VINITA, I. T.
JAN 9 1895
CHAS. A. DAVIDSON,
CLERK U. S. COURT.

I, CHARLES A. DAVIDSON, Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for record in my office the _____ day of _____ JANUARY _____ 1905 at _____ M., and duly recorded in Book _____ Marriage Record, Page 32

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at VINITA in said Territory, this 9 day of JANUARY A. D. 1905
Charles A. Davidson Clerk.
By _____ Deputy.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

United States of America }
INDIAN TERRITORY } ss.
NORTHERN DISTRICT }

No. 597

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage — Greeting :

You are hereby Commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. Isaac Fargo of Muldrow in the Indian Territory, aged 29 years, and Miss Maud Poppe of Muldrow in the Indian Territory, aged 22 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Sallisaw Indian Territory, this 26 day of December A. D. 1904

By D. P. Helaney Deputy.

Chas A. Davidson
Clerk of the United States Court.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

United States of America }
INDIAN TERRITORY } ss.
NORTHERN DISTRICT }

I, Rev. H. B. Lemmy a Minister of the Gospel, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that on the 26 day of Dec, A. D. 1904 I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 27 day of Feb, A. D. 1904

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Northern District,

Book B Page 69.

H. B. Lemmy
A Minister of the Gospel.

NOTE — This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the Office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within sixty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Charles Hugh Fargo.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Oct. 14, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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[Signature] COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Charles Hugh Fargo, born on the 14th day of October, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Isaac A. Fargo a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Maud L. Fargo a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....

Postoffice Muldrow, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Northern District. }

I, Maud L. Fargo on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Cherokee Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Isaac A. Fargo, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 14th day of October; that said child has been named
Charles Hugh Fargo and was living March 4, 1906.

Maud L. Fargo.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1906.

My Commission Expires 2-20-1909.

James W. Brandon
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Northern District. }

I, Samuel R. Bates a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Maud L. Fargo wife of Isaac A. Fargo
on the 14th day of October, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Charles Hugh Fargo

Samuel R. Bates

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1906.

My Commission Expires 2-20-1909.

James W. Brandon
Notary Public.

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Nelson Carl Farris

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MINOR
CHOCTAW
ENROLLMENT

Nelson Carl Farris

As Citizen of the
CHOCTAW NATION
Act of Congress
Approved April 26, 1906

DISMISSED SEP 27 1905

COPY OF DECISION FORWARDED
APPLICANT SEP 27 1906

COPY OF DECISION FORWARDED
ATTORNEYS FOR CHOCTAW AND
CHICKASAW NATIONS SEP 27 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a
citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation of

NELSON CARL FARRIS.....23-840.

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 1, 1906.

John Farris,

Purdy, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of Lizzie Farris and J. W. Tucker to the birth of Nelson Carl Farris, child of John and Lizzie Farris, November 1, 1905.

It appears from the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tame Bixby,

Commissioner.

COPY.

Purdy, Ind. Ter., July 11th, 1906.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Yours of the 5th inst. received, I will say that
parents of Lizzie Farris, nee Martha Elizabeth Freney, were
Andrew G. and Mary Ann Freney; she was enrolled Sept.
23rd. 1904, and her enrollment number is 15552.

Very respectfully yours,

John Farris.

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 21, 1906.

John Farris,
Purdy, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 11, 1906, in which you state that the names of the parents of Lizzie Farris, nee Martha Elisabeth Freaney, were Andrew G. and Mary Ann Freaney; that she was enrolled September 25, 1904, and that her roll number is 15552.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify your wife, Lizzie Farris, as an enrolled citizen of the Choctaw Nation, and the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child, Nelson Carl Farris, have been filed as an application for his enrollment.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tamas Birby.

Commissioner.

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 25, 1906.

J. W. Tucker,

Burcy, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 18, 1906, in which you state that since investigating the death of Nelson Carl Farris, child of John and Lizzie Farris, you find that said child died prior to March 4, 1906.

For the purpose of making the death of this child a matter of record there is enclosed you herewith a blank death certificate.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Dixby.

D. G.

Commissioner.

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 28, 1908.

John Farris,

Purdy, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Ben Farris and Frank Johnson to the death of Nelson Carl Farris, which occurred November 21, 1905, and the same have been filed with the record in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Wm. O. Beall.

Acting Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

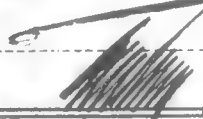
Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M. Nelson Carl Farris

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

Approved _____ 190_____



Commissioner.

Born Nov. 1, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Nelson Carl Farris, born on the 1st day of November 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: John Farris a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lizzie Farris a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Purdy Ind. Tex.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Lizzie Farris, on oath state that I am 16
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John Farris, who is a citizen, by
marriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 1st day of November, 1905; that said child has been named
Nelson Carl Farris, and was living March 4, 1906.
Lizzie Farris

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June, 1906.

R. W. Smoie
Notary Pu

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, J. W. Tucker, Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Lizzie Farris, wife of John Farris
on the 1st day of Nov., 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Nelson Carl
Farris.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June, 1906.

J. W. Tucker M.D.
R. W. Smoie
Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

Nelson Carl Farris

a citizen of the

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

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Commissioner.

AUG 27 1906

It appearing from the within affidavits that Nelson Carl Farris, born November 1, 1905, for whose enrollment as a minor citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, application was made under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, (Public No. 129), died November 21, 1905, it is hereby ordered that the application for the enrollment of said Nelson Carl Farris as a minor citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation be dismissed.

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Nelson Carl Farris
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Purdy, Ind. Ter., and died on the 21st day of
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
November, 1905, 1

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Southern DISTRICT. }

I, Ben Freeny, on oath state that I am nineteen
years of age and a citizen, by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Purdy, Ind. Ter.; that I am
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
Uncle of Nelson Carl Farris
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Nelson Carl Farris died on the 21st day of
(Here insert name of deceased.)
November, 1905, 1

WITNESSES TO MARK: Ben Freeny
(Must Be Two Witnesses) {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August, 1906,
John M. Stanley
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Southern DISTRICT. }

I, Frank Johnson, on oath state that I am Twenty eight
years of age, and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Purdy, Ind. Ter.;
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
that I was personally acquainted with Nelson Carl Farris
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by Blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Nelson Carl Farris died on the 21st day of
(Here insert name of deceased.)
November, 1905, 1

WITNESSES TO MARK: Frank Johnson
(Must Be Two Witnesses) {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1906,
R. W. Luce
Notary Public.

23-840.
O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Nelson Carl Farris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on June 29, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Nelson Carl Farris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that said applicant was born on November 1, 1905, and is the son of Lizzie Farris, whose name (as Martha Elizabeth Freeney) appears as number 15552 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior August 20, 1904, and John Farris, a non-citizen; and that said applicant died on November 21, 1905.

Section Two of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (Public No. 129), provides:

"That for ninety days after approval hereof applications shall be received for enrollment of children who were minors living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the approval hereof, and for the purpose of enrollment under this section illegitimate children shall take the status of the mother, and allotments shall be made to children so enrolled."

It is, therefore, ordered that the application made for the enrollment of Nelson Carl Farris as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation be, and the same is, hereby dismissed.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

SEP 27 1906

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 27, 1906.

John Farris,
Purdy, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered September 27, 1906, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Nelson Carl Farris, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James E. Kirby
Commissioner

Registered.

Incl. 23-840

23-840

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 27, 1906.

Manfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered September 27, 1906, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Nelson Carl Farris, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

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Jame Bixby

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-840

Choc minor 84/

May Folsom

m 84/

NEW BORN

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

May Johnson

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

From Aug. 26. 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE CIVIL SERVICE

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COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES:

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chactaw Nation,
of May Falsom (Here insert name of child.) born on the 26 day of August, 1905
Name of Father: Robert Falsom a citizen of the Chactaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Alice Falsom a citizen of the Chactaw Nation.
Postoffice Harland

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Alice Falsom, on oath state that I am 38
years of age and a citizen by Intermarriage of the Chactaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert Falsom, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Chactaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 26 day of August, 1905 that said child has been named
May Falsom, and was living March 4, 1906

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1906.

C. C. Jones
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, J. M. Cook, a Physician on oath state that I
attended on Mrs Alice Falsom, wife of Robert Falsom
on the 26th day of August, 1905, that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906 and is said to have been named May Falsom

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1906.

J. M. Cook M.D.
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

May Tolson

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906 190...

~~Commissioner~~

Born Aug 26, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER IN CHARGE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
of May Fulson born on the 26th day of August 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Robert Fulson a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Name of Mother: Alice Fulson a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: 8185 Tribal enrollment of mother: 129
Postoffice: Garland, T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Cherokee District.

I, Alice Fulson on oath state that I am 33
years of age and a citizen by intestacy of the Cherokee Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert Fulson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Cherokee Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 26th day of August 1905; that said child has been named
May Fulson and was living March 4, 1906.
Alice Fulson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July 1906.

E. C. Jones
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Cherokee District.

I, J. M. Cook a Physician on oath state that I
attended on Alice Fulson wife of Robert Fulson
on the 26 day of August 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named May Fulson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July 1906.

J. M. Cook M.D.
Notary Public.

This is to certify that I have this day joined together in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony Mr. Robert Folsom a Choctaw Indian and Miss Alice Gibson in accordance with the laws of the Choctaw Nation.

Given under my hand this the 20th day Sept. 1893.

Joseph Garland,
Supreme Judge
1st Judicial District.
Choctaw Nation.

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage certificate now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

7-4197

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 23, 1906.

Robert Folsom,

Garland, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Alice Folsom and J. M. Cook to the birth of May Folsom, child of Robert Folsom and Alice Folsom, August 26, 1905 and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and if this is correct you are requested to state when, where and under what name you were made for application for your enrollment and the names of your parents, and if you have selected an allotment in the Choctaw Nation, give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-2768

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 7, 1906.

Robert Polson,
 Garland, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits
 of Alice Polson and J. M. Cook to the birth of May Polson, child
 of Robert and Alice Polson, August 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 842

Francise Frazier

m 842

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MINOR
CHOCTAW
ENROLLMENT

FRANCIE FRAZIER

As Citizen of the
CHOCTAW NATION
Act of Congress
Approved April 26. 1906

GRANTED FEB 20 1907

*not entitled to any
per capita payment due
or will be due in the
future. Wm. P. Ford
12/61*

*See memorandum in
Jacket.*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment
as a citizen by blood of the Chectaw Nation of

FRANCISE FRAZIER 23-842

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Francise Frazier as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

DECISION.

It appears from the record herein that on July 25, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Francise Frazier as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that said applicant was born in February, 1906, and is the daughter of Lucy Frazier, whose name appears opposite No. 13451 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 19, 1903; and that said applicant was living on March 4, 1906.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that Francise Frazier should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 23, 1906.

Francise Frazier

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190.....

Commissioner.

Born Feb. 15, 1906

Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906

Department of the Interior
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

Filed Aug. 3, 1906

James D. B. by
Commissioner

Lurey Frazier
East Grant, living
with Tobias Robinson
husband.

Joe Frazier father
Emily " mother
next Tobias Robinson
his wife is name Rosie
and was Rose Frazier
whos father was Joe Frazier
& Emily Frazier, she
has a child Lena Crawford
who father was Coleman
Crawford (white) separated
from her since married to
Tobias Frazier, she
lived at Rosswell &
does not know any
Lurey Frazier was
Child born 22 Feb. 1906.

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Choctaw
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Received
July 25 1906

A 10214 - *Pokahito, Okla. Gallowsy Williams*
A 11709 - *Jackson, Okla. Lane Wilson*

BIRTH AFFIDAVIT.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation,
of *Francise Frazier* born on the *15* day of *February*, 1906
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: *Lucy Frazier* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: *Boswell City, I. T.*

Acquaintance
AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District: }

I, *Lane Wilson*, on oath state that I am *46* years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation; that I am the lawful wife of *personally acquainted Lucy Frazier, wife*, who is a citizen, by *blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation; that a *Female* child was born to me on *about 15* day of *February*, 1906; that said child has been named *I think Francise* and was living March 4, 1906.

(Signed) *Lane Wilson*

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July*, 1906.
(Seal) *W. H. McKimney*
Notary Public

Acquaintance
AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District: }

I, *Galloway Williams*, *Acquaintance*, on oath state that I am *personally acquainted with Lucy Frazier* attended on *about 15* day of *Febry*, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a *Female* child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *I think Francise Frazier*.

(Signed) *Galloway Williams*

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July*, 1906.
(Seal) *W. H. McKimney*
Notary Public

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Francis Frazier.....

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

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Commissioner.

Born Feb. 15, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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BIRTH AFFIDAVIT.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
of Francis Frazier, born on the 15 day of February, 1906

Name of Father: a citizen of the Nation.

Name of Mother: Lucy Frazier a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother

Postoffice: Boswell City, S.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lane Wilson, on oath state that I am 46 years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that I am the lawful wife of personally acquainted Lucy Frazier, of blood, who is a citizen, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a Female child was born to me on about 15 day of February, 1906 that said child has been named I think Francis, and was living March 4, 1906.

Lane Wilson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Galloway Williams, Acquainted, on oath state that I am personally acquainted with Lucy Frazier child on the 15 day of Febry, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named I think Francis Frazier.

Galloway Williams

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

23-842

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Lane Wilson,

Boswell, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, of Francis Frazier, child of Lucy Frazier born February 15, 1906, I have to request that you forward the affidavit of the mother Lucy Frazier to the birth of this child on the blank inclosed herewith and also the affidavit of the physician or midwife in attendance at the birth of said child. Also secure information as to the name of the father of this child in order that the degree of Choctaw blood may be ascertained.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

23-842

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 20, 1907.

Lucy Frasier,
Boswell, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 20, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Francise Frasier as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Francise Frasier will be placed upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be prepared for forwarding the Secretary of the Interior for his approval. You will be notified of Departmental action thereon.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-842

COPY

Muskegee, Indian Territory, February 20, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cernish,

Attorneys for the Chectaw and Chickasaw Nation.

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 20, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Francisco Frasier as a citizen by blood of the Chectaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Francisco Frasier will be placed upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation to be prepared for forwarding the Secretary of the Interior for his approval. You will be notified of Departmental action thereon.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tama Bixby*

Commissioner.

Registered,

Incl. 23-242

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

23-842

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1907

Lucy Frazier,
Boswell, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child, Françoise Frazier, as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and her name appears upon the final roll of such citizens enrolled under the Act of April 26, 1906, at No. 944.

She is now entitled to an allotment and application therefor should be made without delay at the Land Office for the nation in which the prospective allotment is located.

Respectfully,



Acting Commissioner.

2/4-09

Mr. Wright Blanco, Ok.
Muskogee,

Dear Sir:

I will write to you a few lines say you must surely mistake about
Frances Frazier matter this child not my daughter some other
folks child-you no I wrote to you some time last summer about
these matter.

Yours Truly,
Lucy Frazier,
wife of
Wilson Frazier,
Blanco, Okla.

Muskogee, Oklahoma, February 3, 1909.

Mrs. Luby Frasier,
Nowell, Oklahoma.

Madam:

It appears from the records of this office that as yet no allotment has been selected in the name of your daughter, Francis Frasier, Chectaw Minor, roll No. 944.

The allotment work in the Chectaw and Chickasaw Nations is now being completed arbitrarily at this office, and you are hereby notified that you will be given thirty days from receipt of this notice within which to furnish this office with a description of sufficient land to complete the allotment selection of your said daughter.

It is important that you give this matter attention within the time above mentioned, otherwise this office will proceed to make a selection of land for your said daughter, and arbitrarily allot same in her name.

In the event this person is dead, please furnish this office with the date of her death.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Register.

COPY.

Fort Towson, Oklahoma, September 11, 09

Hon. J. G. Wright,
Hugo, Okla.

Dear Sir:-

From investigating of the location of Lucy Frazier, her child Francis Frazier, I visited Lane Wilson who lives about eight miles east of Bennington. He is the person who made the birth affidavit. The other party Galloway Williams is dead. Lane Wilson said he made the affidavit and was well acquainted with Lucy Frazier, who had lived near him, and that her father was named Joe Frazier, mother was Emily Frazier, and Lucy was now the wife of Tobias Robinson, about four miles south-east of Hugo. I visited Tobias Robinson and his wife name before she married was Rosie Crawford, whose mother and father was Emily and Joe Frazier, and she had a child whose name was Lena Crawford, she was married to a white man by the name of Coleman Crawford, who was the father of Lena and she was born on the 22nd February, 1906. Rosie Robinson said she had never heard of a Lucy Frazier near Boswell, and she had enrolled and filed for her child, Lena Crawford, and that she had no child by the name of Francis Frazier, but several parties have been to see her about the child thinking she was dead. She said she knew Lane Wilson, who made out the affidavit, but don't know why he give in the name of the child name as Francis Frazier, as she had married a white man, Coleman Crawford. I think that Lena Crawford is the child that Lane Wilson and Galloway Williams attempted to enroll so as to protect the child. I send the paper enclosed.

Yours respectfully,

S. E. Pitts.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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11/3/61

TO : Budget & Finance Officer

DATE: December 30, 1960

FROM : Area Director

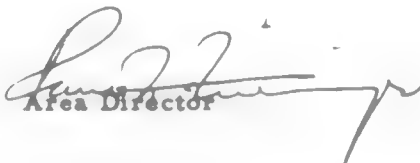
SUBJECT: 1949 and 1952 per capita payments due Francise Frazier,
Choctaw M-944, and Individual Indian Money Account

With reference to the attached memorandum from the Per Capita Payment Section dated December 22, 1960, as it relates to Francise Frazier, Choctaw M-944, this is to advise that it appears there was no such individual as Francise Frazier, Choctaw M-944, and that there is not now such an individual. It is rather clear that this was a fraudulent enrollment.

In view of these circumstances, it is obvious that an erroneous per capita payment was made and credited to an Individual Indian Money account for her. Thus, it is my conclusion that the monies presently in the Individual Indian Money account to the credit of a Francise Frazier, Choctaw M-944, should rightfully be transferred back to the source from which they came; and insofar as the present funds that are available to this alleged allottee from other per capita payment sources are concerned, they should be held in the per capita payment account.

Public Law 86-192 of the 86th Congress, August 25, 1959, provides that per capita payment funds remaining unclaimed seven years after the authorization for payment thereof or two years after the date of the above-mentioned Act (whichever is the later) will escheat to the Tribe; consequently, on August 26, 1961, the two year period will have expired (that is the later period) and at that time all of the per capita funds available for this alleged allottee should be transferred back to the treasury of the Choctaw Tribe.

I note the recommendation that consideration be given to cancellation of the enrollment of Francise Frazier. I know of no way in which an enrollment can be cancelled since Congress approved the current enrollment roll back in 1907; however, since there is no such individual as Francise Frazier, we will simply have to handle it on the basis as there being no one available to legitimately claim any per capita that may be currently available or available in the future.


Area Director

Choc minor 843

Willie Gibson

Cancelled see 7-NB-979

Feb 9, 1907

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m 843

Choc minor 844

Seeley Greenwood

Dismissed Feb 15, 1907

m 844

23-844

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Hall Greenwood,

Lenton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Seeley Greenwood, you are requested to advise this office if said child is now living and if not the date of his death.

This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-844

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 23, 1906.

C. B. Weeks,
Attorney at Law,
Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 16, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Hall Greenwood and Noel Skelton to the death of Seeley Greenwood a citizen of the Choctaw Nation which occurred August 20, 1904, and the same have been filed as evidence of the death of the above named child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-844

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 24, 1906.

Hall Greenwood,
Lenton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of Noel Skelton to the death of your child Seeley Greenwood on or about August 20, 1904.

You are advised that the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of this child gives the date of her birth as December 11, 1904, while the affidavits forwarded to her death show that she died August 20, 1904.

Please advise this office the correct date of the birth and death of your child Seeley Greenwood.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-844

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 8, 1906.

Hall Greenwood,

Lenton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of Isaac Alexander to the death of Seely Greenwood, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation which occurred August 20, 1904.

It appearing from the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of this child that she was born December 20, 1904 and inasmuch as the affidavits forwarded by you show the date of her death as August 20, 1904, you are again requested to advise this office the date of the birth and death of said child.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-844

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 19, 1907.

Hall Greenwood,

Lenton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that it appearing from the records of this office that your minor child, Seeley Greenwood, died prior to March 4, 1905, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on February 15, 1907, dismissed the application for her enrollment as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Lenton, Indian Territory, February 16, 1907.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Seley Greenwood as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, under the
Act of Congress, approved April 26, 1906.

MAGGIE GREENWOOD, being first duly sworn and examined,
testifies as follows:

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Maggie Greenwood.
Q How old are you? A Twenty-five.
Q What is your postoffice address? A Lenton.
Q What is the name of your father? A Willie Ward.
Q What is the name of your mother? A I don't know.
Q What is the name of your husband? A Hall Greenwood.
Q Have you any children? A I had two and they are dead, and
I have this one.
Q What is this child's name? A Jesse.
Q When was he born? A June 14, 1906.
Q What are the names of those two dead children? A One was
Louisa.
Q When did she die? A She died in June, 1905.
Q What was the name of the other child? A Seley.
Q When was Seley born? A December 11, 1904.
Q When did Seley die? A August 20, 1905.
Q In a former affidavit made by Jincy Skelton it was stated
therein that Seley Greenwood was living on March 4, 1906; was
that wrong? A Yes, sir.
Q Then it is a fact that Seley Greenwood was born December 11, 1904,
and that she died in the following year; August 20, 1905? A
Yes, sir.
Q When did you first make application for the enrollment of
Seley Greenwood? A Last year, in 1906.
Q Do you remember what day and month last year? A No, sir.

(Witness excused)

I, Fay E. Blachert, stenographer to the Commissioner to
the Five Civilized Tribes, upon oath state that I reported the
proceedings in the above and foregoing cause, and that the
same is a true and correct transcript of my stenographic
notes taken therein.

Fay E. Blachert

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of February, 1907.

Notary Public.

7-1636
NEW BORN
7-949 (Maggie Hard)

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Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Seely Greenwood

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Dec. 11, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... *Choctaw* Nation,
of *Seeley Greenwood* born on the *11* day of *Dec* 1904
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: *Hall Greenwood* a citizen of the... *Choctaw* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Maggie Greenwood* a citizen of the... *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice..... *Linton, I. T.*.....

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... *Central* District. }

I, *Maggie Greenwood* on oath state that I am *25*
years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the... *Choctaw* Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of *Hall Greenwood* who is a citizen, by
..... *blood* of the... *Choctaw* Nation; that a *Female* child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on *11* day of *Dec* 1904; that said child has been named
..... *Seeley Greenwood* and was living March 4, 1906
..... *Maggie Greenwood*

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
..... }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July* 1906.
W. H. Kinnery
Notary Public.

Acquaintance
AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... *Central* District. }

I, *Jincy Skelton* *acquaintance* on oath state that I
impersonally acquainted with Maggie Greenwood
attended on wife of *Hall Greenwood*
on the *11* day of *Dec* 1904; that there was born to her on said date a *Female*
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906 and is said to have been named *Seeley*
..... *Greenwood*
..... *Jancy Skelton*

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
..... }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July* 1906.
W. H. Kinnery
Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

.....
a citizen of the

..... *Nation.*

Approved..... 190.....

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Seely Greenwood
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Lenton Ind. Ter., and died on the 20 day of
August, 1905
(Here insert name of postoffice.)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Maggie Greenwood, on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Lenton, Ind. Ter.; that I am
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
the mother of Seely Greenwood
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Seely Greenwood died on the 20 day of
August, 1905.
WITNESSES TO MARK: Maggie Greenwood

(Must Be Two
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of February, 1907.

Richard Shanafelt
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Jimmie Skelton, on oath state that I am 29
years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Lenton, Ind. Ter.;
(Here insert name of postoffice.)
that I was personally acquainted with Seely Greenwood
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Seely Greenwood died on the 20 day of
August, 1905.
WITNESSES TO MARK: Jimmie Skelton

(Must Be Two
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of February, 1907.

Richard Shanafelt
Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

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a citizen of the

..... *Nation.*

Approved 190.....

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Orley Greenwood
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Sapona, Ind. Ter., and died on the 20th day of
August, 1904.
(Here insert name of postoffice.)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Hall Greenwood, on oath state that I am 57
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Linton, Ind. Ter.; that I am
the father of Orley Greenwood
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Orley Greenwood died on the 20th day of
August, 1904.
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Hall Greenwood
his name

(Must Be Two) }
Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of November 1906.

E. A. Curman
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Noel Skelton, on oath state that I am 38
years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Linton, Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Orley Greenwood
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Orley Greenwood died on the 20th day of
August, 1904.
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Noel Skelton

(Must Be Two) }
Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of November 1906.
My Com. Expires 5th Feb'y 1907

E. A. Curman
Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

Seeley Greenwood
a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

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It appearing from the within affidavits that Seeley Greenwood, for whose enrollment application was made under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, (33 Stat., 1060), died prior to March 4, 1905, I am of the opinion that the application for her enrollment as a new born citizen of the Choctaw Nation should be dismissed, and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Seely Greenwood
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Santon (Here insert name of postoffice.) Ind. Ter., and died on the 20th day of
August, 1904.

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }
I, Hall Greenwood, on oath state that I am 52
years of age and a citizen, by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Santon (Here insert name of postoffice.) Ind. Ter.; that I am
Father of Seely Greenwood
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by Blood of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Seely Greenwood died on the 20th day of
August, 1904.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must Be Two Witnesses.) } Willie Cole
Missie Cole

Hall Greenwood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of November 1906.

G.A. Reynolds
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }
I, Isaac Alexander, on oath state that I am 56
years of age, and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Santon (Here insert name of postoffice.) Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Seely Greenwood
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Seely Greenwood died on the 20th day of
August, 1904.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must Be Two Witnesses.) } Willie Cole
Missie Cole

Isaac Alexander

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of November 1906.

G.A. Reynolds
Notary Public.

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Alice Le Flore

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 31, 1906.

Isaac LeFlore,
Arpelar, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Mason LeFlore and Farnell Jones to the birth of Alice LeFlore,
child of Isaac and Mason LeFlore, April 15, 1904, and the same
have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said
child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-845

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 31, 1906.

Isaac LeFlere,

Arpalar, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the enrollment of your minor child, Alice LeFlere, you are requested to forward at once evidence of your marriage to Mason LeFlere.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Alice Heflone

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

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Commissioner.

From April 15, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Alice Heflone born on the 15 day of April 1904
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Isaac Heflone a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mason Heflone a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Apelav

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Mason Heflone on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Isaac Heflone, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 15 day of April 1904; that said child has been named
Alice Heflone and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Martin Compelube
Robert Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 1906.

J. H. Elliott
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Parmelia Jones a Midwife on oath state that I
attended on Mason Heflone wife of Isaac Heflone
on the 15 day of April 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Alice Heflone

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Martin Compelube
Robert Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 1906.

J. H. Elliott
Notary Public.

My com expires July 8th / 1908

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Alice Leflore born on the 15 day of April 1904
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Isaac Leflore a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mason Leflore a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Apelox

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Mason Leflore on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Isaac Leflore who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 15 day of April 1904; that said child has been named
Alice Leflore and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Martin Compelube
Robert Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 1906.

J. H. Elliott
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Parmelia Jones a Midwife on oath state that I
attended on Mason Leflore wife of Isaac Leflore
on the 15 day of April 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Alice Leflore
Parmelia Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Martin Compelube
Robert Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 1906.

J. H. Elliott
Notary Public.

My com expires July 8th 1908

Choc minor 846

Thelma m. matthews

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7-2186

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 21, 1906.

G. A. Welch,

Talihina, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 13, 1906, transmitting the affidavit of Rosa Matthews to the birth of Thelma Ma Matthews, child of John W. Matthews and Rosa Matthews, March 27, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

23-846

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

John W. Matthews,

Albion, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Thelma Ma Matthews born March 27, 1905, you are advised that the affidavit of Annie Stafford heretofore forwarded this office was not executed by her. It will therefore be necessary that you forward new affidavit of the attending midwife on the blank inclosed herewith.

This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

23-845

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 11, 1907.

O. A. Weech,

Talihina, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 27, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Rosa Matthews and Edwin A. Mauldin to the birth of Thelma Ma Matthews, child of John W. and Rosa Matthews, March 27, 1906, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said child.

You are advised that if you cannot secure the affidavit of the attending physician you should forward the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who are not related to the applicant, who knew of the birth of Thelma Ma Matthews the date of her birth, the names of her parents and that she was living March 4, 1906.

This evidence should be furnished not later than January 15, 1907.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-846

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 28, 1907.

C. A. Welch,

Talihina, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 15, 1907, in which you state that it is impossible to forward the affidavits of the two disinterested witnesses which was requested in office letter of January 11, 1907, to the birth of Thelma Ma Matthews, child of John W. and Rose Matthews, for the reason that Mrs. Matthews lives several miles from that place and it will be impossible to secure and file them on the date mentioned.

In reply to your letter you are advised that you should forward such affidavits immediately.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-846

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 4, 1907.

Welch & Gruthis,

Talihina, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of February 20, 1907, inclosing affidavits of William Hembree and Amy Hembree in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Thelma Ma Matthews as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and the same have been filed.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-546

Muskegee, Indian Territory, March 27, 1907.

Wash & Orwick,

Talihina, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 14, 1907, in which you ask relative to the enrollment of Thelma Ma Matthews.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of Thelma Ma Matthews as a minor citizen of the Chectaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

In the matter of the application of Thelma Ma Matthews,
child of John W. and Rosa Matthews for enrollment as a
citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Now on this day comes William Humber who being by
me duly sworn, on oath says ; I am well acquainted with
John W. and Rosa Matthews. Lived near the home of Mrs .
Matthews on and prior to March 27th 1905, and knew from her
~~testimony that appeared that she was to give birth to a~~
child at about that time. I was at her home a few days after
March 27th, 1905 and saw her with her newborn child to which
she had given birth since I las saw her. The child was said
to have been named Thelma Ma, and was living 1st day of July
1906.

Said child was about 15^{months} old the last time I saw her
which was on or about the 1st day of July 1906

William Humber

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Feb
1907.

L B Coathen
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Feb 28th 1908

In the matter of the application of Thelma Ma Matthews,
child of John W. and Rosa Matthews for enrollment as a
citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Now on this day comes Amy Hembree who being by
me duly sworn, on oath says ; I am well acquainted with
John W. and Rosa Matthews. Lived near the home of Mrs .
Matthews on and prior to March 27th 1905, and knew from her
condition ~~and~~ appearance that she was to give birth to a
child at about that time. I was at her home a few days after
March 27th, 1905 and saw her with her newborn child to which
she had given birth since I las saw her. The child was said
to have been named Thelma Ma, and was living 1st day of July
1906

Said child was about 15^{months} old the last time I saw her
which was on or about the 1st day of July 1906.

Amy Hembree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Feb
1907.

C. B. Proather
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Feb 28th 1908

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Thelma Ma Matthews, born on the 27 day of March, 1905
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: John W Matthews a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Rosa Matthews a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Alabama

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Rosa Matthews, on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John W Matthews, who is a citizen, by
Int. marriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 27 day of March, 1905; that said child has been named
Thelma Ma Matthews, and was living March 4, 1906
Rosa Matthews

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Dec, 1906
H. A. [Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
DISTRICT.

I, _____, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Rosa Matthews John W Matthews
on the 27th day of March, 1905, that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906 and is said to have been named Thelma Ma Matthews

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1906

Notary Public.

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Thelma

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Thelma Ma. Matthews, infant child of John W. Matthews and Rosa Matthews, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Now on this day comes Edwin A. Mauldin who being first duly sworn on his oath says: I am a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation, my age is 49 years, my post office address is Talihina Indian Territory; I am the brother in law, of said Rosa Matthews, and am therefore well acquainted with her; I was at her home several times just prior to the time her child was born, which was said to have been on the 27th day of March 1905;

I saw her about one week prior to the 27th of March 1905, and know that at that time she was very soon to have a child.

I saw her again in about one week after the 27th of March 1905, and saw her with the child and observed that she had been delivered of a child. The child was said to have been named Thelma MA, said child was living on the 4th day of March 1906, and is living on this date; Rosa Matthews now lives near me and I see her and the child very often.

I went to Coalgate Indian Territory, to see the midwife Mrs. Annie Stafford, who attended Mrs. Matthews at the time this child was born for the purpose of securing her affidavit as to the birth of the child, and she stated to me that she attended upon Mrs. Matthews at the time the child was born, but that she would not make the necessary affidavit, and stated as her reason, that herself and Mrs. Matthews had was not upon good terms and that she would not help her to get her child enrolled.

WELCH & WELCH
Talihina, I. T.

Edwin A. Mauldin

Sworn to before me this 26 day of December 1906.

W. A. Welch
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 18 1907.

In Re
Application for
enrollment of
Infant child
Helma Ma. Mattos
as citizen of the
Choctaw Nation

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

**Act of Congress Approved
April 22, 1900.**

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as a citizen of

..... **Nation.**
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Approved..... **190**...

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Commissioner.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN THE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Helma Ma Matthews born on the 27th day of March 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: John W. Matthews a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Rosa Matthews a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:

Postoffice: Albion, S.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, S. J. Wilson, on oath state that I am 54

years of age and a citizen by non citizen of the Choctaw Nation;

personally acquainted with Rosa Matthews, a Choctaw by blood,
that I am the lawful wife of John W. Matthews, who is a citizen, by

intermarriage, of the Choctaw Nation; that female child was
[Male or Female]

Rosa Matthews born to me on the 27th day of March 1905; that said child has been named

Helma Ma Matthews and was living March 4, 1906.

S. J. Wilson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of February 1909

W. M. Martin

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Emma Wilson, on oath state that I am

acquainted with Rosa Matthews, wife of John W. Matthews

that on the 27th day of March 1905 there was born to her female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Helma Ma

Matthews Emma Wilson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of Feb'y 1909

W. M. Martin

Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Helma Ma Matthews

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved **FEB 11 1907** 190...

~~_____~~
Commissioner.

Born March 27, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Thelma Ma Matthews born on the 27th day of March 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: John W. Matthews, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Rosa Matthews, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Inter-married Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Albion, Indian Territory.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Rosa Matthews, on oath state that I am 28 years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of John W. Matthews, who is a citizen, by Inter-marriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was born to me on 27th day of March, 1905; that said child has been named Thelma Ma Matthews, and was living March 4, 1906.

Rosa Matthews

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { M. W. Goddard
M. V. Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1906.

E. K. Knight
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Annie Stafford, a mid-wife, on oath state that I attended on Rosa Matthews, wife of John W. Matthews, on the 27th day of March, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Thelma Ma Matthews.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
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.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

Choc minor 847

Phillip mikka

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a
citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.....OF.....

PHILLIP NEHKA.....23-847.

23-847

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Noel Mihka,

Corinne, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Phillip Mihka, child of Noel Mihka and Ellen Billy, born May 15, 1905, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward affidavit of the mother and the physician or midwife in attendance at the birth of this child on the blank inclosed herewith.

You are further advised that your name appears upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation as Hehka and the surname of yourself and your child should so appear in these affidavits. In having these affidavits executed be careful to see that all blanks are filled, all names written in full, and the Notary Public before whom the same are acknowledged affixes his name and seal to each affidavit.

respectfully,

P. C.

Commissioner.

23-847
O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Phillip Mihka (or Nehka) as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on July 25, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Phillip Mihka (or Nehka) as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that said applicant was born on May 15, 1905, and is the son of Noel Mihka and Ellen Billy whose names as Noel Nehka and Ellen Billy appear as numbers 2407 and 3370, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 12, 1902, and that said applicant was living on March 1, 1906.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that Phillip Nehka should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

FEB 8 1907

23-847

Muskegee, ^{GOPY} Indian Territory, February 8, 1907,

Noel Mihks,

Corinne, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 8, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Phillip Nehka as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Phillip Nehka will be placed upon the next schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

Tom Bixby

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-847

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1907.

Mansfield, McHurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

South McAlester, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 8, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Phillip Nehka as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Phillip Nehka will be placed upon the next schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Blodgett*

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 25-847

7-900-Nore (Nehka)
NEW BORN
7-1243 847

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Phillip Mihka

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation

Approved FEB 11 1907 190...

Commissioner.

Born May 15, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Schostaw Nation, of Phillip Mikka, born on the 15 day of May 1905. Name of Father: Noel Mikka a citizen of the Schostaw Nation. Name of Mother: Ellen Billy a citizen of the Schostaw Nation. Tribal enrollment of father. Tribal enrollment of mother.

Postoffice: Lorraine, I T

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory. Central District.

I, Sophie Bobb, on oath state that I am 39 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Schostaw Nation; personally acquainted with Ellen Billy wife of Noel Mikka, that I am the lawful wife of Noel, of the Schostaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on 15 day of May 1905; that said child has been named Phillip Mikka and was living March 4, 1906.

Sophie Bobb mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] T. J. Copley, Rayson Hobson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory. Central District.

I, Wilson Nason, on oath state that I am personally acquainted with Ellen Billy wife of Noel Mikka on the 15 day of May 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Phillip Mikka.

Wilson Nason

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

Choc minor 848

Irene mills

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Irene Mills

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

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Commissioner.

Received
May 4. 1905

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Irene Mill (Here insert name of child.) born on the 5th day of Sept, 1904
Name of Father: Bode Mill not a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Francis Fobb a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Eagle Town I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Francis Fobb, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I ~~am not~~ am the lawful wife of Bode Mill, who ~~is not~~ is a citizen, by
Francis Fobb, of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 5th day of Sept, 1904 that said child has been named
Irene Mill, and was living March 4, 1905.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) W. H. Deale
Scott Gardner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, 1905.
my Commission expires 23rd Dec 1905 Jeff Gardner Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Margaret James, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Francis Fobb, wife of
on the 5th day of September, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Irene Mill

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) W. H. Deale
Scott Gardner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, 1905.
my Commission expires 23rd Dec 1905 Jeff Gardner Notary Public.

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NEW BORN *848*

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Irene Mills*

as a citizen of
CHOCTAW Nation

Approved *NOV 28 1906* 190-

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born Sept. 5, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Levoketum Nation,
of Irene Mills, born on the 5th day of September 1904
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: N. B. Mills a citizen of the Levoketum Nation.
Name of Mother: Francis Fobb a citizen of the Levoketum Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: not enrolled Tribal enrollment of mother: J. J. 4. 5
Postoffice: Eagle Town I T

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Levoketum District.

I, Francis Fobb, on oath state that I am
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Levoketum Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of N. B. Mills, who is a citizen, by
intermarriage, of the Levoketum Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 5th day of September, 1904; that said child has been named
Irene Mills, and was living March 4, 1906.

Francis Fobb
Notary Public

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { P. Ed. Williams
J. Watson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Sept, 1906.

Mykora Sept 13 1907 W. C. Hollander
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Levoketum District.

I, Louise Wilson, on oath state that I
attended on Francis Fobb, wife of
on the 5th day of Sept, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Irene Mills.

Louise Wilson
Notary Public

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { Simon Bishop
Yaron Ryer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1906.

W. C. Hollander
Notary Public

Gowin, Ind. Ter.

Nov. 21st, 1905.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Ind Ter.

Dear Sir:

I will say that to you I asking you for favors where
in my cousin poor women she wanted me to tyed found out about the
her baby in Roll mde application on the 2nd day of May 1905. be-
fore Notary Public Jeff Gardner of Eagle Town, It. this child
mother Frances Fobb Roll no. 3545 Certificate No. 6509, her child
Name Iren Mills child father name Boad Mills at child Breath,
Margart James Eagletown it. also Frances Fobb, Eagle Town It. you
please Hoping for you to attention. Frances Fobb made application
for her child to filing land but not heard from you so I wish
prompt attention this matter at once and write to me, so I can
see her.

Yours Respt.

C. W. James,

Address

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

7-11-1512

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 27, 1905.

C. W. James,

Cowen, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 21, 1905, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of Irene Mills, child of Frances Fobb.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on May 4, 1905, the affidavits to the birth of Irene Mills, child of Bode Mills and Frances Fobb, were received at this office. These affidavits were received, however, two days subsequent to the expiration of the time within which the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes was authorized to receive applications for the enrollment of children under the act of March 3, 1905, and there was at that time no authority for the reception of applications for the enrollment of infant children.

Respectfully,

Geo. Hodger
Acting Commissioner.

7-1303

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 17, 1906.

W. K. Dollarhide,
Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 2, 1906, enclosing affidavits of Frances Fobb and Lorena Wilson to the birth of Irene Mills, child of W. B. Mills and Frances Fobb, September 8, 1904, and the same has been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-848

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 26, 1906.

W. K. Dellarhide,

Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed herewith application for the enrollment of Irene Mills, child of N. B. Mills and Frances Fobb, and you are requested to affix your notarial seal to the affidavit of Frances Fobb acknowledged before you June 16, 1906 and return the same to this office in the inclosed envelope.

Please give this matter immediate attention.

Respectfully,

KB 2-26.

Commissioner.

23-245

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 10, 1906.

W. K. Dollarhide,

Hagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Francis Fobb and Lourens Wilson to the birth of Irene Mills, child of H. B. Mills and Francis Fobb corrected by having your notarial seal affixed to the affidavit of Francis Fobb.

You have the thanks of this office for your attention in this matter.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 849

Grayson Noley

m 849

23-849

Muskogee, Indian territory, October 31, 1906.

Thomas Fisher,

Lukfata, Indian territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Grayson Noley, child of Abner H. Clay and Lucy Noley born February 5, 1905, you are advised that it will be necessary that Lucy Noley the mother of this child execute affidavit to his birth, and forward the same to the blank inclosed herewith. The affidavit of the physician or midwife in attendance at the birth of this child should also be forwarded. In event no one was in attendance the affidavit of one disinterested witness who knows of the birth of this child, the date of his birth and that he was living March 4, 1906 should be procured. This matter should receive immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD
Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

.....
as a citizen of

..... **Nation.**
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Approved..... **190**...

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Commissioner.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Grayson Noley born on the 5th day of February 1905
Name of Father: Abner H. Clay a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lucy Noley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: Surfata, MS

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Sinie Donikka on oath state that I am 58 about
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
personally acquainted with Lucy Noley
that I am the lawful wife of blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
Lucy Noley born to me on 5th day of February 1905; that said child has been named
Grayson Noley and was living March 4, 1906. that said child
is illegitimate and Abner H. Clay is said to be the father.
Sinie Donikka
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Jan'y 1909

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Sam Burris on oath state that I am
personally acquainted with Lucy Noley and I know that
on the 5th day of Feb'y 1905, that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Grayson Noley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Jan'y 1909

Notary Public.

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NEW BORN
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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Grayson Wiley

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved **FEB 11 1907** 190...

[Signature]

Commissioner.

*Born Feb. 5, 1905 -
Illegitimate*

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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[Signature] COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation, of *Grayson Noley* born on the *5* day of *February* 19*05* Name of Father: *Stephen H. Clay* a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation. Name of Mother: *Lucy Noley* a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation. Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:

Postoffice: *Suckfate, I.T.*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, } District: *Central*

I, *Thomas Fisher* husband of *Lucy Noley*, on oath state that I am *20* years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the *Cherokee* Nation; that I am the lawful *husband* ~~wife~~ of *Lucy Noley*, who is a citizen, by *blood* of the *Cherokee* Nation; that a *male* child was born to me on *5th* day of *February* 19*05*; that said child has been named *Grayson Noley*, and was living March 4, 1906.

Thomas Fisher Notary Public

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *Daniel Anderson*
Alfred Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *July* 1906.

W. H. Runney Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, } District: *Central*

Dr. Daniel Anderson on oath state that *we* ~~was personally acquainted with~~ *Thomas Fisher* and that *his* wife of *Thomas Fisher* on the *5th* day of *February* 19*05*; that there was born to her on said date a *male* child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *Grayson Noley*.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *Daniel Anderson*
Alfred Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20th* day of *July* 1906.

W. H. Runney Notary Public

Choc minor 850

Dixon McCann

m850

7-3060

7-2794

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 21, 1906 .

Philip McCann,

LeFlore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Adeline Lewis and Kitico Jones to the birth of Dipson McCann child of Philip McCann and Adeline Lewis, May 27, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-3060

NEW BORN

7-2794

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850

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

-MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Dixon M. Cann

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906 190

~~Commissioner.~~

Born May 27, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Dixon McLean, born on the 27 day of May, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Philip McLean a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Adeline Lewis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: 8951
Postoffice: Letlore, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Adeline Lewis on oath state that I am 29
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that ~~I am~~ I am not the lawful wife of Philip McLean, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 27 day of May, 1905; that said child has been named
Dixon McLean and was living March 4, 1906.
Adeline Lewis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1906.

My Com. expires Jan. 5-1910.

Robert E. Lee
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Kittice Jones, a nurse, on oath state that I
attended on Adeline Lewis
on the 27 day of May, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Dixon
McLean
Kittice Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1906.

My Com. expires Jan. 5-1910.

Robert E. Lee
Notary Public.

Choc minor 851

George Peter

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NEW-BORN
7-792

851 ✓

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

George Peter

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved. **SEP 20 1906** 1906

~~Signature~~

Commissioner.

Born June 14, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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BIRTH AFFIDAVIT.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, of George Peter, born on the 14 day of June 1904. Name of Father: Samuel Peter a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. Name of Mother: Lillie McLoay a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. Tribal enrollment of father: 1981 Tribal enrollment of mother: 1994. Postoffice: Bethel, La.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Lillie McLoay, on oath state that I am 28 years of age and a citizen by birth of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Samuel Peter, who is a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on 14 day of June 1904; that said child has been named George Peter, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Phelicia Taylor, Samuel Peter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, James Gibson, a Physician, on oath state that I attended on Lillie McLoay, wife of Samuel Peter, on the 14 day of June 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named George Peter.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Phelicia Taylor, James Gibson, Samuel Peter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July 1906.

Notary Public.

Choc minor 852

Sophia Pierce

m 852

7-2932

7-5006

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 24, 1906.

George Pierce,
LeFlore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Kitsie Jones and Selessie Jones to the birth of Sophia Pierce,
child of George Pierce and Kitsie Jones, September 26, 1906,
and the same have been filed with the records of this office
as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-852

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Kitsie Jones,

Ieflore, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Sophia Pierce as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are requested to advise this office the names of the parents of George Pierce, the father of this child and in the event he has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give his roll number as the same appears upon his allotment certificate.

This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Commission the five civilized tribes

Muskogee

Dec 8th 1906

Dear Sir

I write few words today I am going to tell you this Kilzie
Jones is not my wife hear Baby is not my Child I am not Farther
this child. I am not marrit this garil name K Jones I want you
Find out Before she fild Please Dont Put on Roll this Child name
I Sophia Pierce I tell trath I am not farther this Child
~~You must put on~~

I am your Friend George Pierce

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Commission to the five civilize Tribes

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Dear Sir

I write you today she want come over there she tried
filed this Child but you must not let it filed Please Kitzie
Jones is not my wife Sophia is not my child I am not farther
this child I can Prov 2. two wetness by me. I have no wife I never
Marret Before Whan she come over thare Lant Office she want trit
filed Baby Sent Please dont let it filed I have nothing more to
say I am your Friend George Pearce

Ans soon

see

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Sophia Pierce

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved *JAN 15 1907* 190...

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Commissioner.

Born Sept. 26, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

JUL 24 1906

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NO 852

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Sophia Pierce (Here insert name of child), born on the 26 day of Sept 1906
Name of Father: George Pierce a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Kitzie Jones a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: 8807
Postoffice: Leblaire, Indian

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Kitzie Jones on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am ^{not} the lawful wife of George Pierce, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 26 day of Sept 1906; that said child has been named
Sophia Pierce and was living March 4, 1906.
Kitzie Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July 1906.

Robert Lee
Notary Public.

My com expires Jan. 5-1910

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Lelesai Jones, a nurse, on oath state that I
attended on Kitzie Jones wife of _____
on the 26 day of Sept 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Sophia
Pierce
Lelesai Jones

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July 1906.

Robert Lee
Notary Public.

My com expires Jan. 5-1910

Choc minor 853

Ruben Quinton

m 853

NEW BORN

853

199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Reuben Quator

As a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Feb. 15, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... Choctaw Nation,
of Ruben Quinton , born on the ..15th day of ..February... 1. 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Joel Quinton a citizen of the..... Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Katie Quinton a citizen of the..... Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father. Choc. by blood . . . Tribal enrollment of mother. Choc. intermarriage
Postoffice..... Featherstone, Indian Territory.....

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Western District. }

I, Katie Quinton on oath state that I am..... 32
years of age and a citizen by..... intermarriage of the..... Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of..... Joel Quinton , who is a citizen, by
blood of the..... Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on..... 15th day of..... February..... , 1906.; that said child has been named
Ruben Quinton , and was living March 4, 1906.

Katie Quinton

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
..... }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... End..... day of..... June..... 1906.

Rayl Perry
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Western District. }

I, Elizabeth Quinton , a mid-wife , on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Katie Quinton , wife of..... Joel Quinton
on the .. 15th day of..... February.. 1. 1906; that there was born to her on said date a..... Male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named..... Ruben Quinton

Elizabeth Quinton

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
..... }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... End..... day of..... June..... 1906.

Rayl Perry
Notary Public

7-2996

"Exhibit. A"

INDIAN TERRITORY, SS
WESTERN DISTRICT.

Sam Bench, on oath states, that he is 35 years of age and resides near Quinton, Indian Territory; that on the 15th, day of October, 1892, he was a witness to the marriage in which Joel Quinton and Katie Sloan were the contracting parties; that said marriage was solemnized by one, Jasper Crowder, a regularly ordained minister of the gospel, at the residence of the said Jasper Crowder, 3 and 1/2 miles South of Hoyt, Indian Territory; that he makes this statement in an entirely disinterested manner, and is interested in no way whatever in this proof.

Sam Bench,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of September 1904.

Guy A. Curry.

Notary Public.

(SEAL)

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the affidavit of Sam Bench, now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell

Notary Public.

7-2996

"Exhibit B".

INDIAN TERRITORY
SS
WESTERN DISTRICT

Matilda Bench, on oath states, that she is 29 years of age and resides near Quinton, Indian Territory; that on the 15th day of October, 1892, she was a witness to the marriage in which Joel Quinton and Katie Sloan were the contracting parties; that said marriage was solemnized by one, Jasper Crowder, a regularly ordained minister of the gospel, at the residence of the said Jasper Crowder, 3 and 1/2 miles South of Hoyt, Indian Territory, that she is interested in no way whatever in this proof and that she makes these statements in an entirely disinterested manner.

Matilda Bench,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of September 1904.

Guy A. Curry,
Notary Public.

(SEAL)

I, Ella Bailey, a stenographer, to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the affidavit of Matilda Bench which is now on file with the records of this office.

Ella Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March 1908.

John E. Tidwell
Notary Public.

7-3996

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 23, 1906.

Guy A. Curry,

Quinton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 7, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Katie Quinton and Elizabeth Quinton to the birth of Ruben Quinton, child of Joel Quinton and Katie Quinton, February 15, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

The other matter referred to in your letter will be made the subject of a separate communication.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 854

Elsie Skelton

Dismissed Nov 24, 1906

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23-854

Muskegee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906..

Noel Skelton,

Lenton, Indian Territory.

DEAR SIR:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Elsie Skelton under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are requested to advise this office at once if said child is now living and if not the date of her death. You are requested to give this matter immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-854

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 23, 1906.

C. B. Weeks,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 16, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Noel Skelton and Hall Greenwood to the death of Elsie Skelton a citizen of the Choctaw Nation which occurred September 6, 1906, and the same have been filed as evidence of the death of the above named child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-884

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 30, 1906.

Noel Skelton,

Lenton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that it appearing from the records of this office that your child, Elsie Skelton died prior to March 4, 1906, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes on November 24, 1906, dismissed the application for her enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-1653 ✓

NEW BORN

854

199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Elmer Skilton

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Jan. 6, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Elsie Skelton, born on the 6 day of Jan, 1904
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Noel Skelton a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Jincy Skelton a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Postoffice: Leaton, S. I.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Jincy Skelton, on oath state that I am 29 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Noel Skelton, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was born to me on 6 day of January, 1904; that said child has been named Elsie Skelton, and was living March 4, 1906.

Jancy Skelton

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1906.

H. W. Kinney
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Isaac Alexander, acquaintance on oath state that I acquaintance attended on Jincy Skelton, wife of Noel Skelton, and that on the 6th day of Jan, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Elsie Skelton.

Isaac his Alexander
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WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1906.

H. W. Kinney
Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

Elin Skilton

a citizen of the

Chester

Nation.

Approved..... 190

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Elsie Skelton
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Lenton Ind. Ter., and died on the 16th day of
September, 1904
(Here insert name of postoffice)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }
I, Noel Skelton on oath state that I am 34
years of age and a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Lenton Ind. Ter.; that I am
father of Elsie Skelton
(State relationship as: the father, an uncle, a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Elsie Skelton died on the 16th day of
September, 1904.
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK :

(Must be Two
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of June 1905.
My com Expires July 9-1908 J. W. Roberts
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }
I, Simpson Push on oath state that I am 16
years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Lenton Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Elsie Skelton
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Elsie Skelton died on the 16th day of
September, 1904.
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK :

(Must be Two
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of June 1905.
My com Expires July 9-08 J. W. Roberts
Notary Public.

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

Elsie Skelton
a citizen of the

Choctaw Nation.

Approved _____ 190



Commissioner.

It appearing from the within affidavits that Elsie Skelton, born, January 4, 1904, for whose enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, application was made under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), died September 4, 1904, it is hereby ordered that the application for the enrollment of said Elsie Skelton as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation be dismissed.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Elvie Skelton
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Linton, Ind. Ter., and died on the 6th day of
September, 1904.
(Here insert name of postoffice.)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Noel Skelton, on oath state that I am 38
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Linton, Ind. Ter.; that I am
Mr. Fisher of Elvie Skelton
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Elvie Skelton died on the 6th day of
Sept, 1904.
WITNESSES TO MARK: Noel Skelton

(Must Be Two Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Sept, 1904.
E Newman
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Hall Greenwood, on oath state that I am 57
years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Linton, Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Elvie Skelton
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Elvie Skelton died on the 6th day of
Sept, 1904.
WITNESSES TO MARK: Hall Greenwood

(Must Be Two Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Sept, 1904.
E Newman
Notary Public.

Choc minor 855

Corianthan Samuel Ludlow

Nellie Samuel Ludlow

As to no. 1 Granted Jan 16, 1907

copy of Decision forwarded Applicant
and ATTYS for Choc-Chic Nations Jan 16, 1907

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, Jan 24, 1907.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of

Nellie Samuel LeBlow

as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, 713855

Service of a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered on January 8 1907, together with the customary fifteen days within which to protest against the said decision is hereby waived.

Mansfield M. Murray Commissioner
Attays for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Nellie Samuel Ludlow as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on July 25, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Nellie Samuel Ludlow as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records of this office that Nellie Samuel Ludlow was born November 19, 1905, and is the daughter of Esther Samuel Ludlow, whose name, as Esther Samuel, appears opposite No. 6070 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior January 17, 1903; and that said applicant was living on March 4, 1906.

I am of the opinion that the applicant, Nellie Samuel Ludlow, should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

JAN 16 1907

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 16, 1907.

Silward Ludlow,
Ludlow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 16, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Nellie Samuel Ludlow as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Nellie Samuel Ludlow will be placed upon the next schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tams Dixby*

Commissioner.

Registered.
23-855.

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 16, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cernish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 16, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Nellie Samuel Ludlow as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Nellie Samuel Ludlow will be placed upon the next schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Dixby

Commissioner.

Registered.
23-855.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 16, 1907.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of

Nellie Samuel Ludlow

as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. ----- 23-855

Service of a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered on January 16, 1907, together with the customary fifteen days within which to protest against the said decision is hereby waived.

Mansfield McMurray Bonish

Attorney for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

7-2104 (Silward Ludlow)
NEW BORN (enrolled as a female)

7-2105 (Esther Samuel)

855 IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INDIAN CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Corianthan Samuel Ludlow

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved JAN 15 1907 190

Commissioner.

Born Nov. 1, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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CHOCTAW
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,
of Corianthan Suddel born on the 1st day of November 1904
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Silvius Suddel a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Name of Mother: Esther Samuel a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: 6070
Postoffice: Suddel, I. I.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Esther Samuel, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by birth of the Cherokee Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Silvius Suddel, who is a citizen, by
birth of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 1st day of November, 1904, that said child has been named
Corianthan Samuel, and was living March 4, 1906.

Esther Samuel
[Signature]

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Thomas N. Chen
Staymon Bohann

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, La Bonnie Suddel, a mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Esther Samuel, wife of Silvius Suddel,
on the 1st day of Nov, 1904, that there was born to her on said date a Male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Corianthan
Samuel.

La Bonnie Suddel
[Signature]

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Thomas N. Chen
Staymon Bohann

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

7-2104 (Silvius Ludlow, Son of)
NEW BORN as a female ✓
7-2105 (Esther Samuel)

855 IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Nellie Samuel

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

FEB 11 1907

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Nov. 19, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

AUG 3 - 1906

CHOCTAW
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RECEIVED
JUL 25 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the ~~Sehota~~ *Sehota* Nation,
 of *Nellie Samuel* born on the *19* day of *Nov* 19*05*
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: *Silvest Ludlow* a citizen of the *Sehota* Nation.
 Name of Mother: *Ethel Samuel* a citizen of the *Sehota* Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: *6070*
 Postoffice: *Ludlow, I.T.*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, *Ethel Samuel*, on oath state that I am *23* years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the *Sehota* Nation; that I am the lawful wife of *Silvest Ludlow*, who is a citizen, by *blood* of the *Sehota* Nation; that a *Female* child was born to me on *19th* day of *November*, 19*05*; that said child has been named *Nellie Samuel*, and was living March 4, 1906.

Ethel Samuel

WITNESSES TO MARK

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *Thomas Nolan*
Stacyman Behar

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1st* day of *July*, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, *Le Eunice Ludlow*, a *mid-wife*, on oath state that I attended on *Ethel Samuel*, wife of *Silvest Ludlow*, on the *19th* day of *Nov*, 19*05*; that there was born to her on said date a *Female* child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *Nellie Samuel*.

Le Eunice Ludlow

WITNESSES TO MARK

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *Thomas Nolan*
Stacyman Behar

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1st* day of *July*, 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 20, 1906.

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as a citizen of

..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the leho clan Nation,
of Nellie Samuel Ludlow born on the 19 day of Nov 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Siward Ludlow a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Esther Samuel Ludlow a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: b.o.b Tribal enrollment of mother: b.o.T.O
Postoffice: Ludlow T. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.
I, Esther Samuel Ludlow, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Siward Ludlow, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 19 day of Nov, 1905; that said child has been named
Nellie Samuel Ludlow, and was living March 4, 1906.

Esther Samuel Ludlow

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Nov 1906.
W. B. Rice
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.
I,, on oath state that I
attended on wife of
on the day of, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.
.....
Notary Public.

23-572
23-858

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 10, 1906.

A. W. James,

Smithville, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 22, 1906, transmitting affidavit of Ester Samuel Ludlow to the birth of Nellie Samuel Ludlow, child of Silward and Ester Samuel Ludlow, November 19, 1905; also affidavits of Josephene Ludlow and Lemsay Ludlow to the birth of Magdalene Ludlow, child of Austen and Josephene Ludlow, September 4, 1905, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of said children.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

43-855

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 18, 1907.

W. P. Haskell,

Hatfield, Arkansas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 8, 1907, in which you ask if Nellie Samuel Ludlow has been approved as you state you have been appointed as her administrator.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on February 15, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of Nellie Samuel Ludlow as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Maskogee, Indian Territory, February 19, 1907.

A. W. James,
Smithville, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of February 12, 1907, asking if application for the enrollment of Nellie Samuel Ludlow has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Nellie Samuel Ludlow has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior, and you will be notified when enrollment is approved by the Department.

Commissioner

23-858

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 16, 1907.

W. P. Haswell,

Hatfield, Arkansas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of February 3, 1907, in which you state that you have been appointed as administrator of Millie Ludlow by her parents and you ask if this child has been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Nellie Ludlow has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her name is approved.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-855

Muskegee, Indian Territory, February 4, 1907.

Lewis Benn,

Hatfield, Arkansas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 24, 1907, asking if Nellie Ludlow is approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Nellie Samuel Ludlow will be placed upon the next schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 24, 1906, which will be forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by him.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-855

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Silwart Ludlow,

Ludlow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Corianthan and Nellie Samuel, children of Silwart Ludlow and Esther Samuel, you are requested to advise this office your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificate.

This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-855

Muskegee, Indian Territory, March 27, 1907.

W. P. Haswell,

Hatfield, Arkansas.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 8, 1907, in which you ask if Nellie Samuel Ludlow has been approved as you state you have been appointed as her administrator.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of Nellie Samuel Ludlow as a minor citizen of the Chectaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner

Choc minor 856.

McKinley Taylor

D.P.

Granted Feb 22, 1907

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

**Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.**

.....
as a citizen of

..... **Nation.**
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Approved..... **190...**

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Commissioner.
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MINOR CHILD ENROLLMENT
CASE REFERRED TO THE CIVILIZED TRIBES

C. S. D.

FEB 21 1907

[Handwritten Signature]
COMMISSIONER

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Wm. McKinley Taylor, born on the 8th day of October 1905.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Charley Taylor a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Bess Taylor a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Damon Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

I, _____ on oath state that I am _____
years of age and a citizen by _____ of the _____ Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of _____, who is a citizen, by
_____ of the _____ Nation; that a _____ child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on _____ day of _____; that said child has been named
_____, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1906.

Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Susan Hawry, a Mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Bess Taylor, wife of Charley Taylor
on the 8th day of October 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named McKinley Taylor.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of February 1906

Notary Public

DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, COMMISSION ^w TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED
TRIBES, CENTRAL DISTRICT.

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RECORDED IN 11262

I, Green Harvey, on oath state that I am forty-four (44) years of age; That my post office address is Damon, Indian Territory; That I am personally acquainted with the Charley and Rosa Taylor, and have been for a number of years. I am familiar with the circumstances of the birth of their minor child, McKinley Taylor. I know that this child was born on the 6th day of October, 1905. I was present at the birth of this child and can swear positively that the date given above is correct. I also know that said child was living March 4th, 1906, and is living now.

Green Harvey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Feb. 1907.

Paul Gallison
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of McKinley Taylor as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

It appears from the record herein that on July 19, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of McKinley Taylor as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that said applicant was born on October 8, 1905, and is the son of Charley Taylor and Rosa Taylor, whose names appear opposite Nos. 9328 and 9329, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior February 4, 1903; and that said applicant was living on March 4, 1906.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that McKinley Taylor should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

FEB 22 1907

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1907.

Charley Taylor,

Wilburton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 22, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of McKinley Taylor as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are further advised that the name of McKinley Taylor has been placed upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval. You will be notified of Departmental action thereon.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tame Dixby

Commissioner.

Registered,
Incl. 23-856

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:-

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 22, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of McKinley Taylor as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are further advised that the name of McKinley Taylor has been placed upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval. You will be notified of Departmental action thereon.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Bixby

Commissioner.

Registered.
Incl. 23-856

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

M^c Kinley Taylor

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190.....

Commissioner.

Born Oct. 8, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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I.T.
Wilburton, July 18th. 1906

Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, I.T.

Sir:

The application on the foregoing page of this sheet is for a child
whose age is shown thereon,

I was in the neighborhood of this child yesterday, taking affidavits
in the case of Martha Williams, and Ida Carr, which are herewith enclosed
and I found this child, and the mother and father of the child would
not make any affidavit of the birth of the child and said they did not
want the child enrolled, and as a matter of justice to the child I make
this application in order that the child may not be debared from its

I.T.
Wilburton, July 18th. 1906

Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee. I.T.

Sir:

The application on the foregoing page of this sheet is for a child whose age is shown thereon,

I was in the neighborhood of this child yesterday, taking affidavits in the Case of Martha Williams, and Ida Carr, which are herewith enclosed and I found this child, and the mother and father of the child would not make any affidavit of the birth of the child and said they did not want the child enrolled, and as a matter of justice to the child I make this application in order that the child may not be debarred from its rights under the statute, and I would suggest that you send a man here to take testimony in the case. I will give him the information as to who to see in order to get the testimony.

Yours very truly.

Chas. H. Hudson

7-3230

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 28, 1906.

Chas. H. Hudson,

Wilburton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 18, 1906, enclosing application for the enrollment of McKinley Taylor, child of Charley and Rosa Taylor, October 8, 1905.

Respectfully,

Samuel Long.

23-856

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Charley Taylor,

Wilburton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of McKinley Taylor, child of yourself and Rosie Taylor, born October 8, 1906, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward new affidavits to the birth of this child on the blank inclosed herewith. In having these affidavits executed be careful to see that all blank spaces are filled and all names written in full and the Notary Public before whom the same are acknowledged affixes his name and seal to each affidavit.

This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

B. C.

Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

23-856

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 29, 1907.

Charley Taylor,

Wilburton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 4, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child, McKinley Taylor, as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and his name appears upon the final roll of such citizens enrolled under the Act of April 26, 1906, at No. 954.

He is now entitled to an allotment and application therefor should be made without delay at the Land Office for the Nation in which the prospective allotment is located.

Respectfully,

Geo. R. Rogers

Acting Commissioner.

Choc minor 857

Freymon Taylor

m 857

Father unidentifed ✓
NEW BORN
7-7068-Palina Taylor

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Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Freymon Taylor

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved 190...

Commissioner.

*Born Sept. 19, 1903 -
Illegitimate*

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation,
of *Freymon Taylor*, born on the *19* day of *September*, 1905.
Name of Father: *Hander E. Harrison*, a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Plinie Taylor*, a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: *Smithville Ind Ter*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, *Plinie Taylor* By *Suzanna Taylor*, on oath state that I am *28* years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the *Cherokee* Nation; that I am personally acquainted with *Plinie Taylor* who is a citizen, by *blood* of the *Cherokee* Nation; that a *male* child was born to me on *19* day of *September*, 1905; that said child has been named *Freymon Taylor*, and was living March 4, 1906.

Suzanna Taylor
Mary

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *Viccy James*
Allen Bullock

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *11* day of *July*, 1906.

Viccy James
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, *Elizabeth Leflore*, a *mid-wife*, on oath state that I attended on *Plinie Taylor*, wife of..... on the *19* day of *Sept*, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a *male* child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

Freymon Taylor..... *Elizabeth Leflore*
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *Viccy James*
Allen Bullock

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *11* day of *July*, 1906.

Viccy James
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Freymon Taylor

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved **FEB 11 1907** 190...

~~[Signature]~~

Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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~~[Signature]~~

COMMISSIONER.

23-857

Original application received July 25, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation,
of *Freyman Taylor* [Here insert name of child] born on the *19th* day of *Sept.* 19*05*
Name of Father: *Pelina Taylor* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Anderson Harris* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: *Smithville, Ia.*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, *Pelina Taylor*, on oath state that I am *18*
years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation;

that I am the lawful wife of ~~unmarried~~ who is a citizen, by
of the..... Nation; that a *Male* child was
[Male or Female]

born to me on *19th* day of *September* 19*05* that said child has been named

Freyman Taylor and was living March 4, 1906. *that said child is illegitimate and Anderson Harris, a full blood Choctaw, is his father.*
Pelina T. Taylor mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *Jamison Lewis*
A. L. Noble

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *11th* day of *Jan'y* 190*9*
M. W. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
..... District.

I,, a, on oath state that I
attended on, wife of.....

on the day of 1.....; that there was born to her on said date a.....
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.
.....
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
Smithville, I. T. January 11, 1907.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Freymon Taylor as a minor citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress of April 26, 1906.

Pelina Taylor being duly sworn testifies as follows:

(Jamison Lewis interpreter.)

EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q. What is your name? A. Pelina Taylor.
Q. How old are you? A. Eighteen.
Q. What is your post office address? A. Smithville.
Q. What is the name of your father? A. John Taylor.
Q. What is the name of your mother? A. Sarah.
Q. Are you the mother of Freymon Taylor? A. Yes.
Q. Is Freymon Taylor living? A. Yes sir.
Q. What is the name of Freymon Taylor's father? A. Anderson Harris.
Q. Were you ever married to Anderson Harris? A. No sir.
Q. Is Anderson Harris a full blood Choctaw Indian? A. Yes.
Q. What is his father's name. A. Don't know.
Q. What is his mother's name? A. Don't know.
Q. Where does he live? A. Eagle County, close to Lukfata.
Q. Is he on the Choctaw roll? A. Yes.
Q. Has he any brothers or sisters? A. Don't know.
Q. Do you know any member of his family? A. No.
Q. Is Susanna Taylor your sister? A. Yes.
Q. Susanna Taylor made an affidavit July 11, 1906 purporting to represent Plenie Taylor; her affidavit states that a male child was born to Plenia Taylor September 19, 1905 and that this child was named Freymon Taylor; are you the mother of this child and the same person named in the affidavit of Susanna Taylor, as Plenie Taylor? A. Yes sir.
Q. Your name appears on the roll of citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation Pelina Taylor? A. Yes sir.

I Frank L. Doble on oath state that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of my stenographic notes taken in the above entitled case at Smithville, Indian Territory on January 11, 1907.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this January 11, 1907.

Frank L. Doble
Notary Public.

23-857

Wahdokee, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Elias Wesley,

Hagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Freymon Taylor, child of Henderson Harris and Flinie Taylor there is inclosed herewith new blank upon which you are requested to secure the affidavits of Plenie (Pelina) Taylor and Elizabeth LeFlors to the birth of this child September 19, 1905.

I have to request that you secure information as to the parents of Henderson Harris, the father of this child, and if he has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give his roll number as the same appears upon his allotment certificate.

This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-857

Madame, Indian Territory, October 31, 1906.

Elias Wesley,

Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Freymon Taylor, child of Henderson Harris and Plinie Taylor there is inclosed herewith new blank upon which you are requested to secure the affidavits of Plenie (Pelina) Taylor and Elizabeth LeFlore to the birth of this child September 19, 1905.

I have to request that you secure information as to the parents of Henderson Harris, the father of this child, and if he has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give his roll number as the same appears upon his allotment certificate.

This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 858

Della May Thomas

m 858

for
NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Della May Thomas

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved

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Commissioner.

Born July 24, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN THE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Wella May Thomas, born on the 24th day of July, 1905.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Andrew Jackson Thomas, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Wella Thomas, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Intermarried Tribal enrollment of mother: By blood
Postoffice: Silo, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Wella Thomas, on oath state that I am about 26
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Andrew Jackson Thomas, who is a citizen, by
Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on the 24th day of July, 1905; that said child has been named
Wella May Thomas, and was living March 4, 1906.

Wella Thomas

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, 1906.

A. M. Hampton

A. M. Hampton
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

..... District.

I, J. T. Rutledge, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Wella Thomas, wife of Andrew Jackson Thomas
on the 24th day of July, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Wella May
Thomas.

J. T. Rutledge M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, 1906.

A. M. Hampton

A. M. Hampton
Notary Public.

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Kuskogee, Indian Territory July 24, 1906.

Andrew J. Thomas,
Mead, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 16, 1906, transmitting the affidavits of Della Thomas and J. T. Rutledge to the birth of Della May Thomas, child of Andrew Jackson Thomas and Della Thomas, July 24, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 859

021 Dulaney turnbull

m 859

PLEASE IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

25-859

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 3, 1906.

W. W. Moffett,

Durant, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Ozi Dulaney Turnbull, child of George and Survilla Turnbull as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, it will be necessary that you forward the affidavit of the physician in attendance at the birth of this child in lieu of the affidavit of the mother, also the affidavits of two disinterested persons who know of the birth of the child, the date of its birth and that it was living March 4, 1906.

For your convenience there is inclosed herewith blank for the enrollment of an infant child on which you may forward the affidavit of the physician.

Respectfully,

B. C.


Commissioner.

23-859

Muskegee, Indian Territory, February 5, 1907.

W. W. Moffatt,

Osage, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of James J. Jenkins, Permelia B. Jenkins, Edward A. Ingram and William R. Jenkins to the birth of Osi Dulaney Turnbull and the same have been filed.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

IN RE APPLICATION OF OZI DULANEY TURNBULL, A MINOR)
TO BE ENROLLED AS A CITIZEN OF THE CHOCTAW NATION)

A F F I D A V I T

R. C. Freeney having been by me first duly sworn, according to law, states on his oath that he is fifty-six years of age and a Choctaw Indian by blood; that on the 22nd day of December 1897, he was county Judge for Blue County, Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory and that as such Judge he married George Turnbull, a Choctaw Indian by blood to a white woman named Survilla Ingram.

Affiant further states that after marrying the said George Turnbull and the said Survilla Ingram, he issued to them a marriage certificate, which, under the laws and customs of the Choctaw Nation was all that was required where an Indian by blood marries a white woman; that at the time of the said marriage of said parties the laws and customs of the Nations did not require a marriage license.

Affiant further states that said marriage ceremony was performed at the home of Joe Dolman where the contracting parties were both living in the Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory and that as County Judge of Blue County, he was authorized by the laws of the Choctaw Nation to perform said ceremony.

R. C. Freeney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 7th day of July,
1906.

N. L. M.
Notary Public.

My Commission expires July 5th 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR COMMISSIONER
TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

IN RE APPLICATION OF
OZI DULANEY TURNBULL, A MINOR, FOR
ENROLLMENT AS A CITIZEN BY BLOOD OF
THE CHOCTAW NATION.

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) AFFIDAVIT OF W. W. MOFFATT,
GUARDIAN

W. W. Moffatt, having been by me first duly sworn, according to law states on his oath that he is the legal guardian of Ozi Dulaney Turnbull who is a minor and that the mother of Ozi Dulaney Turnbull is dead; that he has the custody of said child and has been legally appointed guardian of said child by the United States Court at Durant in the Central Judicial District of the Indian Territory and that he resides within the jurisdiction of that Court.

Affiant further states that from his best information and belief, after investigating and inquiring of those who knew that the said Ozi Dulaney Turnbull is entitled to be enrolled as a member by blood of the Choctaw Nation for the following reasons, to wit:

F I R S T:

The Mother of the said Ozi Dulaney Turnbull was named Survilla Turnbull and was a white woman who in the year 1897, in the Choctaw Nation and according to the laws and customs of the Choctaw Nation was legally married to George Turnbull, a Choctaw Indian by blood who was then and there duly recognized and enrolled as such by the Secretary of the Interior and that by said marriage there was born to the said Survilla Turnbull the applicant herein on or about the 26th day of November, 1901.

Affiant further states that the mother of said applicant died about the month of January or February, 1902 and that prior to her death she and her husband separated and that her husband has never taken any interest in the applicant but affiant understands, has since remarried and said child has had no one to look after its interests.

Affiant further states that he was not appointed guardian of said child until about March, 1906. Affiant attaches hereto the affidavit of the regular, practicing physician who attended the mother of said applicant at the time of birth.

W. W. Moffatt

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 2nd day of July,
1906.

A. E. Richey
Notary Public.

My Commission expires on the 1st day of May, 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS. APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Ozi Dubaney Turnbull, born on the 25 day of November, 1901.
Name of Father: George Turnbull a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Surrella Turnbull a citizen of the U.S. Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father, Tribal enrollment of mother,
Postoffice: Caddo, La.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District. James J. Jenkins and Pennelie E. Jenkins on oath state that I am years personally acquainted with Surrella Turnbull, now deceased years of age and a citizen by U.S. Nation, who was the lawful wife of George Turnbull, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to me on the 25 day of November, 1901; that said child has been named Ozi Dubaney Turnbull and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] G. W. Phillips and Pennelie E. Jenkins
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Jan, 1907.
Chas. P. Smith
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District. Ed A. Ingram and Wm. R. Jenkins on oath state that I was personally acquainted with Surrella Turnbull, now deceased, wife of George Turnbull, on the 25 day of November, 1901; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Ozi Dubaney Turnbull.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] Ed A. Ingram and Wm. R. Jenkins
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Jan, 1907.
Chas. P. Smith
Notary Public.

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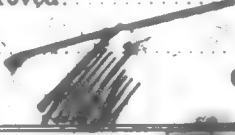
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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Ozi Sulaney Turnbuck
as a citizen of
Choctaw

Approved **FEB 1 1907** 190



Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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[Signature]
COMMISSIONER.

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July 9, 1906.*

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Selley Watkins

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Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 22, 1900.

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as a citizen of

..... Nation.

Approved.....

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Commissioner.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Selley Watkins (Here insert name of child) born on the 20th day of Nov, 1905
 Name of Father: Edam Watkins a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Lillie Peter a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
 Postoffice: Bethel, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Holton Hayes, on oath state that I am 23

years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
acquainted with Lillie Peter who was
 that I am the lawful wife of Edam Watkins, who is a citizen, by

blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
 born to Lillie Peter on or about 20th day of November, 1905; that said child has been named

Selley Watkins and was living March 4, 1906.
Holton Hayes.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Jan, 1906,
W. M. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Almon Carterby, on oath state that I am

personally acquainted with Lillie Peter, wife of Edam Watkins; I know

that on the 20th day of Nov, 1905, that there was born to her on said date a female
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Selley Watkins

Almon Carterby.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Jan, 1906,
W. M. Martin
Notary Public.

77 1553 NEW BORN 1888 Elmer Watkins
Lillie Peter

860 IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

Sully Watkins
as a citizen of
CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved. 1906

~~Signature~~
Commissioner.

Born Nov. 20, 1905 -
ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

AUG 3 - 1906

~~Signature~~
COMMISSIONER.

CHOCTAW
NB 860

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Silly Watten born on the 20 day of Nov 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Elum Watten a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lillie Peter a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: no 1783
Postoffice: Bethel In Tenn

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Lillie Peter on oath state that I am 18
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Elum Watten, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 20 day of November, 1905; that said child has been named
Silly Watten, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Phelen Taylor
Samuel Peter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July, 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

We Phelen Taylor Acquaintance, on oath state that we
are personally acquainted with Lillie Peter wife of Elum Watten

on the 20 day of Nov, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
[Male or Female]

child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

Silly Watten Lillie Peter

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Phelen Taylor
Dr. [Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July, 1906.

Notary Public.

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Louisa walker

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 20, 1906.

Louisa Walker

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved. SEP 20 1906 190...

Commissioner.

7-1389.

Born Dec. 28, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

Illegitimate

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Louisa Walker, born on the 28th day of Dec. 1905
[Here insert name of child]
 Name of Father: Not known a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Semie Walker a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Idabel, Ok.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Semie Walker, on oath state that I am 34

years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;

that I am ~~the lawful wife of~~ not married, who is a citizen, by

~~of the~~ Nation, that a female child was

born to me on 28th day of December, 1905; that said child has been named

Louisa Walker, and was living March 4, 1906; that said child is illegitimate, and the father, whose name I do not know, was a full blood Choctaw Indian.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { W. H. Martin
Jackson Dames

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1906.

W. H. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Davis Naniatobe, on oath state that I

attended on Semie Walker, in capacity of physician,

on the 28th day of Dec., 1905, that there was born to her on said date a female

child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Louisa Walker; that Semie Walker is not married, and the father of this child, whose name I do not know, is said to be a full blood Choctaw Indian.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { W. H. Martin
Jackson Dames

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1906.

W. H. Martin
Notary Public.

7-1389

Muskogee Indian Territory, July 23, 1906.

Semie Walker,

Idabel, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Semie Walker and Davis Kaniatobe to the birth of Louisa Walker, child of Semie Walker, December 28, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc minor 862

Lincey wallace

m 862

Affidavit of Acquaintance
United States of America
Indian Territory
Woods District.

I, Staysman Bohannon do
with state that I am 70
years of age and a citizen by blood
of the Cherokee Nation. That I am
well acquainted with Wiley Judlar
wife of Jesse Wallace, who lives
near Judlar. I the said Wiley
Judlar has one child Lining
Lining the said child being
about three years of age a female
child & was living March 4-1906.

— Staysman Bohannon
Subscribed & sworn to before me this

14th day of July 1906
Woods District
June 25, 1906

Wiley Judlar
Jesse Wallace
Wiley Judlar

7-2036
NEW BORN
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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Lincey Wallace
.....
as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved: *SEP 20 1906* 1906

[Signature]
.....
Commissioner.

Born Aug. 7, 1903
ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation,
 of Lincy Waller [Here insert name of child] born on the 7th day of August, 1903
 Name of Father: Jesse Waller a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Nicy Lullow a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: 8838 Tribal enrollment of mother: 6783
 Residence: Lullow, J. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Nicy Lullow, on oath state that I am 20 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Lehotaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Jesse Waller, who is a citizen, by blood of the Lehotaw Nation; that a Female child was [Male or Female] born to me on 7th day of August, 1903; that said child has been named Lincy Waller, and was living March 4, 1906.
in way of seal or

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Sanny Lullow, a mid-wife, on oath state that I attended on Nicy Lullow wife of Jesse Waller on the 7th day of August, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lincy Waller.
Sanny Lullow

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,
CHOCTAW LAND OFFICE.

Atoka, Indian Territory, August 15, 1907.

In the matter of the enrollment of Mary Wesley,
Choctaw Miner, (Act April 26, 1906), card No.
864, approved roll No. 945.

JOHNSON WESLEY, being first duly sworn testified as follows:

Examination by the Commissioner.

- Q What is your name? A Johnson Wesley.
Q How old are you? A Over twenty now.
Q What is your Post Office address? A Kullituklo.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation?
A Yes sir.
Q Are you a full blood Choctaw? A Yes sir.
Q For whom do you desire to select an allotment today?
A Mary Wesley.
Q Is she your child? A Yes sir.
Q What is the name of her mother? A Lucy James.
Q Is Lucy James your wife? A Yes sir.
Q Her name now is Lucy Wesley? A Yes sir.
Q Is Lucy Wesley or Lucy James living? A Yes sir.
Q Are you and Lucy James now living together as husband and wife?
A Yes sir.
Q Do you know the name of the father of Lucy James? A I don't
know her father's name.
Q Do you know her mother's name? A Phillis James.
Q What is the name of Phillis James husband? A Allen James.
Q Where did Lucy James live before you married her? A She was
living with Allen James but she moved to Willie James' at the time
I married her.
Q Near what Post Office? A Kullituklo.
Q Is Willie James a son of Allen James? A Yes sir.
Q You state that you are the father of Mary Wesley? A Yes sir.
Q Is she living now? A Yes sir.
Q What is the name of your father? A James Mullin.
Q What is the name of your mother? A Ugle-mah.
Q Where did you live before you moved to Kullituklo? A Corrinne.
Q Where did you live before your Post Office was Corrinne?
A I used to live six miles from Alikohi.

Reference is made to the enrollment of Mary Wesley,
Choctaw Miner, (Act April 26, 1906), card No. 864,
approved roll No. 945. Her father, Johnson Wesley,
is identified on Choctaw Roll Card No. 3042, approved
roll No. 10301, while it appears from the testi-
mony of the witness, Johnson Wesley, that he is en-
rolled on Choctaw Roll Card No. 896, approved roll
No. 2622.

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Q Does this child, Mary Wesley, now live with you?
A Yes sir.

~~Witness Examined~~

I, Charles Bozarth, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath state that the above is a full, true and correct transcript of my stenographic notes as taken in said cause on said date.

Charles Bozarth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August 1907.

W. H. Angell

Notary Public.

8008-1907

EX-801

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 8, 1907.

Chief Clerk,

Chestaw Land Office,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 18, 1907, enclosing two copies of testimony taken in the matter of the enrollment of Mary Wesley as a minor citizen of the Chestaw Nation.

In reply thereto you are advised that the matter will be investigated and you are directed to withhold the issuance of citizenship certificates on the making of allotments to Mary Wesley at No. 945 and at No. 808, on the approved rolls of citizens of the Chestaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 6, 1907.

Chief Clerk,

Chickasaw Land Office,

Armore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

It appearing that the enrollment of Mary Wesley at number 802 on the final roll of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation may be a duplicate of Mary Wesley at number 945, on the same roll, you are directed to withhold the issuance of citizenship certificates in the making of allotments to either of these persons until further advised.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

COPY

Muskogee, Oklahoma, February 4, 1908.

Subject:

Duplicate enrollment
of Mary Wesley, a
minor Cherokee citizen.

The Honorable,
The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to invite your attention to the matter of the duplicate enrollment of Mary Wesley, whose name appears opposite No's. 802 and 948, respectively, upon schedules of citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 24, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 20, 1906, and March 2, 1907, respectively.

The records of this office show that on May 31, 1906, there was received an application for the enrollment of Mary Wesley, whose parents were identified upon the records of this office as Johnson Wesley and Lucy James, whose names appear opposite No's. 2322 and 2323, respect-

ively, of the approved roll of citizens by blood of the
Chester Nation.

The records of this office further show that on
July 25, 1906, there was received the application for the
enrollment of Mary Wesley, whose parents were identified
at that time upon the records of this office as Johnson
Wesley and Lucy James, whose names appear opposite No's.
10391 and 2292, respectively, of the approved roll of
citizens by blood of the Chester Nation.

There was subsequently received by this office
information to the effect that there had been a duplicate
enrollment of the name Mary Wesley, and an investigation
was instituted for the purpose of ascertaining whether
there had been, as a matter of fact, a duplication of the
enrollment of said child. It was found that there had been
an error made in the identification of the father of the
Mary Wesley for whom application for her enrollment was
received July 25, 1906, and that the names appearing op-
posite No's. 202 and 945 upon the roll of citizens by blood
of the Chester Nation enrolled under the provisions of the
Act of Congress approved April 24, 1906 (34 Stat., 137),
referred to one and the same person.

For the information of the Department in the consideration of this matter, there are transmitted herewith a copy of the testimony procured in connection with the investigation hereinbefore referred to and also copies of Chester Yield Cards No's. 872, 936 and 3642, and also of the cards upon which appear the name of Mary Wesley.

I have the honor to further report that on August 18, 1907, there was allotted in the name of Mary Wesley, whose name appears opposite No. 948 upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Chester Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 24, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), land in the Chickasaw Nation of the total appraised value of \$1037.69, but no allotment has been selected in the name of Mary Wesley appearing opposite No. 808 upon the approved roll of such citizens.

On your oral suggestion, I have the honor to recommend that there be placed upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chester Nation, enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 24, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), in possession of the Department and Indian Office, opposite the name of Mary Wesley, appearing thereon at No. 808, the following notation:

"Duplicate enrollment of No. 948;
no selection to be permitted in
this name",

and also upon the original letter and copies thereof trans-
mitting said schedule for Departmental action.

It is also recommended that this office be author-
ized to make like notation upon the copies of the final
roll and letter of transmittal in its possession.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *J. S. Wright.*
Commissioner.

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Through the
Commissioner of
Indian Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

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I.T. 9003-1908

WASHINGTON, February 27, 1908.

File 053

Subject:
Duplicate enrollment
of Mary Wesley.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Sirs

Referring to your letter of February 4, 1908, submitting
the record in the matter of the duplicate enrollment of Mary
Wesley, you are advised that on February 20, 1908, the Depart-
ment authorized you to place on the final roll of citizens
by blood of the Choctaw Nation in the possession of your office,
opposite the name of Mary Wesley as it appears at No. 802,
the following notation:

no selection to be permitted
in this name.

Similar notations have been made on the copies of the
roll in possession of the Department and this Office.

Copy of Office letter showing Departmental action is
enclosed.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) G. V. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON, February 19, 1908.

I.T. (8003-1908)

File 053

Subject:
Duplicate enrollment
of Mary Wesley,
Choctaw citizen.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit a communication from Commissioner Wright, dated February 4, 1908, submitting the record in the matter of the duplicate enrollment of Mary Wesley, whose name appears opposite Nos. 802 and 945, respectively, on a schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 124), approved by the Supreme Court on December 23, 1907, and March 2, 1907.

It appears from Commissioner Wright's report that on August 15, 1907, an allotment of land was selected in the name of Mary Wesley as it appears opposite No. 945 on the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, but that no allotment has been selected in her name as it appears opposite No. 802 on the approved roll of citizens.

In view of this fact and the record in the case, the Office concurs in the recommendation of Commissioner Wright that

there be placed on the final roll of citizens by blood of the
Choctaw Nation in the possession of the Department and this
Office, opposite the name of Mary Wesley as it appears at No.
808, the following notation:

Duplicate enrollment of No. 945;
no selection to be permitted in
this name,

and that Commissioner Wright be authorized to make a similar
notation of the copy of the roll in the possession of his
office.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) U. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

WVL:Rn

February 20, 1908.

Approved:

Jesse E. Wilson,
Assistant Secretary

Muskogee, Oklahoma, March 6, 1908.

Chief Clerk,

Chectaw Land Office,
Atoka, Oklahoma.

Sir:

There is enclosed you herewith one copy of Indian Office letter of February 27, 1908 (I.O. 9003-1908), accompanied by a copy of the report and recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs of February 18, 1908, approved by the Department February 20, 1908, relative to the matter of the duplicate enrollment of Mary Wesley, whose name appears opposite numbers 802 and 945, respectively, upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress of April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 20, 1906, and March 2, 1907, respectively.

In conformity with the authority therein contained you are directed to place upon the copy of the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation, enrolled under the provisions of the above Act of Congress, opposite the

Choc. L.O. #2.

name of Mary Wesley appearing thereon at No. 808, the following notation:

"Duplicate enrollment of No. 948; no selection to be permitted in this name".

You are also directed to place a like notation upon the roll card containing the name of the said Mary Wesley.

Respectfully,

WPC(LOG 6-7)

Acting Commissioner.

Muskogee, Oklahoma, March 6, 1908.

Chief Clerk,

Chickasaw Land Office,

Armore, Oklahoma.

Sir:

There is enclosed you herewith one copy of Indian Office letter of February 27, 1908 (I.O. 9003-1908), accompanied by a copy of the report and recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs of February 19, 1908, approved by the Department February 20, 1908, relative to the matter of the duplicate enrollment of Mary Wenley, whose name appears opposite numbers 802 and 945, respectively, upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 23, 1906, and March 2, 1907, respectively.

In conformity with the authority therein contained you are directed to place upon the copy of the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, enrolled under the provisions of the above Act of Congress, opposite the

Chick. L.O. #8.

name of Mary Wesley appearing thereon at No. 602, the following notation:

"Duplicate enrollment of No. 945; no selection to be permitted in this name".

You are also directed to place a like notation upon the roll card containing the name of the said Mary Wesley.

Respectfully,

WPC(JGG 6-8)

Acting Commissioner.

Muskogee, Oklahoma, March 6, 1908.

Chief Clerk,
Choctaw-Chickasaw Division,
General Office.

Sir:

There is enclosed you herewith two copies of Indian Office letter of February 27, 1908 (I.T. 9003-1908), accompanied by copies of the report and recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs of February 19, 1908, approved by the Department February 20, 1908, relative to the matter of the duplicate enrollment of Mary Wesley, whose name appears opposite numbers 802 and 945, respectively, upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 20, 1906, and March 2, 1907, respectively.

In conformity with the authority therein contained you are directed to place upon the copy of the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, enrolled under the provisions of the above Act of Congress, opposite the

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name of Mary Wesley appearing thereon at No. 802, the following notation:

"Duplicate enrollment of No. 945; no selection to be permitted in this name".

You are also directed to place a like notation upon the roll card containing the name of the said Mary Wesley.

Respectfully,

WPC(LOG 6-6)

Acting Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 5, 1906.

Johnson Wesley,

Corinne, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lucy Wesley and Susan Billy to the birth of Mary Wesley, child of Johnson Wesley and Lucy Wesley, September 19, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavits that you and your wife are citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of your parents, the time and place application was made for your enrollment, and if either of you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give your roll numbers as they appear upon your allotment certificates.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Corinne, I.T. June 23 1906.

~~Commissioner of the Five Civilized Tribes~~

Muscogee I. T.

My fathers name was James Mullen but has been dead for 12 years and I was raised by a man named Joseph Wesley and I adopted the name of Wesley and was inrolled as Johnson Wesley. My mother died before my father died somewhat 14 years ago. My Inrollment No. is 2622. My wife, Lucy Wesley fathers name is Wattis Ellis and mother name is Felis Ellis and has been dead about 8 years. and I have not * got her Certificates at home and I dont know what her enrollment No. is but she is a Choctaw by blood of Indian Territory.

yours Truly

Johnson Wesley

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 17, 1906.

Johnson Wesley,

Corinae, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 23, 1906, giving certain information relative to your enrollment.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify you as an enrolled citizen of the Choctaw Nation, but it is impossible to identify your wife, Lucy Wesley, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. You are requested to advise this office under what name application was made for her enrollment.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Corinne, I.T. July 25, 1906.

Hon. Tams Bixby

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes
Muskogee, I. T.

I will write you in reply to my wife: She was Enrolled as Lucy James, Enrolled before her and I were married. Her enrollment No. 2292, Choctaw by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if possible inform me about the matter, I remain

Yours Truly

Johnson Wesley.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 18, 1906.

Johnson Wealey,
Corinne, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 25, 1906, in which you state that your wife, Lucy Wealey, was enrolled under the name of Lucy James at No. 2292.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify your wife, Lucy Wealey, as a citizen by blood of the Cheetaw Nation, and has been filed with the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child Mary Wealey.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

J.P.P.
NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Mary Wesley
as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

NOV 28 1905

Approved

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Commissioner.

Born Sept. 19, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Mary Wesley (Here insert name of child.) born on the 19th day of September, 1905
Name of Father: Johnson Wesley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lucy Wesley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice Cosinne I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Lucy Wesley on oath state that I am nineteen
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Johnson Wesley, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 19 day of September, 1905; that said child has been named
Mary Wesley, and was living March 4, 1906

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { Lynn Billy
W. D. [unclear]

Lucy Wesley
mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of May, 1906.

Lu Noel
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Susan Billie, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Lucy Wesley, wife of Johnson Wesley
on the 19 day of September, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906 and is said to have been named Mary Wesley

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { Lynn Billy
W. D. [unclear]

Susan Billie
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of May, 1906.

Lu Noel
Notary Public.

Choc minor 864

Mary Wesley

Granted Feb 19, 1907

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a
citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation of

MARY WESLEY.....23-864.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Mary Wesley

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved 190.....

Commissioner.

Born Jan. 15, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation,
of Mary Wealy born on the 15 day of January 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Johnson Wealy a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Emily or Lucy Smith a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother
Postoffice: Boonville, Ia

AFFIDAVIT OF Acquaintance

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Sophie Bobb, on oath state that I am 39
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Lehotaw Nation;
that I am personally acquainted with Emily Wealy wife of Johnson Wealy, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Lehotaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 15 day of Jan, 1906; that said child has been named
Mary Wealy, and was living March 6, 1906.

Sophie Bobb

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

J. J. Cephus
Rayson Nelson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Wilmon Nanomantube, on oath state that I
am personally acquainted with Emily Wealy wife of Johnson Wealy
on the 15 day of January, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 6, 1906, and is said to have been named Mary Wealy.

W. L. Nanomantube

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory. January 12, 1907.

Johnson Wesley,

Kullituklo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

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Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 26, asking if your child, Mary Wesley, has been approved as you desire to file on her allotment. You state that your Certificate number for the Homestead and surplus allotment is "2262" and that the Certificate number of your wife, Lucy Wesley, is "2292" for both her Homestead and surplus allotment.

In reply you are advised that affidavits have been received at this office to the birth of Mary Wesley, child of Lucy or Emily Smith, January 15, 1906. The affidavits of the mother and the attending physician are now on file and it will be necessary for you to forward their affidavits on the blank enclosed herewith. They should be forwarded so as to reach here not later than January 15, 1907, in order that proper disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of your child.

You are also requested in forwarding the affidavits to give the names of your parents and the names of the parents of your wife, also stating whether her correct name is Emily or

J. W. #2.

Lucy, and her correct name should be given in the affidavits
to the birth of the child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

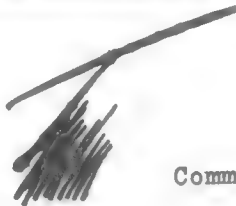
In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Mary Wesley as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N N .

It appears from the record herein that on July 25, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Mary Wesley as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that said child was born on January 15, 1906, and is the daughter of Johnson Wesley, whose name appears opposite No. 2622 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 12, 1902, and Emily (or Lucy) Smith, whose name (as Lucy James) appears opposite No. 2292 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 12, 1902; and that said applicant was living on March 4, 1906.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that Mary Wesley should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,
FEB 19 1907

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COPY
Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 27, 1907.

Johnson Wesley,

Kullitukla, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 19, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Mary Wesley as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are further advised that the name of Mary Wesley granted in said decision has been placed upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval. You will be notified of Departmental action thereon.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Registered.
Incl. 23-864

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COPY
Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 27, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 19, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Mary Wesley as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are further advised that the name of Mary Wesley granted in said decision has been placed upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval. You will be notified of Departmental action thereon.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*
Comptroller

Registered.
Incl. 23-864

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COPY

Kullituklo, I. T.

Dec. 26-1906.

Hon. Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Ind. Ter.

Gentlemen:

I will write you a few words today, and I want to know about my child name Mary Wesley, been approve this child or not, I want to find out if it was approved. I want to file allotment for my childs land, also I was file my land all in Choctaw Nation. My roll Number is 2622, for Homestead and my surplus same number 2622; also my wife name Luch James she is file all in Choctaw Nation too, she is roll number 2292 for Homestead, and surplus same numbers 2292, and now my wife name Lucy Wesley. Well this all I want to know. I will close. Hoping to hear you about this question

Yours truly

Johnson Wesley

Address Kullituklo, I. T.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 1, 1907.

Johnson Wesley,

Kullituklo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

On January 12, 1907, a letter was addressed to you by the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes requesting you to forward at once the affidavits of the mother and the attending physician or midwife to the birth of your minor child, Mary Wesley, showing the correct name of your wife, whether her name is Emily or Lucy, also stating the names of your parents and the names of the parents of your wife, and as yet no answer has been received to this letter.

You should give this matter your immediate attention and the affidavits inclosed herewith should be executed and returned so as not to reach this office not later than February 2, 1907, as under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior has no authority to approve the enrollment of any person subsequent to March 4, 1907.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 1, 1907.

Johnson Wesley,

Kullisukis, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

On January 12, 1907, a letter was addressed to you by the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes requesting you to forward at once the affidavits of the mother and the attending physician or midwife to the birth of your minor child, Mary Wesley, showing the correct name of your wife, whether her name is Emily or Lucy, also stating the names of your parents and the names of the parents of your wife, and as yet no answer has been received to this letter.

You should give this matter your immediate attention and the affidavits inclosed herewith should be executed and returned so as to reach this office not later than February 9, 1907, as under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 22, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior has no authority to approve the enrollment of any person subsequent to March 4, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

Kullituklo, I. T/ Dec 26, 1906.

Hon. Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Ind. Ter.

Gentlement: I will write you a few words to day and I want to know about my child name Mary Wesley, been approe this child or not, I want find out if it was approve I want to go file allotment for my childs land, also I was file my land all in Choctaw Nation.

My roll numbers 2622 for Homestead and my surpluss same numbers 2622 also my wife name Lucy James she is file all in Choctaw Nation too, she is roll numbers 2292 for Homestead, and surpluss same numbers 2292, and now my wife name Lucy Wesley. Well this all I let know. I will close, Hoping to hear you about this question.

Yours truly

Johnson Wesley

Address Kullituklo, I. T.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 6, 1907.

Chief Clerk,

Chickasaw Land Office,

Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

It appearing that the enrollment of Mary Wesley at number 802 on the final roll of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation may be a duplicate of Mary Wesley at number 848, on the same roll, you are directed to withhold the issuance of citizenship certificates in the making of allotments to either of these persons until further advised.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 8, 1907.

Chief Clerk,

Choctaw Land Office,

Atoka, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 16, 1907, enclosing two copies of testimony taken in the matter of the enrollment of Mary Wesley as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

In reply thereto you are advised that the matter will be investigated and you are directed to withhold the issuance of citizenship certificates in the making of allotments of Mary Wesley at No. 945 and at No. 802, on the approved roll of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,
CHOCTAW LAND OFFICE.

Atoka, Indian Territory, August 15, 1907.

In the matter of the enrollment of Mary Wesley,
Choctaw Minor, (Act April 26, 1906), card No.
864, approved roll No. 945.

JOHNSON WESLEY, being first duly sworn testified as follows:

Examination by the Commissioner.

- Q What is your name? A Johnson Wesley.
Q How old are you? A Over twenty now.
Q What is your Post Office address? A Kullituklo.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation?
A Yes sir.
Q Are you a full blood Choctaw? A Yes sir.
Q For whom do you desire to select an allotment today?
A Mary Wesley.
Q Is she your child? A Yes sir.
Q What is the name of her mother? A Lucy James.
Q Is Lucy James your wife? A Yes sir.
Q Her name now is Lucy Wesley? A Yes sir.
Q Is Lucy Wesley or Lucy James living? A Yes sir.
Q Are you and Lucy James now living together as husband and wife?
A Yes sir.
Q Do you know the name of the father of Lucy James? A I don't
know her father's name.
Q Do you know her mother's name? A Fillis James.
Q What is the name of Fillis James husband? A Allen James.
Q Where did Lucy James live before you married her? A She was
living with Allen James but she moved to Willie James' at the time
I married her.
Q Near what Post Office? A Kullituklo.
Q Is Willie James a son of Allen James? A Yes sir.
Q You state that you are the father of Mary Wesley? A Yes sir.
Q Is she living now? A Yes sir.
Q What is the name of your father? A James Mullin.
Q What is the name of your mother? A Ugle-nah.
Q Where did you live before you moved to Kullituklo? A Corrinne.
Q Where did you live before your Post Office was Corrinne?
A I used to live six miles from Alikchi.

Reference is made to the enrollment of Mary Wesley,
Choctaw Minor, (Act April 26, 1906), card No. 864,
approved roll No. 945. Her father, Johnson Wesley,
is enrolled on Choctaw Roll Card No. 3042, approved
roll No. 10501, while it appears from the testi-
mony of the witness, Johnson Wesley, that he is en-
rolled on Choctaw Roll Card No. 996, approved roll
No. 2422.

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Q Does this child, Mary Wesley, now live with you?
A Yes sir.

Witness Excused.

I, Charles Bozarth, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath state that the above is a full, true and correct transcript of my stenographic notes as taken in said cause on said date.

Charles Bozarth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August 1907.

W. H. Angell

Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Mary Wesley

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved Nov 28 1906

F. A. Pixby
Commissioner.

Choctaw
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Received
May 31, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Mary Wesley (here insert name of child.) born on the 19th day of September, 1905
Name of Father: Johnson Wesley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lucy Wesley a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Corinne I T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Lucy Wesley, on oath state that I am nineteen
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;

that I am the lawful wife of Johnson Wesley, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 19 day of September, 1905; that said child has been named

Mary Wesley, and was living March 4, 1906

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Lymon Pilly
H. D. Cyron

Lucy x Wesley
mark
(Seal)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of May, 1906

Lee Noel
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Susan Pilly, a midwife, on oath state that I
~~Lucy Wesley~~ wife of ~~Johnson Wesley~~

on the 19 day of September, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906 and is said to have been named Mary Wesley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Lymon Pilly
H. D. Cyron

Susan x Pilly
mark
(Seal)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of May, 1906

Lee Noel
Notary Public.

COPY

Muskogee, Oklahoma, February 4, 1908.

Subject:

Duplicate enrollment
of Mary Wesley, a
minor Choctaw citizen.

The Honorable,
The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to invite your attention to the matter of the duplicate enrollment of Mary Wesley, whose name appears opposite No's. 802 and 848, respectively, upon schedules of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1904 (34 Stat., 137), approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 20, 1906, and March 2, 1907, respectively.

The records of this office show that on May 21, 1906, there was received an application for the enrollment of Mary Wesley, whose parents were identified upon the records of this office as Johnson Wesley and Lucy James, whose names appear opposite No's. 2622 and 2222, respect-

ively, of the approved roll of citizens by blood of the
Chester Nation.

The records of this office further show that on
July 26, 1906, there was received the application for the
enrollment of Mary Wesley, whose parents were identified
at that time upon the records of this office as Johnson
Wesley and Lucy James, whose names appear opposite No's.
10301 and 2292, respectively, of the approved roll of
citizens by blood of the Chester Nation.

There was subsequently received by this office
information to the effect that there had been a duplicate
enrollment of the name Mary Wesley, and an investigation
was instituted for the purpose of ascertaining whether
there had been, as a matter of fact, a duplication of the
enrollment of said child. It was found that there had been
an error made in the identification of the father of the
Mary Wesley for whom application for her enrollment was
received July 26, 1906, and that the names appearing op-
posite No's. 302 and 303 upon the roll of citizens by blood
of the Chester Nation enrolled under the provisions of the
Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137),
referred to one and the same person.

For the information of the Department in the consideration of this matter, there are transmitted herewith a copy of the testimony procured in connection with the investigation hereinbefore referred to and also copies of Chectaw Field Cards No's. 878, 898 and 3642, and also of the cards upon which appear the name of Mary Wesley.

I have the honor to further report that on August 18, 1907, there was allotted in the name of Mary Wesley, whose name appears opposite No. 345 upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), land in the Chickasaw Nation of the total appraised value of \$1057.59, but no allotment has been selected in the name of Mary Wesley appearing opposite No. 302 upon the approved roll of said citizens.

In view of the foregoing, I have the honor to recommend that there be placed upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation, enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), in possession of the Department and Indian Office, opposite the name of Mary Wesley, appearing thereon at No. 302, the following notation:

"Duplicate enrollment of No. 945;
no selection to be permitted in
this name",

and also upon the original letter and copies thereof trans-
mitting said schedule for Departmental action.

It is also recommended that this office be author-
ized to make like notation upon the copies of the final
roll and letter of transmittal in its possession.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *J. S. Wright.*

Commissioner.

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Through the
Commissioner of
Indian Affairs.

Choc minor 865

Elton WATKINS

Granted Feb 8, 1907

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United States of America:
District of Columbia, United District,
City and County of Washington.

I Samuel Jefferson, on oath state that
I am 23 years of age and a citizen of
the State of the United States. That my post
office address is Alaska, D. C., that
I am personally acquainted with Joseph
Watkins, and his wife, Eliza Watkins
and that a male child was born to
the wife of Joseph Watkins ^{Eliza Watkins} on 20th day of
March 1905 and the child has since become
Elton Watkins, and the said child
was living on the 4th day of March 1906.

Samuel Jefferson

Subscribed & sworn to before me
this 18th day of July 1906.

W. W. Clancy
Notary Public.

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Application for Enrollment of

EDDIE CHILS

Act of Congress Approved

April 20, 1906

Eidon Watkins

as a citizen of

CH. TAY

Nation

Approved

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Commissioner

Born March 20, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS, APRIL 20, 1906

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

REGULATIONS OF BUREAU. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

BY HIS APPOINTMENT FOR REGISTRATION, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Elton Watkins born on the 20 day of March 1905
(How must name of child)
 Name of Father: Joseph Watkins a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Eliza Watkins a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: 961 Tribal enrollment of mother: 962
 Residence: Alikechi, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory.

Central District.

I, Eliza Watkins, on oath state that I am 41
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Joseph Watkins, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 20th day of March 1905; that said child has been named
Elton Watkins and was living March 4, 1906.

Eliza Watkins
the wife

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

Samuel Jefferson
Sickan Jefferson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of July 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTESTING FELLOWMAN OR NEAR-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory.

Central District.

I, Joseph Watkins husband of Eliza Watkins
Eliza Watkins my wife
 on the 20 day of March 1905 (that there was born to her on said day a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Elton Watkins

Joseph Watkins

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

[]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of July 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

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O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

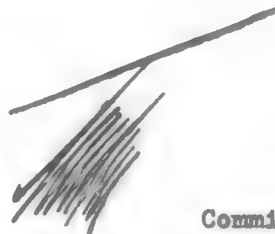
In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Elton Watkins as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on July 25, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Elton Watkins as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw nation.

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that said applicant was born on March 20, 1905, and is the son of Eliza Watkins and Joseph Watkins whose names appear opposite numbers 962 and 961, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 12, 1902, and that said applicant was living on March 4, 1906.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that Elton Watkins, should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

FEB 8 1907

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 8, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Elton Watkins as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Elton Watkins will be placed upon the next schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Jame Bixby*
Commissioner.

Incl. 23-868

Registered

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1907.

Joseph Watkins,

Alikoh, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 8, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Elton Watkins as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the name of Elton Watkins will be placed upon the next schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Bixby

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-865

Registered.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES?
CHOCTAW LAND OFFICE.

Atoka, Indian Territory, July 11, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, of Winey Williams, minor child of Isabel Williams, now deceased, Choctaw by blood, roll No. 3991, field card No. 1431; father unknown.

WICKY GARDNER, being first duly sworn testified as follows:

(Through Official Interpreter, Jackson W. Carnes).

Examination by the Commissioner.

- Q What is your name? A Winey Gardner.
Q How old are you? A Over forty.
Q What is your Post Office address? A Atoka, I.T.
Q Are you a duly enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation?
A Yes sir.
Q Affidavits have just been made by yourself, Joe Homer, Louisa Frasier and Sallie Lewis, relative to the birth of Winey Williams, in the matter of her application for enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. Who is the mother of this child, Winey Williams? A Isabel Williams.
Q Is Isabel Williams dead? A Yes sir.
Q When did she die? A November 19, 1905.
Q Are you the mother of Isabel Williams? A Yes sir.
Q What is her father's name? A Eastman Williams.
Q What is the name of her brother? A Knos Williams.
Q Is Eastman Williams the father of Knos Williams? A Yes sir.
Q Eastman Williams is the father of Isabel Williams too?
A Yes sir.
Q From the records of the Commissioner it appears that Joe Homer is the father of Isabel Williams? A That is a mistake.
Q What was your husband's name? A Edmund Gardner.
Q Was he your husband after Eastman Williams died? A Yes sir.
Q And you are the mother of Isabel Williams? A Yes sir.

The name of Isabel Williams appears as No. 3991, upon the approved Choctaw roll by blood, field card No. 1431.

- Q Is this child, Winey Williams living? A Yes sir.
Q With whom does she live? A With me.
Q Is that the child there with you? A Yes sir.
Q What is the name of the father of this child, Winey Williams?
A I don't know.
Q Was Isabel Williams married? A No sir.
Q Is this an illegitimate child? A Yes sir.
Q And you don't know the name of the child's father? A No sir.
Q Do you know whether he was a citizen of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation? A I don't know.

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- Q Do you know whether he was a white-man? A No sir, I think the baby is a full blood Choctaw.
- Q From the physical appearance of the baby you think his father must have been a full blood Choctaw? A Yes sir.
- Q But you don't know anything as to who is the father of this child? A No sir.
- Q Were you present when this baby was born? A Yes sir.
- Q And you know it to be the child of your daughter, Isabel Williams? A Yes sir.
- Q Didn't your daughter ever tell you anything about the father of this baby? A No sir.

(Witness Excused)

I, Charles Bozarth, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath state that the above is a full, true and correct ~~copy~~ transcript of my stenographic notes as taken in said cause on said date.

Charles Bozarth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of July, 1906.

W. H. Angell

Notary Public.

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V

IN RE
THE DEATH OF

Isabel Williams

a citizen of the

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Isabel Williams
(Here insert name of deceased.)
a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, who formerly resided at or near
Nelson, Ind. Ter., and died on the 19th day of
November, 1905
(Here insert name of postoffice.)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.
I, Micky Gardner, on oath state that I am over 40
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Atoka, Ind. Ter.; that I am
Mother of Isabel Williams
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation
and that said Isabel Williams died on the 19th day of
November, 1905.
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:
(Must Be Two Witnesses.)
Charles B. Gault
Jackson W. Stamps
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July, 1906
M. M. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.
I, Joe Homer, on oath state that I am 52
years of age, and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that my postoffice address is Atoka, Ind. Ter.;
that I was personally acquainted with Isabel Williams
(Here insert name of deceased.)
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
and that said Isabel Williams died on the 19th day of
November, 1905.
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:
(Must Be Two Witnesses.)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July, 1906
M. M. Martin
Notary Public.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 27, 1906.

Henry Williams

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190...

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Niney Williams, born on the 1st day of April, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Unknown a citizen of the Nation.
 Name of Mother: Isabel Williams (now dead) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother
 Postoffice: Atoka, Okla.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Joe Homer, on oath state that I am 52 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I ~~was personally acquainted with~~ Isabel Williams, now dead, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was born to Isabel Williams on 1st day of April, 1905; that said child has been named Niney Williams, and was living March 4, 1906; that said child is illegitimate, and the father is unknown.
Joe Homer

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July, 1906.

M. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Niece Gardner, a midwife, on oath state that I attended on Isabel Williams, now deceased on the 1st day of April, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Niney Williams.
that said child is illegitimate, and the father is unknown.
Niece Gardner

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July, 1906.

M. Martin
Notary Public.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

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as a citizen of

..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSIONER.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Winey Williams, born on the 1st day of April, 1905
(Here report name of child)

Name of Father: unknown a citizen of the Nation.

Name of Mother: Isabel Williams (now dead) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....

Postoffice: Atoka, S.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... District. }

I,, on oath state that I am.....
years of age and a citizen by..... of the..... Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of....., who is a citizen, by
..... of the..... Nation; that a..... child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on..... day of.....; that said child has been named
..... and was living March 4, 1906

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... day of..... 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

David Jerry..... on oath state that I
am personally acquainted with
Isabel Williams deceased, unmarried,
attended on.....
on the 1st day of April, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a..... female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Winey Williams
that said child is illegitimate and her father is unknown.

David Jerry

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... 25th day of January, 1907

Richard Shamajet
Notary Public.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Nancy Williams

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved ~~FEB 21 1907~~ 190

Commissioner.

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Born April 1, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN THE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Winey Williams (Here insert name of child) born on the 1st day of April 1905
 Name of Father: Unknown a citizen of the Nation.
 Name of Mother: Isabel Williams (now dec'd) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother

Postoffice Atoka, Okla.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Louisa Prozier, on oath state that I am 66 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 was personally acquainted with Isabel Williams, now deceased, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I know that a female child was born to Isabel Williams on the 1st day of April 1905; that said child has been named Winey Williams and was living March 4, 1906; that said child is illegitimate, and the father is unknown. Louisa Prozier mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Charles Boyer
Jackson O'Carroll

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July 1906.
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Sallie Lewis, on oath state that I knew Isabel Williams who is now dead, and I know that on the 1st day of April 1905 that there was born to her a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Winey Williams; that Isabel Williams was not married, and the father of said child is unknown. Sallie Lewis mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Charles Boyer
Jackson O'Carroll

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July 1906.
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

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Zegar Williams

Isham Williams

Annie Williams

Granted Feb 8, 1907

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COPY
Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1907.

Israel Williams,
Fragville, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 8, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Zegar Williams, Isham Williams and Annie Williams as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the names of Zegar Williams, Isham Williams and Annie Williams will be placed upon the next schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bliby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-867

Registered.

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COPY
Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 8, 1907, granting the application for the enrollment of Zegar Williams, Isham Williams and Annie Williams as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

You are hereby advised that the names of Zegar Williams, Isham Williams and Annie Williams will be placed upon the next schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

James Birney

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-867

Registered.

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O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

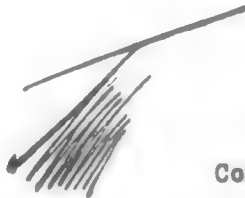
In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Zegar Williams, et al., as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on July 25, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Zegar Williams, Isham Williams and Annie Williams, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that said applicants were born on September 15, 1901, October 15, 1903 and October 15, 1905, respectively; that they are the children of Seeley Williams, whose name as Sealy Williams, appears as No. 4283 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 12, 1902, and that said applicants were living on March 4, 1906.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that Zegar Williams, Isham Williams and Annie Williams, should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

FEB 8 1907

NEW BORN 23 867 ✓

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Joham Williams

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Oct. 15, 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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SIGNER.

CHOCTAW

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Ischam (Pekahin) Williams born on the 15 day of Oct 1903
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Israel Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Suley Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Frogville, S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER. Acquaintance

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Thomas Hayes, on oath state that I am 27
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Suley Williams
personally acquainted with Suley Williams
 who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 15 day of Oct, 1903; that said child has been named
Ischam Williams and was living March 4, 1906.

Thomas Hayes

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE. Acquaintance

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Jobias Roberson, on oath state that I
personally knows that Suley Williams and Henderson
has four children and that
Israel Williams
 wife of Suley Williams
 was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Ischam
Williams

Jobias Roberson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July 1906.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Zegar Williams

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... FEB 11 1907..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Sept. 15, 1901

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... Choctaw Nation, of Begay Williams, born on the 15 day of Sept 1907. Name of Father: Isabel Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. Name of Mother: Lucy Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Postoffice Frogville, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, } Central District.

I, Thomas Hayes, on oath state that I am 27 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am permanently acquainted with Lucy Williams wife of Isabel Williams, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was born to me on the 15 day of Sept, 1907; that said child has been named Begay Williams, and was living March 4, 1906.

Thomas Hayes

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, } Central District.

We, Jobias Roberson, giving acquaintance on oath state that I am personally acquainted with Lucy Williams wife of Isabel Williams.

On the 15 day of Sept, 1907; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Begay Williams.

Jobias Roberson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July 1906.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 23, 1908.

..... *Jegar Williams*

as a citizen of

..... *Choctaw* Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Sept. 15, 1901

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation,
of *Jegar Williams* born on the *15* day of *Sept* 19*01*.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: *Isrial Williams* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Caeley Williams* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: *Frogville, I. T.*

AFFIDAVIT OF ~~NOTICE~~ *Acquaintance*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, *Thomas Hayes*, on oath state that I am *27* years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation; that I am *personally acquainted with Caeley Williams wife of Isrial Williams*, who is a citizen, by *blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation; that a *Female* child was born to me on *about* the *15* day of *Sept* 19*01*; that said child has been named *Jegar Williams* and was living March 4, 1906.
Thomas Hayes

WITNESSES TO MARK:



[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July* 1906.

W. H. McKinney
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ~~ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE~~ *Acquaintance*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

We Tobias Roberson & Janey Skelton *Acquaintance* on oath state that I *am personally acquainted with Caeley Williams Isrial Williams* attended on *her* wife of *Isrial Williams* & that on the *about* *15* day of *Sept* 19*01*; that there was born to her on said date a *Female* child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *Jegar (Nick Name) Williams*.

WITNESSES TO MARK:



[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July* 1906.

Tobias Roberson
Janey Skelton
W. H. McKinney
Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Annie Williams.....

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born July 6, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, of female Annie Williams, born on the 15th day of Oct 1705. Name of Father: Israel Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. Name of Mother: Seely Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Postoffice: Hogville - I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER. Acquaintance

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, Central District.

I, Thomas Hayes, on oath state that I am 27 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Seely Williams, wife of Israel Williams, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was born to me on 6th day of July 1905; that said child has been named Annie Williams, and was living March 4, 1906. I think Annie Williams cannot remember her name at present. I think Annie Williams. I think Annie Williams. I think Annie Williams.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July 1906. Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE. Acquaintance

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, Central District.

I, Tobias Roberson, on oath state that I am personally acquainted Seely Williams, wife of Israel Williams, that on 6th day of July 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Annie Williams. I think Annie Williams. I think Annie Williams. I think Annie Williams.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July 1906. Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Annie Williams.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born July 6, 1905.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation,
of *Female, Annie Williams*, born on ^{about} the *15* day of *Oct* 19*05*.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: *Isreal Williams* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Seeley Williams* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: *Trogrville, I. T.*

Acquaintance
AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, *Thomas Hayes*, on oath state that I am *27* years of age and a citizen by *blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation; that I am ~~the lawful wife of~~ *personally acquainted with Seeley Williams, wife of Isreal Williams*, who is a citizen, by *blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation; that a *Female* child was born to ^{her} ~~me~~ on ^{or about} *6* day of *July* 19*05*; that said child has been named *cannot remember name at present. I think Annie Williams.* and was living March 4, 1906.
Charlie Tanatubbee, Hugo, I. T. Can tell *Thomas Hayes*

WITNESSES TO MARK:

SEAL [Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July* 1906.

W. H. McKinney
Notary Public.

Acquaintance
AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, *Tobias Roberson*, *Acquaintance*, on oath state that I ~~am personally acquainted~~ *attended on* *Seeley Williams*, wife of *Isreal Williams*, that ^{or about} *6* day of *July* 19*05*; that there was born to her on said date a *Female* child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *I think Annie Williams*, ~~but I do not know her name~~
Tobias Roberson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

SEAL [Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July* 1906.

W. H. McKinney
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

**Act of Congress Approved
April 20, 1900.**

Isbama Williams

as a citizen of

Choctaw **Nation.**

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Given Oct 15, 1903-

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Sham (Berksire) Williams; born on the 15th day of October, 1903.
Name of Father: Israel Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Seeley Williams a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: Frogville, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF ~~MOTHER~~ Acquaintance

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Thomas Hayes, on oath state that I am 27 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am personally acquainted with Seeley Williams, who is a citizen, by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was born to her on or about 15 day of Oct, 1903; that said child has been named Sham Williams and was living March 4, 1906.

Thomas Hayes

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July, 1906.

H. G. Mc Kinney
Notary Public.



AFFIDAVIT OF ~~ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE~~ Acquaintance

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Tobias Roberson, acquaintance on oath state that I am personally know Seeley Williams nee Henderson attends on wife of Israel Williams has four children and that on or about 15 day of 1903; that there was born to her on said date a male child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Sham Williams

Williams

Tobias Roberson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July, 1906.

H. G. Mc Kinney
Notary Public.



Legal Division
700-17-4-24-10-10-1
In re Segar Williams,
Chester Hiner 1900.
cc to Peter Deichman,
U.S. Probate Atty.
Armore, Okla.

April 25, 1936.

Mr. Thomas Williams,
Care of Mr. J. B. Johnson,
R. D. 40, Kingling, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your inquiry of April 9, 1936, I will state that it appears from the records of this office that Segar Williams, full-blood Choctaw, Roll No. 4-200, the deceased allottee to whom you refer, is the same person as Pearlly Myrtle Williams, who had, prior to the enrollment of the said Segar Williams, been enrolled on the original approved Choctaw Roll opposite Roll No. 4225. Such being the case, it appears that there would be no heirs of said allottee who could lawfully inherit the lands that were allotted to her under the name of Segar Williams, as, under the decisions of the Federal Courts, no Indian was entitled to receive more than one allotment. According to the records of this office, however, all of the lands that were allotted to Segar Williams have been sold by her heirs. We have no information as to the names of the heirs who sold the allotment, and I would suggest that if you wish to secure that information, you confer with Mr. Peter Deichman, United States Probate Attorney at Armore, Oklahoma, and request him to examine the county records as to the conveyances that have been executed. I enclose herewith statement, giving a full description of the lands that were allotted to Segar Williams, which you should give to Mr. Deichman if you request him to investigate this matter.

Respectfully,

Superintendent.

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United States of America.
Indian Territory -
Central District.

I, Eliza Culberson, on oath state
that, I am 25-years of age, and
a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation,
that my post office address is Gloucester
I.T. that I am personally acquainted
with Bob Wilson, Sulphate, I.T. and
his wife Mercie Lewis of Sulphate,
I.T. and that a female child was
born to the wife of Bob Wilson, Mercie
Lewis, on the Dec 24, 1905- and the
said child has been named Lizzie
Wilson, and the said child was
living on the 4th day of March 1906.

Eliza Culberson.

Subscribed & sworn to before me this
20th day of July 1906.

W. H. Williams
Notary Public.

United States of America.
Indian Territory -
Central District.

I, Elam M. Ward, on oath state
that, I am 33 years of age, and a
citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation,
that my post office is Gloucester, I.T.;
that I am personally acquainted with
Bob Wilson, Sulphate, I.T. and his
wife Mercie Lewis of Sulphate, I.T.
and that the female child was born
to the wife of Bob Wilson, Mercie Lewis
Dec 24-1905- and the said child
has been named Lizzie Wilson.
and the said child was living on the 4th
day of March 1906.

Elam M Ward

Subscribed & sworn to before me this
20th day of July 1906.

W. H. Williams
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Listie Wilson.....

as a citizen of

Christiana..... Nation.

Approved **FEB 11 1907**..... 190...

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Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906,

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF LANDS

JAN 22 1907

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COMMISSIONER.

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*Application
Received
July 25, 1906*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Listie Wilson born on the 24th day of Dec. 1905
Name of Father: Robert Wilson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Marsie Lewis a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice Luskata IS

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Marsie Lewis, on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I ^{was} the lawful wife of Robert Wilson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 24th day of December 1905 that said child has been named
Listie Wilson and was living March 4, 1906. that the date of this
child's birth given in affidavit of Jackson McKinney as Dec. 5, 1905, is a mistake.
Marsie Lewis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Cornelia Ward
Frank L. Noble

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of January 1906

W. Martin

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Cornelia Ward, on oath state that I
was requested with Marsie Lewis, widow of Robert Wilson, to know that
attended on on the 24th day of Dec. 1905 that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Listie Wilson.

Cornelia Ward

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Jan'y 1906

W. Martin

Notary Public.

state of Oklahoma, }
County of McCurtain, } ss (AFFIDAVIT)

Co mes now, Elam M. Ward, and after being duly sworn deposes and states, that he is 48 years of age, and his Post Office address is Oak Hill Okla.

That, he is an own brother of Marsie Wilson, nee Harrison, the mother of Listie Wilson. That, the father of Listie Wilson, was Bob Wilson, Choctaw Roll No 2653 That the said Bob Wilson, was married to the said Marsie Wilson, nee Harrison, in the month of February 1903, in the old Choctaw Court, at Sulplur Springsthan Indian Terr. Weof Co.

That Robert Wilson, Choctaw Roll 1744 is not the father of Listie Wilson, and that the said Robert Wilson, never co-habited or lived with the said Marsie Wilson, nee Harrison at any time.

That the said Bob Wilson, and Marsie Wilson, nee Harrison, lived with Louisa Anderson the time during their marries live, until they seperated which was in 1905 about November.

That I am well acquainted with Robert Wilson, Choctaw roll 1744, and was also well acquainted with Bob Wilson, Choctaw No. 2653 and that Bob Wilson, Choctaw No. 2653 is the father of Listie Wilson, and was the husband of Marsie Wilson, nee Harrison.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 11th. day of June 1915.

Commission expires 8th. Jan 1916.

E. Langford

E. Langford

Notary Public

7-715
NEW BORN
7-2024 868 ✓

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Lester Wilson

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Dec. 5, 1905 -

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906;

DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... *Cherokee* Nation, of... *Listie Wilson*... born on the *5* day of *Dec*... 190*5* -

Name of Father: *Robert (B.W.) Wilson*... a citizen of the... *Cherokee* Nation.

Name of Mother *Mervie Lewis*... a citizen of the... *Cherokee* Nation.

Tribal enrollment of father... Tribal enrollment of mother...

Postoffice... *Luskfata, A.T.*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER: *Acquainted*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
... *Central* District. }

I, *Jackson McKinney*... on oath state that I am... *45* years of age and a citizen by... *blood*... of the... *Cherokee* Nation;

that I am the ~~lawful~~ *personally acquainted with* wife of... *Mervie Lewis*... who is a citizen, by

blood... of the... *Cherokee* Nation; that a *Female* child was born to ~~me~~ *her* on... *5* day of *December*... 190*5*; that said child has been named

... *Listie Wilson*... and was living March 4, 1906.

Jackson McKinney

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this... *23* day of *July*... 1906.

Jackson McKinney
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
... District. }

I, on oath state that I attended on wife of.....

on the day of..... 190*6*; that there was born to her on said date a..... child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... day of..... 1906.

Notary Public.

7-NB-1496
23-868

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 24, 1906.

Elam M. Ward,

Glover, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 16, 1906, asking if Lizzie Wilson and Patsy Tekabee have been approved.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the names of Lizzie Wilson and Patsy Hickman, children of Meroy Lewis and Elzette Hickman have not yet been placed upon a schedule of citizens of the Choctaw Nation prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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SUPT. CIV. TRIBES
AUG 21 1915
ENCLOSURE TO 74740

Land Division,
WHA/WBS 7-24-15
In re parents of
Listie Wilson, Chee
Law New Born, Roll No. 902
WEP--CLT

Idabel, Oklahoma,
August 19th, 1915

Hon. Gabe K. Parker,
Supt Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of July 24th, 1915 relative to further identification of Listie Wilson deceased, I have to advise that I have been unable to see Marcia Lewis, but transmit herewith affidavit made by Robert Wilson Roll 1744 wherein he disclaims any relationship or knowledge of the deceased.

As soon as I can see Marcia Lewis I will try to procure further information from her

Respectfully,

W. E. Feltz

Field Clerk.

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ENCLOSURE TO
73749

State of Oklahoma }
Eastern District } ss.

Comes now Robert Wilson, Choctaw Roll No 17 d d, and
being first duly sworn, states that Bob Wilson is dead
that he does not know Marsie Wilson, ^{or her's} nor Lute Wilson, dead
and that they are not related to me.

Robert Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of
August, 1915.

R. P. Harrison, Clerk of
U. S. Court Eastern Dist
Oklahoma.

By William E. Felt

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SUPT. OF CIVIC TRIBES
OCT 23 1915
ENCLOSURE TO
No. 3277

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }
 } ss.
EASTERN DISTRICT. }

Marsie Lewis, of Oak Hill, Oklahoma, states that she is the mother of Listie Wilson, Choctaw New Born Roll No. 902; that Bob Wilson, Choctaw Roll No. 2653 was ~~her~~ husband but is now deceased, and that said Bob Wilson was the father of ~~her~~ child Listie Wilson. The father of said Bob Wilson, deceased, was Cooper Wilson, deceased, and to the best of ~~her~~ recollection the name of his mother was Salina Wilson.
Listie Wilson is living with me at this time.

Witnesses to mark.

W. E. Feltz, J. M. Lewis, Idabel, Okla.

Marsie Lewis

Her

Mark

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 22nd day of October, 1915.

R. P. Harrison, Clerk of
U.S. Court, Eastern Dist. Okla.,
by *William E. Feltz* Deputy.

~~he is~~
Eliam M. Ward, being first duly sworn, states that ~~he is~~ guardian of Listie Wilson, and knows all the facts mentioned in the above affidavit of Marsie Lewis to be true and correct, except that ~~he~~ not remember the name of ~~his~~ Bob Wilson's mother.

Eliam M. Ward

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 22nd day of Oct. 1915.

R. P. Harrison, Clerk of U.S. Court,
by *William E. Feltz* Deputy.

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OCT 23 1915
ENCLOSURE TO
No. 92777

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ss.
EASTERN DISTRICT.

Marsie Lewis, of Oak Hill, Oklahoma, states that she is the mother of Listie Wilson, Choctaw New Born Roll No. 202; that Bob Wilson, Choctaw Roll No. 2653 was my husband but is now deceased, and that said Bob Wilson was the father of my child Listie Wilson. The father of said Bob Wilson, deceased, was Cooper Wilson, deceased, and to the best of my recollection the name of his mother was Salina Wilson.
Listie Wilson is living with me at this time.

Witnesses to mark.

W. E. Falty, Idabel, Okla.
D. J. McKinney, Idabel, Okla. Marsie Lewis

Her
Mark

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 22nd day of October, 1915.

R. P. Harrison, Clerk of
U.S. Court, Eastern Dist. Okla.,
by *William E. Falty* Deputy.

Oak Hill, Okla
Elam H. Ward, being first duly sworn, states that he is guardian of Listie Wilson, and knows all the facts mentioned in the above affidavit of Marsie Lewis to be true and correct, except that he does not remember the name of his Bob Wilson's mother.

Elam H. Ward

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 22nd day of Oct. 1915.

R. P. Harrison, Clerk of U.S. Court,
by *William E. Falty* Deputy.

Choc Minor 869

Rather May Woods

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Rutha May Woods

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

SEP 20 1906

Approved..... 190...

~~Commissioner.~~

Born March 3, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... **Choctaw** Nation,
of **Ruther May Woods** , born on the **3rd** day of **March** **1906**..
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: **Gilbert Woods** a citizen of the... **Choctaw** Nation.
Name of Mother: **Lissie E Woods** a citizen of the... **Choctaw** Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father. **Choctaw Roll 6177**. Tribal enrollment of mother. **Choctaw Roll 6198**
Postoffice..... **Talihin**... **Indian Territory**.....

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... **Central** District. }

I, **Lissie E Woods** on oath state that I am **31**
years of age and a citizen by **Blood** of the..... **Choctaw** Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of..... **Gilbert Woods** , who is a citizen, by
..... **Blood** of the..... **Choctaw** Nation; that a **Female** child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on..... **3rd** day of..... **March** **1906** ; that said child has been named
Ruther May Woods and was living March 4, 1906.

Lizzie E Woods

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... **26** day of..... **June** **1906**.

John J. Kenna
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... **Central** District. }

I, **P. M. Green** a..... **midwife** on oath state that I
attended on **Mrs Lissie E Woods** , wife of..... **Gilbert Woods**
on the **3rd** day of..... **March** **1906** ; that there was born to her on said date a..... **Female**
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named..... **Ruther May Woods**

P. M. Green
Midwife

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { *Anna Thomas*
Coa Emmert

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... **26th** day of..... **June** **1906**.

John J. Kenna
Notary Public.

7-2146
7-2186

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 23, 1906.

Gilbert Woods,

Talihina, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lizzie E. Woods and P. M. Green to the birth of Esther May Woods, child of Gilbert Woods and Lizzie E. Woods, March 3, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc Minor 870

Cellina Wright

M 870

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

**Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1900.**

.....
as a citizen of

..... **Nation.**
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Approved **190**.....

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Commissioner.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MIXORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN AN APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Cellina Wright or about 30 day of June 1905
(Here insert name of child) born on the
Name of Father: Hampton Wright a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Amoney Wright, nee Amos a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice Luskata St.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Sam Burris, on oath state that I am 50

years of age and a citizen by judgment of the Choctaw Nation;
personally acquainted with Amoney Wright, nee Amos
that I am the lawful wife of Hampton Wright, who is a citizen, by

blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
Amoney Wright born to me on about 30th day of June 1905; that said child has been named
Cellina Wright and was living March 4, 1906.

Sam Burris
Notary Public

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

W. Martin
Frank T. Cobb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Jan'y 1909
W. Martin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
..... District.

I, on oath state that I
attended on wife of
on the day of (that there was born to her on said date a
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....
(Male or Female)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906
.....
Notary Public.

FF-1140 870 ✓
NEW BORN
7-1217 (Armanoy Amos)

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Callina Wright
.....
as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved FEB 11 1907 1907

[Signature]
.....
Commissioner.

Born June 30, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Lehotaw Wright Nation,
of Celina Wright born on the 20 day of June 1904
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Hampton Wright a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mansy Wright - nee Arms a citizen of the Lehotaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice Sulcata, I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF acquaintance

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Thomas Fisher, on oath state that I am 20
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Lehotaw Nation;
that I am the nephew & the wif of Hampton Wright, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Lehotaw Nation; that a Female child was
Mansy Wright - nee Arms born to her on the 20 day of June 1904; that said child has been named
Celina Wright and was living March 4, 1906.

Thomas Fisher
witness

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Daniel Anderson
Alfred Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 1906.

Wm. C. Kenney
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF acquaintance
ASSERTING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

Dr. Daniel Anderson, on oath state that he
is personally acquainted with Mansy Wright wife of Hampton Wright
that on the 20 day of June 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Celina Wright.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Daniel Anderson
Alfred Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 1906.

Wm. C. Kenney
Notary Public.

23-870

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 24, 1906.

Hampton Wright,

Lukfata, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your minor child, Collina Wright, born June 30, 1906, you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward the affidavit of the mother the physician or of one disinterested witness who has actual knowledge of the facts, that the child was born, the date of her birth, that she was living March 4, 1906, and that Manscy Wright is her mother.

Please give this matter your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

25-870

Muskegee, Indian Territory, January 12, 1907.

Hampton Wright,

Nerwood, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 8, 1907, stating that your child Celina Wright is still living and you wish to be instructed how to proceed to get her enrolled; that the mother of said child is a "Snake" and it is impossible to get her to make an affidavit to the birth of said child.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it will be necessary for you to forward your affidavit and the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who know of the birth of said child, the date of her birth and that she was living March 4, 1906. This matter should receive immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc Minor 871

Jessie Burks

M 871

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

.....
as a citizen of

..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

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Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Jessie Burke, born on the 28 day of February, 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: J. M. Burke a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Lucinda Burke a citizen of the _____ Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
Postoffice: Tupelo, S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

I, _____ on oath state that I am _____
years of age and a citizen by _____ of the _____ Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of _____, who is a citizen, by
_____ of the _____ Nation; that a _____ child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on _____ day of _____, 1906; that said child has been named
_____ and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1906.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, W. A. Craig a physician on oath state that I
attended on Lucinda Burke wife of J. M. Burke
on the 28 day of Feb, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Jessie Burke.
[Male or Female]

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of January, 1907

Richard Shanafelt
Notary Public.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

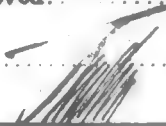
Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Jesse Burke

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved FEB. 11 1907 190...



Commissioner.

Born Feb. 28, 1906.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chootaw Nation,
of Jessie Burke born on the 28 day of Feb 1906.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: J. M. Burke a citizen of the Non Nation.
Name of Mother: Lucinda Burke a citizen of the Chootaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Non Tribal enrollment of mother: Chootaw
Postoffice: Tupelo S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Lucinda Burke, on oath state that I am Thirty two years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Chootaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of J. M. Burke, who is a citizen, by Non of the Chootaw Nation; that a Girl child was born to me on 28 day of February 1906; that said child has been named Jessie Burke and was living March 4, 1906.

Lucinda Burke

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of July 1906.

J. H. Clark
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

District.

I, W. A. Craig, a physician on oath state that I attended on Lucinda Burke wife of J. M. Burke on the 28 day of Feb 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Girl child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Jessie.

W. A. Craig, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of July 1906.

J. H. Clark
Notary Public.

7-3938

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 23, 1906.

J. M. Burks,

Tupelo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Lucinda Burks and W. A. Craigo to the birth of Jessie Burks, child of J. M. Burks and Lucinda Burks, February 28, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully

Commissioner.

23-871

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 3, 1907.

J. W. Burks,

Tupelo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 23, 1907, in which you ask the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Jessie Burks.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child Jessie Burks as a minor citizen of the Chectaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Choc Minor 872

Josephine LeFlore Long

Francis Long

Jake LeFlore Long

Enrollment of No. 2 cancelled

Enrollment of Nos. 1 and 3
disapproved by Department.

March 4, 1907 and March 1, 1907
respectively.

March 1, 1909. Dept. requests report
as to Nos. 1 + 3

March 25, 1909. Report to Dept.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.
HOLMES COUNTY.

To any Judge, Minister, Justice or any other Person lawfully
authorized to celebrate the Rites of Matrimony,

You are hereby licensed to celebrate the RITES OF MATRI-
MONY between Mr. F. L. Long and Miss Lummie Grantham and for
so doing this shall be your warrant.

Given under my hand and official seal this 16th day of
December in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eighty⁷ Hundred
and Ninety Nine.

(Signed) Jno. H. McBee Clerk

(Seal)

The State of Mississippi.)
Holmes County.)

By Virtue of A License from the Clerk of the Circuit Court
of said County of Holmes I have this day celebrated the Rites
of Matrimony between Mr. T. L. Long and Miss Lummie Grantham

Given under my hand, this the 20 day of Dec. A. D. 1899.

(Signed) W. J. Grace J. P. Seal

Endorsed

MARRIAGE LICENSE AND CERTIFICATE

Mr. F. L. Long

and

Miss Lummie Grantham

Holmes County, Miss

Issued December 16th 1899

License Recorded on page 466 of Marriage

Record "H".

(Signed) Jno. H. McBee
Circuit Clerk.

State of Oklahoma, }
Muskogee County. }

I, *Edward Herriox*, Notary Public in and for the State of Oklahoma, County of Muskogee, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of marriage license and certificate between F. L. Long and Lummie Grantham, which was filed with the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Francis Long, et al., minor children of F. L. Long and Lummie Long.

Edward Herriox
Notary Public in and
for Muskogee County,
State of Oklahoma.

Department of the Interior

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

F I L E D

Aug 2 1906

Tams Bixby Commissioner.

Original of this marriage license and certificate delivered to Forbis Long in person on May 6, 1909, at the office of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes Muskogee, Oklahoma.

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

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MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Francis Lang

is a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved SEP 20 1906 190...

Commissioner.

Born Oct. 15, 1901

ACT OF APRIL 26, 1906

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Francis Long, born on the 15th day of October, 1901
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Josiah Long a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Summie Long a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: By Blood Tribal enrollment of mother: By Blood
Postoffice: Power, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Mustang District.
I, Summie Long, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by non marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Josiah Long, who is a citizen, by
Blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 15th day of October, 1901; that said child has been named
Francis Long, and was living March 4, 1906.
Summie Long

WITNESSES TO MOTHER

[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. E. Dece
H. C. Jarnas
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, 1906.
Virgil A. Phipps
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, State of Mississippi

County of Holmes
I, A. M. Doty, M.D., Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Ms. Summie Long wife of Josiah Long
on the 15th day of October, 1901; that there was born to her on said date a Female
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Francis Long.
A. M. Doty, M.D.

WITNESSES TO PHYSICIAN

[Must be Two Witnesses] { F. W. Adams
J. N. Montague
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, 1906.
Virgil A. Phipps
Notary Public.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

as a citizen of

Nation

Approved 190

Commissioner.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Nation,
of , born on the day of , 1.....
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: a citizen of the Nation.
Postoffice

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
..... DISTRICT. }

I, *Summie Long*, on oath state that I am *28*
years of age and a citizen by *marriage*, of the *Choctaw* Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of *Forbis Long*, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the *Choctaw* Nation; that a *female* child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on *22*, day of *September*, 1900; that said child has been named
Josephine Laflor Long, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16th* day of *January*, 190*0*.
J. I. Gary
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
..... DISTRICT. }

I, , on oath state that I
attended on Mrs., wife of
on the day of , 1.....; that there was born to her on said date a
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child is now living and is said to have been named

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of , 190.....
.....
Notary Public.

CERTIFICATE BY CLERK TO SIGNATURE OF J. P. Sec. 1796, Annotated Code, 1892.

Progress-Advertiser.

State of Mississippi, *Holmes* County.

I, the undersigned, Clerk of the

Chancery

Court of the County of

Holmes

, in said State (said Court being a Court of record, and having an official seal),

do hereby certify that

W. G. Stephenson

, whose genuine signature appears to the

annexed and foregoing certificate of

Abm. Stroud

, is now, and was at the date of said certificate,

~~a Justice of the Peace,~~

member of the Board of Supervisors

in and for said County, duly elected and qualified according to law; that all his official acts as

such are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his said certificate is in due form of law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto subscribe my signature, and affix the seal of said

Court, at

Lexington

, Miss., this the

14th

day of

July, A. D. 190*6*

Parham Williams Chancery,

Clerk.

By

, D. C.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Josephine Taylor Long

as a citizen of

Ochoctaw

Nation.

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[Signature]

Commissioner.

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Josephine Laflore Lang, born on the 22nd day of Sept, 1900
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Forbis Lang a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Summie Lang a citizen of the Non Citizen Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Blood Tribal enrollment of mother: Marrige
Postoffice: Bowyer S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Western District.

I, Summie Lang, on oath state that I am 28
non years of age and a citizen by Marrige of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Forbis Lang, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a girl child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 22nd day of September, 1900; that said child has been named
Josephine Laflore Lang and was living March 4, 1906.
Summie Lang

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. E. Hill
D. C. Jarvenay

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1906.

Virgil A. Pipkin
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, State of Mississippi Indian Territory,

H. L. Lamar County District.

I, Ann Strowd, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Summie Lang, wife of Forbis Lang
on the 22nd day of September, 1900; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Josephine Laflore
Lang.
Ann Strowd

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Watt W. Ford
Belle Lader

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, 1906.

W. S. Stephens Member Board of Supervisors of Harrison Co. Mississippi.
My commission expires July 1st 1908

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the _____ Nation,
of _____, born on the _____ day of _____, 19____,
(Here insert name of child.)

Name of Father: _____ a citizen of the _____ Nation.

Name of Mother: _____ a citizen of the _____ Nation.

Postoffice _____

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Western DISTRICT. }

I, Jennie Hicks, on oath state that I am 33
years of age and a citizen by _____, of the United States Nation;

that I know the lawful wife of Forbis Long, who is a citizen, by

blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)

born to me on 6th day of July, 1904; that said child has been named

Jacob Leflore Long, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of January, 1907.

J. L. Gary
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Western DISTRICT. }

I, Wm. E. Murphy, an acquainted _____, on oath state that I

attended on Mrs. Lemmie Long, wife of Forbis Long

on the 6th day of July, 1904; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)

child; that said child is now living and is said to have been named Jacob Leflore Long

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of January, 1907.

J. L. Gary
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 22, 1906.

James Tuflom Lang

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved... FEB 1 1907 ... 190...

[Signature]

Commissioner.

Born July 6, 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of John Laflon Long, born on the 6th day of July, 1904
(Must insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Fabius Long a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Louise Long a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Blood Tribal enrollment of mother: Marrings
 Postoffice: Bower

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Montgomery District.

I, Louise Long, on oath state that I am 28
 years of age and a citizen by marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Fabius Long, who is a citizen, by
Blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on the 6th day of July, 1904 that said child has been named
John Laflon Long and was living March 4, 1906.
Louise Long

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { J. E. Dill
H. C. Janeway
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1906.

Virgil A. Stephens
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
 District.

I, a, on oath state that I
 attended on wife of
 on the day of 1; that there was born to her on said date a
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

Western District,
Indian Secretary, } Canadian, I.T. Aug 4th, 1906.
To Hon. John Bilby Commissioner
To The Five Tribes;

William A. Rogers being first
duly sworn, deposes and says that he is
personally acquainted with Forbis Long, ~~that~~
he has been knowing the said Forbis Long
for four years, and that the said Forbis
Long's full name is Forbis Leflore Long, ^{and}
further that the said Forbis Long, and
F. L. Long are one and the same man.

My full officer's Power, I.T. William A. Rogers
Subscribed & sworn to before me this
the 4th day of August 1906.

Will T. Walker,
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Sept. 12th 1906.

Western District-

Indian Territory.

Canadian I.T. Aug 4th 1906.
To The Hon. James Bixby, Commissioner

To The Five Tribes.

Edmond Martin being first-duly sworn, deposes and says that ~~that~~ personally acquainted with Forbis Long, that he has been knowing the said Forbis Long for four years, and that the said Forbis Long's full name is Forbis Lelore Long, and further that the said Forbis Long, and F. L. Long are one and the same man. My post office is Bowser, I.T.

Edmond Martin

Subscribed & sworn to before me this the 4th day of August, 1906.

Will T. Walker,

Notary Public,

My Commission expires Sept. 12th 1906.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 20, 1906.

Forbis Leflore Long,
Canadian, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 4, 1906, enclosing affidavits of Edmund Martin and Will T. Walker relative to the correct name of Forbis Long, and the same have been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your children Josephine, Francis and Jake Leflore Long.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
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January 12, 1907.

SIR:

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskegee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Referring to departmental letters of March 24, 1906, and March 25, 1906 (three letters), and April 26, 1906 (eight letters), in the matter of the Mississippi Election case of William C. Thompson, et al., you are directed to suspend action, until further advised, relative to the enrollment and allotment of lands to any of the applicants directed to be enrolled by the Department, as the papers in the case will be submitted to the Attorney-General in accordance with the direction of the President on the 12th instant.

You will inform the United States Indian Agent of allotments that may have been made to any of the claimants, in order that he may inform the Department, through the Indian Office, of any applications to his office affecting the lands in such allotments.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan

First Assistant Secretary.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 8, 1906.

Forbis Long,

Bower, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 28, 1906, asking if Josephine Leflore Long and Jake Leflore Long have been enrolled.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it will be necessary that you forward the affidavit of the physician or midwife in attendance at the birth of your child Jake Leflore Long July 6, 1904, as only the affidavit of the mother has been filed in this case.

In the event no physician or midwife was in attendance at the birth of this child you should forward the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who know of his birth, the date, the names of his parents, and that he was living March 4, 1906. You should also forward the affidavits of two disinterested witnesses who know that Josephine Leflore Long is the child of Forbis and Lummie Long and that she was living March 4, 1906. This matter should receive your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

COPY.

February 27, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is forwarded herewith report of Commissioner Bixby, dated February 13, 1907, transmitting a schedule of minor citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, Nos. 921 and 922, respectively, who are enrolled under the act of April 26, 1906 (34 Stat. L., 137), and who are minor children of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation who were living on March 4, 1906 and have been enrolled in conformity with the provisions of the said act of April 26, 1906.

The Office has examined the schedule as submitted by Mr. Bixby, and its approval is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

C O P Y

March 2, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

Acknowledgement is hereby made of the receipt of Departmental letter of this date, (I.T.D. 6902-1907), enclosing for report copy of letter of February 27, 1907, from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, relative to the names of persons who have heretofore been placed on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, who are affected by the opinion of the Attorney General of the United States of February 19, 1907.

Commissioner Kirby, sets out in his letter the names of all the persons now appearing on the rolls who are deemed by him to be without right to enrollment under the opinion of the Attorney General mentioned. In some of these cases patents have been executed and recorded, and in others no patents have been issued.

The Office is of the opinion that the list prepared by the Commissioner contains the names of persons who in the light of the opinion of the Attorney General are not entitled to enrollment, and it is therefore recommended that the action of the Commissioner in striking the names of these persons from the roll be

approved, and that their names also be stricken from the copies
of the rolls in the possession of the Department and of this
office.

Very respectfully,

C. W. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

March 4, 1907.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In answer to Departmental telegram of February 23, 1907, and letter of the same date, you reported in letter of February 27, 1907, after inspection of the partial rolls of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations, prepared under the act of June 23, 1896 (30 Stats., 495), and subsequent legislation, the persons whose names have been placed on such partial rolls, in your opinion, contrary to the views expressed in the Attorney-General's opinion of February 19, 1907, in the case of Myrtle Randolph and others, copy of which was transmitted to you with letter of February 23, 1907, and which names you recommend be stricken from the partial rolls, opposite the numbers mentioned by you.

Your list is as follows:

CHOCTAWS BY BLOOD AND INTERMARRIAGE.

Charley S. Vincent, opposite No. 1464, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 251; no appeal. Patents recorded.

John Calvin Gray, opposite No. 1512, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 80, and denied by the United States Court for the central district of Indian Territory on appeal; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Daisy Shelton, Frank Shelton, Emma Shelton, opposite Nos. 15951, 15952, 15953, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. All denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1407; admitted by United States court for southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents for No. 15951 recorded.

John Shelton, opposite No. 1495, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1407; admitted by United States court for southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Jacob D. Sumpter, opposite No. 1459, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1073; no appeal. Patents recorded.

John Sumpter, Amanda Isabella Sumpter, Jim Andy Sumpter, and Scott Taylor Sumpter, opposite Nos. 15645, 15646, 15647, and 15648, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No.

1073; no appeal. Patents for No. 15648 recorded; homestead patent for No. 15647 recorded.

Dixon D. Sumpter, opposite No. 15649, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Son of Nancy Sumpter, deceased, who was denied by Commission in 1896, in case No. 1073, and no appeal. Born in 1897.

Mattie S. Mitchell, opposite No. 1519, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1299; no appeal.

Georgia Hyden, opposite No. 1601, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1344; admitted by United States Court for the central district of Indian Territory; denied by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court; Decision of Commissioner of October 1, 1906, granting enrollment affirmed by Department November 17, 1906 (I.T.D. 22524-1906).

Eva Marguerite Hyden, opposite No. 16102, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1344; admitted by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; denied by Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Application for enrollment granted

by Commissioner October 1, 1906; affirmed by Department November 17, 1906 (I.T.D. 22324-1906).

J. W. Kirk, opposite No. 1399, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 948; appeal to United States district court dismissed.

Sarah Kirk and Gabriella Kirk, opposite Nos. 15393 and 15394, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 948; appeal to United States district court dismissed. Patents recorded.

William J. Crowder, Abigail Crowder, Maggie Crowder, Rosa Crowder, William H. Crowder, and John P. Crowder, opposite Nos. 15899, 15900, 15901, 15902, 15903, and 15904, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by the Commission in 1896 in case No. 760; no appeal. Patents for No. 15899 recorded.

Winnie Gertrude Crowder, born June 6, 1901, opposite No. 15905 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Daughter of William J. Crowder, who was denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 760; no appeal.

Josephine Crowder, opposite No. 1523, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 763; no appeal. Wife of William J. Crowder opposite No. 15899.

George W. Crowder, Louisa Crowder, Joe Crowder and Belzeri Crowder, opposite Nos. 15906, 15907, 15908 and 15909, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 712; no appeal. Patents for Nos. 15906, 15907 and 15908 recorded.

Willie Crowder, born October 16, 1898, opposite No. 15910, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Son of George W. Crowder, who was denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 712; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Parlee G. Crowder, opposite No. 1524; upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 699; no appeal.

Van Crowder, opposite No. 15911, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 749; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Ambrose L. Rice, opposite No. 1400, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 662; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Betsy Wright, Thomas E. Wright, opposite Nos. 15912 and 15913, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 507; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Mary W. Wright and Leonard Daloo Wright (both born since 1896), opposite Nos. 15914 and 15915, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Children of Betsy Wright, who was denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 507; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Andrew J. Allen, opposite No. 1638, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 488; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Elizabeth Allen, opposite No. 16183, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 488; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

William H. Tucker, opposite No. 1470, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 286; admitted by United States

court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Arthur Jennings and Clyde Jennings, opposite Nos. 15972 and 15973, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1048; admitted by United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

William Reichert, opposite No. 1491, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1117; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Ellis Reding, opposite No. 1490, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1243; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Ardella Kiefer, opposite No. 15918, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1243; admitted by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Angelina White, opposite No. 1403, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

Commission in 1896 in case No. 950; no appeal. Enrollment ordered by Department February 3, 1908 (I.T.D. 1130-1908).

David Ritter, opposite No. 16104, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 488; denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1107; admitted by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Ida Crutchfield, Ina Crutchfield, Louvinia Crutchfield, William Crutchfield, and Louitia Crutchfield, opposite Nos. 16105, 16107, 16108, 16109 and 16110, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 488; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Everet Crutchfield, opposite No. 16106, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Born in 1867, and son of Ida Crutchfield, above mentioned. Was not before the Commission in 1896 and possesses no tribal status.

George W. Crutchfield, opposite No. 16111, upon the final

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roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Born since 1896, and child of Ida Crutchfield, opposite No. 16108.

James T. Yeard, opposite No. 1628, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1223; admitted by United States court for the central district of Indian Territory; denied by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Robert L. Baben, opposite No. 1406, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1017; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Sarah Herndon, opposite No. 1408, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 348; no appeal.

Hollis F. Beagles, opposite No. 15917, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 11; no appeal. Patents recorded.

August Klugh, opposite No. 290, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 273; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Henry Feberth, opposite No. 9258, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1376; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Mary K. Nowling, opposite No. 1400, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by

Commission in 1896 in case No. 1051; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Alice E. James, Maggie M. James, Ellis E. James, Annelaria James, and Evalena James, opposites Nos. 15450, 15451, 15452, 15453, and 15454, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1051; no appeal. Patents for Nos. 15450, 15451, 15452 and 15454 recorded.

Chester C. Atwood, opposite No. 1409, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1127; no appeal. Patents recorded.

William D. Faxton, opposite No. 1419, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 582; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Charles A. Woodward, opposite No. 662, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 522; denied by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Chectaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Homestead patent recorded.

Frederick E. Robinson, opposite No. 1531, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 678; admitted by United

States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Virginia P. Mitchell, opposite No. 1215, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 209; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Andrew Beal, opposite No. 1473, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 77; no appeal.

Benjamin B. Cantor, opposite No. 1216, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 267; denied by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Galvin Q. Harris, opposite No. 1329, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 423; denied by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Homestead patents recorded.

Lydia Ann Crowder, opposite No. 1412, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by

Madell McClure, opposite No. 1414, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1436; no appeal.

Mary E. Robinson and Mary A. Trice, opposite Nos. 15856 and 15857, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 661; no appeal. Patents for No. 15856 recorded.

Lucy McMurtry, opposite No. 1409, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1384; no appeal.

Eli W. Crowder, James Crowder, Katie B. Crowder and Pinkie B. Crowder, opposite Nos. 15921, 15922, 15923, and 15924, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 762; no appeal.

John A. Crowder, opposite No. 15925, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation. Born in 1897, and son of Eli W. Crowder, opposite No. 15921. Patents recorded.

Henry Sutherland, opposite No. 668, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1381; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Robert A. Travis, opposite No. 340, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by

Commission in 1896 in case No. 436; no appeal.

Mary Harns, opposite No. 1416, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 380; no appeal. Patents recorded.

George W. Roberts, opposite No. 1219, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 659; denied by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Viccy Lewis, opposite No. 1476, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1259; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Ira L. Smith, opposite No. 1127; upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 790; denied by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Wattie Freemy, opposite No. 1421, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 464; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Rosa E. Higney, opposite No. 1478, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 709; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Josiah T. Marshall, opposite No. 1341, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 372; denied by United States court for the central district of Indian Territory; appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship court dismissed on May 4, 1903, on general demurrer, in case No. 3 upon the McAllester docket.

Fannie Shultz, opposite No. 1423, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1047; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Hattie A. Perkins, opposite No. 1027, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 454; no appeal. Patents recorded.

John T. Staten, opposite No. 1428, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1072; no appeal. Patents recorded.

Lucinda Cheate, opposite No. 1489, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by

Commission in 1896 in case No. 787; no appeal.

Eva Coleman, opposite No. 1588, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 971; no appeal.

William V. Kelly, opposite No. 1480, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1198; admitted by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Chectaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Mattie K. Russell, opposite No. 1353, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1116; no appeal.

Greter Russell, opposite No. 15022, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 657; admitted by United States Court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Chectaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Agnes Jones, opposite No. 18941, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1019; no appeal.

Martha Hyden, opposite No. 1409, upon the final roll of

citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1344; admitted by United States Court for Southern District of Indian Territory; denied by Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Wiley Adams, opposite No. 12047, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1128; no appeal.

Mary A. Foster, opposite No. 982, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 437; no appeal.

Jeanette R. Buckholz, opposite No. 1537, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 943; no appeal.

Weldon T. Lindsey, opposite No. 1180, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 25; denied by United States court for Central District of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court, patents recorded.

Henry A. Donning, opposite No. 1404, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 623; admitted by United

States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Ordered enrolled by Department April 1, 1905 (I.T.D. 3131-1905). Patents recorded.

Allen Beagles, opposite No. 1486, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 11; no appeal. Patents recorded.

William Newton Gann, opposite No. 1489, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1010; admitted by United States court for central district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

John W. Carter, opposite No. 1543, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 962; no appeal.

Julia One, opposite No. 1550, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1407; admitted by United States Court for Southern District of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Robert S. McLean, opposite No. 1552, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Com-

mission in 1896 in case No. 1329; no appeal. Directed to be enrolled by Department April 5, 1906 (I.T.D. 5952-1906).

Martha J. McKinney, opposite No. 1614, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1268; no appeal. Decision of Commissioner of June 5, 1906, granting application affirmed by Department October 30, 1906 (I.T.D. 21238-1906).

Hattie L. Armstrong, Layton B. Armstrong, and Bessie B. Armstrong, opposite Nos. 16054, 16055 and 16056, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in cases No. 477 and 478; admitted by United States Court for Southern district of Indian Territory; denied by Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Decision of Commissioner of July 9, 1906, granting application affirmed by Department August 11, 1906 (I.T.D. 13700-1906).

Rebecca K. Armstrong, opposite No. 16057, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Born in 1896 and child of Hattie L. Armstrong opposite No. 16054.

Thomas J. Howard, Forrest Howard, Lennie Howard, Henry Howard and Elmer Howard, opposite Nos. 16051, 16052, 16053, 16056 and 16057, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No.

1354; no appeal. Directed to be enrolled by Department April 6, 1906 (I.T.D. 5364-1904).

Bettie Perny Howard and Dora Lee Howard, opposite Nos. 16038 and 16039, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Born in 1897 and 1899, respectively, children of Thomas J. Howard, opposite No. 16033.

Carnie Howard, opposite No. 16038, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1354; no appeal. Wife of Thomas J. Howard, opposite No. 16033.

Gertrude Beaver, Clarence Beaver, Nellie Beaver, and Myrtle Beaver, opposite Nos. 16040, 16041, 16042 and 16043, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Nos. 16040 and 16041 denied by Commission in 1900 in case No. 1354; no appeal. Nos. 16042 and 16043 born in 1896 and 1900, respectively, and children of Gertrude Beaver, opposite No. 16040. Ordered enrolled by Department April 6, 1906 (I.T.D. 5364-1904).

Darrell F. McLendon, John B. McLendon, Thomas McLendon, Ida M. McLendon, Ralph McLendon, Harry McLendon, and Fannie McLendon, opposite Nos. 16025, 16026, 16027, 16028, 16029, 16030 and 16031, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood

of the Choctaw Nation. All but Nos. 16030 and 16031 denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1371; no appeal. Nos. 16030 and 16031 born in 1896 and 1898, respectively, and children of No. 16025. Directed to be enrolled by Department April 6, 1906 (I.T.D. 6372-1904).

Cornel McLendon, opposite No. 1577, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1371; no appeal. Wife of Barrell P. McLendon, opposite No. 16828.

George A. Mangarner, opposite No. 19112, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 626; no appeal.

James B. Long, Joseph Long, Forbis Long, opposite Nos. 16003, 16004, and 16006, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Placed on 1896 Choctaw Census Roll by Choctaw Revisory Board without authority of law, as in William C. Thompson case. Ordered enrolled by Department January 19, 1906 (I.T.D. 3102-1905).

Columbus B. Astry, Leora Green and Faddy Green, opposite Nos. 16048, 16049 and 16050, respectively. Nos. 16048 and 16049 placed on 1896 Choctaw Census Roll by Choctaw Revisory Board without authority of law as in William C. Thompson case. No. 16050 born

February 14, 1901; son of 16049. Record transmitted to Department December 21, 1906, for consideration in case of Heskiah Brock Antry.

CHOCTAW MENONS' ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED
APRIL 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137).

Nattie Myrl Crowder, opposite No. 674, child of George W. Crowder, opposite No. 15906, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Parlee C. Crowder, opposite No. 1524, upon the final roll of citizens by Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

Rufus Clay Crowder, opposite No. 4, child of William J. Crowder, opposite No. 15999, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Josephine Crowder, opposite No. 1523, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

Fannie Jane Wright, opposite No. 293, child of J. W. Wright, non-citizen, and Dotsey Wright, opposite No. 15912, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Lee Green, opposite No. 645, child of W. F. Green, non-citizen, and Lenora Green, opposite No. 16049, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Ruth McLendon, opposite No. 706, child of Robert C. McLendon, opposite No. 18082, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chestatee Nation, and Pauls McLendon, a non-citizen.

Roy D. McLendon, opposite No. 18085, child of Marshall V. McLendon, opposite No. 18085, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chestatee Nation, and General McLendon, opposite No. 1877, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chestatee Nation.

Jennie Louise Brundrick, opposite No. 731, child of Mary A. Tyice, opposite No. 18857, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chestatee Nation, and William K. Brundrick, non-citizen.

Hazel Calvin Beaver, Glad Dawson Beaver and Herbert Howard Beaver, opposite No. 487, 488, and 489, respectively, children of Gertrude Beaver, opposite No. 18040 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chestatee Nation, and Calvin Beaver, a non-citizen.

Effie Barnett, opposite No. 307, child of Amanda Isabelle Dwyer, opposite No. 18444, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chestatee Nation, and A. F. Barnett, a non-citizen.

Edna A. Weaver and Myrtle Weaver, opposite Nos. 710 and

791, respectively, children of Ardella Kiefer, opposite No. 18916, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Cheatan Nation, and Charles Kiefer, a non-citizen.

Josephine Laflere Long, Francis Long and Jake Laflere Long, opposite Nos. 921, 969, and 922, respectively, children of Verbis Long, opposite No. 18805, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Cheatan Nation, and Emma Long, a non-citizen.

CHICKASAW BY BLOOD AND INTERMARRIAGE.

Custarus A. Ramsey, opposite No. 214, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1214 denied by United States court for Southern District of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Cheatan and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patent recorded.

Willie J. Margie, opposite No. 624, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation, denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 2414, no appeal.

John H. Calchey, Lincoln H. Calchey and Beattie Calchey, opposite No. 4984, 4986 and 4988, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation. All admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 2346 admitted by United States

court for Southern District of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Cheater and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Decision of Commission of May 23, 1906, granting application affirmed by Department October 6, 1906 (I.T.D. 2140-1906).

Harry Milton Galsby, opposite No. 4997, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation. Born in 1888, and son of John H. Galsby, opposite No. 4994.

Joe Perry and Willard Perry, opposite Nos. 5013 and 5014, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1906 in case No. 114; no appeal. Ordered enrolled as citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation by Department on October 10, 1904 (I.T.D. 1890-1906). The names of these persons formerly appeared opposite Nos. 287 and 288 upon the roll of Chickasaw freedmen, approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 12, 1902; and in the event their names are stricken from the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation, their names should be reinstated upon the Chickasaw freedmen roll.

Benjamin J. Vaughan, opposite No. 674, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1906 in case No. 97; admitted by United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal.

to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

Edward A. Vaughan, Grover Cleveland Vaughan and Oscar S. Vaughan, opposite Nos. 4269, 4270 and 4271, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation, admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 92; affirmed by United States court; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

William T. Lancaster, opposite No. 512; upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 202; appealed to United States Court and affirmed; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Patents recorded.

John W. Archerd, opposite No. 522, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 170; appealed to United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory and affirmed; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

James W. England, opposite No. 531, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 38; appealed to United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory, and appeal dismissed.

Action of the Commissioner of October 25, 1905, enrolling applicant affirmed by the Department January 9, 1906 (I.T.D. 17408-1905).

Thomas St. John, opposite No. 596, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in Choctaw case No. 1059; no appeal. Patents recorded.

John Quincy Adams, opposite No. 521, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 2; denied by United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Mary A. Shanks, opposite No. 529, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 219; admitted by United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

Clay McCoy, opposite No. 606, upon the final roll of citizens by intermarriage of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 141; admitted by United States court for Southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court. Directed to be unrolled

by Department April 1, 1906 (I.T.R. 3128-1906).

The Indian Office, to which was referred your letter of the 27th ultimo for report, concurs in letter of March 2, 1907, in your recommendation that such names be stricken from the rolls.

The Department is compelled to rely upon your investigation, as the act of April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), provides in section 2 that the rolls of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations shall be completed on or before the 4th day of March, 1907, and that the Secretary of the Interior shall have no jurisdiction to approve the enrollment of any person after such date. Assuming, therefore, that your information is correct, the names of the persons mentioned, not heretofore stricken from the partial rolls, are stricken from such rolls this day, notwithstanding any decision that may have been made by the Department in favor of such persons.

As recommended by you, the names of Joe and Willard Perry have been reinstated upon the Chickasaw freedman roll, opposite Nos. 247 and 268.

The Department concurs in your views relative to the following persons:

Sam Mitchell and Allen Yates Mitchell, opposite Nos.

15655 and 15656, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1299; no appeal. Patents recorded.

David B. Strickland and Mertie P. Strickland, opposite Nos. 15918 and 15920, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 941; no appeal.

Vettie P. McMurtry and Martha E. McMurtry, opposite Nos. 13448 and 13449, respectively, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1324; no appeal. Homestead patents recorded.

Rufus Satterfield, opposite No. 15930, upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Denied by Commission in 1896 in case No. 1062; no appeal.

Charles William Thompson, opposite No. 4968, on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Chickasaw Nation. Admitted by Commission in 1896 in case No. 162; admitted by United States Court for southern district of Indian Territory; no appeal to Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

You state that such persons are minor children of duly enrolled citizens by blood of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation, and that the names of one parent of each of these children appears upon

the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation approved by the Department prior to March 3, 1905, and that while under the opinion of the Attorney-General of February 19, 1907, it would appear that these children are not entitled to enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation under the acts of June 25, 1898 (30 Stat., 498), and July 1, 1902 (32 Stat., 641), you believe that such children can be enrolled under a provision of the act of March 3, 1905 (33 Stat., 1060), which is as follows:

"That the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is hereby authorized for sixty days after the date of the approval of this Act to receive and consider applications for enrollment of infant children born prior to September twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and two, and who were living on said date, to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Tribes of Indians whose enrollment has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior prior to the date of the approval of this Act, and to enroll and make allotments to such children."

In this the Department concurs, and as you suggest, the names of these children will be permitted to stand as they are at present on the rolls of citizens by blood of these two nations.

If by inadvertence the name of anyone has been left on any partial roll after decision adverse to him was made by the Department prior to March 3, 1907, and since the opinion of the

Attorney-General referred, to, the name of such person will be stricken from the roll as of this date.

A copy of Indian Office letter of March 2, 1907, is enclosed.

Respectfully,

E. A. Hitchcock,
Secretary.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 19, 1907.

Forbis Long,

Bower, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 1, 1907, in accordance with an opinion of the Attorney General of the United States of February 19, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior cancelled the enrollment of yourself and your child, Francis Long from the rolls of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Your names have accordingly been cancelled upon the rolls of such citizens in this office.

You are further advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior disapproved the enrollment of your children, Josephine Laflere Long and Jake Laflere Long as minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

COPY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

Address only
The Secretary of the Interior.

G W W

January 19, 1909.

File 5-51.

The Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Sir:

November 30, 1909, the Supreme Court rendered decisions in what are known as the Goldsby and Allison cases. These suits were brought to obtain mandates against the Secretary of the Interior to correct the rolls as to said Goldsby and Allisons, on the ground that the Secretary of the Interior after placing their names upon approved rolls of citizenship had attempted to strike them from those rolls without notice and an opportunity to be heard. The decision of the Supreme Court is that mandate shall issue in these cases.

There are many suits of a similar nature pending against the Secretary of the Interior, and after careful conference between the Department and the Department of Justice it was decided that judgment should be allowed in all pending mandamus actions in which the relators stand clearly in the

same position as Goldsby and Allisona. Pursuant to these conferences and to the judgment which may entered on account of the above decisions of the Supreme Court, you are hereby directed to erase the interlineations and notations which purport to strike any of the following names from the rolls of citizens of the respective nations of the Five Civilized Tribes:

PERSONS WHO HAD PRIOR TO THE GOLDSBY DECISION INSTITUTED SUITE THE PRINCIPLES OF WHICH ARE UNDOUBTEDLY SIMILAR TO THE OPINION OF THE SUPREME COURT IN THAT DECISION.

Whiskaws by Blood.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Bill No.</u>	<u>Court.</u>
4984	Goldsby, John E.	248	U. S. S. C.
4985	Goldsby, Linniel M.	50033	W. C. D. C.
4986	Goldsby, Bessie	50033	S. C. D. C.
4987	Goldsby, Murray M.	50033	S. C. D. C.
4969	Vaughan, Edward A.	372	U. S. S. C.
4970	Vaughan, Grover C.	371	U. S. S. C.
4971	Vaughan, Oscar E.	371	U. S. S. C.

Whiskaws by Intermarriage.

621	Adams, John Quincy	50033	S. C. D. C.
612	Lancaster, William F.	50033	S. C. D. C.
604	Hogey, Clay	49388	S. C. D. C.
611	England, James W.	51925	S. C. D. C.
594	St. John, Thomas	50352	S. C. D. C.
605	Vaughan, Benjamin F.	372	U. S. S. C.

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Debitants by Blood.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Suit No.</u>	<u>Court.</u>
16029	Adams, Wiley	60033	S. C. D. C.
16048	Autrey, Columbus S.	49722	S. C. D. C.
16040	Beaver, Gertrude	60033	S. C. D. C.
16041	Beaver, Clarence	60033	S. C. D. C.
16042	Beaver, Nellie	60033	S. C. D. C.
16043	Beaver, Myrtle	60033	S. C. D. C.
15917	Beagles, Nellie Y.	60033	S. C. D. C.
15911	Crowder, Van	60033	S. C. D. C.
15910	Crowder, Willie	60033	S. C. D. C.
15909	Crowder, Belisoi	60033	S. C. D. C.
15908	Crowder, Joe	60033	S. C. D. C.
15907	Crowder, Louisa	60033	S. C. D. C.
15906	Crowder, George W.	60033	S. C. D. C.
16050	Green, Teddy	49724	S. C. D. C.
16049	Green, Lenora	49724	S. C. D. C.
16035	Howard, Thomas J.	60033	S. C. D. C.
16034	Howard, Horace	60033	S. C. D. C.
16033	Howard, Lonnie	60033	S. C. D. C.
16032	Howard, Mary	60033	S. C. D. C.
16031	Howard, Elmer	60033	S. C. D. C.
16030	Howard, Bettie Percy	60033	S. C. D. C.
16029	Howard, Dora Lee	60033	S. C. D. C.
15451	James, (or Richardson) Maggie M.	60033	S. C. D. C.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Court.</u>
15452	James, Ellis E.	50033	S.C.D.C.
15453	James, Analeuria	50033	S.C.D.C.
15454	James, Evalina	50033	S.C.D.C.
15961	James, Agnes	50033	S.C.D.C.
15594	Kirk, Gabriella	50355	S.C.D.C.
15393	Kirk, Sarah	50355	S.C.D.C.
15953	Shelton, Emma	51240	S.C.D.C.
15952	Shelton, Frank	51240	S.C.D.C.
15445	Sumpter, John	50033	S.C.D.C.
15646	Sumpter, Amanda Isabella	50033	S.C.D.C.
15647	Sumpter, Jim Andy	50033 51240	S.C.D.C.
15648	Sumpter, Scott Taylor	50033 51240	S.C.D.C.
15649	Sumpter, Dixon D.	51240	S.C.D.C.
15918	Wright, Netsy	50033	S.C.D.C.
15913	Wright, Thomas H.	50033	S.C.D.C.
15914	Wright, Mary E.	50033	S.C.D.C.
15915	Wright, Leonard S.	50033	S.C.D.C.
Choctaws by Marriage.			
1428	Allen, Andrew F.	50033	S.C.D.C.
1409	Aswood, Chester G.	50355	S.C.D.C.
1473	Beal, Andrew	50947	S.C.D.C.
1408	Bowling, Mary M.	51028 50033	S.C.D.C.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Suit No.</u>	<u>Court.</u>
1543	Garter, John W.	50534	S. C. D. C.
1464	Cummings, Henry A.	50033	S. C. D. C.
1524	Crowder, Parlee C.	50033	S. C. D. C.
1329	Harris, Calvin G.	49723	E. C. D. C.
1578	Howard, Garris	50033	S. C. D. C.
1399	Kirk, J. W.	50354	S. C. D. C.
290	Klugh, August	50033	S. C. D. C.
1027	Perkins, Kattie A.	50383	S. C. D. C.
1491	Reichert, William	51026	S. C. D. C.
1400	Rice, Ambrose L.	374	S. C. U. S.
1423	Shults, (ex Shults) Fannie	51026	S. C. D. C.
1495	Shelton, John	50945	S. C. D. C.
1469	Sumpter, Jacob D.	50033	S. C. D. C.
340	Travis, Robert A.	50945	S. C. D. C.
1403	White, Angelina	51026	S. C. D. C.
362	Woodward, Charles A.	49494	S. C. D. C.

Minor Cases.

Asst. of Clerks Assigned April 25, 1908.

367	Barnett, Myrtle	50033	S. C. D. C.
457	Beaver, Hazel Calvin	50033	S. C. D. C.
498	Beaver, Oland B.	50033	S. C. D. C.
459	Herbert, Edward	50033	S. C. D. C.
474	Browder, Nettie Myra	50033	S. C. D. C.
535	Brace, Lee	49724	S. C. D. C.
553	Wright, Fannie Jane	50033	S. C. D. C.

Sherokee by Blood.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Suit No.</u>	<u>Court.</u>
31910	Allison, John	49434	S. C. D. C.
31960	Allison, Johnnie S.	49435	S. C. D. C.
31961	Allison, Frankie F.	49437	S. C. D. C.
31986	Allison, Ida E.	245	U. S. S. C.
31959	Allison, George A.	250	U. S. S. C.

A careful investigation of those names concerning which no suits were brought, but which, after being upon an approved roll of citizens or freedmen of any of the Five Civilized Tribes, were stricken therefrom without notice and an opportunity to be heard, has thus far developed a list of which undoubtedly falls within the principles expressed by the Supreme Court in the Gelsby decision. All these persons are in the same position as those named in the above list of those who had filed suits prior to that decision. It follows necessarily that, if suits were instituted in these cases, judgment must be allowed as was done in the case of the names on the above lists. For this reason I have decided that it would be improper to delay the correction of the rolls as far as these persons are concerned. Such delay would continue the rolls in an incorrect condition according to the opinion of the Supreme Court, would bring hardship and expense upon the citizens and freedmen involved, and would delay completion of the work of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

The corrections of the rolls in these cases does not add names to the rolls, but merely erases from the rolls interlinations and notations which the court says the Secretary of the Interior has no power to place there. For these reasons you are hereby directed to erase the interlinations and notations which purport to strike any of the following names from the rolls of citizens of the respective nations of the Five Civilized Tribes.

PERSONS WHO HAD NOT INSTITUTED SUITS PRIOR TO THE GOLDSBY DECISION BUT WHOSE CASES FALL INDEUBITABLY UNDER THE PRINCIPLES OF THAT DECISION.

Chickasaws by Blood.

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>
8013	Ferry, Joe	8014	Ferry, Dillana

Chickasaws by Marriage.

822	Archerd, John W.	829	Shanks, Mary A.
826	Hargis, Sallis J.	814	Ramsay, Gustavus A.

Chickasaws by Blood.

16108	Allen, Elizabeth	16109	Gratchfield, William
16112	Bungarner, George A.	16106	Gratchfield, Everett
16928	Crowder, John A.	16111	Gratchfield, George W.
16924	Crowder, Finkie B.	16450	James, Alice E.
15988	Crowder, Katie B.	15973	Jennings, Arthur
15981	Crowder, Eli V.	15975	Jennings, Clyde
15928	Crowder, James	16916	Kaifer, Arvilla
15986	Crowder, Minnie		
	Cartrade	16003	Lang, James S.
15904	Crowder, John J.	16004	Lang, Joseph

Roll No.	Name	Roll No.	Name
15903	Crowder, William H.	15008	Long, Verbis
15902	Crowder, Rosa	921	Long Josephine LaFlora
15901	Crowder, Maggie	922	Long, Jake LaFlora
15900	Crowder, Abigail	9258	Peberth, Henry
15899	Crowder, William J.	15920	Randall, Grover
16106	Crutchfield, Isa	16104	Ritter, David
16107	Crutchfield, Isa	15886	Robinson, Mary M.
16108	Crutchfield, Louvina	15931	Shelton, Daisy
16109	Crutchfield, William	15857	Trees, Mary A.

Discharge by Marriage.

1484	Beagles, Allen	1414	McClure, Madell
1537	Busholts, Jeannette E.	1614	McKenney, Martha J.
1339	Cheate, Amanda	1407	McMurtry, Lucy
1412	Crowder, Lydia Ann	1498	One, Julia
1523	Crowder, Josephine	1418	Paxton, William B.
985	Foster, Mary A.	1406	Rahn, Robert L.
1398	Franky, Maggie	1499	Reed, Ella
1497	Gunn, William Newton	1478	Ringer, Rosa E.
1515	Gray, John Salvia	1219	Roberts, George W.
1216	Gunter, Benjamin B.	1532	Robinson, Frederick E.
1490	Kelly, William F.	1553	Russell, Mattie E.
1476	Lewis, Vincy	1127	Smith, Iva L.
1150	Lindsay, Selena T.	1426	Staten, John T.

1405	Merryman, Sarah	668	Sutherland, Henry
1818	Mitchell, Virginia P.	1470	Tasker, William W.
1819	Mitchell, Mattie S.		
1416	Norman, Mary	1468	Vincent, Charlie S.

Minor Cheated Citizens:

<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Roll No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>
724	Brandrick, Jennie Louise	791	Keifer, Marana
4	Brewster, Rufus Gray	668	Long, Francis
790	Keifer, Odie A.		

Cherokes by Blood.

31958	Allsien, Elmer G.	31959	Allsien, Jasper P.
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In order that the action of erasures may be uniform for all names and upon rolls, you will make such erasures in the following manner: The line drawn through and purporting to cancel the names from the rolls shall be lined out by drawing across them short traverse lines in red ink. The notations purporting to cancel the names from the rolls shall be lined out by drawing through each line of said notations red horizontal lines. In addition to lining out the interlineations and notations you will insert a note at the foot or side of each page containing any of these corrections, said note to be indicated by stars placed before the names involved. The note shall read as follows:

"Words and lines purporting cancellation erased by

authority of departmental letter of January 19, 1909,
(File 5-81)."

You will notify all persons, whose status on the rolls has been recognized as above, of the action taken, and that they have all the rights to allotment and payment enjoyed by other citizens, as though no attempt had ever been made to cancel their names from the rolls.

Except for the Allison's named in above lists, I am not ready to give you a list of the Cherokees and Creeks whose status upon the rolls will be corrected under the principles of the Goldsby decision. Direction concerning them will follow within a week.

There are other names which were upon approved rolls and were erased or stricken therefrom by the Secretary of the Interior without notice. Some of these are already the subject of injunction or mandamus actions against the Secretary of the Interior, and in other cases such action has not been instituted. There are reasons which make it doubtful whether these persons fall indubitably under the principles of the Goldsby decision. Careful consideration of the matter will be given at once, and, according to the decision reached in each case, the persons involved will be left to such court action as they deem wise or will have the rolls corrected by departmental action in the manner indicated for the two lists set forth above.

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A sample page is inclosed, showing the method of erasure
to be followed by all writers in the correction of the rolls.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) James Rudolph Garfield.

Secretary.

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Muskogee, Oklahoma, February 11, 1909.

Mr. Forbis Long,

Sir:

I am instructed by the Department of the Interior that the case of yourself and child, Francis Long, falls within the principles of the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of John B. Goldsby et al., seeking to have their names restored to the rolls of citizens of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, and that the notations striking your name from the roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation shall be erased and that you have all the rights to allotments and payments enjoyed by other citizens as if no attempt had ever been made to cancel your name from this roll.

Said instructions have been carried out by this office, and you are now advised that the status of your name on the approved roll of citizens of the Choctaw Nation and of your allotment selections in said nation is the same as prior to March 4, 1907, when the Secretary of the Interior directed that your name be stricken from the roll.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

J. H. M.
J. H. M.
U. S. P.
P. H. M.

Address only
The Secretary of the Interior.

March 1, 1909.

File 5-51

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The Commissioner

to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Sir:

January 28, 1909, you were advised that the names of certain persons were inadvertently included in Departmental letter of January 17, 1909 (File 5-51); that such mistake was due to the fact that it was supposed they were enrolled upon schedules approved by the Department, while in fact, the schedules upon which their names appear were disapproved, and that no action should be taken under the circumstances looking to the erasure of interlineations or notations, if any, from the disapproved schedules, in connection with their names.

The names of the persons referred to in said letter of January 28, 1909, are as follows:

Checked by Head.

Roll No.

14108	Elizabeth Allen.
14112	George A. Hungarian.
14110	Leat Min Swatchfield.
14106	Harriet Swatchfield.

16111	George W. Crutchfield.
16106	Ida Crutchfield.
16107	Ima Crutchfield.
16108	Mervina Crutchfield.
16109	William Crutchfield.
921	Josephine Laflere Long.
922	Fake Laflere Long.
16104	David Ritter.

It now appears from the records of the Secretary's Office that there was a schedule approved May 21, 1904, by the Secretary of the Treasury, and that the schedule then given was cancelled by said Secretary at a later date, to-wit, June 20, 1904.

The name of Elizabeth Allen appears upon the schedule which was approved May 21, 1904, opposite the number 15551, Ida Crutchfield's name appears opposite No. 15553, while the other members of the Crutchfield family were given the numbers immediately following that assigned to her.

You are requested to cause a report to be prepared showing whether the records of your office also show that an ~~ear~~ ~~has~~ schedule containing the names of said persons was approved May 21, 1904; also whether such approval was cancelled June 20, 1904. Please report also the reasons for the attempted cancellation, and whether prior notice was given thereof.

It appears further that, in connection with the names of Elizabeth Allen and the Crutchfield family on the roll approved May 21, 1904, the names of Ardella Nickman, Ida M. Southard and Grover Randall are also to be found.

In connection with said names, it is desired that you will report what action, in your opinion, should be taken concerning the first of said persons; also whether the said Ida M. Southard and Grover Randall, respectively, are identical with the Ida M. Southard whose name appears opposite No. 15880 in the printed rolls of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and the Grover Randall whose name appears on page 5 of report of the Commissioner of January 12, 1909 (File 5-51), opposite No. 15828.

As appears from the above list, there were other persons besides the said Allen and Crutchfields whose names were enrolled on schedules which were finally disapproved by the Department: for example, George A. Mangarner, Josephine Laflere Long and Jake Laflere Long.

Please report where the names of these persons appear upon any prior approved schedule; also why it was that the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes enrolled them upon the schedule which was disapproved by the Department, showing whether the Commissioner enrolled them thereon, of his own motion, or under decision or instructions from the Department.

By comparison of the roll approved May 21, 1904, with the printed rolls of Choctaws by blood, the Department

finds that the numbers appearing there on opposite the names of said persons were subsequently assigned to other citizens of the Choctaw Nation; thereby the series of roll numbers was kept perfect, but a material portion of the rolls was evidently sacrificed upon the supposition that it had become worthless. Inquiry arises in this connection as to whether there were other approved schedules which were subsequently disapproved and thrown aside. Accordingly, it is desired that you also cause a report to be prepared covering this feature of the matter, showing all persons embraced in similar cases, with recommendation as to what action should be taken as to ~~them~~ ~~which~~ will necessitate a statement as to why their names were stricken or cancelled from the rolls, whether such action was taken without prior notice.

There is still another matter concerning which the Department desires report to be made. It is observed that the words "No person enrolled at this number" are to be found not infrequently opposite consecutive numbers on the pages of the printed rolls; and you are requested to advise the Department whether such words were substituted for the names of individuals appearing on disapproved schedules, and if such is the case, whether such disapproved schedules were approved at any time by the Department; also whether favorable decisions were ever rendered by the Department as to such persons prior to their enrollment upon such disapproved schedules.

For the sake of expedition, a partial report should be rendered at once concerning the said Elizabeth Allen and the various members of the Gratchfield family named above. The other matters referred to herein can be disposed of by subsequent reports.

Very respectfully,

Jesse E. Wilson

Assistant Secretary

Through the
Indian Office.

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Department of the Interior,
Office of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C. Feb. 5 09

Respectfully referred to the Commissioner
to the Five Civilized Tribes, for appropriate
action.

John Francis Jr.

Acting Chief Land Division.

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dated

Feb 3 1909.

Muskogee, Oklahoma, April 17, 1909.

Subject:

Reporting on Departmental
letter of March 1, 1909,
relative to Josephine Laflora
Long and Jake Laflora Long.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior,

Sir:

Referring to Departmental letter of March 1, 1909 (File
5-51) requesting reports as to certain persons whose names
were inadvertently included in Departmental letter of Jan-
uary 15, 1909, in which partial report was made March 25,
1909 as to certain other of the persons named, I have the
honor to report as follows with reference to Josephine Laflora
Long and Jake Laflora Long:

It appears from the records of this office that these
applicants are the children of Forbis Long, whose name ap-
pears at Number 16005 upon the approved roll of citizens by
blood of the Choctaw Nation, and Lizzie Long, a noncitizen,
and that application was made for their enrollment as minor

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citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 197).

As to Forbis Long, the father of these children, the application for his enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation was refused by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, in the case of James S. Long, et al. and this decision was reversed by the Secretary of the Interior February 23, 1906 (I F B 8234, 8192-1906).

In accordance with this action of the Department the names of Forbis Long and his brothers, James S. Long and Joseph Long, were placed upon a schedule of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation at Numbers 16003, 16004 and 16005, respectively, and this schedule was approved by the Secretary of the Interior June 16, 1906.

Francois Long, child of Forbis Long and sister of Josephine Laflors Long and Jake Laflors Long, was also enrolled at Number 400 upon the roll of Minor Choctaws under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, the evidence of his birth having been approved by the Commissioner September 20, 1906, and his name placed upon a schedule of such citizens on that date, which schedule was approved by the Department October 16, 1906.

March 1, 1907 (I F B 4590-1906), in compliance with

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the opinion of the Attorney-General of February 19, 1907 (I T D 4564-1907) in the case of William C. Thompson, et al., the Department rescinded its action of February 23, 1906, enrolling James S. Long, Joseph Long and Verbis Long as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, and cancelled their enrollment, and this office was authorized to strike their names from the roll of citizens by blood of said nation as of that date.

March 4, 1907, the enrollment of Francis Long, at Number 669 upon the approved roll of Minor Choctaws enrolled under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, was cancelled by the Department.

January 19, 1909 (File 5-81), the Department, in accordance with the opinion of the Supreme Court in the Allison and Goldsby cases, restored the names of James S. Long, Joseph Long, Verbis Long, and his child, Francis Long, to the rolls of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The applications for the enrollment of Josephine Laflora Long and Jake Laflora Long were made upon affidavits for proof of birth of minor children under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which were furnished by this office.

No formal decisions were rendered by the Commissioner in these cases, but the proofs of birth having been passed upon and found to be sufficient and in proper form, were

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approved by him, and the names of the children were placed upon a schedule of Minor Choctaws under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Between the date of the receipt of Departmental letter of January 15, 1907 (I T D 11238,4222-1906) directing this office to suspend action in the matter of the Mississippi Choctaw case of William C. Thompson, et al, and the receipt of the opinion of the Attorney-General of February 19, 1909, this office, on February 13, 1907, in view of the near date fixed for the closing of the rolls, transmitted to the Department a separate schedule containing the names of Josephina Laflors Long and Jake Laflors Long, and advised that this office had received no directions to suspend action in the case of James S. Long, et al. but inasmuch as the question involved in the case of Forbis Long, one of the applicants in that case, and the father of these children, was analogous to the case of William C. Thompson et al. the schedule was transmitted subject to the approval of the Department.

The evidence of the birth of these two children was not complete September 30, 1906, when the schedule containing the name of their sister, Francis Long, was transmitted on a schedule of Minor Choctaws enrolled under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, and their names were not forwarded at that time for this reason.

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March 1, 1907, the schedule containing the names of Josephine Laflere Long and Jake Laflere Long was disapproved by the Secretary of the Interior, under the opinion of the Attorney-General of the United States of February 19, 1907.

The names of Josephine Laflere Long and Jake Laflere Long not having been on an approved roll, no allotments were made to them.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

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Muskogee, Oklahoma, September 2, 1909.

Mr. Forbis Long,
Bower, Oklahoma.

Sir:

You are hereby advised that the Department, on August 25, 1909, informed this office that it was of the opinion that the case of Josephine Long and Jake Leflore Long was not analogous to that of John E. Goldsby and did not come within the principles announced by the Supreme Court of the United States in its decision of November 30, 1908, in that case, and that no action would be taken looking to the enrollment of said Josephine and Jake Leflore Long.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Hampton Campala

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW Nation.

Approved ~~SEP 20 1906~~ 1906

~~Commissioner.~~

Born Mar. 20 1903

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Hampton Campala, born on the 20th day of March 1903
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Julius Campala a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Hannah Campala a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw 6268 Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw 6869;
 Postoffice: Talihina Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
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Central District. }

I, Hannah Campala on oath state that I am about 30
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Julius Campala, who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on 20th day of March, 1. 1903 that said child has been named
Hampton Campala and was living March 4, 1906.

Hannah Campala
mother

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { H. D. Anderson
Eli Paxton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July 1906.

Geo. J. Thomas
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
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 ... Central District. }

I, Mary Jackson, a Midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Hannah Campala, wife of Julius Campala
 on the 20th day of March, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Hampton Campala.

Mary Jackson
Midwife

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { H. D. Anderson
Eli Paxton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July 1906.

Geo. J. Thomas
 Notary Public.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 10, 1906.

W. B. Mansford,

Attorney at Law,

Talihina, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 20, 1906, transmitting affidavits of Hannah Campala and Mary Jackson to the birth of Hampton Campala, child of Julius Campala and Hannah Campala, March 20, 1903, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 6, 1906.

W. H. Harrison,

Attorney at Law,

Poteau, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 28 relative to the enrollment of Hampton Compaler, child of Julius Compaler, a Snake Indian, who refused to enroll his child. You state that Mr. Compaler died recently and his wife is now desirous of having this child enrolled.

In reply you are advised that application has been made for the enrollment of Hampton Campala, child of Julius and Hannah Campala, born March 20, 1903, and his name has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior. This office has not yet been notified of departmental action therein.

Respectfully,

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Acting Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 26, 1906.

Julius Campala,
Chagris, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on October 15, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your child, Hampton Campala, as a minor citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that the name of said child appears upon the roll of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, as Number 670.

The child is now entitled to an allotment and application therefor should be made without delay at the Land Office for the Nation in which the prospective allotment is located.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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January 18, 1907.

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Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Referring to departmental letters of March 24, 1905, and March 25, 1906 (three letters), and April 24, 1906 (eight letters), in the matter of the Mississippi Choctaw case of William C. Thompson et al., you are directed to suspend action, until further advised, relative to the enrollment and allotment of lands to any of the applicants directed to be enrolled by the Department, as the papers in the case will be submitted to the Attorney-General in accordance with the direction of the President on the 12th instant.

You will inform the United States Indian Agent of allotments that may have been made to any of the claimants, in order that he may inform the Department, through the Indian Office, of any applications to his office affecting the lands in such allotments.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan
First Assistant Secretary.

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Joseph Anderson

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Asciates, Arkansas, July 13, 1906.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Joseph Anderson as a Choctaw by blood.

Testimony taken at Hochatown, Indian Territory, May 23, 1906

SARAH LOMAN, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Through Interpreter Jacob Homer.

BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Sarah Loman.
Q What is your age? A About 50.
Q What is your post office address? A Hochatown, I. T.
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes.

Witness is identified as a Choctaw by blood, Roll Number
2326.

Witness here produces a full blood Choctaw boy, about
four years of age as an applicant for enrollment.

- Q What is the name of this boy you wish to enroll?
A Joseph Anderson.
Q When was he born? A The 16th day of November four years ago.
Q What relation is this boy Joseph Anderson to you?
A My own grandchild--my son's child.
Q What is the name of your son, the father of this child?
A Wright Anderson.
Q Does he go by the name of Wright Loman, too? A No.
Q Who was the father of Wright Anderson? A Calvin Anderson, he
has been dead a long time.
Q After the death of your husband, Calvin Anderson, did you marry
a man named Loman? A Yes, sir.
Q Who was the mother of this child, Joseph Anderson?
A Phillis Anderson.
Q Was Phillis Anderson the lawful wife of Wright Anderson at the
time the child was born? A Yes, sir.
Q What was her maiden name?
A She was the daughter of Haiahkonubbe's daughter.
Q What is William Haiahkonubbe's present post office address?
A I do not know whether it is Hochatown or Hagletown.
Q Was the mother of this child, Phillis Haiahkonubbe's, after-
wards Phillis Anderson, a citizen by blood of the Choctaw
Nation? A Yes, sir.
Q Is the mother living or dead? A Dead.
Q Has application formerly been made for the enrollment of
this child, Joseph Anderson? A Yes.
Q Did the mother, Phillis Haiahkonubbe, have any other children
except this one? A Just one, this child.

In re the application for the enrollment of Joseph Anderson---#2.

- Q Has Wright Anderson any other child except this one?
A No, sir.
Q Do you know this child not to be already enrolled as an approved citizen of the Choctaw Nation, or do you know if town-site money has ever been drawn for him and no allotment selected for him? A Yes.
Q How old, at the time of that child's birth, was the mother?
A I do not know how old she was, but she was a young woman-- about 16 years old.
Q Does this child make its home with you? A Yes.
Q What is the post office address of the father of the child, Wright Anderson? A Lukfata, I. T.
Q Has your son Wright Anderson remarried since the death of the mother of this child? A Yes.
Q Who did he marry? A Bitty Tenchka.
Q Did you act in the capacity of mid-wife at the birth of this your grand-child?
A Yes, sir.

Witness Excused.

Testimony taken at same place and on same date as above.

DAVIS J. EBAHOTUBBEE, being duly sworn, testified as follows, through Interpreter Jacob Homer:

BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Davis J. Ebahotubbee.
Q What is your age? A 32.
Q What is your post office address? A Hechatown, I.T.
Q Do you know the name of this child (referring to applicant for enrollment)?
A Yes.
Q What is it? A Joseph Anderson.
Q What is his father's name? A Wright Anderson.
Q Who is the mother of this child? A Phillis Anderson, she was Phillis Haiakonubbe before she married.
Q Were the parents of this child citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes, sir.
Q Was Phillis Haiakonubbe lawfully married at the time the child was born? A Yes, sir.
Q How old is Wright Anderson? A 29 I think.
Q What is his present post office address, if living?
A Lukfata, I. T.
Q Is the child's mother living or dead? A Dead.
Q Who was the father of the mother of this child, and what is his post office address?
A I do not know.
Q How old is the child? A Over four years old.
Q Are you intimately acquainted with the father of this child, Wright Anderson?
A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know whether or not application has been made for the enrollment of this child? A Yes, he tried to enroll it but could not do anything and just quit.
Q Was the mother of the child dead at the time when he first made application for the enrollment of Joseph Anderson?
A No, I believe they tried to enroll that child before the child's mother died, and after she died they tried it again.
Q Was this the only child Phillis Haiakonubbe gave birth to as wife of Wright Anderson? A Yes.

Witness Excused.

In re application of Joseph Anderson ---#3.

W. P. Covington, being duly sworn, states that the above and foregoing is a full and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said case on the date set forth.

W. P. Covington

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 16 day

of July 1906.

Henry P. [Signature]
Notary Public

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Joseph Anderson

Rome Nov. 16, 1902

Act. Apr. 26/06.

In the application of Joseph Anderson --

for
change of name when in view of the fact
and to be known as a full name of Anderson
and B. O. Anderson, being only, and in a
new name of Anderson

W. B. O. Anderson

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Joseph Anderson
as a citizen of the

Choctaw Nation.

Approved _____ 190

Commissioner.

Born Nov 16, 1901

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Joseph Anderson, born on the 16 day of November, 1901
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Wright Anderson, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Sillis Anderson, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Post-Office: Eagletown, IT

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central District. }

I, Sillis Anderson, on oath state that I am 21
 years of age and a citizen, by birth, of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Wright Anderson, who is a citizen, by
birth, of the Choctaw Nation, that a male child was
(Male or female.)
 born to me on the 16 day of November, 1901; that said child has been
 named Joseph Anderson, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK: Sillis Anderson mark.
 (Must be Two Witnesses.) } Wright Anderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of December, 1902
 My Commission Expires Dec 1st 1905 W.P. Wilson
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central District. }

I, Silla Loman, a midwife, on oath state that I
 attended on Mrs. Sillis Anderson, wife of Wright Anderson,
 on the 16 day of November, 1901; that there was born to her on said
 date a Male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been
(Male or female.)
 named Joseph Anderson.

WITNESSES TO MARK: Silla Loman mark.
 (Must be Two Witnesses.) } Wright Anderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of December, 1902
 My Commission Expires Dec 1st 1905 W.P. Wilson
 Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 28, 1906.

Joseph Anderson

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved **FEB 11 1907**

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[Signature]

Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 28, 1906

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COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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[Signature]
COMMISSIONER.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Joseph Anderson born on the 16th day of Nov. 1902
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Wright Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Phillis Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Hochatown, IG

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Adam Harris..... on oath state that I am 47
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I ^{was personally acquainted with Phillis Anderson} am the lawful wife of Wright Anderson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a ^{and named} Male child was
(Male or Female)
 born to ^{her} me on 16th day of November, 1902, that said child has been named
Joseph Anderson and was living March 4, 1906.
Adam ^{his} Harris

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Sampson Jefferson
Jackson McKinney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Jan'y, 1907,
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, Sarah Loman..... a Mid. wife..... on oath state that I
 attended on Phillis Anderson, Enrolled as Phillis Harrison's wife of Wright Anderson
 on the 16th day of Nov., 1902; that there was born to her on said date a Male
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Joseph Anderson
Sarah ^{her} Loman

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Sampson Jefferson
Jackson McKinney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Jan'y, 1907,
W. M. Martin
 Notary Public.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD
Act of Congress Approved
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as a citizen of

..... Nation.

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Joseph Anderson born on the 16th day of Nov. 1902
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: Wright Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Phillis Anderson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Hochatown, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Ellis Ebahotubbi, on oath state that I am 39

years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;

was personally acquainted with Phillis Anderson, enrolled as Sillis Harakonsabi,
that I am the lawful wife of Wright Anderson, who is a citizen, by

blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was

born to her on 16th day of November, 1902; that said child has been named

Joseph Anderson and was living March 4, 1906.

Ellis^{this} Ebahotubbi
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { Sampson Jefferson
Jackson McKinney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Jan'y, 1907
[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Jackson McKinney, on oath state that I

personally acquainted with Phillis Anderson, wife of Wright Anderson and
show that on the 16th day of Nov., 1902, that there was born to her on said date a male

child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Joseph Anderson

Jackson McKinney

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Jan'y, 1907
[Signature]
Notary Public.

7-1124.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 20, 1903.

Wright Anderson,

Bagtown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the application for enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Joseph Anderson, infant son of Wright and Sillie Anderson, born November 16, 1901.

Your attention is called to section thirty-four of the act of Congress approved July 1, 1902, which was ratified by the citizens of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations September 25, 1902, as follows:

"During the ninety days first following the date of the final ratification of this agreement, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes may receive applications for enrollment only of persons whose names are on the tribal rolls, but who have not heretofore been enrolled by said Commission, commonly known as 'delinquents,' and such intermarried white persons as may have married recognized citizens of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations in accordance with the tribal laws, customs and usages on or before the date of the passage of this Act by Congress, and such infant children as may have been born to recognized and enrolled citizens on or before the date of the final ratification of this agreement; but the application of no person whatsoever for enrollment shall be received after the expiration of the said ninety days."

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Under the above legislation, the Commission is now
without authority to enroll this child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner in Charge.

Choc Minor 875

Thomas Hines

M 875

CHOCTAW MINOR 875

Act of Congress of April 26, 1906

Thomas Hines

Transferred to 23-393

Jan. 22, 1807

Choc Minor 876

Hubert Holder

M 876

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NEW YORK

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

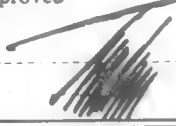
M Hubert Holder

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation

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Approved _____ 1906



Commissioner.

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ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Hubert Holder, born on the 24th day of January, 1906.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Seonidus Holder a citizen of the _____ Nation.
Name of Mother: Minnie Holder a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Whitefield, S. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Western District.

I, Minnie Holder, on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Seonidus Holder, who is a citizen, by
_____ of the _____ Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 24th day of January, 1906; that said child has been named
Hubert Holder, and was living March 4, 1906.
Minnie Holder

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1906.

John H. Oliver
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Western District.

I, J. Robertson, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Minnie Holder, wife of Seonidus Holder
on the 24 day of Jan, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Hubert Holder.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1906.

John H. Oliver
Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 10, 1906.

Leonidus Holder,

Whitefield, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of Minnie Holder and J. Culbertson, to the birth of Hubert Holder, child of Leonidus and Minnie Holder, January 24, 1906.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct, you are requested to state when, where and under what name application was made for her enrollment and if she has selected allotments of the lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificates.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Copy.

Whitefield, Ind. Ter. July 28, 1906.

Mr. Tamas Bixby,

Dear Sir

I received my numbers to day. I find my roll No. to be
7389 and the date August 24, 1904. name filed Minnie Forrest
In Choctaw nation.

yours Respectfully

Minnie Holder.

23-876

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 17, 1906.

Minnie Holder,
Whitefield, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 25, 1906, giving the name under which you were enrolled and your roll number.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify you as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and has been made a part of the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Hubert Holder.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-876

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 15, 1906.

Minnie Holder,

Whitefield, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 6, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Hubert Holder.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of Hubert Holder has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior, and you will be notified when his enrollment is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc Minor 877

Alice Jones

M877

~~NEW BORN~~

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Choctaw ~~MINOR~~
(act April 26 1906)

Alice Jones.

Transferred to 23-640
Feb. 14, 1907.

Choc Minor 878

Fannie Mertyl James

M 878

~~NEW BORN~~

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Choctaw **MINOR**

Cust April 26 1906

Fannie Mestyl James

711

Transferred to 25-456

Feb. 12. 1907

Choc Minor 879

Ada Casteline James

M 879

NEW BORN

879

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINDA CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

Ada Casteline James

as a citizen of

CHOCTAW

Nation.

Approved **JAN 15 1907** 190...

 Commissioner.

Born Oct. 15, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

7-1437

AUG 15 1906

[Signature] COMMISSIONER.

*Choctaw
NB 879*

MAY 24 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, is a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Calvin born on the 15 day of Oct 1905.
Name of Father: William A. James a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Katy E. James a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: 11014
Postoffice: Calvin Indian Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Centrell District.

I, Katy E. James on oath state that I am 30
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William A. James who is a citizen, by
Marriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 15 day of Oct 1905; that said child has been named
Ada Castelin and was living March 4, 1906.

Katy E. James

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

J. G. Givens
Jan. C. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May 1906.

My Commission Expires
Janua. 24, 1906

Henry L. Wallace
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Centrell District.

I, W. B. Bentley a Physician on oath state that I
attended on Katy E. James wife of W. A. James
on the 15 day of Oct 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Ada Castelin

W. B. Bentley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

J. G. Givens
Jan. C. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May 1906.

My Commission Expires
Janua. 24, 1906

Henry L. Wallace
Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 2, 1906.

Katy E. James,

Calvin, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of W. B. Bentley to the birth of Ada Casteline James, child of William A. and Katy E. James, October 15, 1905.

It appears from the affidavits that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct, you are requested to state when, where and under what name application was made for your enrollment, the names of your parents, and other members of your family for whom application was made at the same time.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 12, 1906.

W. A. James,

Galvin, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 7, 1906, in which you state that sometime since you made application for the enrollment of Ada Katherine James, child of W. A. and Katie James born October 15, 1905 and you ask if she has yet been enrolled.

In reply to your letter you are advised that affidavits to the birth of Ada Castline James have been received, but it appears from said affidavits that the mother of this child is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and from the information contained therein this office has been unable to identify her as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. Her roll number is given as 4014 but the name of Katie E. James is not found at No. 4014 upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. You are therefore requested to give the names of her parents and the other members of her family for whom application was made at the same time and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate.

June 2, 1906, a letter was addressed requesting the above information but no reply has yet been received thereto.

W. A. J. #2

This matter should receive immediate attention in order that disposition may be made of the application for the enrollment of said child.

Respectfully

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "W. A. J.", is written over the word "Respectfully". The signature is somewhat stylized and includes a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Commissioner.

23-879

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 27, 1906.

W. A. James,

Calvin, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of November 19, 1906, in which you state that your wife's roll number upon the roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation is 9832 and that the number heretofore given was her certificate number instead of her roll number.

In reply to your letter you are advised that this information has been made a part of the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Ada Casteline James.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc Minor 880

Crenner Jones

M 880

Choctaw MINOR

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Orenner Jones

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Jan. 31, 1907

Choc Minor 881

James Johnson

D. P.

M 881

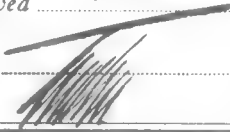
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NEW BORN **881**

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Jamie Johnson
as a citizen of
Choctaw Nation.

Approved **FEB 20 1907** 190


Commissioner.

Born Nov. 6, 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

AUG 15 1906

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713 881

MAY 22 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of James Johnson, born on the 6 day of Nov, 1905
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: J. P. Johnson a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Maud Johnson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice Nov. 2, 1905

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Maud Johnson, on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of J. P. Johnson, who is a citizen, by
Int. marriage, of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 6 day of Nov, 1905; that said child has been named
James Johnson, and was living March 4, ¹⁹⁰⁶1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of May, 1906.

L. E. McLean
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central DISTRICT.

I, Mrs. L. C. Linton, a mid wife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Maud Johnson, wife of J. P. Johnson
on the 6 day of Nov, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, ¹⁹⁰⁶1906, and is said to have been named James Johnson.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of May, 1906.

L. E. McLean
Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 24, 1906.

Maud Johnson,

Wen, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of Mrs. L. C. Linton to the birth of James Johnson, son of J. P. and Maud Johnson, November 6, 1905, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It appears from the affidavits that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct, you are requested to state when, where and under what name application was made for your enrollment, the names of your parents, and other members of your family for whom application was made at the same time, and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

23-881

Muskogee, Indian Territory. January 26, 1907.

J. P. Johnson,

Hon, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child, James Johnson, as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are advised that it appears from the affidavits that you are a non-citizen and that your wife is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The information contained therein is insufficient to enable this office to identify Maud Johnson as an applicant for enrollment in the Choctaw Nation, and if such application has been made by her you should state the name under which she made application for enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate.

You should forward this information so as to reach this office not later than January 31, 1907.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc Minor 882

Frank Haley

D.P.

Dismissed Feb. 17, 1907

M 882

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a
citizen of the Choctaw Nation of

FRANK HALEY 23-882

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
Pauls Valley, Indian Territory,
May 22, 1906.

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Frank Haley as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

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Victoria Sanders, after being sworn, states as follows:

- Q What is your name, age and post office address? A Victoria Sanders, age forty-five, Pauls Valley, Indian Territory.
- Q You are a white woman? A Yes, sir.
- Q You never made application for enrollment as a citizen by inter-marriage? A No, sir; never did.
- Q Who is this Frank Haley? A He is a son of mine.
- Q Who is the father of Frank Haley? A Jesse Haley.
- Q Was the father of this child a recognized citizen of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes, sir.
- Q Were you ever married to Jesse Haley? A Yes, sir.
- Q By whom were you married? A A Precher in Mason county, Texas.
- Q At the time of your marriage to Jesse Haley were you living in Mason county, Texas? A Yes, sir.
- W Where was your husband living? A He was living in the Indian Territory; my home was in Texas though.
- Q Do you remember the date of your marriage? A Yes, sir; it was August 8, 1902.
- Q How long did you and Jesse Haley live together as husband and wife? A About thirteen months; we lived together until he died.
- Q Where did you live? A IN Mason county, Texas.
- Q Live there all that time? A Yes, sir.
- Q What was he doing down there? A He was farming.
- Q Did he die there? A Yes, sir.

Note: Witness produces a Bible which shows the date of her marriage, the date of death of Jesse Haley and the date of birth of Frank Haley.

- Q When does that Bible show that you were married? A August 26, 1891; we were married in Texas.
- Q When was this child, Frank Haley, born? A May 26, 1892.
- Q When did your husband, Jesse Haley, die? A Died in August, 1892.
- Q You are testifying now in regard to the date of your marriage, the date of birth of the child and the date of the death of your husband Jesse Haley from what is called the family bible, are you?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q Has that book been in your possession ever since those dates were entered? A Yes, sir.
- Q What part of the Choctaw Nation did your husband, Jesse Haley, live in? A I couldn't say.
- Q Were you ever at his home in the Choctaw Nation? A No, sir; I never was.
- Q At the time of your marriage, you were living in Texas and you lived with him, as his wife, up to the time of his death, is that correct? A Yes, sir.
- Q How soon after that did you come to the Territory? A About six months.
- Q How did you happen to come here? A We were fixing to move to the territory when he died.

IN RE Frank Haley - 2 -

- Q Where did you move to? A Elk, in the Chickasaw Nation.
Q What was Jesse Haley's father named? A John Haley.
Q Is he living? A I couldn't say. I don't know anything about his people.
Q What was the name of his mother? A I couldn't tell you that either.
Q Did you ever meet his father or his mother? A No, sir.
Q Have you ever made application for the enrollment of this child prior to this date? A No, sir.
Q Never had any correspondence with the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes or the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, did you? A No, sir.
Q Did you ever appear personally? A No, sir.
Q Where has this child been living? A Lived right here in the Indian Territory with me.
Q In the Chickasaw Nation? A Yes, sir.
Q Is he living today? A Yes, sir.

Witness excused.

It appears from the evidence in this case that no application has ever been made for the enrollment of this child or his father or his mother prior to this date, and that I have no authority or jurisdiction to receive this application or to make any record whatever of the same.

Mrs. Victoria Sanders is represented by Blanton and Andrews, Attorneys at Law, Pauls Valley, Indian Territory.

Vester W. Rose on oath states that, as stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, he reported the proceedings had in the above matter on the 22 day of May, 1906, and that the above is a correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said matter.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of May, 1906.

Vester W. Rose
A. C. Conway, Notary
Notary Public.

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In the matter of the
application for enrollment
of minor child
Frank Haley
as a citizen by blood
of Choctaw Nation

Em May 26, 1892

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Frank Haley as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

DECISION.

The record herein shows that application was made to the
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes at Pauls Valley, Indian
Territory, May 22, 1906, by Victoria Sanders for the enrollment of
Frank Haley as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It appears from the record herein that said applicant was
born May 26, 1892, that he is the son of Victoria Sanders, a non-
citizen, and her husband, Jesse Haley, an alleged Choctaw Indian,
who died in August, 1892.

It does not appear from the record herein or from the
records in the possession of this office that any application of
any nature whatsoever had ever been made for the enrollment of
the applicant prior to May 22, 1906.

Section two of the Act of Congress approved April 26,
1906 (34 Stats., 137), provides in part as follows:

"That for ninety days after approval hereof applications
shall be received for enrollment of children who were minors
living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents
have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw,
Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment
pending at the approval hereof,....."

I am of the opinion that under the above quoted provisions
of said Act, I am without authority to receive the application for
the enrollment of Frank Haley as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw
Nation, that the same should be dismissed, and it is so ordered.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,
FEB 17 1907



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 16, 1907.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is returned herewith field data in the following applications for enrollment as citizens of the Chickasaw and Choctaw Nations, for the reason that I visited the former post-office addresses of each as given in field data, and made numerous inquiries relative to their whereabouts but was unable to locate any of them:

Augustus Seale	D-81
Polster John Cepeland	451
Francis York	23-1228
Celestine Taylor	23-895
Viola Lillie Hickman et al	23-902
Fancy Wilson	D-348
Joseph Z. Davis	D-76
Aaron Giles	D-95
Frank Haley	23- 882
Win J. Manly	D-876.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation of Oliver P. Owen, field number 250, you are advised that I made numerous inquiries at Ardmore, Indian Territory, which was his former post-office address but was unable to get any information relative to the death of the applicant. The field data in this case is also returned herewith.

Respectfully,

Choc Minor 883

Everet Ray Kimble

See 7-R-157

Refused Feb 21, 1907

Record Forwarded Department

Feb 21, 1907

Notice of Departmental action
forwarded attorneys for Choc.
and Chickasaw Nations.

Apr 5, 1907

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorney for applicant Apr 5,

1907

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant Apr 3, 1907.

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O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Abigail Kimble, et al., as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the census card record in this case that in September, 1899, application was made to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Abigail Kimble as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. December 23, 1902, application was made for the enrollment of her two children, Elmer Preston Kimble and Jesse Hearl Kimble as citizens by blood of said nation. July 9, 1906, written application was made for the enrollment of Everet Ray Kimble as a citizen by blood of said nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It is alleged on behalf of the applicant, Abigail Kimble, who was born in about the year 1877, that she is the illegitimate daughter of Sarah McKinney, a white woman, and Tom Walls whose name as Thomas J. Walls, Sr. appears opposite No. 12371 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 6, 1903. The applicants, Elmer Preston Kimble and Jesse Hearl Kimble were born in 1897 and 1899, respectively. The applicant, Everet Ray Kimble, was born August 5, 1903. All of the minor applicants herein are the children of Abigail Kimble, and Albert Kimble, a non-citizen.

It does not appear from the record herein or from the records in the possession of this office that any of the applicants herein has ever been recognized and enrolled by the Choctaw tribal authorities as a member of the Choctaw tribe or admitted to Choctaw Citizenship by any duly constituted authority.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that the application for the enrollment of Abigail Kimble, Elmer Preston Kimble and Jesse Hearl Kimble, should be denied, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 49), and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that the application for the enrollment of Everet Ray Kimble as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, should be denied, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.

SIGNED *Jams Birby*

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Commissioner.

FEB 21 1907

Choc Minor 884

Alma Edith Mathis

For record see 7-3893

see Pet # C-90

Refused 2-1-1907

Copy of decision forwarded applicant
2-1-1907.

Copy of decision forwarded Attorneys
for Choc. and Chick. Nations
Feb 1, 1907.

Record forwarded Dept. 2-1-1907

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Action approved by Secretary of
Interior Feb 28, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for applicant Apr 6, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action mailed applicant
Apr 6, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Joseph C. Smith, et al. as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes that application was made to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes at Caddo, Indian Territory, August 24, 1899, by Joseph C. Smith for the enrollment of himself and his children, Gertrude E. Smith, Henry D. Smith, Cleo E. Smith, John M. Smith and Ella Smith, as citizens of the Choctaw Nation; that on October 1, 1900, written application was filed for the enrollment of Onie M. Smith, minor child of Joseph C. Smith and Nancy J. Smith, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

July 10, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Alma Edith Mathis, minor child of Gertrude E. Mathis, nee Smith, and Thomas W. Smith, a non-citizen, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the records in the possession of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes that the applicant, Joseph C. Smith (as Joseph Smith), was an applicant to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for admission to citizenship in the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 10, 1896 (29 Stats., 321), in 1896 Choctaw Citizenship Case No. 846; that he, altogether, was denied said admission by decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes on December 2, 1896.

From this decision an appeal was taken to the United States Court for the Central District of Indian Territory, which Court referred the cause to a Special Master for an examination of the pleadings and evidence, and on September 11, 1897, said Special Master filed a report, finding, in addition to other matters, the following facts not theretofore appearing from affidavits filed with the Commission or in the petition for appeal, namely: that the said Joseph J. C. Smith had five children, Gertrude E. Smith, Henry D. Smith, Cleo E. Smith, John M. Smith and Ella Smith.

On June 19, 1899, said Court entered of record a judgment *in rem* *pro tunc*, as of September 11, 1897, in which the applicants, Joseph C. Smith (as Joseph J. C. Smith), Gertrude E. Smith, Henry D. Smith, Cleo E. Smith, John M. Smith and Ella Smith, were admitted to citizenship and granted all the rights, privileges, immunities and benefits of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Said judgment was subsequently vacated, set aside and held for naught by a decree of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court on December 17, 1902, in the test case of "Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, or Tribes, vs. J. T. Riddle, et al."

Said cause was subsequently certified to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court, created under the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1902, for a trial de novo, and on October 20, 1904, said Citizenship Court in the case entitled "G. P. Phillips, et al. vs. Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations" (Choctaw-Chickasaw Citizenship Court Case No. 107), rendered a decision therein, wherein it was "ordered, adjudged and decreed that the petition of the plaintiffs Joseph J. C. Smith, or Jas. J. C. Smith, Gertrude E. Smith, Henry D. Smith, Cleo E. Smith, Chas. E. Smith, John M. Smith and Ella A. Smith, or Ella Smith be denied, and that they be declared not citizens of the Choctaw Nation and not entitled to enrollment as such citizens, and not entitled to any rights whatever flowing therefrom."

On November 12, 1904, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes issued an order dismissing the application for the enrollment of Onie N. Smith, for the reason that the right of her father, Joseph C. Smith (or Joseph J. C. Smith) to citizenship in the Choctaw Nation had been adversely determined by a decree of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court of October 20, 1904.

Under the regulations adopted by the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes January 2, 1906, there was filed on February 26, 1906, a petition of Joseph J. C. Smith, praying for the enrollment of himself and his children, Gertrude E. Smith, Henry D. Smith, Cleo Smith, John M. Smith, Ella Smith, Onie M. Smith and Jessie C. Smith, as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Nancy J. Smith, as an intermarried citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Said petitioners, except Nancy J. Smith and Jessie C. Smith are identical with the persons for whose enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, application was made under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495). It does not appear that any application was ever made for the enrollment of Nancy J. Smith and Jessie C. Smith as citizens of the Choctaw Nation prior to the filing of the petition herein on February 26, 1906.

It is alleged in the petition that the judgment of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court of October 20, 1904, denying citizenship in the Choctaw Nation to certain of the petitioners was irregular and illegal.

It does not appear from the tribal records of the Choctaw Nation in the possession of this office that any of said applicants were ever recognized or enrolled as citizens of the Choctaw Nation by any duly constituted authority. Their names do not appear on any of the tribal rolls of the Choctaw Nation in the possession of this office.

~~It is of the opinion that incorrect as it does not appear~~
from the records in the possession of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, or from the petition filed February 26,

1906, that the applicants have at any time occupied such a status as would entitle them to enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, the action of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court of October 20, 1904, denying the petition for the admission of Joseph C. Smith (or Joseph J. C. Smith), Gertrude E. Smith, Henry D. Smith, Cleo E. Smith, John M. Smith and Ella Smith as citizens of the Choctaw Nation is final, and the application for the enrollment of Joseph C. Smith (or Joseph J. C. Smith), Gertrude E. Smith, Henry D. Smith, Cleo E. Smith, John M. Smith and Ella Smith, and the petition filed February 26, 1906, in so far as it applies to said applicants, should be denied, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stats., 641), and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that inasmuch as no application was ever made for the enrollment of the petitioner, Nancy J. Smith, prior to December 1, 1905, the petition filed February 26, 1906, in so far as it applies to said petitioner should be dismissed under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that inasmuch as the application for the enrollment of Onie M. Smith as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation has heretofore been dismissed, the petition filed February 26, 1906, in so far as it applies to said Onie M. Smith should be dismissed, and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that the application for the enrollment of Alma Edith Mathis and the petition for the enrollment of Jessie C. Smith should be denied, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.

(Signed) Tams Bixby,

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Feb 1 1907.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 3, 1906.

Thomas W. Mathis,
Blue, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Gertrude E. Mathis and J. R. Ludwig to the birth of Alma Edith Mathis, child of Thomas W. and Gertrude E. Mathis, February 21, 1906.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct you are requested to state where and under what name application was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Copy.

Blue, Ind.Ter., Aug 6, 1906.

Commissioner to give Civilized T.

Muskogee, I.T.

Sir. Yours of the 2 inst Received Will Say My Wife Gertrude E. Mathis was enrolled in 1897 her Fathers name is Joe C. Smith. They Made application under the name of Mary A. Loving and they Was in Rolled and then Rejected and since that time The Court Granted them a new Hearing So they have a Right pending.

She has not selected any allotment yet.

Very Truly Yours

T. W. Mathis

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 17, 1906.

T. W. Mathis,

Blue, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 6, 1906, giving certain information relative to the enrollment of your wife Gertrude E. Mathis.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify your wife, Gertrude E. Mathis, as having been denied citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court under the name of Gertrude E. Smith, and the same has been filed with the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child Alma Smith Mathis.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

February 26, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Joseph C. Smith, et al., including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 1, 1907, denying the enrollment of Joseph C. Smith, Gertrude B. Smith, Henry D. Smith, Clee E. Smith, John M. Smith, Ella Smith, Alma Edith Mathis and Jessie C. Smith, and Onie M. Smith as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, and Nancy J. Smith as a citizen by inter-marriage of the Choctaw Nation.

Commissioner Bixby reports that it does not appear from the records of his office that any of the applicants herein were ever recognized or enrolled as citizens of the Choctaw Nation by any duly constituted authority, and that their names do not appear on any of the tribal rolls of the Choctaw Nation in the possession of his office.

Therefore, by reason of the provisions of the Act of July 1, 1902 (32 Stat.L., 641) and the Act of April 26, 1906 (34 Stat.L., 137) the Office concurs in the decision

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of Commissioner Bixby denying the enrollment of the applicants herein as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

Very respectfully,

G. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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5236, 5244, 5246, 5250-1907.
5352, 5394, 5442 -1907.

February 20, 1907.

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Cheatew citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed:

Title of Case.	Date of Your Letter of Transmittal.
Walter Henry Farris,	January 16, 1907.
Haggie Hall et al.,	January 19, 1907.
Clarence Fisher (Freedman)	February 9, 1907.
Mary Ford, et al.,	November 9, 1906.
George M. Carpenter, et al.,	December 24, 1906.
John Purditt, et al.,	December 21, 1906.
Hattie Segroves,	January 2, 1907.
Dovey G. Cantrell,	October 19, 1906.
Harl Byron Wood, et al.,	January 17, 1907.
Ida Harrison (intermarried),	January 14, 1907.
Sarah E. Kiser, et al.,	February 9, 1907.
Paul Rowley, et al.,	January 23, 1907.
Joseph C. Smith, et al.,	February 1, 1907.
Effie Rainey,	January 26, 1907.
Tennessee Beard (intermarried),	January 28, 1907.
Rosa Perry (intermarried),	November 9, 1906.
Samuel C. Wall, et al.,	February 4, 1907.
Emilia Ketchkin,	January 14, 1907.

A copy herof and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Jesse H. Wilson,

Assistant Secretary.

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for Ind. Off.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Vivian Virginia Murphy

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Vivian Virginia Murphy born on the 19 day of August 1900
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Edward W. Murphy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Myrtle M. Murphy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice..... Marlow, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Myrtle M. Murphy, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Edward W. Murphy, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 19 day of August 1900.; that said child has been named
Vivian Virginia Murphy and was living March 4, 1906.

(SEAL) Myrtle An. Murphy

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of May 1906.

Geo. T. Putty
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Minerva Tillison, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Myrtle M. Murphy, wife of Edward M. Murphy
on the 19 day of August 1900.; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Vivian Virginia
Murphy.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Minerva Tillison

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of May 1906.

Geo. T. Putty
Notary Public.

(SEAL)

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New Born 885

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1900.

..... Edith M. Murphy

as a citizen of

..... Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Edith M. Murphy, born on the 29 day of Feb 1904
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Edward W. Murphy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Myrtle M. Murphy a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: Marlow, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Myrtle M. Murphy, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Edward W. Murphy, who is a citizen, by
blood, of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 29 day of Feb 1904; that said child has been named
Edith M. Murphy and was living March 4, 1906.
(SEAL)

Myrtle M. Murphy

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of May 1906.

Geo. T. Putty Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Minerva Tillison, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Myrtle M. Murphy, wife of Edward W. Murphy
on the 29 day of Feb 1904; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Edith M. Murphy
(Male or Female)

Minerva Tillison

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of May 1906.

Geo. T. Putty Notary Public.

(SEAL)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Chickasha, Indian Territory, January 31, 1907.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation, of Vivian Virginia Murphy and Edith M. Murphy.

Testimony taken in Rush Springs, Indian Territory, January 30, 1907.

EDWARD W. MURPHY, being duly sworn, by Lacey P. Bobo, Notary Public in and for the Central District of the Indian Territory testified as follows :

BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q State your name, age and post office address? A Edward W. Murphy, 38 years old, Nellie, Oklahoma.
Q What is your wife's name? A Myrtle M. Murphy.

Affidavit executed before George T. Purdy on the 21st day of May 1906, relative to the enrollment of Vivian Virginia Murphy and Edith M. Murphy here shown witness, who states the applicants are his children, and the mother of the applicants is his wife.

- Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation?
A That's what I have been claiming, but I have never been admitted.
Q What is the status of your case with the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes?
A I got a letter from the Dawes Commission saying we did not have any right.
Q Have you got that letter? A No, it's misplaced.
Q Have you got any letters or papers from the Commission pertaining to your enrollment?
A I had one letter but I turned it over to George T. Purdy over at Marlow, I. T.,
Q Do either of your parents' names appear upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation? A No.
Q As Choctaws by blood, did you or either of your parents receive any of the net proceeds money or the \$103.00 grass lease payment made to the Choctaws in 1893?
A We never did get anything.
Q Did you ever make application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation? A Yes.
Q When and where? A At Duncan, Indian Territory, in October eight years ago; they told us to come down to Ardmore and my mother and two aunts went, I did not go, but in August seven years ago we went to Atoka, I went with my mother and aunts.
Q What action did the Commission take relative to your and your mother's case?
A They said they could not take any action, they did not have any jurisdiction and could not do anything for us.

In re the application of Vivian Virginia and Edith M. Murphy--#2.--
Edward W. Murphy, Witness.

- Q What is your mother's name? A It is Many Jane Murphy, she lives at Bailey, I. T.
- Q In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your daughters, your wife affirms she is a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation, the lawful wife of yourself (Edward W. Murphy) who was a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation? Why did your wife make affidavits as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation when she has never been recognized as a citizen?
- A I seen Capt. Thompson of Marlow, I. T., and he said we might get on and if we had any babies we ought to make application on account of the new law that had been passed.
- Q Do you know whether or not your application has ever been rejected if ever considered by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes? A No, sir, I do not.
- Q You admit that your wife's affidavit relative to her being a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation and the wife of yourself, a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, is in error?
- A Yes, we are not citizens yet but want to be.

Witness Excused.

W. P. Covington, being duly sworn, states that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in said case on said date.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 31st day of

Jan'y. 1907.

Lucy P. B.
Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Vivian Virginia Murphy, et al., as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

DE C I S I O N.

It appears from the record herein that on June 11, 1906, applications were made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Vivian Virginia Murphy and Edith M. Murphy as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein that said applicants were born on August 19, 1900, and February 29, 1904, respectively, and are the children of Edward W. Murphy, an alleged Choctaw by blood, and Myrtle M. Murphy, an alleged citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

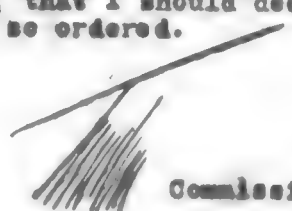
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I am, therefore, of the opinion that under the provisions of the above act I am without authority to take any action looking to the enrollment of Vivian Virginia Murphy and Edith M. Murphy as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I should decline to receive or consider the same, and it is so ordered.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,



Commissioner.

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 14, 1907.

Edward W. Murphy,

Marlow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 14, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Vivian Virginia Murphy and Edith M. Murphy as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

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Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tams Bixby*

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-865

23-885

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 14, 1907.

Wansfield, McMurray and Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

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The Secretary of the Interior:

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Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tams Bixby*

Commissioner.

2 Incl.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

J.P.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

D.C. 12635-1907.

WASHINGTON.

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March 2, 1907.

L RS.

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

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A copy hereof and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,
Jesse R. Wilson.

19 inc. and 38 inc. to
Ind. Of.

Assistant Secretary.
W.C.F. 3/3/07.

Refer in reply to the
following.

Copy.

D.C. 12632-1907. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land. OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
16303-1907. WASHINGTON.

February 28, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from Commissioner Bixby, dated February 14, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the application of Vivian V. and Edith L. Murphy for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner dated February 14, 1907, adverse to the applicants.

The decision of the Commissioner has been examined and found to be correct and it is therefore recommended for approval.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

H.R.D. -NL.

23-885

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1907.

Edward W. Murphy,

Marlow, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 14, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Vivian Virginia Murphy and Edith M. Murphy as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-885

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1907.

Manafield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 14, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Vivian Virginia Murphy and Edith W. Murphy as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 23, 1906.

Edward W. Murphy,

Marlow, Indian Territory:

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Myrtle M. Murphy and Minerva Tillison to the birth of Vivian Virginia Murphy, child of Edward W. Murphy and Myrtle M. Murphy, August 19, 1900.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of your parents, the time and place application was made for your enrollment, and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasa Nation give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificate!

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

*Above letter was answered
by ATy Petty & at same time
my mother before Petty made out a
full list & gave to Petty to send same*

to the
following.

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16303-1907. WASHINGTON.

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Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

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Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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Green Butler (Freedman),	February 13, 1907.
Robert McAfee (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
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Respectfully,
Jesse H. Wilson.

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Assistant Secretary.
W.C.F. 1/3/07.

Choc Minor 885

Vivian Virginia Murphy

Edith M. Murphy

Decline to receive 2-14-1907

Copy of decision forwarded applicant
Feb 14, 1907.

Copy of decision forwarded attorneys
for Choc + Chick Nations 2-14-07

Record forwarded department 2-14-07

Action approved by Secretary of
Interior 3-2-07.

Notice of departmental ^{action} forwarded
attorneys for Choc. + Chick. Nations
3-25-07

Notice of departmental action mailed
applicant 3-25-07

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Choc Minor 886
William Fay Nelson
Lona Otto Nelson

Decline to receive 2-16-1907.

Action approved by Secretary of
Interior 3-2-07.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for Choc. + Chick.
Nations 3-25-07.

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant 3-25-07.

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199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

William Fay Nelson

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Nov. 17, 1905

Filed July 5, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of William Fay Nelson, born on the 17 day of November 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: J. E. Nelson a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Sophrona Nelson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Hobberton, Ark.

Ark AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Washington County District.

I, Sophrona Nelson, on oath state that I am 24 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of J. E. Nelson, who is a citizen, by of the United States Nation; that a male child was born to me on 17 day of November 1905; that said child has been named William Fay Nelson and was living March 4, 1906.

Sophrona Nelson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] W. B. Bragdon
Lattie A. Harp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of June 1906.

My Com Expires July 13-1908
(SEAL)

A. L. Thompson
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Ark Washington County District.

I, D. Christian, a physician, on oath state that I attended on Sophrona Nelson, wife of J. E. Nelson on the 17 day of November 1905; that there was born to her on said date a boy child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named William Fay Nelson

D. Christian.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] John Nelson
W. B. Bragdon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of June 1906.

(SEAL)

A. L. Thompson
Notary Public.

My Com. Expires July 13-1908

NEW BORN 886

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

.....Lona Otto Nelson.....

as a citizen of

.....Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born April 3, 1903

Recd July 07 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Lona Otto Nelson born on the 3 day of April 1903
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: J. E. Nelson a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Sophrona Nelson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Hobberton, Ark.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, Ark.
Washington County District.

I, Sophrona Nelson, on oath state that I am 24
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of J. E. Nelson, who is a citizen, by
of the United States Nation; that a male child was
born to me on 3 day of April 1903; that said child has been named
Lona Otto Nelson and was living March 4, 1906.
(SEAL) Sophrona Nelson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { W. B. Bragdon
Mattie A. Harp

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on the 3 day of April 1903; that there was born to her on said date a male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lona Otto Nelson.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { John Milbron
W. B. Bragdon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of June 1906.

(SEAL) A. L. Thompson
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires July 13-1908

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of William Fay Nelson, et al., as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

It appears from the record herein that on July 5, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of William Fay Nelson and Lona Otto Nelson as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein that said applicants were born on November 17, 1905 and April 3, 1903, respectively, and are the children of J. E. Nelson, a non-citizen, and Sephrona Nelson, an alleged citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It does not appear from the records in the possession of this office that either of the parents of the applicants herein has been finally enrolled as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, or had an application pending for enrollment as a citizen thereof on April 26, 1906.

Section Two of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), provides:

"That for ninety days after approval hereof applications shall be received for enrollment of children who were minors living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the approval hereof, and for the purpose of enrollment under this section illegitimate children shall take the status of the mother, and allotments shall be made to children so enrolled."

I am, therefore, of the opinion that under the provisions of law above quoted, I am without authority to take any action looking to the enrollment of William Fay Nelson and Lona Otto Nelson as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and that I should decline to receive or consider any application for their enrollment as such, and it is so ordered.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Commissioner.

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 16, 1907.

J. E. Nelson,
Hobberton, Arkansas.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 16, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of William Fay Nelson and Lena Otto Nelson as citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tams Bixby*

Commissioner.

Registered,
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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 16, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw & Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 16, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of William Jay Nelson and Lena Otto Nelson as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Jams Bixby*

Commissioner.

23-886.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 16, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

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Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tams Bixby*

Commissioner.

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Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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March 2, 1907.

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DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
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A copy hereof and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Jesse E. Wilson

Assistant Secretary

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Refer in reply to the (COPY)
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

Land
17979-1907.

February 28, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from Commissioner Bixby dated February 16, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the application of William Fay and Lona Otto Nelson for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, together with the Commissioner's decision of that date declining to receive or consider the application. The record shows that the action taken by the Commissioner is correct and the approval of his adverse decision is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

GAW:GH.

23-286

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1907.

J. E. Nelson,
Hobberton, Arkansas.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 16, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of William Fay Nelson and Lona Otto Nelson as citizens by blood of the Chestaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

23-886

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1907.

Wanfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 8, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 16, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of William Fay Nelson and Lena Otto Nelson as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 16, 1906.

Cruce, Crace & Bleakmore,

Attorneys at Law,

Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sirs:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 3, 1906, enclosing affidavits of Sophrona Nelson and D. Christian to the births of Lona Otto Nelson and William Fay Nelson, children of J. E. Nelson and Sophrona Nelson, April 3, 1905, and November 17, 1905, respectively.

It is stated in the affidavits of the mother of these children that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct you are requested to state where and under what name application was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

23-886

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 9, 1907.

J. E. Nelson,

Hobberton, Arkansas.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of your children, William Fay and Lona Otto Nelson, as minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, you are advised that it is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and the information contained therein is insufficient to enable this office to identify her as an applicant for enrollment in the Choctaw Nation.

If she is an applicant for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, you should advise this office at once the names of her parents, the name under which she made application for enrollment and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations, give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate.

This matter should receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

Land
17978-1907.

February 28, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

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Very respectfully,

G. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

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Salomon Wilson, Jr. (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Geo Willis (Freedman)	February 14, 1907.
Loeam and Jennie Robinson (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Mary Butler (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Langster Shale (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
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Respectfully,

Jesse H. Wilson,

Assistant Secretary.

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W.C.F. 2/3/07.

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Nannie McNeely

Hughey McNeely

Decline to receive 2-14-1907.

Action approved by Secretary of
Interior 3-2-07.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for Choc. + Chick.
nations 3-25-07.

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant 3-25-07.

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New Born 887

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Nannie McNeeley

as a citizen of

..... Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Recd July 18, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Nannie McNeeley, born on the 8 day of August 1889
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: James McNeeley, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Texeanna McNeeley, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: McAlester, I T

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Texianna McNeeley, on oath state that I am 33
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of James McNeeley, who is a citizen, by
Int Marriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 8 day of August 1889; that said child has been named
Nannie McNeeley and was living March 4, 1906.

Texanna McNeeley

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July 1906.

D. W. Hopkins

Notary Public.

(SEAL)

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Alice Christ, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Texanna McNeeley, wife of Tomis McNeeley
on the 8 day of Aug 1889; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Nannie
McNeeley.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Alice Christ
her X Mark

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July 1906.

D. W. Hopkins

Notary Public.

(SEAL)

23-887

New Born 887

100

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

Hughy McNeeley

as a citizen of ✓

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.
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Read July 18, 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the.....Choctaw.....Nation,
ofHughey McNeeley....., born on the ..22..day of ..Febry.....1896.
Name of Father:.....James McNeeley.....a citizen of the.....Choctaw.....Nation.
Name of Mother:.....Texianna McNeeley.....a citizen of the.....Choctaw.....Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father.....Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice.....McAlester, I. T.....

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
.....Central.....District. }

I,Texianna McNeeley....., on oath state that I am33.....
years of age and a citizen by.....blood....., of the.....Choctaw.....Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of.....James McNeeley....., who is a citizen, by
Int. Mgd....., of the.....Choctaw.....Nation; that aMale.....child was
born to me on.....22.....day of.....February.....1896.; that said child has been named
Hughey McNeeley..... and was living March 4, 1906.

.....Texianna McNeeley.....

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this.....13th.....day of.....July.....1906.
(SEAL)

.....D. W. Hopkins..... Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
.....Central.....District. }

I,Alice Christ....., a.....Midwife, on oath state that I
attended onTexianna McNeeley....., wife of.....James McNeeley.....
on the ..22.....day of.....Febry.....1896.; that there was born to her on said date aMale.....
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named.....Hughey McNeeley.....

.....Alice Christ.....
for a mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {D. W. Hopkins.....
.....A. B. Okmar.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this.....13th.....day of.....July.....1906.

(SEAL)

.....D. W. Hopkins.....

23-887.

O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Nannie McNeely, et al. as citizens-by blood of the Chectaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on July 18, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Nannie McNeely and Hughey McNeely as citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein that Nannie McNeely and Hughey McNeely were born August 8, 1889 and February 22, 1896, respectively and are the children of James McNeely and Texanna (or Texianna) McNeely.

It does not appear from the records in the possession of this office that any application has ever been made for the enrollment of James McNeely and Texanna (or Texianna) McNeely as citizens of the Chectaw Nation prior to December 1, 1906.

Section two of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, (34 Stats., 137) provides:

"That for ninety days after approval hereof applications shall be received for enrollment of children who were miners living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Chectaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the approval hereof, and for the purpose of enrollment under this section illegitimate children shall take the status of the mother, and allotments shall be made to children so enrolled."

I am of the opinion that inasmuch as the parents of the applicants, Nannie McNeely and Hughey McNeely, have never been enrolled as members of the Chectaw tribe, or had applications pending at the date of the approval of the above act, I am without authority to receive or consider any application for the enrollment of the applicants herein as citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation; that I should decline to receive or consider the same, and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 14, 1907.

James McKeely,

Mullester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 14, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Nannie McKeely and Hughy McKeely as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Dixby*

Commissioner.

Registered.
Incl. 23-687.

25-887.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 14, 1907.

Hansfield, McHurray & Gornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw & Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, I. T.

Gentlemen:-

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 14, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Hattie McNeely and Hugh McNeely as citizens by blood of the Choctaw nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

NED Tame Bixby

Commissioner.

Encl. 25-887.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 14, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:-

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Hattie McNeely and Hugh McNeely as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 14, 1907, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

3 Incl. 23-087.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

J.F.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

D.C. 12635-1907.

WASHINGTON.

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March 2, 1907.

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DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Chester citizenship cases, adverse to the applicants, are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters, submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed, are enclosed:

Title of Case.	Date of Your Letter of Transmittal.
Robert Ward and Willie Ward (Freedom),	February 12, 1907.
Jane Robinson (Freedom),	February 12, 1907.
Anderson Gilbert (Freedom),	February 16, 1907.
Bother Butler (Freedom),	February 13, 1907.
Alice Hunter and Joseph Hunter, (Freedom)	February 14, 1907.
Cornelius Ryatt, Jr.	February 14, 1907.
Vivian Virginia Murphy and Edith M. Murphy,	February 14, 1907.
Hattie and Rachel McKeely,	February 14, 1907.
Siras Jeffie Harris et al. (Freedom),	February 14, 1907.
Salomon Wilson, Jr. (Freedom),	February 14, 1907.
Geo Willie (Freedom),	February 14, 1907.
Leona and Fannie Robinson (Freedom),	February 14, 1907.
Mary Butler (Freedom),	February 14, 1907.
Leaguster Shields (Freedom),	February 14, 1907.
Green Butler (Freedom),	February 15, 1907.
Robert Haines (Freedom),	February 14, 1907.
Winnie McKinney (Freedom),	February 14, 1907.
William Jay and Lena Otta Nelson,	February 16, 1907.
John Henry and Fred Daniels (Freedom),	February 12, 1907.

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A copy hereof and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

James H. Wilson

Assistant Secretary.

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N.C. P. 2/3/07.

Refer in reply to the
following.

Copy.

D.C. 12635-1907. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
16300-1907. WASHINGTON.

February 28, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from Commissioner Bixby,
dated February 14, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the
applications of Nannie and Hughey McMelley, for enrollment as cit-
izens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of
the Commissioner adverse to the applicants, dated February 14,
1907.

The decision of the Commissioner has been examined and
found to be correct and the same is recommended for approval.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

H.R.D. NL.

23-887

Muskegee, Indian Territory, March 21, 1907.

James McNeely,

McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 14, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Nannie McNeely and Harney McNeely as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-887

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cernish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 14, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Nannie McNeely and Hughey McNeely as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 23, 1906.

James McNealey,
McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Texianna McNealey and Alice Christ to the birth of Hughry McNealey and Hannie McNealey, children of James and Texianna McNealey, February 22, 1896 and August 8, 1899, respectively.

It is stated in the affidavits of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct you are requested to state where and under what name application was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

Quinton, Ind. Ter.

January 17, 1907

Commissioner Five Tribes

Muskogee, I. T.

Dear Sir:

In reference Choc. 23-887 I found
our James C. McNeely Choc. I. M. 1041
his wife is Ellen McNeely Choc by blood
13560 and they have two children
Julia F. and Sarah Edna, the whole
family has filed.

This is the only family by the name
of McNeely living at Broken and not
the family in this case

Respectfully

J. L. Gary

Refer in reply to the
following.

Copy.

D.C. 12635-1907. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land. OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
16300-1907. WASHINGTON.

February 28, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from Commissioner Bixby, dated February 14, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the applications of Mannie and Hughey McMelley, for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner adverse to the applicants, dated February 14, 1907.

The decision of the Commissioner has been examined and found to be correct and the same is recommended for approval.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

H.R.D. ML.

J.P.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

D.C. 12658-1907.

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March 2, 1907.

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DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Choctaw citizenship cases, adverse to the applicants, are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters, submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed, are enclosed:

Title of Case.	Date of Your Letter of Transmittal.
Robert Ward and Willie Ward (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
Jana Robinson (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
Anderson Gilbert (Freedman),	February 16, 1907.
Bethor Butler (Freedman),	February 13, 1907.
Aaron Hunter and Rosetta Hunter, (Freedman)	February 13, 1907.
Cornelius Hyatt, Jr.	February 14, 1907.
Vivian Virginia Murphy and Edith V. Murphy,	February 14, 1907.
Hannie and Haghey McNeely,	February 14, 1907.
Siras Jeffie Barris et al. (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Holman Wilson, Jr. (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
Gus Willis (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Lecana and Fannie Robinson (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Fary Butler (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Leoguster Shoals (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Green Butler (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Robert McAdoo (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Minnie McKinney (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
William Ray and Lena Otto Nelson,	February 16, 1907.
John Henry and Fred Daniels (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.

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A copy hereof and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Jesse E. Wilson

Assistant Secretary.

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Ind. Of.

E.C. F. 2/3/07.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1907.

James McNeely,

McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 14, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Nannie McNeely and Hughey McNeely as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

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Henry Nelson

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 30, 1906.

Apple and Franklin,

Attorneys at Law,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of April 27, 1906, inclosing the affidavits of Lorena Wilson and Lucy Peachlin to the birth of Henry Nelson, child of Willie Nelson and Lorena Wilson, formerly Bohanan nee Dyer, October 26, 1903.

You are advised that it is impracticable to identify Lorena Wilson under the name of Lorena Bohanan or Dyer and you are requested to state the names of the parents of Lorena Dyer and her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner,

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Henry Nelson

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved

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Commissioner.

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ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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RECEIVED
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Mother of child enrolled as Lorena Bohanan
BIRTH AND DEATH.

Child legitimate.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Henry Nelson, born on the 26th day of October, 1903.
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: Willie Nelson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lorena Nelson (formerly Bohanan nee Dyer) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Postoffice: Eagletown, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Lorena Wilson, on oath state that I am Twenty three
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Cole Wilson, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a male child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 26th day of October, 1903; that said child has been named
Henry Nelson, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) } Ed. Street

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of February, 1906.

J. W. Custis
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY, }
Central DISTRICT. }

I, Lucy Peacklin, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Lorena Wilson, wife of Cole Wilson
on the 26th day of October, 1903; that there was born to her on said date a male
(Male or Female.)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Henry Nelson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) } Wash Thompson
Ed. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of February, 1906.

J. W. Custis
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.
Eagletown, Indian Territory, January 14, 1907.

In the matter of the enrollment as a minor citizen
of the Choctaw Nation of Henry Nelson, card number 888.

James Dyer being duly sworn testified as follows:

EXAMINATION BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A James Dyer Sr.
Q How old are you? A sixty-nine.
Q What is your Post-office address? A Eagletown, I. T.
Q Are you a citizen of the Choctaw Nation? A. Yes sir.
Q Do you know a child by the name of Henry Nelson? A Yes.
Q What is the name of the mother of the child, A Lorena
Dyer.
Q Is that her present name? A Lorena Dyer is her
parents name.
Q Is this Lorena Dyer your daughter? A Yes sir.
Q What was the name of her first husband? A Milwee Bohan-
an of Eagletown.
Q Has she been married more than once? A No sir, except
Wilson.
Q What is Wilson's full name? A Cole Wilson.
Q She first married Milwee Bohanan and afterwards married
Cole Wilson? A Yes sir.
Q Who is the father of this child Henry Nelson? A Willie
Nelson.
Q Is ~~Willie~~ Nelson a Choctaw? A Yes sir.
Q Is he a full blood Indian? A Yes sir.
Q What is his post office address? A It must be Antlers,
I. T.
Q Do you know the name of his father? A I do not know
whether it is Gabriel or Gabel Nelson.
Q Do you know Willie Nelson's mother's name? A I do not
know.
Q About how old is Willie? A I don't know.
Q Do you know any other members of his family? A No sir,
I know his father, but don't know the rest of them as I
have not been among them much.
Q Was your daughter, Lorena, ever married to this man
Willie Nelson? A No sir.
Q Then this child, Henry Nelson, is an illegitimate child?
A Yes sir.
Q When was this baby born? A October 26, 1903.
Q Is Henry Nelson, this child, living now? A Yes sir.
Q Is Lorena ~~Wilson~~ Wilson, the mother of this child, en-
rolled under the name of Lorena Bohanan? A Yes sir I
think that is the way she is enrolled.
Q What is her mother's name? A Melinda Dyer.

Frank L. Deble, stenographer to the Commissioner
to the Five Civilized Tribes, on oath states that the above

and foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes taken in the above entitled cause on January 14, 1907.

Frank L. Doble

Subscribed and sworn to before me this January 14, 1907.

M. W. Nash

Notary Public.

See 888

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Henry Nelson.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved **FEB 11 1907**..... 190...



Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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 COMMISSIONER.

23-888

*Application
Received
April 27, 1906*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Henry Nelson born on the 26th day of Oct 1903
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Willie Nelson a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 Name of Mother: Lorena Wilson formerly Bohanan a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice: Eagleton, IA

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, James Dyer, Sr, on oath state that I am 69
 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Willie Nelson father of Lorena Wilson formerly Bohanan

and that and that Male child was
 born to her on 26th day of October 1902; that said child has been named
Henry Nelson and was living March 4, 1906, that said child is illegitimate, of a Willie Nelson, a full blood Choctaw, is the father James Dyer, Sr

WITNESSES TO MARK: [Signature]

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Jan'y 1909.
[Signature]
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Jinny Cooper, on oath state that I am
 personally acquainted with Lorena Wilson, formerly Bohanan, now wife of Lore Nelson, and that
 on the 26th day of Oct 1903, that there was born to her on said date a Male
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Henry Nelson, and that Willie Nelson, a full blood Choctaw, is said to be the father of said child, Jinny Cooper

WITNESSES TO MARK: [Signature]

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Jan'y 1909.
[Signature]
 Notary Public.

23-888

Muskogee, Oklahoma, March 26, 1908.

SUBJECT:

Duplicate enrollment
of Henry Nelson,
a minor Choctaw.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to invite the attention of the Department to the matter of the enrollment of Henry Nelson as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 137).

It appears that on May 25, 1906, there were received by this office the affidavits of the mother, Laurina Wilson, nee Bohannon, and the mid-wife, Lucy Pitchlynn, to the birth of Henry Nelson on October 23, 1903, and the name of said child was placed opposite No. 700 upon a schedule constituting a part of the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, enrolled under the provisions of the Act of

Secretary #2.

Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and whose enrollment as such was approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 20, 1906.

It further appears that on April 27, 1906, there were received by this office the affidavits of the mother, Lorena Wilson, the mid-wife, Lucy Peachlin, and two acquaintances, James Hyer, Sr. and Jincy Cooper, to the birth of Henry Nelson on October 26, 1903, and the name of said child was placed opposite No. 908 upon a schedule constituting a part of the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and whose enrollment as such was approved by the Secretary of the Interior March 1, 1907.

The name of the father of this child was identified upon the records of this office as Willie Nelson who is enrolled opposite No. 4431 upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation and the mother was identified as Laurina Behanan who is enrolled opposite No. 1634 upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and it clearly appears that the names appearing opposite Nos. 760 and 908 of the approved roll hereinbefore referred to refer to one and the same person.

Secretary #2.

I have the honor to further report that an application for the allotment of land of the total appraised value of \$1040.00 has been made in the name of Henry Nelson, Choctaw Minor Child, Roll No. 760, and that no allotment of the land of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations has been made in the name of Henry Nelson, Choctaw Minor Child, Roll No. 908.

In view of the foregoing I have the honor to recommend that there be placed upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and upon the letter of transmittal in the possession of the Department, opposite the name of Henry Nelson appearing thereon at No. 908, the following notation:

Duplicate enrollment of No. 760; no allotment to be made in this name,

and that a like notation be placed upon the copy of the roll and letter of transmittal in the possession of the Indian Office.

I have the honor to further recommend that this office be authorized to place a like notation upon the copies of the roll and letter of transmittal in its possession.

Respectfully,

Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

March 25, 1908.

I. I. 20244-1908

BY

Subject: Duplicate
enrollment of Henry
Nelsen.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit herewith a communication from Acting Commissioner Ryan, dated March 20, 1908, with reference to the duplicate enrollment of Henry Nelsen as a citizen by blood of the Cheetaw Nation, his name appearing opposite numbers 760 and 908 on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Cheetaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of April 26, 1906 (34 Stat. L., 157). The enrollment opposite No. 760 was approved by the Department December 20, 1906, and that opposite No. 908 was approved March 1, 1907, the duplicate enrollment having been caused by the filing of two birth affidavits.

Acting Commissioner Ryan reports that application for an allotment of land of the appraised value of \$1,040.00 has been made in the name of Henry Nelsen as it appears on the roll opposite No. 760, but that no allotment has been made in his name as it appears opposite No. 908.

The Office therefore concurs in the recommendation of Acting Commissioner Ryan that there be placed opposite the name of Henry Nelson as it appears at No. 906 on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, in the possession of the Department and this office, the following notation:

Duplicate enrollment of No. 760;
no allotment to be made in this name,

and that Commissioner Wright be authorized to make a like notation of the copy of the roll in the possession of his office.

Very Respectfully,

G. F. Larabee,
Acting Commissioner.

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March 26, 1908.

Approved:

(Signed) Jesse E. Wilson,
Assistant Secretary.

Muskegee, Oklahoma, April 8, 1908.

Chief Clerk,

Chickasaw Land Office,

Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Sir:

There is enclosed you herewith a copy of Indian Office letter of April 1, 1908 (I.T. 20244-1908), accompanied by a copy of the report and recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs of March 25, 1908, approved by the Department March 26, 1908, relative to the duplicate enrollment of Henry Nelson whose name appear opposite Nos. 760 and 908 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat., 157).

In conformity with the authority therein contained you are directed to place upon the copy of the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and upon the roll card containing the name of Henry Nelson, appearing thereon at No. 908, the following notation:

Duplicate enrollment of No. 760;
no allotment to be made in this name.

Respectfully,

(100 8-6)

Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

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I.T. 20244-1908

April 1, 1908.

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Subject: Duplicate enrollment of Henry Nelson.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskegee, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Referring to your letter of March 20, 1908, relative to the duplicate enrollment of Henry Nelson as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, you are advised that on March 26, 1908, the Department authorized you to place the following notation opposite the name of Henry Nelson as it appears at No. 908 on the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation:

Duplicate enrollment of No. 760;
no allotment to be made in this name.

Similar notations have been made on the copies of the roll in the possession of the Department and this Office.

A copy of Office letter of March 25, submitting this matter to the Department, is enclosed.

Very respectfully,

G. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

XI

Muskogee, Oklahoma, April 8, 1908.

Chief Clerk,
Cheotaw Land Office,
Atoka, Oklahoma.

Sir:

There is enclosed you herewith a copy of Indian Office letter of April 1, 1908 (I.Y. 20244-1908), accompanied by a copy of the report and recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs of March 25, 1908, approved by the Department March 26, 1908, relative to the duplicate enrollment of Henry Nelson whose names appear opposite Nos. 760 and 908 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Cheotaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

In conformity with the authority therein contained you are directed to place upon the copy of the final roll of citizens by blood of the Cheotaw Nation, and upon the roll card containing the name of Henry Nelson, appearing thereon at No. 908, the following notation:

Duplicate enrollment of No. 760;
no allotment to be made in this name.

Respectfully,

Muskogee, Oklahoma, April 8, 1908.

Chief Clerk,
Choctaw-Chickasaw Division,
General Office.

Sir:

There are enclosed you herewith two copies of Indian Office letter of April 1, 1908 (I.T. 20244-1908), accompanied by two copies of the report and recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs of March 25, 1908, approved by the Department March 26, 1908, relative to the duplicate enrollment of Henry Nelson whose names appear opposite Nos. 760 and 906 upon the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 135).

In conformity with the authority therein contained you are directed to place upon the copy of the final roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and upon the roll card containing the name of Henry Nelson, appearing thereon at No. 906, the following notation:

Duplicate enrollment of No. 760;
no allotment to be made in this name.

Respectfully,

Choc Minor 889

John Thomas Owens

Ruby Owens

Sarah Aalice Owens

Tolbert F. Owens

Leonard Owens

Willie Owens,

Charley Hobson Owens

Decline to receive Jan 10, 1907.

Decision rendered Jan 10, 1907.

Copy of decision forwarded to
attorneys for Choc. + Chick.
nations Jan. 10, 1907.

Record forwarded Dept. 1-10-07.

Action approved by Secretary
of Interior 3-1-07.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for Choc. + Chick.
Nations 4-3-07.

Notice of Dept. action mailed applicant
4-3-07.

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NEW BORN 889

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... John Thomas Owens

as a citizen of

..... Choctaw

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born June 10, 1888

Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906
Department of the Interior
Commissioner to the five
Civilized Tribes.
F I L E D AUG 15 1906,
Tams Bixby, Commissioner.
Choctaw Received Jul 12, 1906.
N. B. 889

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... Cocktaw..... Nation,
of ... John Thomas Owens..... born on the 10..... day of June..... 1888
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: T. F. Owens..... a citizen of the Cocktaw..... Nation.
Name of Mother: N. A. Owens..... a citizen of the Cocktaw..... Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Ego Ind t.....

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central..... District. }

I, N. A. Owens....., on oath state that I am..... 43.....
years of age and a citizen by..... of the..... Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of..... T. F. Owens....., who is a citizen, by
..... entermairge, of uChocktaw..... Nation; that a Boy..... child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 10..... day of..... June..... 1888.; that said child has been named
John Thomas Owens..... and was living March 4, 1906.

(SEAL)

N. A. Owens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... 13..... day of..... June..... 1906.

C. M. McRae

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Central..... District. }

I, L. T. Seasums....., a..... Mid wife....., on oath state that I
attended on N. A. Owens....., wife of..... T. F. Owens.....
on the 10..... day of..... June..... 1888.; that there was born to her on said date a Boy.....
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named John Thomas Owens.....

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L. T. X Seasums
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

..... T. F. Owens.....
..... R. P. Mc Glasson.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... 13..... day of..... June..... 1906.

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C. M. McRae

Notary Public.

NEW BORN 889

189

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Sarah Alice Owens

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Oct 6, 1890
Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.
Department of the Interior
Commissioner to the Five
Civilized Tribes.
FILED AUG 15, 1906.
Tams Bixby, Commissioner.

N. B. 889
Received Jul 12 1906

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation,
of Sarah Alice Owens born on the 6 day of October 1890.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: T. F. Owens a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation.
Name of Mother: N. A. Owens a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Chocktaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Chocktaw
Postoffice: Wagon Land

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }

I, N. A. Owens, on oath state that I am 43
years of age and a citizen by Chocktaw of the Chocktaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of T. F. Owens, who is a citizen, by
entermairge, of the Chocktaw Nation; that a Girl child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 6 day of October 1890; that said child has been named
Sarah Alice Owens and was living March 4, 1906.
N. A. Owens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
.....
.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of June 1906.

(SEAL)

C. M. McRae

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

~~UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,~~
The State of Texas }
Freestone County District. }

I, T. F. Young M. D., on oath state that I
attended on N. A. Owens, wife of T. F. Owens
on the 6 day of October 1890; that there was born to her on said date a Girl
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Sarah Alice Owens.
T. F. Young M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this The 19th day of June 1906.

J. M. Haydon J. P. and

Exofficio

Notary Public.

(SEAL)

Freestone County Texas

NEW BORN 889

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Tolbert F. Owens

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Feb, 11, 1893

Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Department of the Interior

Commissioner to the Five

Civilizee Tribes.

F I L E D AUG 15 1906.

Tams Bixby, Commissioner.

CHOCTAW RECEIVED JUL 12 1906

N. B. 889

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... **Chocktaw** Nation,
of **Tolbert F. Owens** born on the **11** day of **February** **1893**
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: **T. F. Owens** a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: **N. A. Owens** a citizen of the **Chocktaw** Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother
Postoffice

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... **Central** District. }

I, **N. A. Owens** on oath state that I am **43**
years of age and a citizen by of the Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of **T. F. Owens** who is a citizen, by
..... **intermarriage** of the **Chocktaw** Nation; that a **Boy** child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on **11** day of **February** **1893**; that said child has been named
Tolbert F. Owens and was living March 4, 1906.
N. A. Owens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed ~~and~~ sworn to before me this **13** day of **June** 1906.

C. M. McRae

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

~~UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,~~
The State of Texas }
..... **Freestone County** District. }

I, **T. F. Young M. D.** on oath state that I
attended on **N. A. Owens** wife of **T. F. Owens**
on the **11** day of **February** **1893**; that there was born to her on said date a **Boy**
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named **Tolbert F. Owens**
..... **T. F. Young M. D.**

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this **The 19th** day of **June** 1906.

J. H. Hayden J. P. and Exofficio

Notary Public.

(SEAL)

Freestone County Texas

NEW BORN 889

199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... Lenard and Willie Owens

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Aug. 10 1895

Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Department of the Interior

Commissioner to the Five

Civilized Tribes.

F I L E D AUG 15, 1906.

Tams Bixby, Commissioner.

CHOCTAW RECEIVED JUL 12, 1906

N. B. 889

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation,
of Lenard Owens & Willie Owens born on the 10 day of August 1895.
Name of Father: T. F. Owens a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: N. A. Owens a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother
Postoffice Ego Ind t.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, N. A. Owens, on oath state that I am 43 years of age and a citizen by of the Nation; that I am the lawful wife of T. F. Owens, who is a citizen, by intermarge of the Chocktaw Nation; that a Boy & Girl Twins child was born to me on 10 day of August 1895; that said child has been named Lenard Owens and Willie Owens and was living March 4, 1906.
N. A. Owens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of June 1906.

(SEAL)

G. M. McRae
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
State of Texas
Freestone County District.

I, T. F. Young M. D., on oath state that I attended on N. A. Owens on the 10 day of August 1895; that there was born to her on said date a Boy and Girl child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lenard Owens & Willie Owens.
T. F. Young M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this The 19 day of June 1906.

(SEAL)

J. M. Hayden J. P. and Exofficio...
Freestone County Texas
Notary Public.

NEW BORN 889
189

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... Charley Hobson Owens.....

as a citizen of

..... Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born January 9, 1898

Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Department of the Interior

Commissioner to the Five

Civilized Tribes.

F I L E D AUG 15 1906.

Tams Bixby, Commissioner.

CHOCTAW RECEIVED JUL 12, 1906

N. B. 889

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Charley Hobson Owens, born on the 9 day of January, 1898
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: T. F. Owens, a citizen of the _____ Nation.
Name of Mother: N. A. Owens, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: _____
Postoffice: Ego Ind t

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, N. A. Owens, on oath state that I am 43
years of age and a citizen by _____ of the _____ Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of T. F. Owens, who is a citizen, by
intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Boy child was
born to me on 9 day of January, 1898; that said child has been named
Charley Hobson Owens, and was living March 4, 1906.
N. A. Owens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of June, 1906.

(SEAL)

C. M. McRae

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

~~UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,~~
The State of Texas
Freestone County District.

I, T. F. Young M. D., on oath state that I
attended on N. A. Owens, wife of T. F. Owens
on the 9 day of Jan, 1898; that there was born to her on said date a Boy
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Charley Hobson Owens
T. F. Young M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this The 19th day of June, 1906.

J. N. Hayden J. P. and Exofficio

Notary Public.

(SEAL)

Freestone County Texas

NEW BORN 889

199

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... Wilmer Owens

as a citizen of

..... Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Oct 11, 1900
Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.
Department of the Interior
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.
F I L E D AUG 15 1906.
Tams Bixby Commissioner.
CHOCTAW RECEIVED JUL 12, 1906
N. B. 889

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Willmer Owens, born on the 11 day of October 1900.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: T. F. Owens a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: N. A. Owens a citizen of Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother
Postoffice Ego Ind t

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, N. A. Owens, on oath state that I am 43 years of age and a citizen by of the Nation; that I am the lawful wife of T. F. Owens, who is a citizen, by intermarriage of the Nation; that a Boy child was born to me on the 11 day of October 1900; that said child has been named Willmer Owens and was living March 4, 1906.

N. A. Owens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of June 1906.

(SEAL)

C. M. McRae

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

~~UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,~~
The State of Texas
Freestone County District.

I, T. F. Young M. D., on oath state that I attended on N. A. Owens, wife of T. F. Owens on the 11 day of October 1900; that there was born to her on said date a Boy child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Willmer Owens.

T. F. Young M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of June 1906.

J. N. Rayson J. P. and

Notary Public.

(SEAL)

Ex officio Freestone County Texas.

NEW BORN 889

1906

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Ruby Owens

.....
as a citizen of

Choctaw

..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Jan. 17 1902

Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906

Department of the Interior

Commissioner to the Five
Civilized Tribes.

F I L E D AUG 15, 1906.

Tams Bixby, Commissioner

Choctaw N. B. 889

Received Jul 12 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Ruby Owens, born on the 17 day of January 1902
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: T. F. Owens a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: N. A. Owens a citizen of the Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father. Tribal enrollment of mother.
Postoffice: Ego Ind t

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, N. A. Owens, on oath state that I am 43 years of age and a citizen by of the Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of T. F. Owens, who is a citizen, by
entermarige, of the Nation; that a Girl child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 17 day of January 1902; that said child has been named
Rubey Owens and was living March 4, 1906.
N. A. Owens

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of June 1906.

(SEAL) C. M. McRae Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Emeline Krebs, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on N. A. Owens of T. F. Owens
on the 17 day of January 1902; that there was born to her on said date a Girl
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Rubey Owens.
Emeline Krebs
her mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] { T. F. Owens
John Sasuma

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of June 1906.

(SEAL) C. M. McRae Notary Public.

23-889.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

-:0:-

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens et al. as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

-: D E C I S I O N :-

It appears from the record herein that on July 12, 1906, written application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens, Sarah Alice Owens, Tolbert F. Owens, Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willmer Owens and Ruby Owens as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records of this office that the applicants, John Thomas Owens, Sarah Alice Owens, Tolbert F. Owens, Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willmer Owens and Ruby Owens, were born June 10, 1888, October 6, 1890, February 11, 1893, August 10, 1895, August 10, 1896, January 9, 1898, October 11, 1900 and January 17, 1902, respectively and are the children of M. A. Owens, an alleged Choctaw by blood and T. F. Owens, a non-citizen and non-applicant either for enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation or for identification as a Mississippi Choctaw.

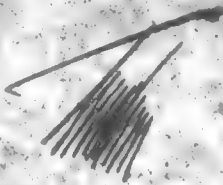
It further appears from the records of this office that the said M. A. Owens (as Hattie Owens) made application to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes on September 21, 1900 for the enrollment of herself, among others and her minor children John Thomas Owens (as Tommy Owens), Sarah Alice Owens (as Alice Owens), Tolbert F. Owens (as Tolbert Owens), Willie Owens, Leonard Owens and Charley Hobson Owens (as Charley Owens) as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that on November 20, 1900 the said Commission rendered its decision refusing the application for the enrollment of said Hattie Owens and her minor children above mentioned, which decision was approved by the Secretary of the Interior April 3, 1901 (I.T.D. 1839-1901).

Section 2 of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137) provides in part as follows:

"That for ninety days after approval hereof applications shall be received for enrollment of children who were minors living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the time of the passage of this Act."

I am of the opinion that under the above provision of law, I am without authority to receive or consider the applica-

tion for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens, Sarah Allie Owens, Tolbert F. Owens, Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willmer Owens and Ruby Owens as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that, therefore, I should decline to receive or consider the same, and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

JAN 10 1907

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

T. F. Owens,

Mgo, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

I inclose herewith a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 10, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens, Sarah Alice Owens, Tolbert F. Owens, Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willmer Owens and Ruby Owens as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the proceedings in the case is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

James Birney

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Commissioner.

Registered.

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Muskogee, ^{COPY} Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Corvick,
 Attorneys for Cheataw and Chickasaw Nations,
 South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

I inclose herewith a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 10, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens, Sarah Allie Owens, Talbert E. Owens, Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willmer Owens and Ruby Owens as citizens by blood of the Cheataw Nation.

The decision, with the proceedings in the case is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

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James E. Luby

Commissioner.

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 18, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens, Sarah Alice Owens, Talbert F. Owens, Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willner Owens and Baby Owens as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 18, 1907, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED: *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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March 1, 1907.

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Private.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
 Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Chester citizenship
 cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed.
 Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports
 and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed:

Title of Case.	Date of your letter of transmittal.
Arizona Soldiers, et al.	January 25, 1907.
Ellie E. Cubitt	January 11, 1907.
John Thomas Coons, et al.	January 10, 1907.
Alfred V. Barber	January 11, 1907.
Warren Hall (freedman)	February 9, 1907.
Bertha May Williams, et al.	December 1, 1906.
Leroy Bruchmans (freedman)	February 8, 1907.
J. H. La Rue Moore	December 24, 1906.
Florence Thomas	January 24, 1907.
Della Ellis, et al. (Shaw, or White.)	January 4, 1907.
Liberta Davis (freedman)	February 8, 1907.
Hidridge Lee Kirkland	January 24, 1907.
Clarence Henry Hadden, et al.	December 24, 1906.
Beata M. Morgan	January 20, 1907.
Book Walker	January 4, 1907.

A copy inclosed and all the papers in the above mentioned
 cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

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Respectfully,
 James L. Wilson,
 Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
(COPY)
WASHINGTON

February 25, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit herewith a communication from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, enclosing record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens, Sarah Allice Owens, Tolbert F. Owens, Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willner Owens, and Ruby Owens, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner, dated January 10, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application.

The record shows that application was duly made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes on July 12, 1906, for the enrollment of the above named applicants, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat.L., 137).

It further appears from the record that John Thomas Owens was born on June 10, 1888, Sarah Allice Owens on October 6, 1890, Tolbert F. Owens on February 11, 1893, Leonard and Willie Owens, twins, on August 10, 1895, Charley Hobson Owens on January 9, 1888, Willner Owens on October 11, 1900, and Ruby Owens on January 19, 1902, and are the children of H. A. Owens, an alleged

Choctaw by blood, and T. F. Owens, a non-citizen and non-applicant either for enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation or for identification as a Mississippi Choctaw.

It further appears from the record that N. A. Owens, as Nannie Owens, made application to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes on September 21, 1900, for the enrollment of herself and her minor children, John Thomas Owens, as Tommy Owens, and Sarah Aalice Owens, as Alice Owens, Tolbert F. Owens, as Tolbert Owens, Willie Owens, Leonard Owens, and Charley Hoboson Owens, as Charley Owens, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and on November 20, 1900, the Commission rendered its decision, refusing the application for enrollment of Nannie Owens and her minor children above mentioned, which decision was approved by the Department April 3, 1901 (I.T.D. 1239-1901).

Section 2 of the Act of April 26, 1906 (34 Stat.L., 137), under which application was made for the enrollment of the first above mentioned minors, provides in part for the receipt of applications for the enrollment of children "whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw x x x x tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the approval hereof." Under this Section, the Office is of the opinion that there is no authority in law for the enrollment of the applicants, and that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, declining to receive or consider such applications,

is correct, and it is recommended that it be affirmed.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 3, 1907.

T. F. Owens,

Ego, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of January 10, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens, Sarah Alice Owens, Tolbert F. Owens Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willmer Owens, and Ruby Owens as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.
Acting Commissioner

25-389

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 3, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of January 10, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens, Sarah Alice Owens, Tolbert F. Owens, Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willmer Owens and Ruby Owens as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Eso. D. Rodgers.

Acting Commissioner.

Maskogee, Indian Territory, July 17, 1906.

J. V. Cabell,

Adaore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 10, 1906, enclosing affidavits of N. A. Owens and T. F. Young to the births of Sarah Allie Owens, Tolbert F. Owens, Lenard and Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens and Wilmer Owens, children of T. F. and N. A. Owens, October 6, 1890, February 11, 1893, August 10, 1895, January 9, 1898, and October 11, 1900, respectively.

It is stated in the applications that the mother is a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct you are requested to state whether she is a citizen by blood or inter-marriage, where and under what name application was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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March 1, 1907.

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DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
 Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Choctaw citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed:

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Arimona Goddard, et al.	January 25, 1907.
Silie B. Gubin	January 11, 1907.
John Thomas Owens, et al.	January 10, 1907.
Alfred Y. Harbour,	January 11, 1907.
Bowden Hall (freedman)	February 8, 1907.
Bertha Kay Williams, et al.	December 1, 1906.
Leroy Brantner (freedman)	February 8, 1907.
J. H. La Rue Moore	December 24, 1906.
Florence Hobbs	January 24, 1907.
Della Hillis, et al. (Choctaw or Chick.)	January 4, 1907.
Alberta Burris (freedman)	February 8, 1907.
Marriage Lee Kirkland	January 20, 1907.
Clarence Henry Knicker, et al.	December 24, 1906.
Betta H. Morgan	January 20, 1907.
Neel Walker	January 4, 1907.

A copy herewith and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

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Respectfully,
 Jesse A. Wilson,
 Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
(COPY)
WASHINGTON

February 25, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit herewith a communication from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, enclosing record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of John Thomas Owens, Sarah Alice Owens, Tolbert F. Owens, Leonard Owens, Willie Owens, Charley Hobson Owens, Willmer Owens, and Ruby Owens, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner, dated January 10, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application.

The record shows that application was duly made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes on July 12, 1906, for the enrollment of the above named applicants, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat.L., 137).

It further appears from the record that John Thomas Owens was born on June 10, 1888, Sarah Alice Owens on October 6, 1890, Tolbert F. Owens on February 11, 1893, Leonard and Willie Owens, twins, on August 10, 1895, Charley Hobson Owens on January 9, 1898, Willmer Owens on October 11, 1900, and Ruby Owens on January 17, 1902, and are the children of H. A. Owens, an alleged

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is correct, and it is recommended that it be affirmed.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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Annie Kehla Reed

Joseph Rexford Reed

For record see 7-6068

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2-14-1907 Granted.

2-14-07 Recorded forwarded Dept.

3-1-07 Decision of Commissioner of
Feb. 14, 1907 revised and schedule
of names of these applicants
disapproved.

3-1-09 Dept. requests report as to
persons in this class.

4-29-09 Report to Dept.

6-1-09 Dept. held this case is not
analogous to Goldsby case and
declined to take action looking
to enrollment of applicants.

6-10-09 Parties notified.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Archie Reed and Glenn Reed, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

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The applicants, Archie Reed and Glenn Reed, claim the right to enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation through their mother, Amanda L. Reed.

The right of the applicants' mother, Amanda L. Reed to citizenship in the Choctaw Nation having been adversely determined by a decree of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court of November 28, 1904, in case number 107 upon the Tishomingo docket of said court, it is hereby ordered that the application for the enrollment of Archie Reed and Glenn Reed, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation be dismissed.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

(SIGNED).

James Dixby
Chairman.

Muskegee, Indian Territory,

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Muskegee, Indian Territory, January 23, 1905.

Amanda L. Reed,

Comanche, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the order of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 23, 1905, dismissing the application for the enrollment of your minor children, Archie Reed and Glenn Reed as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

~~SIGNATURE~~

James Bixby

Chairman.

Incl. 7-5059.

Choctaw 5059

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 23, 1905

H. B. Lockett,
Attorney at Law,
Comanche, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the order of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 23, 1905, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Archie Reed and Glenn Reed as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

(SIGNATURE)

James Bixby

Chairman.

Registered.

Incl. 7-5059

Choctaw 5059

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 23, 1905.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the order of this Commission dated January 23, 1905, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Archie Reed and Glenn Reed as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Tame Bixby

Incl. 7-5059

Chairman.

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
 COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.**

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of John H. Gamblin, et al., as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

DECISION.

It appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that on September 22, 1898, application was made to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of John H. Gamblin (fifty-two years of age) as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation, and for the enrollment of his two children, James W. (twenty-nine years of age), and Nettie L. Gamblin (eighteen years of age), as citizens by blood of said nation; January 4, 1902, application was made for the enrollment of Henry Gamblin (born August 9, 1901) as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; October 17, 1898, application was made for the enrollment of Elise Ann Gamblin (forty-eight years of age) as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; October 17, 1898, application was made for the enrollment of Joseph W. Gamblin (twenty-four years of age), and his minor child, Indianola Gamblin (two years of age), as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and for the enrollment of Emma Gamblin (thirty-eight years of age) as a citizen by intermarriage of said nation; September 8, 1899, application was made for the enrollment of Lillie Gamblin (seventeen years of age) as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation; September 22, 1898, application was made for the enrollment of Amanda L. Reed (twenty-one years of age), and her minor child, Archie Reed (born April 17, 1898), as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and on July 28, 1902, application was made for the enrollment of Glenn Reed (born September 10, 1901) as a citizen by blood of said nation; October 17, 1898, application was made for the enrollment of Wary N. Jones (fifty-eight years of age) as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; September 22, 1898, application was made for the enrollment of Levie F. Scott (twenty-four years of age), and her four minor children, Nettie W. (seven years of age), Winnie R. (four years of age), Archie W. (two years of age) and Glennie Scott (one year of age), as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation; April 13, 1900, application was made for the enrollment of Joseph A. Scott (born December 3, 1899) as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and on October 30, 1902, application was made for the enrollment of James I. Scott (born September 8, 1902), as a citizen by blood of said nation.

Applications were made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of the following applicants, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137): On July 12, 1906, for the enrollment of Fred Gamblin (born November 19, 1903); on May 15, 1906, for the enrollment of Roy Scott (born June 8, 1905); on July 23, 1906, for the enrollment of William Doral Skelton (born January 27, 1903); on July 6, 1906, for the enrollment of Icy Skelton (born October 13, 1904); on July 12, 1906, for the enrollment of Annie Kehla Reed (born October 31, 1903); and on July 12, 1906, for the enrollment of Joseph Raxford Reed (born May 29, 1905).

It further appears from the records of this office that the applicants, John H. Gamblin, James W. Gamblin, Hattie L. Gamblin, Eliza Ann Gamblin, Joseph W. Gamblin, Emma Gamblin, Indianola Gamblin, Amanda L. Reed, Mary W. Jones, Levie P. Scott, Hattie W. Scott, Winnie R. Scott, Archie W. Scott and Glennis Scott, were admitted to citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the United States Court for the Southern District of Indian Territory, in case No. 148. The applicants, Eliza Ann Gamblin and Glennis Scott, were subsequently stricken from the original judgment of said court.

December 17, 1902, the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court, created under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stats., 641), "set aside, annulled, vacated and held for naught" the aforesaid judgment of the United States Court admitting certain of the above applicants to citizenship in the Choctaw Nation.

Said cause was subsequently certified to the said Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court for a trial de novo, and on November 25, 1904, in the case entitled "Walter W. Jones, et al., vs. Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations" (Choctaw-Chickasaw Citizenship Court Case No. 107, Tishomingo Docket), rendered its decision therein, wherein it was "ordered, adjudged and decreed that the petition of the plaintiffs, Mary Malinda Jones Levie Francis Scott, or Levie Francis Scott, Hattie Myrtle Scott, Winnie Roberta Scott, Annie McCoy Scott or Archie McCoy Scott, James Walter Gamblin, Joseph Wilbern Gamblin, Indianola Gamblin, Amanda Lutema Gamblin, Hattie Levinia Gamblin and John H. Gamblin, be denied, and that they be declared not citizens of the Choctaw Nation, and not entitled to enrollment as such citizens, and not entitled to any rights whatever flowing therefrom; and as to the petitioners, Emma Gamblin, Eliza Ann Gamblin, or Eliza Ann Jones, Glennis Scott, the court having no jurisdiction, their petitions is dismissed."

It does not appear from the records in the possession of this office that any of the applicants who were before the United States Court for the Southern District of Indian Territory in case No. 148, were ever applicants before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes in 1896, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 10, 1896 (29 Stats., 321).

January 23, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes entered of record orders dismissing the applications for the enrollment of Benny Gamblin, Archie Reed, Glenn Reed, Joseph A. Scott and James I. Scott as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, for the reason that their parents, through whom they claimed their right to enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, had been denied by a decree of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

February 1, 1905, said Commissioner also entered of record an order dismissing the application for the enrollment of Lillie Gamblin, for the reason that James W. Gamblin, through whom she claimed said right, had been denied by a decree of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

February 4, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes denied the application for the enrollment of Glennis Scott as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and on March 15, 1905 (I. T. D. 1955-1905), the same was affirmed by the Department.

Under the regulations adopted by the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes January 2, 1906, there was filed on March 4, 1906, March 9, 1906, February 20, 1906, and February 6, 1906, petitions praying for the enrollment of Joseph W. (or Joseph) Gamblin, Emma Gamblin, Indianola Gamblin, Orange Derrance, Icy Derrance, Eliza Ann Gamblin, John N. (or J. N.) Gamblin, Walter Gamblin, Amanda (or Amanda Lutoma) Reed (nee Gamblin), Hattie Skelton (nee Gamblin), George Scott, Lovie Scott, Myrtle (or Hattie Myrtle) Scott, Minnie Roberts (or Bertie) Scott, Archy McCoy (or Archie) Scott, Mary Malinda Jones, Glennis Scott, Joseph W. Scott, James I. Scott, Lillie Gamblin, Benny Gamblin, Fred Gamblin, William D. Skelton, Icy Skelton, Arch Reed, Archie Reed, Glenn Reed and Anna Keller Reed as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

All of the above named petitioners, with the exception of Orange Derrance, Icy Derrance, George Scott and Arch Reed, are identical with the persons for whom application for enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation has either been made under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 23, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), or April 24, 1906 (34 Stats., 157).

It does not appear from the record herein or from the records in the possession of this office that any application has ever been made for the enrollment of Orange Derrance and Icy Derrance (both of whom were adults on March 4, 1906), children of the applicant, Emma Derrance, prior to December 1, 1905, nor was any application made for their admission as citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 10, 1896 (29 Stats., 321). Neither has any application ever been made for the enrollment of Arch Reed or George Scott as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation prior to December 1, 1905. This, however, is immaterial, inasmuch as the record herein shows that neither of them has ever been married to the applicants, Amanda L. Reed and Lovie F. Scott, respectively, under a license issued by the tribal authorities of the Choctaw Nation.

It appears from the record herein that the applicants, James W. Gamblin, Hattie L. Gamblin, Joseph W. Gamblin and Amanda L. Reed, are the children of the applicants, John N. Gamblin and Eliza Ann Gamblin; the applicants, Benny Gamblin and Fred Gamblin, are the children of the applicants, James W. Gamblin and Lillie Gamblin; the applicant, Indianola Gamblin, is the daughter of the applicants, Joseph W. Gamblin and Emma Gamblin; the applicants, Archie Reed, Glenn Reed, Annie Kehle Reed and Joseph Rexford Reed, are the children of the applicant, Amanda L. Reed, and Arch Reed, for whom no application has been made; the applicant, Lovie F. Scott, is a daughter of the applicant, Mary N. Jones, and Jim Jones, a non-citizen; the applicants, Hattie W. Scott, Minnie E. Scott, Archie W. Scott, Glennis Scott, Joseph A. Scott, James I. Scott and Roy Scott, are the children of the applicant, Lovie F. Scott, and George W. Scott; and the applicants, William Dural Skelton and Icy Skelton, are the children of the applicant, Hattie L. Gamblin (now Hattie Levenia Skelton), and James W. Skelton, a non-citizen.

It further appears from the record herein that John H. Gamblin claims his right to enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation by virtue of his marriage to the applicant, Eliza Ann Jones, on January 10, 1867, both of said applicants being on the date of said marriage residents of the State of Georgia; that Emma Gamblin claims her right to enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation by virtue of her marriage on April 7, 1898, to the applicant, Joseph W. Gamblin, said applicants being on the date of said marriage residents of the Chickasaw Nation; and that Lillie Gamblin claims her right to enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation by virtue of her marriage on July 23, 1899, to the applicant, James Walter Gamblin, both of said applicants being on the date of said marriage residents in good faith of the Chickasaw Nation.

Upon examination of the tribal rolls of the Choctaw Nation in the possession of this office, it appears that the applicants, James W. Gamblin, Hattie L. Gamblin, Eliza Ann Gamblin, Joseph W. Gamblin, Indianola Gamblin, Amanda L. Reed, Lovie F. Scott, Hattie M. Scott, and Minnie R. Scott, are identified upon the 1896 Choctaw Census Roll, opposite Nos. 4919, 4921, 4915, 4916, 4918, 4920, 11693, 11694, and 11695, respectively, said applicants being enrolled thereon as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation. The applicants, John H. Gamblin and Emma Gamblin, are identified upon said roll opposite Nos. 4914 and 4917 respectively. The records in the possession of this office show that said applicants were enrolled upon the 1896 Choctaw Census Roll by the Choctaw Revisory Board in the month of January, 1897.

The applicant, Mary M. Jones, is not identified upon any of the tribal rolls of the Choctaw Nation in the possession of this office, nor has she ever been admitted to Choctaw citizenship by any duly constituted authority.

All of the applicants herein who were living on June 28, 1898, were residents in good faith of the Indian Territory, and the minor applicants for whom application was made for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), were living on March 4, 1906.

I am of the opinion that in accordance with the opinions of the Assistant Attorney General for the Department of the Interior of February 10, 1905 (I. T. D. 10353-1904), and December 8, 1905 (I. T. D. 3693-1905), the action of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court denying the applicants herein who were before said court, with the exception of John H. Gamblin, was without authority of law, and of no force and effect upon their status as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

I am further of the opinion that the orders of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes of January 23, 1905, and February 1, 1905, dismissing the applications for the enrollment of Joseph A. Scott, James I. Scott, Archie Reed, Glenn Reed, Benny Gamblin and Lillie Gamblin as citizens of the Choctaw Nation should be rescinded, and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that following the ruling of the Department of March 16, 1906 (I. T. D. 4223-1906), in the case of William C. Thompson, James W. Gamblin, Hattie L. Gamblin, Benny Gamblin, Eliza Ann Gamblin, Joseph W. Gamblin, Indianola Gamblin, Amanda L. Reed, Archie Reed, Glenn Reed, Lovie F. Scott, Hattie M. Scott, Winnie M. Scott, Archie M. Scott, Joseph A. Scott and James I. Scott should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Choctaw

Nation under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and July 1, 1902 (32 Stats., 641), and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that Glennie Scott should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and July 1, 1902 (32 Stats., 641), and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that inasmuch as Eliza Ann Gamblin was not a recognized citizen of the Choctaw Nation at the time of her marriage to John H. Gamblin, and the latter was never remarried to the former after her tribal recognition under a tribal license, and inasmuch as the applicant, Wary N. Jones, has never been recognized or enrolled as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, they did not possess such a tribal status in 1896 as would entitle them to enrollment, and therefore, the action of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court denying their applications for citizenship in the Choctaw Nation is final, and I am without authority to take any action looking to their enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, and that the petition herein in so far as same applies to said applicants should be dismissed, and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that Emma Gamblin and Lillie Gamblin should be enrolled as citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and July 1, 1902 (32 Stats., 641), and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that Fred Gamblin, Roy Scott, William Deral Skelton, Icy Skelton, Annie Kehla Reed, and Joseph Rexford Reed should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.

I am further of the opinion that inasmuch as no application has ever been made for the enrollment of Orange Dorrance, Icy Dorrance, George Scott and Afah Reed as citizens of the Choctaw Nation within the time limited by the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), I am without authority to take any action looking to their enrollment as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, that their petitions should be dismissed, and it is so ordered.

Commissioner.

Waukegee, Indian Territory,

D.O.M.
G.W.W.
File 5-51.
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J.W.H.
J.W.H.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Washington.

March 1, 1909.

Seal. 17077
Office of Indian Affairs.
March 3, 1909.

The Commissioner

to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Sir:

January 25, 1909, you were advised that the names of certain persons were inadvertently included in Departmental letter of January 19, 1909 (File 5-51); that such mistake was due to the fact that it was supposed they were enrolled upon schedules approved by the Department, when in fact, the only schedules upon which their names were disapproved, and that no action should be taken under the circumstances looking to the erasure of interlineations or notations, if any, from the disapproved schedules, in connection with their names.

The names of the persons referred to in said letter of January 25, 1909, are as follows:

Cheetaw by Blood.

Roll No.

16109	Elisabeth Allen.
16112	George A. Bangarner.
16116	Louitia Crutchfield.
16108	Everett Crutchfield.
16111	George W. Crutchfield.
16104	Ida Crutchfield.

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Ima Crutchfield.
Louvinia Crutchfield.
William Crutchfield.
Josephine Laflere Long.
Mae Laflere Long.
David Ritter.

It now appears from the records of the Secretary's Office that there was a schedule approved May 21, 1904, by the Secretary of the Interior, and that the approval then given was cancelled by said Secretary at a ~~later~~ later date, to-wit, June 28, 1904.

The name of Elizabeth Allen appears upon the schedule which was approved May 21, 1904, opposite the number 15551. Ida Crutchfield's name appears opposite No. 15553, while the other members of the Crutchfield family were given the numbers immediately following that assigned to her.

You are requested to cause a report to be prepared showing whether the records of your office also show that an earlier schedule containing the names of said persons was approved May 21, 1904; also whether such approval was cancelled June 28, 1904. Please report also the reason for the attempted cancellation, and whether prior notice was given thereof.

It appears further that, in connection with the names of Elizabeth Allen and the Crutchfield family on the roll approved May 21, 1904, the names of Ardella Hickman, Ida M. Southard and Grever Randall are also to be found.

In connection with said names, it is desired that you will report what action, in your opinion, should be taken concerning the first of said persons; also whether the said

Ida M. Southard and Grover Randall, respectively, are identical with the Ida M. Southard whose name appears opposite No. 15880 in the printed rolls of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and the Grover Randall whose name appears on page 8 of Departmental letter of January 19, 1909 (File 5-81), opposite No. 15928.

As appears from the above list, there were other persons besides the said Allen and Grutchfield whose names were enrolled on schedules which were finally disapproved by the Department; for example, George A. Bumgarner, Josephine Laflors Long and Jake Laflors Long.

Please report whether the names of these persons appear upon any prior approved schedule; also why it was that the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes enrolled them upon the schedule which was disapproved by the Department, showing whether the Commissioner enrolled them thereon, of his own motion, or under decision or instructions from the Department.

By comparison of the roll approved May 21, 1904, with the printed rolls of Choctaws by blood, the Department finds that the numbers appearing thereon opposite the names of said persons were subsequently assigned to other citizens of the Choctaw Nation, thereby the series of roll numbers was kept perfect, but a material portion of the rolls was evidently sacrificed upon the supposition that it had become worthless. Inquiry arises in this connection as to whether there were other approved schedules which were subsequently disapproved and thrown aside.

Accordingly, it is desired, that you also cause a report to be prepared covering this feature of the matter, showing all persons embraced in similar cases, with recommendation as to what action should be taken as to them. This will necessitate a statement as to why their names were stricken or cancelled from the rolls, and whether such action was taken without prior notice.

There is still another matter concerning which the Department desires report to be made. It is observed that the words "No person enrolled at this number" are to be found not infrequently opposite consecutive numbers on the pages of the printed rolls; and you are requested to advise the Department whether such words were substituted for the names of individuals appearing on disapproved schedules, and if such is the case, whether such disapproved schedules were approved at any time by the Department; also whether favorable decisions were ever rendered by the Department as to such persons prior to their enrollment upon such disapproved schedules.

For the sake of expedition, a partial report should be rendered at once concerning the said Elizabeth Allen and the various members of the Crutchfield family named above. The other matters referred to herein can be disposed of by subsequent reports.

Very respectfully,

Jesse E. Wilson.

Assistant Secretary.

Through the

Indian Office.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS/

WASHINGTON, D.C., ---Moh. 6, 00
Respectfully referred to the Commissioner
to the Five Civilized Tribes, for appropriate
action.

John Francis, Jr.
Acting Chief Land Division.

1 Letter
dated Moh. 1-00.

D 134-1309.

Washoe, Oklahoma, April 29, 1900.

Subject:

Partial report on Department's letter of March 1, 1900, relative to certain persons whose names appear on disapproved schedules.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior,

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of Departmental letter of March 1, 1900 (File 5-51) in which, among other things, the Department requests reports concerning the persons whose names appear on schedules which were disapproved by the Department, and at these numbers in the printed roll appears the notation "No person enrolled at this number".

Partial reports have heretofore been made as to certain of these persons and I now have the honor to state that the consolidated Chapter enrollment card of John H. Goshlin, et al falls within the class above described, and to report thereon as follows:

It appears from the records of this office that applicant

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tions were made to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes under the Acts of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat., 495), and July 1, 1902 (32 Stat., 641), for the enrollment as citizens by blood and intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation of the following persons:

John H. Gamblin for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his children, James W. Gamblin and Mattie L. Gamblin, and his grandchild, Benny Gamblin, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation; also for the enrollment of Lillie Gamblin, wife of James W. Gamblin, as a citizen by intermarriage of said nation,

Eliza Ann Gamblin for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Joseph V. Gamblin for enrollment of himself and his child, Indisela Gamblin, as citizens by blood and for the enrollment of his wife, Emma Gamblin, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation.

Annada L. Reed for the enrollment of herself and her children, Arant Reed and Glenn Reed, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Mary H. Jones for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

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Louis F. Scott for the enrollment of herself and her children, Mattie M. Scott, Minnie A. Scott, Archie M. Scott, Glenna Scott, Joseph A. Scott and James I. Scott, as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Applications were made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 24, 1906 (34 Stat., 137), for the enrollment of the following minor children as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation: Fred Scoblin, Roy Scott, William Jural Skelton, Ivy Skelton, Annie Della Reed and Joseph Sanford Reed.

It further appears from the records of this office that the applicants, John F. Scoblin, James W. Scoblin, Mattie L. Scoblin, Miss Ann Scoblin, Joseph W. Scoblin, Emma Scoblin, Edwina Scoblin, Amanda L. Reed, Mary M. Jones, Louis F. Scott, Mattie M. Scott, Minnie A. Scott, Archie M. Scott and Glenna Scott were admitted to citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the United States Court for the Southern District of Indian Territory, in Case Number 142 on the Citizenship Docket of said court.

The applicants, John Ann Scoblin and Glenna Scott were subsequently included from the original judgment of the court, November 19, 1906, in the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship

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Court, created under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stat., 641) "set aside, annulled, vacated and held for naught" the aforesaid judgment of the United States Court admit by certain of the above named applicants to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation.

This cause was subsequently certified to the Cherokee and Chickasaw Citizenship Court for a trial de novo, and on November 26, 1904, in the case entitled Walter W. Jones, et al. versus the Cherokee and Chickasaw Nations, Case Number 107 on the Fishwings Booklet, this Court rendered its decree wherein it ordered, adjudged and decreed that the petition of the plaintiffs, Mary Nellie Jones, Lewis Francis Scott, or Lewis Francis Scott, Nettie Myrtle Scott, Elsie Roberts Scott, Annie McCoy Scott or Archie McCoy Scott, James Walter Scoblin, Joseph Wilburn Scoblin, Indimola Scoblin, Annie Letona Scoblin, Nettie Levisia Scoblin and John H. Scoblin be denied and that they be declared not citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and not entitled to serve in any such citizens, and not entitled to any rights whatever flowing therefrom, and as to the petitioners, James Scoblin, Miss Ann Scoblin or Miss Ann Jones, and Elsie Scott, the court having no jurisdiction on their petition was dismissed.

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The records of this office do not show that any of the applicants who were before the United States Courifier the Southern District of Indian Territory in Case Number 148 were applicants before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes in 1896, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 10, 1896, although there was filed with the record before said court, which is now a part of the record in Citizenship Court Case Number 107 on the Tishewings Booket, an affidavit of U. S. Finn, an attorney at law, Paula Valley, Indian Territory, in which he alleges that petitioners were by him forwarded to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes and the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, as provided by said act, praying for the admission to citizenship of the above named persons.

January 23, 1905, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes entered orders dismissing the applications for the enrollment of Henry Gambin, Archie Reed, Glenn Reed, Joseph A. Scott and James I. Scott, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation for the reason that the persons through whom they claimed their right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation had been denied by the Cherokee and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

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February 1, 1906, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes entered an order dismissing the application for the enrollment of Lillie Gashlin as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation for the reason that her husband, through whom she claimed intermarried rights, had been denied by a decree of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

February 4, 1906, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes denied the application for the enrollment of Glennie Scott as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and March 13, 1906 (I F B 1906-1906) this action of the Commission was affirmed by the Department.

Under the regulations adopted by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes January 1, 1906, there were filed on February 5, 1906, February 20, 1906, March 6, 1906 and March 9, 1906, petitions praying for the enrollment of Joseph V. Gashlin (or Joseph Gashlin), Emma Gashlin, Indisella Gashlin, Orange Durrance, Ivey Durrance, Miss Ann Gashlin, John H. Gashlin (or J. H. Gashlin), Walter Gashlin, Anny Wood (or Ananda Nelson Wood), Joe Gashlin, Nettie Shelton, nee Gashlin, George Scott, Lewis Scott, Myrtle Scott (or Nettie Myrtle Scott), Minnie Barbara Scott (or Bertie Scott), Ardy McCoy Scott (or Archie Scott), Mary Nellie Jones, Glennie Scott, Joseph

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F. Scott, James I. Scott, Willie Gamblin, Benney Gamblin, Fred Gamblin, William D. Shelton, Isla Shelton, Arch Reed, Archie Reed, Blank Reed and Ann Keller Reed as citizens of the Chectaw Nation.

All of the above named petitioners, with the exception of Orange Ferraces, Isay Ferraces, George Scott and Arch Reed, are identical with the persons for whose enrollment as citizens of the Chectaw Nation application was made under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 25, 1895 or April 26, 1906.

The names of James W. Gamblin, Mattie L. Gamblin, Nina Ann Gamblin, Joseph W. Gamblin, Indiewola Gamblin, Annette L. Reed, Lewis W. Scott, Mattie E. Scott and Minnie E. Scott are identified upon the 1906 Chectaw Census Roll as citizens by blood and John H. Gamblin and Emma Gamblin as citizens by intermarriage. The records show, however, that they were enrolled upon said roll by the Chectaw Advisory Board in the month of January, 1907.

February 14, 1907, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered a decision holding, in accordance with the opinions of the Assistant Attorney General for the Department of the Interior of February 19, 1906 (I. I. D. 10281-1906) and December 8, 1906 (I. I. D. 1003-1906), the action of the Chectaw

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and Chickasaw Citizenship Court denying the applicants herein who were before said court, with the exception of John H. Gamblin, was without authority of law and of no force and effect upon their status as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision of February 14, 1907, rescinded the orders of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes of January 23, 1905 and February 1, 1905, disallowing the applications for the enrollment of Jesse H. A. Scott, James I. Scott, Archie Reed, Glenn Reed, Benny Gamblin and Lillie Gamblin as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, and, following the ruling of the Department of March 24, 1908 (I T R 4224-1908) in the case of William S. Thompson, et al., granted the applications for the enrollment of James V. Gamblin, Hattie H. Gamblin, Benny Gamblin, Klara Ann Gamblin, Jesse H. Gamblin, Indiana Gamblin, Amanda L. Reed, Archie Reed, Glenn Reed, Lewis P. Scott, Hattie H. Scott, Minnie H. Scott, Archie H. Scott, Joseph A. Scott, James I. Scott and Glenna Reed, and also by blood and non Gamblin and Lillie Gamblin as citizens by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 24, 1906 and July 1, 1908. This decision also granted the applications for the enrollment of Fred Gamblin, Ray Scott, William David Williams, Ivy Hurlton, Annie Kahl's Reed and Joseph Bedford Reed as

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minor citizens by blood of the Cheateau Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

The petitions for the enrollment of John H. Gamblin, Mary H. Jones, Orange Derrance, Ivey Derrance, George Scott and Arch Reed were dismissed by the same decision.

February 15, 1907, the record and proceedings, together with the decision of the Commissioner of February 14, 1907, were forwarded the Department. There were also transmitted at the same time schedules of citizens by blood and marriage of the Cheateau Nation composed of the persons whose applications for enrollment were granted in said decision, as follows:

Cheateaus by blood	Numbers 16181 to 16196, inclusive,
Cheateaus by marriage . . .	Numbers 1651 and 1652.
Minor Cheateaus by blood	Numbers 922 to 928, inclusive.

This case was analogous to the case of Mattie Shackley, et al. (Louie West case), in which this office had been directed to suspend action until the Attorney General had passed upon the questions involved in that case, but inasmuch as the time within which persons could be enrolled and their enrollment approved by the Secretary of the Interior, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, was becoming very short, the schedules above described were prepared by this office, without waiting for the opinion of the

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Attorney General, and were forwarded to the Department, in order that, if the opinion of the Attorney General were favorable, the rights of these applicants might be protected without delay, and this office requested, in the event of such favorable opinion of the Attorney General, that these schedules also should be approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

February 26, 1907, referring to Departmental letter of February 23, 1907 (I T D 4564-1907) requesting this office to forward a list of those persons whose enrollment should be cancelled in view of the opinion of the Attorney General of February 19, 1907, in the Shoshone enrollment cases of Loula West and William S. Thompson, et al., The Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes called the attention of the Department to the schedules above described, which were forwarded February 15, 1907, and advised that this case was analogous to the case of Loula West and recommended that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes of February 14, 1907, be not approved by the Department and that the schedules transmitted with office letter of February 15, 1907, be disapproved by the Secretary of the Interior.

February 26, 1907 (Case 10014-1907) The Indian Office transmitted the record in the case of John H. Gable and

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the schedules forwarded with office letter of February 15, 1907, and recommended, in view of the opinion of the Attorney General of the United States of February 19, 1907, in the cases of Louie West and Myrtle Randolph, analogous hereto, that the applicants in this case be all denied enrollment and their applications dismissed and that the schedules containing the names of these persons be disapproved.

March 1, 1907 (I T F 3740-1907) the Department concurred in the recommendation of the Indian Office and denied the right to enrollment of all the applicants in the consolidated Chectaw enrollment case of John H. Gashlin, et al, and disapproved the schedules bearing their names.

March 4, 1907 (I T F 4915-1907), referring to office letter of February 26, 1907, relative to the Chectaw enrollment case of John H. Gashlin, et al., the Department advised that the schedules mentioned therein had been disapproved March 1, 1907.

Inasmuch as these persons were not upon an approved roll of citizens by blood and marriage of the Chectaw Nation, no formal allotments were made to them, and it does not appear that applications were made by them for the purpose of instituting contests for lands in the Chectaw-Chickasaw country.

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This office has no record of any favorable action ever having been taken by the Department as to the persons whose names appear in the consolidated Cheate enrollment case of John H. Gamblin, et al.

September 16, 1907, the Department called the attention of the Indian Office to Departmental letter of August 29, 1907 (D 492), in the last paragraph of which the cases of August (Angus A.) Spring, et al. and John H. Gamblin, et al. are touched upon. This paragraph contains the following:

"and theirs must stand as unadjudicated applications and claims to right to enrollment, the merits of which are to be considered by Congress or by the tribunal to which it (Congress) may commit them, or such tribunal as may now have jurisdiction."

The specific facts in the case of John H. Gamblin, et al. are then touched upon and the Indian Office is requested to forward a report, as early as practicable, as to the advisability of delay in beginning adjustment proceedings until the next session of Congress which may perhaps pass upon their case.

October 3, 1907 (I F D 73379, 73387-1907, File 633) the Indian Office reported that it saw no reason why the case of these persons should be brought to Congress or any relief

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sought by the Department from that source, and the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs did not believe that the removal of the families of Gambin and Spring from the lands then occupied by them should be longer delayed.

October 4, 1907, this recommendation was approved by the First Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Office of Indian Affairs U.S.

Enrollment case of
John H. Gumbin et al.

Washington, June 4 1909.

The Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Referring to your report of April 29, 1909, relative to the Cherokee enrollment case of John H. Gumbin, et al., you are advised that on June 1, 1909, the Department held that the case mentioned is not analogous to that of John E. Goldsby and does not come within the principles announced by the Supreme Court of the United States in its decision of November 30, 1908 in that case (211 U. S. 240). The Department therefore declined to take any action looking to the enrollment of any of the applicants in the case of John H. Gumbin, et al., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation. A copy of approved Office letter of May 29, 1909, is inclosed for your further information. You are requested to notify the proper parties of this action of the Department.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Burke.

Chf of Clerk.

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Enrollment case of John
H. Gumbin et al.

May 29 1909

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior,

Sir:

Referring to Department letter of March 1, 1909 (File S-51) there is transmitted herewith a report of April 20, 1909, from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, relative to the Shoshone enrollment case of John H. Gumbin et al. Other papers are also inclosed.

The Commissioner reports that his office has no record of any favorable action ever having been taken by the Department as to the applicants in the above mentioned case.

The office is of the opinion that the case of John H. Gumbin et al. is not analogous to that of John E. Goldsby (211 U.S. 249), and therefore recommends that the Department take no action looking to the enrollment of any of the applicants therein.

Very respectfully,

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(Signed) R. C. Yalowitz

Acting Commissioner.

APPROVED: June 1, 1909.

Frank Pierce,

First Assistant Secretary.

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Muskogee, Oklahoma, June 10, 1909.

Mrs. Amanda L. Reed,
Geminche, Oklahoma,

Madam:

You are hereby advised that on June 1, 1909, the Secretary of the Interior held that the Chester enrollment case of John H. Gamblin, et al. is not analogous to that of John B. Goldsby (211 U. S., 249) and that he can take no action looking to the enrollment of any of the applicants therein under the opinion of the United States Supreme Court of November 30, 1908, in said Goldsby case.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 9, 1905.

Archie J. Reed,
Duncan, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Amanda L. Reed and E. L. Dawson to the birth of Anna Keeler
Reed, daughter of Archie J. and Amanda L. Reed, October 31,
1903.

It appears from our records that you are a noncitizen
and that your wife, Amanda L. Reed was on November 28, 1904,
denied citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw and
Chickasaw Citizenship Court.

As the Commission was authorized by the act of Con-
gress approved March 3, 1905, for a period of sixty days from
that date to receive applications for the enrollment of children
born to citizens by blood of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations
whose enrollment had prior to that date been approved by the
Secretary of the Interior, you will see that the Commission is
without authority to enroll your child.

Respectfully,

Commissioner in Charge.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 3, 1906.

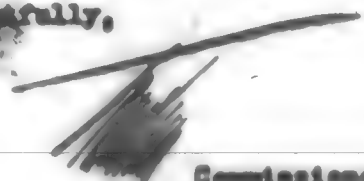
Archie J. Reed,
Duncan, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Toma Reed and J. T. Wharton to the birth of Archie Reed, child of Archie J. and Toma Reed, March 22, 1898; also affidavits of Toma Reed and W. T. Howell to the birth of Joseph Rexford Reed, child of Archie J. and Toma Reed, May 29, 1905; also affidavits of Toma Reed and Eliza Ann Gamblin to the birth of Annie Kahla Reed, child of Archie J. and Toma Reed, October 31, 1903; also affidavits of Toma Reed and H. A. Conger to the birth of Glenn Reed, child of Archie J. and Toma Reed, September 10, 1901.

It is stated in the affidavits of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct you are requested to state where and under what name application was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

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Comanche, I. T., August 18th, 1906.

Daves Commission,

Muskogee, I. T.

Dear Sirs:

Replying to yours of Aug/ 3rd., enclosed herewith, permit me to say that the names of Toma Reed's father and mother are John H. Gamblin and Eliza Ann Gamblin, and that they are enrolled by the Choctaw census Commission on roll No. 1125.

Respectfully,

A. J. & Toma Reed.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 27, 1906.

Mr. A. J. Reed,

Comanche, Indian Territory:

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the joint letter of yours and Tom Reed to the effect that your wife, is a daughter of John H. and Eliza Ann Gamblin.

This information has been filed with the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your children, Archie, Glenn, Annie Kehla and Joseph Rexford Reed.

Very respectfully,

[Signature]
Acting Commissioner.

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William Curtis Shaw

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Lotta Thomas

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Lotta Thomas.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved *FEB 20 1907* 190...

[Signature]
Commissioner.

Born March 2, 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
 of Latta Thomas, born on the 2nd day of March 1906
(Here insert name of child)
 Name of Father: Swimony Thomas a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
 Name of Mother: Myrtle Thomas a citizen of the Choctaw Nation by mar-
riage Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
 Postoffice McCurtain Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Myrtle Thomas on oath state that I am 18
 years of age and a citizen by Marriage of the Choctaw Nation;
 that I am the lawful wife of Swimony Thomas who is a citizen, by
Blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
 born to me on Second day of March 1906; that said child has been named
Latta Thomas and was living March 4, 1906
Myrtle Thomas

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two] Isaac Thomas
 Witnesses A J Moore
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May 1906.
Oscar L. Loving
 my Commission Expires Feb-28-1909 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District. }
 I, Ellen Caldwell & Sackey Thomas, a mid-wives, on oath state that we
 attended on Myrtle Thomas, wife of Swimony Thomas
 on the 2nd day of March 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
 child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Latta Thomas
Ellen Caldwell
Sackey Thomas

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two] Isaac Thomas
 Witnesses A J Moore
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March 1906.
Oscar L. Loving
 my Commission Expires 2-28-09 Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 24, 1906.

Swinney Thomas,

McCurtain, Indian Territory,

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of Myrtle Thomas and Ellen Caldwell and Sackey Thomas, to the birth of Latta Thomas, child of Swinney and Myrtle Thomas, March 2, 1906, and the same have been filed with the records of this office as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It appears from the affidavits that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct, you are requested to state when, where and under what name application was made for your enrollment, the names of your parents, and other members of your family for whom application was made at the same time and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations, give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Copy.

McCurtain, Ind. Ter. Aug. 8, 1906.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Ind. Ter.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of May 24, will say that I
am enrolled as a Choctaw by blood and have selected an allotment
and my roll number, as appears, on my allotment certificate, is
7882.

Respectfully,

Swinay Thomas.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 24, 1906.

Swinay Thomas,

McCurtain, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 8, 1906, in which you state that you are a Choctaw by blood and have selected an allotment of land, and that your roll number, as it appears upon your allotment certificate, is 7882.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify you as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and has been made part of the record in the matter of the enrollment of your child Letta Thomas.

You are advised that before further consideration can be given the application for the enrollment of this child it will be necessary that you forward evidence of your marriage to Myrtle Thomas, the mother of said child, who it appears is a non-citizen.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Hotel McCurtain

Rates: \$2.00 Per Day.

McCURTAIN, I. T.

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Sammy Thomas & Myrtle Thomas
was married 23rd July 1903
by Lurue Mc Tillery, County Judge
Dan Bois Co under Choctaw
laws and have been living
together since

They were never married
under U. S Laws

Gary

Choc Minor 895
Celestine Taylor

M 895

Choctaw MINOR

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Celestine Taylor

Cancelled and transferred

to Miss. Cho. N.B. 370

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Choc Minor 896

Johny Vails

Decline to receive 2-5-1907.

Copy of decision forwarded
applicant 2-5-07.

Copy of decision forwarded
attorneys for Choc. and
Chick. Nations 2-5-07.

Record forwarded Dept. 2-5-07.

Action approved by Secretary
of Interior 2-28-07.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for Choc. and Chick.
Nations 4-10-07

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorney for applicants 4-10-07.

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant 4-10-07.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

Infant **MINOR CHILD**

~~Act of Congress Approved~~
~~April 22, 1880,~~

John Vails

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

June 11 1888

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Johnny Vails born on the 11th day of June 1888.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: James G. Vails (dead) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary Vails (Roberts) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice Surant I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, Mary Roberts (Formerly Vails) on oath state that I am 80
years of age and a citizen by Intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of James Roberts, who is a citizen, by non
of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on Eleventh day of June 1888; that said child has been named
Johnny (Vails) and was living March 4, 1906, and that Dr. Worthington who attended me at the time of birth is dead
Mary Roberts

WITNESSES TO MARK:



C. A. Phillips
Victor G. Phillips

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of May 1906.

Charles A. Phillips
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

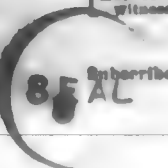
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }

Central District. }

I, John J. Vail a Citizen (Intermarriage) on oath state that I
was present mid. Mary Roberts (Vail), wife of J. G. Vail then now Roberts
attended on
on the 11th day of June 1888; that there was born to her on said date a Male
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named John Vails
and that Dr. Worthington who attended her at that time is dead.
John J. Vail

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two] Witnesses



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of June 1906.

Coms G
Jul 8th 1908

Charles A. Phillips
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Durant, Indian Territory, January 28, 1907.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Jehny Vails (23-896), Willie Roberts and Bennie Roberts (28-1261)
and Clarence Vails (23-1113)

John F. Vails, being first duly sworn and examined, testifies
as follows:

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A John F. Vails.
Q How old are you? A I am fifty-nine.
Q What is your postoffice address? A Pirtle.
Q What is the name of your father? A William Vails.
Q What is the name of your mother? A Rebecca Vails.
Q Have either your father or mother ever claimed rights as a
citizen of either the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations? A No, sir,
they have been dead for years.
Q Have you any brothers? A I have had.
Q What were their names? A James C. Vails. That was the only
brother I ever had.
Q Is James C. Vails now dead? A Yes, sir.
Q When did he die? A He died in July, 1890.
Q Was he ever married? A Yes, sir.
Q What was the name of his wife? A His first wife was Jinecy
Colbert.
Q What was the name of his latter wife? A Her name was
Robinson, but went by the name of Hunter.
Q What was her first name? A Mary.
Q Do you know the name of the father or mother of this Mary
Vails, the wife of your brother? A I knew the father, Abbey
Robinson.
Q Do you know whether her parents ever claimed right to either
the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations? A Yes, sir, he was inter-
married.
Q Was her mother a citizen of either the Choctaw or Chickasaw
Nations? A No, sir. The way I understood it his first wife
was a white woman and she died and he married a Choctaw woman
in the seventies or before, right after the war. He had this
Mary by his first wife, who was a white woman.
Q Then neither the father or mother of this Mary Vails was a
citizen by blood of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations? A No,
sir, both white.
Q Did James C. Vails and his wife, Mary Vails have any children?
A Yes, sir, they had three.
Q What were their names? A Ellen, Columbus C. and Jehny.
Q Your brother, James C. Vails never claimed citizenship to the
Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations did he? A Yes, sir, he claimed
rights through his first wife, who was a Colbert.
Q Is Jehny Vails now living? A Yes, sir.
Q Do you know the postoffice address of Mary Vails? A Yes, sir,
Durant.
Q Has Mary Vails ever married since the death of James C. Vails?
A Yes, sir.
Q What was the name of her second husband? A James Roberts.
Q Was James Roberts a citizen of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations?
A No, sir, he was a white man.
Q Did Mary Roberts have any children by this husband, James
Roberts? A Yes, sir, two.
Q What are their names? A Bennie and Willie.
Q Are these children still living? A Yes, sir, I saw them both
last Saturday.

Vails.

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- Q You stated that Mary Vails and James C. Vails had a child by the name of Christopher C. Vails? A Yes, sir.
- Q How old is this Christopher C. Vails? A He is twenty-two or twenty-three years old.
- Q Did Christopher C. Vails ever marry? A Yes, sir.
- Q What is the name of his wife? A I don't know; I never saw her until after they was married. He was married in Texas.
- Q You don't know her first name? A Her first name was Bertha.
- Q Bertha Vails was a States woman was she? A Yes, sir.
- Q And she lived in the state of Texas? A Yes, sir.
- Q Did this Christopher C. Vails and Bertha Vails have any children? A Yes, sir, they have got two.
- Q What are their names? A Nora, and the youngest one is Clarence.
- Q Do you know if this Bertha Vails claims any rights as a citizen of either the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations? A No, sir, I don't.
- Q You know it to be a fact then that Christopher C. Vails is not a citizen by blood of either the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations? A Yes, sir.

(Witness excused)

I, Fay E. Blachert, stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, upon oath, state that I reported the proceedings in the above and foregoing cause and that the same is a true and correct transcript of my stenographic notes taken therein.

Fay E. Blachert

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of January, 1907.

Richard Shasafelt
Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Johny Vails as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

-: D E C I S I O N :-

It appears from the record herein that on June 4, 1906,
application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized
Tribes for the enrollment of Johny Vails as a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved
April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein that the
applicant was born June 11, 1888 and is the son of Mary Roberts,
an alleged citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation and
James C. Vails, a non citizen.

It does not appear from the records of this office that
either of the parents of the applicant have been enrolled as a
member of the Choctaw tribe or has an application for enrollment
pending on April 26, 1906, nor does it appear that any application
of any nature whatsoever had been made for the enrollment of the
applicant as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation prior to the receipt
of the proof of birth filed June 4, 1906.

Section 2 of the Act of Congress approved April 26,
1906 (34 Stats., 137) provides:

"That for ninety days after approval hereof applica-
tions shall be received for enrollment of children who were
minors living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose
parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw,
Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications
for enrollment pending at the approval hereof....."

I am of the opinion that under the above provision of
law, I am without authority to receive or consider or make any
record of any application for the enrollment of the applicant,
Johny Vails, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation and that I should
decline to receive or consider the same, and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Washogee, Indian Territory,

FEB 5 1907

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COPY
Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1907.

Mary Roberts,

Durant, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 5, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Johnny Vails as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tame Bixby*
Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-896

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 5, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 5, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Johny Vails as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tarns Bixby*
Commissioner.

Incl. 24-896

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 5, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior:

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Johnny Vails as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 5, 1907, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Jame Bixby*
Commissioner.

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Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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COPY.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

February 23, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed the record of proceedings in the matter of the application of Johnny Vails as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 5, 1907, adverse to the applicant.

The record shows that on June 4, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Johnny Vails as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. The record further shows that the applicant was born on June 11, 1886, and is the son of Mary Roberts, an alleged citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation, and James C. Vails, a non-citizen.

Commissioner Bixby reports that it does not appear from the records of his office that either of the parents of the applicant has been enrolled as a member of the Choctaw tribe, or had an application for enrollment pending on April 26, 1906; nor does it appear that any application of any nature was made for the enrollment of the applicant as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation prior to the receipt of the proof of birth filed June 4, 1906.

Therefore, by reason of the provisions of Section 2 of

the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat. L., 137),
the Office concurs in the decision of Commissioner Bixby denying
the enrollment of Johnny Vails as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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J.P.

O.K.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON.

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5018, 5022, 5102, 5138, 1907.
5140, 5142, 5174, 5180-1907.

February 28, 1907.

SIR.

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Choctaw citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed:

Title of Case.	Date of Your Letter of Transmittal.
Agnes May Mills,	November 27, 1906.
Sarah Balliff (Freedman)	January 18, 1907.
Vere Wootten (Freedman),	January 26, 1907.
Floyd Goodson,	January 17, 1907.
Omor H. & Cecil H. Marr,	January 9, 1907.
Charles Walter Hervey,	January 9, 1907.
Maud & Elzy Turner, (Miss, Choct.)	January 21, 1907.
Willie Colbert et al.,	January 30, 1907.
John Vails,	February 6, 1907.
Maggie Francis Carroll,	January 16, 1907.
Minnie Lee Morgan,	February 7, 1907.
Robert Nelson, (Johnson?)	January 26, 1907.

A copy hereof and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

James E. Wilson
Assistant Secretary.

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Muskegee, Indian Territory, April 10, 1908.

Mary Roberts,

Durant, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that on February 28, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 5, 1907, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Johnny Vails as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

Acting Commissioner.

24-396

Muskegee, Indian Territory, April 10, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on February 28, 1907,
the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of
this office of February 9, 1907, declining to receive or
consider the application for the enrollment of Johnny Vails
as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.
Acting Commissioner.

Muskege, Indian Territory, June 9, 1906.

Mary Roberts,

Durant, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mary P Roberts And J. F. Vail to the birth of Johnny Vails, child of James C. Vail, and Mary Vail (Roberts), June 11, 1888.

From the information contained therein it is impracticable to identify you upon the records of this office as an applicant for enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation. If application has ever been made for your enrollment and you will state when, where and under what name the same was made the matter will receive consideration.

You are advised, that in accordance of the views of the Attorney General recently expressed, white children of intermarried citizens of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations are not entitled to enrollment and allotment in said nations.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc Minor 897

Nancy Welsh

Blanche Welsh

Decline to receive

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NEW YORK

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Nancy Welsh

as a citizen of
Nancy Welsh **CHOCTAW** Nation.

Approved *NOV 2 1906* 1906

Commissioner.

Born July 5, 1905-

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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[Signature] Commissioner.

Choctaw

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED
TRIBES.

It appearing from the within a
fidavit that the applicant, Blanch
Welsh, was born subsequent to March
4, 1906, I am of the opinion that
under the provisions of the Act of
Congress approved April 26, 1906,
(34 Stats., 131), I am without au-
thority to receive, consider or
make any record of any application
for the enrollment of the said
Blanch Welsh as a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation and therefore, I
should decline to receive the same,
and it is so ordered.

Commissioner
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Nancy Welch, born on the 5 day of July, 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: James Welch a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Lizzie N. Welch a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Colgate Choctaw Nat. d. 7.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Western Indian District.

I, Lizzie N. Welch on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of James Welch, who is a citizen, by
Marriage of the Choctaw Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 5 day of July, 1905; that said child has been named
Nancy Welch and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:
Lizzie N. Welch
Chaley Roy
[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of May, 1906.
My term expires Oct. 28th 1906. W. A. Brigham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Western Indian District.

I, Dr. J. Welch a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Lizzie N. Welch, wife of James Welch
on the 5 day of July, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Nancy Welch
Dr. J. Welch Dr. J. Welch

WITNESSES TO MARK:
Dr. J. Welch Dr. J. Welch
[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of May, 1906.
My term expires Oct. 28th 1906. W. A. Brigham
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
INFANT CHILD

Blanche Welch

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved 190

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED
TRIBES.

It appearing from the within af-
fidavit that the applicant, Blanch
Welsh, was born subsequent to March
4, 1906, I am of the opinion that
under the provisions of the Act of
Congress approved April 26, 1906,
(34 Stats., 137), I am without
authority to receive, consider or
make any record of any application
for the enrollment of the said
Blanch Welsh as a citizen of the
Choctaw Nation and therefore I
should decline to receive the same,
and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Blanch Welsh, born on the 26 day of September, 1906
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: James Welsh a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Lizzie Welsh a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
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AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Southern DISTRICT.

I, Lizzie Welsh, on oath state that I am 29
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of James Welsh, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female.)
born to me on 26 day of September, 1906; that said child has been named
Blanch Welsh, and was living March 4, 1905. Now.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Mrs Lizzie Welsh, nee
Lizzie M. Walburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of December, 1906
P. R. Tyler
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Southern DISTRICT.

I, H. D. Meredith, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Lizzie Welsh, wife of James Welsh
on the 26 day of September, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
(Male or Female.)
Now Dead child; that said child was living March 4, 1905, and is said to have been named Blanch

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

H. D. Meredith M.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Nov, 1906
[Signature]
Notary Public
Case 942-5-08

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

23-897

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 4, 1906.

James Welsh,

Coalgate, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

You are hereby advised that on December 20, 1906, the Secretary of the Interior approved the enrollment of your minor child, Nancy Welsh, as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and that the name of said child appears upon the roll of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation enrolled under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, as No. 804.

The child is now entitled to an allotment, and application therefor should be made without delay at the Land Office for the Nation in which the prospective allotment is located.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
 COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 4, 1905.

Mrs. Lizzie Welsh,
 Coweta, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 21, 1905, inclosing your affidavit and the affidavit of Dr. James Welch to the birth of Nancy Welsh, child of James and Lizzie E. Welsh, July 5, 1905.

It is stated in your affidavit that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of your parents, the time and place application was made for your enrollment and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give your roll number as it appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-NB-1501

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 15, 1906.

Mrs. Lizzie Welch,
Care of Dr. J. Welch,
Tulsa, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 10, 1906, asking relative to the enrollment of your child Nancy Welch.

In reply to your letter you are advised that affidavits have been heretofore received at this office to the birth of your child Nancy Welch but it will be necessary that you forward new affidavits upon the blank inclosed herewith for the purpose of making application for the enrollment of this child under the act of Congress approved April 25, 1906. This matter should receive your immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

B. C.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 4, 1906.

Mrs. Lizzie Welsh,

Coweta, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 21, 1906, inclosing your affidavit and the affidavit of Dr. James Welsh to the birth of Nancy Welsh, child of James and Lizzie N. Welsh, July 5, 1905.

It is stated in your affidavit that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of your parents, the time and place application was made for your enrollment and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give your roll number as it appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Hickory, I. T. Aug. 28

Hon. Tam Bixby,

Muskogee, I. T.

Dear Sir, Has the application for the enrollment of Nancy,
the infant daughter of Dr. J. and Mrs Lizzie Welsh, been approved?

The application was made during July.

Mrs Welsh is on the roll as Miss Lizzie Y. Wilburn.

Yours very truly,

Mrs Dr. J. Welsh (nee) Wilburn

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 31, 1906.

Mrs. J. Welsh,

Hickory, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 28, 1906, asking if Nancy Welsh, daughter of J. and Lizale Welsh, has been approved and stating that you are enrolled as L. N. Wilburn.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the information contained therein has enabled this office to identify you as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and the same has been made a part of the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of your child Nancy Welsh and you will be notified when her enrollment is approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 12, 1906.

Lizzie H. Welsh,

Care Dr. J. Welsh,

Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 5, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your baby, Nancy Welsh.

In reply you are advised that the name of Nancy Welsh has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation, under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior and the parties in interest will be duly notified when the same is approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-897

Muskegee, Indian Territory, March 16, 1907.

Dr. J. Welsh,

Union City, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of February 25, 1907, in which you ask relative to the application for the enrollment of your youngest child Blanche Welsh.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on March 2, 1907, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered a decision declining to receive the application for the enrollment of Blanche Welsh as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-897

Muskegee, Indian Territory, May 25, 1907.

Dr. J. Welsh,
McLoud, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of May 16, 1907, addressed to the United States Indian Agent has been by him referred to this office for consideration and appropriate action. Therein you state that you have not heard from the application made for your child Blanche Welsh born September 26, 1906, and you wish to know if she has been approved and when you may file for her.

In reply to your letter you are advised that on March 2, 1907, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes declined to receive the application for the enrollment of Blanche Welsh, as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation, for the reason that she was born subsequent to March 3, 1906, and nothing further can be done in this case.

Respectfully,

Commissioner

23-897

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 25, 1907.

Dr. J. Welch,
Lock Box 94,
Tocumseh, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of June 9, 1907, in which you ask if your child Blanch Welch is entitled to the improvements on her allotment; you state you are her father and have selected the land you wish to file for her allotment and have purchased the improvements thereon and you ask to be advised what further steps to take in the matter.

In reply you are advised that as you have been informed several times in previous letters on March 2, 1907, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes declined to receive the application for the enrollment of Blanch Welch as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 for the reason that she was born subsequent to March 4, 1906.

This case is considered closed and she would not be entitled to an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nations.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... Annia Burk

as a citizen of

..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

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Commissioner.

Born May 21, 1893

Act of Congress approved
April 26, 1906.

Department of the Interior,
Commissioner to the Five Civil-
ized Tribes.

Filed Aug. 15, 1906.

Tams Bixby, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Annie Burk, born on the 25th day of May 1893.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: John Burk a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Sara Burk (nee Lewis) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: by blood
Postoffice: Coalgate, Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
District. }

I, on oath state that I am
years of age and a citizen by of the Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of, who is a citizen, by
of the Nation; that a child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on day of; that said child has been named
and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
}

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Central District District. }

I, Elizabeth Williams, a mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Sara Burk, wife of John Burk,
on the 25th day of May 1893; that there was born to her on said date a female
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Annie Burk.

Elizabeth (her X mark) Williams

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
N. E. Surguy
F. E. Threadgill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of July 1906.

C. M. Threadgill

Notary Public

(SEAL)

Central District,
Indian Territory.

Elizabeth Williams being duly sworn deposes and says that she is a citizen of the United States, resident of Coalgate, Indian Territory, and 68 years of age; that she was acquainted with Sara Burk for about five years before her death, which took place in Coalgate, Indian Territory in the month of November, 1894. That she attended upon the said Sara Burk as mid-wife when her child Annie was born on the 25th day of May, 1893; and she lived in Coalgate until her next child was born in 1894, at which time she died, and the child died a few months after the death of the mother. That she knew John Burk the husband of Sara Burk, he was a white man, and she was reliably informed that he died six years ago on a journey while traveling in a wagon across the country from Ft. Smith, Arkansas, (where he had gone for treatment) on his way back to Coalgate, I. T. Sara Burk was well known as an Indian and a member of the Choctaw Nation; that she understood from the time she became acquainted with Sara Burk that she was the daughter of John Lewis, and her mother and father were full-bloods. When Sara Burk died she gave her child Annie, who was then about eighteen months old to this Affiant, and she has taken care of the said child and raised her and has her in her charge at this present time. Affiant further says that the reason she has not application to have the said child placed on the rolls on the Choctaw-Chickasaw tribes is because one Sidney S. Lawrence, a Choctaw citizen has said from time to time that he was attending to her enrollment, and that he would have her placed on the rolls in due time and without the assistance of any lawyer or legal advice. That she understands that the said Sidney S. Lawrence has made no application for the enrollment of said child, and depending on the said Lawrence she has done nothing herself until this present time.

Affiant says that the said Annie Burk is not related to her by blood or otherwise, that she has taken care of her as best she could, giving her a home and sending her to school in Coalgate, expecting no remuneration for the same. That the child is now thirteen years old and that she herself is a woman 68 years of age, and of feeble health, and she desires to help the child get her rights if possible, that she may be provided for when she herself can do nothing for her.

Witnesses to mark:

M. R. Surguy.

Elizabeth (her x mark) Williams.

F. F. Threadgill.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this the 21st day of July, 1906.

C. M. Threadgill,

(SEAL)

Notary Public.

Central District,
Indian Territory.

Samuel A. Ott being duly sworn deposes and says that he is a citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Indians, a resident of the Central District, Indian Territory, and 36 years old. That he is acquainted with Annie Burk, and knows her to be a girl about 13 years old; that she is the daughter of Sara Burk (Nee Lewis) deceased, that he knew the said Sara Burk and always understood that her mother was a half sister to his own grandmother; that she was full-blood indian, about three quarters Choctaw, and one quarter Chickasaw; that he did not see her in her last sickness but he understood that she died in Coalgate, I. T. about ten or eleven years ago; that he knows that Elizabeth Williams has had the charge of her child, Annie, ever since her death, and further this Affiant sayeth not.

(Signed) Samuel A. Ott.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this the 21st, day of July, 1906.

(Signed) C. M. Threadgill.

(SEAL)

Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 11th, 1906.

Indorsed:

In Re of Application for
enrollment as a Choctaw
Citizen of Annie Burk.

Annie Burk, New Born, Choctaw.

Born May 21, 1895.

Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Department of the Interior,
Commissioner to the Five Civilised Tribes.
Filed Aug. 15, 1906.
Tame Bixby, Commissioner.

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Central District,
Indian Territory.

Sina Ridley being duly sworn deposes and says that she is a Choctaw citizen, residing at Legall, Indian Territory and of the age of 43 years.

That she was living at Savana I. T. about 18 years ago and was acquainted with Sara Lewis who married John Burk. She knew her well and knew that she was the daughter of Ben Lewis. She also knew Nannie Lewis who married a man by the name of Ryan. She says she did not stay in Savana more than two years, then she moved back to Legall. She does not know what became of Sara Lewis. She understood that she married but does not know the man. She knows that Annie Burk is said to be the daughter of Sara Lewis and her father was named Burk. She learned this from parties in Coalgate, and she knows that Annie Favors Sara Lewis as she remembers her. She says that Sara Lewis was part Chickasaw but her people were Choctaws, but as she remembers some of the family were Chickasaws.

Witnesses to mark:

(Signed) Sina (her x mark) Ridley.

Mitchell King.

Anderson King.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 23rd day of July, 1906.

(SEAL)

C. M. Threadgill.

My Commission Expires 11st day of Feb. 1907.

Central District,
Indian Territory.

Mrs. M. J. Cunningham being duly sworn deposes and states upon oath that she is a citizen of the Choctaw Nation by blood and 35 years old. That she was raised in the Choctaw Nation and three miles North of Savana I. T. That she is the lawful wife of Alford H. Cunningham who is a citizen by intermarriage.

That she knew the family of Ben Lewis who lived in the same neighborhood where she was raised. She knew the said Ben Lewis was a citizen of the Choctaw Nation his wife was also a citizen - both by blood. That he had two daughters one named Nannie now married to Theran Ryan a citizen by blood, the other daughter was named Sara, but she was not so well acquainted with her as with Nannie, because she went to school with Nannie. The last time she saw the daughter named Sara was some thirteen years ago at Wilberton when she went to a payment. This is her recollection. She does not know Annie Burk and does not remember whom Sara Lewis married. She knew that Mrs. Lewis married Mr. Coalman. They called him Uncle Billy Coalman.

Mrs. M. J. Cunningham,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 23rd day of July, 1906.

C. M. Threadgill.

(SEAL)

My commission expires 11st Feb. 1907.

Indorsed:

In Re of The Application of Annie Burk
for enrollment as a Choctaw Citizen.

Affidavits.

Department of the Interior,
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.
Filed Aug. 18, 1906.
Tams Dixby, Commissioner.

Choctaw
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Received
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Central District,
Indian Territory.

E. K. Gills being first duly sworn states upon his oath that he was acquainted with John Burk and his wife Sara Burk for fifteen years or more. His wife was named Sara Lewis, and her father was named Ben Lewis as I remember him. He also states that he is acquainted with Annie Burk and that she is the daughter of the said John Burk and his wife Sara Burk, nee Lewis. The father of Mrs Burk was Chickasaw Indian by blood or a Choctaw Indian and I am not sure which. John Burk was a white man and of Irish decent, and he was well acquainted with him and he was in this affiant's employ for some two two years. His wife looked like Indian but was not full blood. There is no doubt in his mind but that this little girl Annie Burk is Indian by blood through her mother. She looks like the Indian people. She lived with Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, who raised her from a small child. Annie's mother died about ten or eleven years ago here in Coalgate, Indian Territory. Her father died on the road coming from the hospital. He says that he sent him the money to come home on and he died on the way, and did not reach home. He has known Annie all her life and is sure that she is Indian by blood and ought to have a right. This affiant says that he has lived here in this country for about twenty years and further this affiant sayeth not.

(Signed) E. K. Gills.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this the 30th day of August, 1906.

C. M. Threadgill,

Notary Public.

(SEAL)

Indorsed:

Department of the Interior,
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.
Filed Sep. 4, 1906.
Tans Dixby, Commissioner.

In Re of the Enrollment
of Annie Burk.

Affidavit.

23-898.
O.L.J.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

DECISION.

It appears from the record herein that on July 23, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It further appears from the record herein that said applicant was born on May 25, 1893, and is the daughter of John Burk (now deceased), a non-citizen white man, and Sara Burk, nee Lewis (now deceased), an alleged Choctaw by blood.

It does not appear from the records in the possession of this office that any application was ever made for the enrollment of John Burk or Sara Burk, above mentioned, as citizens of the Choctaw Nation; neither does it appear that the applicant, or her mother, Sara Burk, has ever been enrolled as a member of the Choctaw tribe, or admitted to Choctaw citizenship by a duly constituted court or committee of the Choctaw Nation, or by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, or by the United States Court in Indian Territory, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 10, 1896 (29 Stats., 321).

Section Two of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (Public No. 129), provides:

"That for ninety days after approval hereof applications shall be received for enrollment of children who were minors living March fourth, nineteen hundred and six, whose parents have been enrolled as members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, or Creek tribes, or have applications for enrollment pending at the approval hereof, and for the purpose of enrollment under this section illegitimate children shall take the status of the mother, and allotments shall be made to children so enrolled."

I am of the opinion that inasmuch as the parents of the applicant were not enrolled as members of the Choctaw tribe, or had applications pending for enrollment on April 26, 1906, I am without authority to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and that I should decline to receive or consider said application, under the provisions of law above quoted, and it is so ordered.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,


Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 10, 1906.

C. M. Threadgill,
Attorney at Law,
Coalgate, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 21, 1906, enclosing affidavits of Elizabeth Williams to the birth of Annie Burk, child of John and Sara Burk, May 25, 1893; also the affidavit of Samuel A. Ott relative to the enrollment of said child.

You are advised that this office is unable to identify Sara Burk, nee Lewis, the mother of said child, upon any of the tribal rolls of the Choctaw Nation. You are requested to furnish such information as you may have relative to her enrollment by the tribal authorities, and whether or not she participated in any payments made to the Choctaw tribe of Indians, and if so, under what name.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-898.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 19, 1906

John Burk,

Coalgate, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tame Birby*

Commissioner.

Registered.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 19, 1906

C. W. Threadgill,
Attorney at Law,
Coalgate, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Jama B. Cox*
Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-898.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 19, 1906.

Hansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory,

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Incl. 23-898.

SIGNED *Jame Birby*
Commissioner

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 15, 1906

COPY.

The honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 12, 1906, declining to receive or consider said application.

Respectfully,

J. T. D. D. D.

Commissioner

2 Incl. 23-298,

Through the

Commissioner of Indian Affairs

LAND
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

February 14, 1907.

COPY

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, together with the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 19, 1906, adverse to the applicant.

The record shows that on July 23, 1906 application was made for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. The record further shows that the applicant was born May 25, 1893, and is the daughter of John Burk, now deceased, a non-citizen white man, and Sara Burk nee Lewis, now deceased, an alleged Choctaw by blood.

Commissioner Bixby says that it does not appear from the records of his office that any application was ever made for the enrollment of John Burk or Sara Burk as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, neither does it appear that the applicant or her mother have ever been enrolled as members of the Choctaw tribe or admitted to Choctaw citizenship by a duly constituted court or committee of the Choctaw Nation, or by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, or by the United States Court in

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Indian Territory, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 10, 1896, (29 Stat.L., 321).

Inasmuch as the parents of the applicant were not enrolled as members of the Choctaw tribe, or had applications pending on April 26, 1906, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, (34 Stat.L., 137), the Office concurs in the decision of Commissioner Bixby denying the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Very respectfully,

D. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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February 16, 1907.

Direct.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

October 19, 1906, you transmitted the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Ammie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including your decision of the same date, declining to receive or consider said application.

Reporting February 14, 1907 (Land 92803-06), the Indian Office concurs in your decision. A copy of its letter is inclosed.

Your decision is hereby affirmed. The papers in the case and a carbon copy hereof have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan
First Assistant Secretary.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 28, 1907.

John Turk,
Coalgate, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified that on February 16, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Annie Turk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 28, 1907.

C. M. Threadgill,

Attorney at Law,

Coalgate, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified that on February 16, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 28, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that on February 16, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered October 19, 1906, declining to receive or consider the application for the enrollment of Annie Burk as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Department of the Interior.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906.

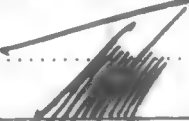
Jessie Ellis

as a citizen of

Choctaw

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Jessie Ellis, born on the 16 day of February 1906.
Name of Father: John H. Ellis a ~~non~~ noncitizen Nation.
Name of Mother: Mary A. Ellis (nee Shockley) a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw by blood.
Postoffice: Chagris, Indian Territory.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Mary A. Ellis (nee Shockley), on oath state that I am 29 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that I am the lawful wife of John H. Ellis, who is a citizen of the United States Nation; that a female child was born to me on the 16 day of February 1906; that said child has been named Jessie Ellis, and was living March 4, 1906.

Mary A. Ellis

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of May 1906.

My Commission Expires Feb. 18, 1910

H. B. Sanderson

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, A. B. Davis, a physician, on oath state that I attended on Mary A. Ellis, wife of John H. Ellis, on the 16th day of February 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Jessie Ellis.

A. B. Davis M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of May 1906.

My Commission Expires Feb. 18, 1910

H. B. Sanderson

Notary Public.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 5, 1906.

J. T. Coleman,

Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 29, 1906, inclosing affidavits of Mary A. Ellis and A. B. Davis to the birth of Jessie Ellis, child of John H. Ellis and Mary A. Ellis (nee Shockley) February 16, 1906.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to state the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner,

Ardmore, I. T. Aug. 29, 1906.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, I. T.

Sir:-

On my return from an extended vacation I found a communication from your office, in which you desire to know something about the nature and character of the application of Jessie Ellis minor, for enrollment.

The mother of Jessie Ellis is the daughter of W. J. and E. J. Lowery, and she was enrolled in 1899, at Atoka, I. T. and has selected her entire allotment in the Chickasaw Nation and now resides upon same. She is a Choctaw by blood, roll No. 11230.

Any further information that you may desire regarding this application, kindly notify me and I will furnish same at once.

Yours truly,

J. T. Coleman,

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 5, 1906.

J. T. Coleman,
Attorney at Law,
Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 29, 1906, in which you state that the mother of Jessie Ellis for whose enrollment application was made under the act of April 26, 1906 is the daughter of W. J. and E. J. Lowery, and that she was enrolled as a Choctaw by blood No. 11230.

You are advised that this information has enabled this office to identify the mother of Jessie Ellis as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the name of Mary Shobkey ~~and the same has been filed with the record in the matter of the~~ enrollment of her child Jessie Ellis.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 26, 1906.

J. T. Coleman,

Ardmore, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 22, 1906, asking the status of the application of Jessie Ellis for enrollment as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

In reply you are advised that the affidavits to the birth of Jessie Ellis, child of John H. and Mary A. Ellis, have been filed as an application for her enrollment, and in the event further evidence is necessary to determine her right to enrollment, you will be notified.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 27, 1906.

J. T. Coleman,

Ardmore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of December 18, asking if the application for the enrollment of Jessie Ellis, child of John Ellis, has been approved.

In reply you are advised that the name of Jessie Ellis has been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 which has been forwarded the Secretary of the Interior and the parties in interest will be notified when her enrollment has been approved by the Department.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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Hattie Green
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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

Hattie Green

as a citizen of

Chestnut Nation.

Approved..... *JAN 25 1907* 190...



Commissioner.

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906

COMMISSIONER TO THE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Hattie Green [Here insert name of child] born on the 4th day of March, 1906
Name of Father: Monroe Green a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Sarah Green a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: 2541
Postoffice: Womack, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Sarah Green, on oath state that I am 49
years of age and a ~~slave~~ Freedman of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Monroe Green, who is a citizen,
of the U. S.; that a female child was
born to me on 4th day of March, 1906; that said child has been named
Hattie Green and was living March 4, 1906.

Sarah Green

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Andrew J. Gardenhire
[Must be Two Witnesses]
PUBLIC

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of January, 1907

Andrew Gardenhire
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Southern District.

I, Icy Bandy Jones, a mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Sarah Green, wife of Monroe Green
on the 4th day of March, 1906; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Hattie Green.

Andrew J. Gardenhire
[Must be Two Witnesses]
PUBLIC

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of January, 1907

Icy Bandy Jones
W. C. Kelly
Andrew Gardenhire
Notary Public.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
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as a citizen of

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Commissioner.

Born Nov. 13 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,

of Genera May Gazaway, born on the 13 day of Nov., 1905

Name of Father: S. C. Gazaway a citizen of the U. S. Nation.

Name of Mother: Cornelia E. Gazaway a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Postoffice: Healdton, Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Southern DISTRICT.

I, Cornelia E. Gazaway, on oath state that I am 21 years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;

that I am the lawful wife of S. C. Gazaway, who is a citizen, by of the U. S. Nation; that a Female child was (Male or Female.)

born to me on 13 day of Nov., 1905; that said child has been named Genera May Gazaway, and was living March 4, 1906

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of July, 1906,
M. F. McKnight Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,
Southern DISTRICT.

I, M. H. Logan, a physician, on oath state that I attended on Mrs. Cornelia E. Gazaway, wife of S. C. Gazaway

on the 13th day of Nov., 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female child; that said child was living March 4, 1906 and is said to have been named Genera May Gazaway

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1906,
M. F. McKnight Notary Public.



Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 2, 1906.

S. C. Gasaway,

Healdton, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Cornelia E. Gasaway and M. E. Logan to the birth of Geneva May
Gasaway, child of S. C. and Cornelia E. Gasaway, November 13,
1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a
citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct
you are requested to state where and under what name application
was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she
has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw
Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment
certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-901

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 11, 1906.

Cornelia N. Gasaway,
Willow City, Texas.

Dear Madam:

Your letter of September 27, addressed to the U. S. Indian Agent, has been by him referred to this office for appropriate action. Therein you state that your roll number is 491 and that your father's name is George J. Lowery and your mother's name is Rhoda A. Lowery and you forward this information in the matter of your application for the enrollment of your child, Geneva May Gasaway.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify you as an enrolled citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and has been filed in the matter of the enrollment of your child, Geneva May Gasaway.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

Choc Minor 902

Viola Lillie Hickman

Naoma Agnes Hickman

Dismissed Feb. 21, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as
citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.....OF.....

VIOLA LILLIE HICKMAN, et al...

23-902.

NEW BORN 902

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IN RE
Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M. *Viola Lillie Hickman*

as a citizen of
Choctaw Nation

Approved ----- 190---

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Viola Lillie Hickman, born on the 14th day of March, 1906
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: E. O. Hickman a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Nate Hickman a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: None Tribal enrollment of mother: Application for Choctaw
Postoffice: McCarly, Ind. Terr.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District.

I, Nate Hickman, on oath state that I am 79
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of E. O. Hickman, who is a citizen, by
of the United States Nation, that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 14th day of March, 1906, that said child has been named
Viola Lillie Hickman, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK

[Must be two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1906.

Arthur W. Fox
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ^{Okla} Indian Territory, }
DeWitt, Day Co District.

I, Frank W. Allen, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Nate Hickman, wife of E. O. Hickman
on the 14th day of March, 1906; that there was born on said date a female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Viola Lillie Hickman.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two
Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of June, 1906.

Frank W. Allen
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 5th 1910.

NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M. Naoma Agnes Hillman

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation

Approved ----- 190-----

Commissioner.

Born Oct. 9" 1904

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Naoma Agnes Hickman, born on the 9th day of October, 1904
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: E. O. Hickman a citizen of the United States Nation.
Name of Mother: Nate Hickman a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: none Tribal enrollment of mother: Application for Choctaw
Postoffice: W. Carty, Ind. Terr.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.
I, Nate Hickman, on oath state that I am 79
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of E. O. Hickman, who is a citizen, by
of the United States Nation; that a female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 9th day of October, 1904, that said child has been named
Naoma Agnes Hickman, and was living March 4, 1906.
Nate Hickman

WITNESSES TO MARK

[Must be two Witnesses] { Arthur W. Lee
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June, 1906.
Arthur W. Lee
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.
I, J. B. Barnichael, M.D., a Physician on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Nate Hickman, wife of E. O. Hickman
on the 9th day of Oct., 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Naoma Agnes Hickman.
J. B. Barnichael, M.D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] {
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of June, 1906.
L. G. Butler
Notary Public.

23-902.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Viola Lillie Hickman and Naoma Agnes Hickman as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

-: D E C I S I O N :-

The record herein shows that on July 10, 1906, written applications were received at the office of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Viola Lillie Hickman and Naoma Agnes Hickman as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The record herein further shows that the applicants are the minor children of O. E. Hickman, a citizen of the United States, and Kate Hickman, an alleged citizen of the Choctaw Nation; that said applicants were born on March 14, 1903, and October 9, 1904, respectively, and were living on March 4, 1906.

It does not appear from the records in the possession of this office that Kate Hickman, the mother of said applicants, has been enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, or that she had an application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of said Nation pending on April 26, 1906.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, I have no authority to receive or consider any application for the enrollment of Viola Lillie Hickman and Naoma Agnes Hickman as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, that the same should be dismissed, and it is so ordered.


COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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25-902.

COPY

Muskegee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

E. O. Hickman,

McCarty, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 21, 1907, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Viola Lillie Hickman and Naomi Agnes Hickman as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Registered
Incl. 25-902.

23-902.

COPY

Muskegee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 21, 1907, dismissing the application for the enrollment of Viola Millie Hickman and Maoma Agnes Hickman as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tams Bixby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-902.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 2, 1906.

E. O. Hickman,
McCarty, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Kate Hickman and J. B. Carmichael to the birth of Naomi Agnes
Hickman, child of E. O. and Kate Hickman, October 9, 1904; also
affidavits of Kate Hickman and Frank W. Allen to the birth of
Viola Lillie Hickman, child of E. O. and Kate Hickman, March
14, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavits of the mother that she is
a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct
you are requested to state where and under what name application
was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she
has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw
Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment
certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 16, 1907.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is returned herewith field data in the following applications for enrollment as citizens of the Chickasaw and Choctaw Nations, for the reason that I visited the former post-office addresses of each as given in field data, and made numerous inquiries relative to their whereabouts but was unable to locate any of them:

Augustus Seale	D-81
Feister John Copeland	451
Francis York	23-1228
Celestine Taylor	23-895
Viola Lillie Hickman et al	23-902
Nancy Folsom	D-348
Joseph E. Davis	D-76
Aaron Gilas	D-95
Frank Haley	23-882
Win J. Maaly	D-576.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Choctaw Nation of Oliver P. Owen, field number 280, you are advised that I made numerous inquiries at Ardmore, Indian Territory, which was his former post-office address but was unable to get any information relative to the death of the applicant. The field data in this case is also returned herewith.

Respectfully,

Choc Minor 903

Jesse L. Hatcher

Henry Ferman Hatcher

Refused Jan. 12, 1907.

Copy of decision forwarded
applicant Jan. 12, 1907.

Copy of decision forwarded attorneys
for Choc. and Chick. Nations
Jan. 12, 1907.

Record forwarded Dept. Jan. 12, 1907.

Action approved by Secretary of
Interior Feb. 18, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for Choc. and Chick.
Nations April 16, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant April 16, 1907.

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NEW BORN 903

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... Jesse L. Hatcher

as a citizen of

..... Choctaw

Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Nov. 15 1903

Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Department of the Interior

Commissioner to the Five

Civilized Tribes

F I L E D AUG 15 1906

Tams Bixby, Commissioner.

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N. B. 903

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MIXORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the... Chocktaw... Nation,
of ... Jessay L. Hatcher... born on the 15... day of Nov... 1903.
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: F. M. Hatcher... a citizen of the united states... Nation.
Name of Mother: Loutishia Hatcher... a citizen of the Chocktaw... Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father... Tribal enrollment of mother... Chocktaw...

Postoffice... Paoli, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
... Southern... District. }

I, ... Loutishia... on oath state that I am... 23...
years of age and a citizen by... Blood... of the... Chocktaw... Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of... F. M. Hatcher... who is a citizen, by
... of the united States... Nation; that a... child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on... 15... day of... Nov... 1903.; that said child has been named
... Jessay L. Hatcher... and was living March 4, 1906.

... Lou Tishia Hatcher...

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this... 9th... day of... July... 1906.

(SEAL)

... L. P. Abernathy...

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
... Southern... District. }

I, ... Reheena Morrrow... a... Mid. Wife... on oath state that I
attended on... Loutishia... wife of... F. M. Hatcher...
on the... 15... day of... Nov... 1906.; that there was born to her on said date a...
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named... Jessay L. Hatcher...

(SEAL)

... Rebecca Morrrow...

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this... 9th... day of... July... 1906.

... L. P. Abernathy...

Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MIXORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation,
of Jessay L. Hatche, born on the 15 day of Nov. 1903.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: E. M. Hatche a citizen of the united states Nation.
Name of Mother: Loutishia Hatcher a citizen of the Chocktaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother Chocktaw
Postoffice Paoli, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District. }

I, Loutishia, on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by Blood, of the Chocktaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of E. M. Hatcher, who is a citizen, by
of the united States Nation; that a child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 15 day of Nov. 1903.; that said child has been named
Jessay L. Hatcher and was living March 4, 1906.

Lou Tishia Hatcher

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July 1906.

(SEAL)

L. P. Abernathy

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
Southern District. }

I, Rebecca Morrow, a Mid. Wife, on oath state that I
attended on Loutishia, wife of E. M. Hatcher
on the 15 day of Nov. 1906.; that there was born to her on said date a
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Jessay L. Hatcher.

(SEAL)

Rebecca Morrow

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July 1906.

L. P. Abernathy

Notary Public.

NEW BORN 903

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

..... Henry Ferman Hatcher

as a citizen of

..... Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Feby 21st 1904
Act of Congress approved April 26 1906
Department of the Interior
Commissioner to the Five
Civilized Tribes

F I L E D AUG 15 1906
Tams Bixby, Commissioner
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N. B. 903

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 22, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Henry Ferman born on the 21 day of Feb 1904
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: E. M. Hatcher a citizen of United States Nation.
Name of Mother Loutishia Hatcher a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother Choctaw

Postoffice Paoli 1. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Southern District. }

I, Loutishia Hatcher on oath state that I am 23
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of E. M. Hatcher who is a citizen, by
..... of the United States Nation; that a child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 21 day of Feb 1904 ...; that said child has been named
..... Henry Ferman and was living March 4, 1906.

(SEAL) Lou Tishia Hatcher

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
..... }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July 1906.
..... L. P. Abernathy
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory, }
..... Southern District. }

I, Rebecca Morrow a Midwife on oath state that I
attended on Loutishia Hatcher wife of E. M. Hatcher
on the 21 day of Feb 1906; that there was born to her on said date a
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Henry Ferman

..... Rebecca Morrow

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
..... }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July 1906.
(SEAL) L. P. Abernathy
Notary Public.

23-903.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

W. H. D.

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher et al. as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

-: D E C I S I O N :-

It appears from the record herein that on July 10, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that Jesse L. and Henry Ferman Hatcher were born November 15, 1903 and February 21, 1904, respectively and are the children of E. M. Hatcher, a non-citizen and Lou Flisha Hatcher, who, (as Letitia Morrow) was denied citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court on November 28, 1904 in Case No. 76 on the Tishomingo Docket thereof.

I am of the opinion that the applicants, Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher, are not entitled to enrollment as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that the application for their enrollment as such should be denied under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137) and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 12, 1907.

B. M. Hatcher,

Paoli, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 12, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher as citizens by blood of the Chectaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Jame Bixby

Commissioner.

Registered.
Incl. 25-903.

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COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 12, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray, and Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 12, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tama Bixby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-903.

COPY.

Muskegee, Indian Territory, January 18, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the applications for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher as citizens by blood of the Cheatey Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 18, 1907, denying said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Jame Bixby*

Commissioner.

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Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

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I.T.D. 3564-1907
D.C. 10304-1907.

February 18, 1907.

LRS

Direct.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

January 12, 1907, you transmitted the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including your decision of the same date, adverse to the applicants.

Reporting February 15, 1907 (Land 5057), the Indian Office recommended that your decision be approved. A copy of its letter is inclosed.

The Department concurs in said recommendation, and your decision is hereby affirmed.

The papers in the case and a carbon copy hereof have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan,

1 inc. and 2 to Ind. Of.

First Assistant Secretary.

A. E. Mc.
2-19-07.

Refer in reply to the following:

(COPY)
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

Land
5057-1907

February 15, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from Mr. Bixby, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 12, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the application for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, together with the Commissioner's decision of January 12, 1907, denying the application.

The applicant, the record shows, are the children of E.M. Hatcher, a non-citizen, and Lou Tishia Hatcher, who as Letitia Mowrow was denied citizenship by the Choctaw-Chickasaw Citizenship Court on November 28, 1904. Neither of the parents of the applicants had a tribal status prior to June 10, 1896, and this case does not come within the purview of the Louis West case, which is now pending before the Department of Justice. The applicants are not entitled to enrollment and the approval of Mr. Bixby's adverse decision is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

GAV-GH

23-903

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 16, 1907.

E. M. Hatcher,

Smith, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on February 18, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of January 12, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Vernon Hatcher as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-903

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 16, 1907.

Hansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on February 18, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of January 12, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher as citizens of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 2, 1906.

N. M. Hatcher,

Facil, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of
Lou Tishia Hatcher and Rebecca Morrow to the birth of Jesse L.
Hatcher and Henry Herman Hatcher, children of N. M. and
Lou Tishia Hatcher, November 15, 1903, and February 21, 1904,
respectively.

It is stated in the affidavits of the mother that she is
a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct
you are requested to state where and under what name application
was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she
has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw
Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment
certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Copy.

Paoli, I.T. Aug. 13th 1906.

To The Daves Commission

Gentlemen In regard to the applications of Jessie L. Hatcher & Henry Furman Hatcher will say that my wife is a Court Claimer & claims her rite threw the Bottoms Case. & before the Citizenship Court was established she was on the Roll & as our case is pending Before the Supreme Court I thought it Best to make application for my children. I am not trying to Enroll them now But only asking that they Be listed for Enrollment in case we win.

I am Yours Respt.

E. M. Hatcher.

23-903

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 23, 1906.

E. M. Hatcher,

Paoli, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 13, 1906, giving certain information relative to the citizenship of your wife Lou Tishia Hatcher.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify your wife, Lou Tishia Hatcher, as having been denied citizenship by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court, and same has been filed with the affidavits to the birth of your children Jesse L. and Henry Fernan Hatcher.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

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I.T.D. 3564-1907
D.C. 10304-1907.

February 18, 1907.

LLB

Direct.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

January 12, 1907, you transmitted the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher as citizens by blood of the Cheetaw Nation, including your decision of the same date, adverse to the applicants.

Reporting February 15, 1907 (Land 5057), the Indian Office recommended that your decision be approved. A copy of its letter is inclosed.

The Department concurs in said recommendation, and your decision is hereby affirmed.

The papers in the case and a carbon copy hereof have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan,

1 inc. and 2 to Ind. Of.

First Assistant Secretary.

A.F.No.
2-18-07.

Refer in reply to the following:

(COPY)
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

Land
5057-1907

February 15, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from Mr. Bixby, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 12, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the application for the enrollment of Jesse L. Hatcher and Henry Ferman Hatcher as citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, together with the Commissioner's decision of January 12, 1907, denying the application.

The applicant, the record shows, are the children of H.M. Hatcher, a non-citizen, and Lou Tishia Hatcher, who as Letitia Morrow was denied citizenship by the Choctaw-Chickasaw Citizenship Court on November 20, 1904. Neither of the parents of the applicants had a tribal status prior to June 10, 1896, and this case does not come within the purview of the Loula West case, which is now pending before the Department of Justice. The applicants are not entitled to enrollment and the approval of Mr. Bixby's adverse decision is recommended.

Very respectfully,

G. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

GAH-GH

Choc Minor 904

Clarence Conner

Refused

Copy of Decision forwarded applicant

Copy of Decision forwarded attorneys
for Choc. and Chick. Nations.

Record forwarded Dept.

Action approved by Secretary of
Interior Feb. 28, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for Choc. and Chick.
Nations Apr. 16, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant Apr. 16, 1907.

M904

NEW BORN 904
190

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

.....William F. Conner.....
as a citizen of

.....Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Dec. 18th 1903

Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.
Department of the Interior
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

F I L E D AUG 15 1906
Tams Bixby Commissioner
CHOCTAW RECEIVED JUL 18 1906
N. B. 904

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Clarence Conner, born on the 18 day of Dec 1905
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: William F. Conner a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: Myrtle Conner a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother:
Postoffice: Purdy, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

(SEAL)
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Myrtle Conner, on oath state that I am 18
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of William F. Conner, who is a citizen, by
of the Nation; that a Male child was
born to me on 18th day of December 1905; that said child has been named
Clarence Conner and was living March 4, 1906.

Myrtle Conner

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July 1906.

R. W. Small

Notary Public.

(SEAL)

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, B. Ward, a Physician, on oath state that I
attended on Myrtle Conner, wife of William F. Conner
on the 18th day of Dec 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Clarence Conner.

B. Ward M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July 1906.

R. W. Small

Notary Public.

23-904.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Clarence Conner as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

It appears from the record herein that on July 18, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Clarence Conner as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that Clarence Conner was born December 18, 1906, and is the son of William F. Conner, a non-citizen and Myrtle Conner, who, (as Myrtle L. Mitchell), was denied citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court on April 18, 1904, in case No. 101 on the South McAlester Docket thereof.

I am of the opinion that the applicant, Clarence Conner, is not entitled to enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that the application for his enrollment as such, should be denied, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

23-904.

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 11, 1907.

William F. Conner,

Party, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 11, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Clarence Conner as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

respectfully,

SIGNED *Tame Bixby*

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-904.

23-904.

COPY.

Muskegee, Indian Territory, January 11, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray, and Cornish,
Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered January 11, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Clarence Gerner as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED: *Tame Bixby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-904.

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 11, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Conner as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 11, 1907, denying said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED

Jama Bixby

Commissioner.

2 Incl. 22-904.

**Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.**

KHM

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, LLB
WASHINGTON.

I.T.D. 3566-1907
D.C. 10303-1907.

February 18, 1907.

LRS

Direct.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

January 11, 1907, you transmitted the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Connor as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including your decision of the same date, adverse to the applicant.

Reporting February 15, 1907, (Land 5066), the Indian Office recommended that your decision be approved. A copy of its letter is inclosed.

The Department concurs in said recommendation, and your decision is hereby affirmed.

The papers in the case and a carbon copy hereof have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan

1 inc. and 2 to Ind. Of.

First Assistant Secretary.

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2-19-07.

Refer in reply to the following:

(COPY
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

Land
5056-1907.

February 15, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior:

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 11, 1907, transmitting the application of Clarence Connor for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the Commissioner's decision of January 11, 1907, denying the application.

The record shows that the applicant is a son of William F. Connor, a non-citizen, and Myrtle Connor, who was denied citizenship by the Choctaw-Chickasaw Citizenship Court on April 18, 1904. Neither of the parents had a tribal status in 1906, and the case does not come within the question involved in the Loula West case, which is now pending before the Department of Justice. The applicant is not entitled to enrollment, and the approval of the Commissioner's adverse decision is recommended.

Very respectfully,

G. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

GAV-ON

Refer in reply to the following:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

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5056-1907.

February 15, 1907.

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The Secretary of the Interior.

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The record shows that the applicant is a son of William F. Connor, a non-citizen, and Myrtle Connor, who was denied citizenship by the Choctaw-Chickasaw Citizenship Court on April 18, 1904. Neither of the parents had a tribal status in 1904, and the case does not come within the question involved in the Loula West case, which is now pending before the Department of Justice. The applicant is not entitled to enrollment, and the approval of the Commissioner's adverse decision is recommended.

Very respectfully,

G. P. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

GAV-GH

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, LLB
WASHINGTON.

I.T.D. 3566-1907
D.C. 10305-1907.

February 18, 1907.

LRS

Direct.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

January 11, 1907, you transmitted the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Clarence Conner as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including your decision of the same date, adverse to the applicant.

Reporting February 15, 1907, (Land 5066), the Indian Office recommended that your decision be approved. A copy of its letter is inclosed.

The Department concurs in said recommendation, and your decision is hereby affirmed.

The papers in the case and a carbon copy hereof have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan

First Assistant Secretary.

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2-18-07.

Refer in reply to the following:

(COPY
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

Land
5056-1907.

February 15, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior

Sir:

There is enclosed an report from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 11, 1907, transmitting the application of Clarence Connor for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the Commissioner's decision of January 11, 1907, denying the application.

The record shows that the applicant is a son of William F. Connor, a non-citizen, and Myrtle Connor, who was denied citizenship by the Choctaw-Chickasaw Citizenship Court on April 18, 1904. Neither of the parents had a tribal status in 1896, and the case does not come within the question involved in the Loula West case, which is now pending before the Department of Justice. The applicant is not entitled to enrollment, and the approval of the Commissioner's adverse decision is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,
Acting Commissioner.

CAF-CH

Refer in reply to the following:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

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5356-1907.

February 15, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior?

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 11, 1907, transmitting the application of Clarence Conner for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the Commissioner's decision of January 11, 1907, denying the application.

The record shows that the applicant is a son of William F. Conner, a non-citizen, and Myrtle Conner, who was denied citizenship by the Choctaw- Chickasaw Citizenship Court on April 18, 1904. Neither of the parents had a tribal status in 1904, and the case does not come within the question involved in the Louisa Ward case, which is now pending before the Department of Justice. The applicant is not entitled to enrollment, and the approval of the Commissioner's adverse decision is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

625-21

25-904

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 16, 1907.

William F. Conner,

Purdy, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

you are hereby advised that on February 18, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the Decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes of January 11, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Clarence Conner as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-904

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 16, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Gernish,
Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on February 18, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of January 11, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Clarence Cerner as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 6, 1906.

Myrtle Conner,
Care of William F. Conner,
Purdy, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Myrtle Conner and B. Ward to the birth of Clarence Conner on December 18, 1905, and same have been filed as an application for the enrollment of said child.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of your parents, the time and place application was made for your enrollment, the name under which you are enrolled, and, if you have selected an allotment, give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificates or deeds to land in the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

DCS.

Copy.

Purdy, I.T. Aug. 7, 1906.

Hon. Commissioner to Five Civilized Tribes

Muskogee I. T.

Sir:-

As I have not recd an acknowledgment of the receipt of the application I sent you for enrolling my child Clarence Conner as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation will say that my maiden name was Myrtle Mitchell and is that way on the records. I failed to state same in the application so please make the change in the application if necessary & oblige

Myrtle Conner
Purdy, I.T.

23-904

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 23, 1906.

Myrtle Conner,

Purdy, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 7, 1906, in which you state that your maiden name was Myrtle Mitchell.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify you as having been denied citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court, and same has been filed with the affidavits to the birth of your child Clarence Conner.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc Minor 905

Mary Doris Clayton

Refused Feb. 19, 1907.

Record forwarded Dept. Feb. 19, 1907

Action approved by Secretary of
Interior March 2, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for Choc. and Chick.
Nations Apr. 2, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant Apr. 2, 1907.

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NEW BORN 905.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Mary Davis Clayton.

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born May 7 , 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26,1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

F I L E D

AUG. 15, 1906.

Tams Bixby, Commissioner.

CHOCTAW
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Mary Dorris Clayton, born on the 7th day of March, 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: W. A. Clayton, a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: Eva May Clayton, a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: of mother
Postoffice: Palmer, Ind., Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Eva May Clayton, on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen by blood, of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of W. A. Clayton, who is a citizen, by
of the Nation; that a female child was
born to me on 7th day of March, 1905, that said child has been named
Mary Dorris Clayton and was living March 4, 1906.

Eva May Clayton,
nee Harrison.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {
(SEAL)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1906.

Robt. F. Buchanan

Notary Public.

My commission expires 12/18/07.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, J. W. Cooper, a physician, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Eva May Clayton, wife of W. A. Clayton,
on the 7th day of May, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Mary Dorris Clayton.

J. W. Cooper, M. D.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses] {

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1906.

(SEAL)

Robt. F. Buchanan.

Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Mary Dorris Clayton as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

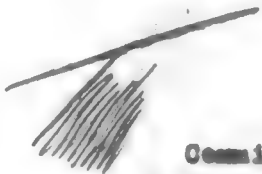
D E C I S I O N .

The record herein shows that on July 20, 1906, written application was filed with the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Mary Dorris Clayton as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The record herein further shows that the applicant was born on March 7, 1905, and was living on March 4, 1906; that she is the daughter of W. A. Clayton, whose citizenship is not stated, and Eva May Clayton, an alleged citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

It does not appear from the records of this office that W. A. Clayton has been enrolled as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, or that he had an application for enrollment as such pending on April 26, 1906. Eva May Clayton, the mother of said applicant, was denied citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw-Chickasaw Citizenship Court, as Eva May Harrison, and her petition for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation was denied by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes on May 8, 1906, in the case entitled "John F. Sessums, et al., (C-69)", and on the same date the record in said case was forwarded to the Department.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that the application for the enrollment of Mary Dorris Clayton as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation should be denied, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

FEB 19 1907

23-905

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 19, 1907.

W. A. Clayton,

Palmer, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 19, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Mary Dorris Clayton as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-905

23-908

COPY

Muskegee, Indian Territory, February 19, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cernish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 19, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Mary Derris Clayton as a citizen ~~in~~ of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-908

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 19, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior:

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Mary Dorris Clayton as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 19, 1907, denying said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tams Bixby*

Commissioner.

* Incl.

Through the Commissioner
of Indian Affairs.

D.C. 18834
L.R.S.

J.P.A.
O.K.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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6988, 6964, 6966, 6968-07.

March 2, 1907.

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Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Washago, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Cheatew citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are enclosed.

Title of Case.	Date of Your Letter of Transmittal.
Eve Richardson, Jr., (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Frank and Willie Lee Roper (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Mary Berrie Clayton,	February 19, 1907.
Alexander Harland (Freedman),	February 18, 1907.
Harnest and Louis Fields (Freedman),	February 13, 1907.
Glenn Vaid Thompson (Freedman),	February 13, 1907.
Lovie Freany (Freedman),	February 16, 1907.
Kate D. Johnson (Miss. Chee.),	February 20, 1907.
John Littlejohn et al. (Freedman),	February 23, 1907.
Thomas Louis and James Russell (Freedman),	February 19, 1907.
Richard Hensley (Freedman),	February 18, 1907.
Mary Plummer,	February 14, 1907.
Reah Alton Galloway,	February 21, 1907.
Biley Cole (Freedman),	February 19, 1907.
Albert F. and Edith Ford,	February 21, 1907.
Alanch Estelle Aubrey et al.,	February 21, 1907.
Paul Jones,	February 21, 1907.

Title of Case.	Date of Your Letter of Transmittal.
Frances and Viola Brannon (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Mattie Smith (Freedman),	February 19, 1907.
Ora Williams (Freedman),	February 20, 1907.
William J. Manley,	February 21, 1907.
Vera and Nora Blowens,	February 18, 1907.
Annie Harkins (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Francis York,	February 21, 1907.
J. W. Huffman et al.,	February 18, 1907.
Sam H. and Joe A. Potts,	February 19, 1907.
Eva Wright,	November 20, 1906.
Thomas K. Starks, (intermarried),	February 19, 1907.

A copy hereof and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Jesse H. Wilson,

Assistant Secretary.

28 inc. and 56 inc.
for Indian Office.

V.C.F.
3-3-07.

LAND
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

February 28, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from Commissioner Bixby, dated February 19, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the application of Mary D. Clayton for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner dated February 19, 1907, adverse to the applicant.

The decision of the Commissioner has been examined and found to be correct and the same is recommended for approval.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,
Assistant Commissioner

H.R.D.-NL.

E.W.

23- 905

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 2, 1907.

W. A. Clayton,

Palmer, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 19, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Mary Dorris Clayton as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

Acting Commissioner.

23-906

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 2, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 8, 1907,
the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of the
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February
19, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Mary
Dorris Clayton as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

Acting Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 8, 1906.

Eva May Clayton,
Care of W. A. Clayton,
Palmer, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Eva May Clayton and J. W. Cooper to the birth of Mary Davis Clayton on March 7, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of your parents, the time and place application was made for your enrollment and, if you have made selection of land in the Choctaw Nation, give your roll number as the same appears upon your allotment certificates or deeds to said land.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

DCS.

Palmer, I. T.

Aug 22th 1906

Department of the Interior
Commissioner to the five Tribes
Muskogee, I. T.

Dear Sir

you requested me to give the name of my parents
and time of application. Application was made

I think in the latter part of 1895 by W. R. Seppens
my Parents name is Marry E. Harrison.

Respectfully

Eva Mar Clayton

Palmer, I. T.

I sent in the affidavits of Mabel Thelmer Clayton
whn I sent in my last application to the Commissioner.
with my marriage certificate. that stands good iff we
gane the case, don't it.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 29, 1906.

Eva May Clayton,
Palmer, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of August 12, 1906, in which you give the names of your parents and state when your application was made.

The information contained in your letter has enabled this office to identify you as having been denied citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court under the name of Eva May Harrison and the same have been filed with the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child Mary Davis Clayton.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Choc Minor 906

Jodie Lee Hancock

Refused Feb. 6, 1907.

Copy of decision forwarded
applicant Feb 6, 1907.

Copy of decision forwarded attorneys
for Choc. and Chick Nations
Feb 6, 1907.

Record forwarded Dept. Feb. 6, 1907.

Action approved by Secretary of
Interior Mar 1, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for Choc. and Chick.
Nations Apr. 13, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant Apr. 13, 1907.

M 906

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 28, 1906.

Jodie Lee Hancock

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved..... 190...

Commissioner.

Born Nov 20 1905

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation,
of *Jodie Lee Hancock*, born on the *20* day of *Nov* 1905.
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: *J. W. Hancock* a citizen of the *Choctaw* Nation.
Name of Mother: *Effie Hancock* a citizen of the *U. S.* Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father *Choctaw* Tribal enrollment of mother *U. S.*
Postoffice *Bornish, I. T.*

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, *Effie Hancock*, on oath state that I am *Winteen* years of age and a citizen by *U. S.* of the *U. S.* Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of *J. W. Hancock*, who is a citizen, by *Blood* of the *Choctaw* Nation; that a *Male* child was [Male or Female] born to me on *20* day of *Nov* 1905; that said child has been named *Jodie Lee Hancock* and was living March 4, 1906.
Effie Hancock

WITNESSES TO MARK:



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Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *June* 1906.
R. C. Dulaney
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, *Martha E. Dorsett*, a *Mid-wife*, on oath state that I attended on *Effie Hancock*, wife of *J. W. Hancock* on the *20* day of *Nov* 1905; that there was born to her on said date a *Male* child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named *Jodie Lee Hancock*.
Martha E. Dorsett mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:



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[] { }
D. A. Reynolds
A. B. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *June* 1906.
R. C. Dulaney
Notary Public.

23-906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Jodie Lee Hancock as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

-: D E C I S I O N :-

It appears from the record herein that on June 9,
1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five
Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Jodie Lee Hancock as a
citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of
the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from
the records in the possession of this office that the applicant
was born November 20, 1906 and is the son of Effie Hancock,
a non citizen and J. W. Hancock, who as John Hancock, was denied
citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw and Chickasaw
Citizenship Court April 30, 1904 in Case No. 27 on the South
McAlester Docket thereof.

I am of the opinion that Jodie Lee Hancock is not
entitled to enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw
Nation and that the application for his enrollment as such
should be denied under the provisions of the Act of Congress
approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

FEB 6 1907

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 6, 1907.

J. W. Hancock,

Cornish, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 6, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Jodie Lee Hancock as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tama Bixby*
Commissioner.

Registered.
Incl. 23-906.

23-906.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 6, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 6, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Jodie Lee Hancock as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tame Dixby*
Commissioner.

Incl. 23-906.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 6, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior:

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Jodie Lee Hanceck as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 6, 1907, denying said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tame Bixby*
Commissioner.

2 Incl. 23-906.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON,

I RS,
D.C. 12308-1907.

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5296, 5310, 5326, 5330, 5360- "
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5520, 5574, 5580, 5584, 5586- "
5588, 5592, 5596, 5604, 5614- "
5616, 5640, 5618, 5628, 5638- "
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March 1, 1907.

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

SIR:

Your decisions in the following Cherokee citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed:

Title of Case,	Date of your letter of transmittal.
Dennie Edmondson	January 16, 1907.
Josephine Loban, et al.	February 9, 1907.
Aure Allen Harvey, et al. (freedmen)	February 7, 1907.
Jodie Lee Hancock,	February 6, 1907.
James Louis Rogers, et al.	January 28, 1907.
Porter Buckner (freedman)	February 6, 1907.
Kather James (freedman)	February 6, 1907.
Melmie Butler, et al.	February 7, 1907.
Terna Dunlap, et al.	January 28, 1907.
Patty Prince, et al.	June 26, 1906.
Dave Reuby, et al.	January 29, 1907.
John Henry Sanders, et al. (freedmen)	January 24, 1907.
Lois Lucile Day	January 9, 1907.
Martha Parks, et al.	January 11, 1907.
David D. Tidwell, et al.	January 9, 1907.
A. J. Crowson, et al.	January 24, 1907.
Aner Williams, et al. (freedmen)	February 8, 1907.

Title of case.	Date of your letter of transmittal.
Mary Howry	January 26, 1907.
Edith Paul, et al.	January 26, 1907.
Willie J. Walker, et al.	January 4, 1907.
Martha McCoy (freedman)	January 31, 1907.
Thomas Virgil Bottens, et al.	January 9, 1907.
Augustus Burris (freedman)	February 8, 1907.
James Wilson Welch	January 28, 1907.
Vara L. Dillard	January 28, 1907.
Sammie Morris (freedman)	February 2, 1907.
Chessteanie Pearce	December 24, 1906.
Alta A. Brown, et al.	January 29, 1907.
William Henry Riddle	January 26, 1907.
Lula Reuton Bond, et al.	December 22, 1906.
Manina Maud Carrol	January 28, 1907.
Ruther Ervin et al.	November 10, 1906.
Harrison Robison	December 24, 1906.
George Robinson, et al.	December 24, 1906.
Carvenia Clark	November 10, 1906.
James King	January 28, 1907.
Nettie Brown, et al.	June 15, 1906.

A copy hereof and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office;

Respectfully,

Jesse H. Wilson

Assistant Secretary.

37 inclosures, and
74 to Ind. Of.

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3-1-07.

COPY.

Refer in reply to
the following. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
D.C. 12308-1907. OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
Land.
13708-1907. WASHINGTON.

February 23, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed the record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Jodie Lee Hancock as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 8, 1907, adverse to the applicant.

The record shows that on June 9, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Jodie Lee Hancock as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation. The record further shows that the applicant was born on November 20, 1906, and is the son of Effie Hancock, a non-citizen, and J. W. Hancock, who as John Hancock was denied citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court on April 30, 1904.

This case does not come within the Iula West case approved by the Department February 10, 1906 (I.T.D. 10383-1904), as the applicant did not have a tribal status in 1906. Therefore, by reason of the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stat. L., 137), the Office censures in the decision of

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Commissioner Bixby denying the enrollment of Jodie Lee Hancock
as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

REM-D.

23-906

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 13, 1907.

J. W. Hancock,
Cornish, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 6, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Jodie Lee Hancock as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 13, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 1, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 6, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Jodie Lee Hancock as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

ACTING Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 25, 1906.

J. W. Hancock,

Cornish, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Effie Hancock and Martha E. Dorset to the birth of Jodie Lee Hancock, child of J. W. and Effie Hancock, November 20, 1905.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for your enrollment and if you have selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give your roll number as it appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Com'r. To Five Tribes,
Muskogee, I. Ty.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application, for the enrollment, as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, of Jodie Lee Hancock, 23-906, minor child of J. W. and Effie Hancock, and Verna Vernita Bryant, 23-908, minor child of Chas. E. and Viola Bryant, you are advised that J. W. Hancock is a brother to Viola Bryant, and they state that they have never been placed on the final roll of citizens of the Choctaw Nation, but are what is commonly known as Court Claimants. They state further that their applications as citizens of the Choctaw Nation were made through their mother, Mrs. Laura Hancock, and that their attorneys are Cruce, Bleakemore and Cruce of Ardmore I. T.

The field data, in these cases, is returned herewith.

Respectfully,

Andrew J. Gardenhire.

Choc. Minor 907

Julius Colbert

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NEW BORN

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of
MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906

M *Julius Colbert*

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation

Approved _____ 190_____

Commissioner.

Born April 17" 1906

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED
TRIBES.

It appearing from the within affidavits that the applicant, Julius Colbert, was born subsequent to March 4, 1906, I am of the opinion that under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137) I am without authority to receive, consider or make any record of any application for the enrollment of the said Julius Colbert as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and therefore, I should decline to receive the same, and it is so ordered.

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

JAN 21 1907

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1905

not identified

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Ind. Ter. born on the 17th day of April 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: John Colbert a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Name of Mother: Mollie Colbert a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Choctaw Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Eaglestown I.T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Mollie Colbert on oath state that I am 75
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John Colbert, who is a citizen, by
blood of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
born to me on 17 April 1906, that said child has been named
Julius Colbert, and was living March 4, 1906.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { Alison J. McDure
Richard Dean
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June 1906.
Richard Dean
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Sam Barber on oath state that I
attended on Mollie Colbert wife of John Colbert
on the 17 day of April 1906; that there was born to her on said date a Male
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Julius Colbert

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be two Witnesses] { Alison J. McDure
Richard Dean
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of June 1906.
Richard Dean
Notary Public

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~~RECEIVED~~
Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 28, 1906.

John Colbert,
Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of September 28, 1906, asking relative to the application for the enrollment of your child Julius Colbert.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it appears from the affidavits heretofore forwarded to the birth of your child Julius Colbert that this child was born April 12, 1906, and the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, provided only for the enrollment of children of Choctaw and Chickasaw citizens who were living March 4, 1906.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 22, 1906.

John Colbert,

Eagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Mollie Colbert and Lee [redacted] to the birth of Julius Colbert, child of John and Mollie Colbert, April 12, 1906.

It is stated in the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment, and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as the same appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory. January 22, 1907.

John Colbert,

Bagletown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are advised that it appears from the records of this office that your minor child, Julius Colbert, was born subsequent to March 4, 1906. The Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes on January 21, 1907, declined to receive the application for his enrollment as a minor citizen of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc. Minor 908

Verna Vernita Bryant

Refused Feb. 13, 1907.

Action approved by Secretary of
Interior Mar 2, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorneys for Choc. and Chick.
Nations Apr. 12, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant Apr. 12, 1907.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 28, 1906.

Verma Vermiti Bryant

as a citizen of

Chetaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

.....
Commissioner.

Born Feb'y 15" 1904.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 20, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Verna Verniti Bryant, born on the 15 day of Feb'y 1904
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Chas. E. Bryant a citizen of the U. S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Viola Bryant a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father..... Tribal enrollment of mother.....
Postoffice: Cornish, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Viola Bryant, on oath state that I am 25
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Chas. E. Bryant, who is a citizen, by
of the U. S. Nation; that a Female child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 15 day of Feb'y 1904; that said child has been named
Verna Verniti Bryant and was living March 4, 1906.
Viola Bryant

WITNESSES TO MARK:



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of June 1906.
R. O. Dulaney
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Martha E. Larcett, a mid-wife, on oath state that I
attended on Viola Bryant, wife of Chas. E. Bryant
on the 15 day of Feb'y 1904; that there was born to her on said date a Female
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Verna Verniti Bryant.
Martha E. Larcett

WITNESSES TO MARK:



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of June 1906.
R. O. Dulaney
Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

J. H. D.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
Verna Verniti Bryant as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

-: D E C I S I O N :-

It appears from the record herein that on June 19, 1906, application was made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Verna Verniti Bryant as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137).

It further appears from the record herein and from the records in the possession of this office that the applicant was born February 15, 1904 and is the daughter of Viola Bryant, who as Viola Hancock, was denied citizenship in the Choctaw Nation by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court April 30, 1904, in Case No. 27 on the South Mollister Docket thereof and Chas. E. Bryant, a non citizen.

I am of the opinion that Verna Verniti Bryant is not entitled to enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation and that the application for her enrollment as such should be denied under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906 (34 Stats., 137), and it is so ordered.

[Handwritten signature]

Commissioner.

Waskoge, Indian Territory,

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 13, 1907.

Chas. E. Bryant,
Cernish, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 13, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Verna Verniti Bryant as a citizen by blood of the Chestaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Registered.

Incl. 23-908

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 13, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations.

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 13, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Verna Verniti Bryant as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-908

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 13, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior:

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Verna Verniti Bryant as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 13, 1907, denying said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Jame Bixby*

Commissioner.

2 Incl.

Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

D. C. 12633-1907.

JP.
O. K.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON. March 2, 1907.

IRS.

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6742, 6752, 6752-07.
6756, 6758, 6756-07.
6798, 6806, 6816, 6820-07.
6822, 6830-07.

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Choctaw citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are enclosed:

Title of Case.	Title of Your Letter of Transmittal.
Richard Floyd (Freedman),	February 13, 1907.
Dave and Addie May Bailey (Freedman)	February 13, 1907.
Archie and Lovie McKinney (Freedman)	February 14, 1907.
Benie Cochran (Freedman),	February 13, 1907.
Henny Cole and Lina Ellen Cole (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
H. C. Seale, et al.,	February 14, 1907.
Wassell and Lavoter Artry, (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Wattie J. Sisson, et al.,	December 28, 1906.
Emma and Evaline Jackson,	February 14, 1907.
Lee Hall Bennett,	February 15, 1907.

Title of Case.	Date of your letter of transmittal.
Maie Warner, et al., (Freedmen),	February 16, 1907.
Katie Simpson, et al.,	February 16, 1907.
Raymond Henry Davis,	February 14, 1907.
Nancy T. Wilson, et al., (Miss. Choc.),	February 12, 1907.
J. H. Hill and Newton Hill,	January 28, 1907.
Fiera Lee Spring (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
William Edgar and Oscar Jeffreys, (Miss. Choc.),	February 11, 1907.
Celestine Pierce (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
Rick Cubit (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
Lucretia Hadnot, et al.,	February 15, 1907.
Susan A. Baird,	February 15, 1907.
William Allen Gee (Miss. Choc.),	February 12, 1907.
Ella Williams (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
Ida Colbert,	February 12, 1907.
Nable Everidge (Freedman),	February 15, 1907.
Duckie May Habrie (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
Cornelius and Vanoda Riddle (Freedmen),	February 12, 1907.
Jimmie Lee Alexander (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
Fred M. Patterson, et al.,	February 15, 1907.
Ed Childers, et al., (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
Lizzie Dennis (Freedman),	February 16, 1907.
Mellen D'Grace McMurty,	February 12, 1907.
Nable Bailey and Susan Anna Bailey (Freedman),	February 12, 1907.
John Lewis (Freedman),	February 15, 1907.
Amanda Nutchy, (Freedman),	February 15, 1907.
Matt Davis, et al.,	February 15, 1907.
Marjie Record (Freedman),	February 15, 1907.
Laura Henry (Freedman),	February 14, 1907.
Gillie Webster (Freedman),	February 15, 1907.
James McCall,	February 15, 1907.
Hollie Elizabeth Kendrick (Freedman),	February 15, 1907.
Elwood Judy (Freedman),	February 15, 1907.
Oscar Brown (Freedman),	February 15, 1907.
Verna Verniti Bryant,	February 15, 1907.
Richard R. Parry (Freedman),	February 15, 1907.
James Lake Tubbee (Miss. Choc.),	February 20, 1907.
Hinda Berryman (Miss. Choc.),	February 20, 1907.
Abel Rogers (Miss. Choc.),	February 20, 1907.

A copy heretof and all the papers in the above mentioned

cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Jesse H. Wilson,

Assistant Secretary.

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Refer in reply to the following:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

February 28, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Verna Vernice Bryant as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of Commissioner Bixby dated February 13, 1907, adverse to the applicant.

The decision of Commissioner Bixby has been examined and found to be correct and its approval is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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23-908

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 12, 1907.

Charles E. Bryant,

Cornish, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 13, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Verna Verniti Bryant as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

25-309

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 2, 1907.

Manfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 2, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 13, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Verna Verniti Bryant as a citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 26, 1906.

Chas. E. Bryant,
Cornish, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavits of Viola Bryant and Martha E. Dorsett to the birth of Verna Verniti Bryant, child of Chas. E. Bryant, and Viola Bryant February 15, 1904.

It appears from the affidavit of the mother that she is a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. If this is correct you are requested to give the names of her parents, the time and place application was made for her enrollment and if she has selected an allotment of the lands of the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Com'r. To Five Tribes,
Muskogee, I. Ty.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application, for the enrollment, as citizens of the Choctaw Nation, of Jodie Lee Hancock, 23-906, minor child of J. W. and Effie Hancock, and Verna Vernita Bryant, 23-908, minor child of Chas. E. and Viola Bryant, you are advised that J. W. Hancock is a brother to Viola Bryant, and they state that they have never been placed on the final roll of citizens of the Choctaw Nation, but are what is commonly known as Court Claimants. They state further that their applications as citizens of the Choctaw Nation were made through their mother, Mrs. Laura Hancock, and that their attorneys are Crace, Bleakmore and Crace of Ardmore I. T.

The field data, in these cases, is returned herewith.

Respectfully,

Andrew J. Gardenhire.

Choc. Minor 909

Roscoe Burney

Refused Feb. 21, 1907.

Record forwarded Dept. Feb. 21, 1907.

Action approved by Secretary of
Interior Mar. 4, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorney for Choc. and Chick.
Nations Apr. 4, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action forwarded
attorney for applicant Apr. 4, 1907.

Notice of Dept. action mailed
applicant Apr 4, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment
as a citizen by blood of the Cheataw Nation of

ROSCOE BURNETT, 23-909.

23-909

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Roscoe Burney.....

as a citizen of

Choctaw..... Nation.

Approved..... 190...

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Commissioner.

Born Feby 24" 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Roscoe Burney born on the 24 day of February 1906
[Here insert name of child]
Name of Father: Robert Burney claims Choctaw by blood a citizen of the Nation.
Name of Mother: Nancy Narcissa Burney claims Choctaw by blood a citizen of the Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father Tribal enrollment of mother

Postoffice

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

Central District.

I, Nancy Narcissa Burney, on oath state that I am 40
years of age and a citizen by claim citizenship by blood of Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of Robert Burney, who is a citizen, by
of the Choctaw Nation; that a Male child was
[Male or Female]
born to me on 24 day of February 1906; that said child has been named
Roscoe and was living March 4, 1906.

Nancy Narcissa ^{Rev} Burney
mark

WITNESSES TO MARK:



[Must be Two Witnesses]

James E. Greaham
E. N. Wilkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1906.

James E. Greaham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,

..... District.

I,, on oath state that I
attended on wife of
on the day of 1906; that there was born to her on said date a
[Male or Female]
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1906.

Notary Public.

23-909.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of
of Rescoe Burney as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw
Nation.

-: D E C I S I O N :-

The record herein shows that on June 28, 1906,
application was received at the office of the Commissioner
to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Rescoe
Burney as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation; that
said applicant was born on February 24, 1906, and was liv-
ing on March 4, 1906; that he is the child of Robert Bur-
ney and Nancy Narcissa Burney, who claim to be citizens
by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The records of this office show that Robert
Burney and Nancy Narcissa Burney, parents of the applicant,
have been enrolled as Chickasaw freedmen, and their names
appear on the final roll of Chickasaw freedmen approved
by the Secretary of the Interior, opposite numbers 3303
and 3304, respectively. Application for the transfer of
their names from the roll of Chickasaw freedmen to the
roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, was de-
nied by the Department on January 30, 1907, in the case
of Bill Colbert, et al., (W. No. 1).

I am of the opinion that the application for the
enrollment of Rescoe Burney as a citizen by blood of the
Choctaw Nation should be denied under the provisions of
the Act of Congress approved April 28, 1906 (34 Stats.,
137), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskegee, Indian Territory.

FEB 21 1907

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COPY

Muskegee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

Robert Burney,

Care M. M. Lindley,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 21, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Rescoe Burney as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tame Bibby*

Commissioner.

Registered
Incl. 23-909.

23-909.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

M. M. Lindley,

Attorney at law,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 21, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Roscoe Burney as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Registered
Incl. 23-909.

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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,

Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, rendered February 21, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Roscoe Burney as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings in the case, is this day transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for review. The final decision of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby*

Commissioner.

Incl. 23-909.

COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 21, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith record of proceedings in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Readee Barney as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, including the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 21, 1907, denying said application.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Jame Bixby*

Commissioner.

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Through the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

I. T. D.

WASHINGTON.

March 4, 1907.

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6868, 6872, 6878, 6880- "
6886, 6888, 6890, 6892- "
7394, 6896, 7576, 7632- "

DIRECT.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Choctaw citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are inclosed.

Title of Case.	Date of your letter or transmittal.
Emma Crawford (intermarried)	February 18, 1907.
Sadie A. Stidham (intermarried)	February 18, 1907.
Selma Nail (freedman)	February 15, 1907.
Lucretia Weatherly, et al.	February 12, 1907.
Charlotte Jones (freedman)	February 14, 1907.
Clayton Howlaway, et al. (freedman)	February 14, 1907.
Lillie Neah	February 21, 1907.
Agnes Childers (intermarried)	February 14, 1907.
Erna Brown (freedman)	February 19, 1907.
Ballie Schooley, et al.	February 23, 1907.
Abner Owens, et al. (freedman)	February 23, 1907.
Bena H. Gardner	February 21, 1907.
Mary H. Boyles, et al. (freedman)	February 20, 1907.
Roscoe Dursey	February 21, 1907.
Richard S. Bonnight, et al.	February 18, 1907.
Abigail Kimble, et al.	February 21, 1907.

A copy hereof and the papers in the above mentioned

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cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

E. A. Hitchcock,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

March 1, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from Commissioner Bixby dated february 21, 1907, transmitting the record relative to the application of Roscoe Burney for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation. On february 21, 1907, the Commissioner denied the application. The record has been examined and it is found that the position taken by the Commissioner is correct. The approval of his decision is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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23-909

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 4, 1907.

Robert Burney,

X M. H. Lindley,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 4, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 21, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Roscoe Burney as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

Acting Commissioner.

25-909

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 4, 1907.

M. M. Lindley,

Attorney at Law,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that on March 4, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 21, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Rescoe Burney as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers.

Acting Commissioner.

25-909

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 4, 1907.

Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish,
Attorneys for Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations,
South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that on March 4, 1907, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the decision of this office of February 21, 1907, denying the application for the enrollment of Roscoe Burney as a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Rodgers,
Acting Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 2, 1906.

James E. Gresham,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of Nancy Narcissa Burney to the birth of Roscoe Burney, child of Robert and Nancy Narcissa Burney, February 24, 1906.

It is stated in the affidavit of Nancy Narcissa Burney, the mother of this child, that she claims to be a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct it will be necessary that this office be advised where and under what name application was made for her enrollment, the names of her parents, and if she has selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give her roll number as it appears upon her allotment certificate.

The post office address of Nancy Narcissa Burney was not given in her affidavit sworn to before you on the 27th day of June, 1906, and you are requested to communicate with her in reference to this matter in order that this office may identify her upon its records.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

23-909

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 2, 1906.

Robert Burney,

South McAlester, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 27, 1906, asking if you can file for your children Roscoe and Vicey Burney.

In reply to your letter you are advised that if you will state the names under which you and Nancy Narcissa Burney were enrolled and give your roll numbers as the same appears upon your allotment certificates, the matter of the enrollment of your child Roscoe Burney will receive further consideration.

Please give this matter immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc. Minor 910

Lula Myrtle Casey

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved
April 26, 1906.

Lula Myrtle Casey
as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved... NOV 28 1906 ... 190...

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Commissioner.

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ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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[Signature]
Commissioner

CHOCTAW

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Don't know who the girl is
72579
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Lula Myrtle Casey, born on the 22 day of December 1905
(Here insert name of child)
Name of Father: John F. Casey a citizen of the U.S. Nation.
Name of Mother: Eliza Casey a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: Tribal enrollment of mother: Choctaw
Postoffice: Spira Ind. Terr.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Eliza Casey, on oath state that I am 28
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John F. Casey, who is a citizen, by
of the U.S. Nation; that a Female child was
(Male or Female)
born to me on 22 day of December, 1905; that said child has been named
Lula Myrtle Casey and was living March 4, 1906.
Eliza Casey

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1906.

My commission expires Mar. 3, 1910

J. H. Bowser
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Central District.

I, Mrs. M. J. Willkett, a midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Eliza Casey, wife of John F. Casey
on the 22 day of December, 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
(Male or Female)
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Lula Myrtle
Casey
M. J. Willkett

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1906.

My commission expires Mar. 3, 1910

J. H. Bowser
Notary Public.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Lula Myrtle Casey

as a citizen of

Choctaw

Nation.

Approved, 190

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Shoetan Nation,
of Lula Myrtle Casey, born on the 22 day of December, 1906
(Here insert name of child.)
Name of Father: John F. Casey, a citizen of the U States Nation.
Name of Mother: Eliza Casey, a citizen of the Shoetan Nation.
Post-office, Oak Lodge, I T

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central District.

I, Eliza Casey, on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen, by Shoetan Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John F. Casey, who is a citizen, by
of the United States Nation, that a Female child was
(male or female.)
born to me on the 22nd day of December, 1906; that said child has been
named Lula Myrtle Casey, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK

(Must be Two)
Witnesses

Eliza Casey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1906.

my Commission Exp March 3rd, 1906 J. H. Bowman

NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Central District.

I, A. J. Willkott, a Midwife, on oath state that I
attended on Mrs. Eliza Casey, wife of John F. Casey,
on the 22nd day of December, 1906; that there was born to her on
said date a Female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been
(male or female.)
named Lula Myrtle Casey.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two)
Witnesses

A. J. Willkott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1906.

my Commission Exp March 3rd, 1906 J. H. Bowman

NOTARY PUBLIC.

7-2431

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 18, 1906.

John F. Casey,

Oak Lodge, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the affidavit of Eliza Casey and N. J. Willkett to the birth of Lula Myrtle Casey, child of John F. and Eliza Casey, December 22, 1905.

You are advised that under the act of Congress approved March 3, 1905, there was no authority for the enrollment of children born to citizens of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation since March 3, 1905.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-NB-1818

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 13, 1906.

John F. Casey,

Oaklodge, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of May 26, 1906, in which you ask if it will be necessary to forward new affidavits to the birth of your child Lula Myrtle Casey, December 22, 1905.

In reply to your letter you are advised that it will be necessary that new affidavits be forwarded to the birth of your child Lula Myrtle Casey, showing that she was living March 4, 1906, and for this purpose there is inclosed herewith blank application for the enrollment of minor children under the act of Congress approved April 28, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

7-2579

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 3, 1906.

Eliza Casey,
Spiro, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 21, 1906, asking if the application for the enrollment of your baby, Lula Myrtle Casey, born December 22, 1905, has been received.

In reply you are advised that the affidavits of Eliza Casey and Mrs. H. J. Willkett to the birth of Lula Myrtle Casey, child of John F. and Eliza Casey, December 22, 1905, have been received.

It is stated in your affidavit that you are a citizen by blood of the Choctaw Nation, and if this is correct you are requested to state where and under what name application was made for your enrollment, the names of your parents, and if you have selected an allotment of land in the Choctaw or Chickasaw Nation give your roll number as it appears upon your allotment certificate.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

No. 7-2579

Spiro, I. T. Aug 14, 1906.

Dawes Comm Muskogee. Yours of 8-3 inst will say in reply That I am the Daughter of Joseph R. H. Ward & Lula M. Ward My Roll No. 7029 on my certificate I filed July 30th 1904 in the Choctaw Nation. I was enrolled by Joseph R. H. Ward as Eliza Ward in June 1899. Can you give me any information when the babies will be approved.

Respect

Eliza Casey.

23-910

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 9, 1906.

Eliza Casey,

Box 123,

Spiro, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of October 30, 1906, asking the status of the application for the enrollment of your child Lula Myrtle Casey.

In reply to your letter you are advised that the name of your child Lula Myrtle Casey has ~~not~~ yet been placed upon a schedule of minor citizens of the Choctaw Nation under the act of Congress approved April 26, 1906, which has been prepared for forwarding to the Secretary of the Interior, but in event additional evidence is necessary to enable this office to determine the right of said child to enrollment you will be duly advised.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Choc Minor 911

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Josephine Cornish

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Choctaw MINOR 23-911

Levi Cornish
Josephine Cornish

Apr. 26-1906

Transferred to Miss. Chec.
MB. no. 369.

Choc. Minor 912

Martha May Lemon

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NEW BORN 912

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

MINOR CHILD

Act of Congress Approved

April 26, 1906

Martha May Lemon

as a citizen of

Choctaw Nation.

Approved *NOV. 23 1906* 190...

Commissioner.

Born March 20 1905

ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 26, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL LANDS AND SURVEY

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ENROLLMENT OF MINORS. ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED APRIL 23, 1906.

IN RE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT, as a citizen of the Choctaw Nation,
of Martha May Lemon born on the 20th day of March 1905
Name of Father: John R. Lemon ^{non} a citizen of the _____ Nation.
Name of Mother: Eda Lemon a citizen of the Choctaw Nation.
Tribal enrollment of father: _____ Tribal enrollment of mother: 4138
Postoffice: Leon, S. I.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, Eda Lemon on oath state that I am 27
years of age and a citizen by Blood of the Choctaw Nation;
that I am the lawful wife of John R. Lemon who is ^{non} a citizen, by
_____ of the _____ Nation; that a Female child was
born to me on 20th day of March 1905; that said child has been named
Martha May Lemon and was living March 4, 1906.
Eda Lemon

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June 1906.
W. A. Vatter
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MID-WIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Indian Territory,
Southern District.

I, J. B. Wilson ^{Mid. Wife} on oath state that I
attended on Eda Lemon wife of John R. Lemon
on the 20th day of March 1905; that there was born to her on said date a Female
child; that said child was living March 4, 1906, and is said to have been named Martha May Lemon
J. B. Wilson

WITNESSES TO MARK:

[Must be Two Witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June 1906.
W. A. Vatter
Notary Public.

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7-5637.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 11, 1906.

Ida Lemon,
Leon, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your affidavit and the affidavit of F. B. Wilson to the birth of Martha May Lemon, child of John R. and Ida Lemon, March 20, 1905.

It is stated in your affidavit that your husband, John R. Lemon, is a non-citizen of the Choctaw Nation, and you are advised that it appears from the records of this office that Ida Lemon, (formerly Ida Fowler), is the wife of John Lemon who is a full blood citizen of the Choctaw Nation. You are requested to advise this office if the information, heretofore received at this office, that you are the wife of John Lemon, a full blood citizen of the Choctaw Nation, is in error.

You are further requested to give the names of your parents and also the names of your other children.

You are informed that your roll number, as given in the application for the enrollment of your child, Martha May Lemon, is 4133, and the person whose name appears at number 4133, upon the approved roll of citizens by blood of the Choctaw Nation, is Mary Jane Williams. You are therefore requested to examine your allotment certificate and give your roll number instead of the certificate number appearing thereon.

Respectfully,

Copy.

Leon, Ind.Ter. July 26th 06.

Commission to Five Civilized Tribes

Muskogee, I T

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of 11th Inst will state that your information to the effect that John Lemon a full blood Choctaw is my husband is an error.

The names of my parents were:- Nathan Steward was my father and Mary Steward was my mother.

My childrens names are Emma Fowler, Charley Fowler, and Martha May Lemon.

My enrollment number is 14860.

Very Respectfully,

Ida Lemon

My present husband is John R. Lemon a citizen of the United States.

Ida Lemon.

7-NE-1457

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 15, 1906.

Ida Lemon,

Leon, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of July 26, 1906, in which you state that the names of your parents are Nathan Steward and Mary Steward; that your roll number is 14860, and that the name of your present husband is John R. Lemon, a citizen of the United States.

In reply you are advised that the information contained in your letter has been made a part of the record in the matter of the enrollment of your child, Martha May Lemon, under the Act of Congress approved April 23, 1906.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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