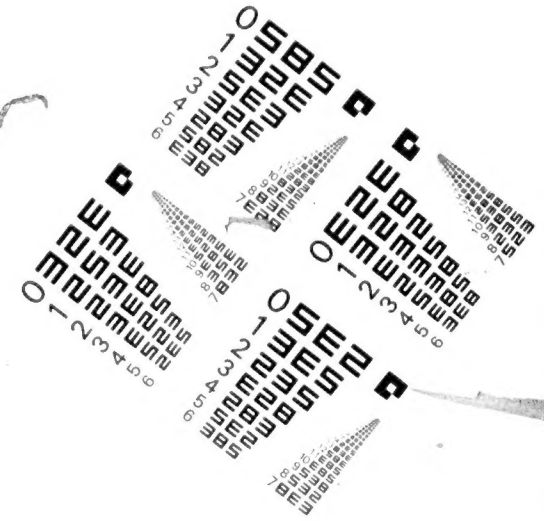


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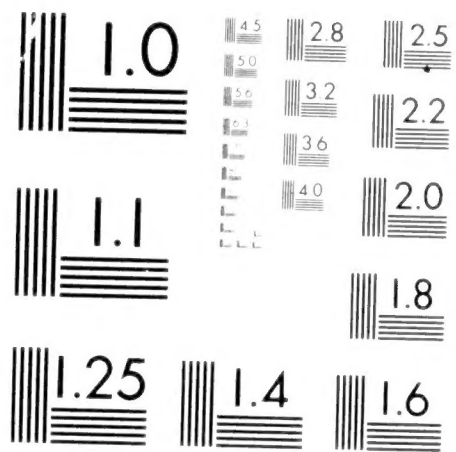
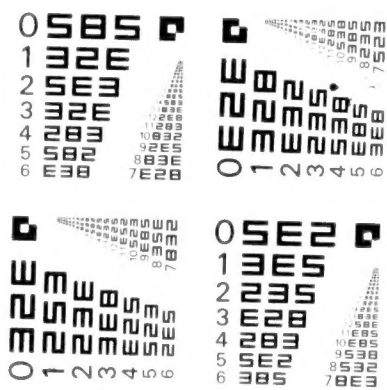
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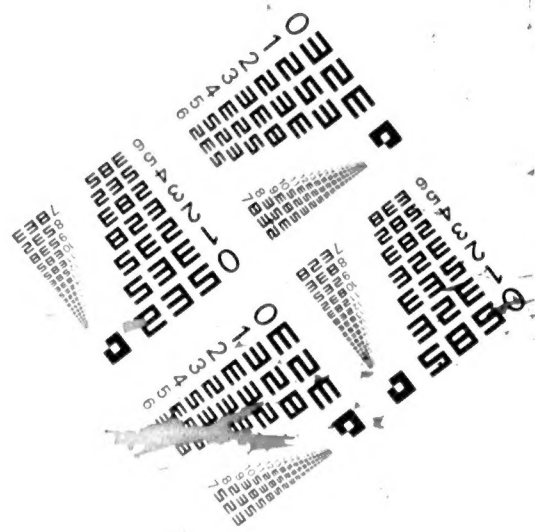
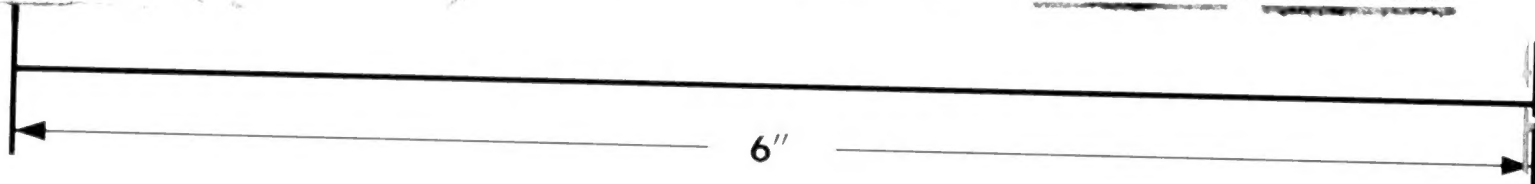


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INTRODUCTION

On the 348 rolls of this microfilm publication are reproduced the applications submitted for shares of the money that was appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Congress on June 30, 1906. The Eastern Cherokee applications, August 29, 1906-May 26, 1909, are part of the Guion Miller Enrollment Records that are among the records of the U.S. Court of Claims. This publication also includes a general index to Eastern Cherokee applications (two vols.).

History

Before the U.S. Court of Claims was established in 1855 there was no procedure by which claims arising against the U.S. Government could be enforced by suit. Consideration of claims was provided for when the Treasury Department was established in 1789; later acts of the Congress authorized the Department to settle all claims by or against the Government. If a claim was rejected by the Treasury Department, the claimant's only course of action was to appeal directly to the Congress. Petitions to that body for relief had become so numerous by the middle of the 19th century that the Congress was beginning to find it impossible to make the proper and necessary investigations for actions on the claims.

The U.S. Court of Claims was established by an act of February 24, 1855, to hear claims against the United States including those referred to the court by the Congress, based on any law of the Congress, any regulation of an executive department, or any contract with the Government, whether explicit or implied. Under this act the court served only as a factfinding agency, and its conclusions were submitted to the Congress for approval and for the granting of awards. In 1863 the Congress enlarged the court's jurisdiction and gave it authority to render judgments against the Government, with the right of appeal to the Supreme Court. An act of 1925 abolished appeals from the Court of Claims to the Supreme Court and substituted writs of certiorari.

An act approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stat. 726), gave the Court of Claims jurisdiction over any claim arising under treaty stipulations that the Cherokee Tribe, or any band thereof, might have against the United States and over any claims that the United States might have against any Cherokee Tribe or band. Suit for such a claim was to be instituted within 2 years after the act was approved. As a result, three suits were brought before the court concerning grievances arising out of the treaties:



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(1) *The Cherokee Nation v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23199; (2) *The Eastern and Emigrant Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23212; and (3) *The Eastern Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23214.

On May 18, 1905, the court decided in favor of the Eastern Cherokees and instructed the Secretary of the Interior to identify the persons entitled to participate in the distribution of funds for payment of the claims. On June 30, 1906, the Congress appropriated more than \$1 million for this purpose. The task of compiling a roll of eligible persons was begun by Guion Miller, special agent of the Interior Department. In a decree of April 29, 1907, the court (1) vacated that part of its earlier decision that had given the Secretary of the Interior responsibility for determining the eligibility of claimants and (2) appointed Miller as a special commissioner of the Court of Claims.

The same decree also provided that the fund was to be distributed to all Eastern and Western Cherokee Indians who were alive on May 28, 1906, who could establish the fact that at the time of the treaties they were members of the Eastern Cherokee Tribe or were descendants of such persons, and that they had not been affiliated with any tribe of Indians other than the Eastern Cherokee or the Cherokee Nation. The decree further provided that claimants should already have applications on file with the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, or should file such applications with the special commissioner of the Court of Claims on or before August 31, 1907. Additionally, applications for minors and persons of unsound mind were to be filed by their parents or persons having their care and custody, and applications for persons who had died after May 28, 1906, were to be filed by their children or legal representatives.

In his report of May 28, 1909, Miller stated that 45,847 separate applications had been filed, representing a total of about 90,000 individual claimants, 30,254 of whom were enrolled as entitled to share in the fund--3,203 residing east and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi River. On June 10, 1909, the court confirmed and approved the roll, submitted by Miller in his report, of Eastern Cherokees who were entitled to a share of the fund except "so much as shall be expected (excepted) to on or before August 30, 1909." After the exceptions had been filed and investigated, Miller submitted a supplemental report and roll to the court on January 5, 1910. In this report he stated that about 11,750 exceptions had been made, that the names of 610 persons (238 east and 372 west of the Mississippi) had been added to the roll, and that the names of 44 persons (5 east and 39 west of the Mississippi) had been stricken from the roll because clerical errors in enrollment had been discovered. Thus the final figure on the total number of persons entitled to share in the fund was 30,820, of which 3,436 persons

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resided east and 27,384 resided west of the Mississippi River. On March 15, 1910, the court finally decreed that the rolls be approved and that, after certain deductions for expenditures, payments were to be made equally among the Eastern Cherokees who were enrolled. The court also authorized the Secretary of the Treasury to issue a warrant in favor of each person.

In certifying the eligibility of the Cherokees, Miller used earlier census lists and rolls that had been made of the Cherokees by Hester, Chapman, Drennen, and others between 1835 and 1884. Copies of some of these rolls and the indexes to them are filed with the Miller records (filmed as M685). Other enrollment records used by Miller are among the classified subject files of the Bureau and are designated as "33931-11-053 Cherokee Nation."

### Records

The applications contain sworn evidences of identity and were filed with the Interior Department's Office of Indian Affairs until April 29, 1907 (the last application was No. 22268), after which the applications were filed directly with the court. The application required each claimant to state fully his or her English and Indian names, residence, age, place of birth, name of husband or wife, name of tribe, and names of children. It further required the English and Indian names of the claimant's parents and grandparents, place of their birth, place of their residence in 1851 if they were living at that time, dates of their death, and a statement as to whether any of them had ever before been enrolled as Indians for annuities or other benefits and, if so, with what tribe. Each claimant was also to furnish the names of all brothers and sisters, with their ages and residences, and the names and residences of all uncles and aunts. Applications were required to be made under oath and to be supported by affidavits of two witnesses who were well acquainted with the applicant. With each application is a card showing final action taken and the reasons therefore. Filed with many of the applications are inquiries concerning the status of the cases, requests for further evidence, protests about unfavorable actions, form letters that had been sent by the special commissioner to the applicants as notices of rejection of their applications and returned by the Post Office Department as unclaimed, affidavits and statements of witnesses, powers of attorney, and last wills and testaments. The applications are arranged by the number assigned at the time the application was received. There are some gaps in the application numbers; these are explained on insert sheets at the appropriate places on the film. The index is arranged alphabetically by name (either English or Indian) of claimant.

Many of the files contain a cross-reference card to other applications. This cross-reference card often refers to the EX file, the report on exceptions filed by Miller on January 5, 1910.

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### Related Records

The records reproduced in this microfilm publication are part of the records in the custody of the National Archives and Records Service (NARS) designated as Records of the U.S. Court of Claims, Record Group (RG) 123. Among related records in this record group are additional records relating to Miller's enrollment of the Eastern Cherokees. These include receipts for Treasury warrants and miscellaneous correspondence, 1906-11. The original of these records is in RG 123; a copy is in RG 75.

Some related records in Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, RG 75, have been reproduced as NARS Microfilm Publication T496, *Census Roll, 1835, of the Cherokee Indians East of the Mississippi and Index to the Roll*. Also in RG 75 are the classified subject files of the Bureau.

*Records Relating to Enrollment of Eastern Cherokees by Guion Miller, 1908-10*, M685, contains the general index to Eastern Cherokee applications, 2 volumes; the report submitted by Guion Miller, May 28, 1909, 10 volumes; the roll of Eastern Cherokees, May 28, 1909; the report on exceptions filed, January 5, 1910; the supplemental roll of Eastern Cherokees, January 5, 1910; transcripts of testimony, February, 1908-March 1909, 10 volumes; various indexes and rolls of Eastern Cherokee Indians, 1851, 1854, and 1884; and miscellaneous notes and drafts.

Additional records relating to the enrollment of Eastern Cherokee Indians are in Records of the Office of the Secretary of the Interior, Record Group 48.

These records were prepared for filming by Jestine Turner and William D. Grover, who also prepared these introductory remarks.

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APPLICATIONS OF THE  
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1906-1909

Roll 9

Application Nos. 682-778

**THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES  
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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION**

**WASHINGTON: 1980**



No. 682.

Action: Admitted

Name Wash Swinney and 1 children. Residence: Rose, Okla.

Reasons:

This applicant himself and also his father Coh. geh  
we are enrolled by Deemen from Dela-  
ware District under group # 689.

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No. 682

Name Wash Swimmer

With No. For May 11

Remarks:

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Cannot find names  
on rolls.

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Wash Swimmer

Grouped herewith —  
#2034

Cannot find applicant  
on accounts on roll.

*Supl.*

No. *189*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mark Swimmer*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Wash Srinumer

Indian name: Ar-ta-was-ka low cow wee

2. Residence: Pauls East Locust Grove St.

3. Town and post office: Rose

4. County: 5th Dist

5. State: Indian Ter

6. Date and place of birth: about 1847 Seewans Dist Cherokee Nation Ia

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: (1) My own Ar-ta-was-ka low cow wee  
(2) low-cow-wee (3) Quatsy (4) Hill low cow wee  
(5) Charlie low-cow-wee (6) Wilson low-cow-wee

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Quatsy Srinumer about 56 yrs  
old Cherokee Indian

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: low-cow-wee

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name: Quatsy low cow wee

Maiden name: Quatsy Foincey

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation East

Mother: " " "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Seewans Dist Cherokee Nation Ia

Mother: " " " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: about 1852 Mother: about 1851

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes Emigrant money 1851*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Will</i>	<i>born once</i>	<i>Unknown</i>
(2)	<i>Charlie</i>	"	<i>Sept 27<sup>th</sup> 1897</i>
(3)	<i>Wilson</i>	"	<i>about 1867</i>
(4)			<i>1853</i>
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Squam-dah-lee Grandpa</i>	<i>Tee-ai-ey</i>
<i>John</i>	<i>John</i>

17. Where were they born?

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Unknown*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<i>Ton-e-no-ke</i>	<i>dead</i>
Indian name:	"	
Residence:		
(2) English name:		
Indian name:	<i>Se-gill-ey</i>	<i>dead</i>
Residence:		
(3) English name:		
Indian name:	<i>Ste-mey</i>	<i>dead</i>
Residence:		
(4) English name:		
Indian name:	<i>Have-sou-ey</i>	<i>dead</i>
Residence:		
(5) English name:		
Indian name:	<i>Te-con-war-te-ey</i>	<i>dead</i>
Residence:		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Yes Emigrant 1851 and all Cherokee Per capita Payments in Saline Dist Cherokee Nation IA also*

*final Roll by Comr to Five Tribes*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My father name was Low Cowee - my mother Quatey  
My brothers were Will - Charlie and Wilson  
all dead and left no children I have no family  
records -*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Wash Swinour*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *the 2nd* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Nov 11*, 190*9* *D. W. Ragsdale*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *George Sanders* and  
*Clare O. Fields*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Wash Swinour*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *40* years and *44* years,  
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. M. Bryan* *George Sanders*  
*Daniel Tilden* *Clare O. Fields*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *the 2* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Nov 11*, 190*9* *D. W. Ragsdale*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 682

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

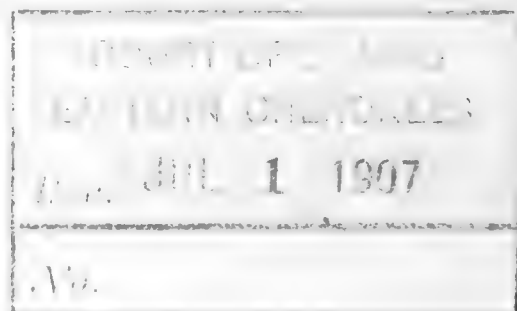
OF

Wash Swimmer

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 682

1. State your full name: Wash Swimmer
2. Residence and post office: one mile west of Rose 17
3. County: Dist 5
4. State: Ind. Ter
5. Date and place of birth: Feb 28 1891 Cherokee Nat
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Betsy Swimmer
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee tribe
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Bennell Peak</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1891</u>
(2)	<u>This Boy is my Grand son</u>		
(3)	<u>I had him in my care</u>		
(4)	<u>all his life I am</u>		
(5)	<u>his lawful Guardian</u>		
(6)	<u>appointed by the court</u>		

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: final Role Davis Commission

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Bennell Peak is my Grand son and I am his guardian appointed by the court as such

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Wash Swimmer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this The 17 day of June 1907.

W. H. Reynolds  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Nov the 11, 1907.

The No of my Guardian ship Papers is 10145

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L W Ross and  
Jack Ross who, being duly sworn, on oath depose  
and say that they are well acquainted with Mash Swimmer who makes the  
foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years,  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that  
on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by  
him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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L. W. Ross  
Jack Ross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1907.

J W Rapdale  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 11, 1909.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
Rec. DEC 18 1909  
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PHONE NO. 32

TAHLEQUAH, OKLA., Dec 16 1909

For Union Mills,  
Special Commissioners of Indian  
affairs. Washington, D. C.,  
Sir - I want to make an inquiry  
from you whether or not the  
Indians will be paid of their  
money any way soon or  
or about when?  
and oblige  
Washington Swimmer.

W.S.W.

Appl. #682

November 25, 1907.

Wash Swimmer,  
Pose, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, we beg to inform you that the names of your parents and grandparents, as given in your application, do not appear on the Eastern Cherokee rolls of 1835 and 1851.

Can you furnish us with evidence tending to establish the fact that you are a descendant of persons who were recognized members of the Western Cherokee tribe of Indians at the date of the Treaty of 1835-36 and 1846? If so, please state what the evidence is, and send us the names and correct addresses of any witnesses who will testify to that effect.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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App. No.682.

December 18, 1909.

Washington Swimmer,  
Tahlequah,  
Oklahoma.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of December 16, 1909, you are advised that it is impossible for me, at this time, to state when the Eastern Cherokee fund will be distributed.

However, the money cannot be paid out for some time yet, as there have been a large number of exceptions filed to my report, and until these are considered and passed on, and the roll finally approved by the Court no money can be paid.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:

Replying to your request for a blank application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you are advised that under the order of the Court of April 29, 1907, all applications were required to be filed on or before August 31, 1907.

It is therefore now too late to file applications except on behalf of minor children, persons of unsound mind, or persons under some other legal disability.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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First <sup>Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1907</sup> <sup>Ross Okla.</sup>

Washington, D. C.

Gen. Miller.

Dear sir.

I will now send the names of witnesses as you wrote and wanted to know the name first Nancy Black Fox next Sallie & Redbird.

<sup>you</sup>  
Post office Kansas Okla  
Yours respectfully,  
Wash. Shimmer

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second

My parents name  
Kah Kah wee

My parents name  
Squanda Kah Kah wee  
Petoy Kah Kah wee  
Children  
will Kah Kah wee  
Swimmer Kah Kah wee  
Charlie Kah Kah wee  
Wilson Kah Kah wee  
he never we enroll.



Third  
I want to ask you another  
question.  
I have heard that they have  
denigh my parents and  
I want to know if they  
have please write and  
let me know if they  
have  
Wash Swimmer

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Locust Grove I.T.

Jan. 28" 1907

Hon. Com- of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

Sir- will you please add the  
following Emigrant names onto  
my application for emigrant money

- (1) Grand uncle Kee. nah
- (2) Aunt Annie "
- (3) uncle Co. gee. da. le.  
or father

See Cherokee Emigrant roll 1851  
in Delaware Dist. C.M. I.T.  
and if you those names on roll  
please add on my emigrant claim

Respt-  
Washing~~I~~ Swain



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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Resd. J. T.  
Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> 1856

Gen. Com Indian Affairs

Washington D. C.

Sir will you please add the following names you will find in this letter to my application - for Emigrant money

- 1 my uncle Sam. Gardner
- 2 " " Lee. Gun. Wm. Lee
- 3 " Aunt Nellie Gun. Wm.
- 4 " Cousin Sam. " " "
- 5 " " " " "

The above named were enrolled in  
Delaware Dist - 2 Foreign Dist -  
3 Taline Dist - 4 Taline Dist -  
5 " " " " "

Respt -  
Washington Swimmer

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 683.

Action: *Admitted*

Name: *David Clifford* and *x* children. Residence: *S. Orest Lane, Okla.*

Reasons:

*His application mother Charlotte Clifford and also ap-  
plied himself are covered by Deacons from  
Saline District under group no. 154.*

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David O'Fields

Claims

David Oldfield  
(#683)

Thom " } Sal.  
Charlott " } 154

O. K.

No. 1747

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Dave Child*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: David O. Fields

Indian name: Dav Chogaw Iquuntly

2. Residence: 17 miles East

3. Town and post office: Locust Grove

4. County: 5th Dist

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 1849 Newnan Dist Cherokee Nation IA

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: My own Dav Oldfield -  
or Dav Chogaw Iquuntly

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Emma O. Fields 48 years  
Cherokee Nation Indian

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Thorn O. Fields

Indian name: Thorn Chogaw Iquuntly

Mother—English name: Charlotte O. Fields

Indian name:

Maiden name: Charlotte Hofford

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation East

Mother: " " "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: 4th Saline Dist Cherokee Nation IA

Mother: " " " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: About 1852 Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes Immigrant 1851 and mother all Cherokee Per Capita payments in Saline Dist Cherokee Nation Ia*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <i>Mary Jones</i>	<i>Osage Ia</i>	
(2) <i>Tom O Fields</i>		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Old Field Grandpa</i>	<i>Jim Hofford</i>
<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Arme watie Hofford</i>

17. Where were they born? *Cherokee Nation East*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Delaware Dist Cherokee Nation Ia*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: <i>Johnson O Fields</i>	<i>dead</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(2) English name: <i>Slick O Fields</i>	<i>dead</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(3) English name: <i>Susanah Ridge Locust Grove Ia</i>	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(4) English name: <i>Suecie Glass</i>	<i>dead</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name: <i>Jane O Fields</i>	<i>dead</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes Immigrant 1851 and all Cherokee Per capita payments Saline Dist Cherokee Nation Ia and Final Roll by Comr to Five Tribes*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness  
Jm Bryan

(Signature.) <sup>his</sup> David O. Fields  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires  
Nov 11, 1909

D.M. Ragsdale  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George Sanders and Wash Zimmerman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with David O. Fields, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 46 years and 43 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

<sup>his</sup>  
George Sanders  
mark  
Wash Zimmerman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires  
Nov 11, 1909

D.M. Ragsdale  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec: JAN 21 1907  
No. 683 app

Forest Grove I. T.  
Jan. 17-1907

Hon. Com. of Indian Affairs  
Washington D. C.

Sir Will you please see the  
following names you will  
find in the enclosed letter

- 1- Father James O'Field
- 2- Bro. Thomas
- 3- Aunt Jennie Takman
- 4- Cousin Jim John
- 5- " Quater Mulkey
- 6- " Caroline
- 7- Aunt Quaity O'Field
- 8- uncle John. away. nah. O'Field
- 9- Aunt Nancy Too lo. cher
- 10- Cousin Thomas Coe
- 11- Aunt Nancy O'Field
- 12- Cousin Jew. Bro. ju. E. d. qu. na
- 13- " " " " " " " "
- 14- " E. Char. gee " " " "
- 15- " Quaity " " " "



See the above named on 1851  
Delaware and Saline Dist- Cherokee  
Emigrant roll -

And if you can locate all  
on the Emigrant roll 1851 of the  
said names in the enclosed  
list. please add on to my  
application for Emigrant money

Respt  
Dane A. Field



No. 684.

Action: Admitted

Name: Joseph Siskiller and 3 children. Residence: Pecust Grove, (Fla.)

Reasons: Claimant through father enrolled as Redbird Siskiller. Half brothers and sisters enrolled as Samuel, Rachel, Mary and Luke Siskiller. All were enrolled by Sherman in 1851 in Young Snake District, Group 122.

J. S. S.

No. 684

Name Joseph Sixkiller

With No.

Remarks:

nos. 24010, 24011, 23997,  
 16743, 14098, 16329, 8698,  
 16328, 6599, 4550, 8919,  
 14099, 14100, 8000-  
 13116, 7282, 28766  
 grouped in with  
 24406-25731-  
 23623-26579-80  
 Claim Chas. 27967

Red and Sixkiller  
 Saml. "  
 Q.S. 222

O.K.

No. 654

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Joseph Siphiller*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Joseph Sixkiller

Indian name:

2. Residence: 1 mile S.W. Locust Grove S.D.

3. Town and post office: Locust Grove

4. County: 5<sup>th</sup> Dist

5. State: Indian T<sup>y</sup>

6. Date and place of birth: Jan'y 1867 - Saline Dist Cherokee Nation S.D.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: My mother Nancy Sixkiller

(2) Red Bird Sixkiller (3) Sallie Foreman (4) Sam Foreman

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Jennie Sixkiller 29 yrs old  
Cherokee Indian -

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Red Bird Sixkiller

Indian name: Tor-gu-oh-er

Mother—English name: ~~Sallie~~ Nancy Sixkiller

Indian name:

Maiden name: Nancy Foreman

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation East

Mother: Cherokee Nation "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Longsnake Dist Cherokee Nation S.D.

Mother: Longsnake " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Oct 25<sup>th</sup> 1898 Mother: Jan'y 1877

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *You Emigrant money 1851, & Father all Cherokee per capita Payments in Saline Dist Cherokee Nation IA.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages; and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Lizzie Siskiller</i>	<i>about 1873</i>	<i>about 1884</i>
(2)	<i>Killie</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Unknown</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Sam Foreman</i>
		<i>Sallie Foreman</i>

17. Where were they born? *Cherokee Nation East.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Going snags Dist Cherokee Nation IA.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <i>Sara <sup>Mrs Mayfield</sup> Foreman</i>	<i>Do-la-gah IA.</i>
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(2)	English name: <i>Margaret Siskiller</i>	<i>Baptist IA.</i>
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(3)	English name:	
	Indian name: <i>Balame</i>	
	Residence:	
(4)	English name:	
	Indian name: <i>Unknown</i>	
	Residence:	
(5)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *You all Cherokee Per capita payments in Saline Dist Cherokee Nation IA. And Final Roll by Com & Five Tribes -*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

.....  
.....  
.....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Martha Foster - Mary Foster - Lallie Foster - Annie Foster*  
*all dead were my mother's children - seen six times*  
*Luke six times Martin six times Henry six times Rachel*  
*six times Mary six times Carolina six times were*  
*my father's children*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Joseph Sixkiller*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *the 1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov 11<sup>th</sup>*, 1907 *D. W. Ragsdale*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Stephen Foreman* and  
*Jail M. Bryan*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Joseph Sixkiller*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *18* years and *25* years,  
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Stephen Foreman*

*Jail M. Bryan*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *the 1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov 11<sup>th</sup>*, 1907 *D. W. Ragsdale*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 684

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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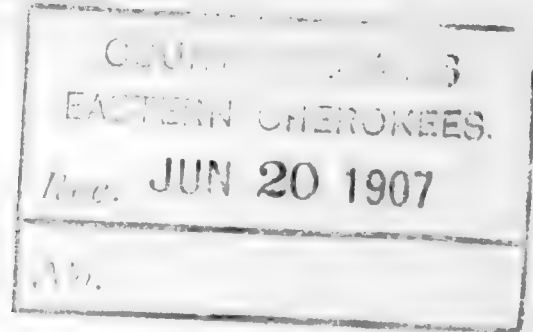
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Gal Sittler*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 684

1. State your full name: Joseph Sixkiller
2. Residence and post office: 2 mi S. Locust Grove
3. County: 5th Dist
4. State: Ind Ia
5. Date and place of birth: Sept 15<sup>th</sup> 1869 Saline Dist Cherokee Nation Ia
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Jennie Sixkiller 30 yrs
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lacey Sixkiller</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Feb 16 - 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Gracie Sixkiller</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Feb 25 - 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Cherokee</u>		<u>July 30<sup>th</sup> 1903</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Annual Roll by Com<sup>r</sup> to Five Tribes

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Your applicant No 10631 is my wife

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Joseph Sixkiller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of June 1907.

D. W. Ragsdale

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Nov 11 1907.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Tom Conserve and Chas. Forster who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joseph S. Keller who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and 27 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

..... Tom Conserve  
..... Chas. Forster

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 17 day of June, 1907.

J. W. Rogsdale  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov the 11, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Appl. #684

November 25, 1907.

Joseph Sixkiller,  
Locust Grove, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state when your father and mother were married. About how old was your father when he died? With whom did he live in 1851? Please furnish us with the names of all your brothers and sisters, and all your father's brothers and sisters. Also the English and Indian names of your grandfather on the side through which you claim.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.



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Rose I.T.

Dec 1st 1906.

To the Hon Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

The following are the names of other relatives whos shairs I am en-  
titled to and would be glad to have you add them to my application.  
Susan Sixkiller a sister to my father (Redbird Sixkiller.) and Peach eater  
Sixkiller (a brother to my father) I am also entitled to ther  
shairs that should appear on the roll of 1851 but am too young to re-  
member them and for that reason would like to reserve the right to  
finish my case when the roll is brought to this country.

Respectfully,

John Sixkiller

Rose I.T.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 1st day of Dec 1906.

John B. Leach

Notary Public.

My Commission expires 9th Day of Dec 1907

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Robert Gross Esq.

Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 06

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Com<sup>r</sup> Indian Affairs

Washington D.C.

Please add

to my application for Emigrant  
Money

my sister Martha Foster

Gringonake Road 1851

& obliquely

Joe Sixkiller

Joe Sixkiller

See Sixkiller #684 -

*W.A.*

Docent Grace Okla  
Hon Dixon Miller Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1927  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

In ans to yours

Nov 25<sup>th</sup> my Father was enrolled  
Emigrant 1851 Roll going snake Dist  
Shoos Nation Id. as Redbird six-  
killer - He was about 91 yrs old  
when died in 1898 - I am told his  
wife name in 1851 was Sullie I  
doubt know his indian name my  
my mother <sup>Mary</sup> ~~Martha~~ Foster was  
Foreman was on 1851 Emigrant  
Roll with I think one child my  
half sister Martha I think going  
snake Dist = Father and Mother  
were married in 1864 - I enclose  
list of names you request I am



on Cherokee Per capita Pay Roll 1894  
I lived with my Father and  
my step mother Elizabeth - I am  
on <sup>Cherokee</sup> Final Roll by Com<sup>r</sup> to Five Ci-  
-vilized Tribes my Roll no ~~27469~~  
27470 - I never participated with  
old Settlers and was never affili-  
ated with any other Tribe

Respect  
Joseph Stickler

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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Henry Sixkiller - my half sister  
Rachel - Mary - Carrie - on  
Father's side - half sister mother  
Children on Mary - Martha  
Sallie - Annie -

Joe Dix Killen - # 684

Father Red bird dix Killen = Tor. Jew. wa  
Father Sol Acasity

Mother's Father Samuel Foreman

" Mother Lullie

Father Bro <sup>English</sup> Al Lewis = Ah. nah. yoo. nu. ji

" " Frog = Wa. los. ic

" " Peach catin = Qua. nah. i. ee. chi-ga

" " Taylor = Far. tor. yah.

" " Brickah = Tok. lan. lo

" " Black Lawr = Dar. mee. yah.

" " Saldin = Ah. mee. yah. we. skee

" Sister Susan

" " Julia

Mother's Bro Tyler Foreman

" " Elias Foreman

" Sister Sarah

" " Cathrine -

I only had one sister Lizzie - my

half Bros are Sam - Luke - Martin  
over

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Henry Sixkiller - my half sister  
Rachel - Mary - Carrie - on  
Father side - half sister mother  
Children on Mary - Martha  
Leticia - Annie -

No. 685

Action: *Reject*

Name *Eliza C Brewer* and *—* children. Residence: *Muskogee, Okla.*

Reasons: *Claimant was born in 1849. She derives her Indian blood, if any, from her mother. Neither she nor her mother have been enrolled on any Cherokee roll and no showing whatever is made that any of ancestors were parties to treaty of 1835-46. Her mother was born in Raleigh, N.C. which is nearly 200 miles removed from any Cherokee domain as constituted in 1835. See Misc File 5059.*



# 685

Eliza C. Brewer  
now Brady.

Muskegon

# 3134 grouped beneath.

Claims thro:

Edw M. (Bird) Beth  
Nancy Bird

Cannot locate applicants  
ancestors on rolls.

Both # 185 & # 3134 were  
seen upon 57 & showed  
appear on rolls but do not.  
Mother & grand  
mother showed appear  
on rolls but do not.

Muskegon

No. 1185

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

**Eliza E. Brewer,**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 26, 1906.

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Walton & Cramer,  
Att'ys.

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*Handwritten notes and signatures*

# 685

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: **Eliza E. Brewer,**

Indian name:

2. Residence: **Muskogee, Ind. Ter.**

3. Town and post office: **Muskogee, Ind. Ter.**

4. County: **Western District.**

5. State: **Indian Territory.**

6. Date and place of birth: **Pocahontas, Arkansas, Feb. 15th, 1849.**

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: **Nancy Weatherspoon, Grandmother, a Cherokee who married John W. Bird. They had a daughter, Ede M. whom married William S. Betts, said Ede M. and William S. being the parents of this applicant. Nancy Weatherspoon Bird died in 1859, being then about seventy five years of age.**

M  
S.

8. Are you married? **Divorced about three years ago.**

9. Name and age of wife or husband: **Linier Brewer, Signed his name as D. L. Brewer.**

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: **William S. Betts.**

Indian name:

Mother—English name: **Ede M. Betts.**

Indian name:

Maiden name: **Ede M. Bird.**

11. Where were they born?

Father: **In Germany,**

Mother: **either in North Carolina or Mississippi.**

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: **Died in 1850.**

Mother: **Indian Territory. Came to Ter'y soon after her husband's death.**

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: **1850.**

Mother: **April 11th, 1891.**

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: **LI I do not know.**

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<b>Evander Betts.</b>	<b>1845.</b>	<b>Living.</b>
(2)	<b>Missouri Smith 1/2 sister, Unknown,</b>		" "
(3)	<b>Margaret Tennessee Smith,</b>	" "	" "
(4)	<b>Geo. T. Simmons, 1/2 Bro.</b>	" "	" "
(5)	<b>Arch. Simmons,</b>	<del>1845</del>	<b>Apr. 28th, 1890.</b>
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	<b>John Betts.</b>	<b>John W. Bird.</b>
	<b>Ruthie Betts.</b>	<b>Nancy Bird.</b>

17. Where were they born? **John & Ruthie, Betts, Germany; John W. Bird & wife, unknown to me.**

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? **Nancy Witherspoon, (Bird), lived on Bird's Creek, Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter.**

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <b>Jesse Bird.</b>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <b>Unknown.</b>
(2)	English name: <b>James Bird.</b>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <b>unknown.</b>
(3)	English name: <b>Eliza Bird.</b>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <b>Unknown.</b>
(4)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(5)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: **No.**



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

**I do not know.**

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

**Betta was called "Beek" by the Indians.**

**Bird was frequently written "Byrd".**

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Eliza E. Brewer*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this **First** day of **October**, 1906.

My commission expires **August 4th, 1907.**  
**Aug. 4th, 1909.** *Olewer E. Levander*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Mrs Dora Andrews* and  
....., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Eliza E. Brewer*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for **18** years and ..... years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark. *3rd Walwood* Signatures of witnesses. *Mrs Dora Andrews*

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

My commission expires **June 16th**, 1907. *Oliver E. Levander*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Eliza E. Brewer*

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

My commission expires August 4th, 1909.  
Aug. 4th, 1909., 190 *Oliver E. Weaver*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared I before me, John E. King and  
Eliza E. Brewer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with her, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 9 years and          years,  
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and  
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John E. King*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October, 1906.

My commission expires August 4th, 1909.  
August 4th, 1909., 190 *Oliver E. Weaver*  
Notary Public.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
EASTERN CHEROKEES. OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
Appln. No. 685. WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

Walrond & Cramer,  
Muskogee,  
Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:-

In the application of Eliza E. Brewer for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, it is noted that the claimant and the person making the first affidavit have failed to appear before a notary, whose signature and seal should appear at the two places indicated. Please have these omissions supplied, and return the application to this Office.

Very respectfully,

*C. J. ...*  
Acting Commissioner.

JBH

*Muskogee I. T.  
Hon. Commissioner of Indian Affairs.  
Dear Sir! The parties were sworn by me  
at the time; but I carelessly forgot to place  
my jurat.  
Very truly,  
E. E. Brewer.*

Appl. '685

November 25, 1907.

Eliza E. Brewer,  
Maskogee, Fla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, we beg to inform you that the names of the persons through whom you claim, as given in your application, do not appear upon the Eastern Cherokee rolls of 1835-and 1851.

Can you furnish us with evidence tending to establish the fact that you are a descendant of persons who were recognized members of the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians at the date of the Treaty of 1835-36 and 1846? If so, please state what the evidence is, and send us the names and correct addresses of any witnesses who will testify to that effect.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CHEB/ALS

No. 685

and says: Eliza E. Brewer, after being first duly sworn, deposes

I am 59 years of age; My grandmother on my mother's side was the Indian. I have never gotten any Indian money from the government. My mother never got any Indian money from the government. I am not a Cherokee allottee. My mother was born at Raleigh, N.C. I have seen my grandmother on my mother's side. My grandmother came from North Carolina here. She came before I was born. I was born in Arkansas. I tried to get an allotment before the Dawes Commission but was turned down. I claim no Indian blood through my father. I do not speak the Indian language now but I used to. I do not know why my mother nor I did not get any immigrant money in 1852. I went to the white schools. I do not know what kind of school my mother went to. I have heard of my Indian blood all my life. My grandmother told me of it. They lived with the Indians part of the time and the white people part of the time.

-----Eliza E. Brewer-----

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Muskogee, Oklahoma, this twenty-first day of September, 1908.

*H. W. Ketron*  
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Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.



ADVERSE INTERESTS.

Appln. no. 685.

October 11, 1906.

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Indian Territory.

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Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*Reject  
notice*

In re. number

no 685-

Muskogee, Okla. Sept. 9, '09

Mr. Guion Miller;  
Washington, D. C.

Dear sir;-

Will you please give me the  
status of my case in your department.  
I would like to know whether  
I participate in the payment of the Eastern  
Cherokees or not.

Awaiting a reply, I am,

Very truly,

Mrs. Eliza Brewer (Brady)

408 Frisco Alley

Muskogee, Okla.

No. 686

Action: Admitted

Name: Charles Harris and 2 - children. Residence: Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons: Claimant who was born in 1842, enrolled by Chapman in 51, Cherokee Co. N.C., 1759. Parents, brothers and sisters also enrolled by Chapman. 1752 to 1763 inclusive.

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Name Charles Harris

~~Writ No.~~

Remarks:

Nos. 921, 968, 1299,  
1392, 23610, 1255,  
24056, 24057, 24058,  
24774, 25734, 25944, 2  
23400-1-2-3, 24422

Claim through

25485

Susan Harris

Q. 1753

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No. 686

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF  
*Charles Harris*  
*Muskogee I.T.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Charles Harris

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Muskogee, Indian Territory,

3. Town and post office: Muskogee, Indian Territory

4. County: \_\_\_\_\_

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Sept. 8th, 1842; <sup>Forsyth Co</sup> Milton County, Georgia.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: By right of myself, by right of my mother, Susan Harris, by right of my sister, Emily Harris, by right of my brothers, Joseph Harris, William Harris, and John Harris, all of whose names appear on the 1851 rolls.

8. Are you married? No.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: William Harris, (Whiteman)

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Susan Harris

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Susan Collins

11. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: In what is now Milton County, Georgia.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In either Forsyth or Cherokee County, Georgia.

Mother: In either Forsyth or Cherokee County, Georgia.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: In spring of 1865. Mother: July 4th, 1890.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Mother enrolled for 1851 payments and drew money in Cherokee Nation in 1875, 1880, 1883, 1886, and 1890.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Emily Harris	— — About 1833	About 1853
James Harris	— — —	— — —
(2) Joseph Harris	July 24th 1835	Aug. 28, 1903.
Bird Harris	July 30, 1839,	July 20, 1902.
(3) Charles Harris	Sept. 8, 1842.	
William Harris	Jany. 7, 1841,	March 26, 1863.
(4) Collins Harris	Nov. 9, 1845.	
Savannah McMakin, Nee Harris	June 24, 1847.	
(5) Philo Harris	Dec. 14th, 1848.	
John Harris	— — — — —	— — — — —
(6) Mary Harris	Dec. 14, 1850	1850
Martha Harris	C. J. Harris, 'born' April 19th,	1856.

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Harris (White)	
Harris (White)	Parker Collins (White)
	Nannie Collins

17. Where were they born? Unknown

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Were not living

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Susan Harris, nee Collins, died July 4, 1890.
Indian name:	Sallie Harris, nee Collins, died about 1842.
Residence:	Eliza Harris, nee Collins, died about 1865.
(2) English name:	Jane Harris, nee collins, died about 1877.
Indian name:	Nancy Mims, nee Collins, died about 1871.
Residence:	Lucinda Sutton, nee Collins, ... .. 1835-
(3) English name:	Kate Autry, nee Collins, died about 1872.
Indian name:	Mary Collins ... .. 1842
Residence:	Martha Gollins ... .. 1842
(4) English name:	Joseph Collins, died about 1845
Indian name:	Parker Collins, died Sept. 29, 1865.
Residence:	
(5) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. 1851, payment, drew money in Cherokee Nation in 1875, 1880, 1883, 1886, 1890, 1894, and have my allotment in the Cherokee Nation.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

My father and grandfather and mother Harris were white people; brother John Harris has not been seen or heard of since December 1873 and is supposed to be dead. Four of mother's sisters married HARRISES.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Sister Emily, brothers Joseph, William and John died without issue -

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Charles Harris.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3<sup>d</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires June 30 1910, 190

Joshua Ross  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Watkins and S. R. Taylor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charles Harris, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 2 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John Watkins  
S. R. Taylor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3<sup>d</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires June 30 1910, 190

Joshua Ross  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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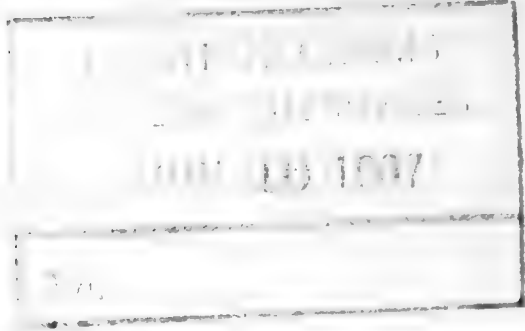
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Charles Harris.*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 686

1. State your full name: Charles Harris
2. Residence and post office: Muskogee,
3. County: Creek Nation,  
Indian Territory.
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Date and place of birth: September 8th, 1842, North County, Georgia.
6. Are you married? No. My wife is dead.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? She was white.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Daisy Harris, #24057</u>	<u>31 Years</u>	<u>June 26, 1875</u>
(2)	<u>Bird Harris #24058</u>	<u>23 years</u>	<u>Sept. 6, 1884.</u>
(3)	<u>Suzette Hadden, #24056</u>	<u>21 years,</u>	<u>March 27, 1886</u>
(4)	<u>Charles J. Harris</u>	<u>19 years,</u>	<u>April 2, 1888</u>
(5)	<u>William B. Harris,</u>	<u>16, years,</u>	<u>January 23, 18</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians have drawn per capita in the Cherokee Nation and have their allotments there.

**REMARKS**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Charles Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of June, 1907.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Harrison and W. N. Martin who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charles Harris who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 18 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Harrison  
W. N. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 14, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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Muskogee, Ind. Ter.

January 26th. 1907.

Honorable Commissioner  
of Indian Affairs,

Washington,

D. C.

Dear Sir:-

I beg leave to request to you, that I am enrolled  
on the 1851 roll of Eastern Cherokees in Forsyth County, Georgia,  
and that I have made application No. 686, for my individual share  
of the part of the shares, to which I am entitled, of deceased persons.

I am sixty four years old and am very much in need of some  
money to meet obligations that are outstanding and to pay expenses  
of my children who are in school, so I write you, respectfully asking  
that you send me a check to the amount of my individual share, at  
least, and in the hands of the deceased persons, a part of which  
shares I claim, will have been distributed, the amount due me than  
could be distributed to me. As you know the amount that have been appro-  
priated by Congress for the Eastern Cherokees as per a decision of  
the Supreme Court, and as you have the copies of Cherokee's share here  
expressed on the 1851 rolls, it appears to me that a division could be  
made, and these persons whose names are on the 1851 rolls, and are in  
need, could be paid their individual shares, and let the heirs of de-  
ceased persons wait until all claims are thoroughly investigated.

Permit me to say, that the people to whom this money, many of them,  
is due, are in actual need, and a payment of it at an early date  
would enable many of them to buy a team, plows etc. and make a crop  
this year, otherwise they will not be able to do so.

hoping to have an early and favorable reply from you, I am,

Yours most respectfully,

Charles Harris.

Box 85-2.

Muskogee, I. T.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

App. No. 686.

January 30, 1907.

Mr. Charles Harris,  
Muskogee,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Your letter of January 26, 1907, is at hand. In it you ask that a check be sent you for your individual share of the Eastern Cherokee fund. In reply you are advised that it will be impossible to do this at this time.

There have been filed nearly 15,000 applications for participation in this fund, and until these applications are carefully examined it will be impossible to determine who are in fact really entitled to participate.

You state that you were enrolled in 1851. While it is true that there was a Charles Harris enrolled at that time, until an investigation can be made it will be impossible for this Office to say that you are the Charles Harris who was so enrolled. Until the applications have been examined we cannot know that there may not be some other person claiming to be Charles Harris, or is the legal representative of Charles Harris, deceased.

Furthermore, it is not customary to distribute a fund of this character piecemeal. It would involve a great

#2--Charles Harris:

deal of extra labor and expense to undertake to adjudicate and pay one claim at a time. No provision has been made for this course of procedure and while it is possible that at a later date those claims that are clear and beyond question may be settled, it will necessarily be sometime yet before this can be done.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

GM:ELC.

No. 687

Action: Admitted.

Name: Elizabeth Norden and X children. Residence: Andrews U.C.

Reasons:

Applicant is daughter of James Taylor (son of David and Polly Taylor ne Bigby) and Betsy Ann Parker.

James Taylor was enrolled by Chapman at #1250 David & Polly (ne Bigby) Taylor were enrolled by Chapman at nos 1251 and 1244 respectively David also enrolled on 1855 roll.

(See misc. vol ps #1557 & 960 <sup>1,4565</sup> <sup>ps 35 in</sup> report of J. A. Powell and Laura U. Woge)

No. 607

Action:

Name *Ed. Hall, garden* and

children.

Residence:

*100 - 100*

Reasons:

*banishment*

*to*

*of the*

*wife of Wm. H. H. H.*

*(see to)*

*...*



No. 687

Name Elizabeth Hardin

With No. ....

Remarks:

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and 32305 are taken  
out and sent to 2nd  
field for examination  
in various places in  
Oklahoma.

✓ Field Chev.

No. 687<sup>th</sup>. With #6

Name Elizabeth Handin<sup>de</sup>

With No.

Remarks:

Are these ~~any~~ <sup>any</sup> ~~of~~ <sup>of</sup>  
James Taylor  
Was James Taylor  
married 3 times

Betsy Ann Parker?

Addie Manchester

Hannah Manchester?

May not enrolled  
by Hester.

See other #6  
group.

No. 687

Name Elizabeth K. K. K.

With No. 1000000

Remarks: box

found with  
#6

No. 687

Name Elizabeth Harlan Esq

With No 2nd Field

Remarks 7101 Key - Creek  
and other places,  
See card underneath  
and Field notes.

#687

Elizabeth Harder  
Andrews,  
N.C.

(Claiming as daughter  
of James Taylor, see  
group 6.) States  
that her grand-  
mother's grand  
mother was Anna  
Blythe who died  
in 1834 at the  
age of 97 years,  
two of her children  
are on the rolls of  
1835 to wit James  
Blythe + Elizabeth  
Welch. If so  
then the Nancy Blythe on  
1835 Roll not this  
Nancy Blythe. See?

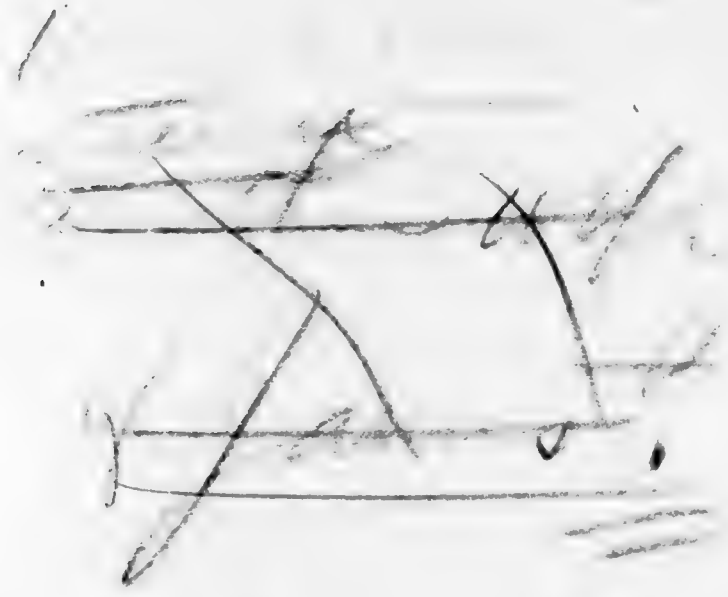
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Not on 1851 Roll  
Not on Hester Roll.



#2395



Mrs. [Name] says  
 that [Name] [Name]  
 left [Name] [Name]  
 in 1871 [Name]  
 was blind [Name]  
 after -  
 [Name] [Name]  
 see [Name] 2450.  
 [Name] 11.

[Name] [Name]  
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 [Name] [Name]

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in sketch of her, shown  
around this Adda X  
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No. 197

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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487, [handwritten signature]

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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.....  
.....

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I have about Benjamin Tompkins, of  
Tennessee, D. C. and his wife  
and children, and in a number  
of other places, and also his  
children, etc.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Elizabeth Hendon*

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

My commission expires *Oct 14*, 190*6*

*D. S. Russell*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *H. S. Stewart* and *J. W. Phillips*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs. Elizabeth Hendon* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and *30* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark

Signatures of witnesses.

*H. S. Stewart*  
*J. W. Phillips*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Oct 14*, 190*6*

*D. S. Russell*  
Notary Public.

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#687

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
 English name: Elizabeth Harden  
 Indian name: Elizabeth Taylor
2. Residence: Near Andrews
3. Town and post office: Andrews
4. County: Cherokee
5. State: North Carolina
6. Date and place of birth: Sept 17<sup>th</sup> 1846 Cherokee County NC
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: From Father and Mother.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: William H Harden  
Age 65
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: James Taylor  
 Indian name: " "  
 Mother—English name: Betsy Ann Parker  
 Indian name: " "  
 Maiden name: " "
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: Orange County, Va.  
 Mother: Haywood County
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: Cherokee County  
 Mother: " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: Living "Byers Creek, Ga." Mother: Jan'y 17<sup>th</sup> 1857



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes. But don't know when or where.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>My Ann Powell</i>	<i>1847</i>	<i>Living Ind.</i>
(2)	<i>My Mother Sarah</i>	<i>1840</i>	<i>Dec 1905</i>
(3)	<i>Ada Powell</i>	<i>1856</i>	<i>Living near Andrews MS</i>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE: *David Taylor* MOTHER'S SIDE: *Marian Taylor nee Polly Bigley*  
*My Grand Mother on my mother's side was one eighth Indian and was a grand daughter of*  
*of Annia Blythe who died in 1834 at the age*  
*of 97 years, two of her children are on the rolls of*  
 17. Where were they born? *1835 to 1840. James Blythe and Elizabeth White*  
*David Taylor born Dec 16th 1792.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *don't know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *Thos Taylor*  
 Indian name: *T*  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: *Wiley Taylor*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: *David Taylor*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: *Clara Taylor*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Elizabeth, Mississippi*
- (5) English name: *My Ann Powell*  
 Indian name: *Katie Powell*  
 Residence: *Monticello*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes*



STATE OF OKLAHOMA }  
COUNTY OF ROGERS } ss

Claremore, Okla. January 28th 1908.

A true copy of official record of David Taylor, deceased, and son, James Taylor, deceased, and birth and death of Mary Taylor, wife of David Taylor, and birth and death of Hannah A. Taylor, wife of James Taylor.

David Taylor was born December 14th 1791, died at Murphy, N. C. in September 1877. Mary Taylor, wife of David Taylor, was born August 9th 1802, and died in the year of 1883, near Sweetwater, Tennessee.

1. James Taylor was born October 15th 1821, at Terapanton State of Tennessee. Died at Claremore Okla. January 14th 1907.

2. Hannah A. Taylor, wife of James Taylor, deceased was married to James Taylor, at her father's William Manchester, at Murphy, Cherokee Co. N. C. January 8th 1854, and died at Murphy, Cherokee Co. N. C.

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }  
County of Rogers. } ss

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the attached is a true and correct copy of the original instrument, as recorded in my office this 28 day of Jan 1908 at 11 o'clock A.M.  
*Recorded in Book 33 page 245*  
Witness my hand this 28 day of Jan 1908

*W. P. Payne*  
Register of Deeds.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy

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The above record is a true and correct record as left me by my father, James, Taylor, deceased.

*John M. Taylor, Jr.*  
Son and Grandson of James and David Taylor,  
Deceased.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA }  
COUNTY OF ROGERS } SS

Claremore, Okla. January 28th 1908.

A true copy of official record of David Taylor, deceased, and Son, James Taylor, deceased, and birth and death of Mary Taylor, wife of David Taylor, and birth and death of Hannah A. Taylor, wife of James Taylor.

David Taylor was born December 15th 1791, died at Murphy, N. C. in September 1877. Mary Taylor, wife of David Taylor, was born August 9th 1802, and died in the year of 1883, near Sweetwater, Tennessee.

1. James Taylor was born October 25th 1821, at Verganton State of Tennessee. Died at Claremore Okla. January 14th 1907.

2. Hannah A. Taylor, wife of James Taylor, deceased was married to James Taylor, at her father's William Manchester, at Murphy, Cherokee Co. N. C. January 8th 1856, and died at Murphy, Cherokee Co. N. C. December 31st 1884.

The following named children of James Taylor, and his wife, Hannah A. Taylor, deceased, are now living in Rogers Co. Okla., and are duly enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation of Indians, and are named their names and Post Office address are as follows.

- |                        |                           |
|------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. John H. Taylor, Jr. | P. O. Claremore, Okla.    |
| 2. James L. Taylor     | P. O. Pryor Creek, Okla.  |
| 3. William T. Taylor   | P. O. Claremore, Okla.    |
| 4. May Dora Rucker,    | P. O. Claremore, Okla.    |
| 5. Addie Mathews,      | P. O. Collinsville, Okla. |

The above record is a true and correct record as left me by my father, James, Taylor, deceased.

*John H. Taylor, Jr.*

Son and Grandson of James and David Taylor,  
Deceased.

Letter signed by  
Chas W. Hardin in 1903 -  
Mrs Lockwood says was written by James  
Taylor shows that he recognized  
~~Chas Hardin~~ as his daughter  
It also shows that Anna ~~Wright~~ died in 1834

Andrews M<sup>c</sup>

Charokoo 00

June 13<sup>th</sup> 1908

Mrs Belva A Lockwood

Dear madam i Recieved  
your Letter stating forme  
to Write you a Bout our  
Clame or Blood i Dont  
know how much of indian  
Blood, My ~~grand~~ father  
James Taylor has Told me  
that my mothe had <sup>4</sup>  
quarter's and she was  
a granddaughtes of annie  
Bly she never was married  
untill she married James Taylor  
she never had Enis children  
befos she was married to  
my father James Taylor

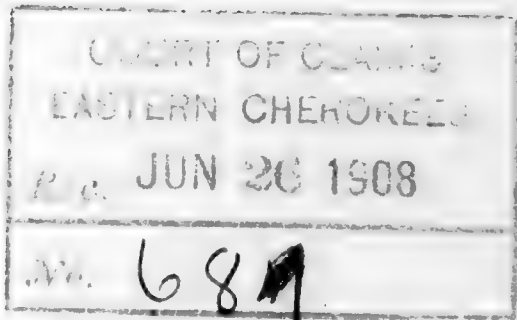
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You wanted to know whether  
me or Eric of my family  
was on Eric Hall Ernest  
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Drew Provision in 1875  
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all summer and i gess  
i was on that Roll  
you sed you wantd to know  
how much Cherokee blood i  
Dont know my farther claims  
one quarter he sed that mother  
was one quarter son you can  
see how much blood i  
har got



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i Dont know withes mother  
~~was~~ was on Eric Roll  
Es not yoss  
Truly  
Elizabeth Hardin





Under Recent Ruling of Interior  
Department Blanks Must be Filled  
and Filed to Participate in Distribu-  
tion of Emigrant Cherokee Money.  
(See Back of Letter Head)

**JOHN M. TAYLOR, JR.**  
**ATTORNEY-AT-LAW**

I Am Prepared to Furnish Genealo-  
gical History From Rolls of 1835 and  
Pay Roll of 1851 of North Carolina  
Cherokees.

A Mr. Taylor of name of David Taylor, a child, as said in 1877.  
born at North Carolina, a ... ..

**CLAREMORE, I. T.,** \_\_\_\_\_ 1906. **190**

Names and ages of David Taylor's Family.

David Taylor, sr., was born December 16th, 1791; died at Murphy, N.C. in  
September, 1877.

Mary Taylor, wife of David Taylor, was born August 9th, 1802, and died  
in the year 1833 near Sweetwater, Tennessee.

David Taylor, and his wife, Mary Taylor, who was a half blood Cherokee  
Indian, were married September 11th, 1817, near Morgantown, Tennessee.

1. Thomas S. Taylor, the oldest son, was born June 14th, 1818,

2. Elizabeth Taylor, was born October 13th, 1820.

3. James Taylor was born October 25th, 1821.

4. Catherine Taylor was born March 2nd, 1823.

5. Andrew J. Taylor was born October 12, 1824.

6. David Taylor, Jr., was born March 15th, 1826.

7. Wyley P. Taylor was born October 1st, 1827.

8. Mary J. Taylor was born February 4th, 1829.

9. William S. Taylor was born November 30th, 1832.

10. Martha S. Taylor was born April 2nd, 1835.

11. John S. Taylor was born December 26th, 1836.

12. Campbell H. Taylor was born March 1st, 1838.

13. Francis S. Taylor was born March 4th, 1841.

The above is the correct ages of David Taylor's family, who were

eastern emigrant Cherokees by blood.

*John M. Taylor Jr. a grandson  
of David Taylor. deposed*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES, NOTICE.**

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Office of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., August 20, 1906. Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of the Interior has been directed by the Court of Claims in the decrees of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in the case of the Eastern Cherokee and others, against the United States, to ascertain the individual Eastern Cherokee Indians entitled to share in the fund awarded by the Court of Claims in said decrees, for which appropriation was made by the Act of Congress of June 30, 1906. The decree of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, provides that said fund described in item two of the decree of May 18, 1905, shall be distributed to the Eastern Cherokees, as individuals, whether East or west of the Mississippi River, parties to the Treaties of 1835-6 and 1846, exclusive of the Old Settlers, and that in the preparation of the rolls of all persons entitled to share in said fund, the rolls of 1851 upon which the per capita payment to the Eastern Cherokees was made shall be accepted as the basis, and the fund shall be distributed to the individuals named in said rolls of 1851, or to their legal representatives. Therefore all persons now living, who were enrolled for the per capita payment in 1851 as Eastern Cherokees, either East or West, and all the legal representatives of persons so enrolled, who have died, should make application to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., to be enrolled for participation in the fund arising from the decrees of the Court of Claims above referred to. Applications for minors and persons of unsound mind should be executed by their guardians or persons having their care and custody. All applications must be made upon the blank forms prescribed which may be obtained by applying to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs or to the Superintendent of Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina, or to the United States Indian Agent, Union Agency, Muskogee, Indian Territory. Applications not on the prescribed forms will not be considered. All applications must be filed by January 31, 1907. F. E. LEUPP, Commissioner of Indian Affairs.



Testimony of

1875

Julia Flaesch - resident of Wash. - witness  
for James Taylor - said. "While Mr Taylor  
was boarding with me the defendant came & left his  
child, & took no care of the child. The child  
afterwards died in the children's hospital. Two or  
three months later she came & brought another  
child - she remained ten (10) days at that time  
- Her baby was five days old when  
she came here, (Mr T. came in Feb. 1871)  
Had known plaintiff & defendant about 5 years

Campbell H Taylor -

Birth of James Taylor - "was born in  
N.C. 1840 & remained there until Oct. 1855  
when I went to Cherokee Nation West & was  
there until 1858 when I returned to N.C. The  
complaint. & def. were then living together as man  
& wife. & then went West on a mission - came to  
Wash. 1870" - "Woman & defendant were living as  
man & wife together. Several months later a  
child was born to defendant. "Defendant  
carried the child, about two years old, to the  
complainant and left it with him. The court  
has not lived with def. since the birth of the child.  
There was another child born to the defendant about  
a year ago. I met the def. & asked her who  
she was the father of the child & she said  
"some good looking gentleman."  
Def. was known as Adie.



"Statement of an Examination and report of  
accompanying papers submitted by A. Chapman.

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" Bigby Jack Tullahoma U.C.

Jonathan Parker - sworn - is acquainted with  
Jack Bigby who is a brother of David Taylor's  
wife - of Cherokee blood - known him 10 years -  
he was always considered a member of the  
Cherokee nation East.

The Justice of the Peace certifies that Parker is a  
man entitled to credit.

John Timson - certifies that he knows Jack Bigby,  
who is the son of Jim Bigby once a member  
of the National Council - Jack is a Cherokee  
his mother was a Cherokee. "

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Received of **GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
Treasury Warrant No. ....  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1074  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910. with no. 100-8



In the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia,

the 29 day of June, 1881.

James Taylor }  
vs. } No. 2450, at Law, Equity,  
Hannah A. Taylor } docket 11

~~certifies that~~ published 40 days has proved that he attended

3 days as a witness for the Plaintiff in above cause, at \$1.25 per day

Secree a Truants Watson. Jan. 6, 1876, Clerk.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Asst. Clerk.

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No. 688.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Hannet Lovingood* and *two* children. Residence: *Grandview, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Blythe case*

No. 688

Name Harriet Loringard

With No. 1303

Remarks :

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No. ~~1344~~

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*W. M. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*W. M. ...*



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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

- 1. State full name—  
English name: *Harriet Lovings*  
Indian name: *none*
- 2. Residence: *Grandview N.P.*
- 3. Town and post office: *Grandview N.P.*
- 4. County: *Cherokee*
- 5. State: *North Carolina*
- 6. Date and place of birth: *6-4-1853 - Cherokee Co. N.C.*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *On account of my mother, Sallie McDonesel*

- 8. Are you married? *yes*
- 9. Name and age of wife or husband: *G. N. B. Lovings*  
*age*

- 10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *unknown*  
Indian name: *unknown*  
Mother—English name: *Sallie McDonesel*  
Indian name: *none*  
Maiden name: *Sallie McDonesel*

- 11. Where were they born?  
Father: *unknown*  
Mother: *Macon Co. N.C.*

- 12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *unknown*  
Mother: *in Cherokee Co. N.C.*

- 13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *unknown* Mother: *unknown*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME              | BORN.      | DIED.  |
|-----|-------------------|------------|--------|
| (1) | Catherine Dockery | 11-25-1837 | Living |
| (2) | Marta Dockery     | 4-6-1840   | "      |
| (3) | John A. McDonnell | 3-27-1847  | "      |
| (4) | McEvma Nicholson  | 12-23-84   | "      |
| (5) | .....             | .....      | .....  |
| (6) | .....             | .....      | .....  |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE.          |
|------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>Nicholson</u> | <u>August McDonnell</u> |
|                  | <u>Sarah McDonnell</u>  |

17. Where were they born? Nicholson

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? .....

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Jonathan McDonnell Deaf  
Indian name: none  
Residence: Grape Creek N.P.
- (2) English name: Bill McDonnell - Deaf  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: in Piloton Tenn.
- (3) English name: Jim McDonnell Deaf  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: never returned from Tenn.
- (4) English name: ..... Deaf  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: .....
- (5) English name: .....  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: .....

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*Jonathan Blythe was the father of my grandmother Sallie or "Sarah" M. [unclear], Great Grandmother [unclear]*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I hereby constitute and appoint ~~Belva A. Lockwood of Washington D.C.,~~ my true and lawful attorney for me, and in my name place and stead, and allow her a commission of ten (10%) per cent.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Warwick [unclear]*

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

My commission expires

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*[Signature]* Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. F. Kephart* and *C. B. O'Neil*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Warwick [unclear]*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *.....* years and *.....* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *who* represents *.....* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *.....* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. F. Kephart*  
*C. B. O'Neil*

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

My commission expires

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*[Signature]* Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 698.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Harriet Loamy*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 688

1. State your full name: Harriet Loomyowal
2. Residence and post office: Grandview
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: N.C.
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee Co June 14<sup>th</sup> 1853
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: J.W.B. Loomyowal Mch 17<sup>th</sup> 1836
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? none
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.      | BORN.                          |
|-----|------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Della Loomyowal</u> | <u>13</u> | <u>Mch 3<sup>rd</sup> 1894</u> |
| (2) | <u>Emma Loomyowal</u>  | <u>10</u> | <u>Apr 9<sup>th</sup> 1897</u> |
| (3) | .....                  | .....     | .....                          |
| (4) | .....                  | .....     | .....                          |
| (5) | .....                  | .....     | .....                          |
| (6) | .....                  | .....     | .....                          |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. DODD of Wash. D. C. attorney for the above minors and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Harriet Loomyowal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of July 1907.

Thas. C. McDaniel  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

July 4, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. H. Mulkey and J. W. Loringood who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Harriet Loringood who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. H. Mulkey  
J. W. Loringood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Thos E McDougal  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Dec. MAY 27 1907

No. 688 A.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Supl. Clk  
Wm. G. G. G.

File

Honorable Miss Miller  
Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
Washington D.C.

I want you to send me  
10 Bonds for my self and  
Bertie for our minor child.  
to fill out the list of charitable funds  
we will be helping  
or our self

Harriet, Springwood  
grandview  
Cherokee, N.C.

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No. 689

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Alice Angel* and *3* children. Residence: *Andrew, U.C.*

Reasons:

*None of #664 and claim this same source.*

No. 689

Name Alice Angel

With No. 664

Remarks :

No. 1184

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William Dwyer*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*William Dwyer*

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: Alice Angel,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Andrews,
3. Town and post office: Andrews P.O.,
4. County: Werokee,
5. State: N.C.
6. Date and place of birth: Blunt Co Tenn, July 20<sup>th</sup> 1869,
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim through my grand father Edward Helozier whose mother was Nancy Fieels a Cherokee woman. Also my grand mother Elizabeth P. Helozier her grand mother was a half sister to John Ayer also full blood Cherokee Indians.
8. Are you married? yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Joseph H. Angel, age 36.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Andrew B. Wall,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Rebecca H. Helozier,  
Indian name: unknown,  
Maiden name: Rebecca H. Helozier.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Blount Co. Ga.  
Mother: Waskoege Cherokee Co. N.C.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: unknown, Blount Co., Ga.  
Mother: Waskoege Cherokee Co. N.C.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1899      Mother: 1883



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                     | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Ellen Bradshaw.           |       | 1878. |
| (2) | <del>Fanny Delozier</del> |       |       |
| (3) | Fanny Marshall.           | 1876. |       |
| (4) |                           |       |       |
| (5) |                           |       |       |
| (6) |                           |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.  | MOTHER'S SIDE.        |
|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Edward Delozier | Elizabeth P. Delozier |
|                 | Edward Delozier.      |

17. Where were they born? Elizabeth P. Delozier, b in Surry Co. N.C.  
Edward Delozier, in Blount Co. Tenn.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tuskagee  
Wetmore Co. N.C.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Lafayette Delozier (deceased) 1873.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: Dnoxville Tenn.

(2) English name: Rebecca L. Delozier died 1875

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: Elizabeth L. Constant.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: Daysville N.C.

(4) English name: Sarah M. Ashburn

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: Andrews N.C.

(5) English name: Jose R. Delozier deceased unknown

~~Indian name:~~ Mary M. Regal died Feb 23, 1889.

~~Residence:~~ Mary L. Crisp deceased unknown

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if <sup>English</sup> possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Pledge Poindester  
Alsey Fields, Gunalusky on the roll 1835-  
Betsy (Indian name) on the roll 1835-  
was my great grand ~~father~~ Father's mother.

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*[Faint handwritten notes in the Remarks section]*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Alice Angel.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Oct 14, 1906 D S Russell  
 Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Harry Traylor and Abb Burch, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Alice Angel, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and 7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to my tk. D S Russell Signatures of witnesses. Harry Traylor  
Abb Burch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Oct 14, 1906 D S Russell  
 Notary Public.

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No. 6269.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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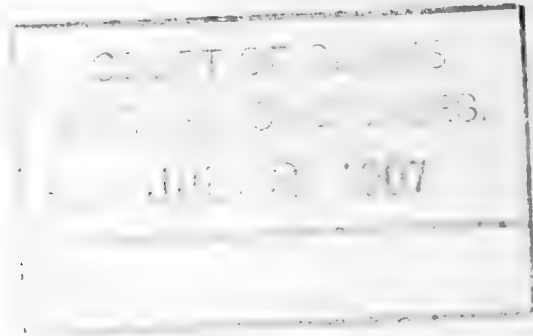
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Alice Angel.

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



BELVA A. JACOBSON  
Attorney at Law  
127 STREET, NORTH

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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1. State your full name: Alice Angel.
2. Residence and post office: Andriod
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: N.C.
5. Date and place of birth: Blount Co. Tenn. July 20, 1869.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Joseph H. Angel, 36 years.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.               | AGE.      | BORN.                 |
|-----|---------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Verna Angel</u>  | <u>12</u> | <u>Dec. 15, 1894</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Earl Angel</u>   | <u>11</u> | <u>Aug. 24, 1896</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Celand Angel</u> | <u>8</u>  | <u>Oct. 24, 1898.</u> |
| (4) | .....               | .....     | .....                 |
| (5) | .....               | .....     | .....                 |
| (6) | .....               | .....     | .....                 |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. JOCKSON of Wash. D. C. attorney for the above minors and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Alice Angel.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July 1907.

D. B. Russell  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Oct 13, 1907



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Harry L Traylor and Andrew J Burch who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Alice Engel who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Harry L Traylor  
Andrew J Burch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

J D Russell  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 13, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Dear Mother & Sister,

I have received a  
letter from you to be at Tyson  
July 24. I am sorry I am not  
able to be there that day,  
but my Aunt Mrs. Curran,  
mother-in-law, will be  
with me. I hope she will  
show you all the way I  
have stated all from  
the same as if I could be  
there, but if you think I  
ought to be there please let  
her know & she will  
let me know at once I will  
be glad to see you.



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Dear Mr. [unclear]

Alice Angel

[unclear]

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I claim through my Grand  
Father Edward Delozier and  
my Great-Grand Father

Pledge Poindexter, my Grand  
Father Edward Delozier was  
born in Wood, his mother  
was Abby Fields, his mother  
Judith, Abby Fields mother  
was Allen Spears, his Grand  
Father Indian, Edward  
Delozier was born and  
raised in the Cherokee  
Nation, his mother  
was Thomas C. Jones, his  
mother was Sarah Jones

And so on. A  
nd we recognized  
those days as a

Indian, when he left Blow  
to Tenn. he came to N.C.  
and was a hunter  
Shut + Indian Doctors  
and he married Elizabeth  
P. Poindester, now was also  
known by blood she was  
the daughter of Pledge  
Poindester. He was a  
Shoonee Indian by blood.  
Pledge Poindester's father  
was Thomas Poindester  
and his mother was  
'Betsey' full blood Cherokee  
woman; sister to [unclear]  
[unclear] full  
blood Cherokee [unclear].  
Betsey's father was [unclear]

to be Chief Donavos a Chero-  
-kee Indian, I have been  
informed that Junalusky  
was on the roll 1835 - at  
Tombiga A. C. Keltner also  
on roll 1835 - who was  
Pledge Poindexters mother.  
When the roll 1835 was  
being made by Jonathan  
Linton, Pledge Poindexter  
family + Edward Helozier  
refused to be  
enrolled not willing  
to go west - my Great Grand  
Father Pledge Poindexter  
lived on Parc - some  
farm on Indian  
reservation which is

A. M. Swain Co N.C.  
died there just before the  
war 1861 was made, he  
came there from Surry  
Co, N.C. near Yorkville  
N.C. I have in posses-  
-sion the affidavits of  
James Payne who claimed  
to be a quarter Cherokee age  
23 yrs. Also James B. Cable  
white man age 68 yrs.  
who testifies that Pledge  
P. Conditon, mother of  
Pledge to J. M. Conditon +  
James Ayers first stood  
for the Indians S.  
Also James Affidavit  
of Henry P. Bagal

a very old white man,  
proving that Pledge  
Poindester being a quarter  
Cherokee Indian;  
Also, have James Taylor  
at David, who was a  
very old man  
& claimed to be first-  
born Cherokee.  
it proves that my  
grandfather Edward  
Belger was a quarter  
Cherokee Indian;

James Taylor  
David  
1840



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
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No. 689 a

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Andrews Sr. Co.

May 30, 1907.

Mr. Union Miller,

Dear Sir;

You will please  
send me three Blanks for  
minor heirs.

Respectfully

Mrs. Alice Angel.

No. Application. 689!

Andrews Sr. Co.

Cherokee Co.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
AND DAMAGES  
UNITED STATES  
MAY 15 1908

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Andrew A. C.

Apr. 19<sup>th</sup> 1902

Mrs. Selma C. Lockwood

Dear Madam

I have thought  
for a long time I would  
write to you in regard  
of the eastern movement  
of Cherokees I have been  
down sick since last  
Sept, which prevented my  
writing. I want to know  
how you are progressing  
in the matter, also, if  
there is any thing left  
undone for me. My  
best regards, you need  
to get well and

Dear

As I have read the  
brief you sent my Aunt  
Mrs. Sarah Mathews,  
I do certainly hope you  
will succeed in the  
matter and please write  
me all about it. There is  
my name for me to do  
and so.

Most truly & respectfully

Mr. Allen Craig

Andrew N.W.  
& Co.

Claim No. 689

Edward Delozier my  
grandfather, was one  
quarter Cherokee by blood  
his mother Alzey Fields  
was one half Cherokee by  
blood

The wife of said Edward  
Delozier was by the name  
of Elizabeth, who was  
the daughter of Pledge  
Poundexter that Pledge  
Poundexter was one

Cherokee Indian by blood  
and according to the ruling  
of the Supreme Court  
by the government of the  
United States would be  
one fourth Cherokee by blood



Andrews N.C.

Oct. 18, 1896.

C. F. Larrabee.

Dear Sir

I in reply to the request about my father in regard to the Eastern Cherokee claim. My Father (under B. Wall, resided in Rabun Co. Georgia in 1857. He never claimed Eastern Cherokee.

Very Respectfully

Alice Ayers.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 22 1906

No. (Appv.) 689

No. 690

Action: *Reject*

Name *Rachel Susan Ray* and *—* children. Residence: *Waleska, Ga.*

Reasons: *For report see Special report attached huto.*

No. 690

Name Rachel Susan Ray

With No.

Remarks:

Good Girl

~~Friday 11/11/77~~

No. 2879 690  
Name Rachel Susan Ray  
James W. Davis

With No. ....

Remarks:  
Grouped here with  
2681  
are nos. 7881, 2880,  
2882. 11366, 13025  
14670  
17571, 17572  
20001, 30000-26700  
24214, 37213

~~Claim through~~  
~~Mr. Davis~~  
~~d. 2025~~

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No. 600

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Rachel Susan Bay*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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#690

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Rachel Susan Neal; (Ray by marriage)

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

Canton P.O. Malusia

4. County:

Cherokee

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

May 4th 1872; Blount Co. Tennessee

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Father and Mother both. Father's name Anderson H Neal his mother's name was Polly Smith her mother's name was Susan Welch a full blooded Indian Mother's name was Sarah Jane Davis (Neal by marriage) her father's name is W.M. Davis his mother's name was Lydia Bentley her mother's name was Easter Downing a full blooded Cherokee Indian woman

8. Are you married?

Yes John Ray 37 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Anderson H Neal

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Sarah Jane Neal

Indian name:

Maiden name: Sarah Jane Davis

11. Where were they born?

Father: Clinton Co. Kentucky

Mother: Buncombe Co North Carolina

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Kentucky Clinton Co

Mother: Georgia Palmer (Now Flannin)

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.             | BORN.                 | DIED.             |
|-----|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <i>Annie</i>      | <i>Oct 1st 1863</i>   |                   |
| (2) | <i>Hardie</i>     | <i>Apr 5th 1865</i>   |                   |
| (3) | <i>Polly</i>      | <i>June 14 1867</i>   |                   |
| (4) | <i>William</i>    | <i>July 22nd 1875</i> | <i>Aug 9 1875</i> |
| (5) | <i>and myself</i> | <i>May 4th 1872</i>   |                   |
| (6) |                   |                       |                   |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.     | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Thomas Neal</i> | <i>William Davis</i> |
| <i>Polly Smith</i> | <i>Annie Cross</i>   |

17. Where were they born? *Grandfather Neal born in S. C. Grandmother Neal in East Tenn Grandfather and Grandmother Davis both in North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Grandfather Neal and Grandmother Neal in Kentucky Grandfather and Grandmother Davis in Georgia*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths: *Grandfather went to children*

(1) English name: *Pertina dead date unknown*  
 unknown Indian name:

Residence: *Died in Kentucky*

(2) English name: *William dead date 1866*

unknown Indian name:

Residence: *Died in Kentucky*

(3) English name: *James Living when last heard from*

unknown Indian name:

Residence: *Kentucky*

(4) English name: *Robert dead and Pleasant dead 3 years*

unknown Indian name:

Residence: *Both dead in Kentucky*

(5) English name: *Serena unknown, Fannie unknown*

unknown Indian name: *Caroline unknown and Elizabeth (went to Ind) 115 years ago*  
 Residence: *Kentucky when last heard from*  
*Wife unknown went to ...*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My father's name is Anderson  
Heal born Oct 5 1832 his mother's maiden name was Smith age  
unknown her mother's name was Susan Welch.  
Mother's name was Sarah J Davis her father's name was William  
Davis his mother's name was Lydia Bentley her mother's name  
was Easter Downing*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Inzie Ray*

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

My commission expires  
*Jan 1* 1907

*Jabez Gatt Clerk Supr Court*  
Notary Public  
*Choctaw County*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John Davis Wilscot Ga* and  
*Caroline Garland Wilscot Ga* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Susan Ray*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *32* years and *32* years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
*S. V. Ballou*

*D. B. Tilley*

Signatures of witnesses.

*John X Davis*  
*Caroline X Garland*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24* day of *September* 1906.

My commission expires  
*Sept 1* 1907

*Berj. C. Tilley*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Special Report as to Rachel Susan Ray

Group #690.

Claimant claims her Indian descent through both of her parents. Her father has filed application #2877. That group is rejected and the decision there made is here referred to as per grounds of rejecting claimant on the paternal side. Claimant's mother has filed application #2881, and as she was born in 1840 and as claimant's mother has several brothers and sisters contained in this group, the mother of this is written up and decision made as to her case and all reference herein after made applied to #2881. Said claimant #2881 gets her Indian descent through her father, William Davis, who was born in Cherokee Co., N. C., probably along some time about 1800 to 1805 or 6, as applicant #12012 who is a sister of this claimant, gives her oldest brother's birth as 1828.

There is a William Davis enrolled by Chapman in 1851, but there can be no doubt but that William Davis was some person other than the father of claimant, as his father was Daniel Davis, the same brothers and sisters are not given, and claimant's father was the head of a ~~group~~ family.

There is a Dr. William Davis on the roll of 1835, enrolled on Santah Creek, Ala., and as claimant's father was born in N. C. and apparently never lived anywhere else but there and in Ga., that William Davis could not have been claimant's father.. Then too, the family as given on the 1835 roll could not have been that of William Davis, as it does not tally up at all with the number in the family, nor the ages nor sexes.

The claimant herself does not appear on any roll of Cherokees, nor do any of her brothers and sisters. She and several of her brothers and sisters were living in and around the country where Hester made his roll in 1882 to 1884, and none of them are enrolled by him. None of the claimants who claim their Indian descent through the same source as does claimant, make any pretense of being on any roll themselves or of ever having had any Indian names, and consequently they and none of their ancestors not being found on the rolls under the simple name of Davis, and sufficient evidence not being furnished, identifying any of them or their ancestors with the Cherokees or as ever having been parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846, this claimant and all claiming Indian blood through the same source, are rejected.

Mother's brothers and sisters

- 1 Benjamin Davis dead about 3 years  
died in Sevier Co. Tennessee
- 2 George W. Davis Living in Fannin  
County Georgia
- 3 Harriet Davis Living in Gilmer  
County Georgia
- 4 Mitchell Davis dead about 13 years  
died in Pickens Co Ga.
- 5 Rachel Davis (Ray by marriage)  
Living in Cherokee Co Ga.
- 6 My Mother Sarah J. Davis (Neal  
by marriage) Living in Fannin Co  
Ga.

7 Joseph Davis Living in Gilmer  
Co. Georgia

There was not room the 13<sup>th</sup>  
to put the brothers and sisters any  
on the maternal side I put it here  
It is true

Benjamin Davis by 1818

No. 6, 1

Action: admitted

Name: James D. Micked and children. Residence: Akim Onga

Reasons: Applicant father enrolled

by Chapman 1851, no 1976



No. 691

Name James P. Wicked

~~With No.~~

Remarks:

No. 692 3-4-5

29333-6-7 grouped beneath.

Claim thro.

W<sup>m</sup> Wicked © 1976

O. K.

*Suppl.*

No. *991*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James P. Wicked.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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#691.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

James P. Wickred

Indian name:

2. Residence: Five Mile East of Atkins Ind. T.

3. Town and post office: Atkins Ind. T.

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Ind. T.

6. Date and place of birth: Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 1874 - Near Alma Ark.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Father William Wickred

and Uncle Thomas Bales Wickred and Uncle

John Wickred

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary E. Wickred 34 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: William Wickred

Indian name: probably previous to 1841 was Indian

Mother—English name: Susan J. Wickred

Indian name:

Maiden name: Susan J. Hardin (possibly Harden)

11. Where were they born?

Father: Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia

Mother: Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Old Cherokee Nation in Ga.

Mother: Old Cherokee Nation in Ga.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Dec 25 1903 Mother: now living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

In 877 in Ga. also enrolled here in Cherokee nation in payment 891 894 also enrolled before Dawes Com for land (110 1900)

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                    | BORN.       | DIED.        |
|-----|--------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| 694 | (1) Annie A. Peters      | Jan 6 1864  | now living   |
|     | (2) Andrew Thomas Wicked | Dec 9 1866  | July 31 1891 |
| 695 | (3) Minnie W. Boudin     | Feb 9 1870  | now living   |
| 695 | (4) Joseph A. Dersley    | Oct 15 1872 | .....        |
| 693 | (5) Jantha S. Jordan     | Feb 23 1878 | .....        |
|     | (6)                      |             |              |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.         | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------------|----------------|
| James Wicked           | Perry Harden   |
| Polly Wicked           | Sarah Harden   |
| Indian names not given | both Whites    |

17. Where were they born? on father's side born in Ga. on mother's side in North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In old Cherokee nation in Ga.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Thomas Baker Wicked died in 1862  
Indian name:  
Residence:

(2) English name: John Wicked died in 1862  
Indian name:  
Residence:

(3) English name: William Wicked<sup>died</sup> Dec 25 1903  
Indian name:  
Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

In payment 891 & 894 also before Dawes Com for land in 1900

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My great Grandfathers name was John Wickred  
but previous to that time or still father's  
name was at one time Dunier instead of Wickred*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *James P. Wickred*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 5*, 190*8* *S W Martin*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *B. F. Faulkner* and *J. J. Roberts*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *James P. Wickred*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *12* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *his self* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*B. F. Faulkner*  
*J. J. Roberts*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 5*, 190*8* *S W Martin*  
Notary Public.

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No. 691

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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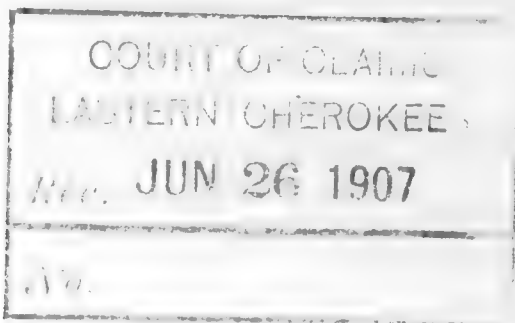
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*James P. Wicked*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 691

1. State your full name: James P. Wicketed
2. Residence and post office: 1 1/2 miles East of Atkins Ind. Tn.
3. County: Cherokee nation
4. State: Ind. Ten
5. Date and place of birth: Jan-18-1875 near Alma Ariz.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Mary E. Wicketed 32 years old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does ~~he~~ or she belong? White woman
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.     | BORN.               |
|-----|--------------------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Mocia M. Wicketed</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>July 16 1901</u> |
| (2) | <u>Ona L. Wicketed</u>   | <u>4</u> | <u>Dec 16 1903</u>  |
| (3) | .....                    | .....    | .....               |
| (4) | .....                    | .....    | .....               |
| (5) | .....                    | .....    | .....               |
| (6) | .....                    | .....    | .....               |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: with Cherokee tribe allot land.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James P. Wicketed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of June 1907.

J. W. Martin

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb 5, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me N. L. Martin and J. J. Gordon who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James P. Wickett who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and 13 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents his self to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

N. L. Martin  
J. J. Gordon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of June, 1907.

S. W. Martin  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 5, 1908.

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No. 690

Action: Admitted

Name: *Minnie Boydston* and 7 children. Residence: *Abama, Okla*

Reasons:

*Sister of #691 and claims through same source*

No. 692

Name *Winnie O Boydston*

With No. 691

Remarks:

*Little Boy*

No. *6597*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Winnie D. Boydston.*

Share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims, of March 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: *Minnie H. Boydston*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Akins Ind. T.*
3. Town and post office: *Akins*
4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
5. State: *Ind. Ter*
6. Date and place of birth: *Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> 1870 - near Tahlequah Ind. T.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Father William Wicked  
Uncle Thomas Bales Wicked and  
Uncle John Wicked*
8. Are you married? *y*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Wesley Boydston age 38 years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *William Wicked*  
Indian name: *probably previous to 1857 W. J. Wicker*  
Mother—English name: *Jessie J. Wicked*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Jessie J. Hardin*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia*  
Mother: *Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia*  
Mother: *Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Dec 25<sup>th</sup> 1903* Mother: *Now living*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Enrolled 1851 in Ga. also enrolled here in Cherokee nation in payment 1891, 1894 also enrolled before Dawes Com. for land no 1900*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|      | NAME                     | BORN        | DIED         |
|------|--------------------------|-------------|--------------|
|      | (1) Andrew Thomas Wiered | Dec 9-1866  | July 31-1891 |
| 694. | (2) Annie A. Peters      | Jan 6, 1864 | now living   |
| 695. | (3) Sarah W. Lesby       | Oct 14-1872 |              |
| 691. | (4) James P. Wiered      | Jan 18-1875 |              |
| 692. | (5) Samantha I. Gordon   | Feb 23-1878 |              |
|      | (6)                      |             |              |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE      | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|--------------------|---------------|
| James Wiered       | Perry Harden  |
| Polly Wiered       | Sarah Harden  |
| Indian names: none | both whites   |

17. Where were they born? *On father side born in Ga. on mother side in North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In old Cherokee nation in Ga.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Thomas Balis Wiered died in 1852*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: *John Wiered died in 1862*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: *William Wiered died Dec 26-1903*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *In payment 1891, 1894 also before Dawes Com. in land in 1900*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My great grand father name was John Weiskel  
but previous to that time or still further back name  
was at one time Lurie instead of Weiskel*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Minnie D. Boydston*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct.*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 15*, 1908 *J. H. Martin* Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Sallie Whitworth* and *Samuel Lessley*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Minnie D. Boydston*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and *19* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her self* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Sallie Whitworth*  
*Samuel Lessley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 15*, 1908 *J. H. Martin* Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian be executed before a notary, etc.

fore a notary public, clerk of the court, or before disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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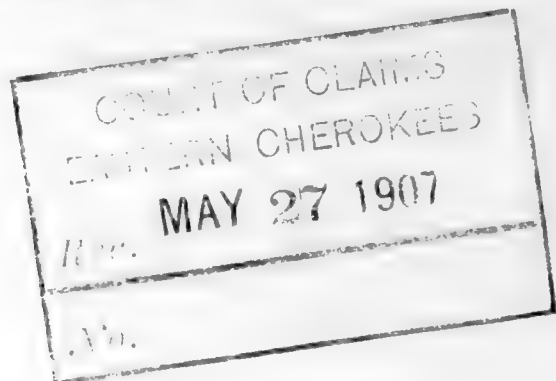
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Winnie D. Boydston*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 692

1. State your full name: Minnie D. Boydston
2. Residence and post office: Akins J.T.
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Date and place of birth: Feb - 9 - 1870 Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: James W. Boydston 39 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? White Man
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.      | BORN.                   |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Mica Boydston</u>      | <u>16</u> | <u>May 6, 1891</u>      |
| (2) | <u>Somah R. Boydston</u>  | <u>14</u> | <u>Mar. 11, 1893</u>    |
| (3) | <u>Bewlah. Boydston</u>   | <u>12</u> | <u>Jan. 23, 1895</u>    |
| (4) | <u>Manuel P. Boydston</u> | <u>9</u>  | <u>Aug 21, 1897</u>     |
| (5) | <u>Willie E Boydston</u>  | <u>7</u>  | <u>Jan. 15, 1900</u>    |
| (6) | <u>Gracie - Boydston</u>  | <u>4</u>  | <u>Dec. - 16 - 1902</u> |
| 7   | <u>Indiasla Boydston</u>  | <u>2</u>  | <u>Dec - 3 - 1904</u>   |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where and with what tribe of Indians: They participated in all moneys that has been paid out since their Birth, To the Cherokee People

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

They also hold their share of the land of the Cherokee Nation

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Minnie D. Boydston

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May, 1907.

S. W. Martin  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb 6 - 1908



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Lee Matoney and Susie Faulkner who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Minnie L Boydston who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 16 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Lee Matoney  
Susie Faulkner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May, 1907.

S W Martin  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Received of *GUION MILLER*, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. *14923-24-25-26-27-28*  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary *29*  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number *5571*  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

*Minnie Boydston*

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No. 173

Action: (Admitted)

Name: *Ann, the wife of J. J. Jordan and 1 child*

Residence: *Chillicothe, (W. Va.)*

Reasons:

*Wife of # 173 with claims & bonds same*

No. 693

Name Samantha J. Jordan

With No. 691

Remarks:

No. 5213

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Samantha S. Jordan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 12, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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#693

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: *Samantha J. Jordan*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *one mile east Atkins Ind. Ter.*
3. Town and post office: *Atkins Ind. Ter.*
4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
5. State: *Ind. Ter.*
6. Date and place of birth: *Feb 23 1878 near Alma Ark.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Father, William Wicked and Thomas Bolis Wicked and uncle John Wicked*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *James Jordan 37 years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *William Wicked*  
Indian name: *probably previous to 1867 was Indian*  
Mother—English name: *Susan J. Wicked*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Susan J. Hardin possibly Harden*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia*  
Mother: *Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Old Cherokee Nation in Ga.*  
Mother: *Old Cherokee Nation in Ga.*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Dec 25 1903* Mother: *now living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *In 1841 in Ga. also enrolled here in Cherokee nation in payment 1891 1894 also enrolled before Wawon comm. for land no 1900*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|      | NAME.                           | BORN.              | DIED.               |
|------|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 694. | (1) <i>Annie R. Peters</i>      | <i>Jan 6 1864</i>  | <i>now living</i>   |
|      | (2) <i>Andrew Thomas Wicked</i> | <i>Dec 9 1866</i>  | <i>July 31 1891</i> |
| 692. | (3) <i>Winnick Boydston</i>     | <i>Feb 9 1870</i>  | <i>now living</i>   |
| 695. | (4) <i>Sprothall Jessley</i>    | <i>Oct 15 1872</i> | <i>.. ..</i>        |
| 691. | (5) <i>James P. Wicked</i>      | <i>Jan 18 1874</i> | <i>.. ..</i>        |
|      | (6) .. ..                       |                    |                     |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                | MOTHER'S SIDE.      |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| <i>James Wicked</i>           | <i>Perry Harden</i> |
| <i>Polly Wicked</i>           | <i>Sarah Harden</i> |
| <i>Indian names not given</i> | <i>both whites</i>  |

17. Where were they born? *on father's side born in Ga. on mother's side in North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In old Cherokee Nation in Ga.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Thomas Bales Wicked died in 1852*

Indian name: .. ..

Residence: .. ..

(2) English name: *John Wicked died in 1862*

Indian name: .. ..

Residence: .. ..

(3) English name: *William Wicked died Dec 25 1903*

Indian name: .. ..

Residence: .. ..

(4) English name: .. ..

Indian name: .. ..

Residence: .. ..

(5) English name: .. ..

Indian name: .. ..

Residence: .. ..

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *In payment 1891 + 1894 also before Wawon comm. for land in 1900*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835.

*My great grand father name was to be included  
but because of the time or still father name was  
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REMARKS.

Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claim.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Samantha J. Jordan*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of Oct, 1906

My commission expires

*Feb 4-*

1908

*S. H. Martin*

Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Samuel Tinsley* and *B. H. Haulman*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Samantha J. Jordan*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *12* years and *15* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses

*Samuel Tinsley*  
*B. H. Haulman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of Oct, 1906

My commission expires

*Feb 4-*

1908

*S. H. Martin*

Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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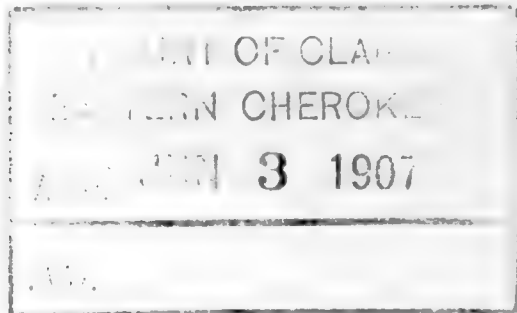
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Samantha J. Jordan*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 693

1. State your full name: Samantha J. Jordan
2. Residence and post office: on East of Meris
3. County: Cherokee nation
4. State: Ind Ter
5. Date and place of birth: Feb-23-1878 near Alma Ark
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: James J. Jordan 35 years old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he ~~or she~~ belong? White man
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.     | BORN.                |
|-----|------------------------|----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>David W. Jordan</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>June 22, 1905</u> |
| (2) | .....                  | .....    | .....                |
| (3) | .....                  | .....    | .....                |
| (4) | .....                  | .....    | .....                |
| (5) | .....                  | .....    | .....                |
| (6) | .....                  | .....    | .....                |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee for land only

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Samantha J. Jordan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of May, 1907.

S. W. Martin  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb 5, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Sam Lesley and J J Roberts who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samantha Jordan who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 18 years and 14 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Sam Lesley  
J J Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of May, 1907.

S. W. Martini  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 4, 1908

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 694.

Action: Adm. Prob

Name: *Amos G. Sators* and children. Residence: *Sallisaw, Okla*

Reasons: *Wife of # 694 and claim of adm. prob. same as*

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No. 694

Name Annal A. Peters

With No. 691

Remarks :

No. 514

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Annie A. Peters.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No.

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# 694

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Annie A. Peters*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Three miles east of Sallisaw Ind. T.*

3. Town and post office: *Sallisaw Ind. T.*

4. County: *Cherokee Nation*

5. State: *Ind. T.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 6 - 1864 near Calhoun Ga*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Father, William Wicked*

*and Uncle, Thomas Boles Wicked and uncle*

*John Wicked*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Joseph Peters, age 43 years*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *William Wicked*

Indian name: *probably previous to 1851 was "Quince"*

Mother—English name: *Susan J. Wicked*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Susan J. Stardin possibly Starden*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia*

Mother: *Old Cherokee Nation in Georgia*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Old Cherokee Nation in Ga.*

Mother: *Old Cherokee Nation in Ga.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Dec. 27 - 1903* Mother: *Now living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *In 1851 in Ga. also enrolled here in Cherokee Nation in payment 1891 & 1894 also enrolled before Laws Com. for land in 1900*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|          | NAME.                       | BORN.                 | DIED.                 |
|----------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| (1)      | <i>Andrew Thomas Wicket</i> | <i>Dec. 9 - 1866</i>  | <i>July 31 - 1891</i> |
| 692. (2) | <i>Minnie D. Boydston</i>   | <i>Feb. 9 - 1870</i>  | <i>How living?</i>    |
| 695. (3) | <i>Sartha A. Dossley</i>    | <i>Oct. 15 - 1872</i> | <i>" "</i>            |
| 691. (4) | <i>James P. Wicket</i>      | <i>Jan. 18 - 1875</i> | <i>" "</i>            |
| 693. (5) | <i>Bertha J. Jordan</i>     | <i>Feb. 23 1875</i>   | <i>" "</i>            |
| (6)      |                             |                       |                       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.               | MOTHER'S SIDE.      |
|------------------------------|---------------------|
| <i>James Wicket</i>          | <i>Perry Harden</i> |
| <i>Polly Wicket</i>          | <i>Sarah Harden</i> |
| <i>Indian name not given</i> | <i>both whites</i>  |

17. Where were they born? *On Father's side born in Ga. On Mother's side in North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In old Cherokee Nation in Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Thomas Poles Wicket died in 1852*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: *John Wicket died in 1862*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: *William Wicket died Dec. 25 - 1903*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Last payment 1891 & 1894 also before Laws Com. for land in 1900*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My Great Grandfather's name was John Wicked but previous to that time or still farther back name was at one time Duince instead of Wicked*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Annie A Peters*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *September*, 1906.

My commission expires *July 21*, 190*8*

*J. O. Butler*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Demuel B. Wicked* and *Newton Wicked*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Annie A. Peters*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *40* years and *12* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
*Waden Wicked*  
*Joseph Peters*

Signatures of witnesses.  
*Demuel B. Wicked*  
*Newton Wicked*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *September*, 1906.

My commission expires *July 21*, 190*8*

*J. O. Butler*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 694

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Amir A. Peter*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>MAY 24 1907<br>No. |
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 194

1. State your full name: Annie A. Peters
2. Residence and post office: Tellisau
3. County: Sequoyah
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Jan. 6<sup>th</sup> 1864, State Ga.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Joseph Peter Age 43
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee waptel
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.             | AGE.      | BORN.                 |
|-----|-------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Loranza M.</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>Feb. 10-1897</u>   |
| (2) | <u>Minnie S.</u>  | <u>18</u> | <u>March 20-1889.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Nora A.</u>    | <u>14</u> | <u>Oct 09-1892</u>    |
| (4) | <u>Leatha S.</u>  | <u>12</u> | <u>Dec 7-1894</u>     |
| (5) | <u>Plumie</u>     | <u>10</u> | <u>April 9 1897</u>   |
| (6) |                   |           |                       |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Seen in all payments of the Cherokee made to the tribe since their birth  
REMARKS as well as lands.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My father's name was William  
Wickard an emigrant Cherokee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Annie A. Peters

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1907.

Chas. C. Day  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb 23, 1907

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. J. Craven and L. C. Moore

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Amin A. Peter who makes the

foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 18 years and 10 years,

respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that

on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by

her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Craven

L. C. Moore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of May, 1907.

Chas. C. Gage

Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 23rd, 1907.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 694 a.

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Jacksonville, Fla.

May 21 1907

Mr. Miller  
Special Com.

Kind Sir,  
Please send blank to  
my three children who  
are of age to get

The new edition  
of the  
Book of Pines  
all of which I  
will buy for my

Anna A. Pines

No. 691

Action: Admitted

Name *Gertrude Wesley* and *children* Residence: *Wine, Fla.*

Reasons:

*Order of \$291 and claim brought and*

No. 695

Name Sawtho A. Lesley

With No. 691

Remarks :

No. 425

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*Sarotho A. Lussley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 8 1906<br>No. |
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Sarotho W Lesley*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: *one mile east of Atkins Ind. T.*

3. Town and post office: *Atkins Ind. T.*

4. County: *Cherokee nation*

5. State: *Ind. Ter.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 15 1872 near Alma Ark.*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Father William Wickett and Uncle Thomas Bolis Wickett and Uncle John Wickett*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Samuel J Lesley 42 years*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *William Wickett*

Indian name: *probably previous to 1851 was Quiner*

Mother—English name: *Susan J Wickett possibly*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Susan J Hardin possibly Hardon*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Old Cherokee nation in Georgia*

Mother: *Old Cherokee nation in Georgia*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Old Cherokee nation in Georgia*

Mother: *Old Cherokee nation Georgia*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Dec 25 1903* Mother: *now living*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *In 1857 in Ga. also enrolled here in Cherokee Nation  
in payment 1891 1894 also enrolled before Dawes Com. for land -  
no 1900*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                             | BORN.              | DIED.               |
|-----|-----------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 694 | (1) <i>Annie A. Peters.</i>       | <i>Jan 6 1864</i>  | <i>now living</i>   |
|     | (2) <i>Andrew Thomas Wickred.</i> | <i>Dec 9 1866</i>  | <i>July 31 1891</i> |
| 692 | (3) <i>Winnie W. Boydell</i>      | <i>Feb 5 1870</i>  | <i>now living</i>   |
| 691 | (4) <i>James P. Wickred</i>       | <i>Jan 18 1875</i> | <i>.. ..</i>        |
| 693 | (5) <i>Samantha Jordan</i>        | <i>Feb 23 1878</i> | <i>.. ..</i>        |
|     | (6) .. ..                         |                    |                     |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                | MOTHER'S SIDE.      |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| <i>James Wickred</i>          | <i>Perry Harder</i> |
| <i>Polly Wickred</i>          | <i>Sarah Harder</i> |
| <i>Indian names not given</i> | <i>both whites</i>  |

17. Where were they born? *on father's side born in Ga.  
on mother's side in North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In old Cherokee  
Nation in Georgia*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *Thomas Boles Wickred died in 1852*  
Indian name: .. ..  
Residence: .. ..
- (2) English name: *John Wickred died in 1862*  
Indian name: .. ..  
Residence: .. ..
- (3) English name: *William Wickred died Dec 25 1903*  
Indian name: .. ..  
Residence: .. ..
- (4) English name: .. ..  
Indian name: .. ..  
Residence: .. ..
- (5) English name: .. ..  
Indian name: .. ..  
Residence: .. ..

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *In payment 1891 & 1894 also before Dawes Com.  
for land in 1900*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My Great Grandfather's name was John Wicked but previous to that time or still farther back name was at one time Lincee instead of Wicked*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Soratha A. Jessley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 5*, 190*8*. *J. V. Martin* Illinois & T. Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Sallie Whitworth* and *Vina Boydston* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Soratha A. Jessley* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and *16* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her self* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Sallie Whitworth*  
*Vina Boydston*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 5*, 190*8*. *J. V. Martin* Illinois & T. Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 695

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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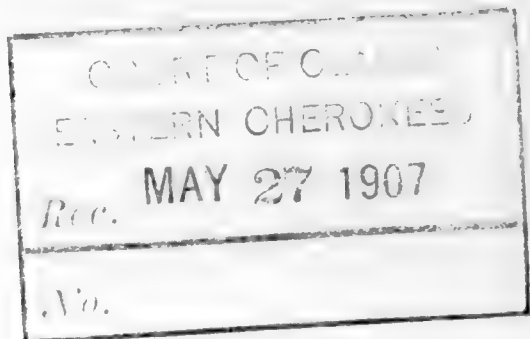
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Sar-thia Lesley*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 695

1. State your full name: Sarotha A. Lesley
2. Residence and post office: Akins
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: OK
5. Date and place of birth: Crofford, Co. Ark, Oct. 15 1873.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Samuel J. Lesley 43.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? White Man
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.      | BORN.                   |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Jartha P. Lesley</u>  | <u>16</u> | <u>Jan. 16. 1891</u>    |
| (2) | <u>William C. Lesley</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>Oct. 18. 1893</u>    |
| (3) | <u>James B. Lesley</u>   | <u>11</u> | <u>April - 22. 1896</u> |
| (4) | <u>Bewna V. Lesley</u>   | <u>8</u>  | <u>Sep. 11. 1898</u>    |
| (5) | <u>Samuel C. Lesley</u>  | <u>5</u>  | <u>Dec - 15. 1901</u>   |
| (6) | <u>Loie R. Lesley</u>    | <u>1</u>  | <u>July 10 1905</u>     |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They participated in all annuities that has been paid out since their birth. to the Cherokee People

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

They also share in the distribution of the lands of the Cherokee Nation

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarotha A. Lesley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May 1907.

S. W. Martin  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb 5, 1908



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Geo Maloney and Susie Faulstich who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Saratha A. Lesley who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 16 years and 18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo Maloney  
Susie Faulstich

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May, 1907.

S W Martin  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 5, 1908.

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No. 678

Action: admitted

Name: Victoria Thompson and

children. Residence: Santa Ana

Reason: no record made by Bureau

1857 Dec 27



No. 696

Name Nicholas Thomas

~~With No.~~

~~Remarks:~~

Clarification.

(Self) Nicholas Byer, Thomas

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Nicholas Thomas*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 8 1906  
No.

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# 606.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Nicholas Thomas

Indian name: Blo-gun

2. Residence:

Finita

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

OKLO

6. Date and place of birth:

Tenn about 1835

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Mother died before 1851  
Sister - Eliza Thomas Mary Thomas Peeter Thomas  
Aunts Annie Butler Peggy Butler  
and one Aunt whos name is unknown  
- Butler Uncle Wylie Butler

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Peter Thomas

Indian name: Blo. Gun

Mother—English name: Sarah or Sally

Indian name:

Maiden name: Sarah Butler

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother: Tenn Old Cherokee Nation

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: both dead

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Unknown Mother: Unknown

*It is possible that your orphan children were enrolled in 1851 under their father's Indian name of Blow-guns*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.           | BORN. | DIED.        |
|-----|-----------------|-------|--------------|
| (1) | Nicholas Thomas |       |              |
| (2) | Eliza Thomas    |       | no data dead |
| (3) | Mary Thomas     |       | " "          |
| (4) | Peter Thomas    |       | " "          |
| (5) |                 |       |              |
| (6) |                 |       |              |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|----------------|----------------|
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|  |                |                |
|  |                |                |
|  |                |                |
|  |                |                |

*no data*

17. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *Annie Butler*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Near Ft Smith about 1850*
- (2) English name: *Peggie Butler*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: *Butler and ~~Agnes Butler~~*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: *Mylin Butler*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Verdegris about 1850*
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *1851 by guardian Ben Landrum and for subsequent payments since*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Nicholas Thomas  
Eliza Thomas } died before  
Mary Thomas } marriage  
Pete Thomas }

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Before the 1851 Roll was made  
Ben Landrum adopted Nicholas Thomas  
and Eliza Thomas and Dave Foxman adopted  
or took Mary Thomas + Pete Thomas  
I cant say whether my father Indian name Bloyan  
is on Roll or not

Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Nicholas Thomas

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

My commission expires

June, 1908, 1908 J. M. Daniel  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John M. Daniel and  
W. H. Dineen, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Nicholas Thomas, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and  
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John M. Daniel  
W. H. Dineen

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

My commission expires

June, 1908, 1908 J. M. Daniel  
Notary Public.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 696.

October 11, 1906.

Nicholas Thomas,  
Vinita,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain from some one of your relatives or friends the date of death of your father and mother. You should give, if possible, the approximate date of their death if you can not ascertain the exact date.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBV



→ J.B.H.  
REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
EASTERN CHEROKEES. OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
Appln. No. 696. WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

Nicholas Thomas,  
Vinita,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain from some one of your relatives or friends the date of death of your father and mother. You should give, if possible, the approximate date of their death if you can not ascertain the exact date.

Very respectfully,

*John B. H.*  
Acting Commissioner.

JBH

*Ret. unclaimed -*

*Nos. 16/06.*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 18 1907  
No. 696

No. ans.  
reg.

Vinita Ind. Ter. Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> 1907

Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

In the matter of the  
award of the Emigrant Claims  
of four million dollars the  
decree of the Court of Claims  
gave this money to the Em-  
igrants of the Roll of 1852.  
Now by some misapprehen-  
-sion this money is to be paid  
to everybody alive a year ago  
I consider this change so un-  
-just to us living emigrants  
that I appeal to you to take  
steps to give us justice.  
I am the heir to my two sisters  
and brother with my self four  
shares something like \$1000<sup>00</sup> in  
all. The years we have wasted  
attorneys we have employed and  
now to have some one manage

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to secure this change take my  
money due me from my  
Sister & brother and give it  
to Tom, Dick & Henry is to  
unjust to ~~not~~ write about,  
and I respectfully ask  
you will not take this matter  
up with the Sec of the Interior  
and see if we can get  
justice for this great injustice  
was done to influence this  
past election at the loss of  
us living emigrants  
The old-settles claim was paid  
to the heirs the same as we now  
ask for our selves  
Truly & Respectfully  
Nicholas Thomas

P.S.  
While we think this change was  
made to get Indians to vote  
democratic we object to  
it being paid to any one but  
emigrants who was on Roll 2/1852

No. A97

Action: Reject

Name: Sarah Foreman and children. Residence: Allisaw Okla

Reasons:

applicant enrolled with "Old Letter" 185-1. Claims right to participate in payment, through husband who died 1877.





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No. 297

Action: correct

Name: Juan Ferriman and children. Residence: Mission Okla

Reasons: Applicant married with old letter 1851. Claims right to participate in payment through husband who died 1851.

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No. 697

Name Sarah Foreman

With No.

Remarks: No

15765, 826, 10926

<sup>572</sup>  
Applicant's father is  
not on rolls - State  
that mother was an "Old  
Settler". Applicant states  
that she herself has drawn  
"Old Settler" money.

10/2/26

Think think this  
application should  
be rejected.

The other application  
with name C. K.  
Hamm, then.  
Charles Foreman

With 704

No. 697

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah Foreman

For the sum of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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# 694

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Sarah Foreman

Indian name:

2. Residence: Sallisaw.

3. Town and post office: Sallisaw, J.T.

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Flint District January 31, 1847.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: By being the widow of Charlie Foreman, who was living in 1851, and is on that roll

8. Are you married? No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Charlie Foreman

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Tom Ross

Indian name: O-Ta-Loot-

Mother—English name: Betsy Ross

Indian name: Siat-sa.

Maiden name: Betsey Shelton

11. Where were they born?

Father: dont know.

Mother: dont know

*See letters*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Flint District Cherokee Nation

Mother: Flint District Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: cant give it

Mar. 1878.

Mother: cant give it

Jan. 1878.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: mother drew in the old settler payment, dont know whether my father ever enrolled for annuities, lands, or other benefits.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME            | BORN                           | DIED                       |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| (1) Polly Ross  | <u>cant give date of birth</u> | <u>Dead cant give date</u> |
| (2) Jeff Ross   | "                              | "                          |
| (3) Rufus Ross  | "                              | 1899.                      |
| (4) Aky Ross    | "                              | 1892.                      |
| (5) Rhodie Ross | "                              | 1882.                      |
| (6)             |                                |                            |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE    | MOTHER'S SIDE          |
|------------------|------------------------|
| <u>Dave Ross</u> | <u>cant give them.</u> |
| <u>Aky Ross</u>  |                        |
|                  |                        |

17. Where were they born? Dont know.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Dont know.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of leaths:

(1) English name: John, and Dan Ross, Tilda Alex Ross all dead but cant give date of death.  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: All resided here when they were liveing.

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I was enrolled as an old settler, and drew money in that payaent here, in the Cherokee Nation.



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I simply claim Charlie Foremans share as being his widow, knowing that he is an Eastern Emigrant, and is on the roll of 1851.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*with to mark & in true*  
*A. C. McGowan* (Signature.) *Sarah Foreman*  
*maid*

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

My commission expires 2/23, 1909  
*Chas. O. Faye*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. F. Hicks and W. S. Pack

....., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah Foreman, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark. *A. C. McGowan*  
*E. M. [unclear]*  
Signatures of witnesses. *B. F. Hicks*  
*W. S. Pack*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of October, 1906.  
My commission expires 2/23, 1909  
*Chas. O. Faye*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 697.

October 11, 1906.

Sarah Foreman,

Sallisaw,

Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the birth-place of your father and mother. Also give the date of their death; if you can not find out the exact date, the approximate time will be sufficient.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JRM

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
REV OCT 23 1906  
No. (App.) 697

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
WASHINGTON.  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Appln. No. 697.

October 11, 1906.

Sarah Foreman,  
Sallisaw,  
Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the birth-place of your father and mother. Also give the date of their death; if you can not find out the exact date, the approximate time will be sufficient.

Very respectfully,

*C. F. Larrabee*  
Acting Commissioner.

Sallisaw, I.T.  
October 20th, 1906.

JBH C.F. Larrabee, Acting Commissioner,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to the above letter, will say that the place and birth of my father and mother was in the old Country, Father died, March 1878, mother died January 1878, as near as I can get at it.

Very Truly Yours.

*With to mark*  
*E M Fry*  
*John T. Foreman*

*Sary*  
*Sarah Foreman*  
*mark*

Appl. #697

November 25, 1907.

Sarah Foreman,  
Sallisaw, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether your father, Tom Ross, was an Eastern Cherokee by blood; Was he ever enrolled with that tribe? If so, where and when. If not, please state the reason why.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CHB/ALS



THE INTERIOR,  
INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

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ation for participation in the  
of the Court of Claims in favor  
ascertain, if possible, the  
mother. Also give the date  
find out the exact date, the  
agent.

respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

... that the place and birth  
... March 1878. mother died

*Very  
Frank Foreman  
Mark*

No. 2257

Action: admitted

Name: William Davis and children. Residence: William Davis

Reasons: ... ..

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No. 698

Name Charlie Davis

~~With No.~~

Remarks:

Nos. 699, 3562, 3179,  
3178, 3560, 3132  
-3'  
scrapped beneath.

Claim thro.

James Davis  
@ 1611

#699 Claim thro. her  
deceased husband James  
Davis, who died in '95.  
Claim should not be allowed  
on that ground

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D. K.

No. 6018

*S. D. S.*  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*S. D. S.*  
Charlie Davis.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decision of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 8 1906<br>No. |
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#698

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Charlie Davis,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Sallisaw,

3. Town and post office: Sallisaw, I.T.

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: June 23rd, 1866

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim through my father James Davis

and through my Uncles Nate Davis, Wes Davis, and through my Aunts,

Liza Davis, Mae Davis, and Sarah Davis.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lottie Davis age 19 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: James Davis,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elizebeth Davis

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Elizebeth Thornton

11. Where were they born?

Father: Hamilton County Tennessee

Mother: Hamilton County Tennessee

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hamilton County Tennessee

Mother: Hamilton County Tennessee

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: October 13th, 1895,

Mother: lived on



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Father in the Cherokee Nation, as a Cherokee Indian,

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                                            | BORN.                        | DIED.                 |
|-----|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Davis.</u>                               | <u>1868</u>                  | <u>Nov 30, 1889.</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Nancy Davis.</u>                              | <u>1870</u>                  |                       |
| (3) | <u>Eva Davis.</u>                                | <u>1871</u>                  |                       |
| (4) | <u>Janea Davis,</u><br><u>Andrew Davis</u>       | <u>1873.</u><br><u>1879.</u> |                       |
| (5) | <u>Georgie A. Davis.</u><br><u>Alford Davis,</u> | <u>1878.</u><br><u>1881.</u> | <u>Feb 23rd 1896.</u> |
| (6) | <u>Elizebeth Davis</u><br><u>Maud Davis.</u>     | <u>1885.</u><br><u>1889.</u> |                       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.      | MOTHER'S SIDE.     |
|--|---------------------|--------------------|
|  | <u>Barney Davis</u> | <u>Billie Reed</u> |
|  | <u>Sally Davis</u>  |                    |

17. Where were they born? Hamilton County Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Harrison Tennessee

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: oant  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Only here in the Cherokee Nation, August 29th, 1887.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I make this claim as an heir of James Davis, who is on the 1851 roll, and as nephew of Nute, Wes, Davis, who are on the 1851. Liza, Sue, and Sarah F. Davis, who are on the 1851 roll as their nephew.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Stanley Davis

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

My commission expires

1-11-1908

James G. Denton Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. F. Palmer and A. E. McGowan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charlie Davis, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 16 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

W. F. Palmer A. E. McGowan

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

My commission expires

1-11-1908

James G. Denton Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 698

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Charlie Davis

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. MAY 27 1907<br>No. |
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 698

1. State your full name: Charlie Davis
2. Residence and post office: Partlesville
3. County: Northern District
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: June 1866 near Cholanoochee Ter.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Latta Davis, age 18
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.               | AGE.      | BORN.               |
|-----|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Parney Davis</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>Oct. 27-1892</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mary Davis</u>   | <u>8</u>  | <u>Dec. 27-1899</u> |
| (3) | .....               | .....     | .....               |
| (4) | .....               | .....     | .....               |
| (5) | .....               | .....     | .....               |
| (6) | .....               | .....     | .....               |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians Parney Davis & Mary both have allotments being enrolled in Sept. 1901

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Charlie Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907.

O. B. Cleveland  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 10<sup>th</sup> 1911

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nancy N. Statham and A. C. Statham who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charlie Davis who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 35 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Nancy Statham  
A. C. Statham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May, 1907.

O. B. Allen  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 10<sup>th</sup> 1911, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. JUN 8 1909 |
| No.                                                      |

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J. J. ...

Union ...

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To Honorable Davis  
Sullivan C.K. La  
in response to his  
Report to the  
Honorable Davis  
Sullivan C.K. La

Wm. Sullivan  
Sullivan C.K. La

No. 677

Action: *reject*

Name *Elizabeth Davis* and

children.

Residence:

*Wilmington N.C.*

Reasons:

*applicant claims through  
husband who died 1875*

*690*  
No. 690

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth Davis.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1907, *et seq.*

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 8 1906  
No.

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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: Elizabeth Davis  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Sallisaw.
3. Town and post office: Sallisaw, I. T.
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Hamilton County Tennessee, May 17th, 1843.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: As a widow of James Davis, and being his widow, then for his brothers to-wit: Nute Davis, Wesley Davis, and his sisters, to-wit: Liza Davis, Sue Davis, Sarah F. Savis,  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. Are you married? No.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: John Thornton  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Rhodie Thornton  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Rhodie York.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Kentucky.  
Mother: Ray County Tennessee
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Hamilton County Tennessee  
Mother: Hamilton County Tennessee
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: July 1876. Mother: May 1870.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: **Never enrolled**

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.               | BORN.                                | DIED.                |
|-----|---------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | William Thornton    | December 30th, 1833                  | liveing.             |
| (2) | Jane Thornton,      | December 23rd, 1835.                 | liveing.             |
| (3) | Manuel Thornton,    | January 4th, 1837.                   | liveing.             |
| (4) | Susan Thornton      | October 17th, 1839.                  | liveing last account |
| (5) | Sam<br>Tom<br>Gelia | all dead but cant give date of death |                      |
| (6) | Len                 |                                      |                      |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|----------------|----------------|
|  | Davis Thornton | Susan Thornton |

17. Where were they born? **Kentucky.**

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? **Dead**

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of leaths:

(1) English name: **Cant give this**  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. **never**



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:   
 unknown

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I make this claim by virtue of James Davis being my lawful husband, and he is on the roll of 1851, and also his brothers, Nut, Wesley, Davis, and his sisters, Liza, Sue, Sarah Davis, who are all dead, leaving no children.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness to mark.   
 E. M. Fry (Signature.) Elizabeth X Davis her mark,   
 J. T. Downer

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

My commission expires

1-11-1908

James G. Denton Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nancy Jane Lowe and J. R. Scoggins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Davis, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 60 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.   
 E. M. Fry Nancy Jane Lowe Signature of witnesses.   
 J. T. Downer J. R. Scoggins

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

My commission expires

1-11-1908

James G. Denton Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*No.*

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Sallisaw Okla

Nov 30 07

Genl Miller

Special Commissioner

Washington D.C

in Reply to you of the 25<sup>th</sup>  
Will say that I only claim  
through my husband James  
Watts who died on Oct  
13<sup>th</sup> 1895-

Resp  
Elizabeth Watts

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appin. No. 699.

October 11, 1906.

Alice Angel,

Andrews,

North Carolina.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the residence of your father in 1851, and state whether or not he was an Eastern Cherokee.

Very respectfully,

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Acting Commissioner.

JBH

Appl. #599

November 25, 1907.

Elizabeth Davis,  
Sallisaw, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of  
Claims in favor of the late Mr. [redacted], please state  
what part of said fund and how much you claim through any  
source other than through him.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CHB/ALS

No. 700.

Action: Admitted.

Name: N. T. Hoyle, and children. Residence: ...

Reasons:

Applicant claims to be ... in ...  
...  
... enrolled in ...

...

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No. 700

6.4.

Name N. L. Nelson Sured for  
William Robbins, minor

Wit No.

Remarks:

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896, 2390. 8/5/24. 24/2/24  
8/5/24. 6/4/24  
Claim (tho). 26/2/24

Jane Thomson (701) Q.S. 708.

24222, 30105

O. K.

No. 2111

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*N. L. Nielsen Guardian*  
*of said William Robbins a minor*

For share money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 8 1906<br>No. |
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#400

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— *M. L. Nielsen Guardian,*  
 English name: *of William Robbins said guardian,*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Oaks*
3. Town and post office: *Oaks*
4. County: *District 5*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *1896 Tahlequah Dist. 2<sup>d</sup>*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *(1) Johnson Robbins*
8. Are you married? *no*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *no*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: *Timothy Robbins*  
 Indian name: *Ak le ye su lo*  
 Mother—English name: *Rada Robbins*  
 Indian name: *no (white woman)*  
 Maiden name: *Rada Carroll*
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: *Goingsnake district Ind. Territory*  
 Mother: *North Carolina*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: *no*  
 Mother: *no*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: *1898*                      Mother: *1898*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *1893-4 Cherokee Payment District*

*Tahlequah, Cherokee Nation Indian Territory*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.     | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>no</i> |       |       |
| (2) |           |       |       |
| (3) |           |       |       |
| (4) |           |       |       |
| (5) |           |       |       |
| (6) |           |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.            | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|---------------------------|----------------|
|  | <i>Johnson Robbins</i>    |                |
|  | <i>Jon sin Law wane</i>   |                |
|  | <i>Nancy Jane Robbins</i> |                |
|  | <i>Che ne Law wane</i>    |                |

17. Where were they born? *Cherokee Nation East*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Goingsnake District Cherokee Nation Indian Territory*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                        |              |                                 |
|-----|----------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Levi Robbins</i>      | Indian name: | Residence: <i>unknown death</i> |
| (2) | English name: <i>Margrett Robbin</i>   | Indian name: | Residence: <i>unknown death</i> |
| (3) | English name: <i>Allie Robbins</i>     | Indian name: | Residence: <i>unknown death</i> |
| (4) | English name: <i>John Robbin</i>       | Indian name: | Residence: <i>unknown death</i> |
| (5) | English name: <i>Josievine Robbins</i> | Indian name: | Residence: <i>1901 death</i>    |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *1902-3 land By the Commission to the*

*Five Civilized Tribes Tahlequah Dist. 19*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Rev. A. L. Nielsen Guardian of said William Robbins a minor.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of October 1906.

My commission expires

July 2, 1910

*David E. Smallwood*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. J. Carroll and Elias Foreman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with W. L. Nielsen gdn. of said William Robbins a minor who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and 7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. J. Carroll*  
*Elias Foreman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of October 1906.

My commission expires

July 2, 1910

*David E. Smallwood*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 701.

Action: *Admitted.*

Name: *Nancy Jane Robbins* and  children. Residence: *Oriskany, Ohio.*

Reasons: *Grandmother of # 700.*



No. 701  
Name Nancy Jane Robbins  
With No. 700

Remarks :

*Handwritten:* 700

No. 701

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Handwritten signature:* Henry J. Rabbin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*Handwritten:* 102

# 201

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Nancy Jane Robbins

Indian name: Chere Lawman

2. Residence: Oaks

3. Town and post office: Oaks

4. County: District 5

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: 1846, Goingsnake Dist. Ind. T.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: (1) self Nancy Jane Robbins

(2) Wily Thornton (3) Elijebeth Thornton

(4) William Thornton

8. Are you married? Widow

9. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband: Johnson Robbins

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Wily Thornton

Indian name: Sr. Le ye su la

Mother—English name: Nancy Thornton

Indian name: no

Maiden name: Nancy Briner (white woman)

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation Georgia

Mother: Cherokee Nation Georgia

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Goingsnake<sup>Dist.</sup> Cherokee Nation Ind. T.

Mother: Goingsnake<sup>Dist.</sup> Cherokee Nation Ind. T.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1855 Mother: 1855

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *1851-2 Cherokee Payment Goingsmake District Cherokee Nation Indian Territory*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                                                | BORN.                      | DIED.                      |
|-----|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Amos Thornton</i>                                 | <i>1835</i>                | <i>unknown</i>             |
| (2) | <i>William Thornton</i>                              | <i>1837</i>                | <i>1863</i>                |
| (3) | <i>John Thornton</i><br><i>Elizabeth Hummingbird</i> | <i>1839</i><br><i>1841</i> | <i>1867</i><br><i>1858</i> |
| (4) | <i>Mary Goodwin</i><br><i>Sarah Sixkiller</i>        | <i>1843</i><br><i>1848</i> | <i>1887</i><br><i>1883</i> |
| (5) | <i>Joe Thornton</i>                                  | <i>1851</i>                |                            |
| (6) | <i>Ruth Thornton</i>                                 | <i>unknown</i>             | <i>unknown</i>             |
|     | <i>Jim Thornton</i>                                  | <i>1865</i>                |                            |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.             | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|----------------------------|----------------|
|  | <i>Thornton (whiteman)</i> | <i>unknown</i> |
|  | <i>no-</i>                 | <i>unknown</i> |
|  | <i>Nancy Jane Thornton</i> | <i>unknown</i> |
|  | <i>no-</i>                 | <i>unknown</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *No*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                       |                                |                            |                   |
|-----|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Amos Thornton</i>    | Indian name: <i>Chulaska</i>   | Residence: <i>unknown</i>  | <i>death</i>      |
| (2) | English name: <i>John Thornton</i>    | Indian name: <i>unknown</i>    | Residence: <i>1865</i>     | <i>death</i>      |
| (3) | English name: <i>William Thornton</i> | Indian name: <i>unknown</i>    | Residence: <i>unknown</i>  | <i>death</i>      |
| (4) | English name: <i>Smith Thornton</i>   | Indian name: <i>Tah la doo</i> | Residence: <i>Ta la to</i> | <i>1865 death</i> |
| (5) | English name: <i>Charles Thornton</i> | Indian name: <i>unknown</i>    | Residence: <i>unknown</i>  | <i>death</i>      |
|     | <i>Lilla Thornton</i>                 | <i>1860</i>                    | <i>unknown</i>             | <i>death</i>      |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where. *1851-2 and 1873 - Cherokee Payment and Land 1892-3 By the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes going make and Tahlequah District Dec 77.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

that said Wylie Thornton, his Bob and sister came before 1835.  
Wylie Thornton came with the emigrant 1838 to 1834 -

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. J. Carroll (Signature.) Nancy Jane Robbins  
Lynia Snell  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of October 1906.

My commission expires

July 2, 1910

David E. Smallwood  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Elias Foreman and Corning Snell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nancy Jane Robbins, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Elias Foreman  
Corning Snell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of October 1906.

My commission expires

July 2, 1910

David E. Smallwood  
Notary Public.

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No. 702

Action: Admitted

Name: Nellie Walker and children. Residence: Kansas Okla

Reasons: A child and mother in Duman

1857 Dec 28

702



No. 702 *Field No.*

Name *Hellie Walker*

With No. *Forest Green*

Remarks: *No. 702  
16936  
Grouped specimens*

*Write to applicant  
and ask what the maiden  
name was - the full  
name of both the father  
& mother.*

*Write to all applicants  
for further information  
with regard to names of  
parents, full address  
name of school or town  
and county.*

*Write to all applicants*

*Write to all applicants*

No. 712

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mellie W. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 8 1906  
No.

702

#702

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Nellie Walker

Indian name: Mele

2. Residence: 3 1/2 miles West of Kausas

3. Town and post office: Kausas

4. County: District 5

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: 1839 Delaware District Ind. Ter.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: (1) self Nellie Walker

(2) Nancy, (3) Ahde tlo do he (4) Cho coke

(5) Coleyaha (6) Su wen ne

(7) Pah wese

8. Are you married? Widow

9. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband: Nick Walker

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Moses

Indian name: Morse

Mother—English name: Nancy

Indian name: Nancy

Maiden name: Mrs. Brown

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation East

Mother: Cherokee Nation East

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Delaware Dist., Cherokee Nation Ind. Territory

Mother: Delaware Dist Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1851 Mother: 1855

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *1852 Cherokee payment, Delaware District Cherokee nation*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                 | BORN.       | DIED.       |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>Ad de the dohe</i> | <i>1850</i> | <i>1863</i> |
| (2) |                       |             |             |
| (3) |                       |             |             |
| (4) |                       |             |             |
| (5) |                       |             |             |
| (6) |                       |             |             |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| <i>unknown</i> | <i>unknown</i> |
| <i>unknown</i> | <i>unknown</i> |
|                | <i>Choctaw</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Cherokee nation East*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Delaware District Cherokee nation, Indian Territory*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *Oo la yoh a*  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_ *1863* *died*
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *su wene*  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_ *unknown* *death*
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *la we se*  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_ *unknown* *death*
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *1851-2 and 1893-4 Cherokee payment and land by the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes in Delaware & Gainsville District*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Witness to mark:*  
*Coming Snell* *Mellie Walker*  
*Samuel Dry* (Signature.) *for*  
*mark*

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

My commission expires

July 2, 1910, 1906

*David E. Smallwood*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Coming Snell, and Dick Kah Kah wee, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mellie Walker, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and 40 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

*Witnesses to mark.*

*Signatures of witnesses.*

*Samuel Dry*  
*J. J. Carroll*

*Coming Snell*  
*Dick Kah Kah wee*  
*mark*

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

My commission expires

July 2, 1910, 1906

*David E. Smallwood*  
Notary Public.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 702, App.



*[Faint, illegible handwriting at the top of the page]*

Oaks J. T.

Jan. 10, 07

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

Nellie Walker requested me to send  
the above names, to be added to her  
Emergency Claim

Respect

J. T. Carroll

Nellie Walker being first duly sworn through Tom Reach,  
Interpreter, deposes and says:

I am about 69 years of age. I am an emigrant and drew money  
in '51 at Fort Gibson. I was living in Delaware District at that time.  
My Indian name was Na-lih or Nellie and my mother's was Kun-sih  
of Nancy and I had a brother then by the name of Ot-klee-daw-hee  
or Runabout. Runabout died during the time of the war. He was  
only a little over a year old when he was enrolled. See Del. 525.  
Peter Dry was my former husband and he is the father of Simon Dry.  
Peter died in 1885. He was an emigrant. His Indian name was  
Gwe-duh Co-cah-yaught. Which is the Indian for Peter Dry. Peter had two  
sister by the name of Lu-sih or Lucy and Quaitsey. He had a brother  
by the name of De-cuh-tee-yuh. They were all living in F. .  
Peter's father was named Co-cah-yaught. His mother was named  
Saw-kin-ny. They were both living in '51 and drew money. Simon's  
mother was named Ool-skas-te. Her parents died back East and she  
came out here with some of her relation. Think she was living with  
John De-suh-nih. She was just a little girl then. She was enrolled  
in Delaware District. She did not have any brothers or sisters.  
Was just an orphan. Oll-skas-te is a man's name but she was given  
a man's name. (See Del 279?) My Daws Commission Number is 1235.  
Samuel Dry's is 1224.

*Del 525*  
*Del 279*  
*Simon Dry*

Signature of Witness.

*Nellie Walker*

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Locust Grove, Okla.,  
this 30th day of September, 1885.

FDR.

*F. D. Ryan*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

Appl. #702

November 25, 1907.

Hellie Walker,  
Kansas, Okla.

Madam:

~~Relative to my~~ ~~Indian~~ ~~relation~~  
in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of  
Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state  
the full English and Indian names of your parents, grand-  
parents, uncles and aunts.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Dec. 1 1907  
No. 702 A

Oakley

5/29/07

Special Com. of the Court  
101 Army Building  
Washington

Sir:

You will please  
send me blank forms  
of Planters Blank, for  
share of Eastern Wood  
of your regardance with  
the date of the report of the  
of May 18/90 and July 28/96.  
Receipt, Samuel J. J. J.  
Mr. Nathan some necessary  
the order # 702

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OFFICE PHONE 383

RESIDENCE PHONE 778

**C. E. HOLDERMAN**  
OIL LEASES  
HANDLED ON COMMISSION  
DEEDED LANDS A SPECIALTY

REFERENCES:  
FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK, CHETOPA, KAN.  
BANK OF WELCH, WELCH, IND. TER.  
BANK OF COMMERCE, MUSKOGEE, IND. TER.

MUSKOGEE, IND. TER. April 19th. 1907

Commissioner of India Affairs,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I am sending you in this mail two applications of the Bear and Dry Children, as heirs to share in the money that is to be distributed to the Eastern Cherokees, I make this application as their Guardian, duly appointed by the U.S. Court, the reason of the delay in this matter I have been trying to secure more evidence in their case, and I may have to go over all of this matter again.

Yours Truly,

*C. E. Holderman*



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JAN 11 1908  
*No.*

English name unknown  
Indian name ...-see  
... name ...-gee  
Indian name ...-gee  
Grand-father on father side unknown  
Mother Jo-go-see  
Sanskrit name ...  
uncle's English name unknown  
Indian name 1 gee-nah-qui.  
2 Os-la-yo-a.  
3 Su-wee-see.

No. 703

Action: admitted

Name: Ollie Russell and children.

Residence: Jaks P. via

Reasons: apprehensive of Russia by Denmark

1858 9, 11

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No. 703

Name

Ollie Russell

With No.

For Journal

Remarks:

Cannot find name of  
ancestors on rolls.

Daughter

Miss

No. 7411

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*(Wm Russell) -  
Artie Russell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 8 1906 |
| No.                                                   |

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#703

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Ollie Russell, (Arly Russell.)*

Indian name: *Arle*

2. Residence: *2 miles north east of Oaks*

3. Town and post office: *Oaks*

4. County: *District 5*

5. State: *Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth: *1850-1 Geringmake District, Ind. T.*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *(1) Tah you le s'ke Coyietloyah (2) Sarle (3) Ah ne law ge yah (4) Code sanna (5) Gah na chede (6) Susan nah and my self (7) Arle*

8. Are you married? *Widow*

9. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband: *Aaron Russell*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *unknown*

Indian name: *Tah you le s'ke Coyietloyah*

Mother—English name: *unknown*

Indian name: *Sarle*

Maiden name: *unknown*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Cherokee nation East*

Mother: *Cherokee nation East*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Geringmake District Cherokee nation Ind. T.*

Mother: *Geringmake District Cherokee nation Ind. T.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *1851*

Mother: *1851*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *1851-2 Cherokee Payment Going Snake District Cherokee Nation Indian Territory*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.     | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>no</i> |       |       |
| (2) |           |       |       |
| (3) |           |       |       |
| (4) |           |       |       |
| (5) |           |       |       |
| (6) |           |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.  |
|----------------|-----------------|
| <i>unknown</i> | <i>unknown</i>  |
|                | <i>unknown</i>  |
|                | <i>Susan</i>    |
|                | <i>Susannah</i> |
|                | <i>Wah Cesa</i> |

17. Where were they born?

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *Gah mshede*  
 Residence: *unknown* *death*
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *1851-2 and 1893-4 Cherokee Payment, and Land 1902-3 by The Commission to the Fier Civilized Tribes Going Snake Dist. Ind. T.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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\_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Witnesses mark.*  
Byrdie L. Snell (Signature.) *her* Ollie + Russell  
*mark.*  
Lydia Snell

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

My commission expires

July 2, 1910, 1910 David E. Smallwood,  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Lydia Snell and  
Byrdie L. Snell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Ollie Russell, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and 15 years,  
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and  
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Lydia Snell  
Byrdie L. Snell

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

My commission expires

July 2, 1910, 1910 David E. Smallwood,  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Oaks Ark.  
January 15-1908

Guin Miller

Special Commissioner.

Replying to yours of Nov. 25.  
1907. I like Russell state that  
I do not know the name of my  
grandfather. Grandmother Miller  
told me but " " Indian  
name was Sam-look-see  
English name Susie or Susan.  
In the year of 1851 I was a little  
baby + my grand mother took  
me just as soon as I was  
born. that both of my parents  
dying in 1851 at the time the  
roll of 1851 was made.

they dying at 4 or 5 days apart.  
 my Grandmother Su-sah-nee  
 as she appears on 18 5/7 2 all  
 took me & raised me and the best  
 information I can give you regarding  
 this matter is just what Grandmother  
 told me. Grandmother Su-sah-nee  
 drew my money in the payment of  
 18 5/2 which she gave me when  
 I was 12 years starting that it  
 my Grandmother Su-sah-nee  
 drew from for me in the pay-  
 ment of 18 5/2, at that yr 18 5/2  
 I was still a baby she took the  
 money & said I was orphan  
 I was Parentless - She further  
 stated that after 4 days after the

Burial of my father & mother.  
 Grandmother Enrolled me  
 when I enrolled me at that  
 time I had no name & the  
 1901 Census takers named me  
 Alice as I signed on the roll. It  
 has always been my ~~self~~ belief  
 that when she enrolled me  
 she reported that I had Polio,  
 & the Census taker took the name  
 of my parents. I am positive  
 that they were on the roll at that  
 time & I am sure that my  
 mother was there. I am sure  
 that whether taken out  
 or this is the best evidence  
 I can give you

Concerning my self, you  
further stated that I provided  
a witness to testify that  
I am a descendant person & recognized  
the Eastern Cherokee name of  
William Williams as a witness

Geo H. Williams  
Stanley Williams  
John Williams

Oaks, Okla.

I am positive that these 3 names  
interest, that I am a descendant  
of the Eastern Cherokee name

Ver. Resgation  
- Allie Williams  
Oaks  
Okla



David F. Smallwood  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington, D.C.

ROSE, January 9, 1907

Extraordinary application of Oliver Russell, of  
Calif. Ind. No. dated Oct. 2, 1906. I have  
found my grandmother's name - Nakhie Sah.  
She died 1860, no descendant. Gringonah  
State

Truly

for  
Oliver Russell,  
Master.

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Appl. #703

November 25, 1907.

Ollie Russell,  
Oaks, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, we beg to inform you that the names of your parents, as given in your application, do not appear on the rolls of 1851. Please furnish us with the names of your grandparents on the side through which you claim.

Can you furnish us with evidence tending to establish the fact that you are a descendant of persons who were recognized members of the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians at the date of the Treaty of 1835-36 and 1846? If so, please state what the evidence is, and send us the names and correct addresses of any witnesses who will testify to that effect.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

703.

Misc.

Ollie Russell being first duly sworn through Tom Roach  
Interpreter, deposes and says:

I am about 57 years old. When the census taker came  
by our house I wasn't born yet, but was born a few days later and some  
of the folks went and overtook him and enrolled me. I think I  
was enrolled by the name of Ol-lih. Think we were living in  
Going Snake District. I had a half brother older than I on the mother's  
side named Oo-day-say-nuh. A full sister older than I named Ah-nuh-  
wa-ke. A full brother named Ah-ne-luh-gay-yuh. My mother and father  
both took the smallpox about the time I was born and died in one  
night and my grandmother, Su-sah-nih, took and raised me. My  
father name Oo-huh-claw-yih, mother named Sah-lih or Sally. My  
father's first name was Ah-tah-yoh-lee-skee. See G. S. 111.  
For Grandmother G, S. 110. My Daws Commission number is 1933.  
I have a son named Richard Russell living near Oaks. His roll  
number is 1934. Ah-ne-lay-ga-yeh never had any children and he  
died in 1890.

*Ollie Russell, G. S. 111*

Ollie Russell  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at L. cust Grove, Okla.  
this 3rd day of October, 1908.

FDR.

F. D. Ryan  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

No. 704

Action: Admitted

Name: John T. Foreman and 2 children. Residence: Millers Hill

Reasons: 1. Significant father married

in Dec 1881 S.B. 192

No. 201

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

J. T. Foreman.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 3 1906  
No.

704

#704

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: J.T. Foreman, J. T. Foreman

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Sallisaw,

3. Town and post office: Sallisaw, I.T.

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: Sequoyah District Cherokee Nation, January 22, 1871.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim by being the son of Charlie Foreman and the nephew of Sam and William Foreman, who are dead, and were on the 1851 Roll

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Nettie Foreman Age 38 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Charlie Foreman

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Sarah Foreman

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sarah Ross

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation

Mother: Flint District Cherokee Nation.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee Nation

Mother: Cherokee Nation Flint District.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: November 1899. Mother: living.



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Mother drew in the old settler payment in the Cherokee Nation.  
Father never was

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                    | BORN.                  | DIED.              |
|-----|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Minerva Bell</u>      | <u>September 1866.</u> |                    |
| (2) | <u>S. Aladen Foreman</u> | <u>1872</u>            | <u>March 1904.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Margret Ussery</u>    | <u>1874</u>            |                    |
| (4) |                          |                        |                    |
| (5) |                          |                        |                    |
| (6) |                          |                        |                    |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.         | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|------------------------|----------------|
|  | <u>Charlie Foreman</u> | <u>oant</u>    |
|  | <u>Annie Foreman</u>   |                |
|  |                        |                |
|  |                        |                |

17. Where were they born? No

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Cherokee Nation

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Jim Shelton.  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: Coingsnake District

(2) English name: Jess Shelton.  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: Coingsnake District

(3) English name: Louis Shelton  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: Coingsnake District

(4) English name: Rachel Shelton.  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: Flint District all dead but cant give dates.

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Strip payment in 1895 here in Cherokee Nation.



No. 704

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*John T. Foreman*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No.

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 704.

1. State your full name: **John T. Foreman**
2. Residence and post office: **Brent**
3. County: **Northern District**
4. State: **Indian Territory**
5. Date and place of birth: **Sequoyah District, Cherokee Nation, Jan 22, 1871.**
6. Are you married? **Yes**
7. Name and age of wife or husband: **Nettie Age 26 years.**
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? **none**
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.      | BORN.                 |
|-----|------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <b>Charlie Foreman</b> | <b>13</b> | <b>1894, Jan 10th</b> |
| (2) | <b>Sarah Foreman</b>   | <b>11</b> | <b>1896, Dec 24th</b> |
| (3) | .....                  | .....     | .....                 |
| (4) | .....                  | .....     | .....                 |
| (5) | .....                  | .....     | .....                 |
| (6) | .....                  | .....     | .....                 |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians **Charlie drew in payment 1895, both have an allotment of land as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.**

**REMARKS**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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.....

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *John T. Foreman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this **15th** day of **May**, 1907.

*James H. Winton*  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. O. Ward and D. J. Faulkner who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John T. Foreman who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. He represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, He had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in This claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. O. Ward  
D. J. Faulkner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

Jano Newton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 1-11, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 704.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

J. T. Foreman,

Sallisaw,

Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state your first name in full.

Very respectfully,

*C. F. Larrabee*  
Acting Commissioner.

JBH

C. F. Larrabee, Acting Commissioner.

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to the above letter will say that my full name is

John Timothy Foreman.

Very Truly Yours.

*John Timothy Foreman*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 704.

October 11, 1906.

J. T. Foreman,  
Sallisaw,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state your first name in full.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

No. 705

Action: Admitted

Name:

Sigie Wipsher and

children.

Residence:

Whelata Okla

Reasons:

applicant's grand parents  
enrolled in Drennon 1881 before 1906

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No. 705

Name Lizzie Kingfisher

With No.

Remarks:

Claims thro.

Too sen-wan-ter

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No. 717

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lizzie Kingfisher*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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# 405

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Lizzie Kingfisher

Indian name: Lu Lu Chah Shan

2. Residence: 6 miles north of Ochelata, Ia.

3. Town and post office: Ochelata

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: In present Cherokee Nation age 34

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Lu Lu wor lu lu jin nie. On Emigrant Cherokee pay roll of 1852. Page 295 No 336 Saline District

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: James Kingfisher  
36 years old

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Joe Lu Lu nah we

Indian name: Lu Lu nah we

Mother—English name: Betsy Lu Lu nah we

Indian name: Lu Lu nah we

Maiden name: Lu Lu nah we Lu Lu nah we

11. Where were they born?

Father: Don't know

Mother: Don't know

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Supposed to reside in present Cherokee Nation

Mother: Supposed to reside in present Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Don't know Mother: 1902.

1894 - 1898



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Supposed to have drawn with other*

*Cherokees during their lifetime*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.            | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>have none</i> |       |       |
| (2) |                  |       |       |
| (3) |                  |       |       |
| (4) |                  |       |       |
| (5) |                  |       |       |
| (6) |                  |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.             | MOTHER'S SIDE.            |
|--|----------------------------|---------------------------|
|  | <i>Don't know positive</i> | <i>Too far was letter</i> |
|  | <i>supposed to be</i>      | <i>jin nio</i>            |

17. Where were they born? *Supposed to have been born east of Mississippi River*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In present Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *Betsy Too far was letter*  
Indian name: *herat*    "    "    "    "  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *have drawn all annuities since 1885.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*unable to answer above questions on account of early death of parents*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *L. Fisher*  
*Lizzie King Fisher in Cherokee*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Aug 31st*, 1907

*P. J. Lewis*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *A. C. Downing* and *R. W. Morrison*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Lizzie King Fisher*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *1* years and *2* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*A. C. Downing*  
*R. W. Morrison*

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

My commission expires

*Aug 31st*, 1907

*P. J. Lewis*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 705.

October 11, 1906.

Lizzie Kingfisher,

Ochelata,

Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the birth-place of your father and mother. Also give the approximate date of your father's death, if you can not learn the exact date.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

JBH

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 705.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

Lizzie Kingfisher,  
Ochelata,  
Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the birth-place of your father and mother. Also give the approximate date of your father's death, if you can not learn the exact date.

Very respectfully,

*John R. ...*  
Acting Commissioner.

JBH

Ochelata I.T.

Oct 13th 1906.

Hon C.F.Larrabee

Indian Office,  
Washington, D.C.

Replying to the oposed letter, Beg leave to say, To the best of my  
knowledge, which is information gathered entirely from others,  
My parents were born in the present Cherokee Nation, in Saline or Del-  
aware District. My father died about 1897 or 1898.

Respectfully,

*Lizzie Henry Jeter*

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C. H. B.

Ochelata Oklahoma.  
Nov 29th 1907.

Hon <sup>U</sup> Gion Miller  
Washington D.C.

Dear sir:- Mr Kingfisher presented your letters to me to-day relative to his Eastern Cherokee Case, and requests me to reply to it. I beg leave to say in reply that when I had the roll I remember of seeing the name somewhere either in Saline District, or Going Snake District. His father was named Dick Kingfisher, and his mother was named Katie Little Huckleberry.

Dick Kingfisher's father was named in english was John Kingfisher, and his Cherokee Name was Oo-n-bhaus-tee.

John Kingfisher's wife, and the mother of Dick, was named Kah-le-law-hee. and had no known english name. Dick has one brother yet living and his name is Blackfox Kingfisher and his Cherokee name is E-naw-lee. I prepared his case for him in 1901. or 1902. and if he did not loose the certificate I think it will show just about the same statement that I am now making. Now with reference to Little Huckleberry. in one place the name is spelled Huckleberry. and in another place it is spelled Whortleberry. but I think it is in separate districts. I am not sure as to how it is spelled in Cherokee, but think it is Cah-wi-ah. or Kah-wi-yah. and will be found in Flint District. Now it is possible that the name is in Cherokee and is spelled Kah-wi-yah -Oon-stee. this is the Indian for Little Huckleberry. If I were with the roll I could settle the difficulty in a very few moments. You will please understand that I am not making this

Hon Guion Miller.

that I am not making this as an affidavit but am simply giving him my memory as I now have it.

Now with reference to his wife's case, ( Lizzie Kingfisher)

Her parents were both Eastern Cherokees, her father's name

was Joe or Joseph Chu-nah-wee. or Tsoo-nah-wee. the name is

spelled both ways, and is spelled the latter way in Sa-

line District. Her mothers name was Betsy To-sah-wol-i-tah.

or Too-ser-wal-li-ter. and had no known english name.

Too-sah-wal-i-ter, can be found both in Saline, and Going-

Snake District. also I think in Flint, but they are all

different families. This is as far as I can go with this

case unless I was with the roll to refresh my memory.

I remember that the name Ka-hu-kah is connected with the

Huckleberry, and Mr Kingfisher says it is his Grand mother.

Very Respectfully.

John Duncan  
'Ochelata'  
J.D.

I am not sure - but think that the  
P. O. Black Fox Kingfisher's  
Rose Oklawaha,

No. 706

Action: Admitted

Name Richard Daniels and — children. Residence: Ochelata, Okla.

Reasons:

Son of # 536, and claims through the same ancestors.

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No. 706

Name Richard Daniels

With No. 536

Remarks :

No. 706

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Richard Daniels*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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# 706.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Richard Daniel  
Indian name: Saw hias kah suk to skv

2. Residence:

5 miles north Ochelata, I.T.

3. Town and post office:

Ochelata, Ochelata,

4. County:

Cherokee Nation

5. State:

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

In Cherokee Nation 1884

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

U t t w t s o t t w  
S e t a w u, T a w w a w n o t e w  
These names can be found on Cherokee  
emigrant pay Roll of 1852. Page 294  
No 321, Saline District

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Oliver Daniel 20 years  
old

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

George Daniel

Indian name:

Chok che

Mother—English name:

Sarah U t t w t s o t t w Daniel

Indian name:

Sa le

Maiden name:

Sarah U t t w t s o t t w

11. Where were they born?

Father:

In present Cherokee Nation

Mother:

In present Cherokee Nation

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

In present Cherokee Nation

Mother:

Not born there

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

living

Mother:

in 1890



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*They draw all payments made since 1866, except old Settler payment in 1893.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.       | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>None</i> |       |       |
| (2) |             |       |       |
| (3) |             |       |       |
| (4) |             |       |       |
| (5) |             |       |       |
| (6) |             |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.     | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Daniel Wolf</i> | <i>Utter Two Old</i> |
| <i>Wm. Wolf</i>    | <i>Su Two</i>        |

17. Where were they born? *East of Mississippi River*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In present Cheyenne Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                                        |
|-------------------|----------------------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Had none</i>                        |
| Indian name:      | <i>Saw was no ke</i>                   |
| Residence:        | <i>Date of death unknown</i>           |
| (2) English name: | <i>Sarah Utter Two Old (my mother)</i> |
| Indian name:      | <i>In la. Died in 1890.</i>            |
| Residence:        |                                        |
| (3) English name: |                                        |
| Indian name:      |                                        |
| Residence:        |                                        |
| (4) English name: |                                        |
| Indian name:      |                                        |
| Residence:        |                                        |
| (5) English name: |                                        |
| Indian name:      |                                        |
| Residence:        |                                        |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Draw all payments since 1854.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*Owing to the early death of my mother I am unable to answer above question*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Richard Daniels*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Aug 31<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*P. J. Ellison*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. C. Ellis* and *Alexander Hendricks* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Richard Daniels*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and *8* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. C. Ellis*  
*Alexander Hendricks*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Aug 31<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*P. J. Ellison*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 536

George Daniel, after being first duly sworn through  
W. R. Hendricks who was sworn as interpreter, deposes and says:

I was enrolled myself in 1851 with my father Wah-yah  
or Wolfe, Delaware District, Cherokee Nation.

George Daniel

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Bartlesville,  
Oklahoma, this twenty-ninth day of August, 1908.

Assistant to Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims.

This case is O.K. through self Delaware 810.

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Appl. 2705

November 25, 1907.

Lizzie Kingfisher,  
Ochelata, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state to what tribe of Indians your father and mother belonged, and about when they were born. Please state both English and Indian names of your grandparents. Were your parents ever enrolled. If so, please state with what tribe of Indians, where and when.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CMB/ALS

11-11-11

No. 707

Action: Admitted.

Name James W. Lytle and children. Residence: Bartlesville, Okla.

Reasons:

applicant married to James W. Lytle Dec. 11, 1911

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No. 707

Name James C. Blythe

With No. Blythe Branch

Remarks: #257



Sum A. K.

No. ....

Name .....

With No. ....

Remarks: BLYTHE GROUP

"A". Western Blythes.  
# 707 et al.

The father is William Blythe  
and the mother Nancy Blythe nee  
Fields. The grandparents  
Richard and Jennie Fields.

*(Faint handwritten notes)*

Blaine through  
Nancy Blythe  
Joseph Kirby Blythe  
abel. 917.

Nancy Anne Blythe  
abel. 920

James C. Blythe  
abel. 922.

No. 7117

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James C. Blythe.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved Jan. 11, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: James L Blythe  
Indian name: Have none
2. Residence: Bartlesville
3. Town and post office: Bartlesville
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: July 7<sup>th</sup> 1824 in Tennessee
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: For my own share. My brother, Joseph Riley Blythe, who died without descent. My Mother Nancy Blythe.
8. Are you married? Have been
9. Name and age of wife or husband: First wife divorced. Second wife dead.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Blythe  
Indian name: not known  
Mother—English name: Nancy Blythe  
Indian name: not known  
Maiden name: Nancy Fields
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In North or South Carolina  
Mother: In Tennessee
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Delaware District, Cherokee Nation, I. T.  
Mother: " " " " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: About 1856  
Mother: In 1861

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *mother On migrant Cherokee payroll in Delaware District*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME              | BORN.                | DIED.                                   |
|-----|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------------|
|     | John Blythe       |                      | Dead                                    |
| (1) | William           | "                    | "                                       |
|     | Elijah            | "                    | "                                       |
| (2) | Abraham E.        | "                    | "                                       |
| (3) | Joseph Riley      | Died without descent |                                         |
| (4) | Martha J. Clingan |                      | Dead                                    |
| (5) | Elizabeth Goddard |                      | "                                       |
| (6) | Mary Tucker       |                      | " and Nancy A. Bean, Sheep Ranch, Calif |
|     | Jennie Gilstrap   |                      | "                                       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE    | MOTHER'S SIDE                            |
|------------------|------------------------------------------|
| They were whites | Richard and Jennie Fields nee Buffington |

17. Where were they born? *Maternal grandparents born in Cherokee Nation, east*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *They died before 1851.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                           |      |
|-------------------|---------------------------|------|
| (1) English name: | Nannie Blythe, my mother, | Dead |
| Indian name:      | George Fields             | Dead |
| Residence:        | Elizabeth Blagg           | Dead |
| (2) English name: | John Fields               | Dead |
| Indian name:      | Ezekiel Fields            | Dead |
| Residence:        | Maria Fields              | Dead |
| (3) English name: | Dumphy Fields             | Dead |
| Indian name:      | Henry Fields              | Dead |
| Residence:        | Lucy Hicks                | Dead |
| (4) English name: | Jamie Fields              | Dead |
| Indian name:      | Delila Forman             | Dead |
| Residence:        | Isabel Wolf               |      |
| (5) English name: |                           |      |
| Indian name:      |                           |      |
| Residence:        |                           |      |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *On migrant Cherokee payroll of Delaware District in 1851, and am a Cherokee allottee*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*I was born July 7<sup>th</sup> 1824 on Tennessee river, near the mouth of Hiwassee river, in Tennessee.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

*James C. Blythe*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 10, 1909.*

*Ernest J. Gray*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. M. Overlees* and *B. H. Brantley*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *James C. Blythe*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and *10* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. M. Overlees*  
*B. H. Brantley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 10, 1909.*

*Ernest J. Gray*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT

601 OURAY BUILDING  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*James C. Blythe,  
Bartonsville,  
N. C.*

May 1, 1907.

SIR:

In the matter of the enrollment of the Eastern Cherokees for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, of May 28, 1906, the Court of Claims on April 29, 1907, entered a further order directing the distribution of this fund *per capita*.

Under this order all Eastern Cherokees by blood, who were living on May 28, 1906, who can prove that they are descended from Eastern Cherokee Indians, parties to the Treaty of 1835-6 and 1846, will be entitled to enrollment. Minor children are to be enrolled with their parents.

You have already filed application No. *707*..... for your own share of this fund, but it does not show whether you have any minor children. If you had any minor children living on May 28, 1906, you should fill out the inclosed Supplemental Application, and together with two witnesses acknowledge the same before a Notary Public or other proper officer, and should mail said application to this Office immediately.

If you have already filed a separate application for your minor children you need not file this supplemental application.

Do not fail to put your own application number on the supplemental application.

If you have children of age who have not filed applications, they should apply at once to this Office for an application blank, which will be forwarded without charge.

You should address all letters on this subject to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,  
*Special Commissioner.*



U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
ETHEL B. BONDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Jas. C. Blythe,  
~~Bartlesville, I. T.~~

*Dec 20*  
*Return to my office*  
*file*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

App. No. 707.

January 26, 1907.

Messrs. Riddle & Clapham,  
Vinita,  
Indian Territory.

Sirs:-

In response to your letter of January 23, 1907, relative to the application of James S. Blythe, you are advised that it would be well for the administratrix to file proof of death and a verified copy of the Letters of Administration.

Just how cases such as the one referred to will ultimately be determined cannot be stated at this time, but clearly under the terms of the Decree it would be entirely proper to have the proofs referred to.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

GM:NLG.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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SEYMOUR RIDDLE      WILLIAM E. CLAPHAM  
**RIDDLE & CLAPHAM**  
LAWYERS  
SUCCESSORS TO SEYMOUR RIDDLE  
VINITA, OKLAHOMA

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Vinita, Ind. Ter. January 28, 1907.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

James C. Blythe, a late resident of Bartlesville, Indian Territory, filed a claim before the Commissioner for his portion of the Eastern Cherokee money. On the 21st day of December, 1906, Mr. Blythe died, and on the 1st day of January, 1907, Letters of Administration upon his estate were granted to his eldest child, Amanda H. Goady Blythe, of this City, by the Honorable Joseph A. Gill, Judge of the United States Court Northern District, Indian Territory.

We desire to know whether this claim can be collected by the administratrix or whether it vests directly in the heirs at law. If the administratrix can collect the same, we desire to forward legal proof of death, together with a certified copy of Letters of Administration.

Very truly yours,

*Riddle & Clapham*  
*Attys for Admrx.*

JUL 11 1910

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 14759

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each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 5407 on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said Court March 15, 1910.

Amanda H. Goody, Compt.  
Admin

No. 708

Action: Admitted

Name Susan K. Morrison and 9 children. Residence: Cohasset, Mass.

Reasons:

First cousin of #411, and claims  
through the same line.

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OK.

No. 708, et al.

Name. Susan K. Morrison,  
Et al.

With No. 411

Remarks:

No. 708

O.K.

Name Susan K. Monison

~~With No.~~

Remarks:

Nos. 26130, 7463, 17261,  
11502, 3222, 11929  
3-92 131-2-12 7-20-11  
grouped beneath  
16980 - 24111 - 27056

Claim thro.

Andrew Adair } Hk. 244  
Ellen " }

O.K.

*Supl.*

No. 704

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

**APPLICATION**

**OF**

*Susan K. Morrison.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the Court of Claims of May 13, 1905, and M 6-624

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

- 1. State full name— *Sueann McCoy Morrison*  
English name: *Sueann McCoy Morrison*  
Indian name: *Have none*
- 2. Residence: *Barthsville*
- 3. Town and post office: *Barthsville*
- 4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
- 5. State: *Indian Territory*
- 6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 12-1866 in Illinois District*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *For my parents; Richard M and Ellen*

*McCoy. My maternal grand parents; Andrew and Mary Adams. My paternal grand parents Alexander and Sarah McCoy. My uncles, and aunts, who died without descent; Margaret Bigby, Jennie Hunt, Samuel Collins, Catherine, and Rachel Adams, Susan and Elizabeth Hunt, Charles R McCoy, Elizabeth Prandon, and Nancy Caroline Bigby. My grand mother's brother, Warren Miller, who died without descent.*

8. Are you married? *Yes*  
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Robert J Morrison age 48 years.*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Richard M McCoy*  
Indian name: *not known*  
Mother—English name: *Ellen McCoy*  
Indian Name: *not known*  
Maiden name: *Ellen Adams*

11. Where were they born?  
Father: *In Cherokee Nation, east*  
Mother: *" " " "*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Illinois District, Cherokee Nation*  
Mother: *" " " "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *1854* Mother: *1902.*

*This entry, Annie Adams, at Barthsville without descent.*

*form of name in my maternal grand parents' names without descent.*

*My paternal grand father's name and aunts, Henry and Belle McCoy, both of whom died without descent.*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*On emigrant Cherokee Jay roll in Flint District in 1857.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME                     | BORN                         | DIED |
|-----|--------------------------|------------------------------|------|
|     | <i>Charlotte A Horn</i>  | <i>Dead</i>                  |      |
| (1) | <i>Jefferson D McCoy</i> | <i>Dallisaw I.D.</i>         |      |
| (2) | <i>Mary E Reed</i>       | <i>McKey I.D.</i>            |      |
| (3) | <i>Edward L McCoy</i>    | <i>Dallisaw I.D.</i>         |      |
| (4) | <i>James L McCoy</i>     | <i>Barthsville I.D.</i>      |      |
| (5) | <i>Fannie J Pidcock</i>  | <i>Dead without descent.</i> |      |
| (6) |                          |                              |      |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE                             | MOTHER'S SIDE                          |
|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| <i>Alexander and Sarah McCoy ne Hicks</i> | <i>Andrew and Mary Adair ne Miller</i> |

17. Where were they born? *In Cherokee Nation, east*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*In Flint District, Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                            |                                                |
|-----|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Margaret Bigby</i>        | <i>Dead without descent.</i>                   |
|     | Indian name: <i>Jemmi Hicks</i>            | " " "                                          |
|     | Residence: <i>Samuel Adair</i>             | " " "                                          |
|     |                                            | <i>Collins Adair</i> " " "                     |
|     |                                            | <i>Susan Hunt</i> " " "                        |
| (2) | English name: <i>Catharine Adair</i>       | " " "                                          |
|     | Indian name: <i>Rachel Adair</i>           | " " "                                          |
|     |                                            | <i>Elizabeth Hunt</i> " " "                    |
|     |                                            | <i>George W Adair</i> <i>Dead</i>              |
|     |                                            | <i>Emily Fittlyohn</i> <i>Dead</i>             |
| (3) | English name: <i>Charlotte A Sanders</i>   | <i>Dead</i>                                    |
|     | Indian name: <i>Elin McCoy, my mother.</i> | <i>Dead</i>                                    |
|     |                                            | <i>Rufus B Adair</i> <i>Dead</i>               |
|     |                                            | <i>Malzerin Star</i> <i>Dead</i>               |
|     |                                            | <i>Rozella Squint</i> <i>Peggs I.D.</i>        |
| (4) | English name: <i>Edward I Adair</i>        | <i>Chontawa I.D.</i>                           |
|     | Indian name: <i>Charles R McCoy</i>        | <i>Dead without descent</i>                    |
|     |                                            | <i>Elizabeth Sanders</i> " " "                 |
|     |                                            | <i>Nancy Louise Bigby</i> " " "                |
|     |                                            | <i>John L McCoy</i> <i>Dead</i>                |
| (5) | English name: <i>Fancy Gattlin</i>         | <i>Dead</i>                                    |
|     | Indian name: <i>Elovia Fields</i>          | <i>Dead</i>                                    |
|     |                                            | <i>Mary A Garrow</i> <i>Dead</i>               |
|     |                                            | <i>Araninta Tapp</i> <i>Dead</i>               |
|     |                                            | <i>Edward H McCoy</i> <i>Dead</i>              |
|     |                                            | <i>Richard M McCoy, my father</i> <i>Dead.</i> |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*In Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880, and am a Cherokee allottee.*



21. To expedite identification, state the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal to 1835: *My grand father Andrew Adair, and Alexander McCoy lived in Cherokee Nation, east prior to 1835.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My Maternal grand mother, Mary Adair nee Miller had a brother, Warren Miller, who died without descent. My paternal grandfather, Alexander McCoy had a brother and sister, Rory and Sallie McCoy, both of whom died without descent. My maternal grandfather Andrew Adair, had a sister, Annie Adair, who died without descent.*

NOTE--Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Susan Morrison*

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

My commission expires

November 10, 1907.

*Harriet Gray*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Chas. F. Rice* and *Ed. C. Baird*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Susan K. Morrison*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witness to mark

Signatures of witness

*Chas. F. Rice*  
*Ed. C. Baird*

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

My commission expires

November 10, 1907.

*Harriet Gray*  
Notary Public.

NOTE--Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 708

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Susank Morrison*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. JUN 24 1907<br>No. |
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 705

1. State your full name: Susan K Morrison
2. Residence and post office: Ochelata
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Illinois Dist. Jan 12. 1866
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert T Morrison age 47
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Not any
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE. | BORN.         |
|-----|-----------------------|------|---------------|
| (1) | Robert T. Morrison Jr | 19   | Jan 26th 1887 |
| (2) | Delila L. Morrison    | 17   | Dec 7th 1888  |
| (3) | Ellen C. Morrison     | 15   | Sept 3 1891   |
|     | Claud A. Morrison     | 14   | Jan 8 1892    |
| (4) | Angie L. Morrison     | 12   | Sept 1 1895   |
|     | Dora V. Morrison      | 10   | May 22 1897   |
| (5) | John O. Morrison      | 8    | April 10 1899 |
|     | Cherry O. Morrison    | 4    | Feb 18 1904   |
| (6) | Shurman W. Morrison   | 1    | Dec 27 1905   |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee, all have allotments

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Susan K Morrison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

1907



No. 709

Action: Admitted

Name: Elmira Scott and 3 children. Residence: Coffeyville Kan.

Reasons: Applicant's grand father  
enacted by Drennen 1851 G.S. 434  
as "Geo. McPherson."  
Mother born in 1860

No. 709

O.K.

Name Olivia Scott

~~W. No.~~

Remarks:

nos. 711, 11651, 6525,  
2295, 7589, 11425  
232 grouped herewith.

Claim thro.

George W. Pherson U.S. 434

O. K.



*Final*

No. *700*

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# EASTERN CHEROKEES

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APPLICATION

OF

*Elmira Scott*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 8 1906<br>No. |
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*602*

#709

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: *Elmira Scott*  
Indian name: *has none*
2. Residence: *Seven miles south east of Coffeyville Kan*
3. Town and post office: *Coffeyville*
4. County: *Montgomery Co*
5. State: *Kansas*
6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 18<sup>th</sup> 1880 in Cowwescowee District Cherokee Nation*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *For my grandfather George M. Pearson, My great-grand mother Susie M. Pearson, My great uncle, Silas M. Pearson who died without descent. My aunts and uncles: Nancy, Esther, Betsy and John or Jack M. Pearson, all of whom died without descent. My great-grand mother's brother and sister Rory and Sallie McCoy both of whom died without descent.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *David O. Scott, age 40 years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Leman H. Reed*  
Indian name: *has none*  
Mother—English name: *Margaret J. Reed*  
Indian Name: *has none*  
Maiden name: *Margaret J. M. Pearson*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *7. of Kinnor, Kan.*  
Mother: *Cherokee Nation*
12. Where did they reside in 1851. If living at that time?  
Father: *born Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 1860*  
Mother: *born Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 1860*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Apr 9, 1890.* Mother: *About 1884*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*On Cherokee authentic roll of 1880,*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME             | BORN           | DIED |
|-----|------------------|----------------|------|
| (1) | <i>Lucy Hall</i> | <i>In 1881</i> |      |
| (2) |                  |                |      |
| (3) |                  |                |      |
| (4) |                  |                |      |
| (5) |                  |                |      |
| (6) |                  |                |      |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE                       | MOTHER'S SIDE                                       |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>George and<br/>Thywen whites</i> | <i>George and Elvira<br/>M. Huson, nee Jarbovin</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Maternal grand parents born in  
Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Maternal grand parents in Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |               |                      |                             |
|-----|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | English name: | <i>John M. Huson</i> | <i>Dead without descent</i> |
|     | Indian name:  | <i>Nancy</i>         | " " " "                     |
|     | Residence:    | <i>Esther</i>        | " " " "                     |
| (2) | English name: | <i>Betsy</i>         | " " " "                     |
|     | Indian name:  | <i>Mary Sullivan</i> | <i>Dead</i>                 |
|     | Residence:    | <i>Sady Morris</i>   | <i>Dead</i>                 |
| (3) | English name: | <i>Patsy Reed</i>    | <i>Clarron D. 1-5-51</i>    |
|     | Indian name:  | <i>Sarah Mizer</i>   | <i>Coffeyville Kas #711</i> |
|     | Residence:    |                      |                             |
| (4) | English name: |                      |                             |
|     | Indian name:  |                      |                             |
|     | Residence:    |                      |                             |
| (5) | English name: |                      |                             |
|     | Indian name:  |                      |                             |
|     | Residence:    |                      |                             |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *On 1894 pay roll and am a Cherokee allottee.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My grandfather George M. Thvera was born February 14<sup>th</sup> 1815 in Tennessee.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My great grand mother Susan M. Thurson nee McCoy, had a brother and a sister: Ross and Sallie McCoy, both of whom died without issue.*

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Elmira Scott*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires July 28, 1908

*John K. Beatty*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *H. W. Read* and *A. W. Read*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Elmira Scott*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim

Witnesses to swear

Signatures of witnesses

*H. W. Read*  
*A. W. Read*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires July 28, 1908

*John K. Beatty*  
Notary Public.

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No. 709

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

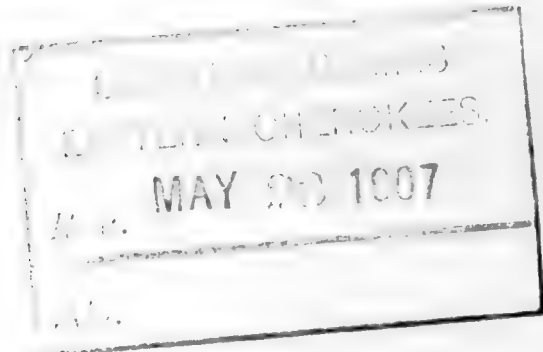
OF

*Elmira Scott*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 709

1. State your full name: Elmira Scott
2. Residence and post office: Res. Cherokee Nation: P.O. Coffeyville
3. County: Montgomery
4. State: Kansas
5. Date and place of birth: August 13th 1880, Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: David Orville Scott, 40 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? white man
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.           | BORN.             |
|-----|--------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Orville E. Scott</u>  | <u>8 years</u> | <u>3/9/1899</u>   |
| (2) | <u>Clarence R. Scott</u> | <u>5 years</u> | <u>12/28/1901</u> |
| (3) | <u>Ruth A. Scott</u>     | <u>2 years</u> | <u>12/13/1904</u> |
| (4) | .....                    | .....          | .....             |
| (5) | .....                    | .....          | .....             |
| (6) | .....                    | .....          | .....             |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Nowata, I.T. at different times I think.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elmira Scott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of May 1907.

John K. Bentley  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

July 22 1910

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Geo C Dillion and H W. Read who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elvira Scott who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in their claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo C Dillion  
H W. Read

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May, 1907.

John H Beatty  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 28<sup>th</sup>, 1910

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 709.

October 11, 1906.

Elmira Scott,  
Coffeyville,  
Kansas.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the birth-place of your father, and his residence in 1851. If he is dead, give the date of his death.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*Elmina Scott  
Coffeyville,  
Kan.*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

You are hereby notified that in my report to the Court of Claims of May 28, 1909, I have enrolled you and your *three* minor children as entitled to participate in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906.

Your number on this roll is *23869*

A copy of all the names enrolled by me as entitled to participate in said fund has been forwarded to the following places, where said roll may be examined:

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.

Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla.

The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.

The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma.

The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.

The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.

The Clerk of Courts at:--

North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.

Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.

Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.

Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega, Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiawasse, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, have been printed and will be sold at \$2.50 each, and the proceeds applied to the cost of printing.

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,254 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

The Court of Claims in its order of June 10, 1909, has directed that all exceptions to my report shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., to be filed in the Court on or before the 30th day of August, 1909.

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909.

Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

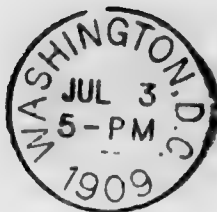
Please retain this circular and present it at the time of payment.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



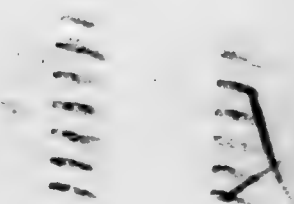
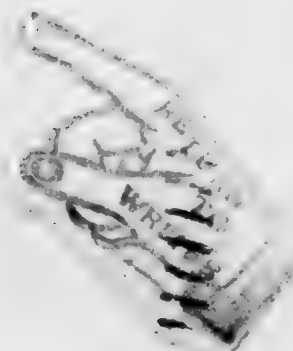
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Elmina Scott,  
Coffeyville,  
Kan.

709.

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Dear Mr. [unclear]  
 I have [unclear] [unclear]  
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 regard to the Eastern  
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 in 1909 & [unclear] [unclear]  
 also their names are  
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 Clarence R. Scott age 7  
 Ruth A. Scott age 4  
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address. Mrs Emma  
Scott.

Gallegos Pass  
Star Route

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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**JOHN K. BEATTY**  
**REAL ESTATE, LOANS AND INSURANCE**  
**FARM PROPERTY A SPECIALTY**

ROOM 3 REED BUILDING, CORNER NINTH AND WALNUT

Eastern Cherokees.  
Appin. No. 709.

COFFEYVILLE, KANSAS. 10/19/06.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D.C.,

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of Oct. 11th, asking for the birth place of my father, L.H. Reed also where he resided in 1851. He was born in Washington Co. Iowa, in the year 1844 and I think resided in Iowa in 1851 and died April 9th, 1890, in Cherokee Nation.

Yours respectfully,

*Elmira Scott*

No. 710

Action: Admitted

Name Mahala Smith and — children. Residence: Warr, Okla

Reasons: Claimant herself and her mother and ~~brother~~ and  
her sisters enrolled by Drennen in 1851, Ill 15.

Claimant enrolled by Daws Com. # 10207 as a 1/4 blood

See Misc Fee 3458.



No. 710

Name Mahala Smith

With No. ....

Remarks:

Nos. 3499 40509,  
24750 22764, 25494  
25495 ~~26960~~ <sup>joined</sup> herewith.  
27251, 29862.

Claim thro.

Ruth Grigsby 9ll. 15

O.K.

No. 710

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mahala Smith.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1905.

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#710

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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- 1. State full name: \_\_\_\_\_  
English name: Mahala Smith  
Indian name: Cha-lo-sa
- 2. Residence: Warm
- 3. Town and post office: Warm
- 4. County: Cherokee Nation
- 5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: May 12<sup>th</sup> 1848 in Illinois District Cherokee Nation, Ia.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: For my own share. My sister, Mary Ann Grigsby, who died without descent. Ruth Grigsby, my mother. My uncle and aunts Annie Ballou, Dabney and Susie Birdgraker, all of whom died without descent. My brother and sister John, Emma, Betsy Ann and Rhoda Grigsby, all of whom died without descent.

8. Are you married? yes  
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Peter Smith age 73 years.

- 10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: James Grigsby  
Indian name: not known  
Mother—English name: Ruth Grigsby  
Indian Name: not known  
Maiden name: Ruth May

11. Where were they born?  
Father: not known  
Mother: In Cherokee Nation, east

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Illinois District, Cherokee Nation Ia.  
Mother: In Illinois " " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Feb 10 1859 Mother: Jan 27<sup>th</sup> 1853

with my claim.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*On emigrant Cherokee pay roll in Illinois District in 1851*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME                     | BORN                        | DIED               |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <i>Mary Jane Grigsby</i> | <i>In 1832 or 33</i>        | <i>In 1864</i>     |
| (2) | <i>Susanna Mohr</i>      | <i>Feb 14-1842</i>          | <i>Bragg, I.T.</i> |
| (3) | <i>John Grigsby</i>      | <i>Died without descent</i> |                    |
| (4) | <i>Elmira "</i>          | <i>" "</i>                  | <i>" "</i>         |
| (5) | <i>Betsy Ann "</i>       | <i>" "</i>                  | <i>" "</i>         |
| (6) | <i>Rhoda "</i>           | <i>" "</i>                  | <i>" "</i>         |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE           | MOTHER'S SIDE             |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| <i>They were whites</i> | <i>Susie or Ni-qui-ti</i> |
|                         | <i>Wolf</i>               |

17. Where were they born? *In Cherokee Nation, east*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In Illinois District, Cherokee Nation, I.T.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *North Grigsby, my mother. Dead.*  
 Indian name: *Alexander Ballard. Dead*  
 Residence: *Annie Ballow. Died without descent*
- (2) English name: *Downy Bridgemaker " " "*  
 Indian name: *Thomas Bridgemaker Dead*  
 Residence: *Susie Bridgemaker Died without descent.*
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *On Cherokee authorized roll of 1850 and am a Cherokee allottee*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My great grand father was Young Wolf Conrad.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My uncles and aunts were on the Illinois District rolls Ballards*

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

*Mahala Smith*

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

My commission expires

*Oct. 5,* 190*9*.

*Alb B. Wyatt*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Emmet Starr* and

*Alex H. L. Martin*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mahala Smith*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *ten* years and *ten* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

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*Alex H. L. Martin*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 710.

October 11, 1906.

Mahala Smith,

Wann,

Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the birth-place of your father.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Wann.I.T.

Nov 23rd 1906;

Department of the Interior.

Office Of Indian affairs.

Washington. D.C.

Dear Sir;

My Father was born and raised in Tennessee, But I was so small  
I do not remember the county.

Very truly yours.

*Mahala Smith*

#23318

Miscel.

Lucinda Mohr being first duly sworn in behalf of Delilah Craig,  
deposes and says:

That I am 68 years of age. I am the grandmother on the  
father's side of applicant. Delilah gets her Indian blood through  
her father only; her mother is a white woman. Her father gets  
his Indian blood through me and my husband. Don't know how much  
Indian blood I have. My mother was 1/2 breed. My father was a  
white man, so that makes me about a 1/4. My husband was about  
3/8 Indian. I have filed application #3499. Delilah Craig is  
enrolled by Dawes Commission, (Cherokee roll 29995). I have been  
enrolled by the Dawes Commission and have land. I received emigrant  
money in this country. Grigsby was my name in 1851 - Lucinda Grigsby  
Jim Grigsby was my father's name. Ruthy Grigsby was my mother's  
name. (Ill. 15). I had a sister named Betsy Annie (Ill. 15), also  
one named Mary Jane (Ill. 15) and another named Rhodie (Ill. 15).  
I also had another named Mahaley (Ill. 15)

*J. R. [unclear]*

*Lucinda Mohr*  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Muskogee, Okla. this  
3rd day of September 1908.

*J. D. Ryan*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

3458

No. 711

Action: *Admitted*

Name: *Sarah Mizer* and *x 2* children. Residence: *Coffeyville, Kansas.*

Reasons:

*Cunt of #709.*

*Father enrolled "Going Snake 4.34."*

*George Mc Thomas*

*Grandparents #436 G.S.*



No. 711

Name Sarah Wizer

With No. 709

Remarks :

*See copy*

No. 701

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Mizer*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the act of Congress approved June 30 1906 in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: Sarah Mizer  
Indian name: Hava non
2. Residence: 7 miles south east of Coffeyville, Kas.
3. Town and post office: Coffeyville
4. County: Montgomery
5. State: Kansas
6. Date and place of birth: Sept 15<sup>th</sup> 1855 in Going Snake District
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:  
For my father George M. Pherson, My grand mother Susie M. Pherson, My uncle, Silas M. Pherson who died without descent, My brother and sisters; Nancy, Estlin, Betsy, and John or Jock M. Pherson, all of whom died without descent. My grand mother's brother and sister; Sallie and Rosy McCoy, both of whom died without descent.
8. Are you married?
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Michael R Mizer, born Oct 6<sup>th</sup> 1846
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: George M. Pherson  
Indian name: Yonce  
Mother—English name: Elmira M. Pherson  
Indian Name: had none  
Maiden name: Elmira Gardenkint
11. Where were they born?  
Father: M. Tennessee  
Mother: " " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: M. Going Snake District, Cherokee Nation, I.T.  
Mother: " " " " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: M 1861  
Mother: Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1880

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*On emigrant Cherokee pay roll in  
Ging Andke District, in 1851*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| (1) | NAME             | BORN                      | DIED               |
|-----|------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | John M. Pearson  | Feb 22 <sup>nd</sup> 1838 | Dead without desc. |
| (2) | Mary Sullivan    | Nov 19 <sup>th</sup> 1846 | Dead               |
| (3) | Fuly Morris      | Oct 24 - 1849             | Dead               |
| (4) | Paralee Reed     | May 9 <sup>th</sup> 1858  | Claremore I.S.     |
| (5) | Margaret Reed    | Dec 7 <sup>th</sup> 1860  | Dead               |
| (6) | Nancy M. Pearson | 1840                      | Dead without desc. |
|     | <i>Ethel</i>     | "                         | "                  |
|     | <i>Betsy</i>     | "                         | "                  |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE                              | MOTHER'S SIDE                        |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| John and Susie<br>" Pearson ne<br>M. Cooy. | William and Ethel<br>Gardner ne Nail |

17. Where were they born? *In Tennessee for paternal grandparents*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
*In Cherokee Nation for paternal grandparents*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |               |                              |                    |
|-----|---------------|------------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | English name: | George M. Pearson my father. | Dead               |
|     | Indian name:  | Hugh M                       | Dead               |
|     | Residence:    | Alexander                    | Dead               |
| (2) | English name: | John T                       | Stillwell I.S.     |
|     | Indian name:  | Dilas                        | Dead without desc. |
|     | Residence:    | Lucy Coowocow ne M. Pearson  | Dead               |
| (3) | English name: | Christie Daubing             | Dead               |
|     | Indian name:  | Elizabeth Coody              | Dead               |
|     | Residence:    | Nadine Starr                 | Dead               |
| (4) | English name: |                              |                    |
|     | Indian name:  |                              |                    |
|     | Residence:    |                              |                    |
| (5) | English name: |                              |                    |
|     | Indian name:  |                              |                    |
|     | Residence:    |                              |                    |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*On Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880, and  
am a Cherokee allottee*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, (if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835.

*My father George McPherson, was born Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 1815 in Tennessee.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My grand mother Susan McPherson nee McCoy had a brother, and a sister: Sallie and Rony McCoy, both of whom died without descent.*

NOTE--Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

*Sarah Meyer*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires July 28, 1910

*John K. Beatty,*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. S. Whorton* and *H. W. Read*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Sarah Meyer*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for *7* years and *15* years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses

*J. S. Whorton*  
*H. W. Read*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires July 28, 1910

*John K. Beatty*  
Notary Public.

NOTE: Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 711

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Mizer*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. MAY 18 1907<br>No. |
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 711

1. State your full name: Sarah Mizer
2. Residence and post office: Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter. Coffeyville,
3. County: Montgomery,
4. State: Kansas,
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter., Sept. 15, 1855,
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: Michael R. Mizer, 41.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he ~~or she~~ belong? None.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.      | BORN.               |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Jumbo Morris</u>   | <u>19</u> | <u>Oct 20, 1887</u> |
| (2) | <u>Sheridan Mizer</u> | <u>9</u>  | <u>Jan. 1, 1898</u> |
| (3) | .....                 |           |                     |
| (4) | .....                 |           |                     |
| (5) | .....                 |           |                     |
| (6) | .....                 |           |                     |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: On all rolls in case of Jumbo Morris & enrolled for land in case of Sheridan Mizer

**REMARKS**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Sarah Mizer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of May 1907.

Philip H. Cass  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feby. 17, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Robert Cosby and J H Hill who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah Mizer who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 8 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Robert Cosby  
J H Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of May, 1907.

Philip H. Sears  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feby. 17, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 711.

October 11, 1906.

Sarah Mizer,  
Coffeyville,  
Kansas.

Madam:-

In your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, it is noted that the notary before whom you appeared failed to affix his seal, although the same appears in the affidavit following. Please have this error corrected, and return your application, herewith inclosed, to this Office.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBF

...to give me the desired information as to his share of this money, and the time for filing claim my case claim. I know his claim is valid and is entitled please for me know if I have not time to file application are satisfied.

My roll number is 18304. Also two of my minor children in 1838 and he died in 1838.

My name is James W. Ginter. He was

my name is James W. Ginter. and is my son in law his claim was put in by him to me to you.

of my case to his share of the Eastern Cherokee money. He

I know that I failed to file the claim of one

Dear Sir:-

Washington, D. C.

Mr. G. W. Miller, General Commr.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 19 1910  
No. 711

MAR 19 1910



JOHN K. BEATTY

Real Estate, Loans and Insurance

FARM PROPERTY A SPECIALTY

"BEAR IN MIND"

REFERENCE:  
ANY BANK OR BUSINESS MAN  
IN COFFEYVILLE

Room 3 Read Bldg.  
Cor. 9th & Walnut

Coffeyville, Kansas, Mar. 16, 1910,

Mr. Guion Miller, Special Comm.,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

I find that I failed to file the claim of one of my sons to his share of the Eastern Cherokee Money. We made his claim out, but failed to send them to you.

His name is ~~Lawman~~ Herman H. Gunter, and is my son by former husband, whose name was Keekee Gunter. We were married in 1872 and he died in 1896.

My Roll number is 19204. Also two of my minor children are enrolled.

Please let me know if I have yet time to file my sons claim. I know his claim is valid and is entitled to his share of this money, but the time for filing claims might have expired, so give me the desired information by return mail, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

*Jarah Miller*

App. #711.

March 19, 1910.

Sarah Mizer,  
Coffeyville,  
Kansas.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of March 16, 1910, you are advised that it is now too late for your son to file his application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, as the time for filing such claims expired August 31, 1907, and the matter is now closed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:

Replying to your request for a blank application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you are advised that under the order of the Court of April 29, 1907, all applications were required to be filed on or before August 31, 1907.

It is therefore now too late to file applications except on behalf of minor children, persons of unsound mind, or persons under some other legal disability.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 22 1906  
No. (app.) 711.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 711.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

Sarah Mizer,  
Coffeyville,  
Kansas.

Madam:-

In your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, it is noted that the notary before whom you appeared failed to affix his seal, although the same appears in the affidavit following. Please have this error corrected, and return your application, herewith inclosed, to this Office.

Very respectfully,

*[Signature]*  
Acting Commissioner.

JBH

*Inclosed please find application with error corrected*



No. 712

Action: admitted

Name Blackfox Singfisher and

children.

Residence:

Laage O'Wa

Reasons:

A petition enrolled by

Dreemun

1851

Feb

525

Dak-yeh-wah

No. 712

O.K.

Name Blackfox Kingfisher

~~W.H. No.~~

Remarks: Grouped here. -  
4305, 4306, 4311, 4309  
8498, 9006-2930, 4289,  
2938.

Claims thro.

Oo-na-chos-to }  
Bah-le-lo-he } Del. 525  
Wah-yeh-wah }  
(See # 712)

John Kingfisher Del 526

O.K.

No. 712

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Black Jack Kingfisher*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 8 1906<br>No. |
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
 English name: *Blackbox Kingfisher*  
 Indian name: *Di-ya-wah*
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: *Peggs*
4. County: *Dist 5*
5. State: *Inda. Tenn.*
6. Date and place of birth: *Delaware Dist. Cherokee Nation '85*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:  
*Through my self.*  
*Through my father and mother.*  
*Through my Uncle.*  
*Through my Aunt.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Wa-le-sa- 36*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: *U-na-joe-ta. John Kingfisher*  
 Indian name: *U-na-joe-ta*  
 Mother—English name: *Sally Kingfisher*  
 Indian name: *Ca-le-lo-ti*  
 Maiden name: *Ca-le-lo-ti Mouse*
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: *Georgia*  
 Mother: *Georgia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: *Cherokee Nation*  
 Mother: *Cherokee Nation*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: *1887*      Mother: *1891*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Drew money in 1851*

*at Fort Gibson*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                 | BORN.             | DIED.             |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <i>Che-de-sky</i>     | <i>Dont know.</i> | <i>Dont know.</i> |
| (2) | <i>Squah-da-le-gi</i> | <i>Dont know.</i> | <i>1895</i>       |
| (3) | <i>Chu-wa-lu-ke</i>   | <i>Dont know.</i> | <i>Dont know.</i> |
| (4) | <i>Wa-hu-hun-sky</i>  | <i>Dont know.</i> | <i>Dont know.</i> |
| (5) | <i>Su-Sawara</i>      | <i>Dont know.</i> | <i>Dont know.</i> |
| (6) |                       |                   |                   |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.               | MOTHER'S SIDE.     |
|------------------------------|--------------------|
| <i>Ches. U. de-ka-lo-ski</i> | <i>Che-eta-gy.</i> |
| <i>Do qua-yas-stin</i>       | <i>Che wa-na</i>   |

17. Where were they born?

*Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*all Dead*  
*except Che-wa-na who died in Delaware*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

*De, Jay, wee, shy,*  
*Piggs I.T.*

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

*Ad-gi*  
*na-gi*  
*Locust Grove.*

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

*Ka-ta-na*  
*Piggs I.T.*

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where. *Enrolled for land in The Cherokee Nation*  
*have drew money since 1851*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Witness to mark.*

*J. R. Leach*

(Signature.)

*Blackfox Kingfisher*

*W. Soney*

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

My commission expires

Dec 9, 1907

*John R. Leach*

Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Thomas Belt and

Jesse Dry Water, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with Blackfox Kingfisher who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 30 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and

that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in his claim.

*Witnesses to mark.*

*W. Soney*

*J. R. Leach*

*Signatures of witnesses.*

*Jesse Dry Water*

*Thomas Belt*

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

My commission expires

Dec 9, 1907

*John R. Leach*

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec MAR 29 1907  
No. 712, A.

March 25<sup>th</sup> 1907

The Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs, Washington D.C."

please add my application

No. 712 for these names

1 Che-yo-se-Grandma

2 Ai-mi-cha-Great uncle

3 Cha-wah-yee-a-Grandma

4 Cay-ho-ga Grandma

5 Gay-di Grand mother

6 Ai-li-shi Grand mother

7 Ai-da-wee Great-Grandpa

8 Jee-goo-li " " "

~~you trusty Black Fox King fisher~~

or Dah-yeh-wah from

Dah-yeh-wah or

Black Fox King fisher.

INDIAN OFFICE -  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec FEB 2 1907

No. 712 app.

...JOE I. WILSON...

DEALER IN

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, WALNUT LOGS,  
LUMBER AND LIVE STOCK OF ALL KINDS

Peggs  
ROSE, I. T. Jan 28<sup>th</sup> 1907

Commission of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

Sir:—

I find four more  
claims which I wish  
to add on to my claim  
viz Ah-mor-yer-Uncle

Isa-ster-mu

Isa-ter-ster-dan-gar-lo-he Grand  
Father on mother side.

Is-la-gar First Cousin on Father  
side. If any information  
or evidence is required  
let me know at once

Very Respectfully

Nah-yeh-wah-Kingfisher

or Blackfoot Kingfisher



No. 713.

Action: Admitted

Name: Jacob Dick and 2 children. Residence: Shelata Mea

Reasons: Applicant emigrated. B. 1.

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No. 713

C.H.

Name Jacob Dick

With No.

Remarks:

Alarius thro.

|                       |   |          |
|-----------------------|---|----------|
| <u>Isaac Dick</u>     | } | Sal. 224 |
| <u>Clara</u> "        |   |          |
| <u>Jacob (#713)</u> " |   |          |

O. K.

713

No. 713

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*Jacob Hick.*

For shares of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Jacob Dick

Indian name:

Jacob sh

2. Residence:

6 miles north Ochelata I.T.

3. Town and post office:

Ochelata

4. County:

Cherokee Nation

5. State:

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

57 years old. In present Cherokee Nation

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in

1851, set forth each claim separately:

Isaac Dick, Ellen Dick  
John Dick, Betsy Dick Jacob Dick  
(myself) These names can be found on the  
Cherokee Emigrant-pay roll of 1852. Page 283  
No 224.

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Lucinda Dick

Lucinda Hays (Old Sellen)

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Isaac Dick

Indian name:

Es. ee ee

Mother—English name:

Ellen Dick

Indian name:

Hin ure

Maiden name:

Do not know

11. Where were they born?

Father:

East of Mississippi River

Mother:

East of Mississippi River

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

In present Cherokee Nation {Saline Dist}

Mother:

In present Cherokee Nation {Saline Dist}

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Not known

Mother:

Not known



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They drew in the Emigrant-Cherokee payment in 1852.*

15. Name of all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.             | BORN. | DIED.                      |
|-----|-------------------|-------|----------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Kass Dick</i>  |       | <i>Died in 1800</i>        |
| (2) | <i>John Dick</i>  |       | <i>" young about 1865.</i> |
| (3) | <i>Betsy Dick</i> |       |                            |
| (4) |                   |       |                            |
| (5) |                   |       |                            |
| (6) |                   |       |                            |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE.   |
|------------------|------------------|
| <i>Not known</i> | <i>Not known</i> |
|                  |                  |
|                  |                  |

17. Where were they born? *east of Mississippi River*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Do not know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                          |                        |
|-----|------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Isaac Dick</i>          | <i>died during war</i> |
|     | Indian name: <i>Es ee ee</i>             | <i>died during war</i> |
|     | Residence: _____                         |                        |
| (2) | English name: <i>none others known</i>   |                        |
|     | Indian name: _____                       |                        |
|     | Residence: _____                         |                        |
| (3) | English name: <i>Allen Dick (Mother)</i> |                        |
|     | Indian name: <i>A tin</i>                |                        |
|     | Residence: <i>None others known</i>      |                        |
| (4) | English name: _____                      |                        |
|     | Indian name: _____                       |                        |
|     | Residence: _____                         |                        |
| (5) | English name: _____                      |                        |
|     | Indian name: _____                       |                        |
|     | Residence: _____                         |                        |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *I have drawn in all payments made to Cherokee since the war except Old Settles*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Owing to my being the youngest, and early death of my parents, am unable to answer above question*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *UPD TJ*  
*Jacob Dick LeCherrier*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Aug 31st*, 190

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Guy M. McConnell* and *Thos J. Ellis Sr*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jacob Dick*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *2* years and *10* years, respectively, and known *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signature of witnesses.

*Guy M. McConnell*  
*Thos J. Ellis Sr*

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

My commission expires

*Aug 31st*, 190

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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No. 713

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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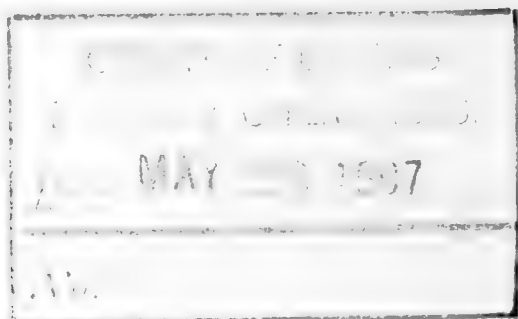
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Jacob Dean*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 713

1. State your full name: Joseph Dick
2. Residence and post office: Ochelata
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Ter
5. Date and place of birth: age 57 Born Galine Dist
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Lucinda Dick age 55
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? not any
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.              | AGE.      | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------|-----------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Ellen Dick</u>  | <u>14</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Pessie Dick</u> | <u>12</u> |       |
| (3) |                    |           |       |
| (4) |                    |           |       |
| (5) |                    |           |       |
| (6) |                    |           |       |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes enrolled

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

nothing to report

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Joseph Dick  
hus  
Notary Public

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of May 1907.

My Commission expires

8/31 1907

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me R. J. Morrison and W W Evans who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jacob Dick who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

M. K. Hoffmann  
Alexander Hendricks

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. J. Morrison  
W W Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of May, 1907.

J. J. Ellis Jr  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 8/31st, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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WASHINGTON, D.C.



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY, S.S.  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

To the Hon Commissioner of  
Indian Affairs,  
Washington D.C.

Personally came this day before me a Notary Public within and for the above named District and Territory, Jacob Dick, well known to me to be the identical person he represents him self to be, and after being sworn as the law directs, deposes and says- My name is Jacob Dick, I am about 56, or 57. years of age, I am a Cherokee indian by blood, and drew in the payment made to the Eastern Cherokees in 1852. I lived at that time in Saline District Cherokee Nation. but now my Post Office is Okolata .I. T. - I filed a claim for a portion of the funds that should be due me out of the funds appropriated by act of Congress approved June 30 1807. setting forth as fully as I could the names of the different shares that I should be entitled to, including my own name which can be found enrolled with my father's family on the roll of 1852.

Deponant further states that the information has recently come to him that he is entitled to the share of <sup>Sister to my mother</sup> Oo-ger-yar-star, (my aunt) Agga Eliot (her daughter) Aa-ron Dick, (my half brother) who should be enrolled with his mother (Oo-loo-tsa.) It is very probable that the (Dick) name will not be used by them since she was not my father's lawful wife. therefore she is not to be enrolled thus (Oo-loo-tsa.) and my brother is

apt to be enrolled in his indian name thus (A-lin-nee.) <sup>Susan is a sister to my</sup> Also I have an aunt who married a man by name of Regardman, her name is <sup>father</sup> Susan or Susannah, also I have an uncle who was a brother to my mother by the name of Ar-ta-lar-Ter-gee-se. or (Money taker) he was ~~supposed~~ supposed to have been enrolled in Saline District with my fathers family.

You will please add these names to my application which has been filed with you for some time past. oblige,

*Signed by Cheyenne Jacob Dick*  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 31st day of \_\_\_\_\_  
Witness by *John C. Duncan*  
" " *W. H. Hays*  
My Commission expires *1847*  
Notary Public

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 713.

October 11, 1906.

Jacob Dick,

Ochelata,

Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the date of death of your father and mother. If you can not learn the exact date, the approximate time will be sufficient.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Washington, D. C.  
Office of Indian Affairs.

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The applicant does not understand the English language  
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believing to office is that of Oct. 11, 1866, the ship-

Isaac Dyer,

Eastern Cherokee, Abbi, N. C.

Dec. 31, 1906.

W. C. VAN HOY  
BRADLEY & BRYANT BUILDING

BARTLESVILLE, I. T., Dec. 31, 1906,

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

Eastern Cherokees, Appl'n, # 713,  
Jacob Dick,

Referring to office letter of Oct., 11, 1906, the applicant asks me to state that his mother died about the year 1865, and that his ~~pa~~ father passed to the unknown about three years later.

The applicant does not understand the English language very well and he has never understood the necessity of keeping track of the dates of such small matters, therefore he can not be certain, however he is quite sure, he tells me that they are dead, and he believes that they will continue so, unless there be some change in the recent regulations.

Very respectfully.

W. C. VanHoy,



No. 714

Action: *Sammittio*

Name *Stand Luad* and <sup>9</sup> children. Residence: *Coffeyville - Kans.*

Reasons: *Applicant claims for himself enrolled as  
Stahld Su-wa-ge. Father enrolled as Wilson  
Su-wa-ge. mother, Parker. Sisters Lucy and  
Luina. All of whom were enrolled as known  
in 1855 in Delaware Dis. Group 88*

*see Misc. Test. P. 237*

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Name Stand Suagee

~~W. H. H. H.~~

Remarks: ~~See # 9468~~

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Wilson Su-wa-gee

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

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**APPLICATION**

OF

*Stand Suages*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

- 1. State full name—  
English name: Stated Duagee  
Indian name: Ta-Ka-lo-Ka.
- 2. Residence: Mid West Coffeyville
- 3. Town and post office: Coffeyville
- 4. County: Montgomery
- 5. State: Kansas
- 6. Date and place of birth: About 1847 or 8 Cherokee Nation

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: For my father and mother, Wilson and Dorcas Duagee, the half sisters and brothers: Rachel, Lemmie, and John Kitchin, all of whom died without issue. My maternal aunt, Betty or Justie, and her son Ha-lu-Ka they now being without descent.

- 8. Are you married? Yes
- 9. Name and age of wife or husband: Margaret Duagee age 56 years.

- 10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Wilson Duagee  
Indian name: U-ye-se-nee.  
Mother—English name: Dorcas Duagee  
Indian Name: Darky  
Maiden name: Patience Turner.

- 11. Where were they born?  
Father: Cherokee Nation east  
Mother: Cherokee Nation east

- 12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: 7 Delaware district Cherokee Nation  
Mother: " " " " " "

- 13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: About 1865 Mother: About 1899

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*In Cherokee migrant pay roll in Delaware District*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|            | NAME               | BORN | DIED             |
|------------|--------------------|------|------------------|
|            | (1) David Squag    |      | About 1895       |
|            | (2) Lucy Squag     |      | Before civil war |
| 1/2 sister | (3) Rachel Nitcher |      | " " "            |
| " "        | (4) Linnie "       |      | " " "            |
| " brother  | (5) John "         |      | About 1868       |
| " sister   | (6) Lamee Nitcher  |      | " 1868           |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE                                 | MOTHER'S SIDE                                      |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>Suaga, (died in Cherokee Nation, east)</i> | <i>James Lamm, (died in Cherokee Nation, east)</i> |

17. Where were they born? *In Cherokee Nation, east*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *They were dead.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *Thomas Squag, dead*  
 Indian name: *Alc-na-ga*  
 Residence: *In Delaware District*
- (2) English name: *Wilson Squag, my father, dead*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Delaware District*
- (3) English name: *Lorena Squag, my mother, dead*  
 Indian name: *Larky*  
 Residence: *Delaware District*
- (4) English name: *Walter Squag, dead*  
 Indian name: *Suati*  
 Residence: *Delaware District*
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Under act of 1850, and in a Cherokee allottee.*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My mother's father  
Manda ... in Tusquillo ... North  
Carolina in 1835.*

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My mother's first husband was Ketchu. My mother  
was a castro; Betty or ... who lived in ...  
District and ... son Wa-lu-ka, Quatic and ...  
are both dead and left no descendants. (Wa-lu-ka  
died about 1863)*

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

*Stand Suagee*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *September*, 1906.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires July 28, 1910

*John K Beatty*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Dennis Smith* and *G. W. Shambler*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Stand Suagee*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Dennis Smith*  
*G. W. Shambler*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *September*, 1906.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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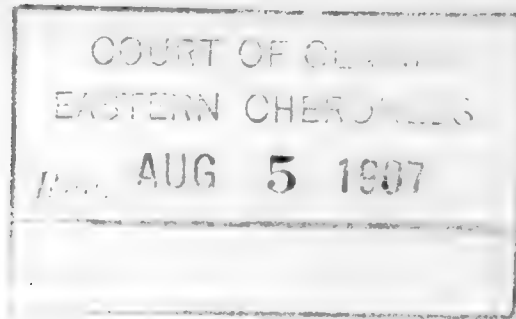
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Stand Suagee*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 714

1. State your full name: Stand Suagee
2. Residence and post office: Loc. Cherokee Station, P. O. Coffeyville, Kans
3. County: Montgomery
4. State: Kansas
5. Date and place of birth: July 4th, 1843, Cherokee Station, I.T.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Margret Suagee, 55 years.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does  or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Stand Suagee,</u>  | <u>19</u> | <u>1887</u> |
| (2) | <u>Margret Suagee</u> | <u>55</u> | <u>1890</u> |
| (3) | <u>Roy Lee Suagee</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>1893</u> |
| (4) | .....                 | .....     | .....       |
| (5) | .....                 | .....     | .....       |
| (6) | .....                 | .....     | .....       |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: In all public acts, in Cherokee

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Stand Suagee*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1907.

*John W. Beatty*  
Notary Public

My Commission expires

July 28th 1910., 190

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John E Welch and William Smith who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Stand Suagee who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John E Welch  
William Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

John McBeatty  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 28, 1910.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Peter C. Suagee, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Peter Suagee. Gann Edward Suagee is my son. Robert Suagee, 21609, is my brother, and David and Viola Johnson are my nephew and niece. 42252. They all claim through the same source. I am 36 years old. I live near Tonapah, - have lived there 8 years, - previous to that in the Delaware District where I was born. I was enrolled by the Dawes Commission. I was enrolled by the Dawes Commission as a Cherokee, and Roll No. 13482. My brother was also enrolled, by the Dawes Commission, as a Cherokee. David Johnson was also enrolled by the Dawes Commissioner, Cherokee No. 16230. I was born in Loupas, near the Missouri Line, in Oklahoma. I was enrolled in 1880 by the officials of the Territory. I claim through both father and mother. My mother was Nancy Seven. She is dead. She died in 1880, or 1881. She was living in the Delaware District. I don't know whether she was born in the Cherokee nation or not. All my grandparents on my mother's side came from North Carolina. Both her parents were Cherokee Indians. Grandfather's name was George Seven and grandmother Betty Seven. They came here when they were moved from the old country. I do not know whether my grandparents were parties to the treaties. I do not know whether they went to Arkansas or not when they first came. I think they were enrolled in 1851. I do not know whether they ever received any payments. They never associated with any other tribe of Indians, that I know of. My mother's people were not on the Old Settler Roll, and never received any money as Old Settlers.

My father is Stan C. Suagee. He came from North Carolina. I think he was born in 1846. He settled in the Delaware District and stayed there. He claimed that they enrolled him some where. I do not know how long he has been living here. I think about 1876 he was enrolled. Probably 1880 or 1886 he was appointed as one of the census enrollers. He was enrolled by the Dawes Commission as a Cherokee. I don't remember his number. I do not know that he ever had any other name. My father's name is Major De-ka-to-ga, or English Suagee. My grandfather on my father's side was Wilson Suagee, and his wife Darcus Suagee. He, my father, claimed through both father and mother.

  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Tonapah, Oklahoma/  
this 21st day of August, 1918.

*A. S. M.*  
Ass't to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

App. No. 5157.

714

December 2, 1908.

Stana Suagee,  
Coffeyville, Kansas.

Sir:

Relative to the application of Benjamin Drew to participate in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please send to this office answers to the following questions:

1. What are the English and Indian names of the parents of Benjamin Drew.
2. What relation, if any, is his mother to you?
3. Have you a sister by the name of Jane?

An early reply will be appreciated, in which refer to no. 5157, A. C. S.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. H. S.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
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LAW OFFICES OF  
**KEITH & DAVIS**  
STENOGRAPHER AND NOTARY  
IN OFFICE

COFFEYVILLE, KANSAS.

April 17, 1909.

In re WEA-714.  
Stand Suagee.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Curay Building,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Relative to your letter to Stand Suagee, will say that his son is Enrolled as a Cherokee by Flood under the name of Watie Suagee, which he is known by, and number 7449. His full and proper name is Stand Watie Suagee, Jr.

Mr. Suagee's children are all living at the present time.

Respectfully,

*Keith & Davis*

JAP.

App. No. 714.

January 19, 1909.

Stand Suagee,  
Coffeyville, Kansas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, you are requested to inform this Office as to the name and number under which your son, Stand Suagee, is enrolled by the Dawes Commission. Is he known by any other name than Stand Suagee?

Are all your children living; if not, give the name, also the day, month and year of the death of any who may be deceased.

Please reply promptly and refer to WEA-714.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA



No. 715.

Action: *Admitted*

Name *Frene Filde* and - children. Residence: *Severy, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Applicant's father, Albert Barnes, 169 1/2 Illinois*

*MMK*

No. 715

Name Texanna Fields

~~With No.~~

Remarks:

# 11853 grouped herewith,

Clarinetto.

|              |                |
|--------------|----------------|
| Mary Barnes  | } 9ll. 169 1/2 |
| Albert "     |                |
| Sarah Ann "  |                |
| Mary #4014 " |                |

O K.

grouped herewith

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No. 715

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Tessara Fields*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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#15.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: *Terrana Fields*  
Indian name: *Co-is-i-ta.*
2. Residence: *Dewey*
3. Town and post office: *Dewey*
4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1867 in Cherokee Nation*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *For my father: John Albert Barnes. My grand-mother, Mary Barnes. My uncle Alexander F Barnes who died without descent.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Richard M Fields, born Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> 1855 (#116)*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *John Albert Barnes*  
Indian name: *not known*  
Mother—English name: *Nannie Barnes*  
Indian name: *not known*  
Maiden name: *Nannie Harper*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *In Cherokee Nation, east*  
Mother: *In Cherokee Nation*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *In Cherokee Nation*  
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *March 24<sup>th</sup> 1877* Mother: *about 1894*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *On Father on emigrant pay roll of 1851 in Tahlequah District*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                                     | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Have no brothers or sisters on the</i> |       |       |
| (2) | <i>Barnes side. Have a sister. Mrs</i>    |       |       |
| (3) | <i>Joanna Heffman on mother's side,</i>   |       |       |
| (4) | <i>but she is not interested in the</i>   |       |       |
| (5) | <i>claim to my father's share.</i>        |       |       |
| (6) |                                           |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                          | MOTHER'S SIDE.                           |
|-----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| <i>Thomas and Mary Barnes ne Forman</i> | <i>Peter and Martha Harper ne Rogers</i> |

17. Where were they born?

*In Cherokee Nation east*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*In Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                           |                                                                     |
|-------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>John Albert Barnes</i> | <i>born Mar 27<sup>th</sup> 1833. Dead</i>                          |
| Indian name:      | <i>Alexander F</i>        | <i>born Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> 1835. Died Jan 30-65, without issue.</i> |
| Residence:        | <i>Henry C</i>            | <i>Dead</i>                                                         |
| (2) English name: | <i>Nadhel Maxfield</i>    | <i>Dead</i>                                                         |
| Indian name:      | <i>Corinna Taylor</i>     | <i>Dead</i>                                                         |
| Residence:        | <i>Theresa E Fry</i>      | <i>Dead</i>                                                         |
| (3) English name: | <i>Sarah Hart</i>         | <i>Fort Gibson I.T.</i>                                             |
| Indian name:      | <i>Minnie Willey</i>      | <i>Fort Gibson I.T.</i>                                             |
| Residence:        | <i>Fannie Berge</i>       | <i>Tahlequah I.T.</i>                                               |
| (4) English name: |                           |                                                                     |
| Indian name:      |                           |                                                                     |
| Residence:        |                           |                                                                     |
| (5) English name: |                           |                                                                     |
| Indian name:      |                           |                                                                     |
| Residence:        |                           |                                                                     |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

*On Cherokee authentic roll of 1880 and am a Cherokee allottee*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My father  
John Albert Barnes, was born  
March 27<sup>th</sup> 1833.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Fetanna Fields*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*November 16*, 190*9*.

*Harriet Gray*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me ~~*Fetanna Fields*~~ and  
*Mrs. A. E. Jones* & *Miss Lizzie Jones*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Fetanna Fields*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *7* years and *7* years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Mrs. A. E. Jones*  
*Miss Lizzie Jones*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*November 16*, 190*9*.

*Harriet Gray*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 716

Action: Admitted

Name Richard M. Fields and 7 children.

Residence: Dewey Okla

Reasons:

Application of father enrolled by

Decree 185-1. General

"Mr. Fields"



# 716

Richard W. Fields

# 11866 (dupl.)

grouped herewith  
5665, 5666, 5667, 5686

Claims this.

Wit Fields Can. 10.

O. K.

Also, Claims thro-

Jack Woodward

Ill. 275

No. 300

PC - 11806

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Richard M. Fields*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 8 1906  
No.

916

# 216  
7116

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

- 1. State full name—  
English name: *Richard M Fields*  
Indian name: *not known*
- 2. Residence: *Dewey*
- 3. Town and post office: *Dewey*
- 4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
- 5. State: *Indian Territory*
- 6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> 1855 in Cherokee Nation*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately. *For my parents, Wirt and Sarah Fields. My grand parents Richard and Lydia Fields. My grand parents Thomas and Nancy Woodard. My aunt Mary Jane Woodard. My uncle and aunt William, Elizabeth and Annada Woodard, all of whom did with our descent. My grand father, Richard Fields's brother John Fields.*

- 8. Are you married? *Yes*
- 9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Luzana Fields, born Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1867*

- 10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Wirt Fields*  
Indian name: *not known*  
Mother—English name: *Sarah Fields*  
Indian name: *not known*  
Maiden name: *Sarah Woodard*

- 11. Where were they born?  
Father *In Cherokee Nation, east*  
Mother: " " " "

- 12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *In Cherokee Nation*  
Mother: " " "

- 13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *About 1857* Mother: *About 1867*

*John Fields, who did with our descent.*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *On emigrant Cherokee pay roll of 1851 in Illinois District.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                 | BORN.             | DIED.              |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <i>William Fields</i> | <i>About 1851</i> | <i>About 1867.</i> |
| (2) | <i>Ella Smith</i>     | <i>" 1853</i>     | <i>In Nov 1891</i> |
| (3) |                       |                   |                    |
| (4) |                       |                   |                    |
| (5) |                       |                   |                    |
| (6) |                       |                   |                    |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.           | MOTHER'S SIDE.        |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>Richard and Lydia</i> | <i>Thomas and</i>     |
| <i>Fields ne Shony</i>   | <i>Nancy Woodard.</i> |

17. Where were they born? *In Cherokee Nation, east*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*In Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                                                 |              |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Elizabeth S Vann</i>                         | <i>Dead</i>  |
| Indian name:      | <i>Amanda Sackett</i>                           | <i>Dead</i>  |
| Residence:        | <i>William Fields</i>                           | <i>Dead</i>  |
| (2) English name: | <i>Wirt Fields, my father,</i>                  | <i>Dead.</i> |
| Indian name:      | <i>Mary Jane Woodard, not heard from since</i>  | <i>1866</i>  |
| Residence:        | <i>Elizabeth Woodard, died without descent.</i> |              |
| (3) English name: | <i>Sarah Fields, my mother,</i>                 | <i>Dead.</i> |
| Indian name:      | <i>William Woodard, died without descent</i>    |              |
| Residence:        | <i>Amanda " " " "</i>                           |              |
| (4) English name: |                                                 |              |
| Indian name:      |                                                 |              |
| Residence:        |                                                 |              |
| (5) English name: |                                                 |              |
| Indian name:      |                                                 |              |
| Residence:        |                                                 |              |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *On Cherokee authentic roll of 1850 we are a Cherokee allottee.*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and <sup>Maternal</sup> Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835. <sup>My paternal</sup>  
grand father Thomas Woodard, and my <sup>maternal</sup>  
paternal grand father Richard Fields  
were born prior to 1835 in the Cherokee  
Nation, east.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My grand father, Richard Fields had  
a brother, John who died without  
descendants.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Richard M. Fields

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires  
November 16, 1907.

Harriett Gray  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mrs. C. E. Jones and  
Miss Lizzie Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Richard M. Fields, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and 7 years,  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person ~~she~~ represents himself to be, and  
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Mrs. A. E. Jones  
Miss Lizzie Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires  
November 16, 1907.

Harriett Gray  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 716  
222 # 11866  
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Richard M. Fields*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
MAY 18 1907

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 716

1. State your full name: Richard M. Fields
2. Residence and post office: Dewey,
3. County: Northern District (to be Washington County)
4. State: Indian Territory (to be State of Oklahoma)
5. Date and place of birth: Ft. Gibson, Indian Territory, August 3rd, 1855
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Jessie Fields, age 40 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.            | BORN.                   |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Charles Fields</u> | <u>20 years</u> | <u>Aug. 11th, 1887</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Wert Fields</u>    | <u>17</u>       | <u>March 7th, 1890.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Jesse Fields</u>   | <u>16</u>       | <u>Nov. 15th, 1891</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Pierce Fields</u>  | <u>12</u>       | <u>Feb. 1st, 1895</u>   |
| (5) | .....                 | .....           | .....                   |
| (6) | .....                 | .....           | .....                   |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled as Cherokees by flood for allotment of lands; also first three drew "strip money"

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Richard M. Fields

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of May 1907.

A. J. Dimeuil  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Nov. 21, 1908., 190 .

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Ben E. Flynn and Martha E. Flynn who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Richard M. Fields who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for six years and six years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his said claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ben E. Flynn  
Martha E. Flynn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of May, 1907.

A. D. Dumeuil

Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 27/1908, 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 717

Action: Reject

Name Eva Henderson and — children. Residence: Popton, N. C.

Reasons: Cousin of #126, and claims through the same ancestors.

No. 717

Name Eva Henderson

With No. 126

Remarks :



*1/20 in 1906*  
*176 No. 17*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Eva Henderson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 9 1906  
No.

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126

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Eva Henderson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Town and post office: Topton

4. County: Cherokee

5. State: N. C.

6. Date and place of birth: Cherokee Co., N.C. 1886.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my mother

Susan Henderson, my Grandmother  
Mary Henderson, my Great Grandmother  
Dorcy Pace, and my Great-Great Grandfather  
Joseph Martin, who was one half Cherokee

8. Are you married? no

9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: James P. Jones

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Susan Henderson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Susan Henderson

11. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Tenn

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                   | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Mettie Henderson</u> | <u>1898</u> |       |
| (2) |                         |             |       |
| (3) |                         |             |       |
| (4) |                         |             |       |
| (5) |                         |             |       |
| (6) |                         |             |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Wash Henderson  
Mary Henderson

17. Where were they born? Don't know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Macon Co., NC

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                         |
|-----|-----------------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: <u>Bayless Henderson</u>  |
|     | Indian name: _____                      |
|     | Residence: <u>McCays, Tenn</u>          |
| (2) | English name: <u>Susan Henderson</u>    |
|     | Indian name: _____                      |
|     | Residence: <u>Tomotta NC</u>            |
| (3) | English name: <u>Elizabeth Franklin</u> |
|     | Indian name: _____                      |
|     | Residence: _____                        |
| (4) | English name: _____                     |
|     | Indian name: _____                      |
|     | Residence: _____                        |
| (5) | English name: _____                     |
|     | Indian name: _____                      |
|     | Residence: _____                        |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

*Unknown*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Eva Henderson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Nov 9*, 190*7*

*E. B. Wright*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. A. Bryson* and *A. A. Wright*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Eva Henderson*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and *3* years,

respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and

that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. A. Bryson*  
*A. A. Wright*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Nov 9*, 190*7*

*E. B. Wright*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 20 1906  
No. (Appr.) 717



7174  
REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

EASTERN CHEROKEES. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
Appln. No. 717. WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

Eva Henderson,  
Topton,  
North Carolina.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please give the approximate date of your birth, if you can not learn the exact date.

It is noted that you have neglected to give either the English or Indian name of your father, his birth-place, and the date of his death, if he is dead. Was he an Eastern Cherokee?

Were your parents living in 1851? If so, where did they reside.

Please answer the above questions as fully and correctly as you can.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec* OCT 20 1906

No. (Appv.) 717.

Topton, N.C.  
Oct 15, 1906.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I was born in the year 1886.  
My fathers name is James P. Pace. Son of  
Dorcy Pace, and Grandson of Joseph Martin  
who was one half Cherokee. My Mother was  
never married. My parents were not Born  
prior to 1851.

Very respectfully,  
Eva Henderson

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 717.

October 11, 1906.

Eva Henderson,  
Topton,  
North Carolina.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please give the approximate date of your birth, if you can not learn the exact date.

It is noted that you have neglected to give either the English or Indian name of your father, his birth-place, and the date of his death, if he is dead. Was he an Eastern Cherokee?

Were your parents living in 1851? If so, where did they reside.

Please answer the above questions as fully and correctly as you can.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Eva Henderson  
Lopton, N.C.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 77, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Returned to writer*

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WASHINGTON, D. C.  
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~~Eva Henderson,~~

~~Topton,~~

~~N. C.~~

No. *718*

Action: *Reject*

Name *Ella M. Wilson* and *—* children. Residence: *Marble, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 718, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 718.

Name Ella M. Wilson

With No. 397.

Remarks :

1<sup>st</sup> cousin of 126

No. 719

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ella M. Nelson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 8 1906<br>No. |
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: Ella M. Wilson  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Town and post office: Marble, NC

4. County: Cherokee

5. State: NC

6. Date and place of birth: 1883, Cherokee Co, N.C.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: through my mother Josephine Wilson, my Grandmother Dorey Pace and my Great Grandfather Joseph Martin who was one half Cherokee

8. Are you married? no

9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Thos. J. Wilson  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Josephine Wilson  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Josephine Pace

11. Where were they born?

Father: Person, N.C.  
Mother: Wilson, N.C.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wilson Co  
Mother: NC

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: living Mother: living



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.            | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Mary Trull       | 1878  |       |
| (2) | Malissie Coffey  | 1880  |       |
| (3) | Arthur Wilson    | 1882  | 1882  |
| (4) | Phileigh Wilson  | 1889  |       |
| (5) | Fred Wilson      | 1893  |       |
| (6) | Ida Wilson       | 1895  | 1897  |
|     | Jessie H. Wilson | 1898  |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Stephen Pace  
Jenny Pace

17. Where were they born? Mo

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

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19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Mary Henderson  
Indian name: Mary sh  
Residence: William Pace dead

(2) English name: Margaret Rowland  
Indian name: Josephine Wilson  
Residence: Olga Wilson dead

(3) English name: Chas. A. Pace  
Indian name: Alexander Pace  
Residence: James Pace

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Ella Wilson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov 9*, 1907. *D.B. Wright*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W.A. Bryson* and *Thos Wright*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Ella Wilson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *6* years and *10* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W.A. Bryson*  
*Thos Wright*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov 9*, 1907. *D.B. Wright*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 719  
Name William Paris and 2 children. Residence: Tulsa, Okla. Action: Admitted

Reasons: Applicant's mother was probably not living in 1857, ground parents on mother's side William and Susanna Downing enrolled 277 Tahl.

Misc. Test P. 4160.



No. 719 Tulsa, Okla.

Name William Paris

With No. Filed in Okla

Remarks:

The person named in the application as the father of applicant was neither to and he has no son by the name of William Paris. I say he believes applicant's parent were (let father's see letter here with)

father and mother have emigrated in 1891 - with whom emigrated.

No. 719  
Name William Paris  
With No. 7 rd field  
Remarks: in Okla



No. 119

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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**APPLICATION**

OF

*William Farris!*

For shares of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 8 1906  
No.

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#710

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: William Rorris

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Tulsa

3. Town and post office: Tulsa

4. County: Creek Nation

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: 1869, In Tahlequah dit Cherokee Nation

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in

1851, set forth each claim separately: Batley Downing & wife Downing  
William Downing & wife Downing  
I also claim through the Murphy estate  
but am unable to give their names.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: About 24 years name Mary Rorris

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Noah Rorris

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Batley Downing

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Batley Downing

11. Where were they born?

Father: East of Mississippi River

Mother: East of Mississippi

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In present Cherokee Nation

Mother: In present Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: living Mother: in about 1880.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *For lifetime or annuities Cherokee payment - 1863.*

15. Name of all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.               | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>I don't know</i> |       |       |
| (2) | <i>Have none</i>    |       |       |
| (3) |                     |       |       |
| (4) |                     |       |       |
| (5) |                     |       |       |
| (6) |                     |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                  | MOTHER'S SIDE.         |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| <i>I don't know for certain</i> | <i>William Downing</i> |
|                                 | <i>Susan Murphy or</i> |
|                                 | <i>Susan Downing</i>   |

17. Where were they born? *East of Mississippi River*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In present Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Sarah Downing and young*  
Indian name: *Wally Rowburn or Wally Downing*  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I draw all payments since 1871*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Can't answer*

*Above question*

### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My Grandmother was supposed to be a  
Mingo before marrying but was unable  
to learn any thing definite about it.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *William Parris*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *Sept*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Nov 24*, 190*6*

*W. C. Mackley*  
Notary Public.

### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *S. R. Lewis* and  
*W. C. Ector*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *William Parris*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and *12* years,  
respectively, and known *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signature of witnesses.

*S. R. Lewis*  
*W. C. Ector*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *Sept*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Nov 24*, 190*6*

*W. C. Mackley*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary etc.

No. 719

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

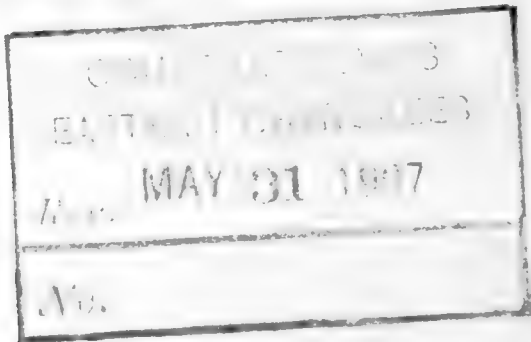
OF

*William Parris*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 719

1. State your full name: William Parris
2. Residence and post office: Tulsa Ind. Ter
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: March 17 1870 Tahlequah Ind. Ter
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Parris, nee Rodden
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? White woman
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.     | BORN.              |
|-----|------------------------|----------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Ezechiel Parris</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>Feb 7 1899</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Roscoe Parris</u>   | <u>4</u> | <u>Oct 13 1902</u> |
| (3) | _____                  |          |                    |
| (4) | _____                  |          |                    |
| (5) | _____                  |          |                    |
| (6) | _____                  |          |                    |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Tahlequah 1900 & 1903 Cherokee

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William Parris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of May 1907.

Russell H. Harris  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 6 1908

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Charley Wagner and Ben Rodden who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Parris who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 23 years and 18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Charley Wagner*  
*Ben Rodden*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of May 1907.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 6 1908, 190  .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

No. DEC 26 1908

No.

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Dec 22 - 1908

Special Commission  
of Claims. in Reply  
to your Request is sure  
was married But one  
time that was to

Pauline Williams  
that son William Parris  
he is not any son  
his mother was a  
Dowry and his father  
was a Hutterland and  
in Believing they was Born  
old Settlers. Refer to  
719. G.A.B.

Noah Parris

In re 719.

Noah Parris App. 1233-737.

*J.A.B.*

December 18, 1908.

Noah Parris,  
Ahniwake, Oklahoma.

Sir:

In the matter of the application which you have filed for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund you are requested to advise this office whether you were ever married before you married Paulina Williams. If you were ever married before kindly give the name of your former wife or wives, and also the names of any children of such former marriage. Did you ever have a son by the name of William Parris other than your minor son William A. Parris. If so, kindly give the date and place of birth of such son, and if living at the present time, state where he lives.

As the above information is important in the adjudication of your claim you are requested to reply to this communication immediately, and in your reply refer to No. 719.

FAB.

Yours respectfully,


Special Commissioner.

FAB/ELC.



William Parris being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am 39 years of age. I am enrolled by the Dawes Commission and got my land. I also got the land and strip payment. I was born and raised in this state. I got my Cherokee Indian blood from both parents. I don't think my parents were married in 1851. I am not claiming on my father's side as I believe he drew Old Settler money. I am claiming on my mother's side. My father recognized me as his son and still does. I have been taught that my mother and father were married and that they lived together. Noah Parris has told me that he was my father. I understand that he and my mother did not live together very long. I never heard that a man named Helterbrand was my father. I tried to get the Old Settler payment but could not because I was counted as an Emigrant. My mother was Betsy Downing. She has been dead 30 years. If she was living she would be as much as 60 years of age. She lived in Tahlequah District in 1851. Sarah and Nellie Downing were sisters of my mother. I don't remember that she had any brothers. Sarah Downing was older than my mother and died when small. I believe Nellie was the youngest. Nellie married Charlie Poorbear the first time. William Downing and Susie Murphy were my grandparents on my mother's side. They were married and living together in 1851 in Tahlequah District. My grandfather came from Georgia between forty and fifty. Watt Downing was a brother of my grandfather and I think he lived in Illinois District. Don't know where he lived as a young man, in 1851. I think there was another brother of my grandfather named Lewis. He lived in Tahlequah District when he died. I don't know of any other brothers that my grandfather had. (Tah. 277)

  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Tulsa, Okla. this 18th day of March 1909.

  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

No. 720

Action: Admitted

Name Chewanah Chualukee and — children. Residence: Euchea, Okla.

Reasons:

First cousin of # 645, and claims through  
the same ancestors.

No. 720

Name Che-wa-nah Chiu a lu Kee

Wish No. 645

Remarks:



No. 221

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Chewannah Chualabee*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Claims by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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#120.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Che wanah Chua lu Kee*

Indian name: *Che wanah*

2. Residence: *3 miles South of Euchee,*

3. Town and post office: *Euchee,*

4. County: *District 5,*

5. State: *Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth: *1874 Delaware District Ind. Tl.*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *(1) Tah yer.*

*(2) Mouse (3) Joone (4) Ahcha-naw stotah (5) Cuswan o sde*

8. Are you married? *yes.*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Chickalele Chua lu Kee*  
*59 years of age*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *unknown*

Indian name: *Tah yer*

Mother—English name: *unknown*

Indian name: *Susanne*

Maiden name: *unknown*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Cherokee nation East*

Mother: *unknown*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Delaware District Cherokee nation Ind. Tl.*

Mother: *unknown*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *unknown* Mother: *unknown*

*1872*

*1852*

# 612



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: 1851-2 Cherokee Payment Delaware Dist.  
Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                    | BORN.          | DIED.          |
|-----|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| (1) | <u>Hummingbird Tahye</u> | <u>unknown</u> | <u>unknown</u> |
| (2) | <u>Nah ne</u>            | <u>unknown</u> | <u></u>        |
| (3) | <u></u>                  | <u></u>        | <u></u>        |
| (4) | <u></u>                  | <u></u>        | <u></u>        |
| (5) | <u></u>                  | <u></u>        | <u></u>        |
| (6) | <u></u>                  | <u></u>        | <u></u>        |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.     | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|--------------------|----------------|
|  | <u>Mouse</u>       | <u>unknown</u> |
|  | <u>Tris de ter</u> | <u>unknown</u> |
|  | <u>unknown</u>     | <u>unknown</u> |
|  | <u>Too ne</u>      | <u>unknown</u> |

17. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East,

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Delaware District  
Cherokee Nation Indian Territory

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: unknown  
Indian name: Ca you he  
Residence: unknown death
- (2) English name: unknown  
Indian name: Oo gu yah ota  
Residence: unknown death
- (3) English name: unknown  
Indian name: Nah yen e  
Residence: unknown death
- (4) English name: unknown  
Indian name: All sa  
Residence: unknown death
- (5) English name:   
Indian name:   
Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. 1893-4 Cherokee Payment and Land 1902-3  
by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes  
Delaware Dist - Ind. T.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

.....  
.....  
.....

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Witness to mark*  
*Peter Soldier* (Signature.) *Chewannah <sup>her</sup> Chucaw Kee*  
*Lewis Budder* *make*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29* day of *September*, 1906.

My commission expires *July 2, 1910*, 190  
*David E. Smallwood*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Peter Soldier* and *Lewis Budder*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Chewannah Chucaw Kee*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *14* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark. Signatures of witnesses.  
*Peter Soldier*  
*Lewis Budder*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29* day of *September*, 1906.  
My commission expires *July 2, 1910*, 190  
*David E. Smallwood*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 30 1906  
No. (App.) 720.

App. No. 720

71541  
REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
EASTERN CHEROKEES. OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
Appln. No. 720. WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

Chewannah Chuaalukee,  
Eucha,  
Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the birth-place of your mother and her residence in 1851, if she was living at that time. Also state as nearly as you can the date of death of your father and mother.

Very respectfully,

*[Signature]*  
Acting Commissioner.

JBH

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*Susan Jizoh 1882 -*

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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David E. Smallwood  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington City, D.C.

Sir:- On relative  
Easter Cherokees Appln. no 720- it is possible  
I can not state my mother Birth Place she  
was from Tahlequah District, I can not  
say she was living 1851 - my father died  
1890 mother died 1882,

Sincerely -

Chewanah Chua-lukie,  
David E. Smallwood,

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 720.

October 11, 1906.

Chewannah Chuaalukee,

Eucha,

Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the birth-place of your mother and her residence in 1851, if she was living at that time. Also state as nearly as you can the date of death of your father and mother.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

No. 721

Action: Admitted

Name: Young Isaac Nilson and 4 children. Residence: Euclid Okla.

Reasons: Applicant's mother emigrated  
in Denmark 1851 - Dec 22, Sarah Keener.

No. 721

OK

Name Young Pigeon Wilson

With No. ....

Remarks:

nos. 2268, 2848, 16438  
20172 grouped Kennell.

Clair's (his)

Sarah Keene Oct. 29

(see letter herein)  
(Sarah Keene's mother is 48. 30)

OK

*Subl.*  
No. 721

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Youngpigeon Wilson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern  
by the Act of Congress approved  
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the  
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 8 1906  
No.

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# 121

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Young John Wilson  
Indian name: Woyahweda

2. Residence: 3 miles East of ...

3. Town and post office: Euclid

4. County: District 5

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: 1857 ...

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: (1) Sarah Keener  
(2) Curran Steuber

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Minnie Wilson  
23 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: unknown Bud Wilson  
Indian name: ... Or-gah-ta  
Mother—English name: Sarah Keener  
Indian name: Sela  
Maiden name: unknown

11. Where were they born?

Father: unknown Cherokee Nation East  
Mother: Cherokee Nation

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: no ...  
Mother: ...

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: unknown Mother: 1861  
1890.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *1851-1852... Delaware*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.          | BORN.       | DIED.       |
|-----|----------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>Johanna</i> | <i>1810</i> | <i>1870</i> |
| (2) |                |             |             |
| (3) |                |             |             |
| (4) |                |             |             |
| (5) |                |             |             |
| (6) |                |             |             |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
|                | <i>Kearna</i>  |
|                | <i>Goona</i>   |
|                | <i>Johanna</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Cherokee Nation East*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Ill.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *John*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (2) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (3) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (4) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (5) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *1851-1852... Delaware*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*John Sapsuch* (Signature.) *Young Pigeon Wilson*

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

My commission expires

July 2, 1911, 1907 *David B. Marshall*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John Sapsuch* and *Lewis B. Marshall*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Young Pigeon Wilson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 30 years and ..... years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John Sapsuch*  
*Lewis B. Marshall*

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

My commission expires

July 2, 1911, 1907 *David B. Marshall*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 721

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Youngpigion Wilson*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 19 1907



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 721

1. State your full name: Youngpigeon Wilson
2. Residence and post office: 3 miles E. Euchee
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: 1857 Delaware District Cher. Nat. I. T.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Ana Wilson
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? none
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.            | BORN.                |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Eguas Horner</u>     | <u>20 years</u> | <u>Jan. 6 - 1887</u> |
| (2) | <u>Chudakagi Wilson</u> | <u>9 years</u>  | <u>Sep - 1898</u>    |
| (3) | .....                   | .....           | .....                |
| (4) | .....                   | .....           | .....                |
| (5) | .....                   | .....           | .....                |
| (6) | .....                   | .....           | .....                |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes. Cherokee Strip E. Ind. Commission

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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.....

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Youngpigeon <sup>his</sup> Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Janus H. Todd  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Apr. 26 - 1911, 1907.



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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. N. Washburn and Benjamin Smith who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Youngpigan Wilson who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 30 years and 12 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. N. Washburn  
Benjamin Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

James H. Todd  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Apr. 26 - 1911, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 721.

October 11, 1906.

Youngpigeon Wilson,  
Eucha,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the name, English or Indian, of your father, his birth-place, his residence in 1851, and the approximate date of his death.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 2268.

December 4, 1906.

Mr. Luther C. Warner,  
Kansas,

Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of November 19, 1906, you are advised that the application of Wennie (or Ahguas) Wilson, for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, has been received and filed.

The same will be taken up in its regular order and duly considered. If any further information is necessary in connection with said application, you will be notified.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

GM-NLC.

EAST OF CHENOWETH  
Rec'd 1886  
No. (app.) 721.

Young Pigeon Wilson,

7334  
REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 721.

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

October 11, 1906.

Youngpigeon Wilson,  
Eucha,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the name, English or Indian, of your father, his birth-place, his residence in 1851, and the approximate date of his death.

Very respectfully,

*C. H. K. ...*

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

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d 10 yrs  
died 1890*

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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App. No. 721.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. December 23, 1908.**

Young Pigeon Wilson,  
Eucha, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please answer the following questions and forward same to this office:

1. What relation, if any, are you to Peggy Shade, of Hulbert, Oklahoma? *Not any relation.*
2. In what year was your mother, Sarah Keener, born? *about 1840*
3. By what name was she known in 1851? *Sarah Keener*
4. Were your mother and father married? *yes*
5. Was your mother married to any other than your father? *no*
6. When did your mother and father die? *on Aug 13 1888 my mother die in Hulbert Ind 1874*
7. Who were your mother's parents? *my mother's parents were Sam & the one and father's parents had not names*
8. Name all your mother's brothers and sisters? *she had no brothers and no sisters*
9. In what District were your parents living in 1851? *my father was in Delaware District*

An early reply is requested in which please refer to No. 721, ASI.

Yours respectfully,

*Guinn Miller,*  
Special Commissioner.

ASI/HIO.

Appl. #721

November 25, 1907.

Youngpigeon Wilson,  
Eucha, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of  
Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state  
when your parents were married and with whom your  
mother was residing in 1851.

Very respectfully.

Special Commissioner.

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App. No. 721.

December 23, 1908.

Young Pigeon Wilson,

Mucha, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Cherokee Cession Fund, please answer the following  
questions and forward same to this office:

1. What relation, if any, are you to Henry White, of  
Wilbert, Oklahoma?
2. In what year and your father, Aram White, born?
3. By what name was he known in 1847?
4. Were your mother and father married?
5. Was your mother married to any other than your  
father?
6. When did your mother and father die?
7. Who were your mother's parents?
8. Were all your mother's brothers and sisters?
9. In what District were your parents living in 1861?

An early reply is requested in which please refer  
to No. 721, 122.

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W.P.W.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec* OCT 26 1906  
*No. (App.) 721.*



David F. Smallwood  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Encha, N. Oct. 22 1906,

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington City, D.C.

Sir:

He comes to say  
his father name Seed Wilson and Indian name  
Oogahita his birthplace Cherok'ee Nation East.

1851 record Soline District Cherokee Nation, D.T.

Father died 1840 -

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Youngpigeon + Wilson  
made  
David F. Smallwood,

November 21, 1908

Washington

Nannie W. Haines

Special Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs

I am  
writing to write you a  
few lines in regard  
to my wife's share

of the Eastern money  
she is a just entitled  
claimant

and my  
wife's name is  
Wilson

and I want to  
know if you  
can help

the matter  
I am  
very  
truly  
yours

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*San Francisco*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Mr Guion Miller

Washington

D.C.

Sir - Relative to my application  
for participation in the fund  
arising from the judgment of  
the Court of Claims in favor  
of the Eastern Cherokees, I will  
try to state when my parents  
were married in the year of  
1853. My Mother stay with her  
uncle Co-nu-stoo-who.

Very respectfully yours

Young Jigion Wilson



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Abigail H. H. H.  
H. H. H. H. H.

H. H. H. H. H.

November 12, 1902  
Kansas, Ind. Ter.

Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs Washington D.C.  
Dear Sir, on or about Nov.  
2, 1902 I fill out my  
application Blank  
for my share of the  
Gastner Cherokee money  
I drop you this letter  
to ask you if you  
Received the application  
if so please let me know  
if it is all right  
By Return mail  
I remain yours  
Truly

Abner Wilson  
Married Homer

~~My~~  
father young boy

~~Husband~~

Husband

Further I.  
Homer

Kansas  
Ind. Ter

No. 122

Action: Admitted

Name: Samuel Gray and 4 children. Residence: Kansas, Mo.

Reasons: Loss of H. P. and claims through ...

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No. 722

Name Samuel Wry

With No. 702

Remarks :



Serial H 732

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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**APPLICATION**

OF

*Samuel Ray*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: Samuel Dry  
Indian name: Sar mi
2. Residence: 3 1/2 miles west of Kansas,
3. Town and post office: Kansas
4. County: District 5,
5. State: Indian Territory,
6. Date and place of birth: 1869 Gingsnake District Ind. Tg.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: (1) Peter Dry  
(2) Po la yoh tah (3) Loose (4) Bergah to yah  
(5) Too na ye
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Charlotte Dry,  
28 years of age
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Peter Dry  
Indian name: Due ta  
Mother—English name: Nellie Walker nee Dry  
Indian name: Me le  
Maiden name: Walt
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Cherokee nation East  
Mother: Cherokee nation Indian Territory
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Delaware District Cherokee nation Ind. Tg.  
Mother: Delaware District Cherokee nation Ind. Tg.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1886-7 Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *1851-2 Cherokee Payment Delaware District  
Cherokee Nation Indian Territory*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.            | BORN.          | DIED.          |
|-----|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| (1) | <i>Tom Dry</i>   | <i>1867</i>    |                |
| (2) | <i>John Dry</i>  | <i>unknown</i> | <i>unknown</i> |
| (3) | <i>Simon Dry</i> | <i>unknown</i> | <i>1898</i>    |
| (4) |                  |                |                |
| (5) |                  |                |                |
| (6) |                  |                |                |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.    | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------|----------------|
| <i>Dry</i>        |                |
| <i>Okahjoh ta</i> |                |
| <i>unknown</i>    |                |
| <i>unknown</i>    |                |

17. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                      |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Lucy</i>          |
| Indian name:      | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Residence:        | <i>unknown death</i> |
| (2) English name: | <i>Betsy</i>         |
| Indian name:      | <i>Te tise</i>       |
| Residence:        | <i>unknown death</i> |
| (3) English name: | <i>unknown</i>       |
| Indian name:      | <i>De gah tiyah</i>  |
| Residence:        | <i>unknown death</i> |
| (4) English name: |                      |
| Indian name:      |                      |
| Residence:        |                      |
| (5) English name: |                      |
| Indian name:      |                      |
| Residence:        |                      |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *1863-4 Cherokee Payment and Land by the  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes. Gansensah  
District Cherokee Nation Ind. T.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Samuel Dry

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

My commission expires July 2, 1910, 1906 David E. Smallwood, Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Coming Small and Nick Kah Kah wee, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel Dry, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 36 years and 36 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents him self to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark: J. J. Carroll, Coming Small, Coming Small, Nick Kah Kah wee

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

My commission expires July 2, 1910, 1906 David E. Smallwood, Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 722

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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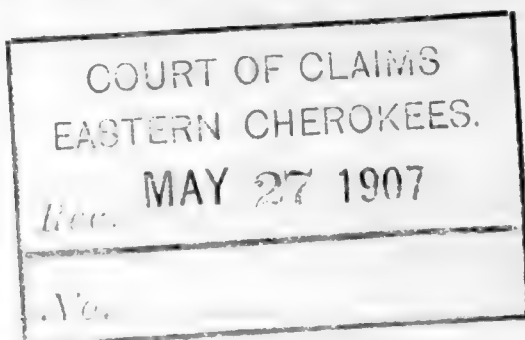
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

~~Samuel Dry~~ Samuel Dry.

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 722.

1. State your full name: Samuel Dry.
2. Residence and post office: Kansas
3. County: District 5.
4. State: Indian Terr.
5. Date and place of birth: Born Coinsnake District 1869.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Charlotte Dry. Age 28.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does ~~he or~~ she belong? Cherokee Tribe.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.            | AGE.      | BORN.        |
|-----|------------------|-----------|--------------|
| (1) | <u>Mary Dry.</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>1897.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Elia Dry</u>  | <u>8</u>  | <u>1899.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Jim Dry.</u>  | <u>6</u>  | <u>1901</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Lucy Dry.</u> | <u>4</u>  | <u>1903.</u> |
| (5) | .....            |           |              |
| (6) | .....            |           |              |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They ~~are~~ were enrolled by Caves Commission for allotment of land with Cherokee Tribe

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Samuel Dry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Feb. 1907.

J. T. Carroll  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

March 1908., 190  .



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Jos. S. Layne. and G. C. Carroll who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel Dry. who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 14 years and 7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person him represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jos S Layne  
G. C. Carroll

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of May, 1907.

J. T. Harroce  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 21 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Same Army.

Oakes G.D.

March 30<sup>th</sup> 1857.

The com. of Indian affairs  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir - The above applicant  
requested me to send in the  
following names to be added  
in his application no. 728  
G. H. Wintermaster

- (1) Ho-tung
- (2) Jiny-doh-ky.
- (3) Eh-my-ny.
- (4) Jinsu-gu-ku-ky.
- (5) Ji-goh-gu-d.

They are enrolled in  
Hodgson's Dist and Bel-  
ware Dist - 1857.

Respectfully,

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 25 1906  
No. (App.) 722.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Appln. No. 722.

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

October 11, 1906.

Samuel Dry,  
Kansas,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether or not your mother is living. If she is dead, give the date of her death, and state whether or not she was an Eastern Cherokee.

Very respectfully,

*E. H. Carrabee,*

Acting Commissioner.

JBH



EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 722.

October 11, 1906.

Samuel Dry,  
Kansas,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether or not your mother is living. If she is dead, give the date of her death, and state whether or not she was an Eastern Cherokee.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 25 1906

No. (App.) 722.

Oaks, Ill.  
Ph. 722 Oct. 20, 1916.

Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs.

Washington City - D.C.

Dear sir.

My mother  
is living and her  
name is Mellie Walker  
Her P.O. Kansas, Ill.

very yours truly.

Samuel Drey

No. 723

Action: Admitted

Name: John Sapsucker and 1 child. Residence: Encha, Okla

Reasons: Brother of # 172, and claims through same source.

No. 723

Name John Sapsucker

With No. 172

Remarks :



*Number of # 172*  
No. *172*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John S. [unclear]*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905. and May 20, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 8 1906  
No.

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# 123.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: John Sapsucker

Indian name: John Chu wah Chuh

2. Residence: 3 miles South of Euchee

3. Town and post office: Euchee

4. County: District 5

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: 1837 Indian Territory

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

- (1) Male (2) Ahacul (3) John (4) John (5) John (6) Ahacul (7) Nancy (8) John (9) Ahacul (10) John (11) Lewis (12) Lewis (13) Ahacul (14) John (15) John (16) Chahize

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Susie Sapsucker

48 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: unknown

Indian name: Chu wah Chuh

Mother—English name: unknown

Indian name: Male

Maiden name: unknown

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation

Mother: Cherokee Nation

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Delaware District Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter.

Mother: Delaware District Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: unknown 1867

Mother: unknown 1867



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) John V. [unclear]

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

My commission expires July 2, 1911, ~~1910~~ David S. [unclear]  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Samuel Coleman and Lewis [unclear], who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John [unclear], who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Samuel Coleman  
Lewis [unclear]

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

My commission expires July 2, 1911, ~~1910~~ David S. [unclear]  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 723

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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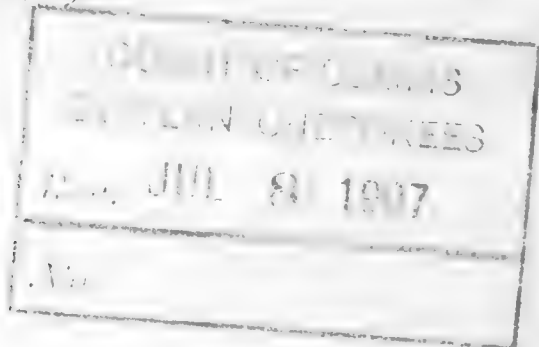
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*John S. Spencer*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 723

1. State your full name: John Saprecker
2. Residence and post office: 3 miles South of Euchee Tl.
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: near Euchee Tl.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Julie Saprecker
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.            | BORN.       |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>George Saprecker</u> | <u>16 years</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (2) | .....                   | .....           | .....       |
| (3) | .....                   | .....           | .....       |
| (4) | .....                   | .....           | .....       |
| (5) | .....                   | .....           | .....       |
| (6) | .....                   | .....           | .....       |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee Strip at Euchee Tl. Ind  
State Commission

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John Saprecker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July, 1907.

Lawrence W. Todd  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Apr 26 - 1911, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Thomas Swimmer and Bluford Siskiller who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Sapsucker who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 3 years and        years, respectively, and know he to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by us are true, and they have no interest whatever in the above claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Thomas Swimmer

Bluford Siskiller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this third day of July, 1907.

James H. Todd  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Apr. 26, 1911.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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David E. Smallwood

NOTARY PUBLIC.

Esucha, It, Oct. 27. 1906

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington City, D.C.

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Sir; relative  
to my application no. 723 - my father's death  
1867 and mother the same yr. 1867.

Very Respectfully

John Gapsuek.  
David E. Smallwood,  
N.P.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

EASTERN CHEROKEES. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
Appln. No. 723. WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

John Sapsucker,  
Eucha,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the approximate date of death of your father and mother.

Very respectfully,

*[Signature]*  
Acting Commissioner.

JBH

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 723.

October 11, 1906.

John Sapsucker,

Euoha,

Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the approximate date of death of your father and mother.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

No. 724.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Lillie A. Trull*

and *x* children.

Residence: *Marble, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Blythe case.*

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No. 724

Name Willie Ann Drull

With No. 257

Remarks:

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1518, 12113, 12114, 843  
844, 845, 22906, 2635,  
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No. 721

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William T. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Lillie Ann Trull*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Marble*

3. Town and post office:

*Marble*

4. County:

*Cherokee*

5. State:

*North Carolina*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Aug. 1860 Cherokee Co., N. C.*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim the right to share through Lenny Adams being a daughter of Lenny Parker who was the daughter of Annie or Nannie Blythe who was a half-breed Cherokee Indian*

8. Are you married?

*Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

*James D. Trull*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

*John Henry Adams*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Lenny Adams*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Lenny Adams*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Cherokee Co., N. C.*

Mother:

*Cherokee Co., N. C.*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

*Cherokee Co., N. C.*

Mother:

*Cherokee Co., N. C.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

*August 1906*

Mother:

*March 1870*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Once before just after civil war, don't remember date of roll*  
*To the best of my knowledge they were enrolled in 1878, Cherokee Co., N.C.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                     | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Clorinda E. Parker</i> | <i>1848</i> |       |
| (2) | <i>James F. Adams</i>     | <i>1857</i> |       |
| (3) | <i>Nassanna Bishop</i>    | <i>1863</i> |       |
| (4) |                           |             |       |
| (5) |                           |             |       |
| (6) |                           |             |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.            | MOTHER'S SIDE.         |
|--|---------------------------|------------------------|
|  | <i>Samuel Price Adams</i> | <i>Jonathan Parker</i> |
|  | <i>Elizabeth Adams</i>    | <i>Lenny Parker</i>    |

17. Where were they born? *Jonathan and Lenny Parker born in Ga.*  
*Samuel Price Adams born in Ga. Elizabeth Adams in N.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
*Cherokee Co., N.C.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                                   |                   |
|-----|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>William Parker</i>               | Died: <i>1905</i> |
|     | Indian name: <i>John A. Parker</i>                | " <i>1906</i>     |
|     | Residence:                                        |                   |
| (2) | English name: <i>Clorinda Adams</i>               | Died: <i>1893</i> |
|     | Indian name: <i>Lucinda Welch</i>                 | " <i>1905</i>     |
|     | Residence:                                        |                   |
| (3) | English name: <i>Elizabeth Ann Parker</i>         | Died: <i>1887</i> |
|     | Indian name: <i>Mary Ann Adams</i>                | " <i>1890</i>     |
|     | Residence:                                        |                   |
| (4) | English name: <i>Lenny Adams</i>                  | Died: <i>1887</i> |
|     | Indian name: <i>James Parker</i>                  |                   |
|     | Residence: <i>Marble Hill, Cherokee Co., N.C.</i> |                   |
| (5) | English name: <i>William O. Parker</i>            |                   |
|     | Indian name: <i>Joseph P. Parker</i>              |                   |
|     | Residence: <i>Grove, Cherokee Co., N.C.</i>       |                   |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *To the best of my knowledge was enrolled*  
*about 1878, Cherokee Co., N.C.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Lennie Adams*  
*was a daughter of Lenny Parker who was a*  
*daughter of Annie & Mammie Blythe, a half*  
*blood Cherokee, The said Lenny Parker*  
*being a sister of James Blythe & Elizabeth White*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I hereby appoint B. C. ...*  
*of Washington D.C. my true and lawful*  
*attorney for me and my heirs Name Place*  
*and give him full power to execute*  
*mission of ...*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Lillie Anne Trull*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

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*A. Z. ...*  
*Clerk Superior Court*  
*Notary Public*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. A. Witt* and  
*John R. Meek*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Lillie Anne Trull*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *25* years and *5* years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. R. Meek*

*W. A. Witt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

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*A. Z. ...*  
*Clerk Superior Court*  
*Notary Public*

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



1725

No. 1725

Action: Rejected

Name Eliza Munday and 2 children. Residence: Spring place, Ga.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled,  
has not reliable & fact of descent from person  
who was a party to the treaty of 1825 and 1846.

(Must list p. 145)

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Field No. 725

No. 725

Name Eliza Mandley

With No.

Remarks:

Nos. 10474, 10477,  
10485, 2639, 2540,  
1311, 13874  
grouped beneath.  
27211

An entry this, whose  
applicant's claim cannot  
be found on roll.

Write letter to applicant -  
they may be slow

Examined  
July  
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No. 725

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*E. J. Anderson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Anderson, E. J.*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Elijah Mandley*

Indian name: *Cherokee*

2. Residence: *Spring place*

3. Town and post office: *Spring place*

4. County: *Murray*

5. State: *Georgia*

6. Date and place of birth: *Cherokee Co N.C. 1848*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *On my mother's*

*side Lucinda Leatherwood I think that she was a half Cherokee Indian if my father had any Indian blood I do not know*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Marie Marie Manly he was 45 when he died Sept 20 1894*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Jahney Robinson*

Indian name: *Cherokee Robinson*

Mother—English name: *Lucinda Leatherwood*

Indian name: *Cherokee*

Maiden name: *Lucinda Leatherwood*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Hawood Co N.C. and was married in*

Mother: *Cherokee Co N.C. Hawood Co N.C.*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Hawood Co N.C.*

Mother: *Hawood Co N.C.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *March 4, 1894* Mother: *July 28, 1894*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Never

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

- |     | NAME.              | BORN.    | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|----------|-------|
| (1) | Joseph Robinson    | Living   |       |
| (2) | J. L. Robinson     |          |       |
| (3) | Robert Robinson    |          |       |
| (4) | Honorable Robinson |          |       |
| (5) | Cordelia Spier     | Laurelia | 1802  |
| (6) | Martha Thompson    | Benjamin | 1802  |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE   | MOTHER'S SIDE    |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Thomas Robinson | Sampson Hargrave |
| Cherokee        | Cherokee         |

They was never enrolled that I know of

17. Where were they born? in Cherokee County N.C.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee County N.C.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

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|-------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) English name: | Raphael Leadford      |
| Indian name:      | Cherokee              |
| Residence:        | Atlanta               |
| (2) English name: | Eldert Bruce Leadford |
| Indian name:      | Cherokee              |
| Residence:        | Ducktown              |
| (3) English name: | Mathew Leadford       |
| Indian name:      | Dead                  |
| Residence:        |                       |
| (4) English name: | Sallye James          |
| Indian name:      | Cherokee              |
| Residence:        | Spring place          |
| (5) English name: | Francis Leadford      |
| Indian name:      | Dead                  |
| Residence:        | Graver Leadford Dead  |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Never



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Thomas Robinson  
Annie Robinson  
Lanomia Hargerson  
Elizabeth Hargerson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I have by agent Belva C. Rockwood of Washington, D.C. my name and land a paper, for me, my name, place and name, and all the Commission (to be) executed.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) E. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Sept 1906.

My commission expires Dec 30, 1906 R.M. Gudgeon Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. Johnson and W.A. Henry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. E. Johnson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J.E. Johnson  
W.A. Henry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of Oct 1906.

My commission expires Dec 31, 1908 R.M. Gudgeon Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Leatherwood

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with ap.

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No. 2639. (725)

Cordelia J. Spivey, being first duly sworn and examined,  
deposes and says:

My name is Cordelia J. Spivey; I was born in Cherokee  
Co., N. C. 1841; I claim no Indian blood through my mother;  
I make no claim of Indian blood through my father; my mother's  
maiden name was Lucinda Leatherwood; my mother was born in  
Haywood Co., N. C. about 1823; my mother claimed her Indian  
blood through both her father and mother; my grandfather's name  
was Samuel Leatherwood; my grandmother's maiden name was Elizabeth  
Ferguson; my grandfather, Sam'l Leatherwood, was born in  
Haywood, N. C. about 1784; he died about 1870;  
my grandmother was born in Haywood Co., N. C. 1786; she  
died in 1855; I am unable to trace my ancestry farther back  
than my grandparents; my grandfather's brothers were  
Guiller Leatherwood, Leaden Leatherwood and John Leatherwood;  
my grandmother's brothers were William Ferguson and Nicholas  
Ferguson; I think my grandmother was half Cherokee and my  
grandfather was a quarter Cherokee; in 1835 my mother and my  
grandparents through whom I claim were living in Cherokee Co.,  
N. C.; in 1841 they lived at the same place; I think that my  
relatives by the name of Leatherwood were put on the Indian roll;  
I think that my great uncles, John Leatherwood, and Guiller  
Leatherwood, were put on the rolls; I think that my mother's  
brothers, John Leatherwood and Samuel Leatherwood, were enrolled;  
my uncles, John and Samuel Leatherwood, and my father, John A.  
Robinson, helped to take the Indians away from Cherokee Co., N. C.;  
I do not know whether any of my relatives ever went West with the  
Indians or not; the two sons of John Leatherwood, my uncle,  
Marcus Leatherwood and Sath Leatherwood, went to the Ind. Terr.  
and received an allotment of land as being part Cherokee;  
none of the ancestors through whom I claim ever were held as slaves;  
none of my ancestors ever had an Indian name; I do not know whether  
any of the ancestors through whom I claim ever lived with the  
Cherokees as a member of the tribe or not;  
Milly Edwards (appli. 1841) is my sister; Evalyne Killgore (appli  
1886) is my cousin; my grandfather, Samuel Leatherwood was her  
uncle.

Sworn to and sworn to before me, at Springplace, Ga.  
this 11th day of July, 1898.

*E. A. B.*  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

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No. 726.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Jonathan C. Hampton* and 4 children. Residence: *Hayesville, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Blythe case*

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No. 726.

Name Johnston, William

With No. 257.

Remarks :



No. 726

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jonathan C. Hampton*

*and 4 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*Division of Indian Affairs*

# 726

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Johnathan, Charles, Hamplon  
Indian name: unknown

2. Residence: Haystack NC

3. Town and post office: Haystack NC

4. County: Clay

5. State: NC

6. Date and place of birth: Cherokee Co. NC Oct. 17 1862

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Annie Blythe great grand mother

8. Are you married? Y

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Parky Hamplon Age 37

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: John Hamplon  
Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Hannah Hamplon  
Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Hannah Montith

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Co. NC

Mother: Mechlenburg Co. NC

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee Co. NC

Mother: Cherokee Co. NC

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: April 1865

Mother: living



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Unknown

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                         | BORN.       | DIED.         |
|-----|-------------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Alexander S. Hambleton</u> | <u>1853</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| (2) | <u>Melissa Matheson</u>       |             | <u>*</u>      |
| (3) | <u>James B. Hambleton</u>     | <u>1859</u> | <u>*</u>      |
| (4) |                               |             |               |
| (5) |                               |             |               |
| (6) |                               |             |               |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.            | MOTHER'S SIDE.        |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>George Hambleton</u>   | <u>George Montell</u> |
| <u>Unknown</u>            | <u>Unknown</u>        |
| <u>Mary Ann Hambleton</u> | <u>Venia Montell</u>  |

17. Where were they born? N.C.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? N.C.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: Unknown  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Made application through the Domes Commission in 1896 but don't know whether was enrolled or not.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Johnathan C. Hambleton* a son of *John Hambleton* & *John Hambleton* a son of *Mary Ann Hambleton* and *Mary Ann Hambleton* a daughter of *Annie Blythe* - *Annie Blythe* belonging to "The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians."

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Washington D.C. my true and lawful attorney for me, and in my name, place and stead, and allow her a commission of five (5) per cent.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Johnathan C. Hambleton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*C. C. Standley, C. S. C.*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *O. L. Anderson* and *J. W. Cherry*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Johnathan C. Hambleton*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*O. L. Anderson*  
*J. W. Cherry*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*C. C. Standley, C. S. C.*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 726.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Jonathan C. Hampton*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Attorney  
J. C. HAMPTON

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 726.

1. State your full name: Johnathan C Hampton
2. Residence and post office: Haysville R.F.D. no 7
3. County: Clegg
4. State: North Carolina
5. Date and place of birth: Oct 17 1862 Cherokee Co. N.C.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Pauly Hampton age 37 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee Indians
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                       | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Laura C Hampton</u>      | <u>16</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (2) | <u>Ellen M. Hampton</u>     | <u>12</u> | <u>1895</u> |
| (3) | <u>Johnathan W. Hampton</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>1896</u> |
| (4) | <u>Lora L. Hampton</u>      | <u>8</u>  | <u>1899</u> |
| (5) | .....                       | .....     | .....       |
| (6) | .....                       | .....     | .....       |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*I hereby appoint Beba N. Lockwood  
Attorney for the above named children,  
fee ten (10%) per cent.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Johnathan C. Hampton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June 1907.

C. C. Standridge

My Commission expires

Notary Public.

*Chick Superior Court  
Clegg Co N.C.*

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. W. Sanderson and J. W. Alexander who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Johnathan C. Hampton who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 25 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Sanderson

J. W. Alexander

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1907.

C. C. Standridge

~~Notary Public.~~

Clute Paper Co  
Cly Co. N.C.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



CALL SLIP.

*Apr. 30, 1897.*

FROM

B. A. LOCKWOOD & CO.,

Indian <sup>TO THE</sup> Office  
**PENSION BUREAU.**

Application No. *726*

Certificate No.

Name of Claimant:

*Jonathan Elias Hamilton*  
*formerly of Hiwassee*  
*Co., Reg't Ga.,*

~~Please give us status of the case men-~~  
~~tioned above.~~

*Letter - Hayesville,*  
*N.C.*

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD & CO.,

619 F Street, N. W.,

Washington, D. C.

North Carolina  
Clay County

Jonathan L. Hampton being  
duly sworn deposes & says that his father  
& mother were married in Cherokee Co. NC about  
the year 1852. affiant further says that his  
mother was no Indian but his father belonged  
to Cherokee Band of Indians, but was never  
enrolled to official knowledge,  
sworn to before me Jonathan L. Hampton  
Oct. 4 1906,  
C. C. Henderson, J. C. C.

No 727

Action:

X

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

No application was given this number.  
It was omitted by mistake.

727



No. 77

Action:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ children. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons:

*Handwritten text in cursive script, possibly containing names and a date like '1899'.*

729



No 778

Action: Admitted

Name Jake Concene and X children. Residence: Robbinsville, N.C.

Reasons:

Bro. of #730. Applicant enrolled by  
"Chapman #981."  
Mother and father also;  
"Sunsee-nih + Jimmie"  
979-980 Chapman.

778



Field Station No.

No. 728

Name Jack Amalague

~~With No.~~

Remarks:

Write to applicant.

He will have to  
provide more infor-  
mation with regard  
to his parents & grand  
parents.

Volume 7730

No. 722

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jack Comasaguel*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 8 1906

No.

722

# 728

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

- 1. State full name—  
English name: *Jack Lemusagne* *(son of Lemusagne)*  
Indian name: *Aullistat* *aka Lemusagne*
- 2. Residence: *Snow Bird*
- 3. Town and post office: *Robbinston*
- 4. County: *Graham*
- 5. State: *N. Car*
- 6. Date and place of birth: *1836 - - Sauttelle*
- 7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*Father & Mother*

- 8. Are you married? *Ben Marnal*
- 9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Wife dead*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

- Father—English name: *Quint Frown*
- Indian name: *Lemusagne*
- Mother—English name: *Lina "*
- Indian name: *"*
- Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Where were they born?

- Father: *about to Robbinston*
- Mother: *"*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

- Father: *Five Miles Robbinston*
- Mother: *"*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

- Father: *Can't find*
- Mother: *Quint Frown*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes 1851*

*Quincy Vermont*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.            | BORN.             | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|-------------------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Rayana</i>    | <i>Don't know</i> |       |
| (2) | <i>Lutaka</i>    | <i>"</i>          |       |
| (3) | <i>Robertson</i> | <i>"</i>          |       |
| (4) | <i>Opania</i>    | <i>"</i>          |       |
| (5) |                  |                   |       |
| (6) |                  |                   |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE     | MOTHER'S SIDE     |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> |
|                   |                   |
|                   |                   |

17. Where were they born?

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Jack X Lunnaraga*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Jan 2*, 1907. *Chas. Fisk* Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John D. Auer* and *John R. Holwister*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jack Lunnaraga* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *40* years and *40* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *who* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*S. C. Rogers* *John R. Holwister*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Jan 2*, 1907. *Chas. Fisk* Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Jack Cunasague, being first duly sworn, deposes and says, through Lewis H. Smith, duly sworn and qualified as an interpreter:

That as near as I can guess I am about 72 years of age. My correct name is Jake Conseene, and my Indian name is Ah-le-te-skih. My father's name is Cah-nah-se-nee. My mother's name was Jin-ny, and Indian name Jin-nih. I was on the roll of 1851 and so were my parents. My father died about four months before the end of the Civil war. My mother lived quite a little while after him but I don't know whether she was living when Hester was here or not. Ne-haw-dah is my oldest brother. He went west in 1871 and is now dead. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Kah-lay-ne-gah is next to my oldest brother. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Gah-noo-ta-ya-hih or Repetwister is my next brother. Qua-kih is my sister. Ka-haw-guh is a sister. I am next and then Ah-gah-nah-~~XXXX~~-yah-ah, a brother. Dah-ya-nih is my next sister. My maternal grandfather's name is Yaw-naw-nee-yuh-guh. My maternal grandmother's name is Na-kih. I am a full blood Cherokee and I and my parents always lived with the Indians as members of the tribe. I have one child living by the name of Peter Conseene, whose Indian name is Que-dah. A-key Sa-ke was my wife. She died about six years ago. There is another man living over in Swain County, N. C., by the name of Jack Conseene. He is a nephew of mine. He is the son of Ah-gah-nah-yah-ah.

Jake X Conseene  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Robbinsville, N. C. this 18th day of July 1908.

*FDR*  
Asst to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

*O.R. ... 979-700*  
*...*  
*...*

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*amount of note returned to holder*  
Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 9484, 9500

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 549, 565

on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

*July* Julie L. Conner

No. 729.

Action: Admitted

Name John D. Ceye and X children. Residence: Robinsonville, N.C.

Reasons:

Applicant's father George Ceye is enrolled by Chapman in 1960 and his mother enrolled by Chapman in 1961 - must. Dec. 16 1894.

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No. 729

Name John W. Aze

With No.

Remarks:

Nos. 16022, 18311,  
16834.  
scooped beneath

Claim this.

George Aze P. 1260

Would secure some  
additional evidence.

X

No. ~~220~~  
See 13511

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

*13511 Duplicate*

APPLICATION

OF

*John D. Auel*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decision of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 8 1906  
No.

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#729

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

- 1. State full name—  
English name: *John D. Aze*  
Indian name: *John D. Ahlusty*
- 2. Residence: *Snow Bird Gap*
- 3. Town and post office: *Rabbunville*
- 4. County: *Graham*
- 5. State: *Tl - Can.*
- 6. Date and place of birth: *About 1850 Snow Bird Gap*
- 7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:  
*Father & Mother*

- 8. Are you married? *Yes*
- 9. Name and age of wife or child: *Eva Aze - about 45 - #731*

- 10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *George Aze*  
Indian name: *George Ahlusty*  
Mother—English name: *Doubt know*  
Indian name: *Watey*  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

- 11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Graham Co.*  
Mother: *" "*

- 12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Graham Co.*  
Mother: *" "*

- 13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *1889* Mother: *1888*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes - 1857 -

About Memphis TN

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.            | BORN.             | DIED.         |
|-----|------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Wm Wilson</u> | <u>Don't know</u> | <u>dead</u>   |
| (2) | <u>Elsie</u>     | <u>"</u>          | <u>"</u>      |
| (3) | <u>David, Jr</u> | <u>"</u>          | <u>Living</u> |
| (4) | <u>John Ezra</u> | <u>"</u>          | <u>Dead</u>   |
| (5) | <u>Integaska</u> | <u>"</u>          | <u>"</u>      |
| (6) | <u>Shula</u>     | <u>"</u>          | <u>"</u>      |
|     | <u>Laura</u>     | <u>"</u>          | <u>"</u>      |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.    | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------|----------------|
| <u>Sequanitta</u> | <u>Leustai</u> |

17. Where were they born? Ind

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? X

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: X  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

.....  
.....  
.....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

.....  
.....  
.....

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) John D. Sisk

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

My commission expires July 12, 1907 John D. Sisk  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John D. Sisk and Jack Curran, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John D. Sisk, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and 40 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
S. C. Rogers  
S. C. Rogers

Signatures of witnesses.  
John D. Sisk  
Jack Curran

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

My commission expires Jan 2, 1907 John D. Sisk  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



John Axe, being first duly sworn, deposes and says, through Lewis H. Smith, duly sworn and qualified as an interpreter:

That I have no record of my age but I think I am about 56 years old. I am a full blooded Cherokee Indian and have always lived with the Indians, and my ancestors have always lived with the Indians. I don't know whether I was on the 1851 roll or not, I was pretty young but I remember when they made that gold payment. My father got drunk and bought a gun and shot himself, but it didn't kill him. Tsah-sih-gah-loo-ya-stih or George Axe was my father. A-nih-kih was my mother. She had no english name. Wee-lih-sih-nigh is my oldest brother. ~~My~~ Ail-le-sih- is my sister. Skaw-law-dee-gee-skee is another brother and he is still living--and they call him Dave Axe. Cah-lih-nih is a sister of mine and she is dead. Cah-nee-yah-soh is my brother, and he is dead. Tah-da-gee-skee is a brother but he is dead. I come next. Some would call my brother Skaw-law-dee-gee-skee by the name of Go-yah-ska-law-dee-gee-skee. Quah-sih is another brother of mine. He died in the West. My oldest brother's name in english is Wilson. My mother died during the Civil war. My father died in 1887. Josiah Axe is my brother's son. David Axe is my brother who lives in Jackson county, N. C. Josiah Axe is the son of my brother Wilson. I don't think my father had any brothers and sisters living in 1851. My mother had some but they all went west before that time, and I cannot give their names. Tah-yih was my father's father's name. I never heard what my father's mother's name was. My mother's father was ~~xxxxxxx~~ Tsu-naw-yuh-gih, and he was sometimes called Sih-quah-gah-na-lih. My mother's mother was Gah-le-stah-yih. I don't know whether they were living in 1851 or not. I think my grandmother on my mother's side was living at that time. I never had but one child and it died some 20 years ago.

*John X Axe*  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Robbinsville, N. C.  
this 18th day of July 1908.

*FDR*  
Ass't to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

*A. R.*  
*Private Office of the Special Commissioner*  
*1265-61*  
*July 18, 1908*  
*John full name*

Appl. #729

November 25, 1907.

George W. Ans.  
Rothschilds, N. C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Surrogate's Court of the Court of  
States in the case of the Eastern Shocks, please state  
the English and Indian names of your grand parents,  
uncles and aunts on your father's side.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CEB/ALS



MAY 1 1910

Received of **GUION MILLER**, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 9038, 9039  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 105, 106  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

JH4

John D. Miller  
Special Commissioner  
Edna Mack Alexander

1730

No. 1730.

Action: Admitted.

Name: John Ropetwale and X children. Residence: Robbinsville, N.C.

Reasons:

appeared as father and son & mother included  
by Chapman under names of them see index and  
his wife as # 779 and 780 respectively  
appeared father also included as # 775 Chapman  
See Misc Des. 1680.

1730

O.K.

No. 730

Name John Kopetwister

With No.

Remarks: Concern Group

See ter. in #700

Main Chs.

John Concern - et al.

See

Kun-see-uh C. 979

(Concern + Concern)

John Kopetwister  
or John Concern

ah-see-tees-Kih -

C. 981

Huts 1121

Concern 1835

Concernah 1835

O.K.

No. 730-

Name *Schuyler*

With No. 778

Remarks:

No. 730

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Popetwister

APPROPRIATED for the Eastern  
 approved  
 of the  
 28, 1906.

AFF  
 two or more

EA C. ERO. S.  
 Rec 8 1906

No.

730



#730

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: *John Robertson*  
Indian name: *Dayahlasta*
2. Residence: *Snowbird*
3. Town and post office: *Robbinsville*
4. County: *Graham*
5. State: *N. Car*
6. Date and place of birth: *About 1857 - Snowbird*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:  
*Both Father and Mother*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife ~~husband~~ *Annie Robertson*  
*about 62 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Robertson*  
Indian name: *Shigantabi*  
Mother—English name: *Nancy Taggesha*  
Indian name: *Ahunka*  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Two Miles from Robbinsville*  
Mother: *" " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Two Miles from Robbinsville*  
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Living* Mother: *Died in '89*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Drawn money in 857*

*but cant say at what place.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|           | NAME.                  | BORN.             | DIED.         |
|-----------|------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| #731. (1) | <i>Edward Webster</i>  | <i>About 1840</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2)       | <i>Frank name girl</i> |                   | <i>Dead.</i>  |
| (3)       | <i>Mary Webster</i>    | <i>Not known</i>  | <i>Living</i> |
| (4)       | <i>Wesley</i>          | <i>"</i>          | <i>"</i>      |
| (5)       |                        |                   |               |
| (6)       |                        |                   |               |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE: *Not known* MOTHER'S SIDE: *Not known*

17. Where were they born? *Not known*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Not known*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Yes*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

.....  
.....  
.....

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

.....  
.....  
.....

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *John Robertwister*  
*his name*

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

My commission expires

*Aug 12*, 190*6* *Chas. F. Sisk*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John D. Axel* and *Jack Cousin* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John Robertwister*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *25* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *who* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John D. Axel*  
*Jack Cousin*  
*his Cousin*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5th* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Aug 12*, 190*6* *Chas. F. Sisk*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

# 730

Coussery



Descendants of John Concene.

(a full blood age  
 Mamel Concene, son of "Nancy" 49. No. 6766.

(full blood  
 Ona Concene, son of Rope Twister Concene No. 6768 and 41 6767.  
 Nancy. (See about children)

(full blood  
 Eva Axe, d. of Rope Twister Concene, Indian name is Dick-a-gees-ka, filed Mar. 1907. 57. — —

(full blood  
 John D. Axe, s. of Geo. Axe & "An-gee" both full bloods, 52. — —  
 Ewe Axe filed Mar. 1907.  
 John yasah Axe  
 Lata-gees-ka Axe Axe  
 Sal-Munee

(full blood.  
 Thomas Colonosky, s. of Bettie 19  
 Colonosky. Filed Apr. 3. 1907.

(full blood  
 Anna Arneach, d. of Arneach 66, 67 63.  
 & "Jennie", is apparently the wife of  
 John Rope Twister, claims as John  
 Thomas Rope Twister and 19  
 John Long, as well as for herself. 9

(full blood  
 Jimmie Axe, d. of Jimmie Cath 43 8402

Sallie Cal ne' Connee 1 child  
 Johnson Cal, s. of Jimmie Cath 50, 8420.

~~Colonosky for Willie Cal's of J.~~ — —  
 Polie Biel wife of Dan Biel, — —

Margaret Cal, Daniel Biel  
 & Bettie Cal & all (application  
 Sallie Biel, claimed for in  
 of John Axe &

(full blood  
 Gene Axe, full blood, Munn's head, 49. 8419.

Sallie Catt, d. of Mose & Nancy  
 Sallie Catt & J. Catt, land 8000

Nancy Jee - se - tas - ky, d. of Jimmie 8424,  
 Sallie Jee - se - tas - ky, d. of Jereed 21996.

Smith, Indian n. Chaldea.  
 John D. All, filed Apr. 3. 07 — 18511.

Eva All, filed Apr. 3. 07. 18510.

Nancy Ratter d. of John & Sallie  
 Concene, full blood, claims for 31 6417

Jonas Ratter, s. of Nancy & John  
 Children 20 " "

George Ratter, d. of Nancy & John



|                                                                                    |        |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Sallie Cal ne' Connie 1 child                                                      |        |
| Johnson Cal, s. of Jim & Sallie 5'0,                                               | 8420,  |
| <del>Colman</del> for Wilhe Cal s. of J. -                                         | - -    |
| Polle Biel wife of Dan Bid, -                                                      | - -    |
| Margaret Cal, Daniel Biel                                                          |        |
| & Bette Cal <sup>Wid</sup> (application                                            |        |
| Sallie Biel, claimed for in                                                        |        |
| (of John Axe &                                                                     |        |
| Gene Axe, full blood <sup>head</sup> 49,                                           | 8419,  |
| Sallie Catt, Ind of Mose & Nancy                                                   |        |
| Sallie Catt & J. Catt <sup>land roll</sup> on <sup>roll</sup> <sup>land roll</sup> |        |
| Nancy Jee - se-tas-ky, d. of Jim -                                                 | 8424,  |
| Sallie Jee - se-tas-ky, d. of J. J. -                                              | 21996, |
| Smith, Indian n. Chalkia,                                                          |        |
| John D. All, filed Apr. 3.07 -                                                     | 18511. |
| Eva All, filed Apr. 3.04,                                                          | 18510. |
| Nancy Ratter d. of John & Sallie                                                   |        |
| Conche, full blood, <sup>claim for</sup> 3'1                                       | 6417   |
| Jonas Ratter, s. <sup>of Nancy</sup> Children 20                                   | " "    |
| Lizra Ratter, d. <sup>of Wash</sup>                                                |        |
| John Ratter, s. <sup>Ratter</sup> 22                                               | 6413,  |
| Lomney Ratter, d. full blood,                                                      | " "    |
| Wash Ratter (dead) son of                                                          |        |
| Chunawhin-ka, or Ratter on                                                         |        |
| Merley Roll. Full blood                                                            |        |
| Emeline Cornsilk, now                                                              | 16020  |
| married to John Ratter,                                                            |        |
| Jess Jee-se-tas-ky, s. of 20                                                       | 21994, |
| Trinson & Sallie Jee-sot-as-ky                                                     |        |

John Concene, Ancestor.

A full blood & married to a full blood "Nancey",  
 will I think be found on Siler &  
 Matery Rolls, or Roll of 1851 (full blood)

|                                                                                                                            | age | No.   |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-------|
| 1 Hope Twister Concene, <sup>mother Newya-hai</sup> son of John C. <sup>(full blood)</sup>                                 | 79  | 6868  |
| 2 John Kope-twister Concene, son of Kope-twister                                                                           | 56  | 6418  |
| 3 Joyenna Concene, <sup>unmarried, No. 51</sup> daughter of Kope-twister                                                   | 12  | 8602  |
| 4 Nancy Concene d. of John <sup>(Reed)</sup>                                                                               | 30  | 8596  |
| 5 Anna J. Kope-twister Concene, <sup>(m. Nancy Jomteikah) (has 3 sons) No. 1</sup> wife of                                 |     | 6765  |
| 6 Peter Concene, son of John Kope-twister                                                                                  | 29  | 8599. |
| 7 Jake Concene, son of John                                                                                                | 66  | 6754. |
| 8 Jane Concene wife of Jake                                                                                                | 61  | 21993 |
| 9 Peter Concene, <sup>No. 1</sup> son of Jake                                                                              | 27  |       |
| 10 Nancy Concene, dau. of Jake                                                                                             | 31  |       |
| 11 James Concene <sup>via full blood</sup> son of Anna J. Kope-twister                                                     | 6   |       |
| 12 Dave Reed, <sup>31</sup> child of Joe & Jennie Reed, <sup>full blood</sup> No. 1                                        | 48  | 21991 |
| 13 Tom Calona heski, <sup>(full blood)</sup> s. of Calona heski & "Betsey"                                                 | 30  | 6414  |
| 14 John Will Gafney Long, <sup>Dalboon Long &amp; Susie Concene</sup> s. of John K. Twister, <sup>(full blood)</sup> No. 1 | 10  | 21992 |
| 15 Jesse Crow, son of Severe & Lanna Crow, <sup>(full blood)</sup> both                                                    | 16  | 8601. |

Quincy

June 7<sup>th</sup>

(John) Conner  
Died 1866 - resided in  
Graham Co. N.C. in 1851

Jimmie Conner

Aspitewister #6768  
born & still lives in  
Robbinsville Graham Co. N.C.

John Conner  
N.C.

~~James~~

Magnum Conner #8602

Ora Conner #6767  
Sra. Co. N.C. #6766

Mamuel Conner  
Sra. Co. N.C. #6412

John Rappertwister  
born & still lives in Graham Co. N.C.

#73  
Eva Axel  
same address

#2956  
Kate Conner  
same address

#3949  
Roxie Conner — Nessee Hunt #3947

Quallen Jackson Co. N.C.

#6417  
Nancy Rattle — John Rattle #6415  
born in Sra. Co. N.C. lives in  
Cherokee Co. Cherokee Co. N.C.

#6754

#4599  
John Conner  
Sra. Co. N.C.

*C. G. B.*  
Appl. #780

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

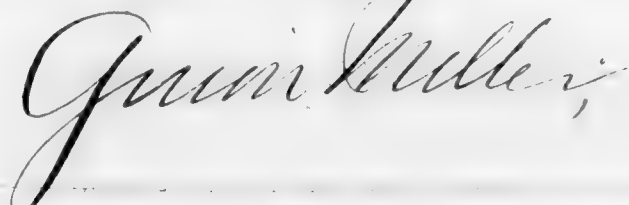
November 25, 1907.

John Popetwister,  
Robbinsville, N. C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, we beg to inform you that the names of your parents, as given in your application, do not appear on the rolls of 1851. Please furnish us with both the English and Indian names of your parents, grandparents, uncles and aunts on the side through which you claim.

Very respectfully,



Special Commissioner.

CHB/ALS



Appl. #6417-730

March 25, 1908.

Wendy Butler;  
Walla, W. C.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the estate of the deceased, if you have any minor children, please give their names, and dates of births; also dates of deaths of any who may be deceased.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

By

Chief Clerk

CEB/ALS

Appl. #780

November 25, 1907.

John Ropetwister,  
Robbinsville, N. C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, we have to inform you that the names of your parents, as given in your application, do not appear in the rolls of 1881. Please furnish us with both the English and Indian names of your parents, grandparents, uncles and aunts on the side through which you claim.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CHB/ALS

*Jellies, warrant returned to him.*

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

MAY 1 1910

Treasury Warrant No. .... 11191, 9487

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary

or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number .... 2219 552

on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said Court March 15, 1910.

*J.M.*

*John W. Popelister*  
.....  
*mar 2.*

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1831

No. 23

Action: Warrant

Name John J. ... and ... children. Residence: ...

Reasons: ...  
...

...

1831

No. 731

Name. Eva Ore

With No. 730 799

Remarks:



*Sister of 736*

No. 736

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Eva Ace*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 8 1906 |
| No.                                                   |

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# 731.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Eva Arz*

Indian name: *Eva Ahlanusta*

2. Residence: *Snowbird Gap,*

3. Town and post office: *Robbinsville*

4. County: *Graham*

5. State: *N. Car.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Born ~~1860~~ 1861 - Place X*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Both*

*Father & Mother*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: *Eva Arz about 29 years*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Robert Wister*

Indian name: *Digantaha*

Mother—English name: *Nancy Tasaquaka*

Indian name: *Ahlanusta*

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Two miles from Robbinsville*

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *—*

Mother: *—*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Living*

Mother: *Dead. 1874*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Drawn Money in 1857*

*but can't say at what place*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|          | NAME.                      | BORN.             | DIED.         |
|----------|----------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| 730. (1) | <i>Geo Robert West</i>     | <i>about '85'</i> |               |
| (2)      | <i>Forgot name of girl</i> |                   | <i>dead</i>   |
| (3)      | <i>Maudie R. West</i>      | <i>Not known</i>  | <i>Living</i> |
| (4)      | <i>Roxie Robert</i>        | <i>"</i>          | <i>"</i>      |
| (5)      |                            |                   |               |
| (6)      |                            |                   |               |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE.   |
|------------------|------------------|
| <i>Not known</i> | <i>Not known</i> |
|                  |                  |
|                  |                  |

17. Where were they born? .....

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? .....

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: .....  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: .....

(2) English name: .....  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: .....

(3) English name: .....  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: .....

(4) English name: .....  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: .....

(5) English name: .....  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: .....

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Never*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Ava Lee*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 1904. *Chas. Dick*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Geo. Robertson* and *Jack Cousins*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Ava Lee*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *40* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *who* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark. *S. C. Rogers* *S. C. Rogers* Signatures of witnesses. *his* *Geo. Robertson* *Jack Cousins*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 1904. *Chas. Dick*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 732.

Action: *Reject.*

Name. *Robert L. Hausman* and *X* children.

Residence: *St. Jo. Texas*

Reasons: *Brother of # 546.*

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No. 732

Name Robt Lee Houseman

With No. 546

Remarks :

No. 732

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Robert Lee Housman.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 9 1906  
No.

732

# 132

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Robert, Lee, Housman

~~Residence~~ ~~Indian name~~: Grayson Co, Texas

2. Residence: Texas

3. Town and post office: Hambleton, Tex

4. County: Grayson County, Texas

5. State: Texas

6. Date and place of birth: Fayetteville Ark Jan 7, 1872

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Jim Garrett, Great grand father He, a full blood Indian and He, the father of Hezekiah Garrett  
Grand father Nail the father of Margret, Nail

8. Are you married? No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Francis Marion Housman

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Mary Elizabeth Housman

Indian name:

Maiden name: Mary Elizabeth Garrett

11. Where were they born?

Father: Grayson County Texas

Mother: Fayetteville Ark

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Grayson Co Texas

Mother: Was born in 1852

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1893

Mother: 1875

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No. Mother died when we were small children. Then we separated*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME                           | BORN          | DIED           |
|-----|--------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| (1) | <i>Sarah Elizabeth Housman</i> | <i>Living</i> | <i>Smith</i>   |
| (2) | <i>Margaret Stephana</i>       | <i>Living</i> | <i>Bradley</i> |
| (3) | <i>Mary Francis H.</i>         | <i>Living</i> | <i>Bradley</i> |
| (4) |                                |               |                |
| (5) |                                |               |                |
| (6) |                                |               |                |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE           | MOTHER'S SIDE           |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| <i>James B. Housman</i> | <i>Stephana Housman</i> |
| <i>Nehemiah Garrett</i> | <i>Margrett Garrett</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Key*  
*Suppose in Ark*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
*Housman in Texas, Garrett in Ark*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                                  |                          |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Francis Marion Housman</i>    | <i>died 1893</i>         |
| Indian name:      | <i>Mary Elizabeth Garrett</i>    | <i>Housman died 1875</i> |
| Residence:        |                                  |                          |
| (2) English name: | <i>Eliza Jane Housman</i>        | <i>Cal</i>               |
| Indian name:      | <i>Jina Garrett</i>              |                          |
| Residence:        | <i>Ark</i>                       |                          |
| (3) English name: | <i>Mary Francis Housman</i>      | <i>Kansas City mo</i>    |
| Indian name:      | <i>Nickless McDonald</i>         | <i>deceased Housman</i>  |
| Residence:        | <i>Kansas City Mo</i>            |                          |
| (4) English name: | <i>George Washington Housman</i> |                          |
| Indian name:      |                                  |                          |
| Residence:        | <i>Collin County Texas</i>       |                          |
| (5) English name: | <i>Sylvester Henson Housman</i>  |                          |
| Indian name:      |                                  |                          |
| Residence:        | <i>Princeton Texas</i>           |                          |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No. but I inherited to 100. ac of land I believe I am entitled to 100. ac of land*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*Jim Garrett 1809 Supposed to be writ.*  
*Heresiah Garrett Oct 22 1829*  
*E. A. Margrett bail March 11 1834*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Robert Lee Housman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June*, 190*6* *J. O. Ryker*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *M. F. Watson* and  
*M. F. Watson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Robert Lee Housman*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* *with* *5* years and *15* years,  
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*M. F. Watson*  
*M. F. Watson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June*, 190*6* *J. O. Ryker*  
Notary Public.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Robt L. Hausseman*  
*St. Joseph, Mo.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 732, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

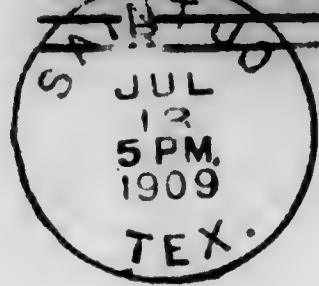
GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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Action:

Name: ..... and ..... children. Residence: .....

Reasons: .....

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No. 733

Name Jeff Creech, deceased

With No. 739.

Remarks :

No. 735

See 459

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jeff Creech (Deceased)*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 20, 1906, v. 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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# 733  
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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Jeff Couch deceased  
Indian name:

2. Residence:

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3. Town and post office:

Heavener

4. County:

5. State:

Ind Ter

6. Date and place of birth:

Jan 11<sup>th</sup> 1882 Ft Gibson Ark  
died Aug 12-1906

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Grand Mother & Grand Uncle  
James Merrell & Grand Aunt Nancy West  
(True Merrell)

8. Are you married?

widow

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Father Ira B Couch  
Married 1856

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Ira B Couch

Indian name:

Margaret Stone

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Madison Co Ark

Mother:

Cherokee nation

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Borned 1856

Mother:

Borned 1852

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

wife died 1857 Cherokee nation

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: St Gibson Ill

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.          | BORN. | DIED.  |
|-----|----------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | William Birch  | 1881  | 1881   |
| (2) | Benjamin Birch | 1887  | 1887   |
| (3) | Nellie Birch   | 1885  | Living |
| (4) |                |       |        |
| (5) |                |       |        |
| (6) |                |       |        |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|----------------|
| James Storms Whitman | Mary Storms    |

17. Where were they born? Alabama

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Indian Territory

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Jeff Storms died in 1879  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: John Storms living at  
Indian name: St Gibson  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: Killie Haller nee Storms  
Indian name: Not known  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: yes at St Gibson Ill

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Jeff. Creech* By *Sra Creech*  
*6<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct* *1896*

My commission expires

*March 20*, 190*7*

*W. C. Webster*

Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. M. Young* and *Arthur Johnson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Sra S. Creech*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* years and ..... years, respectively, and know *him* be the identical person *who* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *the* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. M. Young*  
*Arthur Johnson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*March 20*, 190*6*

*W. C. Webster*

Notary Public.

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No.

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Action:

Admitted

Name ...

Linda J. Martin and ✓

children.

Residence:

7th St. West  
St. Paul, Minn.

Reasons:

As of 6/21/51

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No. 734

Name Amanda M. Thornton

With No. 559

Remarks :



No. 131

See 559-560-

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Amanda H. Hester*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, and in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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See 559

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— Amanda M Thornton nee Delano

English name: Same as above

Indian name: Ax lay

2. Residence: 3 1/2 miles north of Indian Territory

3. Town and post office: South west city Mo.

4. County: McDonald

5. State: Mo

6. Date and place of birth: Sahleguak I.O. Feb 2, 1849

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I enter this claim

for share of Martin North Uncle of my Grandmother Polly Varn and son of Martin North Thomas North by name. This is the Uncle of my Grandmother on her father's side. Martin North died during the civil war his son about 1854

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: William Thornton

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: .....

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (2) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (3) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (4) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (5) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (6) | ..... | ..... | ..... |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|       | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------|----------------|----------------|
| ..... | .....          | .....          |
| ..... | .....          | .....          |
| ..... | .....          | .....          |
| ..... | .....          | .....          |

17. Where were they born? .....

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? .....

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....
- (2) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....
- (3) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....
- (4) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....
- (5) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. ....

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Martin North is my grand mother's Uncle through her father, and Thomas North is his son on my other application. I made claim for her Uncle on her mother's side the Scaposhinis and 1851 as you will see by the application if these parties are as well they are related by blood to me and both dead.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

*I think these parties were enrolled in 1851 at the same time.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Amanda M. Thonatan ne Delano.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*May 8*, 1907

*J. J. Crawford*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *A. J. Sanders* and *C. M. Dunlap*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Amanda M. Thonatan ne Delano*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *18* years and *14* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*A. J. Sanders*  
*C. M. Dunlap*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*May 8*, 1907

*J. J. Crawford*  
Notary Public.

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The enclosed is witness and  
sworn to here as being  
near there by  
where I made <sup>the</sup> statements

Southwest city mo  
Oct 6 1806

Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington.

D.C.

The enclosed please find  
an application I have just  
remembered these parties and  
they are relatives of my  
Grandmother Polly Vann -  
who is on my application  
I have put in with my  
own Personal application  
and the other members of  
my Mother's Family and  
also my Mother's name  
My husband is well  
acquainted with the all of



Families in Kani Dagon  
district and can be of  
lots of help to you  
man I see that is  
here at different places.  
If needed, can assist  
hope this will be  
satisfactory. If not please  
give me additional  
information.

respectfully  
Mian Ma Thunba  
Me Selano.

my husband is William J. Thunba

No 735

Action: Admitted

Name Mary E. Alcorn and 2 <sup>grand</sup> children. Residence: Braggs, Ala.

Reasons:

Applicant was enrolled as Mary E. McBrary by  
Dreman in Del. Dist. # 25.

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Name Mary E. Alcom

With No.

Remarks:

# 2905 5 3917 100  
grouped beneath.

Each claims this.

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| (Self) | <sup>#735</sup> Mary E. McCreary    | } 100. |
| ("     | <sup>#2905</sup> Amanda J. McCreary |        |

O.K.

No. 735

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary E. McLean*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
 English name: *Mary G. Alcorn (ne McBrary)*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Braggs*
3. Town and post office: *Braggs*
4. County: *Northern District*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 15-1846 Ohio*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Mary Haffer aunt  
Napoleon Hambright Cousin  
Hiram Knudred Cousin - James  
Monroe - Felix Hildebrand  
Cousin - Arthur Coady Cousin*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: *Hiram McBrary*  
 Indian name: *unknown*  
 Mother—English name: *Nancy McBrary*  
 Indian name: *unknown*  
 Maiden name: *Nancy Hildebrand*
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: *North Carolina*  
 Mother: *Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: *Cherokee Nation*  
 Mother: *died on road here*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: *1868*      Mother: *1847*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Saint Kerow

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME                | BORN | DIED       |
|-----|---------------------|------|------------|
| (1) | Amanda Rayman       | 1839 |            |
| (2) | Mary E. Alden       | 1840 |            |
| (3) | Nephtian B. McLeary | 1842 | about 1898 |
| (4) | John H. McLeary     | 1848 | .. 1870    |
| (5) |                     |      |            |
| (6) |                     |      |            |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE   | MOTHER'S SIDE    |
|-----------------|------------------|
| John Hildebrand | Susan Hildebrand |

17. Where were they born? Grand Father was a white man  
Grand Mother born in old Nation

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                           |
|-------------------|---------------------------|
| (1) English name: | David Hildebrand          |
| Indian name:      | unknown                   |
| Residence:        | Cherokee Nation           |
| (2) English name: | Nancy Hildebrand          |
| Indian name:      | unknown                   |
| Residence:        | Died on road here 1849    |
| (3) English name: | Mary Hildebrand           |
| Indian name:      | unknown                   |
| Residence:        | Died about 18 or 20 years |
| (4) English name: | Elizabeth Hildebrand      |
| Indian name:      | unknown                   |
| Residence:        | Died in 1850              |
| (5) English name: |                           |
| Indian name:      |                           |
| Residence:        |                           |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Cherokee Money and lands

here also emigrant money 1851

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*Indian Names unknown to me*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Mary E Alcorn*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *SEP 20 1907*, 190

*D. D. Boyles*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Martha Boyles* and *Joseph Woodard*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary E Alcorn*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *40* years and *30* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
*H. H. Green*  
*J. G. Bailey*

Signatures of witnesses.  
*Martha Boyles*  
*Joseph Woodard*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *SEP 20 1907*, 190

*D. D. Boyles*  
Notary Public.

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Received of *GUION MILLER*, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 12920-21-22

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each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 3571  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

*Mary E. Alcorn*

No. 735

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

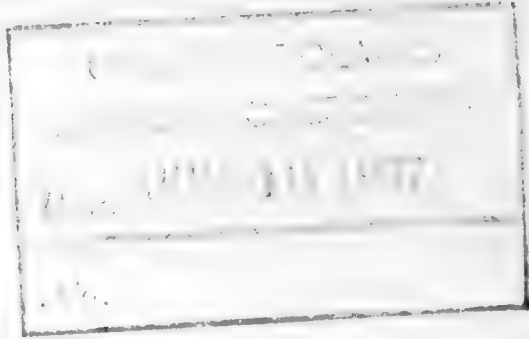
OF

*Mary E. Alcorn*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Mary E. Alcorn
2. Residence and post office: Briggs
3. County: Dist 10
4. State: Ind. Terr.
5. Date and place of birth: about 1840. Ohio
6. Are you married? Husband dead
7. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Names of all your <sup>Grand</sup> children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.               | AGE.      | BORN.               |
|-----|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Katie Alcorn</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>Nov 6 1902</u>   |
| (2) | <u>Viola Alcorn</u> | <u>3</u>  | <u>Jan 17, 1904</u> |
| (3) | _____               | _____     | _____               |
| (4) | _____               | _____     | _____               |
| (5) | _____               | _____     | _____               |
| (6) | _____               | _____     | _____               |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled for allotment. Cherokee

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

These children are my sons children their father being dead, and was Cherokee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary E. Alcorn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of June 1907.

Edward M. Linn  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Jan 17, 1908.



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George Woodard and John J. Patrick who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary E. Alcorn who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the <sup>Grand-</sup>children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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George Woodard  
John J. Patrick

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of June, 1907.

Edward M. Linn  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 17, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 15 1906  
No. (App.) 735.

Oct 11, 1900  
Tahlequah, Okla.  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington, D.C.

My dear Sir,

I wrote you Mr. ...  
a few days since and failed  
to put the name of a  
brother in my application  
of your ...  
If necessary, you ...  
1 daughter she is ... but  
has living ...  
2 brothers ...

Respectfully,  
Kesse McC...

I do not know your ...  
names. Their father's name

( 2 )

Albert. and the family  
for the night of the  
Jesse W. Gray Mass on  
Emerson's birthday.  
Please look at those  
grand children

Martha C. Gray

No. 5

Action: 14

Name: [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons:

[Faint handwritten text, possibly describing reasons]

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No. 736

Name Taylor Hicks

With No. 279

Remarks:

also application's family  
grouped beneath,

No. 736

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Taylor Hicks*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No.

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#736

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Taylor Hicks

Indian name: Young Beaver

2. Residence: Chouteau I.T.

3. Town and post office: Chouteau I.T.

4. County:

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: July 11<sup>th</sup> 1847. Near North East part of I.T.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: My self, and my mother

Ollie Hicks, and Grand mother

Margaret Mellon.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Alice Euler Hicks

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Bill Hicks

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Ollie Hicks

Indian name:

Maiden name: Ollie - don't know.

11. Where were they born?

Father: Don't know

Mother: " "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In what is known as Cherokee Co. - Kaw, near Baxter Springs

Mother: " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Killed in '62

Mother: in the fall of 1881

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Enrolled for Pottawatomie money. The first after the war.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.            | BORN.         | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Milliard F Hicks | Jan. 1849     |       |
| (2) | Mandie Hicks     | unknown       | 1868  |
| (3) | Bill Hicks       |               |       |
| (4) | George Hicks     | 1857          |       |
| (5) | John Hicks       | November 1863 |       |
| (6) |                  |               |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.  |
|----------------|-----------------|
| unknown        | unknown         |
|                | margaret Melous |

17. Where were they born? unknown

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? near Batters Springs Kansas. then called nutron land.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Aggie Pharis  
Indian name: unknown  
Residence:

(2) English name: Betsy Pharis  
Indian name: unknown  
Residence:

(3) English name:   
Indian name:   
Residence:

(4) English name:   
Indian name:   
Residence:

(5) English name:   
Indian name:   
Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. On all rolls since 1851 except the old settlers roll.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

The dates and names as near correct as I can remember I have no record to go by.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Taylor Hicks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Oct., 1906.

My commission expires Dec 9, 1906

William A Crockett  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me F W Pharris and John Pharris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Taylor Hicks, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 24 years and 17 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

F W Pharris  
John Pharris

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

My commission expires Dec 9, 1906

William A Crockett  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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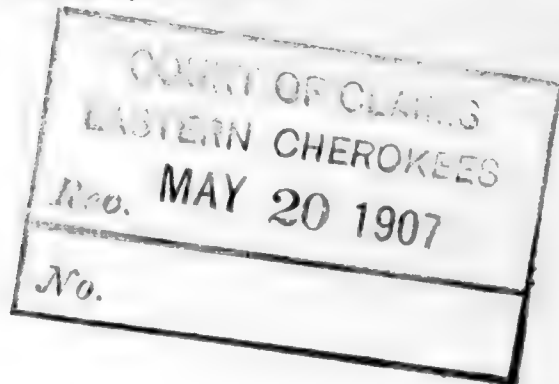
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Taylor Hicks

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 736

1. State your full name: Taylor Hicks
2. Residence and post office: Chouteau I. T.
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: Ind. Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee Nation, I. T.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Alice E Hicks, age 39 years.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Non citizen.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.            | BORN.                 |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Lee M Hicks</u>      | <u>18 years</u> | <u>Dec. 9th 1888.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mary, M. Hicks</u>   | <u>15 "</u>     | <u>Dec. 4th 1891</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Annie, L. Hicks</u>  | <u>13 "</u>     | <u>Oct. 8th 1894</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Z. Taylor, Hicks</u> | <u>8 "</u>      | <u>Dec. 15th 1898</u> |
| (5) | <u>Eliza V. Hicks</u>   | <u>4 "</u>      | <u>Dec. 27th 1902</u> |
| (6) | _____                   | _____           | _____                 |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Lee, M. Hicks was on the strip payment roll and the one previous, Mary M. was on the strip payment roll, and all are on the final distribution roll,

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Taylor Hicks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May 1907.

Will A. Corbett  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Dec 7th 1910, 190

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J.P. Dallas and Frank Westfall who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Taylor Hicks who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James P Dallas  
Frank A Westfall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May, 1907.

Will A Crockett  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 7th 1910., 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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No. 737

Action: Admitted

Name: Richard J. Farris and x children. Residence: Bartlesville, Okla.

Reasons: Son of 1233. Father enrolled in 1851 by  
Drennon, "Noah Farris 45 Dis-  
puted"; also other members of  
applicant's family.

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No. 723

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Richard J. Parris.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee ... by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and ... 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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#737

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— *Richard J. Parris*  
 English name: *Richard J. Parris*  
 Indian name: *Dok-pgull lu ke*
2. Residence: *Barthsville*
3. Town and post office: *Barthsville*
4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *March 27<sup>th</sup> 1877 in Tahlequah District, Cherokee Nation, I.S.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately. *For my mother Polina Parris. My grand mother, Sallie Williams. My grand mother's brother: James and Jackson Bigby, both of whom died without descent.*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband:
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: *Noah Parris*  
 Indian name: *not known*  
 Mother—English name: *Polina Parris*  
 Indian name: *not known*  
 Maiden name: *Polina Williams*
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: *In Cherokee Nation*  
 Mother: *In Cherokee Nation*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: *In Cherokee Nation*  
 Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: *Living* Mother: *April 18<sup>th</sup> 1899*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *An emigrant Cherokee pay roll of 1851 in Tahlequah District.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                | BORN.               | DIED.                 |
|-----|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Henry C Paris</i> | <i>June 18-1879</i> | <i>Tahlequah D.T.</i> |
| (2) | <i>Noah L "</i>      | <i>March 1-1882</i> | <i>"</i>              |
| (3) | <i>Sallie P "</i>    | <i>June 16-1884</i> | <i>"</i>              |
| (4) | <i>William B "</i>   | <i>Aug 31-1886.</i> | <i>"</i>              |
| (5) |                      |                     |                       |
| (6) |                      |                     |                       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE                      | MOTHER'S SIDE                                 |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <i>Thywen Old Settler Cherokee</i> | <i>Leonard B and Sallie Williams ne Bigby</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Maternal grandmother in Cherokee Nation*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                                             |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Dusan C Smith, Lucasa J.T.</i>           |
| Indian name:      | <i>Jas R Hamner Williams</i>                |
| Residence:        | <i>Caras Wofford Tahlequah D.T.</i>         |
| (2) English name: | <i>Jucyl D. Davis Dead</i>                  |
| Indian name:      | <i>David Williams Dead</i>                  |
| Residence:        | <i>Polina V Paris my mother, dead.</i>      |
| (3) English name: | <i>J. Lewis J Williams Dead</i>             |
| Indian name:      | <i>Leonard B Williams Locust Grove D.T.</i> |
| Residence:        | <i>Quanda M Wofford Tahlequah D.T.</i>      |
| (4) English name: |                                             |
| Indian name:      |                                             |
| Residence:        |                                             |
| (5) English name: |                                             |
| Indian name:      |                                             |
| Residence:        |                                             |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *In Wiroka authenticated roll of 1850 and am a Cherokee allottee.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My maternal  
great grand mother, Catharine Bigby nee  
Forrester was born April 17<sup>th</sup> 1785 in  
Cherokee Nation past.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My maternal grand mother, Sallie Williams nee  
Bigby has two brothers, who died without  
descendants, viz: James and Jackson Bigby.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Richard J. Paris*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *November 10*, 190*9*. *Harrell Day*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Fred Mc...* and  
*...*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Richard J. Paris*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *22* years and *20* years,  
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Wm. D. ...  
Emma ...*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *November 10*, 190*9*. *Harrell Day*  
Notary Public.

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No 738

Action: Admitted

Name Geo W. Fawling and 6 children. Residence: Wauer, Okla.

Reason:

Applicant's father, Ellis Fawling was enrolled by  
Dreman in Dahl Dist. # 528.

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No. 738

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION

OF

*See Serials*

*Geo. W. Fawling*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and of May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
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1. State full name: George W Fawling  
 English name: George W Fawling  
 Indian name: Gargi gee tli
2. Residence: Wasm
3. Town and post office: Wasm
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Born about 1855 in Tahlequah District, Cherokee Nation
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: For my grand mother Nellie Fawling. My father Ellis Fawling. My uncles Edward, Joseph, Rinn, and James Fawling, all of whom died without issue.
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Malinda Fawling age 29 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: Ellis Fawling  
 Indian name: Ju-no-yul-ki  
 Mother—English name: Elizabeth Fawling  
 Indian Name: Lessa  
 Maiden name: Elizabeth Griffin
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: In Cherokee Nation, east  
 Mother: " " " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: In Cherokee Nation  
 Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: During Civil war Mother: About 1878

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:  
*Father on emigrant Cherokee pay roll of 1851 in Tahlequah district.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME                    | BORN                         | DIED        |
|-----|-------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>Alex Fawling</i>     | <i>Braggs</i>                | <i>Ind.</i> |
| (2) | <i>Sarah J Chubbuck</i> | <i>Braggs</i>                | <i>Ind.</i> |
| (3) | <i>Namie Maxwell</i>    | <i>Warren</i>                | <i>Ind.</i> |
| (4) | <i>Mary Horton</i>      | <i>Dead</i>                  |             |
| (5) | <i>Sydia Guinness</i>   | <i>Died without descent.</i> |             |
| (6) |                         |                              |             |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE                             | MOTHER'S SIDE                  |
|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <i>Edward and Nellie Fawling ne Lowry</i> | <i>They were Old Settlers.</i> |

17. Where were they born? *In Cherokee Nation, east*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In Tahlequah District, Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                           |                          |             |          |                             |
|-------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|----------|-----------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Edward Fawling</i>     |                          |             |          | <i>Died without descent</i> |
| Indian name:      | <i>Joseph</i>             | <i>"</i>                 | <i>"</i>    | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i>                    |
| Residence:        | <i>Rim</i>                | <i>"</i>                 | <i>"</i>    | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i>                    |
| (2) English name: | <i>James</i>              |                          |             |          | <i>"</i>                    |
| Indian name:      | <i>Edmond</i>             | <i>"</i>                 | <i>Dead</i> |          |                             |
| Residence:        | <i>Ellis</i>              | <i>" My father, Dead</i> |             |          |                             |
| (3) English name: | <i>Elizabeth Scharbel</i> |                          |             |          | <i>Tahlequah Ind.</i>       |
| Indian name:      | <i>Jessie Timmons</i>     |                          |             |          | <i>Dead without descent</i> |
| Residence:        |                           |                          |             |          |                             |
| (4) English name: |                           |                          |             |          |                             |
| Indian name:      |                           |                          |             |          |                             |
| Residence:        |                           |                          |             |          |                             |
| (5) English name: |                           |                          |             |          |                             |
| Indian name:      |                           |                          |             |          |                             |
| Residence:        |                           |                          |             |          |                             |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:  
*On Cherokee authenticated pay roll of 1880, and am a Cherokee allottee*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My grand father  
Edmond Sawling lived on Nolichucky river  
in North Carolina, in 1835*

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *George W. Sawling*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27* day of *Sept*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Nov 25*, 190*6*.

*W. H. Patrick*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Maggie Morris* and *Nancy Sawling* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *George W. Sawling*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *who* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *said* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Nancy Sawling*

*Maggie Morris*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27* day of *Sept*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Nov 25*, 190*6*.

*W. H. Patrick*  
Notary Public.

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No. 738

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Geo. W. Furling*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. MAY 27 1907<br>No. |
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 738

1. State your full name: George W. Fawling,
2. Residence and post office: Wann, Indian Territory,
3. County: Nowata, 3d Recording District,
4. State: Indian Territory,
5. Date and place of birth: Tahlequah District, 52 years old,
6. Are you married? Yes,
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Malinda Fawling, 30 years old,
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee,
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.      | BORN.                      |
|-----|------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Jesse Fawling,</u>  | <u>18</u> | <u>May 23d 1889.</u>       |
| (2) | <u>Nannie Fawling,</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>April 15th 1897.</u>    |
| (3) | <u>Sarah Fawling,</u>  |           | <u>November 13th 1899,</u> |
| (4) | <u>Susie Fawling,</u>  |           | <u>December 16th 1901.</u> |
| (5) | <u>Mable Fawling,</u>  |           | <u>June 25th 1904.</u>     |
| (6) | <u>Ellie Fawling</u>   |           | <u>March 8th 1906.</u>     |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled with the Cherokees for land.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) George W. Fawling

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of May 1907.

Wm. A. McDaniel  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 22nd, 1909.



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nancy Maxwell, and Maggie Morris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George W. Fawling, who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 50 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Hazel Storey  
Ruth Storey

Nancy Maxwell  
Maggie Morris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of May, 1907.

Wm. H. M. David  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 22nd, 1909.

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Appl. #738

January 30, 1909.

George Fallin,  
Lynn, W. Va.

Sir:

Again referring to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, in your letter of January 26th, 1909, you state that your son was enrolled by the Dawes Commission and that his roll number is C. 2986. Please state with what tribe he was enrolled.

Please give the name of the mother of Jesse, and state whether she was an Indian. If she were, please state to what tribe she belonged.

Please look at his allotment certificate again, and send me the number under which he was enrolled, as the number you sent me is not correct.

Please answer immediately, and refer in your reply to A.L.C. 738.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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Appl. #738

January 20, 1909.

George W. Fowling,  
Wann, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether your son Jesse is living at the present time. If not, please give the date of his death. Was he enrolled by the Dawes Commission? If so, state his number and indicate under what name he was enrolled.

Please answer immediately, and refer in your reply to A. L. S. #738.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No.

W. H. McDANIEL

Real Estate, Loans and Rentals

OIL AND GAS MINING LEASES

Notary Public

Wann, Oklahoma, Feb 2nd 1909. 190

Mr Guion Miller,

Special Commissioner,

Washington,

D.C.

Dear Sir;

In reply to your letter of the 30th ultimo,  
in reference to A.L.S.#738.  
my son Jesse Fallin, was enrolled with the Chickisaw Nation,  
Filed December 8th 1903. Roll NO C 3956. Census Card NO 1551.  
his mother was a Chickisaw Indian, her maiden name was Lena Jarney,  
she died 13 years ago, I have the allotment certificate before me  
and the C 3956. is correct and he is a Chickasaw by blood,

Very truly yours,

*George Fallin*



COURT OF CLAIMS  
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W. H. McDANIEL

Real Estate, Loans and Rentals

OIL AND GAS MINING LEASES

Notary Public

Wann, Oklahoma, January 26th 190

Mr Guion Miller, Esq;

Special Commissioner,

Washington,

D.C.

Dear Sir;

In reply to yours of the 20th Inst, A.L.S. #798.

My son Jesse Fallin, is living, and if living here with me,  
he was enrolled by the Daws Commission, and his roll NO is C.3956

Very truly yours

*George Fallin*

No. 739.

Action: Reject

Name Geo. M. Harrison and 5 children. Residence: Bushyhead, Ind. Tenn

Reasons:

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Name Geo. M. Harrison

With No. 276

Remarks: Manny - Van  
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*George M. Harrison*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Belmont F. Lockwood, atty*



# 739

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: George M. Harrison.

Indian name: Same

2. Residence: Bushy oak, Indian Territory.

3. Town and post office: Bushy oak,

4. County: Cherokee Nation,

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: February 9th, 1863, in Sullivan Co., Indiana.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my mother, Mary E.

Harrison, who was a daughter of William Laney, whose name appears on page 10 of the pay roll of 1851, of the N.C. Cherokees, 32 Congress 1st Session, (H. of Rep., Miscellaneous No. 64.)

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Elizabeth Harrison, aged 40 years.  
She is a white woman.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Oscar R. Harrison.

Indian name: He was a white man.

Mother—English name: Mary E. Harrison.

Indian name: Same as I know.

Maiden name: Mary E. Laney.

11. Where were they born?

Father: in Fayette, Ga.

Mother: in Illinois.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Indiana.

Mother: In Indiana.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Oct 10th, 1870 Mother: July 1, 1864.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not to my knowledge.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME                                 | BORN                     | DIED                   |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Sarah E. Downing (nee Harrison)      | Nov. 21, 1846            | now living.            |
| (1) <del>William Harrison</del>      | <del>Nov. 21, 1846</del> | <del>Now living.</del> |
| William Harrison                     |                          | Died when a child.     |
| (2) Francis L. Hayworth 1/2 Brother, |                          | April 16, 1867.        |
| Caroline Harrison                    | May 14, 1854             | Sept. 24, 1856.        |
| (3) Eliza W. Harrison,               | in 1849                  | about 1877.            |
| Lena Harrison                        |                          | Died when a child.     |
| (4) Alvira Harrison                  | Feb. 7, 1851             | in 1859                |
| (5) David H. Harrison                | Oct. 12, 1852            | Oct. 12, 1852.         |
| (6) Samuel Harrison                  | April 13, 1852           | About 1873.            |
| Adaline Harrison                     | Sept 21, 1856,           | in 1885,               |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE                 | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-------------------------------|---------------|
| Robert Harrison, a white man. | Williamaney   |
|                               |               |
|                               |               |
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17. Where were they born?

Williamaney was born in Georgia.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

in North Carolina.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| Children of Williamaney:              |                         |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) English name: <u>Cindillaaney</u> | <u>Debby Louizaaney</u> |
| Indian name: <u>Same</u>              | <u>Same</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Now dead.</u>           | <u>Now dead.</u>        |
| (2) English name: <u>Davidaney</u>    | <u>Addiaaney</u>        |
| Indian name: <u>Same</u>              | <u>Same</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Now dead.</u>           | <u>Now dead</u>         |
| (3) English name: <u>Janalaaney</u>   | <u>Georgeaney</u>       |
| Indian name: <u>Same</u>              | <u>Same</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Now dead.</u>           | <u>Now dead</u>         |
| (4) English name: <u>Matildaaney</u>  | <u>Johnaney</u>         |
| Indian name: <u>Same</u>              | <u>Same</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Now dead.</u>           | <u>Now dead.</u>        |
| (5) English name: <u>Louizaaney</u>   | <u>Carolineaney</u>     |
| Indian name: <u>Same.</u>             | <u>Same</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Now dead.</u>           | <u>Now dead.</u>        |
| <u>Annaaney now dead,</u>             | <u>Samuel E.aney</u>    |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.



No. 729.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Geo. M. Harrison*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.**  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET NORTHWEST.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 729

1. State your full name: George M. Harrison
2. Residence and post office: Cherokee Nat, Bushyhead S.V.
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind Ter
5. Date and place of birth: Fair Bank Sullivan Co. Indiana
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Elizabeth 41 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.      | BORN.                                           |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Oskar W. Harrison</u> | <u>21</u> | <u>Twenty one year June 10-1886</u>             |
| (2) | <u>Artie F. Ballard</u>  | <u>19</u> | <u>Nineteen " Dec 8, 1888</u>                   |
| (3) | <u>Sarrah F. Jordan</u>  | <u>17</u> | <u>seventeen " Sept 18 1890</u>                 |
| (4) | <u>Elvira Harrison</u>   | <u>11</u> | <u>Eleven " January 23 1896</u>                 |
| (5) | <u>Gracie M. "</u>       | <u>6</u>  | <u>Six " March 17 1901</u>                      |
| (6) | <u>Clarence "</u>        | <u>1</u>  | <u>to months one year 3 months April 1 1906</u> |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. attorney for the above minors and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) George M. Harrison

Northern Dist Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August 1907.

Hugh Davis  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Dec 3, 1910.



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Alfred Fogel and John J. Robbins who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George M. Harrison who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 5 years and 30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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Alfred Fogel  
John J. Robbins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

Northern Dist

Hugh Davis

Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 3, 1910.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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**A. J. WEBB**  
**UPLAND PRAIRIE HAY**  
**BALE TIES AND HAYMAKERS' SUPPLIES**

BUSHYHEAD, OKLA. Nov, 30th., 1907. 190

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Washington, D.C.

Hon. Sir:-

Your favor in regard to Appl. #739 for participation in Eastern Cherokee fund received.

I am a son of Mary E. Harrison, whose maiden name was Mary E. Rainey. Mary E. Rainey was the daughter of Wm. Rainey who belonged to the Rainey or Maney family of Eastern Cherokees, this family being known by both the name of Rainey or Raney and Maney.

I find that this family was registered on page 17, of the Register of persons who wished reservations under the treaty of July the 8th, 1817; and whose Register Nos. are 41, 42, and 43 and whose names are as follows:- Martin Maney, John Maney and William Maney. I am a grandson of this William Maney.

I know of two witnesses to substantiate the above statements, J. J. Robbins, of Bushyhead, Oklahoma and (if still living) Riley Liston, of Shelbourne, Indiana.

Very respectfully,

George M. Harrison.

By *A. J. Webb*

November 25, 1907.

George H. Harrison,  
Piquette, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you state therein that you claim through your mother, Mary C. Harrison, who was a daughter of William C. Coker, who you claim was enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851. We beg to inform you that no such name appears upon the Eastern Cherokee rolls of 1851. If he were enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees, as you claim, please state where, under what name and for what benefits. Why was your mother not enrolled in 1851?

Can you furnish us with evidence tending to establish the fact that you are a descendant of persons who were recognized members of the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians at the date of the Treaty of 1835-36 and 1846? If so, please state what the evidence is, and send us the names and correct addresses of any witnesses who will testify to that effect.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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No. 40

Action: Restricted

Name: Amanda E. Pease and ✓ children. Residence: 1511 Spring Ave

Reasons: either applicant was interested in property. Does not establish right of descent from her mother to the Grant of 1835-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-1222-12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Amanda O. Neal

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Amanda A. Neale*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Anna Dickard Neale*

Indian name: —

2. Residence: *161 Irwin Ave*

3. Town and post office: *Allegheny*

4. County: *Allegheny*

5. State: *Pennsylvania*

6. Date and place of birth: *Indian Territory 1842*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Mother - Charity Ann*

*Dickard, (Charity Ann Mau)*

8. Are you married? *Yes - now a widow.*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Samuel A. Neale - deceased*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *George Dickard*

Indian name: —

Mother—English name: *Charity Ann Dickard*

Indian name: *Charity Ann Mau*

Maiden name: *Charity Ann Mau*

11. Where were they born?

Father: —

Mother: *Tennessee*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: —

Mother: *Ft. Gibson - Ft. Scott.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *1843*

Mother: *1879*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land; or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No -*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                    | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Alexander Beckard</i> |       |       |
| (2) | <i>Harvey Beckard</i>    |       |       |
| (3) | <i>George Beckard</i>    |       |       |
| (4) | <i>Sarah Beckard -</i>   |       |       |
| (5) |                          |       |       |
| (6) |                          |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

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MOTHER'S SIDE.

*Chief Maw - Grandfather*  
*Sarah Maw - Grandmother*

17. Where were they born? *Innesee -*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *—*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Charity Ann Beckard -*

Indian name: *Charity Ann Maw*

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: *John Maw*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: *Alex Maw*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *No.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Mr. Mary Wofford living at Rex, Indian Territory is my cousin. Nelson Grubbs, now deceased, was an uncle by marriage. My aunt Mary was married to the Mr May who was Chief of the nation some years ago.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Amanda Richard Neale*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *March 19*, 190*9* *S. L. ...*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *H. N. Beatty* and *Sara Ormsby Eaton*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Amanda Richard Neale*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and *2* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark. *H. N. Beatty*  
Signatures of witnesses. *Sara Ormsby Eaton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *March 19*, 190*9* *S. L. ...*  
Notary Public.

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Sara Ernestine Neale.

Allegheny,  
Pa.

1611. Cassin Ave.  
Pittsburg, Pa.

To the Clerk of the Court of Claims:-

Dear Sir:-

In reference to  
the rejection of my claim-application  
No. 740, I beg to state there must  
have been some error. With the application,  
I sent a brief history of my connection  
with the Cheokess and names of  
relatives who must at least be on  
the roll.

(Indian name)

My mother was hardt Chow now daughter  
of Chief now, she had three sisters,  
Mary, Beinda, and Betsy. All  
were born in Missouri but removed  
to the Territory when the Cherokee  
came west. My mother married  
a sergeant in the U.S.C. a German  
named Nickard, and settled near the  
Grand River and later lived at Fort  
Gibson. My mother's eldest sister, my  
Aunt Mary, married a Mr. George Wad,  
and finally moved into Texas.

The second sister, Belinda married  
 a Mr. Sam Rodgers or Rogers, and some  
 of her children must be living in the  
 Territory. The youngest sister married  
 Nelson Huffs. My mother lived in  
 the Territory until about 1845, later going  
 to Arkansas.

Mary Rogers, a daughter of my  
 Aunt Belinda, married a Joseph  
 Hafford or Hoffard. Mary had a  
 brother named Sam Rodgers and  
 a sister Martha Rodgers.

Mary Hofford had two children, both

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boys, one named Joe Moffad. Her  
sister Martha had one son,  
her brother John Rodgers, died after  
she was leaving four children one boy  
and three girls.

Ridge was chief at the time - my  
mother lived in the Territory.

Was in Keys a lawyer, who  
lived in Charlotte C. N. some  
25 or more years ago knew my  
cousin Mary Moffad, very well.



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I have letters from him and others.  
My cousin Mary Hafford and  
children lived at Ft. Gibson, later  
at Key. S. T. where she died Oct. 12-  
1903. Her son Joe Hafford lives  
at Key.

Will you kindly give this  
matter some consideration as it seems  
very strange that the Special Commission  
could find no trace of my relatives.  
Thanking you in advance for  
the interest you might manifest.

Dear,

Yours respectfully yours,

Amanda Keckard Neale

Address.

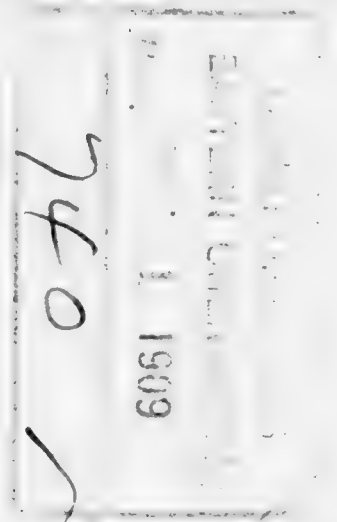
Amanda Keckard Neale,

1611 - Quin Lane,

Wilmington,

North Carolina

Pa.



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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br><i>Rec.</i> DEC 5 1907 |
| <i>No.</i>                                                      |

# 740

1611 Irvine Ave.  
Allegheny, Pa.,  
Dec. 2/07.

Guion Miller Esq.-  
Dear Sir:-

Your letter of Nov. 25th. duly received  
and in reply, thereto I beg leave to send you  
letters which will prove my "Cherokee" blood.

Whether my mother was registered or enrolled upon  
the rolls of "1836" or "1857", I do not know. I was inform-  
ed that my mother's sister, Belinda Rogers and her  
children, Mary Rogers and John Rogers Jr. were en-  
rolled and the Grubbs - Nelson Grubbs and the Rays  
all of whom I was related to, must have been en-  
rolled. Why my mother was not enrolled is something  
I cannot fathom. I was too young when I lived

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in the "Territory" to know anything about it  
and when I became a good sized girl my brother  
George sent me away to school.

My brother George, might have been able to enlighten  
me in regard to certain relatives, but he, poor man  
was in very feeble health for years and consequently  
his mind was so feeble that he could not remember.

for the past few years.

I might have established my citizenship many  
years ago but after my eldest daughter married and  
went to Canada to live I had no one to take any  
interest in my affairs and consequently things re-  
mained at a stand still; but, now when I realize  
that I am getting old and am dependent upon my  
unmarried son, I feel the need of some sustenance



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to which I feel I am entitled. I trust, Mr. Miller  
that you will give me every consideration possible  
My Mother, nor any of her children ever derived  
any benefit from the government. My two <sup>(eldest)</sup> brothers  
went to California during the gold fever - I heard  
from them at intervals but they passed away there  
Will you kindly read the letters which I send you.  
My cousin Mary Maford, who was Mary  
Rogers lives in Rep. D. T. or was living there  
when last I heard from her. Trusting, I will  
hear favorable news, from you, I am,

Very respectfully yours,

Amanda Beckard Peale

P.S. Will you kindly return the letters  
to my address.

Address -

1611 Irving Ave.  
Allegheny, Pa.

November 25, 1907.

Wanda E. Hoale,  
Chickamauga, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the farmland, from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee, we beg to inform you that the same will be considered when you apply for your allotment. Does not appear on the rolls of 1835-36. Please inform us by what right you claim to participate in this land.

Can you furnish us with evidence tending to establish the fact that you are a descendant of persons who were recognized members of the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians at the date of the Treaty of 1835-36 and 1846? If so, please state what the evidence is, and send us the names and correct addresses of any witnesses who will testify to that effect.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CEB/ALS

LEWIS & NEWMYER.  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.  
PITTSBURGH, PA.  
ST. NICHOLAS BUILDING.  
BELL, 2007 COURT.

GEORGE B. LEWIS.  
GEORGE M. NEWMYER.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 28, 1908.

Hon, Guion Miller,  
601 Curay Bldg.,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Some time ago you wrote us, in re application  
Amanda D. Neale, #740, for Eastern Cherokee enrollment,  
that it would be necessary to take testimony in Oklahoma  
in order to connect her with the Cherokee tribe.

We should very much appreciate it if you will  
advise us whether or not it is necessary for us to **person-**  
**ally** conduct the proof of our client's claim, and when such  
an opportunity will be afforded us.

Very respectfully yours,

GMM/S



App. No. 740.

October 2, 1908.

Lewis & Newmyer,  
St. Nicholas Bldg.,  
Pittsburg, Pa.

Sirs:

Replying to your letter of September 28, 1908, you are advised that unless you hear further from us it will be unnecessary for you to take any steps toward securing testimony in regard to the application of Amanda B. Neale, No. 740.

This claim is now in the field with one of my field parties for examination.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

GM:NEC.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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LEWIS & NEWMYER.  
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PITTSBURGH, PA.  
ST. NICHOLAS BUILDING.  
BELL, 2007 COURT.

GEORGE B. LEWIS.  
GEORGE M. NEWMYER.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 19, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
601 Ouray Bldg.,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

We have a client, Mrs. Amanda D. Neale, of Allegheny, Pa., who has filed her application, No. 740, with the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, Eastern Cherokee Enrollment, and we should very much appreciate it if you will let us know what formalities are necessary to the proving of our client's claim, so as to entitle her to share in this fund. We are wholly unfamiliar with the practice.

Very respectfully yours,

GMM/S

*Lewis & Newmyer*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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Washington, W. C.  
May 18, 1907.

Mr. Guion Miller Esq.

Dear Sir: -

Would it be asking  
too great a favor of you to  
send Amanda H. Neales'  
application No. 740 to her  
home, 1611 Duwin Ave, Allegheny  
Pa. in order that she might  
refer to it.

Kindly, address

Amanda Richard Neale,

1611 Irwin Ave.

Allegheny, Pa.

Thanking you in advance  
for the favor, I am,

Sara E. Neale

As there is something of  
much importance to which  
she desires to refer she  
would like to see the  
original application.

Trusting I am not ask-  
ing too much and you  
will confer the favor  
upon me. I am,

Very respectfully yours,

Sara E. Neale

1611 - Irwin Ave.  
Allegheny, Pa.  
Aug. 4/07

A. K. NEALE,  
1011 IRWIN AVE.,  
ALLEGHENY, PA.

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Guion Miller, Esq.

Dear Sir:-

Permit me to ask  
you to kindly send me two  
applications (or blanks) and  
would it be presuming too much  
to have you refer to my application  
filed as number 740 to give  
me the date of the death of  
Charity Ann Wickard.

Trusting I have not asked

too much and that I will  
hear from you at your  
earliest convenience, I am,

Most respectfully yours,

Amanda Wickard Deale



App. No. 740.

May 27, 1908.

Messrs. Lewis & Newmyer,  
St. Nicholas Building,  
Pittsburg, Mo.

Sirs:

In reply to your letter of May 19, 1908, relative to the application of Board of Claims No. 740, per the Division of this case has been marked for examination in the field in Oklahoma.

As far as have been able to find out name of the ancestors of Mrs. Lewis upon the Eastern Cherokee rolls, and it will therefore be necessary for you to take testimony in Oklahoma and endeavor to connect her with the Cherokee tribe of Indians.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioners.

W.M.H.C.

App. #740.

May 29, 1907.

Amanda Deekard Neale,  
1611 Irwin Ave.,  
Allegheny, Pennsylvania.

Madam:-

We are in receipt of a letter from Sara Ernestine Neale requesting us to forward your original application to you, but we cannot return the application to you. If you desire any special information contained in the application the same will be furnished upon request, or if your daughter is in Washington she could call at the office and see the application and obtain any information from it that she desired.

We address this letter to you as there is no Washington address on Sara Ernestine Neale's letter.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

GM-NIC.

APP. #740.

August 8, 1907.

Amanda Deckard Neale,  
1611 Irwin Avenue,  
Allegheny, Pennsylvania.

Madam:-

In compliance with your request of August 4, 1907,  
two application blanks are inclosed.

You are advised that in your application you state  
that Charity Ann Deckard died in 1879, but do not give the  
exact date.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HLC.  
2 inclosures.

No 741.

Action: Admitted.

Name Leonard E. Trainor and 3 children. Residence: Chelsea, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant's mother, Lucy Williams, was enrolled  
by Drennan in Flint Dist. # 525.

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No. 74/

Name Leonard C. Trainor

With No.

Remarks:

Nos. 1836, 1838, 2405  
1808, 1810, 2733, 3838, 10694, 25225,

grouped herewith.

and 21813, 21827, 21829, 22054,  
~~1478~~ 1676, 8436 - 55

Claim thro. 22466

Sarah Williams } 72.  
Lucy " } 525.

O. K.

23036



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Leonard S. Fairbrother.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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#741

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Leonard E Trainor

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Chelsea

3. Town and post office:

Chelsea

4. County:

Cherokee Nation

5. State:

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

Feb 24 - 1879. Ahlupeah

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

for my mother Lucy Anna Trainor, my Grand Mother Sally Williams nee Blythe, and my Grand mother's Brother, James and Jackson Blythe, both of whom died with wills.

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Mae Ryder Trainor  
Age 23

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Thomas T. Trainor

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Lucy Anna Trainor

Indian name:

none

Maiden name:

Lucy Anna Trainor nee Blythe

11. Where were they born?

Father:

In Cavan, Ireland

Mother:

Cherokee Nation, West

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

not known

Mother:

Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

July 11<sup>th</sup> 1880

Mother:

Dec 25<sup>th</sup> 1879

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where on the emigrant Cherokee roll in the Cherokee Nation

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

- |     | NAME.             | BORN. | DIED.               |
|-----|-------------------|-------|---------------------|
| (1) | Mary E Hubbard,   |       | dead.               |
| (2) | Thomas Trainor,   |       | dead.               |
| (3) | Anna O Bennett,   |       | Marshall, N.C.      |
| (4) | Walter E Trainor, |       | Chelsea, N.C.       |
| (5) | David Trainor,    |       | dead without issue. |
| (6) | Nevermore Trainor |       |                     |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.  | MOTHER'S SIDE.               |
|-----------------|------------------------------|
| They were white | Sally and Leonard D Williams |

17. Where were they born? Grand mother was born in Cherokee Nation East, Grand father was a white man.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand mother was living in Cherokee Nation.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

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|-------------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) English name: | Susan C. Smith, Chelsea, N.C.    |
| Indian name:      | Harrison Williams, Chelsea, N.C. |
| Residence:        | Sarah Wafford, Tahlequah, N.C.   |
| (2) English name: | Lucy Anna Trainor, my mother     |
| Indian name:      | dead                             |
| Residence:        | David Williams, dead.            |
| (3) English name: | Opalina B. Parris, dead.         |
| Indian name:      | Thomas Williams, dead            |
| Residence:        | Leonard B. Williams              |
| (4) English name: | Amanda M. Wafford, Tahlequah     |
| Indian name:      |                                  |
| Residence:        |                                  |
| (5) English name: |                                  |
| Indian name:      |                                  |
| Residence:        |                                  |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where

on the Cherokee pay roll of 1894 and am a Cherokee citizen.



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Great Grand mother Catherine Bigby nee Foreman was born in 1785. Grand mother Williams is on the roll of emigrant cherokees.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*my mother's first husband was Martin [unclear]*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Leonard E. Trainor*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3* day of *Oct.*, 1906.

My commission expires *May 29*, 190*9*. *John W. Miller*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *James L. Kell* and *N. B. Foreman*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Leonard E. Trainor*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *18* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
*W. H. Barber*  
*A. Allen*

Signatures of witnesses.  
*James L. Kell*  
*N. B. Foreman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3* day of *Oct.*, 1906.

My commission expires *May 29*, 190*9*. *John W. Miller*  
Notary Public.

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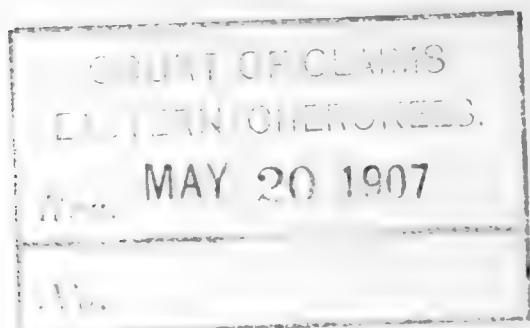
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Leonard S. Trimmer*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1905, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 741

1. State your full name: Leonard E Trainor
2. Residence and post office: Chelsea
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Tahlequah, I. T.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Laura May Trainor - 26 years.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                         | AGE.           | BORN.                 |
|-----|-------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Clifford Rider Trainor</u> | <u>8 years</u> | <u>Nov. 16 - 1899</u> |
| (2) | <u>Eminett Hunter Trainor</u> | <u>5 1/2</u>   | <u>Apr. 2 - 1902</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Lydia Lucille Trainor</u>  | <u>2</u>       | <u>Nov. 8 - 1904</u>  |
| (4) |                               |                |                       |
| (5) |                               |                |                       |
| (6) |                               |                |                       |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where and with what tribe of Indians: yes in Cherokee Nation for land.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Leonard E. Trainor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of May 1907.

John D. Miller  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires  
May 29, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Lon Wyatt and J. E. Robinson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Leonard E. Trainor who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 12 years and 16 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Lon Wyatt  
J. E. Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of May, 1907.

John D. Miller  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 29, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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Rec. MAY 20 1907  
No. 741

THE CHELSEA GAS COMPANY  
(INCORPORATED)

CHELSEA, IND. TER. May 18 1907.

Guion Miller  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I have had the Supplemental application filled out and sworn to. I would like very much to have the names of two of my Mother's uncles who are both dead placed on my former application (#741) their names were Jackson Bixby and James Bixby.

Yours truly,  
L. L. L. L.



No 742

Action: Admitted

Name James Kniggeher and 2 children. Residence: Okelata, Okla.

Reasons: Father "Squa sa le che, 525, Delaware",  
Nephew of #712.

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Jos. Klingfischer

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No. 742.

Name James Kingfisher

With No. 712.

Remarks:

No. 742 Field

Name Jane Kingfish

~~With No.~~ For Bartlesville

Remarks:

Cannot find ancestor  
on roll.

~~Search in 1850~~

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No. 742

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: James Kingfisher  
Indian name: Kah lah hah lah, Choh hlaw  
2. Residence: 6 miles north Ochelata  
3. Town and post office: Ochelata  
4. County: Cherokee Nation  
5. State: Indian Territory  
6. Date and place of birth: Gony Sunko dist Cherokee Nation 35.  
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Little Huckleberry or Cowiah Oostee, Kah lah hah lah, Oowa lah, Kah lah, In rowah kah, Squah da loche, Dick Kingfisher, Kah lah or hit.  
8. Are you married? Yes  
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lizzie Kingfisher age 34 years  
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Dick Kingfisher  
Indian name: Squah da loche,  
Mother—English name: Katie Huckleberry  
Indian name: Kah lah kah wiah, Oostee  
Maiden name: Katie Huckleberry  
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In present Cherokee Nation  
Mother: In present Cherokee Nation  
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In pres. at Cherokee Nation  
Mother: In pres. at Cherokee Nation  
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1896 Mother: 1893.



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They drew in all payments during their lives, but not sure they were on the roll of 1850.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.       | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>None</i> |       |       |
| (2) |             |       |       |
| (3) |             |       |       |
| (4) |             |       |       |
| (5) |             |       |       |
| (6) |             |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.         | MOTHER'S SIDE.                 |
|--|------------------------|--------------------------------|
|  | <i>Cher you Tocabo</i> | <i>Little Huckleberry</i>      |
|  | <i>Dout know Grand</i> | <i>Kahwiah Cos ee</i>          |
|  | <i>mother's name</i>   | <i>Ka tee Kah &amp; mother</i> |

17. Where were they born? *East of Mississippi River*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In present Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                                    |
|-----|----------------------------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Had none</i>                      |
|     | Indian name: <i>Ue wee lake</i>                    |
|     | Residence: <i>Dout remember date of death</i>      |
| (2) | English name: <i>Katie Huckleberry (My mother)</i> |
|     | Indian name: <i>Ka tee Kah wi ah Cos ee</i>        |
|     | Residence: <i>Died in 1893.</i>                    |
| (3) | English name: _____                                |
|     | Indian name: _____                                 |
|     | Residence: _____                                   |
| (4) | English name: _____                                |
|     | Indian name: _____                                 |
|     | Residence: _____                                   |
| (5) | English name: _____                                |
|     | Indian name: _____                                 |
|     | Residence: _____                                   |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Drew all payments since 1880.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: unable

to answer above question

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Please observe I have had no access to the  
emigrant roll and can give no numbers  
except 1 ea. byo his which is in Saline  
District Page 312 No 555.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) James Hines Fisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires

Aug 1st, 1907

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Thos J. Ellis Sr and  
D. C. Ellis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with James Knapp Fisher, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 3 years and 3 years,  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and  
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Thos J. Ellis Sr  
D. C. Ellis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires

2nd, 1907

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 742

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*James King Fisher*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 747

1. State your full name: James Kingfisher
2. Residence and post office: Okelata
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Ter
5. Date and place of birth: Gonzvane Dist about 1872
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Lizzie Kingfisher age 32
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.            | BORN.           |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| (1) | <u>Moore Kingfisher</u>   | <u>13 or 14</u> | <u>dent 900</u> |
| (2) | <u>Summing Kingfisher</u> | <u>8</u>        | <u>dent 900</u> |
| (3) |                           |                 |                 |
| (4) |                           |                 |                 |
| (5) |                           |                 |                 |
| (6) |                           |                 |                 |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: they were enrolled with Cherokee

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Lizzie Kingfisher is my second wife the mother of these children has them with her they live now in Saline Dist

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James Kingfisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of May 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

8/31, 1907.



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Joe Bean and Dr Sidette who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James King Fisher who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and 2 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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Joseph S. Bean  
Dr Joseph G. Sidette

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of May, 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 8/31/07, 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



COURT OF CHIEFS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
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No. 742

W. H. H.

*[Faint, illegible handwritten text, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page]*

Bartlesville Okla.  
Feb. 17<sup>th</sup> 1908.

Union Miller  
Special Commissioner  
Metisquoque Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

I am entitle this immigrants  
money my self my Wife and  
my two Boys. and now I have  
been told our Agent By the name  
John Duncan of Okmulgee Okla  
Will go to Washington soon and  
will draw our money and  
take off Ten per cent on a  
dollar. Which I never signed  
my name as it what it call  
Power of attorney. and you  
have power to stop this matter  
I will say this much when  
the payment comes. you will  
issue the check to my self or  
rather all of my families money  
the card of our application now  
on file

|         |                   |         |
|---------|-------------------|---------|
| my self | James King fisher | no. 742 |
| my wife | Lizzie            | " " 705 |
| " Sons  | Mad King fisher   | " " "   |
|         | and Coming        | " " 742 |

OVER.

Hoping to hear from you  
soon as possible.

I am your truly

James Kingfisher

My P.O. address.

Barberville Okla.

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Ochelata I.T.

Oct 13th 1906.

Hon C.F.Larrabee

Indian Office Washingto D.C.

Replying to the oposed letter I beg leave to say, My age is 36years  
next February.

Respectfully,

*James Kaye*

*J.B.H.*

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
EASTERN CHEROKEES. OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
Appln. No. 742. WASHINGTON.

October 11, 1906.

James Kingfisher,  
Ochelata,  
Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state your age.

Very respectfully,

*J. B. H.*

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

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Appl. #742

November 25, 1907.

James Kingfisher,  
Muskogee, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the same arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee, we hereto inform you that the names of your father and mother, as given in your application, do not appear on the Eastern Cherokee rolls. Were you or your parents ever connected with any other tribe of Indians than the Eastern Cherokees.

Can you furnish us with evidence tending to establish the fact that you are a descendant of persons who were recognized members of the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians at the date of the Treaty of 1835-36 and 1846? If so, please state what the evidence is, and send us the names and correct addresses of any witnesses who will testify to that effect.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CMB/ALS

App. No.742.

February 20, 1908.

James Kingfisher,  
Bartlesville,  
Oklahoma.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of February 17, 1908, you are advised that the Eastern Cherokee fund cannot be distributed until the roll has been completed and approved by the Court.

This will necessarily consume considerable time.

You are further advised that Mr. John Duncan would not be allowed to collect your money without your consent.

Very respectfully,

GM:NLC.

T. J. ELLIS, JR.  
D. C. ELLIS

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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**ELLIS BROS.,**  
General Merchandise

OCHELETA, OKLA.

SPRINGFIELD  
MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

INDIAN TERRITORY.

NORTHERN DISTRICT.

Personally came before me a Notary public within and for the above named District and Territory, James Kingfisher of the same District, and after being duly sworn as the law directs deponent and says, My name is James Kingfisher, my Post office is Okmulgee I.T, I am 36 years old, I am the same James Kingfisher who put in an application for a part of the funds due the Eastern or Emigrant Cherokee under the act of Congress approved June 30th 1852. That since filing the above mentioned application I find that I am the nearest relative living to Quah-le-you-ah, Wa-kee, Ah-nee, Tsee-kau-nuh-ah, and Seh-wa-tsee, who are my sunts, and whose names should appear upon the Cherokee Emigrant pay roll of 1852. Deponent further states that it is his desire to have these names placed upon the application above mentioned which he filed with the Commissioner of Indian Affairs for his share of the Eastern Cherokee fund.

And that he be allowed to draw said shares of this fund by right of him being the nearest of kin.

Deponent further states that this statement can be verified by other reliable witnesses if it is required by the authorities in charge.

Signed, *James Kingfisher*

Witnessed by,

*J. C. ...*  
Post office

*John C. ...*  
Post office

*Okmulgee I.T.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12* day of *Nov* 1906

by commission and seal of *...* Notary Public,

No. 742

James Kingfisher, after being first duly sworn through C. R. Hendricks, who was sworn as interpreter, deposes and says:

I am 18 years of age. I have always understood that my mother and father were not married in 1851. They were small at that time. None of my people ever drew Old Settler money. I have understood that my father and mother were enrolled in 1851 on the immigrant Cherokee roll. My mother died about 12 years ago; father about 11 or 12 years ago. I am not able to give any more information about their enrollment. The Indian names given in my application are all that I know.

James Kingfisher

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SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Bartlesville, Okla. this twenty-eighth day of August, 1908.

*Harold Ketton*  
Assistant to Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims.

This applicant is an orphan full blood and knows very little about his parents. Nothing more than given in application. His ancestors were immigrants and none appear on the Old Settler Roll. He is enrolled by the Dawes Commission as a full blood Cherokee. The case should be O.K.



ADD. No. 742-712.

January 19, 1909.

James Kingfisher,  
Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, your statement regarding your minor children is not clear in that it does not show whether Lizzie Kingfisher or your first wife is the mother. Kindly advise this office at once as to the full name of the mother of these children and her postoffice address.

Also state if the children are now living; if dead, give the day, month, and year of death.

Please be prompt and refer in your reply to WEA-742-712.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

No. 778

Action: Admitted

Name: *Mrs. L. J. Tinsley* and *x* children. Residence: *Miss Tinsley, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Applicant claims that her father who is enrolled as Miss Keli. C. 5100. and also that her grand mother enrolled as Sally Wright on the Sec of Congress Roll.*

*Miss Test - P. 560*

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No. 743

Name Mary J. Hensley

With No.

Remarks:

Nos. 2901, 5400, 18762,  
grouped beneath.

Claims thro. father  
Wicks Kell - lived Union  
Co. Ga. '57.

There is a Mix Kell  
on C. 2100 Union Co. Ga.  
and think he is applicant's  
father but unable to  
confirm it from exami-  
nation of records or by  
correspondence with appld.

Mix or Wicks Kell  
Chap. 2100, son of  
Sally Wright or  
Kell. A. G. Kell.

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T.V.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Yancy S. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Mary J. Wesley*  
Indian name:

2. Residence: *Jellicoe Plains, Tenn.*

3. Town and post office: *Jellicoe Plains*

4. County: *Monroe*

5. State: *Tennessee*

6. Date and place of birth: *Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> 1865 N.C. near Jucton v.*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*my Father*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *John H. Wesley*  
*52 years*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Wicks Kell*

Indian name: *Cherokee*

Mother—English name: *Lucinda Kell*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Patten*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *N.C.*

Mother: *N.C.*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Union County Ga.*

Mother: *Union County Ga.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *July 11, 1875* Mother: *Nov. 13, 1861*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *yes in 1871 when a boy*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                 | BORN.                | DIED.                     |
|-----|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Sarah Ann Kell</i> | <i>Dec. 13, 1853</i> | <i>exact date unknown</i> |
| (2) | <i>Andrew Kell</i>    | <i>May 29, 1865</i>  | <i>living</i>             |
| (3) | <i>Susannah Kell</i>  | <i>Dec 24, 1865</i>  | <i>living</i>             |
| (4) | <i>James Kell</i>     | <i>April 2, 1868</i> | <i>dead Feb. 19, 1900</i> |
| (5) | <i>Alexander Kell</i> | <i>June 17, 1870</i> | <i>living</i>             |
| (6) |                       |                      |                           |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE.        |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>Andy Kell</i> | <i>William Patton</i> |
| <i>Catherine</i> |                       |

17. Where were they born? *Unknown*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *last account they were living in Indian Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                |
|-------------------|----------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Unknown</i> |
| Indian name:      |                |
| Residence:        |                |
| (2) English name: |                |
| Indian name:      |                |
| Residence:        |                |
| (3) English name: |                |
| Indian name:      |                |
| Residence:        |                |
| (4) English name: |                |
| Indian name:      |                |
| Residence:        |                |
| (5) English name: |                |
| Indian name:      |                |
| Residence:        |                |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *yes in Duquoin date unknown*

*but was put on the tax roll*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*Andy Kell, Cherokee*  
*Sally Kell*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I have a brother - Delia A. Lockwood of Washington, D.C. who has a son, a man, by the name of Paul Seal, and a daughter a Commission of the (S) in camp.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

*Mary J. Hensley*

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

My commission expires

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*James G. Mitchell*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. M. Davis* and *W. C. Hammond*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary J. Hensley*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and *12* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. M. Davis*

*W. C. Hammond*

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

My commission expires

, 190*8*

*James G. Mitchell*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Mary J. Hensley*  
\* 2 *to Children*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>JUL 24 1907<br>No. |
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'ray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 743

1. State your full name: Mary J. Hensley
2. Residence and post office: Tellies Plains
3. County: Murray
4. State: Tennessee
5. Date and place of birth: Dec 8 - 1855
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: J. H. Hensley age 51
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|             | NAME.          | AGE. | BORN.          |
|-------------|----------------|------|----------------|
| # 30273 (1) | Arthur Hensley | 29   | July 10 - 1878 |
| # 30274 (2) | J. U.          | 27   | Oct 22 - 1879  |
| (3)         | Mara           | 15-  | Mar 12 - 1892  |
| (4)         | Emma           | 12   | Sept 20 - 1895 |
| (5)         |                |      |                |
| (6)         |                |      |                |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Children of Mary J. Hensley maiden name Mary J. Kell daughter of William Kell son of Andy Kell son - Dundee (Kells are small

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary J. Hensley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July 1907.

W. M. Daniel  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. C. Townsend and May Lance who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary J. Hensley who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 3 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

N. M. McDaniel  
J. C. Townsend

J. C. Townsend  
May Lance

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July, 1907.

N. M. McDaniel  
Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Appln. No. 743.

Mary J. Hensley,---- being duly sworn and examined, deposes and says:

My name is Mary J. Hensley. I am 56 years old. I was born near the line of North Carolina and Tennessee. My father's name was Wicks Kell. He was about 40 years old when he died. He inherited his blood from his father, Andy Kell. My grandmother's name was Sally Kell and she went West when the Indians were taken and she brought my father back. My father had some half brothers and sisters. My step-father's name was Wright. My grandmother was afterwards Sally Wright. She did not stay more than a year or two when she brought my father back. He drew some money just before he was married. He married in 1853.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Madisonville, Tenn., this 26th day of June, 1908.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

#30273,  
Mother of Arthur Hensley

OK.

See Act of Congress - Sally Wright.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

App. No. 743.

February 20, 1907.

Mary J. Hensley,  
Tellico Plains,  
Tennessee.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of February 13, 1907, you are advised that your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, has been received at this Office and placed on file.

You are further advised that none of these claims have been paid, and this Office cannot say, at the present time, just when the payment will be made.

Your postage stamp is returned herewith.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

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of July

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Yours respectfully

Mary Husby

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Julia Lewis  
130 128 1903

Dear Mr. Lewis

Dear Sir

In reply to your request I have  
written to Mr. Wicks K. E.  
He resides Georgia number 1851  
with his name on the  
Gorge of the Cherokee flood  
but I got some water the  
above but I will be back  
in a night for still for  
and which is the only one  
I have

Very truly  
yours  
Julia Lewis

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*J. R. McMillan*  
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*Mr. ...*  
*Special Commission*  
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*J. R. McMillan*

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from the Secretary  
of the State  
a copy of the  
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Commissioner of  
the General Land  
Office  
relating to the  
land in the  
State of  
California  
which is  
now being  
sold to the  
public  
and I have  
the honor to  
acknowledge  
the receipt of  
the same.

INDIAN DEPT.  
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Erving & Sons  
A. West

Feb 13 1907

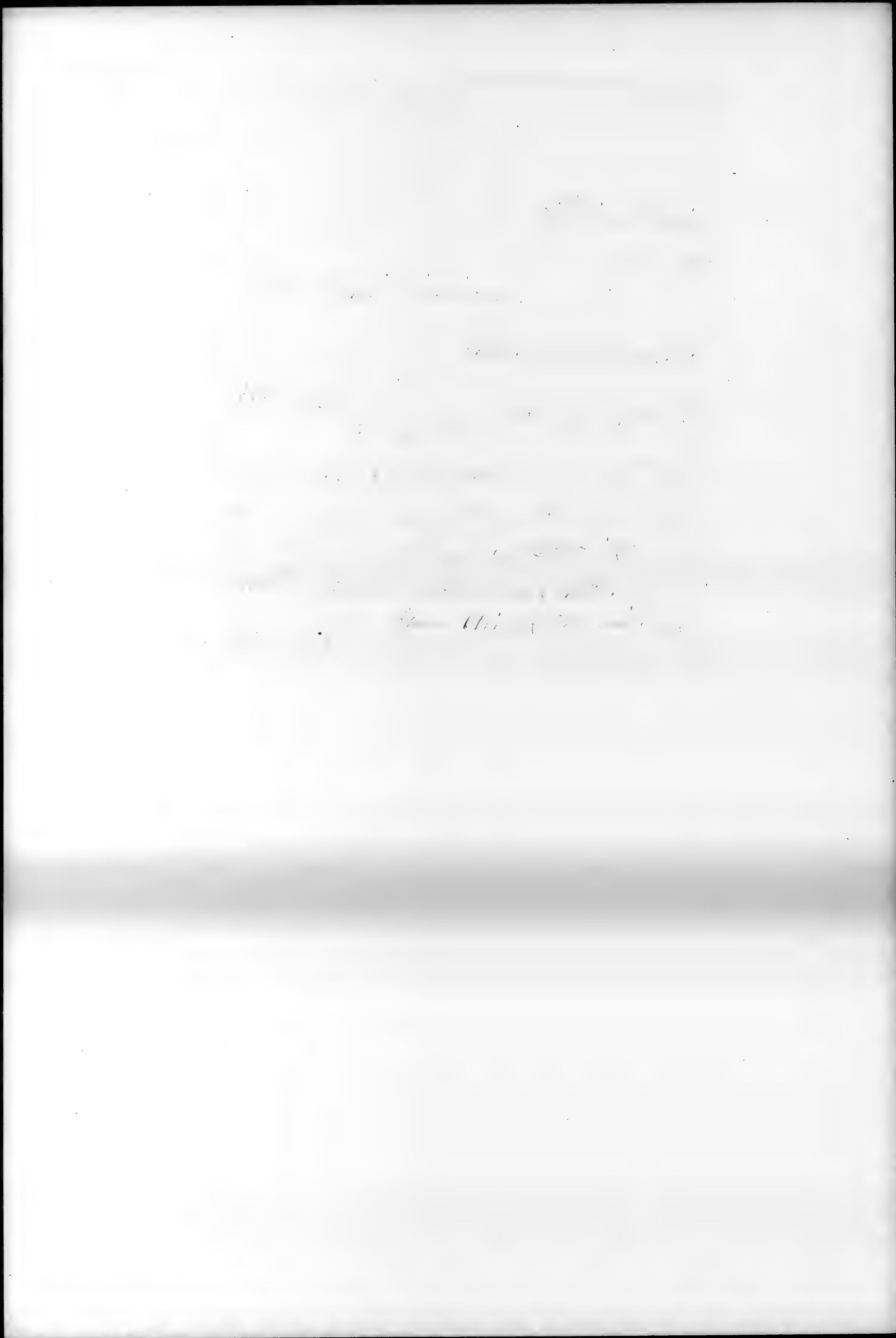
Mr O E Truitt  
I have put my hand  
in Behu Kachwa...  
my Estancia and...  
with...  
far and...  
I have got any and...  
it is rumored in the  
country that all the...  
is...  
and I...  
have in it true

Please write and let me hear  
at once for I would like to have

yours respectfully

Mrs Mary Hinder

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am by  
via  
The Spring

This is  
Jan 15 1910  
Wicks  
P.O. No.

as I am interested in the  
Mammals I thought  
would write to you  
would you please be so  
kind as to write to the  
Department a short time  
and when you can be  
as I have a great deal

Time in to ~~the~~  
land I had to ~~rather~~  
get with my inquiry  
that I guess you had  
an eye on them. As having  
to have at a day date  
yours respectfully

Henry - Hensley

Tell's Plains

Texas

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attn

Jessie Plains  
July 2 1892  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

I would like to know  
whether my commission that is  
of age will hold to me  
a separate receipt for these  
parts as that my commission  
No. 723. When I was  

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I am with you  
Yours truly  
Jessie Plains

COUNTY OF...  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. MAY 11 1908  
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*W. C. Cox*  
MAY 11 1908



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Mr. J. J. Miller

I have had to  
you some time ago  
I thought I would  
with you A gain as  
I have interested in  
claim I have to mention  
talk with is not true  
it is your place to admit

Ans by  
cinc

to the end give me a  
letter in return  
want let me know  
Hear from you soon  
your oblige  
Mary J. Henley  
Tellie & Thers  
Linn

~~to me~~

App. #743

November 25, 1907.

Mr. J. H. Taylor,  
Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of  
Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee, please state  
whether your father's name was Wick or in Well.  
Please inform us with whom your father resided in  
1851, and give the names of his brothers and sisters.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CEB/ALS

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 10064-65-66.

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each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1112-13-14  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

Mary J. Perisley



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Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mary B. Lane* and *2* children. Residence: *Wichita City - Okla.*

Reasons:

*Rejected for reasons set forth in  
Special Report cited herein.*

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No. 744

Name. *Wm. L. ...*

With No. ....

Remarks:

*...*



No. 744

Name Mary B. Lane

Wish No.

Remarks: Nos. 10484, 14642,  
23806, 24116, 24117, 24118,  
2258, 24119, 24656, 25132,  
25133, 27627, 28070, 40720,  
3507, 37269, 40079,  
grouped beneath,  
Claims thro. 38489  
William A. Duke 1835

Jesse H. Avery one of the aff-  
licant whose application #14642  
is grouped beneath, was born in  
1841 in Bibb Co. Ala.  
He claims thro. his great grand  
father (?) Wm. A. Duke who was born  
not later than 1780.  
His parents were married in Green  
ville Dist. S.C. in 1817 or 1818. They  
lived in Ga. near Cherokee line.  
They moved to Bibb Co. Ala. between  
1828-1833 & were still living  
there in '51. Grand parents were  
living in S.C. in '51 & were probably  
living there in 1817-1818.  
Neither J. H. Avery, nor his parents,  
nor grand parents, were ever enrolled  
with Eastern Cherokees.

- Ave. -

Thus it appears that neither  
the applicant nor his parents nor  
grand parents ever lived in the  
Cherokee nation, nor belonged to the  
tribe.

All applications grouped here with  
Clair, Chas. same list.

See letter no. # 1104

March 1842



*Sub*

No. 341

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary B. Lane*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 10 1906  
No.

*1st L*

*William H. Lockwood, 1906*

# 744.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: Marv Bashtine Lane  
Indian name: Dont Arrow who raised among whites
2. Residence: 707
3. Town and post office: 707 (at ...)
4. County: 16<sup>th</sup> Recording District
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: June 15<sup>th</sup> 1852  
Shelby County Alabama
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Claim a Cherokee Indian by blood through William A. Duke who is great-grandfather of Mary B. Lane and Luke Compton as Grandfather
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: E. Lane age 56
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Wilson Evans  
Indian name: Dont Arrow  
Mother—English name: Selitha Jane Avery  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Selitha Jane ...
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Georgia  
Mother: Georgia
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Shelby County Alabama  
Mother: Shelby County Alabama
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Oct 7<sup>th</sup> 1898 Mother: July 1<sup>st</sup> 1900

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                                | BORN.                                    | DIED.                                                 |
|-----|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| (1) | Caroline Avery<br>Daniel M. Avery    | Nov 24 <sup>th</sup> 1847<br>Feb 16 1849 | July 8 <sup>th</sup> 1887<br>Mar 7 <sup>th</sup> 1868 |
| (2) | John N. Avery<br>Nathan A. Avery     | Aug 22 <sup>th</sup> 1850<br>Born 1854   | July 20 <sup>th</sup> 1904                            |
| (3) | Elias D. Avery<br>William A. Avery   | May 18 1855<br>1856                      | 1857                                                  |
| (4) | Luke D. Avery<br>Melitha B. Avery    | 1857<br>1859                             | 1885                                                  |
| (5) | Sarah C. Avery<br>Elizabeth J. Avery | 1861<br>July 25 <sup>th</sup> 1863       | 1881<br>1865                                          |
| (6) | Michael W. Avery<br>Francis Avery    | 1864<br>Mar 22 1865                      | 1902                                                  |
|     | Charles V. Avery                     | Jan 1870                                 |                                                       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.         | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| William A. Duke        | John Thomas          |
| Jessie Avery           | Pruth Thomas Mc Cobb |
| Miriam Avery McCompton |                      |

17. Where were they born? Jessie & Miriam Avery was born Greenville District South Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Shelby County Alabama

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                                          |                         |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) English name: <u>Clarissa Avery</u>  | <u>William H. Avery</u> |
| Indian name: <u>Dead</u>                 | <u>Dead</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Alabama</u>                | <u>Dead</u>             |
| (2) English name: <u>Robert Avery</u>    | <u>Luke Avery</u>       |
| Indian name: <u>Dead</u>                 | <u>Dead</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Arkansas</u>               | <u>Dead</u>             |
| (3) English name: <u>Coraline Avery</u>  | <u>Sarah Avery</u>      |
| Indian name: <u>Dead</u>                 | <u>Dead</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Dead</u>                   | <u>Texas</u>            |
| (4) English name: <u>Elizabeth Avery</u> | <u>Malicea Avery</u>    |
| Indian name: <u>Dead</u>                 | <u>Dead</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Alabama</u>                | <u>Dead</u>             |
| (5) English name: <u>James Avery</u>     | <u>Eley Avery</u>       |
| Indian name: <u>Dead</u>                 | <u>Dead</u>             |
| Residence: <u>Dead</u>                   | <u>Texas</u>            |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and ~~maternal~~ <sup>ancestral</sup> ancestors back to 1835: *William M Avery*  
*Editha Avery ne Galt* *Jessie Avery* *Miriam Avery ne Crumpton*  
*Isabel Crumpton* *Polle Crumpton* *Ne Duke*  
*William a Duke*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I am a descendant of Benjamin G. Lockwood of  
Hartford, Conn. and his wife, Elizabeth  
Avery, and am a descendant of William  
Avery, a descendant of William Avery ne Crumpton  
and his wife, Isabella ne Duke.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Mary D Lone*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Oct 13*, 1909 *B. C. Baland*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *H. O. Fleet* and  
*Ernie Bronough*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Mary B. Lone*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *35* years and *4* years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *her* represents *her* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*H. O. Fleet*  
*Ernie Bronough*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Oct 13*, 1909 *B. C. Baland*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 744

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

1  
OF

*Mary B. Lane.*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

STREET NORTH



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Oury Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Mary B. Lane
2. Residence and post office: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
3. County: Oklahoma
4. State: Oklahoma O.T.
5. Date and place of birth: June 5 - 1822 Shelby Co, Ala.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: John E. Lane, age 57 Born 1850
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? none
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                       | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Charles C. Lane</u>      | <u>35</u> | <u>1872</u> |
| (2) | <u>James I. Lane</u>        | <u>34</u> | <u>1873</u> |
| (3) | <u>Belle Wette W. Lane</u>  | <u>28</u> | <u>1879</u> |
| (4) | <u>Belle Graham W. Lane</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>1881</u> |
| (5) | <u>Robert C. Lane</u>       | <u>22</u> | <u>1885</u> |
| (6) | <u>Dora Lane</u>            | <u>20</u> | <u>1887</u> |
|     | <u>Viola Lane</u>           | <u>18</u> | <u>1889</u> |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, no  
and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

**I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. attorney for the above minors and allow her a commission of ten per cent.**

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary B. Lane

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Aug 1907.

Geo. W. Lutes  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 31, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me M. Brannough and W. J. Fleet who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary B. Lane who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 4 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_

M. Brannough

\_\_\_\_\_

W. J. Fleet

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of aug, 1907.

J. C. Beland

Notary Public.

My commission expires oct 13, 1909.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Charley C. Lane  
Affidavit of Claimant  
for his children

|                                       |
|---------------------------------------|
| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Rec. FEB 17 1908                      |
| No.                                   |

Wm Duke  
file

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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

In the matter of the claim of Charley C. Lane and children for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation I. T. as Cherokee Indians by blood and to establish their right to their Pro Rata share of the \$5,000,000.00 fund now due the Eastern Emigrant Cherokees as per Section 68 of the Act of Congress, approved March 3rd. 1903, personally appeared this day before me the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for the Southern District of the Indian Territory, Charles C. Lane, who after being duly sworn stated as follows: That his application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation by blood and for a pro rata share of the fund above described, is now pending under the application of his mother, Mary B. Lane. That deponent hereby makes application praying that his minor children, Mattie Lane, David Lane, Alma Lane, Vera Lane and Lloyd Lane be admitted as citizens of the Cherokee Nation by blood, and as such be awarded their pro rata share of the fund above described. Deponent deposes and says that all of said children were born of lawful wedlock of deponent and his wife, Elizabeth B. Lane on the following dates, to-wit: Mattie Lane Aug. 14th. 1893; David Lane Nov. 2, st. 1895; Alma Lane Sept. 2nd. 1900; Vera Lane Feb. 14th. 1903 and Lloyd Lane Mar. 29th. 1905.

That the facts upon which this application is based will be found in the affidavits used in the matter of the application of the said Mary B. Lane and tending to establish her Indian blood and rights thereunder. *Deponent's mother, said Mary B. Lane, was married in 1870.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 3rd day of Aug. 1908.

*Chas. C. Lane*

*Arden J. Buechel*

Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct. 2nd. 1909.

Appl. #744

November 25, 1907.

Mary B. Rose,  
Muskogee City, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for registration  
in the land entries from the grant of the United States of  
Claims in favor of the Nation of Muskogees, you state  
that your parents were not enrolled in 1851. Please  
inform us why they were not so enrolled. Please in-  
form us through which agent, Indian or her  
wife, you claim to be related to Big Elk Duke.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CHR/ALS



CALL SLIP.

May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1897.

FROM

B. A. LOCKWOOD & CO.,  
*Indian* TO THE *Office*  
**PENSION BUREAU.**

Application No. ....

Certificate No. ....

Name of Claimant:

*Mary B. Lane, formerly*  
*of N. H. Indian Territory*  
*Co. , Reg't*

~~Please give us status of the case men-~~  
~~tioned above.~~

*Latest address --*

*Oklahoma City,*  
*Okla*

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD & CO.,

619 F Street, N. W.,

Washington, D. C.

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Answer by  
last entry.

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Oklahoma City

May 20, 1902

Mr. Guion Miller,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir, you will  
find enclosed a slip  
from a local newspaper  
by referring to applica-  
tion 744 you will find  
that Mary B. Lawrence,  
Raff, Ind. has filed her  
application with two  
children and some  
children, but she has  
two grand children  
that has to be set up

the limit, and if the  
Rolls has been examined  
by applications I would  
be glad to know it, and  
we would send in  
their application  
I am of the opinion  
those parties as to  
take you know the  
Rolls has closed  
the 31st of Aug, 1907  
so if there is a chance  
to get those children  
born since 1906 on  
the new Roll place  
around you as well.

blank applications  
and if you have any  
idea and don't care to  
give out the rate write  
one about when you  
think the payment  
will be made.

Yours very respectfully  
J. E. Stone.



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Ashes, Okla.

R. C. -

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Application 10744

Oklahoma City

April 10<sup>th</sup> 1907

Mr. F. W. Miller

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir relative to

your letter of the 25<sup>th</sup>

Dated Mar 25, 1907

Will say I do not recall

whether Mr. Luther

was executed in 1851

or not that I know

I have learned my

Luther was not a full

blood and he had some

relatives and the Indian

side back in Carolina  
and Georgia & Anne  
My Indian blood through  
my father William, Sr.  
who he claimed an  
Indian blood through his  
mother Myra Annary  
who was a Crumpton  
before marriage she  
was the daughter of Luke  
and Polly Crumpton & they  
were both first cousins  
I am just sure and think  
Polly Crumpton's mother was  
part white (William Luke's  
wife) he was my grandfather



grand father, my father  
and mother is both dead  
but my father told me  
when I was a boy  
that if he had commenced  
in time he could have  
got a settlement for him  
self and all of his children,  
and told me all he said  
about his Indian blood  
if I had known there would  
have been any chance of  
making my peace and  
getting any thing I would  
have written it down, my hus-  
band is a minister and

he mentioned in the  
burial services of my  
grand mother Mary  
and Kate in Chilbury  
and grand father gave  
him the history of grand  
mother's family so far  
as the 110's he got what  
information we have,  
I have two aunts in Alaska  
and one Uncle was there  
a few years ago but I think  
he moved to the Creek  
Nation and then to Hill  
Mexico and I have one  
in Texas if I could see

all the information neces-  
sary I implied Belvia,  
A. Lockwood of Washington  
to attend to the matter,  
for me & I have sent her several  
testimonials to prove  
my blood is pure  
will call on her she  
can present them to  
you, what else you  
may do in my favor  
will certainly be received  
very highly yours  
Very respectfully  
M B Lane

them I could learn more  
about our connection  
I will try to give you  
the names of my relatives  
on the Indian side  
I am the daughter  
William, H. A. A. A. A. A.  
was the son of Myram  
A. A. A. A. A. A. A. A. A. A.  
before marriage the  
daughters of Luke and  
Paley Compton, Paley  
Compton was Paley, A. A. A. A.  
before marriage the  
daughter of William A. A. A.  
I hope this will give you

COURT OF CLAIMS  
NORTHERN CHEROKEES.  
No. AUG 10 1907  
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Oklahoma City

Oklahoma Aug 13-1907

Hon. Guyan Miller

Special Commissioner

Washington, D. C.

Kind sir Will you  
give me some infor-  
-mation in regard to  
my Wife's claim as  
an Estero Cherokee  
We employed Belvia  
A Lockwood of Washi-  
-ngton, D. C. as an  
attorney to get our  
claim for us, she

has put in my wife  
and mine also as  
inter married Indians  
We have him notified  
by the Office that  
my wife's application  
has been recorded in  
the Office. Mary B  
Lane her number is  
744 and mine of Edna  
is No 12095 We sent  
with my wife's applic-  
-ation a list of the  
names and ages of all  
of our children both  
adults and minors

The three youngest  
was under 21 years  
at that time but the  
youngest boy is  
now 21 and the youngest  
girl is 18 and the next  
youngest 20 a short  
time ago Betina A  
Lackwood sent us  
a blank supplemental  
application  
for our minor children  
and the blank form  
they send give the  
names of all our  
children and we

filled it out and returned it now what I want to know is it necessary for our adults to make separate applications they have not been notified of the filing of their applications, does the application have to reach your office by the 31 or will it do to get them acknowledged here by the 31 if it is necessary for them to make separate

applications send me  
one half day blank  
it seems that the best  
lawyers I can get here  
do not wish to meet  
with me the reason  
we did not make  
applications at the start  
was we lived in the  
East and did not <sup>do</sup> any  
thing about the Indian  
affairs and I thought a  
person would have to  
at least <sup>be</sup> over half Indian  
to get a share but since  
I came West I have learned



better and as you  
will see by referring  
to Harry B Jones  
application No 744  
that he has traced  
the blood through his  
ancestors back to  
the Roll of 1835  
No 194. Excuse me  
for hearing you  
with this long  
letter yours very  
respectfully  
A E Jones  
432 West 5<sup>th</sup> St.  
Oklahoma City

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Oklahoma City  
Oklahoma Feb 21 - 1910

Special Commissioner  
of Claims Washington, D.C.  
Dear Sir Will you kindly  
inform me what is  
being done with the five  
million appropriated by  
Congress for the Eastern  
Sherokee Indians. I and  
my wife Mary, B. Lane and  
seven children made  
an application for our  
share of that amount.  
as Cherokee Pass Jan 7-21-1907  
My claim is No 12075 and  
my wife No 744 and some  
time last year we was

Written to my attorney  
Belvidere, Lockwood, and  
the Hon. Simon Miller.  
both and have not  
got any hearing from  
either of them hoping  
to get a speedy res-  
ult I remain yours  
fraternally

J. E. Lane,

N.B. What I want to  
know is where have  
been put on the  
Roll and if so, this  
claim will be paid off

informed by the Hon. Geo. Miller that the case was not put on the next call made up by him, and the taken an appeal to the Court of Claims, and our attorney Belvid, Lockwood informed us Aug 7<sup>th</sup> 1909 that our appeal papers had been received and filed and would receive prompt attention and that the Executive Roll would be up before the Court of Claims for hearing the last week in October 1909 and I have not heard from it since I have



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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 744

circ. let.

Oklahoma City

Feb 3<sup>rd</sup> 1910

Mr. Guiow Miller

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir I believe something  
one two years ago you  
never was appointed to  
make up a new route  
for the Eastern branch  
to the Indian place  
Inform me if it has  
been completed and  
if Mary, B. Lane and her  
children are on  
the new route her no  
is 744. Hoping to hear  
from you soon J. E. Lane.  
I remain yours

WASHINGTON, D. C.  
819 F STREET, NORTH W. BLDG.  
Attorney and Solicitor  
BEIYA A. LOCKWOOD

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Some of the Descendants of Wm. N. Duke  
 whose name will be found on page 194 of the  
 Roll of 1635 taken in the State of Georgia 2 including

|                                                                           |     |       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-------|
| Polly Duke, daughter, married Luke Crumpton                               |     |       |
| Miriam Duke, " " Jesse Avery age No.                                      |     |       |
| Robert Avery, s. of Miriam,                                               | 80- | 10484 |
| Isaac N. Avery, s. of " 9, married C,                                     | 66- | 74642 |
| Harriett L. Avery, gdn, of minor children                                 | 61- | 2330  |
| Alvin R. Avery, s. of Harriett L. A.                                      | 20- | 15885 |
| Wm Lee Avery, 6 c children                                                | 57- | 40720 |
| Nathan A. Avery, d. Wm Avery & Sally                                      | 54- | 35408 |
| Sam'l M. Avery, s. of Robt Avery & Sally                                  | 54- | 3507  |
| Jesse J. Avery, s. Cecelia Battles, 3 c,                                  | 38- | 25132 |
| Chas W. Avery, s. of John N. 6 c                                          | 34- | 2323  |
| Dora P. Maxwell, d. of Harriett L. Avery                                  | 27- | 3598  |
| Wm Robert Avery,                                                          | 27- | 24118 |
| Flora Jane Avery, d. Wm A. Duke & P. Crumpton                             | 25- | 24119 |
| Mary Louise Avery, n.c. d. Sam'l                                          | 24- | 32185 |
| Esby Newton Avery, s. of Isaac N. Ave.                                    | 23- | 27627 |
| Wm Arthur Avery, s. Sam'l Miles & K                                       | 22- | 38756 |
| Isabel A. Avery, d. of Isaac N. s. of Luke Crumpton                       | 21- | 24118 |
| Mary B. Lane, d. of Polly Duke, 3 minors                                  | 54- | 2614  |
| Charles C. Lane, s. " s. of Mary                                          | 35- | 2258  |
| Hewitt Lane, " " "                                                        | 27, |       |
| Belle Cordell, dem, exemption & such as Thomas,                           | 24, |       |
| Julia A. Sulhwan, gdn Wm M.,                                              | 38, |       |
| Julia Charlotte Lane,                                                     | 38, | 13757 |
| J. E. Lane husband of Mary B. makes his application, but is not entitled. | 37, | 12095 |
| Jas. Dennis Lane, g.d. n. of 2 minors                                     | 34  | 2029. |
| Lou Ella Newson, d. of J. M. Avery                                        |     | 3401  |
| Delia Lane ne' Freedland & children                                       |     |       |
| Artha May Gibbs, d. Harriett L. Avery, 1 minor                            | 22  | 33096 |
| Mary J. Covington, d. Harriett L. A., 2 minors                            | 26  | 3779  |
| Mary Miriam Davis, d. of Polly Crump, 4 minors                            |     |       |

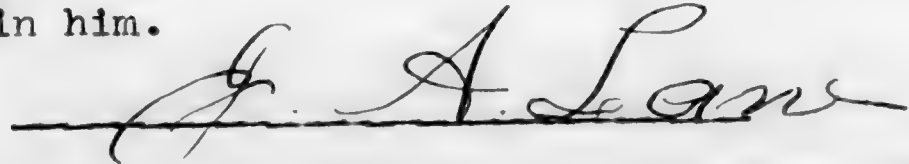


The State of Alabama,)

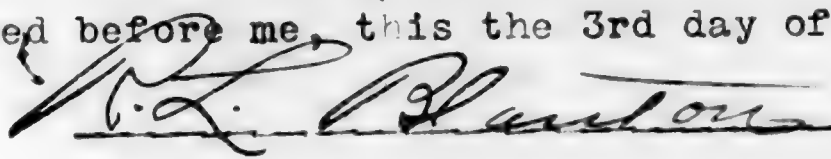
Winston County.)

In the case of W. W. Avery, claimant for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, before the Dawes Commission, authorized under an act of the Congress of the United State, personally appeared this day before me, R. L. Blanton, Probate Judge in and for said county in said state, duly authorized to administer oaths, James A. Lane, to me personally known to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says:

My name is James A. Lane, age 57 years, post office, Dismal, Winston County, Alabama. I am a farmer by occupation. In relation to the above named case I declare as follows: Mary B. Lane, wife of John E. L. Lane is a daughter of W. W. Avery; that W. W. Avery is a son of Jesse Avery and Miriam Avery; that, for many years, it has been my information which information has been given me by the Avery family, Miriam Avery, wife of the said Jesse Avery, was a daughter of Luke Crumpton and that Luke Crumpton had Indian blood in him.



Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 3rd day of September, 1896.



Probate Judge.





The State of Alabama,)

Winston County.)

In the case of W. W. Avery, claimant for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, before the Dawes Commission, authorized under an act of Congress of the United States personally appeared this day before me, R. L. Blanton, Probate Judge in and for said county and state, duly authorized to administer oaths, T. W. Knight, to me personally known to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, according to law, deposes and says:

My name is Thomas W. Knight, age 64 years, post office, Motes, Winston county, Alabama. I am a farmer by occupation. In relation to the above named case I declare as follows, to-wit: ~~Mary B. Lane~~ That Mary B. Lane wife of John E. L. Lane is ~~a wife~~ daughter of W. W. Avery; that W. W. Avery is a son of Jesse Avery and Miriam Avery. I further declare that, for many years it has been my information that there is Indian blood in W. W. Avery and that it came through his mother, the said Miriam Avery.

T. W. Knight

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 3rd day of September, 1896.

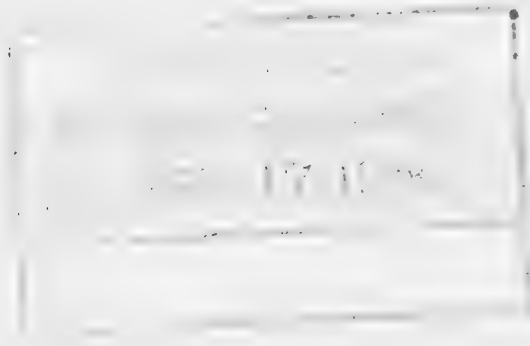
R. L. Blanton

Probate Judge.

Claim of  
James Dennis Lane

Affidavit of  
Claimant  
Jas. Dennis Lane

concerning his  
citizenship



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor  
619 F STREET, NORTH EAST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

James Dennis Lane

*Wm. B. Oakes*  
*Notary*

United States of America,  
Oklahoma Territory, ss  
Lincoln County,

In the matter of the claim of James Dennis Lane and children for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation I.T. as Cherokee Indians by blood and to establish their right to their Pro Rata share of the \$5000000.00 fund now due the Eastern Emigrant Cherokees as per Section 68 of the act of Congress, approved March 3, 1903, personally appeared this day before me the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for Lincoln County, Oklahoma Territory, James Dennis Lane, who after being duly sworn stated as follows: That his application for Citizenship in the Cherokee Nation by blood and for a pro rata share of the fund above described, is now pending under the application of his mother, Mary B. Lane. That deponent hereby makes application praying that his minor children, Esta Lane, Victor Lane, be admitted as citizens of the Cherokee Nation by blood, and as such be awarded their pro rata share of the fund above described. Deponent deposes and says that all of said children were born of lawful wedlock of deponent and his wife, Bessie G. Lane on the following dates, to-wit: Esta Lane April 15, 1900 and Victor Lane May 3, 1905.

That the facts on which this application is based will be found in the affidavits used in the matter of the application of the said Mary B. Lane and tending to establish her Indian blood and rights thereunder. Deponents mother, said Mary B. Lane was married in 1870.

*James Dennis Lane*

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

*A. P. Slower*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 7, 1910.

Washington D. C. Oct 27-1905

Dear Sir.

Your power of Attorney  
and (\$1) enclosed received, names recorded  
and power filed.

The case is on appeal to  
the United States Supreme Court and  
the lawyer's briefs are not yet filed.

After Supreme Court judgement  
we have to wait for Congress to make  
the appropriation and then new rolls  
will be made both East and West.

Of this you will be notified

Yours Truly  
Belva A. Lockwood.



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I told her  
the present  
ruling was  
that children  
would have  
to draw through  
parents, but  
there might be  
a change in  
ruling

Sulphur, I.T.  
Nov, 26, 1906.

Mrs. Belva Lockwood,

Dear friend,

I received a letter from M.M.Coleman, saying my children did not need application blanks,

I dont understand why you sent them one to fill out ~~why~~ they did not need them,  
if

I did not understand why you sent one for my dead husband John N. Avary, I thought I understood you untill late, Mr Coleman asked if my husband had any Cheerokee blood in him, if not why should I be trying to get a right for his children and my self.

I will tell you how the blood comes, William Duke was the father of Polly Compton,

Polly Compton was the mother of Miram Avary,

Miram Avary was the mother of W.W. Avary,

W.W. Avary was the father of John N. Avary,  
which is my dead husband.

Now if this doesn't prove the Cherokee blood, I guess I had just as well drop my part of it for this is all I know about the Cherokee blood. Mr. Coleman asked to know if our children are all of age, yes all but one Alvin R. all married but him, and he is nineteen.

Please give me all the information that you think is necessary,

Yours Respectfully,  
Harriett L. Avary.

P.S. You failed to send LouElla Newsom's, and Alvin R. Avary's application's,

Mary B. Lane  
Affidavit of  
S. M. Avery &  
Robert Avery.

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Feb. FEB 17 1968

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 9/1904 Sheffield Office

State of Alabama  
Colbert County

Personally appeared before me  
J.P. Murdock an acting Justice  
of the Peace in & for aforesaid  
County and Notary Public in  
and for said State & County

The Persons whose names  
are assigned below and  
made oath in due form of Law  
that they are acquainted with  
Mary B. Lane of Rolf J. T. and they  
know according to all information  
given and according to the best of  
all knowledge & belief she is the  
daughter of W. H. Avery & W. H. Avery was  
the son of Jesse & Miriam Avery & Miriam  
Avery was the daughter of Luke & Polly Compton  
and Polly Compton was the daughter of  
William A. Duke Page 194 Roll 18 35; State  
of Georgia.

W. H. Avery  
Robert Avery

Sworn to & subscribed before me at office  
in Sheffield this May 9<sup>th</sup> 1904

Witness my hand & office See of office  
the date above written James P. Murdock  
Notary Public -

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Dec. JUN 24 1907  
No. 742 A



Oklahoma City  
Oklahoma June 21 - 1907  
Mr. George Miller  
Washington  
D.C.

Dear Sir Will you  
kindly advise me  
in regard to Mrs. M. R.  
Linn's application for  
participation in the  
fund arising from  
the judgment of the  
Court of Claims in favor  
of the Eastern Cherokee  
It has been filed as  
application No 744.

It is a fact that  
and if there is any  
lack of proof it can  
and will be furnished  
as soon as we are  
satisfied. I should be  
glad to hear if there  
is any prospect of  
getting it and want  
them, please advise  
me also about applica-  
tion No 12075 as inter-  
married citizens and  
our children's appli-  
cations was sent  
In with and know

Their numbers and  
applications was  
made by Belvidere  
Lock House of New  
York City  
Yours very respectfully  
J. E. Lane.

address me at  
Oklahoma City  
Okla 1140 West 20th

App. #744.

August 21, 1907.

J. W. Lane,  
431 West Fifth Street,  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of August 12, 1907, you are advised that your adult children should file separate applications.

Six application blanks are inclosed, herewith, as requested.

All applications should be filed in this office by August 21, 1907.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

M.C.

6 inclosures.

App. #744.

June 26, 1907.

J. E. Lane,

1140 West 26th Street,  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Sir:-

Your letter of June 21, 1907, relative to your wife's application, is at hand.

You are advised that the applications have not been taken up for final consideration as the Court of Claims in its order of April 29, 1907, an abstract of which is herewith inclosed, has extended the time for the filing of applications to August 31, 1907, and until the applications have all been filed it will be impossible to give final consideration to any of them.

As there are already over 26,000 applications on file and the claimants are widely scattered through the United States, it will necessarily take considerable time to have all of these cases adjudicated, and until they are so determined no money can be distributed.

There are no lands to be distributed in connection with this fund.

Very respectfully,

NBC.

Special Commissioner.



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MAR 28 1908

Mary B. Lane

Oklahoma City  
Okla Mar 25-1904

Mr. Grant Miller

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir Will you be  
so kind as to inform  
me if Belvidere, La. has been  
presented to you the  
additional proceeds in  
Mary B. Lane's application  
and share in the five  
million appropriated by  
Congress for the Eastern  
Cherokee the No 2  
application is 742 I have  
this lack of money unpaid to  
attend to it for me,  
and have sent you

all the proof that I think  
is necessary but she  
dont write me, I want  
to know if Mary B. Jones  
proof is all right if so  
the same proof would  
entitle Harriet, A Mary W.  
Childress she is a widow  
and it is no little trouble  
and expense to get up  
the proof I want to be  
- list her in getting  
up her proof if it is  
worth while, Harriet  
Mary's husband was  
a brother to my Will  
and is Mrs. Mary B.  
Jones is on the Roll

I can afford to spend  
some time and money  
to get the roof for Harriet  
(Mary's children, please  
write about what time  
you think the new hall  
will be completed and  
the money distributed  
I hope you will not think  
I am asking too much  
of you, thanking you  
in advance for any  
aid you may show me  
I remain yours  
fraternally

J. E. Lane,

1321, Box 5  
R.F.D. No. 2 Oklahoma City

Special Report on #744.

Application #744 and others grouped therewith, alleged descendants of the common ancestor, William A. Duke, whose name appears on the roll of 1835.

Of these claimants, the two oldest are Robert Avery, aged 81 years, and Isaac N. Avery, aged 57 years, applications #10484 and #14642 respectively.

Robert Avery was born in Hall County, Georgia, in 1827, which was not at that time part of the Cherokee domain. He was not enrolled in 1835 or 1851. He claims Indian descent through his mother, Myrom Avery, who died as late as 1881. She was born in Greenville District in South Carolina, and lived in Bibb County, Ala., in 1851, quite removed from the Cherokee domain. Myrom Avery was the daughter of Luke and Polly Crompton, and Polly Crompton was the daughter of Wm. A. Duke, alleged to have been enrolled in 1835. Neither Myrom Avery nor Polly Crompton were ever enrolled, and as they lived in Greenville District, S.C., at the time Myrom Avery was born, it is a natural presumption they lived there some time before. This locality is quite removed from the Cherokee domain.

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From the foregoing it appears that neither the applicant, Robert Avery, his parents nor grandparents ever lived in the Cherokee domain, were ever enrolled or were ever recognized as being members of the tribe, either by descent or association.

If Myrom Avery and her husband moved to Bibb County, Ala., between 1828 and 1833, and still lived in the middle of that State as late as 1881, they surely were not living in the Cherokee domain at the time of the treaty of 1835-6, and could not have been parties to this treaty. And the Wm. A. Duke enrolled from Murray County, Ga., in 1835, is not the William A. Duke herein mentioned as the common ancestor of these claimants. These cases are accordingly rejected.



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State of Georgia Gordon County  
Personally appeared before me  
Mrs Minnie Owens, and depose  
and say that both her children  
are living. The oldest was born  
on the 7<sup>th</sup> February the 7<sup>th</sup> 1903  
and youngest was born on the  
March 11<sup>th</sup> 1906

My Reply to vid. 12945---38179  
sworn to before me  
Jan 20<sup>th</sup> 1908  
Minnie Owens.  
J.W.C. Roberts, J.P.

N.B. I thought best to create an  
affidavit Minnie Owens





No. 74.5

Name Felix Payne

With No. 6

Remarks: also ST-al



No. 745

Name Felix Payne

~~With No.~~ <sup>9 sent</sup> within of 6

Remarks:

nos. 3317, 12099, 12108,  
12101, 1210  
11675-6-7-8 4174, 4175  
grouped herewith.

Claims Chis.

Catharine Parthen C. 1344

Martha " " 1349

Osterville 1353

O.K.

1-4-42

1-7-42

1-4-42

*921*  
*No. 287*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*J. S.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 10 1906  
No.

*— 5726*

# 745.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Felix Payne

Indian name: Felix Payne

2. Residence: State of Georgia, Madison County, ~~Royston~~ <sup>Royston</sup> Ga

3. Town and post office: ~~Comer Ga~~ <sup>Danielville Ga.</sup>

4. County: Madison

5. State: Georgia

6. Date and place of birth: November 28-1867, Murphy N.C.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: My grandfather, Felix Paynter  
Indian Cherokee Tribe.

My grandmother, Katie Paynter Indian, Cherokee Tribe

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife ~~husband~~: Octavia Berry Payne

27 years old.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Hazzle Payne

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Martha Payne Cherokee Tribe

Indian name: Martha Payne Cherokee Tribe

Maiden name: Martha Paynter Cherokee Tribe

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee N.C.

Mother: Cherokee N.C. Cherokee Tribe

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee County N.C.

Mother: Cherokee County N.C. Cherokee Tribe

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Living

Mother: April 25, 1906

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Mother enrolled before my birth, Cherokee N.C., Cherokee*  
*Father was not Indian.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                            | BORN.       | DIED.         |
|-----|----------------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Maek Payne Cherokee tribe</i> | <i>1865</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Jack Payne " "</i>            | <i>1867</i> | <i>1902</i>   |
| (3) | <i>David Payne " "</i>           | <i>1869</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (4) | <i>Mattie Payne " "</i>          | <i>1871</i> | <i>"</i>      |
| (5) | <i>George Payne " "</i>          | <i>1873</i> | <i>"</i>      |
| (6) | <i>Gilbert Payne " "</i>         | <i>1875</i> | <i>1904</i>   |
| (7) | <i>Elisha Payne " "</i>          | <i>1877</i> | <i>Living</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.                                   |
|----------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| <i>English</i> | <i>Felix Paynter Indian name Cherokee tribe.</i> |
|                | <i>Katie Paynter Indian name Cherokee tribe.</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Cherokee N.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Cherokee N.C.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *Merry Paynter*  
 Indian name: *Merry Paynter*  
 Residence: *Cherokee N.C.*
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *Dutch Paynter*  
 Residence: *Cherokee N.C.*
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *Martha Paynter*  
 Residence: *Cherokee N.C.*
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *Alvelda Paynter*  
 Residence: *Cherokee N.C.*
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *Daniel Paynter*  
 Residence: *Cherokee N.C.*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Yes, to childhood, Cherokee N.C. Cherokee tribe*



Tribe)

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Maternal Uncertains, Grandfather Felix Paynter Grandmother Katie Paynter Great Grandmother Mary, I do not know his full name*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I have applied to Zelma C. Lockwood of Madison Co. for a copy of her mother's will. I was told that she had a copy of it and that she would give it to me for \$10.00 per cent. My father & mother were married in 1865. In Cherokee County, N.C. I do not know when my grandparents were enrolled. My wife has no Indian blood.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Felix his Payne*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *first* day of *October* 1906.

My commission expires *January 1<sup>st</sup>* 1909 *A. H. Lang Ordinary of Madison County Georgia* Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. R. Porterfield* and *Joseph H. Seath*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Felix Payne*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. R. Porterfield*  
*Joseph H. Seath*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1* day of *October* 1906.

My commission expires *January 1* 1909 *A. H. Lang Ordinary of Madison County Georgia* Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 746

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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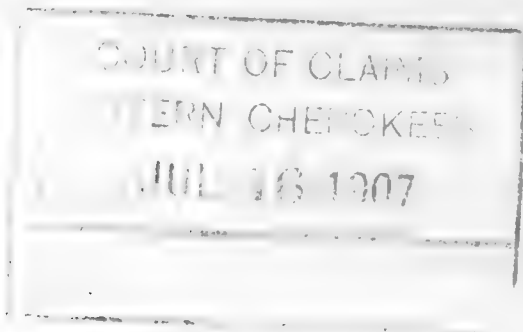
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Helix Payne*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



**BEVA A. LOCKWOOD,**

Attorney and Solicitor.

319 F STREET, NORTHWEST.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 745

1. State your full name: Felt Payne
2. Residence and post office: Madison County, Danielsville, R. F. D. No. 4
3. County: Madison
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: November 28, 1866 Murphy, Cherokee County, Ga.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Delia Payne, age 34 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.             | AGE.      | BORN.                    |
|-----|-------------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Lulu Payne</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>November 10, 1891</u> |
| (2) | <u>Lucy Payne</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>" " " "</u>           |
| (3) | <u>" " "</u>      | <u>10</u> | <u>" " " "</u>           |
| (4) | <u>" " "</u>      | <u>10</u> | <u>" " " "</u>           |
| (5) | <u>" " "</u>      | <u>7</u>  | <u>" " " "</u>           |
| (6) | <u>" " "</u>      | <u>7</u>  | <u>" " " "</u>           |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. attorney for the above minors and allow her a commission of two per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1907.

My Commission expires  
January 1st, 1909  
Stephen C. Kelley

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Robert F. O'Keller and David A. Moseley who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Felix Payne who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 8 years and 7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses,

\_\_\_\_\_

R. F. O'Keller

\_\_\_\_\_

D. A. Moseley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Stephen C. Kelly Clerk Supr Court  
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

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App. No. 745.

November 10, 1909.

Felix Payne,  
Royston,  
Georgia.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of November 8, 1909, you are advised that it is impossible for me, at this time, to state when the Eastern Cherokee fund will be distributed.

However, the money cannot be paid out for some time yet, as there have been a large number of exceptions filed to my report, and until these are considered and passed on, and the roll finally approved by the Court no money can be paid.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 10 1909  
No. 745



to admit  
Royal Ga News  
Special Commissioner of  
Court of Claims  
Dear Sir I attd to you  
order with I received from  
Washington I have not received  
any thing yet I am anxious to  
know in hand the Payment of the  
claim and when if possible also  
in what way it will be paid on the  
Royal Bank I leave it  
me here I am yours soon  
your Truly  
Phillips Payne

Yours truly  
Phillips Payne

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 28 1907  
No. 745

*circ Ford*  
OCT 28 1907

Lancaster Pa.  
Oct 25 - 1862

to Genl. Waller

Adjutant Genl.

Dear Sir

Please let me

know when you will

be out of the camp

and

send me

Felix Payne

Adjutant Genl.

Court's Ferry Pa. 1862

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
*Rec.* FEB 17 1909  
*No.* 725

FEB 17 1909



Jan 14, 1921

Dear Sir I will wait you  
 if you want to see me  
 the I am still looking for them  
 without to see you I have  
 got a letter and I will see  
 you for a moment you will  
 like to see a letter or not  
 with the same. Please let me  
 know at once if I have done  
 all the things for you  
 with all the things  
 with all the things



5/24 1910. 22

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 10882 - 8384 - 85 - 86 - 87 - 88 - 89 -  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1911 - 12 - 13 - 14 - 15 - 16 - 17 - 18  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

*[Signature]*

*Alex. S. Payne*  
*Secy.*

No. 946

Action: *Reject*

Name *Alice McKinney* and 1 children. Residence: *Andrews, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Sister of 7 and claims through the same  
source.*

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Field Collection Co.

No. 746

Name

Alsie McKinney

With No.

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Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are Nos. 310, 31150,  
31149, 8688, 2304  
31882, 32761, 33886  
28071 - 28108 - 9  
28625 - 6 - 7

Group No. 7.  
herewith for  
side.

*Book*

No. *246*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Abie J. Kinney*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
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Rec OCT 10 1906  
No.

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*Blair A. Wood, Uly*



# 746.

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— Algie McHenry  
 English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: Algie McHenry
2. Residence: Andrews
3. Town and post office: Andrews
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: Mississippi
6. Date and place of birth: County, Mississippi 1855
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: My father, Burgess  
a Cherokee Indian
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Henry C. McHenry age 54
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: Gamin Burgess  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: Matilda C. Burgess  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: Tennessee Dec 24 1814  
 Mother: Tennessee April 14 1815
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: Andrews  
 Mother: Tennessee
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: year of 1887 Mother: June 17 1882



Andrews ne  
Cherokee co Oct 7 1911

Mrs. Susan R. Johnson

If so, state when and  
date of 1835

Dear Madam

My father was enrolled in 1874 and  
New Weathering was enrolled  
in 1871. My mother was very  
small child of a woman in Tennessee  
and I don't know much about

the date of death:  
DIED.

them. I don't know  
any thing about their deaths.  
My mother was a half Indian. My  
parents were married in Tennessee  
Sept 14, 1835. I have seen those  
papers in the past.

father's and mother's side, if  
HER'S SIDE.

Respectfully

Andrews ne

Susan R. Johnson

ing, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Yes but not for annuities for  
Ann. Provisions about 1876

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *My grand father was on The Roll of 1835 in Tennessee*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME                 | BORN | DIED |
|-----|----------------------|------|------|
| (1) | <i>Heil E Finney</i> |      |      |
| (2) | <i>John Finney</i>   |      |      |
| (3) | <i>Pete Finney</i>   |      |      |
| (4) | <i>John Finney</i>   |      |      |
| (5) | <i>John Finney</i>   |      |      |
| (6) | <i>Arthur Finney</i> |      |      |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE        | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|--|----------------------|---------------|
|  | <i>Heil E Finney</i> |               |
|  |                      |               |
|  |                      |               |
|  |                      |               |

17. Where were they born? *Don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Tennessee*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                 |              |            |
|-----|---------------------------------|--------------|------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Don't know</i> | Indian name: | Residence: |
| (2) | English name:                   | Indian name: | Residence: |
| (3) | English name:                   | Indian name: | Residence: |
| (4) | English name:                   | Indian name: | Residence: |
| (5) | English name:                   | Indian name: | Residence: |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *yes but don't know what for and previous about 1876*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

*D. T. Jones*  
.....  
.....  
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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *alsie McKinney*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>x</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Oct 14*, 190*6* *L. S. Russell*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. R. Evans* and *Wendell [unclear]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *alsie McKinney*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *13* years and *15* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark. *[Signature]* Signatures of witnesses. *W R Evans*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>x</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.  
My commission expires *Oct 14*, 190*6* *L. S. Russell*  
Notary Public.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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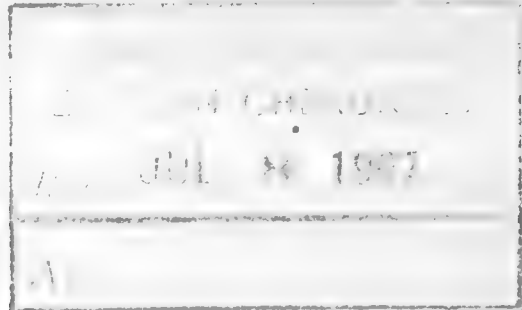
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Alsie McKinney*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



DELOVA & CO.,  
Attorneys at Law  
1117 F STREET, NORTHWEST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 746

1. State your full name: Alsie McKinney
2. Residence and post office: Andrews
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: N.C.
5. Date and place of birth: Tennessee
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Rose McKinney
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? .....
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|         | NAME                       | AGE. | BORN.              |
|---------|----------------------------|------|--------------------|
| # 28108 | (1) <u>Delia Baustis</u>   |      | <u>Sept 1 1875</u> |
|         | (2) <u>Ada Penland</u>     |      | <u>Jan 17 1877</u> |
| # 28109 | (3) <u>Luther McKinney</u> |      | <u>Jan 1 1879</u>  |
|         | (4) <u>Mack McKinney</u>   |      | <u>Feb 23 1882</u> |
| # 28107 | (5) <u>George McKinney</u> |      | <u>Jan 28 1884</u> |
| # 28106 | (6) <u>Eunory McKinney</u> |      | <u>Sep 12 1885</u> |
|         | <u>Clare McKinney</u>      |      | <u>Nov 9 1888</u>  |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: .....

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. attorney for the above minors and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Alsie McKinney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

D. Russell  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Oct 13, 1907



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James Phillips and J. L. Whitaker who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Aloisie McClure who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James Phillips  
J. L. Whitaker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

J. D. Russell  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 13, 1908

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Alsie Mc Kinney being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 56 years of age. I claim my Indian descent through both parents. My father claimed 1/2 and my mother claimed to be 3/4. I was never held in slavery. Neither of my parents were slaves. Don't know whether any of my grandparents were or not. I think my father was born in Gilmer Co., Ga. My mother was born in Polk Co., Tenn. My father was enrolled in Graham Co., N.C. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ About four or five years after the war my father came to Cherokee Co., N.C. to a council and he drew rations - he got flour, coffee and sugar. That was a long time after we moved here. He was going to the west. He has a brother named Billy Burgess living in the west. I don't know whether he is living or not. Don't know whether my father ever lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe. He was recognized as a Cherokee Indian. He was part Indian and part colored man. ~~XX~~ My mother was the same. My father was 63 when he died. My mother was about 40 when she died. Don't know the names of either of my mother's parents. My father did not have brothers that were enrolled that I know of. I don't think my father or grandfathers had any other names. Bella Jones who has filed application #1310 is my sister on my father's side. She doesn't have any skills through her mother; only through my ~~XXXXXX~~ father. My husband is a colored man. My father's second wife is a colored woman. My father's third wife is also a colored woman and her name is Mariah Young. My father when he was in Tenn. was carpentering. Never heard of him receiving any money from the government. ~~XX~~

D. N. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ being duly sworn in behalf of above claim, says:

Benjamin  
 I was acquainted with ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Burgess about forty years ago and was acquainted with him in Cherokee Co., N.C. He never lived with the Indians but I remember of him going to Graham Co., N.C. to attend the Indian councils. He claimed to be 1/2 Cherokee. He drew rations. His wife was part Indian, also. He said nothing to me about being on a roll but I don't know what roll it was. Don't think he ever drew any money. Don't think he had any other name. I don't know who dealt the rations out. A man named W. P. Walker dealt the rations. Benjamin Burgess was recognized as an Indian. He was supposed to be part colored. I think he has a brother named Bill and he told me that he was in the Ind. War.

Signature of Witness.

*7-16 Shows Indian to be enrolled in...*  
*Appointed by...*

Signature of Witness.

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No 747

Action: Admitted

Name Jasper P. Gillison and 2 children. Residence: Choteau, Alaska.

Reasons:

Applicants' mother, Peggy Brady, was enrolled by  
Drennan in Del. Dist. # 945.

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No. 747

Name Jasper P. Allison

With No.

Remarks:

nos. 30665, 31730,  
38771, 31579  
grouped herewith.

Claim this.

Elizabeth Goos } Del.  
Peggy Brady } 945

O. K.

No. 74

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Jasper P Allison

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1866, and amended with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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#747

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Jasper P Allison

Indian name:

None

2. Residence:

Chautauk

3. Town and post office:

Chautauk

4. County:

Cherokee

5. State:

GA

6. Date and place of birth:

Feb 18 1851

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

My mother Margaret Allison  
My Grand mother Betsy Allison  
My Grand Grand mother Margaret Allison

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Junie

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

William H Allison

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Margaret Allison

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Margaret Betsy

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Chautauk

Mother:

2.5 miles north east of Chautauk

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Chautauk

Mother:

near her birth place in Chautauk

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Dec

Mother:

November 1857

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *my mother was* *Read notes by*  
*Cherokee Council at Tahlequah, 9/1 about 1890*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                     | BORN.          | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Thomas M Allison</i>   | <i>unknown</i> |       |
| (2) | <i>Sarah J Allison</i>    | <i>"</i>       |       |
| (3) | <i>Mary Ann Allison</i>   | <i>"</i>       |       |
| (4) | <i>Robert Lee Allison</i> | <i>"</i>       |       |
| (5) | <i>Margaret E Allison</i> | <i>"</i>       |       |
| (6) | <i>Samuel M Allison</i>   | <i>"</i>       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.        |
|----------------|-----------------------|
| <i>unknown</i> | <i>Monroe Brady</i>   |
|                | <i>Margaret Brady</i> |

17. Where were they born? *unknown*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *unknown*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *Enrolled for final distribution*  
*1/1*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

.....  
.....  
.....

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I could not give exact dates of birth as I have no family record and there is no other members of my family here. I suppose it is better to leave it blank than to state them wrong*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Jasper P. Allison*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Dec 9*, 1906 *William A Crockett*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Taylor Hicks* and *A M Haver*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jasper P Allison*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *13* years and *10* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Taylor Hicks*  
*A M Haver*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Dec 9*, 1906 *William A Crockett*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 847

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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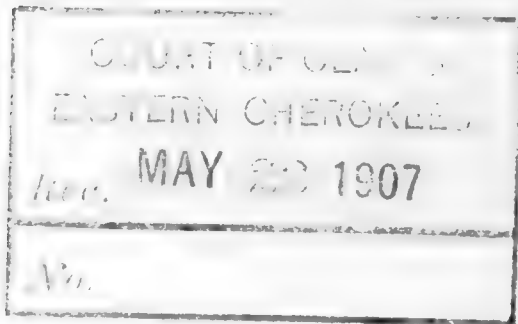
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Jasper P. Allison*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 747

1. State your full name: Jasper, P. Allison.
2. Residence and post office: Chouteau
3. County: 5th, Recording District,
4. State: Indian Territory,
5. Date and place of birth: Oct, 15th, 1875- Near Portland Oregon,
6. Are you married? Yes,
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Junnie A. Allison. (26) years Old.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Not Any.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                       | AGE.                 | BORN.                   |
|-----|-----------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Johnnie, S. Allison.</u> | <u>(7) Seven</u>     | <u>Oct, 28th, 1899</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Frankie, P. Allison.</u> | <u>(6) Six-Years</u> | <u>July, 10th, 1901</u> |
| (3) | .....                       | .....                | .....                   |
| (4) | .....                       | .....                | .....                   |
| (5) | .....                       | .....                | .....                   |
| (6) | .....                       | .....                | .....                   |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled as Cherokee's

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Jasper P Allison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th, day of May, 1907.

W. V. Samuel  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Oct, 15th, 1907.



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me V. Gray and M.E. Adkins who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jasper, P. Allison who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known Him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know Him to be the identical person. He represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, He had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by Him are true, and they have no interest whatever in This claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

V. Gray  
M.E. Adkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th, day of May, 1907.

Wm. P. Samuel  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct, 15th, 1907.

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Appl. #747

January 20, 1909.

Jasper E. Allison,  
Chouteau, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, you state therein that you were enrolled for final distribution of land. Please state under what name you were so enrolled, and the number under which you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission. With what tribe of Indians were you enrolled?

You state in your application that you were born in Oregon. When did you move from there to Oklahoma?

Please answer immediately, and refer in your reply to A.E.S. #747.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Sir 747 J. 52/5-1909

in Reply to your letter  
of January 20  
you asked what name I was  
inrolled under it was  
Jasper P Allison and my  
Roll number is as  
Jasper P Allison 31959  
and my children number is  
Johnnie S Allison 31960  
Frankie P Allison 31961  
The tribe I belong to is the  
Cherokee tribe  
you asked when I came here it  
was in 1893 your truly  
Jasper P Allison  
Chautauk Oklahoma

CHL

Received of **GUION MILLER**, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 13031-32-33  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 3682  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

Jasper P. Allison  
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No. 0118.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Aminda P. ...* and *two* children. Residence: *... N. H.*

Reasons:

*It does not appear that my ancestor was a party  
to the ... of ... Nor does it ap-  
pear that my ancestor was ever enrolled.*

*Inst. Test. 2056*

*118*

No. 748

Name Amanda Blainy

With No. Cupler, Ill.

Remarks:

Nos. 22817, 22861,  
22862

grouped herewith.

Cannot find persons  
tho whom appld.  
claim on the rolls.

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No. 748

Name Amanda Blair

With No. ....

Remarks:

Ex. File

No. 2319

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Amanda Blair*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 1, 1900, and May 28, 1906.

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#748

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*my mother was  
living at that time  
I claim the right through my  
mother and her Parents*

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

*12.2* *June 15 1863*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

- |     | NAME.                                          | BORN. | DIED.               |
|-----|------------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------|
| (1) | Ellen Hadden                                   |       | died about 1859     |
| (2) | David Hadden                                   |       | died about 1859     |
| (3) | Emma Hadden                                    |       | and Ada Hadden both |
| (4) | Died in infancy                                |       |                     |
| (5) | Two Brothers by former marriage                |       |                     |
| (6) | my mother from Hamilton and Susan H. Both Dead |       |                     |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

- |   | FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE.        |
|---|------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | J. Hadden        | eng. John Robinson    |
| 2 | Francis Hadden   | eng. John Robinson    |
|   | Indian not known | Indian name not known |

17. Where were they born? Lith Burn north carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

not living

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: not living  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835; *my great grand father name Robert Robinson he was Half Blood indian Cherokee my great grandmother name Agnes Robinson she was Half Blood Cherokee Indian*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I confirm the above information given my father and mother. Their great grandparents were my grand father's parents James Robinson my grand mother was a Half Blood Cherokee Indian.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Amanda Blair*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *first* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *December 7, 1909* *George W. Clayton* Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Mary J. Jackson* and *J. M. Ruess*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Amanda Blair*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *her* years and *her* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *myself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Amanda Blair*, *Mary J. Jackson*  
*J. M. Ruess*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *first* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *December 7, 1909* *George W. Clayton* Notary Public.

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No. 748

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

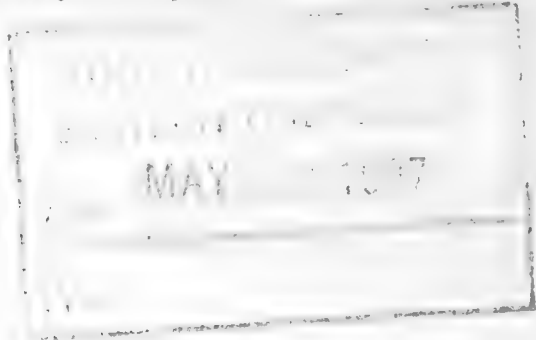
OF

*Amanda Blair*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 748

1. State your full name: Amanda Blair
2. Residence and post office: Cutler
3. County: Perry
4. State: Illinois
5. Date and place of birth: August 5th 1855, in Jefferson County Ills.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: husbands name is T. T. Blair age 54 year
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or ~~she~~ belong? none.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| NAME.                               | AGE.            | BORN.                  |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| (1) <u>Mrs Daisy (Irwin) Gordon</u> | <u>33 years</u> | <u>Oct 24th 1873.</u>  |
| (2) <u>Fred . Irwin.</u>            | <u>28</u>       | <u>Jul.30th 1879.</u>  |
| (3) <u>Walter J. Irwin</u>          | <u>26th</u>     | <u>Jan.25th 1881.</u>  |
| (4) <u>Baula Blair</u>              | <u>14</u>       | <u>Sept 12th 1892.</u> |
| (5) <u>Bernece Oleta Blair</u>      | <u>12</u>       | <u>Jan.5th 1895.</u>   |
| (6) _____                           |                 |                        |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The children, Daisy, Fred and Walter J. are children by a former marriage.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Amanda Blair

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May 1907.

W J White  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

July 28th , 1907.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Jabez Brown and J. H. Devinney who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Amanda Blair who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 25 years and 22 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jabez Brown  
J. H. Devinney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this eighteenth day of May, 1907.

W. T. White

Notary Public.

My commission expires July 28th, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



November 25, 1907.

Amanda Blair,  
Galesburg, Ill.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the trust arising from the judgment of the court of claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you state therein that your mother, Elizabeth Blair, was once connected with the Eastern Cherokees. Please inform us by what she was not enrolled, and by what right she claims to be entitled to participate in this trust.

Can you furnish us with evidence tending to establish the fact that you are a descendant of persons who were recognized members of the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians at the date of the Treaty of 1835-36 and 1845? If so, please state what the evidence is, and send us the names and correct addresses of any witnesses who will testify to that effect.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

Cutter, Ill.

June 25, 1901.

Ernest Miller,

Curry Bldg.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir -

Your letter  
regarding I will make  
all efforts possible  
to get the papers  
printed.

Is the printing of  
the manual a  
the most important  
point?

I know the claim  
is just - and see it,  
Very respectfully,  
#748 Amanda Blair

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*cert. den.*

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Carbondale, Ill. Aug. 10, 1909.

Guion Miller, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment, 601 Ouray Bldg.,  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:-- In re Claim of Amanda ~~Futter~~ Blair, Cutler, Ill. No. 748

I have been asked by an agent of Mrs. ~~Futter~~ Blair to file exceptions to the report of the commissioner in the matter of her claim above. And I write you for the purpose of getting a copy of your report so that I may be prepared to file the proper exceptions, and I will thank you to send me copy of same.

Respectfully,

*W. A. Schwartz*  
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Little Rock,

Aug. 7,

Mr. J. W. Miller, Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
Eastern Cherokee enrollment  
601 Couray Building  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

My application is numbered  
748. When I made some papers  
last year was 1907, my residing  
place then was at Chester, Ark.,  
Randolph Co. My residing place  
is now at Cutler, Ark. Polk Co.  
where I received my papers for  
my application.

My son, Fred, no. 22861  
also resides at Cutler, Ark.

My son, Walter, Jr. received  
two cards first no. 22,852 mailed  
June 17, 1907. second no. 22,860  
mailed June 19, 1907.

His residing place also is at Cutler, Ark.  
Please decide this and let us know  
which is the correct no. above.

My daughter, Lillian, no. 22,817, still resides at Cutler,  
Ark. Polk Co. O/S. S. Gordon

Hoping you will give this letter  
prompt attention

Respectively,  
Amanda Blair.

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NOV 14 1907

Sept 12, 1957

Dear Sirs,

Special Committee on the part  
of ...

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 748

*circ. let.*

JAN 15 1908

Chas. J. Jan 18 1904

Mr  
Quinn Miller Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Appeals  
Eastern District of Virginia  
201 Courthouse Building  
Washington D.C.

Sir - I am writing you three lines  
Jan 20 1904

I hope you received my  
letter a few days ago  
I am all the time  
hope you will be well  
Amanda Miller

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

App. 746.

April 16, 1907.

Hon. George W. Smith,  
House of Representatives,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of recent date, inclosing a letter to you from Mrs. Amanda Blair, of Cutler, Illinois, bearing date of April 10, 1907, in which she requests you to ascertain the status of her claim for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and in reply you are advised that the claim has been duly filed and will be taken up for consideration in its order.

The Court of Claims has now under consideration certain legal questions which will have to be determined before the consideration of these applications can be taken up. It will then require considerable time to reach a conclusion, as there have been filed over 22,000 applications.

If any further information is desired in the case of Mrs. Blair she will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

GM:NLC.



Cutler Ill April 10 1909

Mrs George W Smith

Washington D C

Dear Sir I would like to get your  
adistance in regard to the participation  
in the fund arising from the judgment of  
the Court Claims in favor of the eastern  
Cherokees I sent my application for enrollment  
the first of Oct ~~1908~~ 1906 the number of  
my application for enrollment is no 748  
I sent my application to Mr F E Leupp  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs Washington  
D C I would be pleased if you would  
look the matter up for me see what  
disfabition is made of my claim I  
will thank you in advance for your  
favor you will find enclosed postage  
for your reply I remain

Respectfully Mrs Amanda Blair  
Cutler Ill Perry Co

Respectfully request that  
you give me full  
information concerning the Apple  
National account and  
status

Very respectfully  
J. W. [unclear]  
[unclear]  
[unclear]

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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application no 448

Curtis H. ...  
Special Commissioner to ...  
Eastern ...  
Washington, D.C.

Sir

Your Court received stating you received any  
supplemental application on behalf of my  
minor children any application is no 448  
My three children that were up mailed  
to is application is may be 27 1909 I would be  
pleased to know if you have received  
them you have not been notified that you  
received applications yet having you will  
notify me if you submit same  
in you see ... applications that  
name are Miss Daisy & Miss Gordon ...  
Miss ...

Very truly yours,  
2261

Matter of ...  
With thanks for all ...  
Sincerely,  
Amanda Blair  
Curtis H.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 2 1900  
No.

This is to certify that I the undersigned Mary Fisher  
 of Whittington Mass do certify that I know Mary  
 Ann Robinson and Robert Robinson - about  
 20 years before their death - Mary Ann Robinson  
 set up late at night - she married in the winter  
 would tell me Indian stories and adventures  
 of the Indians and of white people too - she told  
 me of Anna Piding so far along on horseback to  
 get her pet mink in a heavy snow storm but she  
 lost it - also of Anna asking permission of the  
 troops - and the officers having the men to go with  
 her but she never home to help her drive it in safety

I Mary Fisher further say I was not in the house  
 when Amanda died but I saw of her mother  
 and Robinson - the washer woman - seen her nurse  
 the breast of her mother Mary Ann Robinson - and  
 seen her amanda's hair and mother Mary Ann  
 every week or so some time more till the mother's  
 death - Mary Ann Robinson - and  
 you Mary Robinson was a fine woman - loved  
 by all - had very long black straight hair - her  
 bones large - white hair - she died with  
 in the year 1865 -  
 Mary F Fisher

Subscribed to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1907.

Richard M. Sweetin

Judge of the Peace Seal

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
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State of Illinois Williamson County  
# 748

I John T Hadden aged 74. of Coal Springs Williamson County Illinois, Will say in relation to the Claim of Amanda Blair for the participation in the fund arising from the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee Indians, that I was personally acquainted with Robert and Mary Ann Robinson. Robert, was the brother of Mary Ann Robinson. They Robert and Mary Ann Robinson told me that their parents John and Jane Robinson were half blood Cherokee Indian and that they Robert and Mary Ann lived with their parents John & Jane Robinson until after their death John & Jane Robinson lived with the tribe until their death. John Robinson died April 22<sup>nd</sup> 1836. Jane Robinson his wife died Dec 16. 1836. This record is taken from the old Family Bible which belonged to John and Jane Robinson the father & mother of Mary Ann Robinson and the Grand Parents of Amanda Blair. This Bible was printed in New York, in the year of 1829. Mary Ann Robinson - the mother of Amanda Blair died June the 15<sup>th</sup> 1863.

John T Hadden  
subscribed and sworn to  
before me this Dec. 16. 1907  
George W. Clayton  
Notary Public



State of Illinois, Chester, Randolph County

AB

No. 748.

I, Amanda Blair, of Chester Illinois do hereby certify to what my mother, Mary Ann Robinson, told me during her last illness, that her parents were half blood Cherokee Indian and that she had lived with the nation until after the death of her parents, John and Jane Robinson. She also told me, that had her parents lived longer that they would have been awarded their rights, as they were recognized members of the Cherokee tribe of Indians. My mother died June 15, 1863. <sup>and</sup> her parents died in 1836. John Robinson, her father, died April 22, 1836 <sup>and</sup> Jane Robinson, her mother, died December 16, 1836. This record of the death of my grand parents, John and Jane Robinson, was taken from the family Bible. This bible <sup>and</sup> belonged to my grand parents, John and Jane Robinson. I claim the right by blood through my mother <sup>and</sup> her parents to share in the fund in favor of Eastern Cherokees.

Amanda Blair

State of Illinois }  
Randolph County }

Sworn to and subscribed  
before me, this the 30<sup>th</sup> day of December  
1907.

Chester Illinois }

Lindsay Steele  
Notary Public



Please send my mail to Chester Hill

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 748.

October 15, 1906.

Amanda Blair,  
Cutler,  
Illinois.

Madam:-

In reply to your letter of October 8, 1906, inclosing your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you are advised that it will be useless for your children to file claims for participation in this fund, as both of their parents appear to be living. According to the decree of the Court of Claims, only those whose names appear upon the Eastern Cherokee rolls of 1851, or their legal representatives, are eligible.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec: OCT 10 1906  
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Cutler Falls Oct 8 1906  
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H O Leupp Commissioner of Indian  
affairs Washington D C

Dear Sir find enclosed my application  
Blank filled for enrollment in  
the distributions of the eastern Cherokee  
Indians I have five children one  
married 2 grown sons 2 little girls  
age 14 and 11 years old if you  
require separate Blanks for each  
person please send Blanks & you  
will find Past age enclosed any  
information you can give <sup>me</sup> regarding  
my claim I will be thankful

Respectfully

Armanda Blair

Recd Oct 11 1906

Amanda Blair, being duly sworn dep ses and says:

My name is Amanda Blair; I was born in Jefferson Co. Ill. in 1855; I claim my Cherokee blood thru my mother; I make no claim thru my father; my mother was born in Tenn; I do not know what Co. I have heard it said that she was born in middle Tenn; she was born in 1822; my mother claimed her Cherokee blood thru both her father and mother; I do not know in what Co. my grandparents were born in North Carolina; thru the grandparents thru whom I claim died in 1836; I have heard it said that my grandparents thru whom I claim came with the Cherokees to Ill. and that they died in Southern Ill. near the Ohio river; In 1836 at the time of the death of the grandparents thru whom I claim my mother was living with them in Southern Ill. In 1841 my mother was living in Jefferson Co. Ill. None of the ancestors thru whom I claim were ever enrolled or ever received any money or land from the government as an Indian; I have heard that my grandfathers father was a half-blood Cherokee and that his mother was a full blood; I have heard that my mother and her parents lived with the Cherokees up to the time of the death of my grandparents; they lived with the Cherokees in Tenn I dont know the county in Tenn. I have always heard that they came to Ill. from Tenn. with the Cherokees. I dont know when they came to Ill. from Tenn. in the community in which I live I have always been regarded as being of Cherokee Indian descent.

*Amanda Blair*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th of August, 1908, at Randolph Ill.

*J. H. H.*

Assistant to the Special Commissioner of the U. S. Court of Claims.



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No. 749

Action: Admitted

Name Lidona A. Turner and 4 children. Residence: Cherry Log, Ga

REASONS:

Sister of # 4203 and clan. Also same name.

No. 749

Name Lidora A. Turner

With No. 423

Remarks :

No. 220

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Lidora A. Turner,  
and 4 minor children.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906.

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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 749

1. State your full name: Lidara A Turner
2. Residence and post office: Cherry Log
3. County: Gilmer
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: Gilmer County Ga July 4<sup>th</sup> 1867
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Finton H Turner Apr 11<sup>th</sup> 1875
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee Indians
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.      | BORN.                           |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>James L. J. Turner</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>May 11<sup>th</sup> 1895</u> |
| (2) | <u>John W. Turner</u>     | <u>10</u> | <u>Apr 15<sup>th</sup> 1897</u> |
| (3) | <u>Elford F. Turner</u>   | <u>6</u>  | <u>Aug 28<sup>th</sup> 1900</u> |
| (4) | <u>Betha P. Turner</u>    | <u>4</u>  | <u>Apr 28<sup>th</sup> 1902</u> |
| (5) | .....                     | .....     | .....                           |
| (6) | .....                     | .....     | .....                           |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lidara A<sup>her</sup> Turner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907.

My Commission expires Jan 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

J. S. Smith, J. P.  
Notary Public.  
Justice of the Peace

*1800-1805*

No. 749

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lidora A. Turner,  
and 4 minor children.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of July 20, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined,

1. State full name—  
 English name: *Lidara A Turner four minor children*  
 Indian name: *Lidora A Corlemor*
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: *Cherry Log*
4. County: *Gilmer*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *39.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *i claim through my father John M Tucker and my grandfather John Tucker or John Corlemor who was a half blood Cherokee*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *F H Turner*  
*Twenty Six Year*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: *John M Tucker*  
 Indian name: *John M Corlemor*  
 Mother—English name: *Margt Tucker*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maiden name: *Margt Roberson*
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: *Gilmer County Ga*  
 Mother: *North Carolina*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: *Gilmer County Ga*  
 Mother: *North Carolina*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *my father has been enrolled to best information dont no when*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME                   | BORN                         | DIED   |
|-----|------------------------|------------------------------|--------|
| (1) | John W Zucker          | Feb 24 <sup>th</sup> 1870-36 | Living |
| (2) | Larry J Zucker         | Dec 29 = 1872-34             | Living |
| (3) | Mary P Zucker          | Mar 16 = 1874                | Living |
| (4) | Louisey Matilda Zucker | Aug 27 = 1877                | 1892   |
| (5) | William P Zucker       | Mar 29 = 1880                | Living |
| (6) | Minnie L Zucker        |                              | 1893   |
|     | Martha F Zucker        |                              |        |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE                         | MOTHER'S SIDE               |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Eng John Zucker<br>and John Corceniow | Eng Ruby Zucker or Holloway |

17. Where were they born? *Both born in North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *in Gilmer County Georgia*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                        |                                        |
|-----|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Louella Zucker</i>    | <i>died 1865</i>                       |
|     | Indian name: <i>Narta J Zucker</i>     | <i>died in west</i>                    |
|     | Residence: <i>Rebecca J Zucker</i>     | <i>in 1863 or 4</i>                    |
| (2) | English name: <i>Beliaar J Zucker</i>  | <i>died in west</i>                    |
|     | Indian name: <i>Permelear Zucker</i>   | <i>about 1865</i>                      |
|     | Residence: <i>Mary J Zucker</i>        | <i>died in west</i>                    |
| (3) | English name: <i>James N Zucker</i>    | <i>died in late war between states</i> |
|     | Indian name: <i>Manewa Zucker</i>      | <i>1904</i>                            |
|     | Residence: <i>John M Zucker</i>        | <i>Born Feb 11 1846 Living</i>         |
| (4) | English name: <i>Satiga M Zucker</i>   | <i>died in west</i>                    |
|     | Indian name: <i>Satiga M Corceniow</i> |                                        |
|     | Residence:                             |                                        |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *have not been enrolled*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Lidora A Turner*  
*her*  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *Dec 31*, 190*9*

*J S Smith J P*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *George W Watkins* and *Larkin Holt*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Lidora A Turner*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *25* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *This* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Larkin Holt*  
*George W Watkins*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *Dec 31*, 190*9*

*J S Smith J P*  
Notary Public.  
*Official Caretaker of file in Indian*  
*Office Washington D C*

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, when practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 749

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Lidora W. Turner*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 749

1. State your full name: Lidara A Turner
2. Residence and post office: Cherry Log
3. County: Gilmer
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: Gilmer County Ga July 4<sup>th</sup> 1867
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Finton H Turner Apr 11<sup>th</sup> 1875
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee Indians
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.      | BORN.                           |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>James L J Turner</u>  | <u>12</u> | <u>May 11<sup>th</sup> 1895</u> |
| (2) | <u>John W Turner</u>     | <u>10</u> | <u>Apr 15<sup>th</sup> 1897</u> |
| (3) | <u>Clifford F Turner</u> | <u>6</u>  | <u>Aug 28<sup>th</sup> 1900</u> |
| (4) | <u>Betha P Turner</u>    | <u>4</u>  | <u>Apr 28<sup>th</sup> 1902</u> |
| (5) | .....                    | .....     | .....                           |
| (6) | .....                    | .....     | .....                           |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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.....

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lidara A<sup>lee</sup> Turner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907.

My Commission expires

Jan 31<sup>st</sup> 1909.

J. S. Smith J. P.  
Notary Public.  
Justice of the Peace

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Martha L Smith and L B Holt who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lidora A Turner who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 15 years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Martha L Smith  
L B Holt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 31<sup>st</sup>  
J L Smith, J P  
Justice of the Peace  
Notary Public.  
1909.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Georgia Gilmer County : Personally ap-  
peared before me John M. Tucker, who  
upon oath says that Lidorah  
A. Tucker is his daughter  
who was born July 24, 1867, and  
who is thirty nine years of age.  
Sworn to and subscribed before  
me, Oct., 19, 1906.

J. Smith, J. P. } John M. <sup>his</sup> Tucker  
Official Character } mark  
on file in office  
of Indian Affairs



INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 10 1906  
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Oct 9, 1907

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 749.

October 15, 1906.

Lidora A. Turner,  
Cherrylog,  
Georgia.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state the date and place of your birth.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 11256-57-58-59-60-~~61~~

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 2773-74-75-76-77  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

*GM*

*Lidora A. Turner*  
*mark*

749

No. 750

Action: Admit

Name Nannie Parsley and 5 children. Residence: Claremore  
Okla

Reasons:

First cousin of #47  
Claims thru same source



No. 750

Name *Hannie Parsley*

With No. 47

Remarks :

*1890* *Supl. 47*  
No. *750*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nannie Parsley -*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1900, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

- 1. State full name—  
English name: Nannie Parsley  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Residence: Claxmore
- 3. Town and post office: Claxmore
- 4. County: Cherokee Nation
- 5. State: Indian Territory
- 6. Date and place of birth: Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1872 in Cherokee Nation

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: For my father John R Hicks, My paternal grand parents Elijah and Margaret Hicks; Catherine Hicks nee Beavert, my father's first wife, Dabra B Hicks nee McCoy my father's second wife, My maternal grand father Henry Chambers Robert and David Chambers, my grand father's brothers, My great grand mother, Elsie Chapman nee Sanders, ~~and~~ my great great

- 8. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. Name and age of wife or husband: Fred Parsley born August 25<sup>th</sup> 1861.

10. Give names of your father and mother and your mother's name before marriage.

- Father—English name: John R Hicks  
Indian name: not known
- Mother—English name: Mary A Hicks  
Indian name: not known  
Maiden name: Mary A Chambers

11. Where were they born?

- Father: In Cherokee Nation, east
- Mother: In Cherokee Nation

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

- Father: Cherokee Nation
- Mother: " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

- Father: Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 1899 Mother: March 17<sup>th</sup> 1877.

grand mother Jennie Sanders, and Charles R Hicks my uncle.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Father was enrolled on the emigrant Cherokee roll of 1851, in the Cherokee Nation.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|                         | NAME.                | BORN.                   | DIED.               |
|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| (1)                     | <i>Loora a Rogus</i> | <i>Fort Gibson I.T.</i> |                     |
| (2)                     | <i>Henry C Hicks</i> | <i>Aug 5-1870</i>       | <i>Oct 12-1893.</i> |
| <i>half brother</i> (3) | <i>Eugene Ross "</i> | <i>Clasmore I.T.</i>    |                     |
| (4)                     |                      |                         |                     |
| (5)                     |                      |                         |                     |
| (6)                     |                      |                         |                     |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                          | MOTHER'S SIDE.                               |
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| <i>Elijah and Margant Hicks ne Ross</i> | <i>Henry and Nannie Chambers ne Hudricks</i> |

17. Where were they born?

*Cherokee Nation east*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*Cherokee Nation I.T.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                                 |                             |
|-------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Lenora Hicks</i>             | <i>Dead</i>                 |
| Indian name:      | <i>Jane Stapler</i>             | <i>"</i>                    |
| Residence:        | <i>Daniel R Hicks</i>           | <i>"</i>                    |
| (2) English name: | <i>Mary M Coy</i>               | <i>Clasmore I.T.</i>        |
| Indian name:      | <i>Charles R Hicks,</i>         | <i>died without descent</i> |
| Residence:        | <i>John R Hicks, my father.</i> | <i>Dead</i>                 |
| (3) English name: | <i>Victoria Susan Life,</i>     | <i>Dead</i>                 |
| Indian name:      | <i>Arnie Eliza Chambers</i>     | <i>Dead</i>                 |
| Residence:        | <i>Mary A Hicks, my mother,</i> | <i>Dead</i>                 |
| (4) English name: | <i>Varin Chambers</i>           | <i>Clasmore I.T.</i>        |
| Indian name:      | <i>Elizabeth Leavitt</i>        | <i>Dead</i>                 |
| Residence:        | <i>Jefferson Parks Chambers</i> | <i>Dead,</i>                |
| (5) English name: | <i>Amelia D Derrery</i>         | <i>"</i>                    |
| Indian name:      | <i>Lettie B</i>                 | <i>"</i>                    |
| Residence:        | <i>William M Chambers</i>       | <i>Clasmore I.T.</i>        |
|                   | <i>Jennie "</i>                 | <i>Dead</i>                 |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

*Am on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880, and am a Cherokee allottee,*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My father*  
John R. Hicks was born February 9<sup>th</sup> 1835.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My father's first wife was Catharine Beavert, an emigrant Cherokee, they had no children, and I consider myself an heir to her estate. My father's second wife was Sabra B. M. Coy, an emigrant, and I consider myself an heir to her estate, as she also died without issue. I am also heir to the estate of Harry Chambers, my grand father, who was an emigrant. Robert and David Chambers, My great grand mother, Elsie Chambers nee Sanoins who was an emigrant, my grand father's brother, both of whom died without issue.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Nannie Parsley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

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*Walter C. Grace*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John Duck* and *JOE M. Gattay*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Nannie Parsley*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and *15* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John Duck*  
*JOE M. Gattay*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

3/28

1909

*Walter C. Grace*  
Notary Public.

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*JOE M. Gattay also being an emigrant*

*My father's first wife was Catharine Beavert, an emigrant Cherokee, they had no children, and I consider myself an heir to her estate. My father's second wife was Sabra B. M. Coy, an emigrant, and I consider myself an heir to her estate, as she also died without issue. I am also heir to the estate of Harry Chambers, my grand father, who was an emigrant. Robert and David Chambers, My great grand mother, Elsie Chambers nee Sanoins who was an emigrant, my grand father's brother, both of whom died without issue.*



No. 750

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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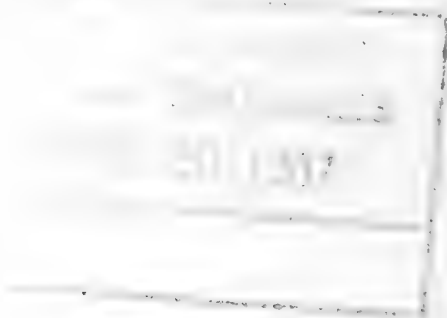
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Naamse Purley*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 750

1. State your full name: Nammie Parsley
2. Residence and post office: Claremore
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1872 in Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Alexander F Parsley
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? White
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.      | BORN.                            |
|-----|------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Pauline Parsley</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>Apr 2<sup>nd</sup> 1893</u>   |
| (2) | <u>Corra E</u>         | <u>"</u>  | <u>Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 1894</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Fred</u>            | <u>"</u>  | <u>May 30<sup>th</sup> 1897</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Sallie</u>          | <u>"</u>  | <u>June 28<sup>th</sup> 1902</u> |
| (5) | <u>Robert</u>          | <u>"</u>  | <u>Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1904</u>  |
| (6) |                        |           |                                  |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They are Cherokee allottees

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nammie Parsley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 1907.

Edgar Hudson  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires 4/26/, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Emmett Starr and D. L. Devery who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nanni Parsley who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 20 years and 34 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906 she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Emmett Starr  
D. L. Devery

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 1907.

Edgar Anderson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 4/26/, 1909.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No 751

Action: *Admitted*

Name: *Samuel B. Trenton* and *7* children. Residence: *Warren, Pa.*

Reasons:

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No. 751.

Name Mammie H. Rosenthal

With No. 107.

Remarks :



No. 751

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Nannie H. Rosenthal.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 10 1906<br>No. |
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751

#451

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Mannie H Rosenthal

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Claremore

3. Town and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

Claremore

4. County: \_\_\_\_\_

Cherokee Nation

5. State: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Dec. 27<sup>th</sup> 1887 Cherokee Nation

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

My natural Grandfather  
Henry Chambers, Robert and David Chambers  
My Grandfather brothers, My Great Grand  
Mother Elsie Chambers nee Saunders  
My Great Great Grand mother Jennie Saunders

8. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: L. A. Rosenthal

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elisabeth Rosenthal

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Elisabeth Chambers

11. Where were they born?

Father: Don't know

Mother: In Cherokee Nation

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother: Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: June 26<sup>th</sup> 1889 Mother: Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1889

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.       | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>none</u> |       |       |
| (2) |             |       |       |
| (3) |             |       |       |
| (4) |             |       |       |
| (5) |             |       |       |
| (6) |             |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.                    |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|
|                | <u>Henry and Harriet Chambers</u> |

17. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation 27

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Annice Eliza Chambers dead  
Indian name: Mary A High  
Residence: Van C. Chambers Cherokee St
- (2) English name: Elizabeth Lumb nee Rosenthal  
Indian name: Mrs. Chambers nee Rosenthal dead  
Residence: Jefferson Wash Chambers dead
- (3) English name: Amelia J. Denny 47  
Indian name: Littie B. 4  
Residence: William M Chambers Cherokee
- (4) English name: Fannie Chambers dead  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. In Van C Cherokee Nation

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Nannie H. Rosenthal*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *3/28*, 190*9*

*Walter B. Shaw*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John Duck* and *J. E. M. Gaffay*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with ....., who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and *15* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John Duck*  
*J. E. M. Gaffay*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *3/28*, 190*9*

*Walter B. Shaw*  
Notary Public.

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No. / 2 /

Action: *Adopted*

Name: *Robert C. ... and ... children.* Residence: *County, ...*

Reasons:

*...*



No. 752

Name Vigil A. Sauer

With No. 614

Remarks :

No. 752

*752*  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Virgil A. Garner*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906.

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#752.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— *Virgil a Garner*  
English name: *Virgil a Garner*  
Indian name: *none*
2. Residence: *Lawrey Ind Ter*
3. Town and post office: *Post office Lawrey Ind Ter*
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *Birth April 25th 1870*  
*Place of birth Going Snake Dist Ind Ter*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *By Mother*  
*Grandfather Malachi Parris deceased*  
*uncle Moses O. Parris*  
*Mother Gately L. Garner*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Elizabeth age 28 years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *James b Garner*  
Indian name: *none*  
Mother—English name: *Gately L. Garner*  
Indian name: *Not known*  
Maiden name: *Gately L. Parris*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Platt Co Mo*  
Mother: *Lumpkin Co Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Platt Co Mo*  
Father: *Dahlonega Georgia*  
Mother: *Dahlonega Georgia*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *not dead* Mother: *Dec 14th 1875*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *Mother was enrolled in Georgia at Dalton in 1856*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                   | BORN.                | DIED.                   |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <i>James L. Garner</i>  | <i>June 24 1873</i>  | <i>Oct-3rd 1876</i>     |
| (2) | <i>Fannie M. Garner</i> | <i>July 11 1875</i>  | <i>November 26 1878</i> |
| (3) | <i>Salina A. Garner</i> | <i>April 11 1877</i> | <i>Sept 1878</i>        |
| (4) | <del>...</del>          |                      |                         |
| (5) | <i>Virgil A. Garner</i> | <i>April 25 1870</i> |                         |
| (6) |                         |                      |                         |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.          | MOTHER'S SIDE.          |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| <i>George W. Garner</i> | <i>Malachi Parris</i>   |
| <i>Wahala Garner</i>    | <i>Mahala C. Parris</i> |
| <i>Born Tennessee</i>   | <i>Born Georgia</i>     |

17. Where were they born?

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *on mother's side in Georgia Father's side Not Known*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Salina E. Parris*  
Indian name: *None*  
Residence: *Died March 3rd 1897*

(2) English name: *Robert S. Parris* *Died Dec 21st 1869* *Died*  
Indian name: *None*  
Residence: *Died Dec 21st 1869*

(3) English name: *Mary C. Parris*  
Indian name: *None*  
Residence: *Living Dist Cherokee Nation*

(4) English name: *Malachi Parris*  
Indian name: *Not Known*  
Residence: *Living Cherokee Nation*

(5) English name: *Moses C. Parris*  
Indian name: *None*  
Residence: *Died during Civil War*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where. *I have participated in all Payments made to the Creek since 1870*  
*Salina Not known*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Great Grand Father on maternal side Robert Parris, Hester Parris his wife.  
Grand Father on paternal side Malachi Parris - Mahala Parris his wife.  
Father James L. Garner, Galsy L. Garner his wife.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Virgil A. Garner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. 1906.

My commission expires 7. 11. 28 - 1907 R. H. Couch  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. W. Williams and W. L. Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Virgil A. Garner, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and 30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. W. Williams  
W. L. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. 1906.

My commission expires 7. 11. 28 - 1907 R. H. Couch  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 752

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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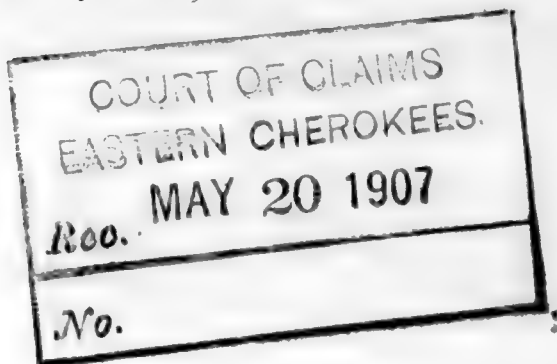
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Virgil A. Garner*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 752.

1. State your full name: Virgil A. Garner
2. Residence and post office: Lowrey
3. County: District 6 (Cherokee County of New State)
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: April 25<sup>th</sup> 1870 Goingenok District Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Elizabeth 30 years old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? White
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.                        | BORN.                            |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Benjamin P. Garner</u> | <u>11 yrs. 2 m. 18 days</u> | <u>Feb. 28<sup>th</sup> 1896</u> |
| (2) | <u>James S.</u>           | <u>8 " - 10 " - 17 "</u>    | <u>Jan. 27<sup>th</sup> 1898</u> |
| (3) | <u>Pearly May</u>         | <u>6 " - 5 " - 27 "</u>     | <u>Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> 1900</u> |
| (4) | <u>William Hood</u>       | <u>3 " - 4 " - 18 "</u>     | <u>Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> 1903</u> |
| (5) | <u>Gatsie S.</u>          | <u>1 " - 1 " - 12</u>       | <u>April 4<sup>th</sup> 1906</u> |
| (6) |                           |                             |                                  |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: All enrolled for land except 5<sup>th</sup> Gatsie S. Garner.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Virgil A. Garner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this sixteenth day of May, 1907.

Darius E. Ward

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

November 27<sup>th</sup>, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Isaac N. Murphy and John M. Phillips who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Virgil A. Garner who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 10 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in Applicants claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Isaac N. Murphy  
John M. Phillips

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Sixteenth day of May, 1907.

Darius E. Ward  
Notary Public.

My commission expires November 27<sup>th</sup>, 1900.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 733

Action: Admitted.

Name: [unclear] and 11 children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons:

[unclear] - [unclear] - [unclear]

No. 753

Name Mae Riel

With No. 752.

Remarks :



No. 708

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mac Rich*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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# 53

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— Mahala G. Rich  
 English name: Mahala G. Rich, Mal Rich, on Cherokee rolls.  
 Indian name: none
2. Residence: Prairie Grove Ark
3. Town and post office: Prairie Grove Ark
4. County: Washington
5. State: Ark
6. Date and place of birth: Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1871 Going Snake Dist, Co. W.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: My mother  
Grand father and Uncle Both  
Grandfather, Malachi Parris,  
Uncle, Moses, O. Parris,  
Mother - Gatsy L. Garner.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Husband Marcus Rich  
Age 33 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: James G. Garner  
 Indian name: none  
 Mother—English name: Gatsy L. Garner  
 Indian name: none  
 Maiden name: Gatsy L. Parris
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: Blatt Co Missouri  
 Mother: Lumpkin Co Georgia
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: Lumpkin Co Georgia  
 Mother: Lumpkin Co Georgia
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother: Dec 14<sup>th</sup> 1878

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *Mother was in 1851. She drew money in Talonega Georgia*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|          | NAME                    | BORN                              | DIED                            |
|----------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| (1)      | <i>James L. Garner</i>  | <i>June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1873</i>   | <i>Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1876</i> |
| (2)      | <i>Fannie M. Garner</i> | <i>July 11<sup>th</sup> 1875</i>  | <i>Nov 26<sup>th</sup> 1878</i> |
| (3)      | <i>Saliva A. Garner</i> | <i>April 14<sup>th</sup> 1877</i> | <i>Sept. 19-1878</i>            |
| (4)      | <i>Mae B. Rick</i>      | <i>Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 1872</i>  | <i>Living</i>                   |
| 752. (5) | <i>Virgil W. Garner</i> | <i>Apr. 20<sup>th</sup> 1870</i>  |                                 |
| (6)      |                         |                                   |                                 |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE           | MOTHER'S SIDE          |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| <i>George W. Garner</i> | <i>Malachi Parris</i>  |
| <i>Malachi Garner</i>   | <i>Maria C. Parris</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Father's side not known; Mother's side in Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Father side unknown; Mother's in Georgia*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                                    |
|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Saliva S. Parris</i>            |
| Indian name:      | <i>none</i>                        |
| Residence:        | <i>Died Mar. 3. 1897.</i>          |
| (2) English name: | <i>Robert S. Parris</i>            |
| Indian name:      | <i>none</i>                        |
| Residence:        | <i>Died Dec. 21-1869</i>           |
| (3) English name: | <i>Mary A. Parris</i>              |
| Indian name:      | <i>none</i>                        |
| Residence:        | <i>Going Snake Dist, Cher Nat,</i> |
| (4) English name: | <i>Malachi Parris</i>              |
| Indian name:      | <i>none</i>                        |
| Residence:        | <i>Going Snake Dist Cher Nat,</i>  |
| (5) English name: | <i>Moses O. Parris</i>             |
| Indian name:      | <i>none</i>                        |
| Residence:        | <i>Died During civil war.</i>      |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where. *I have participated in all payments made to the Cherokee since 1871.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Great Grandfather on Mothers side Robert Parrie  
Hester Parrie his wife Grandfather  
on Mothers side Malachi Parrie  
Grandmother Mahala Parrie, Father J. C. Garner  
Mother Gatsy J. Garner.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Mar Rich

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires  
Jan. 28, 1907

R. H. Leach  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Joel Farnum and  
W. H. Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Mar Rich, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years,  
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and  
that the statements made by her are true, to best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Joel Farnum  
W. H. Williams

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

My commission expires  
Jan. 28, 1907

R. H. Leach  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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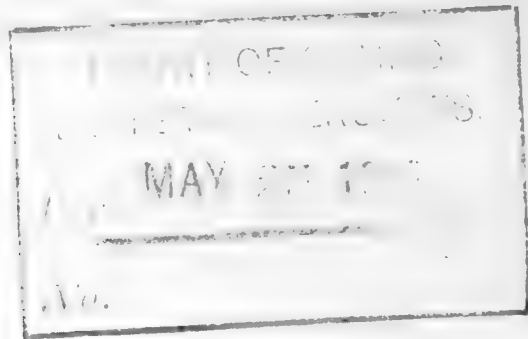
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Mae C. Rich*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 753

1. State your full name: Wm. C. Rich
2. Residence and post office: Rogers Benton Co Arkansas
3. County: Benton
4. State: Arkansas
5. Date and place of birth: Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1871 -
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Marcus B Rich Age 34
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does ~~he~~ or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.     | BORN.                            |
|-----|-----------------------|----------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Russell E Rich</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>Jan 12<sup>th</sup> 1898.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Bennett M Rich</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>Dec 4<sup>th</sup> 1899</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Wanda L Rich</u>   | <u>4</u> | <u>Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1902</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Olivia J Rich</u>  | <u>4</u> | <u>Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1902</u>  |
| (5) | .....                 |          |                                  |
| (6) | .....                 |          |                                  |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, Voluntary and with what tribe of Indians: Yes, Got allotment 1903, Cherokee,

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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.....

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Wm. C. Rich

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1907.

W. C. Roberts  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Oct 27<sup>th</sup>, 1908,

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John H Rhoads and Minnie B Dawson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mae Rich who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 6 years and 1 year, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in This claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John H Rhoads  
Minnie B Dawson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May, 1907.

W. C. Roberts

Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 27<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 702

Action: Admitted

Name: Tom Ward

and 4 children.

Residence: 2000 Shea

Reasons:

Ward's name is on the same  
course

Enrolled by [unclear] 1908-

O.K.

No. 754

Name Van Ward.

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are nos. 8119, 8120.

Claims through  
George Ward  
c. 1874.

No. 754

Name Van Hard

With No. 106

Remarks :



No. 502

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Yess Hard*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*ASL:*

#754

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

October 8 1906

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Jan

Indian name: Ben

2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Town and post office: Love

4. County: Cherokee

5. State: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Date and place of birth: 11-18-33 Wassahton Tenn

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

as a son of your father & other relatives  
(see your file) here

8. Are you married? No

9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: George

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wasson Co Georgia

Mother: "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1865

Mother: 1901

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes, ... North Carolina  
near ... the year ... 1858

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME                    | BORN | DIED             |
|-----|-------------------------|------|------------------|
| (1) | <u>John ...</u>         |      | <u>1862</u>      |
| (2) | <u>Samuel ...</u>       |      | <u>1862</u>      |
| (3) | <u>John ...</u>         |      | <u>1861</u>      |
| (4) | <u>Louise Jane ...</u>  |      | <u>not known</u> |
| (5) | <u>Maudy Melina ...</u> |      | <u>1906</u>      |
| (6) | <u>Mary ...</u>         |      | <u>1900</u>      |
|     | <u>John ...</u>         |      | <u>1868</u>      |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE   | MOTHER'S SIDE          |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| <u>John ...</u> | <u>no recollection</u> |
| <u>John ...</u> | <u>no recollection</u> |
| <u>name</u>     | <u>name</u>            |

17. Where were they born? not known

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not at that time

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Martha ...  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (2) English name: George ...  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- I know any more*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes, ... Georgia don't remember the date  
only ...

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*Can't do it because he is dead.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I am the only one of my name in the family and I have no other relatives.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Van Ward*

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

My commission expires *October 5th*, 190*7* *Ad W Coffey* Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. C. Wallace* and *George M. Ward*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Van Ward*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *8* years and *30* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. C. Wallace*  
*George M. Ward*

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

My commission expires *October 5th*, 190*7* *Ad W Coffey* Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 9155

Action: Admitted.

Name: David M. Rogers and 4 children. Residence: Cedar, Fla.

Reasons:

Half brother of # 1100

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No. 755

Name David Mel. Rogers

With No. 400

Remarks :

No. 755

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*David McK. Rogers.*

For share of land appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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#755

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: David McHair Rogers.

Indian name: None.

2. Residence: Four miles east of Adair, I.T.

3. Town and post office: Adair.

4. County: Coowoccoowee, Dist. Cherokee Nation.

5. State: Indian Territory. (Oklahoma)

6. Date and place of birth: Aug. 17th, 1835, Forsythe, Co. Ga.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: My father and mother who were both Cherokees.

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: David McHair, Rogers. Age 71.

Mary J. Jones. 70.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: William Rogers.

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Mary Rogers, nee ~~Wann~~ McHair.

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Mary Wann McHair.

11. Where were they born?

Father: Guilmott, Co. Ga.

Mother: Bradley Co. East Tennessee.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Forsythe, Co. Ga.

Mother: Same.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Apr. 12th. 1870.

Mother: Sep. 12th. 1859.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Nov. 1862, Ft. Mifflin, Pa. Co.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME                       | BORN                | DIED                |
|-----|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>William H. Miller</u>   | <u>July 1, 1840</u> | <u>June 1, 1890</u> |
| (2) | <u>John H. Miller</u>      | <u>Oct. 1, 1842</u> |                     |
| (3) | <u>James H. Miller</u>     | <u>Jan. 1, 1844</u> | <u>Oct. 1, 1890</u> |
| (4) | <u>George H. Miller</u>    | <u>July 1, 1846</u> | <u>Oct. 1, 1890</u> |
| (5) | <u>Elizabeth H. Miller</u> | <u>Oct. 1, 1848</u> | <u>Oct. 1, 1890</u> |
| (6) |                            |                     |                     |

*Chosen by her marriage*

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE            | MOTHER'S SIDE          |
|--------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>John H. Miller</u>    | <u>David C. Miller</u> |
| <u>William H. Miller</u> | <u>John H. Miller</u>  |

17. Where were they born? Pa. Co. Pa.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pa. Co. Pa.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: William H. Miller  
~~Indian name:~~  
 Residence: Pa. Co. Pa. 1890
- (2) English name: John H. Miller  
~~Indian name:~~  
 Residence: Pa. Co. Pa. 1890
- (3) English name: James H. Miller  
~~Indian name:~~  
 Residence: Pa. Co. Pa.
- (4) English name: George H. Miller  
~~Indian name:~~  
 Residence: Pa. Co. Pa.
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Pa. Co. Pa.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: ~~My paternal ancestors was John Rogers and David McNair. My maternal ancestors were Sarah Cordray and Delilah A. Vann.~~

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

~~My great grand father on my mothers side was James Vann. My great grand father on fathers side was Thomas Cordray. Both were burried in Forsythe, Co. Ga, James Vann in 1808 and Thomas Cordray in 1839 or 1840.~~

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *David M. Rogers*

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

My commission expires

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*B. C. Thompson*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James S. Harris, and A. W. Herron, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with David M. Rogers, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 55 years and 12 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*James S. Harris*  
*A. W. Herron*

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

My commission expires

....., 190

*B. C. Thompson*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Herewith attached you will find my claims separately set-forth ;-  
I claim one-sixth of my fathers share. I claim ~~one-sixth-of~~ one-fourth of  
my mothers share. I claim one-fourth of one-sixth of my grand-mother, Delilah  
A. Mc Nair's share. I claim one-sixth of one-tenth of my grand-mother,  
Sarah Rogers, share. I claim one-sixth of one-tenth on Johnson E. Rogers  
and Lovely Rogers, share. I claim one-sixth of Mary A. Rogers, William E. Rogers,  
John J. Rogers, and Elizabeth S. Rogers share, who died without any heirs.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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J. F. DUNHAM, President

V. H. ADAIR, Vice Pres.

D. C. HUGHES, Cashier

T. T. PARKS, Asst. Cashier

## ~~WESTERN SECURITY BANK~~

~~CAPITAL, \$25,000.~~

ADAIR, INDIAN TERRITORY.

Hon Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Replying to your

enquiry asking the name and age of my wife. My wife was seventy years old, the 25<sup>th</sup> of February 1906 Her maiden name was.

Mary J Strickland She was born and raised in Grinnett Co Ga Her father was Isaac Strickland & her mother Elisabeth - My wife is a white woman

Very Res<sup>ly</sup> - David M Rogers

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 755.

October 15, 1906.

David McNair Rogers,

Adair,

Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state the name and age of your wife.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

No. 756.

Action

Reject

Name Arbazine Bailey and 1 children. Residence: Marshall, Texas.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Cannot relate applicant to any of the Albertys on the Roll.



No. 756.

Name Arbazine Bailey

With No.

Remarks: Also 757, 22961,

22963, 33212, 5110, 22847,

22846, 33786, 33787, 33788.

letter sent Dec. 11, 1908,

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 756

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Arbazine Bailey*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.

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#756.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Arbogine Bailey

Indian name: Arbogine Alberty

2. Residence: Marshall

3. Town and post office: Marshall Box 332

4. County: Harrison

5. State: Texas.

6. Date and place of birth: N. E. Part Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living <sup>43 yrs.</sup>

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: On mother's side

she was a Cherokee.

8. Are you married? Widow.

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Caleb Gaines

Indian name: Caleb Alberty

Mother—English name: Sallie Gaines

Indian name: Sallie Alberty

Maiden name: Sallie Alberty

11. Where were they born?

Father: Memphis Tenn.

Mother: Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr.

Mother: Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: July 14 - 1894 Mother: Mar 26 1886

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.           | BORN.  | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|--------|-------|
| (1) | Lewis Gains     | 1849   |       |
| (2) | Emilie Tate     | 185-9  |       |
| (3) | Mary Council    | 185-5- | 1904  |
| (4) | Elizabeth Silas | 185-2  | 1886  |
| (5) | Arthur Alberty  | 1841   |       |
| (6) | Dave Alberty    | 1846   |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
|                | — Alberty      |

17. Where were they born? Ind. Terr.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Lead

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Mary Howard About 1863  
Indian name: Mary Howard died about 1863  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I have two bros. living near Muskogee who have gotten their claims. Their names are Dave and Arthur Alberty

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) A. Lazine Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October, 1906.

My commission expires June, 1907

M. M. Lee  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by \_\_\_\_\_ who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before G. W. Munsden and H. B. Anderson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with A. Lazine Bailey, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and

that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

G. W. Munsden

H. B. Anderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires June, 1907

M. M. Lee  
Notary Public.

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No. 756

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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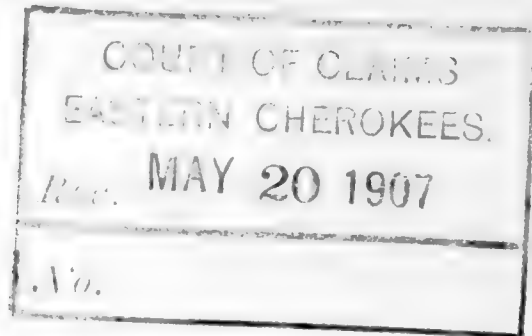
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Arbogine Bailey*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 75-6

1. State your full name: Mrs. Arbazine Bailey
2. Residence and post office: Marshall Texas Harrison County
3. County: Harrison
4. State: Texas
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee Nation April 22<sup>nd</sup> 1862
6. Are you married? widow
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Squire Bailey Dead
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                      | AGE.         | BORN.                           |
|-----|----------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Ollie Newton Bailey</u> | <u>2: 5-</u> | <u>Aug 12<sup>th</sup> 1881</u> |
| (2) | <u>Arthur Bailey</u>       | <u>18</u>    | <u>Apr 4 - 1889</u>             |
| (3) | .....                      | .....        | .....                           |
| (4) | .....                      | .....        | .....                           |
| (5) | .....                      | .....        | .....                           |
| (6) | .....                      | .....        | .....                           |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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.....

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Arbazine Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907

G. F. Adams West District  
Notary Public.  
County Harrison, Texas

My Commission expires

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Witness of J. M. Roads  
J. D. Gamm

**AFFIDAVIT**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me..... and  
.....who, being duly sworn, on oath depose  
and say that they are well acquainted with.....who makes the  
foregoing application and statement, and have known.....for.....years and..... years,  
respectively, and know.....to be the identical person.....represents..... to be, and that  
on May 28, 1906, .....had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by  
.....are true, and they have no interest whatever in.....claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

.....  
.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this.....day of....., 1907.

.....  
*Notary Public.*

My commission expires....., 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*Gm.*

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
EASTERN CHEROKEES. OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
Appln. No. 756. WASHINGTON.

October 15, 1906.

Arbazine Bailey,  
Marshall,  
Texas.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state your age.

Very respectfully,

*C. T. Larrabee,*

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

*Dear Sir,*

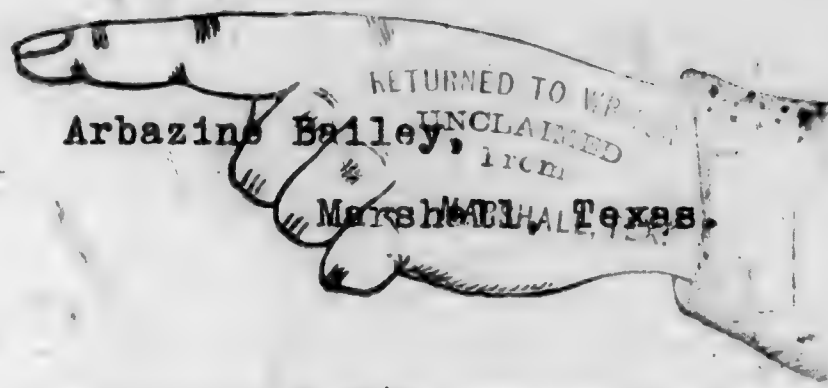
*my age is 43 yrs.*

*Arbazine Bailey*



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES,  
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No. 75-6

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757.  
No. 756

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Dec. 11th, 1908.

Arbazine Bailey,  
Marshall Texas.

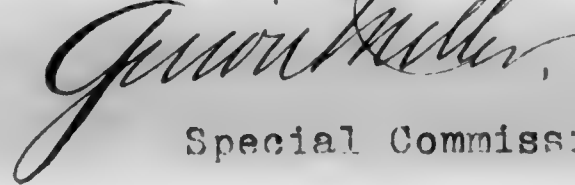
Madam:

The information contained in your application is so very meagre that it is impossible to intelligently adjudicate it. Unless you can furnish additional information your claim must be rejected. The additional information is:

1. Give the names of your grand-parents on both sides.
2. Why were you, your parents or your grand-parents never enrolled?
3. You state that you claim through your mother, Sallie L. Alberty. Where was she living in 1851, and why was she not enrolled at that time?
4. Are you related in any way to Johnson Alberty? If so, state exactly what the relationship is and give the name of Johnson Alberty's wife.
5. State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

In your reply please refer to "FST No. 756".

Very respectfully,



Special Commissioner.

FST/MSM

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 756.

October 18, 1906.

Arbazine Bailey,  
Marshall,  
Texas.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state your age.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

No. 10 /

Action

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

No. 757

Name Lewis Gaines

With No. 756

Remarks :



No. 357

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lewis Gaines*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906 in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Levis Gaines*

Indian name: *Levis Alberty*

2. Residence: *Marshall*

3. Town and post office: *Marshall Box 332*

4. County: *Harrison*

5. State: *Texas*

6. Date and place of birth: *N. E. part Cherokee nation Ind. Ter. July 1849*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *On my mother's side. She was a Cherokee.*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Winne Gaines 53.*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Calb Gaines*

Indian name: *Calb Alberty*

Mother—English name: *Sallie Gaines*

Indian name: *Sallie Alberty*

Maiden name: *Sallie Alberty*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Memphis Tenn.*

Mother: *Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter.*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter.*

Mother: *Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *July 14-1894*

Mother: *Mar. 26-1886*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN.       | DIED.       |
|-----|------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Arbazine Bailey</u> | <u>1862</u> |             |
| (2) | <u>Emiline Pate</u>    | <u>1859</u> |             |
| (3) | <u>Mary Council</u>    | <u>1855</u> | <u>1904</u> |
| (4) | <u>Elizabeth Silas</u> | <u>1852</u> | <u>1886</u> |
| (5) | <u>Arthur Alberty</u>  | <u>1841</u> |             |
| (6) | <u>Dave Alberty</u>    | <u>1846</u> |             |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

— Alberty

17. Where were they born? Ind. Ter.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Mary Hallam d. Died about 1863  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I have two bros now living near Muskogee who have gotten their claims. Their names are Dave and Arthur Alberty*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Lewis Gaines*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of Oct 1906

My commission expires June, 1907

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. C. Taylor and W. B. Anderson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lewis Gaines, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*L. C. Taylor*  
*W. B. Anderson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1906.

My commission expires June, 1907

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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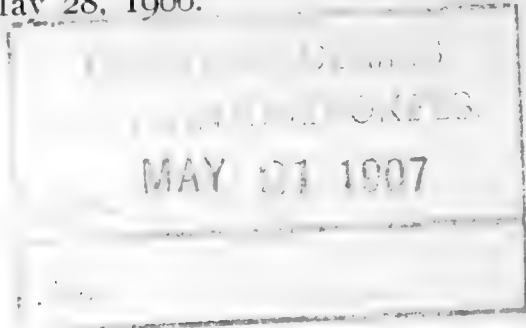
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Lewis Gaines*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 75-7

1. State your full name: Lewis Gains
2. Residence and post office: Marshall,
3. County: Harrison,
4. State: Texas
5. Date and place of birth: July-1849 Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Winnie Gains. 54
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                                                                                                                                           | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Rosa Gains                                                                                                                                      | 21   | 1886  |
| (2) | Elizabeth "                                                                                                                                     | 23   | 1884  |
| (3) | Lanux "                                                                                                                                         | 19   | 1888  |
| (4) | Mannie "                                                                                                                                        | 16   | 1891  |
| (5) | Lolara "                                                                                                                                        | 14   | 1893  |
| (6) | Laleb "                                                                                                                                         | 12   | 1895  |
| (7) | Azaline                                                                                                                                         | 10   | 1897  |
| 10. | Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: <u>(No)</u> | 28   | 1879  |
|     | (8) Abraham Gains                                                                                                                               |      | 1890  |
|     | (9) Josephine Brown (nee) Gains                                                                                                                 | 27   | 1890  |
|     | (10) Elizabeth Turner                                                                                                                           | 26   | 1881  |
|     | (11) Lewis Gains Jr                                                                                                                             | 25   | 1882  |
|     | (12) Sus "                                                                                                                                      | 24   | 1883  |

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lewis Gains

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May 1907.

My Commission expires

G. F. Adams Clerk District-  
Notary Public  
Calvert Harrison County - Tex

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Jerry Moore and Henry Golightly who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lewis Gainer who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 34 years and 33 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James Scott  
J. M. Scott

J. M. Moore  
Henry Golightly  
not

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of May, 1907.

James Scott  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 1, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

CHEROKEES  
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Feb 6-1862

U.S. Indian Commissioner  
Washington D.C. Please  
fill you have information  
when they go out for  
the eastern part of  
the reservation is the  
best made up of  
what is the matter here  
around they are on the  
side of the river  
your friend  
John Brown



No. 758

Action: Admitted

Name Sarah Beck and — children. Residence: Clayton, Ga.

Reasons:

Sister of # 513, and claims through  
the same ancestor.

Applicant enrolled by Heester, #2570.



No. 758

Name Sarah Beck

With No. 513

Remarks :

No. 73

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Miss Sarah Beck*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Sarah Beck

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Clayton Rabun County, Georgia

3. Town and post office: Clayton (town) and Clayton, Post office.

4. County: Rabun

5. State: Georgia

6. Date and place of birth: near Clayton, Rabun County, Georgia August 8, 1852.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim to share by and through my mother, Stacy Beck, who was prior to her marriage to my father, Berry B. Beck, Stacy Blythe (or Blyth). My mother's mother, my grand mother, was prior to her marriage to my grand father, James Blythe (or Blyth), Sallie (or Sarah) Downing, daughter of Richard (Dick) Downing, who was a free born Cherokee Indian. My mother (Stacy Beck), my grand mother, Sallie (or Sarah) Blythe and my grand father, "Dick" (Richard) Downing were all on the Cherokee Rolls for 1851-6 and 1851.

8. Are you married? No

9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Berry B. Beck

Indian name: Do not remember

Mother—English name: Stacy Beck (nee Stacy Blythe)

Indian name: Do not remember

Maiden name: Stacy Blythe (or Blyth.)

11. Where were they born?

Father: near Clayton, in Rabun County, Georgia.

Mother: In Clay (formerly Cherokee) County, North Carolina.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Rabun County, Georgia, near Clayton, Ga.

Mother: In Rabun County, Georgia, near Clayton, Ga.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: May 26<sup>th</sup> 1892. Mother: Dec 8<sup>th</sup> 1891.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: Yes in 1835-6 and in 1851 at look  
date they were named and lived and were enrolled for  
Clayton, N.C. Mother was on the roll of 1835-6.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME                       | BORN           | DIED   |
|----------------------------|----------------|--------|
| (1) James Beck             | Feb. 12, 1851  | Living |
| (2) Mary A. Dunlap         | Aug. 27, 1854  | "      |
| (3) Samuel Beck            | Feb. 22, 1857  | "      |
| (4) Tabitha Dockins        | March 30, 1859 | "      |
| (5) Savannah Dickson       | Aug. 14, 1861  | "      |
| (6) Stacy Cherokee Dickson | July 9, 1868   | "      |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE        | MOTHER'S SIDE                    |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| English: Samuel Beck | English: James Blythe (or Blyth) |
| " Tobitha Beck       | Sallie Blythe (or Blyth)         |

17. Where were they born? Grandfather Beck was born in Pickens Dist, SC 1796  
Grandmother Beck was born in South Carolina also,  
Grandfather Blythe was born in Macon Co. North Carolina,  
Grandmother Blythe was born in Rabun County, Georgia.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandfather Beck lived in Robt Co. Ga  
Grandmother Blythe lived in Union County, Ga. near Blairsville, Ga.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Since I claim through my mother I will omit Grandfather Beck's children and  
Grandmother Blythe's children.  
 (1) English name: Mrs. Mary A. Reed, daughter of James and Sallie Blythe,  
and wife of a. died in Graham County, N.C. Jan. 5, 1886.  
 Indian name: Muskum

Residence: near Robbinsville Graham Co. N.C.

(2) English name: My brother and his sister, I have  
all Grandfather and Grandmother Blythe's  
 Indian name: children

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: No



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Do not

remember

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My mother was on the Roll (Cherokee) in 1835, and 1851, and drew some annuities. She was on what was known as the Hester Roll as I remember it. My brother James Beck was on this Roll 1851 and drew some \$90 when he was only 6 mos. old. I think I was on that Roll when a infant.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Sarah Beck

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires December 31st, 1906

F. H. Singleton Clerk Superior Court Western District of Virginia.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me T. H. McConnell and A. J. York, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Miss Sarah Beck, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 54 years and 54 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

T. H. McConnell

A. J. York

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

My commission expires December 31st, 1906

F. H. Singleton Notary Public.  
Clerk Superior Court

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This application was filed with several other claims of her pro-  
know the status of her claim.

I represent the above applicant and would be very glad to

Dear Sir:-

Washington, D.C.

Com.

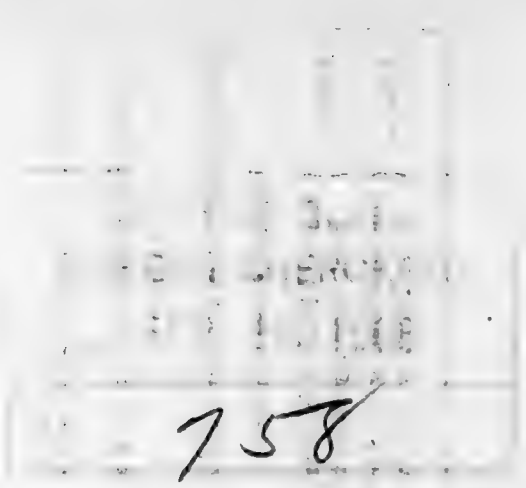
Hon. Rufus H. H. H.

lands due the Cherokee Indians:

Application of Miss Sarah Beck for participation in the

In Re:

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Dates for holding Courts in Rabun  
County:

Fourth Mondays in February and August

United States Courts:

Atlanta { Second Monday in March and  
          { First Monday in October

Athens: { Fourth Monday in April and  
          { First Monday in November

LAW OFFICES OF

**R. E. A. HAMBY**

VS.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Actions must be filed, if against resi-  
dents, twenty days; if against non-resi-  
dents, two months before each term of  
the Court.

Special attention given to business in  
above named Courts.

Specialties: Collecting and Abstract-  
ing.

Clayton, Ga., Sept. 14th, 1908.

**In Re:**

**Application of Miss Sarah Beck for Participation in the  
Funds due The Cherokee Indians:**

**Hon. Guion Miller,**

**Com.**

**Washington, D. C.**

**Dear Sir:-**

I represent the above applicant and would be very glad to  
know the status of her claim.

This application was filed with several other claims of her bro-  
thers and sisters and its file No. is 758.

Thanking you in advance for this information, I remain,

Truly yours,

*R. E. A. Hamby,*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 758.

October 15, 1906.

Sarah Beck,  
52 Trinity Avenue,  
Atlanta, Georgia.

Madam:-

This Office acknowledges the receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and you are advised that the same appears to be filled out properly, and will be taken up for examination in its regular order.

It would appear from your application that it will not be necessary for you to employ an attorney at this time.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 11 1906  
No. (App.) 758.

Clayton, Ga..

Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1906,

Hon. F. E. Lusk,  
Com. Indian Affairs  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir;

Enclosed you will find my application  
for Indian Disbursement under the late Decisions of  
Court of Claims. If there is anything irregular about  
it, I wish you would let me know.

Ought I to have attorney in fact in Washington?  
Or will the claim be acted on by the Dept.  
without the necessity of an attorney?

I wish you would notify me at 752 Trinity  
Avenue, Atlanta, Ga. where I will be for the next  
few months. Thanking you in advance for favors done,  
I am,

Truly yours,  
(Miss) Sarah Beck.



MAY 24 1910

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 9108

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 176

on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

Sarah Beck

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No 759

Action: Admitted

Name Jeff. Creech, (Dead and X children. Residence: Howe, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant's grandmother, Mary Ann Starns, was enrolled  
by Drannan in Ill. Dist. # 281.

No. 331

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jeff Couch (Deceased)*

for share of money appropriated for the Eastern  
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved  
June 30, 1900, in accordance with the decrees of the  
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 11 1906<br>No. |
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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Jeff Creech (Deceased)

D. C. 5256

Indian name: 1/16 Cherokee.

2. Residence: Howe

3. Town and post office: Howe Indian Territory

4. County: \_\_\_\_\_

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: January the 11.th 1882 at Fort Gibson I.T.

7. By what right do you claim to share? <sup>Died August the 12.th 1906</sup> If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Grand Mother and Grand Uncle James Merrel and Grand Aunt Nancy West (nee Merrel)

8. Are you married? Yes Widow

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Maud Creech 23 years of age

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Ira S. Creech

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Margrett Creech

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Margrett Storms

11. Where were they born?

Father: Madison Arkansas

Mother: Cherokee Indian Territory

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Was born in 1850

Mother: Was born in 1850

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Living

Mother: <sup>died</sup> 1897 in Illinois District

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Fort Gibson I.T.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN.       | DIED.         |
|-----|------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Willian Creech</u>  | <u>1881</u> | <u>1881</u>   |
| (2) | <u>Benjamin Creech</u> | <u>1887</u> | <u>1887</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Nettie Creech</u>   | <u>1885</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| (4) |                        |             |               |
| (5) |                        |             |               |
| (6) |                        |             |               |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.                | MOTHER'S SIDE.     |
|--|-------------------------------|--------------------|
|  | <u>James Storns White Man</u> | <u>Mary Storns</u> |
|  |                               |                    |
|  |                               |                    |
|  |                               |                    |

17. Where were they born? Alabama

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Indian Territory

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Jeff Storns Died in 1888  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: John Storns Living at Fort Gibson I.T.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: Lillie Waller (N-e Storns) Not Known  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes for Strip Money in 1894



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Jeff Crick*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires January 11<sup>th</sup>, 1909

*W J Dodson*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. T. Blassingame and B. H. Eagle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jeff Crick, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and 3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*G. T. Blassingame*  
*B. H. Eagle*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires April 18, 1908

*W. E. Whitford*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Appl. #759.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Sallisaw, Okla.,

September 19, 1908.

Mrs. Paul Breech,  
Nowe, Okla.

Dear Madam:

Your letter of the 4th inst., wherein you state that you met one of the Assistant Special Commissioners at Wilberton, Okla., on the 3rd of September, was received.

With respect to the proof in your claim, I will say that I am unable to find the grandmother of your husband, Jeff Breech, on the rolls of the emigrant Cherokees. The names of Mary Storms or Mary Ferrell do not appear upon the rolls. Please answer the following questions and direct your reply to the Special Commission of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C.

Through what ancestor does your husband claim his Cherokee blood, his father or his mother?

Give the full, English and Cherokee, names of the grandparent through whom he claims his Cherokee blood.

If possible give the same information with regard to his great-grandparents.

You state in your letter that your husband's grandmother, Mary Storms, nee Ferrell, was on the emigrant roll. In what district was she enrolled.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

(N. C. -- 2)

Did any of the ancestors of your husband ever receive any old settler payment.

Were any of your husband's ancestors ever affiliated with any tribe of Indians other than the Cherokees?

Please give the names of the brothers and sisters of any terms.

Please reply as early as possible.

Yours respectfully,

Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FAB/ALS.

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Appln. No. 759.

November 26, 1907.

Jeff Creech,  
Howe,  
Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state under what name, if at all, your parents, or either of them, were enrolled in 1861. Please give the names of your grandparents, and any other information which you may be able to furnish tending to establish your right to participate in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. DEC 9 1907

No. 759



Wallace Wilkinson,  
South McAlester

Chas. H. Hudson,  
Wilburton

LAW OFFICE OF  
WILKINSON & HUDSON

WILBURTON, IND. TER.

12/7/1907.

Hon. G. Miller,

Special Comm. Court of Claims,

Washington D.C.

Sir:-

Your favor of the 26th Ultimo, in regard to proof of my right to participate in the money due the Eastern Cherokees, has been received and will say in reply that neither of my husbands parents were on the roll of 1851, as they were born in the 50's.

My husbands grandmother was on the Cherokee roll, but I do not know which roll. I know that she was on the Imigrant roll of the Cherokees. Her name was Mary Storms nee Merrel. I do not know which name she appears on the roll under.

This woman had a brother names James Merrel, and a sister named Nancy West nee Merrel.

If I can find any other information in regard to this matter I will forward it to you.

Hoping th t this will be sufficient identification and that I may hear from you at your earliest convenience,

I am yours truly.

*Maud C. C. C.*  
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 759.

October 15, 1906.

Maud Creech,

Howe,

Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Relative to your application in behalf of the estate of Jeff Creech, deceased, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether or not the deceased left any children.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 11 1906  
No. (App.) 759.

New York, October 14, 1887.

To the Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

I enclose you will find a copy of the report filed out  
by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, which will give you  
the details of the case. It is all correct, if you please  
and will give the same as you see fit to do.  
Very truly,  
Yours truly,

*Mand C. Reel*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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Dilburton C. T.  
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Office of special Commissioner  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir,  
You will please change  
my address from Howe  
to Dilburton  
and also advise me  
as to what time the  
Eastern Cherokee payment  
will be  
and oblige

Mrs. Mary Grech.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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inquiry as to you  
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Wallace Wilkinson,  
South McAlester

Chas. H. Hudson,  
Wilburton

LAW OFFICE OF  
WILKINSON & HUDSON

WILBURTON, IND. TER.,

5/17/1907.

Special Commissioner of the  
Court Of claim,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Your favor of May 1st. with refferance to whaether I have any children or net that would participate in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Fund, in reply I wish to advise, that my number on the enrollment list is 759, and that I have no minor children, now or at the time the act giving this money was aproved, nor do I have any children of age.

Hoping that this information will meet your requirements,

I am yours very truly.

*Samuel Creech*





INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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O. J. M. BREWER  
DEALER IN  
General Merchandise and Live Stock

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If this is not right  
return with instructions  
and I will try to  
rectify

Ira S. Beach

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JAN 10 1908

WALLACE WILKINSON  
McAlester

CHAS. H. HUDSON  
Wilburton

LAW OFFICE OF  
WILKINSON & HUDSON

WILBURTON, OK.

1/6/1908.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter of the 26th. of November 1907. with refferance to my making proof as to my right to participate in the distribution of the money to be give the Eastern Cherokees. I filled out the required information and sent same to you in Nov. or first of Dec. last and have not heard from you. Not hearing from you I was afraid that my letter had been misplaced and that you had not received the proof, and that is why I write this letter.

Would be pleased to hear from you on the matters at to whether you received the evidence, and if any action had been taken as to the status of the the application #759.

Hoping to hear from you at your earliest convenience,

I am yours truly.

*W. Ward Creech*



COURT OF CLAIMS  
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MAR 15 1909

LAW OFFICE OF  
CHAS. H. HUDSON  
AND  
L. K. FOUNDER

WILBURTON, OKLAHOMA. March 11th, 1909.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir,-

Would be please to know what has been done with application  
No. 759, same being application of Mrs. Maud Creech, of Howe, Oklahoma, for  
a share of the money which is to be paid to the Eastern Cherokees.  
Hoping to hear from you at your earliest convenience, I am,

Yours truly,

*Mrs. Maud Creech*

*Send answer to Wilburton Okla.*

Now if you deem it necessary, I will make affidavit as to his right as a Cherokee and to any other fact that I may know that will assist you in determining my rights in the premises.

Please let me hear from you as to whether I have any rights at all, and if so, what steps are necessary to furnish you the proof.

Hoping to hear from you at your earliest convenience, I am,

Yours truly,

*Manfred C. Calkins*

Application No. 759

LAW OFFICE OF  
CHAS. H. HUDSON

WILBURTON, OKLAHOMA, Sept. 4th, 1908.

Mr. Fred A. Baker,  
Greenwood, Ark.

Dear Sir,-

I have notice from Hon. Gailon Miller, Assistant Special Com. of the Court of Claims, to meet you at Greenwood, Ark. on the 14th day of Sept., 1908, there to give evidence in support of my claim to participate in the distribution of the money awarded to the Eastern Cherokees by Act of Congress; and I wish to say that I had a talk with one of the assistant Special Commissioners here at Wilburton on the 3rd of September with reference to my claim; he told me to write you the facts in the case and if you deemed it necessary I will make affidavit in support of my claim.

I claim through my husband, Jeff Creech. My husband died Aug. 12th, 1906. My application was put in in October, 1906 (1906). My husband is enrolled by the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Roll No. 5256 Cherokee and has been given an allotment in the Cherokee Nation. I claim no right through my ancestors, but claim solely through my husband.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 759



#759. TO THE SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS.  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT. WASHINGTON D.C.

SIR:

I beg leave to make answer to the following questions.

- 1st. Through what ancestor does your husband claim his Cherokee blood, his father or mother?  
A. His mother.
- 2nd. Give the full Cherokee ~~###~~ and english names of the grand parents through whom he claims his Cherokee blood.  
A. His Grandmother was an imigrant, her name was Mary Storms Her maiden name was Mary Merrell. She had no other name.
3. If possible give the same information with regard to his Great Grandparents.  
A. Can not give any information about Great Grandparents.  
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- 4th. You state in your letter that your husband's mother, Mary Storms was on the emigrant roll. In what district was she enrolled.  
A. She lived and Died in Illinois District
- 5th. Did any of your husband's ancestors ever receive any Old Settler payment,  
A. No.
6. Were any of your husband's ancestors ever affiliated with any tribe of Indians, other than the Cherokees,  
A. No.
- 7th. Please give the names of the brothers ~~###~~ and sisters of Mary Storms, nee Merrell.  
A. Margaret, Nancy, and James Merrell.

Respectfully submitted.

Grand Crutch

Wilburton, Okla. Sept. 28th. 1908.

Please address me in the future at  
Wilburton Okla. Nash House

No. 760

Action: Admitted

Name Samuel Beck and 6 children. Residence: Clayton, Ga.

Reasons:

Brother of # 513, and claims through the same ancestors.

Applicant enrolled by Heester, # 2580.

No. 760

Name Samuel Beck

With No. 513

Remarks :

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*Samuel Buck*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Belva A. Lockwood,*  
*Atty.*

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#760.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: Samuel Beck  
Indian name: Wolf
2. Residence: Rabun County, Georgia
3. Town and post office: Clayton, Ga.
4. County: Rabun
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: 1857, Rabun County Georgia
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: 1<sup>st</sup> By my mother  
2<sup>d</sup> Through Grand Parents
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Virah Beck age 47 yrs.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Bury B. Beck.  
Indian name: Unknown  
Mother—English name: Stacy Brock  
Indian name: Wolf  
Maiden name: Stacy Blythe.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Rabun County Georgia.  
Mother: Cherokee County North Carolina
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Rabun County, Ga.  
Mother: Rabun County, Ga.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: May 26<sup>th</sup> 1892 Mother: December 5, 1891.



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: 1851. Rabun County, Ga.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.             | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | James Beck        | 55    |       |
| (2) | Sarah Beck        | 54    |       |
| (3) | Mary A. Dunlap    | 57    |       |
| (4) | Tabitha Dockins   | 47    |       |
| (5) | Sarah Ann Dickson | 45    |       |
| (6) | Cherokee Dickson  | 38    |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. |        | MOTHER'S SIDE. |      |
|----------------|--------|----------------|------|
| Samuel Beck    | Eng    | Sally Plythe   | Wolf |
| Tabitha Beck   | Indian |                |      |

17. Where were they born? North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee County North Carolina

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Stacy Plythe  
 Indian name: Wolf  
 Residence: Georgia

(2) English name: Mary A. Sneed  
 Indian name: Wolf  
 Residence: N.C.

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I have not

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Sallio Blythe Wolf* — *Stacy Blythe, Wolf*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I hereby appear before the Hon. J. C. Lockwood of the District of Columbia and declare myself to be the same person as the person named in my former place and name, and also the same person as the person named in the commission of the (10) per cent.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Samuel Wolf*

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

My commission expires *December 31st*, 1906

*F. S. [illegible]*  
*Clk. Superior Court, D.C.*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *T. N. McCannell*, *J. E. Dussick* and *M. V. Beech*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Samuel Wolf*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *29* years and *45* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *they* represents *him* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*T. N. McCannell*  
*J. E. Dussick*

*Martin V. Beech*

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

My commission expires *Dec. 31*, 1906

*F. S. [illegible]*  
*Clk. Superior Court, D.C.*

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
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Clayton, Ga., Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1906.  
Commissioner Indian Affairs.  
Washington,  
D.C.

Dear Sir: I send you by to-days mail  
my application in regard to the  
Five million fund. If my blank is  
not all right please inform me  
at your earliest convenience. Do I  
will have time to be sure of its  
being right. About what date  
will the payroll be made up?  
When and where will this money  
be paid out?

I Remain yours very Truly

Samuel Beck

Pub. Co.,

Clayton  
Ga.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 760.

October 15, 1906.

Samuel Beck,  
Clayton,  
Georgia.

Sir:-

This Office acknowledges the receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and you are advised that the same appears to be properly filled out, and will be taken up for examination in its order.

It is impossible to tell at this time when the payroll will be completed. When ready to be disbursed, the fund will probably be distributed regularly through the Treasury Department, but the place of disbursement is not now known.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH



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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 9101, 9104, 9105, 9106, 9107  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 169, 172, 173, 174, 175  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

JMS

Samuel Beck

No. 761  
Name: Smit. Six Killis and 3 children. Residence: Sitka, (Ala.)  
Action: Admiralty  
Reasons: Applicant is the son of Arch Field - en-  
rolled by Drummie in 1851 as Arch Six Killis  
in Flint List, Group 46; and Annie Regfrater  
his grand mother enrolled at same time and  
place under Group # 36 Misc List. 4019.

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O.K.O.P.

No. 761.

Name Samuel Sillsler

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped herewith

are nos. 764, 770, 769.

4227, 5690, 5591, 5592,

10688, 27103, 27104,

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Claims through 2326, 1, 2, 3397

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Army Bigfeather

Flint 36.

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No. 761

Name Saml. Silliker

With No. 27 Field

Remarks:

No. 76/

Name Samuel Sirttler

With No. 5<sup>th</sup> Field-

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel Sickler.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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# 761.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Samuel Sixkiller

Indian name: Sannie Su-tul-le-ke-hi

2. Residence: District Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office: Stilwell and Lee

4. County: Plant

5. State: Georgia

6. Date and place of birth: Nov. 25, 1851. Plant District Cherokee Nat.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Arch. Fields (my father)

Annie Bigfeather (my mother) my uncle

(Hitcher Bigfeather) Uncle Hawk Bigfeather

Uncle Tom Sixkiller

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy Sixkiller 58 years of age

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Arch. Fields Sixkiller 46 Yrs

Indian name: Ar-ehi Su-tul-le-ke-hi

Mother—English name: Charlotte Fields

Indian name: On-haw-hah

Maiden name: Charlotte Adair

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Georgia

Mother: In Georgia

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Plant District Cherokee Nation

Mother: Plant District Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: In August 1863 Mother: 1886

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Unknown.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.             | BORN.                         | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------------------------------|-------|
| (1) | Samuel Sixkiller  | 23 <sup>rd</sup> of Nov 1827  |       |
| (2) | Jennie Ferson     | 1853                          |       |
| (3) | Walter Sixkiller  | 10 <sup>th</sup> of Oct. 1853 |       |
| (4) | John M. Sixkiller | June 1857                     | 1886  |
| (5) |                   |                               |       |
| (6) |                   |                               |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.    | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Sixkiller Fields  | Samuel Adair   |
| Jimmie Bigfeather | Polly Adair    |

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17. Where were they born? In Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In Flint District Cherokee Nation

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                                  |      |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|------|
| (1) English name: | George Adair                     | 1876 |
| Indian name:      | Charlotte Adair Ar tal uck Tayan | 1886 |
| Residence:        | Flint District Ch N              | 1886 |
| (2) English name: | Sa Kaw Kah                       |      |
| Indian name:      |                                  |      |
| Residence:        |                                  |      |
| (3) English name: | Malinda Adair                    |      |
| Indian name:      | A-lee                            | 1881 |
| Residence:        | Flint District Chv Nation        |      |
| (4) English name: | John B. Adair                    |      |
| Indian name:      | Co. a-tee                        |      |
| Residence:        | Sall'sisaw Cherokee Nation       |      |
| (5) English name: |                                  |      |
| Indian name:      |                                  |      |
| Residence:        |                                  |      |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

Nothing only enrolled by the Lawes Commission for allotments of land

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

*Unknown*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Was fathers name was changed from ~~Red~~ ~~Tilled~~ to Sixkiller, ~~father~~ taking fathers given name instead of his Six name*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Samuel <sup>his</sup> Sixkiller*  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct.*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Nov. 21*, 190*8* *Hugh M. Adair*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John B. Adair* and *John Houseberg*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Samuel Sixkiller*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *55* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John B. Adair*  
*John Houseberg*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct.*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Nov. 21*, 190*8* *Hugh M. Adair*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 761

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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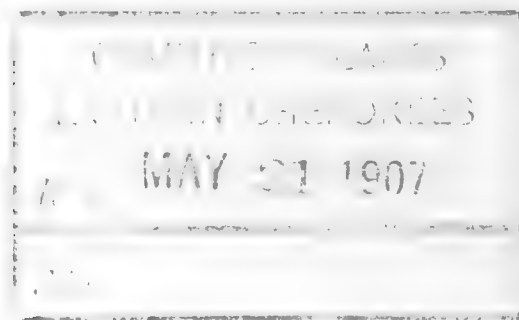
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel S. Hiller*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 761

1. State your full name: Samuel Sixkiller
2. Residence and post office: Stilwell Ind Ter.
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: In Flint District C.M. Nov 25 1857
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy Sixkiller nee Lasley
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokees
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|                              | NAME.                                                                                               | AGE.      | BORN.                           |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| (1)                          | <u>Ned Sixkiller</u>                                                                                | <u>18</u> | <u>May 10 1889</u>              |
| <u>his father</u>            | (2) <u>Delia Sixkiller</u>                                                                          | <u>15</u> | <u>Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> 1893</u> |
| <u>is Alex</u>               | (3) <u>(Stand W. McCoy)</u>                                                                         | <u>12</u> | <u>Feb. 1895</u>                |
| <u>McCoy.</u>                | (4) <u>He is the <del>old</del> child of my wife's <sup>12</sup>sister (Luella Simmons)</u>         |           |                                 |
| <u>I think</u>               | (5) <u>she died in 1905. His father is still</u>                                                    |           |                                 |
| <u>has made</u>              | (6) <u>living but will not have any thing to do with</u>                                            |           |                                 |
| <u>i application,</u>        | <u>sum. Both his parents are cherokees.</u>                                                         |           |                                 |
|                              | Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, |           |                                 |
| <u>his father</u>            | and with what tribe of Indians: <u>For lands, for monies in 1894</u>                                |           |                                 |
| <u>is the old Alex McCoy</u> | REMARKS                                                                                             |           |                                 |

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Stand W. McCoy is under my care and guardianship  
Being Nephew of Nancy Sixkiller

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Samuel <sup>his</sup> Sixkiller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of May 1907.

Hugh M Adair  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Nov 21, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. J. Alberty and L. B. Patterson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel Sixkiller who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 12 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

..... A. J. Alberty  
..... L. B. Patterson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of May, 1907.

Hugh M. Adair  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov. 21, 1908.

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Charles Sixkiller  
Mustogua

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Son of John Martin  
Sixkiller  
(Mookey)

J. M. S. was a  
bro. of Walter  
Sixkiller #776.  
Hand up case  
of Chas. T.  
put with this

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No. 770-761

Walter Sixkiller, being duly sworn, ~~kk~~ deposes and says:

My name is Walter Sixkiller; my post-office is Stilwell, Okla.; I am about fifty-three years old; my father's name was Arch Field but he went by the name of Arch Sixkiller; my father died during the small-pox epidemic about 1863; my father lived in Flint District; Flint No. 46. ~~xx~~ My mother was a quarter Indian but she was an Old Settler. My father had some brothers named Big-feather- there were two of them- George and Cloud Big-feather; also Hawk Big-feather and Annie Big-feather was the mother of Hawk and Cloud- (Flint 36) she was also the mother of Arch and George.

Walter Sixkiller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of March, 1909 at Stilwell, Okla.

Guion Miller.  
Special Commissioner of U.S. Court of Claims.

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NOTES FOR THE SECOND FIELD INVESTIGATION OF CASE #761.

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There are two classes of cases in this group, one class claiming through Arch Fields and another through George Bigfeather. George Bigfeather and Arch Fields were half-brothers, being the sons of Annie Bigfeather by different fathers. Annie Bigfeather is enrolled in Flint District #36.

It should be ascertained under what name Arch Fields was known in 1851, where he was living, in what District he was enrolled, with whom and under what name. It should also be ascertained under what name George Bigfeather was known in 1851, where he was living, under what name he was enrolled and with whom.

The wives of both Arch Fields and George Bigfeather were Old Settlers. The wife of Arch Fields was enrolled as an Old Settler, Fl. 16. The wife of George Bigfeather was enrolled as an Old Settler, Fl. 11.

The only persons through whom this group of cases can be O.K'd. are Arch Fields and George Bigfeather, and special effort should be made to locate them on the rolls.

No 762.

Action: Admitted

Name Kimmie C. McCallough and 1 children. Residence: Coffeyville, Kansas.

Reasons:

Applicant's mother, Kammelia West and her grand-  
parents John & Ruthe West were enrolled by Drennan  
in Ill. List # 276.

No. 762.

O.K. O.K.

Name Kramitice C. McCallough

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are nos. 13713, 16161.

5238 1116

Claim through  
{ John West } Ill. 276  
{ Ruth " } " "

Examine as  
to Laura & Mary

No. 709

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

**Kiamitia C. McCullough.**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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# 762.

*Commissioner of Indian Affairs,*  
*Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: Kiamitia C. Gilbert McCullough, enrolled as Kiamitia C. Gilbert.  
Indian name: None.
2. Residence: Seven miles southwest of Coffeyville Kansas.
3. Town and post office: Coffeyville Kansas.
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: December 29th, 1880, Webbers Falls I. T.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim through my grandfather, John W. West, my grandmother, Ruth P. West, and my mother Kiamitia C. Gilbert.
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: James F. McCullough, age thirty-eight.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Allen Gilbert.  
Indian name: None.  
Mother—English name: Kiamitia C. Gilbert.  
Indian name: I do not know.  
Maiden name: Kiamitia C. West.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Ohio.  
Mother: At Ft. Gibson I. T.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Ohio.  
Mother: Ft. Gibson I. T.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: June 6th, 1898. Mother: December 29th, 1880.



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: **My parents received several small payments, that is my mother received payments, my father was a white man.**

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                | BORN.          | DIED.            |
|-----|----------------------|----------------|------------------|
| (1) | Ruth Gilbert Hoffman | Nov. 25, 1870. |                  |
| (2) | Allen Gilbert        | About 1875.    | About 1877.      |
| (3) | John Gilbert         | In 1876.       | In February 1877 |
| (4) | George Gilbert       | March 2, 1878. |                  |
| (5) |                      |                |                  |
| (6) |                      |                |                  |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

unknown.

17. Where were they born? **My grandmother was born in Tennessee.**  
**My grandfather on my mothers side was also born in Tennessee.**

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? **At Ft. Gibson I. T.**

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: **Ruth E. Findley**  
Indian name: **unknown.**  
Residence: **Watova I. T.**

(2) English name: **Kiamitia C. Gilbert, died December 29, 1880.**  
Indian name: **unknown.**  
Residence:

(3) English name: **William M. West, died about 1888.**  
Indian name: **unknown.**  
Residence:

(4) English name: **George J. West, died 1863, James P. West, died in 1894.**  
Indian name: **unknown.**  
Residence:

(5) English name: **Martha S. West, died in 1864, Frank P. West, died 1888.**  
Indian name: **unknown.**  
Residence: **English name:- John C. West, Muskogee I. T.**

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: **I have shared in several Indian payments, and have my allotment of land in the Cherokee Nation.**

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: My mothers name was Kiamitia C. Gilbert, her maiden name was Kiamitia C. West. My mothers mothers name was Ruth P. West, and my mothers fathers name was John W. West. My mothers mothers fathers name was George Fields.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I have given all the information that I possess.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Kiamitia C. McCullough

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

My commission expires

August 24, 1910.

Ethel A. Smith  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Ruth E. Findley and Thomas Huffman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Kiamitia C. McCullough, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Ruth E. Findley  
Thomas Huffman

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

My commission expires

August 24, 1910.

Ethel A. Smith  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 762

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

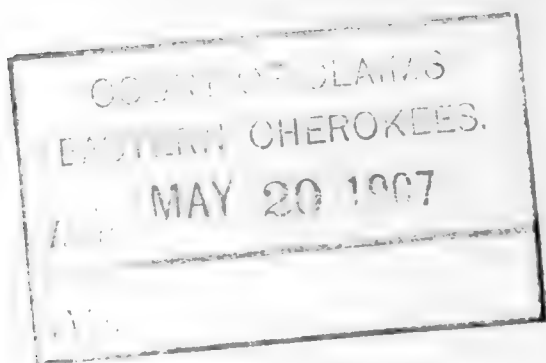
OF

Kianitia C. Gilbert McCullough.

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 762

1. State your full name: Kiamitia C. Gilbert McCullough.
2. Residence and post office: Coffeyville, Kansas.
3. County: Montgomery
4. State: Kansas.
5. Date and place of birth: Webbers Falls, I. T. Dec. 29th 1880.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: J. F. McCullough, 39 Yrs.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? none
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                       | AGE.           | BORN.                 |
|-----|-----------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Zelma C. McCullough,</u> | <u>2 years</u> | <u>Apr. 30, 1905.</u> |
| (2) | .....                       | .....          | .....                 |
| (3) | .....                       | .....          | .....                 |
| (4) | .....                       | .....          | .....                 |
| (5) | .....                       | .....          | .....                 |
| (6) | .....                       | .....          | .....                 |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes for land May 7, 1906, Bartlesville, I. T.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Kiamitia C. Gilbert McCullough

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of May, 1907.

Elizabeth Wallingford  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires  
October 19 1910, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. M. Ragle and Andy Curry who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Kiamitia C. Gilbert McCullough who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 12 years and 12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person represents to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark,

Signatures of Witnesses.

*A. M. Ragle*  
*Andy Curry*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of May, 1907.

*Elizabeth Hallingford*  
Notary Public

My commission expires October 19, 1910, 1907.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
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*Handwritten signature or name, oriented vertically.*

# RAGLE & CURRY

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Rooms 2 and 3, Hall Building

Coffeyville, Kansas, May 16, 1907.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:--

Enclosed find Supplemental Application of Kiamitia C. Gilbert McCullough, for Zelma C. McCullough her child.

Yours very truly,

*Kiamitia C. Gilbert McCullough*

No. 763

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Barbra W. Presley* and — children. Residence: *Ladonia, Texas.*

Reasons:

No. 763

Name Barbara A. Perry

With No. 77

Remarks :

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

**Barbra A. Presley.**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Barbra A Presley

Indian name: none known.

2. Residence: Ladonia, Texas,

3. Town and post office: Ladonia, Texas.

4. County: Fannin

5. State: Texas.

6. Date and place of birth: August 10th, 1835 in South Carolina.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Cherokee descent. Through my mother who was Rachel Harget before her marriage to Abe Funderburk.

8. Are you married? no. I am a widow.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: husband died in 1866.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Abe Funderburk.

Indian name: Don't know.

Mother—English name: Rachel Harget.

Indian name: Don't know.

Maiden name: Rachel Harget.

11. Where were they born?

Father: Lancaster district, South Carolina.

Mother: Union county, North Carolina.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lancaster, South Carolina.

Mother: Lancaster, South Carolina.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1870 Mother: 1854.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Don't know.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                    | BORN.             | DIED.             |
|-----|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Laney Funderburk</u>  | <u>Dont know.</u> | <u>Dont know.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Jake Funderburk</u>   | <u>dont know</u>  | <u>dont know.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Lizzie Funderburk</u> | <u>dont know</u>  | <u>dont know.</u> |
| (4) | <u>Jonas Funderburk</u>  | <u>dont know</u>  | <u>dont know.</u> |
| (5) | <u>Abe Funderburk</u>    | <u>dont know</u>  | <u>dont know.</u> |
| (6) | <u>Joe Funderburk</u>    | <u>dont know</u>  | <u>dont know.</u> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.            | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
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| <u>Jake Funderburk,</u>   | <u>Hanna Harget.</u> |
| <u>Barbra Funderburk.</u> | <u>Joe Harget,</u>   |

17. Where were they born? in North Carolina., Union Co., Monroe.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not living.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                      |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| (1) English name: | <u>Laney Harget</u>  |
| Indian name:      | <u>dont know</u>     |
| Residence:        | <u>dont know.</u>    |
| (2) English name: | <u>Betsy Harget</u>  |
| Indian name:      | <u>dont know</u>     |
| Residence:        | <u>dont know.</u>    |
| (3) English name: | <u>Nancy Harget</u>  |
| Indian name:      | <u>dont know</u>     |
| Residence:        | <u>dont know.</u>    |
| (4) English name: | <u>Rachel Harget</u> |
| Indian name:      | <u>dont know</u>     |
| Residence:        | <u>died in 1854.</u> |
| (5) English name: |                      |
| Indian name:      |                      |
| Residence:        |                      |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I tried to be, and had two agents to represent but if I have been enrolled I have never received anything. I also appeared before the Dawse Commission at Muskogee in Jan. 1906.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

The Funderburks were Choctaws and the Hargets were Cherokkes.

My parents kept no family record therefore I cannot say as to the births and deaths of my brothers and sisters. In 1854 I was married to Noah Presley and removed to South Georgia soon after. I could not write and had very little communication with folk. I came to Texas in 1882.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Barbra A. Presley

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

My commission expires June 1, 1907, 190

Wm. Hawkins  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Haden and J. D. Fraley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Barbra A. Presley, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 9 years and 9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. B. Haden  
J. D. Fraley

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

My commission expires June 1, 1907

Wm. Hawkins  
Notary Public.

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*Jessie*

No. *764*

Action: *Admitted*

Name *Henson, ~~Jessie~~* and *3* children. Residence: *Stilwell, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Sister of 761.*

No. 764.

Name Jennie Henson.

With No. 761.

Remarks :



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jennie Newton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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# 764

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Jennie Henson

Indian name: Je-nee

2. Residence: Flint District Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office: Stewart Ind Ter

4. County: Flint

5. State: Ind

6. Date and place of birth: Flint District C. N. 1853

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: My father Arch Fields  
Jennie Bigfeather (my mother) my Uncle  
Nathan Bigfeather Uncle Hawk Bigfeather  
and Uncle Tom Sixkiller

8. Are you married? I have been now a widow

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Terrel Henson

46 yrs.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Arch Fields Sixkiller

Indian name: Archie Sutulle-ke-ke

Mother—English name: Charlotte Fields

Indian name: Ca-haw-kuh

Maiden name: Jennie Sixkiller

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Georgia

Mother: In Georgia

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Flint District Cherokee Nation

Mother: In Flint District Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: In August 1863 Mother: 1886

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Not known*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                   | BORN.                           | DIED.       |
|-----|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>Samuel Sixkiller</i> | <i>Nov 25<sup>th</sup> 1851</i> |             |
| (2) | <i>Annie Henson</i>     | <i>1853</i>                     |             |
| (3) | <i>Walter Sixkiller</i> | <i>Oct 10<sup>th</sup> 1853</i> |             |
| (4) | <i>John M Sixkiller</i> | <i>June 1857</i>                | <i>1886</i> |
| (5) |                         |                                 |             |
| (6) |                         |                                 |             |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.          | MOTHER'S SIDE.      |
|-------------------------|---------------------|
| <i>Sixkiller Fields</i> | <i>Samuel Adair</i> |
| <i>Annie Bigfeather</i> | <i>Polly Adair</i>  |

17. Where were they born? *In Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*In Flint District Cherokee Nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                                       |                     |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>George Adair</i>                   | <i>Died 1876</i>    |
| Indian name:      | <i>Oo-tal-uck-te-you</i>              |                     |
| Residence:        | <i>Flint District Cherokee Nation</i> |                     |
| (2) English name: | <i>Charlotte Adair</i>                |                     |
| Indian name:      | <i>Oo-haw-kah</i>                     | <i>Died in 1886</i> |
| Residence:        | <i>Flint District Cherokee Nation</i> |                     |
| (3) English name: | <i>Malinda Adair</i>                  |                     |
| Indian name:      | <i>A-lee</i>                          |                     |
| Residence:        | <i>Flint District Cherokee Nation</i> | <i>Died 1881</i>    |
| (4) English name: | <i>John B. Adair</i>                  |                     |
| Indian name:      | <i>Oo-u-lee</i>                       |                     |
| Residence:        | <i>Sallisaw Cherokee Nation</i>       |                     |
| (5) English name: |                                       |                     |
| Indian name:      |                                       |                     |
| Residence:        |                                       |                     |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

*Nothing only enrolled by the  
Laws Commission for title of lands*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

*Unknown*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My father name was changed from Arch Fields to Sixkiller taking father given name instead of his Sir name*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Jennie Henson*  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov 21*, 1908 *Hugh M. Quinn*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John B Adair* and *John Houseberg*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jennie Henson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *50* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*N. J. ...* *John B Adair*  
*W. Hill* *John Houseberg*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *21*, 1908 *Hugh M. Quinn*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 764

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Jennie Henson*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 764

1. State your full name: Jennie Henson
2. Residence and post office: Stilwell
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind Ter
5. Date and place of birth: Plant Dist C.M. 1857
6. Are you married? a Widow
7. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokees
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.      | BORN.                   |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Henson</u>      |           | <u>Died May 2, 1897</u> |
| (2) | <u>Sallie Henson</u>    |           |                         |
| (3) | <u>Johncie Henson</u>   | <u>17</u> | <u>1890</u>             |
| (4) | <u>Charlotte Henson</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>1892</u>             |
| (5) | _____                   |           |                         |
| (6) | _____                   |           |                         |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: For lands by the Dawes Com. for money in 1894

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Jennie Henson  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of May 1907.

Hugh M. Adair  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Nov 21, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Lou Daugherty and Minnie Daugherty who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jennie Henson who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 30 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person he represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Louella Daugherty

Minnie Daugherty

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of May, 1907.

Hugh M. Adair  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 21, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 764.

October 15, 1906.

Jennie Henson,  
Stilwell,  
Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, is herewith returned to you, it being noted that you have failed to make your mark at the place indicated for your signature. Please correct this error, and return the application to this Office.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

No. 765

Action: Admitted

Name: *Amos Smith and 2* children. Residence: *Car. Santa Clara*

Reasons: *Amos Smith, 2 children, admitted to the school because of the influence of the father, a member of the church.*

(42)

O.K. O.K.

No. 765.

Name John Paul - Lee - Lee

With No.

Remarks :

Claims through  
Cue } Saline 642.  
Betsey }

This application seems  
O.K. but there is con-  
siderable confusion of names.



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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**APPLICATION**

OF

*John Skul-lov-le*

For shares of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906 in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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# 765.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

John Skul Lovel

Indian name:

Kun Mucowah Lu-nah

2. Residence:

5 miles north Okeluta Ind. Ter

3. Town and post office:

Okeluta Box 13

4. County:

Cherokee Nation

5. State:

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

In Cherokee Nation age 42 years

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in

1851, set forth each claim separately:

Skul Lovel Adair Betsy Adair  
Wm to Adair John Adair (my father) Isro wa loo kee  
Suar la yoo nah. Wa ke. Na ke. Eo (my mother)  
Betsy.

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Jimmie Skul Lovel about  
50 or 52 years old.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

John Skul Lovel

Indian name:

Chah urr

Mother—English name:

Evo Isro wa loo kee

Indian name:

E wo Skul Lovel

Maiden name:

Evo Isro wa loo kee

11. Where were they born?

Father:

I think in present Cherokee Nation I'm not sure

Mother:

I think in present Cherokee Nation I'm not sure.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

In present Cherokee Nation Saline District

Mother:

In present Cherokee Nation Saline District

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

In about 1875 or 76

Mother:

about 1873 or 74.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Old Cherokee Emigrant - land in 1852, in Saline District -

15. Name of all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                                             | BORN.              | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------|
| (1) | Daniel Skul-loo-ko                                | about 30 years old |       |
| (2) | The above is only a half brother on father's side |                    |       |
| (3) |                                                   |                    |       |
| (4) |                                                   |                    |       |
| (5) |                                                   |                    |       |
| (6) |                                                   |                    |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. |             | MOTHER'S SIDE. |           |
|----------------|-------------|----------------|-----------|
| Skul-loo-ko    | Admir G. H. | Tsoo-wa-loo-ko | G. H.     |
| Betsy          | Admir G. M. | Loo-la-yoo-ko  | G. Mother |

17. Where were they born? East of Mississippi River in Old Cherokee Nation

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Superior Cherokee Nation

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: W. H. Co. Admir Scout remembers date of death  
Indian name: W. H. Co. " " " " " "  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: John Admir my father died about 1875 or 76  
Indian name: Choh-uh-Admir all on my father's side  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: W. H. Co. Tsoo-wa-loo-ko in unknown  
Indian name: W. H. Co. " " " "  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: W. H. Co. Tsoo-wa-loo-ko death in known  
Indian name: W. H. Co. " " " "  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: John Tsoo-wa-loo-ko died about 1875 or 76  
Indian name: W. H. Co. " " " " " "  
Residence: Betsy Tsoo-wa-loo-ko death in known

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: stop down in all payments made since 1880  
except Old Saline payment



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Owing to the early death of all my people I am unable to answer above question*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Please observe that the names I claim can be found in Saline District Page 316 no 612 is my father's family, and Saline Dist Page 318 no 642 are my mother's people. In Emigrant Cherokee Pay Roll of 1852.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *John Skublos*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Aug 31*, 1907

*J. J. Ellison*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Lincoln Trotting Wolf* and *Susan Trotting Wolf*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John Skublos*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *15* years, respectively, and known *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signature of witnesses.

*L. E. Elds* *Lincoln Trotting Wolf*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Aug 31*, 1907

*J. J. Ellison*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary etc.

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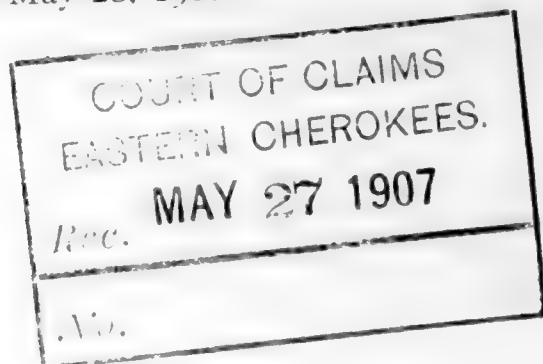
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*John Scullant*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 765

1. State your full name: John Scullaw (John Skul-lor-le)
2. Residence and post office: Ochelata Itt
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Date and place of birth: near Ochelata
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Jennie Scullaw
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.              | AGE.     | BORN.                      |
|-----|--------------------|----------|----------------------------|
| (1) | <del>Mary Ho</del> |          |                            |
| (2) | Willie Scullaw     | 17 years | April 7 <sup>th</sup> 1890 |
| (3) | Richard Scullaw    | 15 "     | July 14-1892               |
| (4) |                    |          |                            |
| (5) |                    |          |                            |
| (6) |                    |          |                            |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Witness*  
J. A. Rawlans

(Signature)

John Scullaw (John Skul-lor-le)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May 1907.

E. H. T. T. T.

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

June 23, 1910

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me..... and ..... who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with.....who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known.....for.....years and..... years, respectively, and know.....to be the identical person.....represents..... to be, and that on May 28, 1906, .....had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by .....are true, and they have no interest whatever in.....claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this.....day of....., 1907.

.....  
Notary Public.

My commission expires ....., 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

... supposed to be the nearest ...

sworn as the law director, ...

... personally ... and only ...

Agion (his name) Ar-ja-phon ...

with you for a portion of ...

... supposed to be the nearest ...

I believe that ... Washington D.C.

... of Indian Affairs

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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November 1, 1906.

Ochelata I.T.  
November 14th 1906.

Hon Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

I herein hand you the following names as other ancestors to whom I am supposed to be the nearest kin known to be living and respectfully request that they be added to my application which I have previously filed with you for a portion of the funds appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Aaron Adair (my uncle) Ar-ta-hyor (my uncle) Sequoyah (my great uncle) and Caty (my great aunt)

Personally came before me a Notary public within and for the ~~#####~~ ~~###~~ Northern District of the Indian Territory John Skullawl Who being duly sworn as the law directs, deposes and says,

My name is John Skullawl, My age is 42years my postoffice is Ochelata I.T. I am supposed to be the nearest heir to the above and foregoing names I have mentioned in the above petition to the Hon Commissioner of Indian Affairs, And I most respectfully ask that the same be added to my application which I have already filed with said Commissioner. And that I be permitted to draw the shairs due them.

John Skullawl

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 14th day of November 1906.  
Witnesses

John Chumacee  
A. H. Stewart

My Commission expires on the 27 day of Aug 1907

F. G. Ellis Jr  
Notary Public

The Bank of Ochelata

Jan 22nd 1907.

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CAPITAL STOCK \$12,000.00 PAID UP  
F. M. SEXTON, President. JAY C. SEXTON, Cashier.  
CLYDE A. STEINBERGER, V.P. RAY F. SEXTON, Asst. Cash.

Ochelata Ind. Ter  
To the Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington D.C.

I hand you herewith The names of Nick Peter, Nancy Peter, Tar ske gee tee he, Peter, Annie Peter, and Peter Peter, who are more of my relatives whos names should appear upon the Cherokee Emigrant Pay roll and I am the nearest relative living except a half brother by name of Bear Scullawl, You will please add tgeese names to my application which has been filed with you for some time passed.

Oblige, There is also another by name of  
Ach-naw-ti-ah.

*John S. Kuhl*  
Ochelata I.T.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 22nd day of Jan 1907.

*Wm. M. McConnell*

Notary Public,

My commission expires 24<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1910

Witness *J. L. ...*

*J. L. ...*



Please observe that the name  
Skublov is spelled two ways

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EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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No. 766

Action: Admitted

Name: Ruth Mounts and 1 children. Residence: Jersey, Okla

Reasons: Mother of # 216 and claims the same source

and 1987

O.K.

No. 766.

Name Ruth Mounts

With No. ....

Remarks :

Grouped herewith  
are nos. 1387, 24148,  
438, 1388, 938 1/2.

Claims through  
Delila Purris  
Ill. 1.

See Group no.  
216.

No. 76

Name. J. H. Bennett

With No. 216

Remarks:

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No. 5000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Beuth Mountain*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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#466.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Ruth Morris

Indian name: Chu yah see

2. Residence: near Dewey & J

3. Town and post office: Dewey

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Gay Suck dist Cherokee Nation March 1848

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: One John Morris my husband  
Ruth (self) Chu a wak see, my mother  
David John L., Li a wak see.

8. Are you married? Husband dead

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Johnson Morris Old Settler

Indian name: Su h su h

Mother—English name: Delilah Morris

Indian name: T. a. K. K.

Maiden name: Delia La Duenna, or Chu a wak see

11. Where were they born?

Father: East of Mississippi River

Mother: East of Mississippi River

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In present Cherokee Nation

Mother: In present Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: about 1886 Mother: about 1881

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Father drew Old Settlers fund in 1852*

*Mother drew Emigrant fund in 1850.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                   | BORN.                 | DIED.                  |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Lehanna Forbes</i>   | <i>about 56 years</i> |                        |
| (2) | <i>Paralee Chambers</i> |                       | <i>died about 1890</i> |
| (3) | <i>Melissa Chambers</i> |                       | <i>" " 1870</i>        |
| (4) | <i>Eliza Harris</i>     |                       | <i>" " 1866.</i>       |
| (5) | <i>Agnes Harris</i>     | <i>about 49 years</i> |                        |
| (6) |                         |                       |                        |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.      | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|--|---------------------|----------------------|
|  | <i>James Harris</i> | <i>John Chewker</i>  |
|  | <i>Polly</i>        | <i>Chewker</i>       |
|  |                     | <i>Polly Chewker</i> |
|  |                     | <i>Leah</i>          |

17. Where were they born? *East of Mississippi River*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In present*  
*Cherokee nation*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *My people being full blood Chewkers*  
 Indian name: *unable to give their names*  
 Residence:
- (2) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (3) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (4) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (5) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where. *Drew all payments made to Chewkers during my life*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Unable to answer above questions

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

The parties party can be found on the Emigrant Cherokee Payroll 1832 Illinois Dist Page 923 no 1 and others in Greenwood Dist Page 179 no 261.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Ruth Munn

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

My commission expires

Aug 31<sup>st</sup>, 1907

J. J. Ellis  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James Knapp Fisher and Susan M. Munn, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ruth Munn, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 1 years and 1 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

James Knapp Fisher  
Susan M. Munn

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

My commission expires

Aug 31<sup>st</sup>, 1907

J. J. Ellis  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 766

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Ruth Mounts*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES<br>MAY 18 1907 |
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 766

1. State your full name: Ruth Mounts
2. Residence and post office: Dewey, Ind. Ter.
3. County: (to be Washington County.)
4. State: (to be Oklahoma)
5. Date and place of birth: Born March 1st, 1849, near Arkansas line in Goingsnake District, Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.
6. Are you married? am a widow.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: husband died in 1905.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? was intermarried white.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                             | AGE.            | BORN.                   |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Maggie Hannon, nee Goldman</u> | <u>37 years</u> | <u>Sept. 30th, 1870</u> |
| (2) | <u>Polly Roe, nee Goldmann</u>    | <u>28 "</u>     | <u>Aug. 10. 1878.</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Robert E. L. Mounts</u>        | <u>15 "</u>     | <u>June 14, 1891.</u>   |
| (4) | .....                             | .....           | .....                   |
| (5) | .....                             | .....           | .....                   |
| (6) | .....                             | .....           | .....                   |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: All are enrolled for allotment. All drew Cherokee Strip money.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ruth Mounts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of May 1907.

A. S. Samuel

Notary Public.

My Commission expires Nov. 2, 1908.

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me C. D. Mounts and G. W. Mounts who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ruth Mounts who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. D. Mounts

G. W. Mounts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of May, 1907.

A. Samuel

Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov. 2, 1908, 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 767

Action: Admitted

Name: *William W. ...* and  children. Residence: *Delaware, Del.*

Reasons: *The subject of ...  
...  
...  
1881 - ...*

O.K. O.K.

No. 767

Name Melissa C. Dooley

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are nos. 768, 7617, 7618,  
7619, 7620. 7621, 23248  
2174-2, 727-3  
242-7-29182-3,  
33886.

Claims through  
Jane Gravitt.  
c. 1881.

See # 3910 S-1  
Grouped  
herewith.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William C. Hooley*

For a share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the 22<sup>d</sup> of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Melissa Caroline Dooley nee Gravitt.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Catoosa.

3. Town and post office: Catoosa.

~~4. County:~~ Dist, #4

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: born about the year 1847 in Forsyth, County, Georgia.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Alfred Gravitt, Father, & Jane Gravitt  
mother, Sarah Ann Gravitt, Syrilda Gravitt (Sisters) Anne Gravitt, Aunt  
Reuben Gravitt, Cynthia, Caroline Gravitt, Duncan Gravitt, Cousins

all was living in 1851, and are now dead.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lewis Dooley. Age 60

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Alfred Gravitt.

Indian name: no Indian Name Known

Mother—English name: Jane Gravitt.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Jane Langley.

11. Where were they born?

Father: in Forsyth County, Georgia.

Mother: in Forsyth " "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Forsyth County, Georgia. Town of Cumming.

Mother: " " " " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: July, 1888. Mother: May, 1888.



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: drew money in 1852, at Cumming Forsyth County Georgia.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME                                  | BORN          | DIED                           |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| (1) Sarah Ann Gravitt,                | 1841          | about, 1849, to best knowledge |
| (2) Syrilda Gravitt.                  | 1845          | Sept, 1845. " "                |
| <sup>4/68</sup> (3) James M. Gravitt. | Oct, 3, 1839. | living.                        |
| (4) Polly Gravitt.                    | 1843.         | "                              |
| (5) John Gravitt.                     | 1849.         |                                |
| George Gravitt.                       | 1852          |                                |
| (6) Thomas Gravitt.                   | 1850.         |                                |
| Peggy Ann Gravitt.                    | 1854.         |                                |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jack Langley

Sallu Parris.

17. Where were they born? In State of Georgia, no data or place of birth known to me.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Grandfather, in Gilmore County Georgia. Grandmother dead.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: James Langley, died about 1862.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: was in Georgia.

(2) English name: Cynthia Langley. died about 1905

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: was in Georgia.

(3) English name: Catherine Langley. dead but date not known.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: was in Georgia.

(4) English name: George Langley. died in war of Rebellion, 1861-1864

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: Duncan Langley. died about 1845.

English name: Noah Langley. dead date not known.

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: Enrolled for Annuities about 1847 to 1851. in Forsyth County Georgia. being small cannot remember exact date or year.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

my mother's father was known as Jack Langley, her mother as Sally Parris.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

my mother's name before marriage was Langley, her mother's people was known Parris. of which all her people of both parents was Cherokees. Viz, Langley & Parris.: allso, I am one of the nearest Relative, to these Cousins, viz Anne Gravitt, Aunt. Reuben Gravitt, Cynthia Caroline Gravitt, Duncan Gravitt cousins.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness to mark  
P. K. Beam  
M. A. Johnson

(Signature) Mellissa Caroline <sup>her</sup> Dooley, nee <sup>Gravitt</sup> <sub>marit</sub>

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

My commission expires

May, 11, 1910.

J. M. Morrison  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. McKeehan, and W. W. Whitman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mellissa Caroline Dooley, nee Gravitt, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. H. McKeehan  
W. W. Whitman

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

My commission expires

May, 11, 1910.

J. M. Morrison  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

F. W. CASNER,  
PRESIDENT.  
GEO. G. PRICE,  
CASHIER.  
J. C. WALKER,  
CASHIER.

CHOICE SELECTED  
CAREFULLY INSPECTED  
CATTLE PAPER.

# THE FIRST STATE BANK

CATOOSA, I. T., May 14<sup>th</sup> 1907.

Mr. Chion Miller

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir: At the request of Mellissa C. Dooley, Eastern Cherokee Roll No. 767, we will ask you to forward applications for her three children, all of whom have attained majority. Her son George Dooley wishes to make application for himself and five minor children. Her daughters Louisa Jackson and Julia Brown, all of Catoosa I. T. Mellissa C. Dooley has no minor children.

Yours truly

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Cashier.

*[Handwritten initials: D, R, J, T]*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 17 1907  
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No. 766

Action: *Admitted*

Name: *Amelia Beavett* and *1* child~~ren~~

Residence: *Patoka, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Applicant is brother of ...  
Applicant enrolled by 'Laf man' (See chat # ...)*



No. 768.

Name James M. Gravitt

With No. 767.

Remarks :

No. 789

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James M. Gravitt*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 11 1906  
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#768

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: James M. Gravitt.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Catoosa, Ind. T.

3. Town and post office: Catoosa, Ind. T.

4. County: Dist, #4.

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: Forsythe County Georgia, born, Oct, 3, 1839.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Alfred. Gravitt father, & Jane. Gravitt, mother, Sarah Ann. Gravitt, sister, Syrilda. Gravitt, sister, Reuben. Gravitt. Cousin. Anne. Gravitt. Aunt. Cynthia. Caroline. Gravitt, Duncan. Gravitt. First Cousins.

All was living in 1851. and are now Dead.

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mellisa. Gravitt. Age 66 years.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Alfred. Gravitt.

Indian name: Indian name not known, was enrolled, Alfred. Gravitt  
to best of my knowledge.

Mother—English name: Jane. Gravitt.

Indian name: Farris.

Maiden name: Jane. Langley.

11. Where were they born?

Father: in Forsythe County, Georgia.

Mother: in Forsyte, County, Georgia.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Forsyth County, Georgia. Town of Cumming.

Mother: IN Forsyth County, Georgia. " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: July, 1888. Mother: May, 1888.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Drew Money in 1852, at Cumming, County of Forsyth.  
State of Georgia.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                                                  | BORN.                        | DIED.                                 |
|-----|--------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Sarah Ann Gravitt.</u>                              | <u>1841.</u>                 | <u>about, 1849. to best knowledge</u> |
| (2) | <u>Syrilda Gravitt.</u>                                | <u>1845.</u>                 | <u>Sept. 1855.</u>                    |
| (3) | <u>Polly Gravitt.</u>                                  | <u>1843.</u>                 |                                       |
| (4) | <u>Mellisa Caroline Dooley</u><br><u>John Gravitt.</u> | <u>1847</u><br><u>1849.</u>  |                                       |
| (5) | <u>Thomas Gravitt.</u>                                 | <u>1850.</u>                 |                                       |
| (6) | <u>George Gravitt.</u><br><u>Peggy Ann Gravitt.</u>    | <u>1852.</u><br><u>1854.</u> |                                       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jack Langley.

Sally Parris.

17. Where were they born? In State Georgia. no data or place of birth known to me

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandfather living in Gilmore county Georgia. grandmother was dead.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: James Langly. died about 1862.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: Cynthia Langley. died in 1905.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: Catherine Langley dead, but date not known

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: George Langley. Died in war of Rebellion. 1861 -1864.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: Duncan Langley. Died about 1845.

~~\*\*\*\*\*~~ Noah Langley. died date not known.

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: Enrolled for Annuities in Forsyth county Georgia, between 1840 and 1843. to best of my knowledge. Enrolled for land at Tahlequah, Ind. T. 1889.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

my Mothers father was known as Jack Langley her mother as Sally Parris

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My mother's Name before marriage was Langley, her Mothers People was known as Parris, of which all her people of both parents was Cheerokee's viz, Langley and Parris  
allso, I am one of the nearest living Relative to those Cousins named on first page, Viz, Anne Gravitt, Aunt. Reuben Gravitt, Cynthia Caroline Gravitt. Duncan Gravitt. Cousins.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*witness to mark  
John Graham*

(Signature) *his* James M. Gravitt *mark*

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

My commission expires  
May, 11, 1910, 190

*J. M. Wilson*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John L. Denbo. and  
Randolph Settle. who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with James M. Gravitt, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 17 years and 16 years,  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and  
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John L. Denbo*  
*Randolph Settle*

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

My commission expires  
May, 11, 1910, 190

*J. M. Wilson*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*James M. Gravitt*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR<br>BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS<br>MAY 23 1907<br>No. |
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 768.

1. State your full name: James M. Gravitt
2. Residence and post office: Catoosa,
3. County: Dist, #4
4. State: Indian Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: Born, Oct, 3 1839, Cumming, Georgia.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Betsey Gravitt, age 34
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? none, white
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| NAME.                     | AGE.             | BORN.                |
|---------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| (1) <u>Gma L. Gravitt</u> | <u>15 months</u> | <u>Feb, 11 1906.</u> |
| (2) _____                 | _____            | _____                |
| (3) _____                 | _____            | _____                |
| (4) _____                 | _____            | _____                |
| (5) _____                 | _____            | _____                |
| (6) _____                 | _____            | _____                |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled at Muskogee, Ind. T. as Cherokee citizen  
in 1906.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge

and belief.  
*Pearl Gravitt* } witness  
*O.B. Murray* } to  
 (Signature) James M. Gravitt  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of May, 1907.

*J.M. Harrison*  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May, 11th 1910. 211682.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. H. Brown and John Reynolds, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James M. Gravitt who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 33 years and 16 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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*A. H. Brown*  
*John Reynolds*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of May, 1907.

*J. M. W. Kiser*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May, 11th 1910.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 769.

Action: Admitted

Name: Lydia Sarnton and 2 children. Residence: Sur. at Opla

Reasons: Claims through father, enrolled as Cloud (Big Feather).  
Grandmother enrolled as Anny (Big Feather).  
Aunt enrolled as Har (Big Feather).  
All were enrolled by Deacons, in 1851, in Flint  
District, Group #36.

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Supl.  
No. 789

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lydia Quinton.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Lydia Quinton

Indian name: Saw-haw-ya

2. Residence: Flint District Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office: Bunch I T

4. County: Flint

5. State: Ind Ter

6. Date and place of birth: Flint District Cherokee Nation, Ind, Nov 27<sup>th</sup> 1867

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: my mother Charlotte

Bigfeather, Father (Cloud Bigfeather) Grandmothers  
Betsy Rowe and Annie Bigfeather Uncle French  
Rowe, Hatcher Bigfeather, Uncle Hawk  
Bigfeather

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: George Quinton

age 34 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Cloud Bigfeather

Indian name: Co-law-gil-lah

Mother—English name: Charlotte Bigfeather

Indian name: Char-lot-ta

Maiden name: Charlotte Rowe

11. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Flint District Cherokee Nation

Mother: Flint District Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> 1889 Mother: March 14 1889

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.       | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>none</u> |       |       |
| (2) |             |       |       |
| (3) |             |       |       |
| (4) |             |       |       |
| (5) |             |       |       |
| (6) |             |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.          |  | MOTHER'S SIDE.    |  |
|-------------------------|--|-------------------|--|
| <u>Bigfeather</u>       |  | <u>Sam. Rowe</u>  |  |
| <u>Annie Bigfeather</u> |  | <u>Betsy Rowe</u> |  |

17. Where were they born? Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Unknown  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

Enrollment for lands by  
The. Rivers Commission.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

*Unknown*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Lydia L. Luntton*  
*her*  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 21*, 190*7* *Hugh M. Adair*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John B. Adair* and *John H. Housberg*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Lydia Luntton*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *29* years and ..... years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John B. Adair*  
*John H. Housberg*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 21*, 190*7* *Hugh M. Adair*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 769

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Lydia Denton*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 769

1. State your full name: Lydia Quinton
2. Residence and post office: Branch
3. County: Cher. Nat
4. State: Ind Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: Nov 27 - 1865, Flint Dist
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: George Quinton age about 36,
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.          | AGE.               | BORN.                |
|-----|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Laura</u>   | <u>10 (misses)</u> | <u>Sept 1 - 1897</u> |
| (2) | <u>Sagoyah</u> | <u>8</u>           | <u>Jan 27 - 1899</u> |
| (3) |                |                    |                      |
| (4) |                |                    |                      |
| (5) |                |                    |                      |
| (6) |                |                    |                      |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee in 1891 1902

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lydia Quinton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June 1907.

John B. Lynch  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Walker Chuculate and Lucy Shooter who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lydia Quinton who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 31 years and 40 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Walker Chuculate  
O. L. Lynch

Walker Chuculate  
Lucy Shooter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

1 day of June, 1907.

John B. Lynch  
Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 15 1906  
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Bunch, I.T. Dec. 12, 1906.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

In making out my Cherokee Emigrant application, I left off the following names that I did not know of at that time: My grandmother, Annie Bigfeather, had three brothers: John, Johnson and Robert Fields, all are dead and without descent. My great uncle, Johnson Fields, had a son and daughter, David and Elizabeth Fields, both of whom died without descent. My great uncle, Robert Fields, had a son and two daughters, Johnson, Susie and Cherokee Fields, all of whom died without descent.

As a matter of information that will assist you in indentifying me, I will state that, I am the daughter of Cloud or Oo-la-ga-la and Charlotte Bigfeather, and that my husband is George W. Quinton.

Respectfully,

*Lydia Quinton*

Witness to signature

*Isaac Saunders*

No. 770

Action: *Admitted*

Name: *Walter Siskiller* and 4 children. Residence: *Stilwell, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Brother of 761.*

No. 770.

Name. Walter Fixbiller

With No. 761.

Remarks :



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No. 270

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Walter Sickler.*

Share of money appropriated for the Eastern  
Act of Congress approved  
in accordance with the Act of the  
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 11 1906<br>No. |
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Walter Sixkillers*

Indian name: *Wah-lie*

2. Residence: *Plint District Cherokee Nation*

3. Town and post office: *Tilwell Ind Tenn*

4. County: *Plint*

5. State: *Ind Tenn*

6. Date and place of birth: *Plint District, Tenn. 10<sup>th</sup> of Oct 1853*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *my father Arch Fields*

*Auntie Bigfeather my grand mother my Uncle -*  
*Walter Bigfeather Uncle Hawk Bigfeather*  
*and Uncle Sixkillers*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Julia Sixkillers born Nov*  
*17<sup>th</sup> 1857*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Arch Fields Sixkillers 46 1851*

Indian name: *Archie Sixkillers*

Mother—English name: *Charlotte Fields*

Indian name: *Chaw-lah*

Maiden name: *Charlotte Adair*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *In Georgia*

Mother: *In Georgia*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Plint District Cherokee Nation*

Mother: *Plint District Cherokee Nation*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *1863*

Mother: *1866*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Unknown

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.            | BORN.                        | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|------------------------------|-------|
| (1) | Samuel Sixkiller | 25 <sup>th</sup> of Nov 1857 |       |
| (2) | Jennie Henson    | 1853                         |       |
| (3) | Walter Sixkiller | 10 <sup>th</sup> of Oct 1855 |       |
| (4) | John M Sixkiller | June 1857                    | 1886  |
| (5) |                  |                              |       |
| (6) |                  |                              |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------|----------------|
| Sixkiller Fields | Samuel Adair   |
| Ammie Bigfeather | Polly Adair    |

17. Where were they born? In Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Flint District Cherokee Nat.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|                   |                                |              |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| (1) English name: | George Adair                   | 1876         |
| Indian name:      | Os-tal-uck-te-you              |              |
| Residence:        | Flint District Cherokee Nation |              |
| (2) English name: | Charlotte Adair                |              |
| Indian name:      | Ca-haw-kah                     | Died in 1886 |
| Residence:        | Flint District Cherokee Nation |              |
| (3) English name: | Malinda Adair                  |              |
| Indian name:      | A-lee                          |              |
| Residence:        | Flint District Cherokee Nation | Died 1881    |
| (4) English name: | John B. Adair                  |              |
| Indian name:      | Os-n-tee                       |              |
| Residence:        | Sallisaw Cherokee Nation       |              |
| (5) English name: |                                |              |
| Indian name:      |                                |              |
| Residence:        |                                |              |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Nothing only enrolled by the Dances Commission for allotment of land

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

*Unknown*

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My father's name was changed from Arch Fields to Sixkiller taking father's given name instead of his Six name*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Walter Sixkiller*  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov 21*, 190*8* *Hugh M. Adair*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John B. Adair* and *John Houseberg*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Walter Sixkiller*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *52* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John B. Adair*  
*John Houseberg*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov 21*, 190*8* *Hugh M. Adair*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Walter Siphiller*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 770.

1. State your full name: Walter Sixkiller
2. Residence and post office: Stilwell
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: In Flint Dist. C.N. Oct. 10, 1853
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Julia Sixkiller, age ~~40~~ 49 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokees
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                      | AGE.            | BORN.              |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Henry Sixkiller</u>     | <u>20 years</u> | <u>May 4, 1887</u> |
| (2) | <u>Frank Sixkiller</u>     | <u>14</u>       | <u>1893</u>        |
| (3) | <u>Ella M. Sixkiller</u>   | <u>11</u>       | <u>1896</u>        |
| (4) | <u>Walter R. Sixkiller</u> | <u>9</u>        | <u>1898</u>        |
| (5) | .....                      | .....           | .....              |
| (6) | .....                      | .....           | .....              |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: For lands by Dawes, Com. money, in 1894

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Walter Sixkiller  
*his mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of May, 1907.

Hugh M. Adair  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Nov. 21, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. P. Patterson and Rufus Cochran who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Walter Sixkiller who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 30 years and 30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. P. Patterson  
Rufus Cochran

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of May, 1907.

Hugh M. Adair  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 21, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 771

Action: Reflected

Name: Mrs. B. Sturges and 4 children.

Residence: Midway, Tenn.

Reasons: Since the reap on rally of 1946, it was not necessary since parties to location of 1935 to 1946.

Nantucket Co., Tenn. Reg. ?

No. 771.

Name John B. Stamper

With No.

Remarks :

Grouped herewith  
is no 772.

Claims through

None of the ancestors  
are on the Rolls. I do not  
think these applicants  
entitled to enrollment.

No. 771

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John B. Stanger*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: *John B. Stampser*  
Indian name: *Benge*
2. Residence: ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ *head of river*  
3. Town and post office: ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ *head of river Tenn*  
4. County: *Hancock*  
5. State: *Tennessee*  
6. Date and place of birth: *Jan-1<sup>st</sup> 1844 near Mudville Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *my Mother told me when I was young that I was one ~~fourth~~ <sup>fifth</sup> Indian others told me that ~~some~~ there was Indian <sup>blood</sup> in me*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mary Jane Spurlink*  
*age 43 - years (Mar 772)*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Richard Stampser*  
Indian name: *Benge*  
Mother—English name: *Jane Byrd*  
Indian name: *none*  
Maiden name: *Jane Byrd*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *in North Carolina*  
Mother: *Indianid.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *went west in 1844*  
Mother: *in Hancock County Tenn*
13. Date of death of your father and mother -  
Father: *I don't know*      Mother: *I don't know*  
*about 1866.*                      *about 1886.*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                                  | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>I only know of one half brother</i> |       |       |
| (2) | <i>William has died about 1885</i>     |       |       |
| (3) |                                        |       |       |
| (4) |                                        |       |       |
| (5) |                                        |       |       |
| (6) |                                        |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|----------------------|----------------|
|  | <i>Stampor Benga</i> | <i>Byrd</i>    |

17. Where were they born? *Father in North Carolina*  
*Mother in Indiana*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Father gone west*  
*Mother in Hancock county*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *I haven't no record to give*  
Indian name: *the above information*  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *never was.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*I don't know that I can answer the foregoing questions correctly*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My Mother told me when I was little I was one fifth Indian of her and others have told me the truth I am one fifth Cherokee Indian -*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*S. F. Wolfe*  
*937 Campbell*

(Signature.) *John B. Stamper*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 17*, 19*10*

*B. F. Campbell*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. H. Singleton* and *F. H. Carpenter*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *J. B. Stamper*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *21* years and *21* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *him* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
*B. F. Campbell*  
*M. B. Carpenter*

Signatures of witnesses.  
*F. H. Carpenter*  
*J. H. Singleton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 17*, 19*10*

*B. F. Campbell*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 17 1908  
No. 771

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 3 1908  
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 7 1908  
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MAY 7 1908

to the  
3d Tenn  
Specie Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir, my circumstances are such  
as to require me to leave our claims  
in your hands and to withdraw from  
the service of the Government. I have  
been employed in the office of the  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs for  
some time and have had the honor  
to be well pleased with the  
conduct of the same and to find  
that the same is being conducted  
in a most judicious and liberal  
manner.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient servant,  
John W. ...

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 20 1908  
No. 771

*C. ...*

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Treadway      Tennessee  
January      15<sup>th</sup> 1908

Commissioner of the Interior  
of Indian Affairs, Washington, D.C.  
Dear Sir we are anxious to  
know from our claims as we are two  
of the Cherokee Indian tribe  
just ~~and~~ which have been  
cast upon the cold shoulders  
of the white people  
I feel the need of help  
Please answer our request &  
give a little <sup>solid action</sup> on the matter if  
it is in your power  
Respectfully yours

John B. Treadway  
Mary Treadway

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Margaret Stamps

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. APR 16 1909  
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Mr quion Miller says I will write you  
a good deal more than some time ago and  
I will write you in the  
indian address is about 1881 if I  
have any more in the  
future I will write you  
about the same time

Yours  
B. Miller

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 771.

October 15, 1906.

John B. Stamper,  
Treadway,  
Tennessee.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, can you not, from some of your relatives or friends, ascertain the approximate date of death of your father and mother?

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

No. 772

Action: Reflected

Name: [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons: [unclear]

No. 772

Name Mary J. Stamp

With No. 771

Remarks:

772.

See 771 for  
letter.



No. 27

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Jane Stimpson*

appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 11 1906 |
| No.                                                    |

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# 442.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: none

Indian name: Benge

2. Residence: ~~near~~ tread way

3. Town and post office: ~~near~~ tread way

4. County: Hancock

5. State: Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth: in Virginia born 1865

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: my grandfathers

on both sides was one half owners

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Harvey Jane Stamper

I am 43 years old (See 771)

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: none

Indian name: Thomas Spurlink

Mother—English name: none

Indian name: Benge

Maiden name: Jemima ~~Stodden~~

11. Where were they born?

Father: in Claiborne county Tenn. near Nashville

Mother: do

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: near Nashville Virginia

Mother: do

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: I don't know

Mother: I don't know

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14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *I heard them say they had layed in for their claims but had never got any thereof. They said they was going to try for it again.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                     | BORN.        | DIED.         |
|-----|---------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>John Spurlock</i>      | <i>1863.</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Sarah, C. Spurlock</i> | <i>1861</i>  | <i>Dead</i>   |
| (3) |                           |              |               |
| (4) |                           |              |               |
| (5) |                           |              |               |
| (6) |                           |              |               |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.            | MOTHER'S SIDE.  |
|---------------------------|-----------------|
| <i>John Spurlock, Sr.</i> | <i>John ...</i> |
| <i>...</i>                | <i>...</i>      |

17. Where were they born? *in ...*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *in Virginia*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: *John Woodard* Died  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: *Pleas Woodard* Living  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: *Thomas Spurlock* Died  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: *I can't ...*  
Residence: *...*
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *???*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *I don't know that I can exactly answer the above questions*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My father and mother was both of the Cherokee Tribe of Indians.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Mary Jones Stampers*

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

My commission expires *April 17*, 1910. *B. H. Campbell*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Nancy Singleton* and *J. H. Singleton*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary Jones Stampers*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for *7* years and *7* years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

*William Eason* *Nancy Singleton*  
*B. H. Campbell* *J. H. Singleton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 17*, 1910. *B. H. Campbell*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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John B. ...  
and Mary Lane ...

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Appln. No. 772.

October 15, 1906.

Mary Jane Stamper,  
Treadway,  
Tennessee.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please ascertain, if possible, the approximate date of death of your father and mother, if you can not learn the exact date.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

No. 773

Action: Admitted

Name: George White and 6 children. Residence: Caragated

Reasons: The father (name of father was not included) and mother (name of mother was not included) are citizens of the United States. The father is a member of the American (325 P.S.) (name of organization) and the mother is a member of the (name of organization) (name of organization).

O.K. O.K.

No. 773.

Name Jennie Alsie

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped herewith are  
nos. 22648, 821, 779, 780,  
3279, 1385, 2293, 25459,  
25460, 26296, 1744, 6044,  
8241, 22777, 22778,  
2487

Claim through  
Ellis Foreman  
G. \$ 325.

Edward Foreman  
G. \$ 325.

No. 771

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jennie Akim*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br><i>Rec</i> OCT 11 1906<br><hr/> <i>No.</i> |
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#773.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Jennie Akin

Indian name: None

2. Residence: Oolagah,

3. Town and post office: Oolagah,

4. County: Cherokee, Nation.

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: Feb. 25th, 1866, in Going Snake District.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: For my Father Ellis Foreman, my uncle Nelse Foreman, and his wife Ann, Nee. Alberty, both they being without descent. My Grand Father Charles Foreman, and his Brothers and Sisters, George William, Jamez and Sally Foreman, all of whom died without descent. And My Great Grand Parents, Thomas and Susanna Foreman.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Andrew Taylor Akin, Age 54.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Ellis Foreman

Indian name: Gunt la.

Mother—English name: Margrett Foreman.

Indian name: not known.

Maiden name: Margrett Richardson.

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Going Snake District, Cherokee, Nation.

Mother: In Going Snake District ~~and~~ Cherokee Nation.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Going Snake District, Cherokee Nation.

Mother: In Going Snake District, Cherokee Nation.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Mar. 15<sup>th</sup>, 1881 Mother: Living.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: On the emigrant roll Cherokee Nation.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|      | NAME.                              | BORN. | DIED. |
|------|------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| ✓(1) | Nelson B. Foremen Chelsea, I.T.    |       |       |
|      | Charles Foremen dead.              |       |       |
| ✓(2) | Mary E. Dudley Canyon City Colo.   |       |       |
| ✓    | Thomas A. Foreman, Oolagah, I.T.   |       |       |
| ✓(3) | Fanney L. Dawson, Nowata, I.T.     |       |       |
| ✓    | William J. Foreman Westville, I.T. |       |       |
| (4)  | Lula E. Reynolds, Westville, I.T.  |       |       |
| (5)  |                                    |       |       |
| (6)  |                                    |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.                                                         | MOTHER'S SIDE.                              |
|--|------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
|  | Charles and Thisey Foreman, Nee. Colvin. ( <del>Malinda Parris</del> ) | Amos and Jennie Richardson Nee. Crittendon. |

17. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Cherokee Nation.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                                                                  |
|-----|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: <del>Siddan Phillips</del><br>Amos Richardson, died without issue. |
|     | Indian name: Malinda Parris, died without issue.                                 |
|     | Residence: Margaret Foreman, my Mother, Post. Office Westville, I.T.             |
|     | Charlotte Roberts, dead.                                                         |
|     | Minnervia J. Childers, dead.                                                     |
| (2) | English name: Thomas L. Foreman, dead.                                           |
|     | Indian name: William R. Foreman, dead.                                           |
|     | Charles L. Foreman, dead.                                                        |
|     | Residence: Samuel A. Foreman, dead.                                              |
|     | Ellis Foreman, my Father Dead.                                                   |
| (3) | English name: Edward Foreman, dead.                                              |
|     | Mary Crowder, Westville, I.T.                                                    |
|     | Indian name: Nelson Foreman, died without issue.                                 |
|     | Residence: _____                                                                 |
| (4) | English name: _____                                                              |
|     | Indian name: _____                                                               |
|     | Residence: _____                                                                 |
| (5) | English name: _____                                                              |
|     | Indian name: _____                                                               |
|     | Residence: _____                                                                 |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Am on the Cherokee Authenticated roll of 1880, and am a Cherokee allottee.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Father was on the Emigrant Cherokee roll in Going Snake District.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

~~Uncle Nelson Foreman's wife Annie Nee Alberty died a short time before he did, they left a Daughter, Maude who was about sixteen years of age, and who died within a month after the death of her Father. My Great Grand Parents Thomas and Susanna Foreman, were on the emigrant pay roll in Going Snake District, and I think my Grand Father Charles Foreman was on the Emigrant pay roll in Going Snake Dist. but died before receiving any money~~

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Jennie Ukin

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

My commission expires

March, 8 1910, 190

O. E. Hamblen

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Emmet Starr and D. C. Rice, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jennie Ukin, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 1 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Emmet Starr  
D. C. Rice

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

My commission expires

March, 8 1910, 190

O. E. Hamblen

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 773

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Jennie Akow*

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FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 18 1907  
No.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 772

1. State your full name: Jennie Akin
2. Residence and post office: Wesville
3. County: Going Snake District
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Going Snake District, I. T., Feb. 25, 1866
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Andrew J. Akin, born Jan. 1, 1851
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|                   | NAME.                     | AGE.      | BORN.            |
|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------|------------------|
| (1)               | <u>Watie Akin</u>         | <u>18</u> | <u>2/19/1889</u> |
| (2)               | <u>Willie Akin</u>        | <u>16</u> | <u>2/27/1891</u> |
| <u>Thomas</u> (3) | <u>Frank Akin</u>         | <u>14</u> | <u>5/24/1893</u> |
| (4)               | <u>Mabel Akin</u>         | <u>12</u> | <u>10/2/1895</u> |
| (5)               | <u>Jennie Louise Akin</u> | <u>9</u>  | <u>4/13/1898</u> |
| (6)               | <u>Maggie Bell Akin</u>   | <u>4</u>  | <u>8/6/1902</u>  |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes, Jan. 7, 1903, at Vinita - as citizens of Cherokee Tribe.

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jennie Akin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16

day of

May

1907.

C. E. Hamblen

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

7 March, 8, 1910, 190



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Jake Alberty and G. H. Milke who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jennie Akin who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 20 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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Jake Alberty  
G. H. Milke

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of May, 1907.

D. C. Haddock  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 8, 1910, 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 773 app.

Application  
no 773

Hestville, I.T.

Jan. 18 1907.

Com. of Indian Affairs,  
Washington,  
D. C.

Dear Sir:

Since sending in my application for share of Eastern Cherokee Payment (app. no. 773) I have been informed that I am an heir of one Clinair Bibles - as I have it from the rolls Eleanor Bibles (nee Foreman) who died without leaving any living issue. She had two sons who died and also two stepsons, who are living.

At the time of making application we supposed the two stepsons mentioned to be her own sons. If you find this to be correct please add her name to your list.

Very Truly,  
Jennie Akers  
(nee Foreman)

No. 794

Action: admitted

Name: Miss McKinn and children.

Residence: Calagook, N.Y.

Reasons: We wish to be admitted to the school in the town of Calagook, N.Y. as we have no school in our town. We have a child of the age of 7 years and a child of the age of 5 years. We have no other children in the town of Calagook, N.Y. We have no other children in the town of Calagook, N.Y.

C.K. D.K.

No. 774.

Name Andrew Nelson

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
care nos. 3246, 3247,  
3248, 1241, 23736  
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Labels through  
Isabella Nelson  
g. §. 412.



*App. & matter*

No. 271

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Andrew T. Akin.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 11 1906  
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# 744.

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: Andrew T. Akin  
Indian name: Yonahgooleh.
2. Residence: Oolagah
3. Town and post office: Oolagah,
4. County: Cherokee Nation.
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: Jan. 7th, 1851, in Going Snake District.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim in my own right as I drew on the emigrant pay roll. I claim for my father, Ebby or Isabel Akin for my Brothers and Sister Cicero Tipton Akin, and Louisa Caroline Akin commonly called Lina Akin, both of whom died without descent. And my Grand Mother, Jennie Taylor, Nee. Bigby and my Grand Mother Taylor's Brothers James and Jackson Bigby
8. Are you married? yes. (both of whom died without descent.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Jennie Akin #743.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Abijah Akin  
Indian name: Oco loh.  
Mother—English name: Isabell Ebby Akin  
Indian name: now known  
Maiden name: Isabell or Ebby Taylor.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In South Carolina.  
Mother: In South Carolina.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Going Snake District, Cherokee Nation.  
Mother: In Going Snake District, Cherokee Nation.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: July 9th, 1875 Mother: Oct. 19-1865.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: They were enrolled on the original roll in Going Snake District, Cherokee, Indian.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME                                             | BORN | DIED |
|--------------------------------------------------|------|------|
| (1) <u>Larry Lee Akin, Dutch Mills Ark.</u>      |      |      |
| (2) <u>Cicero T. Akin, dead.</u>                 |      |      |
| (3) <u>Louisa Caroline Akin, dead.</u>           |      |      |
| (4) <u>Tennessee Akin, Dutch Mills Ark.</u>      |      |      |
| (5) <u>Minerva Isabel Addington, dead.</u>       |      |      |
| (6) <u>David Henry Akin, died without issue.</u> |      |      |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE                | MOTHER'S SIDE                               |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| <u>English name: whites.</u> | <u>Andrew and Jennie Taylor, nee Higby.</u> |
|                              |                                             |
|                              |                                             |
|                              |                                             |

17. Where were they born? In Cherokee Nation, Ind.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandfather was living in Going Snake District.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Isabella Akin, mother dead.  
 Indian name: David Taylor, dead.  
 Residence: Lizabath Chewley dead.
- (2) English name: Elizabeth Taylor, dead.  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: In the Cherokee roll of 1880, and on a Cherokee roll of 1890.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Grandfather  
Jane Taylor, Nee Euby, was born in the Cherokee Nation West  
in 1804. My great Grandmother Catherine Bigbey Nee Foreman  
was born April 17th, 1785 in Cherokee Nation, East.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Andrew J. Akin

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

My commission expires  
March 8 - 1910, 190

D. B. Haulbeek  
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Emmett Starr and  
D. C. Price, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
 say that they are well acquainted with Andrew J. Akin, who makes the  
 foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 50 years and 1 years,  
 respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and  
 that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
 they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Emmett Starr  
D. C. Price

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

My commission expires  
March 8 - 1910, 190

D. B. Haulbeek  
 Notary Public.

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Received of *GUION MILLER*, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. *12844-45-46-47-48-49*

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each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary<sup>50</sup>  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number *5495-*<sup>51</sup>  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court, March 15, 1910.

*Jennie Akin* *Andrew J. Akin*



No. 775

Action: *Wyl et*

Name *Waney Dotson* and *x* children. Residence: *Blue Ridge, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Half sister of 776 and claims through the  
same source*

No. 775

Name Nancy Watson

With No. ~~Geo. Lammie Co.~~

Remarks: 776

No.

*See #18760*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*Henry A. ...*

*no. 1000 Bot 151 Blue Ridge ga.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec OCT 11 1906<br>No. |
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*812 Bel. A. ...*

# 425.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Stacy Dotson by late marriage Lane et al 16*

Indian name: *don't know cant use the language*

2. Residence: .....

3. Town and post office: *Blue Ridge ga lock Box 151*

4. County: *Hannin*

5. State: *Georgia*

6. Date and place of birth: *born 16 Sept 1874 don't know Gilmer Co. Ga*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: .....

*I claim under my father Nathaniel Dotson and my grand mother Emily Glaze she is said to be half Cherokee Indian*

8. Are you married? *I am a widow married Ralph Gally*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *I was born Sept 16, 1874 in Gilmer County Ga*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Nathaniel J. Dotson*

Indian name: *cant talk Indian language*

Mother—English name: *Ellen Dotson*

Indian name: *cant*

Maiden name: *Ellen Millwood said to be half Cherokee Indian*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *don't*

Mother: *don't know mother died when I was quite young*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *don't know*

Mother: *'' ''*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *cant tell I was young* <sup>think in 1871</sup> Mother: *cant tell I was so young* <sup>think in 1875</sup>

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *unknown to me*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

- |     | NAME.                                                    | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>I am unable to give names as my parents</i>           |       |       |
| (2) | <i>could not tell as I was so young, can't recollect</i> |       |       |
| (3) | <i>I have a sister by the name of Amanda she has</i>     |       |       |
| (4) | <i>found me in the power of attorney &amp; signed</i>    |       |       |
| (5) | <i>but not as yet received any application like</i>      |       |       |
| (6) | <i>this to sign</i>                                      |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

- |  | FATHER'S SIDE.                                          | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|---------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
|  | <i>I was so young at the death of my parents</i>        |                |
|  | <i>I can't give a history of my family ancestry</i>     |                |
|  | <i>I was raised an orphan girl, never told anything</i> |                |
|  | <i>about my kinfolks</i>                                |                |

17. Where were they born? *don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*don't know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of death:

- |     |               |                                                        |
|-----|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: | <i>Can't answer these questions I</i>                  |
|     | Indian name:  | <i>was too young at death of parents &amp;</i>         |
|     | Residence:    | <i>raised an orphan girl</i>                           |
| (2) | English name: |                                                        |
|     | Indian name:  | <i>I have 3 children living ages &amp; names below</i> |
|     | Residence:    |                                                        |
| (3) | English name: | <i>Thomas Burton born June 17 1899</i>                 |
|     | Indian name:  | <i>Ellen Arizona born May 7 1896</i>                   |
|     | Residence:    | <i>William McHenry April 2 1899</i>                    |
| (4) | English name: |                                                        |
|     | Indian name:  |                                                        |
|     | Residence:    |                                                        |
| (5) | English name: |                                                        |
|     | Indian name:  |                                                        |
|     | Residence:    |                                                        |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I guess not unless recently*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

*I cannot for cause already stated*  
.....  
.....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood,  
Washington D.C. my true and lawful  
attorney for me, and in my name, place  
and stead, and allow her a commission  
of ten (10) per cent my p.o. address is Lock Box 151 Blue Ridge Ga*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Wancy Dotson (by Mary Spall)*  
*27th* day of *September*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*12/28th*, 190*9*

*Ben A. Juhaw*  
Notary Public. *W. H. J. P.*  
*243 2nd St. Ga.*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J M Smith* and  
*A J Lyle*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Wancy Dotson by Mary Spall*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *2* years and *1/2* years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to oath.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J M Smith*  
*A J Lyle*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27th* day of *Sept-*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*12/28*, 190*9*

*Ben A. Juhaw*  
Notary Public. *W. H. J. P.*  
*243 2nd St. Ga.*

Note.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

See case of  
Annie Tolson

7.4.7.

Appln. No. 775.

November 26, 1907.

Nancy Watson,

Bluefield,

Georgia.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether your father or your mother was ever enrolled as an Eastern Cherokee Indian; if not, why? Please state further, the names of your grandparents and whether or not they were ever enrolled, and give any other information you may have tending to support your right to participate in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WAT/270.

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W. D. J.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 6 1937  
No. 775.

No information but  
several references.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Appln. No. 775.

November 26, 1907.

Nancy Dotson,  
Blueridge,  
Georgia.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether your father or your mother was ever enrolled as an Eastern Cherokee Indian; if not, why? Please state further, the names of your grandparents and whether or not they were ever enrolled, and give any other information you may have tending to support your right to participate in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

*Julien Miller*

Special Commissioner.

FST/ELO.

*Blue Ridge ga Dec 5 1907*

*Respectfully returned with information. I cannot say whether my parents was ever enrolled or not as I was a little child at father's death. I know the general names of parties & near neighbors to live in last Sec 36, 013 of William B. Ray Sherman Ray Johnathan with last name to early Sebastian, all resides near Blue Ridge po Sum. Co. County Ga. Nancy Dotson (late marriage) John B. Ray*



No. 796.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Malinda A. Ray* and *x* children. Residence: *Blue Ridge Ga*

Reasons:

*It does not appear that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-36 or 1846 - nor does it appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled.*

*Musc. Test. 1496.*

No. 776 & 777

Name Malinda Ann Ray et al

With No. 775

Remarks :

Fannin Co  
775 Filed

Do not think the  
applicants entitled as  
ancestors do not appear  
on Rolls. Was ~~was~~  
a slave?

Testimony in  
776

Waiting on copy to  
[unclear]

No. 276

X

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF  
Aralinda Ann Ray

~~for the Blue Ridge Ga.~~

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
rec OCT 11 1906  
No.

W.L. Aralinda Ann Ray

# 776.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Malinda Ann Roy

Indian name: cant talk the language

2. Residence: near Blue Ridge Ga

3. Town and post office: Blue Ridge ~~location~~ Blue Ridge Ga

4. County: Hammin County

5. State: Georgia

6. Date and place of birth: Hall County Ga, Record is destroyed (Feb 12, 1856).

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I claim under my father Nathaniel J. Dotson & my grand mother Ann Glady she was 1/2 Cherokee Indian

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: William P. Roy 65 years old is my husband I am 50 years old

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Nathaniel J. Dotson was my father

Indian name: dont know cant talk Indian

Mother—English name: Elizabeth p.w.

Indian name: unknown by me

Maiden name: Elizabeth p.w.

11. Where were they born?

Father: in South Carolina

Mother: in Hall county Ga

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in unknown to me

Mother: unknown to me

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: <sup>on north claim by</sup> in month of ~~October~~ in 1891. Mother: dont remember in Hall Co. Ga. about 1870



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: dont know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                                                                    | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Silva Dotson</u>                                                      |       |       |
| (2) | <u>Deliah</u>                                                            |       |       |
| (3) | <u>Jane</u>                                                              |       |       |
| (4) | <u>Mary</u>                                                              |       |       |
| (5) | <u>John</u>                                                              |       |       |
| (6) | <u>I cant say whether living or dead havent heard from them in years</u> |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.        | MOTHER'S SIDE.                                           |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| <u>William Dotson</u> | <u>cant say as to grand mother think she was a glaze</u> |

17. Where were they born? cant say

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? dont know

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: cant answer none of these questions  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. no sir not that I know of

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: I cannot

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Washington, D.C. my true and lawful attorney for me, and in my name, place and stead, and allow her a commission of ten (10) per cent, ~~per cent~~

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Malinda Ann <sup>her</sup> Ray  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of September, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

J. P. Pineau  
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. W. Bull and C. L. Hartman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Malinda Ann Ray, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for many years and many years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Elyon W. Bull  
C. L. Hartman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of September, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

J. P. Pineau  
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Malinda Ann Ray being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

That I am something over fifty years of age and live in Wainwright Co., Ga. I claim Indian blood through my father; my mother was a white woman. My father's mother was 1/2 Cherokee. He was about 1/4 Cherokee. My husband is a white man. My father was born in S. C. and raised in Hall Co., Ga. Don't know when he came to Hall Co. My father was something over fifty when he died and he died in 1891. My father never lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe. My father's mother's name was Glaze Dotson. She never married my father. She never lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe. Never heard that my father or his mother were ever on any rolls. I am recognized as white in the community but a good many people call me Indian. Never heard of my parents receiving any money from the Government. My father had no brothers and sisters.

*Malinda Ann Ray*  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Wainwright, Ga. this 13th day of July 1907.

*Frank L Ryan*  
As to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

*u/s [unclear] 1896*



State of Georgia In matter Malinda Ann Day  
 Harmin County 1 far portion of Cherokee Indian money  
 as set apart by U.S. Supreme Court  
 personally appear, before me, a notary public  
 in and for said county, Jonathan  
 Chastain who being duly sworn according  
 to law swears on his oath, that he was  
 personally and intimately acquainted with  
 Nathaniel G. Bolton nephew of said  
 claimant, and lived in about equal view of  
 said Nathaniel person at the time of death  
 My recollection is he died in December 1841.  
 I know he died for I saw him a couple of days  
 before, the next morning after his death  
 seen Betty side by his appearance he was about  
 forty years of age Indian blood, and in 40 minutes of  
 I have set by and stated the foregoing as it is  
 wrote, and it is true to the best of my recollection  
 I have no interest in said claimant's money  
 in any manner My age is 67 years My po. is  
 paduca, Harmin County Ga

J. P. Holder      J. N. Chastain  
 H. B. Crockett

I swear to and subscribed to before me this, 1<sup>st</sup>  
 day of October 1900, and certify I read the foregoing  
 to applicant before he signed the same and he, upon  
 being asked, say he read and signed the same

J. P. Holder  
 Notary Public



State of Georgia in matter Application of  
Garrison county Malinda Ann Roy for her portion  
of the money given by U. S. Court  
to Cherokee Indians known as Eastern Band of said  
Cherokee Indians.

personally appeared before me a Notary public  
in and for said County William R  
Stewart, who being duly sworn according to law  
saith on his oath that he well <sup>knows</sup> Nathaniel J.  
Dotson reputed father of said Malinda Ann  
Roy lived in less than one half mile to said Dotson  
after visiting him in his last sickness, and saw  
him while a Corp. think it was in the year  
1891. I have often heard him say he was part Cherokee  
Indian and his looks showed him to be a part Cherokee  
Indian. I saw him while a Corp. and knew he was  
died <sup>he</sup> stated to me several times previous to his said  
sickness that said Malinda Ann Roy was his daughter  
and he recognized her as such. We all lived near together  
thence my knowledge and acquaintance of the family.  
I have dictated the foregoing as wrote, and it is true to  
the best of my recollection. my age is 36. my post  
office is Blue Ridge Garrison County. Ga I have no  
interest in said claim nor concerned in its prosecution.

Attest  
C. H. H. H.

~~J. J. H. H.~~ W. R. Stewart  
J. D. Crawford

Sworn to and subscribed before me the 1<sup>st</sup> day of  
October 1906. and I certify the foregoing was



read to affiant before he signed the same.  
and he is known to me to be respectable and  
creditable,

Given under my hand and Seal of office this  
1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1906

J. J. Sullivan  
Notary Public

State of Georgia } personally appears before me the  
Fannin County } undersigned a  
in and for said County, Malinda Ann Ray,  
who being by me duly sworn according to law  
saith on her oath she is the identical Malinda  
Ann Ray who has application for her part of the  
money award by judgement of U.S. Supreme Court  
allowed to Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians,  
she saith she has proved the death of her  
father Nathaniel G. Dotson by J. C. Chastain &  
W. R. Stewart, and that he claimed to be closely  
connected to the Tribe of Cherokee Indians, and that  
he recognized claimant as his own daughter  
which gives claimant the Cherokee Indian blood  
this has been fully shown by affidavits of said  
Chastain & Stewart here with sent.  
as to her age she was born the 12 day of Feb. 1856  
in Hall County Ga., My mother was said to have  
Cherokee Indian blood in her.  
My parents was married in Hall County Ga.  
The Record of family is lost cant give date of marriage,  
I cant say whether they were enrolled or not, I dont  
suppon my name was enrolled, if so I dont know it.  
I have answered the questions in the blank the

best I could and tell the truth so far as I  
knew,

I claim Charles Tribe of Indiana ~~is~~ as aforesaid  
I have had the foregoing carefully read before  
signing it is true to the best of my knowledge

Attest

Robert E. Falls

C. M. Pratt

Malinda Ann <sup>his</sup> Roy  
mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8 day of  
October 1906. and I certify the foregoing was read  
to applicant before she signed the same and that  
she is known to me to be respectable & credible,  
and I have no interest in or concerned in said  
claim or concerned in its prosecution  
Given under my hand and seal of office date  
above written.

J. R. Kincaid  
S. C. C. & Co.

No. 777.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Amanda A. Dotson* and *x* children. Residence: *Blue Ridge, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Half sister of 776 and claims through the  
same source*

No. 227

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Aminda Anne Tolson*  
*No 1000 Box 151 Blue Ridge Ga*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec'd 31 1906<br>No. |
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*Belva A. Tolson*



# 1000

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Arminda Anne Dotson*

Indian name: *cant talk the language*

2. Residence: *Near Blue Ridge Ga*

3. Town and post office: *Blue Ridge Town. Blue Ridge Ga*

4. County: *Tamm County No 151*

5. State: *Georgia*

6. Date and place of birth: *Feb. 14 1874 in Gilmore Co. Ga*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*I claim under my father Nathaniel J. Dotson  
I also claim under my mother Ellen Dotson, her  
maiden name was Ellen Willwood.*

8. Are you married? *no*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Nathaniel J. Dotson*

Indian name: *cant talk the language*

Mother—English name: *Ellen Dotson Willwood*

Indian name: *cant*

Maiden name: *Ellen Willwood*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *cant tell*

Mother: *cant tell they died when I was so young cant recollect*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *cant say*

Mother: *cant say*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—*cant recollect date*

Father: *in Tamm County Ga* Mother: *in Gilmore County Ga 1875*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                                               | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Can't tell of but one</i>                        |       |       |
| (2) | <i>her name is Lang Dotson</i>                      |       |       |
| (3) |                                                     |       |       |
| (4) | <i>I do not know where they are whether dead or</i> |       |       |
| (5) | <i>alive</i>                                        |       |       |
| (6) |                                                     |       |       |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|----------------|----------------|
|  |                |                |
|  |                |                |
|  |                |                |

17. Where were they born? *don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *don't know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

|     |                                                          |
|-----|----------------------------------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Can't answer any of these questions</i> |
|     | Indian name: <i>I was so young when my parents died</i>  |
|     | Residence: <i>+ raised an orphan girl mostly by</i>      |
| (2) | English name: <i>Stranger</i>                            |
|     | Indian name:                                             |
|     | Residence:                                               |
| (3) | English name:                                            |
|     | Indian name:                                             |
|     | Residence:                                               |
| (4) | English name:                                            |
|     | Indian name:                                             |
|     | Residence:                                               |
| (5) | English name:                                            |
|     | Indian name:                                             |
|     | Residence:                                               |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *not as I know off*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *Can not* \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Of Herbygoon, Belize, Rockwood of  
Tachinot, ... and ...  
for ... name, place and ...  
and all other a Commission of ...  
My post office address is Lock Box 15-1 Blue Ridge Ga. where I work all comm*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Armanda Annex <sup>her</sup> Polton*

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

My commission expires *Dec. 28th*, 190*9* *Ben A. Johnson*  
Notary Public. *J.P.*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J M Smith* and  
*W B Smith*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Arma Polton*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and \_\_\_\_\_ years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J M Smith*  
*W B Smith*

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

My commission expires *Dec 28th*, 190*9* *Ben A. Johnson*  
Notary Public. *J.P.*

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State of Georgia in matter of Clarence of Nancy  
Jackson County } & Anna Dotson for portion  
of money awarded by Supreme Court of U.S. for  
Eastern Band of Cherokee Band of Indians.

personally appears before me a Notary Public  
& Justice of the Peace in and for said County  
James M. Smith who after being by me duly  
sworn according to law saith on his oath  
he was intimately acquainted with Nathaniel  
J. Dotson and Ellen Dotson his wife reputed  
father and mother of said Nancy & Anna  
Dotson, and from their appearance can say  
said father & mother was of Cherokee Indian  
descent, and has lived with many times say they  
were closely connected by blood to said Cherokee  
Indians, and he saw the said Clarence & other  
children living with said Nathaniel J. Dotson  
& his said wife as their children, and was so  
recognized as their children. I lived near said  
Dotsons in Gilmer County Ga. for several  
months hence my acquaintance often being  
at their house in conversation with them  
I am 54 years old my post office address  
is, Nieder, Ga. RFD #20 - - - - - J.

(over)

either  
either

I have heard the foregoing read it is true  
I have no interest in said claims of  
Henry Cotton & Anna Cotton for said money  
nor concerned in its prosecution &  
W. M. Wolcomb & J. M. S. with  
H. B. Boudinart

Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
10th day of October 1906. and I certify the foregoing  
was read to affiant before he signed the  
same and he is known to me to be respectable  
and credible. and I have no interest in the  
same or concerned in its prosecution.  
Given under my hand and official seal.

Ben A. Johnson  
N.P. J.P.  
R. 43 Pitt St.





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Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

Blue Ridge ga July 2 1907

Mr O Arrin hope to inform you I have no more  
children. My claim is 66777.

Respectfully Yrs

Arnie <sup>W</sup> Dotson  
mark

No. 77

Action: Admitted

Name Joseph M. Mayfield and 7 children. Residence: Lenape, Okla.

Reasons:

James their mother enrolled as "Doris Mayfield"  
C. 1542 - Sister enrolled as "Frances Elizabeth Mayfield"  
C. 1543 - Brother enrolled as "Michael Mayfield"  
C. 1544 -

See testimony as to Ruth Francis which is O.K.  
Misc. Test P. 4139 -

O.K. O.K.

No. 278

Name Joseph M. Mayfield

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith  
are nos 17113, 3035, 4002,  
4620, 4621, 19947, 31513.

Claim through  
Polly Mayfield  
d. 1848.

Michael Mayfield  
d. 1844.

Father #4002.

# 778.

Jos. M. Mayfield,  
Lenapeh - or Wagoner,  
I. T.

This man and 3 children  
are enrolled by Dawes  
Commission, but

Ruth Frances is not  
enrolled. Also note

supplemental app.

which says: -

"All but Ruth  
been enrolled  
Cherokee Tribe."

Don't think there  
is any such  
child; if there is,  
it is probably  
enrolled with  
another tribe, or born  
too late.

children are not  
sworn to by witnesses.

See letters.

W.E.A.



778.

Jos. M. Mayfield

2" field.

see WEA.

Other apps. in

file 1000.

No. 2744

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Joseph M. Mayfield.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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# 2748

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Joseph M. Mayfield

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Lenape Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office:

Lenape

4. County:

Cherokee Nation

5. State:

I. T.

6. Date and place of birth:

July 7<sup>th</sup> 1878. Tennessee

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

My mother Mary M. Mayfield

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Mellie Mayfield 23 years old

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

J. A. Mayfield

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary M. ~~Hilderbrand~~ Mayfield

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mary M. Hilderbrand

11. Where were they born?

Father:

South Carolina

Mother:

Tennessee

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Benton Tenn

Mother:

Benton "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

living

Mother:

July 17, 1906

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *my mother was enrolled in Tennessee before I was born*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN.                 | DIED.                 |
|-----|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Bettie Mayfield</i> | <i>don't remember</i> | <i>don't remember</i> |
| (2) | <i>M. L. Mayfield</i>  | <i>" "</i>            | <i>living</i>         |
| (3) | <i>A. B. Mayfield</i>  | <i>" "</i>            | <i>living</i>         |
| (4) | <i>Lysie Mayfield</i>  | <i>" "</i>            | <i>don't remember</i> |
| (5) | <i>Lillie Mayfield</i> | <i>" "</i>            | <i>" "</i>            |
| (6) | <i>J. H. Mayfield</i>  | <i>" "</i>            | <i>living</i>         |
|     | <i>John Mayfield</i>   | <i>" "</i>            | <i>" "</i>            |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|  | FATHER'S SIDE.    | MOTHER'S SIDE.    |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
|  | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *My mother's father lived in Tennessee*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *Don't know*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Salaguan Cherokee Nation*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Don't know

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My claim comes through Mary M. Hilderbrand my mother, she was born and raised in Tennessee on Hiwassee River. I am on the roll and have received my allotment - 1/2 land

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Joseph M. Mayfield

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

My commission expires

Dec 21, 1910 J. H. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me William M. Fisher and Fred Herbst, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joseph M. Mayfield, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 1 years and        years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

William M. Fisher  
Fred Herbst

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

My commission expires

Dec 21, 1910 J. H. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent, or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 778

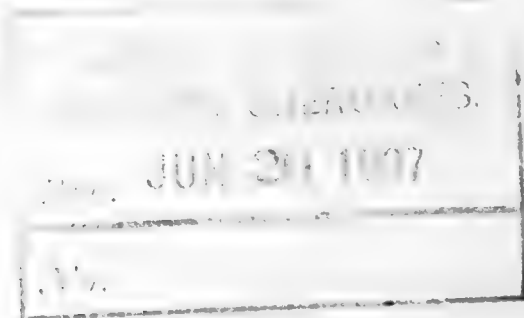
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Joseph M. Maxwell*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 778.

1. State your full name: Joseph M. Mayfield
2. Residence and post office: Senaph,
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: July 16<sup>th</sup> 1869, Coghill, Tenn.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Hellie (Cawford) Mayfield, 22
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee Tribe
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                        | AGE.       | BORN.              |
|-----|------------------------------|------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Charles H. Mayfield</u>   | <u>13.</u> | <u>1894 Nov.</u>   |
| (2) | <u>Alando Mayfield</u>       | <u>10.</u> | <u>1897 March.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Mary Mayfield</u>         | <u>6.</u>  | <u>1901 May.</u>   |
| (4) | <u>Ruth Frances Mayfield</u> | <u>2.</u>  | <u>1904 Oct.</u>   |
| (5) | _____                        | _____      | _____              |
| (6) | _____                        | _____      | _____              |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: All but Ruth have enrolled Cherokee Tribe.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The mother of 2 oldest children named Helen (Hobson) Mayfield.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Joseph M. Mayfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1907.

Floyd E. Harper  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

July 13<sup>th</sup>, 1909

**AFFIDAVIT**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me..... and  
..... who, being duly sworn, on oath depose  
and say that they are well acquainted with..... who makes the  
foregoing application and statement, and have known..... for..... years and..... years,  
respectively, and know..... to be the identical person..... represents..... to be, and that  
on May 28, 1906,..... had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by  
..... are true, and they have no interest whatever in..... claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

.....  
.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... day of....., 1907.

.....  
*Notary Public.*

My commission expires....., 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

App. No. 778.

February 23, 1909.

Joseph M. Mayfield,  
Lenapah, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, you are now requested to answer our letter of January 20, 1909, properly. The communication received from you on this date fails to give any information whatever. You are again requested to inform this Office as to what number on the Dawes Commission Roll is that of your child, Ruth Frances Mayfield, if she was ever enrolled. Give the date of her birth, and, if she is dead, give the day, month, and year of her death. If any of your children are dead, give the day, month, and year of death.

This information must be furnished by you. If you do not know the Dawes Commission Roll numbers, find out what they are and notify this Office at once. This information must be obtained by us before your claim can be properly disposed of.

It does not appear, from the records of this Office that you have any attorney of record, and the writing of your postal is so illegible that the name cannot be deciphered.

Please be prompt and refer in reply to EA-778.

Very respectfully,

WEA

Special Commissioner.

App. No. 778.

January 20, 1909.

Joseph H. Mayfield,  
Lenapah, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, you are requested to inform this Office as to the name and number under which your child, Ruth Frances Mayfield, was enrolled by the Dawes Commission.

Are all your children living? If any are dead, give the day, month, and year of death.

Please be prompt and refer in reply to WEA-778.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Delaware Okla.  
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Hon. Simon Miller  
Special Commisr.

Dear Sir:- your letter received  
in regards to my application  
for the Eastern claim.  
Appl. No. 778.

I do not know just when my  
mother was first enrolled.  
believe she was enrolled  
in Tenn. in '51 or '52, -

My Gran-father on my  
mother's side was Michel  
Helderbrand. I do not know  
my Gran mother's given  
name.

My one's names, I do not know them all -  
 Joe Hilderbrand - Steve  
 Hilderbrand and Brice -  
 I had an aunt by the  
 name of Eliza Peggie -  
 and Rachial -

My father's relations are  
 mostly in Tenn. yet -  
 I cannot say just where  
 I was first in rolled -  
 We came to this country  
 in 1882 - the best I remem-  
 -ber. Emet Starr  
 knows more about my  
 people - for he is a relative  
 of the Hilderbrands -  
 and has been getting  
 up a book.

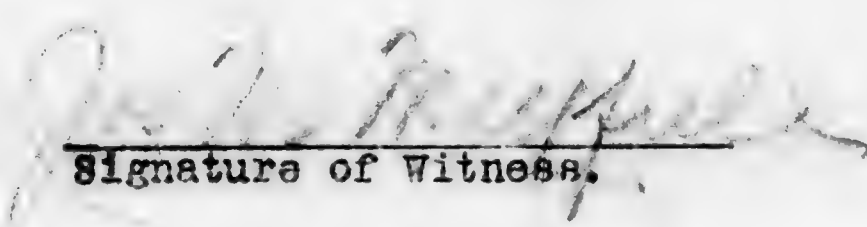
If you need further  
 proof" I can go and  
 have some of the older  
 people - make a state-ment.  
 Hoping to hear from  
 you - if this is not satisfactory  
 I remain - your  
 truly  
 Joseph M. Mayfield.  
 by J. H. Mayfield.

P.S. J. M. Mayfield my Bro  
 is now confined in  
 Leavenworth for assault with  
 intent to kill. Will be at home  
 in March - I write this for  
 him - His address is  
 Leavenworth Kans., Box 7.  
 J. H. Mayfield.

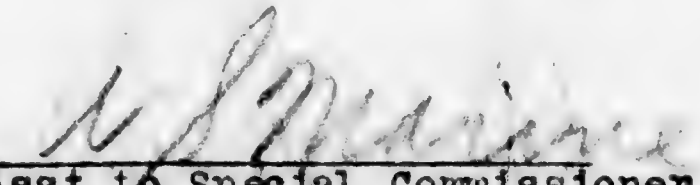
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Jos. M. Mayfield being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am 40 years of age. I have four children and the name of one is Ruth Francis. She is a full sister to Mary, both the children of my last wife. Ruth was born in 1904. My mother's name was Polly or Mary Hilderbrand. Mike Mayfield is a brother of mine. I was in the penitentiary at the time the Dawes Commission was making a roll and my wife ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ filed an application for Ruth Francis, but I don't understand why she was not enrolled as her sister, Mary is enrolled by the Dawes Commission. We never did find out just why she was not enrolled. Her case is now before Congress.

  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Nowata, Okla. this 13th day of March 1909.

  
Asst to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Dear  
BOM 329

not quite a fine  
line like yours received  
I would not say in  
reply but from <sup>my</sup> ~~my~~ ~~my~~  
sister's daughter is alive & well  
the 20th November 1904  
and is a fine girl & very  
she will have her own  
house but I will I guess  
is for my wife inrolled  
she is a fine girl & very  
I agree with you  
through my family  
I will send you  
I will be on the  
after it for me

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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I have not yet had 2 full  
years of the first commission  
to see how some of my  
sentences are met and  
how some are not. I  
I say by children are all  
able to get a letter  
with a few lines so it  
you need any more  
to be limited in  
some information at once  
I can answer it at once  
to a well known person  
to have from you some  
times I am sure  
the best of health  
I am sure

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Appln. No. 778.

November 26, 1907.

Joseph M. Hayfield,  
Lenapeh,  
Oklahoma.

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Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state when you think your mother was enrolled as an Eastern Cherokee, and where? Please give the names of your grandparents on both sides. Give also the names of your uncles and aunts. State when and where you yourself were enrolled, and give such other information as you may be able to tending to support your right to participate in this fund.

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An early reply will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Special Commissioner.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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UNITED STATES PENITENTIARY, LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS.

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**TO THE PRISONER:**—Write plainly in English. Do not interline. Put but one line of writing on each ruled line. Letters addressed to "General Delivery" in cities of 10,000 inhabitants and over will not be mailed. Letters addressed to prisoners and received from prisoners in Penitentiaries, Reformatories and Jails will not be mailed or admitted. **CORRESPONDENCE WITH PRISONERS DISCHARGED FROM THIS PENITENTIARY NOT PERMITTED.**

PUT YOUR NAME AND REGISTER NUMBER HERE. PUT FULL ADDRESS OF YOUR LETTER HERE: GIVE TOWN, COUNTY AND STATE  
Street and Number in Cities of Free Delivery.

Name *Dr J. M. Mayfield* Name *T. C. Leupp, Commissioner of*  
Register No. *4201* No. *Indian Affairs* Street  
Town *Washington* County  
State *D. C.*

Prisoners are permitted to write only on this style of paper and with pencil, except by a special order.

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Mr T. C. Leupp Washington D. C.  
Dear Sir I write you in regard to my claim  
as being entitled to a property of the Eastern  
Cherokee Indians born in Tennessee in 1847  
am the son of Mary Mayfield wife of J. H. Mayfield  
My mother's maiden name was Mary Hildreth  
Her mother maiden name was Martin. They  
lived near Benton East Tennessee I made application  
to you some time ago through and attorney  
Have not heard what was done or whether  
he sent in the application or not please let  
me know as well what has been done in my  
case so if you need any more proof  
can get it before the late I shall out  
the application in October and the attorney  
said he would send it in at once but it  
not received any reply I write you  
waiting a reply soon I remain yours  
Dr J. M. Mayfield Leavenworth, Ks.  
P. O. Box 7





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Dear Sir <sup>Mr</sup>  
You wrote me about my daughter  
Ruth Frances Mayfield will  
say I sent Cross with the attorney  
of Washington D.C. the papers  
he represents me there before the  
comission please see him as he has  
the affidavit of her yours  
Dr J. M. Mayfield

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