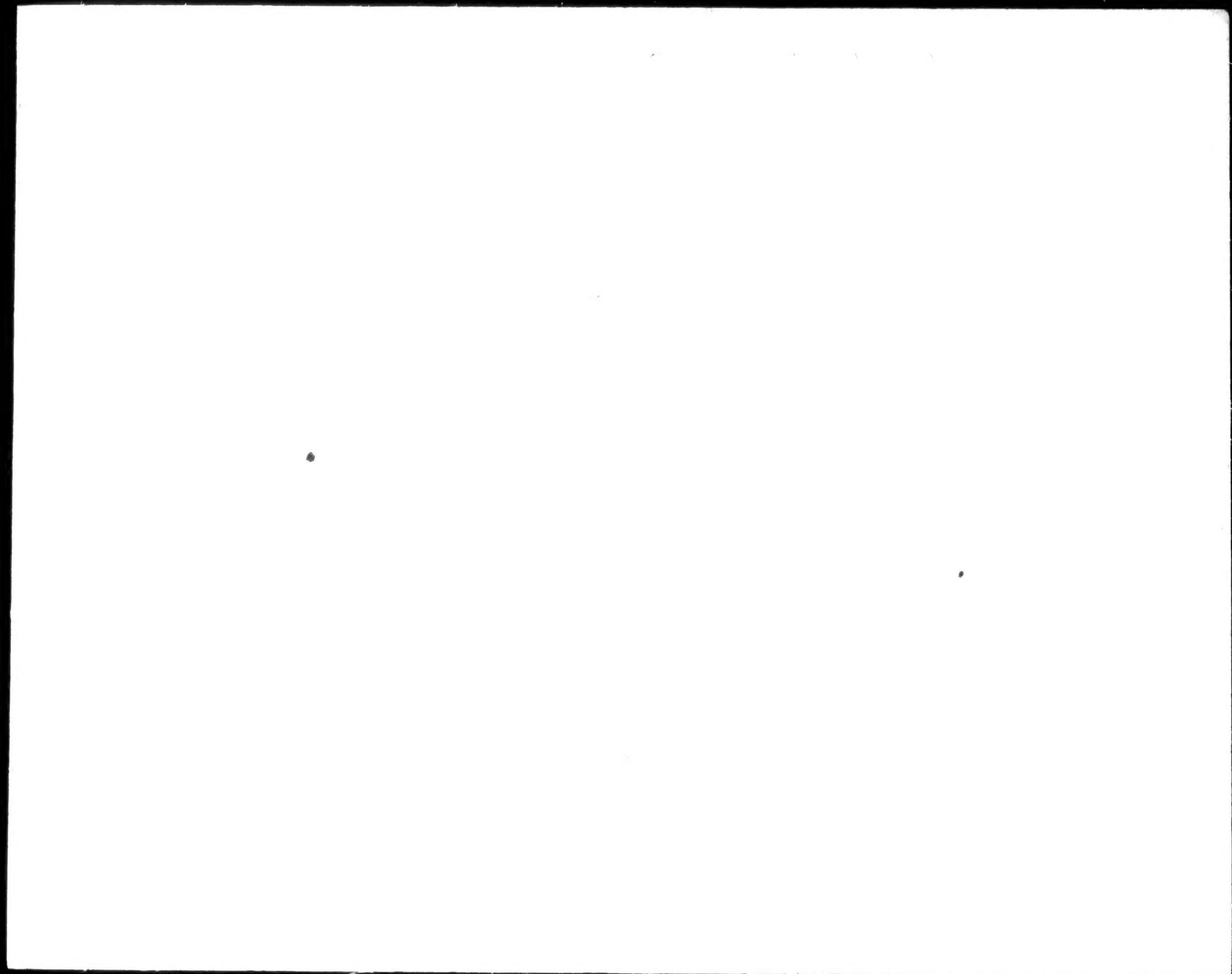
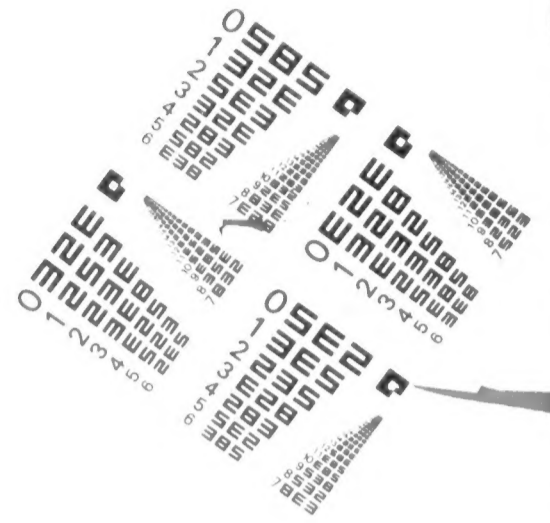
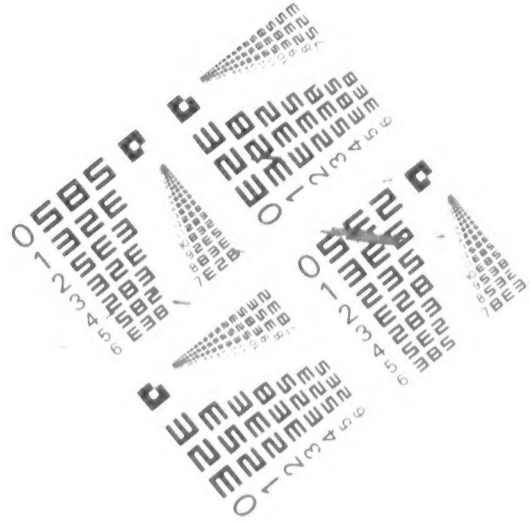
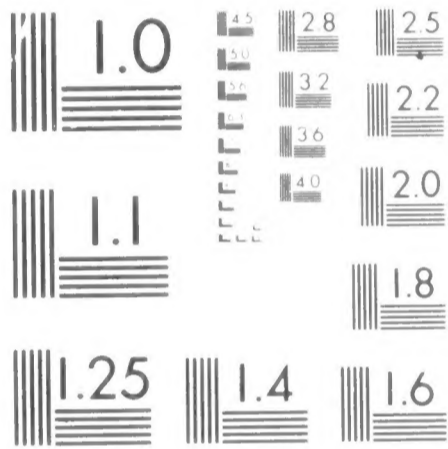
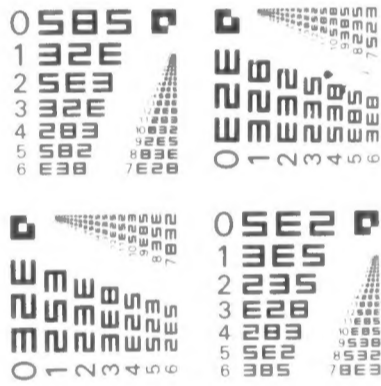
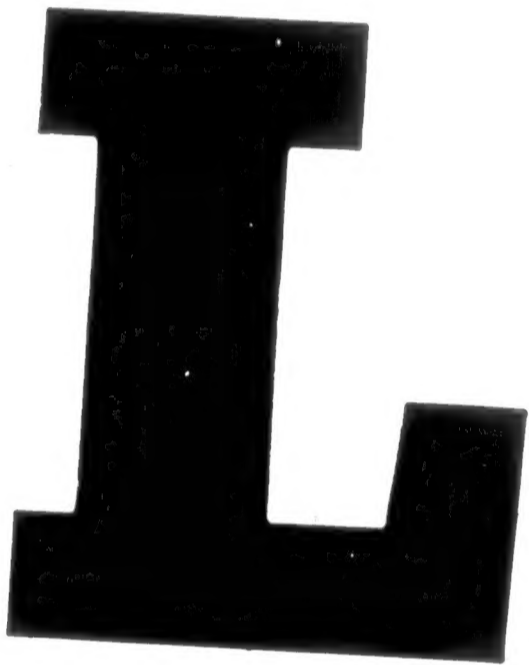


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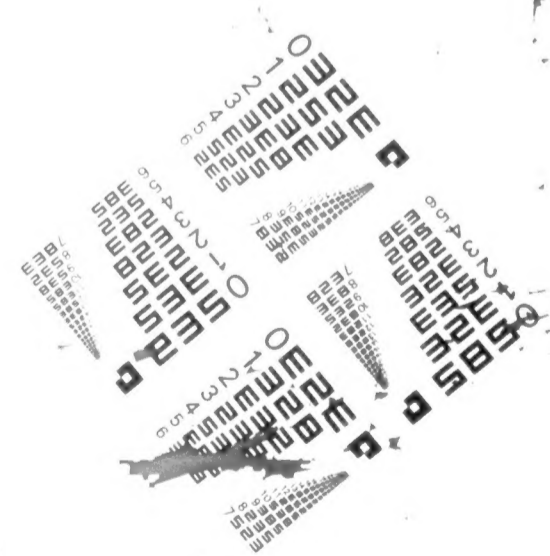




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INTRODUCTION

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.

## 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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EASTERN CHEROKEE  
APPLICATIONS OF THE  
U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS  
1906-1909

Roll 16

Application Nos. 1363-1455

THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES  
NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS SERVICE  
GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

WASHINGTON: 1980

No. 1363

Action: *Admitted*

Name *Henry C. Meigs* and *X* children. Residence: *Fort Gibson, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Applicant and his mother Jane Nav-  
nee Ross were both enrolled by Brenner  
in Tahlequah Dist - No. 225.*

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

of

Henry C. Mcigs

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. Rec. OCT 23 1906
No.

*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: **Henry C. Meigs**

Indian name:

2. Residence: **Cherokee Nation,**

3. Town and post office: **Fort Gibson**

4. County: **Cherokee Nation**

5. State: **Indian Territory**

6. Date and place of birth: **Tahlequah District Cherokee Nation born 1841**

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 an enrolled Eastern Cherokee in 1851, as a heir to my Mother Jane Nave, aunt Susan Coody uncle Silas D. Ross, and grand-father John Ross,**

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: **Return Jonathon Meigs**

Indian name:

Mother English name: **Jane Nave**

Indian name:

Maiden name: **Jane Ross**

11. Where were they born?

Father: **Fort Gibson**

Mother: **Tahlequah**

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

Father:

Mother: **Tahlequah District Cherokee Nation**

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: **1850**

Mother: **1894**

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: none

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John R. Meigs	1839	1899
(2)	Elizabeth G. Meigs	1843	1883
(3)	Return Robert Meigs	1846	
(4)	Submit Meigs	1848	1885
(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.
Timothy Meigs	John Ross
Elizabeth Holt	Quatie Ross

17. Where were they born? dont know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand-father John Ross  
Tablequah District Cherokee Nation.

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

(1) English name: James McDonald Ross died in 1864  
English name: Allen Ross died IN 1890.  
English Name: Jane Ross died in 1894.

(2) English name: Silas D. Ross.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: died in 1972

(3) English name: George W. Ross  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: died in 1879

(4) English name: Annie B. Ross  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: died in 1876

(5) English name: John Ross  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: died In 1906

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. was allotted land by the Dawes 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: .....

Timothy Meigs ..... John Ross  
Elizabeth Holt ..... Quaty Ross  
Return Jonathan Meigs ..... Jane Nave nee Ross

REMARKS.

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

Son of Rrturn Jonathan and Jane Nave nee Ross

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.) *Henry C. Meigs*

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

My commission expires Oct 16th, 1907  
*Henry Eiffert*  
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 *Florian K. Kach* and  
....., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Henry C. Meigs*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Florian K. Kach*  
*Otto Rogers*

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

My commission expires Oct 16th, 1907  
*Henry Eiffert*  
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. 1364.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Mary Jane Ross, and — children. Residence: Fort Gibson, Okla.

Reasons:

Mother of #1361; applicant enrolled in 1851,  
in Tahlequah District, No. 592.

No. 1364

Name. Mary Jane Ross

With No. 1361

Remarks :



No. 1364

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Jane Ross

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, 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 Jane Ross

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

2. Residence: Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office: Fort Gibson

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Tennessee in 1827

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 an enrolled Eastern Cherokee in 1851— as an heir to my father Lewis Ross and Sister Minerva Murrell nee Ross.

8. Are you married? Widow of Mr. P. Ross.

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: Lewis Ross

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

Mother—English name: Fannie Ross-

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

Maiden name: Fannie Holt-

11. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Virginia

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: died 1870 Mother: died 1860

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: None

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Minerva Murrell ne Ross</u>		<u>1855</u>
(2) <u>Oreminta Vann " Ross</u>		<u>1898</u>
(3) <u>Robert D. Ross</u>		<u>1863</u>
(4) <u>Amanda Murrell ne Ross</u>		<u>1897</u>
(5) <u>John McDonald Ross</u>		<u>1841</u>
(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>Daniel Ross.</u>	<u>Mollie McDonald</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

17. Where were they born? Tennessee

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: <u>John Ross</u>	<u>died in 1866</u>
<sup>English</sup> Indian name: <u>Susan Nave ne Ross</u>	<u>" " 1883</u>
<sup>English name</sup> Residence: <u>Lewis Ross</u>	<u>" " 1870</u>
(2) English name: <u>Andrew Ross.</u>	<u>" " <del>1873</del> Don't know</u>
<sup>English</sup> Indian name: <u>Annie Nave ne Ross</u>	<u>" " 1826</u>
Residence: _____	
(3) English name: <u>Margaret Hicks.</u>	
Indian name: _____	
Residence: <u>died in 1862</u>	
(4) English name: <u>Amanda Mulkey ne Ross</u>	
Indian name: _____	
Residence: <u>died in 1838</u>	
(5) English name: <u>Elizabeth Ross</u>	
Indian name: _____	
Residence: <u>don't know</u>	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Allotted lands by the Dawes 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:

Lewis Ross  
Fanni Elizabeth Ross ne Holt

REMARKS.

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

Widow of William P Ross

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.) Mrs M. J. Ross

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

My commission expires Oct 16, 1906

Henry Effert  
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 Florian H. Wash and Otto Rogers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs M. J. Ross, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and 70 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Florian H. Wash  
Otto Rogers

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

My commission expires Oct 16th, 1907

Henry Effert  
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. 1365

Action: Admitted

Name Emma L. Ross, and — children. Residence: Fort Gibson, Okla.

Reasons:

Sister of #1361, and claims through the same ancestors.

No. 1365-

Name. Emma L Ross

With No. 1360

Remarks :

No. 1365

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Emma L. Ross

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: Emma L. Ross  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Cherokee Nation
3. Town and post office: Fort Gibson
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: 1854 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: my father William P. Ross and Aunt Eliza J. Ross and Elvora Ross and Grand-Mother Eliza Ross.
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 P. Ross  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Mary Jane Ross  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Mary Jane Ross
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Tennessee  
Mother: Tennessee
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: died 1891 Mother: Living



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: None

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William D Ross	1848	
(2)	Lora Howard nee Ross	1856	1879
(3)	Mamie Budget nee Ross	1863	1900
(4)	Hubbard Ross	1864	
(5)	Phillip Ross	1870	1893
(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 G Ross	Lewis Ross
Elyza Ross	Fannie Elizabeth Ross nee Holt

17. Where were they born? Tennessee and Virginia

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:	William P. Ross	did	1891
English name	Davie H. Ross	"	1891
Indian name:			
English name	John A Ross	"	1885
Residence:			
(2) English name:	Elyza J. Ross	"	1894
English name	Lewis A Ross	"	1885
Indian name:			
English name	Elnora Ross	"	1861
Residence:			
(3) English name:	Mary J Ross	Living Fort Gibson 27	
English name	Minerva Murrell nee Ross	(died)	1855
Indian name:			
English name	Araminta Yauu " Ross	"	1898
Residence:			
(4) English name:	Robt D Ross	"	1863
English name	Amanaa Murrell nee Ross		1897
Indian name:			
English name	J McDonald Ross		1841
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. Allotted land by the Dawes 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: .....

John S. Ross Lewis Ross  
Eliza Ross Fannie Elizabeth Ross nee Hall-  
William P Ross Mary Jane Ross

REMARKS.

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

Daughter of William P. and Mary Jane Ross

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.) Emma Le Ross.

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

My commission expires Oct 16, 1907

Henry Effert  
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 Florian H. Hach and Otto Rogers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Emma Le Ross, 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 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Florian H. Hach  
Otto Rogers.

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

My commission expires Oct 16th, 1907

Henry Effert  
Notary Public.

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No. 1366

Action: Admitted.

Name: Mollie Howard and — children. Residence: Fort Gibson, Okla

Reasons:

Niece of #1361, and claims through the same ancestors.

No. 1368

Name Mollie Howard

With No. 1361

Remarks :

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No. 1366

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Hollie Howard

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 13, 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: Mollie Howard

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

2. Residence: Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office: Fort Gibson

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: 1876 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: as a daughter of Gora Howard deceased;— who was the daughter of William P. Ross deceased.

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: Robert Howard

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

Mother—English name: Gora Howard

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

Maiden name: Gora Ross

11. Where were they born?

Father: Arkansas

Mother: Cherokee Nation

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

Father: not born

Mother: " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1885 Mother: 1879

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: None

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>None</u>	<u>William P Ross</u>
<u>None</u>	<u>Mary Jane Ross</u>

17. Where were they born? Tennessee

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: <u>William D Ross</u>
	Indian name: <u>None</u>
	Residence: <u>Fort Gibson Cherokee Nation</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Emma L Ross</u>
	Indian name: <u>None</u>
	Residence: <u>Fort Gibson Cherokee Nation</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Hubbard Ross</u>
	Indian name: <u>None</u>
	Residence: <u>Fort Gibson Cherokee Nation</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Lora Howard nee Ross</u>
	Indian name: <u>None</u>
	Residence: <u>Died in 1879</u>
(5)	English name: <u>Mamie Baggett died in 1900</u>
	Indian name: <u>None</u>
	Residence: <u>Phillips Ross died in 1893</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. <sup>3</sup> allotted lands by Dawes 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:

John G. Ross Lewis Ross  
Elyza Ross Fannie Elizabeth Ross  
William P. Ross Mary Jane Ross

REMARKS.

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

Grand Daughters of William P. and Mary Jane Ross

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.) Mallie Howard

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

My commission expires Oct 16th, 1907 Henry Eiffert 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 Florian H. Nash and Otto Rogers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mallie Howard, 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Florian H. Nash  
Otto Rogers.

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

My commission expires Oct 16, 1907 Henry Eiffert 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. 1367

Action: Admit

Name Nancy Holland and x children. Residence: Hestville, Okla.

Reasons:

Mother of #334. Applicant  
enrolled by Chapman  
in 1851 - #1995

No. 1367

Name. Nancy Holland

With No. 334

Remarks :

*msd*  
C 1995

No. 1397

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy Holland*

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. <i>Rec</i> OCT 23 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: *Nancy Holland*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Westville Ind Ter*
3. Town and post office: *Westville*
4. County: *Cherokee Co*
5. State: *Ind Ter*
6. Date and place of birth: *Cherokee Co North Carolina in about 1833*
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: *Alexander M. Daniel and Mary Raper daughter of Alexander Daniel*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *James Hall and age 63 when he died*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Jessie Raper*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Mary Raper*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Mary M. Daniel*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Cherokee Co North Carolina*  
Mother: *Cherokee Co North Carolina*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Cherokee Co North Carolina*  
Mother: *Cherokee Co North Carolina*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *About 1887* Mother: *About 1891*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Cherokee Co North Carolina also in the Cherokee No Inlet Ter

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

	NAME	BORN	LIVING	DIED
1	Martin Raper	97 yrs	Living	
2 (1)	CHARLES Raper		Dead	1864
3	KATE Raper			1897
4 (2)	Martha Raper			1903
5	LEWIS Raper			1854
6 (3)	ELIZA Raper		LIVING	
7	GABREL Raper			1853
8 (4)	NANCY	93	LIVING	
9	POWEL (or JOHN)	71	LIVING	
10 (5)	ELONZO Raper		Dead	1864
11	RACHEL	65	LIVING	
12 (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.
My Father White adopted	Alexander M.C. Daniel (Grandfather) Grandmother don't know

17. Where were they born? North Carolina Cherokee Co

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? He suppose he was dead

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:
- (1) English name: Nellie M.C. Daniel Dead  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (2) English name: Lucy M.C. Daniel Dead  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (3) English name: Mary M.C. Daniel Dead  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (4) English name: Kate M.C. Daniel Dead  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (5) English name: Sookie M.C. Daniel Dead  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. North Carolina also in the Cherokee No Inlet Ter  
I suppose I am on all the rolls

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

*Alexander M.C. Daniel*  
*Mary Raper daughter of Alexander*  
*M.C. Daniel*

REMARKS.

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

*My claim comes on my mother's side Mary Raper daughter of Alexander M.C. Daniel.*

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 her mark  
*Florence M. Brown*  
*Chance J. Miller*  
*David Ross*

(Signature.) *Nancy* <sup>her</sup> *Holland* <sub>mark</sub>

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

My commission expires

My Commission Expires *May 26, 1910.*

*R.A. Odle*

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 L. Johnson* and *Jim E. Collins*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Nancy Holland*, 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 *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.

*Thomas L. Johnson*  
*Jim E. Collins*

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

My commission expires

My Commission Expires *May 26, 1910.*

*R.A. Odle*

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 CLERKS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Recd. MAY 29 1907  
No. 1367  
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May 27<sup>th</sup> 1907

Wirtville O. J.

Commissioner of Court of Claims.

Washington D. C.

Sir, you will please send me  
application blanks for my self and three  
minor children for our share of the money  
belonging to the eastern Cherokee.  
I claim the right through my mother (Nancy  
Holland) whose application no. is 1307.

Respect

Nancy Collins



COURT OF CLAIMS  
& EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
MAY 29 1907  
No. 1367 A

May The 27<sup>th</sup> 1907.

Westville N.J.

Commissioner of the court of claims  
Washington. D.C.

sir

Please send me blank application  
for one share in the eastern peoples fund  
I claim the right through my grandmother  
Nancy Holland, whose application no. 1367.

Respectfully

Charles Alberty

No. 1368

Action: Admit

Name: Rutha Q Ross and 3 children.

Residence: Rose, Okla.

Reasons:

Sister of #334.

No. 1368.

Name. Ruth C. Ross.

With No. 334.

Remarks:

*Supl.*

*No. 1368*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*J. B. Ross*

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 23 1906
No.

1368

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: *Rutha C. Ross*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Rose Ind Ter*
3. Town and post office: *Rose*
4. County: *Cherokee Na*
5. State: *Ind Ter*
6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 22 1851 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: *Alexander M. S. Donnell  
Great Grandfather Mary Raper Grandmother*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Daniel Ross age 58*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *James Hollonel*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Nancy Hollonel*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Nancy Raper*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Haywood Co North Carolina*  
Mother: *Swain Co North Carolina*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Garden Co Georgia*  
Mother: *Garden Co Georgia*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Oct 12 1875* Mother: *Living*

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

where: Cherokee Co North Carolina also  
in the Cherokee Na Ind Ter

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

	NAME	About age	BORN.	LIVING	DIED.
1	Ples Holland	"	56	Living	
2(1)	Martha Holland	"	53	Living	
3	John Holland	"	51	Living	
4(2)	Jess	"	47	Living	
5	Louisia	"	47	Living	
4(3)	Nancy	"	44	Living	
7	James	"	42	Deed	May 7 1901
4(4)	Willie	"	38	Living	
9	Henry	"	36	Living	
4(5)	Richard	"	34	Living	
(6)	Carra	"	31	Deed	Nov 2 1896

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

FATHER'S SIDE: My father was  
a white adopted

MOTHER'S SIDE: Jessie Raper  
Mary Raper

17. Where were they born? Cherokee Co North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Co  
North Carolina

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

- (1) English name Martin Raper Living  
Residence Chance Ind Ter 97 years old
- 2 Name: Charles Raper Died in 1864
- 3(2) Name: Kate Raper " " 1897
- 4 Name: Martha Raper " " 1903
- 5 Name: Lewis Raper " " 1854
- 7(3) Name: Eliza Raper Living age 80  
Residence Chance Ind Ter
- Name: Gabriel Raper Died in 1853
- (4) Name: Nancy Raper Living 73 years old  
Residence Westville Ind Ter
- Name: Powel (or John) Living 71 years old  
Residence Chateau Ind Ter
- (5) Name: Elongo Raper Died 1864
- Name: Rachel Raper Living age 65 years

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

where: Cherokee Co North Carolina  
also in Cherokee Na Ind Ter

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

Alexander M. C. Daniels Great Grandfather  
Jessie Raper Grandfather Mary Raper  
Grandmother

REMARKS.

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

My claim comes from my mother's  
side

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.) Rutha C. Ross

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

My commission expires

My Commission Expires May 26, 1910, 190

R. A. Odle

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 L. Johnson and  
Lem E. Collins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Rutha C. Ross, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 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.

Thomas L. Johnson  
Lem E. Collins

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

My commission expires

My Commission Expires May 26, 1910, 190

R. A. Odle

Notary Public.

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No. 1368

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Rutha C. Bass

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.

Rec. JUL 12 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. 368 PC 6149

1. State your full name: Ruthia C. Ross
2. Residence and post office: 1 1/2 miles east of Rose
3. County: Dist. 5
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: 1851, State of Georgia
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Daniel Ross age 58 1883
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.
#34497 (1)	Florence E. Ross		Nov 30-1879
#34498 (2)	Maggie M. Ross		Sept 22-1883
(3)	Cornelius Ross		June 29-1888
(4)	Carrie E. Ross		Oct 17-1890
(5)	Daniel H. Ross		Dec 17-1900
(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: Per capita payment 1894- and final roll heres. 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) Ruthia C. Ross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 1st day of July 1907.

DW R. Spalding  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Nov 11, 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 Maggie Raysdale and Laura Paper who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Burtha C. Pass 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 them are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Maggie Raysdale  
Laura Paper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June, 1907.  
BW Raysdale  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov the 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.

No. 1369

Action: Admitted

Name Edward B. Mc Nair and X children. Residence: Tahlequah, Okla.

Reasons: Cousin of 816

No. 1369 O.K.

Name Edward B. McNair

With No. ....

Remarks :

Grouped herewith  
are NO, 878 1/2  
5-712, 5-6 5-2,  
15-600.

Claims through  
McNair,  
Saline 452.

No. 1369

Name Edward B. McHair

With No. 816

Remarks :

*Cause*

No. 1369

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

**EDWARD B. McNAIR.**

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 23 1906
No.

1369

*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: Edward B. McNair  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Tahlequah, Indian Territory,
3. Town and post office: Tahlequah, Indian Territory,
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory,
6. Date and place of birth: November 6, 1875. Locust Grove, 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: Felix H. McNair; James McNair; Delilah McNair; Mary McNair; Louis McNair; and Eliza McNair.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Ottilia McNair, nee Anderson,
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Felix H. McNair.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Nancy S. McNair.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Nancy S. Bushyhead.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Tennessee.  
Mother: Baptist Mission, Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Near Locust Grove, Indian Territory,  
Mother: Baptist Mission, Indian Territory,
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: June 30th, 1891, Mother: Living.



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Drew every Payment made to Cherokees.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Elizabeth McNair</u>	<u>Feb. 18, 1870,</u>	<u>May 6, 1898.</u>
(2)	<u>Cora A. Wyly</u>	<u>Jan. 24, 1878.</u>	
(3)	<u>Owen F. McNair</u>	<u>Mar. 12, 1880.</u>	
(4)	<u>Dennis B. McNair</u>	<u>March 30, 1882.</u>	
(5)	<u>Callie McSpadden</u>	<u>July 16, 1885.</u>	
(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 McNair</u>	<u>Jesse Bushyhead</u>
	<u>Eliza McNair</u>	<u>Lizzie (or Elizabeth) Bushyhead</u>

17. Where were they born? All in Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Baptist Mission and Locust Grove, 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:	<u>Edward W. Bushyhead</u>
	Indian name:	<u>Ka-ta-kee-ski</u>
	Residence:	<u>San Dugo, California.</u>
(2)	English name:	<u>Caroline E. Quarles</u>
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	<u>Baptist Mission, Ind. Ter.</u>
(3)	English name:	<u>Eliza M. Alberty</u>
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	<u>Tahlequah, Ind. Ter.</u>
(4)	English name:	<u>Nancy S. McNair</u>
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	<u>Tahlequah, Indian Territory,</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. Every payment since November 6th, 1875.

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

Paternal: James McNair and Eliza McNair,

Maternal: Jessee Bushyhead and Elizabeth Bushyhead.

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.) Edward B. McNair

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

My commission expires

Sept. 18th, 1909.

W. S. 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 R. L. Wyly and George W. Parris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Edward B. McNair, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 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.

R. L. Wyly  
George W. Parris

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

My commission expires

Sept. 18th, 1909.

W. S. Miller  
Notary Public.

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No. 1370

Action: Admitted

Name *Eliya Howell*

and 2 grand children.

Residence: *Oreuma, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Applicant is a sister of 1056*

No. 1370

Name Eeliza Howell

With No. 105-6

Remarks :

No. 1370

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Eliza Howel*

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: Eliza Howell

Indian name: Ke ter la cher

2. Residence: in Delaware District Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office: OSCUMMA Indian Territory

4. County: Delaware District Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Born in the year 1846 in Delaware 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: through Myself Eliza Howell & My Mother

Sarah Ballard & My Father Samuel Ballard & Samuel Ballard A Brother & Johnson Ballard  
A Brother & Nelson Ballard A Brother & Caroline Ballard A Sister & My Grand  
Mother Peggy Drumgoor & Ruth Drumgoor & Olga Drumgoor & Aunt  
George Drumgoor uncle Allick Drumgoor uncle James Drumgoor uncle

8. Are you married? yes Married in the year 1869 to my Father

9. Name and age of wife or husband: William Howell in the year 1858

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

Father—English name: Samuel Ballard

Indian name: Simi oh he ske ke

Mother—English name: Sarah Ballard

Indian name: Sa la

Maiden name: Sarah Drumgoor

11. Where were they born?

Father: in the Old Cherokee Nation

Mother: in the Old Cherokee Nation

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

Father: in Delaware District Cherokee Nation

Mother: in Delaware District Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Died March 6 1863 Mother: Died Jan 1870

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

where: <sup>enrolled</sup> in Delaware District Cherokee Nation <sup>by</sup> My Mother <sup>for</sup> my money at Fort Gibson in the year 1857 or 1858

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Samuel Ballard	1835	1863
	Martha Brumacher	1837	Deat King white Living
(2)	Francis Countryman	1841	Living
	Johnson Ballard	1842	1843
	Melany Ballard	1844	1845
(3)	Elyse Howell	1844	Living
	Thomas Ballard	1846	"
(4)	Sarah Ballard	1849	1888
	Caroline Ballard	1850	1882
(5)	Hanne Davis	1852	1880
(6)	Eliza Flint	1858	Living

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.

Ellick Drungoo  
 o. i. W. h. o.  
 I n u o h w a k a h

17. Where were they born? in the Old Cherokee Nation

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

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

- (1) English name: George Drungoo died 1854 died 1858  
 Indian name: Chicka o. i. W. h. o.  
 Residence: in Old District Cherokee Nation died in 1870 in Delaware Dist Cherokee Nation
- (2) English name: Sarah Drungoo died Jan 1st 1870  
 Indian name: Se la o. i. W. h. o.  
 Residence: in Del Dist Cherokee Nation
- (3) English name: Ellick Drungoo died 1855  
 Indian name: A. L. K. a. h.  
 Residence: in Del Dist Cherokee Nation
- (4) English name: James Drungoo died 1856  
 Indian name: Gini o. i. W. h. o.  
 Residence: in Del Dist Cherokee Nation
- (5) English name: Ruth Drungoo died 1857  
 Indian name: Cho W. y. u. K. a. h. o. i. W. h. o.  
 Residence: in Del Dist Cherokee Nation

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

where: <sup>was</sup> enrolled in Delaware District Cherokee Nation for several small payments - and was enrolled for the strip payment <sup>for</sup> down of the strip money and also was enrolled by the Dawes commission <sup>for</sup> the allotted lands to me

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.

<sup>Witness</sup>  
Thomas J. McEhu (Signature.) <sup>her</sup> Eliza Howell  
<sup>mark</sup>  
John A. Countryman  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires  
Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>, 1907  
O. F. Mason  
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 J. McEhu Sr and John A. Countryman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Eliza Howell, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

Thomas J. McEhu  
John A. Countryman  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.  
My commission expires  
Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>, 1907  
O. F. Mason  
Notary Public.

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No. 1370

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Olyja Howell*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN *of*

*Mary E. Labrytaux & Grand  
Sole of old Chickamauga Nation*

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.
<i>rec.</i> MAY 29 1907
<i>No.</i>

## 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 <sup>Grand</sup> 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. 1970

1. State your full name: Eliza Howell, <sup>Grand</sup> the Mother of Mary & Laboy Traux
2. Residence and post office: Ossunna <sup>Grand</sup> the Mother of the two Grand children
3. County: Delaware District Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: 61 years ago Born in the Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: 60 years William Howell age my husband
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? I belong to the Eastern Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Mary & Laboy Traux	Born Sept 9 <sup>th</sup> 1872	Died 5 <sup>th</sup> May 1904
(2)	Mari the Dawson	" May 4 1875	Living
(3)	Merris Ward	" Dec 4 1879	"
(4)	Willie Mary Laboy Traux	Born May 5 1878	Living
(5)	Hutton Laboy Traux	" March 13 1891	"

(6) the last two named minor are the children of Mary & Laboy Traux deceased who was my daughter

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities and, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: they were enrolled by the Dawes Commission in the Cherokee Nation as Cherokees and they allotted lands to them

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I have the above named two minor children in my custody and have had them ever since the death of my daughter their mother

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

and belief.  
Witness to mark:

John E. Ward

Thomas J. ...

(Signature)

Eliza <sup>her</sup> Howell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

J. C. Barry  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Sept. 5<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 Thomas J. McShee, Jr. and John E. Ward who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Eliza Howell who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 40 years and 12 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 and grandchildren 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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\_\_\_\_\_  
John E. Ward  
Thomas J. McShee, Jr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of May, 1907.

J. C. Barry  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept. 5th, 1908

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No. 1372.

Action: Admitted.

Name William W. Chambers and 2 children. Residence: Tiawah, Okla.

Reasons:

Claims through self enrolled as William Chambers.  
Mother enrolled as Alsey Chambers. Brother enrolled as James  
Chambers. All of whom were enrolled by Drennen in 1881 in Tahle-  
quah District, Group #240. *See also App/ 11265 -*

HCB.

No. 1371 <sup>O.K. O.K.</sup>  
Name W. M. Chambers  
With No.  
Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are NW, 11650,  
11268, 11265,  
9975: 5066-5918  
5372, 10457, 10155  
1003, 1007, 15029  
10268, 11212

Claims through  
Chambers

Total 240.

No. 1371  
*See # 11264*  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

William W. Chambers.

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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**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 W. Chambers,  
Indian name: Wah-ho-ho
2. Residence: Tiawan, Indian Territory.
3. Town and post office: Tiawan,
4. County: Cherokee Nation,
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: May 22, 1834, 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: In my own right, and through my mother Alcy Chambers, (nee Sanders, Daughter of George Sanders, and Robert Chambers, a brother of mine, and David Chambers, a brother, Betsey Sanders, an aunt, Nancy Spears (nee Sanders), and Maxwell Chambers, my father, whose names should appear on the roll of 1835 taken in Tennessee and on the pay roll of 1851, and also Jane Chambers, my sister, now deceased.
8. Are you married? No, not now.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Paulina Chambers (nee Parria) and she died in 1890.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Maxwell Chambers.  
Indian name: He was a white man.  
Mother—English name: Alcy Chambers.  
Indian name: Same  
Maiden name: Alcy Sanders.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: in Georgia.  
Mother: In Tennessee.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: at Park Hill, near Tahlequah, Indian Territory.  
Mother: at Park Hill, near Tahlequah, Indian Territory.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: April 12, 1862      Mother: April 7, 1862.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes; as citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John Chambers</u>		<u>Now dead.</u>
	<u>Jane Chambers</u>		<u>Now dead.</u>
(2)	<u>Robert Chambers</u>		<u>Now dead.</u>
(3)	<u>Lettie B. Chambers</u>		<u>Now dead.</u>
(4)	<u>Henry Chambers</u>		<u>Now dead.</u>
(5)	<u>Joseph Chambers</u>		<u>Now dead.</u>
(6)	<u>David Chambers</u>		<u>Now dead.</u>
	<u>James Chambers</u>		<u>Now dead.</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>On my father's side they were white people.</u>	<u>George Sanders, a Cherokee,</u>
	<u>Jenny Sanders, a Cherokee.</u>

17. Where were they born? I think they were born in Tennessee.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? They were all dead in 1851.

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

(1)	English name: <u>Alcy Sanders</u>	<u>Nick Sanders,</u>
	Indian name: <u>same</u>	<u>same</u>
	Residence: <u>Dead</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Jim Sanders</u>	
	Indian name: <u>same</u>	
	Residence: <u>Dead</u>	
(3)	English name: <u>Sam Sanders</u>	
	Indian name: <u>same</u>	
	Residence: <u>dead</u>	
(4)	English name: <u>Watt Sanders,</u>	
	Indian name: <u>same</u>	
	Residence: <u>Dead.</u>	
(5)	English name: <u>Jess Sanders</u>	
	Indian name: <u>same</u>	
	Residence: <u>dead.</u>	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Yes; as a citizen of 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: .....

The same as given in sections seven and sixteen above. ....

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.) William W. Chambers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1906.

My commission expires August 24th, 1909.

[Signature of Notary Public]

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. Taylor, Sr., and John Sanders, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William W. Chambers, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 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.

[Signatures of John M. Taylor Jr. and John Sanders]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1906.

My commission expires August 24th, 1909.

[Signature of Notary Public]

Notary Public.

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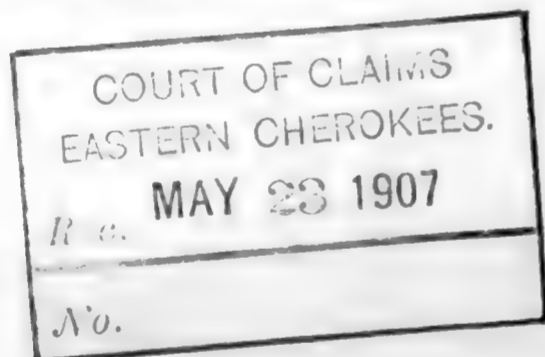
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

William W. Chambers,

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. 1371

1. State your full name: William W. Chambers,
2. Residence and post office: Tiawah, Indian Territory
3. County: Northern District. Cherokee Nation,
4. State: Indian Territory,
5. Date and place of birth: May 22, 1854, Tennessee
6. Are you married? widower
7. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
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>Ezekiel P. Chambers</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>Septary 20, 1875</u>
(2)	<u>William Denny Chambers,</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>Aug. 11, 1877</u>
(3)	<u>Jessie S. Chambers,</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>Aug. 24, 1884</u>
(4)	<u>Leo Chambers,</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Mar. 25, 1887</u>
(5)	<u>Joe Henry Chambers,</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Mar. 24, 1890</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: Strip Money, with Cherokee tribe.

### 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 W. Chambers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of May, 1907.

My Commission expires May 16, 1908.

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W. J. Johnston  
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 D. W. Lips, and  
..... who, being duly sworn, on oath depose  
and say that they are well acquainted with William W. Chambers, who makes the  
foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 50 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.

D. W. Lips

G. W. Gator

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of May, 1907.

W. J. Houston  
Notary Public

My commission expires May 16, 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. 1371

Admitted

Claims how self enrolled as William Chamber.  
Mother enrolled as Lucy Chamber. Brother  
enrolled as James Chamber. All of whom  
were enrolled by Orennen in 1851 in  
Tahlequah District, Group # 340

J. C. R.

No. 1372.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Martha Pope,

and 2 children.

Residence: Hemp, Ga.

Reasons: Aunt of #211 and claims through same source.

No. 1372

Name. Martha T. Pope

With No. 237

Remarks :

No. 1372

*Account of # 211*  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Martha J. Pope*

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: *Martha Tilda Pope*  
Indian name: *Un Known*
2. Residence: *Hemp, Georgia.*
3. Town and post office: *Hemp,*
4. County: *Fulton*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Roake County, North Carolina, Sept 19<sup>th</sup> 1854*
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 through my father, Louis Raper, and my grand-mother Mary Raper*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *John Pope, Age 56*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Louis Raper*  
Indian name: *Un Known*  
Mother—English name: *Elizabeth Raper*  
Indian name: *Un Known*  
Maiden name: *Elizabeth Tilson*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Roake County North Carolina*  
Mother: *Washington County Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Roake County North Carolina*  
Mother: *Roake County North Carolina*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *1855 or 1856* Mother: *Living*

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Jack Raper	1831 or 1832	1897 or 1898
(2)	Thomas Muttie Raper	1855	Living
(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
Lewis Jesse Raper	Duncan Gibson
May Mc Daniel	Uu known

17. Where were they born? Washington County, Tennessee

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

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

- (1) English name: Muttie Raper, Living, Indian Tn.  
~~Indian name:~~ Rachael Webster, Rockee County N.C.  
Residence: Indian Tn.
- (2) English name: Charles Raper  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Died 1863
- (3) English name: Katy Johnson  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Died, about 1895
- (4) English name: Eliza Brown, Res Indian Tn.  
~~Indian name:~~ Nancy Holland, Res. Indian Tn.  
~~Residence:~~ Sabriel Raper, Died about 1860
- (5) English name: Powell Raper, Res. Indian Tn.  
~~Indian name:~~ Alongo Raper, Died 1864  
~~Residence:~~ Martha Fair, Died about 1900  
~~English name:~~ Finn Raper, Died 1855 or 1856.

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Do not know

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.) *Martha Tilda Pope*  
name

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

My commission expires  
*Oct. 28th*, 1907

*J. D. Mallonee*  
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 Thomas* and *H. H. Anderson* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Martha Tilda Pope*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *50* years and *50* 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.

*William Thomas*

*H. H. Anderson*

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

My commission expires  
*Oct. 28th*, 1907

*J. D. Mallonee*  
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

Martha T. Pope

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.

Rec. JUN 3 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. 1872

See also App # 23114-  
23115-  
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1. State your full name: Martha J. Pope
2. Residence and post office: Hemp
3. County: Fannin County
4. State: GA
5. Date and place of birth: Born in Cherokee County Sep 19, 1854
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Martha J. Pope age 53
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN. <i>The</i>
(1)	<u>Huggie L Pope</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>August 22 1890</u>
(2)	<u>Elisia L Pope</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>July 9 1893</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 was given in to Payees about 9 years ago and I don't know if they belong to Eastern Cherokee or not

REMARKS They was given in to Payees about 9 years ago and I don't know if they belong to Eastern Cherokee or not

(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) Martha J. Pope

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of May 1907.

My Commission expires

....., 1906.

J. M. Keefe  
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 Joseph M. Watts and William S. Mashburn who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha J. Pope who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for        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 them are true, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Joseph M. Watts  
William S. Mashburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of May, 1907.

J. W. Keenan Notary Public

My commission expires       , 1906.

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. 10922, 10923, 10924

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1954-52-53  
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.*

*Martha + Pope*  
*W. L.*

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No. 1373.

Action: Admitted.

Name Joseph Vann

and X

children.

Residence:

Eggs, Okla.

Reasons:

Claims through self enrolled as Joseph Vann. Mother enrolled as Lizzy Vann. Brother and sisters enrolled as Linny Vann, Aley Vann and Thompson Vann. All were enrolled by Drennen in 1911 Going Snake District, Group, #292.

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No. 1373 <sup>O.K. O.K.</sup>

Name Joseph Vann

With No. ....

Remarks :

Claim through  
Vann,  
G.S. 292.

No. 1373

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Joseph Namin*

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. Rec OCT 23 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:

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:

Myself - Lizzie Vann  
Mather - Da-be-ne Vann-grand Mather  
Great-Summer Cousin - Cornelias Muger  
~~Mother~~ Lucy Muger aunt - Ollie Catcher aunt

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:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Emigrant Payment 1852

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ailey Vann</u>	<u>1846</u>	
(2)	<u>Joseph Vann</u>	<u>1849</u>	
(3)	<u>Isaac Vann</u>		<u>1900</u>
(4)	<u>Thompson Vann</u>		<u>1868</u>
(5)	<u>Annie Vann died in infancy</u>		
(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>William Vann</u>	<u>Ja-be-nee</u>
<u>Big Tr-cah-ye-ku</u>	
<u>or catcher</u>	

17. Where were they born? Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Sam's neck Dist  
and Coon-we-seo-nee Dist

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

(1) English name:	<u>Arch Vann</u>	<u>Dead</u>
Indian name:	<u>Ben Vann</u>	<u>"</u>
Residence:	<u>Lucey Megin</u>	<u>"</u>
(2) English name:	<u>Cornelius Megin</u>	<u>"</u>
Indian name:	<u>Lizzie Vann</u>	<u>"</u>
Residence:	<u>Charles Catcher</u>	<u>"</u>
(3) English name:	<u>Ellis</u>	<u>"</u>
Indian name:	<u>Dick</u>	<u>"</u>
Residence:	<u>Maser</u>	<u>"</u>
(4) English name:	<u>Ben</u>	<u>"</u>
Indian name:	<u>John</u>	<u>"</u>
Residence:	<u>Ollie</u>	<u>"</u>
(5) English name:	<u>Minnie</u>	<u>"</u>
Indian name:	<u>Rebecca Megin</u>	<u>"</u>
Residence:		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Emigrant Payment 1852 + Cherokee Payments from 1875 to 1894 + land by the commission from 1902 to 6

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.

*Maggie Strickler* (Signature.) *Joseph <sup>his</sup> ~~name~~ <sup>name</sup> Vann*  
*Eva Winfield*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires

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*J. J. Bayler*

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 Strickler* and *Cynthia Vann*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Joseph Vann*, 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 *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.

*Eva Winfield*  
*W. H. Hinton*

*Maggie Strickler*  
*Cynthia <sup>his</sup> ~~name~~ <sup>name</sup> Vann*

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

My commission expires

SEP 24 1907, 190

*J. J. Bayler*

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. 1373.

Admitted

Claims there self enrolled as Joseph Vann.  
Mother enrolled as Lizzy Vann. Brother  
and sister enrolled as Lenny Vann, Hley  
Vann and Thompson Vann. All were  
enrolled by Orin in 1851 in Gaing Snake  
District, Gaup #292

J. C. R.

No. 1374.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Cook Still and 4 children. Residence: Peggs, Oha.

Reasons:

Claims through father enrolled as John Still.  
Grandfather and grandmother enrolled as James and Susanna Still.  
Aunts and uncles enrolled as Lucinda, George, William, Lizzy,  
and Eliza Still. All of whom were enrolled by Drenner in 1851  
in Long Snake District, Group #323.

O.K. O.K.

No. 1374

Name Cook Still

With No.

33437

# Remarks Grouped herewith  
2054, 2056, 2057, 2058

14698, 5335, 23692, 2637  
5343, 2774, 2775, 26387, 26388  
276384, 23738, 2792-95, 2787

Grouped herewith

287, 288, 11416, 7, 14  
26935  
Are no. 13704.

4290, 13560-1,

13751, 13744-13947

Grouped herewith are also

2786, 2787, 2824, 2793.

5132, 1207, 6210, 1256,

51732, 23625

23705, 20027, 25147

1692, 21567-27431

Claims through

Jane  
Susan } Still

A.S. 323.



No. 1374

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Book Still*

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 23 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:

Leok Still

Indian name:

cah-si-m-ta

2. Residence:

Pahlynah Dist D.C.

3. Town and post office:

Peggs

4. County:

Marathon District

5. State:

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

Pahlynah Dist D.C. 1882

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:

John Still Father -  
Lizzie Still Mother - James Still Grand  
Father - Susie Still Grand Mother - Emily  
Walls Grand Mother - Jim Walls Uncle -

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Bertha Still age 25

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

Father—English name:

John Still

Indian name:

oo-ski

Mother—English name:

Lizzie Still

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Lizzie Walls

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Can't say where he was born

Mother:

cah-mu-seo-mu, Dist D.C.

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

Father:

Springlake Dist D.C.

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1880

Mother:

1894

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

where: *Emigrant Payment 1852 & Cherokee Payment from 1875 to 1894*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Marcia Still</i>		<i>1905</i>
(2)	<i>Caroline Still</i>		<i>1889</i>
(3)	<i>Leak Still</i>	<i>1866</i>	
(4)	<i>Sally Still</i>	<i>1864</i>	
(5)	<i>John Still</i>	<i>1868</i>	
(6)	<i>James Still</i>	<i>1870</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>Jim Still</i>	<i>Susan Still</i>
<i>Ned Walls</i>	<i>Emma Walls</i>

17. Where were they born? *Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Guingsman Dist. T., and Coo-we-seo-we Dist. T.*

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

(1) English name:	<i>George Still</i>
Indian name:	<i>William Still</i>
Residence:	<i>Jim Still</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Lucinda Still</i>
Indian name:	<i>Lizzie Still</i>
Residence:	<i>Eliya Still</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Sally Still</i>
Indian name:	<i>Peggy Still</i>
Residence:	<i>Kate Still</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Jim Walls</i>
Indian name:	<i>Ellis Walls</i>
Residence:	<i>Dick Walls</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: *Cherokee Payment 1894 and land by the Commission from 1902 to 6*

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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\_\_\_\_\_  
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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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\_\_\_\_\_  
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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.

*Maggie Stricker*  
*Ana Winfield*  
(Signature.)

*Cook* <sup>his</sup> *Still*  
*man*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

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*D. S. Bayles*  
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 Joseph Vann and Cynthia Vann, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Cook Still, 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.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Maggie Stricker*  
*Ana Winfield*

*Joseph* <sup>his</sup> *Vann*  
*Cynthia* <sup>man</sup> *Vann*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires

~~SEP 23 1906~~, 190

*D. S. Bayles*  
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. 1374  
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

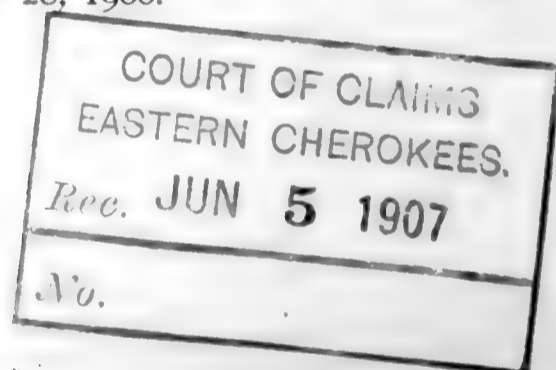
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Cook Still*

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. 1374

1. State your full name: Coak Still
2. Residence and post office: Peggs
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Ind Ter
5. Date and place of birth: Tahlequah Ind Ter age 31
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Bertha Still age 26 #23449
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>Ella Still</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Jan 16th 1897</u>
(2)	<u>Curtis Still</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>June 4th 1899</u>
(3)	<u>Chester Still</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>April 16th 1890</u>
(4)	<u>Laura Still</u>	<u>18 months</u>	<u>Dec 2nd 1905</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: First three enrolled Recd land in 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) Coak Still

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June 1907.

G. F. Bailey  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires May 8th 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 Annie Reece and Elizabeth Fine who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Cook Still who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 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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\_\_\_\_\_  
Annie Reece  
Elizabeth Fine

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1907.

G. F. Bailey  
Notary Public

My commission expires May 8th, 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. 1374

Admitted

Claims thru father enrolled as John Still.  
Grand-father and grand-mother enrolled as  
James and Susanna Still, Aunts and Uncle  
enrolled as Lucinda, George, William, Lizzie,  
and Elyza Still, All of whom were enrolled by  
Drennon in 1851 in Going Snake District, Group  
# 329 -

J. C. R. -



No. 1376

Action: Admitted

Name Syntha Tann and 1 children. Residence: Peqqs. Okla-

Reasons:

Father enrolled as James Lawrence, G.A. #252.  
~~Master said he was adopted sister and the applicant~~  
~~enrolled as Ed Miller, G.A. #25-~~

See Misc Test - 4223.

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No. 1375

Name. Cynthia Vanu -

With No. Peggy

Remarks:

See memo

within.

No. 1375-

Name Lynetha Vann

With No. 320

Remarks:

Also no, 1377,

135-5-9,

No. 1375

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Lyntha Wann*

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:

Cynthia Vann

Indian name:

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2. Residence:

Pahlymah Dist. N.T.

3. Town and post office:

Peep

4. County:

Northern District

5. State:

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

Wingsnake Dist. N.T. 1846

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:

<sup>James</sup> James Downing  
Father - Mose Downing Grand Father  
Pally Downing Grand Mother - William  
Downing Berele - Jesse Downing Uncle  
Cash Downing Uncle - Jack Downing Uncle

Aaron Downing Uncle - Ephram Downing  
Uncle - Abb Downing Uncle - Kate Downing  
Aunt - Judie Still Aunt - Lizzie Paul pale  
Aunt - Eliza Wolf Aunt -

Mother—English name:

Eliza Downing

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Eliza Paris

11. Where were they born?

Father:

East of the Mississippi River

Mother:

" " " "

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

Father:

Wingsnake Dist. N.T.

Mother:

" " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1880

Mother:

1861

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: *Cynthia Vann*  
Indian name: *santa*
2. Residence: *Pahlynah Dist Ar.*
3. Town and post office: *Peeps*
4. County: *Northern District*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *Wingsnake Dist Ar. 1846*
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: *James Downing*  
*Father - Moses Downing Grand Father*  
*Pally Downing Grand Mother - William*  
*Downing Bareli - Jesse Downing Uncle*  
*Cash Downing Uncle - Pack Downing Uncle*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Joe Vann 57-*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *James Downing*  
Indian name: *Jim Ke-le-ya*  
Mother—English name: *Eliza Downing*  
Indian name:  
Maiden name: *Eliza Paris*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *east of the Mississippi River*  
Mother: " " " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Wingsnake Dist Ar.*  
Mother: " " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *1880* Mother: *1861*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Emigrant Payment 1852 Father but the Cherokee Payment of 1875 & 80*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>George Downing</i>		<i>1879</i>
(2)	<i>Polly Downing</i>		<i>1883</i>
(3)	<i>Edward ..</i>		<i>1877</i>
(4)	<i>Cynthia Vann</i>	<i>1849</i>	
(5)	<i>Moses Downing</i>		<i>about 1856</i>
(6)	<i>Jim</i>		<i>April 16 - 1904</i>
	<i>Martha Downing</i>	<i>1855</i>	

*8 Mack Downing born about 1857  
9 Maggie Downing .. 1859  
10 Robert Downing died 1861*

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>Moses Downing</i>	<i>Polly Downing</i>
	<i>J-yas-la</i>
<i>Robert Parris</i>	<i>Ester Parris</i>

17. Where were they born? *Georgia*

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

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

(1)	English name: <i>William Downing</i>	<i>Dead</i>
	Indian name: <i>Jesse</i>	<i>..</i>
	Residence: <i>Cash</i>	<i>..</i>
(2)	English name: <i>Jack</i>	<i>..</i>
	Indian name: <i>Aaron</i>	<i>..</i>
	Residence: <i>Sphram</i>	<i>..</i>
(3)	English name: <i>Abb</i>	<i>..</i>
	Indian name: <i>Katir</i>	<i>..</i>
	Residence: <i>Judie still</i>	<i>..</i>
(4)	English name: <i>Lizzie Tadpole</i>	<i>..</i>
	Indian name: <i>Celia Wolf</i>	<i>..</i>
	Residence: <i>George Parris</i>	<i>..</i>
(5)	English name: <i>Robert Parris</i>	<i>..</i>
	Indian name: <i>Malicha Parris</i>	<i>..</i>
	Residence: <i>Letha Parris</i>	<i>..</i>
	<i>Peggy Parris</i>	<i>..</i>

*Eliza Parris Dead  
Hally Parris  
Nancy Parris*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Wetzel Money 1897 & Cherokee Payments from 1875 to 1894 & land by the Commission from 1902 to 6*

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.

~~Anna Winfield~~ (Signature.) <sup>her</sup> Cynthia + Vann <sub>mark</sub>  
H. H. Green  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires SEP 20 1907, 1907 J. S. Bayles 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 Joseph Vann and Looney R. Gourd, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Cynthia Vann, 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.  
~~Anna Winfield~~ Joseph <sup>her</sup> Vann <sub>mark</sub>  
H. H. Green Looney R. Gourd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Oct, 1906.  
My commission expires SEP 20 1907, 1907 J. S. Bayles 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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No. ~~1375~~

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Cynthia V. Ann*

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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## 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. 1376

1. State your full name: Cynthia Vann
2. Residence and post office: Reggs
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Ind Ter
5. Date and place of birth: Area Going Snake Dist Chero.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Joe Vann, age 58.
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>Guid Vann.</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1893</u>
(2)			
(3)	<u>Elizabeth Feine</u>	<u>25,</u>	<u># 23,448 ✓</u>
(4)	<u>Annice Reese</u>	<u>31,</u>	<u># 23,447</u>
(5)	<u>Bertha Still</u>	<u>26,</u>	<u># 23449</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: Enrolled + Rec'd money in 1894 Rec'd land in Cherokee nation

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

*witness and belief*  
Elizabeth Feine  
Annice Reese

(Signature)

Cynthia X Vann

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

1st day of June 1907.

G. F. Bailey  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 8th 1911.

#1375

Joe Downing being first duly sworn deposes and says that I am the half sister of Cynthia Vann. She was not living in 1851. Her father was James Downing and her mother was Eliza Downing. Eliza Downing was and OS. and James Dowling was an emigrant. They were living in G.S. district in 1851.

She had a brother and two sisters living in 1851 namely Geo. Mary and Edwin. ~~Her~~ See O.S.G.S. #25. She has brothers and sisters by the name of Maggie, Mack, Martha who were all born since 1851. See G.S. #252.

Joe Downing

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Pecos, Okla. this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Mar. 1909.

H C Black

Asst. to the Special Commissioner  
of the U.S. Court of Claims.

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No. 1876.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Russell Daly

and 2 children.

Residence: Johnson Falls, Ohio.

Reasons:

Claims that his father Russell was the Del. p.  
of the territory of Ohio. Del. p.  
of the territory of Ohio in 1803. This is a District,  
Ohio.

1876

No. 1376 O.K. O.K.

Name Marshall Daly

With No. ....

Remarks :

Grouped within  
acc no, 2338,  
2337, 2336,  
3544, 3595.

Claim through  
Daly  
S. B. 194.

No. 1376

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Marshall Haly*

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 23 1906
No.

*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: Marshall Daley,  
Indian name: unknown
2. Residence: Webbers Falls, I.T.
3. Town and post office: Webbers Falls, I.T.
4. County: Cherokee Nation,
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: May 5th, 1873, Lawrence County Mississippi
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 for my father, Rufus Daley, and for my Grand-mother Rachel Daley, who are on the 1851 roll.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Maud Daley, Age 22 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Rufus Daley  
Indian name: unknown  
Mother—English name: Elizabeth Missouri Daley,  
Indian name: unknown  
Maiden name: Elizabeth Missouri Weathersby
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Flint District Cherokee Nation, West.  
Mother: Lawrence County Mississippi
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Skinbyou District, Cherokee Nation, now Sequoyah District.  
Mother: Skinbyou District, Cherokee Nation, now Sequoyah District.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: December 12th, 1895 Mother: living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Drew in payment 1851. If they drew in any other it is unknown to me

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Timothy Daley,</u>	<u>1865.</u>	<u>liveing</u>
(2)	<u>Nora Daley.</u>	<u>1867.</u>	<u>1899.</u>
(3)	<u>Rufus Daley</u>	<u>1871.</u>	<u>1886.</u>
(4)	<u>Missouri RG-ins</u>	<u>1877.</u>	<u>liveing.</u>
(5)	<u>Homer Daley,</u>	<u>1885.</u>	<u>liveing.</u>
(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>Harrison Daley,</u>	<u>Duncan Weatheraby</u>
	<u>Rachel Daley,</u>	<u>Elmirie M. "</u>

17. Where were they born? Mississippi

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

Lawrence County Mississippi.

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. Drew in payment of 1894. and all other payments that has been made the Cherokees since my birth.



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 my father and my grand mother both drew in payment 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.

(Signature.)

Marshall Daley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

1-11- 1908

James H. 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 Clyde Hatfield and Bert Walters, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Marshall Daley, 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 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.

Clyde Hatfield  
Bert Walters

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

1-11- 1908

James H. Denton

Notary Public.

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No. 1376

Admitted

Claims thru father enrolled as Rufus Daley  
Grand-mother enrolled as Rachel Daley -  
Both were enrolled by Decatur in 1851 in  
the Bayou district. Group No. 194

F.C.R.

No. *100*

Action: *Admitted*

Name: *Agnes Turner* and *7* children. Residence: *Laurel Ave*

Reasons:

*Admitted to the same school.*

*W.S.*

No. 1377

Name Maggie Strickler

With No. 1375-

Remarks:

*Sub*

No. 1377 X0

*1379*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Maggie Strickler*

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 23 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:

Maggie Strickland

Indian name:

Wot-ta

2. Residence:

Pahlynah Dist. G.

3. Town and post office:

Hadley

4. County:

Northern District

5. State:

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

Greensboro Dist. G. 1859

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:

James James Downing Father  
Moses Downing Grand father - Pally Downing Grand  
Mother - William Downing - uncle - Jesse Downing  
uncle - Cash Downing uncle - Jack Downing  
uncle - Aaron Downing uncle - Ephraim Downing uncle

abb Downing uncle - Kaleb Downing aunt  
Judith Still aunt Lizzie Tadpole aunt  
Celia Wolf aunt

Mother—English name:

Eliza Downing

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Eliza Paris

11. Where were they born?

Father:

east of the Mississippi River

Mother:

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

Father:

Greensboro Dist. G.

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1880

Mother:

1861

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: *Maggie Strickler*

Indian name: *Wot-ta*

2. Residence: *Pahlymah Dist. S.T.*

3. Town and post office: *Hadley*

4. County: *Northern District*

5. State: *Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth: *Goingsnake Dist. S.T. 1859*

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:

*James James Downing Father  
Moses Downing Grand father - Polly Downing Grand  
Mother - William Downing - Uncle - Jesse Downing  
uncle - Cash Downing uncle - Jack Downing  
uncle - Aaron Downing uncle - Ephram Downing uncle*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Benjamin Strickler 30*

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

Father—English name: *James Downing*

Indian name: *Jim Ke-le-ya*

Mother—English name: *Eliza Downing*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Eliza Paris*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *East of the Mississippi River*

Mother: *" " " "*

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

Father: *Goingsnake Dist. S.T.*

Mother: *" " " "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *1880*

Mother: *1861*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Immigrant Payment 1852 + father had the Cherokee Payments of 1875 + 80*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>George Downing</i>		<i>1879</i>
(2)	<i>Polly "</i>		<i>1883</i>
(3)	<i>Edward "</i>		<i>1877</i>
(4)	<i>Cynthia Warr</i>	<i>1849</i>	
(5)	<i>Moses Downing</i>		<i>about 1856</i>
(6)	<i>Jim &amp; Martha Downing</i>	<i>1855</i>	<i>April 16 - 1906</i>

*8 Mack Downing born 1857  
9 Maggie Strickler 1859  
10 Robert Downing 1861*

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>Moses Downing</i>	<i>Polly Downing</i>
<i>Robert Paris</i>	<i>I-ga-to-ter Paris</i>

17. Where were they born? *Georgia*

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

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

(1) English name:	<i>William Downing</i>	<i>Dead</i>
Indian name:	<i>Jesse "</i>	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>Cash "</i>	<i>" "</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Jack "</i>	<i>" "</i>
Indian name:	<i>Aaron "</i>	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>Ephraim "</i>	<i>" "</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Abb "</i>	<i>" "</i>
Indian name:	<i>Katie "</i>	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>Judith Still</i>	<i>" "</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Lizzie Padpole</i>	<i>" "</i>
Indian name:	<i>Celia Wolf</i>	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>George Paris</i>	<i>" "</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Robert Paris</i>	<i>" "</i>
Indian name:	<i>Malicha Paris</i>	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>Litha Paris</i> <i>Peggy Paris</i>	<i>" "</i>

*Lizzie Paris dead  
Gaby Paris "  
Mary Paris "*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Oldsettle May 1897 + Cherokee Payments from 1875 to 1894 + land by the Commission from 1902 to 6*



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.) *Maggie Strickler*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires

SEP 20 1907, 1907

*S. S. Buzler*  
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 Louise R. Grand and Joseph Wann, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Maggie Strickler who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 46 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.

*Louise R. Grand*  
*Joseph Wann*

*Louise R. Grand*  
*Joseph Wann*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of October 1906.

My commission expires

SEP 20 1907, 1907

*S. S. Buzler*  
Notary Public.

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No. 1377

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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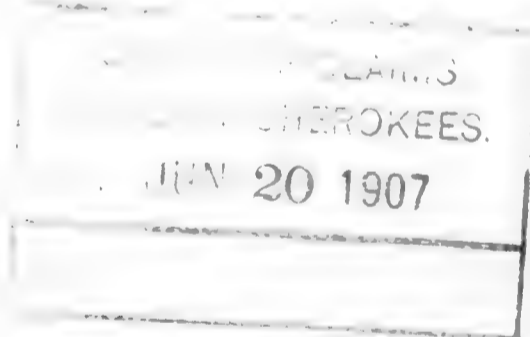
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Maggie Strickler*

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. 1377

1. State your full name: Maggie Strickler
2. Residence and post office: 1 1/2 N. W. Hadley
3. County: 5th Dist
4. State: Ind Ia
5. Date and place of birth: about 1859 Going snake Dist C. N. Ia
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Bess Strickler 32 yrs 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>Leorneline Centenden</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>Sept 5 - 1881</u>
(2)	<u>And Strickler</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>July 28 - 1894</u>
(3)	<u>Ally "</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Oct 16 - 1896</u>
(4)	<u>Frank "</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Dec 12 1900</u>
(5)	<u>Lee</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Sept 10 - 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: Cherokee Per capita, Sal le quah Dist in 1894 - Final Roll by com to Five Tribes

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) Maggie Strickler

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

JW Rogsdale

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Nov Dec 11, 1909.

No. *1378*

Action: *Submitted*

Name *Julia Wallace* and *2* children.

Residence: *Tahlequah Okla.*

Reasons: *First course of " 227*

No. 1378

Name Julia Wallace

With No. 237.

Remarks :

*7/21/06*  
*with cousin of*  
*No. 1378*  
*Arthur H. Smith*  
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Julia Wallace*

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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1378

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:

Julia A Wallace nee Raper

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Tahlequah Dist.

3. Town and post office:

Tahlequah

4. County:

5. State:

Ind. Ter

6. Date and place of birth:

Feb 2nd 1848 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:

Myself, father Charles Raper  
grandmother Mary Raper; aunt Martha  
Raper uncles Gabriel Raper  
A Longo Raper

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

M. A Wallace

age sixty

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

Father—English name:

Charles Raper

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Julia Ann Raper

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Julia Ann Johnson

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Ind.

Mother:

Dick 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:

1864

Mother:

1849

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

U. N. O. Kee Co. N. C.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Alcie A. Raper Johnson</u>		<u>age dont know</u>
(2)	<u>Vianna Raper Sanders</u>	<u>about 1843</u>	<u>1873</u>
(3)	<u>Josephine Raper Philips</u>	<u>1846</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>Jesse Raper</u>	<u>Jacob Johnson</u>
<u>Mary Raper</u>	<u>Alcie Johnson</u>

17. Where were they born? Jesse Raper dont know, Mary Raper Georgia  
Jacob Johnson in Virginia Alcie Johnson N. C.

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

U. N. O. Kee Co. N. C.

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

(1)	English name: <u>Martin Raper</u>	<u>age about 97</u>
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: <u>U. N. O. Kee Co. N. C.</u>	
(2)	English name: <u>W. H. Raper</u>	<u>died 1864</u>
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: _____	
(3)	English name: <u>Catharine Raper Johnson</u>	<u>died 1898</u>
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: _____	
(4)	English name: <u>Martha Raper</u>	<u>died 1903</u>
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: _____	
(5)	English name: <u>Louis Raper</u>	<u>died about 1854</u>
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: _____	

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

In 1851 and on in taken from  
1870 up to present in the Territory



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

at New Orleans, N. C.

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Alicia A. Raper Johnson</u>		<u>age dont know</u>
(2)	<u>Vianna Raper Sanders</u>	<u>about 1843</u>	<u>1873</u>
(3)	<u>Josephine V. Raper Philips</u>	<u>1846</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>Jesse Raper</u>	<u>Jacob Johnson</u>
<u>Mary Raper</u>	<u>Alicia Johnson</u>

17. Where were they born?

Jacob Johnson

18. Where did they reside in

19. Give names of all their children

(1) English name: J

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

where: In 18

1870 up

10 John A. Raper

Res. - Leuberson N. C.

11 Rachel A. Raper

Res. - Leuberson 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: .....

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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.) *Jubia A Wallace*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

~~My Commission expires~~ 190  
*January 28th, 1907.*

*E. M. Sandrum*  
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 *Adolphus Gray* and *W. J. Richards*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jubia A. Wallace*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *50* years and *21* 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. Sandrum*  
*W. J. Richards*

Signatures of witnesses.

*Adolphus Gray* *his*  
*W. J. Richards* *mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

~~My Commission expires~~ 190  
*January 28th, 1907.*

*E. M. Sandrum*  
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. 1378

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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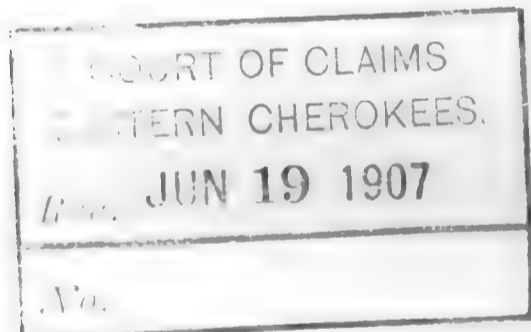
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Julia A. Wallace*  
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. 1378.

1. State your full name: Julia A. Wallace.
2. Residence and post office: Tahlequah.
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: Indian Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: Feb. 1848. Cherokee Co. N. Carolina.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Martin A Wallace Born 1846.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Adopted Citizen
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Julius A Wallace.</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>June 1888.</u>
(2)	<u>Arcie E Wallace</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Jan 1893.</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	<u>Lulu Wallace</u>	<u># 25425-</u>	_____
(5)	<u>Grace "</u>	<u># 25426</u>	_____
(6)	<u>Ellie J. Bollew</u>	<u># 25427</u>	_____

*See also*

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. St. Mary.

**REMARKS**

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

and Division of Cherokee lands

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

(Signature) Julia A. Wallace

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of June 1907.

N. C. Rorer,  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires  
**SEPT. 21, 1908.**

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 1378

Tahlequah, J. T.  
Cherokee Nat  
July, 19, 1907

To the Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs Sir I have a son  
Martin De Witt Wallace  
age 30 years. he went off latter  
part of 1900. do not no where he  
is dont think he will no any  
thing of this last ruling of  
the corte. in regard to the Emigrant  
claim in case he does not  
send in his application can  
I have his part set a side for  
him or could I draw it  
for him. Resp

Julia A. Wallace  
My application no. is 1378

App. #1578.

July 29, 1907.

Julia A. Wallace,  
Tahlequah,  
Indian Territory.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of July 19, 1907, you are advised that you should fill out the inclosed application in behalf of your son, who is away from home and you cannot locate. You should set forth fully all the facts in the case and sign as his legal representative.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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No. 1379.

Action: Admitted.

Name Cicero Johnson,

and

(2)

children.

Residence: Tahlequah, Okla.

Reasons: Claims through self enrolled as Cicero Johnson; mother enrolled as Catharine Johnson; brothers enrolled as Milo and William Johnson; sister enrolled as Laura Johnson. All were enrolled by Chapman in 1851. See Chapman Roll #1322 to 1326 inclusive.

W.C.B.



No. 1379

Name: Cicero Johnson

With No. ....

Remarks:

See File

No. 1379

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Cicero Johnson*

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: Cicero Johnson

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Tahlequah Dist.

3. Town and post office:

Tahlequah

4. County:

5. State:

Ind. Ter

6. Date and place of birth:

Jan. 12th 1843 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: Myself, mother Catharine

Johnson, brother William Monroe Johnson  
grandmother Mary Paper, Aunt, Martha Paper  
Uncles Gabriel Paper Alonzo Paper

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mollie Johnson

age fifty six

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

Father—English name: Isaac M. Johnson

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Catharine Johnson

Indian name:

Maiden name: Catharine Paper

11. Where were they born?

Father: Birk Co. N. C.

Mother: Tenn.

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: Feb 1894

Mother: July 1898

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

where: 1851 and all others taken in the Territory from 1870 up until death

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Romulus Milo Johnson	1845	Nov 28-1884
(2) Laura Johnson Newton	1848	
(3) William Monroe Johnson	1850	Jan 17, 1894
(4) Dudley Alonzo Johnson	1852	Feb 13, 1885
(5) Isaac Isadore Johnson	1854	
(6) Jesse Jacob L Johnson	1860	1899

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.
Jacob Johnson	Jesse Raper
Alecia Johnson	Mary Raper

17. Where were they born? Jacob Johnson in Virginia Alecia Johnson N.C. Jesse Raper don't know, Mary Raper 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: Martin Raper age about 92  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: W. Hancock Ind. Ter.
- (2) English name: Charles Raper died 1894  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: Nathaniel Raper Johnson died 1898  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: Martha Raper died 1803  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: Louis Raper died about 1854  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

where. In 1851 and all taken in the Territory from 1870 up to present.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: 1851 and all others taken in the Territory from 1870 up until death

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

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(4) Dudley Alonzo Johnson	1852	Feb 13, 1885
(5) Isaac Isadore Johnson	1854	
(6) Jesse Jacob L Johnson	1860	1899

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.
Jacob Johnson	Jesse Raper
Alcie Johnson	Mary Raper

17. Where were they born?

N. C. Jesse

Eliza Raper Brown age about 80  
Res. Lehigh Ind. Ter.

18. Where did they reside in

7. Gabriel Raper died about 1854

19. Give names of all their children

(1) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

8. Nancy Raper Holland age about 73  
Res. Westville Ind. Ter.

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

9. Alonzo Raper died 1864.

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

10. John A Raper  
Res. Choteau Ind. Ter.

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

11. Rachel A Raper

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

Res. Sulberson N. C.

20. Have you ever been enrolled

where: Ind. 185

territory

son.  
2 girls

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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.) Cicero Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

January 15th, 1907.

E. M. Sandrum

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 Adolphus Gay and W. J. Richards, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Cicero Johnson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 50 years and 21 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.  
E. M. Sandrum  
W. J. Richards

Signatures of witnesses.  
Adolphus Gay his  
W. J. Richards mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

January 15th, 1907.

E. M. Sandrum

Notary Public.

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No. 1379

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Cicero Johnson*

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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## 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. 1379.

1. State your full name: Cicero Johnson.
2. Residence and post office: Tablequah.
3. County: Northern District.
4. State: Indian Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee County, North Carolina, Feb. 12, 1843.
6. Are you married? yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Dovie Johnson, nee Brown, age 59.
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.
75423	(1) <u>Vianna Johnson</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>Nov. 8, 1867.</u>
76564	(2) <u>Ellen Johnson.</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>Nov. 28, 1869.</u>
1058	(3) <u>William Johnson</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>May 1, 1872.</u>
11720	(4) <u>Allen Johnson</u>		<u>June 28, 1879.</u>
25442	<u>Mollie Johnson</u>		<u>Oct. 30, 1881.</u>
24481	(5) <u>Thomas Johnson</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>Nov. 17, 1880.</u>
	<u>Lon Johnson</u>		<u>May 26, 1880.</u>
	(6) <u>Henry Johnson</u>		<u>Nov. 18, 1888.</u>
	<u>Belle Johnson</u>		<u>Sept. 10, 1893.</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 Dawes Commission, with the Cherokee Tribe. Drew Strip Money, and have Cherokee 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) Cicero Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 1907.

J. I. Courney  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

September 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 E. W. Buffington and Joseph M. Hamilton who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Cicero Johnson who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 30 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 this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. W. Buffington  
Joseph M. Hamilton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 1907.

My commission expires September 21,

J. I. Coursey  
Notary Public.  
Nez Perce District  
Indian Territory  
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 1360.

Action: Admitted.

Name Laura Newton, and 1 children. Residence: Tahlequah, Okla.

Reasons: Sister to No. 1379 and claims through same source.

Chapman #1322 to 1326.

No. 1380

Name Laura Newton

With No. 1374

Remarks:

No. 1380  
*Sister to 1379*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Laura 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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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: Laura Ann Newton, nee Johnson

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

2. Residence: Sahlequah Dist.

3. Town and post office: Sahlequah Cherokee Nation

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

5. State: Ind. Ter.

6. Date and place of birth: March 28<sup>th</sup> 1848 Cherokee County 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: Myself, mother Catharine Johnson, brother William Monroe Johnson, grandmother Mary Raper, aunt Martha Raper, uncle Gabriel Raper, Alonzo Raper

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: J. B. Newton

age 60 years

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

Father—English name: Isaac W. Johnson

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

Mother—English name: Catharine Johnson

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

Maiden name: Catharine Raper

11. Where were they born?

Father: Birk Co. N.C.

Mother: In Tenn

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: Feb. 1874

Mother: July 1874

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *In 1851 and all others taken in the Territory from 1870 up, until death.*

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Leicuro Johnson</i>	<i>1843</i>	
(2)	<i>Romulus Johnson</i>	<i>1845</i>	<i>Nov. 28, 1884.</i>
(3)	<i>William Monroe Johnson</i>	<i>1850</i>	<i>Jan. 17, 1894</i>
(4)	<i>Bludly Blongo Johnson</i>	<i>1852</i>	<i>Feb 13 1885</i>
(5)	<i>Isaac Isadore Johnson</i>	<i>1854</i>	
(6)	<i>Jesse Jacob L Johnson</i>	<i>1860</i>	<i>1899</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>Jacob Johnson</i>	<i>Jesse Raper</i>
<i>Alcie Johnson</i>	<i>Mary Raper</i>

17. Where were they born? *Jacob Johnson in Virginia Alcie Johnson in N. C. Jesse Raper don't know Mary Raper Georgia*

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

*Shenandoe Co. N. C.*

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

- (1) English name: *Martin Raper's age about 97.*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Whaneto D. S.*
- (2) English name: *Charles Raper died 1894*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: *Catharine Raper Johnson died 1898.*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: *Martha Raper died 1903*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: *Louis Raper died about 1854*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *In 1851 and all taken from 1870 up to present, in the Territory.*

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

where: *In 1851 and all others taken in the Territory from 1870 up, until death.*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Leicuro Johnson</i>	<i>1843</i>	
(2)	<i>Romulus Johnson</i>	<i>1845</i>	<i>Nov. 28, 1884.</i>
(3)	<i>William Monroe Johnson</i>	<i>1850</i>	<i>Jan. 17, 1894</i>
(4)	<i>Bludly Blonze Johnson</i>	<i>1852</i>	<i>Feb 13 1885</i>
(5)	<i>Isaac Isadore Johnson</i>	<i>1854</i>	
(6)	<i>Jesse Jacob L. Johnson</i>	<i>1860</i>	<i>1899</i>

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

FATHER'S  
*Jacob*  
*Alcia*

17. Where were they

*N. C. Jesse*

18. Where did they

*Eliza Paper Brown age about 80*  
*res. Chanhc S. T.*

19. Give names of all

(1) English name

Indian name

Residence:

*Gabriel Paper died about 1853 or 54.*

(2) English name

Indian name

Residence:

*Nancy Paper Holland age about 73.*  
*res Westville S. T.*

(3) English name

Indian name

Residence:

*Lown Paper died 1864.*

(4) English name

Indian name

Residence:

*John A Paper*  
*res. Chotan S. T.*

(5) English name

Indian name

Residence:

*Rachel A Paper.*  
*res. Culberson N. C.*

20. Have you ever be

where. *In*

*to present, in the Territory.*

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.) Laura Ann Newton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires  
My Commission expires, 190  
January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1907.

E. M. Sandrum  
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 Adolphus Gray and W. T. Richards, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Laura Ann Newton, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 50 years and 21 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. Sandrum  
W. T. Richards

Signatures of witnesses.  
Adolphus Gray his mark  
W. T. Richards

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires  
My Commission expires, 190  
January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1907.

E. M. Sandrum  
Notary Public.

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No. 1380

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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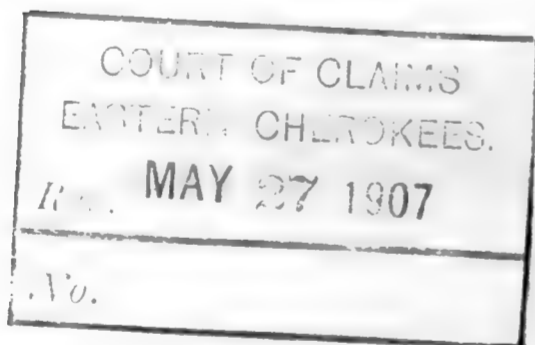
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Laura A. Newton*

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. 1380

1. State your full name: Laura A. Newton
2. Residence and post office: Sahlequah
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: March 28<sup>th</sup> 1848, Cherokee Co. North Carolina
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Ben. Newton (deceased)
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>Edgar Newton</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Apr-10-88</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 for "Strip Money" and before Duval Commission for land and money of the Cherokee Nation.

(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 to me*  
*E. M. Sandrum, Sahlequah, N.T.* (Signature) Laura A. Newton *her*  
*W. J. Richards* " " " " *mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907.

My Commission expires January 18<sup>th</sup> 1911.  
*E. M. Sandrum*  
 Notary Public.  
2nd Term.

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. J. Richards and M. L. Jordan who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Laura A. Newton who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 20 years and 30 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.

M. J. Richards

M. L. Jordan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

E. M. Sawarman

Notary Public.

My commission expires January 18<sup>th</sup>, 1908.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jan.

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. 1381.

Action: Admitted.

Name Levi Keener and 6 children. Residence: Ahniwake, Okla.

Reasons:

Claims through mother enrolled as Sallie Ross.  
Grandmother enrolled as Katy Ross. Both were  
enrolled by Drensen in 1881 in Tahlequah Dis.,  
Group #485.

Paternal - Grandfather + Grandmother "Joe + Betsey  
Keener, 125 Tabl."

See Misc. Test. P. 3848.

A.L.

Okla. Field - ?

No. 381

Name Levi Keener

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are no. 5-35-5,  
3884.

Can not find  
anestors on  
roll.

No. 341  
*See # 43421*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Levi Keener.*

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 23 1906  
No.

1851

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me Josiah Hawkins and Amie Keener who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Levi Keener who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and 230 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.

Josiah Hawkins  
Amie Keener

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

Simon R. Wackin et al  
Notary Public.

My commission expires November 18 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. 1381

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Levi Keener

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.  
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. 1381

1. State your full name: Levi Keener
2. Residence and post office: Ahniwaki
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: April 1871, Tahlequah dist. C.N.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Amie Keener, 37 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>Robert Keener</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Jan. 9 1894</u>
(2)	<u>Samuel Keener</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>June 12 1896</u>
(3)	<u>Ella Keener</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>March 25 1898</u>
(4)	<u>Myrtle Keener</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>June 5 1900</u>
(5)	<u>Joe W. Keener</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Dec. 4 1902</u>
(6)	<u>William R. R. Keener</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>May 9 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: No 1 drew ship money of 1874, all on Daves Commission 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) Levi Keener

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

Simon R. Walkingstick  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires November 18 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 Josiah Hawkins and Amie Keener who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Levi Keener who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and 230 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.

Josiah Hawkins  
Amie Keener

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

Simon R. Walkingstick  
Notary Public.

My commission expires November 18 1910.

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*Sample*

No. 391  
*See # 43421*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Levi Keener.*

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 23 1906  
No.

1381

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:

Levi Keener

Indian name:

Le-we Ge-nah

2. Residence:

Fahlegnah Dist.

3. Town and post office:

Ahniwake, I. T.

4. County:

Cherokee Nation

5. State:

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

April 1871, Fahlegnah 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 mother  
11) Sallie Keener, 12) my father Daniel Keener, 13) my grandfather  
Go? Keener, 14) my grandmother Katie Butler (on mother's side)  
and 15) my grandmother Petsy Keener, on father's side.

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Annie Keener, 35

years of age

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

Father—English name:

Daniel Keener

Indian name:

Deh-ne-le Ge-nah

Mother—English name:

Sallie Keener

Indian name:

Sah-le

Maiden name:

Sallie Ah-dor-ner-le, English Tinker

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Fahlegnah Dist. C.N. I. T.

Mother:

Fahlegnah Dist. C.N. I. T.

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

Father:

Fahlegnah Dist. C.N. I. T.

Mother:

Fahlegnah Dist. C.N. I. T.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

about 1874

Mother:

about 1873.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes, 1851, 1870.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joe Keener	about 1867	Living, Hulbert, I.T.
(2)	Lewis Keener	about 1869	Living, Hulbert I.T.
(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.
175 Tahl	Joe Keener	Lewis Ah-dor-ner-de, Tucker.
	Betsy Keener	Katie Butler

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tahlequah District Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr.

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

*(Children of Joe and Betsy Keener.)*

(1)	English name:	Daniel Keener, father, died about 1874
	Indian name:	Doh-ve-le Ge-nah
	Residence:	Tahlequah Dist. Ch. I. T.
(2)	English name:	Lucy Cochran died about 1881 descendants living
	Indian name:	Lucy
	Residence:	Tahlequah Dist. Ch. I. T.
(3)	English name:	George Keener, living Hulbert, I. T.
	Indian name:	George Ge-nah
	Residence:	Tahlequah District Ch. I. T.
(4)	English name:	Sallie Keener died about 1873, Mother
	Indian name:	Sah-le
	Residence:	Tahlequah District, Ch. Nat. I. T.
(5)	English name:	Andy Stair Living, Hulbert I. T.
	Indian name:	Gar-yah-ner
	Residence:	Tahlequah Dist. Ch. Nat. I. T.
(6)	English name:	Chelah-we-ah Born about 1857 + lived only about 5 years.

*(Children of Lewis Tucker & Katie Butler. Lewis Tucker is the father of Stair only.)*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: yes 1880, 1881, 1883, 1886, 1890, 1891, 1894, 1896 and Laws Commission 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: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**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.) Levi Keener

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires 4/30, 1907 C M Roberts  
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 Levi Keener and William R. Gourd, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Levi Keener, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 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.

Levi Keener  
William R. Gourd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires 4/30, 1907 C M Roberts  
Notary Public.

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Appli. #1381.

February 8, 1909.

Levi Keener,  
Tahlequah, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to the application filed by Carrie Carey, 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 above mentioned person is your child.

Also give the name of her mother. Was Carrie Carey enrolled by the Dawes Commission? If so, under what name was she enrolled.

Please answer immediately and in your reply refer to MS. #1381.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

MS.

No. 1381

Admitted

Claims the mother enrolled as Sallie Ross.  
Grandmother enrolled as Katy Ross. Both  
were enrolled by Ornum in 1857 in  
Tahquah District, Group # 455

See Misc. Test. P. 3848,  
J.C.W.

No. 1382

Action: *Admit*

Name *David Taylor*

and *x* children.

Residence: *Dawson, Okla*

Reasons:

*Nephew of #52. Claims thro'  
same source.*



No. 1382.

Name David Taylor.

With No. 52.

Remarks :

*nephew*

No. 1382

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Levin Taylor.

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.

1382

**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 Taylor.  
Indian name: Sane
2. Residence: Lawson, Indian Territory.
3. Town and post office: LAWSON,
4. County: Cherokee Nation,
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: August 31, 1873, in the 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: Through my father, Clayborn Taylor, son of David Taylor, who was a son of Andrew Taylor, whose name appears on the roll of 1850 taken in Tennessee, and the name of my grandfather, David Taylor, appears on the pay roll of 1851 in the Cherokee Nation.
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lyrtie Taylor, aged 27 years.  
She is a white woman.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Clayborn Taylor  
Indian name: Sane  
Mother—English name: Laura Taylor.  
Indian name: She was white woman.  
Maiden name: Laura Thomas.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Tennessee.  
Mother: As I do not know
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.  
Mother: In the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1897 Mother: 1875.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Yes; as citizens of 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 have none.		
(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.
David Taylor, a Cherokee by Blood.	They were white people.
<i>I do not know my grandmothers names</i>	

17. Where were they born? David Taylor was born in Tennessee.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In the 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: Charlotte Townsell (nee Taylor)  
Indian name: same  
Residence: ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Pryor Creek, Ind. T. r.
- (2) English name: Adley Hilderbrand (nee Taylor)  
Indian name: Same  
Residence: Now dead.
- (3) English name: *Clayborn Taylor*  
Indian name: *Same*  
Residence: *Died in 1897*
- (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; as a citizen of 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: .....

Same as given in section seven and sixteen above

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.) David Taylor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

August 24th, 1909.

A. A. Mood
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. Taylor, Jr. and John Sanders

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with David Taylor, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 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.

John M. Taylor Jr
John Sanders

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

My commission expires

August 24th, 1909.

A. A. Mood
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.

Oct 19 1909

Boston Ark

Sir if there is any more notices  
to send out in the eastern  
Cherokee enrollment  
pleas send mine to Boston, Ark.  
Madison Co. my Roll number is 26380.

David Taylor

Boston Ark

~~1382~~

POINT OF CLAIMS  
CHEROKEE  
OCT 23 1909

~~26384~~

No. 1383.

Action: Reject.

Name Jonia Pleasant and X children. Residence: Cleveland, Ohio.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled, or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees. It does not appear that any ancestor ever lived within the Cherokee domain.

See also Appl. # 435 Muso Test 2035  
exceptions herein.

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H. J. [unclear]

No. 1383.

Action: Reject

Name Jonia Pleasant and X children. Residence: Cleveland, Ohio

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled, or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokee. It does not appear that any ancestor ever lived within the Cherokee domain.

See also App. 435, Misstatements & exceptions herein.

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Cleveland, Ohio. Field  
No. 1383  
Name Jonia Resant

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are no. 1884

Can not find  
ancestor on roll.

No. 1373

Name Anna Alessi

With No.

Remarks:  
see file

No. 1282

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jonia Pleasant.*

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.

E. 381

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: *Mrs Lona Pleasant*  
Indian name: *Unknown by Me*
2. Residence: *38 Gidd St*
3. Town and post office: *Cleveland*
4. County: *Cuyahoga*
5. State: *Ohio*
6. Date and place of birth: *Lincoln Ill. July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1878*
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: *Tony Adams*  
*Harriett G Williamson (Wife Adams) Minnie Adams*  
*Lemmah Adams. Chas Adams. Geo Adams Grand*  
*Wm A Williamson. Mother Side) Syrida Fowler Grand*  
*Ernoch Fowler. Gillean Taborn Born in N.C. Mother*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *John Pleasant age 42 yrs*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Wm A Williamson*  
Indian name: *Unknown by Me*  
Mother—English name: *Emma Williamson*  
Indian name: *Unknown by Me*  
Maiden name: *Emma Taborn*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Laurens S.C.*  
Mother: *Illinois*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Laurens South Carolina*  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *June 1885* Mother: *Feb 11<sup>th</sup> 1896*

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

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

- |     | NAME                       | BORN                           | DIED |
|-----|----------------------------|--------------------------------|------|
| (1) | <u>Miss Hatter Herndon</u> | <u>Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 1880</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>Squire Williamson</u>      |               |
| <u>Harriett S. Williamson</u> |               |
| <u>Harrett G. Adams</u>       |               |

17. Where were they born? Laurens S.C.  
Charon A.C.

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

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

- |                   |                           |                       |
|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) English name: | <u>Wm A Williamson</u>    | <u>Died June 1885</u> |
| Indian name:      | <u>Unknown by Me</u>      |                       |
| Residence:        | <u>Decatur Ill</u>        |                       |
| (2) English name: | <u>Geo W Williamson</u>   |                       |
| Indian name:      | <u>Unknown by me</u>      |                       |
| Residence:        | <u>Unknown by Me</u>      |                       |
| (3) English name: | <u>John W. Williamson</u> |                       |
| Indian name:      | <u>Unknown by Me</u>      |                       |
| Residence:        | <u>Decatur Ill</u>        |                       |
| (4) English name: | <u>Matth A Neal</u>       |                       |
| Indian name:      | <u>Unknown by Me</u>      |                       |
| Residence:        | <u>Minneapolis Minn</u>   |                       |
| (5) English name: | <u>Margrett E Steward</u> |                       |
| Indian name:      | <u>Unknown by Me</u>      |                       |
| Residence:        | <u>Decatur Ill</u>        |                       |

Mary  
Conest.  
Unknown by me  
Decatur Ill

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 Grand Father was a full Blood Cherokee Indian by the Name of Tony Adams and was born near the line of North and South Carolina before 1835. Grand Mother Williamson born 1825 Laurens S.C.*

REMARKS.

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

*Virginia A Robb who resides at 411 S Sixth St Columbia Mo lived in the same County with Grand Mother Adams & Williamson over 58 years ago and knows my father since a little baby he was born Oct 30 1849*

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.) *Sonia Pleasant*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *July 28*, 190*6*

*Burham Allen*  
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 M. Baldwin* and *A A Baldwin*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs Sonia Pleasant*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *8* years and *8* 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 M. Baldwin*  
*A A Baldwin*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *July 28*, 190*6*

*Burham Allen*  
Notary Public.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 24 1906  
No. (App.) 1383-4.



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Secretary of the Oct 22

Commissioner Leupp

Dear Sir

I send you by to  
days mail the applica-  
tions of my two nieces  
Lond Pleasant Hattie  
Herndon of Cleveland  
Ohio I would of sent  
them sooner but I  
had to send them to  
them to sign and  
they returned them to  
me so I send them to you  
hoping to hear from you soon  
Margaret E. Steward  
437 21 Union St

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 26 1909  
No. 1383

June 24, 1909  
Cleveland Ohio

Sir

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Guion Miller

I now pen you a  
few lines in regards  
to application <sup>No</sup> 1383 why  
you did not send Mrs  
Ponia Pleasant a letter  
concerning the Claim  
arising from the Eastern  
Sherokees Indians,  
Judging from the fact  
that there has been  
nothing said concerning  
her application 1383  
I thought perhaps you had  
or have lost trace of her  
I being her sister

thought I would write  
and explain to you  
why you have not heard  
from her as she is dead  
and has been dead  
for a year or a little over  
her and my daughter  
Flossie Herndon Minor  
Child, Loria Pleasant  
died 1908 Dec, 1 first  
Flossie Herndon died  
Dec 28, 1907. and I would  
like for you to send her  
application to me Mrs  
Hattie Herndon being  
her sister will fill out  
said questions for her  
application required of you

and please forward  
me her application  
at Once so I can fill  
it out

Sincerely Yours

Mrs Hattie Gordon  
2490 E. 19. Street

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Mrs Margaret E. Steward  
437 St Union St  
Decatur Ill

Commissioner of Indian Affairs

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Mrs Margaret E. Steward  
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Washington  
D. C.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs

forward  
application  
I can fill

Yours  
Hendon  
19 Street



No. 1384.

Action: Reject.

Name Hattie Herndon and 1 children. Residence: Cleveland, Ohio.

Reasons:

Sister of #1383 and claims through the same source.

No. 1384

Name Hattie Hurdon.

With No. 1383

Remarks:

See file

1384.

See 1383 for  
letter.

*Suppl.*

No. ~~1381~~

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nattie Heendon.*

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 24 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: *Mr Walter Herndon*  
Indian name: *Wetnawan by Me*
2. Residence: *Cleveland 38 Gadd St*
3. Town and post office: *Cleveland*
4. County: *Cuyahoga*
5. State: *Ohio*
6. Date and place of birth: *Lincoln Ill Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 1880*
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: *Tracy Adams, Harriett G Williamson, Amy Adams, Mariab Adams, Hannah Adams, Chas Adams, Geo Adams, Sitten Fabron, Wm A Williamson, Grand Mother, Sybilde Fowler, Great Grand Father, Enah Fowler* } Born in N.S.
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *George Herndon age 38*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Wm A Williamson*  
Indian name: *Wetnawan by Me*  
Mother—English name: *Emma Williamson*  
Indian name: *Wetnawan by Me*  
Maiden name: *Emma Fabron*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Laurens South Carolina*  
Mother: *Illinois*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Laurens South Carolina*  
Mother: *Illinois*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *June 1883* Mother: *Feb 11<sup>th</sup> 1896*

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Anna Pleasant</u>	<u>June 3 1878</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>Squire Williamson</u>	<u>Chavon</u>
<u>Harriett G. Williamson</u>	
<u>Harriett G. Adams</u>	

17. Where were they born? Laurens South Carolina  
Chavon in North Carolina

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

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

(1) English name:	<u>Wm A Williamson</u>	<u>Died June 1885</u>
Indian name:	<u>Unknown by Me</u>	
Residence:	<u>Decatur Ill</u>	
(2) English name:	<u>Geo W Williamson</u>	
Indian name:	<u>Unknown by Me</u>	
Residence:	<u>Decatur Ill</u>	<u>Unknown by Me</u>
(3) English name:	<u>John W Williamson</u>	
Indian name:	<u>Unknown by Me</u>	
Residence:	<u>Decatur Ill</u>	
(4) English name:	<u>Walter A Neal</u>	
Indian name:	<u>Unknown by Me</u>	
Residence:	<u>Minneapolis Minn</u>	
(5) English name:	<u>Margaret J Stewart</u>	
Indian name:	<u>Unknown by Me</u>	
Residence:	<u>Decatur Ill</u>	

Mary C. Garrison  
Unknown by me  
Decatur Ill

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 Grand Father was a full Blood Cherokee Indian by the Name of Ft Tom Adams, and both near the line of North and South Carolina before 1835 Grand Mother Williams born 1825 in Laurens S.C.*

REMARKS.

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

*Virginia A Cobb who resides at 411 S Sixth Columbia Mo lived in the same county with Grand Mother Adams (nee) Williams over 58 years ago and knows my father since a little baby he was born Oct 30 1849*

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.)

*Hattie Henderson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*July - 28 -*, 190*7*

*Burnham Rice*

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Persons who appeared before me

*Mamie Baldwin*

and

*A. A. Baldwin*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs Hattie Henderson*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *8* years and *8* 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 M. Baldwin*

*A. A. Baldwin*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*July - 28 -*, 190*7*

*Burnham Rice*

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. 1384

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Hattie Herndon*

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. Dec. MAY 22 1907 No.
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Oway 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. 1384.

1. State your full name: Heather May Hendon
2. Residence and post office: 38 Judd St. Cleveland Ohio
3. County: Cuyahoga
4. State: Ohio
5. Date and place of birth: Lincoln Ill. Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 1880
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: George Hendon 38 or 39 <sup>not sure</sup>
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Unknown
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Flossy Hendon</u>	<u>10 yr</u>	<u>Sept 23d 1897</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: No.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My ancestors lived in Laurens + Abbeville S. Carolina and the Adams lived in O'bert Co. Georgia.

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

(Signature) Heather May Hendon

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

Burham & Greer  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

July 27, 1907

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Ohio

Feb. 26, 1908,

Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims  
Concerning the applica-  
tion No. 1384 has any  
further proceeding been  
taken the last account  
I have heard from it  
was it was on file  
had been acknowledge  
now if you can give me  
any information about  
it of the Eastern Cherokees  
I will gladly except it  
Yours Truly Hattie Anderson  
2490 E. 19 Street

No. 271

Action: Admitted

Name: Thomas G. Green and 1 child. Residence: Okmulgee, Okla.

Reasons: Brother of # 472 and claims through same source.

No. 1385

Name Thomas A. Foreman

With No. 773

Remarks :

*File of # 773*  
*No. 1385*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas A. 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.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec OCT 21 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: Thomas A. Foreman  
Indian name: She-la-dee-dee-see
2. Residence: Oologah, Ind.
3. Town and post office: Oologah
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Going Snake District, Nov. 20, 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: For my father, Ellis Foreman, my Uncle, Nels Foreman and his wife Ann, nee, Alberty, they both being without descent, my Grandfather Charles Foreman, and his brothers and sisters <sup>George, William, James and my great grandpa</sup> ~~without descent~~ <sup>and</sup> ~~my great grandpa~~ <sup>Thomas and Susanna Foreman.</sup>
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Minnie Foreman, age
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: Margaret Foreman  
Indian name: not known  
Maiden name: Margaret Richardson
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Going Snake District, Cherokee Nation  
Mother: In Going Snake District 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: March, 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. Foreman  | Nov. 20, 1862 | Chelsea, L.T.     |
| (2) | Charles Foreman    | Oct. 27, 1862 | deceased          |
| (3) | Mary C. Dudley     | Aug. 31, 1870 | Canon City, Colo. |
| (4) | Fanny L. Daws      | Feb. 27, 1876 | Hawata, L.T.      |
| (5) | Jennie Akin        | Feb. 25, 1866 | Cologah, L.T.     |
| (6) | William J. Foreman | Sept. 3, 1878 | Hestville, L.T.   |
|     | Lucy C. Reynolds   | Feb. 28, 1881 | Hestville, L.T.   |

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 Thissy Foreman (nee Cowin)	Amos and Jennie Richardson, nee Crittenden

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: | Amos Richardson, died without issue.            |
| Indian name:      | Malinda Parris, died without issue.             |
| Residence:        | Margaret Foreman, my mother, of Hestville, L.T. |
| (2) English name: | Charlotte Roberts, dead.                        |
| Indian name:      | Minerva J. Childers, dead.                      |
| Residence:        | Thomas L. Foreman, dead.                        |
| (3) English name: | William R. Foreman, dead.                       |
| Indian name:      | Charles L. Foreman, dead.                       |
| Residence:        | Samuel A. Foreman, dead.                        |
| (4) English name: | Ellis Foreman, my father, dead.                 |
| Indian name:      | Edward Foreman, dead.                           |
| Residence:        | Mary Gaudet, Hestville, L.T.                    |
| (5) English name: | Nelson Foreman, died without issue.             |
| 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 Long Snake District.*

REMARKS.

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

*Mrs. Nelson Foreman's wife, Annie, nee Alberty, died a short time before he did. They left a daughter, Maudie who was about 16 years of age, and who died within a month after the death of her father. My Great Grand Parents, Thomas and Suzanne Foreman were on the Emigrant roll in Long Snake District and I think my Great Grandfather was on the Emigrant roll and died without drawing 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.) *Thomas A. Foreman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *September*, 1906.

My commission expires *March 8, 1910*, 190

*O. C. Hambley*  
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. Akin* and *William Scrapper*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Thomas A. Foreman*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *30* 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.

*A. J. Akin*  
*William Scrapper*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *March 8, 1910*, 190

*O. C. Hambley*  
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. 1385.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

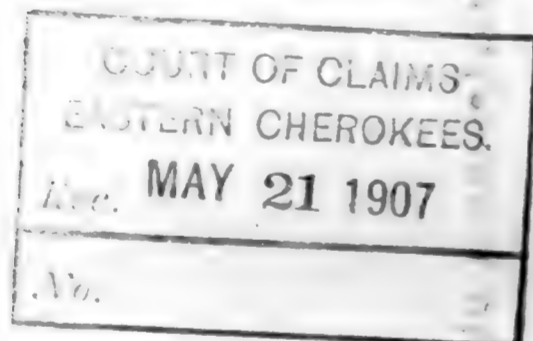
**Thomas A. Foreman**

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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.



## 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. 1385.

1. State your full name: Thomas A. Foreman
2. Residence and post office: Oolagah,
3. County: Cherokee Nation,
4. State: Indian Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: November 20th, 1872, at Westville, Ind. Ter.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Minnie Foreman, aged 24 years.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? she is a white woman.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Leo E. Foreman,</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>Dec. 14, 1903.</u>
(2)	<u>G. Calvin Foreman</u>	<u>10 months,</u>	<u>August 17, 1906.</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: Leo F. Foreman is enrolled as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

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)

Thomas A. Foreman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 1907.

Ed. Wood

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

August 24th, 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 James C. Eaton and John M. Taylor, Jr., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Thomas A. Foreman who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 8 years and \_\_\_\_\_ 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 ~~and they~~ are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James C. Eaton  
John M. Taylor Jr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 1907.

W. D. Mood  
Notary Public.

My commission expires August 24th, 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.

No 1386

Action: Admitted

Name Tutia Comtassell and 3 children. Residence: Westville, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant claims through father John  
Te-Cah-ne-ye-shen enrolled with his father  
Big Te-Cah-ne-ye-shen in Tahlequah District 508.

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No. 1386

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Name *Lutitia Cantasole*

With No. ....

Remarks:

Grouped hereunder  
are no, 8236,  
1432, 1402,  
1430, 1451, &  
9168, 17529, 8761-

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Claims through

Lee,

S. B. 60

No. 1386

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Lutetia Cornatasse*

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.

Rec OCT 24 1906

No.

1386

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: Lutetia Comtassle  
Indian name: Gah-tek-yah
2. Residence: Going Snake Dist. Cher. Nat.
3. Town and post office: Westville
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: November 22, 1859, Coowescoowee 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: (1) John Ketcher father, (2) Margaret Ketcher mother, (3) Big Te-cah-ne-ye-skee, grandfather, (4) Lucy Ann Chambers aunt, (5) Lutetia Chambers aunt, (6) Arch Lee, uncle, (7) Polly Lee aunt, (8) and Ciinda Lee aunt, (9) Lucinda Chambers aunt.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Adam Comtassle, ago 48 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: John Ketcher  
Indian name: John Te-cah-ne-ye-skee  
Mother—English name: Margaret Ketcher  
Indian name: Na-kee  
Maiden name: Margaret Chambers.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Going Snake dist. C.N. I.T.  
Mother: Sequoyah dist. C.N. I.T.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Going Snake Dist. C.N. I.T.  
Mother: Sequoyah dist. C.N. I.T.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: June 9 1904 Mother: June 22 1900.



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: yes, 1851, 1870, 1880, 1881, 1883, 1886, 1891, 1894, 1896 and father is on Dawes Com. roll,

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Bennie Ketcher	about 1861	about 1863.
(2)	Lucinda Ketcher	about 1864	about 1869
(3)	Jimmie Ketcher	unknown	unknown
(4)	Ellis Ketcher	about 1870	Living, Muldrow, S. S.
(5)	Mose Ketcher	" 1873	unknown Jan. 1906.
(6)	John Ketcher	Nov. 28 1877	Living, Westville, S. S.
(7)	Sarah Ketcher Westville S. S.	James Ketcher, Christie S. S.	George Ketcher Christie S. S.

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
	Big Te-cah-ue-ye-ske	James Chambers
	Sallie Te-cah-ue-ye-ske	Patsy Chambers (white)

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Station.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Big Te-cah-ue-ye-ske in Tahlequah Dist. his wife Sallie died prior to that date. James Chambers died before 1851, and Patsy Chambers was living in Sequoyah Dist. Co., S. S.

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

- (1) English name: Lizzie Nam dead unknown
- (2) Indian name: Charles Ketcher " " "
- (3) Residence: Dick Ketcher " " " descendants living.
- (4)(5) English name: Ollie Ketcher " " "
- (5) Indian name: Mose Ketcher " " "
- (6) Residence: Ben Ketcher
- (7) (3) English name: Rebecca Neugin, Hulbert S. S.
- (8) Indian name: John Ketcher (my father)
- (9) Residence: Linnie Ketcher dead unknown
- (10) (4) English name: Ellis Ketcher " " "
- (11) Indian name: Margaret Chambers dead unknown, mother.
- (12) Residence: Lucinda Chambers " " "
- (13) (5) English name: Lutetia Chambers died about May 1903.
- (14) Indian name: Arch Lee dead unknown
- (15) Residence: Polly Lee " " "
- (16) Cinda Lee " " "

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: yes 1870, 1880, 1881, 1883, 1886, 1891, 1894, 1896 and Dawes Com. 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.)

*My grandmother Patsy Chambers was a white woman.*

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.) *Leticia Comtasole*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov 14*, 19*10* *W. P. Soufford*  
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 *Jake Alberty* and *Jonathan Wright*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Leticia Comtasole*, 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 *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.

*Jake Alberty*  
*Jonathan Wright*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov 14*, 19*10* *W. P. Soufford*  
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. 1386

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Latitia Cornassel*

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 27 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. 1386

1. State your full name: Lulitua Comtessle
2. Residence and post office: Wetmore 27
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee Nation Nov. 1859
6. Are you married? Single.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Widow.
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>Benjamin Comtessle</u>	<u>18.</u>	<u>Oct 1889</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Ann Comtessle</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>May 1896</u>
(3)	<u>John Comtessle</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Jan 3 1895</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: Filed on 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) Lulitua Comtessle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

June 4<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

No. 1387

Action: Admitted

Name: Paula Corrales and 1 children. Residence: Guayaquil

Reasons:

Imp. # 766

No. 1387.

Name Ruth Mounts

With No. 766.

Remarks :

*Supl.*  
*No. 1387*  
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Quit Mowets*

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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# 1387  
See # 766

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 Mcunto  
Indian name:  
2. Residence: Northern Dist Ind Ter.  
3. Town and post office: Dewey  
4. County: Cherokee Nation  
5. State: Indian Territory  
6. Date and place of birth: Goicey Grove Dist March 1st 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:

- ① Myself ② Delilah Parris mother  
③ Choa-a-lu-ku (Tee my) grand father ④ Nate (W) aunt ⑤ Anna (R) aunt  
⑥ Dave se (S O B) uncle ⑦ David (S O) uncle ⑧ Tab-le (W L) uncle  
⑨ Tia-nah (B B G) uncle ⑩ Ave (R O) uncle ⑪ Koola or Albert Chicken uncle  
⑫ Cau-de-gus-ti (A S T O T) grand uncle ⑬ Susan (S B H) Chicken grand aunt  
⑭ Lucy Chicken (M S) grand aunt ⑮ Young Chicken (B W O H O) great grand father ⑯

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: Johnson Parris

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

Mother—English name: Delilah Parris

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

Maiden name: Delilah Chicken

11. Where were they born?

Father: In old Cherokee Nation east.

Mother: In old Cherokee Nation east.

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

Father: Illinois District C. N. I. T.

Mother: Illinois District C. N. I. T.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: About 1881

Mother: About 1874

⑯ A. K. (M T) great grand mother.  
⑰ Delilah Parris mother.



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)	Upham Poorbear	April 26 <sup>th</sup> 1850	Living Ft Gibson St.
(2)	William Parris	Feb 7 1852	about 1885
(3)	Pauline Chambers	Mar 4 <sup>th</sup> 1854	" 1886
(4)	Lezrael P Parris	Sept 24 1857	Living Tahlequah St.
(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
Moses Parris	Chua-a-lu-kee
Pollie Parris nee Longly	Pollie Chicken

17. Where were they born? In old Cherokee Country east-

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Chua-a-lu-kee and Polly Chicken in Delaware Dist; Moses Pollie Parris Illinois Dist C.A.S.

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

(1) English name:	George Parris	known	unknown
(2) Indian name:	Rachel Parris	dead	"
(3) Residence:	Greenwood	"	"
(4) English name:	Johnson	"	"
(5) Indian name:	Mallissa	"	"
(6) Residence:	Brigant Parris	"	"
(7) English name:	Emiline Betty		
Indian name:			
Residence:	Living Priggs Indian Territory		
(7) English name:	Nate (54)	dead	unknown
(8) Indian name:	Anna (74)	dead	unknown
(9) Residence:	Dave-se (50)	dead	unknown
(10) David (50)	dead	unknown	(11) Jah-le (40) dead
(5) English name:	unknown	(12) Tea-wah (53)	dead unknown
Indian name:	(13) Ave (70)	dead	unknown
Residence:	(14) Enola or Albert Chicken	dead	unknown

20. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: all the payments from 1888 and The Dawes Commission for 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.) *Ruth Mount*

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

My commission expires *Sept 21*, 190*8*.

*J. C. Courson*  
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 *Albert A. Taylor* and *Mark J. Matheson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Ruth Mount*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *33* 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.

*Albert A. Taylor*  
*Mark J. Matheson*

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

My commission expires *Sept 21*, 190*8*.

*J. C. Courson*  
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. 1388.

Action: Admitted

Name: Uphoney Tomhear and ✓ children. Residence: Ft. Gibson, Ark.

Reasons: Grant of #216, and claims there  
same case

No. 1388.

Name. Mphaney Poorbear.

With No. 938.

Remarks :

No. 1338

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Yshaway Poorbear*

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 24 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: Uphamuy Poorbear

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Northern Dist Ind Ter

3. Town and post office:

Ft Gibson

4. County:

Cherokee Nation

5. State:

Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

Illinois Dist 1850

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 myself  
 Delilah Parris mother  
 Chus-ah-ka  
 (Jenny) grand father  
 Nake (R) aunt  
 Anna (R) aunt  
 Dawese (S) uncle  
 David (S) uncle  
 Tah-ke (W) uncle  
 Franah (S) uncle  
 Ave (R) uncle  
 Enola or Albert Chicken uncle  
 Can-de-que-sti (A) grand uncle  
 Susan (S) grand  
 Chicken grand aunt  
 Ray Chicken grand aunt  
 Young Chicken (W) great grand  
 Ne-ki (S) great grand mother

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:

Johnson Parris

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Delilah Parris

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Delilah Chicken

11. Where were they born?

Father:

In old Cherokee Nation east

Mother:

In old Cherokee Nation east.

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

Father:

Illinois Dist C. N. I. T.

Mother:

Illinois Dist C. N. I. T.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

About 1881

Mother:

About 1874

William Parris mother.

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)	Ruth Mounts	Mar 1st 1848	Living Duway St.
(2)	William Parris	Feb 2 1852	about 1875
(3)	Pauline Chambers	Mar 4 1854	" 1886
(4)	Emuel P Parris	Sept 24 1857	Living Fablequoh St.
(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.
Moses Parris	Chua-a-lu-kee
Pollie Parris nee Langly	Pollie Chicken

17. Where were they born? In old Cherokee country east -

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Chua-a-lu-kee and Pollie Chicken Alabama did Moses & Pollie Parris Illinois Dist.

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

(1)	English name:	George Parris	dead	unknown
(2)	Indian name:	Rachel	"	"
(3)	Residence:	Greenwood	"	"
(4)	English name:	Johnson	"	"
(5)	Indian name:	Mallissa	"	"
(6)	Residence:	Bryant	"	"
(7)	English name:	Emiline Betty		
	Indian name:	Unknown		
	Residence:	Briggs and Ter.		
(8)	English name:	Anna (Rt)	dead	unknown
		Nate (Rt)	dead	unknown
(9)	Indian name:	David (S)	dead	unknown
		Jahle (W L)	dead	unknown
(10)	Residence:	Fia nah (t B G)	dead	unknown
(11)	English name:	Arz (R L)	dead	unknown
(12)	Indian name:	Euada or Albert Chicken	dead	unknown
	Residence:			

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

All the payment from 1888 and Dawes Commission for 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.

witnesses to name  
L. B. Gritts  
Ned Gritts

(Signature.) Upham <sup>her</sup> Poorbear  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires  
Sept 21, 1907

J. S. Conway  
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 Albert A. Taylor and Mark F. Matheson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Upham Poorbear, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 33 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.

Albert A. Taylor  
Mark F. Matheson

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

My commission expires  
Sept 21, 1907

J. S. Conway  
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. 1.3.

Action:..... Admitted.....

Name Benjamin Hatfield and X children. Residence: Wauhatchie, Okla. ....

Reasons:

Claims through grandfather enrolled as William A. Foreman, Grandfather enrolled as Johnson Foreman. Great uncles and aunts enrolled as Martha I. F. Ruth, Mrs. I., Robert J. Jesse, Susan and Wm. B. Foreman. All were enrolled by license in 1911 in Oklahoma District, Group #270.

See also Test. . . . .

Wauhatchee, Okla.

No. 1389 Field?

Name Benjamin Whitfield

With No. ....

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are no. 1390.

Wauhatchee  
for  
Fahlgren  
D.R. see Fall, 1978.

Claims through

Forsman

~~Feb 23,~~

No. 1389

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF # 21552

*Benjamin Whitfield*

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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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec OCT 24 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: *Benjamin Whitfield* *DC # 21552*  
Indian name: *Queni*
2. Residence: *Cherokee Nation Ind. Territory*
3. Town and post office: *Wauhatchee*
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: *Ind. Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *In 1853, Texas*
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 grand mother and mother and grand father*
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: *Mathew James Whitfield*  
Indian name: *Ho-ke-si*  
Mother—English name: *Emma Whitfield*  
Indian name: *Unkerawon*  
Maiden name: *Emma Foreman*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Georgia*  
Mother: *Cherokee Nation Ind. Territory*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Georgia Cherokee Nation Ind. Territory*  
Mother: *Cherokee Nation Ind. Territory*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Living* Mother: *1872*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Grand father & Grand Mother in 1851, only. Mother on all rolls previous to and including rolls of 1880.*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Luke Whitfield	1852	
(2)	Nicholas Whitfield	1887	
(3)	Fannie Whitfield Phillips	1850	
(4)	Thomas Whitfield	1891	
(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	William Foreman
"	Bittie Hilderbrand

17. Where were they born? *Foreman & Hilderbrand grand parents born in Old Cherokee Nation*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Jahlyual District Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths: *Grand mother Hilderbrand children were:*

(1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *Nicholas S. Sanders*  
 Residence: *Ok. Moh. Co., Ind. Terr.*

(2) English name: *Marmaduke Sanders*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr.*

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: *Grand father Foreman's side*  
 Residence: *Johnson, Henry & one whose*

(4) English name: *name is unknown*  
 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 from date of birth up to present time. Also for allotment by Dawes Com.*

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.) Benji Whitfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires Sept 21, 1908. J. J. Coursey  
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. O. Saunders and  
....., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Benji Whitfield, 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.

Geo. O. Saunders  
Jas. S. Saunders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Oct., 1906.

My commission expires Sept. 21, 1908. J. J. Coursey  
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.

Misc.

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Luke Whitfield being first duly sworn, deposes and says:  
My name is Luke Whitfield. I live at Wauhatchie, Okla.  
I was enrolled by the Dawes Commission #21551.  
Benj. My brother's number is #21552.  
I was born in Texas. My mother was an Immigrant Cherokee. MY  
father was a white man. My mother died in 1892 and was 40 or  
50 years old when she died. I don't know whether she ever  
drew Immigrant money or not. My mother's parents were both  
Immigrant Cherokees. My grandfather's name was Wm. Foreman.  
My mother's name was Emma Foreman. She lived in Tahl. Dist.  
in 1851. My great grandfather's name was Johnson Foreman.  
My grandfather had a sister named Martha, Ruth, Lavinia,  
Susie, Nancy. Had brothers named Return and Jesse B. Foreman.  
See Tahl. 278. Group no. 8353.

~~Luke Whitfield~~

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Tahloquah, Okla. this  
28th day of September, 1908.

~~Harold G. Black~~  
Agent to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

No. 1390

Action: *Admitted*

Name *Luke Whitefield* and *1* children.

Residence: *Warrick Co. Okla.*

Reasons: *Brother of #1389*

*Parents not on list*



No. 1390

Name Lake Whitfield

With No. 1389

Remarks :

No. 5113

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Late Whifflet*

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 19, 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: Luke Whitfield No. # 21551

Indian name: None

2. Residence: Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr.

3. Town and post office: Wauhatchie

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

5. State: Ind. Terr.

6. Date and place of birth: Dec. 1852, Texas

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: Thru my grand mother and my mother, + grand father

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lovely Whitfield

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

Father—English name: Mathew James Whitfield

Indian name: Tho-ke-si

Mother—English name: Emma Whitfield

Indian name: Unknown

Maiden name: Emma Foreman

11. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

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 " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Living

Mother: 1892

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Grand father + Grand mother in 1851 only. Mother in all rolls previous to and including roll of 1880.*

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Benjamin Whitfield	1883	
(2)	Nicholas Whitfield	1887	1887
(3)	Fannie Whitfield <sup>Phillips</sup>	1880	1900
(4)	Thomas Whitfield	1891	1899
(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	William Foreman
"	Bettie Hilderbrand

17. Where were they born? *Foreman and Hilderbrand grand parents born in Old Cherokee Nation*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Tahlequah District Cherokee Nation Ind. Terry.*

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

(1) English name: *Grand mother Hilderbrands children were*  
 Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name: *Nicholas S. Sanders*

Indian name: *Oo-noh-le*

Residence: *Prijor Creek Ind. Terry.*

(3) English name: *Marmaduke Sanders*

Indian name:

Residence: *Cherokee Nation Ind. Terry.*

(4) English name: *Grand father Foremans side;*

Indian name: *Johnson, Henry + one other*

Residence: *name unknown.*

(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 from date of birth up to present time. Also for allotment by the Dawes 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: .....

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.) Luke Whitfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1906.

My commission expires Sept 21, 1908.

J. J. Coursey 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. O. Sanders and Jas. S. Sanders, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Luke Whitfield, 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.

Geo. O. Sanders

Jas. S. Sanders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1906.

My commission expires Sept. 21, 1908.

J. J. Coursey 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. 1290

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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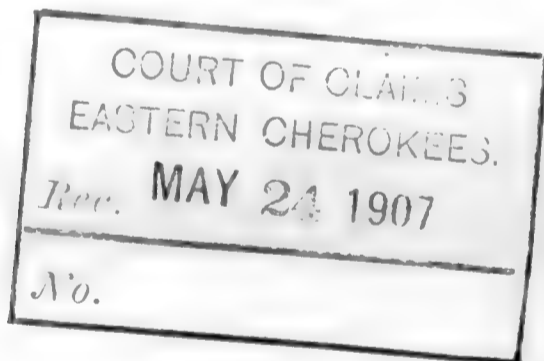
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Luke Whitfield*

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. 1390

1. State your full name: Luke Whitfield
2. Residence and post office: Wauhatchee, E. T.
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Date and place of birth: December 6th 1880 Texas
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Louy Whitfield age 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>Roy Samary Whitfield</u>	<u>17 yrs</u>	<u>1906 Feb 22</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: Commission for Trib Cherokee Indian

### 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)

Luke Whitfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of May 1907.

J. M. Richards

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES NOV. 22, 1912, 190

No. 1391.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Tah-yu-ne-se Twist and X children. Residence: Dutch Mills, Ark.

Reasons:

Claims through self enrolled as Tok-ga-ne-se Twist.  
Father enrolled as Twist. Brother enrolled as John Twist.  
All were enrolled by Dremen in 1881 in Going Snake District,  
Group #402, 403 and 404.

HJB.

See Misc. Test. F. 3001.



Washington Co., Ark.

No. 1391 Field. ?

Name ~~Twist~~ Twist

With No. ....

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are no. 1418.

25-001, 23541, 27888

28698, 24722

26070,

24825, 24915

26376, 27600

27817, 39430

Claims through

Twist

M.S. 402

Examined by ~~optical~~

Sept. 10, 1951

A.A.B.

No. 1391

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*To-yu-ne-se Twist.*

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 24 1906

No.

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: *Yoyee ne-se Twist (Yah-ya-ne-se)*

Indian name: *Ya-ya-ne-se*

2. Residence: *In Going Snake District Cherokee Nation*

3. Town and post office: *Dutch Mills*

4. County: *Washington*

5. State: *Ark*

6. Date and place of birth: *In Georgia, Dec. 15 1833*

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 myself; Father Twist; Cousin Smokehouse*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Sarah C Twist, age 70 years*

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

Father—English name: *Twist Yah-nu-tay-yoh-hee*

Indian name: *Ya-cab-nee-ta-yoh-nee*

Mother—English name: *Rachel Twist*

Indian name: *Wet Rachel Morris*

Maiden name: *Wet Rachel Morris*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *I don't know*

Mother: *South Carolina*

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

Father: *In Going Snake District Ch.*

Mother: *In Going Snake District Ch.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Aug 13 1863* Mother: *March 30 1876*

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1863*

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sam Twist	Unknown	Unknown
(2)	Isaac Twist	"	"
(3)	John Twist	"	"
(4)	Hannah or Nancy Twist	"	"
(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>yah-muk (your)</i> Bearpaw wah-fah yo-mu-ye-yeh Na-cie	Drury Morris White-morris

17. Where were they born?

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In. Longmeadow District C.N.  
In. North Carolina

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

(1) English name:	Mary Morris
Indian name:	
Residence:	South Carolina
(2) English name:	Shadrack Morris
Indian name:	
Residence:	Unknown
(3) English name:	Sarah Morris
Indian name:	
Residence:	Unknown
(4) English name:	Lydia Morris
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	Drury Morris
Indian name:	Gideon Morris's Indian name <sup>name</sup> <u>Wahle-sah</u>
Residence:	William Morris

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

Enrolled for allotments of lands by  
The Dawes Commission and for monies drawn  
In. 1874, 1880, 1885, 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:

*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) *J. Twist*

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

My commission expires *Nov 21*, 1908 *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 *Benz F. Peden* and *John Houseburg*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *J. Twist*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *16* 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.

*Benz F. Peden*  
*John Houseburg*

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

My commission expires *Nov 21*, 1908 *Hugh M Adair*  
Notary Public.

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710-1891

Admitted

Claims themselves enrolled as Tok-go-no-se  
Twist, Father enrolled as Twist, Brother  
enrolled as John Twist - All were enrolled  
by Doremus in 1851 in going Snake District.

Group # 403, 402 & 404

See Misc-Test P. 3001

T.C.R.

J. G. MccOMBS  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

SALLISAW, I. T., July-3-1907.

Spe. Comm Court of Claims.

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir-:

I enclose you application for Jehn M. Bean for his  
minor children also for Ruth A. Bean.

Very respectfully,

*J. G. Mccombs*

July 29, 1907.

J. G. McCombs,  
Sallisaw, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of the supplemental application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Funds, signed by John M. Bean, of Sallisaw, Indian Territory.

It does not appear, from the records of this Office that the applicant has filed an original application and there is enclosed herewith a blank for that purpose.

In case there has been an original filed, kindly inform this Office as to the number of the same.

Please give this matter prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Enclosure.



No. 1391.

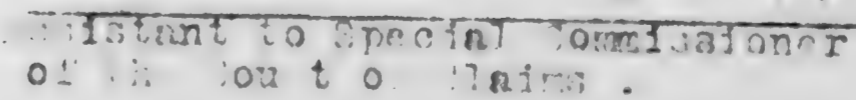
To-yu-ne-se Twist, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

Twist:

My name is To-yu-ne-se: I was born in Georgia: I do not know what year: I am seventy-four years old: I was born in 1823: I am a half blood Cherokee: I claim my Indian blood through my father: I make no claim through my mother: my father's name was Twist: he had no first name that I know of: my father was born in Georgia in 1798: I do not know the county: my father claimed his Cherokee blood through both his parents: my grandparents were born in Georgia: I do not know the year: my grandfather never went to the Ind. Terr.: my father's grandmother and I went to the Ind. Terr. from Georgia about 1838: in 1841 my grandmother was dead: my mother and I were living in Seminole District in 1851: I think my father, my mother and I were enrolled on the roll in Georgia: my father and I were enrolled in 1851: my mother was enrolled in Seminole District: neither my father nor I were ever in the Settler payment: ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ my father and I received some money from a payment made to the Creek Indians at Muskogee, Ind. Terr.: I don't think I remember the date exactly but it was sometime before the war: I never received any land from the Creeks: neither my father nor I were ever a member of the Creek tribe: I was enrolled by the Case's Commission and received my allotment in Oklahoma: I was enrolled under the name of Tony Twist: (see C. S. 482 and 483 G. S. and 404 G. S.) my three children received their allotments under the Case's Commission.

  
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Sworn to before me, at Muskogeeville, Okla., this 1st day of September, 1908.

  
 Assistant to Special Commissioner  
 of the Court of Claims.

No. 1392

Action: Admitted

Name Parker Collins Harris and 8 children. Residence: Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant enrolled as Parker Harris, Chapman #1760.  
Brother of #686

No. 1392

Name Collins Harris

With No. 820

Remarks :

*Collins Harris*

*Chap. 1760*

No. 1392

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Collins Harris*

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.

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: *Collins Harris*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Cherokee Nation, Ind. Terri-*

3. Town and post office:

*Muskogee*

4. County:

5. State:

*Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Nov. 9, 1845, 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: *1<sup>st</sup> By right of myself, 2<sup>nd</sup> by right of my mother, Susan Harris, 3<sup>rd</sup> by my sister Emily Harris, 4<sup>th</sup> by my brother Joseph Harris, 5<sup>th</sup> by brother William Harris, 6<sup>th</sup> by my brother John Harris, all on 1851 roll, and 7<sup>th</sup> my Grand Mother Jamie Collins, 8<sup>th</sup> by my Aunt Eliza Harris nee Collins, 9<sup>th</sup> by my aunt Lucinda Sutton nee Collins and 10<sup>th</sup> by Cousin William*

8. Are you married?

*yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Angie Harris, 46 years*

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

Father—English name:

*William Harris (White)*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Susan Harris*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Susan Collins*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*North Carolina*

Mother:

*Forsyth County, Georgia*

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

Father:

*Forsyth County, Georgia*

Mother:

*Forsyth County, Georgia*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

*Spring of 1865*

Mother:

*July 4, 1890*

*Harris who was a son of Eliza Harris and all of whom were on the 1851 roll.*

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: Collins Harris

Indian name:

2. Residence: Cherokee Nation, Ind. Terri-

3. Town and post office: Muskogee

4. County:

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Nov. 9, 1845, 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: 1<sup>st</sup> By right of myself, 2<sup>nd</sup> by right of my mother, Susan Harris, 3<sup>rd</sup> by my sister Emily Harris, 4<sup>th</sup> by my brother Joseph Harris, 5<sup>th</sup> by brother William Harris, 6<sup>th</sup> by my brother John Harris, all on 1851 roll, and 7<sup>th</sup> my Grand Mother Sammie Collins, 8<sup>th</sup> by my Aunt Eliza Harris nee Collins, 9<sup>th</sup> by my aunt Lucinda Sutton nee Collins and 10<sup>th</sup> by Cousin William

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Angie Harris, 46 years

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

Father—English name: William Harris (White)

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Susan Harris

Indian name:

Maiden name: Susan Collins

11. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Forsyth County, Georgia

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

Father: Forsyth County, Georgia

Mother: Forsyth County, Georgia

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Spring of 1865

Mother: July 4, 1890

Harris wife was a son of Eliza Harris and all of  
claim on the 1851 roll, 2-3608

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

where: *Mother drew in 1851 Payment for the County Georgia and in 1875, 1880, 1883, 1886, and 1890 payments in Cherokee Nation,*

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

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Emily Harris	1833	1853
(2) Joseph Harris	July 24, 1833	Aug 28, 1903
(3) Bird Harris	July 30, 1839	July 20, 1902
(4) William Harris	May 7, 1841	March 26, 1863
(5) Charles Harris	Sept 8, 1842	
(6) Savannah McMaxine Ke Harris	June 24, 1847	
Philo Harris	Age 14, 1848	Unknown
(7) John Harris	June 14, 1850	Unknown
(8) Mary Harris	Unknown	about 1850
(9) Martha Harris	Unknown	about 1850
(10) Colonel J. Harris	April 19 <sup>th</sup> , 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)	Parson Collins (White)
Harris	Kamine Collins

17. Where were they born? *Unknown*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Not Living. After Grand father died Grand mother Collins married Martin Brannon & they moved to the Cherokee nation west*

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

English name	Indian name	Residence	Date of death
(1) Susan Harris <i>on mother's side</i> nee Collins	Sallie Harris	Eliza Harris	died July 4, 1890
(2) Jane Harris	Nancy Harris	Lucinda Sutton	about 1842
(3) Katy Butry	Mary Collins	Martha Collins	1871
(4) Joseph Collins	Parson Collins	On Father's side	1871
(5) Bird Harris (White)	Charles Harris	William Harris	1842
			1845
			Sept 26, 1865
			1854
			1865

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

where: *1851 Payment in Forsyth County Georgia & 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: *After 1835-*

*Memole Bird and Aunt Eliza Harris & Their son William B. moved to the Cherokee nation west and then to California. They were living in 1865, but have not heard from them since, only that they were dead.*

REMARKS.

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

*Brother John Harris has not been seen or heard of since December 1873, and is supposed to be dead. After Grand father died Grand mother Collins married Martin Brannum and moved to the Cherokee nation west.*

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.) *Collins Harris*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Apr. 24<sup>th</sup>*, 1909

*J. E. Nyand*  
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. W. Scott* and *E. M. Switzer*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Collins Harris*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *33* years and *13* 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.

*Geo. W. Scott*  
*E. M. Switzer*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Apr. 24<sup>th</sup>*, 1909

*J. E. Nyand*  
Notary Public.

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No. 1392

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Parker C. 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.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 24 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. 1392

1. State your full name: Parker Collins Harris
2. Residence and post office: Muslogu I 3/4
3. County: Crest Nation
4. State: Ind Terr
5. Date and place of birth: Forieth Co, Georgia, Nov 9 - 1845
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary A Harris Alabama July 29, 1859
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Adopted citizen Cherokee Nation
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
23610	(1) <u>Robert Harris</u>	<u>24 years</u>	<u>Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1882</u>
23608	(2) <u>Colonel P. Harris</u>	<u>22 "</u>	<u>July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1885</u>
23609	(3) <u>Emily Harris</u>	<u>20 "</u>	<u>April 29<sup>th</sup> 1887</u>
	(4) <u>James G Harris</u>	<u>18 "</u>	<u>Feb 18<sup>th</sup> 1889</u>
	(5) <u>Sue L Harris</u>	<u>17 "</u>	<u>Sept 4<sup>th</sup> 1890</u>
	(6) <u>Mary U Harris</u>	<u>14 "</u>	<u>Oct 10<sup>th</sup> 1893</u>
	(7) <u>George Harris</u>	<u>12 "</u>	<u>Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 1895</u>
	(8) <u>Martha Harris</u>	<u>8 "</u>	<u>June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1899</u>
	(9) <u>Ida Harris</u>	<u>6 "</u>	<u>Mar 1<sup>st</sup> 1901</u>
	(10) <u>Kate Harris</u>	<u>4 "</u>	<u>April 7<sup>th</sup> 1903</u>

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

(Signature)

Parker Collins Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1907.

W. C. Piner

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

My Commission expires Jan. 3, 1911.

## 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. 1392

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2. Residence and post office: Muskeget I 3
3. County: Crest Nation
4. State: Ind Terr
5. Date and place of birth: Forieth Co, Georgia, Nov 9 - 1845
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary A Harris Alabama July 29, 1859
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Adopted Citizen Cherokee Nation
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

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, with 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)

Parker Collins Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1907.

C. P. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

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My Commission expires Jan. 3, 1911.

No. 1393

Action: Rejected

Name Lafayette Teel and 6 children. Residence Claremore, Okla.

Reasons:

Half brother of #817 and  
claims thru the same  
source.

See app. # 817  
Lucinda Prince.

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Sister of Lafayette  
Reel.

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See if card agreed

See app. # 817  
Lucinda Prince.

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Sister of Lafayette  
Reel.

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See if card agreed

No. 1393 - 817

Name Lafayette Feil

With No. 2nd Field

Remarks: *Ch...*

Group with 817  
upon return from  
field.

Full information  
with down from 817  
for purpose of field Ex

No. 1393 *Missing*

Name *Lafayette Reel*

With No. *812*

Remarks :



*Supp.*

No. 1393

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*Lafayette Teel*  
<sup>OF</sup>  
*Lafayette Teel*  
*(Case name)*

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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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: **Layfatte Teel**

Indian name: **Too-yah**

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office: **Claremore, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory**

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth: **1858, May 25**  
**Delaware District, Cherokee Nation, 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: **Minervia Fleetwood <sup>mother;</sup> (or Flatfoot), grandmother; Lucinda Fleetwood (or Flatfoot), uncle; Loranza Fleetwood (or Flatfoot), uncle; Charles Fleetwood (or Flatfoot), uncle; William Fleetwood, (or Flatfoot) uncle; Houston Fleetwood, (or Flatfoot), uncle;**

8. Are you married? **yes**

9. Name and age of wife or husband: **white**

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

Father—English name: **John Teel, white**

Indian name:

Mother—English name: **Minervia Edwards Teel, formerly Edwards, Vance and Fleetwood**

Indian name: **An-i-wake**

Maiden name: **Fleetwood (or Flatfoot)**

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother: **Fort Gibson, Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.**

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

Father:

Mother: **Sequoyah District, Cherokee Nation, IND. TER.**

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: **1877**

Mother: **1869**



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Mother, 1835 and 1851

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Lucinda Vance</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2) <u>Stephen D. C. Edwards</u>	<u>Oct. 27, 1854</u>	<u>Living</u>
(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>Unknown.</u>	<u>Lucindia Fleetwood (or Flatfoot),</u>
<u>"</u>	<u>mother; Charles Fleetwood (or Flatfoot),</u>
<u>"</u>	<u>father.</u>

17. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation, North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Saline 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: Minervia, died in 1869
- (6) Aquillia, died in 1884
- (7) Miles, died in 1887
- (8) Edmond, living at Hanson, I.T.
- (9) Sarah, died in 1902.
- (10) Eljerry, living at Long, I. T.
- (11) Martha W. Brown, living at Pryor Creek, I.T.
- (12) William, died in 1860
- (13) Houston, died in 1888.

(3) English name: Charles, died in 1863

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

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

(4) English name: Pruia, living.

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

Residence: Choska, I. T.

(5) English name: Delphina, died in 1880

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

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

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Roll of Commission to Five Civilized Tribes for lands and money, approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Grandmother on maternal side, Lucindia Morgan-Fleetwood (or Flatfoot) on roll of 1835. Mother, Minertia Fleetwood-Vance-Edwards-Teel, on roll of 1851.

REMARKS.

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

The correct name is Fleetwood, but the name may be on the Roll of 1851 as Fleetfoot or Flatfoot. Winifred Morgan, Frankie Morgan, Rosana Morgan, and Eljerry Morgan made the emigration in 1834, being the applicant's great-grandmother, great-aunts, and great uncle. These parties are on the roll of 1835. If the great-aunts and great-uncle died without issue the applicant claims to be an heir to their shares.

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.) Lafayette Teel

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

My commission expires 3-27-, 1908 J. M. Watts  
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 M. Keys and Wallace Hilderbrand, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lafayette Teel, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 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.

James M. Keys  
Wallace Hilderbrand

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

My commission expires 3-27-, 1909 J. M. Watts  
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. 1393

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Lafayette Tool

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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.

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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. 1393.

1. State your full name: ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Lafayette Teel,
2. Residence and post office: Pryor Creek, Indian Territory
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Date and place of birth: 1858; Carrey Ferry, Indian Territory
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Artie W. Teel, A white person
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.
(1)	<u>John H. Teel</u>	<u>19 years</u>	<u>1888</u>
(2)	<u>Nannie Teel</u>	<u>12 years</u>	<u>1895</u>
(3)	<u>Atha Teel</u>	<u>11 years</u>	<u>1896</u>
(4)	<u>George Teel</u>	<u>9 years</u>	<u>1898</u>
(5)	<u>Clie Teel</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>1904</u>
(6)	<u>John Teel</u>	<u>5 years</u>	<u>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: All on final roll of Cherokee Nation approved by Secretary of Interior

**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) Lafayette Teel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of June, 1907.

W. Jones  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Jan 28th, 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 James Tincup and J. D. Edmondson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lafayette Teel who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 38 years and 34 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 Tincup  
J. D. Edmondson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th, day of June, 1907.

W. J. Jones  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 28th, 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.



Eliza Sunday being first duly sworn through Lafayette Teel, interpreter, deposes and says in behalf of Lafayette Teel:

That I am about 59 years of age. I know Lafayette Teel. He was enrolled by the Dawes Commission, No. 6681. He did not get the strip payment. This was on account of a political fuss, and prejudice existing against his family. He gets his Indian blood from his mother. She was named ~~Kwaidyxkwai~~ Manervia Teel. She has been dead about 39 years. Before she was known by the name of Teel, she was an Edwards; before that, she was a Vance. Her maiden name was Manervia Fleetwood. No doubt her name in 1851 was Vance. Applicant's mother was born here in the Territory. His oldest sister was born about 1851. Her name was Lucinda Vance. Lorenza, Charlie, Edmund and Miles were brothers of his mother. Their name was Fleetwood. The last two named died since the war. The first two were killed during the war. His mother, applicant's mother, was called Ah-ni-wake. She nor applicant never associated with any other tribe of Indians. Applicant's mother got her Indian blood from her mother, Lucinda Morgan. She was living in 1851 in Going Snake District. Think she was born in North Carolina on the Hiwassee River. She died in 1888 in Delaware District, this Territory. She came to this country sometime in 1830, somewhere near 1837 or 1838 when the Indians emigrated to this country. None of his people ever drew Old Settler money. ~~Wt~~ They tried to enroll at the time of the Old Settler payment but the officials told them that they were not entitled, that they were not Old Settlers, but Emigrants. Loo-se was the Indian name of this applicant's grandmother. His mother lived in Sequoyah, Going Snake and Delaware Districts. She had a sister named Sarah, Delphenie (married Hooks), Pruey (married Roland, I think). Sarah married a Ward. Another was named Martha Winifred Brown. Don't think that any of the brothers and sisters of applicant's grandmother ever came to this country. Lucinda Tineup, a sister of applicant is notified to appear at Pryor Creek before Mr. Ryan. S. D. C. Edwards, his half-brother, is notified to be at Vinita, Okla. before Mr. Ryan.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Claremore, Okla. this 10th day of March 1909.

*Eliza Sunday*  
Signature of witness.

*A. J. Williams*  
Ass't to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

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No 1394.

Action: Admitted.

Name Ezekiel Fields and 1 children. Residence: Southwest City, Mo.

Reasons: Arch of #242. Enrolled as Ezekiel Fields, Del #.

No. 1394

Name Ezekiel Fields

With No. 242,

Remarks:

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No. 4304

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Egkelor Bud 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, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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No.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name: Egkel or Beed Fields

Indian name: Segile or Chesqua Klau gas sa

2. Residence: in Delaware District Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office: Southwest City Missouri

4. County: McDonald

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: <sup>Born</sup> in year 1842 in Delaware Dist 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: Thru My Self Egkel Field  
My Father Egkel Field Sr. & his wife Scroggin & sister Beed Jani pagett  
A sister Beed Richard Fields & My Grand Father Beed  
Janni's Buffington Grand Mother

8. Are you married? yes Married in the year 1863

9. Name and age of wife or husband: My wife Margret Beed  
~~Richard~~ Fields, was Born March 1<sup>st</sup> 1849

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

Father—English name: Egkel Fields

Indian name: Segulla Klau gas sa

Mother—English name: Polly Fields

Indian name: Wyg la Klau gas Kah

Maiden name: Polly Sictou

11. Where were they born?

Father: in the old Cherokee Nation

Mother: in the old Cherokee Nation

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

Father: was Not Living at that time

Mother: Lived in Delaware Dist Cherokee Nation

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: <sup>1872</sup> in the year 1849

Mother:  Died in the year 1878

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

where: *I was enrolled in Delaware Dist Cherokee Nation in 1851 or 52 and my Mother drew my money for me at Fort Gibson in the year 1851 or 52*

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <i>Delila Seragan</i>	<i>in the year 1822</i>	<i>went to call for me in the year 1825 - Early days don't know when they are dead or alive</i>
(2) <i>Rutha Chamber</i>	<i>1827</i>	
(3) <i>Richard Fields</i>	<i>1830</i>	<i>1863</i>
(4) <i>Dolly 3rd Fields</i>	<i>1833</i>	
(5) <i>Martha Musknot</i>	<i>1838</i>	
(6) <i>George W. Fields</i>	<i>1839</i>	<i>and living</i>
(7) <i>29th Fields</i>	<i>1842</i>	<i>and living</i>
(8) <i>Mary Ellen Dick</i>	<i>1845</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>Richard Fields</i>	<i>Jimmie Buffington</i>
<i>Klaugasse</i>	<i>Ginna Klaugasse</i>

17. Where were they born? *in the Old Cherokee Nation*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *in Delaware Dist 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 Fields</i> died <i>1855</i>	English name: <i>Moses Fields</i> died <i>1855</i>
Indian name: <i>Chicha Klaugassa</i>	Indian name: <i>Wa Sak Klaugassa</i>
Residence: <i>in Del Dist Cherokee Nation</i>	Residence: <i>in Del Dist Cherokee Nation</i>
(2) English name: <i>Nancy Blyth</i> died	English name: <i>Isby Wolf</i> died
Indian name: <i>Nance</i>	Indian name: <i>Wa haan</i>
Residence: <i>in Del Dist Cherokee Nation</i>	Residence: <i>in Del Dist Cherokee Nation</i>
(3) English name: <i>Elizabeth Polagg</i> died	English name: <i>Delila Foreman</i> died
Indian name: <i>Qua tee</i>	Indian name: <i>Delila Foreman</i>
Residence: <i>in Del Dist Cherokee Nation</i>	Residence: <i>in Del Dist Cherokee Nation</i>
(4) English name: <i>John Fields</i> died <i>1846</i>	English name: <i>Jucy Hicks</i> died
Indian name: <i>China Klaugasse</i>	Indian name: <i>Lusa Oklanuter</i>
Residence: <i>Del Dist Cherokee Nation</i>	Residence: <i>Living Somewhere Dist Cherokee Nation</i>
(5) English name: <i>Ed Kile Fields</i> died <i>1846</i>	
Indian name: <i>Se Kale Klaugasse</i>	
Residence: <i>in Del Dist Cherokee Nation</i>	

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

where: *Enrolled in Delaware Dist Cherokee Nation for several small payments and I was also enrolled on the 1880 Roll. And later on was enrolled for the strip payment and some of the strip money in 1894 and also were enrolled by the Duros Commission and they allotted lands to me*

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.)

*do not know the set date of the  
Deaths of some of my uncles and aunts*

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 to mark.  
J D Russell  
Thomas McShu*

(Signature.) *Ezekiel <sup>his</sup> Field*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 17*, 1910. *James 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 *Thomas McShu* and *A B Shields*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Ezekiel Field*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *50* years and *35* 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.

*Thomas McShu*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 17<sup>th</sup>*, 1910. *James 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. 1395  
Name: *Marynt Gates* and *2* children. Action: *Admitted*  
Residence: *Caloosa, Okla.*  
Reasons:

*Sister to Jno. A. Arledge (1265)*



No. 1395-

Name Margant Gates

With No. 1265

Remarks :

*ms*

No. 1395

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Margaret Gates*

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. <i>Rec</i> OCT 24 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: Margaret Bates, nee Ross.

Indian name: not known

2. Residence: Catoosa

3. Town and post office: Catoosa

4. County: Dist, #4 Cherokee Nation

5. State: Ind. T.

6. Date and place of birth: In Cherokee Nation, 1881

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, my Uncle and Aunt Johnson  
Fam & Nannie Springston, both of whom died with out descent, my grandparents  
Anderson & Sallie Springston, my grandmothers brothers and sisters, Agnes,  
Charlotte, Walter A, James and Abigal, Elliot. all of whom died without descent  
and my great Uncle John Elliot and his daughter Agnes Elliot both of whom  
are dead and without descent, my great grandmother Elizabeth Elliot.

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: deceased,

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

Father—English name: William Arledge,

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

Mother—English name: Sarah Arlidge.

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

Maiden name: Sarah Springston.

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Iowa.

Mother: Cherokee Nation Ind. T.

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

Father: In Iowa,

Mother: Cherokee Nation, Ind. T. Born Dec 20th, 1852

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Oct, 16, 1895. Mother: Oct, 23, 1894.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: on Cherokee Authenticated roll of 1880

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ada. Henderson,</u>	<u>1878.</u>	
(2)	<u>John. Arledge.</u>	<u>1883.</u>	
(3)	<u>Maud. Arledge.</u>	<u>1891.</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>they were whites,</u>	<u>Aaderson and Sallie, Springston, nee Elliot.</u>

17. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Maternal grand parents born in Cherokee Nation, each.

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: <u>John. L. Springston</u>	<u>Sallisaw, Ind. T.</u>
	Indian name: <u>Johnson F. Springston</u>	<u>died without descent,</u>
	Residence: <u>Nannie. Springston</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Sarah. Arledge, nee, Springston,</u>	<u>my mother dead</u>
	Indian name: <u>Susie. Rider,</u>	<u>" " " "</u>
	Residence: <u>Ruth. Mays.</u>	<u>" " " "</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Jennie. Springston.</u>	<u>" " "</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: 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 great grandmother, Elizabeth Elliot, lived in Cherokee Nation last in, 1835.

REMARKS.

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

my grandmother Sallie, Springston, nee, Elliot, had the following brothers and sisters who died without descent, Agnes, Charlotte, Walter A. James and Abigail Elliot. also Uncle John Elliot and his daughter Agnes Elliot, who was born in 1851 both of whom are dead 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.) Margaret Gates nee Ross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires May, 11, 1910., 190

J. M. McKison  
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 ..... and ..... 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 ..... for 14 years and 10 years, respectively, and know ..... to be the identical person ..... represents ..... to be, and that the statements made by ..... are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in ..... claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Wm. Brown  
Wm. Pittman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires May, 11, 1910., 190

J. M. McKison  
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. 1395

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Margaret Gates*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN *Eoff*

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 23 1907 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. 13935

1. State your full name: Margaret G. (New Eoff)
2. Residence and post office: Catoosa Ind. T.
3. ~~County:~~ Dist # 4
4. State: Ind. T.
5. Date and place of birth: Sept 14, 1881 at Catoosa Ind. T.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Marian Eoff. Age 25.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? New. white,
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Arvil V. Rass</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1898</u>
(2)	<u>Olma V. Rass</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1900</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 Indians, at Pledge, Ct. 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) Margaret G. (New Eoff)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of May 1907.

J. M. Wilson  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires May 11, 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 John Reynolds and C W Benedict who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Margaret Bates <sup>now Coff</sup> who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 15 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 has no 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.

John Reynolds  
Charles W Benedict

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of May, 1907.

J M Addison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 11, 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. 1396

Action: Admitted

Name: *Hiram Elliott* and 6 - children. Residence: *Big Cabin, Okla.*

Reasons:

*For grounds for enrollment see Special Report  
herein.*

No. 1396

Name Hiram Elliott

With No. ~~1396~~

Remarks. 2nd Field

See note appended

No. 1396 Missing

Name Hiram Elliott

With No. 2nd Field

Remarks:

No. 45116

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

**Hiram Elliott**

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.

Rec OCT 24 1906

No.

**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: **Hiram Elliott**  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: **Indian Territory**
3. Town and post office: **Big Cabin Indian Territory**
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Date and place of birth: **May 22nd 1858 Saline 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:  
**I claim a share in my fathers' Arch Elliott and mother, Rachel Elliott, nee Smith. A share in my grandmothers' Elizabeth Elliott nee Foreman. A share in Walter Elliott', an uncle. Also James Elliott, an uncle. A share in an aunts' Jenie Elliott, also Nancy Elliott, an aunt. Also Charlotte Elliott, an aunt.**
8. Are you married? **Yes**
9. Name and age of wife or husband:  
**Callie Elliott aged 38 years**
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: **Arch Elliott**  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: **Rachel Elliott**  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: **Rachel Smith, a fullblood Cherokee**
11. Where were they born?  
Father: **In old Nation**  
Mother: **Dont know**
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: **In Saline District Cherokee Nation**  
Mother: **In Saline District Cherokee Nation.**
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: **February 20 1894.** Mother: **In 1866**

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: **They drew in 1851. Father drew in 1875, in 1880, 1883, 1886, 1900 and heirs drew in 1904 for his estate**

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	John Elliott		<del>xxxx</del>
	Jesse Elliott		April 15 1876
(2)	Walter Elliott		<del>xxxx</del> Nov 24 1892
(3)	Agnes Elliott		In 1870
(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
John Elliott	Dont know ( fullbloods)
Elizabeth Elliott	Dont know "

17. Where were they born?

**In old Nation**

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

**Father dead. Mother in Saline District**

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

(1)	English name: Arch Elliott.	Feb 20th 1894
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(2)	English name: Jack Elliott (John)	In about 1849
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(3)	English name: walter Elliott	In about 1864
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(4)	English name: James Elliott	About 1893
	Indian name: Charlotte Elliott	About 1884
	Residence:	
(5)	English name: George Elliott	About 1898
	Indian name: Sallie Elliott	In 1874
	Residence: Jennie Elliott	In 1867
	Nancy Elliott	In 1868

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. **Drew in 1875, 1880, 1883, 1886, 1900 and 1904**

**Now have an 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: \_\_\_\_\_

Have already given this. \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

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

This is all the information I can give from what I know and can learn from 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.) Hiram Elliott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Oct 3, 1908

D. S. Gault  
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 T. M. Buffington and L. B. Bell

\_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Hiram Elliott

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

Signatures of witnesses.

T. M. Buffington  
L. B. Bell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1908

D. S. Gault  
Notary Public.

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No. 1396

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Hiram Elliott*

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. No. JUN 13 1907 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. 139 L.

1. State your full name: Hiram Elliott
2. Residence and post office: Big Cabin
3. County: (2nd Rec Dist) Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind Terr
5. Date and place of birth: May 22 1858 in Salina Dist Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Callie Elliott 39 yr. old
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)	Hiram Elliott Jr.	14 yr.	Nov. 26-1892
(2)	Samuel J. Elliott	12 yr.	July 5-1894
(3)	Jera M. Elliott	11 yr.	Feb 26-1896
(4)	Lucillus Elliott	7 yr.	Aug 25-1899
(5)	Lucien B. Elliott	5 yr.	July 27-1901
(6)	Ruth Elliott	2 yr.	May 24-1905

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians. Hiram Elliott was strip money in 1894 also had allotment, as Cherokee

REMARKS

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

All except the (6th) were filed at Muskogee Jan 9-1905. all Cherokees  
(6th) Ruth Elliott was filed Apr. 8-1907 at Muskogee Cherokee

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

(Signature) Hiram Elliott

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

Robert S. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 7-1910, 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 S. W. Trout and Johnson Sanderson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Hiram Elliott who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 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.

S. W. Trout

Johnson Sanderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of June, 1907.

Robert G. ...

Notary Public.

My commission expires May 7 - 1910, 190 .

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No. ....

In the ..... Court

of ..... County

State of Oklahoma

VS

PAUL F. MACKEY

Attorney for .....

State of Oklahoma

SS.

Craig County

D. W. C. Duncan, being first duly sworn, on his oath says that he is eighty-one years of age and that he is a native Cherokee and came to the Indian Territory (now the Eastern part of Oklahoma) in the year Eighteen hundred and thirty-four. That in 1853 he was personally acquainted with the Elliott family who resided in a place called Lynches Prairie in Saline District, Cherokee Nation. That at that time and since the said Elliott family were regarded as a native Cherokee family. That affiant was personally acquainted with the widowed mother of said family, whose name was Elizabeth Elliot nee Foreman. That the date and place of her birth is unknown to this affiant. That ~~I am~~ <sup>he is</sup> personally acquainted with a number of her children who are as follows: Walter A. Elliott, James Elliott, Abigail Elliott, Archibald Elliott, George W. Elliott, ~~Geniveve Coats, nee Elliott, Sallie Springston, nee Elliott, Nannie Carter, nee Elliott.~~ Geniveve Coats, nee Elliott, Sallie Springston, nee Elliott, Nannie Carter, nee Elliott. That about in the year 1853 and two years thereafter affiant taught school in the Cherokee Nation in the Indian Territory. That said school was called the Requah School and was established by the Cherokee Nation and only Cherokee children were permitted to attend. All negroes and white children were excluded from said school. During the time that I taught said school all of the above named children attended the same as Cherokee children, and were so regarded. Affiant never saw the father of said children as he died before affiant became acquainted with the Elliott family. Affiant was informed then and believes that the father of said children was assassinated. That said mother and her children were at all times regarded as Cherokees and they enjoyed all the rights of Cherokees. That said mother belonged to the Foreman family of Cherokees, which Foreman family were emigrants from Georgia to the Indian Territory under the Cherokee Treaty of 1835. That during the years following 1853 it was generally believed that the Foremans all came from the same family. That one, Tom Foreman was then known and regarded as the origin of the Foreman family. That the mother of Tom Foreman was a full blood Cherokee Indian from the State of Georgia.

That affiant ~~affiant~~ is well versed in the history of the

tribe known as the Cherokees and of that part of them known as the Eastern Cherokees and affiant believes that the said Elliott family are descendents of the said Eastern Cherokees. That affiant is in no way related to the said Elliott family or the said Foreman family and is in no way interested in the objects of this affidavit.

D. W. C. Duncan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1909.

Henry R. Warner  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires on the

9th day of June, 1910.

State of Oklahoma  
Craig County SS.

James Madison Bell, being first duly sworn on his oath says that he is seventy-nine years of age and that he is a native Cherokee Indian, born in the State of Georgia and came to Indian Territory in 1839. In 1852 he became personally acquainted with Elizabeth Elliott in the Cherokee Nation. That she lived close to affiant at a place in the Cherokee Nation called Lynches Prairie. She was a half sister's child of affiant's mother. Her mother's name was Jennie Foster. That Jennie Foster was a half sister of Charlotte Adair nee Bell the mother of affiant. That the said Charlotte Adair was a half blood Cherokee Indian who lived in Georgia and was born in South Carolina and died in Alabama. That affiant knew personally all of the Elliott family and remembers the following children: John Elliott, Walter A Elliott, James Elliott, Abigail Elliott, Archibald Elliott, George W. Elliott, Geniveve Coats nee Elliott, Sallie Springston nee Elliott and Nannie Carter nee Elliott. That affiant knew personally the husband of the said Elizabeth Elliott and the father of said children, to-wit: Jack Elliott who was a white man and who became involved in the quarrel among the Cherokees over the Treaty of 1835 and was killed. The date of his death was shortly after 1846. He was in favor of the Treaty and was with Stan. Watie at Fort Wayne near Mayesville, Arkansas. in 1845 and 6 and upon his returning home was assassinated. The said Elliott family were always regarded as a part of the Eastern Cherokees and enjoyed all the rights and privileges of that people. Affiant believes that the names of several of the above named children appear upon the emigrant roll of 1851. Affiant is well acquainted with the history of the Eastern Cherokees and believes that the said Elliott family were a part of said Eastern Cherokees. Affiant knew the Foreman family who were Eastern Cherokees and that all of the Foremans were regarded as of the same family.

*James Madison Bell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1909.

*W. M. Simms*  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires on the  
23<sup>rd</sup> day of ~~March~~ *August*, 1912.

Misc.

Appl. #1196-~~101~~ 3254

Hiram Elliott being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Hiram Elliott. I live at Big Cabin, Okla. I was enrolled by the Dawes Commission. My number is #8422. My father was a Cherokee. I could not say whether he was an Immigrant or not. My mother was a full blood. I heard my father say that he drew money in 1852. My father's name was Arch Elliott. My mother's maiden name was Rachel Smith. She was living in Saline District at the time she married my father. I could not tell you what Rachel Smith's mother was name. I don't know whether she had any sisters or not. I was born in 1858. My grandmother, Elizabeth Elliott, was living in 1852. My grandfather, John Elliott, was not living in 1852. Elizabeth Elliott was a Cherokee Indian. I have a brother older than I am. He was two years older. I did not have any sisters that drew money in 1852. My father was not married in 1852. His father was dead then. He was living with his mother. I don't know her maiden name. I suppose my father was the oldest child. My father came out here with the Immigrants with his father and mother. I never drew U.S. money. My father had a sister Jennie Elliott. She married a man name W. Henson. Before that a man named Hudge. She ever married a man named Wister as I know of. She never had a daughter named Elizabeth.

Hiram Elliott

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Vinita, Okla. this 14th day of October, 1908.

Harry C. Black.

Ass't to Special Commissioner,  
U. S. Court of Claims.

Special Report on Application No. 1396 et al.

Claimant claims his Indian descent through his mother and father and is enrolled by the Dawes Commission, No. 8422. His father was Arch Elliott and Arch Elliott derives his Indian blood through his mother whose maiden name was Elizabeth Foreman. Elizabeth Foreman married one John Elliott who came to the Indian Territory from the State of Georgia about 1838. John Elliott was a white man and was killed in Indian Territory in the forties. He had several children, amongst them were James, Walter, Abigail, George, Nannie (who married a Carter) and Sallie or Sarah (who married Anderson Springston). They have a son living by the name of John L. Springston, who has filed application No. 447 (See Del. 748). It does not appear that any of the other children of John and Elizabeth Elliott were enrolled in 1851, but in 1835 John Elliott was enrolled in the state of Georgia, Page 51 on the roll of 1835, as an affiliated white, and his wife was evidently a half-breed as there is one half-breed enrolled, and the others who were apparently children living at that time, are given as quadroons. It appears that the grandchildren of John Elliott have shared in all the recent payments of the Cherokees, and it is shown by the testimony of a number of witnesses, that the children of John Elliott and Elizabeth were considered and recognized as Eastern or Emigrant Cherokees and were probably left off the roll of 1851 by reason of some political difference existing at that time. (See Miscel. Test. Pages 3674, 4363, 4350 and 4356, and the affidavits of D. W. C. Duncan and James M. Bell, filed herewith). No. 1396 is the cousin of James Elliott, No. 2993 on their father's side. It would also appear that the mother of No. 1396 and the mother's brother, Jesse, were enrolled by Drennen in 1851, Del. 547.

FER



#1396

Hiram Elliot, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:-

My name is Hiram Elliot; I am 51 years old; I claim my Indian blood thru both parents. My fathers name was Arch Elliot. My father was about a half-blood. He died in 1894; He was about 70 years old when he died; My mothers maiden name was Rachel Smith; Father and mother lived together from 1858 to 1865; my mother was my fathers first wife; in 1851 my father was living with his mother: she was a widow at that time; in the family at that time were Jennie, Sallie, who married Anderson Springston, I think before 1851; Nannie, who was married in 1851 to Ben Carter; Arch, Wat, George, James and Jack Elliot, who went to Cal/ in 1849, and Abbie. I have heard my father say that he drew in the 1851 payment at Fort Gibson. He was on the Strip payment roll;

My fathers mother was Elizabeth Elliot; Elizabeth was married only to my father. She never married again; I do not think my father was born in this country; he was born in Ga. He came out here under the treaty of 1835;

My fathers fathers name was Jack Elliot, or John Elliot. He came to the west. He was a white man. He died sometime between 1840 and 1850: He was not living in 1851: I do not know how many of my fathers brothers and sisters were living in 1835; I never heard my fathers say how many of his brothers and sisters came out with them to the Indian Territory;

I do not know who my mothers mother was; My mother has one brother; his name was Jess Smith; I do not know the names of any of the sisters of my mother: My mother went by the name of Smith in 1851; I do not know with whom she was living in 1851; when my mother and father were married they were living in either Delaware or Saline Districts; Jess Smith died in 1863 or 1864: John Smith is his son: He lives at Kansas, Okla. He is the only child living. I never heard of any sister by the name of Sarah Smith. My mother died in 1863-64; I never knew who was my mothers mother. I never knew any of the aunts or uncles of my mother: I do not know any of the neighbors of my mother in 1851: ( See Del 547 ? ) Jess Smith was older than my mother, I think;

I was on the roll of 1880. I received the Strip Payment: My father was always known as an Emigrant Cherokee. I dont know for certain about my mother. I never heard it said when my mother came out to this country: I never heard one way or the other whether my mother was and Emigrant or an Old Settler; My wife is a white woman;

*possibly of strong Del 547. but Claimant is unable to state who his mothers parents were and dont know how to get any information more than the above*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1929,  
at Pryor Creek, Okla.

*took up Cousin John Smith*

Assistant to the Special Commissioner of the U. S.  
Court of Claims.

*Claimant shows Indian blood to marked degree*

*4363*

#1396

David I. Elliot, in behalf of Hiram Elliot and others,  
being first duly sworn, deposes and says:-

I am 56 years old; I know Hiram Elliot;  
And his grandfather, Jack Elliot, and my grandfather, Joseph Elliot  
were half brothers on their fathers side; Jack Elliot was a white  
man and had not Indian Blood; But He married a Cherokee Woman;  
He also went by the name of John Elliot, that is, Hiram's grandfather;  
I believe that George was the oldest of Jack Elliot's Children;  
I first became acquainted with George in 1869; he was about 35 or 40  
year old at that time. I do not know whether Jack Elliot ever came  
to the West or not;--- ~~I have been told that Jack Elliot married an~~  
~~Indian woman by the name of Rachel Henson; I do not know who~~  
~~were the parents of Rachel Henson; I do not know whether Rachel~~  
~~Henson is an Old Settler or not; Rachel Henson ::::~~  
George Elliot married a woman by the name of Rachel Henson; She was  
part Cherokee. I do not know whether she was an Old Settler or  
an Emigrant. I do not know the names of any of the brothers and  
sisters of Rachel Henson; I do not know who were the parents of  
Rachel Henson were: George Elliot did have a sister who married a  
Springston. I do not know what her first name was: She has a  
son now living at Vian, Okla by the name of John Springston. The  
father of John Springston was a white man I think; I do not know  
who Jack Elliot married; I do not know when Jack Elliot was first  
married or whether he was married more than once: I have heard that  
he married an Indian woman; From the appearance of George Elliot  
and Arch Elliot they must have been one quarter Cherokees; All  
their children were enrolled by the Laws Commission thru their mothers  
side; I do not know how George and Arch Elliot were registered  
in this country, whether Emigrant Cherokees or Old Settlers:

*For further testimony as to Elliot relationships  
or those of Act of Congress roll  
See in Case 11732*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, 1909,  
at Pryor Creek, Okla.

Assistant to the Special Commissioner of the U. S.  
Court of Claims.

41350

# 2993-1396

says:- James E. Elliot, being first duly sworn, deposes and

I am 34 years old; I get my Indian blood thru both my father and mother; I am a first cousin of Hiram Elliot on my fathers side; I have always understood that my father was an Emigrant. I have always understood that my mother was an Old Settler. Her fathers name was William Henson;- I do not know the names of the brothers and sisters of my mother; My mothers parents were Jim or James Henson. I do not know where my mother gets her Indian Blood; I did not share in the Old Settler payment of 1896; my mothers birthplace I do not know; I was very small when my mother died; I was only about 12 years old; my mother was about 40 when she died; I never heard my mother say that she ever drew Old Settler money. My father drew about \$160/00 Old Settler money in 1896. He drew mothers share at that time. I do not know whether my mother was living in 1851 or not;

My father was George W. Elliot; My fathers father was John Elliot; I was enrolled by the Dawes Commission. I think I was enrolled in 1880. I was enrolled and drew the Strip Payment. My father was about 54 when he died and has been dead 11 years; I do not know when my father came to the country. I think he was living here in 1851; He was living in Saline District in 1851; I think both of my grandparents were Cherokees; I do not know when Elizabeth Foreman died. she died since the war; I do not know whether she was ever married to another man or not; I have a full brother named John. I have heard my father say that he was an Emigrant Cherokee/ I have heard him say that he was on the Emigrant Roll of 1851;

*Can't find claimants ancestors so as to identify on rolls. He is to get a statement from old man Jim Bell as to who his mothers brothers and sisters and parents were. No one here seems to know much about the Elliot side except that they were said to be Emigrants. Thinks his mothers people are old Settlers*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, 1909,  
at Pryor Creek, Okla.

*and don't think much of claim on fathers side. Hiram Elliot is probably O.K. on his mothers side*

Assistant to the Special Commissioner of the U. S.  
Court of Claims.

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Simon Lynch being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 79 years of age. I knew James Elliot. I also knew his father George from the time that he was a baby. George was about fifteen when the war broke out. His eldest brother was Arch. His other brothers were Jack, James, George. He had a sister named Abba, another Jennie, who married Anderson Springston. Arch was a grown man at the time the war broke out. He was married at the time of the war and had children ten or eleven years old at that time. I was living about 6 miles from Spavinaw at the time of the war. The Elliot family lived about two miles south of us. I came out from Ga. at the time of the Emigration. The Elliots did not come with us from the East. They came out about a year later. The father of Arch Elliot was Jack Elliot. At the time they came out here Jack Elliot had only one son, Arch Elliot. Jack Elliot came out here also. The mother of Arch was a Foreman before she was married. I don't know what her given name was. I judge that the mother of Arch was a half-blood Cherokee. Jack Elliot was a white man. Jack Elliot was killed about five years after he came out here. He was shot while in his field. Arch's mother never married again. She died after the war. Jack Elliot came out here with a bunch of Indians who came out here of their own free will. The soldiers did not come with them. I do not know from what place Jack Elliot came from the East. Jack Elliot's wife was a Cherokee and spoke the Cherokee tongue. After the death of Jack Elliot, his wife was taken care of by Arch. Arch and his mother were always regarded as Cherokees. I remember the payment of 1851 at Fort Gibson. I was present at the payment and Arch Elliot came home with us from the payment. I don't know whether Arch Elliot got money at that time or not. I never heard Arch say whether he got his money or not;

Tom Foreman was the father of the wife of Jack Elliot. Tom was a Cherokee; Tom Foreman had a son by the name of Ned Foreman; These are the only children I know; Tom and Ned Foreman were not living in 1851; The Cherokees recognized the Elliot family as Cherokees. They were always with the Cherokees, went with them whenever they moved; Tom and Ned Foreman died about four or five years before the payment of 1852. I did not know Tom Foreman or Ned Foreman in the East. The wife of Tom Foreman was very nearly a white woman. I don't know from what place Tom Foreman came in the East. I never knew him before he came to the Territory;

*This witness is said to be a reputable old Darkey. Everybody says these young Elliotts and their father were always considered Cherokees.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1909, at Spavinaw, Okla.

Assistant to the Special Commissioner of the U. S. Court of Claims.

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Special Report on Application No. 1396 et al.

Claimant claims his Indian descent through both his father and mother and is enrolled by the Dawes Commission No. 8422. His father was Arch Elliott and Arch Elliott derives his Indian blood through his mother, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Foreman. Elizabeth Foreman married one John Elliott who came to the Indian Territory from the state of Georgia about 1838. John Elliott is a white man and was killed in Indian Territory in the forties. He had several children, amongst whom were James, Walter, Abigail, George, Nannie (who married Carter) and Sallie or Sarah (who married ~~xxxxxxx~~ Anderson Springston). They have a son living by the name of John L. Springston who has filed an application No. 447 (See Del. 748). It does not appear that any of the other children of John and Elizabeth Elliott were enrolled in 1851 but in 1835 John Elliott was enrolled in the state of Georgia, Page 51 on the roll of 1835, as an affiliated white, and his wife was evidently a half-breed as there is one half-breed enrolled and others ~~xxxxxxx~~ who are apparently children living at that time, are given as quadroons. It appears that the grandchildren of John Elliott have shared in all the recent payments of the Cherokees and it is shown by the testimony of a number of witnesses that the children of John Elliott and Elizabeth were considered and recognized as ~~Cherokees~~ Eastern or Emigrant Cherokees and were probably left off the roll of 1851 by reason of some political difference existing at that time. (See Miscel. Testimony Pages 3674, 4363, 4350, 4356 and the affidavits of D. W. C. Duncan and James M. Bell, filed herewith).

No. 1396 is ~~xxxxxxx~~ the cousin of James Elliott, No. 2993 on their father's side. It would also appear that the mother of No. 1396 and mother's brother, Jesse, were enrolled by Drennen in 1851, Del. 547.

**DAVID I. ELLIOTT**

CITY TAX ASSESSOR

*Pryor Creek, Okla.* 3/25/1909.

Mr. F. D. Ryan,  
Tahlequah, Okla.

My Dear Sir:-

I herewith hand you a Brief and History of my case, which I have placed in the hands of my friends in Congress, I send it to you so that you can file it with your papers in my case should you so desire, and I also enclose a letter written by William P. Ross, which you can use, also, if you wish, you will see that Mr. Ross speaks of the letter I gave you on Sunday morning you were here in this place, which was written by the Indian Department.

Mr. Ryan, if you do not care to use the enclosures please return them to me, and if you use them please send me a copy of the letter, also a copy of the other letter I gave you when you were here, and certify to them, please, if it is not too much trouble.

I have heard from Mr. Teague and he is to be in Tahlequah to see you, and I have also heard from William Hillin, who is now located in Claremore, Okla., but I do not know whether he will go to see you or not, I written him to go and he stated that he would if it was possible for him to go, he is not so very well, so he writes me.

With best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

*D. I. Elliott*

*To my father*

11  
12 Fort Gibson July 25<sup>th</sup> 1872

13 Mr David Elliott

14 Dear Sir:

15 I write you a  
16 letter by Dr Prewitz, to say that I obtained in  
17 Washington an official statement of the Valua-  
18 tion of your improvements in the "Old Nation"  
19 to the emigration of the Cherokees. The evidence  
20 is conclusive that you have been regarded  
21 and treated as a Cherokee by the Indian  
22 Bureau. And in the absence of <sup>positive</sup> evidence  
23 to the contrary, should leave no  
24 doubt respecting your claims to citizenship.

25 I am very respectfully &c

26 Will P. Ross

27 Executive Department &c

28 Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> 1895-

29 A true copy of letter of Will P. Ross, to  
30 David Elliott

W. H. Mays

31 asst-Executive Secty

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BRIEF AND HISTORY OF THE DAVID I. ELLIOTT CITIZENSHIP CASE.

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My great grand father, Joe Elliott, was married twice; His first wife was a white woman, by whom he had several children; His second wife was a half blood Cherokee, by whom he had two children, a son and daughter; This son was my grand father; The daughter, Peggy, married a white man by the name of Sutton Stephens; My grand father and Sutton Stephens both were granted a reservation under the Cherokee treaty of 1817, and 19, in Jackson County Alabama.

*Joe Elliott*  
My grand father had the following named children, George, Winford, William, Richard, John, James, Joe, David, Mahala Hillin, Polly Vaughn and Frankie Killingsworth, and all of their names will be found upon the Cherokee rolls made in Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee, in 1835, and 6, and all other rolls made since that date, up to and including the roll of 1851, and 2.

My father, David Elliott, left Alabama in 1852, or 3, to come to Cherokee Nation West, and settled in Texas where he lived until in 1871, when he moved to the Cherokee Nation, and after arriving here he made application for citizenship before the Supreme Court of the Cherokee Nation, and the said Court rendered a favorable report in the case and referred it to the National Council for final consideration, but the Council never took action on the case; And in 1878, the Chambers Citizenship Court tried the case and rejected it; John F. Lyons, who was the Attorney for the Nation, in making his plea to the court stated, that our grand father took a Reservation in the old Nation, and that debarred us of our rights in this country; And that was the grounds taken by the court to reject us; And I got an affidavit from Mr. Lyons stating these facts, and I got affidavits from Joel B. Mayes and B. F. Adair, stating that their fathers took a Reservation under the same Treaty my grand father did, and also stating that they were recognized citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and were holding high Offices; These affidavits were filed in the Indian Department by Col. J. M. Bryant; And it certainly seems to me, that if, the reservation deprived me of rights it certainly would have debarred the Mayes's and Adair's, and hundred's of others that are living in this country on their allotments, and are recognized citizens, and a great many of them come to the country long after I came, but such is not the case, therefore I should be placed upon the rolls and allowed an allotment, because it is my inherited rights, and right and justice demand it.

In 1888, what was known as the Mayes and Harnage Citizenship Court granted us another hearing and we employed one C. H. Taylor, a Cherokee attorney, to look after our interest and he failed to file the evidence in the case, and of course we were rejected by this Court also.

In 1896, I filed the case with the Dawes Commission and was rejected by said Commission, and I appealed the case to the United States Court, and the case was referred to a Special Master who rendered a favorable report in the case, and Judge Springer rejected the case, and I carried it to the United States Supreme Court, and that Court claimed that they had no jurisdiction.

Under Section I, of the Act of April 26, 1906, I filed a motion with the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for a reopening and reconsideration of the case, and the motion was denied, as will be shown by the following, which was written by Secretary Hitchcock to Commissioner Bixby under date of March 4, 1907, in part as follows:-

"The Department concurs in the recommendation made, inasmuch as none of the applicants names appear upon any of the Cherokee rolls in your possession."

Let us see what there is in this statement, and the truthfulness of the statement; Here is a letter written by T. J. D. Fuller, Second Auditor of the Treasury Department, to Mrs. Matilda Dukes, a Cherokee, Dangerfield, Titus County Texas, dated December 2, 1858, as follows:-

"You will receive from the Treasury, U.S. the sum of \$278.48, in payment of \$92.82, due to yourself and each of your minor children, William and Mahala."

*Matilda Dukes*  
*The above letter was written to Mrs. Matilda Dukes, a Cherokee, Dangerfield, Titus County Texas, dated December 2, 1858.*

Here is a letter written by Commissioner, F.A. Walker, dated March 21, 1872, and addressed to William P. Ross, a Cherokee Delegate, as follows:-

"I am in receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. requesting to be furnished with a certified statement of payments made to David Elliott, under the treaty of 1835, and 6, with the Cherokee Nation.

In reply I have to state that the records of the Indian Office shows that a payment of \$708.75, was made on the 3rd of April 1838, to one David Elliott, of Creek Path, of Jackson County Alabama, for valuation of improvements under said treaty."

Here is a letter, in part, written by Mrs. Belava A. Lockwood, of Washington, D.C. dated Jan. 9, 1908, and addressed to me, as follows:-

"I went to the Commissioner's Office today, and found him looking up your case, which I had taken him about three days ago; I had taken him a little more evidence, as I had read up on the roll of 1835, and the Reservation roll; To my surprise he said that he did not need any more evidence, that the whole family of Elliott's were put on the roll under an Act of Congress of January 1852, and that he had the list; He had traced your people all out, excepting, he found Mahala Hillin, Pelly Vaughn and Frankie Killingsworth, but could not trace the latter and her children."

Here is a portion of a letter written by Messrs. Howe and Wright, attorneys of Washington, D.C. dated March 25, 1908, and addressed to my cousin, John W. Vaughn, of Plumerville, Ark. as follows:-

"In reply to your favor of March 21st, referring to the Act of Congress roll, now in the office of the Special Commissioner, it appears that Pelly Vaughn, (daughter of old Joseph), received the sum of \$371.28, the same being a per-capita payment of \$92.82, for herself and children as follows, Martha, Mary II, and David. Poly Vaughn is listed on this roll under the number 7031. Under number 7032, appears the name Josiah E. Vaughn, (son of Pelly Vaughn), who received \$92.82. David Elliott, (also a son of old Joseph), and his six children appear upon this roll and received money.

In making a careful examination of the records, we are of the opinion that you have already made out a strong case, in our opinion, we believe the claim will go through upon the present showing, unless something develops which would entirely change the situation, which is highly improbable. Your family unquestionably prove up through a number of ancestors who were undoubtedly parties to the old treaty of 1835, and were Cherokees residing East at that date."

Hitchcock further states in this same letter and in the same paragraph, as follows:-

"and under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved May 31, 1900, (31 Stat., 221), there appears to be no authority of law for placing the names of the persons embraced in this case upon the rolls of the Cherokee citizen. Said motion for a reopening and reconsideration thereof is denied."

Now, let us investigate this statement and see what there is in it, so we will cite the Act of June 28, 1892, Section 21, which is as follows:-

"That in making rolls of citizens of the several tribes, as required by law, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized and directed to take the roll of Cherokee citizen of 1880, (not including Freedman) as the only roll intended to be confirmed by this and preceding acts of Congress, and to enroll all persons now living whose names are found on said rolls, and all descendants born since the date of said roll to persons whose names are found thereon; and all persons who have been enrolled by the tribal authorities who have heretofore made

permanent settlement in the Cherokee Nation whose parents, by reason of their Cherokee blood, have been lawfully admitted to citizenship by the tribal authorities, and who were minors when their parents were so admitted; and they shall investigate the right of all other persons whose names are found on any other roll, and omit all such as may have been placed thereon by fraud or without authority of law, enrolling only such as may have lawful rights thereto, and their descendants borne since such rolls were made, with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws."

The above law states, "and they", (the Commission), shall investigate the right of all other persons whose names are found on any other roll;" Now, what is the meaning of this word, "SHALL", in this case? It is a command, commanding the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes to enroll all that have lawful rights; Now, who has lawful rights? All persons now living whose names are found on any roll, and all descendants born since the date of said roll to the persons whose names are found thereon.

Section 42, of the Act of May 31, 1900, states as follows, "Such rolls shall in all other respects be made in strict compliance with the provisions of Section 21, of the Act of June 28, 1898?" Hence, you will observe that two years after the law was enacted authorizing the Commission to enroll us people, Congress again commanded the Commission to enroll us people; The law does not require the claimant to go to the Commission, it was the intention of Congress that the Commission should look these people up and enroll them, as to proof of this I will refer you to the opinion of the Assistant Attorney General, and letters written by different branches of the Indian Department, which you will find quoted from on pages 4 and 5 of this Brief.

It is clear from the above acts that it was the intention of Congress to give to every person of Cherokee blood an allotment whether on the 1880, roll or any other roll; The distinction Congress makes between the 1880, roll and other rolls is that, that all names on the 1880, roll are confirmed, whether placed thereon by fraud or not; But, of the other rolls, the Commission is given authority to omit all names not legally thereon; The right to omit is limited to fraud, and where there is no authority of law.

Acting Commissioner, C.F. Larrabee, under date of March 2, 1907, in a letter addressed to Secretary Hitchcock states in part as follows:-

"The papers in the case has not been, up to the present time, received from Commissioner Bixby, although his special messenger has arrived in the city, and since the work of the Department on all enrollment cases of the Five Civilized Tribes must be completed on March 4, 1907, it is recommended, in the absence of the records, there being sufficient now before the Department to justify action, that the application be rejected, because of the fact that they were rejected by the United States Court in 1898."

If the action of the United States Court in 1898, was final, why did Congress place Section 21, in the Act of June 28, 1898? And why did Congress refer to said section 21, of the Act of June 28, 1898, in the Act of May 31, 1900? And why did Congress pass the Act of April 26, 1906, allowing the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes to review these cases, and to hear new evidence? And why did the Commissioner receive my motion to reopen my case, and hold it up in Muskogee nine months before sending it to Washington? You can see that the Indian Department simply ignored the Acts of Congress; There is a grand mistake some place, and it should be corrected, in order that right and justice be done us people.

I filed a motion for a reopening and reconsideration of my case with Commissioner Bixby on June 7, 1906, and it was held up in Muskogee nine months before it was sent to Washington, which was on February 28, 1907, just four days before the rolls were to close, had the case been sent in, as it should have been, so that I could have been represented before the Department and showed that my people's names were on the rolls, and showed up the laws as they exist Secretary Hitchcock would

have had to enroll me, according to his own statement, but, Bixby was looking out for that and was determined that such good luck should happen to me; It is very plain to be seen, that it was a scheme, concocted by Bixby and Hastings, to hold the case up in Muskogee and send it out just in time to get to Washington and be delivered on the 4th. of March the day the rolls were to close, in order to keep me from being represented; And as Larrabee states, "there being sufficient now before the Department to justify action", shows all the more plainer the scheme to hold it up in order that I could not be represented and in that way I would be deprived of being represented, and in that way I would be deprived of my inherited rights.

Under date of April 16, 1906, the Assistant Attorney General of the United States rendered an opinion, which was approved by the Department the same day, the opinion is in part as follows:-

"I am of opinion that no one can read section 27, incorporating into it the provisions of the Acts of 1898, and 1900, as modified, without admitting that the Commission must investigate the right of all other persons whose names are found on any other roll than that of 1880. That duty arrises the moment it appears to the Commission that one claims citizenship in the nation whose name is borne on any tribal roll."

And he farther states in this same opinion as follows:-

"There is in the statute nowhere expressed an intent to deprive any enrolled Cherokee citizen of rights in the nation and distributive share of the common property by his failure by any particular date to make application for inscription on the roll to be prepared by the Commission. I am therefore of opinion that such enrolled person is not barred, if, at any time before completion of the roll, he calls attention of the Commission to his being on a roll indicated, and asks a hearing upon his rights, and that no reason exist for reconsideration of said action of the Department."

On October 17, 1905, the Assistant Commissioner Larrabee, in a letter addressed to the Secretary of the Interior, states in part as follows:-

"The Cherokees removed to the Indian Territory in 1835, and all rolls prepared during that year, or since that year, should be examined by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, with a view to determining whether the persons whose names appear on such rolls, if living, or their descendants, are entitled to enrollment."

In the closing remarks of said letter he farther states as follows:-

"and that the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes will not have performed the duty required of it by law until the names of all persons which appear upon any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation shall have been accounted for, and it is respectfully recommended that the Commissioner be so advised, and that the position taken by the Assistant Attorney General in opinion of June 19, be followed."

On April 25, 1906, the Hon. Assistant Secretary, Thomas Ryan, in a letter addressed to Commissioner Bixby states as follows:)

"In your report of September 19, 1905, you requested that the Department reconsider its approval of the opinion of the Assistant Attorney General of June 19, 1905, relative to the enrollment of George Tinney as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

The papers relative to Tinney's enrollment, together with your report of September 19, 1905, were referred to the Assistant Attorney General for opinion, April 16, 1906, he rendered an opinion in the matter, which was approved by the Department the same day. A copy of this opinion, in which the Assistant Attorney General adheres to the views expressed in his opinion of June 19, 1905, is inclosed. By it you will be guided in similar cases."

On May 31, 1907, the Hon. Secretary of the Interior in a letter addressed to the Hon. A. S. Burleson, M. C., states in part as follows:-

"The records in the case show that the Elliott family applied for enrollment under an act of Congress of June 10, 1896, (26 Stat. I., 329, 339), and was rejected. Under that law the adverse decision was final. No law subsequently was passed which altered the situation as to the Cherokee Nation. Neither the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, nor the Secretary of the Interior have since that time had authority to review the decision then rendered in Cherokee cases, so that when the case was before the Department in March it was without power to grant the relief prayed for."

In reply to the above statement will refer you to the Acts of 1898, and 1900, which is quoted from on pages 2 and 3; And the opinion of the Assistant Attorney General, and letters written by different branches of the Indian Department, which you will find quoted from on pages 4 and 5; Now, if the Hon. Secretary is correct in this matter, why all this legislation, Opinion and letter writing?

I wish to call your attention to a letter written by Secretary Hitchcock, dated March 4, 1907, the day the Rolls closed, addressed to Commissioner Bixby, which is in part as follows:-

"The Department concurs in the recommendation made in as much as none of the applicants names appear upon any of the Cherokee rolls in your possession."

It will be seen here that the views of the Department at that time and those of the present Secretary conflicted in this matter Hitchcock does not attempt to deny but what there was a law on which they could reject the case, but as none of my people's names could be found upon any of the rolls in possession of the Commissioner, we were not entitled to enrollment; All the way through, in all the correspondence I have had with the Department, it is claimed, "on the rolls in your possession," from this, it would appear that there is other rolls not in possession of the Commissioner Bixby, and if this be true, it certainly seems to me that he should have all rolls, as I knew that there is several of my people, whose names are in my case, as well as that of my father, David Elliott, and his six children, are on the roll of 1851, and 2, and my father's name will be found on other rolls made prior to that, back to, and including the roll of 1835, and 6, and I am inclined to believe that you can't help but believe that my people's names are on the rolls after you have read the letter on pages 1, and 2,.

I wish to call your attention to Mr. Larrabee's letter of October 17, 1905, which is quoted from on page 4, and also the letter he written March 2, 1907, which is quoted from on page 3, note the difference in these two letters; There is quite a difference; If there was a law for writing the first one, there was the same law when the last one was written, and why such a difference I would be glad to know; There must to have been some very great influence brought to bear upon the Department to induce such a change of heart in so short a time, as there was no law enacted by Congress by which could have made the change; And it certainly seems to me that there is something radically wrong here, and it should be investigated, in order that right and justice be done us and my people.

I will say, without the fear of contradiction, that there never has been a time since the United States made the first treaty with the Cherokees, that there has not been a law for the enrolling of a Cherokee Indian that asks to be enrolled; And I will further state, without the fear of contradiction, that, **EVERY PERSON OF CHEROKEE BLOOD HAS A VESTED RIGHT TO AN EQUAL SHARE IN THE COMMON PROPERTY OF THE CHEROKEE NATION;** Can't be successfully contradicted; And if this be true, which it is, we are certainly entitled to an allotment, and an equal interest in the common property of the Cherokee Nation.

These Indian lands are an estate and the Secretary of the Interior is the Administrator, and as such, should see that each and every heir gets its share of the estate, should the administrator fail to do

his duty, or fail to see that the heirs get their share of the estate, especially those who are here claiming it, he is liable for the same, and will have it to pay sooner or latter, as there is no law by which an heir can be deprived of its share of an estate, if it is, the administrator is certainly bound, or in other words, is responsible to the heir for the same; And again, the Indians are the Wards of the Government, and under the treaties, the Government is bound to protect its Wards, and I am certainly expecting the Government to protect me, as one of its Wards, as I am a Cherokee Indian and the Government has been treating my ancestors as such for near one hundred years, and the Indian Department will show this to be true if it is only looked up by one that wishes to find what he is looking for, notwithstanding Bixby says not.

In the Cherokee Treaty of 1828, it was agreed by the United States that all Cherokees, both East and West, should have a home in the Cherokee Nation.

The Cherokee Treaty of 1846, states as follows:-

"That the lands now occupied by the Cherokee Nation shall be secured to the whole Cherokee people for their common use and benefit."

This treaty of 1846, forever settled the rights of all Cherokees, no matter where they were located, to a home in the Cherokee Nation.

There is but two points in this matter; First, If, as stated by Commissioner Bixby, that any of our names, now that of our ancestors, can't be found upon any of the rolls, then we are not entitled to enrollment; Second, If, as I claim, and I do not only claim it, but can prove it by the records of the Indian Department, that there is several of my people's, whose names appear in my case, as well as that of my father, David Elliott, and his six children, are upon the roll of 1851, and 2, and my father's name is on other rolls made prior to the roll of 1851, and 2, back to and including the roll of 1835, and 6, then we are certainly entitled to enrollment.

Now then, if Bixby's statement is correct, I will admit that I am not entitled to enrollment, but, if, on the other hand, my statement is correct then we are certainly entitled to enrollment under existing laws, and I am confident that I have produced evidence enough in this Brief to convince any fair minded man that I am correct in this matter, and if so, should this injustice be allowed to stand, and me and my people be Robbed of our inherited rights?

In submitting to you this Brief and History I am only asking that the laws be made effective which by a technical construction have been rendered ineffective and under which the plain intent of the legislator has been defeated.


I am only asking the enrollment of my people who in compliance with the promises of the officers of this Government went into Court and upon a fair hearing proved they were Cherokee Indians, and who have rights which came to them as an estate of inheritance, and am asking nothing more.

In conclusion, I do most earnestly beg of you to study this matter in the light of the Golden Rule, study well every claim I make, and then do that which your sense of right and justice prompts.

Thanking you for past favors and assuring you that what you may be able to do for us people in the future will be greatly appreciated by all concerned.

With best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

  
Pryor Creek, Okla.

No. 1397.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Sena Howell, and — children. Residence: Vinita, Okla.

Reasons:

R. F. D. #3.

Grand niece of #1351, and claims through the same ancestors.

Grandfather of applicant, Benjamin Hilderbrand, enrolled in 1857, in Delaware District, No. 378.



No. 1397

Name Lena Howell

With No. 1357

Remarks:

Vinita, Okla.

No. / 397

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Name. Lena Howell

With No. ....

Remarks:

*Vinita*

Claim through

Hildebrand

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Sena Howell*

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: *Sena Howell*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Indian Territory*
3. Town and post office: *Wicita T.S. R. F. D. #3.*
4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *Delaware District, Sept. 1887*
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. Pa. Benjamin Heilderbrand. grand Ma. Delilah Heilderbrand  
grand Pa's Brother & Sister Alexander Heilderbrand  
& Annie Heilderbrand*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Wass Howell. 24 years  
Met of Indian blood*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *John S. Davis. (met Indian)*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Lura Davis*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Lara Heilderbrand*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Don't know*  
Mother: *Delaware District, Cherokee Nation*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother: *Was met born*
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: mother was enrolled for the Cherokee Strip Payment in 1893

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>I am the only child living of</u>		
(2)	<u>my mother</u>		
(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>Don't know names</u>	<u>Benjamin Heilderbrand</u>
<u>of grand Parents on</u>	<u>Delilah Heilderbrand</u>
<u>Fathers side.</u>	

17. Where were they born? My grand Parents, Heilderbrand Delaware District, Cherokee nation

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand Pa. Benjamin Heilderbrand, Delaware District, Cherokee Nation

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

(1) English name:	<u>1 Lura Heilderbrand. Died 1893</u>
Indian name:	<u>2 Joseph Heilderbrand; Estella, D. T.</u>
Residence:	<u>3 Samuel Heilderbrand</u>
(2) English name:	<u>4 Lucinda Heilderbrand</u>
Indian name:	<u>5 Ezia Heilderbrand</u>
Residence:	<u>3 the above names are children of Delilah Heilderbrand</u>
(3) English name:	<u>6 Rosa Heilderbrand</u>
Indian name:	<u>7 Cicero Heilderbrand</u>
Residence:	<u>8 Lura Heilderbrand</u>
(4) English name:	<u>9 Benjamin Heilderbrand</u>
Indian name:	<u>10 Gracie S. Heilderbrand</u>
Residence:	<u>11 Dennis D. Heilderbrand</u>
(5) English name:	<u>3 the six last names are children</u>
Indian name:	<u>by grand Pa's second wife Lura</u>
Residence:	<u>Heilderbrand</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I was enrolled for the Cherokee Strip Payment and all rolls since that time in Delaware District, 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 ancestors*  
*Was enrolled by English names*  
*is the information that I have*

REMARKS.

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

*I have given an account of how I was*  
*left an orphan when I was*  
*quite young and know but little*  
*about my ancestors*

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.) *Sena Howell.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* day of *October* 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan 1*, 1908 *M. D. 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 *D. H. Tucker* and  
*A. T. Chouteau*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Sena Howell* who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *16* years and *16* 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.

*D. H. Tucker*  
*A. T. Chouteau*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan 1*, 1908 *M. D. Daniel*  
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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Vinita Okla. RR 213.

Oct. 26. 1908.

Washington D. C.

Guion Miller

Sir I write to you in regard  
to my application asking you  
to meet Muskies in Vinita  
on Oct 14, I didnt get my  
letter in time not until  
the 21 of Oct and then it was  
to late then so I thought I  
would write to you and see  
what was wrong with my  
application so I could fix them  
up right I will send you  
my <sup>check</sup> roll number is 242051  
and my census card is 1397.  
and you will please <sup>you</sup> answer  
and tell me if my application  
are right are not. and what



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They like.  
are soon for I want  
to Hear. Rept.

address Lena B Howell  
Vinita Okla  
R R. # 3.

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please <sup>put</sup> Route number sure  
so I will get it.

No. 1398

Action: Rejected

Name Stephen D. Edwards and 1 children. Residence: Chaffee, Okla.

Reasons:

Half-sister of #87 and  
claims her the same ancestor.  
Ancestors not on rolls.

No. 1398. Missing

Name Stephen D. Edwards

With No. 87.

Remarks:

*Suppl.*

No. 1308

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Stephen D. C. Collins*  
*Attorney*

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 24 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: Stephen D. C. Edwards

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

2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Town and post office: Chaffee, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

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

5. State: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Date and place of birth: October 27th, 1854, Cherokee Nation, 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: Minervia Fleetwood, mother; Lucindia

Fleetwood (or Flatfoot), Grandmother; Loranza Fleetwood (or Flatfoot) Uncle; Charles Fleetwood (or Flatfoot); uncle; William Fleetwood (or Flatfoot), Uncle; Houston Fleetwood (or Flatfoot), uncle;

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: White.

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

Father—English name: White, Abraham Edwards

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

Mother—English name: Minervia Edwards

Indian name: An-i-wake

Maiden name: Minervia Fleetwood (or Flatfoot).

11. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Fort Gibson, Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.

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

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Sequoyah District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1855

Mother: 1869

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Mother: 1835, 1851.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lucindia Vance</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u>Living.</u>
(2)	<u>Lafayette Teel</u>	<u>1858</u>	<u>Living.</u>
(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>Unknown.</u>	<u>Lucindia Fleetwood (or Flatfoot),</u>
	<u>Charles Fleetwood, father;</u>

17. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation, North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation, Saline District, Indian Territory.

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

- (1) English name: Minervia, died in 1869.  
Indian name: AN-i-wake  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: Loranza, died in 1858.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: Charles, died in 1863  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: Pruia, alive.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Choska, I. T.
- (5) English name: Delphina, died in 1880.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Roll of Commission to Five Civilized Tribes for land and money, approved by Secretary of Interior.

Adeline, died in 1864.  
Alice, died in 1867.  
Edmund, living at Harrison.  
Sarah, died in 1862.  
( ) Elbert, living at Long.  
( ) Martha W. Brown, living at Long.  
( ) William, died in 1860.  
( ) Houston, died in 1868.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Mother: 1835, 1851.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lucindia Vance</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u>Living.</u>
(2)	<u>Lafayette Teel</u>	<u>1858</u>	<u>Living.</u>
(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>Unknown.</u>	<u>Lucindia Fleetwood (or Flatfoot),</u>
	<u>Charles Fleetwood, father;</u>

17. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation, North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation, Saline District, Indian Territory.

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

(1) English name: Minervia, died in 1869.

Indian name: An-i-wake

- (6) Aquillia, died in 1884.
- (7) Miles, died in 1887.
- (8) Edmond, living at Hanson, I. T.
- (9) Sarah, died in 1902.
- (10) Eljerry, living at Long, I. T.
- (11) Martha W. Brown, living at Pryor Creek, I. T.
- (12) William, died in 1880
- (13) Houston, died in 1888.

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

(4) English name: Fruia, alive.

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

Residence: Choska, I. T.

(5) English name: Delphina, died in 1880.

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

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

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Roll of Commission to Five Civilized Tribes for land and money, approved by Secretary of Interior.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Grandmother on maternal side, Lucindia Morgan-Fleetwood (or Flatfoot) on roll of 1835; Mother, Minervia Fleetwood-Edwards., on roll of 1851.

REMARKS.

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

The correct name is Fleetwood, but the name may be on the roll of 1851 as Fleetfoot or Flatfoot. Winifred Morgan, Frankie Morgan, Rosana Morgan, and Eljerry Morgan made the Emigration in 1834, being the applicant's great-grandmother, great-aunts, and great uncle. These parties are on the roll of 1835. If the great-aunts and great-uncle, being Frankie Morgan and Rosana Morgan and Eljerry Morgan, died without issue the applicant claims to be an heir to their share.

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.) Stephen D C Edwards

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

My commission expires 3-27- 1909 Wm Watts  
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 M. Keys and Wallace Hilderbrand, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Stephen D. C. Edwards, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 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.

James M Keys  
Wallace Hilderbrand

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

My commission expires 3-27- 1909 Wm Watts  
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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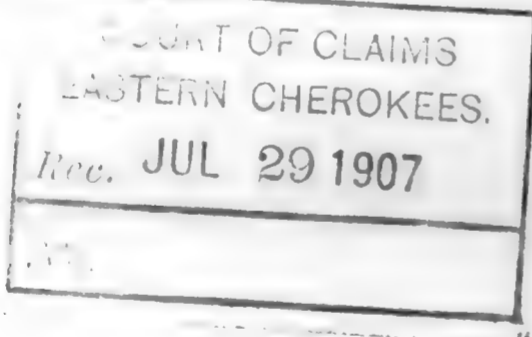
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Stephen D. Edwards*  
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. 1398

1. State your full name: Stephen D. Edwards
2. Residence and post office: Chaffee Cherokee Nation
3. County: May
4. State: Oklahoma
5. Date and place of birth: Born Oct. 27th 1854-5 Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Born Oct 1862 Alice A.
8. ~~To what~~ <sup>White</sup> tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee Indian
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)	<u>Helma</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>Del. Dist. Cherokee Nation</u>
(3)	<u>Stephen</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>Del. Dist. Cherokee Nation</u>
(4)	<u>Emma</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Del. Dist. Cherokee Nation</u>
(5)	<u>only one minor</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: Enrolled Sept 1900 for land Cherokee's Vinita

### REMARKS

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

We are the Descendants of one Hosey Morgan, Sen. who emigrated 1834 from North Carolina

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

(Signature) Stephen D. Edwards

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July 1907.

Ann Faberessonia  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Feb 10, 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 A. S. Davis and John Wickliff who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Stephen W. B. Edwards who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 6 years and 40 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, him 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. S. Davis

John Wickliff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

J. P. Faberesombrie  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 10, 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.

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Appln. No. 1398-817.

November 26, 1907.

Stephen D. C. Edward,  
Chaffee,  
Oklahoma.

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 mother was enrolled in 1851, and if so, under what name? In your application you state that she was enrolled in 1835 and 1851, but her name does not seem to appear on either of these Rolls. State whether you claim through any other source than your mother, Minerva Fleetwood, or Flatfoot. Please give any other information you may have tending to support your right to participate in this fund.

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An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Refer in reply to the following:

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30849-1896.

Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

WASHINGTON, August 21, 1896.

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Please Return letter to  
Messrs Von Carlos and Stanfield  
I think you can find the man  
When you find what indentment  
they wrote on the Western or Eastern  
of course my mother's indian name  
Will be in Cherokee with no child

arth

was

town,

in the State of Georgia, in 1834; and they do not show that there were any slaves in this family.

Hosiah Morgan Jr. was enrolled as a single person over 10 years of age and under 25 years of age, and as a Cherokee. There is nothing in the records of this office to show that either of these parties were slaves.

The cost of the certified copy herewith enclosed is 35 cents, which you will please remit.

Very respectfully,

*W. P. Smith*  
Acting Commissioner.

(Murchison)  
McQ.

Me

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

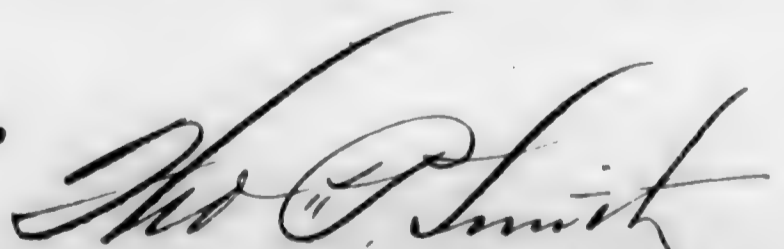
Pursuant to the request contained in your letter of August 5, 1896, I transmit herewith a certified copy of the records of this office showing that Hoseah Morgan occupied improvements near Smith Mill, two miles from the missionary, on the north side of the High Wassa river, which were appraised at \$76.00.

The records of this office indicate that Hosiah Morgan Sr. was the head of a Cherokee family of ten Cherokees, living at Long Town, in the State of Georgia, in 1834; and they do not show that there were any slaves in this family.

Hosiah Morgan Jr. was enrolled as a single person over 10 years of age and under 25 years of age, and as a Cherokee. There is nothing in the records of this office to show that either of these parties were slaves.

The cost of the certified copy herewith enclosed is 35 cents, which you will please remit.

Very respectfully,

  
Acting Commissioner.

(Murchison)  
McQ.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* APR 17 1908

*No.*

1396 Spavinaw Okla.  
F.D. March 10" 1908  
The Commissioner of Court of Claims.  
Washington D.C.

In answer to the request of Nov. 26" 1907.  
concerning right to judgment in the  
court of claims. In favor of the Eastern  
Cherokees will simply say: After re-  
searching the record we find  
nothing to refer too except the emigrant  
roll of 1832-which emigrated in 1834  
and from that to the present time  
we have never draw any money with  
The tribe. Hosiash Morgan Sr. enrolled  
on the above date and come west  
with that detachment, under the  
direction of B. F. Curry enrolling  
master and Sicut. Harris in charge  
of the emigrants, who landed at  
Ft Gibson Ind. Tex. in the year 1834.



That Lucinda Fleetwood or Flat foot as the name went on record, was the youngest daughter of the Hosiak Morgan Sr. family. She was enrolled in 1854 or 52 by Charles Wickliff who is now dead, as Mr Fleetwood was a white man and a U.S. Soldier, and was removed from Ft Gibson to Ft Seavenworth Kas. where his time expired, just prior to this enrollment. Mr. Chas. Wickliff not being personally acquainted with Fleetwood made a mistake in giving the name correctly instead of Fleetwood he gave it as Flat foot or Fleet foot and the mistake was never rectified until it was changed by Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes. The attys. for the Nation went all over the record and above named dates and never

put a witness on the stand but  
submitted the facts to the Court and  
case was ended in our favor.

My Mother was born in the Ind. Terr.  
-Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> / 1835.

We base our claim under the  
treaties 1832-1846-1866-1868  
and 1891 and through the Morgan  
family. We have lived constantly here  
ever since the herein mentioned  
date. I will send you a transcript  
of the records of the commissioner of  
Indian affairs. If this explanation  
is insufficient we can furnish further  
evidence in the case, please notify  
us of the fact.

yours,

S. L. C. Edwards

No 1394

1 Action: committed

Name:

and 2 children.

2 Minor children Refected

Residence:

Reasons:

The 2 minor children of the applicant are  
 refected by reason of affiliation with which as we  
 have seen in the case of the other two  
 children -  
 they were married as Chickens was up to 1840  
 and the other two were married in 1841 and 1842  
 respectively.

No. 1399.

Name. Thos L. Landrum

With No. 265.

Remarks :

*Suppl.*  
No. 1399

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas L. Landrum*

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 24 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: Thomas L. Landrum  
Indian name: not known
- 2. Residence: Fogil
- 3. Town and post office: Fogil
- 4. County: Cherokee Nation
- 5. State: Indian Territory
- 6. Date and place of birth: apl 25<sup>th</sup> 1863 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: Thomas and Pauline Landrum. My mother's husbands, Braxton Nicholson, Levi Sidney, and Robert Rogers. My brothers and sisters: Anna, Eliza Byn, Joseph and Richard Nicholson and Mary Sidney. My uncles and aunts: Rebecca Samuel, and James Proctor Landrum, and Rachel Walls, Ellen Vann, Richard Martin, Cicero Martin and Miller or Amelia Demcan.

8. Are you married? Yes  
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Nannie Landrum age 40 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Thomas Landrum  
Indian name: not known  
Mother—English name: Pauline Landrum  
Indian Name: not known  
Maiden name: Pauline Martin

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 1863 Mother: About 1875.

*My grand mother, Lucy Martin. My grand mother Nannie Landrum, his wife, daughter of John Smith and Elizabeth Smith. My grand father, James Proctor Landrum, and my grand mother, Rachel Walls, all of whom are now dead, and with out descendants.*

*James and David Landrum, all of whom are now dead, and with out descendants.*

*My great uncles and aunts, James and David Landrum, all of whom are now dead, and with out descendants.*

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

*On emigrant payroll of 1851 in Cherokee Nation.*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Anna Eliza Byrd ne Nicholson	Feb 18-1848	Died without descent
(2)	Joseph Nicholson		Died without descent
(3)	Richard	"	"
(4)	Mary Sidney	"	"
(5)	Benjamin M Landrum	Nov 17-1861	Peyor Creek, S.C.
(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 Ruth Landrum ne Procter	John and Lucy Martin ne McDaniel

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:	Thomas Landrum my father. Dead
	Indian name:	Rebecca Landrum. Died without descent
	Residence:	Hiram Landrum Dead
(2)	English name:	Annul Landrum Died without descent
	Indian name:	James Procter Landrum " " "
	Residence:	Rachel Walls ne Landrum " " "
(3)	English name:	Marta Agair ne Martin Dead
	Indian name:	Annie Thompson " Dead
	Residence:	Joseph L Martin Dead
(4)	English name:	Ellen Vann ne Martin Dead
	Indian name:	Eric Martin Dead
	Residence:	Gabriel Martin Dead
(5)	English name:	Susannah McVair ne Martin Dead
	Indian name:	Richard Martin Dead without descent
	Residence:	Charlotte Lynch ne Martin " " "
(6)	English name:	Jessie Bell " " "
	Indian name:	Eliza Richards " " "
	Residence:	John Martin Dead
(7)	English name:	Nannie Liberty ne Martin Dead
	Indian name:	Cairo Martin, Died without descent
	Residence:	Rachel Bell ne Martin Dead
(8)	English name:	Pauline Rogers, my mother Dead and

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

*On Cherokee authenticated roll of 1830 and am a Cherokee allottee.*

*Martin, died without descent*

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 grandfather, John Martin, lived in Cherokee Nation, east in 1835. My paternal great grandfather, James Landrum, lived in Cherokee Nation, east 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 Braxton Nicholson, her second, Levi Sid my. Her third husband, my father, and her fourth husband, Robert Rogers. My great grand mother was Rebecca Landrum.*

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.) *Thomas L. Landrum*

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

My commission expires *October 3*, 190*7*.

*O. A. Johnson*  
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 England* and *Lamatha C. Glass*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Thomas L. Landrum*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *16* 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 England*  
*Lamatha C. Glass*

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

My commission expires *October 3*, 190*7*.

*O. A. Johnson*  
Notary Public.

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No. 1399

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas L. Landrum*

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. 1399

1. State your full name: **Thomas L. Landrum**  
**Foyil**
2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_
3. County: **Dist. #4**
4. State: **Ind. Ter.**
5. Date and place of birth: **Cherokee Nation April 25, 1863**
6. Are you married? **Yes**
7. Name and age of wife or husband: **Nannie Landrum Age 41**
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? **Cherokee & Chickasaw**
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<b>Lewis Landrum</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>June 13, 1890</b>
(2)	<b>Daisy Marie Landrum</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Dec. 12, 1901</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: **First one drew Strip money 1894 with Cherokees land in 1898 with Chickasaws under Dawes Comm. Second one drew land with Chickasaws under Dawes Comm. Both enrolled at Muskogee, I.T.**

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

**Father is Cherokee and Mother Cherokee and Chickasaw.**

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

(Signature)

*Thomas L. Landrum*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this **22** day of **AUG**, 1907.

*Oa. Johnson*

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

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My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 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 J.F. Harper and W.C. Allison who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Thomas L. Landrum who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 5 years and 4 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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\_\_\_\_\_  
J. F. Harper  
W. C. Allison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909

O. A. Johnson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Dec. MAY 27 1907

No. 1399 A.

File

Troyil D. H. May 25-1907

Gentleman I received your letter  
of May 1<sup>st</sup> in regard to my  
minor children being enrolled  
as eastern Cherokee will say I have  
four; but my wife is a  
Chickasaw Indian & my children  
are enrolled as such on the  
Chickasaw rolls & for this  
reason I guess they will be  
barred from a share in this  
fund I have been told so  
any way!

Respectfully

Thomas L. Landrum 1399

No. 1400.

Action: *Admitted.*

Name *Nancy Edlin* and *3* children. Residence: *Warr Oka.*  
Reasons: *Claimer through father enrolled as Joseph Varn  
Grandfather enrolled as Hon. John Varn. Aunt and  
Uncle enrolled as Mary + David Varn.  
All were enrolled by Wrennen in 1857 in  
Saline District group # 227.*

*W. C. B.*

*Misc. list. P. 2402.*

No. 1400

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy Edius*

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 24 1906

No.

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 Edius*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Cherokee Nation*
3. Town and post office: *Wann*
4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *1874, Salina Dist, 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: *Joseph Vann, my father; John Vann, my Grandfather; Nancy Vann, her mother.*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Nalter A Edius*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Joseph Vann*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Nancy Vann*  
Indian Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Nancy Bloekbird*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory*  
Mother: *do do*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory*  
Mother: *do do*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *about 1885* Mother: *1874, about*



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

*I do not know, but they were provided on all the rolls until their death.*

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>John Vann</i>	

17. Where were they born? *Old Cherokee Nation, Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *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: *(1) Sor-ta-dee (called Saturday)*  
 Indian name: *(2) Mary Vann*  
 Residence: *I David Vann*
- (2) English name: *(A number of half brothers and sisters)*  
 Indian name: *(Sisters)*  
 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:

*About 1875 I drew 10<sup>00</sup> and all the payments 7 rolls 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: .....

REMARKS.

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

*My mother died when I was two weeks old and I don't know the day of my birth. Neither do I know who my grand parents on ~~the~~ my mother's side, who was a full 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.) *Nancy Edin*

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

My commission expires

My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 1908, 190.....

*O. J. Jones*

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. R. Deans* and

*J. W. Crockett*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Nancy Edin*, 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 *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. Deans*

*J. W. Crockett*

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

My commission expires

My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 1908, 190.....

Notary Public.

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No. 1400

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy Edin's*  
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 27 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. 1400

1. State your full name: Nancy Edins,
2. Residence and post office: Coffeyville, Kansas, NO 302 East 6th Stre
3. County: Montgomery,
4. State: Kansas.
5. Date and place of birth: Saline District, age 33 years old.
6. Are you married? Yes,
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Walter A. Edins, 34 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>Rena Edins,</u>		<u>July 10th 1901.</u>
(2)	<u>George W. Edins,</u>		<u>February 22nd 1903.</u>
(3)	<u>Eloise D. Edins,</u>		<u>April 2nd 1906.</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: The two oldest was enrolled for 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) Nancy Edins

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 John W. Holland, and Hettie Holland, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nancy Edins, who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 3 years and 3 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.

*John W. Holland*  
*Hettie Holland*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of May, 1907.

*W. H. McDaniel*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 22nd, 1909.

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No. 1400

Admitted

Claims by father enrolled as Joseph Vann -  
Grandfather enrolled as Hon. John Vann. Aunt  
and Uncle enrolled as Mary and Daniel Vann -  
All were enrolled by Orin in 1851 in Saline  
District, Group #307.

See Misc. Test. P. 2402 -

J.C.D.


No. 1400

Nancy Edin, after being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am 34 years of age; was born in the Cherokee Nation West. I claim Cherokee Indian blood through both my mother and father. I am a Cherokee allottee. I never received any Old Settler money and none of my people did. My father died when I was about eight years of age. My grandmother was a Cherokee. John Vann was my grandfather. Daniel Vann my uncle and Mary Vann my aunt.

Nancy Edin

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Bartlesville, Okla.;  
this twenty-eighth day of August, 1908.

  
Assistant to Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims.

This case is O.K. through Joseph Vann, Saline 207.

No. 1401

Action: Admitted

Name *Emmanuel Grotzer* and *6* children. Residence: *Fairland, Wis.*

Reasons:

*Walter Grotzer and family through the same  
process.*



No. 1401

Name Emma L Crozier

With No. 78

Remarks :

No. 1401

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EASTERN CHEROKEES

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APPLICATION

OF

*Emma Lee Crotzer*

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: *Emma Lee Brotzn*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Cherokee Nation*
3. Town and post office: *Fairland*
4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *April 29/1864, 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: *James D Vauw, my father's John Vauw, my Grand father's and James G Vauw my brother.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *William J Brotzn, 50 years.*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *James D Vauw*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Rosanna J Vauw*  
Indian Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Rosanna J Kethcart*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Old Cherokee Nation, Georgia*  
Mother: *Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Georgia*  
Mother: *Georgia*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father:  *Died 1889*      Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:  
*By 1881 Roll in Georgia, 1875 and all rolls in the Cherokee Nation since*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>John E Vann</i>	<i>1849</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Louisa Williams</i>	<i>1851</i>	<i>Living</i>
(3)	<i>Mary J Add</i>	<i>1854</i>	<i>Living</i>
(4)	<i>David W Vann</i>	<i>1857</i>	<i>Living</i>
(5)	<i>Martha E James</i>	<i>1859</i>	<i>Living</i>
(6)	<i>Sarah A Nance</i>	<i>1861</i>	<i>Living</i>
(7)	<i>James E Vann</i>	<i>1866</i>	<i>Sept 6 1902</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>John Vann</i>	
	<i>Martha Vann</i>	

17. Where were they born? *Old Cherokee Nation, Georgia*  
*do do*

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: *James D Vann my father -*  
 Indian name: *(D) Dor-te-Ose- (called Saturday) Rael*  
 Residence: *(3) Joseph Vann* *bro's*
- (2) English name: *(4) Mary Vann* *sister*  
 Indian name: *(5) David Vann* *of my father*  
 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: *See Roll 1875 and all rolls since 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.)

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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.) *Emma Lee Crutcher*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires  
My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 1908,  
....., 190.....

*Ch James*  
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 R Deans and J W Crockett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Emma Lee Crutcher, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and 21 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. Deans*

*J. W. Crockett*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires  
....., 190.....

*Ch James*  
Notary Public.

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No. 1401

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Emmanuel Crotzer*

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 23 1907 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. 1401

1. State your full name: Emma Lee Brotzer
2. Residence and post office: FAIRLAND, IND. TER
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Date and place of birth: 1864 in Georgia
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: William H Brotzer
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.	Roll no
(1)	<u>Melie Inus Brotzer</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>June 1904</u>	
(2)	<u>Lucile Gertrude Brotzer</u>	<u>5 "</u>	<u>Feb 1902</u>	<u>467</u>
(3)	<u>Carl L Brotzer</u>	<u>8 "</u>	<u>May 1899</u>	<u>466</u>
(4)	<u>Edward F Brotzer</u>	<u>13 "</u>	<u>May 1894</u>	<u>465</u>
(5)	<u>Effie L Brotzer</u>	<u>15 "</u>	<u>Jan 1892</u>	<u>464</u>
(6)	<u>Stella W Brotzer</u>	<u>17 "</u>	<u>Feb 1890</u>	<u>463</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, Cherokee

### REMARKS

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

Roll nos under Roll No refers to the numbers on the Rolls of the Commission to the Five Tribes

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

(Signature)

Emma Lee Brotzer

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

Ch James  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

**My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 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 Walter W Bradford and M. C. James who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Emma Le Coster who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 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.

Walter W Bradford  
M. C. James

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

C. H. James  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 1908,

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.



AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me Walter W Bondlove and M. C. James who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Emma Le Costyn who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 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.

Walter W Bondlove  
M. C. James

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

M. C. James  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 1908,

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

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No. 1402.

Action: Admitted.

Name: James Ketcher

and 1 children. Residence: Christie, Okla.

Reasons: Brother to #1386.

No. 1402

Name James Kitcher

With No. 1386.

Remarks :

Bureau 1376

No. 1402

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*James Ketcher.*

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.

1402

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 Ketcher  
• Indian name: James Te-cah-ue-ye-skee
2. Residence: Going Snake dist. Cher. Nat. I. T.
3. Town and post office: Christie, I. T.
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Dec, 10 1881, Going Snake dist. C. N. 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: (1) John Ketcher father, (2) Margaret Ketcher mother, (3) Big Te-cah-ue-ye-skee grandfather, (4) Duoy Ann Chambers aunt, (5) Lulitia Chambers aunt, (6) Arch Lee uncle (7) Polly Lee aunt, (8) Cinda Lee aunt and Lucinda Chambers aunt.
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Ketcher nee Pees, 27 years of age.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: John Ketcher  
Indian name: John Te-cah-ue-ye-skee  
Mother—English name: Margaret Ketcher  
Indian name: Wa-skee  
Maiden name: Margaret Chambers,
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Going Snake dist. C. N. I. T.  
Mother: Sequoyah dist. C. N. I. T.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Going Snake dist. C. N. I. T.  
Mother: Sequoyah dist. C. N. I. T.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: June 9 1904 Mother: June 22 1900.

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

where: yes 1851, 1870, 1880, 1881, 1883, 1886, 1891  
1894, 1896 and father is on Dawes Com. roll

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lutelia Comtassels	Nov. 22, 1859	Living, Westville S. C.
(2)	Bennie Ketcher	about 1861	about 1868
(3)	Lucinda Ketcher	" 1864	" 1869
(4)	Jimmie Ketcher	unknown	unknown
(5)	Ellis Ketcher	about 1870	Living, Muldrow, S. C.
(6)	Mose Ketcher	" 1873	Jan. 1906
(7)	John Ketcher, Westville S. C.	8	Sarah Ketcher, Westville S. C.

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
Big Te-cah-ne-ye-skee	James Chambers
Sallie Te-cah-ne-ye-skee	Patsy Chambers (white)

*George Ketcher  
Christie  
S. C.*

17. Where were they born?

Old Cherokee Nation,

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

Big Te-cah-ne-ye-skee in Tahlequah dist. Sallie died prior to 1851; James Chambers died prior to 1851 and Patsy Chambers lives in Seagraves dist. C.W. S. C.

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

(1)	English name:	Lizzie Vann	dead	unknown
(2)	Indian name:	Charles Ketcher	"	"
(3)	Residence:	Diok Ketcher	"	" Descendants living.
(4)(*)	English name:	Ollie Ketcher	"	"
(5)	Indian name:	Mose Ketcher	"	"
(6)	Residence:	Ben Ketcher	"	"
(7)(3)	English name:	Rebecca Neugin,	Stulbert	S. C.
(8)	Indian name:	John Ketcher	(father)	
(9)	Residence:	Linnie Ketcher	dead	unknown
(10)(*)	English name:	Ellis Ketcher	"	"
(11)	Indian name:	Margaret Chambers	"	" Mother.
(12)	Residence:	Lucinda Chambers	"	"
(13)(*)	English name:	Lutelia Chambers	died	about May 1903,
(14)	Indian name:	Arch Lee	dead	unknown
(15)	Residence:	Polly Lee	"	"
(16)		Cinda Lee	"	"

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

where: yes, 1883, 1886, 1891, 1894, 1896 and Dawes Commission 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.)

*My grandmother Patsy Chambers was a white woman.*

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 Ketcher*

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

My commission expires *Nov 14*, 19*10*

*H. Gleamfort*  
*James Ketcher* Notary Public  
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 *Johnathan Wright* and *Jake Alberty*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *James Ketcher*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* 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.

*Jake Alberty*  
*Johnathan Wright*

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

My commission expires *Nov 14*, 19*10*

*H. Gleamfort*  
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. 1402

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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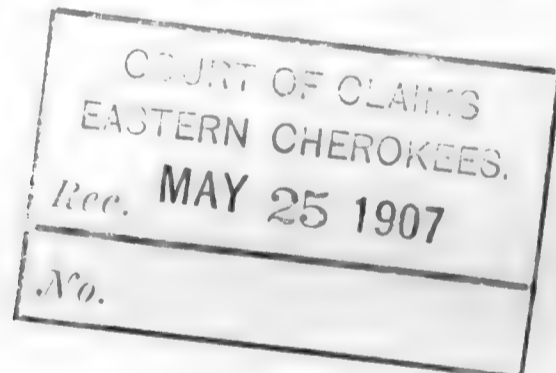
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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

James Hetcher  
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. 1402.

1. State your full name: James Ketcher
2. Residence and post office: Christie
3. County: Cherokee Nation,
4. State: Indian Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: Near Christie, Ind. Ter. December 10th, 1881.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Ketcher, nee Deese. Age 29 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 at death	BORN.
(1)	<u>Fred L. Ketcher</u>	<u>3 yrs &amp; 6 days</u>	<u>April 10th, 1904.</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 on too late baby list for Tribal lands in Cherokee Nation in 1906.

**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 Ketcher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd, day of May, 1907.

W. P. Chase  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires  
October 9th, 1907., 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 **James S. Cappe** and **George Bailey** who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with **James Ketcher** who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known **him** for **15** 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.
<i>Thomas B. Johnson</i>	<i>James S. Cappe</i>
<i>Charles H. White</i>	<i>George Bailey</i>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

*W. F. Chau*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires October 9<sup>th</sup>, 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.

No. 1403.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Miles, S. Miles, and X* children. Residence: *Tulsa Okla.*

Reasons: *Has not appear that applicant or ancestor were ever enrolled. Has not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Main in 1837-38-46 as recognized member of the tribe. Has not appear that they ever lived with the Cherokee as recognized member of the tribe.*

H.C.B.

*See Misc. Cont. P. 2 537-2581*

Tulsa - Okla. - ?  
No. 1403 Field,  
Name: Miles S. Mills

With No. ....

Remarks:

Tulsa -  
Exp. Title -  
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are no. 1404,  
1405, 1406.

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party claimed  
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No. 1493

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Miles S. Miles*

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: Wiles S. Mills  
Indian name: Same
2. Residence: Tulsa, Indian Territory.
3. Town and post office: Tulsa,
4. County: Creek Nation,
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: January 4, 1869, in Missouri.
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, Martha A. Mills, daughter of Didaway E. Chambers, who was a daughter of Robert Tabor, a white man, and Susan Tabor (nee Bigby), who was a sister of Thomas Bigby and James Bigby, whose names will appear upon the rolls of 1835 taken in the state of Tennessee.
8. Are you married? Yo.
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 W. Mills,  
Indian name: Same  
Mother—English name: Martha A. Mills.  
Indian name: Martha A. Chambers  
Maiden name: Martha A. Chambers.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Tennessee.  
Mother: In Tennessee.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Arkansas.  
Mother: In Arkansas.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Now living Mother: Now living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: She was enrolled as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation when a little girl, but later was denied her rights.

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Miles S. Miles.</u>		
(2)	<u>Andrew M. Thornsbery (Half-brother)</u>		
(3)	<u>Rosa Street.</u>		
(4)	<u>They are all living.</u>		
(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
(1)	<u>on my father's side they were all white people.</u>	<u>Grief W. Chambers, a white man.</u>
		<u>Didamay E. Chambers, a Cherokee.</u>

17. Where were they born? In Tennessee.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In the State of Arkansas.

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

- (1) English name: Martha Miles (nee Chambers),  
 Indian name: same  
 Residence: Pulsa, Ind. Ter.
- (2) English name: Hardy M. Chambers.  
 Indian name: same  
 Residence: Now dead.
- (3) English name: Luce Cole (nee Chambers)  
 Indian name: same  
 Residence: Do not know.
- (4) English name: Nancy Jane Chambers  
 Indian name: same  
 Residence: Now dead
- (5) English name: Sarah F. Walls,  
 Indian name: Sarah F. Chambers  
 Residence: In Oklahoma.

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:

Same as given in sections seven and sixteen above.

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.) Miller, S. Miller

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

My commission expires August 24th, 1909.

A. S. Mood
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 Arthur Cady and Sarah L. Cady, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Helen S. Mills, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 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.

Arthur Cady
Sarah L. Cady

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

My commission expires August 24th, 1909.

A. S. Mood
Notary Public.

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No. 1403

Rejected

Does not appear that applicant or ancestors were ever enrolled, Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 + 1846 as recognized members of the tribe, Does not appear that they ever lived with the Cherokee as recognized members of the tribe -

See Miss. Test. Pgs. 2537 + 2551

J. C. B.

No. 1406--1403

Martha A. Mills, after being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am 70 years of age; was born in the Cherokee Nation West. I claim Cherokee Indian blood through my mother, Diadama E. Chambers. I have never gotten any Indian money from the government. I do not know if my mother ever got any Indian money. Ten years before the War I lived in Arkansas. I never heard of the Indians getting any money about that time. I am not a Cherokee allottee. My father was part Indian but do not know how much. I saw my grandfather Taber. He lived in Arkansas when I knew him. He moved to Arkansas from Tenn. My father married Susanna Taber in Arkansas. She died when I was about four or five years of age. She was a tolerably old woman when she died. My grandmother was a full blood. My mother was born in Tennessee. My grandfather stole my grandmother from Tennessee and went to Arkansas. My grandfather lived close to Old Charleston, Tenn. My mother always taught me I had Indian blood. My mother did not know the Indian language. She lived with the white people. My grandmother was buried in Arkansas not far from the Tennessee line.

Martha A. Mills.

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Tulsa, Oklahoma, this fourth day of September, 1908.

A. W. Keaton  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

Martha Mills, ---being duly sworn, deposes and says:

*Martha Mills  
born 1835*

My name is Martha Mills. My age is 70 years. I live in Tulsa County, Oklahoma. I have lived there about two years but have always lived in the Cherokee nation and was born in the nation near Dutchtown. I was enrolled by the Dawes Commission. Jim Bigby said he enrolled me. I never heard anything more about it. I did not get the strip or grass money. I tried to get it but they would not re-admit me any more. My father moved to Arkansas and stayed with him until I married a half-breed Indian by the name of McAfee. They said I had waited too late. I have been in the Cherokee nation about 38 years. I lived in Arkansas when I was about 20 years old. I don't remember but heard my father and mother talk about enrolling in 1851. My mother was Didemi Tabor, and she married a Chambers. My maiden name was Chambers. I have sisters: Luvisa Cole, Susannah Runnels and Sarah Walls, nee Chambers. There was Bob Tabor, John Tabor, and Henry Tabor, Russell Tabor, were my mother's brothers. I do not know what they were enrolled. Mother's mother was Susannah Bigby. She lived in Tennessee. Grandpa stole her and ran away and came to Arkansas. My gr-eat-grandmother's name was either Eady or Mimy. My father was Grief Chambers. He lived in the West but came from Tennessee, and built on the line of Arkansas. He had three brothers but I do not know the names: Rubin and Hardy Chambers, and another which I cannot recall. He got his blood from his father. I do not know his father's given name. My father was an Old Settler and so was my grandfather. My father came into Arkansas long before ~~my~~ he ~~father~~ was married. My mother left Tennessee long before I was born. They have always been Cherokees. We all go back to the Bigby's and Foremans. My grandmother was aparty to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846.

*Martha Mills*  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Claremore, Oklahoma, this 2nd day of August, 1906.

*A. S. Monroe*  
Ass't to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

C. T. BYRD,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW

REAL ESTATE AND LOANS

OIL AND GAS LEASES

Broken Arrow I. T. June, 26th. 1907.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:- I write you with referance to Claims, Nos. 1403 and 1406 in  
favor of Easter Cherochees.

These claims or applications were filed on the 22nd day of Jan 1907.

What is the Status of these claims? ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ and when will  
they be adjusted?

Very truly yours.

*C. T. Byrd*

COURT OF CLAIMS AND  
 EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
 Rec. JUN 29 1907  
 No. 1403 A

Proven by I. T. Jones, Sept. 1907.

The Commission of Indian Affairs,

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir: I write you with reference to Claims Nos. 1402 and 1403 in

favor of Eastern Cherokee.

These claims or applications were filed on the 2nd day of Jan 1907.

What is the status of these claims? Will they

they be adjusted?

Very truly yours,

Apps. #1403 & #1406.

July 11, 1907.

C. T. Byrd,

Broken Arrow,

Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Your letter of June 26, 1907, relative to the applications of Miles S. Mills and Martha A. Mills, is at hand.

You are advised that the applications for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund 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 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 28,000 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.

A supplemental application blank is inclosed, herewith, and if Martha A. Mills has any minor children she should fill out the same and return to this office.

Very respectfully,

NLC. 1 inclosure.

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 5 1908  
No. 1403

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MAR 5 1908

March - 1 - 1908

Tulsa, Oklahoma

Board Room R. - Washington D.C.  
Kansas City, Mo.

U.S. court of claims office of special  
commissioner 601 Army Building

Washington D.C.

I beg to ask some information  
about application No. 1403

I understand it was to be paid  
in February and I came back  
home to Tulsa I would like to  
know whether it will be sent  
to me through the mail or will  
it be paid at some established  
place

Very truly yours,  
Abner S. Mills



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 28 1908  
No. 1403.

*Cards.*  
*Ford,*  
JAN 28 1908

checotah okta

January - 25 - 1908

To special commissioner  
of the court of claims  
eastern cherokee enrollment

Sir I wish to ask advice as  
to what to do about  
application cards No. -  
1403 and 1406 of Martha  
mills and miles mills.  
These cards are in the  
hands of C.T. Byrd a --  
lawyer of Broken iron  
Oklahoma without my  
consent and adherence to  
me. C.T. Byrd claimed  
that he done business and  
lived in Broken iron  
but I have not been able  
to find such a man there

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so I ask your information  
Whether we can get another  
card in its place or shall  
I put a detective after  
him

We have our papers  
with the numbers on  
them. but I was told  
that I had to have the  
cards please sir where  
and when will their  
payment be. oblige  
miles. Miller. at  
Checotah O.K. la

No. 1404

Action: Reject

Name Andrew M. Thompson 2 children.

Residence: Julia Okla

Reasons: 1/2 Brother, #1103

No. 1404, 1405, + 1406,

Name.....

With No. 1403.....

Remarks :

*1/2*

No. 1401

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF  
*Andrew M. Thornberry*  
*Andrew M. Thornberry*

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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<p>INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec <b>DEC 25 1906</b> No.</p>
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*1401*

**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 M. Thornsbery  
Indian name: Same
2. Residence: Tulsa, Indian Territory.
3. Town and post office: Tulsa,
4. County: Creek Nation,
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: December 17, 1861, Washington Co., Arkansas.
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, Martha A. Mills, daughter of Didamay E. Chambers, who was a daughter of Robert Tabor, a white man, and Susan Tabor (nee Bigby), who was a sister of Thomas Bigby and James Bigby, whose names will appear upon the roll of 1835 taken in the state of Tennessee.
8. Are you married? yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Thornsbery, aged 22 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Ira Thornsbery  
Indian name: He was a white man.  
Mother—English name: Martha Thornsbery (nee Mills) (nee Chambers)  
Indian name: same  
Maiden name: Martha A. Chambers
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Tennessee.  
Mother: In Tennessee.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Arkansas.  
Mother: In Arkansas.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: about 1863, killed in the war Mother: now 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) Lillis S. Mills (half-brother)		
(2) Rosa Street (half-sister)		
(3) Susan C. Byrd (half-sister)		
(4) They are all living.		
(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
They were all white people.	Grief M. Chambers, a white man.
	Didamay E. Chambers, a Cherokee

17. Where were they born? In Tennessee.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In the State of Arkansas.

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

(1) English name: Martna A. Mills (nee Chambers)	Samuel J. Chambers, deceased
Indian name: Same	
Residence: Tulsa, Indian Territory. Ida Bullington, she lives in Kentucky.	John Chambers, deceased.
(2) English name: Hardy E. Chambers,	Mary E. Chambers, Fort Worth, Texas.
Indian name: same	Ruben Chambers, deceased.
Residence: Now dead.	Susan Kundaills, Casaville, Mo.
(3) English name: Becca Cole (nee Chambers)	
Indian name: same	
Residence: Do not know.	
(4) English name: Nancy Jane Chambers	
Indian name: Same	
Residence: Now dead.	
(5) English name: Sarah E. Falls,	
Indian name: Sarah F. Chambers,	
Residence: In Oklahoma.	

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: .....

Same as given in sections seven and sixteen above.

#### REMARKS.

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

I desire to claim for my minor children, namely, Anna May Thornbery, aged 13 years, Viola Ethel Thornbery, aged 11 years, now residing with me and under my care and control.

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 M. Thornbery*

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

My commission expires

August 24th, 1909.

*A. G. Wood*  
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 Arthur Gady and Saran L. Gady, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Andrew M. Thornbery, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 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.

*Arthur Gady*  
*Saran L. Gady*

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

My commission expires

August 24th, 1909.

*A. G. Wood*  
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

*Andrew M. Thornberry*  
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. 1404

1. State your full name: Andrew W. Thornsbury
2. Residence and post office: Tulsa
3. County: Tulsa
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: 17<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1861, Madison County Ark
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: May Thornsbury 22 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>Anna May Thornsbury</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Apr. 6 1893</u>
(2)	<u>Ethel Viola</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Oct 5 1895</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.

Andrew W. Thornsbury  
(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

W. H. Thornsbury  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires 6-29, 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 H. Mills and Miles S. Mills who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. M. H. Threlkeld who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 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.

A. H. Hentley  
J. H. Merfield

George H. Mills  
Miles S. Mills

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1907.

G. H. Hentley  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 6/29, 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. *1406i*

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Susan C. Byrd* and *1* children.

Residence: *Tulsa Okla.*

Reasons: *Sister of # 1403*

*Sister*

No. 1405

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Susan C. Byrd*

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: Susan C. Byrd ( nee Mills )  
Indian name: Same
2. Residence: Tulsa, Indian Territory.
3. Town and post office: Tulsa,
4. County: Creek Nation,
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: July 17, 1881, in Missouri.
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, Martha A. Mills, daughter of Lidamay E. Chambers, who was a daughter of Robert Tabor, a white man, and Susanna Tabor ( nee Bigby ), who was a sister of Thomas Bigby and James Bigby, whose names will appear upon the roll of 1855 taken in the state of Tennessee.
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: E. F. Byrd, aged 35 years, a white man.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: George Mills.  
Indian name: Same  
Mother—English name: Martha A. Mills  
Indian name: same  
Maiden name: Martha A. Chambers,
11. Where were they born?  
Father: in Tennessee  
Mother: in Tennessee.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: in Arkansas.  
Mother: in Arkansas.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: now living. Mother: now living.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: She was enrolled in the Cherokee Nation Indian Territory when a little girl, but later on denies her rights.

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

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) <u>Lillas Mills.</u>		
(2) <u>A. J. Thornsberry.</u>		
(3) <u>Rosa Street,</u>		
(4) <u>They are all living.</u>		
(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
<del>GRINXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX</del>	<u>Grief H. Chambers, a white Man.</u>
<del>XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX</del>	<u>Lidamay H. Chambers, a Cherokee.</u>
<u>On my father's side they were white people.</u>	

17. Where were they born? In Tennessee.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In the state of Arkansas.

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

(1) English name: <u>Martha Mills, (nee Chambers)</u>	
Indian name: <u>same</u>	<u>Samuel J. Chambers, now dead.</u>
Residence: <u>Fulsa, Ind. Ter.</u>	<u>Ida Bullington, she lives in Kentucky.</u>
(2) English name: <u>Hardy H. Chambers</u>	<u>John Chambers, now dead</u>
Indian name: <u>same</u>	<u>Lary H. Chambers, Fort Worth, Texas.</u>
Residence: <u>now dead,</u>	<u>Ruben Chambers, now dead.</u>
(3) English name: <u>Leca Cole (nee Chambers)</u>	
Indian name: <u>same</u>	
Residence: <u>Do not know.</u>	
(4) English name: <u>Nancy Jane Chambers,</u>	
Indian name: <u>same</u>	
Residence: <u>now dead.</u>	
(5) English name: <u>Sarah F. Mills</u>	
Indian name: <u>Sarah F. Chambers,</u>	
Residence: <u>In Oklahoma.</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 ancestors back to 1835: .....

Same as given in sections seven and sixteen above.

REMARKS.

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

I desire to claim for my minor child, Sherman Lee Byrd, aged 10 months, who is at home with my and under my care and control.

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 C. Byrd

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

My commission expires August 24th, 1909.

A. A. Wood 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 Arthur Gady and Sarah L. Gady, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Susan C. Byrd, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 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.

Arthur Gady Sarah L. Gady

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

My commission expires August 24th, 1909.

A. A. Wood 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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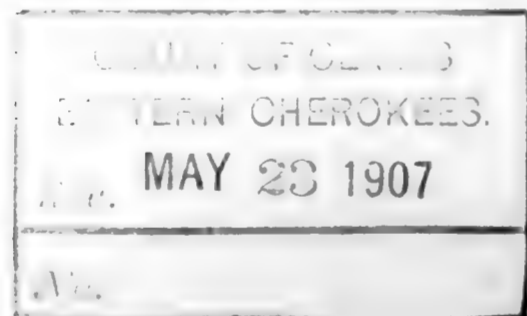
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Susan C. Byrd*

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. 1465

1. State your full name: Susan L. Boyd
2. Residence and post office: Tulsa Ind. Ter.
3. County: Tulsa
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: 17<sup>th</sup> July 1881
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: B. F. Boyd 44 22. 1871
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? U. S. Citizen
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Cherrman Lee Boyd</u>	<u>17 months</u>	<u>Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> 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: None

### 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) Susan L. Boyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907.

Wm. H. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires 6/29 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 Rachel Byrd and Charlie D. Byrd who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Susan C. Byrd who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 4 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, us had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by us are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Rachel Byrd

Charlie D. Byrd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

Geo. H. [Signature]  
Notary Public

My commission expires 6/29, 1910.

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App. No.1405.

December 6, 1909.

Susan C. Byrd,  
Tulsa,  
Oklahoma.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of December 2, 1909, you are advised that the exception you have filed in your case will be considered in its regular order, but it will probably be some time before the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
No. FEB 10 1909  
No. 1405

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 10 1909  
No. 1405

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JAMES McCANN  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
Suite 11, Alexander Building

TULSA, OKLAHOMA,

Feb 2<sup>d</sup> 09.

Hon. Commissioners of Land Affairs =  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir = I am one of the applicants for partic-  
ipation in the fund arising from the judgment of  
the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee.  
My application is filed as No. 1405.

Will you kindly advise me of the status of  
my claim - and the time distribution will  
probably be made.

Yours Very truly,

Susan C Byrd

Tulsa,  
Oklahoma.

Susan C Byrd



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 24 1910  
No. 1405

*circ. pt.*

February, the 21, 1910  
Tulsa, Okla

Mr Swain Miller Sir  
I will write you in  
regard to my blame  
of the eastern Cherokee  
my number is 1405 please  
tell me whether it is  
there or not we cant  
here nothing at all and  
will you tell me how  
much the stormes  
is about in this case  
So let me know as  
soon as you can  
from J. S. Boyd

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 6 1909  
No. 1405

1403

September the 2, 1909

Tulsa Okla

Quinn Miller Sir I will  
write you in regard  
to my share of the  
carton cheroots  
my number is 1485  
and have it it is in  
your name and  
about when the  
payment will be  
made to you  
it will be  
let me know as soon  
as possible

J. W. C. Royal

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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FEB 27 1908

February 22 1908

Dear Mr. Chamberlain  
Sir Indian agent in the Rite  
you in regard to my  
claim of \$405 of Suta & Byrd  
and Sherman Lee Byrd  
I want you to tell  
me if it is true or  
not if it is true  
could it so assist me  
as for me I wish you  
would please let me  
know for I saw here  
every thing from it  
So I will close  
Susan C Byrd

Susan C Byrd

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 23 1907  
No. 1405-

September the 19. 1907

Tulsa  
Sir B. Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs I will write  
you in regard to  
my blame if it is settled  
or not yet my blame  
is number 1405

pleas write me and let  
me know I am waiting  
for a answer

Si I will close  
hoping to here soon  
from Susan B. D. Wood



No. 1406

Name *Margaret Rice* and *X* children.

Action: *Rejected*

Reasons: *Mother of #1403.*

Residence: *Tulsa Okla*

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No. 1406

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Martha A Mills*

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 13, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

See letter in # 1406

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: Martna A. Hills. (nee Chambers,  
Indian name: same
2. Residence: Tulsa, Indian Territory,
3. Town and post office: Tulsa,
4. County: Creek Nation,
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: October 2nd, 1837, in Arkansas.
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, Lidamay E. Chambers, daughter of Robert Tabor, a white man, and Susanna Tabor (nee Bigby), who was a sister of Thomas Bigby and James Bigby, whose names will appear upon the roll of 1835 taken in the State of Tennessee.
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: George W. Hills, aged 76 years, a ~~XXXX~~ white man.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Grief Chambers,  
Indian name: he was a white man.  
Mother—English name: Lidamay E. Chambers  
Indian name: same  
Maiden name: Lidamay E. Tabor.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Tennessee.  
Mother: In Tennessee.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In ~~XXXXXX~~ the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.  
Mother: In the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: In 1894. Mother: In 1867.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: They were enrolled in the state of Tennessee.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Hardy W. Chambers		Now dead
	Leca Cole		now living.
(2)	Nancy Jane Chambers		Now dead.
	Saran F. Walls		Now living.
(3)	Samuel J. Chambers		Now dead.
	Ida Bullington		Now living.
(4)	John Chambers		Now dead.
	Mary E. Chambers		Now living.
(5)	Ruben Chambers		Now dead.
(6)	Susanna Rundles.		Now living.

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.
On my father's side they were white people.	Robert Tabor, a white man, Susanna Tabor, a Cherokee.

17. Where were they born? In Tennessee.

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

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ They died in the Cherokee Nation before 1851.

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

(1) English name: John Tabor  
Robert Tabor  
Indian name: Russell Tabor  
Residence: Mary E. Tabor  
Susan Tabor

(2) English name: Jamama Tabor  
Lilala Tabor  
Indian name: Fehce Tabor  
Residence: They are all dead.

(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, with my parents in Tennessee, to the best of my knowledge.

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

Same as given in sections seven and sixteen above.

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 to mark: John M. Taylor, Jr. (Signature.) Martha A. Mills mark

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

My commission expires

August 24th, 1909.

A. D. Wood 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. Taylor, Jr., and Arthur Cady, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha A. Mills, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 4 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 M. Taylor, Jr. Arthur Cady.

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

My commission expires

August 22nd, 1909.

A. D. Wood 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. 1407.

Action: Admitted.

Name:

Artie Cheney

and

3

children.

Residence:

Collinsville, Okla.

Reasons:

Sister to 326 and claims through same source.

No. 1407

Name Artie Cheney

With No. 72-326

Remarks:

Foyil - Okla O.K.  
No. 1407, ~~114~~

Name Artie Chaney

With No. Correspondence file

Remarks: Letter in regard to #4015  
# 4015. ~~114~~

Grouped herewith  
are no, 20181, 12230.

12232, 1490, 11763,

4111, 4015, 4033, 4040

667-11 22-20210

23462, 2371, 2372

Claims through

Dick alias Wm Henson  
+

Margaret or "Peggy" Henson

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*Sister to 326*

No. 1407

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Artie Chaney.*

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 25 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— Netie Chaney.  
English name: " " "  
Indian name: Netie Henson
2. Residence: Callinsville
3. Town and post office: Callinsville
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: 29<sup>th</sup> day of May 1870 - State of 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: I claim for myself through my father Thomas Henson - deceased who was a son of Wick alias - William Henson who name appear on the North Carolina tax Roll of 1851. Page (17)
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Jasper Chaney age 68 years - a white man.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Thomas Henson  
Indian name: Thomas Henson  
Mother—English name: Mary Henson  
Indian name: "  
Maiden name: Mary Garden a white woman
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Thomas Henson in the State of N.C.  
Mother: Mary Garden " Tennessee
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Thomas Henson in North Carolina  
Mother: " " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: February 1895 Mother: Sept. 1896.

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

enrolled as a citizens of the Cherokee Nation

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
12430	(1) James Henson -	about 10	Living
1811	(2) Fannie Collins	" "	" "
17232	(3) <del>Ann</del> May Henson	" "	" "
23462	(4) Josephine Baker	" "	" "
	(5) Jack Henson	" "	Dead
	(6) Alice Arance	" "	Dead
	<del>George Henson</del>	" "	Dead
	<del>Boat Henson</del>	" "	Dead

*Jack Henson dead  
William Fathum Henson*

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 Henson or Dick</u>	<u>Peggy Henson</u>
<u>Henson - born in</u>	<u>Born in the State</u>
<u>State of N.C.</u>	<u>of N.C.</u>

17. Where were they born? State of North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? State of North Carolina

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

- |                   |                       |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| (1) English name: | <u>Joseph Henson</u>  | <u>now dead</u> |
| Indian name:      | <u>William Henson</u> | " "             |
| Residence:        | <u>Boat Henson</u>    | " "             |
| (2) English name: | <u>Thomas Henson</u>  | " "             |
| Indian name:      | <u>Tesse Henson</u>   | " "             |
| Residence:        | <u>Sally Henson</u>   | " "             |
| (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 as a citizens of the

Cherokee Nation, by the Woods 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:

*through my grand father William Hanson whose name appears on the Roll of 1835 - taken of the North Carolina Cherokees.*

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.) *Artie Chaney*

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

My commission expires *September 6<sup>th</sup>*, 19*10*

*Clinton L Goodale*  
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 H. French* and *John H. Baker*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Artie Chaney*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and *8* 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 of witnesses.

*John H. French*  
*John H. Baker*

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

My commission expires *September 6<sup>th</sup>*, 19*10*

*Clinton L Goodale*  
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. 1407

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Artie Chaney*

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 21 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. 1407

1. State your full name: Artie Chaney
2. Residence and post office: Collinsville
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: May 28<sup>th</sup> 1870. Tennessee
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Jasper Chaney
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>Jennie Williams</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Feb 11<sup>th</sup> 1891</u>
(2)	<u>Thomas J. Chaney</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Feb 5<sup>th</sup> 1896</u>
(3)	<u>Edua Chaney</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>June 30<sup>th</sup> 1902</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: Cherokee enrollment. All have been allotted land. Jennie Williams also received Cherokee strip payment 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) Artie Chaney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907.

Clinton L. Goodale  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Sept 5<sup>th</sup>, 1910.

Western District  
Indian Territory

Artie Chaney

#1407-326.

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

October 30, 1908.

Artie Chaney,

Collinsville, Oklahoma.

Madam:

Relative to the supplemental application which you have filed on behalf of your minor children, please state what relation Jennie Williams is to you? You give her as one of your children. State whether she is your own child or whether she is adopted? You say she received Cherokee Strip payment. Were you married previous to your marriage with Jasper Chaney?

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

*George Muller*  
Special Commissioner.

ELO.

P. S. In replying refer to No. 1407-326.

1407-326



*HCB*  
Appli. #4015-326.

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

February 5, 1909.

Mary Adams,  
Park Hill, Okla.

Madam:

With further reference to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, you filed a supplemental application for three minor children, namely, Andrew Myers, Grover and Johnnie Adams. Will you please advise this office whether or not Andrew Myers is your own child. If not, please advise us who his parents are.

You will oblige us by an early reply and in answering refer to HCB, #4015-326.

Very respectfully,

*Genion Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

HCB/MLS.

ASM.

App. No. 28902.-326.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

801 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. December 31, 1908.

Rebecca Henson,  
Hood, Ga.

Madam:

*Returned*

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please send answers to the following questions to this office:

1. Where, and in what year, were you born?
2. Were you ever married, and, if so, to whom?
3. Have you been known at any time by any other name than Rebecca Henson?
4. Where were you living in 1851, and by what name were you known at that time?
5. Who were your parents? Were they married and living together in 1851? Where did they live at that time?
6. Was either parent ever married to any other man or woman than each other?
7. Did your mother or father receive any money from the Government in 1851 or 1852?
8. Who were your grandparents? Were they living in 1851, and enrolled at that time?
9. Where were your grandparents and also your parents living in 1835?
10. Were any of your ancestors Old Settlers? Did any move West? If so, who, and in what year?
11. Were any of your ancestors ever held as slaves?
12. Do you know William Catherine Betterton, of Grove, Oklahoma, and what relation, if any, are you to her?
13. What relation, if any, are you to Lurena Rivet, of Owasso, Oklahoma?
14. Name all your brothers and sisters, and also your half brothers and sisters?
15. Please give the names of all your uncles and aunts?
16. What relation, if any, are you to Richard Henson? About when was he born, and was he known by any other name than Richard?

An early reply is requested in which please refer to No. 28902-326, ASK.

Respectfully,

*John Miller*  
Special Commissioner.

ASK/ELD.

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

June 10, 1909.

*Martha A. Mills,*  
*Tulsa, Okla.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 1406, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, 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.

STANDARD  
EXHIBIT OF  
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in reply to  
# 1407-326.

Cherokee.

District

State of Oklahoma }  
Rogers County } L.S.  
U.S.A.

Come before me John N. French, a  
Justice of Peace in and for the 7th Municipal  
of Rogers County State of Oklahoma.  
Artie Chaney, M.B. Henderson, who after  
by me being duly sworn states that  
she is 38 years old and that her  
Post office address is Cullinsville, Rogers  
County Oklahoma. affiant states that  
her maiden name was Artie Henderson,  
and that she was married January 10th 1892,  
to Jasper Chaney. affiant further states  
that prior to her marriage to Jasper Chaney,  
that she had a female child born to her  
whose father was Rufus Williams, and  
that this child was named Jennie Williams,  
and has been enrolled on the Cherokee rolls  
as a Cherokee ever since her birth, and  
that she is her own child by birth.  
affiant further states that she was never  
lawfully married to Rufus Williams, and  
never was lawfully married until she married  
Jasper Chaney. further affiant says that out,  
Signed in Cullinsville Okla. on this the 5th day  
of November 1908

Artie Chaney

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the  
5th day of November 1908

John N. French Justice Peace  
my Comm. Expires Jan 1st 1911 Rogers County Okla.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the 5th day of November 1908  
John N. French Justice Peace  
my Comm. Expires Jan 1st 1911 Rogers County Okla.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
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Tulsa,  
Okla.

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1406

GENERAL DELIVERY  
JUL 12  
1909

No 1408

Action: *Admitted*

Name *John Smith* and *X* children. Residence: *Bellevue, Va.*

Reasons:

*Single man, 40 years*

1408

No. 1408

Name Thos. Sanders

With No. 203

Remarks :



*Dupe. of #203.*

*No. 1408*

*Sec #203.*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas Sanders*

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: *Thomas Sanders*

Indian name: *Tar skee kee tee hee*

2. Residence: *Flint District Cherokee Nation*

3. Town and post office: *Stilwell*

4. County: *Flint*

5. State: *Ind Ter*

6. Date and place of birth: *Shim-bayou District C.N. 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: *Additional Grand Mother*

*Lillie Wrinklesides; Aunt. Gertie; Aunt. Nellie*

*Aunt Lillie. Uncle David Wrinklesides*

*Cousin Ben, son of Lizzie Sanders. I made application for;*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Bettie Sanders, age 57 years*

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

Father—English name: *Thomas Sanders*

Indian name: *Yau nah, Tak lo see*

Mother—English name: *Nancy Sanders*

Indian name: *Nor Lee*

Maiden name: *Unknown*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Ind Georgia*

Mother: *In Georgia*

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

Father: *Shim Bayou District C.N.*

Mother: *Shim Bayou District C.N.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Unknown* Mother: *after the war - some time*

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)	<u>Susan Sanders</u>	<u>Unknown</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
(2)	<u>Jemisha Sanders</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Fannie Sanders</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Sallie Sanders</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Rachel Sanders</u>	<u>" 1849</u>	<u>"</u>
(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>Alexander Sanders</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
<u>Unknown</u>	<u>Sallie Wrinklesides</u>

17. Where were they born? In Georgia

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

Skir Bayou District C.M.

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 allotments of lands by  
the Dawes Commission and for monies drawn  
in 1874, 1880, 1885, 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: .....

*I do not know.*

REMARKS.

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

*I make this my second application for Eastern Cherokee <sup>Union</sup> Additional 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.) *Thomas Sanders*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* 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 Housebug* and *Will Clive*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Thomas Sanders*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *25* 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. *A. J. Buckner* Signatures of witnesses. *John Housebug*  
*Emma Howard* *Will Clive*  
*at work*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* 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. 101

Action: Admitted

Name: Hubert Krell and 3 children. Residence: Kansas Okla

Reasons: only brother of test and claims through same source

No. 1409

Name Gilbert Snell

With No. 1196

Remarks :

*Suppl.*

No. **1409**

*Half bro. of # 469*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Gilbert Snell*

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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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec OCT 25 1906
No.

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: Gilbert Snell,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: 1/4 mile west of Kansas.
3. Town and post office: Kansas,
4. County: District 5,
5. State: Indian Territory,
6. Date and place of birth: 1875 Cherokee Nation 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) We lo ne (2) Coo we sta (3) Ah ti lun ta (4) Joseph (gahwah soo yoh ke) (5) E Chargie (6) Nancy (7) George (8) Chi'siquah ne ta (9) Lucy (10) A ne ke (11) Due te sie (Betay) (12) Cho e le (13) Peter,
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Susian Snell #4902  
26 years of age.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Snell  
Indian name: We lo ne  
Mother—English name: Jennie Snell,  
Indian name: Coo we sta,  
Maiden name: Coo we sta,
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. T.  
Mother: Delaware Dist, Cherokee nation Ind. T.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1883 Mother: 1894



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

where: 1851-2 Cherokee Payment and mother 1893-4 Cherokee  
Strip Payment Delaware and Goingsnake Districts Ind. Ter.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lucy Blackfox -</u>	<u>unknown</u>	
(2)	<u>E. L. Snell -</u>	<u>1867</u>	
(3)	<u>Joshua Snell -</u>	<u>unknown</u>	
(4)	<u>Carrie Fields -</u>	<u>"</u>	
(5)	<u>Jennie Blossom -</u>	<u>"</u>	
(6)	<u>Fanni Long -</u>	<u>"</u>	
(7)	<u>George Shell -</u>	<u>1882</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>unknown</u>	<u>George</u>
	<u>E. Char gie</u>	<u>Char chi</u>
	<u>Nancy</u>	<u>unknown</u>
	<u>Mer chi</u>	<u>Ah ti lan ta -</u>

17. Where were they born? Cherokee nation East

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Delaware Dist.  
Cherokee nation Ind. Ter.

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

- (1) <sup>Indian</sup> ~~English~~ name: E. No. le  
 Indian name: Joseph (yah wah soo zoh kee)  
<sup>Indian name</sup> ~~Residence~~: We lo ne
- (2) <sup>Indian</sup> ~~English~~ name: Chi squah ne ta  
 Indian name: Las se  
<sup>Indian name</sup> ~~Residence~~: Ane ke
- (3) English name: Fixing Davis  
 Indian name: E. dee gu na hee  
 Residence: Saline District
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

*unknown the  
 & their death*

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

where: 1893-4 Cherokee Strip Payment and Land 1902-4  
By the Commissioner with the Civilized Tribes, Goingsnake Dist.  
Cherokee nation, Ind.

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.) Gilbert Snell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of October, 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 Lila Smith and

Rubin Foreman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with Gilbert Snell, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 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.

Lila Smith

Rubin Foreman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

July 2, 1910, 190

David E. Smallwood  
Notary Public.

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No. 1409

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Gilbert Snell*

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.

Rec. JUL 8<sup>th</sup> 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. 1409

1. State your full name: Gilbert Snell
2. Residence and post office: Kansas
3. County: Cher Nat.
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: Jan. 9-1875- Cherokee Nation I. T.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Susan Snell
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>Swimmer Snell</u>	<u>8 years</u>	<u>June 12-1899</u>
(2)	<u>Jennie Snell</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>Jan. 16-1905</u>
(3)	<u>Bertha Snell</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>May 9-1905-</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: Saws 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) Gilbert Snell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this July 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

James H. Todd  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Apr. 26-1911 1907.

No. 1410

Action: Admitted,

Name *Jemie Hoisywater* and *X* children. Residence *Stelwell, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Applicant's mother included by Orenson as Out-look-go hole  
on N. Ind. Dist. # 338.*

Stilwell - Okla. -

No. 1410 Field ?

Name Jennie Norrywater

With No.

Remarks:

Stilwell

Can not find  
customer on  
roll,

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 Noisy-water  
Indian name: Goo-e-stah, Pah-mu-na-geh-gee
2. Residence: Near Stilwell ST
3. Town and post office: Stilwell
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: 1872, Flint 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: I claim through my father Seller Frogg, and my mother Polly Frogg, and my grand father Ju-mu-luh-huh-skey and my uncle Adam Frogg, my grand mother Al-sie Frogg, and my grand mother on mother's side Agie Redbird  
8. Are you married?  yes and grand father on mother's side Redbird
9. Name and age of wife or husband: John Noisy-water  
age 35 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Seller Frogg  
Indian name: Oo-ne-nah-de-mu-duh  
Mother—English name: Polly Frogg  
Indian name: Sah-do-go-ah Cut-tay-yi-lee  
Maiden name: Polly Redbird
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Flint District Cherokee Nation  
Mother: Flint District Cherokee Nation
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: Jan, 6th 1905      Mother: 1890

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were enrolled in 1857 and have been on all the rolls since that time.*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Louis Frogg</i>	<i>unknown</i>	<i>unknown</i>
(2)	<i>Charles Frogg</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Frog Frogg</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Maggie Cumming</i>	<i>1877</i>	<i>Living</i>
(5)	<i>Aunie Frogg</i>	<i>unknown</i>	<i>unknown</i>
(6)	<i>Rider Frogg</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>Ju-nu-luh-hugh-skey</i>	<i>Redbird</i>
<i>English unknown</i>	<i>Ge-squah-gee-gar-glee</i>
<i>Al-sie Ju-nu-luh-hugh-skey</i>	<i>A-Kie Ge-squah-gee-gar-glee</i>
<i>English unknown</i>	<i>English unknown</i>

17. Where were they born? *In Old Nation dont know what part.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *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>Adam Frogg</i>
Indian name:	<i>ah-dah-wee</i>
Residence:	<i>Dead "date of death unknown"</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Unknown</i>
Indian name:	<i>Co-yo-stah-die</i>
Residence:	<i>Dead, "date of death unknown"</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Tah-nu-ta-skey (1/2 Uncle)</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Dead "date of death unknown"</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Unknown (1/2 Uncle)</i>
Indian name:	<i>Ah-yu-da-gee</i>
Residence:	<i>Dead - date of death unknown</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Polly McLenore</i>
Indian name:	<i>Na-lie</i>
Residence:	<i>Dead "date of death unknown"</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I was enrolled in 1874, and on all the rolls since that time, was enrolled for land by the Dawes 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: *Seller Frogg*  
*was my father. My Grand father was*  
*Ju-nu-luh-huh-skey.*  
*I have given all I know of my*  
*ancestors.*

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 to mark*  
*N. J. Redbird*  
*John Acorn*

(Signature.) *Jennie X Noisywater*  
*mark*

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

My commission expires

*July 22nd*, 1909

*M. S. Shannon*  
 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 Livers* and  
*N. J. Redbird*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
 say that they are well acquainted with *Jennie Noisywater*, who makes the  
 foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *25* 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.

*N. J. Redbird*  
*John Acorn*

Signatures of witnesses.

*John X Livers*  
*mark*  
*N. J. Redbird*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22-* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*July 22nd*, 1909

*M. S. Shannon*  
 Notary Public.

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Jennie Noisywater, being first duly sworn,  
deposes and says through her interpreter, Richard L. Taylor;

My name is Jennie Noisywater; I was enrolled  
by the Dawes Commission under the name of Jennie Noisy-  
water, 19045: I claim this Cherokee money through both  
of my parents: I was born in Flint District, about 1873;  
my father and mother were born in Flint District:  
my father was born in about 1855: my mother was born  
about 1850: I don't know where my grandparents were born:  
~~xxxxxxx~~ I never heard of any of my  
grandparents being Old Settlers: neither I nor any of  
the ancestors through whom I claim have ever taken up  
rights with any tribe of Indians other than the Cherokees:  
I think my grandparents were enrolled: I think they  
lived in Flint: I never heard of them ever living  
in any other district besides Flint District: (See Flint  
338 .

*Richard L. Taylor  
to J. N. Noisywater  
at Stilwell, Okla.  
Sept. 14, 1908.*

Jennie Noisywater

and sworn to before me, at Stilwell,  
Okla., this 14th day of September, 1908.

Fred A. Baker  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

No. 1411

Action: Admitted,

Name: Robt. S. Kallston and 3 <sup>sister & bro.</sup> children. Residence: ~~Beckman, Okla.~~ <sup>Clerran</sup>

Reasons:

Applicant grand father and grand mother Lewis and Elizabeth Kallston enrolled by Chapman at # 2053 and # 2054.

Needmore - Okla

No. 1411 Field

Name Capt G. Ralston

With No.

Remarks: grave

See  
Chap. 2053  
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Can not find  
Ralston on  
roll.

No. 1411

Name *Russ L. Rolston*

With No. 1034

Remarks:

*Suppl.*

No. 1411

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Robert L. Galston*

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. <b>OCT 25 1906</b> 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: Robert L. Palston  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: Needmore
4. County: Delaware District
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: Feb. 26, 1887, Dalton 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 Robt. W. Palston son of Lewis Palston sr. & Elizabeth Palston also in his A. D. Palston deceased Bro & Sisters Fanny, Emily, Eliza, Jack Henry, Isaac, Eliza Palston
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: Robt. W. Palston  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Vasti Palston  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Vasti Echols
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Ga  
Mother: Ga.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Oct. 17, 1902 Mother: May 1898

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

Strip payment 1894

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Leavie Ralston</u>		
(2)	<u>Violet</u>	<u>"</u>	
(3)	<u>Larry</u>	<u>"</u>	
(4)	<u>Duke</u>		
(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>Lewis Ralston</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>C. S. Echols</u>	<u>"</u>
<u>Elizabeth</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>C. C.</u>	<u>"</u>

17. Where were they born? N. Carolina

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:	<u>Beckie</u>	<u>Child</u>	<u>1878</u>	<u>(all Indian names unknown)</u>
Indian name:	<u>J. J.</u>	<u>living</u>		
Residence:	<u>Elick</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>unknown</u>	
(2) English name:	<u>Fannie</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1901</u>	
Indian name:	<u>Emily</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1887</u>	
Residence:	<u>Eliza</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1842 or 43</u>	
(3) English name:	<u>Crack</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1899</u>	
Indian name:	<u>Henry</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1864 or 65</u>	
Residence:	<u>Isaac</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>unknown</u>	
(4) English name:	<u>Lewis</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1904</u>	
Indian name:	<u>Manda</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1882</u>	
Residence:	<u>Post</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1902</u>	
(5) English name:	<u>James &amp; Agness &amp; Nancy &amp;</u>			
Indian name:	<u>Josephine,</u>	<u>living.</u>		
Residence:				

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

*Muncans, Kells, Fields*  
*Landrum,*

REMARKS.

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

*I am convinced I would like to draw for my sisters and Bros. in Ga as they have no Guardian*

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 L. Palston*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 16 1910*  
*John H. McCarty*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

I personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents \_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Supplemental*  
*See*

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

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 1906.  
Notary Public.

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No. 1411

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Robert L. Keenan*

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. Rec. JUL 11 1907 No.
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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children.

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Oway 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: Robert L. Ralston
2. Residence and post office: Clara
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Feb 1887 in Georgia
6. Are you married? no
7. Name and age of wife or husband: none
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Robert Ralston</u>	<u>16 years</u>	
(2)	<u>Lucy Ralston</u>	<u>12 years</u>	
(3)	<u>Luella Ralston</u>	<u>13 years</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: Cherokee

**REMARKS.**

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

These children are my sisters & Brother  
our Parents are both Dead

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

(Signature) Robert L. Ralston

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

Jeff D. Stanton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 1st 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. J. Lee  
and G. W. Odens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Robert L. Ralston  
who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 8 years and  
8 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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W. J. Lee  
G. W. Odens

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

My commission expires

....., 1909.

Jeff. D. Sexton  
Notary Public.

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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Calusa Okla

Oct. 17, 1900

Mr. Guion Miller  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your <sup>letter</sup> of Sept  
18, I beg to say I failed  
to comply with your  
request. Owing to the fact  
that I have moved from  
Needmore, I didn't get your  
letter until a very short  
time specified to meet  
your assistant <sup>was to be there</sup> and I  
didn't know just where  
Locust Grove was, I was  
informed that there is a  
two place at the same  
name in Ok. so I thought  
I would just write you

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and find out what  
evidence would be neces-  
sary for me to produce.

I can give you as much  
evidence as you want, that  
I am the said Robt. L.

Palston, son of Robt. G.  
Palston, grandson of Louis  
Palston, and so on, as  
the application reads.

if your assistant will be  
in this part of the state  
any-more and if not,  
I can go before a notary  
public or justice of the  
peace, or any other person  
you wish, please tell  
me if you prefer relatives  
or not, and what evidence  
you wish.

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I also made application  
for my minor sisters  
and brother, (names)  
Violet, Lucy, and Luke.  
if you wish any testimony  
in their case please tell  
me. My father and  
mother are both dead  
and for that reason  
I have applied for them  
they now reside in the  
city of Dalton Georgia  
Mr Miller I don't know  
whether I am on the  
final roll or not, but I  
am on the roll of 1887, and  
1894 My father drew  
strip money in 1894  
but we didn't more



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to, this country until  
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should, have moved  
in, Sept 1897, that is  
what spared us from  
the final roll, not that  
the blood was doubted  
all of my relatives  
around. Had more  
all on the final roll,  
I was enrolled and  
then, my name was  
stricken from the roll  
and I sued again  
through a Mr. W. H. White  
of Washington D. C. of  
whom has my filing  
papers, and other papers  
but if I understand

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this boy must it is  
not necessary to be on  
the final roll, just so  
you are an eastern  
cherokee.

Well I guess I have  
wrote all that is neces-  
sary so I will say  
no more hoping to  
hear from you soon  
& am resp. Yours

 P. S. Ralston  
Clora  
Okla.

P. S. please write  
me at Clora Okla.

No. 1411

Oct. 16th, 1908.

Robert L. Ralston,  
Cleora, Okla.

Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of Oct. 12th and in  
reply you are advised that your letter, with the information  
contained therein will be placed on file here and if there is  
any further information desired in your claim, you will be duly  
notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

MSM.

No. 1412

Action: Admitted

Name: Margaret E. Keys, and 3 children. Residence: Cookson, Okla.

Reasons: Applicant's mother, App. # 1080, on roll of 1835 as  
"Ah-nah-kee" and "Plant 204" in 1851.  
Cousin of #859

No. 1412.

Name Margaret E. Keys

With No. 1080.

Remarks:

Also, no. 12655;  
27096. 27092.  
24795; 27064.  
27091.

No. 1412  
*See #27091*  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF  
*Margaret E. Keys*  
*(Margaret Keys)*

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. <i>Rec</i> OCT 25 1906
No.

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: Margaret E. Keys

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

2. Residence: Crookston Ind. T.

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

4. County: Wahkiakum Co.

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Born Oct. 27 - 1855 - Washburn 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: On behalf of George Spears <sup>(decd)</sup> who

was my lawful husband also on my three dead children  
Joe Spears, Thomas H. Spears and Andrew Spears

8. Are you married? Yes to Jay P. Keys

+ 9. Name and age of wife or husband: 53 yrs. Jay Keys

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

Father—English name: Thomas<sup>th</sup> Carlile

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

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Carlile (nee) Catron

Indian name: Ah Mah Lee

Maiden name: Elizabeth Catron

11. Where were they born?

Father: Born in Cumby Co. Ark. May 30 1832

Mother: Born Jan. 13 1835

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

Father: In Cherokee Nation Ind. T.

Mother: In Cherokee Nation Ind. T.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Decd Aug 6 1875

Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes At Ft Gibson Dec 24 My Mother was enrolled again in 1880 & drew money in Staff Payment*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Mary J. Corlie</i>	<i>Dec. 24-1857</i>	<i>1894</i>
(2)	<i>John Corlie</i>	<i>Aug. 31-1860 (Living)</i>	
(3)	<i>Thomas J. Corlie</i>	<i>Dec. 1863 (Living)</i>	
(4)	<i>Wm K. Corlie</i>	<i>Jan 1 1869 (Living)</i>	
(5)	<i>Ellen J. Corlie</i>	<i>Dec. 19 1870 (Living)</i>	
(6)	<i>Stephen F. Corlie</i>	<i>Jan 5-1873 (Living)</i>	
(7)	<i>Henry Corlie</i>	<i>Aug. 7 1875 (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>John Catron (White man)</i>	<i>Margrett Catron</i>
<i>Wa Sub.</i>	<i>Wa Gab</i>

17. Where were they born? *A. Father in Virginia Grand Mother East-Tenn.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Ans. Tab. Dist. Ind. T. de. Tahlequah Dist. Ind. T.*

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

- (1) English name: *Caroline Catron (Sanders) Born 1828 (Dead)*  
 Indian name: *Wa Sab*  
 Residence: *Heads.*
- (2) English name: *Rafayett Catron born 1830 Living*  
 Indian name: *Wa-Sals.*  
 Residence: *Wauhatchan Ind. T.*
- (3) English name: *Margrett Keys (Corlie) (Ne Catron) (Living)*  
 Indian name: *Wa Sab.*  
 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 I am on the Rols and draw money in Bread Payment also Staff Payment 1894 also have an Alotment 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: .....

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REMARKS.

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

*Lizzie B. Cookson-ne Spears is my daughter  
Her fathers name Geo. Spears  
She has an application in for Emigrant 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.) *Margaret E Keys*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20th* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Apr 17*, 19*10*

*W. C. Davis*  
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 *Jay T. Clark* and  
*Thomas J. Pettit*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Margaret E Keys*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *31* 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.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Jay T. Clark*  
*Thomas J. Pettit*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Apr 17th*, 19*10*

*W. C. Davis*  
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.

*Final*

No. 1412

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Margaret E. Keys*

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.
Rec. JUN 8 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. 11712 Walker, Policies 16186

1. State your full name: Margaret E. Keys
2. Residence and post office: Woburn
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Oct. 27 1855 Pukemah Creek, Ind. Tg.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: James P. Keys 53 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>John D. Keys</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Dec. 4 1888</u>
(2)	<u>Walter S. Keys</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>April 7 1891</u>
(3)	<u>Lewis H. Keys</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Mar. 11 1894</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 on Trip and James Carr, Ball Cherokee

### REMARKS

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

Margaret E. Keys is daughter of Elizabeth Keys No. 1080  
James P. Keys father of these children No 16186

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

(Signature) Margaret E. Keys

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of June 1907.

W. C. Davis  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

April 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 Emma Carlile and C. W. Starr who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Margaret E. Keys who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 13 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 her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Emma Carlile  
C. W. Starr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of June, 1907.

M. C. Davis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires April 17th, 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.

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No. 25019.

, July 16th, 1908.

James M. Keys,  
Cookson, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Please state what relation, if any, you are to

Julia A. Hilderbrand.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

by

P.S.T.-MSM.

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P.S.T.-MSM.  
No. 1412

, July 16th, 1908.

Margaret E. Keys,  
Cookson, Okla.

Madam:

Please state what relation, if any, you are to  
Julia A. Hilderbrand.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

by

P.S.T.-MSM.

No. 1412

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. , July 16th, 1908.

Margaret E. Keys,  
Cookson, Okla.

Madam:

Please state what relation, if any, you are to  
Julia A. Hilderbrand.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

*Guion Miller.*

Special Commissioner.

by *G. F. ?*

**F.S.T.-MSM.**

*Cookson Okla; Aug 15 1908  
Hon: Guion Miller: Washington D.C.  
Sirs: Margaret E. Keys No 1412 is  
Second Cousin to Julia A. Hilderbrand  
dictated  
Truly Yrs C. Davis J.P.  
Cookson Okla*

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*Wm. J. ...*

*P.S.*

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No. 1413

Action: Admitted

Name: Lydia G. Saek and ✓ children. Residence: Stilwell, Okla

Reasons: Applicant enrolled herself at Flint 461, under name of Lydia True Gathers at Flint #447 as G. Saek. Sister at Flint 462. Brother Flint #448.

Sup. # 9387

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Name Lydia Hoback

With No.

Remarks:

Abd: 9387

Information too meager,

applicant enrolled  
himself at Fl. 461  
Her father at Fl. 447 as Robert  
Sister " " 462  
Brother " " 448

under name of Lydia

Claim through  
Go-back

Flint 447,  
also  
1835 roll

No. 1413  
S. C. No. 1387:

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lydia Goback*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 29, 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.

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1. State full name—  
English name: Lydia Goback  
Indian name: Lyt-la
  2. Residence: Flint District Cherokee Nation
  3. Town and post office: Stilwell
  4. County: Flint
  5. State: Ind. Ter.
  6. Date and place of birth: In Georgia born 1831
  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 myself: Father Goback; Sister Polly Goback; <sup>sister's son</sup> Ser-to-lee; Polly's Goback's son Ground Duck; Uncle's grandchildren, Ter-ee-na-lee and Cah-ge-ler-tah; Father's brother Turner; Cah-quata-let and Wah-ya-nee-ah Young wife; Father's niece Yah-mee-sah-mee; Cousins Jah-ah, Sa-cha-ler-pu-ke and Cah-hee-tah and Cah-lee-ke-ke-ke-ke-ke.
  8. Are you married?  No  a 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: Lydia Goback  
Indian name: Os-ner-cher-ee  
Mother—English name: Peggy Goback  
Indian name: Wa-ke  
Maiden name: Unknown
  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 C.N.  
Mother: In Flint District C.N.
  13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1858 Mother: Unknown

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>Chai wah nosky</u>	<u>Unknown</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
(2)	<u>Polly Gotack</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1850</u>
(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>Unknown</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
<u>Nannie</u>	<u>Katie</u>

17. Where were they born? In Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Plant District, C.W.

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 allotment of land by "The Dawes Commission" and monies drawn in 1874, 1880, 1886-1894

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

Goback Do-nun-cher-see, Peggy Goback - Wakin

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 her Goback mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Oct., 1906.

My commission expires

Nov 21, 1908

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 Houseburg and Daniel Scott, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lydia Goback, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 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.

Emma Howard
Willie Scott

John Houseburg
Daniel Scott mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Oct., 1906.

My commission expires

Nov. 21, 1908

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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Lydia Goback,  
Stillwell, Okla.

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

September 12, 1908.

Application No. 9387-1413.

Lydia Goback,  
Stillwell, Okla.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that A. S. Marine, one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Stillwell, on Wednesday, September 23, 1908, at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by making inquiry of the Clerk of the District Court.

☛ If you are enrolled on the Final Rolls of Citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes, you should bring with you the number of your enrollment, and also the number of your Census Card.

☛ Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



No. 1414.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Eli Tadpole and 4 children. Residence: Wellston, Okla.

Reasons:

Niece of #1204.

No. 1414

Name Eli Tadpole

With No. 1204.

Remarks :

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No. 1414

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

**Eli Tadpole**

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 16, 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: **Eli Tadpole**  
Indian name: " " " " " "
- 2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Town and post office: **Pryor Creek, Indian Territory**
- 4. County: **Cherokee Nation.**
- 5. State: **Indian Territory.**
- 6. Date and place of birth: **Talequah District, near Melvin, I. T.; 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: **John Tadpole, father; Lucindia (Lucretia) Tadpole, mother; James Tadpole, brother; Edward Tadpole, brother; Patsy Tadpole, sister; Sam Poorboy, uncle; Crossing Tadpole; Nancy Tadpole or Madison, half-sister.**

- 8. Are you married? **Yes.**
- 9. Name and age of wife or husband: **Dorcas Tadpole, age 36.**

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- 10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: **John Tadpole.**  
Indian name: **Tee-see-yah-kee**  
Mother—English name: **Lucinda or Lucretia Tadpole.**  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: **Lucinda or Lucretia Morris.**

- 11. Where were they born?  
Father: **Georgia.**  
Mother: " "

- 12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: **Near Melvin, Talequah District, Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter**  
Mother: " " " " " " " "

- 13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: **1874** Mother: **1885**

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: **Both for the Emigrant Payment of 1851, in Tahlequah District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, and mother for other payments made by the Cherokee Nation.**

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
	Lucy Cloud	About 1848	About 1882
(1)	James Tadpole	Prior to 1851	" 1860
(2)	Edward Tadpole	" " "	" 1857
(4)	Patsy Tadpole,	" " "	" 1858
(5)	Amanda Tadpole	After 1851.	" 1884
(6)	Mary Tadpole	" " "	" 1874

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

FATHER'S SIDE: **Unknown** MOTHER'S SIDE: **Unknown**

17. Where were they born? **Unknown**

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: **Crossing Tadpole, died after the war.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: **Anna Tadpole. Date of death unknown.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: **Sam Poorboy, died after the war of the Rebellion.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: **Eli Poorboy. Date of death unknown.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: **Patsy, a half sister to mother. Living.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. **Yes all of the payments made by Cherokee Nation since 1880 and for my allotment of lands in the Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.**

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: **Both for the Emigrant Payment of 1851, in Tahlequah District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, and mother for other payments made by the Cherokee Nation.**

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

NAME	BORN	DIED
(7) Rufus Tadpole. Born after 1851. Living.	about 1848	About 1882
(8) Thomas Tadpole, Born after 1851. Living.		
(4) Patsy Tadpole,	"	"
(5) Amanda Tadpole	After 1851.	" 1884
(6) Mary Tadpole	" "	" 1874

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

17. Where were they born? **Unknown**

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: **Crossing Tadpole, died after the war.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: **Anna Tadpole. Date of death unknown.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: **Sam Poorboy, died after the war of the Rebellion.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: **Eli Poorboy. Date of death unknown.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: **Patsy, a half sister to mother. Living.**  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. **Yes all of the payments made by Cherokee Nation since 1880 and for my allotment of lands in the Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.**

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 statement from my own independant recollection of my father and mother and their 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.)

Eli Tadpole

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires

3-27, 1909

J M Watts

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 M. Keys and

J H Mayer

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with Eli Tadpole, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 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.

James M. Keys  
J H Mayer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires

3-27, 1909

J M Watts

Notary Public.

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No. 1414

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Eli Tadpole*

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. Rec. JUN 20 1907 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. 1414 *D. C. # 25309*

1. State your full name: Eli Tadpole *D. C. # 25309*
2. Residence and post office: Pigeon Creek
3. County: Cherokee Nat
4. State: Ind Ter
5. Date and place of birth: 1865- Cherokee Nat I Y
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Dorcas Tadpole *D. C. # 25310* 35-
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>Julia</u> <i>D. C. No. 25312</i>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(2)	<u>Emma</u> <i>25313</i>	<u>15-</u>	<u>1892</u>
(3)	<u>William</u> <i>25314</i>	<u>9</u>	<u>1897</u>
(4)	<u>Annie</u> <i>25315</i>	<u>7</u>	<u>1900</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 since birth on rolls of Cherokee Nation

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) Eli Tadpole

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of June 1907.  
W. H. Watts

Notary Public.

My Commission expires 3-26- 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 W Sanford Kelley and James L Mitchell who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Eli Tadpole who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 4 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.

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W Sanford Kelley  
James L Mitchell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of June, 1907.

W M Watts  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 3-26, 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.

*change add.*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 26 1909  
No. 1414

Change Address

General Miller

Special Com.

Sir, My P.O. is Pomeroy  
Camp Okla instead of  
Wellington as it is on  
the rolls that you  
have sent out you  
will please make  
the change and

oblige

Eli Tadpole 14 14  
Dorant Tadpole

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No. 1415

Action: Admitted

Name: Mary Wilson and x children. Residence: Dayton, Tenn.

Reasons:

Sister of Eliz. Constant #553

No. 1415

Name. Mary Wilson

With No. 553

Remarks :

No. 1415

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Wilson*

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 25 1906
No.

L. I. JONES.

*Atty.*

CHATTANOOGA, TENN

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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:

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:

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:



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *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)	Cornelius Fields	Unknown	dead Unknown	1/2 Bro
(2)	Richard Fields	"	dead "	1/2 Bro.
(3)	John Fields	"	Living	1/2 Bro
(4)	Mary Fields	"	dead Unknown	1/2 sister
(5)	Elizabeth Fields (now Constant)	Apr 17 <sup>th</sup> 1854	Living	(full sister)
(6)	Mary Fields (now Wilson)	July 3 1856	"	" "
	Annice Fields (now Dovel)	Dec 7 1858	"	" "
	Hannie Fields (now Anderson)	Jan 7 1863	"	" "

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	James C. Davis
"	Unknown

17. Where were they born? *I do not know*

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

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

- (1) English name: *I do not know anything about*  
 Indian name: *any of them except my father*  
 Residence: *T. Shafter*
- (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. *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: .....

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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.*

(Signature.) *her* Mary Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires 9<sup>th</sup> October, 1907

E. H. Matthews  
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 Rannie Anderson and G. C. Sivley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Wilson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 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.

Rannie Anderson  
G. C. Sivley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Oct 9<sup>th</sup>, 1907

E. H. Matthews  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEES,  
Rec. FEB 28 1908  
No. 1415

*vine. Rt.*

FEB 29 1908

I have seen the will of 1863  
Mr. William Miller in regard  
to my father's claim of Miller  
Miller is said to be the son of  
is not but I am from I do  
would like to hear from it at  
an early date and let me no  
at all and thank you  
yours Truly

Wm. Miller

Box 1000, Tenn

Rt. 1, Box 16

1875

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES,  
Rec. AUG 7 1909  
No. 1415

*admit  
notice*

March 5 1909  
Dear Sir Mr Commissioner  
I am send my letter to  
The King Please I have  
move to Est Chhattonnaga  
The Past master at Dayton  
told my son how he sent  
my letter to the old letter  
office I want you to send  
my note to Est Chhattonnaga  
and my daughter note to  
to I have not Resene Na  
Letter yet all the best  
Have Resene they letters  
Mrs Mary Wilson  
Est Chhattonnaga

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 7 1909  
No. 1415

Hill City, Tenn  
July, 3, 1908.

Mr. Miller, -

I went  
to the office and seen  
the clerk about my  
~~name~~ claims. I found  
my name, my  
daughter and my  
grand son's name.

The clerk said for  
me to write to you  
and see if I had  
to do any thing  
or not. Yours truly,  
Mrs. Mollie Wilson



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

*Mary Wilson,  
Haleyton,  
Linn.*

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~~ 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 3040

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, Hiwassee, 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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OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

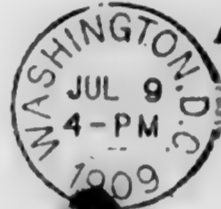
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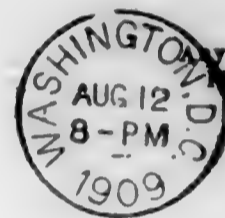
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WASHINGTON, D. C.



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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEE	No.
SEP 15 1909	No.

Mary Wilson,

Hill City,

~~Tennessee~~

Wayton, Tenn. June 1, 1910.

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 12027  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 3040  
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.

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*[Handwritten signature]*

Her  
Mary X Wilson  
Mark.

No. 1416

Action: Admitted

Name Elizabeth Cate and no children. Residence Hill City, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims herself enrolled as Elizabeth Hail  
C. #1679. Father enrolled as George M Hail C. 1675.  
Grandmother enrolled as Sally Hail C. #1662

No. 1416 <sup>W.K. O.K.</sup>

Name Elizabeth Gate

With No. ....

Remarks :

Grouped herewith  
are no, 5-633,  
6689, 5-295,  
25190, 25191, 25189,  
1734-26298, 2838,  
24292-94-26915-16  
33324, 29991-2,  
27935

Clams through  
Hail

Chapman 1678.

No. 1415

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Elizabeth Cate,*

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 25 1906 No.
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L. B. JONES

*Atty.*

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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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 Bates formerly Elizabeth Hail  
Indian name: Unknown
2. Residence: Hill City, Tennessee
3. Town and post office: Hill City
4. County: Hamilton
5. State: Tennessee
6. Date and place of birth: Dec 8<sup>th</sup> 1841 at Decatur Meigs Co 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: I claim through my father George W. Hail and also in my own right as my name appears on the roll of 1851
8. Are you married? yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Noah. Bates. Forty seven years of age
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: George W. Hail  
Indian name: Unknown  
Mother—English name: Malinda Hail  
Indian name: Unknown  
Maiden name: Malinda Shackelford
11. Where were they born?  
Father: I do not know  
Mother: I do not know
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Decatur Meigs County Tennessee  
Mother: my mother was dead in 1851
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Sept 10<sup>th</sup> 1852  
Mother: Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> 1844



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *My father was. My mother never*

*claimed Indian blood to my knowledge enrolled in Meigs Co Tennessee in 1857*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	David Wilson Hail	Aug 15 1847	(Living) 1/2 Bro.
(2)	John P Hail	Aug 30 <sup>th</sup> 1849	" 1/2 "
(3)	James Munroe Hail	Dec 16 <sup>th</sup> 1851	" 1/2 "
(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>Know nothing of my Grandfather</i>	<i>Don't know their names</i>
<i>Sarah Hail - Grandmother - formerly Sarah Becknell</i>	

17. Where were they born? *I do not know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *I understand that they lived at Ross Landing (Chattanooga) in 1851*

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

(1) English name:	<i>Caroline Hail</i>	<i>Don't know date of death</i>
Indian name:	<i>Winkmaw</i>	
Residence:	<i>Soddy Hill Hamilton Co Tenn</i>	
(2) English name:	<i>Thursay Hail</i>	<i>" " " "</i>
Indian name:	<i>Winkmaw</i>	
Residence:	<i>Soddy Tennessee</i>	
(3) English name:	<i>Michael Hale</i>	<i>" " " "</i>
Indian name:	<i>Winkmaw</i>	
Residence:	<i>Deatur Meigs Co Tenn</i>	
(4) English name:	<i>A Mrs. William Jones (whose name I do not know)</i>	
Indian name:		
Residence:	<i>Soddy Hamilton Co Tenn</i>	
(5) English name:		<i>date of her death unknown</i>
Indian name:		
Residence:		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I have been enrolled in 1857 - as I understand I lived in Deatur Meigs Co Tenn*

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

*Am unable to do this*

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.) *Elizabeth Cate*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *October 9*, 190*7* *E.H. Matthews*  
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 *D.C. Cate* and *Julia Cate*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Elizabeth Cate*, 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 *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*D.C. Cate*  
*Julia Cate*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *October 9*, 190*6* *E.H. Matthews*  
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.

DEPT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 16 1908  
No.

BENJAMIN CARTER,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,  
423 AND 424 BOND BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

H. M. K.  
January 15, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Commissioner etc.,  
City.

Sir:

Referring to application #1416 of Mrs. Elizabeth Cates, Cherokee Indian, I send you herewith an affidavit of the claimant stating that, according to the information she had from her childhood, her father, George Hall, was an enrolled Cherokee, and that her two brothers live in Indian Territory and have drawn land there as Cherokees. You will observe that she also states that her brother Monroe Hall resides near Welsh, Cherokee Nation, which point I suppose you will visit when you begin to take testimony.

Yours very truly,

*Benjamin Carter*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
AND  
EQUIPMENT  
FOR THE  
INDIAN  
TERRITORIES  
No. 16193  
JAN 16 1908  
A.D.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Cate )  
vs. )  
The United States )

Application No. 1416, filed Jan. 15, 1907,  
in the office of the Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs at Washington, for part of the fund  
allotted by judgment of the Court of Claims

to the Eastern Cherokees.

State of Tennessee )  
Hamilton County )

Personally appeared before me,  
a Notary Public, lawfully Commissioned and quali-  
fied in and for the County and State aforesaid,  
Mrs. Elizabeth Cate, who being duly sworn deposed

and said that her maiden name was Hail, that she is the daughter of George Hail and his wife, Malinda, whose maiden name was Shackleford, both father and mother dead. She has three half brothers living, two reside in the Cherokee Nation, one the oldest John Hail resides near Tahlequah and gets his mail sometimes at Talequan and sometimes at Gideon. The next oldest brother residing in the Nation is named Monroe Hail. He resides near Welsh in the Cherokee Nation. The oldest living brother is named David and resides in Meiggs' County, and his post office, since the free delivery I don't know but he resides at Cotton Port on the Tennessee river. I was too young to know, but I was always told that father drew in 1851 as an Eastern Cherokee and that my two brothers who went to the Nation since the Civil War, have been recognized as Cherokees, have drawn land and just as the other Cherokees who are out there.

Affiant further says that she was born in Meigg's County, Tenn. Decem-  
ber 1841, at or near Decatur the County site of Meiggs County. My Claim was  
sent through the office of L.B. Jones, who has since died.

Sworn to and subscribed before me,  
this Dec. 31, 1907.

*Elizabeth Cate*

*W. Standfield*  
Notary Public

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Received of *GUION MILLER*, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 9373  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 438  
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.

*Eugene C. Cate*  
Cate

No. 1417

Action: Admitted

Name: Grandville Martin and 2 children. Residence: Greenbrier W. Va.

Reasons: Brother of # 873. and claims this as same source.



No. 1417.

Name Grandville Martin

With No. 873.

Remarks :

*Suppl.*

No. 1417

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Grandville Martin*

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 25 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: Grandville A. Martin  
Indian name: Cunnie
2. Residence: 1 1/2 Mi Northwest Pryor Creek Ind. Terr.
3. Town and post office: Greenbrier Ind. Territory
4. County: Dist 5
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Jan. 14, 1876 Greenbrier 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: By right of my father Joseph L. Martin. By right of my Grandfather John Martin. By right of my Grandmother Nellie Martin nee McDaniel. By right of my Uncle Richard Fields Martin. By right of my Uncle Cicero Martin.
8. Are you married? Yes { By right of my Aunt Ellender Vanna
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lola B. Martin nee Meyer  
age 26 yrs.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Joseph L. Martin  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Jennie H. Martin nee Harlan  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Jennie Harlan
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Georgia { Old Cherokee Nation  
Mother: Cherokee Nation
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Cherokee Nation  
Mother: In Cherokee Nation
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 1891 Mother: Living

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

where: *They were enrolled for the 1801 payment and father for all payments or benefits up to 1820 payment mother for all payments or benefits up until 1874*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Jessie B. Crittenden nee Martin</i>	<i>April 20 1874</i>	
(2)	<i>Willie A. Cochran nee Martin</i>	<i>Aug 1 1879</i>	
(3)	<i>My father had 4 sets of children I will</i>		
(4)	<i>give names of half brothers and sisters</i>		
(5)	<i>in separate sheet</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>John Martin</i>	<i>Nelson Harlan</i>
<i>Nelly Martin nee McDaniel</i>	<i>Jane Salann nee Nicholson</i>

17. Where were they born? *My father's parents were born in Georgia - my mother in Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr. Ark*

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:

	English name	Indian name	Residence	Death
(1)	<i>Anna Thompson nee Martin</i>	<i>Brice Martin</i>	<i>Martha Adair nee Martin</i>	<i>Death unknown</i>
	<i>Susan Mc Nair nee Martin</i>	<i>Joseph L Martin</i>	<i>Richard Martin</i>	<i>Nov. 9th 1891</i>
	<i>Gabriel Martin</i>	<i>Ellender Vann nee Martin</i>	<i>On Grandfather Harlan's side</i>	<i>Death unknown</i>
(2)	<i>Mary L. Twist nee Harlan</i>	<i>Mary L. Divine nee Harlan</i>	<i>Sarah L. Twist nee Harlan</i>	<i>Harlan Cherokee Nat.</i>
	<i>Mary L. Divine nee Harlan</i>	<i>John L. Harlan</i>	<i>Mary L. Divine nee Harlan</i>	<i>died in 1862</i>
	<i>John L. Harlan</i>	<i>John L. Harlan</i>	<i>John L. Harlan</i>	<i>Cherokee Nat.</i>
(3)	<i>Jessie H. Martin nee Harlan</i>			

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

where. *payment of 1850-1853-1886-1890-1894 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: Grandfather Martin had 2 wives and 2 sets of children his wives were sisters Nellie & Lucy McDaniel they had 8 children each I will give names of Lucy's children on separate sheet.

REMARKS.

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

All of my Aunts and Uncles in whose shares I have made application to participate died leaving no 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.) Grandville Martin

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

My commission expires 2/13, 1908

P. E. Sudderth  
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. J. Tacey and Wash Goss, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Grandville Martin, who makes the foregoing application and statements, 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 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. J. Tacey  
Wash Goss

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

My commission expires 2/13, 1906

P. E. Sudderth  
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.

*Subst.*

No. 1417

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Benjamin B. Martin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1896, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Grandville Martin.*

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: Grandville A. Martin  
Indian name: Cunnie
2. Residence: 1 1/2 mi. Northeast Pryor Creek Ind. Terr.
3. Town and post office: Greenbrier Ind. Territory
4. County: Dist. 5
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Jan. 14, 1876 Greenbrier 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: By right of my father Joseph L. Martin. By right of my Grandfather John Martin. By right of my Grandmother Nellie Martin nee McDaniel. By right of my Uncle Richard Fields Martin. By right of my Uncle Cicero Martin.
8. Are you married? Yes { By right of my Aunt Ellender Vance nee Martin
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lola B. Martin nee Mayer  
age 26 yrs.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Joseph L. Martin  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Jennie H. Martin nee Harlan  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Jennie Harlan
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Georgia { Old Cherokee Nation  
Mother: Cherokee Nation
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Cherokee Nation  
Mother: In Cherokee Nation
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 1891 Mother: Living



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were enrolled for the 1857 payment*

*and father for all payments or benefits up to 1880 payment  
mother for all payments or benefits up until 1874*

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

- |     | NAME.  | BORN.                | DIED. |
|-----|--|----------------------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Jessie B. Crittenden ne Martin</i>          | <i>April 20 1874</i> |       |
| (2) | <i>Willie A. Cochran ne Martin</i>             | <i>Aug 1 1879</i>    |       |
| (3) | <i>My father had 4 sets of children I will</i> |                      |       |
| (4) | <i>give names of half brothers and sisters</i> |                      |       |
| (5) | <i>on separate sheet.</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>John Martin</i>	<i>Nelson Harlan</i>
<i>Nellie Martin ne McDanniel</i>	<i>Jane Harlan ne Nicholson</i>

17. Where were they born? *My fathers parents were born in Georgia -  
my mother in Cherokee Nation Ind Terr. Okla*

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:

- |     | English name:                     | Indian name:                        | Residence:                      | Death                                  |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| (1) | <i>Anna Thompson ne Martin</i>    | <i>Brice Martin</i>                 | <i>Martha Adair ne Martin</i>   | <i>Death unknown</i>                   |
| (2) | <i>Susan Mc Nair ne Martin</i>    | <i>Joseph L Martin</i>              | <i>Richard Martin</i>           | <i>Nov. 9th 1891<br/>Death unknown</i> |
| (3) | <i>Ellender Vann ne Martin</i>    | <i>On Grandfather Harlan's side</i> | <i>Sarah C. Twist ne Harlan</i> | <i>Harlan Cherokee Nat.</i>            |
| (4) | <i>Mary L. Divine ne Harlan</i>   | <i>Alice Crittenden</i>             | <i>John G. Harlan</i>           | <i>died in 1862<br/>Cherokee Nat.</i>  |
| (5) | <i>Jessie H. Martin ne Harlan</i> |                                     |                                 |  |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *payment of 1850-1853-1886-1890-1894*

*and have my allotment in the Cherokee Nation.*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were enrolled for the 1857 payment and father for all payments or benefits up to 1880 payment and mother for all payments or benefits up until 1874*

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

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) <i>Jessie B. Crittenden nee Martin</i>	<i>April 20, 1874</i>	
(2) <i>Willie A. Cochran nee Martin</i>	<i>Aug 1, 1879</i>	
(3) <i>My father had 4 sets of children I will</i>		
(4) <i>give names of half brothers and sisters</i>		
(5) <i>on separate sheet.</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>John Martin</i>	<i>Nelson Harlan</i>
<i>Nellie Martin nee McDanniel</i>	<i>Jane Harlan nee Nicholson</i>

17. Where were they: *My Mo*

18. Where did they

19. Give names of all

	English name	Indian name	Residence
(1)	<i>Alex Martin</i>		<i>born about 1840</i>
	<i>Richard L. Martin</i>		<i>Aug 20, 1847</i>
(2)	<i>Anna C. Rogers nee Martin</i>		<i>died 1890</i>
	<i>Susie C. Mayo nee Martin</i>		<i>born 1852</i>
(3)	<i>Ligero H. Martin</i>		<i>died about 1878</i>
	<i>Marth W. Martin</i>		<i>1877</i>
	<i>Ruth C. Bunge nee Martin</i>		<i>died about 1887</i>
(4)	<i>John R. Martin</i>		<i>died about 1858</i>
	<i>Arsena F. Martin</i>		<i>died 1895</i>
(5)	<i>Victoria R. Rogers nee Martin</i>		<i>born 1863</i>
	<i>Geo</i>		

20. Have you ever

where: *payments of 1850-1853-1886-1890-1894 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: Grandfather Martin had 2 wives and 2 sets of children his wives were sisters Nellie & Lucy Mc Daniel they had 8 children each I will give names of Lucy's children on separate sheet.

REMARKS.

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

All of my Aunts and Uncles in whose shares I have made application to participate died leaving no 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.) Grandville Martin

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

My commission expires 2/13, 1908

P. E. Sadler  
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. S. Tacey and Wash Goss, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Grandville Martin, who makes the foregoing application and statements, 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 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. S. Tacey  
Wash Goss

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

My commission expires 2/13, 1906

P. E. Sadler  
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. 1417

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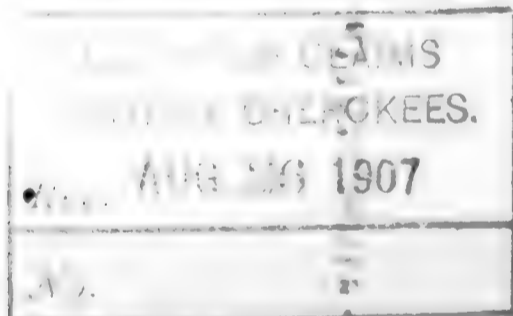
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Granville A. Martin*

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. 1417

1. State your full name: Granville A. Martin.
2. Residence and post office: Greenbrier
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Indian Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: Jan 14th, 1876, in Cherokee Nation.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Lola Martin, nee Mayes, 27 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>Clarence Martin</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>1903</u>
(2)	<u>Marie Martin</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>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: Nothing but Cherokee allotments.

### 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) Granville A. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of June 1907.

R. B. Saddle  
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 W.R.Harris and John J.Harrison who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Granville A.Martin who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and 8 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.

W.R.Harris  
John J.Harrison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of June, 1907.

R.B.Sadler  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 2/13/08, 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. 1418.

Action: Admitted.

Name John Turst. and X. children. Residence: Water Mill Ark.

Reasons: Brother of #1391.

Applicant enrolled in 1851 in  
Goring Snake # 404.

No. 1418

Name John Trust

With No. 1391.

Remarks :



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No. 1418

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**APPLICATION**

OF

*John Twist.*

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.

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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 Twist

Indian name:

2. Residence:

In Going Snake District Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office:

Dutch Mills

4. County:

Washington

5. State:

Ark

6. Date and place of birth:

In Georgia Aug. 13. 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:

Myself; Father; Twist  
Cousin Smokehouse

8. Are you married?

Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Manda Twist

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

Father—English name:

Twist

Indian name:

Y-cgh-mu-ta-yo-tee

Mother—English name:

Rachel Twist

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Rachel Morris

11. Where were they born?

Father:

I don't know

Mother:

South Carolina

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

Father:

In Going Snake District C.N.

Mother:

In Going Snake District C.N.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Aug 13 1863

Mother:

March 30 1876

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sam Twist</u>	<u>Unknown</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
(2)	<u>Isaac Twist</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>J. Y. Twist</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Gracie</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(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>Bear paw.</u>	<u>Drury Morris</u>
<u>Yo mi wo yak</u>	
<u>Ma cie.</u>	<u>Morris</u>

17. Where were they born?

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Going Snake District, N.C.  
In North Carolina

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

(1) English name:	<u>Mary Morris</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>South Carolina</u>
(2) English name:	<u>Shadrack Morris</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Unknown</u>
(3) English name:	<u>Sarah Morris</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Unknown</u>
(4) English name:	<u>Lyda Morris</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	<u>Drury Morris</u>
Indian name:	<u>Endon Morris</u>
Residence:	<u>William Morris</u>

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

where: Enrolled for allotment of lands by  
The Dawes Commission and for Morris  
Brown in 1874, 1880, 1885, 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:

*Unknown*  
.....  
.....  
.....

**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 Twist*  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Nov. 21*, 1908 *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 *Benj. F. Padon* and *John Houseburg*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John Twist*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *40* 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.

*Benj. F. Padon*  
*John Houseburg*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*Nov. 21*, 1908 *Hugh M. Adair*  
Notary Public.

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No. 1418

Admitted

Brother of # 1391. Enrolled as John T. [unclear]

L.S. # 404-

July 1st, 1910.

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 13766-

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 4414  
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.

Betha Baumgardner

1418

No. 1419.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Sgt Cooley and 1 children. Residence: Titusville, Fla.

Reasons: Claims through father and mother enrolled as Doctor Cooley and Wally Cooley by Wrenn in 1851 - Flint District # 315.

Stilwell, Okla. O.K. O.K.

No. 1419 ~~Field~~

Name. Sgt. Gooley

With No. ....

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are no, 45-15;  
4629, 45-14.

Claim through  
Gooley.

Index 315;



No. 1419

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Sut Cooley*

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: *Sut. Cooley*  
Indian name: *Gah-goo-lah-nah*
2. Residence: *Near Stilwell IT*
3. Town and post office: *Stilwell Ind Ter*
4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *Sept 15<sup>th</sup> 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: *In my father's right. In my Sister's right "A-ga Cooley" (1/2 sister)*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Di-ska Beanstick*  
*age about 54*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Doctor Cooley*  
Indian name: *Gah-goo-lah-nah*  
Mother—English name: *Watta Beanstick* # 14 20  
Indian name: *Wa-tie Oo-ga-ma*  
Maiden name: *Watta Daugherty*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *In the Old Nation*  
Mother: *In the Old Nation*
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: *About 1864* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were enrolled in 1851 and on all the rolls since that time.*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Rebecca Beanstick</i>	<i>1867</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>John Beanstick</i>	<i>1865</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Nannie Acorn</i>	<i>1869</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Mary Beanstick</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>1891</i>
(5)	<i>Suse-ann Walbaum</i>	<i>1855</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>Cah-nah-dee</i>	<i>John Daugherty</i>
<i>English name unknown</i>	<i>Jon-nie Oo-ga-ma</i>
<i>" " "</i>	<i>Hester Daugherty</i>
<i>O-lee-gu-nie</i>	<i>Hes-ta Oo-ga-ma</i>

17. Where were they born? *In the Old Nation*  
*"in Georgia I believe"*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Only one living in 1851. The others died Cherokee Nation*

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

(1) English name:	<i>Olie Daugherty</i>
Indian name:	<i>Er-la-wa-wee Oo-ga-ma</i>
Residence:	<i>Dead Unknown</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Ollie Daugherty</i>
Indian name:	<i>Ah-lie Oo-ga-ma</i>
Residence:	<i>Dead Unknown</i>
(3) English name:	<i>George Daugherty</i>
Indian name:	<i>Gah-lu-dah-gwah-muh</i>
Residence:	<i>Dead death unknown</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Key Daugherty</i>
Indian name:	<i>Key-u-guh</i>
Residence:	<i>Dead died during civil war</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Tom Daugherty</i>
Indian name:	<i>De-gah-lo-ge-skey</i>
Residence:	<i>Dead died during civil war</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I was enrolled in 1874, and have been on all the rolls since that time.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Doctor Cooley was my father, my grand father on father's side named Silk, my grand father on mother's side was John Daugherty.*

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 Doctor Cooley, my mother then married Alex Beanstick and I took the name of Sut Beanstick and have been on all the rolls as Sut Beanstick*

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 signature  
John Houseberg  
John Acorn*

(Signature.)

*Sut Cooley his mark*

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

My commission expires

*July 22nd*, 1909.

*Mr. Shannon*  
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 Houseberg* and *John Acorn*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Sut Cooley*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *35* 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.

*John Houseberg  
John Acorn*

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

My commission expires

*July 22nd*, 1909.

*Mr. Shannon*  
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. 1419

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

SUT COOLEY

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. Rec. JAN 20 1910 No.
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Roll # 8345

### 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. 1419

1. State your full name: Sut Coely, enrolled by Dawes commission as Sut Beanstick.
2. Residence and post office: Stilwell
3. County: Adair
4. State: Oklahoma Nation
5. Date and place of birth: September 15th, 1894 in Flint Dist, Cherokee,
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Dicie Beanstick-ne -Forekiller
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>Houston Beanstick</u>	<u>16 years</u>	<u>1894</u>
	<u>Indian name Oo-la-yah-duh.</u>		
(2)			
(3)	<u>Roll # 8347</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: he was enrolled for money and lands

#### REMARKS

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

I am a full blood Cherokee and cannot read the english language, and did not know that I had to make application for my minor child Houston is our only child, and is entitled to share in this fund.

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

John N Green (Signature) Sut Cooley  
W. F. Hall mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th, day of January 1910 ~~1907~~.

M. A. Shannon  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires June 23rd, 1913.

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

Personally appeared before me Peter Doublehead and  
Levi Duck who, being duly sworn, on oath depose  
and say that they are well acquainted with Sut Cooley who makes the  
foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 50 years and 6 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.

W. F. Hall  
John N. Greer

Signatures of Witnesses.

Peter<sup>his</sup> Doublehead  
Levi Duck

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th, day of January 1910, ~~1907~~

M. R. Shannon  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 23rd, 1913, ~~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. 1419

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Sut. Cooley

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. Rec. JUN 4 1907 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. 1419

1. State your full name: Sut Cowley
2. Residence and post office: Stilwell
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind, Ter
5. Date and place of birth: In Flint District C.N. Sept 15, 1852
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Nacey Cowley age 52 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>Houston Cowley</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Sept. 15 1892</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: For lands by Dawes Com.

### 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) Sut. <sup>his</sup> Cowley  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of June 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 Jackson Liver and George Ferguson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sgt Cooley who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 10 years and 28 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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Jackson Liver  
George Ferguson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of June, 1907.

Hugh M Adair  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 21, 1908.

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No. *1420.*

Action: *Admitted*

Name: *Watta Beamsick* and *X* children.

Residence: *Stilwell Okla.*

Reasons: *Mother of #1419.*

*Applicant enrolled in 1857 in  
Plint district # 315.*

No. 1420

Name Matty Beaudette

With No. 1419

Remarks:

*Mother of 1419*

No. 1420

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Watta Beanstick*

*(Watta Daugherty)*

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 25 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: *Watta Beanstick*  
Indian name: *Wa-dae Ah-da-ta sky*
2. Residence: *Near Stilwell St.*
3. Town and post office: *Stilwell*
4. County: *Cherokee Nation*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *In 1837, State of 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: *In my own right. In my Brother's right "Cul Daugherty, my 1/2 sister Betsy Daugherty, my 1/2 sister Susan Daugherty, my 1/2 brother George Daugherty, my 1/2 sister Sallie Daugherty, my 1/2 brother Charles Daugherty, my 1/2 sister Sarah Daugherty, my Aunt Peggy Daugherty, my sister Alkie Pfoctor*
8. Are you married? *I am a widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Alex Beanstick*  
*Died about 1897*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *John Daugherty*  
Indian name: *Jon-nie Oo-ga-ma*  
Mother—English name: *Hester Daugherty*  
Indian name: *Hestoh Oo-ga-ma*  
Maiden name: *Unknown*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *In Georgia "Old Nation"*  
Mother: *In Georgia "Old Nation"*
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: *About 1845*      Mother: *About 1838*

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>George Daugherty</u>	<u>Unknown</u>	<u>1868</u>
(2)	<u>Ollie Proctor</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1858</u>
(3)	<u>Polly Scott</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>about 1899</u>
(4)	<u>Eli Daugherty</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>" 1873</u>
(5)	<u>Peggy Daugherty</u>	<u>about 1831</u>	<u>Living</u>
(6)	<u>Tom Daugherty</u>	<u>Unknown</u>	<u>about 1864</u>
	<u>Key Daugherty</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>" 1864</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>Jon-ne Oo-ga-ma</u>	<u>Dah-dah-ye</u>
<u>English unknown</u>	<u>English unknown</u>
<u>Nellie Daugherty</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
<u>Na-lie Oo-ga-ma</u>	

17. Where were they born? In the Old Nation

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Sequah District Cherokee Nation

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

(1) English name: Kattie Carey  
Indian name: Ga-die-Ah-Ka-wee  
Residence: Dead, date of death unknown

(2) English name: Leaf Daugherty  
Indian name: Oo-gah-lo-guh  
Residence: Dead, date of death unknown

(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 in 1851 and on all the rolls since 1851. Lost for lands by the Dawes 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:

My Grand father on father's side was Jon ne  
Oo-ga-ma, On Mothers side Dah-dah-ye  
My father was John Daugherty Jon-ne Oo-ga-ma  
My Mother was Hester Daugherty.

#### REMARKS.

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

My father had two wives at the same time living in  
the same house, Is why I have so many half brothers  
and sisters, The names of whome are given in  
my claim under no. 7.

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  
N. J. Redbird  
John Noisy-water

(Signature.)

Natta<sup>her</sup> Beanstick  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1909.

M. J. Shannon

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 Noisy-water and  
N. J. Redbird, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Natta Beanstick, 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.

John Noisy-water

N. J. Redbird

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1909

M. J. Shannon

Notary Public.

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Received of *GUION MILLER*, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. *13903 -*

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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 *4552 -*  
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.

*Recca Beausieck*

No. 1421.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Robert V. Steele and X children. Residence: Tahlequah Okla.

Reasons: Claims through self enrolled as Robert Steele -  
Mother enrolled as Mary Steele Both  
were enrolled by Krenner in 1857 in  
Tahlequah District, Group # 353.

H.C.H.

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No. <sup>OK. OK.</sup> 1421

Name Robert V. Steele

With No.

Remarks: Grouped beneath

US No. 40273.

Claims through

May Steele

+  
Robert Steele.

Tal 353.

No. 1421

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Robert Vann Steele*

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 25 1906
No.

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 Vann Steele*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Tahlequah I. T. Box # 225*
3. Town and post office: *Tahlequah, I. T.*
4. County: *Indian Territory*
5. State: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Date and place of birth: *December 4th 1845, 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: *By right of myself by my Mother Mary A Steele. By my Grandfather Robin Vann by my Uncle James Vann*
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 L. Steele*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Mary A Steele*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Mary A Vann*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Virginia*  
Mother: *Georgia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Tahlequah I. T.*  
Mother: *Tahlequah I. T.*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *About 1863* Mother: *About 1877*

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

*Mother enrolled for 1851 payment in Cherokee Nation.*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Tennie Fuller ne Steele</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>Steele</i>	<i>Robin Vann</i>
<i>Steele</i>	<i>Catherine Vann (White)</i>

17. Where were they born?

*Georgia + Tennessee*

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

*Grand father + mother died in Indian Territory.*

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

(1) English name:	<i>Jamea Vann. Died about 1852</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Unknown</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Mary A Steele ne Vann</i>
Indian name:	<i>Died about 1872</i>
Residence:	<i>Tahlequah IT</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

*1875-1880-1883-1886-1890-1894- and have my allotment in 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:

*Grand-father Robin Vann and Grand mother Catherine Vann.*

REMARKS.

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

*I think Uncle James Vann was enrolled in Tennessee in 1851. I am not positive that either James or Robin Vann was enrolled in 1851 but know I am their only legitimate heir.*

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 Vann Steele*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*April 17<sup>th</sup>, 1909.*  
*(4<sup>th</sup> term)*

*[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 *Robert C. Fuller* and *George O. Sanders*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Robert Vann Steele* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *25* 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.

*Robert C. Fuller*  
*Geo. O. Sanders*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*April 17<sup>th</sup>, 1909.*  
*(4<sup>th</sup> term)*

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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No. 1421

Admitted

Claiming thru self enrolled as Robert Steele,  
Mother enrolled as Mary Steele. Both  
were enrolled by Drennon in 1851 in  
Tahlequah District, Group # 253.

J.C.W.



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

*Robert T. Steele*  
*Tahlequah - Okla*

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~~ 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 *25541*

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, Hiawassee, 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.

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Lyhia Santafee being first duly sworn thru Daniel Russell who was also duly sworn as interpreter deposes and says that:- I am the sister of Che-ka-yoo-a Youngdeer. She died in Feb. 1909. She had a husband in 1851 by the name of Ka-na-soo-ta-skee. Ka-na-soo-ta-skee had a son by the name of William. They were living in G.S. District in 1851. See G.S. #269.

Lyhia Santafee

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Oaks, Okla this 18<sup>th</sup> day of Mar. 1909.

H C Black

Asst. to the Special Commissioner  
of the U.S. Court of Claims.

DEPT. OF CLAIMS  
CHEROKEE  
Rec. JUN 4 1907  
No. 1421 A.

Dept. of  
Ind. 4/5/07.

File

May 28 - 1907

Montrose

Colorado

Hon Quion Miller, Spl. Secty, of  
Court of Claims, Washiton D. C.

In Octobr, 1906, I sent application  
to Comisior Indian affairs, for  
my right to share in Eastern-  
Cherokee funds, received his  
Card of receipt, giving applicat-  
ion No. 1421, There are others  
who are entitled to part of the  
fund I applied for, by agreement  
they should not apply, & I was to  
give them their share, under  
new Court order? will I have to  
apply second time? or can  
they apply, & my present applicat-  
ion remain good, Resptly R. T. Steele

No. 1122

Action: Admitted.

Name: *John L. ...* and *X* children. Residence: *Yam ...*  
 Reasons: *Claim through Grandfather and Grand*  
*mother enrolled as Robert and Sally Harrett,*  
*Uncles and Aunts enrolled as John - Alex.*  
*Elizabeth + Archibald Harrett*  
*- See Ill- 81 and 125 - 12 -*

*W. C. B.*

*1422*

No. 1422 <sup>O.K. O.K.</sup>

Name John Lovett

With No. ....

Remarks :

Claim through  
Lovett

S. B. 128.

No. 1422

see #9452.  
14157

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John Lovett*

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 25 1906
No.

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 Lovett,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Cherokee Nation,
3. Town and post office: Gans,
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: Indian Territory,
6. Date and place of birth: Nov. 1st 1878 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: Grand father on mother's side.
8. Are you married? yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Minnie, age 26 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Lovett,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Susie Lovett  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Susie Crossline
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Cherokee Nation  
Mother: Cherokee Nation Sequoyah Dist.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Don't know.  
Mother: Sequoyah Dist, Cherokee Nation.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1879 Mother: 1883



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Enrolled but, don't know where or when best of my belief.*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>John Lovett</i>	<i>half brother, don't know</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Geo. Lovett</i>	<i>half brother, deceased</i>	<i>Don't know</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 believe their names were Jesse Lovett, Nellie Lovett,</i>	<i>John Crosslin, Eliza Crosslin,</i>

17. Where were they born? *Don't know,*

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: <i>Richard Crosslin</i>	<i>Gaus. I.T.</i>
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(2)	English name: <i>Susie Crosslin</i>	<i>Died, 1883,</i>
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(3)	English name: <i>Joseph Crosslin</i>	<i>Died July 29, 1902,</i>
	Indian name: <del><i>Joseph</i></del>	
	Residence:	
(4)	English name: <i>John Crosslin</i>	<i>Died, March 2, 1902,</i>
	Indian name:	
	Residence: <i>Ragsdale</i>	
(5)	English name: <i>Ellen <del>Crosslin</del></i>	<i>Muldrow, I.T.</i>
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	

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

*Enrolled for strip money at the Cherokee Orphan Asylum and enrolled for allotment at Muldrow, I.T. 1902.*

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 Lovett.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires Dec' 14<sup>th</sup>, 1906 John S. Flickner  
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 H. Brown, and Joseph A. Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Lovett, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for six years and nine 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.

James H. Brown  
Joseph A. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

My commission expires Dec' 14<sup>th</sup>, 1906 John S. Flickner  
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. 1422

Admitted

Claims thru Grand-father and grand  
mother enrolled as Robert and Polly  
Louett - Uncle and Aunt enrolled as  
John, Alex., Elizabeth - & Archibald Louett.  
See Ill. 81 aged 125-7/197.

J.C.R.

OF CLAIMS  
CHEROKEES,  
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COURT  
EASTERN  
RECORDS  
JUL  
No.

Gans, Okla.  
June, 24, 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Special Commissioner.

Sir: If you <sup>have</sup> completed the enrollment, and made your report to the Court of Claims during month of May, 1909. How long do you think, before the Court will finally approve of your report? Do you think the Eastern Cherokee money will be paid during 1909?

Very Respectfully,

John Lovett,  
Gans, Okla.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 6 1907  
No. 1422 ✓

Eastern Cherokee.

Gans, J. T. Sept. 3rd. 1907  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

Please advise me if you have  
considered applications no.  
9452, & 1422. And also  
if my name has been  
placed on the roll.  
Yours truly,

John Lovett.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 21 1909  
No. 1422

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JAN 21 1909



Gans, Okla. Jan, 18<sup>th</sup> 1909.  
The Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs, Washington, D. C.

Dear sir: Has my claims  
nos. 9453, & 1422 been con-  
sidered? If so is my name  
on the roll, & if I am  
on the roll, when do you think  
the Eastern Cherokee money  
will be paid out, if it is ever  
paid? How much do you think  
each party will receive?

Best regards and oblige,  
John Lovett,  
Gans, Okla.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* AUG 18 1909  
*No.* 1422

Gans. Okla.

August, 15<sup>th</sup> 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller, Special Com.

601 Gray Bldg Washington, D.C.

Sir:- I noticed an item in a late paper that Robert L. Owen starts for Washington, D.C. to try to introduce the Hon. U.S. Court of Claims to reopen the Eastern Cherokee roll January next.

Do you think the Court will have the roll made over?

I hope the Court will turn this matter down.

Yours respectfully,

John Lovett.

App. #1422.

September 9, 1907.

John Lovett,

Gans,

Indian Territory.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of September 3, 1907, you are advised that the applications for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund have not been taken up for final consideration, and we cannot state at the present time whether or not you are entitled to share in this fund, or the amount each successful claimant will receive.

As there are over 40,000 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.

If there is any further information required in connection with your application you will be notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

ELC.

No. 22

Action: *Submitted*

Name *Se-ka-wo-e* and *children.* Residence: *Cape*

Reasons:

*Committed as Se-ka-wo-e - Husband married  
as *Teak-na-see-to-see* G.L. 269.*

*See file # 4235-*

No. 1429

Name Che-ha-ya-ee Youngdeer

With No. 2 Field-0

Remarks:

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Applicants mother  
 and half brother &  
 sisters, are enrolled  
 in Takl # 388. Applicants  
 husbands name is  
 Maungdeer. but she  
 was probably married  
 to someone named  
 851. I suspect she  
 was. He had a  
 sister by the name of  
 Jane Coor who is  
 enrolled as an O.S.

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No. 1423.

Name. Che ka yo ee yong den

With No.

Remarks: 2<sup>nd</sup> Field -

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See Note inside



No. 1423

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Che Kayo ee Youngdeer.*

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 25 1906

No.

1423

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 Ka yoo ee Youngdeer*

Indian name: *Che Ka yoo ee*

2. Residence: *4 Miles South west of Oaks*

3. Town and post office: *Oaks*

4. County: *W. Dist. 5*

5. State: *Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth: *1822 Cherokee nation East*

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 Che Ka yoo ee Youngdeer*  
(2) *Nak Kee Sleeve* (3) *Nancy Foreman* (4) *Jesse* (5) *John Coon*  
(6) *Daniel* (7) *Wa Kee* (8) *To wo yee* (9) *Jimmy* (10) *Celis*  
(11) *Ah wodee* (12) *Ah ma-oo-gah-na* (13) *Arly tip oh le*  
*che Kee* (14) *Ti eottle e Kee* (15) *Che Co ma law*  
(17) *Nunchee* (18) *Charlie* (19) *Alse*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Youngdeer*

*76 years of age*

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

Father—English name: *Coon*

Indian name: *Coo le*

Mother—English name: *unknown*

Indian name: *Nak Kee Sleeve*

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: *Tahlequah Dist. Cherokee nation Ind. Tl.*

Mother: *Tahlequah Dist. Cherokee nation Ind. Tl.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *1838*

Mother: *1860*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *1851-2 Cherokee Payment Goingstate and Tahlequah Districts Cherokee Nations Ind. T.Y.*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Nancy Foreman</i>	<i>unknown</i>	<i>1875</i>
(2)	<i>Jesse</i>	<i>unknown</i>	<i>1868</i>
(3)	<i>John Coon</i>	<i>unknown</i>	<i>1861</i>
(4)	<i>Daniel</i>	<i>unknown</i>	<i>1864</i>
(5)	<i>Lydia Santafe</i>	<i>1842</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>unknown</i>	<i>unknown</i>

17. Where were they born? *-----*

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: *no*  
 Indian name: *Ah wodee*  
 Residence: *died 1853*
- (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 Five Civilized Tribes Saline District Ind, T.Y.*

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.

*Byrdie Smell* (Signature.) *Che Ka yoo ee + Youngdeer* <sup>her</sup> <sub>mark</sub>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of October, 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 Watt Russel and David C. Fields, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Che Ka yoo ee Youngdeer, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 23 years and 35 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.

*Thos Dial*

*Watt Russel*

*Lila Smith*

*David C. Fields* <sub>mark</sub>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of October, 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.

No. 1424.

Action: *Admitted.*

Name: *Caroline Wolfe* and *5* children. Residence: *Charmore Okla.*

Reasons: *Claims through mother enrolled as Ah-noo-wa-ke Grandfather enrolled as Ah-tah-yoo-lee-see. Grand mother enrolled as Sally-Cunt and Uncle enrolled as Ah-ley and Ah-ne-hah-ga-ye. All of whom were enrolled by Klemmer in 1861 in going Snake list fict group # 111.*

*H.C.P.*

No. 1424 <sup>O.K. O.K.</sup>

Name Caroline Wolfe

With No. ....

Remarks :

Claim through  
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No. 1421

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Caroline Wolfe*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indian 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 25 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: Caroline Wolfe  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: 7 miles South West of Claremore
3. Town and post office: Claremore
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: 1871 Cherokee Nation 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) Ah tlo seen e  
(2) Ah ne wa ke (3) oo da wor ke la ta (4) Ah ta you leske  
(5) Suh le (6) Ah ne law ge yak (7) oo da sa na  
(8) con ma che de (9) A ne ke (10) Dua te  
(11) Susan (12) Dee gu we sak ne ske
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: Eli Wolf  
47 years of age
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Unknown  
Indian name: Ah tlo seen e  
Mother—English name: Unknown  
Indian name: Ah ne wa ke  
Maiden name: Unknown
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Old Cherokee Nation East  
Mother: Cherokee Nation Indian Territory
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Goingsnake Dist Cherokee Nation Ind. T.  
Mother: Goingsnake Dist Cherokee Nation Ind. T.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1877 Mother: 1874



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: 1851-2 Cherokee Payment Goingsnake 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>Cesta Quaske</u>		
(2)	<u>Cu you che</u>		
(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>Unknown</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
<u>Os da wor he la ta</u>	<u>Ah ta you le ske</u>
<u>unable to find out name at present</u>	<u>unknown</u>
	<u>Sah le</u>

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee nation east

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Goingsnake Dist. Cherokee nation, Ind. T.

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

- (1) English name: Unknown  
 Indian name: A ne ke  
 Residence: died 1867
- (2) English name: unknown  
 Indian name: Quate  
 Residence: died 1869
- (3) English name: Art y Russell  
 Indian name: Ah le  
 Residence: Osda 27
- (4) English name: Unknown  
 Indian name: Ah ne law ye yah  
 Residence: died unknown
- (5) English name: Unknown  
 Indian name: Os da sa na  
 Residence: died. Unknown

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. 1893-4 Cherokee Strip Payment and land 1902-3 By the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes Goingsnake and Coover, persons Dist. I.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.

*Witness Mark*  
*Wm J. Israel* (Signature.) *Caroline Wolfe*  
*Eli Snell* *her*  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of October, 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 Isaac Youngbird and Eli Snell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Caroline Wolfe, 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 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. *Eli Snell*  
Signatures of witnesses. *Isaac Youngbird*  
*Eli Snell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of October, 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.

No. 1424

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Caroline Wolfe*

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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 20 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. 14254

1. State your full name: Caroline Wolfe.
2. Residence and post office: Clammont, Ia
3. County: Hick. Residing District
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: unknown born Cherokee.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Eli Wolfe "4907"
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>Henry Wolfe</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>April 27-1892</u>
(2)	<u>Richard Wolfe</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Feb 5-1894</u>
(3)	<u>Jennie Wolfe.</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>April 23-1900</u>
(4)	<u>Donnie Wolfe.</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Feb 8 1902</u>
(5)	<u>Ollie Wolfe.</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Mar 9 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: 4 oldest have allotments & youngest enrolled Cherokee Rolls

**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 to signature & name.*  
A. A. Demmon  
E. R. McKee.

(Signature) Caroline + Wolfe.  
18th day of May 1907.  
Alex A. Demmon  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

2-3, 1908.

No. 1424

Admitted

Claims thru mother enrolled as Sh-noo-wa-kee.  
Grand-father enrolled as Sh-tah-yoo-lee-skee, Grand-  
mother enrolled as Salfy. Aunt and Uncle enrolled  
as <sup>Sh-ley and</sup> Sh-me-lah-ga-yah. All of whom were enrolled  
by Orrensen in 1857 in Going Snake District, Calif  
# 111-

J.C.W.

App. No. 1424

November 14, 1907.

Caroline Wolfe,  
Claremore, Indian Territory.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state the exact dates of the births of your children, giving the day, month, and year of same.

If any are dead, state the exact date of the death.

Please give this matter prompt attention and mention the number of your application (1424) in your reply.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WFA

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 2 1907  
No. 14224

14<sup>th</sup> Nov  
~~1907~~  
H.W.K.

Claremore Okla.

Nov. 29<sup>th</sup> 1907

Special Commission  
of the Court of Claims, Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

Your letter to hand, (Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> 1907)  
will give note and say that  
Mrs Caroline Wolfe, died on 4<sup>th</sup> day  
of November 1907 at our home  
of Claremore Indian Territory, And  
will give the dates of the birth our  
children, as follows.

- 1, Sallie Wolfe, born September 29<sup>th</sup> 1885,
- 2, Henry Wolfe, born April 27<sup>th</sup> 1892,
- 3, Richard Wolfe, born Feb. 5<sup>th</sup> 1894,
- 4, Jinnie Wolfe, born April 23<sup>d</sup> 1900,
- 5, Dony Wolfe born Feb. 5<sup>th</sup> 1902,
- 6, Ollie Wolfe born March 9<sup>th</sup> 1906.

No death in our family here of  
lately.

I am Yours Truly  
Eli Wolfe



No. 1725

Action: Admitted

Name: Matt Rossi and — children. Residence: Park Hill

Reasons:

Father and mother and as father and mother  
Rossi are #64. Landlord - a relative of father -  
mother and father and great uncle as  
of property + Ex'or Rossi # 389

See index to 4236

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No. 1425-

Name Watt Russell

With No. 2" Field

Remarks: Obs.

Grouped herewith  
are W, 1906.

Claim through  
Russell.

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No. 1425 X<sup>o</sup>

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Matt Russel*

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.  
Rec OCT 25 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: *Watt Russel*

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

2. Residence: *Oaks, I. T.*

3. Town and post office: *Oaks,*

4. County: *District 5,*

5. State: *Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth: *1877 Going to the Sun, Cherokee Nation, 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:

- (1) *Watt Russel* (2) *Gah do you ok*  
(3) *Betsy Russel* (4) *Aaron Russell* (5) *Jen E. Lee*  
(6) *Oo Kah joh ta* (7) *So Kin ne* (8) *Lucy*  
(9) *Dee Gah ti' yah* (10) *Fo ni ye Rogers*  
(11) *See Kee Lee*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: *Lila Russell*

*35 years of age*

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

Father—English name: *Aaron Russell,*

Indian name: *A ta ke he ge*

Mother—English name: *Betsy Russell*

Indian name: *Dee te se.*

Maiden name: *Betsy Dwy*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Cherokee Nation Indian Territory*

Mother: *Cherokee Nation Indian Territory*

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

Father: *Delaware Dist, Cherokee Nation, Ind. Territory*

Mother: *Delaware Dist, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *1892*

Mother: *1881*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *1851-2 Cherokee Payment. and Father shared Cherokee Strip Payment 1894 Goingonoke and Delaware District D.T.*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Richard Russell</i>	<i>1885</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>Matt Russell</i>	<i>Wry</i>
<i>Wa te</i>	<i>Co Kah yeh ta</i>
<i>unknown</i>	<i>unknown</i>
<i>Gahdoo you ske</i>	<i>So kin ne</i>

17. Where were they born? *Old Cherokee nation East*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Delaware Dist. 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>Sam Russell</i>
Indian name:	<i>Chuwah nowa ske</i>
Residence:	<i>died 1904</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Jessie Russell</i>
Indian name:	<i>Jennese</i>
Residence:	<i>died 1867</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Lucy Wry</i>
Indian name:	<i>Loo se</i>
Residence:	<i>died 1867</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Unknown</i>
Indian name:	<i>Wee gah te gah</i>
Residence:	<i>died 1870</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Peter Wry</i>
Indian name:	<i>Tal tah</i>
Residence:	<i>died 1885</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *1893-4 Cherokee Strip Payment and land 1902-3 By the Commission with the Five Civilized Tribes, Goingonoke Dist. D.T.*

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~~father~~

Jim Russell  
 Aunt  
 Betty Jones  
 Aggy Miller  
 Cooks St.  
 My father Hall Bros & Co.

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- Residence: men 1104
- (2) English name: Jennie Russell  
 Indian name: Jennisee  
 Residence: died 1867
- (3) English name: Lucy Wry  
 Indian name: Loose  
 Residence: died 1867
- (4) English name: un known  
 Indian name: nee gah to gah  
 Residence: died 1870
- (5) English name: Peter Wry  
 Indian name: Dal tah  
 Residence: died 1885

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. 1893-4 Cherokee strip payment and land 1902-3  
By the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Cherokee Strip Dist. St.

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.) Watt Russel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 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 Eli Wolfe and Isaac Youngbird, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Watt Russel, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 28 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.

Burdie L. Snell Eli Wolfe  
Eli Wolfe Isaac Youngbird  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 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.

#1425

Aggie Miller being first duly sworn thru Daniel Russell who was also duly sworn as interpreter deposes and says that:- I am the half aunt of Watt Russell. His fathers name was Aron Russell. His grand fathers name was Walter Russell. His great grand mothers name was Aggie Downing. Walter Russell had a brother by the name of Ezekiel Russell. Aron ~~Russell~~ Russell had a brother by the name of Samuel Russell. They moved to Del. district from G.S.district, but I do not know just when they moved. See. Del.639-640-641.

Aggie Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Oaks, Okla. this 18<sup>th</sup> day of Mar. 1909.

H.C. Black

Asst. to the Special Commissioner  
of the U.S. Court of Claims.

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No. 1426

Action: Admitted

Name: Bessie Smith and X children. Residence: Osaka, Okla.

Reasons: By mother, Lila Smith

Niece of #1757 and claims through same source.

Sup. of child in #1190.

No. 1426

Name Bessie Smith

With No. ~~1157~~

Remarks: 1190

1421, 27

No. 1421

*Award of 1757*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Bessie 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, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. <i>Rec</i> OCT 25 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: *In behalf of Bessie Smith minor,*  
Indian name: *Lila Smith mother of said minor,*
2. Residence: *Oaks*
3. Town and post office: *Oaks*
4. County: *District 5,*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *1896 Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr.*
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) Flee Smith (2) Jennie Smith (3) Longknife (4) Will Longknife (5) Chuta mlita (6) Aggie (7) Polly (Wollie) (8) Qua te Ahwega yah (9) Thomas (10) Chgah ne sdota (11) Ool ske le ye ta (12) Ah de tle de ke (13) Kah ne Qua yohke.*
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: *Will Smith*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Lila Smith*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Lila Kingfisher,*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Cherokee nation Ind. Terr.*  
Mother: *Cherokee nation Ind. Terr.*
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: *1904* Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: 1893-4 Cherokee stip Payment, Saline 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
one Half Bro	(1) Benjamin Smith	1883	
	(2) Ah-mar-ogah-side Smith	1886	
	(3) Chu-mul-ter-her-ste	1889	
	(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
Flee Smith	
Ti-soo-gah	
Jennie Smith	
Jenny	

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:

Half sister	(1) English name: Thomas Smith	Peggs, IT,
	Indian name: Mary Rutlingourd,	Moody, IT,
	Residence: Elsie Redbird,	Peggs, IT,
one Father or mother	(2) English name: Eliza Commingdeer,	Tahlequah IT,
	Indian name: Peggie Toney	unknown death
	Residence: Kate William	died 1897
Half Bro & sister	(3) English name: _____	
	Indian name: Guk-dayah-ta Bobtail	unknown death
	Residence: _____	
Half Bro & sister	(4) English name: Will Smith	Venita IT,
	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: 1902-3-4 Cherokee land Office By the Commission

to the Five Civilized Tribes Saline Dist.  
Cherokee Nation, IT.

Copy furnished to the Office  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs -  
Washington City - D.C. -

In behalf of Bessie Smith  
Lila Smith mother of said minor  
P.O. Oaks, I.T.  
Father Will Smith  
Mother Lila Smith  
Ben Smith  
and two bros -  
unable to give their names

Grand Parents

on Father side -

Flee Smith  
Jennie Smith  
Children -  
Tom Smith  
Marry Kottinjohn  
Elise Redbird  
Eliza Commins  
Peggy Jones  
Katie William  
Gurda yah tak Bob tail.  
Will Smith Jr. - by second wife -

Jenny's bro  
oolste liyeta's son  
Ah tittle do he

Kah ne Duayoh ke  
father of  
Flee Smith -

Longkribs Children -  
Jenny Smith  
Will Longkribs

Jenny Smith children  
Che tak ma li ta  
Aggie

Qua ta's children  
Thomas or Tom  
Oh fahn er do ta

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Chick Station, I.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.

(Signature.) Lila Smith mother  
of Bessie Smith said minor.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 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 Daniel Batt and Coring Snell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lila Smith mother of said Bessie Smith a minor, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 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.

Daniel Batt.  
Coring Snell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

July 2, 1910, 1906

David E. Smallwood,  
Notary Public.

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No. 1427

Action: Admitted

Name: *Wm Chue*

and 4 children.

Residence: *Bunch, Okla.*

Reasons:

Applicant's mother, *Caty*<sup>*Soak*</sup>, was enrolled in  
*Young Snake, Group 374.*



No. 1427 <sup>OK.</sup> <sup>O.K.</sup>

Name Wm Cline

With No. 2nd Field

Remarks: ~~...~~

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OK Soap  
U.S. 374.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*William Chie*

For share of money appropriated for the  
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved  
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the orders of the  
Court of Claims: May 18, 1905, and May 19, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec OCT 25 1906

No.

1427

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 Cline*

Indian name: *Wesley Gensle*

2. Residence: *Flint District Cherokee Nation*

3. Town and post office: *Bunch*

4. County: *Flint*

5. State: *Ind. Ter.*

6. Date and place of birth: *in Young Snake District C.N. 1858*

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 Katie Soap's aunt.*

*Uncle Goyon ne sui; Uncle Bah-ker-nah-ge-ski; Uncle Sga-ta-le-su  
Grand mother Wah-lee; Grand father Yeh-lee-Tah's*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Sarah Cline, age 33 years*

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

Father—English name: *A*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Katie Soap G.S. 374*

Indian name: *Katie Orlah*

Maiden name: *I*

11. Where were they born? *In Georgia*

Father:

Mother: *In Georgia*

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

Father: *In Young Snake District C.N.*

Mother: *In Young Snake District C.N.*

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: Unknown

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Alie</u>	<u>Unknown</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>Tah-ler Tah</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
<u>Wak-lee</u>	

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: <u>Sit-Tah-nee Ort-lah</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(2)	English name: <u>Rachel Ort-lah</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(3)	English name: <u>Qua-nee-see-ski Ort-lah</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. Enrolled for allotment of lands by  
the Dawes Commission and for monies drawn  
in 1874, 1880, 1885, 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:

I can't give them

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.) William <sup>his</sup> ~~Blair~~ <sub>mark</sub>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Nov. 21, 1908 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 Housebug and Elk Daugherty, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Blair, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 28 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: George Keener, W B Williams; Signatures of witnesses: John Housebug, Elk <sup>his</sup> ~~Daugherty~~ <sub>mark</sub>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Nov. 21, 1908 Hugh M. Adair Notary Public.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William Kline*

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 EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JAN 17 1908 No.
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Appl No 1427. HMK.

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 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.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Cline,

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

2. Residence and post office: Bunch,

3. County: Adair

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Conson Cline</u>		<u>Jan 10 - 1886</u> <u> Died March 15 - 1908</u>
(2)	<u>John Cline</u>	<u>19 (died)</u>	<u>Feb 4 - 1889</u>
(3)	<u>Jessie Cline</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Dec 25 - 1896</u>
(4)	<u>Sam</u> "	<u>3</u>	<u>Sept 30 - 1898. Died Oct 18, 1899.</u>
(5)	<u>Bettie</u> "	<u>6</u>	<u>Aug 30 - 1901</u>
(6)	<u>Harvey</u>	<u>1 part.</u>	<u>Apr 17 - 1906.</u>

11. 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: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

REMARKS.

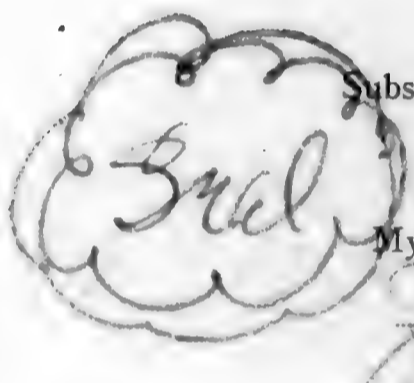
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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

(Signature *William K. Blum*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *Jan* 190*8*

*John B. Lynch*  
Notary Public.



My commission expires *June 10*, 190*8*.

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 statements, and have known..... for..... years and  
..... years, respectively, and know..... to be the identical person..... represents  
..... to be, and that the statements made by..... are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in..... claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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

My commission expires

....., 190 .....

Notary Public.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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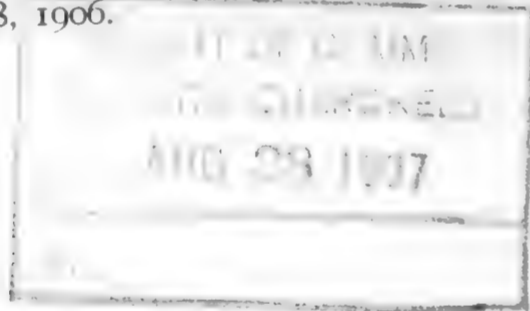
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*William Clin*

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. 1427

1. State your full name: William Cline.
2. Residence and post office: Bunch
3. County: Cher. Nat
4. State: Ind, Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: About ~~47 or 48~~ Dec 1855 In Going snake Dist.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah
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>John Cline</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Feb-14-1889</u>
(2)	<u>Sallie "</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Dec-25-1896</u>
(3)	<u>Bettie "</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Aug 30-1892</u>
(4)	<u>Harvey "</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Apr. 17-1906.</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: 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) William Cline

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

John B. Lynch  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

....., 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 C. W. Sanders and H. S. Fisher who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Olive who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 7 years and 4 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.

\_\_\_\_\_ C. W. Sanders  
\_\_\_\_\_ H. S. Fisher

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

\_\_\_\_\_ John B. Lynd  
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.

No. 1427

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

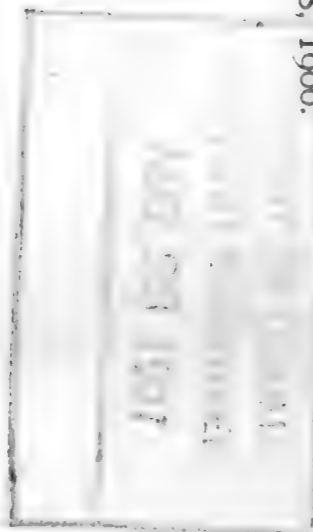
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

William Olive

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.



App. No. 1427

November 14, 1907.

William Cline,

Bunch, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Please inform this Office without delay as to the exact dates of the births of your children.

If all are living, so state; if any are deceased, state the exact date of the death.

In all cases, give the day, month, and year.

Please give this matter prompt attention and refer to the number of your application (1427) in your reply.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

No. 1428.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Nellie Soap and X children. Residence: Steiwee Okla.

Reasons: Claims through self enrolled as Nellie. Father enrolled as John Grimm. Grand father enrolled as William Grimm. Aunts and Uncle enrolled as John, Betsey, William + Rachel. All were enrolled by Krenner in 1861 in Third District, Group #125.

H. C. P.

No. 1428, D.K.O.H.

Name Mellie Soap

With No. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks:

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in No. 2493,  
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13759, -

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*Serial*

No. 1428

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nellie Soap*

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 25 1906  
No.

1428

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 Soap ne Grimmert*

Indian name: *Na-lee Cul-quabta-kee*

2. Residence: *In Flint District Cherokee Nation*

3. Town and post office: *Shilwell*

4. County: *Flint*

5. State: *Ind. Terr.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Flint District C.N. 1840*

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 myself: Mother Nancy Go back*

*Uncle Bill Grimmert; Aunt Rachel Grimmert; Aunt Tookah;*  
*Her aunts Son Watt Grimmert; Grand father Grimmert;*

8. Are you married? *Yes.*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Nick Soap age 67 years*

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

Father—English name: *John Grimmert*

Indian name: *Jah see Cul-quabta-gee*

Mother—English name: *Nancy Go back*

Indian name: *Ner-cha No-see-cher-see*

Maiden name: *Nancy Grimmert*

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 C.N.*

Mother: *In Flint District C.N.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Unknown* Mother: *March 1864*



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>Henry</u>	<u>Unknown</u>	
(2)	<u>Sallie</u>	<u>"</u>	
(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>Backward</u>	<u>At her chee see</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
	<u>Goback</u>	<u>Peggy Goback</u>
	<u>Susy Groumet</u>	<u>Wake</u>
	<u>Su sah nee</u>	

17. Where were they born? In Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In White District C.W.

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 allotment of lands by

"The Dawes Commission" and for money drawn  
in 1874, 1880, 1885, 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: .....

*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.) *Nellie <sup>her</sup> Soak <sup>mark</sup> me Go back*

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

My commission expires

*Nov 21*, 1908

*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 Housebug* and *Elk Daugherty*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Nellie Soak*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *30* 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.

*Emma Howard*

*John Housebug*

*Willie Stark*

*Elk <sup>his</sup> Daugherty <sub>mark</sub>*

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

My commission expires

*Nov 21*, 1908

*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. 1425

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

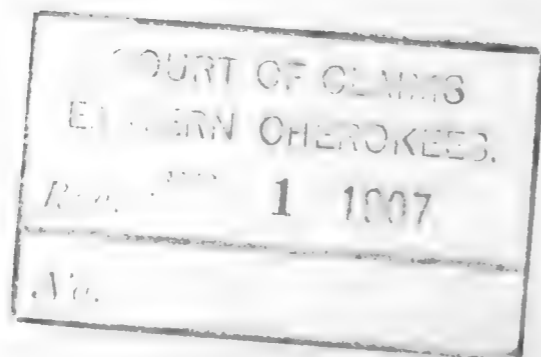
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Nellie Soap*

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. 1428

1. State your full name: Nellie Soap
2. Residence and post office: Stilwell
3. County: Northan Judicial District
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: about 1852, Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.
6. Are you married? No, Husband died May 23 1907.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Nick Soap, , 67 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.
X.	(1) <u>Charley Soap</u>	<u>20.</u>	<u>August 6 1886</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 for allotment

### 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)

*Nellie Soap*  
*mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Mar 1907.

*W. J. Vance*  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

My commission expires May 22 1907, 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 Richard Shell and Samuel Shell who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nellie Soap 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 this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Richard Shell  
Sam Shell

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

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 22, 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.

No. 1428

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Nellie Soap

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.



No. 1428.

Admitted

Claims thru self enrolled as Kelly. Father  
enrolled as John Grinett. Grand-father enrolled  
as William Grinett. Sons and uncles  
enrolled as John, Peter, William & Rachel.  
All were enrolled by Drennen in 1857 in  
Kent District, Grays # 125.

J.C.W.

No. 1429

Name

*Lupine Kelly*

and no children.

Action:

*Admitted*

Reasons:

Residence:

*Stedman, Chla.*

Applicant is ~~son~~ <sup>sister</sup> of 1094 and admitted for same reasons.

No. 1429

Name Josephine Hulse

With No. 1034

Remarks :



No. 1429

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Josephine Hulley*

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 25 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: *Josephine Hulsey*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Delaware Dist.*
3. Town and post office: *Needmore 2*
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: *Indian Ter.*
6. Date and place of birth: *1853 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: *Elizabeth Kolston*  
*Cornelia Kolston* *Eliza Kolston*  
*Francis J Kolston* *Henry Kolston*  
*John T Kolston* *Alexander Kolston*  
*Isaac Kolston*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *John Hulsey 45*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Levin Kolston*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Elizabeth Kolston*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Elizabeth Hill*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Ga.*  
Mother: *Ga.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Ga.*  
Mother: *Ga.*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Dec 1 1869* Mother: *Aug 27 1877*

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	J. P. Ralston	1826	
(2)	Francis P. Ralston	1828	1897
(3)	Rebecca A. Ralston	1824	about 1878
(4)	Alexander Ralston	1830	1832
(5)	Nancy C. Ralston	1835	
(6)	Samuel Ralston	1837	1904

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
Jackson Ralston	Harriet Duncan
<del>unknown</del>	GA.

17. Where were they born?

Mother in GA  
Father unknown

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:	James Hill
Indian name:	
Residence:	GA
(2) English name:	John Hill
Indian name:	
Residence:	GA
(3) English name:	Sam Hill
Indian name:	
Residence:	GA
(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: 1857 1894 GA

	Age	D-
Conelia Rolston	1833	1896
Henry Rolston	1845	1865
Agnost Rolston	1841	
Eliza Rolston	1839	1852
John S. Rolston	1848	1896
Annanda Rolston	1846	1884
Isaac Rolston	1847	1849
James Rolston	1850	
Josephine Rolston	1853	
Robert E. Rolston	1855	1902

and Indian names, if

other side

will assist in proving his claims.)

own," etc., may be used in cases

re true to the best of my

*Gene Halsey*  
*OOH*, 1906.

*June 16*, 1906

*J. S. Macpherson*  
 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 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents \_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

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 distributing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

and

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

*given on other side*

**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.) *Josephine Kelsey*  
13 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires  
*June 16 1906*  
1906

*J. P. Hampton*  
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 ..... and  
....., 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 ..... for ..... years and ..... years,  
respectively, and know ..... to be the identical person ..... represents ..... to be, and  
that the statements made by ..... are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in ..... claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires

Notary Public.

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Washington D.C.

May 21 1871

Union Miller, Special Commissioner  
Sir

I have no children at  
all I have no one to care for  
but myself.

Yours oblige  
Very respectfully,  
Josephine Feltong

No. 1430.

Action: Admitted.

Name Sarah Ketcher

and - children.

Residence: Westville, Okla.

Reasons: Sister to #1386.

No. 1430

Name Sarah Kitchie

With No. 1386

Remarks:



*Serial to 1386*

No. 1430

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Ketcher.*

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 25 1906 No.
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1430

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 Ketcher  
Indian name: Sarah Te-cah-ne-ye-ske
2. Residence: Going Snake Dist.
3. Town and post office: Westville, I. T.
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: May 19, 1880 Going Snake Dist., Ch. 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: (1) John Ketcher father, (2) Margaret Ketcher mother, (3) Big Te-cah-ne-ye-ske grandfather, (4) Lucy Ann Chambers aunt, (5) Leticia Chambers aunt, (6) Arch Lee uncle, (7) Polly Lee aunt, (8) Cinda Lee aunt, (9) Luanda Chambers aunt
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 Ketcher  
Indian name: John Te-cah-ne-ye-ske  
Mother—English name: Margaret Ketcher  
Indian name: Wa-ku  
Maiden name: Margaret Chambers
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Going Snake Dist., Ch. I. T.  
Mother: Sequoyah Dist., Ch. I. T.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Going Snake Dist., Ch. I. T.  
Mother: Sequoyah Dist., Ch. I. T.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: June 9 1904  
Mother: June 22 1900.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: yes, 1851, 1870, 1880, 1881, 1883, 1883, 1886, 1891, 1894, 1896 and father is on Dawes Com. Roll

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Fannie Lutelia Cornasle	Nov. 22, 1859	Living, Westville S.C.
(2)	Bennie Ketcher	about 1861	about 1863
(3)	Lucinda Ketcher	" 1864	" 1869
(4)	Jimmie Ketcher	unknown	unknown
(5)	Ellis Ketcher	about 1870	Living, Muldrow S.C.
(6)	Mose Ketcher	" 1873	Jan. 1906
(7)	John Ketcher	Westville S.C.	Westville S.C.

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.
Big Te-cah-ne-ye-sku	James Chambers
Sallie Te-cah-ne-ye-sku	Patsy Chambers

George Ketcher  
Christie S.C.  
James Ketcher  
Christie S.C.

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Big Te-cah-ne-ye-sku in Sequentah Dist. & his wife Sallie died prior to that date; James Chambers died prior to 1851; Patsy Chambers lived in Sequentah Dist. S.C.

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

- (1) English name: Lizzie Vann dead unknown
- (2) Indian name: Charles Ketcher " "
- (3) Residence: Diak Ketcher " " descendants living
- (4) (2) English name: Ollie Ketcher " "
- (5) Indian name: Mose Ketcher " "
- (6) Residence: Ben Ketcher " "
- (7) (3) English name: Rebecca Neugin Hulbert S.C.
- (8) Indian name: John Ketcher (father)
- (9) Residence: Linnie Ketcher dead unknown
- (10) (4) English name: Ellis Ketcher " "
- (11) Indian name: Margaret Chambers " " mother
- (12) Residence: Lucinda Chambers " "
- (13) (5) English name: Lutelia Chambers died about May 1903,
- (14) Indian name: Arch Lee dead unknown
- (15) Residence: Polly Lee " "
- (16) Cinda Lee " "

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: yes, 1883, 1886, 1891, 1894, 1896 and Dawes Commission 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: .....

REMARKS.

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

My grandmother Patsy Chambers was a white woman,

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 Ketcher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Nov 14, 1910 K Gloomfort Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Jake Albert and Jonathan Wright, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah Ketcher, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 10 1/2 months 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.

Jake Albert Jonathan Wright

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Nov 14, 1910 K Gloomfort 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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Sarah Ketcher

M. L. S.

Appl. #1430-1386.

February 8, 1909.

Sarah Ketcher,  
Westville, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to the application which you have filed 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 you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission. If so, state the name under which you were enrolled and the number of your enrollment.

Please answer immediately and refer in your reply to MS. #1430-1386.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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MS.

No. 1431.

Action: - *Reject.*

Name *Rosa Bremer* and *X* children. Residence: *Seneca, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Duplicate of # 619 =*

No. 1431

*Sec 677*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Rosa Bruner*

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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# 1431.  
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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: Rosa Bruner  
Indian name: post-Oak
2. Residence: Three miles North East of
3. Town and post office: Seneca
4. County: Creek Nation
5. State: Ind. Ter
6. Date and place of birth: July 1st 1876 at Hoyt St.
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 or husband: Robert Bruner  
My Name Rosa Bruner
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Jack. Kee.  
Indian name: post Oak  
Mother—English name: Diney Kee  
Indian name: Post-Oak  
Maiden name: Deant-Kuaw
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Deant-Kuaw  
Mother: " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: at Hoyt St.  
Mother: " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1897 Mother: 1879

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Never*  
*Never*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>
(2)	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>
(3)	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>
(4)	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>
(5)	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>
(6)	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>	<del>.....</del>

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>Jent</i>	<i>Muen</i>
<i>X</i>	<i>X</i>

17. Where were they born? *Dent Muen*

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

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

(1)	English name: <i>Jock. Roe</i>
	Indian name: <i>jest-oak</i>
	Residence: <i>Hoyt - I.T.</i>
(2)	English name: <i>Shut - is all I Muen any</i>
	Indian name: <i>Thig g.</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. *Choctaw nation November 3<sup>rd</sup> 1903*  
*No of Roll. 13249.*

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

*Deaf-Kuen*

**REMARKS.**

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

*You have the affidavit of my two  
witnesses  
will not seal any - this time*

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.) *Rose Banner*

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

My commission expires

*July 12<sup>th</sup>*, 190*8*

*J. W. Fowler*  
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 ..... and  
....., 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 ..... for ..... years and ..... years,  
respectively, and know ..... to be the identical person ..... represents ..... to be, and  
that the statements made by ..... are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in ..... claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires

....., 190

Notary Public.

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No. 1432.

Action: Admitted.

Name John Ketcher

and 1 children.

Residence: Westville, Okla.

Reasons: Brother to #1386.

1432

No. ~~1232~~

Name John Kitchin

With No. 1386

Remarks :

*13*  
*Bro to 1386*  
*No. 1432*

*Received*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John Ketcher*

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.  
Rec OCT 25 1906  
No.

*1432*

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 Ketcher  
Indian name: John Ge Cah-ne-ye-skee
2. Residence: Going Snake Dist.
3. Town and post office: Westville
4. County: Cherokee Nation
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: March 28 1877 Going Snake Dist.
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) John Ketcher father, (2) Margaret Ketcher mother, (3) Big Ge Cah-ne-ye-skee grandfather, (4) Lucy Ann Chambers aunt, (5) Lutitia Chambers aunt, (6) Arch Lee uncle, (7) Polly Lee aunt, (8) Cinda Lee aunt, (9) Lucinda Chambers aunt.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or ~~husband~~: Ruth Ketcher, 24 years of age
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: John Ketcher  
Indian name: John Ge-Cah-ne-ye-skee  
Mother—English name: Margaret Ketcher  
Indian name: Wa-kee  
Maiden name: Margaret Chambers.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Going Snake Dist. C.N. I. T.  
Mother: Sequoyah Dist. C.N. I. T.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Going Snake Dist. C.N. I. T.  
Mother: Sequoyah Dist. C.N. I. T.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: June 9 1904 Mother: June 22 1900.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes, 1851, 1870, 1880, 1881, 1883, 1886, 1891, 1894, 1896 and father is on Dawes Com. Roll,

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lutetia Comtassie	Nov. 22 1859	Living, Westville
(2)	Bennie Ketcher	about 1861	about 1863
(3)	Lucinda Ketcher	" 1864	" 1869
(4)	Jimmie Ketcher	unknown	unknown
(5)	Ellis Ketcher	about 1870	Living, Muldrow, S. T.
(6)	Mose Ketcher	" 1873	Jan. 1906

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
	Big Te-cah-ne-ye-ske	James Chambers
	Sallie Te-cah-ne-ye-ske	Patsy Chambers, (white)

George Ketcher  
Christie S. T.

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Big Te-cah-ne-ye-ske in Tahlequah Dist. his wife Sallie was dead; James Chambers died prior to that date and Patsy Chambers was living in Sequoyah Dist. Co. S. T.

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

(1)	English name:	Lizzie Nam	dead	unknown
(2)	Indian name:	Charles Ketcher	"	"
(3)	Residence:	Dick Ketcher	"	" descendants living
(4) (2)	English name:	Ollie Ketcher	"	"
(5)	Indian name:	Mose Ketcher	"	"
(6)	Residence:	Ben Ketcher	"	"
(7) (3)	English name:	Rebecca Neugin, Hulbert, S. T.		
(8)	Indian name:	John Ketcher, (father)		
(9)	Residence:	Linnie Ketcher	dead	unknown
(10) (4)	English name:	Ellis Ketcher	"	"
(11)	Indian name:	Margaret Chambers	"	" mother
(12)	Residence:	Lucinda Chambers	"	"
(13) (5)	English name:	Lutetia Chambers	died	about May 1903.
(14)	Indian name:	Crook Lee	dead,	unknown
(15)	Residence:	Polly Lee	"	"
(16)		Cinda Lee		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Yes 1880, 1881, 1883, 1886, 1891, 1894, 1896 and Dawes Commission 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.)

My grandmother Patsy Chambers was a white woman.

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 Fletcher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Nov 14, 1900  
K. G. Bonfont 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 Johnathan Overly and Jake Alberty, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Fletcher, 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.

Johnathan Overly  
Jake Alberty

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires Nov 14, 1900  
K. G. Bonfont 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. 1482

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

*John* OF  
*Levi Mitchell*

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.  
Rec. MAY 20 1907  
No.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 28 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. 1432

1. State your full name: John Ketcher
2. Residence and post office: Wetstiller
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Ruth Ketcher
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>Levi Ketcher</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Aug 2 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: Filed on 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) John Ketcher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of May 1907.

Edson  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires June 4, 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. Williams and E. N. Bryant who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Fletcher who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 10 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 this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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.....

W. Williams  
E. N. Bryant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

J. G. Don  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June, 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. 1482

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

John OF John Fletcher

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.  
Rec. MAY 20 1907  
No.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 28 1907  
No.

App. No. 1432.

May 22, 1907.

John Ketcher,

Westville, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of Supplemental Application for  
Levi Ketcher, minor.

The same is returned herewith for your signature. You  
are requested to sign and return this application at your earli-  
est possible convenience.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Appl. #1432-1386.

February 8, 1909.

John Ketcher,  
Westville, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to the application which you have filed 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 you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission. If so, state under what name you were enrolled and the number of your enrollment.

Please answer immediately and refer in your reply to MS. #1432-1386.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

MS.

NANCE & PRIEST  
LAWYERS  
OFFICES: WESTVILLE AND STILWELL  
Oklahoma

WESTVILLE, OKLA. Feb, 15, 1909,

Hon, Guion Miller,  
Special Commissioner,

Dear Sir,

In Re, Your letter of inquiry of the 2-8-09, will say that I was enroled  
by the Dawes Commission, under the name of John Ketcher, Roll No 17916,  
~~my father's~~ name was John Tickneskey his Roll No, 14740, that is to say  
my father was enroled under the name of Tickneskey, the english of that  
is Ketcher, any father information desired would be glad to furnish  
same,

Respectfully Yours ,

Reply to MLS, #1432-1386.

John Ketcher.

*By his Attorney*  
*Samuel S. Priest*

No. 1433.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Andy Lim* and *2* children. Residence: *Philadelphia Penn.*

Reasons:

*Strickland case.*



No. 1433

Name Andy Lim

With No. 5-26

Remarks :

*L. pl*  
No. 1433

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Andy Linn*

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 25 1906 No.
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*Nicholas & Leuff. Atty.  
Rockwood,  
Tenn.*

1433

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: Anely Linn  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Philadelphia
3. Town and post office: Philadelphia
4. County: Louder
5. State: La
6. Date and place of birth: Monroe Co., Tenn. 1846
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 1/8 Indian
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Linn  
Born 1845
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Jonas Linn  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Demerisy Linn  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Kirklin
11. Where were they born?  
Father: N. C.  
Mother: N. C.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Monroe Co. Tenn.  
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1866 Mother: 1865

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>Wiley Linn</u>		
(2)	<u>Christopher Linn</u>	<u>Seethu Linn</u>	
(3)	<u>Jimmy Linn</u>		
(4)	<u>Sary Linn</u>		
(5)	<u>Susie Linn</u>		
(6)	<u>Margaret Jane Linn</u>		
	<u>Hattie Deborah Linn</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.
X		

17. Where were they born? X

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

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: .....

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

W. S. Milligan (Signature.)

Andy <sup>his</sup> Linn  
mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission <sup>executed</sup> expires

July 9, 1906

W. C. Cannon  
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. Milligan and C. B. Dyche, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Andy Linn, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 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.

W. C. Milligan  
C. B. Dyche

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission <sup>executed</sup> expires

July 9, 1906

W. C. Cannon  
Notary Public.

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No. 1433

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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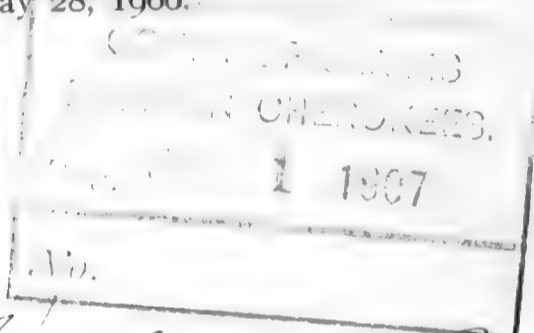
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Andrew J. Linn*

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.



*Nicholas & Huff,*  
*Rockwood,*  
*Tenn.*

## 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. 1433

1. State your full name: Andrew Jackson Linn
2. Residence and post office: Philadelphia
3. County: London
4. State: Tennessee
5. Date and place of birth: Jan 18-1845 - Monroe Co. Tennessee
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Hightower 62 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Pleasant Willy Linn</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>5/20/1876</u>
(2)	<u>Jones Odonal Linn</u>	<u>27<sup>1/2</sup> - 7 Mo's</u>	<u>10/10 1879</u>
(3)	<u>Ida Lee Linn</u>	<u>25-</u>	<u>4/18/1882</u>
(4)	<u>Ada May Linn</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>2/28/1884</u>
(5)	<u>Charles Christopher Linn</u>	<u>16-8</u>	<u>9/18/1890</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.)

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

and belief.  
Witness to mark,  
X R. E. Moore,  
X W. A. Cannon

(Signature)

Andrew Jackson Linn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

W. A. Cannon  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

July 29, 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 W. C. Milligan and W. G. Levoir who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Andrew Jackson Linn 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 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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W. C. Milligan  
W. G. Levoir

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

W. C. Cannon  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 9, 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. 1433

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Andrew J. Linn

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.



Richardson & Craft,  
Richardson,  
Linn.



No. 1434.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Susannah Grant* and *4* children.

Residence: *Rockwood Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Kirkland Case*

No. 1434

Name Susannah Grant

With No. 5-86.

Remarks :

*Supl*

No. 1431

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Suzannah Grant*

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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*Nicholas <sup>and</sup> Beuff,  
Rockwood,  
Tenn*

HEH1

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: *Susannah Grant*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Rockwood*
3. Town and post office: *Rockwood*
4. County: *Roane*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec. 3, 1854, in Monroe County, 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: *I claim through my father Jonas Columbus Linn*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Thomas Grant, aged seventy-one*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Jonas Columbus Linn*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Demerisa Berry Linn*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Demerisa Berry Kirkland*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Either in Monroe Co., Tenn., or Rutherford Co., N.C.*  
Mother: *Polk County, Tenn.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *In Monroe County, Tennessee*  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *about Jan'y - 1869* Mother: *Jan'y 5, 1867*

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>Sig died unmarried without issue.</u>		
(1)	<u>Synthia Bishopfield</u>	<u>about 1847</u>	
(2)	<u>Andrew J. Linn</u>	<u>1857</u>	
(3)	<u>Margaret Rader</u>	<u>1856</u>	
(4)	<u>Christopher B. Linn</u>	<u>1861</u>	
(5)	<u>Hattie D. Lane</u>	<u>1864</u>	
(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>Thomas Linn</u>	<u>Jim Kinkland</u>
<u>Betsy Boston</u>	<u>Susannah Boston</u>

17. Where were they born? All in Brunswick County, North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All dead except grand-mother Kinkland, who lived in ~~Illinois~~ Tenn.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:  
All the children of Thomas Linn are dead, unless it be Pally Linn, who went west with the Indians years ago.

(1) English name: All the children of Jim and Susannah Kinkland are dead.  
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. About twelve years ago sent papers to the Dawes Commission but never received anything.

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.)

When papers were sent to Dawes Commission I provided by John Hawkins, John Bane and Lucy Bader, all now dead, that my father was an Indian, Cherokee.

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.) *Susannah Grant*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires June 7, 1909 *A.P. 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 *J.W. Venable* and *A.H. Taylor*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Susannah Grant*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and 18 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: *J.W. Venable* Signatures of witnesses: *J.W. Venable*  
*A.P. Thompson* *A.H. Taylor*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Oct, 1906.

My commission expires June 7, 1909 *A.P. 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.

No. 1434.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Susanna Trout.

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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Atty: -  
Nicholas G. Acuff  
Rockwood,  
Tenn.

## 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. 1434.

1. State your full name: Susanna Grant
2. Residence and post office: Rockwood,
3. County: Roane
4. State: Tennessee
5. Date and place of birth: Monroe County, Tenn.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Tom Grant, About 60 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>Dolly Gallimore</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>Sept 30 - 1872</u>
(2)	<u>Thomas Franklin Grant</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Oct 15 - 1887</u>
(3)	<u>Polly Ella Grant</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>May 24 - 1889</u>
(4)	<u>William J. Grant</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Sept 2 - 1891</u>
(5)	<u>Mottie Grant</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Jan 13 - 1893</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.)

I have been married twice.  
My first husband is dead, His name  
was Luke Burchfield.

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

Witness: and belief.

Blaine Huff

Flora Smith

(Signature)

Susanna Grant  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1907.

J. A. James  
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 H. W. Taylor and James Price who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Susanna Gravel who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 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.  
James M. Smith  
J. D. Sumner

Signatures of Witnesses.  
H. W. Taylor  
James Price  
J. D. Sumner  
Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of June, 1907.  
My commission expires My Commission Expires May 4th 1909, 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. 1434

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Susanna Gravel  
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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Attys:  
Nicholas E. Deaff  
Robert  
Sumner

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Rockwood, Tenn.

May 11, 1909.

Mrs. Miller - sir,

If you please  
send me my number I  
failed to get my number &  
do not know why. I don't  
know wheather the Lawyer  
got it are not. And he is gone  
and I do not know his where  
abouts.

Your respectfully  
Susia A. Grants.

*Susie A. Grants*

No. 1435

Action: Rejected

Name Francis M. King and x children. Residence: Union Star, Mo.

Reasons:

Applicant born in 1836 in Iowa. His mother born in Va. in 1803 - moved west to Ky. & Ill. prior to 1830 & was living in Iowa in 1834-5-6 - so that she could not have been a member of the Eastern Cherokee tribe in 1835 or a party to the treaty of 1835-6. Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.

(Misc. Cert. p. 3890)

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No. 1435- DeKalb Co

Name Francis M. King

With No. 1000-10-10-

Remarks: 23 244-47

See affidavits

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See affidavits  
with 94166-1906,  
Land Div.

No. 1435

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Francis M. King*

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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*Chester Howe  
Washington, D.C.*

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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: *Francis M. King*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: *Union Star,*
4. County: *Sehale Co*
5. State: *Mo.*
6. Date and place of birth: *Henry Co, Iowa, Aug. 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:  
*By Blood*  
*One Through my mother*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Sarah J. King,*  
*Born 1836, age 71,*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Johnson King*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Mary King*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Mary Ridge*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Alabama*  
Mother: *Powell Valley Virginia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Andrew Co Mo.*  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *July 1867,* Mother: *Feb. 1876*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: 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)	William R King	May 23 1828	Feb 24 1889
(2)	Isidore	Oct 20 1824	July 10 1894
(3)	John	Feb 17 1828	Dec 18 1891
(4)	Barah A	Oct 20 1828	May 18 1862
(5)	Thomas C	Nov 14 1829	Feb 19 1847
(6)	George W	April 25 1832	
(7)	Frederick	May 10 1834	Feb 22 1899
(8)	Frederick	Aug 24 1836	
(9)	Astley J	March 28 1840	Sept 3 1867
(10)	Mary E	May 9 1842	Aug 14 1898
(11)	Joseph E	Feb 6 1844	June 23 1902

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 King	William Ridge
Grandmother do not know	

17. Where were they born? unknown

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: \_\_\_\_\_  
 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: \_\_\_\_\_

*William Ridge*  
*Mary [Ridge] King*

REMARKS.

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

*In Feb. 1906 I sent my Proff & Evidence to Senator La Follette & I wrote him to turn them over to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs,*

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.) *Francis M. King*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*May 2, 1910* *Samuel Shepard*  
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. G. Barton* and *Robert Stanton*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Francis M. King*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *30* years and *4* 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. G. Barton*  
*Robert Stanton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*May 2, 1910* *Samuel Shepard*  
Notary Public.

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1435.

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Francis M. King being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I was born in 1836. I claim my Indian blood through my mother. My father was a full blooded white man. My mother was born in 1803 in Howells Valley Virginia. My mother went from Virginia to Tennessee with a band of Cherokee Indians and from there she went to Kentucky and lived there about six months, then moved to Illinois and lived there possibly a year or year and a half then moved to Iowa and lived there possibly a couple of years before I was born. We moved to Missouri in 1841. My mother lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe in Virginia and Tennessee but she never lived with them after she left Tennessee. I never lived with the Indians myself. I was never on any Indian roll, but I don't know whether my mother was or not. My mother was married before she left Tennessee. I had twelve brothers and sisters but they are all dead but me. I made application to the Daws Commission for enrollment with the five civilized tribes but was denied admittance. My wife is a white woman. I offer in evidence two affidavits made, one by my sister, now deceased, named Desdamona King and her marked "Exhibit A" and one affidavit made by a man named A. L. Hood, a white man that lived near my mother in the State of Tennessee and which is marked "Exhibit B".

*Francis M. King*  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at St. Joseph, Missouri,  
this 29th day of October, 1908.

FDR.

*J. D. Ryan*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

No.

Claim of  
Francis M. King  
to Cherokee Indian

Citizenship  
Affidavit of  
Disclaiming King

"Exhibit A"

In the Matter of Claim of Francis  
M King to Cherokee Indian Citizenship  
Affidavit of Diodamona King  
State of Missouri  
County of Andrew - J.S.S.

On this the ~~20<sup>th</sup>~~ Day of May A.D. 1889  
personally appeared before me the undersigned  
Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said County  
Diodamona King of Andrew County and State  
of Missouri to me well known and who I certify  
to be credible and respectable who being by  
me first duly sworn according to law  
deposeth and saith that she is a ( $\frac{1}{8}$ ) one eighth  
Breed Cherokee Indian Woman and was  
Born on the Cherokee Indian reservation East  
of the Mississippi River that her age is 63  
years and her Post Office Address is Avenue  
City Andrew County, State of Missouri, that  
she is well acquainted with Francis M  
King the Claimant named in the above entitle  
-ed Claim to Cherokee Indian Citizenship and  
have been from the date of his Birth and knows  
that the said Francis M King is a Person of  
Cherokee Indian descent that the said Francis  
M King is a Son of one Mary King a ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) Quarter  
Breed Cherokee Indian Woman who was Born  
on the Cherokee Indian reservation East of the  
Mississippi River in the year A.D. 1804 and  
died in Andrew County and State of Missouri

- re in the Year A.D. 1877 that she was well acquainted with the said Mary King in her life time that the said Mary King was her Affiant's Mother that the said Mary King was a daughter of one William Ridge a  $\frac{1}{2}$  one Half Breed Cherokee Indian who was Born on the Cherokee Indian Reservation East of the Mississippi River and Died on the Cherokee Indian Reservation East of the Mississippi River in the Year A.D. 1823 the she was well acquainted with one George W King a Person of Cherokee Indian descent who was Born in Schuyler County and State of Illinois on the First Day of May A.D. 1834 and Died in De Kalb County and State of Missouri on the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of February A.D. 1878 that the said George W King was a Son of the said Mary King as aforesaid that she is well acquainted with Marshall B King age 29 years Mary J Mayes age 23 years Lula D Easto age 20 years John B F King age 16 years Susan E King age 13 years and Amos A King age 10 years Children of the said Francis M King as aforesaid and have been from the dates of their Births that the said Marshall B King Mary J Mayes Lula D Easto John B F King Susan E King and Amos A King is the Lawfull Children of

The said Francis M King as aforesaid  
that she is well acquainted with Charles  
J King age 16 years and Chrussey B King  
age 10 years Son of the said George W King  
as aforesaid and have been from the date  
of their Births that the said Charles J King  
and Chrussey B King are the lawful chil-  
dren of the said George W King (Deceased)  
as aforesaid

Dedamonia King

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this Day  
by the above named Affiant and I certify that I  
carefully read and explained the contents  
of the foregoing Affidavit to Affiant before she  
executed the same and examined her as to her  
knowledge of the facts stated therein and am  
satisfied she fully understood the same and  
that she is entitled to full truth and credit

In Testimony whereof I have  
hereunto subscribed my name  
and affixed the Seal of said Court  
this 20 Day of May A.D. 1889

J. Brooks Clerk

by R. H. Sturce . D.C.

"Exhibit B"

In the Matter of Claim  
of J. C. King to Cherokee  
Indian Citizenship before the  
National Council of the Cherokee  
Nation  
Affidavit of Milton S. Hood

Newton County } S.S.  
State of Missouri }

On this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of  
of January A.D. 1889 personally appeared  
before the undersigned Notary public  
in and for the County of Newton and  
State of Missouri Milton S. Hood  
of the Cherokee Nation and Indian Territory  
to me well known and who I certify  
to be credible and respectable who being  
by me first duly sworn according to law  
deposeth and saith that he is one  $\frac{1}{8}$   
eighth bred Cherokee Indian and was  
borned East of the Mississippi <sup>River</sup> on  
the old Cherokee Reservation in east  
Tennessee that his age is 68 years  
and his post office is Apton Indian  
Territory that prior to the year  
A.D. 1830 he was well acquainted with  
one Mary King (a one  $\frac{1}{4}$  quarter  
bred Cherokee ~~man~~ Indian woman)  
who was borned on the Cherokee



Indian Reservation East of the  
Mississippi River and left the Commu-  
-nity or Reservation in the state of Tennes-  
see about the year A D 1830 for parts un-  
known to the said affiant

Further more the said Mary King  
had four children while the said  
affiant knew her and further  
more the said Mary King being one  $\frac{1}{4}$   
fourth Cherokee Indian and the said  
affiant's <sup>Mother</sup> being the same and the two  
not living far apart they were friend-  
ds and often visited and while on a  
visit the said affiant has often heard  
the said Mary King say that she was  
one  $\frac{1}{4}$  fourth Cherokee Indian and further  
er more the said Mary King is now  
deceased and the affiant further  
makes oath that the said Mary  
King was the daughter of one Wm  
Ridge @ one  $\frac{1}{2}$  half breed ~~and~~  
Cherokee Indian man who resided  
on the Cherokee Indian Reservation east  
of the Mississippi River in the state  
of Tennessee and that the said Wm  
Ridge and his daughter Mary King  
were Recognized Cherokee Indians  
and that the said Wm Ridge is now

deceased and the affiant further  
makes oath that the said Mary King  
was married to and was the wife of one  
Johnson King white man who resided  
with his wife and family on the  
Cherokee Indian Reservation and conduct-  
ed or carried on a blacksmith shop  
and that the said affiant has often  
been to the above mentioned shop to  
to have work done to wit a shovel  
plow sharpened

M. H. Wood

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of January 1889  
Seneca Mo

R. C. Green

Notary Public

Commissioned and qual-  
ified for a term ending  
April 21<sup>st</sup> 1890

No. 1436

Action: Admitted

Name: Mary Sanders and X children. Residence: Bunch, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicants father and mother and applicant herself enrolled respectively as John Rogers, Ue-te-yah Rogers, Ah-haw-cal Rogers respectively at S. B. #204.

O.K.

No. 1436

Name Mary Sanders

With No.

Remarks:

#2190-9

Claim through  
Rogers

204 S. B.

No. 1436  
See # 11535

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Sanders*

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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1436

**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 Sanders,

Indian name: Aw-haw-cah,

2. Residence: Near Bunch, I. T.

3. Town and post office: Bunch,

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

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: Abt 1848 Cherokee Nation 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: Fatehr, Mother, Paternal and Maternal Grand Parents Paternal and Maternal Uncles and Aunts, Cousins.

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Jolly Sanders, About 61

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

Father—English name: John Rogers,

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: unknown

Indian name: Uc-te-yah-i,

Maiden name: Do

11. Where were they born?

Father: Old Cherokee Nation East,

Mother: Old Cherokee Nation East,

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

Father: Skin Bayou, District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory

Mother: Skin Bayou, District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

(Known later as Sequoyah, district)

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: During Civil war, Mother: During Civil war,

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Enrolled for annuities made in 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>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>All unknown,</u>	<u>All unknown,</u>

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

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:

<del>English name</del> : <u>John Rogers,</u>	<u>Dead, date unknown,</u>
<del>Indian name</del> : <u>Uc-te-yah-i,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>English name</del> : <u>Walter Doublehead,</u>	<u>"</u>
(2) <del>English name</del> : <u>Che-cah-na-lah,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>Indian name</del> : <u>Moses,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>English name</del> : <u>Sally Moses,</u>	<u>"</u>
(3) <del>English name</del> : <u>Choo-no-yun-ko,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>Indian name</del> : <u>Ben Rogers,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>English name</del> : <u>Polly Rogers,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>English name</del> : <u>(some of the above names are given by their phonetic sound and may not be spelled right)</u>	

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 all payments made in Cherokee nation I. 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.)

Herewith attach copy of my family as they are supposed to appear 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.

Witnesses to mark  
Scott Bird  
R. B. Choate

(Signature.) Mary X Sanders

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

My commission expires  
April, 10th, 1909, 190

J. H. Helgeson  
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 Scott Bird, and R. B. Choate, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Sanders, who makes the foregoing application and statements, 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 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.

Scott Bird  
R. B. Choate

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

My commission expires  
April, 10th, 1909, 190

J. H. Helgeson  
Notary Public.

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Record of family of Mary Sanders, of Bunch, I. T.

John Rogers,  
Uc-te-yah-i,  
Walter Doublehead,  
Che-cah-nu-hah,  
Moses,  
Sally Moses,  
Tu-se-ke-yor-kee,  
Chur-co-ah,  
Kel-ler-ter,  
Cho-co-a-ah,  
Ou-cah-we,  
Six Ben,  
Adam Ben,  
Ah-no-he-lee,  
Koh-no-he-ler,  
Quaty Broushead,  
Alsey Broushead,  
Bat Broushead,  
Ah-li-chah,  
Na-nee,  
Alex Heavy,  
Ta-car-to-cah,  
Polly,  
Cun-no-he,  
Susannah,  
Lowsey Firewater,  
Culty,  
Sol-tis-ky,  
Na-ky,  
Ou-ke-tos-ky,  
*Cha-go-ee*

No. 1437.

Action: Admitted.

Name Nattie Sanders and X children. Residence: Bunk, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant enrolled as "Na-Key" with her father, mother  
brother & sister. in group # Flint # 575

O. K.

No. 1437

Name Marie Sandus

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped hummers  
are no, 1438,  
1439, 1440, 1441,  
2700  
1000 - #279

Claim through  
Sandus

Island 5-75?

No. 1437

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Nahie Sanders.*

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 25 1906  
No.

1437

*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: Nakie Sanders,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Near Bunch, I. T.
3. Town and post office: Bunch,
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: Indian Territory,
6. Date and place of birth: About 1842, Flint Dist., Cherokee Nation, 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: Father, Mother, Paternal and and Maternal Grand-parents, Paternal and Maternal Uncles and Aunts, Brothers and Cousins.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
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: Ben Sanders,  
Indian name: Qua-ne  
Mother—English name: Rachel Sanders,  
Indian name: La-chil-le,  
Maiden name: Rachel Burns.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Old Cherokee Nation East.  
Mother: Old Cherokee Nation East.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.  
Mother: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: During Civil War. Mother: March, 3rd, 1903.

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

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

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Jolly Sanders, Brother,	About, 1845.	
(2) Burns Sanders, "	" 1847.	Died about, 1885.
(3) Lizzie Sanders, Sister,	" 1849.	
(4) Jennie Sanders, "	" 1850.	
(5) Aggie Sanders, "	" 1853.	
(6) Tom Sanders, Brother,	" 1860.	Died about, 1880.

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 Sanders,	Fields Burns,
	Cla-ga-si,
Eliza Sanders,	Nannie Burns,
Dar-ki,	Na-ny,

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

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All that were living at that time resided in Flint 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:	Ben Sanders, (Qua-ne)	Dead	Date Unknown,
<del>Indian name:</del>	Isaac Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Ned Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Mose Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Charles, Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Bob Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Alex Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Dave Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Lizzie Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Peggy Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Aggie Sanders,	"	
(2) English name:	Rachel Burns, (La-chi-le)	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	George Burns,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Ca-na-i,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Aaron Sanders,	"	
<del>Indian name:</del>	Cse Sanders,	"	
(4) English name:	Nancy Sanders,	Bunch,	I. T.
<del>Indian name:</del>	Dave Sanders,	Bunch,	I. T.
<del>Indian name:</del>	Wm. Burns,	Dead date	unknown.

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 all payments made in Cherokee Nation, I. 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 to mark,

*A. M. Cavin*

(Signature.)

*Nakie Sanders*  
*Her*  
*mes*

*H. H. Yancey*

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

My commission expires

April, 10th, 1909, 190

*J. H. Leonard*

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. M. Cavin, and  
H. H. Yancey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Nakie Sanders, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, 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 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. M. Cavin*  
*H. H. Yancey*

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

My commission expires

April, 10th, 1909, 190

*J. H. Leonard*

Notary Public.

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No. 1438

Action: Admitted

Name Paul J. [unclear] and X children. Residence: French Hill

Reasons:

Wife of [unclear] and Annie [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear]



No. 1438, 39, 40, +41,

Name .....

With No. 1437,

Remarks :

No. 1439

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Lizzie Sanders.*

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 25 1906
No.

1439

*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 Sanders,

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

2. Residence: Near Bunch, I. T.

3. Town and post office: Bunch,

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

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: About, 1849 Flint Dist. Cherokee Nation, 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: Father, Mother, Paternal and Maternal Grand-parents, Paternal and Maternal Uncles and Aunts, Brothers, and Cousins.

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: Ben Sanders,

Indian name: Cua-re

Mother—English name: Rachel Sanders,

Indian name: La-chil-le,

Maiden name: Rachel Burns,

11. Where were they born?

Father: Old Cherokee Nation East.

Mother: Old Cherokee Nation East.

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

Father: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

Mother: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: During Civil War. Mother: March, 3rd, 1903.

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

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Nakie Sanders, Sister,</u>	<u>About,</u>	<u>1842.</u>
(2) <u>Jolly Sanders, Brother,</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1845.</u>
(3) <u>Burns Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1847. Died about, 1885.</u>
(4) <u>Jennie Sanders, Sister,</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1850.</u>
(5) <u>Aggie Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1853.</u>
(6) <u>Tom Sanders, Brother,</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1860. Died about, 1880.</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 Sanders,</u>	<u>Fields Burns,</u>
<u>Teki-ee-ski,</u>	<u>Cla-ga-si,</u>
<u>Eliza Sanders,</u>	<u>Nannie Sanders, Burns,</u>
<u>Dar-ki,</u>	<u>Na-ny,</u>

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation East,

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All that were living at that time resided in Flint Distric, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

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

<del>#####</del>	<u>Ben Sanders, (Qua-ne) Dead</u>	<u>date unknown,</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Isaac Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Ned Sanders</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Mose Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Charles Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Bob Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Alex Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Dave Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Lizzie Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Peggy Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Aggie Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
(3) <del>#####</del>	<u>Rachel Burns, (La-chil-le)</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>George Burns,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Ca-na-i,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Aaron Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Cse Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
(4) <del>#####</del>	<u>Nancy Sanders,</u>	<u>Bunch, I. T.</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Dave Sanders,</u>	<u>Bunch, I. T.</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Am. Burns,</u>	<u>Dead date unknown.</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: Yes for all payments made in Cherokee Nation, I. 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.

Witnesses to mark,

A. M. Cavin

(Signature.)

Lizzie Sanders  
*Her*  
*mark*

H. H. Yancey

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

My commission expires

April, 10th, 1909, 190

J. H. Sloan  
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. M. Cavin, and

H. H. Yancey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with Lizzie Sanders, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, 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 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. M. Cavin

H. H. Yancey

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No. 1430

Action: Admitted

Name [unclear] and X children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons:

[unclear] - 18 - [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

[unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

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No. 1439

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jolly Sanders*

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 25 1906 No.
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1439

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

SIR:

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1. State full name—  
English name: Jolly Sanders,  
Indian name: Hoo-li
2. Residence: Near Bunch, I. T.
3. Town and post office: Bunch,
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: Indian Territory,
6. Date and place of birth: About, 1845, Flint Dist, Cherokee Nation, 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: Father, Mother, Paternal and Maternal Grand-parents, Paternal and Maternal Uncles and Aunts, Brothers, and Cousins.
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Sanders, About 55 Years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Ben Sanders,  
Indian name: Qua-ne  
Mother—English name: Rachel Sanders,  
Indian name: La-chil-ic  
Maiden name: Rachel Burns,
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Old Cherokee Nation East,  
Mother: Old Cherokee Nation East.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.  
Mother: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: During Civil War. Mother: March, 3rd, 1903.



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

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

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Nakie Sanders, Sister,</u>	<u>About, 1842.</u>	
(2) <u>Burns Sanders, Brother,</u>	<u>" 1847</u>	<u>Died about 1885.</u>
(3) <u>Lizzie Sanders, Sister,</u>	<u>" 1849.</u>	
(4) <u>Jennie Sanders, Sister,</u>	<u>" 1850.</u>	
(5) <u>Aggie Sanders, Sister,</u>	<u>" 1853.</u>	
(6) <u>Tom Sanders, Brother,</u>	<u>" 1860.</u>	<u>Died about 1880.</u>

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

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<u>Teki-ee-ski,</u>	<u>Cla-ga-si,</u>
<u>Eliza Sanders,</u>	<u>Nannie Burns,</u>
<u>Par-ki,</u>	<u>Na-ny</u>

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

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All that were living at that time resided in Flint 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: <u>Ben Sanders,</u>	<u>(Qua-ne) Dead Date Unknown.</u>
<u>Isaac Sanders</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Ned Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Mose Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Charles Sanders</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Bob Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
(2) <del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Alex Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Dave Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Lizzie Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Peggy Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Aggie Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Rachel Burns, (La-chi-le)</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>George Burns,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Ca-na-i</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Aaron Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Ose Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Nancy Sanders,</u>	<u>Bunch, I. T.</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>Dave Sanders,</u>	<u>Bunch, I. T.</u>
<del>William Sanders</del> : <u>WM. Burns,</u>	<u>Dead date unknown,</u>

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 all payments made in Cherokee Nation, I. 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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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses to mark,

A M Gavin  
H H Nancey

(Signature.)

Jolly Sanders  
*hes*  
*max*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th, day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

April 10th, 1909., 190

J Helson  
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. M. Gavin, and H. H. Nancey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jolly Sanders, 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.

A M Gavin  
H H Nancey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th, day of October, 1906.

My commission expires

April, 10th, 1909., 190

J Helson  
Notary Public.

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No. 1440

Action: Admitted

Name: *Agnes Lawrence* and *3* children. Residence: *Tomball, Tex.*

Reasons:

*... 48- and claim through the  
... ..*

No. 1440

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Aggie Sanders.*

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: Aggie Sanders,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Near Bunch, I. T.
3. Town and post office: Bunch,
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: - Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: About, 1853, Flint Dist. Cherokee Nation, 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: Father, Mother, Paternal and Maternal Grand-parents, Paternal and Maternal Uncles and Aunts Brothers, and Cousins.
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: Ben Sanders,  
Indian name: Qua-ne,  
Mother—English name: Rachel Snaders,  
Indian name: La-chil-le,  
Maiden name: Rachel Burns,
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Old Cherokee Nation East.  
Mother: Old Cherokee Nation East.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.  
Mother: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: During Civil War. Mother: March, 3rd, 1903.

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nakie Sanders, Sister,	About,	1842.
(2)	Jolly Sanders, Brother,	"	1845.
(3)	Burns Sanders, "	"	1847. Died about, 1885.
(4)	Lizzie Sanders, Sister,	"	1849.
(5)	Jennie Sanders, "	"	1850.
(6)	Tom Sanders, Brother,	"	1860. Died about, 1880.

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 Sanders,	Fields Burns,
Teki-ee-ski,	Cla-ga-si,
Eliza Sanders,	Nannie Burns,
Dar-ki,	Na-ny,

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

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time All that were living at that time resided in Flint 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:	Ben Sanders, (Qua-ne)	Dead date unknown,
<del>#####</del>	Isaac Sanders,	"
<del>#####</del>	Ned Sanders, --	"
<del>#####</del>	Mose Sanders,	"
<del>#####</del>	Charles Sanders,	"
<del>#####</del>	Bob Sanders,	"
<del>#####</del>	Alex Sanders,	"
<del>#####</del>	Dave Sanders,	"
<del>#####</del>	Lizzie Sanders,	"
<del>#####</del>	Peggy Sanders,	"
<del>#####</del>	Aggie Sanders,	"
(3) <del>#####</del>	Rachel Burns, (la-chil-le)	"
<del>#####</del>	George Burns,	"
<del>#####</del>	Ca-na-i,	"
<del>#####</del>	Aaron Sanders,	"
<del>#####</del>	Geo Sanders,	"
(4) <del>#####</del>	Nancy Sanders,	Bunch, I. T.
<del>#####</del>	Dave Sanders,	Bunch, I. T.
<del>#####</del>	Wm. Burns,	Dead date unknown,
<del>#####</del>		

(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 all payments made in Cherokee Nation, I. 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, to mark.

H. K. Yancey (Signature.) Aggie Sanders  
A. M. Cain Mark  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd, day of October, 1906.

My commission expires  
April, 10th, 1909, 190

J. H. Henson  
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. M. Cain and  
H. K. Yancey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Aggie Sanders, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, 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 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. M. Cain  
H. K. Yancey

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

My commission expires  
April, 10th, 1909, 190

J. H. Henson  
Notary Public.

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No. 1441

Action: Admitted

Name Walter Sanders and X children. Residence: Baruch, Okla.

Reasons:

Walter Sanders-1437 and Annie Stunglo cite same  
reasons



No. 1441

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jennie Sandwell*

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 25 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: Jennie Sanders,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Near Bunch, I. T.
3. Town and post office: Bunch,
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: About 1850, Flint, Dist, Cherokee Nat- 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: Father, Mother, Paternal and Maternal Grand-parents, Paternal and Maternal Uncles and Aunts, Brothers and Cousins.
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: Ben Sanders,  
Indian name: Qua-ne,  
Mother—English name: Rachel Sanders,  
Indian name: La-chil-le,  
Maiden name: Rachel Burns,
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Old Cherokee Nation East.  
Mother: Old Cherokee Nation East.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.  
Mother: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: During Civil War. Mother: March, 3rd, 1903.

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Nakie Sanders, Sister,</u>	<u>About, 1842.</u>	
(2)	<u>Jolly Sanders, Brother,</u>	<u>" 1845.</u>	
(3)	<u>Burns Sanders, Brother,</u>	<u>" 1847.</u>	<u>Died about, 1885.</u>
(4)	<u>Lizzie Sanders, Sister,</u>	<u>" 1849.</u>	
(5)	<u>Aggie Sanders,</u>	<u>" 1853.</u>	
(6)	<u>Tom Sanders, Brother,</u>	<u>" 1860.</u>	<u>Died about, 1880.</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 Sanders,</u>	<u>Fields Burns,</u>
<u>Teki-ee-ski,</u>	<u>Cla-ga-si,</u>
<u>Eliza Sanders,</u>	<u>Nannie Burns,</u>
<u>Dar-ki,</u>	<u>Na-ny,</u>

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation, East.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All that were living at that time resided in Flint 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:	<u>Ben Sanders, (Qua-ne)</u>	<u>Dead date unknown,</u>
	<u>Isaac Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Ned Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Mose Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Charles Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Rob Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Alex Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Dave Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Lizzie Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Peggy Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Aggie Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Rachel Burns, (La-chil-le)</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>George Burns,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Ca-na-i,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Aaron Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
<del>#####</del>	<u>Ose Sanders,</u>	<u>"</u>
(4) <del>#####</del>	<u>Nancy Sanders, Bunch, I. T.</u>	
<del>#####</del>	<u>Dave Sanders, Bunch, I. T.</u>	
<del>#####</del>	<u>Wm. Burns, Dead date unknown.</u>	

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 all payments made in Cherokee Nation, I. 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 to mark,

A. M. Cain  
H. K. Yancey

(Signature.)

Jennie Sanders  
J. H. Helson

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

My commission expires  
April, 10th, 1909, 190

J. H. Helson  
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. M. Cain, and  
H. K. Yancey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Jennie Sanders, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, 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 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. M. Cain  
H. K. Yancey

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

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April, 10th, 1909, 190

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No. 1442

Action: Admitted

Name: John H. Jordan and 5 children. Residence: Cleveland, Oklahoma.

Reasons:

Applicant enrolled in O.S. Tahl. with grand father and grand mother John and Susan Riley and an Aunt Nancy.

No. 1442

O.K.

Name John W. Jordan

With No.

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are no, 2382, 2383  
2384, 13394, 25472,  
25729, 26732, 13393  
13396-13398, 13400  
15718-26733, 30306  
36715-36716 - 28251-2

Claim through

Geo Riley

Pal 5-8,

No. 1442

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John H. 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 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: John William Jordan

Indian name: forgotten

2. Residence: Cleveland Oklahoma

3. Town and post office: Cleveland Oklahoma

4. County: Pawnee

5. State: Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth: December 9, 1848. at 6 miles East Tahlequah 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: In my own right being on Roll of 1851. and as heir to kinsmen who are dead.

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Tennessee (Jane Riley) Jordan  
now 44 years old (1906)

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

Father—English name: Levi Jordan (white man)

Indian name: forgotten

Mother—English name: Malinda<sup>nee</sup> Riley Jordan  $\frac{1}{4}$  Cherokee

Indian name: forgotten

Maiden name: Malinda Riley

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Maine.

Mother: In old Cherokee Nation East Mississippi River

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

Father: In Illinois

Mother: then dead.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: don't know

Mother: about 1845



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Mother was on Rolls of 1835 Cherokee

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)	<u>No brothers or sisters</u>		
(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>Don't know</u>	<u>Mother's father John Riley <math>\frac{1}{2}</math> Cherokee</u>
	<u>" mother Susanna Riley White</u>

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation <sup>east</sup> as to grandparents on Mother's side

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both Susanna Riley was near Ft Gibson - living & drew my money John Riley was then dead

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

Children of  
John & Susanna  
Riley

(1)	English name: <u>Jelix Riley <sup>dead</sup> left + girl, Liza family.</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>In Cherokee Nation, died at one house near Tahlequah he was an old settler.</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Jane Riley <sup>dead</sup> married Wm Bean, old settler, left children living.</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>East of Tahlequah on Illinois River</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Sally Riley <sup>dead</sup> married Stephen Foreman, left family son (John Anthony Foreman Roswell New Mexico).</u>
	Indian name: <u>Dr. Lemmy McCallan Claremore, I.T.</u>
	Residence: <u>Resided at Park Hill near Tahlequah</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Rebecca Riley <sup>dead</sup> married Alex Wilson, left children 4 or 5.</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>East of Ft Gibson I.T. 6 miles.</u>
(5)	English name: <u>Sam Riley, left one child Eliza Riley-Butler, dead,</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>6 miles East Tahlequah, died about 1851</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. On all Cherokee Rolls. Got land on Cherokee Outlet, & in recent Cherokee allotments.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Mother was on Rools of 1835 - Lelchins

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)	<u>No brothers or sisters</u>		
(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>Don't know</u>	<u>Mother's father John Riley - 1/2 Cherokee.</u>
	<u>" Mother Susanna Riley - White.</u>

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation <sup>east</sup> as to grandparents on Mother's side.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both Susanna Riley was near Ft Gibson - living & drew my money, John Riley was then dead.

19. 6. English name. Nancy Riley Dead. (Single) about 1855 - 190

Residence. East of Fort Gibson

7. English name. Susan Riley Dead married Sanders Choate  
left 1 child George Choate.

Residence. up on Sallisaw Creek Cherokee Nation

8. English name. Pellony (?) Riley, died single on way out  
from old Cherokee Nation

9. English name Saura <sup>Riley</sup> Moore, Dead about 1863 (Killy)  
married Charles Moore  
left no child ren

Residence. near 14 mile Creek in Cherokee Nation

10. English name John Riley. Died in 1862 - near Morrill  
Arkansas - left several children

11. English names. ?

There were 3 boys & 8 girls.

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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.....  
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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 granduncle was Looney Riley (perhaps others)  
My grandaunts I do not clearly remember but Old Aunt Sally Keys  
who lived on Illinois River was one. The Old Rolls should show.

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 W. Jordan*

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

My commission expires *June 7*, 1900 *Floyd 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 *R. S. Amen* and  
*W. J. Wisdom*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *John W. Jordan*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *25* 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.

*R. S. Amen*  
*W. J. Wisdom*  
Both of *Madison Co. Mo.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 7*, 1900 *Floyd Lewis*  
Notary Public.

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No. 1442

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*John W. 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.

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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Oway 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. 1442

1. State your full name: John W Jordan.
2. Residence and post office: Cleveland -
3. County: Parson -
4. State: Oklahoma - Ter -
5. Date and place of birth: 6 Miles east of Tahlequah, Ok. Born Dec 9-1848.
6. Are you married? Yes to second wife July 16-1882 - Age 24
7. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Tennessee Jordan - 41 Riles -
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does ~~he or~~ she belong? Cherokee by blood -
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>John B Jordan</u>	<u>16 -</u>	<u>March 19-1891-</u>
(2)	<u>Dipie M Jordan</u>	<u>19 -</u>	<u>Feb-22-1888-</u>
(3)	<u>Daisy Lee Jordan</u>	<u>11 -</u>	<u>March 9-1896-</u>
(4)	<u>Robert Owen Jordan</u>	<u>7 -</u>	<u>March 3-1900-</u>
(5)	<u>Winnie Davis Jordan</u>	<u>3 -</u>	<u>August 7-1903-</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 all on the Cherokee Rolls at Muskogee Os.

### REMARKS

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

My enrollment as eastern Cherokee and all our enrollment at the Cherokee Land office in Muskogee. Make a clear record as can be made.

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

(Signature)

John W Jordan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 1907.

J. J. Swan  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

August 27-, 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 J. B. Myers and David B. Holler who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John W. Jordan who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 7 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.

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J. B. Myers  
David B. Holler

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

D. G. Swan  
Notary Public.

My commission expires August 22, 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. 1442 1/2

Action: Admitted

Name: Jordan, Wm Owen and children. Residence: Lurley, Ala

Reasons: " Father Mary  
" Mary  
" J. J.

Grand children of #1442 and same through same name

Nancy E. Jordan, Ala

No. 1447 1/2

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

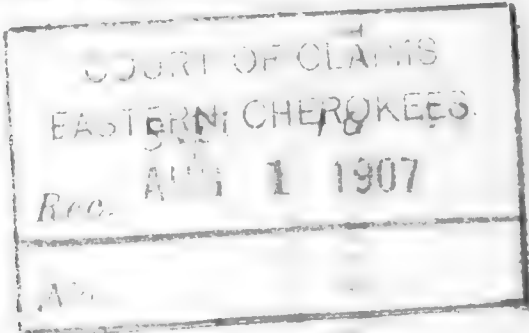
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy E. Downs*

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 Oway 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: Nancy E. Downs
2. Residence and post office: Turley, Indian Territory.
3. County: Tulsa
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: April 23rd, 1876. Missouri.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy E. Downs. 31
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong: Inter-married Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>William Owen Jordan</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1893</u>
(2)	<u>Ruthey May Jordan</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Jordan</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1900</u>
(4)	<u>(All enrolled as Cherokees by blood and all have</u>		
(5)	<u>Cherokee allotments)</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: With Cherokees. For all payments since birth,

### REMARKS

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

The applicant, Nancy E. Downs was the widow of James L. Jordan, father of these children, who was the son of John W. Jordan whose application is number 1442.

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

(Signature) Nancy E. Downs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

J. W. Miller  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb-19<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 William Owen and E. C. Alley who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nancy E. Downs who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 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.

*William Owen*  
*E. C. Alley*

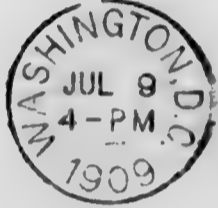
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

*Geo. Wheeler*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb-19<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

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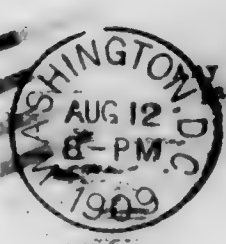
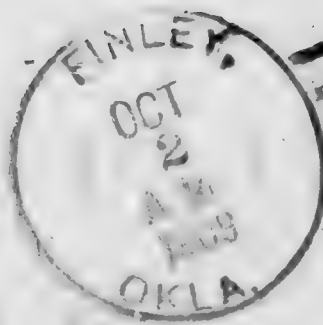


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~~William Owen Jordan, et al.~~

~~By Nancy E. Downs, Guardian,~~

~~Finley, Oklahoma.~~

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No. *1443*

Action: *Admitted*

Name: *Cyntha Loudermilk* and *2* children. Residence: *Cullerson, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Claims through father enrolled as William Raper,  
Chapman #1433.*

No. 1443

O.K.

Name *Lynethia Landemilk*

With No. 796

Remarks:

Grouped herewith  
are no, 1444,  
1445; 1446.

Claim through  
Paper

Chapman - 1433.



*Chap 1433*  
*Father's*  
No. 1443

*Mem Paper*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Cynthia Saunders*

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 25 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:

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:

*By* *My* *Father* *William* *Raper* *Cherokee* *Indian* *of* *Cherokee* *County* *North* *Carolina* *born* *July* *31<sup>st</sup>* *1861*

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:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes. In Cherokee County. and  
date not known

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Bertie Raper	July 10-1866	
(2)	Emery Raper	Oct 30 1871	Jan 10 1878
(3)	Fley Raper	May 29 1874	
(4)	Jane Raper	May 14 1879	
(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.
Jas Raper	Lucky Raper
Abbie Fair	Ollie Fair

17. Where were they born? In Cherokee County  
North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in 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: Naty Raper. died Jan 15-1875  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: Alex Raper -  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Culberson N.C.

(3) English name: Elizabeth Raper -  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Culberson N.C.

(4) English name: Chas Fair -  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Buren Ga

(5) English name: Austin Fair  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Culberson N.C.

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

*My Grandfather the Honorable Benjamin  
Willoughby Esq. of the Honorable East India Company  
Bolt-Lake in the year of 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.) *Cynthia Sandbrook*

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

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*N Z Newson*  
*Clk. Sup 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 *J M Anderson* and *W H Anderson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Cynthia Sandbrook*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *45* years and *45* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *who* represents *she* 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 Anderson*  
*W H Anderson*

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

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*N Z Newson*  
*Clk. Sup Court* Notary Public.

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No. 1443

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Cynthia Landermit*

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. ....

1. State your full name: Cynthia Londermilk
2. Residence and post office: Calhoun
3. County: Cherokee County
4. State: N.C.
5. Date and place of birth: Born July 31, 1861 in Cherokee County
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: wife, Cynthia Londermilk age 47 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee Indian
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Hollie Londermilk</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Sept 24 1890</u>
(2)	<u>Betty Londermilk</u>	<u>9 years old</u>	<u>August 23 1895</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 Eastern Cherokee Indian Tribe

REMARKS in year of 1902

(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) Cynthia Londermilk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May, 1907

J. W. Kilpatrick  
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 J. W. Hyatt and C. C. Nichols who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Synthia Landermilk who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 on May 28, 1906, and had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Hyatt  
C. C. Nichols

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May, 1907

J. W. Kilpatrick  
Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 19010

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Wm. Owen Jordan,*  
*by Nancy E. Dornis, Esq.,*  
*Tulsa, Okla.*

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 *sister* ~~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 *15783*

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, Coletawah, 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.



EASTERN CHEROKEES.

App. No. 1443.

February 27, 1907.

Cynthia Laufermilk,  
Wulberson,  
North Carolina.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of February 23, 1907, you are advised that under the terms of the decree of the Court of Claims, as it now stands, your children would not be entitled to enrollment, and therefore it is at present unnecessary for them to file applications.

In the event that the decree should be modified in this particular you will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

GM-NLC.

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 1443 ab.

Culberson N.C. Feb 23-1907  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.  
Dear Sir

in regard to my claim No 1443  
I filed claim for my self I have  
Two Minor Children One girl Holley  
age 17 years One girl Rebecky age 8  
years are they included in my  
claim No 1443- if not please  
inform me and send me blanks  
and instructions. Please inform  
me at your Earliest Convenience  
yours Truly

Lynthia Laudemilk  
Culberson N.C.

Theo. W. J. Smith  
Chair

John W. Smith is the  
founder of the age 18  
Rebecca W. Smith  
Dorothy W. Smith age 8 years

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 10 526, 10 528  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1565 - ~~61~~ 69  
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.

*ms* *Wm. L. Sandermilk*

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 519 1910. 100  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 10527  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims  
Court March 15, 1910.

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\_\_\_\_\_ <sup>519</sup> 1910. <sup>100</sup>  
*Wm. A. Minor*  
 Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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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 \_\_\_\_\_ <sup>1566</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.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ *Hollie* \_\_\_\_\_ *Wm. A. Minor*  
 \_\_\_\_\_ *Wm. A. Minor* \_\_\_\_\_ *Wm. A. Minor*

No. 1444

Action: Admitted

Name: June Anderson and 2 children. Residence: Culberson, W.C.

Reasons:

Sister of # 1443 and claims through same source.

No. 1444, 1445 + 1446

Name .....

With No. 1443, .....

Remarks :



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jane 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.

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: Jane Anderson  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Cullersou N.C.
3. Town and post office: Cullersou
4. County: Cherokee
5. State: North Carolina
6. Date and place of birth: In Cherokee County, May 14-1879
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 Father William Raper a half blood Cherokee Indian
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Emory Anderson 27 years of age
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Raper  
Indian name: W. Raper  
Mother—English name: Elizabeth Raper  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Elizabeth Fair
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Cherokee County N.C.  
Mother: In Cherokee County N.C.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Cherokee County N.C.  
Mother: In Cherokee County N.C.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Dec 29-1888 Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes In Cherokee County N.C.

Date Not Known

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Verton Raper</u>	<u>July 10-1866</u>	
(2)	<u>Elmery Raper</u>	<u>Oct 30 1871</u>	<u>Jan 10 1895</u>
(3)	<u>Guthrie Raper</u>	<u>May 29 1874</u>	
(4)	<u>Jane Raper</u>	<u>May 14 1879</u>	
(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>Joe Raper</u>	<u>Dubey Raper</u>
<u>Archie Fair</u>	<u>Ollie Fair</u>

17. Where were they born? In Cherokee County North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In 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: Naty Raper - died Jan 15 1875  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: Alu Raper  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Cullersau N.C.
- (3) English name: Chas Fair  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Cullersau N.C.
- (4) English name: Elizabeth Raper  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Cullersau N.C.
- (5) English name: Austen Fair  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Cullersau N.C.

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: In Cherokee County N.C.

Date 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:

*My Ancestors the Rapier family  
are taken in the Emigration Clearing  
Roll taken in the year of 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.) *Jane Anderson*

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

My commission expires

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*N Z Newsum*  
*Att. Sup. Ct.* 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 Anderson* and *W H Anderson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jane Anderson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *27* years and *27* 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.

*J M Anderson*  
*W H Anderson*

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

My commission expires

....., 190

*N Z Newsum*  
*Att. Sup. Court* Notary Public.

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No. 1444

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Jane Anderson*

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. 1444

1. State your full name: James Anderson
2. Residence and post office: Lumberton
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: N. C.
5. Date and place of birth: about 1890
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Emory Anderson age 29
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>Bessie Rosette Anderson</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>1903</u>
(2)	<u>Ernie Odell Anderson</u>		<u>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: yes with Cherokee Indians

**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) James Anderson

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

A. S. Owen  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Dec. 31, 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 T. B. Chance and Mr. E. Chance who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jane Anderson who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 4 years and 8 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 Raid claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

..... T. B. Chance  
..... M. E. Chance

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

A. P. Orently  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 31, 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.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 7 1909  
No. 1444

*admit  
notice*



J. W. HYATT

DEALER IN

General Merchandise and Country Produce.

Culberson, N. C.

8/5  
1909

Gideon Miller

Washington  
Dear Sir: - D.C.

Why havent you  
never sent me my  
pay roll no. or letter advise-  
ing that my claim is  
all right or allowed? My  
application # is 1444. Please  
let me hear from you  
or obj  
Yours truly,  
Jane Anderson

*Yours truly*  
*Jane Anderson*

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Tellico Junction Tenn.

Mr Guian Miller R F D no 2

Dear Sir

i have not heard from my claim yet  
and Mr Frank Churchill an indian  
specter was here and i have filled out  
another blank and he sent it back  
it was not filled out rite the J P said that  
to just sign for Raper would do as well  
and my name was put on the hester  
roll Louisa Jane Raper

and i want to ask you if i need  
to make any more Proof

Two of my minor  
sons

Benny Roscoe Anderson  
Age 4 years

Charles Adolph Anderson

Age 2 years  
Junior Anderson

MAY 18 1910

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 8967, 8968, 8969.  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 34-35-36.  
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.

*My*

*James Anderson*

No. 1445

Action: Admitted

Name: Aloy Foster and 4 children. Residence: Culberson, N. C.

Reasons:

Sister of # 1443 and claims through same source

# 1445

See of # 1443

No. 1445

See...

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Wey Foster*

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: Alec Foster.  
Indian name: Georgia
2. Residence: Georgia
3. Town and post office: Tryon
4. County: Union
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: In Cherokee County, May 29<sup>th</sup> 1874
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 as a half-breed through my father William Paper a half blood Cherokee Indian
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Joseph F Foster  
40. yrs old.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Paper  
Indian name: McDaniel  
Mother—English name: Elizabeth Paper  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Elizabeth Fair
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Cherokee County N.C.  
Mother: In Cherokee County N.C.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Cherokee County N.C.  
Mother: In Cherokee County N.C.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1888 Mother: Living



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: In Cherokee County N.C.  
date not known

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Bertie Raper	July 10 1866	
(2)	Elmer Raper	Oct 30 1871	Jan 10 1878
(3)	Cynthia Raper	May 29 1874	
(4)	Jane Raper	May 14 1879	
(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>Jos Raper</u>	<u>Lucy Raper</u>
<u>Greir Fair</u>	<u>Ellis Fair</u>

17. Where were they born? In Cherokee County North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In 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: Naty Raper dcd Jan 15 1878  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: Alex Raper  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Culberson N.C.
- (3) English name: Elizabeth Raper  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Culberson N.C.
- (4) English name: Chas Fair  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Burre Gap
- (5) English name: Bustie Fair  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Culberson N.C.

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: In Cherokee County N.C.  
date 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:

*My Ancestors Papers formerly are  
in the possession of the State of  
Iowa in the year of 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.) *Alec Foster*

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

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*A. Z. Newell*  
*Clk. Sup 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 *J. M. Anderson* and *W. N. Anderson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Alec Foster*, 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 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. Anderson*  
*W. N. Anderson*

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

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*A. Z. Newell*  
*Clk. Sup 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.

No. 1445

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Aaley Foster*

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 27 1907 No.
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No 1445

### 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: Alcy Hoyster
2. Residence and post office: Millerson
3. County: Cherokee County
4. State: Ala
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee County Born 29 1874
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Alcy Hoyster age 37
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.
(1)	<u>Alcy Hoyster</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>June 17 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Bob Hoyster</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>April 16 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Bledson Hoyster</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>July 26 1903</u>
(4)	<u>Lee Roy</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Feb. 14 1906</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: yes with Estern Cherokee Indian tribe in year of 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) Alcy Hoyster

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May 1907.

J.W. Kilpatrick  
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. W. Kiepatich John Landemilk and C. C. Nichols who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Alcy Foster who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 on May 28, 1906, and had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by them are true, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
C. C. Nichols  
John Landemilk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May, 1907

J. W. Kiepatich  
Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 1906

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.

Thank you very much  
for the

Eliza Foster age 7 years  
Robert Foster age 5 years  
Bert Foster age 3 years  
Ray Foster age  
9 months

Oliver Foster

for family

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 19 1909  
No. 1445

*admit*  
*notice*

Culberson, N. C.

8-17 1909

Union Miller, Special Com.,  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Please send me  
Certificate, whether me  
& my children is placed  
on pay roll for next  
draw. for the Eastern District,  
My application No. is  
1445. My address is  
Culberson, N.C.

Respt

Alec Foster.

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No. 1446.

Action: Admitted.

Name: John Powdermilk and 2 children. Residence: Culherson, N.C.

Reasons:

Grandson of #1443 and claims through same source

*Grandson of # 1443*

*No. 445*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John Sandernick*

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 25 1906

No.

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 Lauderdale  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Cullersau N.C.
3. Town and post office: Cullersau
4. County: Cherokee
5. State: North Carolina
6. Date and place of birth: Cherokee County, July 7-1879
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 to through and by my grand father William Raper a half blood Cherokee Indian
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lizzie Lauderdale 29 years of age
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: N. A. Lauderdale  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Cynthia Lauderdale  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Cynthia Raper
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Cherokee County North Car  
Mother: In Cherokee County N.C.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: I  
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: *In Cherokee County*  
*Date Unknown*

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Lizzie Saudernick</i>	<i>Dec 29 1883</i>	<i>Oct 31 1901</i>
(2)	<i>Chas Saudernick</i>	<i>Not Known</i>	<i>Oct 30 1886</i>
(3)	<i>Fellis Saudernick</i>	<i>Sept 24 1888</i>	
(4)	<i>Betsy Saudernick</i>	<i>Aug 23 1899</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>Nawel Saudernick</i>		<i>William Paper</i>	
<i>Nellie Saudernick</i>		<i>Elizabeth Paper</i>	

17. Where were they born?

*In Cherokee County*  
*North Carolina*

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

*In Cherokee Co: North Carolina*

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

(1) English name: *Burton Paper*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Burru Ga*

(2) English name: *Alcy Foster*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Culberson N.C.*

(3) English name: *ave Anderson*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Culberson N.C.*

(4) English name: *Elmery Papers*  
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 Cherokee County N.C.*  
*Date 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:

*My Ancestors the Baper family  
are upon the Emigrant's Ticket  
Robt. Baper in the year of 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 Saudermilk*

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

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

*A. Z. Newer*  
*Clk Sup 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 *J. M. Anderson* and *W. H. Anderson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John Saudermilk*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *27* years and *27* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *him* 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 *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. M. Anderson*  
*W. H. Anderson*

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

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

*A. Z. Newer*  
*Clk Sup Court* Notary Public.

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No. 1446

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*John Lander milk*

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 27 1907  
No.

NC 1446

### 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: John Lander milk
2. Residence and post office: Emberson
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: of North Carolina
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: John Lander milk aged 25 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee Indian
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Luther Lander milk</u>		
(2)		<u>6 years old</u>	<u>July 31, 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Rassey Lander milk</u>	<u>3 years old</u>	<u>Feb 14, 1904</u>
(4)	<u>James Lander milk</u>	<u>11 months old</u>	<u>June 15, 1906</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: Luther Lander milk was in the year of 1902

REMARKS

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

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

(Signature) John Lander milk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May 1907.

J. W. Kiepatnick J.P.  
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 J. W. Hyatt and C. C. Nickles who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Landermeck who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 7 years and 7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, said had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by them are true, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

.....  
.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May, 1907.

J. W. Kiefaluck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires ....., 19010.

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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Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
601 Murray Building

Washington, D.C.

Pulherson, N.C. 7/1/1907

Dear Sir I made  
supplement application  
for my minor children  
some time ago  
and have heard

from it  
my own application  
number is 1446

Please let me hear  
from you soon

Yours, truly

John Landermilke  
Pulherson, N.C.

These are my  
children's names

Thomas Luther Landerhill

William B. Landerhill  
age 10 years

Julia Landerhill  
age 2 years

Lizzie Landerhill

our family

MAY 18 1910

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 10529, 10530, 10531  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1568-69-70  
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*

*John. Sanderson*

1446

No. 1447.

Action: Admitted.

Name Sunday Hogtater and X children. Residence: Vian, Okla

Reasons:

Applicant enrolled as Sunday with his father & mother and brother & sisters in group #284 Flint.

No. 1447.

O.K.

Name Sunday Hogtoter

With No. ....

Remarks :

Grouped herewith  
are no. 1462.

~~3251, 3252, 3253~~

~~4507, 4651, 7088~~

~~16576, 16695~~

Claims through

Se-qua-lee-see

Tribut 284.

No. 1447

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Sunday Hogtater*

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 25 1906 No.
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#1447.  
See #1462.

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: Sunday Hogtoter

Indian name: Gau-dah-quah-ske

2. Residence: Illinois Dist Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office: Winn J. T.

4. County: Northern District

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: age 66. Flint Dist J. 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: on Nancy Kickup & Kelly Graymeyer as cousins close relation & John Kickup as husband of Nancy — by descent

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy, about 5-3. age

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

Father—English name: Si-quah-b-se

Indian name: " " "

Mother—English name: Quaity

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: unknown

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation past

Mother: " " "

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

Father: Flint Dist Cherokee Nat

Mother: " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Aug 12, 1867 Mother: in 185-1.



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *yes in Flint Dist Cherokee Nation in 1852*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Alsey</i>	<i>1838</i>	<i>185-1</i>
(2)	<i>Ula-ma-neh</i>	<i>1842</i>	<i>Apr-8, 1877</i>
(3)	<i>Sally</i>	<i>1844</i>	<i>185-3</i>
(4)	<i>Uwe-yu-neh</i>	<i>1846</i>	<i>185-4</i>
(5)	<i>Ayat-s-yu-ke</i>	<i>1848</i>	<i>living</i>
(6)	<i>Rabbit</i>	<i>1835 or 4</i>	<i>about 1866</i>
	<i>Arimmer</i>	<i>1835-6</i>	<i>1860</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>grandpa unknown</i>	<i>grandpa unknown</i>
<i>Betsy - grandma</i>	<i>Chah-nah-yu-gah</i>
	<i>grandma</i>

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

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Betsy in Flint Dist Chah-nah-yu-gah in Longsnake Dist*

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

(1) English name: *Betsy children are -*  
 Indian name: *Sau-kin-ne*  
 Residence: *Skah-nah-doo-gah*

(2) English name: *Chu-skil-ke*  
 Indian name: *Do-oh-na-ke*  
 Residence: *Dah-ne-gau-stah*

(3) English name: *Dah-ne*  
 Indian name: *Wetty*  
 Residence: *Ch-nau-ner*

(4) English name: *then Chah-nah-yu-gah's child*  
 Indian name: *was Wah-la-no-ah*  
 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: *1852, 1875, 1880, 1883, 1886, 1894, 1902*

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.

*Always*  
*J. E. Mayo* (Signature.) *Sunday his Hogtown*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*March 12*, 190*6* *J. R. Mayfield*  
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 Young* and *Squirrel Fields*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Sunday Hogtown*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *54* years and *54* 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.

*Always*  
*J. E. Mayo* *William his Young*  
*Squirrel his Fields*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. *1st of 7 app*

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S. G. VICTOR, Chairman, Afton  
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The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

Sir:--- Hereto attached please find an informal presentation of names to you to be included in the application of Sunday Hogtoter, of Vian I.T. and on same names shares are claimed of the money due in each case as emigrant cherokee money--

As you will see they are as follows:--

Dah-gah-se-wah-ne-he, as uncle;  
Tah-ne Ah-chah-te, as aunt;  
Ah-le wo-ye-oo-kil-ler, as aunt;  
Ta-gah-hah-tah, as uncle;  
Ah-de-tle-do-he Ah-yer-e-ne, as cousin;  
Stealer or Gah-nau-ske-ske, as uncle.

I advised this course from a letter a few days ago presented to me from the Indian Office adviseing such course when to be in addition to a claim already filed-- and to so do as explanatory or additional, and I hope this will suffice as making formal application for the shares indicated---

In case a formal sworn request should be made, please advise me at once so we can remedy the defect without delay--if defect in the matter is determined---

Very respectfully,

Vian, Ind Terr. Dec. 27th, 1906.

*J. L. Springston*  
Ag't.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES,  
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To the Hon. The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

In accord with instructions as to additional names on which shares may be claimed in the Eastern Cherokee matter, I most respectfully ask that you allow me to have the following appear in my application as made heretofore as applying for shares therein as heir.

Dah-gah-se-wah-ne-he, as my uncle;

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Tah-ne Ah-chah-te, as my aunt;

ᏃᏁ ᏃᏍᏁ

Ah-le Wo-ye-oo-kil-ler, as my aunt;

ᏃᏍᏁ ᏃᏍᏁ ᏃᏍᏁ

Ta-gah-hah-tah, as my uncle;

ᏃᏍᏁ ᏃᏍᏁ

Ah-de-tle-do-he Ah-yer-e-ne, my cousin.

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Stealer or Gah-nau-ske-ske, as my uncle;

ᏃᏍᏁ ᏃᏍᏁ ᏃᏍᏁ

My application for emigrant shares is now on file in the office and I informally present the names hereon entered as those I claim shares of as per relationship stated---and in accord with notices given in other cases as proper in cases where applications are already of file, to add by letter such as found later.

In case a sworn application additional is necessary in this and such cases, then please notify me of the fact, so that a formal application may be filed in the case, and before the allotted time has expired.

Dec. 27, 06.

Witness to Sig: -

*Sunday his Hog Peter*

*Maggie Cooksey*

*J. D. Springston*

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 1447-1462

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The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Sir:---

In addition to my application as made for emigrant shares I here and now ask to add to the list of those on whom I claim shares as heir to the same---and ask that this request be added to my said application and considered therewith---

On, Nelly, dec. as my wife, she will be found as of  
Flint District, in 1852--

On Charlotte, as my wife, second wife--she was in Skin  
Bayou District in 1852, and we were married in Illinois District since---

On Hummingbird or Wah-la-loo, as my cousin, he was child  
of my sister, and of Flint or Tah-le-quah  
as far as known---had no home--

On Whirlwind or Ah-gah-loo-gah, as my cousin, he was  
bro of Hummingbird---

Respectfully submitted for action &c.

Vian, Ind Terr. Feb, 16th, 1907.

*with To Sig: -*

*Blanche Mayfield  
Montez Anderson. as*

*Sunday his Hogtoter  
mark.*

*Gau-shah-quas-ke  
A to T D X*

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec FEB 20 1907

No.

The Commissioner,

Sir:

Herewith enclosed find the supplemental report  
of the Survey, for the year of  
the survey, as well as the  
and the

This report is for the year

is made in accordance with instructions to me  
in a similar case--the is the  
held in each case--and stated in preference  
to all others--

Please give me official notice of this

Very

Very, I. T. Top 18th, 1907

Respectfully,



The Commissioner,

Sir:--

Herewith please find the supplemental application of Sunday Hogtoter, for the shares of two persons, his wives, as named, and two ~~sons~~ his sisters children--

This application for former wifes shares is made in accord with instructions to me in a similar case---He is the legitimate heir in each case--and stands in preference to all others--

Please give me official #. of his own case---

Vian, I.T. Feb 16th, 1907

Respectfully,

*J. L. Spingston*

No. 1448.

Action: Admitted

Name Coowie Blackhawk and X children. Residence: Sallisaw, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant's mother enrolled as "Sallee" in Flint #60.  
Her great grand parents enrolled at head of same  
group.

(Misc. Act. p. 2867)

Field No. 1448

Name: Coover Blackhawk

With No. ....

Remarks:

OK. see Flint. 60  
710.3.

Can not find  
answer on  
roll.

No. 1448

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Cow-wu Blackhawk.*

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: *Woo-wee, Black Hawk.*  
Indian name: *Woo-wee-stah J. B. 1866.*
2. Residence: *Stimulayon Dist Cherokee Nation*
3. Town and post office: *Jalissaw I. T.*
4. County: *Northern District*
5. State: *Indian Territory.*
6. Date and place of birth: *age about 30. Flint 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: *Ah-dau-lu-ne, great grandpa. Do-soo-yoh-qu, as uncle - Jennie, & Gosh-lau-nerstke as aunts, & Ah-le as great grand mother - Path finder grandpa on mother's side - & Lizzie Pathfinder as grandma on father's side - Lizzie as grandma on mother's side - Lizzie as grandma on father's side.*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Stem Black Hawk age about 47*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Dick Chucatah full colored -*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Sarah or Sa-le-ee -*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *in Cherokee Nation past.*  
Mother: *do*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother: *in Flint Dist Cherokee Nation*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *in 1866.* Mother: *in 1863.*

*Gov. Math. Inye  
Commissioner  
of Indian Affairs*

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>Gah-oo-gu</u>		<u>Jan since 1865</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>Path Ginder</u>
	<u>Mer-Mau-Tsu-yoh-hu</u>
	<u>Lizzie</u>
	<u>I B</u>

17. Where were they born? in old Cherokee Nation  
past.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mother 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: <u>Gah-oo-gu</u>	<u>S.M.V</u>
	Indian name: <u>S.M.V</u>	
	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: 1875, 1880, 1883, 1886, 1894  
in 1900 by Daw's Com

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

*given as far as known*

REMARKS.

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

*applicant is half Cherokee & half colored — This case is on her mother's side & then she is related to as her*

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.

*Moses F. Sanders*  
*J. L. Armstrong* (Signature.) *Woo-wee Blackhawk*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12* day of *oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*7/23*, 190*9* *Chas. O. Dyer*  
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 *Mose Chucalata* and *Nancy Childers*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Woo-wee Blackhawk*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *life* 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.

*Moses F. Sanders* *Mose Chucalata*  
*J. L. Armstrong* *Nancy Childers*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12* day of *oct*, 1906.

My commission expires

*7/23*, 190*9* *Chas. O. Dyer*  
Notary Public.

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Appl. #1448

Coo-wee Blackhawk being first duly sworn, deposes and says: thro his int~~er~~preter L. D. Walkingstick:  
My name is Coo-wee Blackhawk. I live at Sallisaw, Okla. I am enrolled by the Dawes Commission. My number is 22951. One half Cherokee. I was born in Cherokee Nation, Okla. I could not tell you what District in English. I was born in Flint District. I am about 55 years old. I claim through my mother, Sarah Roadhunter. Her mother was enrolled as Sarah Na-nawtsu-here. I don't know where my mother was living in 1851, but at the time of the war she was living in Illinois District. They moved from Flint Dist. to Illinois District. Sal-ce Nah-noju-yah.

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Coo-wee Blackhawk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Sept. at Sallisaw, Okla.

Harry C. Black

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Asst. to Special Commissioner,  
U. S. Court of Claims.

Mose Chuculate being first duly sworn, deposes and says through his interpreter, L. D. Walkingstick:  
My name is Mose Chuculate. I was born in 1813. I am a recognized emigrant Cherokee, and am well acquainted with Chee-wee BlackHawk's people. They were recognized emigrant Cherokees, and they moved from the Old Nation when I did. Her mother's name was Salsey. At-law--loo-ney was her great grandfather. A-alley was her great grandmother. Betsey was her grandmother. ~~xxxxxxx~~ She had an aunt named Co-lon-as-kee. She had an uncle named Ne-que- George.  
See Flint 60

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Mose Chuculate

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Sallisaw, Okla. this 18th day of September, 1908.

Harry C. Black

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 14582 -

*1448* each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
*1448* or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 5-230  
*1448* 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.

*Per*, Carrie *by* Blaekhawk  
mark

No. 1449.

Action: Admitted

Name Na-Key Baldridge and X children. Residence: Atkins, Okla.

Reasons:

applicant enrolled as "Na-a-Ky" at Flint #24 - her father enrolled as head of same group.

O. K.

No. 1449

Name MaKey Baldridge

With No. Akins

Remarks: 16677 Okla.

The sole question for 2nd field investigation is in regard to carbon letter filed #1447. See Sup. Application in #1449. Who are the creators of Willie Scott. How was she swaled by Davis. Conn.

Just child  
gone out #16677  
Wm Scott Lester  
Child  
Chamber through  
Hughes  
Faint 24.

1449.

O.K.

Waky Baldridge.

Ind Field - in  
Oklahoma.

*Suppl.*

No. *3440*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mr. Key Beldin 2900*  
*Mo. 18*

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.

*Mo. 18.*

*6571*

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: Na-key Baldrige,  
Indian name: Na-key,
2. Residence: Sequoyah District, Cherokee Nation
3. Town and post office: Akins, Ind Terr.
4. County: Northern District, Ind Terr.
5. State: Indian Territory--
6. Date and place of birth: born about 1846. in Flint District, Cher 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: for myself, Na-key-- for George Hughes as my father, for Betsy Caty, as my sisters, and my grand father George Hughes--
8. Are you married? Wo-so-de Baldrige,
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Yes. Wo-so-de Baldrige, age about 50 years--
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: George Hughes,  
Indian name: Chah-che Ah-yah-la-nah,  
Mother—English name: Annie Hughes,  
Indian name: A-nee Ah-yah-la-nah,  
Maiden name: Gothard,
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Georgia, old Cherokee Nation, East.  
Mother: Same place.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Flint District Cherokee nation.  
Mother: Same place--
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: winter time in 1866. Mother: winter of 1867.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes as I know, in 1852,

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	George W. Hughes, bro.	unknown--	in 1900.
(2)	BETsy, sis.	"	in about 1886.
(3)	Caty, "	"	" "
(4)	Jennie,	"	about 1892.
(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.
	Alex Bigfeather	John Gothard,
	Sallie Hughes,	unknown,

17. Where were they born? Old Cherokee nation, East,

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not living at that time as far as known--

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

- (1) English name: Betsy Rowe,  
 Indian name: Quafesy Oo-der-hnau-de,  
 Residence: not now living,
- (2) English name: Jennie Rowe,  
 Indian name: Tse-ne Wau-ye,  
 Residence: not living.
- (3) English name: Polly,  
 Indian name: Ah-ge-lau-he,  
 Residence: not living--
- (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, 1800, 1883, 1886, 1894, 1900 by the Daws 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: \_\_\_\_\_

See as given, that is as far as known,  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

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

I am making this claim on those who I claim for shares, except myself, as I am one of the old Emigrants--  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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. G. Springsteen* (Signature.) *Ma-a-kee Baldridge*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th, day of Oct., 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 *Nancy Childers* and *Jennie Baldridge*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Ma-kee Baldridge*, 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 her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. G. Springsteen* *Nancy Childers*  
*J. G. Springsteen* *Jennie Baldridge*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Oct., 1906.

My commission expires

*2/23*, 1909

*Chas O. Faye*  
Notary Public.

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No. 1449

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Nakie Baldrige*

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. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Naxie Baldridge
2. Residence and post office: Cherokee Agency
3. County: Sequoyah
4. State: Ind. Ter
5. Date and place of birth: 1855
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Leick Baldridge
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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Willie Scott</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1902</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	<u>I don't think this is the same child</u>		
(5)	<u>Claimed for in #1667 - after examination</u>		
(6)	<u>of both cases think it is the same child <u>OK</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: Cherokee

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I make this claim for my little niece  
Willie Scott, as her best friend

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

Witness to make Geo Blair

(Signature) Naxie Baldridge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of August 1907.

Chas D. Dyer  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires 7/23, 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 George Blair and L. Roy Faye who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nattie Baldridge who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known ~~her~~ <sup>her</sup> for 35 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person ~~she~~ <sup>she</sup> represents Lucy to be, and that on May 28, 1906, ~~she~~ <sup>she</sup> had the <sup>niece</sup> ~~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.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Geo Blair  
L Roy Faye

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of August, 1907.

Chas A Faye  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 2/23, 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.

Appl. #1449

February 8, 1909.

Nakey Baldrige,  
Akins, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to the supplemental application filed by you on behalf of your niece, Millie Scott, please give the names of the child's parents, and state whether they are living at the present time. If they are dead, give the date of their deaths. Give the names of the child's grandparents, uncles and aunts on the side through which she inherits her Cherokee blood. State where they were born, and where they resided in 1851.

Have you the care and custody of the child.

If the child was enrolled by the Dawes Commission, please state under what name and number, and on what roll her name was placed.

Please answer, immediately, and refer in your reply to A.L.S.#1449.

Very respectfully,

ALS

Special Commissioner

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* APR 15 1909  
*No.*

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

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R. H. THOMPSON,

J. F. HAMILTON.

HEADQUARTERS

Republican County Central  
Committee

SEQUOYAH COUNTY

SALLISAW, OKLA., April 10, 19

Mr Guion Miller

Special Commissioner,

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir: In reply to yours of the 8th  
of February, in regard to the application of Willie  
Scott my neice, I have not the child in my care, she is in the care of  
her father Mr William Scott, of Warner Oklahoma, I suppose the child was  
enrolled by the Daws Commission with the family of her father, She inh  
inherits her cherokee blood through her mother, who was a daughter of  
George Hughes my brother, Yours Very Truly

Norkey Baldrige  
1449

I think Wilke Scott <sup>in appl - 1449</sup>  
same as Annas applied  
for by William Scott in  
appl no - 16677 -  
were told only one child and that  
William had the custody of same -

JUL 13 1910

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 13367 -

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary

or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 4019 -

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.

1449  
6551

J. E. Miller Collector ex-officio Ballbridge



No. 1450

Action: Admitted

Name Mose Chuculate and — children. Residence: Sallisaw, Okla.,

Reasons:

This applicant is the father of # 960, and was enrolled by Drennen in Flint District as Moses, No. 51.

No. 1450

Name. Mose Chulati

With No. 419.

Remarks :

also, 13799,

No. 1350

*see 13799.*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mose Chuekalote*

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 25 1906

No.

*No. 47*

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: Mose Chuoulate  
Indian name: Wau-se.
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: 1816, Back in the Old 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: I claim first in my own right, I being one of the Indians Brought to this country, am on 1851 roll. I claim for my father Ben Chuoulate, Indian name, Qua-na, mothers, yel-kin, For my brothers, Tee-ca-nes-ke, sister, Sau-sauc, Charlie Wa-Ke, For my Uncle Ama-dus-ske, my wife ce-la, for my aunts An-ee & Allie Ellis, for my brother Ta-wau-te, For my grand-mother Wa-Ke.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Ollie Chuoulate Age 61
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Ben Chuoulate  
Indian name: Qua-na,  
Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: yel-kin  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Back in the old Cherokee Nation,  
Mother: Back in the old Cherokee Nation
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: Dont know Mother: Dont know.

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>Tec-ca-nes-ke</u>		
(2) <u>Sau-sauc.</u>		
(3) <u>Charlie</u>		<u>all dead but cant give date</u>
(4) <u>Wa-ke</u>		
(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>De-saa-ke</u>	<u>Dont know.</u>
<u>Wa-ke</u>	
_____	_____
_____	_____

17. Where were they born? Dont know.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? 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: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Chu-cu-late.  
Residence: Flint District Cherokee Nation.

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Ama-dus-ske  
Residence: Flint District Cherokee Nation

(3) English name: Ben Chuculate  
Indian name: Qua-na.  
Residence: Flint District Cherokee Nation,

(4) English name: Johnson Chuculate  
Indian name: Johnson  
Residence: Skinbyo District.

(5) English name: Jess Chuculateor Guineahead  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Yes, I drew in the strip payment 1895. I drew in the payment of 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: .....

..... unknown .....

REMARKS.

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

I am on the roll of 1851. I may be enrolled as just Mose. I am the only one living of the ones I claim for, they are all dead, and I am entitled to their shares being their next of kin.

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 2 marks*

(Signature.)

*Mose Chuculate*  
*mark*

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

My commission expires

*2/23*, 190*9*

*Chas O. Ayre*  
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 *Mitchell Ellis*

*L. D. Chambers*

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mose Chuculate*

, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *40* years and *50* 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.

*Mitchell Ellis*  
*L. D. Chambers*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires

*2/23*, 190*9*

*Chas. O. Ayre*  
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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Appln. 1450.

November 25, 1907.

Mose Chuculate,  
Sallisaw,  
Oklahoma.

Sir:

#1420

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state under what name you were enrolled in 1851, being careful to spell correctly and write plainly. Please state also in what District you were enrolled. Also give the names of your parents and grandparents, and state whether any of them were ever enrolled as Cherokee Indians, and give any other information which 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 respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FST/ELO.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JAN 16 1908  
No. 1450.

*Very Respectfully  
Chas. C. Frye*



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

Appln. 1450.

November 25, 1907.

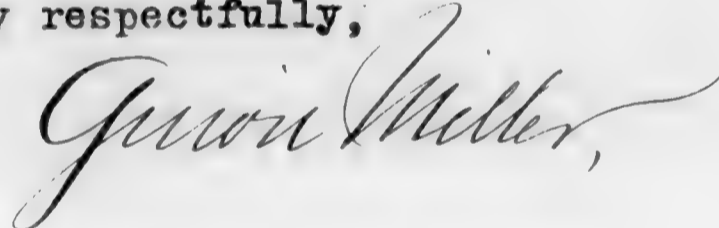
Mose Chuculate,  
Sallisaw,  
Oklahoma.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state under what name you were enrolled in 1851, being careful to spell correctly and write plainly. Please state also in what District you were enrolled. Also give the names of your parents and grandparents, and state whether any of them were ever enrolled as Cherokee Indians, and give any other information which you may be able to tending to support your right to participate in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,



Special Commissioner.

FST/ELO.

Jacksonville  
Jan 13/08

Hon Union Miller

Special Com. Com. of Claims  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir. I was enrolled in 1857 in  
Filiast District Cherokee Nation under  
the name of Mass C. Chuculabate, or Chuculabate  
I am a full blood and do not speak the English  
language so I cannot tell just how my name  
appears on the 1851 roll. My father was  
enrolled as Benjamin Chuculabate, or Chuculabate  
and also lived in Filiast District and was enrolled  
as a full blood Cherokee. My mother's name  
was Yeh. K. in a Chuculabate, or Chuculabate  
she was dead several years before 1851, or she  
died soon after we immigrated to this country

Wit Chas. C. Foy  
Jacksonville

Mass<sup>Chuc</sup> Chuculabate, or  
Chuculabate

Mr Chuculabate, is a full blood Cherokee  
about 80 or 90 years of age, and is  
very deaf. And I had some difficulty in  
getting the above information from

Very Respectfully  
Chas. C. Foy

No. 1451

Action: Admitted

Name Calvin Lee and 6 children. Residence: Sallisaw, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant's father enrolled at S.B. #60.

No. 145-1

Name. Calvin Lee

With No. ....

Remarks :

Also no, 175-29,  
9168.

Arch Lee } S.B.  
Walter " } #60

No. 1251

Sec # 9168

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Calvin Lee* —

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 25 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: Calvin Lee

Indian name: Tel-stacu.

2. Residence: Sallisaw,

3. Town and post office: Sallisaw,

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Chootaw 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: Father, Arch Lee, Brother William Lee, Sister, Martha Lee, Mother Mariah Thompson, Aunt Ruth Thompson, Uncles Jack Calvin and Mage Thompson,

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Martha Lee, Age 33

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

Father—English name: Arch Lee

Indian name: Archie-largin.

Mother—English name: Mariah Thompson

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Mariah Thompson

11. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Father: Skin byou District

Mother: Skin byou

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: unknown

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Lee</u>		<u>unknown</u>
(2)	<u>Martha Lee</u>		<u>unknown</u>
(3)	<u>John Lee</u>	<u>1851</u>	
(4)	<u>George Lee</u>		<u>unknown</u>
(5)	<u>Sam Lee</u>		<u>unknown</u>
(6)	<u>Daniel Lee</u>		<u>unknown</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.

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: Jack Thompson,

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

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

(2) English name: Calvin Thompson

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

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

(3) English name: Mage Thompson,

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

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

(4) English name: Ruth Thompson,

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. Been inrolled here, and drew in the payment of 1895.

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.

*with to myself*  
*E. M. Fyfe* (Signature.) *Calvin Lee*

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

My commission expires 7/23, 1906 *Chas. O. Fyfe*  
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 Chamber and W. S. Paok, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Calvin Lee, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person 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.

*Mary Chamber*  
*W. S. Paok*

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

My commission expires 7/23, 1906 *Chas. O. Fyfe*  
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. 1451

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Calvin Lee*

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.

Rec. MAY 28 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. 1457

1. State your full name: Cabin Lee
2. Residence and post office: Sallisaw I T
3. County: Sequah
4. State: Ind Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Chastaw Nation Jan 1865
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Martha Lee 30 years old
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>Hannah Lee</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Aug 12 1895</u>
(2)	<u>John Armer Lee</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Aug 31 1897</u>
(3)	<u>Robert Lee</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Aug 16 1899</u>
(4)	<u>Walter Lee</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Aug 16 1899</u>
(5)	<u>Albert Lee</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Aug 6 1902</u>
(6)	<u>William O Lee</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>March 5 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: for allotment of Lands + on Cherokees

### REMARKS

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

Claim no 9168 is the same person making this application

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 25 day of May 1907.

James H. Denton  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

1-11, 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. J. Ross and Bot McKeey who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Calvin Lee who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 25 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 This claim.

Witnesses to Mark.  
O. G. Smith  
Dennis Hood

Signatures of Witnesses.  
W. J. Ross  
Bot McKeey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of May, 1907.

James G. Denton  
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.

No. 1452.

Action: Admitted

Name: John Childers and X children. Residence: Sallisaw, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant enrolled with his mother Alex Anderson, ~~his~~  
~~grandfather John Childers~~ and himself enrolled as John  
Childers at Flint #551

O.K.

No. 145-2

Name John Childers

With No.

Remarks: 77058 22710  
24600 72393 2962  
79630 75147 25722

Grouped herewith

are no. 2345,  
27524-5  
2346, 2347,

6705; 5955;  
7492, 8625; 11483,  
11484, 13385;  
2635-2, 27122,  
4459, 756, 5725, 27503  
35505, 15746, 2281  
578, 532, 574, 5351  
5882, 5892, 5893, 6500

Claim through

Liza Childers

Film 5-5-1, 2711  
2615-1  
2615-1, 2615-1, 2615-1  
2615-1, 2615-1, 2615-1

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 31 1908  
No. 33622

*Wm. H. H.*

AUG 31 1908

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## THE CARNEY MADSTONE

PATENT APPLIED FOR

AGENTS WANTED

Greene, Mo., 8-28 1908

Hans Union Miller  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir I appeared at  
 Aurora Mo on the 24 inst  
 with proof of my claim in  
 the Tunnel arising from the  
 claims of the Eastern  
 Cherokee My claim no 33422  
 The agent Mr Baker did  
 not show my claim listed  
 and there fore refused  
 to take evidence in said  
 claim what must I do  
 further in the matter of  
 proof I have affidavits  
 establishing my citizenship in  
 the Cherokee nation  
 Sincerely  
 George Robt. Blasingame

Appl. #

ORDER	COURT OF CLAIMS
FILED	EASTERN CHEROKEES.
RECEIVED	MAY 23 1901
NO. 1432	

*Gile*

Wash. Terr. 1901.

Washington, D.C.

To send out to relation of the decision of the Court of

Wash. Terr. 1901.

Wash. Terr.



Sallisaw, Indian Territory,  
May 20th, 1907.

Oliver Miller Special Commissioner,

Washington, DC.

Dear Sir:-

I have no minor children that would draw under the decision of the Court of  
Claims rendered on April 29th, 1907.

Very Truly,

*John C. Higgins*  
By *George*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
No. OCT 29 1908  
34/60.

1. Through which parent or grand-parent do you

claim Indian blood, and from what Indian are you descended?

*from my great grandmother and my  
grandmother all so on the Gordon side  
and if you dont please I am indian come  
and look at some*

as possible, give the names of your ancestors  
that were descended from the Indians who were living at any time  
between 1830 and 1860, and give the counties and states where each  
resided during said period, and especially in 1835 and 1851.

*Johnston Graybeard*

3. How are you recognized at the present time in the

community in which you live? That is, are you considered white,

Indian or colored by people generally? If colored, were you or

any of your ancestors held as slaves either by Indians or white

people? *By white indian*

*they was not*

4. Did you or any of your ancestors ever live with the

Indians as an Indian or member of the tribe? If so, when and

where did you or they live with the tribe?

*Yes I lived as indian  
I lived with the tribe on Lubetick*

5. Were you or any of your Indian ancestors ever on any

Indian roll? If so, give the names of all those who were enrolled

stating when and where such roll was made and the various names,

both Indian and English, under which each may have been enrolled.

*I suppose some of them was on the Gordon side  
I dont no as to any self or not  
ant hate Barnes and uncle torn Barnes*

6. Give the full names of your aunts and uncles on both sides

No. 1172

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John Chelcher*

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. Rec OCT 25 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: John Childers

Indian name: yan-na-wen-na

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: 1831, Back in the old 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: In my own right, first, for my mother, Agie  
Cherokee name, Akie. Grandfather, John Sanders, Cherokee name, T-ki-er-ly, for my grandmother,  
Liza Sanders, for my Uncles, Ben Sanders, Isaac Sanders, Ned Sanders, Rose Sanders, Charles  
Sanders, Robert Sanders, Alex Sanders, Dave Sanders, for my Aunts, Lizzie Sanders, Peppie  
Sanders, for my cousins Archilla Woodall and Alsie Sanders.

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy Childers. 65 years

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

Father—English name: Isaac Childers

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Agie Childers

Indian name: Akie.

Maiden name: Agie Sanders

11. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Georgie

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

Father: Dead

Mother: Flint istrict Cherokee Nation

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: Mother drew in payment of 1851.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Liza Childers</u>		<u>1893</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>unknown</u>	<u>John Sanders,</u>
		<u>Liza Sanders</u>

17. Where were they born? Back in the old Cherokee Nation

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

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: <u>Ben Sanders</u>	English name, <u>Robert Sanders,</u>
	Indian name: <u>Que-ne</u>	Indian name, <u>La-we-na.</u>
	Residence: <u>Flint District Cherokee Nation</u>	Residence, <u>Flint District,</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Isaac Sanders,</u>	English name, <u>Alex Sanders.</u>
	Indian name: <u>A-ce-ga.</u>	Indian name, <u>Al-li-ke</u>
	Residence: <u>Flint District Cherokee Nation.</u>	Residence, <u>Flint District, C.N.</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Mal Sanders,</u>	English name, <u>DuVe Sanders</u>
	Indian name: <u>Nak-ta.</u>	Indian name, <u>sta-wa.</u>
	Residence: <u>Flint District Cherokee Nation.</u>	Residence, <u>Flint District, C.N.</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Mose Sanders</u>	English name, <u>Lizzie Sanders, and Peggie Sanders,</u>
	Indian name: <u>Wa-se.</u>	Indian names, <u>Peggie, Wa-ho, Lizzie, Le-co.</u>
	Residence: <u>Flint District Cherokee Nation.</u>	
(5)	English name: <u>Charles Sanders,</u>	
	Indian name: <u>Ch-le.</u>	
	Residence: <u>Flint District Cherokee Nation</u>	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Payment of 1851, and also 1895, and in bread money 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: mother's side

John Sanders,

Eliza Sanders

#### 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 Childers

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

My commission expires

7/23, 1909

Chas. C. Aye

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 Ike Sanders and R. B. Choate, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Childers, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and 60 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.

Ike Sanders  
R. B. Choate

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

My commission expires

7/23, 1909

Chas. C. Aye

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. 1453

Action: Admitted

Name: Linda Duval and 1 children. Residence: Sallisaw, Okla

Reasons:

<sup>mother</sup>  
applicants, Tsan gan-hee who was born since 1851 was a daughter of Alky in Flint #321. Alky was daughter of Wully in same group and step daughter of W. B. Chuculata her father was Eli Daugherty H.L. #314

(misc. text for)



Field Area ?

No. 1453

Name Linda Duval

With No. Sallesau

Remarks:

Grouped beneath are  
no. 1455; 7672

8111 daughter.

See testimony in #11

Before grouping  
this claim,  
must hear  
from parties  
in regard to  
grand parents,

~~See~~

O.K. this.

AKY 11. 321

No. 1453

Name *Linda Neval*

With No. 202

Remarks:

gentl me al of # 202  
No. 11513

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Linda Duval*

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 May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec OCT 25 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: *Linda Dural* —  
Indian name: *I-~~na~~ - Se-yu-de* —
2. Residence: *Sequoyah Dist. Cherokee Nation*
3. Town and post office: *Dallasville I.T.*
4. County: *Northwest Dist*
5. State: *Ind. ~~Ter~~*
6. Date and place of birth: *age 29 - ~~Sequoyah Dist~~ -*
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: *Louise Firestone as grand-mother - Betty & Lullaby - Buck Emore as her father - and Leah-me-gah or Black-hair - of Linda as uncle & aunt - - reply -*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Jimm Dural -*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Buck Emore*  
Indian name: *Leh-keh-gah Jay-yu no-se*  
Mother—English name: *Isau-gau-ye - not born in '51*  
Indian name: *Kita*  
Maiden name: *Le-gah-ye-ye-ye-ye-ye*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *in old Cherokee Nation East*  
Mother: *" " " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *in Flint Dist I.T.*  
Mother: *" " " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *about 1885* — Mother: *in 1898*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Father in 1857. Mother not yet born

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Ab-gah-te-yah</u>	<u>Oct 7 1840</u>	<u>1878</u>
(2)	<u>Ka-gu-gah or Emma</u>	<u>living</u>	<u>-</u>
(3)	<u>Leiba</u>	<u>applicant</u>	<u>-</u>
(4)	<u>Aggie Little or A-gu-osta</u>	<u>living</u>	<u>-</u>
(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>grandpa unknown</u>	<u>To-gah-ner-stah-to-hu</u>
<u>grandma</u>	<u>Aggie or A-gu</u>
	<u>daughter of Wm</u>
	<u>same gr</u>

17. Where were they born? in the Cherokee Nation East.

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: Ab-gah-te-yah or K.A.T.  
Indian name: K.A.T.  
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: 1880, 1883, 1886, 1894 & 1900 for Money & Land in Sequoyah Dist.

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

*only so far as herein given —  
are they known —*

REMARKS.

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

*made on for shares of  
Lawson first name — City of Tulsa, Ok.  
Buck Moore or Edmundo. The name —  
Lak. ne-gah or Blackhawk — Ginda —*

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.

*the  
sub.*

*Pickers Bengue* (Signature) *Linda Dural*  
*Armitage Choze* 13 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 *Pickers Bengue* and *Armitage Choze*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Linda Dural*, 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 *her* claim.

Witnesses to mar  
*D. M. Tyle*  
*J. L. Springston*

Signatures of witnesses.  
*Pickers Bengue*  
*Armitage Choze*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* 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. 1453

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Linda D. ...*

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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## 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. 1453.

1. State your full name: Linda Duval, ne Leaf
2. Residence and post office: Sallisaw,
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: Sequoyah District, Cherokee Nation 1878
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Samuel Duval
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>Mary Leaf</u>	<u>9.</u>	<u>1898.</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: Has an allotment of land in the Cherokee Nation,

REMARKS

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

Mary Leaf is a child by my first husband, Jim Leaf.

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

Witness to make  
J. H. [unclear]  
E. W. [unclear]
(Signature) Linda + Duval

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of May, 1907.

My Commission expires

1-11-, 1908

James H. [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 Ellis Chuculate and Lise Chuculate who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Linda Duval who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 16 years and 16 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. H. [Signature] Ellis Chuculate  
E. M. [Signature] Lise Chuculate

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of May, 1907.

James H. Winter  
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.

HWS  
Case No. 145-3 -

Linda Dural  
Sallisaw - Okla.  
Emigrant Matter.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
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Case no. 1453.

Sallisaw, Oklahoma, 12-7, 07.

Hon. Guion Miller,

Sir: - In reply to notice of 11-10, 07. in case No. 1453. allow me to state that:

My grand father on mothers side was Anderson Firethrower english name - & De-gah-mer-stah-da-ke or I S O O O S A in Cherokee -

my grand mother on mothers side was Aky, or R T in Cherokee -

My grand parents on fathers side I never heard their names -

Sausey Firethrower was my mothers grand father -

my mother, Chau-gau-ke has two bros, named Henry or C. I. R. Daugherty & George or J. T. R. Daugherty, & one sister named Nellie Leaf -

My father had one brother named Fallow or P. D. O., & one sister named Gau-tah-na-ke or A. W. N. A. -

Such is the family history as I know & have learned it -

Buck Elmore or Dau-gu-ne-se T. G. T. D. was my father -

Two witnesses to sign  
1. E. W. Frye      Linda <sup>his</sup> Deval  
2. Tom Calhoun      <sup>mark</sup>

Spoyah County,  
State of Oklahoma.

Subscribed & sworn to before  
me this Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1907

John Hannah  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires 3-1909

Charlie Chuckerlate being first duly sworn through Tom Roach, interpreter, in behalf of Emma Scontie, deposes and says:

That I am over 50 years of age. The mother of Emma Scontie and I are brother and sister. Emma's mother's name is Too-kah. She may go by the name of Too-kah Chuckerlate sometimes. She is living near Tahlequah. Think her postoffice is Bunch or Marble City, Okla. Mose Chuckerlate is a half brother of my father, Jess Chuckerlate. Mose was in and gave his testimony yesterday. He is a half brother on the father's side. Too-kah is about 70 years of age at present. Jess died since the war, about four or five years after the war. He died when I was very small. My Indian name is Dah-yah-lee-nah. I have a brother named Alex but he was not old enough to be enrolled in 1851. Emma Scontie's roll number by the Dawes Commission is 19314. None of my folks were Old Settlers.

*Can't locate these people on the roll ~~was~~ <sup>was</sup> ~~book~~ <sup>book</sup> ~~up~~ <sup>up</sup> of 700 kids*

*Charlie Chuckerlate*  
Signature of Witness

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Sallisaw, Okla. this 18th day of September 1908.

*J. D. Ryan*  
Asst to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

Armstrong Elmore being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 33 years of age. I am a full blood Cherokee. I am a half brother of Emma Scottie on the father's side. My father's name was Buck Elmore but was enrolled under the name of Buck Elridge. That is, that is the way he was enrolled in 1880. Don't know how he was enrolled in 1851. ~~He~~ My father had a brother named Tuley Mayes. Oo-cah-now was his Indian name. ~~Maxives~~ If my father was living now, he would be about 60 years old. Daw-e-nee-sih Oo-cah-now was my father's name. *also had name*

*of Yar-lar-kee-nuh.*

*See app'l of witness for mother's half  
brothers and sisters*

Armstrong Elmore being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

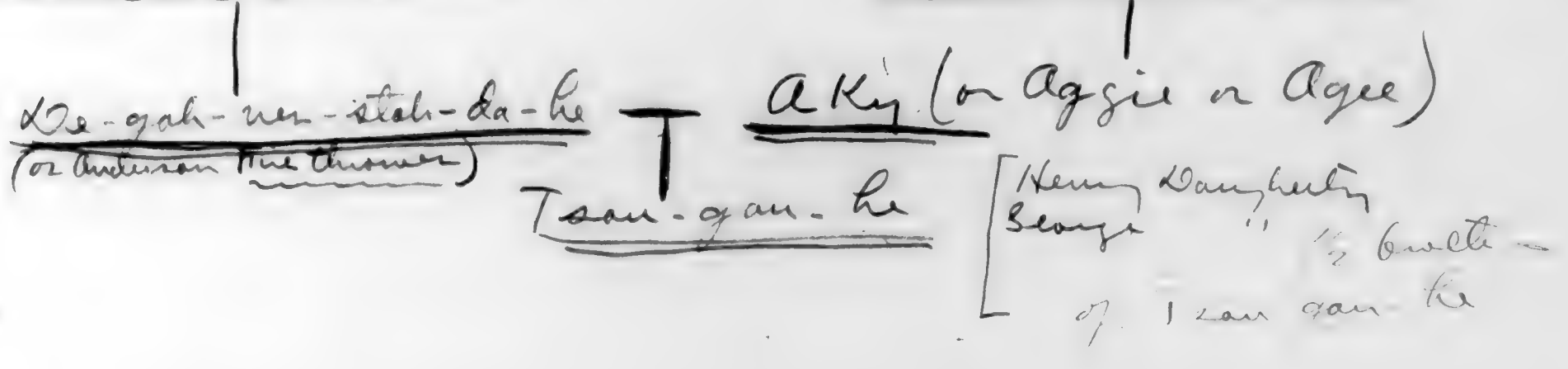
That I am 33 years of age. I am a full blood Cherokee. I am a half brother of Emma Scentie on the father's side. My father's name was Buck Elmore but was enrolled under the name of Buck Elridge. That is, that is the way he was enrolled in 1880. Don't know how he was enrolled in 1851. ~~My~~ My father had a brother named Tuley Mayes. Oo-cah-now was his Indian name. ~~Maxixes~~ If my father was living now, he would be about 60 years old. Daw-e-nee-sih Oo-cah-now was my father's name.

Armstrong Elmore being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 33 years of age. I am a full blood Cherokee. I am a half brother of Emma Seontie on the father's side. My father's name was Buck Elmore but was enrolled under the name of Buck Elridge. That is, that is the way he was enrolled in 1880. Don't know how he was enrolled in 1851. ~~My~~ My father had a brother named Tuley Mayes. Oo-cah-now was his Indian name. ~~Maxlives~~ If my father was living now, he would be about 60 years old. Daw-e-nee-sih Oo-cah-now was my father's name.

*AKy (or Aggie or Agee)*  
*mother of AKy*  
*(step father of AKy)* and Wutty  
W. H. Chukerlate (Fil #321)

Louise Finthorn (Fil #444)



De-gah-ner-stah-da-he  
*(or Anderson the Chinese)*

AKy (or Aggie or Agee)

Tsan-gan-he

[Henry Daugherty  
George " " " " " "  
of Tsan-gan-he]



App. No. 1453

November 18, 1907.

Linda Duval,

Sallisaw, Indian Territory.

Madam:

Kindly advise this Office as to the names of your grandparents on both your father's and mother's side, giving both English and Indian names (if any); also the names of your aunts and uncles on both sides.

Who is Lawsy Firethrower and how is he related to you?

In replying, please mention the number of your application-- 1453.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HWK/WEA

No. 1454

Action: Admitted

Name: Aggie Silk and ~~1~~ children. Residence: Akins, Okla.

Reasons:

applicant enrolled as "Elly Baldridge" at S. B. 12/33.

O.K.

No. 1454

Name. Aggie Silk

With No. ....

Remarks :

Claims through  
Aby Baldridge  
S.B, 33,

No. 1454

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Aggie Silk* -

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 25 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: Aggie Silk, nee Baldrige,

Indian name: A-key,

2. Residence: Skin Bayou or Sequoyah District, Cherokee nation

3. Town and post office: Akins, Ind Terr,

4. County: Northern District, I

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: born about 1826.

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: Vah-ge-goo, as grand father, Polly a  
as grand mother, Green Baldrige as ~~father~~ father, Rachel Baldrige as  
mother, Jim or James, Baldrige, Sam Baldrige & Jesse Baldrige as broth-  
ers, Che-nah-sah and Betsy Baldrige as sisters, Delila, or Lila, and  
Peggy Baldrige as Aunts, and Lizzie Baldrige as Aunt, William and Squah-  
ta-le-ohé Baldrige as uncles-- John Rogers Silk as husband, & self—

8. Are you married? No. John Rogers Silk died about the year 1873. killed.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: wid of John Rogers Silk

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

Father—English name: Green Baldrige

Indian name: 00-gah-lau-gah.

Mother—English name: Rachel Baldrige, Rachel Baldrige,

Indian name: La-che-le.

Maiden name: ya che

11. Where were they born?

Father: in the old Cherokee nation East.

Mother: Same.

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

Father: In Skin Bayou District, Cherokee nation--

Mother: same district.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1852.

Mother: 1851.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: both died just prior to the payment of 1852, although enrolled for the payment of 1852---

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Jim Baldrige,	1837.	1862.
(2)	Sam,	"	"
(3)	Jessie,	age about 35 at death,	1885.
(4)	Che-nah-sah,	about 1835.	1880.
(5)	Betsy,	about 1841.	1876.
(6)	Aggie,	living,	

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
	Wah-ge-goo, Baldrige,	unknown,
	Wah-ge-goo,	
	Polly,	grand mother, Ya-che.
	Wah-le,	

17. Where were they born? Old oherokee nation, East.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand mother Polly in Skin Bayou District, --- Ya-che in Flint District.

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

(1)	English name:	Green, Oo-gah-lau-ger,
	Indian name:	Lila, Ga-yah-he,
	Residence:	William, Wee-le.
(2)	English name:	Betsy, Wa-gy,
	Indian name:	Lizzie, Le-see,
	Residence:	Squah-da-le-che.
(3)	English name:	Betsy, or Qua-to-gy---
	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: 1861, 1875, 1880, 1883, 1887, 1900, and 1894--on the

Dave commission roll for land&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: as given herein--  
This application is made to recover all shares due under the names given  
if any due at all and for the amounts that may be found due in said cases.

**REMARKS.**

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

This claim is on the following named persons---  
Wah-ge-goo as grand father, on Polly as grand mother, Green Baldridge as  
father, Rachel as mother, Jim or James as bro. and Sam, and Jessie also  
as bro. Che-nah-sah and Betsy as sisters, Delila and Peggy as aunts,  
and Lizzie an aunt, Williem and Squah da le one as uncles--- *John Rogers Silk as husband.*  
*and self*

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.

*Chas O. Aye*  
*E. M. Aye*  
*J. L. Springston* (Signature.) *Aggie Silk*  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of oct, 1906.

My commission expires 7/23, 1909 *Chas O. Aye*  
 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 *Jessie Christie* and *John Childers*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Aggie Silk*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 50 years and 43 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. *Chas O. Aye* *J. L. Springston* *E. M. Aye* Signatures of witnesses. *Jessie Christie* *John Childers*  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of oct, 1906.

My commission expires 7/23, 1909 *Chas. O. Aye*  
 Notary Public.

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No. 1455

Action: Admitted

Name Armstrong Elmore and 2 children. Residence Brent ~~Sullivan~~, Okla.

Reasons:

(Brother of # 1453)



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Name Armstrong Elmore

With No. 145-3,

Remarks :

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No. 1455

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Armstrong Elmore*

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: *Arms Strong Cherokees.*  
Indian name: *Sah-mah-tah-yah Dau-ya-wa-ah*
2. Residence: *Sequoyah Dist Cherokee Nation*
3. Town and post office: *J. T. Brent Okla*
4. County: *Sequoyah Dist*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *born in 1875, in Sequoyah Dist*
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:  
*Lawsay first name as grand father —*  
*Walter —*  
*Dullis —*  
*Buck Simpson father — + Sah-M-gab*  
*or Black-haw — + (Simpson) — uncle + aunt —*
8. Are you married?
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Sah-B-law-ka or Mary —*  
*age 17 —*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Buck Simpson*  
Indian name: *Sah-lah-ya-ya*  
Mother—English name: *Wau-gau-ka K. F. T.*  
Indian name: *" "*  
Maiden name: *W-gau-mer-ah-ta-ka*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *in all Cherokee nation east.*  
Mother: *" " " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *in Flint Dist P. T.*  
Mother: *" " " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *about 1855.* Mother: *in 1875.*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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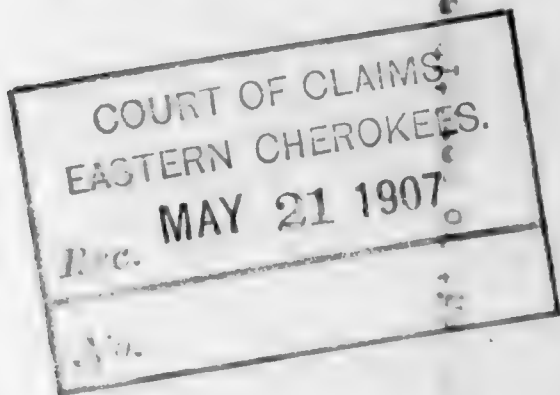
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Armstrong Elmore*

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. **1455**.

1. State your full name: **Armstrong Elmore**
2. Residence and post office: **Sallisaw,**
3. County: **Northern District**
4. State: **Indian Territory.**
5. Date and place of birth: **Sequoyah District, 1874.**
6. Are you married? **yes.**
7. Name and age of wife or husband: **Mary Elmore, Age 20.**
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)	<b>Nancy Elmore</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>June 5th, 1895.</b>
(2)	<b>Graoy Elmore</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>May 25th, 1906</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: **Nancy has an allotment, as a Citizen of the Cherokee**

### REMARKS

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

**I have been married three times, Nancy is a child of my first wife.**

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

(Signature)

*Armstrong Elmore*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this **18th** day of **May**, 1907.

*John Hannah*  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

**Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>**, 190**9**

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me Leoney McCoy and Wesly Chuoulate who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Armstrong Elmore 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 land claim.

Witnesses to Mark

Signatures of Witnesses

*E. M. Fyfe*  
*John H. ...*

*Leoney McCoy*  
*Wesly Chuoulate*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 1907.

*John H. ...*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 3<sup>d</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.

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Brent Okla  
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Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment  
601 Murray Building  
Washington. D. C.,

Sir

my Daughter Nancy Elmore  
her mother is Betty Bush  
she is living, she live in  
~~this county sequoyah~~  
this Sequoyah County Okla  
her P.O marble Okla

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
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my little child  
Gracie Elmore  
Bond may 25<sup>th</sup> 1904  
yours truly  
C. H. B. Elmore

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C.H.B./all.

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December 18, 1908.

Armstrong Elmore,  
Brent, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please give the name of the mother of your child, Nancy Elmore; state whether she is living at the present time, and if so, where?

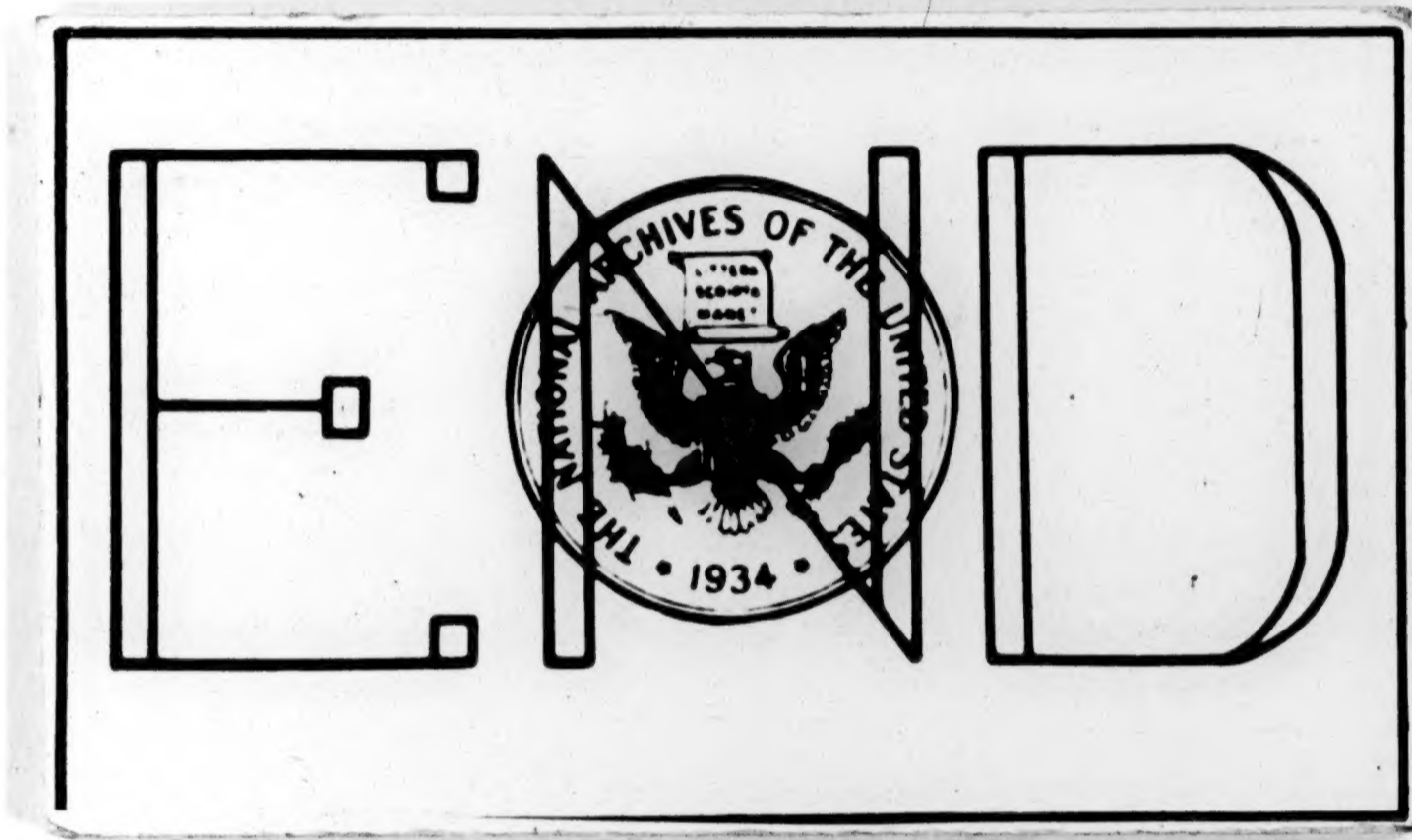
Give the date of the birth of your child,  
Gracie Elmore.

Please answer immediately, and refer in your reply to 1455-202, C.H.B.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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