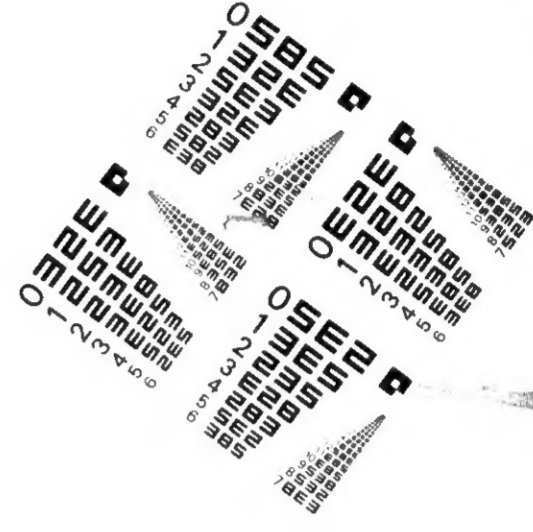
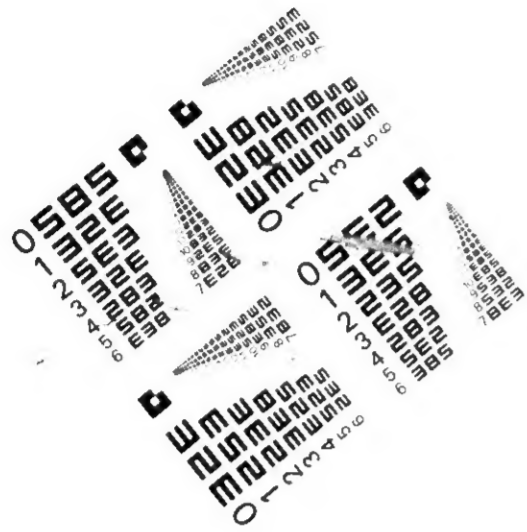


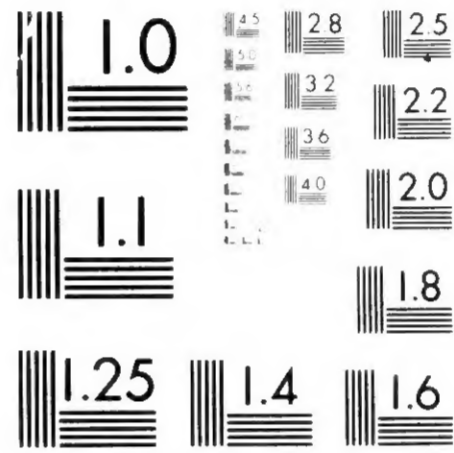
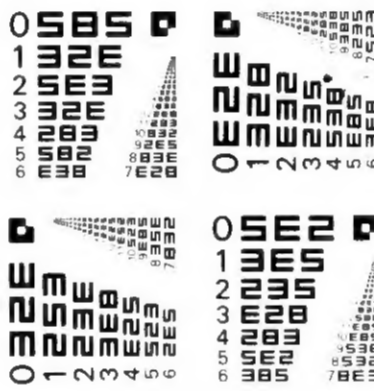
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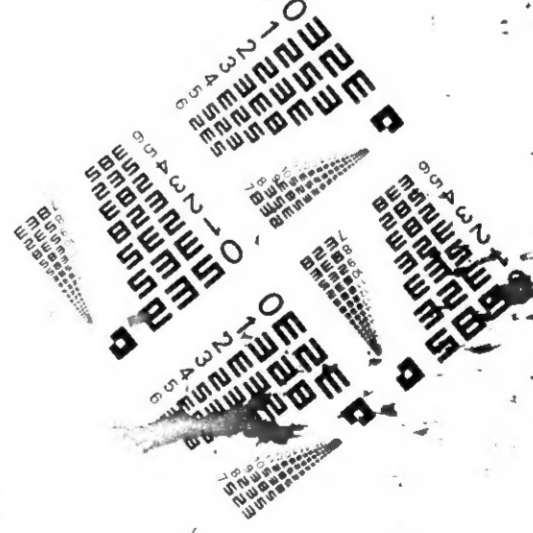
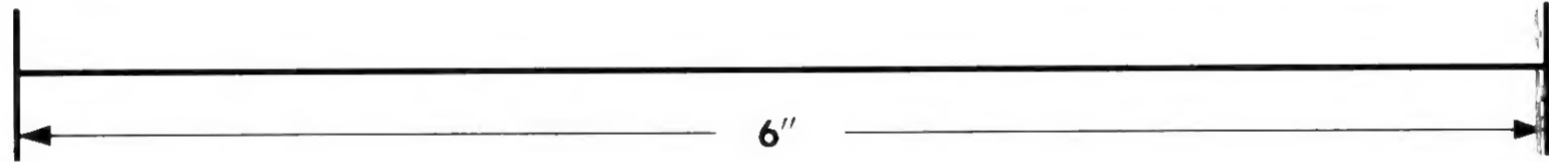


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U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS

1906-1909

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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:

(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

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.

No. 7092

Action

*Rejected*

Name *Richard P. Carroll* and  children.

Residence:

*Liberty, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Brother of 7041*

No. 70721

Name Richard Carson

With No. 11

Remarks:

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No. 1002

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*Richard<sup>OR</sup> P Carroll  
Liberty Missouri*

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

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*7092*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Richard P. Carroll*

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

2. Residence: *Liberty Clay County Missouri*

3. Town and post office: *Liberty*

4. County: *Clay*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *August 19<sup>th</sup> 1860 Clay County 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: *By Indian blood of Cherokee Indians through James Carroll of Tennessee Grandfather who was known to be a Cherokee Indian by blood*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Emma Carroll age 27*

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

Father—English name: *Sterling D. Carroll*

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

Mother—English name: *Sarah Carroll*

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

Maiden name: *Jane Cline*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Clay County Missouri*

Mother: *North Carolina*

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

Father: *Clay County Missouri*

Mother: *" " "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *April '86* Mother: *Feb 1876*

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Eilya Ann Deely</i>	<i>age 65</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Samuel Carroll</i>	<i>" 55</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>John A Carroll</i>	<i>" 49</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>William E Carroll</i>	<i>" 58</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Martha Cartwright</i>	<i>Died 1905</i>	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>James Carroll</i>	<i>Clendenon</i>
<i>Polly Ann Carroll</i>	
<i>Nez Bond</i>	<i>names not remembered</i>

17. Where were they born? *Fathers side Tennessee*  
*Mothers side North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Fathers side Clay County Missouri*  
*Mothers side not remembered*

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

(1) English name:	<i>Sterling D Carroll</i>	<i>Died 1867</i>
Indian name:	<i>William M Carroll</i>	<i>" dates of</i>
Residence:	<i>Catherine Carroll</i>	<i>" death no</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Mary Ann Carroll</i>	<i>" remembered</i>
Indian name:	<i>E Carreger Carroll</i>	<i>"</i>
Residence:	<i>Elizabeth Carroll</i>	<i>"</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Francis Marion Carroll</i>	<i>Living at</i>
Indian name:	<i>Excelsior Springs</i>	<i>Clay County Missouri</i>
Residence:	<i>Mananda Lagoon</i>	<i>Kansas City Mo</i>
(4) English name:	<i>James L Carroll</i>	<i>Texas</i>
Indian name:	<i>Oliver P Carroll</i>	
Residence:	<i>Mound City</i>	<i>Lincoln County Kansas</i>
(5) English name:		
Indian name:	<i>Maramela Jenkins</i>	
Residence:	<i>Excelsior Springs</i>	<i>Clay Co Mo</i>

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

For further proof refer to application of Francis M Carroll  
of Excelsior Springs Clay County Missouri

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: James and  
Polly Ann Carroll of Tennessee, Grandfather and  
Grand mother, James Carroll was proven to be  
a Cherokee Indian by blood by John Ross and  
John D Gourd of Cherokee Nation Indian Territory

#### REMARKS.

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

Case made before the Dawes Commission and  
appealed to the U.S. Court. Masters report on  
record with case at Muskogee, I. Showing  
applicant to have Indian blood

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

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

(Signature.) Richard Pleasant Carroll

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H. Shelton  
Notary Public.  
for Clay County Missouri

#### AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Tim C. Halliday and  
Fred Zaiss, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Richard P. Carroll, 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.

Tim C. Halliday  
Fred Zaiss

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H. Shelton  
Notary Public.  
for Clay County Missouri

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. 7093

Action: Rejected

Name: Cesar Carroll, and X children. Residence: Liberty, Mo.

Reasons: Son of 7091.



No. 7093

Name Oscar Carroll

With No. 7091

Remarks:

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No. 7093

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

**APPLICATION**

*Oscar Carroll*  
*Liberty Missouri*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,**  
**ATTORNEY,**  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

2093

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: *Oscar Carroll*  
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Liberty Blay County Missouri*
3. Town and post office: *Liberty*
4. County: *Blay*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *April 7<sup>th</sup> 1883, Blay County 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: *By Indian blood of Cherokee Indians, James Carroll of Tennessee Great Grandfather who was proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood*
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: *Samuel Carroll*  
Indian name:  
Mother—English name: *Eliza J. Carroll*  
Indian Name:  
Maiden name: *Eliza J. Thomas*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Blay County Missouri*  
Mother: *Middle Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Born in Blay County Missouri 1857*  
Mother: *NOT Born*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

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

*no*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Ethel Sloan age 24</i>	<i>Ruth Carroll age 10</i>	
(2)	<i>Joseph Carroll .. 19</i>		
(3)	<i>John B Carroll .. 16</i>		
(4)	<i>Daniel Carroll 14</i>		
(5)	<i>Myrtle Carroll 15</i>		
(6)	<i>Annie Carroll 12</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>Sterling D Carroll</i>	<i>Francis M Thomas</i>
<i>Jane Carroll</i>	<i>Jane Thomas</i>

17. Where were they born? *Fathers side Missouri and North Carolina*  
*Mothers side Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Fathers side Blay County Missouri*  
*Mothers side Tennessee*

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

(1)	English name: <i>Eliza Ann Deebly</i>	<i>Living</i>
	Indian name: <i>Liberty Blay County Missouri</i>	
	Residence: <i>William E Carroll Living</i>	
(2)	English name: <i>Excelsior Springs Blay County Mo</i>	
	Indian name: <i>Samuel Carroll Living</i>	
	Residence: <i>Liberty Blay County Missouri</i>	
(3)	English name: <i>John A Carroll Excelsior Springs Mo</i>	
	Indian name: <i>Richard D Carroll</i>	
	Residence: <i>Liberty Blay County Missouri</i>	
(4)	English name: <i>Martha Cathcart Died 1905</i>	
	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: James and Polly Ann Carroll, Mrs Bond James Carroll (Great Grandfather) was known to be a Cherokee Indian by blood by John Ross and John R Gourd of Cherokee Nation Indian Territory

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)  
Case Made before the Dawes Commission and appealed to the U S Court Western report on record with the case at Muskogee I showing the applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood

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

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

(Signature.) Oscar Carroll,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

Alonso H Shelton  
 Notary Public.  
 for Clay County Missouri

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Andrew P Wyman and William J Country, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Oscar Carroll, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for ten years and ten 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.

Andrew P Wyman  
William J Country

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

Alonso H Shelton  
 Notary Public.  
 in and for Clay County Missouri

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No. 7094

Action: *Rejected*

Name *William C. Carroll* and *X* children. Residence: *Epelais Springs, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Brother of 7041.*

No. 7094

Name Mrs E Carroll

With No. 7091

Remarks:

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No. 7094

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*William E Carroll*  
*Excelsior Springs Mo*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,**  
**ATTORNEY,**  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7094



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, 1906, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: *William E Carroll*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Clay County Missouri*
3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs*
4. County: *Clay*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *June 4<sup>th</sup> 1848 Clay County 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: *James Carroll of Tennessee Grandfather, who was born to a Cherokee Indian by blood*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Nissa Carroll age 45*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Sterling D Carroll*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Jane Carroll*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Jane Clendenon*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Clay County Missouri*  
Mother: *North Carolina*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Clay County Missouri*  
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *April 1867* Mother: *Feb 1876*

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)	Eliza Ann Pebbly	age 65	Living
(2)	Samuel Carroll	" 55	"
(3)	John A Carroll	" 49	"
(4)	Richard P Carroll	" 46	"
(5)	Martha Calheart	"	Died Jan 7 <sup>th</sup> 1905
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James Carroll	Glendemon
Polly Ann Carroll	"
Nes Bond	not remembered

17. Where were they born? Father side In Tennessee  
Mother side North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? on father side Calay  
County Missouri Mother side, not remembered

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

(1) English name:	Sterling D Carroll	Died 1867
Indian name:	William M Carroll	"
Residence:	Catharine Carroll	"
(2) English name:	Mary Ann Carroll	"
Indian name:	Ebneyer Carroll	"
Residence:	Elizabeth Wade	"
(3) English name:	Francis Marion Carroll	Living
Indian name:	Excelsior Springs Missouri	"
Residence:	Amanda Loffen	Living
(4) English name:	Kansas City Missouri	"
Indian name:	James P Carroll - Texas	"
Residence:	Oliver P Carroll	"
(5) English name:	Lincoln Co Kansas	"
Indian name:	Maranda Perkins	"
Residence:	Excelsior Springs Missouri	"

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

Referred to Application of Francis M Carroll of  
Helsior Springs Missouri. Uncle, for further proof  
who refused to assist his relatives in their claims

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: James and  
Dolly Carroll, nee Bond. James Carroll was  
proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood  
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Cherokee Nation Indian Territory

#### REMARKS:

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

Case made before the Dawes Commission, and  
appealed to US Court. Masters report on record  
with the case at Muskogee & T. Showing  
applicant to have Cherokee Indian  
blood

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

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

(Signature.) <sup>his</sup> William E Carroll <sub>mark</sub>

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

My commission expires  
January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H Shelton  
Notary Public,  
in and for Clay County Missouri

#### AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me N. F. Hodges and  
John B. Shelton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with William E Carroll, 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.

B. D. Shelton

N. F. Hodges

J. B. Shelton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires  
January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H Shelton  
Notary Public,  
in and for Clay County Missouri

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. 7095

Action: Rejected

Name John A. Carroll and X children.

Residence: Ereckion Springs - Mo.

Reasons:

Brother of 7091

No. 7095  
Name. Anna Carroll  
With No. 7091

Remarks:

*hw*

No. 7095

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*John A Carroll*  
*Excelsior Springs,*  
*Missouri*

For share of money appropriated for the 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> DEC 26 1906 <hr/> <i>No.</i>
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**CHESTER HOWE,**  
**ATTORNEY,**  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*7095*

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, 1906, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: *John Allen Carroll*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Clay County Missouri*
3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs*
4. County: *Clay Missouri*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *August 15<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: *James Carroll of Tennessee (Grandfather) who was proved to be a Cherokee Indian by blood*
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: *Sterling D. Carroll*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Jane Carroll*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Jane Glendenon*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Clay County Missouri*  
Mother: *North Carolina*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Clay County Missouri*  
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *April 1867*      Mother: *February 1876*

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)	Eliza Ann Pebbly age	65	Living
(2)	Samuel Carroll "	55	"
(3)	William Carroll "	58	"
(4)	Richard J Carroll	46	
(5)	Martha Guthcart		Died 1905
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James Carroll	Clendenon
Polly Ann Carroll	Clendenon
Mrs Bond	names not remembered

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

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? father's side, Clay County Missouri  
Mother's side, not remembered

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

(1) English name:	<u>Sterling D Carroll</u>	<u>Died 1867</u>
Indian name:	<u>William M Carroll</u>	<u>"</u>
Residence:	<u>Catherine Carroll</u>	<u>"</u>
(2) English name:	<u>Mary Ann Carroll</u>	<u>"</u>
Indian name:	<u>Ebenezer Carroll</u>	<u>"</u>
Residence:	<u>Elizabeth Wade</u>	<u>"</u>
(3) English name:	<u>Francis M Carroll</u>	<u>Living</u>
Indian name:	<u>Excelsior Springs</u>	<u>Clay County Missouri</u>
Residence:	<u>Almarinda Laffoon</u>	<u>Kansas City Missouri</u>
(4) English name:	<u>James J Carroll</u>	<u>Texas</u>
Indian name:	<u>Olliver P Carroll</u>	
Residence:	<u>Wound City</u>	<u>Linn County Kansas</u>
(5) English name:		
Indian name:	<u>Maranda Perkins</u>	
Residence:	<u>Excelsior Springs</u>	<u>Clay County Missouri</u>

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



Referred to Application of Francis M Carroll Excelsion  
Springs Polay County Missouri (Uncle) for further proof

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

*Carroll Grandfather and Mother, James Carroll was proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood by Chief John Ross and John R Gourd of the Cherokee Indian by blood*

#### REMARKS.

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

*Case made before the Dawes Commission and appealed to the U S Court Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee I T Showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *John A. Carroll*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *Tenth* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H Shelton*  
In and for Polay County Missouri  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *H H King* and *Geo W Callerman*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John A Carroll*, 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.

Signature of witnesses.

*H. H. King*

*Geo W Callerman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H Shelton*  
In and for Polay County Missouri  
Notary Public.

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No. 7096

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary A. Cooper* and ..... children. Residence: *Bowie, Texas* -

Reasons: *Claimant born in Butler Co, Tennessee, in 1839 - quite remote from the Cherokee domain.*

*Claimant not ancestors do not appear to have been enrolled in 1835 nor in 1851.*

*no evidence to support the claim of Cherokee recognition at the time of the treaties of 1835-6 and 1848 - or since the time of those treaties.*

*Office lists returned unclaimed.*

*Claimant notified to appear at Wauwata, Okla., and Bridgeport, Texas, but failed to appear at either place. -*

No. 7086 <sup>Field 2</sup>  
<sup>Texas?</sup>

Name Mary A. Cooper

With No. Montague Co.

Remarks:

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Notified at Hawikca  
Bridgeport, and failed  
to appear.

Ancestors etc?

"Pearl"  
Returned "Unclaimed"  
2/14/58

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No. 7096

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary A. Cooper*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906

No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: *Mary A. Cooper*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Bowie*
3. Town and post office: *Bowie*
4. County: *Montague*
5. State: *Texas*
6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> 1839 - Benton Co - Tennessee*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Only on Grandfather William Pearce*
8. Are you married? *yes, widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Chas. H. Cooper*  
*born Jan 29<sup>th</sup> 1842*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *John Pearce*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Nancy Pearce*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Nancy Allen*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Montgomery Co - Tennessee*  
Mother: *Anson Co N. C.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *in Tennessee*  
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Feb 12<sup>th</sup> 1869*      Mother: *Nov 4<sup>th</sup> 1893*

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)	William H. Pearce	Oct 11 <sup>th</sup> 1829	
(2)	Eveline "	Oct 12 - 1830	Dec 25 - 1903
(3)	Martha	July 11 - 1832	
(4)	Nancy J.	1836	1889
(5)	Sarah A.	Oct 22 - 1839	
(6)	Lucinda	1843	1893

*There are two more girls and 3 more boys no space here*

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>Don't Know</u>

17. Where were they born? William Pearce in N. Carolina 1784  
Polly Pearce Tennessee 1810

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

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

(1) English name: John Pearce died Feb. 12 - 1867  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Randolph Co. Ark

(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 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: .....

*Cannot*

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Mary A Cooper*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*May 31<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*H. A. Tague*  
for *Montague Co. Texas* 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 C Tague* and *R. S. Hatcher*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary A Cooper*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *4* 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.

*Wm C Tague*  
*R. S. Hatcher*  
Signatures of witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*May 31<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*H. A. Tague*  
for *Montague Co Texas* Notary Public.

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*L.B.C.*

App. #7096.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.      January 2, 1908.**

Mary A. Cooper,  
Bowie, Texas.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #7096 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you say you claim through your grandfather, William Pierce. Kindly inform this office where William Pierce resided in 1835. If he was living in 1851, where did he reside at that time. Was he a full-blood Cherokee Indian, or to what race of Indians did he belong? Please trace carefully from your full-blood Indian ancestor, whoever he or she was, down to yourself. As you were born in 1839, and, as you say you have Indian blood, why were you not enrolled in 1851 with the Eastern or Emigrant Cherokee Indians, or are you known as an "Old Settler"? Are any of your people known as "Old Settlers"? Why were your parents not enrolled? Please state the reason, if you know any. Any other information you may have regarding your Indian ancestors will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

*Lyman Miller*

Special Commissioner.

*per J.E.*

LBD/AIL



App. #7096.

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January 2, 1908.

Mary A. Cooper,  
Bowie, Texas.

Madam:-

Relative of your application #7096 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you say you claim through your grandfather, William Pierce. Kindly inform this office where William Pierce resided in 1855. If he was living in 1851, where did he reside at that time. Was he a full-blood Cherokee Indian, or to what race of Indians did he belong? Please trace carefully from your full-blood Indian ancestor, whoever he or she was, down to yourself. As you were born in 1839, and, as you say you have Indian blood, why were you not enrolled in 1851 with the Eastern or Emigrant Cherokee Indians, or are you known as an "Old Settler"? Are any of your people known as "Old Settlers"? Why were your parents not enrolled? Please state the reason, if you know any. Any other information you may have regarding your Indian ancestors will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

LBD/AIL

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 7096

Mary A. Cooper

also; her sister in Mantague Co  
I dont know her present address  
is Mantague or Tazewell; dont know her  
name is Loo et Sheegotten  
She is my one sister; hope you  
u have got her here; am not  
able to go that far; have no  
health; have hart trouble so  
I cant try to go and; have not  
the means to go; am very  
old so I will close hoping you  
a success very re. Sincerely  
Murry A. Cooper to her affection  
- Miller Washington

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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my name is delia co art  
October the 5th 1908  
Haver Gison Miller Special Agent  
Dear Sir I received a letter from you  
on the 3rd day of this month which was  
a long time on the road it was sent to  
Bolton Tex and I was there when I  
maide my application and I sent  
it to the office of Mr W. M. Edmanston  
and my attorney was in Dallas  
his name is Mac Gee a real estate age  
nt and my application card no is 7046  
my grate gran ma was a full cherokee  
her name was Beckey Pierce her son  
my gran was Billy Pierce was half  
astore cherokee my father John Pierce  
was quarter cherokee and my gran  
with my self is John Pierce daughter is an  
right cherokee and I now Beckey Pierce  
live at my father's house in Benton Co Ten  
esse it has been so long I cant tel you  
much about it and my son gran will  
write my son he is one sixteenth chea  
roke his full name is mirrored and I  
can send the rest of his card he is living  
in Benton Tex

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Mary A. Cooper,  
DOWIE,  
Texas.

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*John R. H. B.*  
*E. Granville*



No. 7097

Action: Reject

Name: F. G. Cooper and X children.

Residence: Ft Worth, Texas,  
1014 Myrtle Ave.

Reasons:

Applicant claims through father John Cooper. John Cooper was born in Mississippi before 1830. In view of this fact ancestors were not parties to the treaties of 1835-6-46. They were not enrolled. Did not live in the Cherokee Nation at the treaty making time. since Dec 1. 1878.



No. 7099 Field 2  
Texas 9.  
Name F. J. Cooper  
With No. Leland Co.

Remarks:

Ancestors etc.  
Unclaimed 2/12/08

No. 7097

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*F. J. Cooper*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: Fredon Green Cooper  
Indian name: Hensley
2. Residence: 1007 Crawford St (1014 Myrtle St)
3. Town and post office: Fort Worth
4. County: Tarrant
5. State: Texas
6. Date and place of birth: Oct-9 1856 Tishomingo, Miss
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:  
Mrs Hensley my Grand mother
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Wife Sarah C Cooper  
age 46
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: John Cooper  
Indian name: Hensley  
Mother—English name: Young Blood  
Indian name: Non  
Maiden name: Young Blood
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Tishomingo County Mississippi  
Mother: Tishomingo Mississippi
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Tishomingo County Mississippi  
Mother: Tishomingo County Mississippi
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Living Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lee Cooper</u>		<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Henry Cooper</u>		<u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>Sash Cooper</u>		
(4)	<u>John Cooper</u>		
(5)	<u>Lewis Cooper</u>		
(6)	<u>Lillian Cooper</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>Hensley</u>	<u>None Known</u>

17. Where were they born? Don't Know

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

Nishimingo Co. Mississippi  
& County

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

(1)	English name: <u>Don't Know</u>
	Indian name: <u>" "</u>
	Residence: <u>" "</u>
(2)	English name: <u>John Cooper</u>
	Indian name: <u>Hensley</u>
	Residence: <u>Sherman, Grayson Co. Texas</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Don't Know</u>
	Indian name: <u>" "</u>
	Residence: <u>" "</u>
(4)	English name: <u>" "</u>
	Indian name: <u>" "</u>
	Residence: <u>" "</u>
(5)	English name: <u>" "</u>
	Indian name: <u>" "</u>
	Residence: <u>" "</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: .....

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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.)

*Claimants*  
*Fredon Green Cooper*  
*My Wife Sarah Cooper*  
*My Daughter Phoebe Cooper*

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.) *Fredon Green Cooper*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907. *W. R. Parker*  
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. H. Platt* and *S. S. Nail*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Fredon Green Cooper*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, 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 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. H. Platt*  
*S. S. Nail*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907. *W. R. Parker*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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April 21, 1908.

Mr. Brian Miller.

Kind Sir:-

Mr. M. M. Edmiston  
advised me to write you  
in regard to our application  
on file as Cherokee Claimants.  
We havent heard anything  
in six months, would  
like to know if our proof  
is all right, if not what is  
wrong. We have changed  
residence and the old address  
is 1007 Crawford Street.

Please answer and address to  
~~Mr.~~ Fieldon Green Cooper,  
1014 East Myrtle Street,  
Fort Worth, Texas.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 23 1907  
No. 7097

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OCT 25 1907



Ft. Worth, Tex.,

Oct. 19-07,

Mr. Union Miller  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. M. M. Edminster of Vinita  
I.T. advises me to ask you in  
regard to when we will get our  
claim as we are Cherokee.

Please let me know as  
soon as possible when we will  
get our claim and in what  
way.

Fraternally,

Fieldon Green Cooper

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App. #7097.

January 3, 1907.

G. F. Cooper,

Fort Worth, Texas.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7097 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you state that you claim through your grandmother, Mrs. Hensley.

Who was the said Mrs. Hensley? What was her maiden name?

Who were her parents? Where did they reside in 1835

and 1851? Was she an Eastern Cherokee Indian born in the Old Nation, or to what tribe of Indians did she belong?

Please furnish us with all the information you may be able to obtain regarding your full-blood Indian ancestors, tracing carefully down to yourself from said Indian ancestors.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

LBD/AIE

F. G. Cooper.

#7097.

Fielden G. Cooper being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Fielden G. Cooper, and I live in Fort Worth, Tex. I ~~was~~ am 52 years old. I claim Cherokee Indian descent through my father, John Cooper. My father lives in Sherman, Tex. He was born in Tishomingo County, Miss. He is about 80 years of age. He left Miss. in 1859. He came straight to Tex. He never talked much about it himself, but my mother was raised up right along with him, and she says that his mother was 1/2 Indian or more. She was a Cherokee. My grandmother's name was Hensley. My grandmother was born and died some where in Miss. I do not know when she died. I do not know why my father failed to make application to participate in this fund, except that he has always seemed to be a little backward about admitting his Indian blood. I have five brothers and two sisters and they must have felt like my father does.

F. G. Cooper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Sept. 1908, at Fort Worth, Tex.

[Signature]  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.

1978

No. 7098

Action: *Reject*

Name *Edna F. Cook* and — children. Residence: *Yates Center, Kansas.*

Reasons:

*Nephew of # 7040, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 7098

Name *Edna F. Cook*

With No. 7040

Remarks: *Top File*

1/2 negh. of 7040

No. 7098

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Edna F. Cook*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

8602

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: Edu Florence Cook

Indian name: Unknown

2. Residence: 2 miles West and 1 1/2 miles North Yates Center, Kansas

3. Town and post office: Yates Center

4. County: Woodson

5. State: Kansas

6. Date and place of birth: Cherokee County, Kansas, November 9, 1873

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:

William Logan my great Grandfather

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert E. Cook aged 34 years

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

Father—English name: Riley Allen

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Carrissia Allen

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Carrissia Heaps

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Illinois - Cannot give County

Mother: In Illinois - Cannot give County

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

Father: In Illinois

Mother: Not born

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: living Mother: living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes. In 1891 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>Mellia Parfo</u>	<u>July 29, 1875</u>	
(2) <u>Oscar Allen</u>	<u>Nov 26, 1878</u>	
(3) <u>Dolla Allen</u>	<u>Feb 7, 1881</u>	<u>died Oct 9, 1882</u>
(4) <u>Boy Allen</u>	<u>Feb 7, 1881</u>	<u>" Dec 2, 1882</u>
(5) <u>Milton Allen</u>	<u>Apr 19, 1883</u>	<u>died May 17, 1883</u>
(6) <u>Millard Allen</u>	<u>Apr 19, 1883</u>	<u>" May 25, 1883</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>Lewis Allen</u>	<u>Thomas Heaps</u>
<u>Margaret Allen</u>	<u>Betsy Heaps</u>

17. Where were they born? I do not know

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

Were living in Illinois

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

(1) English name: <u>Ridley Allen</u>	Indian name: <u>unknown</u>	Residence: <u>Cherokee Nation Dawes PO</u>
(2) English name: <u>Fred Shinn</u>	Indian name: <u>unknown</u>	Residence: <u>Peoria Nation Osage PO</u>
(3) English name: <u>Len Allen</u>	Indian name: <u>unknown</u>	Residence: <u>Stephens Cherokee County Kansas</u>
(4) English name: <u>Suda Carwady</u>	Indian name: <u>unknown</u>	Residence: <u>Cherokee County Kansas</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. In 1891 made paper in Yates  
County Kansas and sent to Fred Shinn

\* Joseph Allen born Dec 11, 1886  
 \* Ridley Allen born Nov 28, 1887  
 \* Howard Allen born Apr 27, 1890  
 \* Alvin Allen born Dec 27, 1892  
 \* Albert Allen born Aug 7, 1892  
 Dec 23, 1886  
 Dec 30, 1892



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 not at this time*

REMARKS.

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

*My Great Grandfather William Logan was a half blood Cherokee Indian My Grand Mother Margaret Logan married to Lewis Allen was his daughter My father Riley Allen was her son*

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.) *Edna Florence Cook*

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

My commission expires

*Jan'y 27<sup>th</sup>*, 190*8*.

*M. E. Payne*  
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. Brooks* and *Jonathan Blewus*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Edna Florence Cook*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *25* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. W. Brooks*  
*Jonathan Blewus*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires

*March 1<sup>st</sup>*, 190*8*.

*M. E. Payne*  
Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 24 1909  
No. 7098

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Gates Center  
Kan

Dear sir I write you in  
Regards to the Indian Business  
of No 7098 Has it Bin decided  
yet and is it in favor or  
against us. we have not  
hear for some time and  
would like to know.

yours Truly.

Mrs Edna A Cook

No. 7099  
Name Eva M. Crowley and X children. Residence: Lawson, Missouri. Action: Reject

Reasons:

Ancestors born in Virginia and moved to Indiana about 1832. It appears they never lived with the Indians. They were not in the Cherokee Union in 1835 and could not be parties to the treaties of 1838-6-46. No ancestor was ever enrolled.

Misc. Feat. P. 3897.

Ray Co. No. 7099 Mr. Field

Name Eva M. Crowley

With No. Excelsior Spgs

Remarks: grouped for -

7116, 7193, 7194, 7195.

7354, 7355, 7356, 7357

7358, 7359.

Richmond, Ray Co. Miss  
and Laurin

~~Field~~  
Miss

See records at  
Muscoy, Ala.

Van Trump, Danvers

No. 7099

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Eva M. Crowley*  
*Sawson Mo.*  
*N. J. D. No. 2*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906

No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

6602

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name:

*Eva M. Crivley*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Laws on Ray Co. Mo.*

3. Town and post office:

*Laws*

4. County:

*Ray*

5. State:

*Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1884 State of 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:

*Being of Cherokee Indian  
Blood a daughter of Catharine A. Hyder and  
grand daughter of Josiah Van Grump and  
great grand daughter of John Van Grump  
of Virginia*

8. Are you married?

*yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

*W. J. Crivley 37 years old*

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

Father—English name:

*J. A. Hyder*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Catharine A. Hyder*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Catharine A. Van Grump*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*in Missouri*

Mother:

*in Indiana*

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

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

*Living*

Mother:

*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)	Marice E. Hyder		
(2)	Ernest-Paul Hyder		
(3)	Edith E. Hyder		Oct 184 51
(4)	Bina Hyder		
(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
Born	William Hyder	Josiah Van Grump
	Emily Hyder	Susan Van Grump
	Father in Tenn.	Father in Virginia
	Mother in S. C.	Mother in Indiana

17. Where were they born?

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father's side in Tenn. Mothers in Indiana

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

	English name	Indian name	Residence	Status
Mothers side	(1) Katharine A. Van Grump	Melissa A. Van Grump	Johr G. Van Grump	Living 50
				unknown
Mothers side	(2) Samuel H. Van Grump	Maggie B. Fletcher	Pomeroy Van Grump	Living
Fathers side	(3) Osie Van Grump	J. A. Hyder	Jacob Hyder	Living
Fathers side	(4) Marshal Hyder	Eleana Hyder	Julia Hyder	Dead
				Living
				Dead
Fathers side	(5) Mary Hyder	Magman Hyder		Living

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:

*John Van Trump of Standon, Virginia  
my great-grand father is proven to be  
a Cherokee Indian by blood by the affidavits  
of Ex Chief John Ross and Geo. W. Darr*

REMARKS.

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

*Case was made before Darrs Commission  
and appealed to the U.S. court masters report  
on record with the case at Muskogee I. T.  
showing applicant to have Cherokee  
Indian blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *Eva M. Crowley*

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

My commission expires  
*October 22nd 1910*

*Frank A. Crowley*  
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 J. Clark* and  
*Orson Clark*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Eva M. Crowley*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and *15* years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Robert J. Clark*  
*Orson Clark*

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

My commission expires  
*October 22nd 1910*

*Frank A. Crowley*  
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.

7356-7099

Misc.

A. V. Van Trump, being duly sworn upon oath deposes and says:  
I am fifty years of age; I claim Indian descent through my mother;  
my mother and my wife are both white women; this is a mistake my  
wife and I are full consins; we clai our Indian descent through  
same source; father was born in Virginia; father died in 1888 and  
he was sixty when he died; my father claimed his Indian descent  
through his father; his father died in 1870 in Indiana; my father  
and his father left Virginia and moved to Indian in 1832; my father  
and his father; if they ever lived as members of India tribe I  
dout know; if either of them were ever on the Indian rolls I do not  
know; some people around where I live know that I have India blood  
in me; father claimed to be half Cherokee; neither my father or his  
father ever received any money from government by reason of Indian  
blood; I made application to Dawes commission in 1896; never receiv-  
ed anything by reason of such application; all the names of those  
grouped with me old m through the same source as I do

*A. V. Van Trump*

Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of October

1908

*H. W. Ryan*

Assistant to Special Commissioner,  
United States Court of Claims.

3897

No. 7100

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *George W. Crowley* and *X* children. Residence: *Elmira, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Uncle of # 7052 and claims through same person*

No. 7100  
Name. *Wm N Crowley*  
With No. 7052

Remarks:

*Uncle of # 7052*

No. 7100

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Geo. W. Crowley*  
*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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*2012*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—  
English name: George W. Crowley  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Elmore
3. Town and post office: Elmore
4. County: Ray
5. State: Mo
6. Date and place of birth: Ray County Mo April 8 - 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: By ancestral Indian Blood  
see Grand Father William Miller
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Fannie W. Crowley 47 yrs  
my age is 48 yrs
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Crowley  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Margaret Crowley  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Margaret Miller
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Tennessee  
Mother: Ray County Mo
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Ray County Mo  
Mother: do do do
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1843 Mother: 1873

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)	James I. Crowley	1842	
(2)	William T. Crowley	1844	1902
(3)	John N. Crowley	1849	Living
(4)	Susan F. Crowley	1847	"
(5)	Agnes M. Crowley	1851	"
(6)	David M. Crowley	1855	"
	General B. Crowley	1860	1862

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
Isaac Crowley	William Miller
Elizabeth Crowley	Susan Miller

17. Where were they born? Father & Mother parents were from Tennessee

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

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

- (1) English name: Andy Miller Kansas City MO  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: Thomas Miller died 1871  
 Indian name: James Miller Chiles MO  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: David Miller Gauseville Texas  
 Indian name: William Crowley died 1895  
 Residence: Elgin Crowley " Unknown
- (4) English name: John N. Crowley      "  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_      "  
 Residence: Benjamin Crowley      "
- (5) English name: William Crowley      "  
 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 Miller Grand Father on Roll 7/1835*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Uncle Miller & Thomas Miller were  
Nobels & Mine also appear on Roll 7/1835*

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.) *Geo W Crowley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *Seventh* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*December 27*, 190*6*

*Thomas A Belt*  
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 Violet* and  
*Clarence M. Sweatman*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Geo W Crowley*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *8* years and *30* years,  
respectively, and know *him* 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.

*Thomas Violet*

*Clarence M. Sweatman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *7* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*December*, 190*6*

*Thomas A Belt*  
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.



ADD. #7052.

January 2, 1900.

Leta J. Belt,

Richmond, Mo.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #7053 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you claim through your great grandfather, William Miller, and claim that he is upon the roll of 1835, will say, I am sorry to inform you that the name of William Miller is not upon the roll of 1835, and the brothers you claim for him, Andrew and Thomas Miller, are not upon the roll of 1835. Where was said William Miller born and where did he reside in 1835? What was the date of his death? Was he a full-blood Cherokee Indian, or simply a descendant of a full-blood? Please trace carefully from your full-blood Indian ancestor down to yourself. When did your Indian ancestor emigrate from the East to the West, and where did he locate in the West? Please furnish all the information you can concerning your Indian ancestors, and oblige,

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

LBD/AIL

No 7101.

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Jas. J. Crowley* and *X* children. Residence: *Elmira, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Uncle of #7052 and claims through same source*

No. 7101  
Name Jas D Crowley  
With No. 70521  
Remarks:

Wade of # 7052  
No. 7101

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION

OF

*J. D. Crowley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

1012

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 D Crowley*  
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Clinton Ray County*
3. Town and post office: *Clinton*
4. County: *Ray*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *Feb 27th 1848 - Clinton County MO*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my  
Grand Father William Miller*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Adeliza Crowley  
age 60 yrs*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *William Crowley*  
Indian name:  
Mother—English name: *Margaret Crowley*  
Indian Name:  
Maiden name: *Margaret Miller*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Marion's Valley Tennessee*  
Mother: *Clay County Missouri*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Ray County MO*  
Mother: *Ray County MO*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *1895* Mother: *1873*

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)	William T. Crowley	1845	1903
(2)	Susan F. Crowley	1847	living
(3)	John W. Crowley	1850	"
(4)	Eugene H. Crowley	1892	"
(5)	David M. Crowley	1855	"
(6)	<del>John W. Crowley</del> <del>George F. Crowley</del> <del>W. H. Crowley</del>	<del>1858</del> <del>1860</del> <del>1863</del>	<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
Isaac Crowley	William Miller
Elihu Crowley wife	Susan Miller

17. Where were they born? *Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Father's side Texas*  
*Mother's side Clay County Missouri*

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

- (1) English name: *William Crowley*  
Indian name: *Elijah Crowley*  
Residence: *John W. Crowley*
- (2) English name: *Richard Crowley*  
Indian name: *Benj. Crowley*  
Residence: *Herndon Crowley*
- (3) English name: *Mary Crowley*  
Indian name: *Wra Crowley*  
Residence: *Margaret Crowley*
- (4) English name: *Candy Miller*  
Indian name: *Thomas Miller*  
Residence: *Daniel Miller*
- (5) English name: *James Miller*  
Indian name: *Jane Miller*  
Residence: *Fannie Miller*

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

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: I claim  
under William Miller who is on the  
Roll of 1835  
Andy Miller + Thomas Miller are uncles  
of mine also on Roll 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) James J. Crowley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of December, 1906.

My commission expires  
December 27, 1906

Thomas A. Belt  
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 Violet and  
Geo. H. Carroll, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that  
they are well acquainted with James J. Crowley, who makes the foregoing  
application and statements, and have known him for 15 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.

Thomas Violet  
G. H. Carroll

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of December, 1906.

My commission expires  
December 27, 1906

Thomas A. Belt  
Notary Public.

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No. 7102

Action: Rejected.

Name: Guy Collins and X children. Residence: <sup>Miami</sup> Ottawa, Okla.

Reasons:

Does not appear that applicants or ancestors were enrolled.  
Does not appear that they were living within the limits  
of the Cherokee Domain in 1831-6 and 1840 as recognized  
members of the tribe. Does appear that they never lived  
with the Cherokees as recognized members of the tribe.  
Applicant's father and grandparents were born in Ky.

HCB.



No. 7102. <sup>Field 2</sup> Okla.

Name Guy Collins

With Co. Units

Remarks: Grouped with  
# 7103, 7252, 7721

Full Information  
regarding Indian  
Question?

"Young"  
Letter returned 2/14/58  
Marked "Refused"  
on appls 7103. Letter  
sent to Chester Howe

No. 4102

Name Guy Collins

With No. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks  
Go File

No. 7102

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Guy Collins*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C

7102

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:

Guy Collins

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

Ottawa

4. County:

Indian

5. State:

Territory

6. Date and place of birth:

Union county Kentucky year 1883

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. Edward Collins  
great grand mother. Nancy White cotten

8. Are you married?

no sir

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 Daniel Collins

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Thyrza Collins

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Thyrza McKaig

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Kentucky

Mother:

Kentucky

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

Father:

Mother:

unknown

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

living

Mother:

June 1885

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Roy Collins	1881	
(2)	Mary Kate Collins	1885	
(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	
Edward Collins		John McKaeig	
Mary Collins			

17. Where were they born? grand pa<sup>my</sup> grand ma Collins born in Kentucky mothers parents unknown.

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

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

(1) English name: John Daniel Collins (my father)  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Seneca Missouri.

(2) English name: Sarah Collins dead  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: Francis Collins dead.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

.....  
.....  
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REMARKS.

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

my father John Daniel Collins was a grand son of Nancy Whitecotten a half breed Cherokee Indian who was a daughter of Christain Young a Cherokee Indian, born in Cherokee nation, east of Mississippi river

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. D. Collins*

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

My commission expires 31<sup>st</sup> May, 1909 *Wallis C. Jernison*  
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 *V. A. Burston* and *Howard M. Corbly*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Guy Collins*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*V. A. Burston*  
*Howard M. Corbly*

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

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No. 7103.

Action: *Rejected*

Name *John Daniel Collins* and *8* children. Residence: *Stillwater, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Second cousin twice removed of # 7102;  
claims through same source.*

No. 7183

Name J. D. Collins

With No. 7182

Remarks:



*Second Copy  
true copy of*  
7102. No. 7103

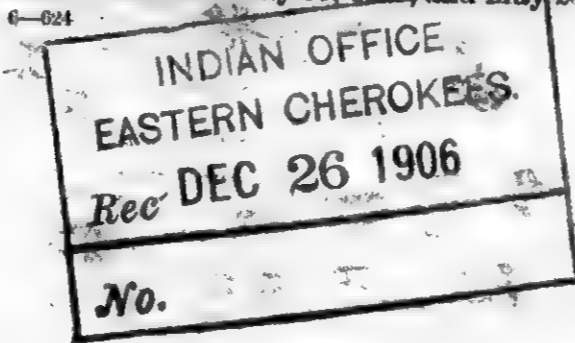
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John Daniel Collins*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.



CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7103

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 Daniel Collins

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Seneca

3. Town and post office:

Seneca

4. County:

Newton

R.R. #2

5. State:

State Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

Union county Kentucky A.D. 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:

Through father

Edward Collins

grand mother Nancy Whitecotten

8. Are you married?

Yes sir

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Theodosia Collins

age 38

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

Father—English name:

Edward Collins

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary Collins

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mary Hammack

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Kentucky, Union County

Mother:

Kentucky, Union County

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

Father:

Kentucky Union County

Mother:

Kentucky Union County

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: April 5<sup>th</sup> 1855

Mother:

living

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sarah Collins	unknown	1888
(2)	Francis Collins	Aug. 1852	1879
(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
English	John Collins	Daniel Hammack
Indian	Nancy Collins	Annie Hammack

17. Where were they born? All born in Kentucky. but grand mother Collins who was born in Cherokee nation

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? all lived at that time in Kentucky, Union County.

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

(1) English name: Grand father & Grand mother Collins.  
Indian name: had 2 boys Edward and Joshua Collins  
Residence: lived in Kentucky. are both dead now.

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Grand father and grand mother Hammack

(3) English name: had Steven Hammack. dead  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: Mary Hammack (now Gillmore)  
Indian name: is my mother and lives  
Residence: in Ottawa Indian Territory

(5) English name: Nancy and Martha and Kittie  
Indian name: all living and married.  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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.)

Edward Collins who was my father was a son of John and Nancy Collins. Nancy Collins was, Nancy White Cotton who was a Half Breed Cherokee Indian woman and daughter of Christian Young, a Cherokee Indian, born in Cherokee nation east of the Mississippi River.

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

(Signature.) John D Collins

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

My commission expires 31<sup>st</sup> May, 1909 Waller C Jernison 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 Howard M Corkle and Oscar Robitaille, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John D Collins, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 19 years and 18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by us 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.

Howard M Corkle Oscar Robitaille

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

My commission expires 31<sup>st</sup> May, 1909 Waller C Jernison Notary Public.

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No. 7103

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*John Daniel Collins*

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  
AUG 26 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. 7103

1. State your full name: John Daniel Collins
2. Residence and post office: Stillwater,
3. County: Payne County,
4. State: Oklahoma,
5. Date and place of birth: Union county Kentucky, June 1854
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Theodosia Collins, age 38 yrs.
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>Rose Ellen Collins</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>May 24, 1889</u>
(2)	<u>George Daniel Collins</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Feb. 12, 1893</u>
(3)	<u>Thomas Otha Collins</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Mar. 28, 1895</u>
(4)	<u>William Ernest Collins</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>June 30, 1897</u>
(5)	<u>Joseph Archie Collins</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Sep. 29, 1899</u>
(6)	<u>Benjamin Virgil Collins</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>April 4, 1902</u>
(7)	<u>Fannie Marie Collins</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Feb. 17, 1904</u>
(8)	<u>Lillie May Collins</u>	<u>19 months</u>	<u>Jan. 1906</u>

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

(Signature)

John Daniel Collins

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

W. A. Waters

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

June 29, 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 Thomas Purdon Richardson and Walter L. Tucker who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John David Collins who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and one 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.

Thomas Purdon Richardson  
Walter L. Tucker

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

Evans  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 29, 1911.

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

App. No. 7103.

August 19, 1909.

John D. Collins,  
Route No. 2,  
Glencoe, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Your letter of recent date addressed to the Clerk of the Court of Claims has been referred by him to me for reply.

You are advised that as your letter appears to refer particularly to the matter of your allotment of land in the Cherokee Nation I have this day transmitted your letter and the accompanying papers to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., as I have nothing to do with the allotment of Indian lands.

The matter is not in the shape to be regarded as an exception to my report and seems to have really no bearing on your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

GMINBC.



App. No. 7103.

August 19, 1909.

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

Sir:

Inclosed you will find a communication from  
Mr. John D. Collins, of Glencoe, Oklahoma, relative to an  
allotment of land in the Cherokee Nation.

Accompanying this letter are a number of affidavits  
which are likewise inclosed.

This party has filed a claim for participation in the  
Eastern Cherokee fund and I have taken notice of such part of  
these communications as refer to that matter.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

GM:NLC.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. APR 3 1908

No. 7103

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APR 3 1908

Glencoe Oklahoma R.F.D. no. 2  
App. # 7103. Mar 30. 1908.

Special Commissioner of  
The Court of Claims.

Dear sir-

As I have again moved,  
and changed my address  
I will notify you, of  
the change. would be  
glad to hear at any  
time in regard to our  
case, <sup>app. # 7103</sup> whether it has  
been taken up for final  
settlement, or not, or  
any news, in regard to  
it. my address now, is

John Daniel Collins,  
Glencoe

Oklahoma.

R. F. D. no. 2

Group #7102,

App. #7103.

February 14, 1908.

Chester Howe, Esq.,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I herewith hand you a letter that has been returned by your client, John Daniel Collins, which was opened, marked "Refused", and returned to this office. Not understanding why this letter should have been returned marked in this manner, I am enclosing same to you for further action in the matter. It would appear to be an indication that the claimant does not care to furnish information in this matter. Please take this up with your client and advise us further.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

LRD/AIL

Group #7102,  
App. #7103.

January 7, 1902.

John Daniel Collins,  
Seneca, Newton Co., Mo.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7103 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you state that you claim through your father, Edward Collins, who was the son of John and Nancy Collins, and the said Nancy Collins was Nancy White-cotton, who was a half blood Cherokee Indian woman, a daughter of Christian Young, a Cherokee Indian. Where did the said Christian Young reside in 1835? If he was alive, why was he not enrolled in 1835? When did the said Christian Young die? If he moved from the Cherokee Nation East prior to 1835, to what point in the West did he locate? Why were your grandparents and your father never enrolled on the roll of 1851? Please give us the history of your family, tracing from your full-blood Indian ancestor down to yourself, and stating why none of your relatives were enrolled on the roll of 1851.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

LED/AIL

Special Commissioner.

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Still water Oklahoma.

Nov. 18th 1907

Commissioner of Court of Claims

Sir:-

As the 31 of Aug. the  
time extended for the filing  
of applications, has past -  
some time ago, and not  
till yet have I heard any  
thing from our case. I would  
be glad to hear if app.

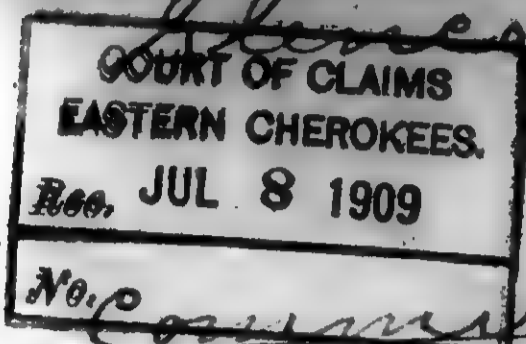
no. 7103 has been considered  
yet. and what my amount  
and childrens are; and how  
much land, are we intitled  
to? if you can give me any  
further information in regard  
to our case I will be glad.  
as I will know better how to  
arrange my buisness affairs.

The money due me and my  
minor children, if  
convenient, I had rather  
have in a draft, as  
soon as I could get it,  
as crops are short here  
and times hard, and a  
chance to use it to a good  
advantage. Please give  
me all the information  
in regard to my claim that  
you can. What do you  
mean when you say it  
will be considered in its  
order? or what else must  
be done before we can  
receive what is coming  
to us? Very Resp.

John Harriel Collins  
Stillwater Oklahoma.



7103



Okla. R. F. D. no. 2

July 3<sup>rd</sup>. 1909

Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs, Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,

Please let me know  
what you have done  
with my application  
for participation in  
the fund of the  
Eastern Cherokee  
Applications no. 7103

Is there any thing  
lacking on my part?  
I have further proof  
of my Cherokee blood  
if you think it needed.  
in regard to my case.  
I filed in questionable  
papers of my Cherokee  
blood before

Robert Owens, when  
he was agent, and was  
instructed to go to work  
by the Cherokee Authorities  
which I done,  
and made improvements  
which amounted to about  
\$1500 or \$2000 which was  
taken away from me  
and sold, which I got  
nothing for, we were  
permanently Cherokee  
by blood & residence  
13 yrs. I can not  
do anything more  
about your land, as  
I understand in my  
application no. 7103.

Respectfully

John Daniel Collins  
Stamona Okla.

R.D. No. 2.

Still Water Oklahoma  
app. # 7103.                      aug 9, 1907.  
Commissioner of Court of  
Claims

Sir:-

I enclose you find a  
true state of the  
minor children's names,  
but if we need to  
fill out an application  
please send us one.  
These children were  
all born in the Nation,  
except the two youngest  
who were born in  
Missouri. If anything  
is needed in regard to  
this, please notify us at  
once & we will answer  
immediately.

S (over)

my address is  
John Daniel Collins.  
Stillwater  
Oklahoma

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FOR THE CHEROKEES  
Acc. AUG 13 1807  
No. 07/03

Supl. Ford  
Aug 16-07.

app. no. 7103

Names of minor ahrs.

Rose Ellen Collins age 14 yrs.  
George Daniel Collins .. 14 yrs.  
Thomas Otha Collins .. 12 yrs.  
William Ernest Collins .. 10 yrs.  
Joseph Archie Collins .. 8 yrs.  
Benjamin Virgil Collins .. 5 yrs.  
Fannie Marie Collins .. 3 yrs.  
Lillie May Collins .. 18 months

Above are my minor children's names except one. Florence Bell Collins, who died at the age of 4 yrs. old. should she of lived she would now be 16 yrs old.

App. #7105.

June 19, 1907.

John Daniel Collins,  
Stillwater,  
Oklahoma.

Sir:-

Your letter of June 7, 1907, relative to when the Eastern Cherokee fund will be paid, is at hand.

You are advised that the applications have not been taken up for final consideration as the Court of Claims in its order of April 29, 1907, 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, or to state the amount each successful claimant will receive.

As there are already over 25,000 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 anything further is required in connection with your claim you will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

NLC.

Special Commissioner.

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JAN 21 1909

hope to hear from  
you soon

Resp.

John Daniel Collins

Glencoe  
Okla.

RFD no. 2.



Glencoe Oklahoma R#2

Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> 1909

Mr. Union Miller

Dear sir -

As we have not heard  
from our application  
no 7103 for quite a  
while, & are very anx-  
ious to hear how it is  
going. we will again  
write you, & hope you  
will let us know how  
things are moving along.  
Do you think this will  
be settled soon?

I came to Cherokee Nation  
with unquestioned  
& satisfactory evidence  
filed my papers  
before Aug. 86

before agent Owens  
and made improvements  
to the amount of  
\$1,500 my places were  
sold by Cherokee  
authority, and have  
been deprived of the  
use of them ever since.  
Justice would say, I  
ought to have my land &  
money. I was a resident  
of Cherokee nation 13 yr.  
a Cherokee by blood, I  
proved it, & can prove  
it again. I would be  
glad of any information  
you could give me  
- (over)

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 10 1907  
No. 7103 A

Still water Okla.

June 7<sup>th</sup>/97

The Commissioner  
of indian affairs  
sir.

My number of  
application arising from  
the judgment of the  
court of claims, in  
favor of the eastern  
Cherokees, has been  
forwarded to me.

Please let me know  
if my number, 7103  
has been considered  
yet. - my address now is  
John Daniel Collins  
Still water  
Oklahoma

Glenco Oklahoma R#2

Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> 1909

Mr. Guion Miller

Dear sir —

As we have not heard from our application no 7103 for quite a while, & are very anxious to hear how it is going. we will again write you, & hope you will let us know how things are moving along. Do you think this will be settled soon?

I came to Cherokee Nation with unquestioned & satisfactory evidence filed my papers before Aug. 86

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\$1,500 my places were  
sold by Cherokee  
authority. and have  
been deprived of the  
use of them ever since.  
Justice would say, I  
ought to have my land &  
money. I was a resident  
of Cherokee nation 13 yr.  
a Cherokee by blood, I  
proved it, & can prove  
it again. I would be  
glad of any information  
you could give me  
- (over)

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hope to hear from  
you soon

Resp.

John Daniel Collins

Glencoe

Okla.

RFD no. 2.

No. 7104

Action: Repeit

Name: Quanda D. Carter and 7 children.

Residence: Waltham, Mass.

Reasons:

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No. 7104

Name Lucia O. Courter

With No. 702

Remarks:

No. 7104

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lucinda B. Courter*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-024

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

4012

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: Jessie Bell Covert  
English name: Jessie Bell Covert  
Indian name: unknown
2. Residence: Wathena Doniphan County Kansas
3. Town and post office: Wathena - Wathena Post office
4. County: Doniphan
5. State: Kansas - Elwood Doniphan County Kansas
6. Date and place of birth: Elwood Doniphan County Kansas
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 father  
William Jasper Bostwright
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Peter Lee Covert  
Born February 17-1873
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Jasper Bostwright  
Indian name: unknown  
Mother—English name: Isabell Weber  
Indian name: unknown  
Maiden name: Isabell Clark
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Madison County Kentucky  
Mother: Greene County Kentucky
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Madison County Kentucky  
Mother: Greene County Kentucky
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: August 18th 1893 Mother: Still living

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

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

- | NAME                                 | BORN                               | DIED        |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------|
| (1) <u>Samuel Thomas Boutright</u>   | <u>November 27</u>                 | <u>1868</u> |
| (2) <u>Sarah Virginia Davis</u>      | <u>Born August 6<sup>th</sup></u>  | <u>1866</u> |
| (3) <u>Mary Ellen Wolf</u>           | <u>Born March 4<sup>th</sup></u>   | <u>1870</u> |
| (4) <u>Leucinda Bell Conner</u>      | <u>Born October 9<sup>th</sup></u> | <u>1874</u> |
| (5) <u>Emma Estelita Condit</u>      | <u>Born February 15</u>            | <u>1885</u> |
| (6) <u>Charles William Boutright</u> | <u>Born November 15</u>            | <u>1881</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>James Richard Boutright</u> | <u>Sally Clark</u>  |
| <u>Rebecca Boutright</u>       | <u>George Clark</u> |

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:

- English name: Josephine Collett  
Indian name: unknown  
Residence: 212 - South 11<sup>th</sup> Street St. Joseph Indian
- English name: Leucinda Smith  
Indian name: unknown  
Residence: Superior County Delaware
- English name: Francis Gapp  
Indian name: unknown  
Residence: Idaho
- English name: William Jasper Boutright  
Indian name: unknown  
Residence: Idaho
- English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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**REMARKS.**

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

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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.) *Lucinda Bell Carter*

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

My commission expires December 29<sup>th</sup>, 1906 *In Im Inman* 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 Henry Doakham* and *Dr W. W. Carter*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Lucinda Bell Carter*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 32 years and 9 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*William Henry Doakham*  
*W. W. Carter*

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

My commission expires December 29<sup>th</sup>, 1906 *In Im Inman* 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. 7105

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Mattie L. Chaney* and *—* children. Residence: *Lipan, Texas.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #923, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 7105

Name Mattie L. Charney

With No. 923

Remarks:

mem of 923

No. 7105

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mattie Lane Cheney*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7105



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: Mattie Lu Aunts, Chaney.  
Indian name: none
2. Residence: Texas Hood County near
3. Town and post office: Texas Lipan,
4. County: Hood
5. State: Texas
6. Date and place of birth: April 22 = 1874. Lampasas 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 father.  
John A. Aunts.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: John A. Andrew  
Chaney
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: John Aunts  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Selah Dasher, Aunts  
Indian name: none  
Maiden name: Selah Dasher
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Bankston Choctaw County Mississippi  
Mother: Missouri
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Mississippi  
Mother: Missouri
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Living Mother: Feb = 1878.

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	STATUS
(1)	Sarah P. Avant	Nov-14. 1869	Living
(2)	Samuel J. Avant	Jan 17. 1872	"
(3)	Willie R. Avant	Oct 24. 1877	"
(4)	Sterling Avant	June 30. 1882	"
(5)	Jimmie Avant	July 3. 1886	"
(6)	Estelle Avant	Aug 4. 1887	"
(7)	Garvey T. Avant	Oct 5. 1894	"

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Thomas Avant	Samuel Doshier
Francis Avant	Sarah Doshier

17. Where were they born? Father's side, East Tennessee & Alabama.  
Mother's side unknown.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father's side, Mississippi  
Mother's side unknown

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

(1)	English name: James Avant	Living
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(2)	English name: Virginia Avant	"
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(3)	English name: Thomas J. Avant	"
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(4)	English name: Call M. Avant	"
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(5)	English name: Pollie A. Avant	"
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(6)	English name: John S. Avant	Marcel, Texas

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:

Peter Awantah great grand father  
Thomas Awantah grand father  
Isaac H Sharp great great grand father

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.) *Mattie Lue Chumey*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of December, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*M. Gardner*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *W. R. Martin* and *J. F. Hestand*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mattie Lue Chumey*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 3 years and 12 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. R. Martin*  
*J. F. Hestand*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of December, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*M. Gardner*  
*W. C. Spear*  
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. 7106

Action: Repeat

Name James W. Clark and X children. Residence: Danville Ind.

Reasons:

obtains through the same source as 705-3-

No. 7106

Name James W. Clark

With No. 7053

Remarks: also. -

7107, 7397, 7265,

7175, 7266, 7269,

No. 7106

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*James W. Clark*

*Danville Indiana*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 23, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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 W. Clark.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Danville, Indiana.
3. Town and post office: Danville
4. County: Wendricks
5. State: Indiana.
6. Date and place of birth: Danville August First - 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: Because I am one eighth Indian blood. My father William Baugh of Indiana and Mary E. Clark of Indiana.
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Anna Belle Hoays born Eleventh of June 1860
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Rolland W. Clark.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Mary E. Clark.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Mary E. Baugh.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: New Kentucky  
Mother: New Kentucky
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Wendricks County Indiana.  
Mother: Wendricks County Indiana.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Still living Mother: Died March Sixth 1904.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were never enrolled.*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Thomas A Clark</i>	<i>February sixth</i>	<i>1856</i>
(2)	<i>Susan M Manning nee Clark</i>	<i>January</i>	
(3)	<i>John T. H.</i>	<i>1860</i>	
(4)	<i>Eda S Wilson nee Clark</i>	<i>May Twenty</i>	
(5)	<i>second</i>	<i>1864</i>	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>James Clark</i>	<i>William Banghs</i>
<i>Mildred Clark</i>	<i>Susan Banghs</i>

17. Where were they born? *In Kentucky*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In Hendricks County Indiana.*

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

(1)	English name: <i>Mary E Clark</i>	died <i>March sixth 1904</i>
	Indian name:	
	Residence: <i>Danville Indiana</i>	
(2)	English name: <i>James H Banghs</i>	
	Indian name:	
	Residence: <i>Iowa</i>	
(3)	English name: <i>U. B. Banghs</i>	
	Indian name:	
	Residence: <i>Leoti Kansas</i>	
(4)	English name: <i>C. W. Banghs</i>	
	Indian name:	
	Residence: <i>Los Angeles California</i>	
(5)	English name: <i>J. W. Banghs</i>	
	Indian name:	
	Residence: <i>Secora Illinois</i>	

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*  
*Baugh of Kentucky, William*  
*Baugh of Indiana and Mary*  
*E. Clark of Indiana, a great grand nephew*  
*of Rhoda Blackburn (nee Bang) a great grand nephew of Polly Carter*  
*who is on Roll of 1835-*

REMARKS.

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

*Case was made before the Dawes Commission and*  
*appealed to the U.S. Court. Master's report on record*  
*with the case at Muskogee, I.T. showing applicant*  
*to have Cherokee Indian blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *James W. Clark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13th* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*April 4th*, 19*10* *A. J. Symons*  
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 *Wm. T. Pierson* and  
*E. P. Thompson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *James W. Clark* who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* 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.

*Wm. T. Pierson*  
*E. P. Thompson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13th* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*April 4th*, 19*10* *A. J. Symons*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7107

Action: Reject

Name: Thos. A. Clark and X children. Residence: Danville, Ind.

Reasons:

believe through the same source as 705-3

No. 7107

Name. Thos a Clark

With No. 9106

Remarks:

No. 7107

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Thos. A. Clark*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7107

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. Clark.

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Danville Indiana.

3. Town and post office:

Danville.

4. County:

Hendricks.

5. State:

Indiana.

6. Date and place of birth:

February sixth 1856

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Because I am  
one sixteenth Indian blood,  
William Bugh and Mary E.  
Clark both of Indiana.

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Alice E. Debon

born July Twentyfifth 1869

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

Father—English name:

Roland A. Clark.

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary E. Clark.

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mary E. Bugh

11. Where were they born?

Father:

In Mercer County Kentucky.

Mother:

In Kentucky.

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

Father:

In Hendricks County Indiana

Mother:

In Hendricks County Indiana.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Still living

Mother:

Died March sixth 1904

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: They were never enrolled.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James H. Clark	August-First-	1854
(2)	Susan M. Manning nee Clark	January sixth	
(3)		Sixteenth	1860
(4)	Ida S. Wilson nee Clark	May Twentysecond	1864
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Clark	William Baugh
Mildred Clark	Susan Baugh

17. Where were they born? Susan Baugh was born in Kentucky do not know where others were

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Hendricks County Indiana.

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

(1)	English name: <u>James F. Baugh.</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Lucas Iowa.</u>
(2)	English name: <u>A. B. Baugh</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Scotti Kansas</u>
(3)	English name: <u>C. M. Baugh</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Los Angeles California.</u>
(4)	English name: <u>D. W. Baugh.</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Peoria Illinois</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. 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 Baugh of Kentucky, William Baugh of Indiana and Mary E. Clark of Indiana.*

**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.) *Thomas A. Clark.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 4th*, 1900 *A. L. Symons*  
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 *Greg Shoffner* and *Mary E. Sharp*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Thomas A. Clark*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* 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.

*Greg Shoffner*  
*Mary E. Sharp*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *sixth* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 4th*, 1900 *A. L. Symons*  
Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 15 1908  
No. 7107

*circ. let.*

JAN 17 1908



Danville Ind.

January 13<sup>th</sup> 1908.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Dear Sir,

Almost one year ago I received a card from you stating the number of my Claim, which is 1107.

And have not heard any thing since.

Is there any time set for settlement. If there is please send me word.

Yours truly

Thos A Clark.

Danville Ind.

R. F. D. no 4.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 5 1908  
No. 7107

*evic. let.*

AUG. 5 1908

Danville Ind.

August 3<sup>rd</sup> 1908.

Mr Miller.

Dear Sir.

What has become of  
the Eastern Cherokee claims  
has there been any time  
set for distribution of them.

Mr W Edmiston, of Miami  
Okla, advised me to write  
to you for information.

My claim is 7107.

Will you please let me know  
yours truly,

Thos A Clark,  
Danville  
Ind

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No. *7108*

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Kate Cleenger* and *X* children.

Residence: *Excelsior Springs, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of 7055.*

No. 7108  
Name Kate Cleverger  
With No. 7088

Remarks:

*Mrs Kate Cleverger*  
*Cousin*

No. 7108

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mrs. Kate Cleverger*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-224

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

8012

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: *Kate Blewinger nee Reynolds*

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

2. Residence: *Excelsior Springs*

3. Town and post office: " "

4. County: *Clay*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *7<sup>th</sup> April 1889 Ray County 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: *By Indian blood of Cherokee Indians filed to James Morgan Great Grandfather of Salisbury North Carolina who has been proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood, by John Ross and Doug Weber Cherokee Indians*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Arch Blewinger age 32*

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

Father—English name: *John Reynolds*

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

Mother—English name: *Mary A Reynolds nee Morgan*

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

Maiden name: *Mary A Morgan*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Kentucky*

Mother: *Ray County Missouri*

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

Father: *Buchanan County Missouri*

Mother: *Ray County Missouri*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Amanda Dagley	86	Living
(2)	Thomas Wesley Reynolds	84	"
(3)	James Robert Reynolds	82	"
(4)	George R. Reynolds	24	"
(5)	Ina L. Reynolds	14	"
(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
George Reynolds	Nathan R. Morgan
Elizabeth Reynolds	Anna Morgan

17. Where were they born? Virginia North Carolina  
Kentucky Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ray County  
Missouri on Mother's side, on father's side both Dead

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: 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: *Grandfather on fathers side George Reynold Grandmother Elizabeth Reynolds nee Click, Grandfather on Mothers side Nathan R Morgan Grandmother Mothers side Anna Morgan nee Mangum*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Case made before the Dawes Commission and appealed to the U.S. Circuit Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee & showing applicants to have Cherokee Indian blood.*

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

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

(Signature.) *Kate Clevinger*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo D. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Clay County Missouri*

**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 Callerman* and *John L. Isley*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Kate Clevinger*, 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 *who* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John Callerman*  
*John L. Isley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*A. D. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Clay County Missouri*

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. 7109

Action: Repeat -

Name: Jesse J. Levenson and X children. Residence: Vibbard, Okla.  
Mo.

Reasons:

Origin through the same source as 705-3.

No. 7109

Name Jesse J. Clemens

With No. 7053

Remarks: also

7161, 7163, 7237

No. 7109

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*James J. Clevenger*

*Hibbard Missouri*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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:

*Josef Clewenger*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Ray County Missouri*

3. Town and post office:

*Vibbard*

4. County:

*Ray*

5. State:

*Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Ray County " 23<sup>d</sup> September 1883*

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 Cherokee Indian Blood  
a Great Great Grand son of James and  
Rhoda Blackburn of Virginia  
and a Great Grand nephew of Polly Carter  
nee Blackburn, of Virginia*

8. Are you married?

*no*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

Father—English name:

*James Clewenger*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Mary E "*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Mary E Goldsbury*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Ray County Missouri*

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:

*dead*

*1887*

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)			
(2)	<u>Mattie F. Lamb,</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>Benjamin Clevenger</u>		<u>Wm R Goldsberry</u>	
<u>Margaret</u>		<u>Mary A Goldsberry</u>	<u>Blackburn</u>
<u>North Carolina</u>		<u>Wm R Goldsberry</u>	<u>Kentucky</u>
		<u>Mary A.</u>	<u>Missouri</u>

17. Where were they born?

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

Ray County Missouri

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

(1) English name:	<u>James R Goldsberry</u>
Indian name:	<u>Charles H</u>
Residence:	<u>John R</u>
(2) English name:	<u>Wm W</u>
Indian name:	<u>Mary A</u>
Residence:	<u>Jesse T. Goldsberry</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. 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: .....

*Polly Carter a Great Grand aunt  
on Roll of 1835*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Case was made before Dawes Commission  
and appealed to the U.S. Court Masters report  
on record with the Case showing applicant  
having Cherokee 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.) *Jesse J. Levenson*

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

My commission expires  
*October 22nd 1910*

*Frank T. Crowley*  
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 *Jesse J. Goldsberry* and  
*James A. Lamb*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Jesse J. Levenson*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *23* years and *8* years,  
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Jesse J. Goldsberry*  
*James A. Lamb*

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

My commission expires  
*October 22nd 1910*

*Frank T. Crowley*  
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.

App. #7109.

August 14, 1907.

Jesus J. Clevenger,

R.F.D. No. 3,

Lawson, Missouri.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of August 8, 1907, you are advised that the applications for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees have not been taken up for final consideration, as the Court in its order of April 29, 1907 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, or to state how much each successful claimant will receive.

As there are already over 23,000 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,

ELC.

Special Commissioner.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 12 1907

No. 7109.

# SKEEN & McCLINTOCK

REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, LOANS,  
RENTALS AND COLLECTIONS.....

OFFICE FIRST DOOR SOUTH POSTOFFICE  
THOMPSON AVENUE

TELEPHONE 411

Excelsior Springs, Mo., 8/8 1907  
Lawson, R. - 3 -

Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir, Last January I had a card from you stating that you had received my application as claim in the fund allowed by the Court for Eastern Cherokees.

Since I haven't heard a word from this matter, I also hear that others are getting their claims. I would be glad if you would reply to this - let me please the situation of affairs -

is there any thing coming to me or not - if so how will I get about it - to get weight - in Justice of my part - I will be glad to know & pay you well for any valuable information you have an attorney but haven't heard from him lately I don't know what is the cause of delay.

W. O. SKEEN

J. P. McCLINTOCK

# SKEEN & McCLINTOCK

REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, LOANS,  
RENTALS AND COLLECTIONS.....

TELEPHONE 411

OFFICE FIRST DOOR SOUTH POSTOFFICE  
THOMPSON AVENUE

Excelsior Springs, Mo.,

190

Man - Chester A. Howe, of Washington, D.C.  
is my attorney,

Please give me your views  
I will be obliged. and  
advise me what steps to take.

Yours, Very Truly,  
Greer J. Cluening  
% W.P. Salmon,

P.S. My application no is 7109-

No. 7110  
Name: John Coker and X children. Residence: Springfield Missouri Action: Reject.

Reasons: Applicant claims through Parents who moved to Ark. before 1835. Old Settlers.

Misc Sect. P. 2118.

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No. 7110

Name John Coker

Wife No.

Remarks:

Field  
Springfield  
Mo.

Parents & self -  
When living &  
when enrolled ?

2/19/08 "Medical"

Examined at

Springfield Mo.

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No. 7110

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John Coker*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE  
ATTORNEY  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
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: \_\_\_\_\_

John Coker

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

2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Town and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

Springfield  
Green

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

Missouri

5. State: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Date and place of birth: Marion Co Ark. Feb 24, 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: Father and Mother

8. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

Yes

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

Jane Coker - Age 67

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

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Dennis Coker

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

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Lucy Coker -

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

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

Lucy Ratcliff, Ratcliff

11. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Alabama

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

Alabama

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

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Arkansas - Marion Co. Arkansas

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

April 1881?

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

1878 about

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *at Teleguah - Indian Territory - when? not known*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>George Washington Coker</i>	<i>Arkansas</i>	<i>Arkansas</i>
(2)	<i>Henry Coker</i>	<i>Arkansas</i>	<i>Missouri</i>
(3)	<i>Ambrose Coker</i>	<i>Arkansas</i>	<i>Missouri</i>
(4)	<i>Mary Coker</i>	<i>Arkansas</i>	<i>Missouri</i>
(5)	<i>Nigdra Coker</i>	<i>Arkansas</i>	<i>?</i>
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Joseph Coker</i>	<i>?</i>
<i>Lynna Rogers</i>	<i>?</i>

17. Where were they born? *?*

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

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

- (1) English name: *John Coker - (Dead)*  
 Indian name: *"*  
 Residence: *Indian Territory - Loudrigs Bluff*
- (2) English name: *George M. Coker (Dead)*  
 Indian name: *"*  
 Residence: *Marion County Arkansas*
- (3) English name: *Randolph Coker (Dead)*  
 Indian name: *"*  
 Residence: *Indian Territory*
- (4) English name: *Jane Coker (Dead)*  
 Indian name: *"*  
 Residence: *Marion County Arkansas*
- (5) English name: *Mary Ann Coker (Dead)*  
 Indian name: *Rebecca Coker (Dead)*  
 Residence: *Marshfield Missouri*

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



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

*I can not answer*  
.....  
.....

**REMARKS:**

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

*I understood my father Winke Coker was a member of the Indian Council at Seleguak - at one time since the Civil War.*

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 Coker*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *Oct 26<sup>th</sup>*, 190*0*. *John M. White*  
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 Coker* and *W. C. Lester*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John Coker*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* years and *3* years, respectively, and know *he* to be the identical person *who* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

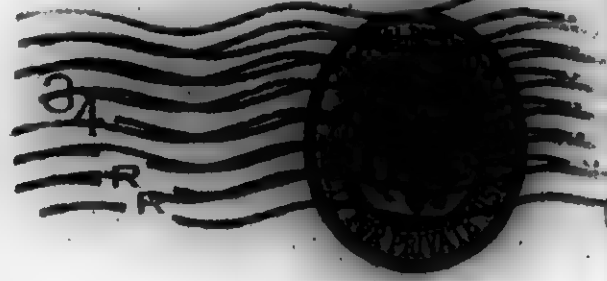
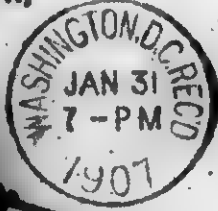
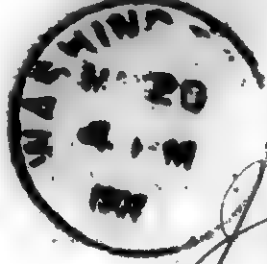
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*W. C. Lester*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

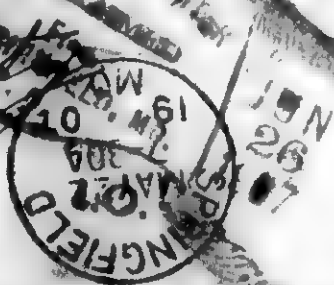
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Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.



*John Baker*  
*to Chester Harold Getty,*  
*Springfield,*  
*Mo.*



MAY 28 1907

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C., 1-31, 1907

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs begs to acknowledge receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. It has been filed as Application No. 7110 and will be considered in its order. If any further information is required you will be notified.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above and be addressed to "The Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C."

App. #7110.

January 7, 1908.

John Coker,  
Springfield, Mo.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7110 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you claim through your father and mother, you state that Demps Coker was your father and that Joseph Coker was your grandfather. You also state that your father was a member of the Indian council at Tahlequah at one time since the Civil War. Under what name was your father enrolled at Tahlequah in 1851? Where was he residing in 1851? What Indian name did he bear? Why were you not enrolled on this Cherokee enrollment of 1851, as you state that you were born in 1841? Please furnish us with all the information you can relative to your Indian ancestors. Was your father a full-blood Indian?

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner

LBD/ALL

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 10 1909  
No. 7110

Springfield Mo. D. 4-59  
Mr. Guian Miller

Dear Sir  
I am one of the western  
checkers that is making  
application for my head  
right in that situation  
and I made application  
for my children as well  
and I wanted to know  
if their names have  
ever been placed in  
the roll this year  
and if not, will you  
please see that they  
be put in. My father was  
Henry Coker and my mother  
was Elizabeth Coker  
at once and oblige John Coker  
740 Grand ave.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1908

No. 7110

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JUL 29 1908

Springfield Mo. July 26-51  
Mr. Quinn Nicolson  
60 Curran Building  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir  
I returned the papers that you  
sent me and as I have not  
heard from you since I sent them  
I thought I would write you  
in case to see if I made satisfactory  
proof I would like to know if I  
will get a stand if so when and  
in what condition? please ans. at  
once and oblige your brother  
E. H. Grand Ave.



App. No. 7110.

March 14, 1908.

John Coker,  
840 Grand Avenue,  
Springfield, Missouri.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of March 11, 1908, you are advised that you have not included your minor children in your original application.

A supplemental application blank is inclosed, herewith, and if you have any minor children you should fill out the application and return to this office at once.

It is now too late for adults to file applications.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 14 1908  
No. 7110

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Springfield Mo. March 11-1908

Mr. Guian Miller

Dear sir:

I have been informed by my  
attorney Mr. M. Edmiston to  
write to you and you could  
give me some information  
concerning my claim in  
the Cherokee nation and when  
the next payment is to be  
made and if my claim is on  
file and my four children are  
included Sarah, Alice, Emma  
and Adile Coker are my childrens  
names I would be very thankful  
if you would let me know and  
how to proceed with my case  
and oblige John Coker  
840 Grand Ave

No. 7110.

John Coker, being first duly sworn and examined,  
deposes and says:

My name is John Coker; I was born in Marian Co., Ark., 1841; I claim my Indian through both my father and mother; my father was born in Ala., 1812; I do not know what part; my mother was born in Ala., 1812; I do not know the county; I have a sister, Mary Coker, who is seven years older than I am; she was born in 1834 in Marian Co., Ark.; my father and mother came to Arkansas from Alabama several years before the birth of my sister; my father got his Indian blood from his mother, Cynthia Rogers; Cynthia Rogers was born in Ala.; I do not know the county nor the date of her birth; she died in 1880; I do not know from which parent my mother got her Indian blood; I am unable to trace my ancestry on my mother's side farther back than my mother; my grandmother, Cynthia Rogers, came with my parents to Arkansas; I think my father was living in Ark. when he was enrolled in 1851; Lewis Coker was my half brother; he was also enrolled on the Old Settler Roll; John Coker was my uncle and he had a son, whose name was Calvin Coker; they were also enrolled; none of my ancestors through whom I claim were ever held in bondage that I know of; I am regarded as part Indian in this community; I am about a half Cherokee.

John Coker.

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me, at Springfield,  
Mo., this 21st day of August, 1908.

F. A. B.

Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

*John Coker*  
*John Coker*  
*John Coker*

*Supplemental*

No. *7110*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John Baker*

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

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. MAR 30 1908 No.
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# Supplemental

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay 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.

#7110.

1. State full name—  
English name: John Coker  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: 840 Grand Avenue
3. County: Springfield Greene
4. State: Missouri
5. How old are you? 67 years Born Mar 24<sup>th</sup> 1841
6. Where were you born? Macon Co Arkansas
7. Are you married? 2 times
8. Name and age of wife or husband: About 73 years 3 age
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Sarah V Coker,</u>	<u>38 years</u>	<u>Nov 7<sup>th</sup> 1870</u>
(2)	<u>Alice Coker</u>	<u>30 years</u>	<u>July 6<sup>th</sup> 1878</u>
(3)	<u>Emmus Coker</u>	<u>25 years</u>	<u>Aug 9<sup>th</sup> 1883</u>
(4)	<u>No minor children</u>		
(5)	_____		
(6)	_____		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Wenipo Coker  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Lucy Baker  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Lucy Ralcliff

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Alabama  
Mother: Alabama

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

Father: Lived in Marion Co. Ark.

Mother: " " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't know the exact date, been 23 or 24 years

Mother: My mother has been dead about 23 years

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

and with what tribe of Indians: With the Cherokees - yes

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Geo W Carter</u>	<u>Don't remember date</u>	<u>-</u>
(2)	<u>Alexander Carter</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>Been dead about 34 years</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Carter</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>" " 10 years</u>
(4)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
(5)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
(6)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>

17. 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>Geo Carter</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
<u>Lucy Ratcliff</u>	<u>" "</u>
<u>Lyntha Rogers</u>	<u>" "</u>

18. Where were they born? Ala -

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? They were dead on my mother's side - Geo Carter was then living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Geo Carter Jr. Dead</u>	<u>Don't know any thing</u>
(2)	<u>Daniel Carter " "</u>	<u>of the residence</u>
(3)	<u>Conn Carter " "</u>	<u>on mother's side</u>
(4)	<u>Mary Carter " "</u>	<u>_____</u>
(5)	<u>Becky Carter " "</u>	<u>_____</u>
(6)	<u>Mary J Carter " "</u>	<u>_____</u>

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: I have understood

that aunt Ann Baker enrolled me

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Joe Baker - English name

Leyntha Rogers - I being raised by aunt I  
don't know the Indian name

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature)

John C. White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1908

John M. White  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 26<sup>th</sup> 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

Eley Sanford

and

James Brown

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John Baker

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.

Eley Sanford

James Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1908

My commission expires

Oct 26<sup>th</sup> 1910

John M. White  
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.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 30 1908  
No. 7110.

State of Missouri }  
County of Greene } ss:

On this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of November 1908.  
Personally come before the undersigned  
Notary Public within and for the above said  
County and State, John Coker - aged 67  
years, who being duly sworn according  
to law states that his father Deupps Coker  
was a half breed Indian, that he lived in  
Marion Co. Arkansas in 1851. After the Civil  
war moved to the Indian Territory - lived  
there up to the time of his death - would state  
further he was born in Arkansas March 24  
A. 1841. That he was not enrolled - because  
he was reared by and Aunt, Ann Patchett  
now dead. - That his father was enrolled  
as Deupps Coker, and John Coker and  
Randolph Coker who were his brothers  
were enrolled also, and 3 sisters Mary (Coker)  
Srinble - Becky (Coker) Daniels and Jane  
(Coker) Hagan sisters - I understand they  
were enrolled at Silegnach, D. T. The above  
statement is true to his best knowledge  
and belief -

John Coker

Sworn and subscribed to before me this  
the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1908. My Com-  
mission as Notary Public Expires  
Oct 26<sup>th</sup> 1910  
John M. White

No. 7111.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Sallie W. Crumley and X children. Residence: R.F.D. #2, Knoxville, Tenn.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Domain in 1838-9 and 1840 as recognized members of the tribe. Does not appear that they ever lived with the Cherokees as recognized members of the tribe.

H.B.

No. 7111 Okla ~~Field~~

Name Follie E. Cunnley

With No. Vinita

Remarks: Grouped her. -

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Wichita, Kan.

See records in  
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No. 7111

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sallie J. Crumley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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. DEC 26 1906

No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

1112

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: Not enrolled

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	J.C. Hammonds	1849	
(2)	J.A. Hammonds	1850	
(3)	Infant not named	1852	1852
(4)	Hanna Hammonds Bramard	1854	
(5)	William Hammonds		
(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
Maria Hammonds	Abraham Woodard
Marcus Hammonds	Elizabeth Elmer Woodard

17. Where were they born? Don't know

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. never

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

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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.) *Sallie E Crumley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *Oct 9<sup>th</sup>*, 1907 *Jno. M. Chamberlough* 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 *C. E. Lottrop* and *H. Bloom*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Sallie E. Crumley*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, 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 the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*C. E. Lottrop*  
*H. Bloom*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *Oct 9<sup>th</sup>*, 1906 *Jno. M. Chamberlough* Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
OCT 21 1934  
No. 7111

Knoxville Tenn

Oct 19-1968

Mr Union Miller

Sir will you please inform  
me whether my claim # 7111 has  
been allowed & when the probable  
time of settlement will be  
made any further information  
will be gladly received

Yours very Respectfully

Mrs Sallie Colarumley

Park City

Knoxville

Tenn

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 9-23-08

Application No. 8228-7111

John C Hammond  
Belch, 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 W. K. Kestron one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Yinita, Okla. on Thursday - Oct. 15, 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 at the Court House.

■ 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.

Group #7111,  
App. #8225.

January 7, 1908.

Hannah J. H. Brainard,  
Welch, Okla.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #8225 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you claim through your mother, Eliza Hammond, nee Woodward, whose mother was Elizabeth Woodward, and whose maiden name was Elizabeth Elmore, a daughter of Thomas Elmore. Who was the said Thomas Elmore? That is, was he a full-blood Cherokee Indian, or what blood relationship did he bear to a full-blood Cherokee Indian? Give names of his parents? Where did he reside in 1835? If living at that time, why was he not enrolled? Why was your grandmother, Elizabeth Woodward, not enrolled in 1835, if she was alive at that time, or in 1851, if she was living at that time? Why was your mother, Elizabeth Woodward, not enrolled in 1851? Please give the history of your family, starting from your full-blood Indian ancestor and tracing down to yourself, stating why none of your Indian relatives were enrolled as Eastern Cherokee Indians.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

LBD/AIL

Special Commissioner.

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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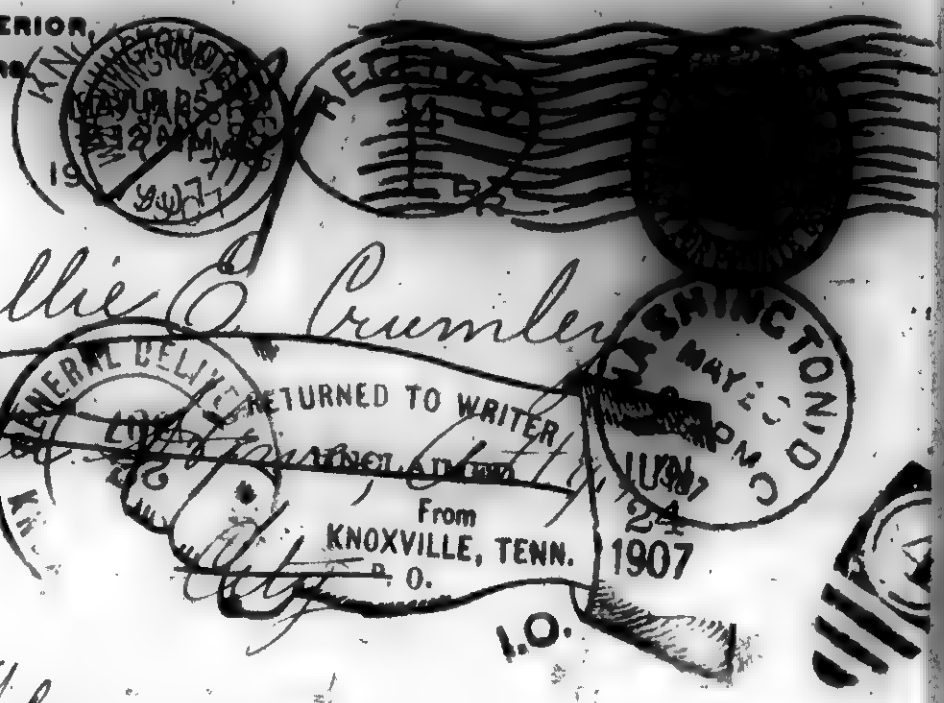
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS



Sallie C. Crumler

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C., ..... 1-21....., 1907

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs begs to acknowledge receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. It has been filed as Application No. 777 and will be considered in its order. If any further information is required you will be notified.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above and be addressed to "The Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C."



*L.B.D.*

Group #7111,  
APP. #8225.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,**

**EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

WASHINGTON, D. C. January 7, 1908.

Hannah J. H. Brainard,  
Welch, Okla.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #8225 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you claim through your mother, Eliza Hammond, nee Woodward, whose mother was Elizabeth Woodward, and whose maiden name was Elizabeth Elmore, a daughter of Thomas Elmore. Who was the said Thomas Elmore? That is, was he a full-blood Cherokee Indian, or what blood relationship did he bear to a full-blood Cherokee Indian? Give names of his parents? Where did he reside in 1835? If living at that time, why was he not enrolled? Why was your grandmother, Elizabeth Woodward, not enrolled in 1835, if she was alive at that time, or in 1851, if she was living at that time? Why was your mother, Elizabeth Woodward, not enrolled in 1851? Please give the history of your family, starting from your full-blood Indian ancestor and tracing down to yourself, stating why none of your Indian relatives were enrolled as Eastern Cherokee Indians.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

*John Miller*

Special Commissioner.

LBD/AIL



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES

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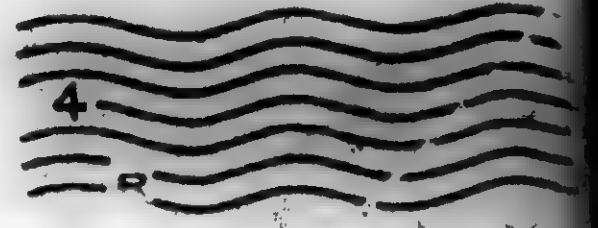
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No. 7112

Action: *Reject*

Name *Billie B. Cox* and *1* children. Residence: *Campbell, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 7064 and claims through the same source.*

No. 7112

Name Lillie B Cox

With No. 7064

Remarks:

*Suppl.*  
*1st Cousin.*

No. 7112

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lillie B. Cox*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,**  
**ATTORNEY,**  
**WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.**  
**WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*7112*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: Lillie B. Cox

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

2. Residence: Illinois Station, I.T.

3. Town and post office: (Illinois Station) Campbell, I.T.

4. County: Northern District

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Harris County Texas - Born 1876

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: Cerene Sevier a Cherokee

Eliabith J. Jackson (Mr. Caldwell) her daughter  
Cerene J. Terry (Mr. Jackson) my Mother

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: About 35 years

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

Father—English name: Thomas B. Terry

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

Mother—English name: Cerene J. Terry

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

Maiden name: Cerene J. Jackson

11. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Hemstead County Arkansas

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

Father: Sevier County Arkansas

Mother: Sevier County Arkansas

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1904

Mother: Still 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)	<i>James W. Terry</i>	<i>1856</i>	
(2)	<i>John C. Terry</i>	<i>1860</i>	<i>1898</i>
(3)	<i>Gasper D. Terry</i>	<i>1878</i>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>John C. Jackson</i>	<i>Elizabeth D. Jackson</i>
<i>James Terry</i>	<i>John C. Jackson</i>
<i>Not known</i>	

17. Where were they born? *John C. Jackson Born in Missouri*  
*Elizabeth D. Jackson in Old Cherokee Nation*

18. Where did they reside in 1851; if living at that time? *Hemstead County Arkansas*

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

- (1) English name: *James E. Jackson*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Ladonia Texas*
- (2) English name: *Cerene J. Terry my Mother*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Hagoner Indian Territory*
- (3) English name: *Andrew C. Jackson*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Hugo Indian Territory*
- (4) English name: *Eliza M. Black*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: *Hugo Indian Territory*
- (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:

Maternal  
Cyrus Caldwell (ne Sevier) a Cherokee  
Elizabeth D. Jackson (ne Caldwell) her daughter  
Cyrus J. Ferry (ne Jackson) my Mother

REMARKS.

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

John C. Ferry Oregon has three children  
John D. Ferry Ft. Gibson Indian Territory age 19  
Greene May Ferry Fort Gibson Indian Territory age 11  
Walter Thomas Ferry Fort Gibson Indian Territory age 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.

(Signature.) Lillie B. Cox

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

My commission expires

Jan. 12, 1908

Fred B. Eichling  
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 Lillie B. Cox, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 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. To Cherokee rights

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. W. Barber  
W. M. Edwards

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

My commission expires

Jan. 12, 1908

Fred B. Eichling  
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.

respectively, and know Lee 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. Seebur  
Mrs. Farnham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of July, 1907.  
J. A. D. Stoen  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 1, 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. 7112

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION**

OF

Lillie B. Cox

**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. 7112

1. State your full name: Lillie B Cox nee Terry
2. Residence and post office: Campbell, Ind. Terr.
3. County: Northern District
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Padonia, Tex., 1877
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: John D Cox, age 38
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee myself - Husband not an Indian
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Minnie B Cox</u>	<u>10 yrs.</u>	<u>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. (See former application #7112)

### 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) Lillie B Cox

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of July, 1907.

J. A. Peterson  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 1910.

\_\_\_\_\_ 190 .

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me J. W. Parker and G. B. Fareman who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lullie B. Cox who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 6 years and 7 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. W. Parker  
G. B. Fareman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of July, 1907.  
J. A. Watson  
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. 7112

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Lullie B. Cox

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 11 1908

No. 7112

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MAY 11 1908

Campbell at Okla. Kansas

Nov. 9, 1908

Special Commissioner

Dear Sir in  
regard to the extreme character  
Examination had our case file  
tried no. 7112. as I noticed an  
advertisement in the paper  
that the rule was to be  
repealed and the hundred  
character incident was to be  
paid on the rule I wanted  
to know who they were helping  
in my favor I will sure from  
you soon

Wm. Lillie Cox

Campbell

at Okla. Kansas.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Dupl sent July 26/07

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OFFICE  
OF

**FRED B. EICHLING,**

: : Lawyer : :

**FIRE INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE AND COLLECTIONS**

: : OFFICE OF CAMPBELL REGISTER : :

CAMPBELL, I. T.

*July 22, 1907,*

*Please send me one Sup.  
E. Cherokee Blank,*

*Mrs. John Cox.*

*7/12*

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No. 7113

Action: Rejected

Name Frances E. Craven and X children.

Residence: Keaneey, Mo:

Reasons:

Amount of 7088.

R. F. D. #

No. 9113

Name Francis E. Crown

With No. 7088

Remarks:

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*Aunt*

No. 7113

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*Mrs Frances E. Craven  
Kearney Mo. R 2*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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:

Frances E Craven

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Clay County Missouri

3. Town and post office:

Kearney R.F.D no 2

4. County:

Clay

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

April 14<sup>th</sup> 1863, Ray County 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:

By Indian blood of Cherokee Indians, filed to James Morgan Grandfather, of Saulsbury North Carolina who has been proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood, by John Ross and Dray Weber Cherokee Indians

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Franklin K Craven age 47

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

Father—English name:

Nathan R Morgan

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Anna Morgan

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Anna Massengale

11. Where were they born?

Father:

North Carolina

Mother:

Tennessee

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

Father:

Ray County Missouri

Mother:

" " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1886

Mother:

1888

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)	Thomas W Morgan age 55		Living
(2)	Benjamin F Morgan " 53		"
(3)	James Robert Morgan " 44		"
(4)	Jane Dickey " 61		"
(5)	Mary A Reynolds 58		"
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James Morgan	Blakely Messingale
Martha Morgan (nee Parks) nee Wilhoit	Polly Messingale

17. Where were they born? *Grandfather & Mother on fathers side, Virginia*  
*Grand parents on Mothers side, Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Grandmother on Mothers*  
*side, Ray County, Missouri Other dead*

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: *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: Father  
Nathan R Morgan Mother, Annie (Massingale)  
Morgan Grandfather James Morgan  
Grandmother Martha (Parks) Morgan

REMARKS.

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

Case made before the Dawes Commission and  
appealed to U.S. Court Masters report on  
record with the case at Muskogee, showing  
to have Cherokee Indian blood

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

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

(Signature.) Frances E. Brown

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

My commission expires

January 6th, 1907

Alonzo H. Shelton  
Notary Public.  
In and for Cole County Missouri

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me John L. Daley and  
Cyrus Berger, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Frances E. Brown, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 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.

John L. Daley  
Cyrus Berger

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

My commission expires

January 6th, 1907

Alonzo H. Shelton  
Notary Public.  
In and for Cole County Missouri

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No. 7114

Action: Rejected

Name Emma Crabtree and X children. Residence: Greenville Springs, Mo.

Reasons:

Cousin of 7091.

No. 7114

Name *Emmabrother*

With No. 7091

Remarks: also  
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*main*

No. 7114

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Emma Crabtree*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 23, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*7114*

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 Crabtree Mc Carroll.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Excelsior Springs, Missouri.
3. Town and post office: " " F. R. D. 1.
4. County: County of Clay.
5. State: Missouri.
6. Date and place of birth: December 7<sup>th</sup> 1860 Clay Co. 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: By Indian Blood. Cherokee. James Carroll my grand Father of Tennessee of Knoxville.
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Leonard Crabtree age 38
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Francis M. Carroll.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Providence Carroll.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Providence Wade.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Clay County Missouri  
Mother: " " " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Clay County Missouri  
Mother: " " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Living Mother: December 26 1900

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)			
(2)	<i>Mary E. Carroll</i>	<i>1859</i>	<i>Living</i>
(3)	<i>James M. Carroll</i>	<i>1861</i>	<i>1888 dead</i>
(4)	<i>George S. Carroll</i>	<i>1866</i>	<i>1891</i>
(5)	<i>Fannil L. Carroll</i>	<i>1871</i>	<i>1894</i>
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>James Carroll</i>	<i>John Wade</i>
<i>Polly Carroll</i>	<i>Mary Wade</i>

17. Where were they born? *Tennessee of Knoxville*

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

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

(1) English name: *Elizabeth Carroll, DeWitt County Missouri*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: *Abner Carroll, Kansas City Missouri*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: *James Jefferson Carroll, Denison Texas*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: *Claver H. Carroll, Mound City Kansas*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: *Stirling Carroll* *Dead*  
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: .....

*James Carrall. My Grand Father of East Tennessee was Cherokee Indian as is shown by The affidavit of John Ross and John R. Ford*

REMARKS.

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

*Care was made before the Dawes Commission report on record in Washington D.C. showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *Emma Coabtree*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Clay County Missouri*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Charles McKinney* and *William L. Roberts*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Emma Coabtree*, 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.

*Charles McKinney*

*William L. Roberts*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Clay County Missouri*

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No. 7115

Action: Rejected

Name Frances M. Carroll and X

children.

Residence: Geokior Springs, Mo.

Reasons:

Uncle of 57091

No. 7115

Name Francis M. Carroll

With No. ~~7114~~

Remarks:

with #7091 in  
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No. 7115

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Francis M. Carroll*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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. Carroll

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Excelsior Springs Missouri

3. Town and post office:

F. R. D. L.

4. County:

County of Clay

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

July 23 1838 Clay Co. Mo

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 Indian Blood Cherokee  
James Carroll my Father  
of Tennessee of Knoxville,

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Prudence Carroll (dead)

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

Father—English name:

James Carroll

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Polly Carroll

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Polly Bond

11. Where were they born?

Father:

East Tennessee

Mother:

" "

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

Father:

Clay County Missouri

Mother:

" "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> 1860

Mother:

Apr 10<sup>th</sup> 1917



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)	William Carroll	1828	1857
(2)	Elizabeth "	1826	living
(3)	Almarinda "	1824	living
(4)	James Jefferson "	1834	"
(5)	Oliver H "	1840	"
(6)	Randa		

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 Carroll	unknown
unknown	

17. Where were they born? *near Knoxville Tennessee*

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

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

(1) English name:	Elizabeth Carroll	Vernon Co Missouri
Indian name:	Almarinda "	Kan City Mo
Residence:	James Jefferson "	Dennison Texas
(2) English name:	Oliver H "	Mound City Kans
Indian name:	Murund	Excelsior Springs
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:

*James Carroll my Father of East Tennessee was a Cherokee Indian as is shown by the affidavits of John Ross, and John R. Gourd.*

REMARKS.

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

*Case was made before the Dawes Commission report on Record Muscogee I. T. showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian Blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *Francis M Carroll*

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

My commission expires *January 6th*, 190*7*  
*Alonzo H Shelton*  
*Notary Public*  
*in and for Lelay County Missouri*

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 L Roberts* and *L B Carabrese*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Francis M Carroll*, 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.

*William L. Roberts*  
*L. B. Carabrese*

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

My commission expires *January 6th*, 190*7*  
*Alonzo H Shelton*  
*Notary Public*  
*in and for Lelay County Missouri*

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. 7116

Action: Rejected

Name Elewirth P. Cordell and X children. Residence: Elmira, Mo.

Reasons: Pomeroy Van Trump - Gdn.

Cousin of 7099.

No. 4116

Name. Elsworth B. Cordell

With No. 7099

Remarks:

*Cousin*

No. 7116

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Chas. B. Cordell* <sup>OR</sup>

*Pomeroy Van Trump* Guardian

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7112

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:

*Elsworth Binney Cordell*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Near Elmira Ray Co. Mo.*

3. Town and post office:

*Elmira*

4. County:

*Ray*

5. State:

*Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Mar. 18, 1890 St. Louis Mo.*

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: *Being of Cherokee Indian blood, as son of Amanda V. Cordell, she a daughter of Josiah Van Trump, he a son of John Van Trump of Stanton Virginia*

8. Are you married?

*No. Age 16*

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:

*Jacob R. Cordell*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Amanda Van Trump Cordell*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Amanda Van Trump*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Unknown*

Mother:

*Missouri*

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

Father:

*Ill.*

Mother:

*Born in 1860*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

*May 12, 1896*

Mother:

*Dec. 25, 1901*

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>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>Unknown</i>	<i>Josiah Van Trump born in Va.</i>
	<i>Susan Van Trump " " Ind.</i>

17. Where were they born? *Virginia and Indiana*

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

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

(1)	English name: <i>Catharine A Van Trump Hyde</i>
	Indian name: <i>Lawson Missouri</i>
	Residence: <i>John G. Van Trump</i>
(2)	English name: <i>Leah Ann Arkansas</i>
	Indian name: <i>Samuel Van Trump</i>
	Residence: <i>Genoa Oregon</i>
(3)	English name: <i>Maggie Van Trump Fletcher</i>
	Indian name: <i>Hempolt Arizona</i>
	Residence: <i>Pomeroy Van Trump, Clinch Co.</i>
(4)	English name: <i>Amanda Van Trump Cordell Dead</i>
	Indian name: <i>A see Van Trump</i>
	Residence: <i>Polo Mo.</i>
(5)	English name: <i>Melissa Van Trump</i>
	Indian name: <i>B. Lucia Mo.</i>
	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: .....

*John Van Trump of Stanton Virginia, was great-grandfather in proven to be a Cherokee Indian blood, by affidavit by Ex Chief John Rose and Geo. W. Harris.*

REMARKS.

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

*Case was made before Census Commission and appealed to the U.S. Court. Master's report on record with the case at Mus. Hayes D. T. showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood.*

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

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

(Signature.) *Pomeroy Van Trump* Guardian

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Dec 21*, 1908

*Maurice H. Winger*  
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 *Madge Shutt* and *N. H. Childress*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Pomeroy Van Trump*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *2* 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.

*Madge Shutt*  
*N. H. Childress*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Dec 21*, 1908

*Maurice H. Winger*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
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*civi-letter*

Festus, Mo., Oct. 17, 1908.

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

Dear Sir:- Nearly two years ago I made application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

My claim No. is 7116.

Would please let me know what disposition has been made of that claim?

No more evidence was ever ask for in the case.

Thanking you in advance,

I am,

Yours truly,

Elsworth B. Cordell.

Miller

No. 7117.

Action: Reject.

Name: Nancy P. Dodson and -- children. Residence: Tell, Texas.

Reasons: 1/2 sister to #7051; claims thru same source.

No. 7117

Name Nancy P. Dodson

With No. 7034

Remarks:

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No. 7117

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy P. Hodson*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: *Nancy P. Dodson*

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

2. Residence: *Childress County Texas*

3. Town and post office: *Childress*

4. County: *Childress* *Tell, Texas.*

5. State: *Texas*

6. Date and place of birth: *July 11<sup>th</sup> 1879 antelope Jack<sup>Co</sup> 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 mother who was the daughter of Willis F Hunter who was a son of Patsy Hunter who was a daughter of Sallie Brumley who was a daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian by Blood*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of ~~my~~ husband: *Charley Dodson 28 years old*

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

Father—English name: *John T. Shields*

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

Mother—English name: *Sarah Florence Stone*

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

Maiden name: *Sarah Florence Hunter*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Texas*

Mother: *Texas*

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

Father: *wasnt Born*

Mother: *wasnt Born*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *died August 14<sup>th</sup> 1881* Mother: *Still 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)	<i>Lela May Storie</i>	<i>was born May 1884</i>	
(2)	<i>Minnie B. Storie</i>	<i>was born April 22 1886</i>	
(3)	<i>William H. Storie</i>	<i>was born August 22 1888</i>	
(4)	<i>Henry O. Storie</i>	<i>was born December 16 1890</i>	
(5)	<i>James L. Storie</i>	<i>was born June 8 1894</i>	
(6)	<i>Elyabeth <sup>Storie</sup> was born February 27 1897</i>		
	<i>Robert D. Storie</i>	<i>was born July 17 1900</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>Willis L. Hunter</i>	<i>Sarah Jane Hunter</i>

17. Where were they born? *Father Tennessee*  
*Mother Texas*

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

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

(1) English name: *Not known*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

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

*name is Sarah Florence Stone who was a daughter of Willis L Hunter who was a son of Hunter who was a daughter of Sally Brumley who was a daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian By Blood and a recognized member of the*

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.) *Nancy P. Dodson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*W. B. Howard, County Judge, Gillespie County, Texas,*  
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. B. Thompson* and *C. M. Mickle*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Nancy P. Dodson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *3* years and *2 1/2* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. B. Thompson*

*C. M. Mickle*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

*W. B. Howard*  
County Judge, Gillespie County, Texas, 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.



Tell Geo

March 14 1908

501 Ouray Building

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir I have not received  
no Supplemental application  
for my minor children if it  
is necessary for me to fill  
out application please  
send me one at once  
My application No is  
7117

I have changed my  
Postoffice from Childress  
to Tell Geo

#7117

add charge  
- circ list

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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MAR 18 1908

You will find inclosed  
address envelope  
Please return all  
particulars

Yours Truly

Nancy P. Dodson

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No. 7118.

Action: *Reject*.

Name *Mary E. Dodson* and *X* children. Residence: *Purcell, Okla.*

Reasons:

*See full report herein.*

*Misc. Test. P. 2079.*

No. 7118

Name Mary C. Dodson

With No.

Remarks:

No File

No. 7118 <sup>Okla</sup> Field.

Name <sup>Mary Co</sup> Mary Ellen Dodson

With No.

Remarks: Grouped her.

- # 7122, 7156, 7186
- 7187, 7188, 7189.
- 7254 7255, 7336
- 14341, 7251, 7256
- 7326, 777, 72812.

~~Field~~  
~~Purdell~~  
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~~also~~  
~~Murray Co~~  
~~Georgia~~

Records of family  
on file in Okla.  
Dawson. Conn.  
Nicholson

No. 7118

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Etua Dodson*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906

No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: *Mary Etua Dodson*

Indian name: *Dont Know*

2. Residence: *Indian Territory*

3. Town and post office: *Purcell*

4. County: *Pocahontas*

5. State: *Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 4 - 1877 Cherokee Co Ga.*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*By that of Cherokee Indian Blood and being descendant of Isaac Nicholson Great Great Grandfather who was born about 1757 and Sarah Halcomb Great Grandfather and William J Halcomb Grandfather*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Henry Dodson*

*46 years*

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

Father—English name: *Joel M Massey*

Indian name: *Dont Know*

Mother—English name: *Jama C J Massey*

Indian name: *Not Known*

Maiden name: *Jama C J Halcomb*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Trautman County Georgia*

Mother: *Murray County Georgia*

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

Father: *Milton Co Georgia*

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: Not to my knowledge

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Pesa D Stearns	Oct 12 1874	
(2)	Jno B Massey	July 5 1879	
(3)	John J Massey	April 10 1882	
(4)	Aquella Massey	Dec 18 1885	
(5)	Emmett L Massey	May 5 1889	
(6)	Alvin J Massey	Aug 12 1892	

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
	Ephraim Massey	William J Halcomb
	Dont know	Dont know
	Mary Massey	Louisa Halcomb
	Dont know	Dont know

17. Where were they born? South Carolina on Father's side  
Meuro County Tenn on Mother's side

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Milton Co Ga  
and Murray Co Ga Respectfully

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

- (1) English name: Ed Halcomb  
Indian name: Dont know  
Residence: Bradley Co Arkansas
- (2) English name: Martha J Davis  
Indian name: Dont know  
Residence: Norman Cleveland Co Ga
- (3) English name: Sarah Hayes  
Indian name: Dont know  
Residence: Jack Co Texa Died 1881
- (4) English name: Martin A Halcomb  
Indian name: Dont know  
Residence: Lexington, Cleveland Co Ala
- (5) English name: W. A. Halcomb  
Indian name: not known  
Residence: Murray Co Georgia
- (5) English name: Galina Halcomb  
Indian name: not known  
Residence: Murray Co Georgia, died 1861
- (6) English name: Tama C. J. Massey  
Indian name: not known  
Residence: Lexington, Cleveland Co Ala
- (7) English name: Aveline Lippin  
Indian name: Dont know  
Residence: Ellis Co Texas, died Oct 16-1885

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:

Isaac Nicholson Gr Grand Parent On Father's side  
 Sarah Halcomb Gr Grand Parent Simaw Massey Gr Grand Parent  
 W. J. Halcomb Grand Parent Ephraim Massey Gr Grand Parent  
 Anna C. J. Massey mother Joel M. Massey Father

**REMARKS.**

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

Applicant presented application and affidavit evidence to Dawo Commission in 1896 and proof of claim is matter of record

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

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

(Signature.) *Mary Etta Dodson*

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

My commission expires

Jan 2nd, 1909

*C. Stacey*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *B. H. Rackley* and *Lucille Elkin*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary Etta Dodson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 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.

*B. H. Rackley*  
*Lucille Elkin*

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

My commission expires

Jan 2nd, 1909

*C. Stacey*  
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. 7256-7118

Martha J. Davis, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Martha J. Davis; my post-office is Norman, Okla.; I wish to state that I have filed a claim and my number is 7122, also that my son, Rufus S. Davis filed a claim and his number is 7123; also that my son, Eugene Davis, filed application and those applications should be put with number 7118 as we all claim through the same ancestor; I was born in Monroe Co., Tenn. in 1840; I make claim to the Cherokee Indians through my father, William Holcomb, who was a quarter Cherokee; my father was born in Monroe Co., Tenn. in 1819; my father claims through his mother, whose maiden name was Sarah Nicholson, who was a half-blood Cherokee; Sarah Nicholson's father was named Isaac Nicholson; Isaac Nicholson had several brothers and sisters, namely John, William, he also had several sisters, I do not remember their names; Isaac Nicholson, my great-grandfather stayed in the east and all the rest of the family went west with the Indians; my father could talk the Indian language and he lived right among the Cherokee Indians; I was born in Monroe Co. right among the Cherokee Indians; we moved from Tennessee to Murray Co., Ga.; my older brother was also born among the Cherokee Indians; my father and mother have both told me that the government drove them off of their property; my father has often told me that the government owed us money for land that they took from our people; I cannot state why my father was not enrolled; Jacob Nicholson was my uncle and he lived in Tennessee; I have heard my father talk about him often.

Martha J. Davis (Signed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August, 1908, at Norman, Okla.

Stanley H. Pugh  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of Court of Claims.

Richard M. Davis, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has heard the above testimony and the same is correct. I was born and raised among the Nicholsons' and they were Cherokee Indians.

Richard M. Davis (Signed)

Jacob Nicholson on roll of 1835; Isaac Nicholson on the roll of 1851. Believe O.K.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 13 1908  
No. 7318

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JAN 13 1908

January the first 1908

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the Secretary of interest I thought  
I would write to you to see  
if you my Clarence and I are  
able to know how every  
thing is getting on your  
number is 7318

from Sarah H. Riddle

Comanche abla  
over I am

Sarah Riddle

No. 7122-7118

Oct. 1st, 1908.

Martha J. Davis,

Norman, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether your grandmother, Sarah Berry was married more than once. If so, give her other name. Give the name of all her children. State where they were residing in 1851. Where was your grand-father, Isaac Nicholson residing in 1835? Why were you, your father and your mother not enrolled in 1851? Were your parents or grand-parents recognized where they lived as white people or Indians? When did you and your parents go west? Please reply immediately, and refer in your reply to C.H.B. No. 7122-7118.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

UCB/MSM

GROUP NO. 7118.

The applicants in this group claim the right to share in this fund through William Holcomb, who, it is alleged, was a quarter Cherokee Indian, and who is supposed to have been born in 1819. He claims through his mother, whose maiden name was Sarah Nicholson, who, it is alleged, was a half-blood Cherokee, and her father, Isaac Nicholson, was supposed to have been a full-blood Cherokee. The name William Holcomb does not appear on any of the rolls. There is a Sarah Nicholson on the Roll of 1851, in the Tahlequah District, #480, but it is manifest that she is not the Sarah Nicholson to whom these parties refer. The name Isaac Nicholson appears on the Roll of 1851, Chapman #1711. The Isaac Nicholson who is on the Roll of 1851 was thirty-three years old at that time. The Isaac Nicholson whom these parties mention was the grandfather of William Holcomb, who was born in 1819. It is perfectly evident, therefore, that the Isaac Nicholson mentioned by these parties is not the one who was enrolled in 1851.

The claims are given further color by the fact that applicants claim that Jacob Nicholson was their uncle. There is a Jacob Nicholson on the Roll of 1835, but even if he is the same one they mention, the fact that he was so enrolled would not entitle these parties now.

For these reasons, all of the applicants in this group are rejected. (See Miscellaneous Testimony, page 2079).

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The claims are given further color by the fact that applicants claim that Jacob Nicholson was their uncle. There is a Jacob Nicholson on the Roll of 1835, but even if he is the same one they mention, the fact that he was so enrolled would not entitle these parties now.

For these reasons, all of the applicants in this group are rejected. (See Miscellaneous Testimony, page 2079).

No. 7119

Action: Rejected

Name: Carrie L. Davis and X children. Residence: Cherokee, Kans.

Reasons:

1st cousin twice removed of 7086.



No. 7119

Name Carrie L Davis

With No. 7086

Remarks:

*1" crown  
2 removed*

No. 7119

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Carrie L. Davis*

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

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*Think I sent also*

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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:

Carrie Lorena Davis

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Cherokee

3. Town and post office:

Cherokee

4. County:

Crawford

5. State:

Kans.

6. Date and place of birth:

Jan 16<sup>th</sup> 1885 - Nevada Vernon Co. Mo.

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 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:

William S. Davis

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Hulda M. Davis

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Hulda M. Haines

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Rushville Schuyler Co. Ill

Mother:

Franklin Co. Ill.

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: *No.*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Earl L. Davis</i>	<i>Aug 12" 1891</i>	
(2)	<i>Allie M. Davis</i>	<i>Feb 22" 1898</i>	
(3)	<i>Willie O. Davis</i>	<i>Jan 31" 1902</i>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

	FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
	<i>James W. Davis</i>	
	<i>Mary M. Davis</i>	

17. Where were they born? *Maysville Mason Co. Kentucky*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Rushville Schuyler Co. Ill.*

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

(1) English name: *Martha E. Davis* Dead. Date unknown  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: *James W. Davis*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: *Priscilla Watts - Charles M. Davis*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: *Benj F. Davis - Harriet A. Davis*  
(Died 1905)  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: *Mary M. Bangs - Melinda J. Hibelster*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

*My Father's Grandmother whose  
Ind. name was Phillips.*

**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.) *Carrie Louisa Davis*

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

My commission expires  
*Mar 29*, 19*10*

*J. J. Liscum*  
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 *Louis A Edwards* and  
\_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Carrie L Davis*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *16* years and *5* years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

*Louis A Edwards*  
*R. A. Bolick*

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

My commission expires  
*Mar 29*, 19*10*

*J. J. Liscum*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7120

Action: Rejected

Name: William S. Davis and X children. Residence: Cherokee, Kans.

Reasons:

1st cousin of once removed 7086.

No. 7120  
Name Tom J. Davis  
With No. 7086

Remarks:

*1" Ensign  
maxim*

No. 7120

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION

OF

*W. S. Davis*

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

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: *William Sylvanus Davis*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Cherokee Kans.*
3. Town and post office: " " "
4. County: *Crawford,*
5. State: *Kansas.*
6. Date and place of birth: *May 17 1858 - Rushville Schuyler Co., Ill.*
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 Grandmother Davis who was Cherokee Ind., her maiden name was Phillips.*
8. Are you married? *Yes.*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Hulda M. Davis. 41 yrs.*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father—English name: *James W. Davis.*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: *Mary M. Davis.*  
 Indian Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maiden name: *Mary M. Baker*
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: *Maysville Mason Co., Kentucky.*  
 Mother: *Lewis Co., " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: *Rushville Schuyler Co., Ill.*  
 Mother: *Rushville Schuyler Co., Ill.*
13. Date of death of your father and mother —  
 Father: *Dec 28 1886.* Mother: *May 1889.*

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

No.

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Martha E. Davis	1838	Dead - Date Unknown
(2)	James W. Davis	1841	
(3)	Priscilla Watts	1843	
(4)	Charles M. Davis	1845	
(5)	Benj. Jr. Davis	1847	
(6)	Harriet A. Davis	1850	Died 1905

(7) Mary M. Bangs Born 1852. (8) Melinda J. Hibbler - 1855 (9) George W. Davis - 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
Franklin Davis	Benjamin Baker
Dacia Davis	Mary Baker

Grandmother Indian Name Phillips

17. Where were they born? Unknown.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All dead except Grandmother Baker, living in Camden Schuyler Co. Ill.

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

- (1) English name: John F. Davis - dead date unknown.  
Indian name: Unknown  
Residence:
- (2) English name: Mary B. Gray dead  
Indian name: Unknown  
Residence:
- (3) English name: Drury Davis dead  
Indian name: Unknown  
Residence:
- (4) English name: James W. Davis dead Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1886.  
Indian name: Unknown  
Residence:
- (5) English name: Dacia B. Leach dead date unknown  
Indian name: Unknown  
Residence:
- (6) English name: William G. Davis dead date unknown.

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

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: My Grandmother Davis whose Indian name was Phillips is the only one I can name.

REMARKS.

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

Think Grandmother Davis was Born in Eastern Tenn. or Alabama. Also think her Ancestors names were Helms.

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 S. Edwards

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of December, 1906.

My commission expires Nov 29, 1910.

J. J. Lisner  
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 Lewis A. Edwards and J. J. Lisner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William S. Davis, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 5 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.

Lewis A. Edwards  
J. J. Lisner

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

My commission expires Nov 29, 1910.

J. J. Lisner  
Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS.  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 21 1908  
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Pittsburg Kans.

Aug. 17<sup>th</sup> 1908.

Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs Washington D. C.

Dear Sir: -

As I have heard nothing  
for sometime from my  
claim as an Eastern  
Cherokee I thought I  
would write to know  
what is being done  
about it.

My Application number  
is 7120. Please let  
me know if my claim  
has been allowed and  
all particulars in general.

Enclosed find stamps  
for reply. Respect.

W. S. Davis.

1519 S. Bdy Pittsburg  
Kans.

No. 7121

Action: Rejected

Name Larkin D. Davis and X children. Residence: Cherokee, Kansas.

Reasons: Father of 7086

No. 4121

Name H. D. Daire

With No. 4086

Remarks:

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No. 7121

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*L. D. Davis*

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

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7121



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:

Lakin Dorsey Davis

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Cherokee Kansas

3. Town and post office:

Cherokee

4. County:

Cherokee

5. State:

Kansas

6. Date and place of birth:

August 3, 1839 Camden Ill

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Grand mother on father's side name Phillis

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Mary J Davis age 65

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

Father—English name:

Henry B Davis

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Harriet Baker Davis

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Harriet Baker

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mason County Kentucky

Mother:

Lewis Co

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

Father:

Rushville Lee

Mother:

" " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

April 1874

Mother:

April 18 1873

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: Lakin Dorsey Davis  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Cherokee Kansas
3. Town and post office: Cherokee
4. County: Cherokee
5. State: Kansas
6. Date and place of birth: August 3, 1839 Camden Ill
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Grand mother on father's side name Phillips
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary J Davis age 65-
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Henry B Davis  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Harriet Baker Davis  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Harriet Baker
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Mason County Kentucky  
Mother: Lewis co "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Rushville Ill  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: April 19 1874 Mother: April 18 1878

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

*Great Grand Father on my Mother's side was Helms.*

REMARKS.

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

*I think Grand Ma Phillips was born in Tennessee or Alabama she is the one that has the Indian Beard. never seeing her as she died when I was small. I remember her giving me. But think is Dacia.*

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.) *Labin D Davis*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 24*, 190*7* *J E Wheatley* 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 *Labin D. Davis*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*L. D. Black*  
*Mayme Black*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 24*, 190*7* *J E Wheatley* Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
OCT 9 1908  
No.

C.H.D. No. 7/22-7/18.

**GRESHAM & GRESHAM**  
**LAWYERS**

OFFICES  
NORMAN, OKLA.  
AND  
WAGONER, OKLA.

Hon. Guion Miller, Norman, Okla., Oct 5, 1902.  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

In answer to your letter of Oct. 1 I answer as follows: - My grandmother, Sarah Bishop, was married only once. All of her children are: Betty Berry, Martin Berry, Alex Berry, Linda Berry, Louisa Berry. They were all residing in Murray County, Ga., in 1851. In 1835, Isaac Nicholson was living near the Tenn. and N.C. line, as nearly as I can ascertain. I do not know why my father, mother and I were not enrolled in 1851. My parents and grandparents were recognized as Indians where they lived. My parents and I came west in 1870.

Respectfully,

Walter W. Gresham

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 10 1907  
No. 7122A

*Sent Supl. Blank.*  
*5/18/07.*

GRESHAM & GRESHAM  
LAWYERS  
PHONE 205

NORMAN, OKLA., May 6, 1907

# K. Lupp, Com.,  
Washington,  
D.C.

Dear Sir:

Has any claim been filed  
with you in behalf of Martha J. Davis  
for her Eastern Cherokee per capita money?

If no application has been filed  
in her behalf, please send me blanks  
on which to make the application, and  
in any event, please instruct me fully  
as to the matter and the application.

Respectfully,  
Martha J. Davis.

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No. 7122 A

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GRESHAM & GRESHAM  
LAWYERS  
PHONE 268

NORMAN, OKLA.,

May 30, 1907.

Hon. Gideon Miller,

Washington,

D.C.

Dear Sir:

Please send me two application blanks for my two adult children - same form as application No. 7122, <sup>or whatever form is required,</sup> for share of fund arising from judgment of Court of Claims in favor of Eastern Cherokee, of May 28, 1906...

You may send the blanks to me for them.

Respectfully

Martha J. Davis.

No. 71221

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Martha J. Davis* and *X* children. Residence: *Norman, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Agent of #7118. Claims  
that same source.*

No. 7122

Name Martha J. Davis

With No. 7118

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No. 7122

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Martha J. Davis*

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

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7122

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— Martha J Davis  
English name: Martha J Davis  
Indian name: not known
2. Residence: Oklahoma
3. Town and post office: Norman
4. County: Cleveland
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: March January 10-1840 Mouron 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:  
By that of Cherokee Indian Blood and being descendant of Isaac Nicholson, the Grand father who was born about 1757 in North Carolina and
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband Richard M Davis 67 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William J Halcomb  
Indian name: not known  
Mother—English name: Louisa Halcomb  
Indian name: not known  
Maiden name: Louisa Berry
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Mouron County Tennessee  
Mother: Mouron County Tennessee
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Murray County Georgia  
Mother: Murray County Georgia
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Dec 22-1882 Mother: Oct 19-1855.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not to my knowledge

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Elid Halcomb	Dec. 5-1837	
(2)	Sara Hayes	Feb 6 1843	1881
(3)	M. A. Halcomb	Aug 7 1846	
(4)	William A. Halcomb	Oct 8 1846	
(5)	Salina Halcomb	8 1849	1861
(6)	Jama C. Macey	Mar 6 1853	
	Waline Tippin	Oct 16 1855	1885

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Benj. Halcomb	Hiram Berry, Gr Father
Not known	Sara Berry, Mother
Sara Halcomb	
Not known	

17. Where were they born? Information is they were born in Murray County Tenn.

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

Murray County Georgia

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

(1) English name:	Jashua Halcomb, Died 1872 Milton Co. Ga.
Indian name:	Not known
Residence:	Died 1872 Milton Co. Ga.
(2) English name:	Sara Clate, Died 1869
Indian name:	Not known
Residence:	Died 1869, Murray Co Tenn.
(3) English name:	Isaac Halcomb
Indian name:	Not known
Residence:	Kentucky Not known
(4) English name:	William J Halcomb
Indian name:	Not known
Residence:	Died 1882 - Dec 22, Ellis Co Texas
(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:

Isaac Nicholson Gr Gr Parent. On mother's side  
Sarah Halcomb Gr Parent the name is Berry and  
W J Halcomb Father I know nothing further  
about them

REMARKS.

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

Applicant presented <sup>affidavit</sup> and affidavit evidence to Davis Commission in 1896 and proof is matter of record

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 J Davis

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

My commission expires Sept 11, 1910  
J Lindsay  
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 Wilkins and John Hardie, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha J Davis, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J Wilkins  
John Hardie

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

My commission expires Sept 11, 1910  
J Lindsay  
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.

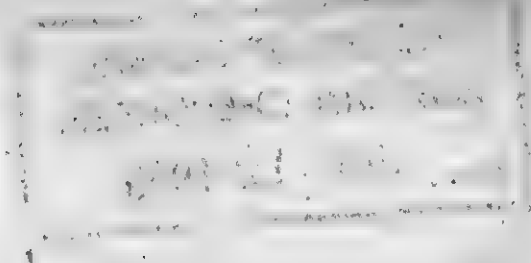
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Office of County Treasurer  
Cleveland County  
Oklahoma



Norman, Okla., 7.9.1909.

GUION MILLER  
Washington  
D.C

Dear sir was suprised to learn that my Mother failed to bring Her self within these requirements, we thought we had answered tham correckley but she must have made a mistake ingiving the of her ansestors Mr Miller cold you tell wher we faild to comply with the rewuirements if so I will thank you Verkindley if you can do so for we thought we had every thing all write, when Stanley A Faultz was here he thought that our Claims was all Wright, do you think that A Statement or and Affidavis wold be consiared by the Court of Claims if so let me know,

Martha J Davis Ancestors Isaac Nicholson was a Grate Grand Father of my Mothers, Benjamin Holcomb and Sarah Holcomb was her Grand Father and Grand Mother and A Sarah Holcomb Was A dother of Isaac Nicholson William Holcomb was A son ,of Benjamin holcomb And Sarah Holcomb and William Holcomb is my Mother father Please Answer me if you can

Yours Truley

Martah J. Davis NP 7122 Rufus S Davis NO 7823

App. #7122.

March 19, 1910.

Honorable Scott Ferris,  
House of Representatives,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 16, 1910, in which you make inquiry as to the status of the claims of Martha J. Davis and Rufus S. Davis, of Norman, Oklahoma, and in reply you are advised that these claims were reported by me for rejection, and the Court of Claims on March 7, 1910, handed down an opinion approving this action.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

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

Sir:

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

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

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
Rec. MAR 19 1910  
No. 7122

SCOTT FERRIS  
FIFTH OKLAHOMA DISTRICT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WASHINGTON

March 16, 1910.

To the Clerk of the Court of Claims,  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Miller:

Will you not kindly afford me *Reject*  
the status of the claim of Martha J. Davis #7132 and Rufus S. Davis #7133 to participate in the Eastern Cherokee funds. Also what steps if any are necessary in order to fully protect their rights. When replying will you not kindly refer to those parties names and their address is Norman, Oklahoma.

Very sincerely yours,

*Scott Ferris*

No. 7123

Action: Reject

Name: Rufus Davis and X children. Residence: Norman, Okla.

Reasons:

First cousin of #7118. Claims thru same source.

No. 7123

Name P. A. Davis

With No. 7118

#Remarks: also see file

7124, 7125, 7330,

7331, 7141, 7167,

7176, ff 27, 26865

29271.

1<sup>st</sup> copy of 7118

No. 7123

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Reuben Sherman Davis*

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

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7123



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: *Rufus Shuman Davis*  
Indian name: *Not known*
2. Residence: *Oklahoma*
3. Town and post office: *Norman*
4. County: *Cleveland County*
5. State: *Oklahoma*
6. Date and place of birth: *Apr. 9, 1868 Murray 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: *claim*  
*By that of Cherokee Indian Blood and being descendant of W. J. Haleant my Grandfather who was born December 3, 1819 in Tusculum County*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Elizabeth Davis 36 years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Richard M. Davis*  
Indian name: *not known*  
Mother—English name: *Martha J. Davis*  
Indian name: *Not known*  
Maiden name: *Martha J. Haleant*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Forsyth County Georgia*  
Mother: *Murray County Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Murray County Georgia*  
Mother: *Murray County Georgia*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not to my knowledge

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	W. F. Davis	May 12 1860	
(2)	James Whipling	Jan 6 1862	
(3)	Sally B. Davis	Sept 30 1866	Recd. Dist. 1882
(4)	<del>Richard Davis</del>	<del>Sept 9 1866</del>	
	8 Mary J. Davidson	Jan 24 1877	
(5)	John M. Davis	Jan 12 1871	
	6 Ruth I. Hindrich	Feb 1 1873	
	10 W. James H. Davis	Feb 12 1879	
	9 Margaret O. Davis	July 24 1881	

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
W. J. Holcomb	Louisa Berry

17. Where were they born? Murray County Tennessee

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

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:

*A. J. Holcomb Sr. Parent* } on <sup>maternal</sup> mother side the  
*Louisa Holcomb Sr. Parent* } home is Berry.

**REMARKS.**

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

*Applicant presented application and affidavit evidence to Denver Commission in 1899 and same is in matter of record.*

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.) *Refus Sherman Davis*

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

My commission expires *Sept 11*, 19*10*

*J. Lindsay*  
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. Wilkins* and *John Hardie*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Refus Sherman Davis*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *5* 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.

*Refus Sherman Davis*  
*John Hardie*

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

My commission expires *Sept 11*, 19*10*

*J. Lindsay*  
Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 29 1909  
No. 7123.

JUN 29 1909

*Cr. Let.*

Office of County Treasurer  
Cleveland County  
Oklahoma

Norman, Okla., 6 25 09

Stanley A Faultz

Washington

D C

Dear sir when you was here and takin evedence in our case of the Esterrn  
Cherokkes that it was all wright an sence I have got Aleter stating that  
On the report that it should be rejected and I dont under stand why it  
It seemes so plain that we aut have eney trubley in geting through all *Wright*  
When we have prov that my Mothers Grate Grand Fauther Name was Isaac  
Nicholson and her Grand Mother Mame Sarah Nicholson . and when you was *him*  
you said eney *thing* you cold help me to in the way of ~~in~~fermations that i wanted *to*  
Know that you *Hold* help me. Now I wold like for you give me ~~some~~ infermtion in  
in regard case My case No *out* 7423

Yours Truley

Rufus S Davis  
Co Treas

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Reo. MAR 1 1909  
No. 7123

*circ. lit*

MAR 1 1909

7118

R. S. DAVIS, TREASURER

R. V. DOWNING, DEPUTY

Office of County Treasurer  
Cleveland County  
Oklahoma

Norman, Okla., 2.24.1909

Guion .Miller  
Washington Dc

Special Commissioner of Indians Affairs

Dear sir some time ago I wrote Staley a faultz . And not heard from him.  
So I take this opportunity of writing to you for a letter in formations.  
When he was here he told me eny in formation that iwonted to he wold assist  
Me so i cant here from him and iam going to ask you answer me what iwont to.  
Know if our claim is all ok or not .And about how meny will be excepted  
If you know at this time. And if our claime is all ok i washe you wold write  
Me for iwold like to know .

Yours. Truley

R.S. Davis

My Application No. 7123

Martha. J. Davis. No. 7122

Refused

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 5 1908  
No. 7123

*circ. let.*  
FEB 5 1908



NOTICE

Under the new Depository Law, commencing October 2, 1906, checks and drafts cannot be accepted; taxes can only be paid with money, postoffice or express money order. Office will close at 4 p. m. Real estate sold for delinquent taxes in November. Tax deeds issued two years from date of sale. \$1.00 extra charged when tax receipt is sent outside of State.

TREASURER'S OFFICE

CLEVELAND COUNTY

R. S. DAVIS,  
TREASURER.

R. V. DOWNING  
DEPUTY.

NOTICE

Personal and real estate taxes due December 15th. Penalty is 18 per cent per annum on total tax if not paid by 15th of January, each year. Last half due June 15th, each year. Tax warrants issued to sheriff in March and August. No rebates under present law. Give location, township, range and section or lot and block.

Norman, Okla., Feb'y 1, 1908.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:—

Will you please inform me what disposition, if any, has been made of my application # 7123 for participation in the fund from the judgement of the court of claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee.

Very truly,

Rufus S. Davis

No. 7124

Action: Reject

Name Eugene O Davis and X children. Residence: Norman, Okla.

Reasons:

First cousin of #7118 Claims  
the same source.

No. 7124

Name. Eugene L. Davis

With No. 7123

Remarks: Top Side

1<sup>st</sup> class. of 7118

No. 7124

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Engene Tho Davis*

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

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7212

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:

Engus Otho Davis

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Norman

3. Town and post office:

Norman

4. County:

Cleveland County

5. State:

Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth:

July 24 1881 Ellis County 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:

By that Being <sup>Cherokee blood</sup> ~~and~~ Descendant of  
W. J. Halcomb Who Was Born  
Dec 22 1819

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Fannie Bell Davis 24

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

Father—English name:

Richard M. Davis

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Martha J. Davis

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Martha J. Halcomb

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Forsyth County Georgia

Mother:

Monroe County Tennessee

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

Father:

Henry County Georgia

Mother:

Henry County Georgia

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William E. Davis	May 12 1860	
(2)	Jane J. Steptony	Jan 5 1862	
(3)	Lalie B. Davis	Sept 30 1863	
(4)	Rufus S. Davis	Sept 9 1864	
(5)	John M. Davis	Jan 12 1871	
(6)	Ann M. Davis	Feb 1 1873	
	Jennie M. Gardner	Nov 26 1876	

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 Grand <sup>father</sup> side	on my Grand Mother side
Wm W. J. Holcomb	Wm W. Berry

17. Where were they born?

Monroe County Tennessee

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

Monroe County Georgia

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:

On Grand Parent Side War W. J. Holcomb  
and Louisa Holcomb on Grand  
Mother Side her name War  
Louisa Berry

REMARKS.

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

Applicant presents Application  
as evidenced Matter of Proof of  
Reckard War Presented to this  
Lower Commission in 1896

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.) Engine Otto Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of Dec, 1906.

My commission expires  
Apr 2, 1907

Raff May  
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 See and  
R. B. Taylor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Engine Otto Davis, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 3 years and 2 years,  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person that 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 See  
R. B. Taylor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Dec, 1906.

My commission expires  
Apr 2, 1907

Raff May  
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. 7125

Action: Reject

Name: Wm E Davis and 7 children. Residence: Lexington, Okla

Reasons:

RFD.1

First cousin of #7118. Claims  
thru same source.



No. 7125

Name. Wm E Davis

With No. 7123 7118

Remarks: Top Full

1" cons 7 7118

No. 7125

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*William E. Davis*

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

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7125

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 E. Davis

Indian name:

Not known

2. Residence:

Oklahoma

3. Town and post office:

Lexington R.F.D. No. 1

4. County:

Cleveland County

5. State:

Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth:

May 14 1860 Murray 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:

Claim  
By that of Cherokee Indian Blood and  
Being descendant of W. J. Holcomb my Grand  
Father who was born Dec. 3, 1819  
in Tennessee Monroe County

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Sara A. Davis 46 years

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

Father—English name:

Richard M. Davis

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Martha J. Davis

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Martha J. Holcomb

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Forsyth County Georgia

Mother:

Monroe County Tennessee

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

Father:

Murray County Georgia

Mother:

Murray County Georgia

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not to my knowledge

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William E. Davis</u>	<u>May 12, 1860</u>	
(2)	<u>Lena D. Stripling</u>	<u>June 5, 1862</u>	
(3)	<u>Lelia B. Davis</u>	<u>Slr 30 1866</u>	<u>Died Dec 12 1882</u>
(4)	<u>Reuben D. Davis</u>	<u>Slr 9 1868</u>	
(5)	<u>John M. Davis</u>	<u>Jan 12 1871</u>	
(6)	<u>Ruey J. Kendrick</u>	<u>Feb 1 1873</u>	
(7)	<u>Mary Ann Gardner</u>	<u>Jan 12 1875</u>	
(8)	<u>Engene O. Davis</u>	<u>May 24 1877</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>W. A. Holcomb</u>	<u>Louisa Berry</u>

17. Where were they born? Monroe County Tennessee

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

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: .....

*W. J. Halcomb - Gr. Parent*  
*Josiah Holcomb - Gr. Parent*  
*on Mother side the name is Berry*

REMARKS.

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

*Applicant presented application and affidavit evidence to Lower Commission in 1896 and proof in Matter of Record*

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 E Davis*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires *6/2/07*, 190

*W. E. Beasley*  
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. Thompson* and *J. J. Deans*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William E. Davis*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *8* years and *4* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *who* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. J. Thompson*  
*J. J. Deans*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires *6/2/07*, 190

*W. E. Beasley*  
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. 7126

Action: Reject

Name Nancy J. Davis and X children. Residence: Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Reasons:

Belongs through the same source as 705-3.

No. 7126

Name Nancy J. Davis

With No. 7853

Remarks:

No. 7126

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*Nancy J. Davis*  
*Excelsior Springs*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 23, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No. _____
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**CHESTER HOWE,**  
**ATTORNEY,**  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7126



Commtssioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Nancy Jane Davis nee Preston & nee Roberts*

Indian name: *1st marriage to Preston & to Davis*

2. Residence:

*Clay County Missouri*

3. Town and post office:

*Excelsior Springs*

4. County:

*Clay*

5. State:

*Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth:

*September 8th 1845 - Madison County Kentucky*

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 Indian Blood of Cherokee*

*Eliza Roberts, Mother,*

*John Blackburn Sr Father*

*Elizabeth " " Mother*

*Rhoda Blackburn nee Baugh,*

8. Are you married?

*husbands Preston, and Davis, Dead*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Nancy J Davis nee Roberts, 61 years*

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

Father—English name: *Andrew J Roberts*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Eliza Roberts*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Eliza Blackburn*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Madison County Kentucky*

Mother: *Garrod " "*

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

Father: *Madison County Kentucky*

Mother: *" " "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *1901*

Mother: *Living*

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary A Bales ne Roberts		1871
(2)	William L Roberts	3-8 yrs	
(3)	John B "	5-5-	
(4)	Sarah E Morgan	5-2 ne Roberts	
(5)	Margie Wilson		dead 1894
(6)	Jesse S Roberts	age 67	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.
Mr Roberts	John Blackburn
Margaret " ne Todd	Elizabeth "

17. Where were they born? Mr Roberts in Virginia John and Elizabeth born in Kentucky

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

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

(1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Eliza Roberts Daughter of John & Elizabeth Blackburn  
Residence: Marion Missouri

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Jesse Blackburn, Died in 1825 in Kentucky  
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: .....

*Polly Carter a Great Aunt- was Enrolled in 1835- and was a sister of my Grandfather John Blackburn*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Case made before the Davis Commission and appealed to the U.S. Court, Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee, I.T. showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood.*

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

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

(Signature.) *Mary J. Davis*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *Fifth* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonso A. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*in and for Clay County, Mississippi*

**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 Gailers* and *B. D. Shelton*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs. Nancy J. Davis*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* 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.

*George Gailers*  
*B. D. Shelton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonso A. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*in and for Clay County, Mississippi*

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. 7127

Action: Rejected

Name: Carrie Niskey and X children. Residence: Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Reasons:

Cousin of 7088.

No. 9127

Name Carrie Dickey

With No. 7088

Remarks:

*Cousin*  
*Carrie Dickey*

No. 7127

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Carrie Dickey*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7127

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:

Barrie Dickey

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Clay County Missouri

3. Town and post office:

Excelsior Springs

4. County:

Clay

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

November 24<sup>th</sup> 1873 Ray County 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: By Indian blood of Cherokee Indians, filed to James Morgan, Great Grandfather of Saulsbury North Carolina, who has been proven to have been a Cherokee Indian by blood, by John Ross and Doug Weber, Cherokee Indians

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:

Thomas C Dickey

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Jane Dickey

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Jane Morgan

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Tennessee

Mother:

Ray County Missouri

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

Father:

Ray County Missouri

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: NO

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lotie Dickey	age 28	Living
(2)	Myrtle Dickey	" 24	"
(3)	Stella Dickey	" 20	"
(4)	Lanora Dickey	" 18	"
(5)	Sallie Jeffries	" 36	"
(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 L Dickey	Nathan R Morgan
Martha Dickey	Anna Morgan

17. Where were they born? on fathers side North Carolina  
mothers side Grandfather North Carolina Grandmother Tennessee

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

All in Ray County Missouri

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: 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: *John L Dickey* and *Martha Dickey* on fathers side  
*Nathan R Morgan* and *Anna Morgan* on mothers side

REMARKS.

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

*Case Made before the Dawes Commission and appealed to the U S Court. Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee I.T. showing applicant to have Indian blood*

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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.) *Carrie Dickey*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H Shelton*  
 Notary Public.  
*Grand for Clay County Missouri*

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 P. Esley* and *J. F. Aulett*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Carrie Dickey*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* 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.

*Joseph P. Esley*  
*J. F. Aulett*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H Shelton*  
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No. 7128

Action: Rejected

Name: Myrtle Dickey and X children. Residence: Greenville Springs, Mo.

Reasons: Cousin of 7088.

No. 7128

Name Myrtle Siskey

With No. 7088

Remarks:

*Cousin Myrtle Dickey*

No. 7128

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Myrtle Dickey*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7128

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: *Myrtle Dickey*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Clay County Missouri*

3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs*

4. County: *Clay*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *September 18<sup>th</sup> 1882 Ray County 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: *By Indian blood of Cherokee Indians. Filed to James Morgan Great Grandfather of Saulsbury North Carolina who has been proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood, by John Ross and Doug Weber, Cherokee Indians*

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: *Thomas B Dickey*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Jane Dickey*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Jane Morgan*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Tennessee*

Mother: *Ray County Missouri*

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

Father: *Ray County Missouri*

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: *No*

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Sallie Jeffries</i>	<i>age 36</i>	
(2)	<i>Carrie Dickey</i>	<i>" 28</i>	
(3)	<i>Lotie Dickey</i>	<i>" 28</i>	
(4)	<i>Stella Dickey</i>	<i>20</i>	
(5)	<i>Lenora Dickey</i>	<i>18</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 L Dickey</i>	<i>Nathan R Morgan</i>
<i>Martha Dickey</i>	<i>Anna Morgan</i>

17. Where were they born? *Father's side North Carolina*  
*Mother's side North Carolina mother Tennessee*

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

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

(1) English name: *Unknown*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

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 L Dickey and Martha Dickey on fathers side  
Nathan R Morgan and Anna Morgan on  
the Mothers side

#### REMARKS.

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

Case made before the Dawes Commission  
and appealed to the U S Court Masters report on  
record with the case at Muskogee showing  
applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood

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

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

(Signature.) Myrtle Dickey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo B. Shelton  
In and for Clay County Missouri  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W A Titus and  
J H Madden, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Myrtle Dickey, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 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.

W A Titus

J. H. Madden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo B. Shelton  
In and for Clay County Missouri  
Notary Public.

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No. 7129

Action: Rejected

Name: Jane Dickey and X children. Residence: Exelsior Springs, Mo.

Reasons:

Amount of 7088.



No. 7/29

Name. Jane Dickey

With No. 7088

Remarks:

*Aunt Jane Dickey*

No. 7129

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jane Dickey*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7129

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 Dickey nee Morgan

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Clay County Missouri

3. Town and post office:

Excelsior Springs

4. County:

Clay

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

December 3<sup>d</sup> 1845

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 Indian blood of Cherokee Indians. Filed to James Morgan of Salisbury North Carolina who has been proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood by John Ross and Doug Weber Cherokee Indians

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Thomas C Dickey

age 64

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

Father—English name:

Nathan R Morgan

Indian name:

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Mother—English name:

Anna Morgan

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Annia Messingale

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Nathan R Morgan North Carolina

Mother:

Anna Morgan Tennessee

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

Father:

Ray County Missouri

Mother:

"

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Aug 12<sup>th</sup> 1886

Mother:

28<sup>th</sup> July 1888

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)	Thomas W Morgan	age 53	Living
(2)	Benjamin F Morgan	" 53	"
(3)	Mary A Reynolds	" 58	"
(4)	John R Morgan	" 64	"
(5)	Frances E Craven	" 48	"
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Morgan	Blakely Massingale
Martha Morgan (nee Parks)	Polly Massingale
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17. Where were they born? Grandfather or Grandmother on father's side born in Virginia on mother's side in Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandmother on mother's side Ray County Missouri the others dead

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: 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:

Father Nathan  
R. Morgan, Asma (Massingale) Morgan  
Grandfather James Morgan & Martha (Parker) Morgan

REMARKS.

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

Case made before the Dawes commission and  
appealed to the U.S. Court, Masters report  
on record with the case at Muskogee I.D.  
showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood.

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

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

(Signature.) James Dickey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H. Shelton  
In and for Clay County Missouri 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 W. Karr and  
J. E. Lot, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with James Dickey, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 25 years,  
respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents herself to be, and  
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

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Signatures of witnesses.  
John W. Karr  
J. E. Lot

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H. Shelton  
In and for Clay County Missouri Notary Public.

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No. 7130

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Lottie Dickey* and *X* children. Residence: *Epelior Springs, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of 7088.*

No. 7130

Name Lottie Dickey

With No. 7088

Remarks:

*Cousin*, *Leticia Dickey*

No. 7130

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Leticia Dickey*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7130



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name:

*Lotie Dickey*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Clay County Missouri*

3. Town and post office:

*Excelsior Springs*

4. County:

*Clay*

5. State:

*Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Sept 7th 1878. Ray County 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:

*By Indian blood of Cherokee Indians. Traced to James Morgan, Great Grandfather, of Saulbrey North Carolina who has been proven to have been a Cherokee Indian by blood by John Ross and Doug Weber Cherokee Indians*

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:

*Thomas L Dickey*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Jane Dickey*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Jane Morgan*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Tennessee*

Mother:

*Ray County Missouri*

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

Father:

*Ray County Missouri*

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: no

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Sallie Jeffries	age 36	Living
(2)	Carrie Dickey	" 33	"
(3)	Myrtle Dickey	" 24	"
(4)	Stella Dickey	26	"
(5)	Lenora Dickey	18	"
(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 L. Dickey	Nathan R. Morgan
Martha Dickey	Anna Morgan

17. Where were they born? Fatherside North Carolina  
Mothers side Grandfather North Carolina Grandmother Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
All in Ray County Missouri

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: 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: *John L Dickey* and *Martha Dickey* on fathers side, and *Nathan R Morgan* and *Anna Morgan* on mothers side

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes 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.) *Lottie Dickey*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Clay County Missouri*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

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Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. H. Titus*  
*J. H. Madden*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Clay County Missouri*

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No. 7131

Action: Reject

Name: Joseph Wagley and X children. Residence: Peoa, Illinois

Reasons:

Applicant claims through father Joseph Wagley. He was not enrolled in 1835 nor 51. The Grandfather Elias Wagley also was not enrolled at any time. It is claimed the Great Grand Mother was Lucy Bolan the Grand Child of Chief John Ross. This seems inconsistent, there is nothing to show this connection. Lucy Bolan nor her mother were ever enrolled. The ancestors were not parties to the treaties. Probably did not live in Cherokee Homains; proof insufficient.

Miss. Test. P. 3903. Also see letter in 7131

Clay Co. Mr. Field

No. 7131

Name Joseph Pagley

Will No. 7131

Remarks: proprietor

7133, 7134, 7135

7309, 7310, 42407

72718, 72719

Field

Pearl

See testimony in 7764

See records of "Miss

Pagley" at Mus-

Coyle, Mo.

Recd. ans. 1/22/08.

See letters enclosed.

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No. 7131

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

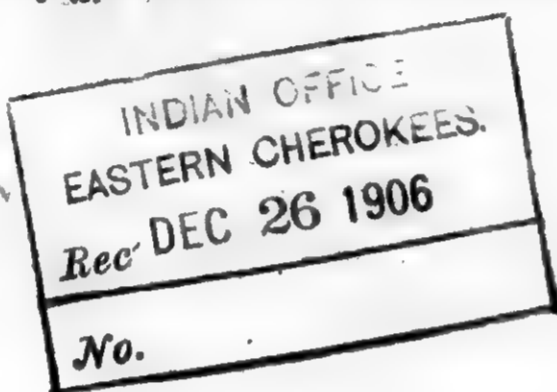
APPLICATION

OF

*Joseph Bagley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-624



CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7131

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: Joseph Bagley

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

2. Residence: Pearl Illinois

3. Town and post office: Pearl

4. County: Pike

5. State: Illinois

6. Date and place of birth: January 30, 1853, East 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 Cherokee <sup>Indian</sup> Blood

Alvis Bagley my uncle

Who was living in 1896 or 1897 now Dead

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Bagley 29 1/2 or 4 9/10

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

Father—English name: Joseph Bagley

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

Mother—English name: Belina Bagley

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

Maiden name: Belina Keeney

11. Where were they born?

Father: East Tennessee

Mother: East Tennessee

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

Father: East Tennessee

Mother: East Tennessee

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: March 25, 1863

Mother: March 13, 1863

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William Wagley	June the first 1836	October 1904
(2)	Elias Wagley	February 9 <sup>th</sup> 1838	November 4 <sup>th</sup> 1902
(3)	Alvis Wagley	January 25 <sup>th</sup> 1840	June 6 <sup>th</sup> 1864
(4)	Elliander Reed (nee) Wagley	December 31 <sup>st</sup> 1848	
(5)	Eggs Roberts (nee) Wagley	April 25 <sup>th</sup> 1842	
(6)	Hannah C. Roberts (nee) Wagley	August 19 <sup>th</sup> 1844	November 1903

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
Elias Wagley	William Keeny
Hannah Wagley	Elisabeth Keeny

17. Where were they born? *All Born in East Tennessee. Elias and Hannah Wagley lived in Missouri. Elisabeth Keeny lived in Tennessee.*

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

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

(1) English name:	<i>Malie Thompson (nee) Keeny</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Elmira Ray County Missouri</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Jackson Keeny</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Anderson County Tennessee</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Alvis Wagley</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Excelsior Springs Clay County Missouri</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Joseph Wagley</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Died in Missouri March 23<sup>rd</sup> 1863.</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Belina Wagley (nee) Keeny</i>
Indian name:	<i>Died in Missouri March 13<sup>th</sup> 1863</i>
Residence:	<i>Died in Missouri March 13<sup>th</sup> 1863</i>

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:

*Alex Dagley my uncle and my Father's Brother  
Who was proven to be a Cherokee Indian by Blood  
By Etchief John Ross and Thomas White*

REMARKS.

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

*Case was made before the Dawes commission  
and appealed to the U. S. court Report on Record  
With this case at Muskogee I. T. Showing applicant  
to have Cherokee Indian Blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *Joseph Dagley*

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

My commission expires  
*Jan 17th*, 1907

*Arthur F. Browning*  
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 Knox* and  
*Henry Sowers*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Joseph Dagley*, 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 *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Albert Knox*  
*Henry Sowers*

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

My commission expires  
*Jan 17th*, 1907

*Arthur F. Browning*  
Notary Public.

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Misc1.

Alias M. Dapley being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 58 year old. My father claimed his Indian descent through his father. My mother and my father's mother were both white women. My father was born 1813, I think in Anderson Co., Tenn. My father came to what is now Blatte Co., Mo. 1836. He came in a wagon with his wife and a number of other white people and staid in Blatte Co. until 184, and then moved back to Tenn., and came back to Mo. in the year of 1850. My father's father did not come to Mo. until after my father had been here the second time. He was killed in either Harrison or Modaway Co. in the later 50's. Neither my father nor his father ever lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe as I know of. I never heard my father nor his father nor any of my ancestors being on any roll. My father never made application to the Laws Commission. My father was about to, but ~~just at the time~~ just at the time applications were being made. Alias Dapley's mother was named Lucy Bolan, and Lucy Bolan's mother was Annie Bolan, who was said to be a daughter of Chief John Ross. I don't know anything about when Annie Bolan was born, or where she died. All the information I get, I get from an Affidavit, which is made out just prior to my father's death, when he was contemplating making application to the Laws Commission. He was not able to execute it at time, and it was left at the house for him to sign when he got able, but he died without signing it. I am recognized in the community where I live as a white man, and my father was also. Alen C. Dapley (7133) is my second cousin. My father and his father were double first cousins. He goes back to the same common source as I to establish his Indian descent. Elanor Reed (7310) is a first cousin of mine on the her father's side. Effie L. Roberts (22718) is ~~my~~ second cousin of mine. Her father and Elanor Reed were brother and sister.

*Group 7764 and those with 7131 with together.*

*Alias M Dapley*  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Excelsior Springs, Mo., this 22nd day of October, 1908.

*F D Ryan*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

App. #7131

January 7, 1906.

Joseph Dagley,

Pearl, Pike Co., Ill.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7131 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you state your Indian blood is by right of your father, Joseph Dagley, who was the son of Elias Dagley, will you please inform this office who was your full-blood Indian ancestor? Where did he reside in 1835? Was he enrolled in 1835? Why was your grandfather, Elias Dagley, not enrolled in 1835, if living at that time? Why was your father, Joseph Dagley, not enrolled in 1851, as you state he was living at that time? Do you know of any reason why your ancestors were not enrolled in 1835 or 1851? Please give all the information you can concerning your Indian ancestors, tracing carefully from your full-blood ancestor down to yourself.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec. JAN 22 1908

No.

S. B. Best

White Hall, Illa Jan 20, 1884

Application # 7131

Kind Sir:-

In reply to your enquiry  
of Jan 7<sup>th</sup> 1908, I hasten to answer  
such questions as I am informed upon.  
Abner Dagley of Excelsior Springs, Mo.  
now deceased, who was a Brother  
of my father Joseph W. Dagley, the  
son of Elias Dagley of Tennessee  
and grandsons of Jonathan Dagley  
of Tennessee, who married Lucy Bolan  
daughter of Fannie Bolan who  
was a daughter of Chief John Ross.  
John Ross is my Indian ancestor,

where he resided in 1835 I do not know, and I do not know that he was enrolled in 1835.

Why my grand father Elias Dagley was not enrolled in 1835 I do not know, and why my father Joseph Dagley was not enrolled in 1851 I do not know, I filed to Abner Dagley my fathers brother as my father was dead at that time

Yours Respectively

Joseph Dagley  
Whitchall

Greene Co.

Illinois

No. 7132

Action: Rejected

Name: Amanda F. Dagley and X children.

Residence: Kearney, Missouri

Reasons:

Cousin of 7088.

No. 7132

Name Annada F. Dugley

With No. 7108

Remarks:



*Cousin*

*Amanda F. Bagley*

No. 7132

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Amanda F. Bagley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7132

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:

Amanda D. Digley

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Clay County Missouri

3. Town and post office:

Kearney

4. County:

Clay

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

1870 Bay County 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:

By Indian blood of Cherokee Indians, filed to James Morgan, Great Grandfather, of Salsbury North Carolina, who has been proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood by John Ross and Doug Weber Cherokee Indians

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Allen R. Digley age 40

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

Father—English name:

John Reynolds

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary A Reynolds

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mary A Morgan

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Kentucky

Mother:

Bay County Missouri

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

Father:

Buchanan County Missouri

Mother:

Bay County Missouri

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Thomas Wesley Reynolds	age 34	Living
(2)	James Robert Reynolds	" 32	"
(3)	George B Reynolds	" 24	"
(4)	Kate Blewinger	" 27	"
(5)	Anna C Reynolds	" 14	"
(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.
George Reynolds	Nathan R Morgan
Elizabeth Reynolds	Anna Morgan

17. Where were they born? Fathers side. Father Kentucky, Grandmother Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandmother on Mother's side - Ray County, Missouri, the Others Dead

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: \_\_\_\_\_

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 on fathers side George Reynolds Grandmother Elizabeth Reynolds nee Blick Grandfather on Mothers side Nathan R Morgan Grandmother Anna Morgan nee Massingale.

**REMARKS.**

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

Case made before the Dawes Commission and appealed to the US Court. Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee I T. Showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood.

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

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

(Signature.) Amanda F. Dagley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906.

My commission expires January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonso K. Shelton  
In and for Clay County Missouri Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me John L. Isley and Judge Thomas M. Gash, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Amanda F. Dagley, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John L. Isley  
Thomas M. Gash

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906.

My commission expires January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonso K. Shelton  
In and for Clay County Missouri Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 5 1907  
No. 7132

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Sept: 4 = 1907

Hearing Clay Co. Mo. R. H. ...  
Mr. Union Miller  
I made application for share in  
business appropriated for the Eastern  
Cherokee Indians by the act of  
Congress approved June 30: 1906 in  
accordance with the decrees of the  
Court of Claims of May 18: 1906 &  
May 20: 1906 I believe it was some  
time last week - Mr. J. Edmiston  
of Miami Indian Territory was  
the lawyer that sent me the  
papers - fill out he said he  
thought it would be paid after  
some time soon after the first  
of the year or early in the  
spring & it is safe & I don't  
see any more at this time  
I will wait the papers.

I received a card in May with  
 my application No on T. which  
 was 7132 now will you please  
 tell me what you can about this  
 business as I am anxious to  
 know do you think it will be  
 paid off any ways some will  
 I have any more papers to  
 sell out will these applicants  
 get any land in the Indian  
 Territory some say they will &  
 some say they won't get any  
 thing but I believe that about  
 the land will get land  
 now I do hope it won't put  
 you to much trouble to  
 answer this for I would be  
 glad to hear from you - I want  
 to ask another question do you  
 think those that have made

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Mrs. Wheeler of Gayley

Dear Sir,  
I received your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the  
matter of the estate of the late Mrs. Wheeler, and in answer  
to inform you that I have been advised by the  
Attorney General that the same is now under  
the consideration of the Court, and that it is  
probable that the same will be decided in  
the course of the next term. I am, Sir,  
very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
J. M. [Name]



App. #7132.

September 9, 1907.

Mrs. Amanda Dagley.

R.F.D. No. 2.

Kearney, Missouri.

Madam-

Replying to your letter of September 4, 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.

There are no lands to be allotted in connection with this fund.

If you have any minor children you should fill out the inclosed supplemental application blank and forward to this office at once, as children share alike with parents.

#2--Mrs. Amanda Dagley:

If there is any further information required in connection with your application you will be notified.

Your stamped envelope is returned, herewith.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

NLC.

2 inclosures.

No. 7133

Action: Rejected

Name: Allen R. Dugley and 2 children.

Residence: Hearney, Mo.

Reasons:

Nephew of 7131.

R. F. D. 2

No. 7133  
Name R. R. Dayley  
With No. 7131

Remarks:

*replew Supl.*

No. 7133

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Allen R. Bagley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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, 1906, and May 20, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7133

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: *Allen R. Bagley*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Excelsior Springs*

3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs (Nearby, Mo. Route 2)*

4. County: *Clay*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *December 2<sup>nd</sup> 1864*

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 Cherokee Indian Blood  
Alice Bagley my Father's double cousin was a  
Cherokee Indian By Blood and was Enrolled in 1835*

8. Are you married? *yes.*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Amanda F Bagley 36.*

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

Father—English name: *Joseph Bagley*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Harriet J. Bagley (nee) Goodwin*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Harriet J. Goodwin*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *East Tennessee*

Mother: *Indiana*

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

Father: *East Tennessee*

Mother: *Indiana*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *died April 16, 1901*

Mother: *died January 4, 1898*

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)	Willard P. Bagley	March 8, 1856	
(2)	Alice J. Bagley (nee) James	December 10, 1857	
(3)	Ollie E. Bagley	May 12, 1860	
(4)	James J. Bagley	March 10, 1862	
(5)	Allen J. Bagley	December 2, 1864	
(6)	Amanda J. Bagley (nee) Reynolds		

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
Mr. Father unknown	Allen Goodwin
Sally Bagley (nee) Longmire	Emeline Goodwin
	Indiana
	Indiana

17. Where were they born? *Indiana*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Mother's side in Indiana*

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

(1) English name:	Joseph Bagley
Indian name:	
Residence:	Died April 16, 1901
(2) English name:	Elias Goodwin
Indian name:	
Residence:	Lawsen Clay County Missouri
(3) English name:	Richard M. Goodwin
Indian name:	
Residence:	Lawsen Ray County Missouri
(4) English name:	Missouri Brook (nee) Goodwin
Indian name:	
Residence:	Oklahoma
(5) English name:	Katie Batts (nee) Goodwin
Indian name:	
Residence:	Warren Ray County Missouri

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:

Alvis Dagley ~~is~~ a double cousin to my father Joseph Bagley who was known to be a Cherokee Indian By Blood By Ex Chief John Ross and Thomas White

REMARKS.

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

Case was made before the Dawes commission and appealed to the U. S. courts Report on Record with the case at Muskogee I. T. showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian Blood.

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

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

(Signature.) Allen <sup>his</sup> B Dagley <sub>mark</sub>

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

My commission expires January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H Shelton  
In and for Clay County Missouri 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 N Cowan and R. G. Hurt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Allen R Dagley, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 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.

J. B. Shelton James N Cowan  
R. G. Hurt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H Shelton  
In and for Clay County Missouri Notary Public.

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and say that they are well acquainted with Allen Riley Dagley who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known his for Two years and Five 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.

Allen B. Shelton  
Myrtle Richardson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1907.

James C. Shelton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 17<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. 7133.

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Allen Riley Dagley,  
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.

NOTARY PUBLIC  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUN 18 1907  
No.

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 7133.

1. State your full name: Allen Riley Dagley
2. Residence and post office: Kearney Mo RFD #2
3. County: Clay
4. State: Missouri
5. Date and place of birth: Dec 2d 1864, Plattsburg, Clinton Co, Mo.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Amanda F Dagley 37 yrs
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.
(1)	<u>Ralph Dagley</u>	<u>Fourteen</u>	<u>May 17th 1893.</u>
(2)	<u>Grace Dagley</u>	<u>Ten</u>	<u>Dec. 29" 1896.</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

### REMARKS

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

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

(Signature) Allen Riley Dagley

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

James C Shelton  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Jan 17, 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 John B. Shelton and Minta Richardson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Allen Riley Dagley who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known his for Two years and Five years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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

John B. Shelton  
Minta Richardson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1907.

James C. Shelton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 17<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

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

No. 7133.

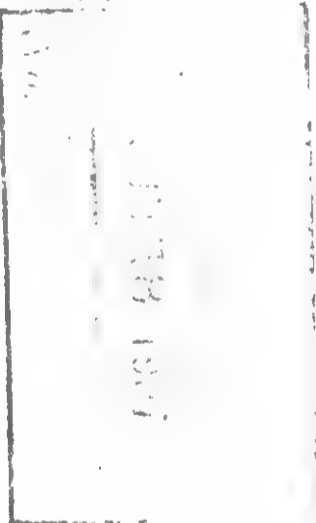
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Allen Riley Dagley  
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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Supl. Rept. letter Ford  
6/11/07

File.

(1)

Kearney Mo June 8/1907

R. N. H. & S.  
To the Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs Washington D. C.  
I filled out my  
application papers for participation  
in the fund of claims in  
favor of the Eastern Cherokee  
& sent them off some time in  
January I think it was. I have  
never received an card yet  
& of my cousins had received  
there cards acknowledging  
receipt of there application. I  
thought mine had been sent  
& maybe it had got lost on  
the road you see I live on  
a Route & have faild to receive  
several letters sent me & another  
thing I wish to mention is

(2)

I live on the Kearney Route but  
went to Excelsior Springs &  
have my applicant filled out  
& I thought maybe it might of  
been sent there. I hope like it  
would of been remailed to  
Kearney. will send stamp &  
envelope for reply how long do  
you think it will be until  
The applicants will get their  
money & will they get paid to  
I hope to hear from you soon  
in regard to the card hope it  
won't put you to much trouble  
to reply. Yours Truly

A. R. Hayley

Kearney Mo.  
R. F. Hayley

Clay Co

No. 7134.

Action: Reject

Name: Edward Debraun and X children. Residence: Shickho, Idaho.

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 Shoshones and knows very little concerning his ancestry.

Reg. Prec. Field 2  
No. 7134 Idaho  
Name Ed. Penham

With No. ....

Remarks: grouped here.  
#7135

Not much use  
in writing the  
app. - now.  
- Drham  
✓



No. 7134

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Edward ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1904, 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.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO  
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: Edward Venham

Indian name: Unknown

2. Residence: Mission Creek

3. Town and post office: Clippon

4. County: Mag. Pierce

5. State: Idaho

6. Date and place of birth: Born 29 June 1868, Edmonson County, Kentucky

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 Great Grandmother

1 Mrs. Martin Luther Venham,  
Indian name unknown.

2 No, just one.

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lucy Venham,  
aged 24 yrs.

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

Father—English name: Thomas Jackson Venham,

Indian name: Unknown

Mother—English name: Sarah Jane Venham

Indian name: Unknown

Maiden name: Sarah Jane Sanders

11. Where were they born?

Father: Born in Jackson County, Tennessee

Mother: Born in Edmonson County, Kentucky

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

Father: Edmonson County, Kentucky

Mother: Edmonson County, Kentucky

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 29th May, 1880 Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Rosa Wright	May 18, 1870	
(2)	Clarence Wenham	Sept 9, 1871	March 14, 1901
✓ (3)	Samuel Wenham	Oct 22, 1873	
(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
Martin Luther Wenham	Samuel Sanders
Indian name: Unknown	Not Indian
Sarah Berry Wenham	Lucy Morgan Sanders
Not Indian	Not Indian

17. Where were they born? Father's father in Indiana, father's mother in Ireland, mother's father in Kentucky, mother's mother in Kentucky

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Living in Edmonson County, Kentucky

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: 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: .....

*Impossible*

REMARKS.

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

*My father came to Blaine County, Idaho in 1876  
He died in 1880. Then my mother came to  
Blaine County, Idaho. Therefore we lost all  
knowledge of my father's relatives as we  
never corresponded with them.*

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 Deinhart*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*February 23<sup>rd</sup>*, 1907

*E. K. Jeffery*

Notary Public.

*in and for Blaine County, Idaho*

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 L. Simmons* and *Charles A. Fairfield*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Edward Deinhart*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* years and *18* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Edwin H. Jeffery*  
*John A. ...*

*William L. Simmons*  
*Charles A. Fairfield*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *February*, 1906.

My commission expires

*February 23<sup>rd</sup>*, 1907

*E. K. Jeffery*

Notary Public.

*in and for Blaine County, Idaho*

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.

App. #7134.

January 7, 1908. K  
CN  
/

Edward Denham,  
Slickpoo, Idaho.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7134 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you state that you claim through your great grandmother, Mrs. Martin Luther Denham, will ask, who were the parents of the said Mrs. Martin Luther Denham, and where did they reside in 1835? Where was the said Mrs. Martin Luther Denham residing in 1835? Who were your full-blood Indian ancestors? Please trace carefully from your full-blood Indian ancestor down to yourself, stating why your ancestors were not enrolled in 1835 and 1851 with the Eastern Cherokee Indians. Please give us all the information you can concerning your relatives who are descendants of the Cherokee Indians, stating their place of residence in 1835 and in 1851.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

LBD/AIL

No. 7135

Action: *Reject*

Name *Samuel Denham* and *X* children. Residence: *§ Lickpoo, Idaho*

Reasons:

*Brother of # 7134 and Dennis through the same source.*

No. 7135

Name. Samuel Decker

With No. 7134

Remarks:

No. 7135

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Blenheim*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

5812



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: Samuel Denham

Indian name: Unknown

2. Residence: Mission Creek

3. Town and post office: Shickler

4. County: Myers

5. State: Idaho

6. Date and place of birth: Oct. 22, 1873, Edmonson County, Kentucky

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 Great Grandmother

1 Mrs. Martin Luther Denham  
Indian name unknown

2 No, just one

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife of husband: Margaret Denham  
aged 25 years

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

Father—English name: Thomas Jackson Denham

Indian name: Unknown

Mother—English name: Sarah Jane Denham

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

Maiden name: Sarah Jane Sanders

11. Where were they born?

Father: Born in Jackson County, Tennessee

Mother: Born in Edmonson County, Kentucky

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

Father: Edmonson County, Kentucky

Mother: Edmonson County, Kentucky

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 29th May, 1850

Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Edward Newham	29 June 1868	
(2)	Mrs. Rosa Wright	18 May 1870	
(3)	Blanche Newham	9 Sept 1871	March 17 1901
(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
English name	Martin Luther Newham	Samuel Sanders
Indian name	Unknown	Not Indian
English name	Maria Berry Newham	Sarah Wagon Sanders
Indian name	Not Indian	Not Indian

17. Where were they born? Father's, Father, in Indiana, Father's Mother in Ireland, Mother's Father in Kentucky, Mother's Mother Kentucky.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Living in Edmonson County, Kentucky.

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. 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: .....

*Impossible*

REMARKS.

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

*My father came to Kootenai County, Idaho, in 1876, he died in 1880, then my brother came to Idaho County, Idaho. Therefore we lost all knowledge of my father's relatives. We never corresponded with them.*

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

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

(Signature.) *Samuel Denton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *February 25<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*W. H. Jeffery*  
Notary Public. *in Ops*  
*residing at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho*

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 E. Simmons* and *Charles A. Fairford*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Samuel Denton*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *4* years and *18* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Andrew A. Jeffery*  
*Jeff D. Co.*

*William E. Simmons*  
*Charles A. Fairford*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*February 25<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*W. H. Jeffery*  
Notary Public.  
*in Ops Co. Idaho*

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. 7136

Action: Reject

Name: Laura B. Donaldson and X children. Residence: Liberty, Missouri.

Reasons:

Applicant born in Missouri.  
Applicant's father born in Missouri.  
Grand father moved to Missouri  
in 1828. Ancestors did not live in Cherokee  
Domain in 1835. They could not be parties  
to the treaties of 1835-6-46. They were never  
enrolled

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No. 7136 ~~Field~~ <sup>Field</sup> Clay Co. Mo.

Name Lenora B. Donelson

With No. ....

Remarks:  
7149, 7150, 7151, 7152,  
2174. For R.C.

~~Field~~  
~~Clay Co~~  
~~Mo.~~  
~~Liberty~~

Records at Muscogee  
Okla. revised 1/30/08  
2<sup>nd</sup> letter red 2/4/08

"Fuller"  
appear to be "Old"  
timers or never  
lived with Indians  
since 1828

No. 7136

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Lenora B. Donaldson*

*Lenora B. Donaldson*  
For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-621

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7136

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 Indian Blood of Cherokee Miles Fuller Father, Andrew Fuller Grand Father, and Richard Fuller Great Grand Father, who is on the Roll of 1835

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: *no*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)	<i>Sarah A Fuller</i>	<i>Oct 25<sup>th</sup> 1875</i>	
(3)	<i>Robert H Fuller</i>	<i>Aug 17 1881</i>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Andrew Fuller</i>	<i>John Spencer</i>
<i>Richard Fuller</i>	<i>Nancy Spencer</i>

17. Where were they born? *Andrew Fuller NC, Richard Fuller NC, Nancy Spencer nee, Choulog Tennessee*

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

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

(1) English name:	<i>John Fuller</i>	<i>Joseph Spencer</i>
Indian name:	<i>Elijah "</i>	<i>Martin "</i>
Residence:	<i>William "</i>	<i>Viava "</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Susan "</i>	
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(3) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(4) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(5) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		

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

*Richard Fuller was Enrolled in 1835  
as appears on Chief John Ross's Roll*

REMARKS.

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

*Case made before the Lewis Commission  
and reported on record with case  
of Muscogee IT, showing applicant  
having Cherokee 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.) *Leonora B. Donaldson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Oct-12*, 19*10*

*Richard L. Bruce*  
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. Carrie Katron* and *Mary H. Thompson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Leonora B. Donaldson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and *12* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Mrs. Carrie Katron,  
Mary H. Thompson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*October 12*, 19*10*

*Richard L. Bruce*  
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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Misc1.

Milus Fuller being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am nearly 72 years of age. I claim my Indian blood through my father, and he claims his through his father. My father was born in Buncombe Co., North Carolina, 1806, died in 1875. My father claimed to be one-half Cherokee. Neither I nor my father ever lived as a member of the Indians. My father came to Clinton Co., Mo. in 1828, and that is where I was born and raised. My grandfather died back in North Carolina, but I don't know when. Neither I nor my father were ever on any Indian roll. It is my understanding that my grandfather Richard Fuller was enrolled on the Cherokee roll in 1836. All I know is, that a Cherokee by the name of White sent my father statement along time ago, that Richard Fuller was on the roll of 1836, and it gave his number. Paper containing this statement was burned up several years ago in a fire, and I don't know now whether it was in the nature of an Affidavit or merely a written statement. I made application to the Daws Commission in 1896 for enrollment, but I never received anything. I am recognized in the community at the present time where I live as a white man, but my father was considered by some to be part Indian. Dora L. Fuller is a nephew of mine. He died about a year ago, and Jessie Guy is a niece of mine. They claim their Indian blood through the same source as I do.

*Milus Fuller*  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of October,  
1908.

*F. D. Ryan*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner U.S.  
Court of Claims.

3896

No. 7. 37

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mrs. L. Day* and *1* children. Residence: *Norman, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Miami, through the same source as 7003.*

No. 7137

Name Donald Jay

With No. 7160

Remarks:

No. 7137

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John H. Day*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-824

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7137

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: *Dora Hazel Day*  
Indian name: *unknown*
2. Residence: *Norman*
3. Town and post office: *Norman*
4. County: *Delaware*
5. State: *Oklahoma*
6. Date and place of birth: *Sept 26 1889 Carrollton Mo*
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 Great Grand father Benjamin Blackburn Grand father James J. Blackburn and my father J. J. Blackburn still living at Franklins Oklahoma Ter*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of ~~my~~ or husband: *L. W. Day age 24*  
*my baby born Oct 4 1905 living*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *J. J. Blackburn*  
Indian name: *unknown*  
Mother—English name: *Sarah J. Blackburn*  
Indian name: *unknown*  
Maiden name: *Sarah J. Stamper*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Delaware county Ill*  
Mother: *Green county Ind*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *living in Westfield Ill*  
Mother: *not living*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *living* Mother: *living*

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

where: *Yes 12 years ago in Cherokee  
Station and knocked out with Davis Com.*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Minnie M Blackburn</i>	<i>Dec 4 1871</i>	<i>Oct 21 1885</i>
(2)	<i>Earl D Blackburn</i>	<i>Jan 1 1884</i>	<i>living</i>
(3)	<i>William B Blackburn</i>	<i>Aug 17 1884</i>	<i>Feb 14 1891</i>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>James J Blackburn</i>	<i>William Stamper</i>
<i>Elisabeth Blackburn</i>	<i>Annie Stamper</i>
<i>father name unknown</i>	<i>mother's side grand</i>
<i>father unknown</i>	<i>grand mother Green Co ind</i>

17. Where were they born? *Father's side Grand father Key  
Grand mother Clark Co Ohio*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *James J Blackburn  
Elisabeth Blackburn Westfield Ill*

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

(1)	English name: <i>J. J. Blackburn Frank Blackburn</i>
	Indian name: <i>unknown</i>
	Residence: <i>Norman Okla Ter</i>
(2)	English name: <i>Samuel M Blackburn</i>
	Indian name: <i>unknown</i>
	Residence: <i>Norman Okla Ter</i>
(3)	English name: <i>James M Blackburn dead</i>
	<del>name</del> name: <i>Benjamin Blackburn</i>
	Residence: <i>Delavan Ill</i>
(4)	English name: <i>Margaret E King</i>
	Indian name: <i>unknown</i>
	Residence: <i>Cyprus Kashe Ind Ter</i>
(5)	English name: <i>Jessie Barnard</i>
	Indian name: <i>unknown</i>
	Residence: <i>Norman O J she is dead her family</i>

*is there yet 5 children living*  
20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *No*

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

**REMARKS.**

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Dora Hazel Day*

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

My commission expires *Dec 19*, 1908

*B. H. Wolf*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *Chas. W. Day* and *Fern Fuller*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Dora Hazel Day*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *4* years and *12* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *us* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *the* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Chas. W. Day*  
*Fern Fuller*

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

My commission expires *Dec 19*, 1908

*B. H. Wolf*  
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. 7138

Action: Reject

Name Dorey Edmore and X children. Residence: Arcebo, Ponce,  
no-

Reasons:

Delaine through the same source as 700-3.

No. 7138

Name Dorey Eluon

With No. 7053

Remarks: Ex File

No. 7138

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*Miss Dora<sup>or</sup> Elmore  
Excelsior Springs  
Missouri*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-824

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7138

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: Dorcy Elmore

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

2. Residence: Clay County Missouri

3. Town and post office: Excelsior Springs

4. County: Clay

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: 26<sup>th</sup> May 1848 Shelby County 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: John E. Elmore, son of Sarah Elmore, nee Baugh and a grandson of William Baugh of Kentucky and a grand nephew of Rhoda Blackburn nee Baugh, and a grand nephew of Polly Carter who was Cherokee by blood and on the Roll of 1835

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 E. Elmore

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

Mother—English name: Sally W. Elmore

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

Maiden name: Sally W. Harris

11. Where were they born?

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Kentucky

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

Father: Kentucky

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Aug 6<sup>th</sup> 1904

mother living

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Mrs Mary Spicer	1855	Living
(2)	James Edward Elmore	1857	"
(3)	Janny Roberts Elmore	1859	Dead
(4)	Robert Elmore	1861	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
James Edward Elmore	Alfred Harris
Sallie Elmore	Polly Harris

17. Where were they born? all born in Kentucky

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

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

(1) English name:	William F Elmore	Dead 1876
Indian name:	John E. Elmore	" 1904
Residence:	Robert Elmore	" 1906
(2) English name:	Sarah Elmore	unknown
Indian name:	Martha Jane Shearer	Lexington Kentucky
Residence:	Rebecca Ann Watts	Norcrossville "
(3) English name:		
Indian name:	Mother's side	
Residence:	William M Harris	Dead unknown
(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: *Filed To Polly Carter a Cherokee Indian by blood a Great Grand Aunt of applicant and a grand aunt of John E. Elmore, my father,*

REMARKS.

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

*Case made before the Dawes commission and appealed to the U.S. Court Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee I. T. Showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *Dovey Elmore*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*in and for Clay County Missouri*

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. E. Simploton* and *Nelle B. Bryan*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Dovey Elmore*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and *10* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. E. Simploton*  
*Nelle B. Bryan*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*in and for Clay County Missouri*

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No. 7139.

Action: Reject

Name: James Eidson and X children. Residence: Abilene, Texas

Reasons:

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

~~None List.~~

# 7143 app.

See Letter

app. # 7139.



No. 7139

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James Tidson*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 23, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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:

James Eidoon

Indian name:

unknown

2. Residence:

Abilene Taylor Co. Tex

3. Town and post office:

Abilene Texas

4. County:

Taylor

5. State:

Texas

6. Date and place of birth:

8<sup>th</sup> Sep 1857. Alabama

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

My Mother

My Grand Mother Rhoda Blakey

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Jennie Eidoon

Born 1860

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

Father—English name:

Iron Eidoon

Indian name:

unknown

Mother—English name:

Mary Eidoon

Indian name:

unknown

Maiden name:

Mary Herring

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Alabama

Mother:

Alabama

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

Father:

Alabama

Mother:

Alabama

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1861

Mother:

1906

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>George Edison</i>	<i>1848</i>	<i>1871</i>
(2)	<i>Amiel Edison</i>	<i>1852</i>	<i>1904</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>James Edison</i>	<i>Rhoda Blakely</i>
<i>Rhoda Blakely</i>	<i>J. Herring</i>
	<i>Spencer</i>

17. Where were they born? *South Carolina*

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

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

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(1) English name:	<i>Louis Edison</i>
Indian name:	<i>unknown</i>
Residence:	<i>Alabama</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Wylie Edison</i>
Indian name:	<i>unknown</i>
Residence:	<i>Alabama</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Pron Edison</i>
Indian name:	<i>unknown</i>
Residence:	<i>Alabama</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Sallie Edison</i>
Indian name:	<i>unknown</i>
Residence:	<i>Alabama</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: *No,*

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

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

REMARKS.

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

*My Paternal Grandmother  
Rhoda Blakely was  
one half Cherokee Indian*

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

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

(Signature.) *James Edison*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907 *E. R. Kelly* Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *E. S. Hickam* and *M. H. Williams*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *James Edison*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *8* 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.

*E. S. Hickam*  
*M. H. Williams*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907 *E. R. Kelly* Notary Public.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec FEB 18 1907

No. 7139 App-

sent card  
Repts 2/19/07.

E. N. HIRBY  
LAWYER  
Notary Public in Office

Comm of Indian affairs  
Washington D.C.

ABILENE, TEXAS, 2-13-1907.

Dear Sir:- Mess James Eidson & G. W. Eidson, whose claims should have been filed along with "7765", have received from you no notice of the receipt of same, and beg to ask of you whether or not their claims have been filed with you. As Mr. W. E. Johnston, of Vienna, Ind. Ter. had charge of all these claims and doubtless filed all together -

We will thank you for an early reply.

Yours Truly  
James Eidson 7139  
& G. W. Eidson 7143

No. 7140 Action: *Reject*  
Name: *Lenora W. Elliott* and *X* children. Residence: *Cornegie, Ohio,*

Reasons:

*Applicant living in 1857 but not enrolled,  
mother Sallie Hildebrand living in 1857 but  
appears not to be enrolled.*

*Isaac the Grand father appears neither on  
the 1835 or 57. Got no allotment from Ohio Comm.*

*Miss Let. P. Seale*

Field Okla

No. 7140

Name Lenora H. Elliott

With No. Anadarko

Remarks:

H. Cobb

Claims through  
"Hilderbrande".

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... for 700  
Investigate



No. 7140 *Field Okla*  
Name *Lenna W. Elliott*  
With No. *307*

Remarks:

7166. 7775. 7165  
7164. 7170. 17871  
7770. 17881. 20268.  
*Field* / *Okla*  
45945-6.

Claims this. -  
"Hildebrands"

7170 - 23076 - 7775 - 7770  
7165 taken for  
Field Investigation

No. 7140

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Lenora W. Elliott*  
*L. W. Ellington*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906

No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: Lenora Wilkenth Elliott,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: Carnegie
4. County: Caddo
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: January 19, 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: one mother  
Sallie Grow
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: 56 years 9 months  
7 days
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Annais Grow  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Sallie Grow  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Sallie Heltterbond
11. Where were they born?  
Father: November 17, 1810  
Mother: January 1822
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Carroll County Missouri  
Mother: Carroll County Missouri
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: October 27, 1871 Mother: August 16, 1903

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Mary Elizabeth	Dec 21 1836	
(2)	Levada Johnson	Jan 19 1840	
(3)	Sarah Jane	July 6 1842	
(4)	Martha N	Dec 31 1840	
(5)	William Jackson	Apr 21 1848	
(6)	Robert Fountain	Aug 10 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
	<i>Impossible</i>	

17. Where were they born?

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

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

(1)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(2)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(3)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(4)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(5)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	

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

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

REMARKS.

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

*Can't give any thing definite in regard to the ancestors none only that the fatherland came from North Carolina*

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.) *Lenora Willmouth Elliott*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *Oct.*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 22*, 190*9* *Paul Gilbert*  
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. L. Gunn* and *D. R. Jackson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Lenora Willmouth Elliott*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *35* 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: *A. B. Elliott*, *A. P. Foster*  
Signatures of witnesses: *J. L. Gunn*, *D. R. Jackson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *Oct.*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 22*, 190*9* *Paul Gilbert*  
Notary Public.

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Martha Ann Gum.

#7170.

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Martha Ann Gum being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Martha Ann Gum, and I live at Fort Cobb, Okla. I am 62 years old. I claim my Indian descent through my mother, Sallie Hilderbrand. My mother was 86 years old at the time of her death in 1903. She died in Lexington, Okla. My mother was born in Tenn. I do not know the County, but it was in the eastern part. My mother went to Ky. from Tenn. She was nearly grown when she went to Ky. She lived in Ky until she was 20 years old, when she came to Mo. My mother must have been 1/4 Cherokee. She got her Indian blood through her father, Isaac Hilderbrand. I think my grandfather died in Tenn. I do not remember when. My grandfather was born in N.C. but I do not know in what County. Neither he nor my mother got any money in 1852 on account of their Indian blood. My mother never applied for land in the territory. I do not think she thought anything about our having Indian blood until ~~my mother~~ ~~traced it up~~ we children traced it up. My mother said that it was all right, that she believed there was something in it, for she had always heard about there being Indian blood in the family when she was a little girl, but had never thought much about it since she grew up. My mother never mixed with the Indians nor did the Indians visit her. We did not live in the neighborhood of any. I do not know very much about my grandparents, but I have heard my grandmother speak about living among the Indians. But she did not live among them as an Indian. I have been allowed citizenship rights in the Indian territory, and my name is on that roll. But we never got any lands or money. We went through the chancery court. I wish to file herewith the copy of a brief submitted by my lawyer in regard to our Cherokee blood, in connection with citizenship application.

Martha A. Gum

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Oct. 1908, at Madawka/Okla.

J. E. Taylor  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.

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APP. #7140.

January 7, 1908.

Lenora W. Elliott,  
Carnegie, Okla.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #7140 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you state that you base your right to participate through your mother, Sallie Grow, nee Hilderbrand, and state that further you do not know. If being absolutely necessary for us to know who were your full-blood Indian ancestors, you will have to furnish this office with such information. Please consult some of your relatives and endeavor to give us the history of your Indian ancestors, tracing from the full-blood ancestor to yourself. If you are of Indian blood, why were you not enrolled in 1851? Please state where your Indian ancestors were living in 1851, and, if in the West, when did they move from the East to the West? Any information you may be able to obtain will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

LBD/AIL

No. 7141

Action:

Reject

Name

Lula B. Eldridge and X

children.

Residence:

Little, Okla.

Reasons:

First cousin once removed  
of #7118. Claims through  
same source.



No. 7141  
Name Lula B Ellidge  
With No. 7123

Remarks:

1<sup>st</sup> class, only re-  
moved of 7114  
No. 7141

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lula B. Eldridge*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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.

- (Strippling)
1. State full name—  
English name: Lula Belle Eldridge  
Indian name: Unknown
  2. Residence: Indian Territory
  3. Town and post office: Tuttle, Tuttle
  4. County: Pontitoc
  5. State: Indian Territory
  6. Date and place of birth: April 2<sup>nd</sup> 1885, Lampasas Co. 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: Claim by that of Cherokee Indian blood and being a descendant of W. J. Holcomb, my great grand Father, who was born December 3<sup>d</sup> 1819 Monroe County Tennessee.
  8. Are you married? yes
  9. Name and age of wife or husband: James W. Eldridge  
borned July 11<sup>th</sup> 1882.
  10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William A. Strippling  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Louisa M. Strippling  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Louisa M. Davis
  11. Where were they born?  
Father: Bullock County Alabama  
Mother: Murray County Georgia
  12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: not borned  
Mother: not borned
  13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: living Mother: living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Not to my knowledge*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Franklin M. Stripling	Feb 7, 1881	
(2)	Lillie Gibbs	Oct 18 <sup>th</sup> 1887	
(3)	Florence Stripling	July 24 <sup>th</sup> 1890	
(4)	Motie Stripling	June 16 <sup>th</sup> 1893	
(5)	Carl Stripling	Nov 3	Nov 23 1900
(6)	Luther Stripling	Nov 23	Nov 23 1900

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.
Richard M. Davis	Martha J. Holcomb

17. Where were they born? *Forsyth County Georgia*  
*Monroe County Tennessee*

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

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

(1)	English name:	William E. Davis
(2)	Indian name:	Louisa M. Stripling
	Residence:	Oklahoma Territory & Indian Territory
(3)	English name:	Sallie B. Davis. Died Dec 12 <sup>th</sup> 1882.
(4)	Indian name:	Rufus S. Davis.
	Residence:	Oklahoma Territory
(5)	English name:	John M. Davis
(6)	Indian name:	Ruie L. Kendrick.
	Residence:	Oklahoma Territory & Texas
(7)	English name:	Samuel H. Davis
(8)	Indian name:	Mary J. Gardner
	Residence:	Indian Territory & Indian Territory
(9)	English name:	Eugene O. Davis
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	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: Richard M. Davis, grand Father, Martha J. Davis grand Mother, William J. Holcomb great grand Father, Louisa Holcomb great grand mother. on great grand Mother's side the name is Berry.

REMARKS.

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

Application presented, Application and Affidavit evidence to Dawes Commission in 1896. and proof is a matter of record

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.)* Lulu Belle (Stapling) Eldridge  
all erasures made before signing — 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires Oct 17-, 1908

*(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 W.E. Outhouse and Charles E. Gardner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lula B. Eldridge, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 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.

Signatures of witnesses.

W.E. Outhouse  
Chas E Gardner

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

My commission expires Oct 17-, 1908

*(Signature)*  
Notary Public.

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

No. 7142

Action: *Reject*

Name: *John W. Estes* and children.

Residence: *Sawton, Okla.,  
Route #7,*

Reasons:

*Applicant claims through father  
Oscar Estes who was born in 1833 in Ga.  
but no such name appears on the 1851 roll.  
It appears that ancestors were not parties to the  
treaties of 1835-6-46. Probably they were not living in  
the Cherokee Nation. Proof in sufficient. Father  
refused land by the *McCook*.  
*misc. list P. 3509**

No. 7142 Field  
Ohio

Name John W. Estes

With No. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: Lawton

Field  
Section  
Ohio

Letter returned  
"Unclaimed"  
2/18/08

Lawton

*Lawton Okla*

No. 7142

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John M. Ester*

For share of money appropriated for the 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. DEC 26 1906 No. .
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*7142*



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 Marion Estes

Indian name:

None

2. Residence:

Mc Loud, Oklahoma

3. Town and post office:

Mc Loud, Rural free Delivery # 2

4. County:

Pottawatomie

5. State:

Oklahoma Lawton, Okla.

6. Date and place of birth:

Horsythe County Georgia August 3, 1863

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:

Great Grandmother,  
her name is Elizabeth Hurdsey,  
(her maiden name) she was the wife  
of my Great Grandfather Joshua  
Estes originally spelled Castridge.

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

My wife's name Delia  
Jane Catherine Estes 10-17-1859

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

Father—English name:

Cicero Estes

Indian name:

None

Mother—English name:

Adelia Estes

Indian name:

None

Maiden name:

Adelia Mills

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Chiswell County Georgia

Mother:

Don't know

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:

is in

Mother:

September 5, 1906

Name: Thomas Jefferson Estes 6-2-1868 Died  
 Dove Embury Estes 1-1-1872 Not known  
 Pinkie Embury Estes Not known

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 West Estes	Don't know	Don't know
(2) Pulaski Cicero Estes	9-2-1957	living
(3) Jounigan Worley Estes	8-25-1860	"
(4) John Marion Estes	8-3-1863	"
(5) Mary Elizabeth Estes	6-22-1865	"
(6) Roxan Estes	Don't know	"

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
Joel Estes	not known

17. Where were they born? Morgan County Georgia  
10-23-1817

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

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

- (1) English name: Cicero Estes  
 Indian name: None  
 Residence: Bee Bee Indian Territory
- (2) English name: Harry Estes  
 Indian name: None  
 Residence: Lawton, Oklahoma
- (3) English name: Newton Estes  
 Indian name: None  
 Residence: Lawton, Oklahoma
- (4) English name: Marion Estes  
 Indian name: None  
 Residence: Whitesboro Texas
- (5) English name: Jasper Estes  
 Indian name: None  
 Residence: Whitesboro Texas

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: None

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *has been*

*given.*

REMARKS.

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

*Great-grandfather was born in North Carolina, also my great-grand-mother was born in the same state. They moved to Forsyth, Georgia in 1834. Forsyth County was originally Cherokee County.*

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 Marion Estes*

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

My commission expires *July 24*, 1909 *W. H. Toole*  
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 *Dr. J. S. Lyon* and *J. A. Marchant*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John M. Estes*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *1 1/2* 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.

*Dr. J. S. Lyon*  
*J. A. Marchant*

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

My commission expires *July 24*, 1909 *W. H. Toole*  
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.

APP. #7142.

January 7, 1908.

John Marion Estes,  
Lawton, Okla.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7142 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you state that you base your right to this share through your great grandmother, whose name was Elizabeth Estes, nee Hulsey. The name of Hulsey does not appear upon the roll of 1835 or 1851. Why was your said great grandmother not enrolled in 1835? Was she a full-blood Indian? If not, who were her full-blood Indian ancestors? Where did your great grandmother live in 1835, and, if living in 1851, where was her place of residence? Why was your father not enrolled? Why was your grandfather, Joel Estes, not enrolled? Trace carefully from your full-blood Indian ancestor down to yourself, giving the history of the family, and stating why they were not enrolled on the Cherokee roll of 1835 and 1851.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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920-8<sup>st</sup> Lawton Okla

007142) To the Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs Dear Sir as I have not heard  
from the Department for some time  
I thought I would write to see what  
had been done with our claim. Hoping  
to hear a favorable report when you  
reply. I remain Respt- John M. Estes

920-8<sup>st</sup> Lawton

Okla

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Sawtooth Okla

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Sirs I write you in regard to  
application No 7142 as I am

the applicant I beg to

Be advised what Disposition

has been made of said

Application as I have

not heard for some time

awaiting your Reply

I remain yours Respt

J M Estes

Sawtooth

Okla

920 8th St



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to the Department of  
Indian Affairs I will write  
you to let you know  
that I have married  
Thron McCloud of La  
to Sawtore of La so you  
may write me at this  
place till further notice  
hoping to hear a  
favorable report soon I  
remain yours Truly  
J. M. Estes  
Sawtore  
of La

my application

No 23 7142

John M. Estes.

#7142.

John M. Estes being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is John M. Estes, and I am 45 years old. I live at Lawton, Okla. I claim my Indian blood through my father, Saccere Estes. He now lives at Bebee, Okla. I am the only one of my family who has applied to participate in this fund. My father did not apply because he had spent so much money trying to get his land in the Indian Territory. My father was born in ~~South~~ Guinnette County, Ga. My father came west in 1859. My father was born in 1833. He settled in Tex. My father was about 1/16 Cherokee Indian. My father got his Indian blood through his father, Joel Estes. Joel lived in Ga. but was born in ~~North~~ N.C. or in S.C. He came west about the same time we all did. I am mistaken it was the father of Joel Estes, my great grandfather, who was born in N. or S.C. His name was Joshua Estes, and he was 1/4 Cherokee. I do not know when or where Joshua Estes died. His mother my great great grandmother, Elizabeth Hulsey, who was 1/2 blood Cherokee, and I can remember her, she lived to be 107 years old. She died back in Ga. in Forsythe County. I do not know whether she mixed up with the Indians there, for when I was a boy there the Indians had all been moved from that locality.

*John M. Estes*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Oct. 1908, at Lawton, Okla./

*J. E. Tylon*

Asst. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.

*L.B.D.*

App. #7142.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,**

**EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

**801 OURAY BUILDING,**

**WASHINGTON, D. C.**

January 7, 1908.

John Marion Estes,

Lawton, Okla.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7142 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you state that you base your right to this share through your great grandmother, whose name was Elizabeth Estes, nee Hulsey. The name of Hulsey does not appear upon the roll of 1835 or 1851. Why was your said great grandmother not enrolled in 1835? Was she a full-blood Indian? If not, who were her full-blood Indian ancestors? Where did your great grandmother live in 1835, and, if living in 1851, where was her place of residence? Why was your father not enrolled? Why was your grandfather, Joel Estes, not enrolled? Trace carefully from your full-blood Indian ancestor down to yourself, giving the history of the family, and stating why they were not enrolled on the Cherokee roll of 1835 and 1851.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

*George Miller*

Special Commissioner.

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Okla

Aug 11th - 1905

Mr Gunnison Miller

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir I notice in  
the papers that the  
payment of the Indian  
heirship money will be  
made soon. So I thought  
I would write you  
to see if I was a  
successful applicant  
if so how much will  
each one get and how.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Gawton akla

June 5 - 1909

113, ~~Garrison~~ Miller

Kind sir as it has been  
some time since I heard  
from you in regard  
to our Indian claim I  
thought I would write  
you and see if I could  
hear from you. how are you  
progressing with the affairs  
and has my case been passed  
upon Hoping to here soon

I remain Respt J. M. Estes

510 N St Gawton akla



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OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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No. 7143

Action: *Reject.*

Name *George W. Edson* and — children. Residence: *Abilene, Texas.*

Reasons:

*Nephew of #923, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

No. 7143

Name Geo W Eidsom

With No. 923

Remarks:

number 7923  
No. 7143

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION

OF

*George W. Edson*

For share of money appropriated for the 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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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: *George Eidson*  
Indian name: *None*  
2. Residence: *Abilene Taylor County Texas*  
3. Town and post office: *Abilene Taylor County Texas*  
4. County: *Taylor*  
5. State: *Texas*  
6. Date and place of birth: *December 14<sup>th</sup> 1874 Lampasas*  
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 mother my mother Jimney Eidson*

*Lampasas  
County Texas*

8. Are you married? *No*  
9. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

Father—English name: *James Eidson*  
Indian name: *none*  
Mother—English name: *Jimnie Eidson*  
Indian Name: *none*  
Maiden name: *Jimnie Avant*

11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Claton Barber County Alabama*  
Mother: *Bonfeton Choctaw County Mississippi*  
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *in State of Alabama*  
Mother: *not born*  
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *living*      Mother: *living*

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

*no*

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

- |     | NAME           | BORN                        | DIED                                   |
|-----|----------------|-----------------------------|--|
| (1) | William Eidson | May 14 <sup>th</sup> 1877   | Ben Eidson Apr                         |
| (2) | Annie Eidson   | March 19 <sup>th</sup> 1882 | Kora Eidson April 2                    |
| (3) | Fannie Eidson  | May 30 <sup>th</sup> 1884   | James Eidson Jan 7                     |
| (4) | Cora Eidson    | April 25 <sup>th</sup> 1891 | Emmer Eidson Nov 27 <sup>th</sup> 189  |
| (5) | Lula Eidson    | Aug 29 <sup>th</sup> 1894   | Arthur Eidson May 5 <sup>th</sup> 1899 |
| (6) | Jesse Eidson   | Feb 7 <sup>th</sup> 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                           |
|---------------|---|
| Orin Eidson   | Thomas Avants <del>Francis Avants</del> |
| Mary Eidson   | Francis E. Avants                       |

17. Where were they born? *Father Side State of Alabama*  
*Mother Side East Tennessee and Alabama*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Father Side State Alabama*  
*Mother Side State of Mississippi*

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

- |     |   |                          |                           |
|-----|---|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| (1) | English name: James Avants and call Avants living | Indian name: <i>none</i> | Residence: <i>unknown</i> |
| (2) | English name: Brewery Avants dead                 | Indian name: <i>none</i> | Residence: <i>unknown</i> |
| (3) | English name: George W. Avants                    | Indian name: <i>none</i> | Residence: <i>unknown</i> |
| (4) | English name: Mary Lucy Avants                    | Indian name: <i>none</i> | Residence: <i>unknown</i> |
| (5) | English name: Wiley E. Avants                     | Indian name: <i>none</i> | Residence: <i>unknown</i> |

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:

*Peter Avants great grand Father on mother side*  
*Thomas Avants grand Father on mother side*

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*the*  
*3 1884*  
*he*  
*7 1889*  
*3*

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.)

*Geo W Eidson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907.

*E. G. Kelly*

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. N. Connally*

and

*Geo. D. Helman*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that

they are well acquainted with *Geo W. Eidson*, who makes the foregoing

application and statements, and have known *him* for *17* 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

Witness to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. N. Connally*

*Geo. D. Helman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *Decr*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907.

*E. G. Kelly*

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. 7144

Action: *Reject*

Name *Ben F. Eidson* and — children. Residence: *Ellwood, Texas.*

Reasons:

*Nephew of # 923, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 7144

Name B F Edson

With No. 7143

Remarks:

Number of 973  
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

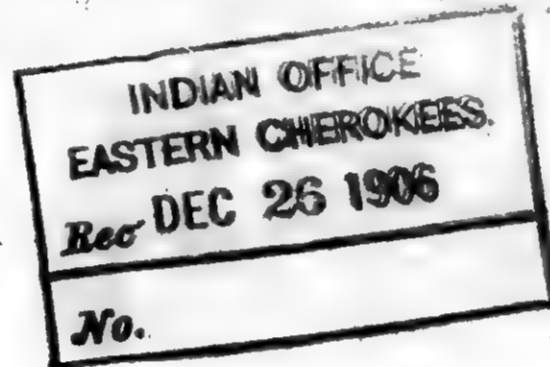
APPLICATION

OF

*B. F. Tidson*

For share of money appropriated for the 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,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: Ben F. Bidson  
Indian name: none
2. Residence: Ellwood Fanning County, Texas
3. Town and post office: Ellwood
4. County: Fanning
5. State: Texas
6. Date and place of birth: April 19<sup>th</sup>, 1880, Lampasas County, 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 mother Virginia Jennie Bidson  
Born 1st day of May, 1888
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Berulah Ed McKelva Bidson
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: James Bidson  
Indian name: none  
Mother—English name: Virginia Bidson ~~Bidson~~ ~~Grant~~  
Indian name: none  
Maiden name: Virginia Grant
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Alabama  
Mother: Mississippi
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Alabama  
Mother: at Bern
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1898 Mother: 1898

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William M. Eidson	May 14 1876	Living
(2)	George M. Eidson	Dec 16 1878	" "
(3)	Annie Eidson	April 22 1882	" "
(4)	Horace Eidson	April 24 1884	" "
(5)	Fannie Eidson	May 1886	" "
(6)	James Eidson	1888	" "

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	Thomas Awants
	Francis Awants

17. Where were they born? Grandfather in East Tennessee  
Grand mother Walker County Alabama

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

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

(1)	English name: James Awants	Living
	Indian name: None	
	Residence: unknown	
(2)	English name: John Awants	" "
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: Macon, Fannin County, Ga.	
(3)	English name: Margina Awants Eidson	" "
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: Abeline, Taylor County, Ga.	
(4)	English name: Call Awants	" "
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(5)	English name: Jane Awants	" "
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(6)	English name: Bobb Awants	" "

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:

Isaac Sharp great great grand father on mother's side  
Peter Awanti great grand father  
Thomas Awanti grand father

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.) B. F. Eidson

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

My commission expires June 30, 1907, C. R. Mitchell, Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. L. Neal and J. M. Darling; who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ben F. Eidson, 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.

J. L. Neal  
J. M. Darling

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

My commission expires June 30, 1907, C. R. Mitchell, Notary Public.

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

No. 7145-

Action: *Rej. cit.*

Name *James R. Foley* and *X* children. Residence: *3417 St. Joseph Ave.,*

Reasons:

*St. Joseph, Mo.*

*obtains through the same source as 7053*

No. 7145

Name Jas. P. Foley

With No. 7057

Remarks:



No. 7145

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*James R. Foley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7145

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 Riley Foley*  
Indian name:
2. Residence: *3417 St. Joseph Avenue*
3. Town and post office: *St. Joseph*
4. County: *Buchanan*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *May 26 - 1846, Buchanan County, 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: *Being of Cherokee Indian Blood*  
*James Blackburn Jr. Jr. father*  
*Elizabeth Boatwright " " Mother*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mary Frances Foley*  
*Age. 58 years.*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name:  
Indian name: *James W. Foley*  
Mother—English name:  
Indian name: *Rhoda A. Foley*  
Maiden name:
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Kentucky*  
Mother: *Kentucky*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Platte County Missouri*  
Mother: *Platte County Missouri*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Sept. 17 - 1876* Mother: *May 31 - 1898*

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)	Benjamin B. Foley		9-15-1857
(2)	John G. ..		Apr. 20 - 1850
✓ (3)	Jacchary T. ..	Dec-13-1848	
✓ (4)	Eliza A. ..	Feb 14 1857	
✓ (5)	Andrew B. ..	Apr 22-1853	
(6)	Margaret B. ..	Sept 7 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
James Foley	Allen Boatwright ①
	Elizabeth Blackburn ②

17. Where were they born? Virginia | Virginia Virginia ②  
Virginia | England ①

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 Boatwright	} all dead
Indian name:	Allen Boatwright	
Residence:	Benjamin Boatwright	
(2) English name:	Rhoda Boatwright	}
Indian name:	Eliza Boatwright	
Residence:	Patsy Boatwright	

(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:

Polly Carter on 1835 Rolls, was a sister of my Great Grandmother, Elizabeth Blackburn (nee Boatwright) nee Blackburn.

#### REMARKS.

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

Case made before the Slaves Commission in 1896 and appealed to the U. S. Court Master report on record, with case at Muskogee Indian Territory showing applicants to have Cherokee Indian blood.

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

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

(Signature.) James R. Foley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires March 9<sup>th</sup> 1910, 190

Sylvester Moser  
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. Elsie Skelton and Jennie L. Perkins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James R. Foley, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 3 years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Mrs. Elsie Skelton  
Jennie L. Perkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires March 9<sup>th</sup> 1910, 190

Sylvester Moser  
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. 7146

Action: Reject

Name D. J. Foley and 7 children. Residence: Los Angeles, Cal.

Reasons:

Same through the same source as 705-3.

No. 7146

Name

J. T. Foley

With No.

7052

Remarks:

157

No. 7146

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*G. J. Foley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-624

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
DEC 26 1906

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:

*Zachariah T. Foley*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Los Angeles, Cal.*

3. Town and post office:

*Florence*

4. County:

*Los Angeles*

5. State:

*California*

6. Date and place of birth:

*July 10, 1851, 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:

*Being of Cherokee Indian blood*

*James Blackburn G. Grandfather*

*Elizabeth Bodrytt Grandmother*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Ellenora Foley age 52*

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

Father—English name:

*James Foley*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Rhoda A. Foley*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Bodrytt*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Kentucky*

Mother:

*"*

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

Father:

*Missouri*

Mother:

*"*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

*Oct. 1866*

Mother:

*Mar. 31, 1895*



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)	Benjamin Foley	Dead	John Foley Dead (date unknown)
(2)	Martha A. Foley	Dead	Martha N. Miller " "
(3)	Nathan W. Foley	Dead	(date unknown)
(4)	James R. Foley	Albany Mo.	Elizabeth Tibbets Mo.
(5)	Andrew S. Foley	Wester Mo.	" "
(6)	Marie Bloss	Wester Mo.	" "

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)	Benj. Boatright
"	Elizabeth

17. Where were they born? Virginia

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

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

(1)	English name: James Boatright	Dead
	Indian name: William	"
	Residence: Allen	"
(2)	English name: Benjamin	"
	Indian name: Rhoda	"
	Residence: Eliza	"
(3)	English name: Patsy	"
	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: .....

*Polly Carter, on 1835 rolls, was a sister of my grand mother, Elizabeth Bodryne*

REMARKS.

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

*Case made before the Dawes Commission in 1896 and appealed to the U.S. Court. Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee, I.S., showing applicant to have Indian blood.*

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

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

(Signature.) *J. J. Foley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Dec.*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 10*, 1900

*Thomas J. McMullen*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *George W. Peck* and *Ethel Rogers*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Joseph J. Foley*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *2* years and *1* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*George W. Peck*  
*Ethel Rogers*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Dec.*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 10*, 1900

*Thomas J. McMullen*  
Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 26 1909  
No. 7146

Reg.  
notice  
7/30/09

St. Joseph Mo.

Sir: Owing to a change of address my notice of rejection failed to reach me.

My former address was Florence California.

Please send duplicate notice to address below.

Respectfully  
Jachary T. Foley  
3224 Lafayette Street  
St. Joseph  
Missouri

The notice of rejection is for participation in fund arising from the judgment of the court of claims of May 28, 1906 in favor of Eastern Cherokee.

No. 7147.

Action: Reject

Name: Guy E. Foley and X children. Residence: Florida Cal.

Reasons:

Illinois, through the same source as 700-3.

No. 7147

Name Guy C Foley

With No. 7054

Remarks:

No. 7147

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Guy E. Foley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

4712

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: *Gay C Foley*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Florence California*

3. Town and post office: *Florence*

4. County: *Los Angeles*

5. State: *California*

6. Date and place of birth: *July 21<sup>st</sup> 1877 Platte County 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: *Being of Cherokee Indian blood*

*My father's grandfather James Blackburn.*

*My father's grandmother Elisabeth Boatright.*

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: *Jachary T Foley*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Ellanora C Foley*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Miller (but not of Cherokee blood.)*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Platte County Missouri*

Mother: *De Kalb County Missouri*

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

Father: *Platte County Missouri*

Mother: *(Born in 1854)*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Living*

Mother: *Living*



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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Charles W. Foley	Platte Co. Mo.	Living
(2)	Oliver B. Foley	Clay Co. Mo.	"
(3)	Hugh J. Foley	Platte Co. Mo.	"
(4)	<del>Loretta A. Foley</del>		"
(5)	Amelia R. Jackson	Jefferson Co. Kan.	"
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James W. Foley	not of Cherokee blood Jonathan H. Miller
Rhoda A. Foley (nee Boatright) of Cherokee blood.	Elizabeth Miller

17. Where were they born? Kentucky, on father's side.  
Do. mother's.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Missouri on father's  
side. Do mother's

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

(1) English name:	Benjamin Foley	Dead
English name:	John	"
Indian name:	John	"
Residence:	Mathias J. King	"
(2) English name:	Mary L. Miller	"
English name:	Nathan W. Foley	"
Indian name:	Nathan W. Foley	"
Residence:	James B. " St. Joseph Mo.	
(3) English name:	Jachary O. " Florence L.A. Co. California	
English name:	Eliza A. Nelson	Liberty Mo.
Indian name:	Eliza A. Nelson	Liberty Mo.
Residence:		
(4) English name:	A. B. Foley	
Indian name:		
Residence:	Weston Mo.	
(5) English name:	Nannie B. Ross	
Indian name:		
Residence:	Weston Mo.	

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:

*Foley Carter on 1835-1840 was a sister of my father's Grand Mother, Elisabeth Boatright.*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Case made before the Dawes Commission in 1896 and appealed to the U.S. Court. Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee, Okla. showing applicant to have Indian blood.*

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

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

(Signature.) *Guy E. Foley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 17*, 1900

*Thomas J. Mullen*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *George W. Peck* and *Ethel Rogers*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Guy E. Foley*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *4* years and *1* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*George W. Peck*  
*Ethel Rogers*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb 10*, 1900

*Thomas J. Mullen*  
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. 7148

Action: Re-eit-

Name: C. W. Foley and X children. Residence: Florence, Cal.

Reasons:

Issued through the same source as 700-3

No. 7148

Name C. M. Foley

With No. 7052 7053

Remarks:

Geo. Foley

No. 7148

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*C. W. Foley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-524

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

8712

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—  
English name: Charles W. Foley  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Florence California
3. Town and post office: Florence
4. County: Los Angeles
5. State: California
6. Date and place of birth: Platte County Missouri Nov 7<sup>th</sup> 1871
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my father's grand-mother Elizabeth Boatright ne Blackburn and my grand-mother Rhoda A. Foley ne Boatright both of Cherokee blood. Also my father's great-grandfather James Blackburn.
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah P. Foley age 30 yrs.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: George J. Foley  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Ellenora C. Foley  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Miller
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Platte County Missouri  
Mother: De Kalb County "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Platte County Missouri  
Mother: Born in 1854
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Living Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Oliver B Foley	July 24 <sup>th</sup> 1874	Living
(2)	Lyle E Foley	" 21 <sup>st</sup> 1877	"
(3)	Hugh T Foley	March 6 <sup>th</sup> 1881	"
(4)	Lulla A Jackson	April 11 <sup>th</sup> 1883	"
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James W Foley	Johnathan H. Miller
Rhoda A Foley nee Boatright & Cherokee Blood	Elizabeth "

17. Where were they born? Kentucky on both father and mother side

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Missouri on both father and mother side

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

English name:	Benjamin Foley	Dead	date unknown
Indian name:	John Foley	Dead	" "
Residence:			
English name:	Martha King	Dead	" "
Indian name:	Mary A Miller	"	" "
Residence:			
English name:	Nathan W. Foley	"	" "
Indian name:	James R. Foley & Joseph Mo.		
Residence:			
English name:	Joshua T Foley	House	L.A. Co. Cal.
Indian name:	Olivia G. Nelson	Liberty	Mo.
Residence:	Joe A. B. Foley		
English name:	Weston Mo.		
Indian name:	Nannie B. Ross		
Residence:	Weston Mo.		

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

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

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**REMARKS.**

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

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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.) *E. W. Foley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan 15*, 190*8*

*J. O. Butler*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *F. L. Quintana* and *Chas E Dunn*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *E. W. Foley*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *one* years and *one* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*F. L. Quintana*  
*Charles E. Dunn*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan 15*, 190*8*

*J. O. Butler*  
Notary Public.

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Florence Cal

Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 06

Mr. M. M. Edmiston

Miami A. T.

Dear sir: Yours of recent date at hand and contents noted. Find herewith application blank.

You will please fill in question 21 and blank under the word Remarks as I am not certain as to how my brother and father had theirs filled in.

Wishing you success in this undertaking

I remain

Yours

C. W. Foley.

No. 7149

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Wora L. Fuller* and *X* children. Residence: *Mosely, Mo.*

Reasons: *Cousin of 7136.*

*Head,*

No. 7149

Name Dora L Fuller

With No. 7136

Remarks:

*Conam*  
*Dead*  
No. 7149

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Dora L. Fuller*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-624

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 20 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

6712

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.

Dora L Fuller

1. State full name—

English name:

Dora L Fuller

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Moseby, Clay County, Missouri

3. Town and post office:

Moseby, Missouri

4. County:

Clay

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

June 16, 1877, Near Moseby, 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:

By Indian Blood of Cherokee  
John Fuller, Father  
Andrew Fuller, Grandfather  
Richard Fuller, Great Grandfather

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 Fuller

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Margaret Fuller

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Margaret Baldwin

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Clinton County, Missouri

Mother:

Clay County, Missouri

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

Father:

Clinton County, Missouri

Mother:

Clay County, Missouri

13. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

May 24<sup>th</sup> 1878

Mother:

Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Sister Jessie &amp; Guy</u>	<u>Sept 18 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>Andrew Fuller</u>	<u>Mary Fuller</u>
<u>Alonzo Baldwin</u>	<u>Rebecca Baldwin</u>

17. Where were they born? unknown

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

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

(1)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(2)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(3)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(4)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(5)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____

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

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

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Dora L. Fuller,*

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

My commission expires *March 26th*, 190*7*

*Samuel B. Corbin*  
for *Clay Co Mo* 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 *Jesse D. Guy* and *Miles Fuller*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Dora L. Fuller*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *40* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *us* 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.

*Miles Fuller*

*Jesse D. Guy*

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

My commission expires *March 26th*, 190*7*

*Samuel B. Corbin*  
for *Clay Co Mo* Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 13 1909

No. 7149

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

NOV 1 1907

*Dora L. Fuller*  
*Mosby, Mo.*

Sir:-

Replying to your letter relative to the Eastern Cherokee enrollment, you are advised that your application has not been reached for final consideration, and we cannot state at this time whether you are entitled to share in this fund, or the amount each successful claimant will receive.

As there are nearly 44,000 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,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. *7150*

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Robert H. Fuller* and *X* children. Residence: *Kansas City, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Brother of 7136.*

No. 7150

Name Robert H. Fuller

With No. 7136

Remarks:

*Hand*  
No. 7150

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Robert H. Fuller*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

0-912

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 H Fuller

Indian name:

2. Residence: Jackson County Missouri 3327 Horfield

3. Town and post office: Kansas City Jackson Co. Mo.

4. County: Liberty

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: August 15 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: By Indian Blood

of Cherokee Indian Miles Fuller Father,  
Andrew Fuller Grand Father and  
Richard Fuller Gr Grand Father  
who is on the Roll of 1835-

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: Miles Fuller

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Ann E Fuller nee Spencer

Indian name:

Maiden name: Ann E Spencer

11. Where were they born?

Father: Clinton County Missouri

Mother: Ray County Missouri

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

Father: Ray County Missouri

Mother: Ray County Missouri

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Living

Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)	Lemora Fuller	Sept-10 <sup>th</sup> 1867	
(3)	Sarah A. Fuller	Oct-25 <sup>th</sup> 1875	
(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.
	Andrew Fuller	John Spencer
	Richard Fuller	Nancy Spencer

17. Where were they born? Andrew Fuller N.C. Richard Fuller N. Carolina Nancy Spencer McCrawley Tennessee

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

Ray County Missouri

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

(1)	English name: <u>John Fuller</u>	<u>Joseph Spencer</u>
	Indian name: <u>John</u>	<u>Martin</u>
	Residence: <u>William</u>	<u>Viana</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Susan</u>	
	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: .....

*Richard Fuller was Enrolled in 1835-  
as appears on Chief John Ross's Roll*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Case made before the Land Commission  
and got into on record with case at  
Muscogee Co. showing applicant  
having Cherokee 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.) *Robert H Fuller*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Nov. 15*, 190*8*

*Emma Ide*  
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 *Emma Ide* and *Frank Beswick + Fred Hains*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Robert H Fuller*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *6* years and *3* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Frank Beswick*  
*Fred Hains*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires

*November 15*, 190*8*

*Emma Ide*  
Notary Public.  
*421 N. 9th Bldg. K.C. Mo.*

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. 7151

Action: Rejected

Name Miles Fuller and X children. Residence: Liberty, Mo.

Reasons: Father of 7136.



No. 7/57  
Name Miss Fuller  
With No. 7/36

Remarks:

*Factor*

No. 7151

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Wiles Fuller*  
*Liberty Missouri*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians 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.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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:

Milus Fuller

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Liberty

3. Town and post office:

Liberty

4. County:

Clay

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

November 28<sup>th</sup> 1836

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 Indian Blood of Cherokee

Andrew Fuller Father

Richard Fuller Grand Father

8. Are you married?

yes Ann C Fuller

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

husband 70 wife 64

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

Father—English name:

Andrew Fuller

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary Fuller

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mary Stanton

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Roan North Carolina

Mother:

Tennessee

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

Father:

Clinton County Missouri

Mother:

" " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1875

Mother:

1873

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)	Alfred Fuller	1815 35	1894
(2)	John "	1848	1883
(3)	George "	1852	1868
(4)	Ann "	1879	1878
(5)	Jane "	1834	Living
(6)	Caroline	1841	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
	Richard Fuller	John Stanton
	Alder " (nee) Alder	unknown

17. Where were they born? Richard Fuller North Carolina  
nee, Alder " " "

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

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

- (1) English name: Andrew Fuller son of Richard Fuller  
 Indian name: deed in 1875 - in Ray County Missouri  
 Residence: Lewison " "
- (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:

*Richard Fuller a Grand father was Enrolled in 1835 as appears on the Roll of Chief John Ross and I*

#### REMARKS.

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

*Case made before the Dawes Commission and filed Sept 10th 1896 showing applicant to have Cherokee 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.) *Miles Fuller*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*October 12*, 19*10*

*Richard J. Bruce*

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. Carrie Ketron* and *Mary N. Thompson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Miles Fuller*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* years and *5* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Mrs. Carrie Ketron.*

*Mary N. Thompson.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*October 12<sup>th</sup>*, 19*10*

*Richard J. Bruce*

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.

Liberty Ave - 1880

Most pleasant and I would  
now what to write you in  
regard to my class. I  
am a student. Richard Fitts  
was in Cherokee and during  
in the Cherokee and the  
Cherokee Nation was  
in 1835 for I lived  
in the 1st in 14 years  
- you were with the Kelly  
of 1835 and his name  
was on the Kelly name  
list in Ann. Fitts he left  
this in 1835. After for was  
not Fitts and I know

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used in 110 all my  
life and I must do so  
This attachment from 14  
year ago at the house  
of St. Anthony's Parish  
for my wife and 3  
children - I have  
to the same in the year  
and a half of Father  
and Robert M. Fisher  
under my great Father  
Henry A. Cheneke and  
about 1840 that  
I was of the same par  
ish and I am now  
making Father

My address is  
Miles Fuller Liberty  
Mo  
R 7 D-3 Box 86

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 30 1908  
No. 7151

J. B. Lett



July 18 1844  
Dear Mother  
I received your kind letter  
of the 14th and was glad  
to hear from you. I am  
well and hope these few  
lines will find you the same.  
I have not much news to  
write at present. I am  
still in the same place  
and doing the same work.  
I have not seen any of  
our friends here. I have  
not time to write you  
more fully. I must close  
for this time. Write soon.  
Your affectionate son  
John Smith

I was born in the  
 same house where my mother  
 at my father's death  
 that one fact in regard  
 to my father became the  
 mo in 1748 and he soon  
 acquainted with my mother  
 who's name was Mary  
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 an English man and  
 the Sturton was of the  
 name of Sturton's  
 was in my father's  
 name he had been  
 in the West India part of the  
 world and they had married  
 and lived in the city of  
 London in the year 1748

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Assume this will give  
you the same information  
you desire, if you wish  
to know more about  
plans and a schedule for  
the construction of the  
new building at  
Camp. I am glad to  
help in any way I can  
and will be glad to  
see you at the  
School. The date is  
September 1st 1914

Mr & I am trying  
to have honorable and  
respect and a member  
of the most honest & liberal  
at a member of the  
at 14 on at the order

James H. ...

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 6 1908  
No.

Group - 7136 et al - 7157

J. B. ...

Group #7138,  
App. #7151.

January 7, 1908.

Miles Fuller,

Liberty, Mo.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7151 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you state that your Indian blood is by right of your father, Andrew Fuller, and your grandfather, Richard Fuller, will say, the name of Richard Fuller, your grandfather, does not appear upon the roll of 1835, and, as you state he was living at that time, why was he not enrolled? Why was your father, Andrew Fuller, not enrolled in 1851, and, as you were born in 1836, why were you not enrolled? Please give us the history of your family, dating from your full-blood Indian ancestor down to yourself, stating why they were not enrolled as Eastern Cherokee Indians in 1835 and 1851.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

LBD/AI

Special Commissioner.

No. 7152

Action: Rejected.

Name: Sarah A. Fuller and X children. Residence: Liberty, Mo.

Reasons:

Brother of 7136.

No. 7152

Name Sarah A Fuller

With No. 7136

Remarks:

RJ

No. 7152

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah A. Fuller*

For share of money appropriated for the 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. DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7152



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 A Fuller

Indian name:

Liberty

2. Residence:

Liberty

3. Town and post office:

Clay

4. County:

Missouri

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

October 25<sup>th</sup> 1875 - Clay Co. Mo.

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 Indian Blood of Cherokee

By Milles Fuller Father, Andrew Fuller  
Grand Father and Richard Fuller my  
Great Grand Father who is on the  
Roll of Chief John Ross of 1835

8. Are you married?

no

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

71

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

Father—English name:

Milles Fuller

70 yrs

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Ann E Fuller

64 yrs

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Ann E Spencer

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Clinton County Missouri

Mother:

Ray County Missouri

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

Father:

Ray County Missouri

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: no

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)			
(2)	Leonora Donaldson	Sept. 10 <sup>th</sup> 1867	
(3)	Robert H Fuller	Aug. 17 <sup>th</sup> 1881	
(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	
Gr. Andrew Fuller		Grand John Spenser	
Gr. Gr. Richard Fuller		Gr. Gr. Nancy <sup>Spencer</sup> Crowley	

17. Where were they born? Andrew, N.C. Spenser in N Carolina  
Richard Fuller N.C. Nancy Spenser (nee) Crowley in Tenn

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

Ray County, Missouri

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

(1) English name:	John Fuller	Joseph Spenser
Indian name:	Eliza	Martin
Residence:	William	Viana
(2) English name:	Susan	
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:

Richard Fuller was Enrolled in 1835  
as agent on Chief John Ross's Roll

REMARKS.

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

Case made before the James Commission  
and reported on Record with the Case  
of Muscogee I.T. showing Applicant  
having Cherokee Indian Blood

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

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

(Signature.)

Sarah A. Fuller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

October 12, 1910

Richard L. Bruce  
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 Carrie Ketchum and  
Mary S. Thompson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Sarah A. Fuller, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 12 years,  
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and  
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Mrs Carrie Ketchum,  
Mary S. Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

October 12<sup>th</sup>, 1910

Richard L. Bruce  
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. 715-3

Action: Reject

Name Andrew B. Foley and X children. Residence: Melba Mo.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as 705-3.

No. 7153

Name Andrew B. Foley

With No. 7054

Remarks:

No. 7153

Name Andrew D. Foley

With No. 7054

Remarks:

No. 7153

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Andrew B. Foley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: Andrew B. Foley.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Near Weston.
3. Town and post office: Weston
4. County: Platte
5. State: Missouri.
6. Date and place of birth: Apr 22<sup>nd</sup> 1853. Platte Co. Mo.
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: A son of James & Rhoda Foley nee Boatright and a grandson of Elizabeth Boatright, nee Blackburn, of Virginia, and a grand nephew of Polly, Carter, and a great grand-son of James and Rhoda Blackburn, whose maiden name was Baugh, were Cherokee blood.
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Dora A. Foley. 40 yrs.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: James W. Foley.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Rhoda A. Foley.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Rhoda A. Boatright.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Kentucky.  
Mother: Virginia.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Platte Co. Mo.  
Mother: Platte Co. Mo.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: September 17<sup>th</sup> 1866. Mother: May 31<sup>st</sup> 1876.



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)	Benjamin B. Foley	Feb 23 <sup>rd</sup> 1829	Sept 18 <sup>th</sup> 1851
(2)	Mary Louise Foley	Dec 26 <sup>th</sup> 1841	unknown
(3)	James R. Foley	May 26 <sup>th</sup> 1846	
(4)	Gachary T. Foley	Dec 13 <sup>th</sup> 1848	
(5)	Elizabeth Foley	Feb 13 1851	
(6)	Nannis B. Foley	Sept 7 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

Benjamin Boatright  
Elizabeth Boatright

17. Where were they born? Virginia

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

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

(1)	English name:	James Boatright	
	Indian name:	William	..
	Residence:	Allen	..
(2)	English name:	Benjamin	..
	Indian name:	Patsy	..
	Residence:	Lucy	..
(3)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		
(4)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		
(5)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		

*date of death unknown*

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

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

*Polly Carter*  
A great aunt was enrolled in 1835.  
and was a sister of my grandmother  
*Elizabeth Boatright* and *John Blackburn*  
of Virginia.

REMARKS.

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

Case made before Dawes Commission  
and appeal to the U.S. court, masters  
report on record with the case at Muskogee,  
T. T. showing applicant to have Cherokee  
Indian blood.

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

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

(Signature.)

*W. B. Foley*

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

My commission expires

*July 29*, 190*7*

*Chas H. Kelley*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Jas H. Murdock* and  
*W. C. Pelt* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *W. B. Foley*, 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.

*Jas H. Murdock*  
*W. C. Pelt*

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

My commission expires

*July 29th*, 190*7*

*Chas H. Kelley*  
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. 715-4

Action: Repeat-

Name: D. B. Foley and X children. Residence: Mayetta, Kans.

Reasons:

Blaine through the same source as 705-3.

No. 7154

Name O. B. Foley

With No. 7054

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Remarks:

Rep. File

No. 7154

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*O. B. Foley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-624

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*7512*

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: *Alta B Foley*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Pottawattamie Reservation*
3. Town and post office: *Mayetta*
4. County: *Jackson*
5. State: *Kansas*
6. Date and place of birth: *July 27-1874 Clay County 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: *Being of Cherokee indian blood great grand father James Blackburn great grand father Elizabeth Boatright great grand mother*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Ella W. Foley nee Locklin 32 Years old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Yachary T Foley*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Ellanora C Foley*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Ellanora C Miller*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Platte County Missouri*  
Mother: *Platte County Missouri*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Platte County Missouri*  
Mother: *Born in 1834*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *living* Mother: *living*

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

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

	NAME	DIED
(1)	Charles W	March 4 1871 Platte Co Mo
(2)	Guy E	July 24 1877
(3)	Hugh T	March 6 1881
(4)	Luella A	April 11 1883
(5)		
(6)		

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James R Foley	Miller
Rhoda A Postright	Elizabeth Miller

17. Where were they born? Kentucky

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

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

(1) English name:	<u>Martha Jane - 2 Louisa - 3 Eliza Ann</u>		
Indian name:			
Residence:	<u>dead</u>	<u>dead</u>	<u>Liberty Missouri</u>
(2) English name:	<u>Maria Bell</u>	<u>James R</u>	<u>Jarborg T</u>
Indian name:			
Residence:	<u>Platte County Mo</u>	<u>St Joseph Mo</u>	<u>Los Angeles Cal</u>
(3) English name:	<u>Nathan</u>		
Indian name:			
Residence:	<u>dead</u>		
(4) English name:	<u>Andrew B</u>		
Indian name:			
Residence:	<u>Platte County Missouri</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: 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:

*Polly Carter on 1835 rolls was sister to my great grand mother Elizabeth Boatright (nee Blackburn) my grand mother Rhoda a Foley daughter nee Boatright father J Gachary 1 Foley*

REMARKS:

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

*Case made before the Dawes Commission in 1896 and appealed to the United States Supreme Court. Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee Indian Territory showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *Alla B Foley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *July 18*, 190*8*

*J. J. Eggen*  
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. R. Kessinger* and *Chas Hammon*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Alla B Foley*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *22* 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.  
*W Cooney*  
*J Miller*

Signatures of witnesses.  
*R. R. Kessinger*  
*Chas Hammon*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *July 13*, 190*7*

*J. J. Eggen*  
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. 7153-

Action: Reject-

Name: Ellen Ford and X children. Residence: Excelsior Springs,  
Mo.

Reasons:

Belains through the same source as 705-3-

No. 7155

Name Ellen Ford

With No. 7126

Remarks:

No. 7155

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ellen Ford*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-624

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*5912*

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: *Ellen Ford (nee) Roberts*

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

2. Residence: *Excelsior Springs*

3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs*

4. County: *Clay*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1876 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: *Eliza Roberts Grand mother*  
*John Blackburn Great Grandfather*  
*Elizabeth " " " Mother*  
*James Blackburn or Rhoda Baugh 3<sup>rd</sup> Gr. Father*  
*Polly Carter Great Gr. aunt*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Edwin Ford*

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

Father—English name: *William S. Roberts*

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

Mother—English name: *Eliza Roberts (nee) Bagley*

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

Maiden name: *Eliza Bagley*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Madison County Kentucky*

Mother: *East Tennessee*

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

Father: *Madison County Kentucky*

Mother: *East Tennessee*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Living*

Mother: *Living*

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Henry Jackson Roberts</i>	<i>November 2<sup>nd</sup> 1872</i>	
(2)	<i>Arthur E. Roberts</i>	<i>June 10<sup>th</sup> 1874</i>	
(3)	<i>Ellen Roberts (nee) Ford</i>	<i>May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1876</i>	
(4)	<i>Osker Oram Roberts</i>	<i>December 4<sup>th</sup> 1881</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>Andrew J. Roberts</i>	<i>Joseph Wagley</i>
<i>Eliza Roberts (nee) Blackburn</i>	<i>Calina Wagley (nee) King</i>

17. Where were they born? *Andrew J. and Elizabeth Roberts nee Blackburn Kentucky*  
*Joseph Wagley and Calina Wagley nee King Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *A. J. Roberts and Eliza Roberts Kentucky*  
*Joseph Wagley and Calina Wagley nee King Tennessee*

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

(1)	English name: <i>Jesse T. Roberts</i>
	Indian name:
	Residence: <i>Elmira Ray County Missouri</i>
(2)	English name: <i>Nancy J. Davis</i>
	Indian name:
	Residence: <i>Mosely Clay County Missouri</i>
(3)	English name: <i>William L. Roberts</i>
	Indian name:
	Residence: <i>Mosely Clay County Missouri</i>
(4)	English name: <i>William Wagley</i>
	Indian name:
	Residence: <i>Died October 1904</i>
(5)	English name: <i>Ellender Reed (nee) Wagley</i>
	Indian name:
	Residence: <i>Mosely Clay County Missouri</i>

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: .....

*Polly Carter a Great Grand Aunt and was Enrolled in 1835 and was a sister of my Great Grandfather John Blackburn*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Case was made before the Dawes Commission and appealed to the U.S. Court, Masters report on record with the Case at Muskogee I.T. showing Applicant to have Cherokee Indian Blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *Ellen Ford*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *Fifth* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Adonzo H. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Clay County Missouri*

**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. P. Campbell* and *J. W. Turner*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Ellen Ford*, 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.

*A. P. Campbell*  
*J. W. Turner*  
*5<sup>th</sup> Dec*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Adonzo H. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Clay County Missouri*

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No. 7156

Action: Reject

Name Mary J. Frazier and 7 children. Residence: Lexington Okla.

Reasons:

First cousin of #7118. Claims thro' parent's name.

No. 9156  
Name Mary J. Frazier  
With No. 1118

Remarks:



1<sup>st</sup> cons. of 7118

No. 7156

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary J. Trozier*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 23, 1906.

6-624

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

9512

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 Trozier

Indian name:

Dout Know

2. Residence:

Oklahoma

3. Town and post office:

Lexington

4. County:

Cleveland

5. State:

Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth:

March 10, 1871

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

By that of Cherokee Indian Blood being  
descendant of Isaac Nicholas Great Grandfather  
of my mother who was born about 1757 and Sarah Halcomb  
Great Grandmother of my father

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

JM Trozier 35 years

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

Father—English name:

Martin A. Hascum

Indian name:

Dout Know

Mother—English name:

Sarah A. Halcomb

Indian name:

Dout Know

Maiden name:

Sarah A. Hoop

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Murray Co Tenn

Mother:

Bradley Co Tenn

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

Father:

Murray Co Ga.

Mother:

Bradley Co Tenn

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: *Not to my knowledge*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Sam'l Halcomb</i>	<i>Aug 12 1877</i>	
	<i>Edith</i>	<i>Sept 17 1875</i>	
(2)	<i>Carrie Stone</i>	<i>Mar 29 1881</i>	
(3)	<i>John E Halcomb</i>	<i>Apr 6 1883</i>	
	<i>Harvey J "</i>	<i>June 4 1885</i>	
(4)	<i>Stanton "</i>	<i>Sept 10 1887</i>	
(5)	<i>Alberta E. "</i>	<i>Oct 11 1890</i>	
	<i>Edith M. "</i>	<i>Aug 21 1894</i>	
(6)	<i>Daniel "</i>	<i>June 5 1896</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>William Halcomb</i>	<i>John Hayes</i>
<i>John, son of William Halcomb</i>	<i>Louisa Hayes</i>
<i>Do not know</i>	

17. Where were they born? *North Carolina - Blunt Co Tenn*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Murray Co Ga*  
*Bradley Co Tenn*

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

- (1) English name: *E. D. Halcomb*  
Ind name: *Do not know*  
Indian name: *Red Bradley Co Tenn*  
Eng name: *Martin J Davis*  
Residence: *Do not know*  
*Residence Norman Oklahoma*
- (2) English name: *Beriah Hayes*  
Ind name: *Do not know*  
Indian name: *Red Jackson Co Tenn Died 1881*  
Eng name: *Martin A Halcomb*  
Residence: *Do not know*  
*Residence Lexington Oklahoma*
- (3) English name: *W. A. Halcomb*  
Ind name: *Do not know*  
Indian name: *Do not know*  
Residence: *Murray Co Ga*  
*Eng name Calina Halcomb*  
*Residence Murray Co Ga, Died 1861*
- (4) English name: *Tammy J. Halcomb*  
Ind name: *Do not know*  
Indian name: *Do not know*  
Residence: *Do not know*
- (5) English name: *Do not know*  
Indian name: *Do not know*  
Residence: *Do not know*

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: *On Mother's side*  
*That Isaac Nicholson, Sr. to Grandfather / John Hayes Gibbons*  
*John Harcomb, Grandfather to ... / Grandfather*  
*William J. Harcomb, "*  
*Martin A. Harcomb, Father*

REMARKS.

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

*Applicant presented application and affidavit*  
*evidence to Dawes Commission in 1896 and*  
*proof of claims in matter of record.*

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

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

(Signature.) *Mary J. Frazier*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*July 22-*, 1907

*Neal 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 *C. Tolatt* and  
*A. Mulligan*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Mary J. Frazier* who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *4* 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.

*C. Tolatt*

*A. Mulligan*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*July 22*, 1907.

*Neal 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. 715-7

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Walter B. Foley* and *X* children. Residence: *911 Madison St,*

Reasons:

*Saint Joseph, Mo.*

*Obtains through the same source as 705-3-*

No. 7157  
Name Walter J Foley  
With No. 7054

Remarks:

No. 7157

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

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**APPLICATION**

OF

*Walter B. Foley*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

2512

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name:  
English name: *Walter B. Foley*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *911 Madison Street*
3. Town and post office: *Saint Joseph*
4. County: *Buchanan County*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *June 26 - 1878 - Weston 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: *Being of Cherokee Indian Blood*  
*James Blackburn Great Grand Father*  
*Elizabeth Boatwright Great Grand Mother*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Lulu May Ausier<sup>ne</sup> Foley*  
*Born July 1 - 1881*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: *James B. Foley*  
Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian Name: *Mary Frances Foley*  
Maiden name: *Mary Frances Osborn*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Missouri Buchanan County*  
Mother: *Missouri Platte County*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Missouri*  
Mother: *Missouri*
13. Date of death of your father and mother --  
Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



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

No.

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
	Arthur Foley	6-26-1878	6-20-1879
(1)	Theretta Foley	12-28-1868	6-20-1879
(2)	Hairy D. Foley	7-25-1868	8-26-1868
(3)	Beulah Foley	4-30-1870	
(4)	Benjamin J. Foley	10-29-1874	6-7-1878
(5)	James W. Foley	2-7-1873	
(6)	Holly Foley	12-23-1876	8-16-1877
(7)	Myrtle Foley	2-3-1882	

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James Foley	James Osborn
Rhoda A. Foley (Boatwright maiden name)	Nancy Lewis

17. Where were they born? Virginia

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

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

(1)	English name: Benjamin J. Foley	died 9-18-1881
	Indian name: John S. Foley	" 4-20-1883
	Residence: Martha J. Foley	" 9-22-1868
(2)	English name: James W. Foley	" 9-30-1887
	Indian name: Elizabeth A. Foley	" 8-13-1840
	Residence: Mary L. Foley	" 1893
(3)	English name: Nathan W. Foley	" unknown
	Indian name: James R. Foley	living in Missouri
	Residence: Zachary J. Foley	" " "
(4)	English name: Royal A. Foley	" " California
	Indian name: Andrew B. Foley	" " Missouri
	Residence: Manabe B. Foley	" " Missouri
(5)	English name: — Foley	} infants
	Indian name: — Foley	
	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: *Polly Carter on 1835*  
*Polly, was a sister of my Great Grand Mother,*  
*Elizabeth Boatwright, nee Blackburn.*

REMARKS.

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

*Case made before the Dawes Commission in 1896 and appealed to U.S. Court Masters report on record, with the case at Muskogee Indian Territory, showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood.*

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

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

(Signature.) *Walter B. Foley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*March 9<sup>th</sup>*, 1900.

*Sylvester Moser*

Notary Public of  
*said County*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Roy Bush* and  
*Ella L. Moser*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Walter B. Foley*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *6* years and *2* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *who* represents *him* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Roy Bush*  
*Ella L. Moser*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*March 9<sup>th</sup>*, 1900.

*Sylvester Moser*

Notary Public of *said*  
*County*

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

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

June 10, 1909.

*Sarah A. Fuller*  
*Liberty - Ms.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 7152, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

Liberty Mo 8-23-09  
 Mr Miller Washburne Dub  
 Sir in the fire there I used as you to cause the  
 paper as I have no other at hand will say  
 there is no one living that knew my grand father  
 Richard C Fuller who I name was a  
 Cherokee I once had the paper of his death  
 and Enrolled my white was in 1885  
 the Special Commissioner. Please take my  
 Enrolled into consideration being last  
 spring when it was in my hands  
 and my children please note  
 my name is Miles Fuller and my  
 children who was Enrolled are  
 Lenora B Fuller Donaldson  
 Robert H Fuller  
 Sarah C Fuller

COURT OF CLERKS  
 EASTERN CHEROKEE  
 Recd. AUG 25 1909  
 No. 1151

I fear there are more men getting  
 up Bogus Evidence but I want  
 nothing but Justice

P.S. The Papers I spoke of  
 has burned in fire over  
 several years ago

Yours with due respect  
 Miles Fuller

Liberty Mo 8-23-09

No. 7158

Action: Rejected

Name Novie O. Gurin and X children. Residence: Superior Springs, Mo.

Reasons:

Niece of 7131.

No. 7158

Name Dovie O Gorman

With No. 7133

Remarks:

*misc*

No. 7158

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

**APPLICATION**

*Dovie O Quinn*  
*Excelsior Springs Mo*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,**  
**ATTORNEY,**  
**WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.**  
**WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*2512*

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: *Dovie O Gwinn nee Turner*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Clay County Missouri*
3. Town and post office: *Expulsour Springs*
4. County: *Clay*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *1878 Clay County 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: *By Cherokee Indian blood by Joseph Dagley who was a double cousin of Alvas Dagley of Tennessee proven by John Ross and Thomas White*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Wm B Gwinn age 36*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Lewis A Turner*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Alice J Turner*  
Indian Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Alice J Dagley*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Missouri*  
Mother: *"*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Missouri*  
Mother: *"*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*



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

*no*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Jesse M Turner	age	26
(2)	Annie L Turner	"	20
(3)	Clarence A Turner	"	18
(4)	Roy J Turner	"	7
(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
George Turner	Joseph Dagley
Sarah Ann Turner	Harriet Jane Dagley
	Mrs Goodwin

17. Where were they born? *Father's side - Missouri*  
*Mother's side - Tennessee*

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: *Mother's side*  
Indian name:  
Residence: *Willard Dagley* age *Living* 48

(2) English name: *Alice L Turner* " 46  
Indian name: *James J Dagley* " 44  
Residence: *Allen R Dagley* 42

(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: filed to Alvas  
Dagley a Great Uncle to my Grandfather  
Joseph Dagley who was proven to be of  
Indian blood.

REMARKS.

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

Case made before the Davis Commission and  
appealed to the U.S. Court at Muskogee. J. T. Mustin's  
report on record at Muskogee showing applicant  
to have Indian blood of Cherokee Indians.

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

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

(Signature.) Dovie O Guinness

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

Alonzo H. Shelton  
for Clay County Missouri 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 M. Gash and  
Virgie M. Laffoon, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that  
they are well acquainted with Dovie O Guinness, who makes the foregoing  
application and statements, and have known her for 25 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.

T. M. Gash

Virgie M. Laffoon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

Alonzo H. Shelton  
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. 715-9

Action: Repeat-

Name: William B. Quinn and X children. Residence: Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Reasons:

Obtains through the same source as 705-3.

No. 7159  
Name Wm. B. J. J. J.  
With No. 7053

Remarks:

No. 7159

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF  
*William B. Swinn*  
*Excelsior Springs*  
*Mo*

For share of money appropriated for the 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. DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

6-512

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 B. Gwinn*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Clay County Missouri*
3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs*
4. County: *Clay*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *Nov 9th 1870*
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 Grandfather James Blackburn of Kentucky and Great Grand Aunt Polly Carter who was a Cherokee by blood and on the Roll of 1835*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Dora O Gwinn age 33*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Loaac Gwinn*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Mary J Gwinn*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Mary J Smith*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Rockcastle County Kentucky*  
Mother: *Madison County Kentucky*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Kentucky*  
Mother: *"*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Living*                      Mother: *Living*

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>W B Gwinn</u>	<u>1868</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Annie L Laffoon</u>	<u>1872</u>	
(3)	<u>Lula E Gwinn</u>	<u>1880</u>	<u>Dead</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>William Gwinn</u>	<u>Benage Smith</u>
<u>Hannah Gwinn</u>	<u>Elizabeth Smith</u>
	<u>vsr Blackburn</u>

17. Where were they born? Fathers side by father Virginia by Mother Kentucky, Mothers side by father Virginia by Mother Kentucky

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

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: 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; *Mother Mary J. Gwinn, Grandmother Elizabeth Smith Great Grandfather James Blackburn of Kentucky and Great Grand Aunt Polly Carter and a Great Great Son of James and Rhoda Blackburn (nee Baugh) of Virginia who were Cherokee Indians by blood*

*Polly Carter on the rolls of 1835*  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Case made before the Dawes Commission and appealed to the U.S. court Report on Record with the case at Muskogee I. T. Showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian Blood.*

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

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

(Signature.) *William B. Gwinn*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *Eighth* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Llay County Missouri*

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. Karr* and *William L. Roberts*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William B. Gwinn*, 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.

*J. W. Karr*  
*William L. Roberts*  
*8<sup>th</sup>*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*Alonzo H. Shelton*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Llay County Missouri*

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. 7160

Action: Re-ict.

Name: Mary J. Grinn and X children. Residence: Larson, Mo.

Reasons:

claims through the same source as 705-3-

No. 4160

Name *Mrs. J. G. Gussner*

With No. 7159

Remarks:

No. 7160

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Mary J. Givins*  
*Lawson*  
*Missouri*

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

6-824

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

0912

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: *Mary J. Guinn (nee Smith)*

2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

*Ray County Missouri*

3. Town and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

*Lawson*

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

*Ray*

5. State: \_\_\_\_\_

*Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

*Madison County Kentucky*

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 Blackburn of Virginia great grandfather  
Rhoda Blackburn nee Bunch " " Grandmother  
a Grand niece of Polly Carter who were  
Cherokee Indians by blood*

8. Are you married? *yes*

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

*James Isaac Guinn  
Mary J. Guinn*

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

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Benajah Smith*

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

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Elizabeth Smith nee Blackburn of Kentucky*

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

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Elizabeth Blackburn*

11. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

*Madison County Kentucky*

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: no

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
		James Blackburn
		Nancy

17. Where were they born?

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

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

(1)	English name:	John Blackburn	Indiana	Dead
	Indian name:	Susan	Kentucky	"
	Residence:	Gilcy	Indiana	"
(2)	English name:	Mary A	Missouri	"
	Indian name:	James	Kentucky	"
	Residence:	Rhoda A	"	"
(3)	English name:	Jesse B	California	"
	Indian name:	Nancy	<del>Missouri</del> Kansas	"
	Residence:	Martha	Indiana	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.

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:

a Grand ~~child~~ <sup>niece</sup> of Polly Carter (nee Blackburn) of Virginia on Roll of 1835

REMARKS.

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

Case was made before Dawes Commission and appealed to the U.S. Court, Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee, I.T. showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood

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

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

(Signature.) Mary J Guinn

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

My commission expires October 22nd 1910  
Frank P Crowley 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 Orval Goldsberry and Sallie A Goldsberry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary J Guinn, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 21 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Orval Goldsberry  
Sallie A Goldsberry

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

My commission expires 1910  
October 22nd 1909  
Frank P Crowley 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. 7161

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Jesse T. Goldbury* and *x* children. Residence: *Larson, Mo.*

Reasons:

*obtains through the same source as 705-3.*

No. 7/61  
Name Jesse J. Gholobny  
With No. 7/09  
Remarks:



No. 7161

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Jose T. Galasbury*  
*Lawson Mo.*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

6-624

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,**  
**ATTORNEY,**  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

1912

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: Jesse T Goldsbury

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

2. Residence: Ray County Missouri

3. Town and post office: Lawson

4. County: Ray

5. State: Missouri

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: a son of Mary A Goldsbury (nee Blackburn), great grand son of James and Rhoda Blackburn (nee Baugh, of Virginia), and a grand nephew of Polly Carter (nee Blackburn) who were Cherokee Indians by blood

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Jesse T Goldsbury

Sallie A. "

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

Father—English name: William R. Goldsbury

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

Mother—English name: Mary A Goldsbury

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

Maiden name: Mary A Blackburn

11. Where were they born?

Father: Garrard County Kentucky

Mother: Platt " Missouri

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

Father: Platt County Missouri

Mother: " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Living Mother: died Sept 1906

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)	James R Goldsby		
(2)	Charles H	unknown	
(3)	John R		
(4)	William M		
(5)	Wanay A		1877
(6)	Mary E Chvinger	decd	1887

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	Jesse Blackburn
	unknown

17. Where were they born? Jesse B in Kentucky

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

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

(1) English name:	John Blackburn	Plat Co Mo
Indian name:	James	Nebraska
Residence:	Eliza Perkins	Adams County Nebraska
(2) English name:	Agness Blackburn	unknown
Indian name:	Francis	" "
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:

*Polly Carter (nee Blackburn a daughter of James and Rhoda Blackburn nee Raugh a grand aunt. on the Roll of 1835-*

REMARKS.

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

*Case was made before The Dawes Commission and appealed to the U.S. Court, Masters report on record with the case showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian Blood*

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

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

(Signature.) *Jesse T. Goldsberry*

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

My commission expires

*Oct 22nd 1910*

*Frank T. Crowley*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appear before me *Orral Goldsberry* and *W. J. Guinn*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jesse T. Goldsberry*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *21* 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 *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Orral Goldsberry*  
*W. J. Guinn*

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

My commission expires

*October 22nd 1910*

*Frank T. Crowley*  
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. 7162

Action: *Reject*

Name *Salhi A Goldsbury* and *x* children.

Residence: *Lansou Mo.*

Reasons:

*Obtained through the same source as 700-3-*

No. 7162

Name Sallie A Goldsberry

With No. 7159

Remarks:

No. 7162

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Sallie A Goldsberry  
Lawson Mo

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7162

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: *Sallie A. Goldsberry nee Smith*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Ray County Missouri*
3. Town and post office: *Lawson*
4. County: *Ray*
5. State: *Missouri*
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: *a great granddaughter of James and Rhoda Blackburn of Virginia and a grand niece of Polly Carter their daughter who were Cherokee Indians by blood*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *James T. Goldsberry 49 yrs*  
*Sallie A. " 52 yrs*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Bimnaya Smith*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Elizabeth nee Blackburn of Kentucky*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Elizabeth Blackburn*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Madison County Kentucky*  
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: no

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Abraham Smith		
(2)	John W.	"	
(3)	Yon B.	"	
(4)	Geo. W.	"	
(5)	Francis W.	"	
(6)	Mary J.	"	

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>	James Blackburn
	Nancy "
	Bellevue in Virginia

17. Where were they born?

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

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

(1) English name:	John Blackburn	Indiana	Dead
Indian name:	Susan	"	By dates "
Residence:	Dacey	Indiana	" "
(2) English name:	Mary A	Missouri	" "
Indian name:	James	Kentucky	" "
Residence:	Rhoda A	"	" "
(3) English name:	Jesse B	California	" "
Indian name:	Nancy J	Arkansas	" "
Residence:	Martha	Indiana	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: 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:

a Grand niece of Polly Carter Blackburn  
a daughter of James and Rhoda Blackburn  
of Virginia on Roll of 1835

REMARKS.

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

Case was made before Dawes Commission and  
appealed to the U.S. Court. Masters report on record  
with case at Muskogee I.T. showing Applicant  
to have Cherokee Indian blood

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

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

(Signature.) Jallie A. Goldsberry

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

My commission expires  
October 22nd 1910

Frank P. Crowley  
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 Jesse J. Goldsberry and  
Orval Goldsberry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Jallie A. Goldsberry, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 22 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Jesse J. Goldsberry  
Orval Goldsberry

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

My commission expires  
October 22nd 1910

Frank P. Crowley  
Notary Public.

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No. 7163

Action: Reject

Name: Orval Goldshury and X children. Residence: Larson, Mo.

Reasons:

Obtained through the same source as 700-3-

No. 9163

Name. W. val Goldburg

With No. 9109

Remarks:

No. 7163

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Orval Goldsbury*  
*Lawson Missouri*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,**  
**ATTORNEY,**  
**WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.**  
**WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7163

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: Orral Goldsberry

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

2. Residence: Ray County Missouri

3. Town and post office: Lawson

4. County: Ray

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: Ray Co Mo Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 1895-

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Cherokee Indian Blood

a Great Great Grand son of James and Rhoda  
Blackburn (ne Bough) of Virginia and a Great  
Grand Nephew of Polly Carter who were Cherokee  
Indians by Blood

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: Jose J Goldsberry

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

Mother—English name: Sallie A Goldsberry

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

Maiden name: Sallie A Smith

11. Where were they born?

Father: Platt County Missouri

Mother: Madison " Kentucky

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

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: living Mother: 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)	<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>Wm R Goldsbury</i>	<i>Benaja Smith</i>
<i>Mary A</i>	<i>Elizabeth</i>

17. Where were they born? *Wm R Goldsbury born in Ky., Mary A in Missouri*  
*Benaja Smith and Elizabeth in Kentucky*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Wm R Goldsbury & Mary A in Missouri*  
*Benaja Smith and Elizabeth in Madison County Kentucky*

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

(1) English name:	<i>James R Goldsbury</i>	<i>living</i>
Indian name:	<i>Charles H</i>	<i>"</i>
Residence:	<i>John R</i>	<i>"</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Wm M</i>	<i>"</i>
Indian name:	<i>Mary A</i>	<i>dead</i>
Residence:	<i>Mary E</i>	<i>"</i>
(3) English name:		
Indian name:	<i>Abraham Smith</i>	<i>dead</i>
Residence:	<i>John H</i>	<i>"</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Wm B</i>	<i>living</i>
Indian name:	<i>Geo W</i>	<i>"</i>
Residence:	<i>Frances M</i>	<i>dead</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Mary J</i>	<i>living</i>
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:

Great Grand nephew of Polly Carter a daughter  
of James and Rhoda Blackburn of Virginia  
on Roll of 1835

REMARKS.

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

Case was made before Dawes Commission and  
appealed to the U.S. Court, Masters report on record  
with Case at Muskogee I.T. showing applicant to have  
Cherokee Indian Blood

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

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

(Signature.) Orval Goldsberry

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

My commission expires  
October 22nd, 1910

Frank J. Crowley  
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 Jesse J. Goldsberry and  
Sallie A. Goldsberry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Orval Goldsberry, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 21 years and 21 years,  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents 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.

Jesse J. Goldsberry  
Sallie A. Goldsberry

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

My commission expires  
October 22nd, 1910

Frank J. Crowley  
Notary Public

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No. 7164 Action: Reprint  
Name William W. Grow and X children. Residence: Pursell, Okla.

Reasons:

Nephew to Senora W. Elliott (7140) and  
Claims from the same source.

No. 9164

Name M. A. Groves

With No. 9140

Remarks:

No. 7164

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

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**APPLICATION**

OF

*Wm. W. How*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1905 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7912

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. Grow*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Purcell, Ind, Ter*

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

4. County: *Southern Dist,*

5. State: *Indian Ter,*

6. Date and place of birth: *May 4th 1874, Carrocton, Mo.*

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: *Sallie Grow, nee Hilder*

*brown, born, June 14th 1816; died Aug. 16th 1903; she was my grandmother, on father's side, who was entitled to enrollment as a Cherokee*

8. Are you married? *Have been*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Laura Grow, now dead.*

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

Father—English name: *Wm J. Grow*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Moholie Grow*

Indian Name:

Maiden name: *Moholie Weathers*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Ind, Ter*

Mother: *Ind, Ter*

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

Father: *Carrocton, Mo*

Mother: *Ind, Ter*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Now living* Mother: *Nov 9th 1888*

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	all ages	DIED
(1)	Mrs. J. W. Hocker	1877	Living
(2)	Antonio Grow	1879	"
(3)	Harry Grow	1886	"
(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
Avarian Grow	Weasters
Sallie Kilderbrand Grow	Don't know

17. Where were they born?

Don't know

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

Barrow Co. Mo.

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

(1)	English name:	Mary E. Grow. (Storace)
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	<del>Barrow Co. Mo.</del> Lexington, Ct.
(2)	English name:	Lenora W. Grow. (Miller)
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	Carrollton Mo.
(3)	English name:	Sallie J. Grow. (Storace)
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	Ft Cobb. Okla
(4)	English name:	Martha A. Grow. (Storace)
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	Ft Cobb. Okla
(5)	English name:	Robert F. Grow. Lexington Okla
	Indian name:	Wm J. Grow
	Residence:	Wetty, Ia.

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:

*Wm Grow, Annias Grow*  
*Sallie Grow (nee Hilderbrand)*  
*Weather*

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.) *Wm J. Grow*

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

My commission expires *10/16* 190*7*

*Joseph P. 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 *Wm J. Grow* and *Lloyd Orme*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Wm W. Grow*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *4* years and *6* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Wm J. Grow*  
*Lloyd Orme*

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

My commission expires *10/16* 190*7*

*Joseph P. Smith*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7160<sup>1</sup> Action: Report  
Name: Mr. Jackson Grow and 2 children. Residence: Wetly, Okla.  
Reasons:

Brother to Senora W. Elliott (7140) and claims  
from the same source.

No.

7165

Name

Wm J. Brown

With No.

7140

Remarks:



*Suppl.*

No. 7165

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*W. J. Howe*

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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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec DEC 26 1906

No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7165

*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 Jackson Grow

Indian name: Hilterbrand

2. Residence: Welty,

3. Town and post office: Welty,

4. County: District Number 9.

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: Carrollton, Missouri. April 24-1848.

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: Mother Sallie Grow

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Ellie E. Grow. Age 39 years.

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

Father—English name: Annias Grow,

Indian name: None,

Mother—English name: Sallie Grow,

Indian name: Sallie Hilterbrand,

Maiden name: Sallie Hilterbrand.

11. Where were they born?

Father: State of Virginia.

Mother: State of Tennessee.

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

Father: Carrollton, Carroll County, Missouri.

Mother: Carrollton, Carroll County, Missouri.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: October 21-1871. Mother: August 16-1903.

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

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

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Mary Elizabeth Stovall,	December 21-1836.	
(2) Lenora Willmath Elliott,	January 19-1840.	
(3) Sarah Jane Miller,	July, 18-1842.	
(4) Martha Ann Gum,	December 3-1845.	
(5) Robert Fountian Grow,	August 10-1856.	
(6)		

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<b>None.</b>	<b>Hilterbrand.</b>

17. Where were they born? **North Carolina.**

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

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

(1) English name:	<b>Enoch Hilterbrand.</b>
Indian name:	<b>Enoch Hilterbrand.</b>
Residence:	<b>Dead Date not known.</b>
(2) English name:	<b>Sallie Grow.</b>
Indian name:	<b>Sallie Hilterbrand.</b>
Residence:	<b>Died August 16-1903.</b>
(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: .....

**Indian Name:- Hilterbrand.**

**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.

*William Jacobson Grow*  
(Signature)

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

My commission expires  
**My Commission Expires May 27, 1909**, 190

*Perin Cornell*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me **L. F. Bozarth** and **John E. Keener**, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with **William J. Grow**, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known **him** for **1** years and **1** years, respectively, and know **him** to be the identical person **he** represents **himself** to be, and that the statements made by **him** are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in **his** claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*L. F. Bozarth*  
*John E. Keener*

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

My commission expires  
**My Commission Expires May 27, 1909**, 190

*Perin Cornell*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7165

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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**SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION**

OF

*Wm J. Grow*

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. AUG 30 1907

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ounray 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. 7165

1. State your full name: William Jackson Grow,
2. Residence and post office: Welty, P. O.
3. County: District #9.
4. State: Indian Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: Carroll Co., Missouri, April 21st, 1848.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Ella E. Grow, 47 years 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)	<u>Lela Ivy Grow,</u>	<u>Fifteen</u>	<u>1892.</u>
(2)	<u>Inians Hallie Grow,</u>	<u>Thirteen</u>	<u>1894.</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

### REMARKS

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

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\_\_\_\_\_

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

(Signature)

William Jackson Grow *Sw*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th, day of August, 1907.

Prin Comell  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires  
My Commission Expires May 27, 1909.

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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. K. Smith, and F. E. Casey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with W. J. Grow, who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 18 years and 2 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. K. Smith  
F. E. Casey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th, day of August, 1907.

My Commission Expires May 27, 1909.

Erin Cornell  
Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 26 1909  
No. 7465



(Claim # 7165)

**L. L. McKINZIE**  
**GENERAL MERCHANDISE**

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To the SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT  
601 Ouray Building  
Washington D.C.,

WELTY, OKLA. June 22, 1909.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to yours of the 6.10, you will please send me blanks  
to fill out of the different forms necessary to answer your request

Yours Respt,

*Wm. Jackson Grow*

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 COURT OF CLAIMS  
 EASTERN CHEROKEE  
 Rec. AUG 14 1907  
 No. 7165

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D.C.

Supl. Ford  
 Aug 21 1907  
 Welfa, Ind. Ter.

August 10th, 1907.

Dear Sirs:-

I received a notice some time ago through my Attorney  
 Mr. Chester Howe, of Washington that my application for  
 participation in the fund of the Eastern Cherokee  
 had been received and filed.

I am writing to know if there is any prospect of my  
 being gone in this matter and if there is any prospect of my  
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 being gone in this matter and if there is any prospect of my

Yours very truly,

*[Handwritten signature]*

File #7165

Wetty, Ind. Ter.

August 10th, 1907.

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

Dear Sirs:-

I received a notice some time ago through my Attorney Mr. Chester Howe, of Washington that my application for participation in the fund of the Eastern Cherokees had been received and filed.

I am writing to know if anything further has been done in this matter and if there is any prospect of anything being done soon in regard to this fund.

Yours very truly,

*W. J. Gow*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. APR 14 1908  
No. 7165

*circ. let.*

APR 15 1908

L. L. McKINZIE,

DEALER IN

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, LADIES' WRAPS,  
HATS, CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

Wiley, Okla. April 9 1908

Guion Miller Esq.

Washington

Sir:

You will please notify  
me what has been done  
with application # 7165 in the  
matter of enrollment of the Eastern  
Cherokee in favor of.

William J. Grow,  
Wiley Okla.

Name Alice Gee No. 7166 Action: Reject  
and X children. Residence: Plano, Texas.

Reasons:

Grand mother of M. H. Dunn (43946)  
through whom he claims.  
No ancestor seems to be enrolled or was a party  
to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846.

No. 7166

Name Alvin Lee

With No. 43946

Remarks:

No. 7166

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Miss Alice 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
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: Alice Lsee  
Indian name: — Ward
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: Plano.
4. County: Collin
5. State: Texas
6. Date and place of birth: Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> 1827 born in State of Ill.
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 through my mother Mrs Sallie Gambill whose maiden name was Sallie Ward she was a sister of Jerry Ward.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: M. L. Lsee, age 73.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Gambill.  
Indian name: do not know  
Mother—English name: Mrs Sallie Gambill  
Indian name: Miss Sallie Ward.  
Maiden name: Miss Sallie Ward my mother's mother was named Madole.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: I think in North Carolina  
Mother: in South Carolina
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: in the State of Tennessee in Robinson Co.  
Mother: in the State of Tennessee Robinson Co.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: April 15<sup>th</sup> 1874 Mother: July 30<sup>th</sup> 1852

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

where: *They never were enrolled that I know of or ever heard of*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Ira N. Gambill	July 17 / 1816	May 13 / 1818
(2)	William Gambill	March 2 / 1818	— 1884
(3)	Lucinda Gambill	June 3 / 1819	July 8 / 1900
(4)	Polly Gambill	Sept. 23 / 1821	Oct. 8 / 1855
(5)	Elizabeth Gambill	July 5 / 1823	Still living
(6)	James Gambill	Nov. 30 / 1825	died some day
7	Alice Gambill	Feb. 11 / 1827	Still living

	NAME	BORN	DIED
8	Andrew Jackson Gambill	May 3 / 1829	Still alive
9	Joseph Morgan Gambill	May / 1831	about 1902 or 3
10	Reeson Newton Gambill	Apr. 25 / 1833	" 1896 -
11	Sally Gambill	July 13 / 1836	" 1842
12	Benjamin Franklin Gambill	July 27 / 1838	Still living

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

{ I can give these people more  
how many back in the  
Remounted hundred.

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

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

where: *Only this application I do not  
now remember the date of filing some but  
suppose the records will give the correct  
date of the filing of our application,*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They never were enrolled that I know of or ever heard of*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Ira M. Gambill</i>	<i>July 12 / 1816</i>	<i>May 13 / 1818</i>
(2)	<i>William Gambill</i>	<i>March 2 / 1818</i>	<i>— 1884</i>
(3)	<i>Lucinda Gambill</i>	<i>June 3 / 1819</i>	<i>July 8 / 1900</i>
(4)	<i>Polly Gambill</i>	<i>Sept. 23 / 1821</i>	<i>Oct. 8 / 1855</i>
(5)	<i>Elizabeth Gambill</i>	<i>July 5 / 1823</i>	<i>Still living</i>
(6)	<i>James Gambill</i>	<i>Nov. 30 / 1825</i>	<i>died some day</i>
	<i>Alice Gambill</i>	<i>Feb. 1 / 1827</i>	<i>Still 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>James Gambill</i>		<i>John Ward</i>
<i>his wife was Alice Morgan</i>		<i>his wife was Polly Modole</i>

17. Where were they born? *I do not know of my own knowledge but when I knew them they lived in Ky.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *I think they all died before 1851*

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

- (1) English name: *None of them living & I can not give their births & deaths or can only give part of their names, which are as follows*
- Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: *Jack - Ben & Tom & Sallie & Polly Gambill*
- Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Residence: *This is all the names that I can give these people were born away back in the Seventies & hundred.*
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Only this application & do not now remember the date of filing same but suppose the records will give the correct date of the filing of our application.*

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 have answered this question as best I could under question 16*

REMARKS.

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

*All I know is that my father William Gordice stated on his death bed that he was part Indian my grand mother on my mother's side was a Madole & I have seen the Madole family in Ky. they all looked like Indians to me!*

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 Alice Gee*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*J. D. Cottrell*  
Notary Public.  
*Rollin County Texas*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *F. R. Ball* and *J. R. Abernathy*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs Alice Gee*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *27* 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 *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*F. R. Ball*

*J. R. Abernathy*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*J. D. Cottrell*  
Notary Public.  
*Rollin County Texas*

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 12 1907  
No. 7166

*circ. let.*

DEC 12 1907

Plano Tex Dec 9-07  
Hon Guron Miller.  
Commissioner Court of  
Claims in Washington

Dear Sir

I am in receipt of a letter  
from our attorney M. M. Edmunds  
of Miami ind for telling me  
to write to you for best info-  
rmation. as to payment of clai-  
ms. will you please advise  
me. as to or about what time  
I can expect a Payment my No  
is 7166 and will be considered in  
its Order. Enclosed you will please  
find a stamped Envelope with  
my address for a answer yours  
Truly Yours Alice Lee Plano

No. 7167

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary J. Gardner* and *X* children. Residence: *Dibble, Okla.*

Reasons:

*First cousin of #7118. Claims through same source.*

No. 7167

Name Mary J. Gardner

With No. 723

Remarks:



1<sup>st</sup> class. of 7118

No. 7167

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary J. Gardner*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: Mary Jane Gardner  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Indian Territory
3. Town and post office: Dibble, Dibble, I.T.
4. County: Pontitoc
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Nov 24<sup>th</sup> Ellis County 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: Claim that of Cherokee blood, and being a descendant of William J. Holcomb. My grand father who was born Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 1819. Monroe County Tennessee.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: William F. Gardner.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Richard M. Davis  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Martha J. Davis  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Martha J. Holcomb.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Forsyth County Georgia  
Mother: Monroe County Tennessee
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Murray County Georgia  
Mother: Murray County Georgia
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: living Mother: living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: not to my knowledge

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William E. Davis	May 12, 1860	
(2)	Louisa M. Stripling	Jan 5, 1862	
(3)	Sallie B. Davis	Sept 30, 1866	Dec 1882
(4)	Rufus S. Davis	Sept 9 <sup>th</sup> , 1868	
(5)	John M. Davis	Jan 12, 1871	
(6)	Ruel L. Kendrick	Feb 1, 1873	
(7)	Samuel H. Davis	Feb 12, 1875	
(8)	Otha Davis	July 24, 1881	

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 J. Holcomb	Louisa Holcomb

17. Where were they born? Monroe County Tennessee.

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

Murray County Georgia

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. N/A

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 J. Holcomb grand father.  
Louisa Holcomb grand mother.  
her Maiden Name was Berry.

REMARKS.

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

Application presented. Application and affidavit Evidence to the Dawes Commission in 1896, and proof is a matter of record.

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

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

(Signature.)

Mary Jane Gardner  
13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

My commission expires

April 18, 1908

Geo W Miller  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. E. Fortness and J. B. DeMaster, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary J. Gardner, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 9 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.

J. E. Fortness  
J. B. DeMaster

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 1906.

My commission expires

April 18, 1908

Geo W Miller  
Notary Public.

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47927 OFFICE OF Indian Affairs 1907  
Rec. MAY 20

*Lydia Miller*  
*Onsey Bell*

Pauls Valley, I. T.  
May 16 - 1907.

J. D.  
Claims that Jamie Mae  
Oulin who has made ap-  
plication for Cherokee  
payment has allotment  
in Chickasaw Nation.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 31 1907  
No.

*To Lydia Miller 5/24/07 976*  
*238*

*97*  
*87/162*



James Valley 97 5-16, 1907.

Dear Sir.

On examining the Chickasaw Indian rolls the name of Jane Mae Dulin appears as an intermarried citizen. Her maiden name was Davis. She married Simp Dulin an Indian and has one child by him. They separated and she married Gardner and has one child by him. I am informed that she has made application for the Eastern Cherokee payment for herself and children in the name of Mary Jane Gardner. If such is the case I think that your Department should know the facts in the case. She and her daughter Ola Dulin both have allotments in the Chickasaw Nation. I write this to acquaint you with facts.

Yours Truly

S. D.

ORDER DEPT.

ADD. INSTRUCTIONS

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NOTICE TO THE REGISTER GENERAL  
THESE ARE THE TERMS OF THE CONTRACT AND THE  
CONDITIONS AND THE RIGHTS OF THE PARTIES  
SECTION 5 COMMENCEMENT OF THE CONTRACT  
These are referred to in the contract.

BY:

WASHINGTON, D.C.

ORDER DEPT.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
MAY 31 1907

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
WASHINGTON

*File*

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

I.T.  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON.

YAW  
May 29, 1907.

Guion Miller, Esq.,  
Ouray Building,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

There is enclosed for consideration and appropriate action a communication dated May 16, 1907, signed by "S.D.", alleging that the name of Janie Mae Dulin appears on the roll of approved intermarried citizens of the Chickasaw Nation, and that she has also applied under the name of Gardner to participate in the Eastern Cherokee payment.

Very respectfully,

RJH--SD

*Frank M. Conser*  
Chief Clerk.



No. 7168.

Action: Reject.

Name Annie Gardner and -- children. Residence: Curtis, Texas.

Reasons: Grand-niece of #6964; claims thru same source.

No. 7168

Name Annie Gardner

With No. 6964

Remarks:

No. 7168

*Heir of 6968*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Annie Gardner*

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

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

8912

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name:

*Annie Gardner*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Curtis Eastland County Texas*

3. Town and post office:

*Curtis*

4. County:

*Eastland*

5. State:

*Texas*

6. Date and place of birth:

*August 9<sup>th</sup> 1888*

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 Grand Mother  
Catharine Montgomery and my Grand  
Father Joseph Williams*

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 J. Gardner*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Sarah E. Gardner*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Sarah E. Montgomery*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*in Kentucky*

Mother:

*in Alabama*

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

Father:

*in Kentucky*

Mother:

*Mother not born*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

*living*

Mother:

*living*

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Ferry Gardner</i>	<i>1888</i>	
(2)	<i>Mary Gardner</i>	<i>1892</i>	
(3)	<i>Princy Gardner</i>	<i>1896</i>	
(4)	<i>Cia Gardner</i>	<i>1896</i>	
(5)	<i>Gora Gardner</i>	<i>1898</i>	<i>1898</i>
(6)	<i>Irene Gardner</i>	<i>1901</i>	
	<i>Julie Gardner</i>	<i>1903</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>J. E. Gardner</i>	<i>J. W. Montgomery</i>
<i>Ann Gardner</i>	<i>Catharine Montgomery</i>

17. Where were they born? *Father in Kentucky*  
*Mother in Virginia.*

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

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

(1) English name:	<i>Ferry Marthy residence Kentucky</i>
Indian name:	<i>dead date not known</i>
Residence:	<i>Gardner Mary residence Kentucky</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Gardner Edward residence Kentucky</i>
Indian name:	<i>dead date not known</i>
Residence:	<i>Gardner Sarah residence Ky</i>
(3) English name:	<i>dead date not known</i>
Indian name:	<i>Gardner John residence Kentucky</i>
Residence:	<i>Gardner Standison residence Kentucky</i>
(4) English name:	<i>date not known</i>
Indian name:	<i>Gardner Emos residence Ky</i>
Residence:	<i>dead date not known</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Gardner William J Texas living</i>
Indian name:	<i>Gardner Etizel Elizabeth dead</i>
Residence:	<i>Gardner Woodville living residence Ky</i>

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 mother was a daughter of John W and Catharine Montgomery my great grand parents were Joseph and Catharine Williams*

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Annie Gardner*

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

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 1907

*J. D. Greenman*  
and for *Eastland Co Ga*  
Notary Public. in

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. G. Richardson* and *Dan McBeth*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Miss Annie Gardner* 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.

*H. G. Richardson*

*Dan McBeth*

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

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 1907

*J. D. Greenman*  
and for *Eastland Co Ga*  
Notary Public. in

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. 7169.

Action: Reject.

Name Sarah Gardner and - children. Residence: Curtis, Texas.

Reasons: Niece of 6964; claims thru same source.

No. 7169

Name Sarah E Gardner

With No. 7168

Remarks:



No. 7169

*Mace of 6964*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*Sarah E. Gardner*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*7169*

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 E Gardener*

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

2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

*Eastland County Texas*

3. Town and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

*Curtis*

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

*Eastland*

5. State: \_\_\_\_\_

*Texas*

6. Date and place of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

*1865 Alabama*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *by my Mother*

*Catharine Montgomery*

*and my Grand Father Joseph Williams*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

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

*William J Gardner*

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

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

*John W Montgomery*

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

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Catharine Montgomery*

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

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Catharine Williams*

11. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

*in Alabama*

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

*in Georgia*

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

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

*in Alabama*

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

*in Alabama*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

*not dead*

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

*not dead*

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) Jonathan A. Montgomery	1857	1901
(2) Jesse R. Montgomery	1859	
(3) Mattie C. Montgomery	1861	
(4) John P. Montgomery	1867	
(5) George W. Montgomery	1870	
(6) Alice B. Montgomery born 1878 Died 1895	Mary E. Montgomery 1873	1898
	Elda W. Montgomery 1875	

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
Joseph Williams	Catharine Stoffer
Nathan Montgomery	Joseph Williams
Martha Montgomery	Catharine Williams

17. Where were they born? on Father's side in Virginia  
on Mother's side in South Carolina

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

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

(1) English name: Alexander Montgomery Died 1862 Andrew J. Montgomery  
Indian name: Died 1864 John W. Montgomery residence Romney Texas  
Residence: James P. Montgomery residence Cisco Texas William

(2) English name: Montgomery Died 1862 Houston Montgomery residence  
Indian name: Pollard Arkansas Martha Montgomery residence unknown  
Residence: Balitha Williams Died 1874 Jennie Williams Died 1900

(3) English name: Martha Williams Died 1848 Malinda Williams Died 1905  
Indian name: James P. Williams residence Horse Creek Alabama  
Residence: Thomas G. Williams residence Horse Creek Alabama

(4) English name: Jonathan S. Williams Died 1865 Sarah Williams  
Indian name: residence Horse Creek Alabama William A. Williams  
Residence: Died 1883 Jesse Williams Died 1858 Joseph F. Williams

(5) English name: residence Odabel Indian Territory Vergel M. Williams  
Indian name: Died 1894 Morris S. Williams Died 1899 Francis Williams  
Residence: Died 1852 Alford A. Williams residence Romney Texas  
Jerry P. Williams residence Queller Indian Territory

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

where: no on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 1897 we were  
admitted as Cherokee Indians by blood.

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

*My Mother*  
*Leatharine Montgomery* a daughter of *Joseph Williams*  
*was born December 4<sup>th</sup> 1836* *Joseph Williams* my  
*grand father* was born *1804* *my grand mother*  
*William* was born *1807*

REMARKS.

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

*my Mother was a daughter of Joseph Williams who*  
*was a son of Edward William who and Peggie*  
*Williams nee Peggie Crittenden.*

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 E. Gardner*

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

My commission expires

*April 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*J. D. Greenman*  
and for *Eastman & Co. Reg* Notary Public. in

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *A. C. Richardson* and  
*Dan McBeth*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs Sarah E. Gardner*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for *23* years and *28* years,  
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and  
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*A. C. Richardson*

*Dan McBeth*

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

My commission expires

*April 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*J. D. Greenman*  
and for *Eastman & Co. Reg* Notary Public.

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No. 7170  
Name: Martha Ann Gunn and 1 children. Residence: Fort Cobb, Okla. Action: Repet

Reasons:

Sister to Lemuel W. Elliott (7140) and  
Claims from the same source.

No. 7170

Name Martha A. Gunn

With No. 7140

Remarks:

No. 7170

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Martha Ann Gunn*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906

No.

CHESTER HOWE  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

2170

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 Ann Gumme Martha Ann Grow*  
Indian name: *Hilderbrand*
2. Residence: *Post Cobb*
3. Town and post office: *Post Cobb*
4. County: *Caddo*
5. State: *Oklahoma*
6. Date and place of birth: *December 3rd 1845, Carrollton, 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:  
.....  
.....  
.....
8. Are you married? *Yes.*
9. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: *Jodie L. Gumme, age 56 yrs.*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Ananis Grow*  
Indian name: .....  
Mother—English name: *Sally Grow*  
Indian name: *Hilderbrand*  
Maiden name: *Hilderbrand*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Kentucky*  
Mother: *Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Missouri*  
Mother: *Missouri*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *October 27, 1871* Mother: *Aug. 16, 1903.*



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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Mary Elizabeth Stovall</i>	<i>Dec. 21, 1836</i>	
(2)	<i>Lena Wilimouth Elliot</i>	<i>Jan 18, 1840</i>	
(3)	<i>Sarah Jane Miller</i>	<i>July 6, 1842</i>	
(4)	<i>William Jackson Snow</i>	<i>April 21, 1848</i>	
(5)	<i>Robert Mountain Snow</i>	<i>Aug. 10, 1856</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

*Indian name, Hilderbrand was father's name. Do not know mother's.*

17. Where were they born? *Do not know.*

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

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

- (1) English name: *All dead. Do not know*  
Indian name: *dates of death*  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

**REMARKS.**

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

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

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

(Signature.) Martha Ann Gunn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Nov., 1906.

My commission expires Nov. 22, 1909

Paul Gilbert  
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. Jackson and A. L. Hanes who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha Ann Gunn, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 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.

Signatures of witnesses.

Samuel R. Jackson  
A. L. Hanes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Nov., 1906.

My commission expires Nov. 22, 1909

Paul Gilbert  
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.

Filed  
Oct. 6, 1908  
at  
Quadrants, Okla.

Brief.

Before the Honorable Commission of the United States of America, duly appointed and acting by virtue of the act of Congress of June, 4th, 1896, to hear and determine all claims for citizenship in the Five Civilized Tribes of Indians.

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the ~~FIXXX~~ Cherokee Nation of Stone Wall Miller, who is a Cherokee Indian by blood, his son, Lee, Stone Wall Miller is the son of H.C. Miller, grand son of Mary and Mary Hildebrand of H.C. who was a Cherokee Indian by blood, as evidenced by exhibit "A" "B" "C" "D" "E"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of Jno. R. Bingham, who is a Cherokee Indian by blood. Jno. R. Bingham is the son of Christopher Bingham, grand son of Annias Crow and great grand son of Henry and Mary Hildebrand, who were Cherokee Indians by blood as evidenced by exhibit "F"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of Sallie J. Miller, who was a Cherokee Indian by blood. Sallie J. Miller is the daughter of Annias and Sallie Crow of Iowa, grand daughter of Henry and Mary Hildebrand, who were Cherokee Indians as evidenced by exhibit "G"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of Wiley W. Stoveall and children, James H. Stoveall, who are Cherokee Indians by blood.

Wiley W. Stoveall is the son of Sallie Crow, nee Hildebrand, west grand son of Henry and Mary Hildebrand, who were Cherokee Indians by blood, as evidenced by exhibit "H"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of Sallie Crow, who is a Cherokee Indian by blood.

Sallie Crow is the daughter of Henry and Mary Hildebrand of H.C. who are Cherokee Indians by blood as evidenced by exhibit "I"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of R.F. Crow and Sallie Crow, both of whom are Cherokee Indians by blood.

R.F. Crow is the son of Annias and Sallie Crow, grand son of Henry and Mary Hildebrand of H.C. who were Cherokee Indians by blood as evidenced by exhibit "J"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of H. J. Crow, all of whom are Cherokee Indians by blood.

H. J. Crow is the son of Annias and Sallie Crow, grand son of Henry and Mary Hildebrand of H.C. who was a Cherokee Indian by blood as evidenced by exhibit "K"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of Luther Bingham and his children, Jessie C. Bingham, all of whom are Cherokee Indians by blood.

Luther Bingham is the son of Christopher and Martha Bingham, grand son of Annias Crow and great grand son of Henry and Mary Hildebrand, who were Cherokee Indians by blood as evidenced by exhibit "L"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of Mary W. Stoveall and her children, George W. Stoveall, Mattie M. Stoveall, and James W. Stoveall, all of whom are Cherokee Indians by blood.

Mary W. Stoveall is the daughter of Annias Crow, grand daughter of Henry Hildebrand, who is a Cherokee Indian by blood as evidenced by exhibit "M"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of Martha A. Crow, who was a Cherokee Indian by blood.

Martha A. Crow is the daughter of Annias Crow and the grand daughter of Henry Hildebrand, who was a Cherokee Indian by blood as evidenced by exhibit "N"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of Fannie Overman, Guardian of the following children, who are Cherokee Indians by blood: Bud, Ben, Anton, Jno. L., Sylvus D. and Charlie Overman.

Fannie Overman deceased was the mother of the above named children

(2)

was the daughter of F.A. Elliott, grand daughter of Ammanias Gooow and ~~gr~~ great grand daughter of Henry Hildebrand, who was a Cherokee Indian by blood as evidenced by exhibit "P"

In the matter of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation of Lenora Elliott and children, Wm R. Elliott, James J. Elliott, Leni Lee O. Elliott, Joseph M. Elliott and Orie B. Elliott, all of whom are Cherokee Indians by blood.

Lenora W. Elliott is the daughter of Ammanias Gooow, grand daughter of Henry Hildebrand, who is a Cherokee Indian by blood as evidenced by exhibit "P"

The said Claimants, claim and declare themselves to be Cherokee Indians by blood.

Wherefore, they pray the Honorable Commission, that after a careful examination of the applications, and a fair and impartial investigation of the proof herewith submitted, you adjudge them entitled to citizenship, together with the aforesaid children, in the Cherokee Nation, that you enroll the names of each of said claimants, and that of the aforesaid children, upon the Cherokee roll, that you grant them all the rights, privileges and immunities of citizens of citizens of the said Cherokee Nation.

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Counsel for petitioners.

No. 7171

Action: Reject

Name: Theodor M. Gray and ..... children. Residence: Gavin, Oklahoma.

Reasons:

Applicant born 37 years ago in Mississippi. He claims through his mother who lived in Miss. in 1851, but born in South Carolina. Applicant has a sister born in 54 and therefore mother probably born before 1830. Neither mother nor grand mother appear on the rolls of 51 or 30 though grand mother probably living in South Carolina at that time.

*Suppl.*

No. 7171

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Theodore*  
*Thomas M. Gray*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: *Therese M. Gray*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Albany Garwood*
3. Town and post office: *Albany Ga*
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: *Indian Terr*
6. Date and place of birth: *Sept 15. 1849. Hot Springs Ark*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *By right of Cynthia M. Nicholson  
J. J. Morris*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Wife Gertrude G. Gray  
age 33*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Winchen M Gray*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Sarah C. Gray*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Sarah C. Buggers*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *North Carolina*  
Mother: *North Carolina*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Mississippi*  
Mother: *Mississippi*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Aug 31 1889* Mother: *Living*



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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	James W Gray	Jan 27, 1856	Feb 28, 1887
(2)	Mary J Gray	Mar 29, 1854	Apr 9, 1901
(3)	Robert H Gray	Nov 19, 1860	Living
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Unknown</u>	William H. Biggers
	Cynthia M. Nicholson
	Biggers

17. Where were they born? South Carolina

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

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

(1) English name: James H. Biggers Living  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Commerce Texas

(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 1892 through the Mattomen Mutual Aid Society

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

J. J. Morris. Sarah Morris <sup>maternal name</sup> married  
Nicholson. Cynthia Nicholson married  
Biggers. Mother Sarah T Biggers married  
Theodore M Gray

REMARKS.

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

Please search the Record of 1835 for Morris J. J. Morris I believe that is his initials but it is Morris and was proved one by the Women's Mutual Aid Society and it was enrolled

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.)

T. M. Gray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

3-11-1907

D. S. Cain

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. M. Park and M. H. Adams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Theodore M. Gray, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and 11 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.

Will M. Park

M. H. Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Dec, 1906.

My commission expires

May 5<sup>th</sup>, 1908

J. M. Beason

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. 7171

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Theodore M. Gray*  
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. AUG 26 1907 A.
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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. 717

1. State your full name: Theodore Malinin Gray
2. Residence and post office: Albany
3. County: Bryan
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Sept 18 1869
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Gertrude Gray - 33 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>Ernest L. Gray</u>	<u>14 yrs</u>	<u>1893</u>
(2)	<u>Herbert G. Gray</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(3)	<u>Ivan H. Gray</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1897</u>
(4)	<u>Daisy M. Gray</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1899</u>
(5)	<u>Mary B. Gray</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>
(6)			

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

(Signature) Theodore Malinin Gray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug, 1907.

J. M. Reaser  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires May 5th, 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. H. Park and M. H. Adams who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Theodore M. Gray who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 on May 28, 1906, \_\_\_\_\_ had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to Mark. \_\_\_\_\_  
Signatures of Witnesses. Will M. Park  
Marvin H. Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.  
J. M. Reesor  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 5<sup>th</sup>, 1908

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

No. 7171

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Theodore M. Gray  
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  
Recd. AUG 29 1907

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 12 1907  
No. 7171.

*Supl. Ford*  
*Aug 14-07*

Albany N. Y. 8. 8. 07

Office of Indian Affairs

I write you in regard to my  
application No 7171 <sup>our</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>corresponding</sup>  
the card you sent me  
What has been done with the  
matter you stated you would  
let me know if any further  
information was wanted as  
I have not heard anything  
and please let me  
know what has been done  
and all this

T. M. Gray

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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Garvin of La

Special Comm.  
Court of Claims

17<sup>th</sup>

Sir

in regard to our claim  
I will wish you again  
application No. 7171- what  
has been done with it  
if nothing done other do  
you think it will be  
settled & heard moved  
to Garvin for a while  
so answer me at this  
place hoping to hear  
a favorable reply  
By Return mail  
I remain

T M Gray

No. 7172

Action: Reject

Name Estella Gladden and — children. Residence: Anna, Texas,  
R.F.D. #2.

Reasons:

Niece of #923, and claims through the  
same ancestors.

No. 7192

Name Estelle Gladden

With No. 923

Remarks:

misc 7 923

No. 7172

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*Mrs. Estella Gladden.*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7172

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. Estella Gladden  
Indian name: none
2. Residence: Anna, Collin County, Texas
3. Town and post office: Anna, Collin County, P. O. #2, Texas
4. County: Collin
5. State: Texas
6. Date and place of birth: August 4<sup>th</sup> 1887, Durden Hill, County, 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 father John S. Arante
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Fred Gladden  
July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1880
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: John S. Arante  
Indian name: none  
Mother—English name: Annie Rich Arante  
Indian name: none  
Maiden name: Annie Rich
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Bankston, Choctaw County, Mississippi  
Mother: Rusk County, Texas
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In state of Mississippi  
Mother: not born
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: deceased Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sarah P. Avants	Nov. 14, 1868	Living
(2)	Samuel T. Avants	Jan. 17, 1872	"
(3)	Mattie L. Avants	April 22, 1874	"
(4)	William R. Avants	Oct. 24, 1877	"
(5)	Sterling Avants	June 30, 1882	"
(6)	Jimmie Avants	July 3, 1885	"
	Harvey Hale Avants	Oct. 5, 1894	"

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Thomas Avants	Leeroy Rich
Francis E. Avants	Edith Rich
<del>Wm. H. Avants</del>	

17. Where were they born? Fathers side East Tennessee & Alabama  
Mothers side Tennessee.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fathers side in state of  
Mississippi. Mothers side, Rush County, Texas.

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

(1)	English name: James Avants	Living
	Indian name: <del>Call</del> none	
	Residence: unknown	
(2)	English name: Call Avants	"
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(3)	English name: Drivery Avants	Dead
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(4)	English name: George W. Avants	"
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	
(5)	English name: Mary Lucy Avants	"
	Indian name: none	
	Residence: unknown	

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

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

*Peter Awants. great grand father on fathers side.*  
*Thomas Awants. grand father on fathers 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.) *Mrs. Estella Gladden*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907 *J. D. Blakeley* 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. Edmondson* and *J. M. Edmondson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Estella Gladden*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *5* 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.

*W. C. Edmondson*

*J. M. Edmondson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907 *J. D. Blakeley* Notary Public.

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No. 7173

Action: *Reject*

Name *Clara Gordon* and *4* children. Residence: *Baxter Springs, Kans.*  
*(A. F. D. # 2.)*

Reasons:

*Niece of # 7040, and claims through the same ancestors.*



No. 7173

Name. Clara Gordon

With No. 7040

Remarks:

Copy file

1/2 piece of 7040

No. 7173

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Clara Gordon*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

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Commsstoner 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:

Clara Gordon

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Lincolnville I T

3. Town and post office:

Baptist Springs Kn. R F D No 2

4. County:

5. State:

I T

6. Date and place of birth:

Dec. 11/1875 - Kans.

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:

Wm Logan, Jr Grandfather

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

John Gordon, 34

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

Father—English name:

Chas. Shinn

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Matilda Shinn nee

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Allen

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Ills

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: no

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Bertha Heel	15	
(2)	Louis Shinn	28	
(3)	Maggie McClary	22	
(4)	Cora Blati	18	
(5)	Wilson Shinn	24	
(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.
	Louis Allen
	Maggie "

17. Where were they born? 15y D 2a

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

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

(1) English name:	Mattie Allen	
Indian name:	Pily "	
Residence:	Leonard "	
(2) English name:	Judson "	Dead
Indian name:	Lucinda "	
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: .....

*Zachariah Logan To Great grandfather*  
*Wm* " " "  
*Louis Allen* " "

REMARKS.

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

*Have claim before course Master*  
*Rept. shows Indian blood*  
*Record at Muskogee JJ*

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.) *Clara Gordon*

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

My commission expires *April 9*, 190*8* *W. L. Lakin*  
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 *Walter Beggs* and *John Bedrow*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Clara Gordon*, 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.

*Walter Beggs*  
*John Bedrow*

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

My commission expires *April 9*, 190*8* *W. L. Lakin*  
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. 7173

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION**

OF

Clara Gordon

**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. AUG 21 1907 No.
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**CHESTER HOW  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 7173

1. State your full name: Clara Gordon
2. Residence and post office: W Baffin Springs, Kans. RR 2
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Kansas
5. Date and place of birth: Dec. 11, 1875 - Cherokee Co. Kans.
6. Are you married? no
7. Name and age of wife or husband: John Gordon, 34 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>Rosie Gordon</u>	<u>12 yrs.</u>	<u>10/11/1894</u>
(2)	<u>Lena Gordon</u>	<u>10 yrs.</u>	<u>5/2/1899</u>
(3)	<u>Stella Gordon</u>	<u>6 yrs.</u>	<u>6/10/1901</u>
(4)	<u>Beatha Gordon</u>	<u>1 "</u>	<u>12/18/1905</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: 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.

(Signature) Clara Gordon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

D. H. Galbat  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 30, 1909

**AFFIDAVIT**

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

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

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

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

No. 7143

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Clara Gordon*

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  
Recd. AUG 21 1907  
No.

CHESTER HOWE  
ATTORNEY,  
FACIL. LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



No. 7174

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Jessie D. Gray* and *X* children. Residence: *Mosby, Md.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of 7136.*

No. 7174  
Name *James D. Gray*  
With No. 7136  
Remarks:

*Chien*

No. 7174

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jessie D. Guy*

for share of money appropriated for the 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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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
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: *Mrs Jessie D Guy nee Fuller*  
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Mosby Clay County Missouri*
3. Town and post office: *Mosby*
4. County: *Clay*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *Sep 15th 1875 Near Mosby, M.*
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 Indian Blood of Cherokee*  
*John Fuller Father*  
*Andrew Fuller Grandfather*  
*Richard Fuller Great Grandfather*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *John W. Guy age 33*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *John Fuller*  
Indian name:  
Mother—English name: *Margaret A Fuller*  
Indian name:  
Maiden name: *Margaret A Baldwin*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Clinton County Missouri*  
Mother: *Clay County Missouri*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Clinton County Missouri*  
Mother: *Clay County Missouri*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *May 26th 1878* Mother: *Living*

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Dora L Fuller</u>	<u>June 16-1877</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>Andrew Fuller</u>	<u>Alongo Baldwin</u>
<u>Mary Fuller</u>	<u>Rebecca Baldwin</u>

17. Where were they born? unknown

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Jessie D. Guy*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24th* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *March 26th*, 1907

*Bunely D. Corbin*  
Notary Public.  
*for Clay Co Mo*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Miles Fuller* and *J. L. Dougherty*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jessie D. Guy*, who makes the foregoing application and statements; and have known *her* for *5* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *us* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *us* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Miles Fuller*  
*J. L. Dougherty*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *March 26th*, 1907

*Bunely D. Corbin*  
Notary Public.  
*for Clay Co Mo*

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on May 28, 1906, had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by  
are true, and they have no interest whatever in claim.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Witnesses to Mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190\_\_\_\_\_.

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

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No. 7174

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*James D. Gray*  
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.

No Minor Children =  
 we informed you of this fact  
 but some of the neighbors  
 think this should go back to  
 you anyway

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. 7174

1. State your full name: Mrs. Jessie D. Guy
2. Residence and post office: Mosby, Va. Lee Fuller
3. County: Clay
4. State: Missouri
5. Date and place of birth: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(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: \_\_\_\_\_

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) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 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 statement, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents \_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that on May 28, 1906, \_\_\_\_\_ had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

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

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No. 7174

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*[Signature]*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

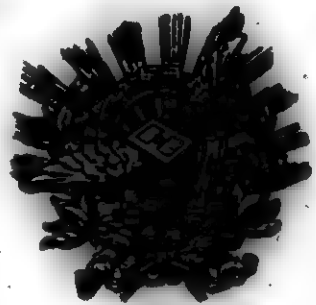
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 7149



United States Express Company.

Mosby Mo 175 1908

Mr Union Miller  
Spl Commissioner Washington DC

Dear Sir:

Can you give us any definite  
information regarding our claims, 7149  
and 7174, for citizenship in the Eastern  
Band of Cherokee Indians

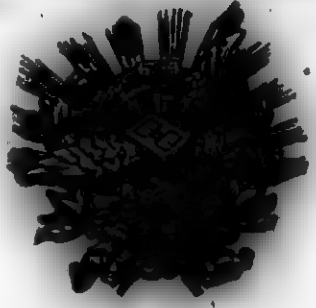
Yours Respy  
Mrs J. May and D. S. Fuller

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United States Express Company.

Jessie D.  
Guy.

Mosby Mo 21 1908

Mr Guion Miller

Washington D.C

Dear Sir: Please note attached cut from  
Kosbity Times of this date and kindly  
advise with return of same if claims  
7149 and 7174 are OK. and will share  
in the division of this fund

Respy Mrs J. Guy.

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# Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Co.

Mosby Mo June 6th '07

Commissioner Of Indian Affairs

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Can you tell whether or not any further information will be necessary in regard to Applications #7174 (Jessie D Guy, Nee Fuller) and # 7149 (Dora L Fuller) ?

We figure on being absent for a few weeks, and address will be uncertain, Kindly advise, and Oblige

Yours Truly

*J. W. Guy*  
-----Agent, C.M.&St.P.Ry

*Jessie D. Guy  
# 7174*

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Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Co.

Mosby Mo., Oct 29'07

Special Commissioner

Washington., D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly advise the immediate outlook in regard to claims #7149 and #7174 ? It seems that this has been running long enough for us to realize something incase we are ever going to, however the case may be going we would be glad to hear something definite, be it good, or bad, and if you are in position to give us the facts in the case, the information will be highly appreciated.

Yours Respectfully

Mrs J W Guy

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT

601 OURAY BUILDING  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 12, 1907.

Sir:

In the matter of the enrollment of the Eastern Cherokees for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, of May 28, 1906, the Court of Claims on April 29, 1907, entered a further order directing the distribution of this fund *per capita*.

Under this order all Eastern Cherokees by blood, who were living on May 28, 1906, who can prove that they are descended from Eastern Cherokee Indians, parties to the Treaty of 1835-6 and 1846, will be entitled to enrollment. Minor children are to be enrolled with their parents.

You have already filed application No. 7174 for your own share of this fund, but it does not show whether you have any minor children. If you had any minor children living on May 28, 1906, you should fill out the inclosed Supplemental Application, and together with two witnesses acknowledge the same before a Notary Public or other proper officer, and should mail said application to this Office immediately.

If you have already filed a separate application for your minor children you need not file this supplemental application.

Do not fail to put your own application number on the supplemental application. If you have children of age who have not filed applications, they should apply at once to this Office for an application blank which will be forwarded without charge.

You should address all letters on this subject to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

Mr. G. Miller

Referring to above, I had no minor children prior to May 28th 1906 have no children at all, main thing I wish to know is what I am going to get and when I will get it

Yours Respectfully

*James D. King*  
*Mrs. M. M. King*  
*5/15/07*

No. 7175

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary C Gentry* and *x* children. Residence: *Danville, Ind.*

Reasons:

*obtained through the same source as 705-3.*

No. 7175

Name Mary C Gentry

With No. 7186

Remarks:

No. 7175

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary C. Gentry*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7175

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 Christine Bentry*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Danville Indiana*
3. Town and post office: *Danville*
4. County: *Hendricks*
5. State: *Indiana*
6. Date and place of birth: *February Fifteenth 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: *Because I am one thirty second Indian blood William Bugh and Mary E. Clark both of Indiana.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *James M. Bentry born January First 1876*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *William S. Manning*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Susan M. Manning*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Susan M. Clark*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *In Hendricks County Indiana.*  
Mother: *In Hendricks County Indiana*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *In Vigo County.*  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *still living* Mother: *still living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were never enrolled.*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Oscar A Manning</i>	<i>September twenty seventh</i>	<i>1879</i>
(2)	<i>Walter C Manning</i>	<i>July First</i>	<i>1884</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>John Manning</i>	<i>Roland A. Clark</i>
<i>Emily C. Manning</i>	<i>Mary E. Clark</i>

17. Where were they born? *Roland A Clark and Mary E. Clark were born in Hendricks County Indiana*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In Hendricks County Indiana*

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

(1) English name:	<i>James H. Clark</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Danville Indiana</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Thomas A Clark</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Danville Indiana</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Ida S. Wilson nee Clark</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Bossie Oklahoma</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Jessie M. Manning nee Clark</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Danville Indiana</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. *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 Baugh of Kentucky. William Baugh of Indiana. Mary E. Clark of Indiana. Susan M. Manning of Indiana.*

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Mary Christine Gentry*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *sixth* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*April 4th*, 19*08*

*A. L. Symons*

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 *Inez Shoffner* and *Mary E. Sharp*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary Christine Gentry* 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.

*Inez Shoffner*

*Mary E. Sharp*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *sixth* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*April 4th*, 19*08*

*A. L. Symons*

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. 7176

Action: *Reject*

Name *Lillie Gibbs* and *X* children. Residence: *Wynnewood,*

*Okla.,*

Reasons:

*First cousin of #7118. Claims  
through same source.*

No. 7196  
Name Lillie Gibbs  
With No. 7125

Remarks:

*1<sup>st</sup> class. one of 72 -  
number of 7119*

No. 7176

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lillie Gibbs*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: Lillie Gibbs Stripling.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Indian Territory
3. Town and post office: Wynnewood, Wynnewood.
4. County: Pontotoc
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: October 18<sup>th</sup> 1887 McKenna Co 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: Claim by that of Cherokee Indian blood and being a descendant of W. J. Holcomb, my great-grand father who was born December 3<sup>rd</sup> 1819. Monroe County Tennessee
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Henry J. Gibbs. 22 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William A. Stripling  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Louisa M. Stripling  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Louisa M. Davis
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Bullock County Alabama.  
Mother: Murray County Georgia
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: not born  
Mother: not born
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: living Mother: living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: not to my knowledge

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Franklin M. Stripling	Feb 7 <sup>th</sup> 1881	
(2)	Lula B. Eldridge	April 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1885	
(3)	Florence Stripling	July 24 <sup>th</sup> 1890	
(4)	Mollie Stripling	June 16 <sup>th</sup> 1893	
(5)	Earl Stripling	Nov 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1896	
(6)	Luther Stripling	Nov 23 1900	
(7)	Lillian Stripling	Nov 23 1900	

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
Richard M. Davis	Martha J. Holcomb
William J. Holcomb	Louisa Berry

17. Where were they born? Forsyth Co Georgia, Monroe Co Tennessee  
Monroe County Tennessee

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

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

(1) English name:	W. E. Davis	Oklahoma
(2) Indian name:	Sallie B. Davis	died Dec 12 1882
(3) Residence:	Rufus S. Davis	Oklahoma
(4) English name:	John M. Davis	Oklahoma
(5) Indian name:	Louisa M. Stripling	Indian Territory
(6) Residence:	Ryie L. Kendrick	Texas
(7) English name:	Samuel H. Davis	Indian Territory
(8) Indian name:	Mary J. Gardner	Indian Territory
(9) Residence:	Eugene O. Davis	Oklahoma
(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: Richard M. Davis, grand Father Martha J. Davis, grand Mother, William J. Holcomb, great-grand Father, Louisa Holcomb, great-grand Mother

**REMARKS.**

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

Application presented Application and affidavit evidence to Dawes Commission in 1896 and proof is matter of record.

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

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

(Signature.) Lillie Gibbs

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

My commission expires

Oct. 19th, 1907

Geo. L. Jordan  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me E. L. Courtney and Mrs. Lillie Courtney, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lillie Gibbs, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

E. L. Courtney  
Mrs. Lillie Courtney

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

My commission expires

January 16, 1907

H. C. Frost  
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. 7177

Action: *Repeal*

Name: *Leah B. Grooms* and *X* children. Residence: *Oakland, Oregon*

Reasons:

*Relaine through the same source as 700-3-*



No. 7177  
Name C. B. Quinn  
With No. 7159

Remarks:

No. 7177

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*C B Guinn*<sup>or</sup>

*Oakland Oregon*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: Chas B Guinn

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

2. Residence: Oakland Oregon

3. Town and post office: Oakland

4. County: Douglas

5. State: Oregon

6. Date and place of birth: Oct 28, 1867 at Perry, Madison County Ky

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: Chas B Guinn son of Mary J Guinn grand son of Elizabeth Smith nee Blackburn of Ky and a Gr son of James Blackburn of Ky, a Gr Gr nephew of Polly Carter and a Gr Gr son of James and Rhoda Blackburn nee Bang of Virginia as is shown by papers submitted

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Eva J. Guinn aged 25 years

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

Father—English name: Isaac Guinn

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

Mother—English name: Mary J Guinn

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

Maiden name: Mary J Smith

11. Where were they born?

Father: Rock Castle County Kentucky

Mother: Madison " "

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

Father: in Kentucky

Mother: " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: still living Mother: still 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)	William B Guinn	unknown	living
(2)	Anna	"	"
(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
William Guinn	Benaja Smith
	Elizabeth " nee Blackburn

17. Where were they born? in Kentucky Madison County

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

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

(1) English name:	Abraham Smith	Dead unknown
Indian name:	John	" "
Residence:	George	living in Ky
(2) English name:	Wm B	" "
Indian name:	Francis M	dead
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: Polly Carter

(nee Blackburn, a 3rd aunt was enrolled in 1835  
(Rosa Poll), and was a sister of my Great Grandfather  
James Blackburn of Kentucky and a Daughter of James  
and Rhoda Blackburn nee Rought of Virginia

REMARKS:

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

C. B. Guinn is a son of Mary J. Guinn and Grandson of  
Elizabeth Smith, nee Blackburn of Ky & son of James Blackburn  
of Ky a 3rd nephew of Polly Carter who was a Daughter of  
James and Rhoda Blackburn of Virginia as shown by proofs  
submitted to Dawes Com and appeared in U.S. Court Masters report on record  
with Case at Muskogee D.T. showing applicant having Cherokee Indian Blood  
NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.  
Case was made before Dawes Commission

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

(Signature.) Caleb B. Guinn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Dec, 1906.

My commission expires

Sept 28, 1908

J. L. Dimmick  
Notary Public, Oregon

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. J. Page and  
A. C. Gilman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Caleb B. Guinn, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 14 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.

Signature of witnesses.

E. J. Page  
A. C. Gilman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Dec, 1906.

My commission expires

Sept 28, 1906

J. L. Dimmick  
Notary Public.

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No. 7178

Action: *Reject*

Name *Luzenia J. Glockler* and *X* children. Residence: *Denver Mo.*

Reasons:

*claims through the same source as 705-3-*

No. 7178

Name Eugenia Koster

With No. 7053

Remarks:

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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

No.
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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES

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

*James J. [Signature]*

OF

APPLICATION

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

No. 7178



No. 7178

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Luzerna J. Roekler*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

8212

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: *Ms Lueria J Glastler*  
Indian name: *unknown*
2. Residence: *North County*
3. Town and post office: *Denver*
4. County: *North*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *Barn March 1<sup>st</sup> 1870 Gentry County 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: *"My Mother's inheritance and My own Blood Relations to the Cherokee Indians"*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *William Glastler age forty years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *George Benton Mc Miller*  
Indian name: *unknown*  
Mother—English name: *Mary A Mc Miller*  
Indian name: *unknown*  
Maiden name: *Mary A Bentrigh*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Bone Perry County Indiana*  
Mother: *Graves County Kentucky*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Gentryville Gentry County Missouri*  
Mother: *Moved from Graves County Kentucky to Platt County Missouri (Fall 1851)*
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: *No*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Permelia A McMillen</i>	<i>May 3-1865</i>	
(2)	<i>William J McMillen</i>	<i>February 11-1867</i>	
(3)	<i>Alfred B McMillen</i>	<i>July 11-1868</i>	
(4)	<i>Drew M McMillen</i>	<i>March 6-1874</i>	
(5)	<i>Margit F McMillen</i>	<i>December 20-1880</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>Jonathan McMillen</i>	<i>William V Boatright</i>
<i>Mary A McMillen</i>	<i>Sallie W Boatright</i>

17. Where were they born? *Virginia Mathus parents born*

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

*at Gentryville Gentry County Missouri*  
*Mother's parents moved from [unclear] to Platt County Missouri*

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

(1) English name: *Lussas F Scoff Residence Darlington Gentry County*  
~~Indian name:~~ *Jobob F Boatright Residence Joplin Jasper County Mo*  
 Residence: *+ + + + +*

(2) English name: *Elizabeth J Slane*  
~~Indian name:~~ *Franklin A Boatright Vanburen Arkansas*  
 Residence: *Darlington Gentry County Missouri*

(3) English name: *Rebeca F Boatright died Jan-1830*  
~~Indian name:~~ *Joseph M Boatright died 1863*  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: *Jess S Boatright died Nov 9-1905*  
~~Indian name:~~ *William T Boatright Residence Norwich Kansas*  
 Residence: *+ + + +*

(5) English name: *Benjamin A Boatright died Jan 8 1853*  
~~Indian name:~~ *James B Boatright Residence Colorado Spurgs Colo*  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) Mrs. Lucretia J. Hooper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

March 28<sup>th</sup>, 1909

William Miller

Notary Public.

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Missouri)  
Missouri

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Fred Williams and L. J. Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lucretia J. Hooper, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 1/2 years and 1 1/2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her to be, and that the statements made by us 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.

Fred Williams  
L. J. Williams

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

My commission expires

March 28<sup>th</sup>, 1909

William Miller

Notary Public.

North County Missouri

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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. 7179.

Action: Reject.

Name Samuel Hunter and -- children. Residence: Lipscomb, Texas.

Reasons: Uncle of 7051. Claims thru same source.

No. 7179.

Name Paul Hunter

Wish No. 7057.

Remarks:

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No. 7179

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Saml. Hunt*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

6112

*Sam*

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: *Sam Hunter*  
Indian name: *Sam Hunter*
2. Residence: *Lipscomb, Lipscomb County, Texas*
3. Town and post office: *Lipscomb*
4. County: *Lipscomb*
5. State: *Texas*
6. Date and place of birth: *November 8, 1862 Hopkins County, 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: *By right of father, Willis Lucas Hunter, who was the son of Patsy Hunter, who was the daughter of Sallie Brumley who was the daughter of James Starr, who was a Cherokee Indian by blood, who was a recognized member east of the Mississippi River.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Nora Hunter - 37*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Willis Lucas Hunter*  
Indian name: *Willis Lucas Hunter*  
Mother—English name: *Sarah Jane Hunter*  
Indian name: *A. G. M. Woman*  
Maiden name: *Sarah Jane Cantrell*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Hardin County Tennessee*  
Mother: *Parker County Texas*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Texas*  
Mother: *Texas*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Living*      Mother: *Living*



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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Sarah Florence Hunter	Aug. 7, 1860	
(2)	Willie Co. Hunter	Sept. 29, 1869	
(3)	Hazel W. Hunter	June 16, 1872	
(4)	Daniel G. Hunter	Apr. 16, 1874	
(5)	Emma L. Hunter	May 16, 1877	
(6)	Robert & Annie O. Hunter	Nov. 8, 1882	
	Benjamin H. Hunter	Sept. 10, 1888	
	John N. Hunter	Nov. 16, 1890	
		June 9, 1879	

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
Daniel Hunter	Hazel Green Cantrell
Patsy Hunter	Cynthia Cantrell

17. Where were they born? Daniel Patsy Hunter in Tennessee; Hazel Green Cantrell, Tennessee; Cynthia Cantrell, Arkansas.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hazel Green Cantrell, Tennessee; Cynthia Cantrell, Arkansas; Daniel Hunter in Tennessee; Patsy Hunter dead.

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: *my mother's name was Patsey Hunter, who was a daughter of Sallie Brunley who was a daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian by blood and a recognized member, east of the Mississippi River whose name will be found on the rolls 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.) *Samuel Hunter*

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

My commission expires *June 1st*, 190*7*

*Al Gray*  
Notary Public  
*Texas*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Ray Schallenbarger* and *Thompson S. Williams*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Samuel Hunter*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* years and *5* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that 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.

*Ray Schallenbarger*  
*Thompson S. Williams*

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

My commission expires *June 1st*, 190*7*

*Al Gray*  
Notary Public  
*Texas*

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No. 7180 Action: Reject.  
Name: Willis L. Hunter and 3 children. Residence: Comanche, Okla.  
Reasons: Grandfather of # 7050. Claims thru same source.

No. 7180.

Name Willis L. Hunter

With No. 2051.

Remarks:

*Suppl*  
*Grandfather of*  
No. 7180 7057

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*W. L. Hunter*

For share of money appropriated for the 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, 1890, and May 20, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Commsstoner 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: Willis L. Hunter.  
Indian name: Willis L. Hunter.
2. Residence: Reagan Indian Territory.
3. Town and post office: Reagan.
4. County: Tishomingo County or the twenty second (22) Recording District
5. State: Indian Territory.
6. Date and place of birth: January 19th 1838, in Harden 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: Through my mother, Patsie Hunter, who was a daughter of Sallie Brumley, who was a daughter of James Starr, who was Cherokee Indian by blood.
8. Are you married? Yes.
9. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~ Sarah Jane Hunter, age 50 years on October 19th, 1906.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Daniel Hunter.  
Indian name: white man.  
Mother—English name: Patsie Hunter.  
Indian name: Patsie Brumley.  
Maiden name: Patsie Brumley.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In the state of Tennessee.  
Mother: In the state of Tennessee.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Harden County Tennessee.  
Mother: Died in 1838.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Died in the year 1853. Mother: Died in the year A.D. 1878.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not to my knowledge.

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

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) <u>Sallie Hunter, was older than my self and died in 1838, I do not know her age.</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>Daniel Hunter (white man)</u>	<u>Grand father on mother's side Willis Brumley</u>
<u>Do not know what name of Grand mother on father's side.</u>	<u>Sallie Brumley English name</u>
	<u>Sallie Starr Indian name.</u>

17. Where were they born? They were all born in the state of Tennessee.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? My grand parents on my father's side were dead in 1851 and on my mother's side they resided in the state of Texas.

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

(1) English name: On my father's side they are all dead and were white people, and their names was Hunter, do not remember date of the death of any of them.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Resided in the state of Tennessee.  
on mother's side, Barton Brumley, oldest, do not remember date of death, Patsie Brumley, my mother who died in 1838, Jane Brumley, died in 1864, Berry Brumley, dont remember date of death, Nelson Brumley, died in 1854, Samuel Brumley, do not remember date of death, He died in infancy.  
Residence: The Indian name was the same as the English name. Patsie Brumley and Samuel Brumley died in the state of Tennessee.  
(2) English name: And Barton Brumley, James Brumley, Berry Brumley & Nelson Brumley all died in the state of Texas.  
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 made application to the commission of the five civilized tribes, for my self and children for enrolment, but rejected by the Commission, no reason being assigned therefor.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: My mother's name was Patsie Hunter, who was a daughter of Sallie Brumley, who was a daughter of James Starr, who was a Cherokee Indian by blood, and a recognized member East of the Mississippi River, and whose name will be found on the roll 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.) W. S. Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Nov., 1906.

My commission expires Jan'y 27, 1910 J. H. Riggins  
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 Conway and Nolan Cothran, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Willis S. Hunter, 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 are are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark. W. S. Smith

Signatures of witnesses. Daniel Conway  
Nolan X Cothran

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Nov., 1906.

My commission expires Jan'y 27<sup>th</sup>, 1910 J. H. Riggins  
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. 7180

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Willis L. Hunter*

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 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. 7180

1. State your full name: Willis L. Hunter
2. Residence and post office: Comanche, Chickasaw Nation Ind. Ter.
3. County: Southern District
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: January 19th 1838, Harden County Tenn.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Jane Hunter (nee Cantrell) 59 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
Twins	(1) <u>Robert Lee Hunter</u>	<u>18 years</u>	<u>Sept. 10th 1888</u>
	(2) <u>Bonnie Lee Hunter</u>	<u>18 years</u>	<u>Sept. 10th 1888</u>
	(3) <u>Benjamin C. Hunter</u>	<u>16 years</u>	<u>Nov. 16th 1890</u>
	(4) _____	_____	_____
	(5) _____	_____	_____
	(6) _____	_____	_____

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

### REMARKS

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

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

(Signature)

Willis L. Hunter

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

W. H. Admire  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

November 17th, 1907

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me Thomas Tarris and Henry J. Deaton who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Walter L. Hunter who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 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.

W. H. Adair  
James L. Sprouse

Signatures of Witnesses.

Thomas Tarris  
Henry J. Deaton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. H. Adair  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov. 17, 1907

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

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Walter L. Hunter

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.  
Filed JUL 26 1907  
No.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 18 1907  
No.

*Wilkinson & Admire,*

*Lawyers*

*Yates Bldg - Notary in Office.*

Comanche, Ok., July 15th 1907.

Guion Miller Special Com.

Washington D. C.

Dear sir:

We herewith enclose you my application, No. 7180 Eastern Cherokees  
as a supplement to my original application, please file the same  
and report progress of my ~~claim~~ claim, and pelige.

Yours

W. L. Hunter

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No. 7180

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MAY 11 1908

G. A. KINCAID.

R. S. BRISTOW.

We List Property to Sell—Not to Keep.

**KINGAID & BRISTOW,**

**REAL ESTATE,**

**LOANS AND INSURANCE.**

Comanche, Okla. May 7th- 1908

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Washington D.C.

Gentlemen:-

Referring to my application for participation in the funds arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, said claim being #7180, I would be grateful to you if you would give me some idea as to when you think this matter will be finally wound up.

My post office is Comanche Oklahoma.

Very respectfully yours

Willis L. Hunter.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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July the 5<sup>th</sup> 1907

Department of the Interior  
Office of Indian Affairs  
Washington, D. C.

I refer to my application  
No. 7180, as I haven't heard  
from it for some time  
& will ask if it will be  
known soon whether it  
be adopted or not as I  
would like to know  
something about it.

Yours respectfully  
Willis S. Hunter 7180

my address is  
Comanche Indian  
Territory

Willis L. Hunter  
Daniel Green Hunter  
application No 7187  
his address is Comanche  
Indian Territory

Daniel Green Hunter

7187

William H. Hunter  
has not married his land  
yet his address is  
Reagan Mich Texas

2/1/1908

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

establish your right to participate in this fund.

Give any other information obtainable tending to

ever enrolled?

enrolled? Was your Grandmother, Willie Binn-

never been enrolled? Why was your mother? Why

in favor of the Western Cherokees? Please state why you

in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims

Relative to your application for participation

Sir:

Oklahoma.

Reagan.

Willie W. Hunter.

# 7080.  
with  
# 7051.

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App'n. No. 1880-1091.

January 29, 1908.

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Appln. No. 7080-7051.

January 29, 1908.

Willis L. Hunter,  
Reagan,  
Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation

# 1080  
# 1008  
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in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims  
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you  
have never been enrolled? Why was your mother, Patsy  
Bramley, never enrolled? Was your grandmother, Sallie Bram-  
ley, ever enrolled?

Give any other information obtainable tending to  
establish your right to participate in this fund.

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Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Est/RLB.

W. H. CLARK  
**EASTERN CHEROKEES**  
Rec. MAR 7 1908  
No. 2180.

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G. A. Kincaid.

R. S. Bristow.

**Kincaid & Bristow,**  
**Real Estate, Loans and Insurance.**  
We List Property to Sell--Not to Keep.

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Hester

Comanche, Okla., 3/3/1908

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner.  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I have just received your communication which was written on January the 29th 1908. This letter was sent to the wrong P.O. . Answering your questions will say that- My Grandmother was never enrolled because she was born and raised in Tennessee and moved to Texas in the early settlement of that state, and for that reason was never enrolled. My mother Patsey Brunley died in Tennessee when I was an infant, and of course I do not know why she was never enrolled. I applied for enrollment about the year 1884, and my application was never passed on, as you can see by referring to the decision of Edgar Smith Special Master in this case.

My Great Grand father James Starr was enrolled in Tennessee in the year 1835.

Yours very truly

W. L. Hester

No. 7181.

Action: Reject.

Name: Daniel G. Hunter and 77 children. Residence: Reagan, Okla.

Reasons: Uncle of #7051; claims through same source.

No. 7181 - 35

Name Samuel J. Hunter

With No. 7051

Remarks:



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No. 7181

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*David P. Hunter*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
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: Daniel Green Hunter  
 Indian name: Daniel Green Hunter
2. Residence: Logan Indian Territory
3. Town and post office: Logan Indian Territory
4. County:
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: May 16, 1877, Jack County 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: By right of father, Willis Lucas Hunter, who was the son of Patsy Hunter, who was the daughter of Sallie Bumbley, who was the daughter of James Starr, who was a Cherokee Indian by blood. She was a recognized member east of the Mississippi River.
8. Are you married? Not
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: Willis Lucas Hunter  
 Indian name: Willis Lucas Hunter  
 Mother—English name: Sarah Jane Hunter  
 Indian name: Sallie Noyan  
 Maiden name: Sarah Jane Cantrell
11. Where were they born?  
 Father: Hordine County, Tennessee  
 Mother: Parker County Texas
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: Texas  
 Mother: Texas
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
 Father: Living  
 Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Sarah Florence Hunter	Aug. 7, 1860	
(2)	Sam Hunter	Nov. 8, 1862	
(3)	Wm. D. Hunter	Sept. 29, 1869	
(4)	Nellie G. Hunter	June 16, 1872	
(5)	Hazel W. Hunter	April 16, 1874	
(6)	John N. Hunter	June 9, 1879	
(7)	Emma S. Hunter	Nov. 8, 1882	
(8)	Robert B. Hunter	Sept. 10, 1888	
(9)	Benjamin C. Hunter	Nov. 16, 1890	

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
Daniel Hunter	Hazel Green Cantrell
Patsy Hunter	Cynthia Cantrell

17. Where were they born? Daniel and Patsy Hunter in Tennessee; Hazel Green Cantrell, Tennessee; Cynthia Cantrell, Arkansas.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hazel Green + Cynthia Cantrell in Tex. - Daniel Hunter in Tennessee - Patsy Hunter in Texas.

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: *my mother's name was Patsy Hunter, who was a daughter of Sallie Brunled, who was a daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian by blood and a recognized member east of the Mississippi River whose name will be found on the rolls of 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.) *Samuel G. Hunter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb. 18*, 190*7*

*James T. Walter*  
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 *N. B. Dill* and *G. P. Holder*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Samuel G. Hunter*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *8* 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.

*N. B. Dill*  
*G. P. Holder*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *Feb. 17*, 190*7*

*James T. Walter*  
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. 7182.

Action: Reject.

Name: William H. Hunter and his children. Residence: Reaganville, Texas.

Reasons: Uncle of #7051; claims thru same source.

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No. 7182

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William H. Hunter*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 23, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST C  
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:

William W Hunter

Indian name:

William W. Hunter

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

Reaganville

4. County:

Reagan

5. State:

Texas

6. Date and place of birth:

Sept. 29, 1869, Parker County, 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 Father

Willis L Hunter who was a son of  
Patsie Hunter who was a daughter of  
Lallie Brunley who was a daughter  
of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian by blood

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Ida Hunter.

Age 26 years

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

Father—English name:

Willis L. Hunter

Indian name:

Willis L. Hunter

Mother—English name:

Sarah Jane Hunter

Indian name:

Sarah Jane Hunter

Maiden name:

Sarah Jane Cantrell

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Tennessee

Mother:

Texas

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

Father:

In Texas

Mother:

in Texas

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sarah Florence Hunter	1860	
(2)	Lam Hunter	1862	
(3)	Willis C. Hunter	1871	
(4)	Harold W. Hunter	1874	
(5)	Daniel S. Hunter	1877	
(6)	John M. Hunter	1879	
	Robert S. Hunter	1885	
	Benjamin C. Hunter	1885	

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Daniel Hunter	Harold H. Cantrell
Patsie Hunter	Cynthia Cantrell

17. Where were they born? All Born in Tennessee Except Cynthia Cantrell she was Born in Arkansas

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not known

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

- (1) English name: 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: 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:

*Willis L Hunter*  
*Son of Patric Hunter who was a*  
*Daughter of Sallis Brumley who was a*  
*Daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee*  
*Indian by blood and a recognized member East of the*  
*Mississippi River and whose name will be found on the Rolls 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.) *William W Hunter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

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*Sam Guthrie Co Judge*  
*County Judge* Notary Public.  
*Reagan County,*  
*Texas.*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *W.A. Teagarden* and  
*H.W. Lucas* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *William W Hunter*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for *3 months* years and *3 months* 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.A. Teagarden*  
*H.W. Lucas*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *Dec.*, 1906.

My commission expires

....., 190

*Sam Guthrie Co Judge*  
*County Judge, Reagan Co. Texas*

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.

App. #7182.

August 2, 1907.

William H. Hunter,  
Reaganview,  
Texas.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of July 25, 1907, you are advised that if you think your son by your first wife is entitled to participate in this fund you should include him in your supplemental application.

You should set forth the facts in the case fully in the supplemental application.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

MLC.

App. No. 7182

October 4, 1907.

William H. Hunter,  
Mangum, Oklahoma.

Sir:

If you intend to apply for your minor son by your first wife, it is necessary that you fill out a supplemental application and forward same to this Office at once.

Very respectfully/

Special Commissioner.

WEA

DEPT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
RECEIVED JUL 29 1907  
No. 4182

Reagan View Tex.

July 23 1907

Mr. Union Miller

Dear Sir I received  
your letter and was  
glad to hear of your  
children I have one  
more to whom I have  
been giving in his name  
out he is with my first  
wife we were separated  
when he was but one  
year old I have actual  
proof of his age I haven't  
seen him for 3 or 4 years  
if you think it alright  
and will give me time  
I will have it signed

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up and send it in  
so let me hear from  
you and if not I will  
have to drop him out  
as I please. Let me  
hear from you at once  
yours very respect  
William H. Hunter.

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September  
Mangum<sup>29</sup>  
OK

Mr Guion Miller  
But I will write you  
again as I have moved  
to Mangum Oklahoma  
Mr Miller I have  
failed to learn where  
my ~~son~~ is it  
~~pleases~~ buy me  
to fill out the  
duplimental applica-  
tion if I please  
Let me know at once  
as ever

William H Hunter



No. 7183.

Action: Reject.

Name: Hazle W. Hunter and 6 children. Residence: Durwood, Okla.

Reasons: Uncle of #7051; claims thru same source.

*Suppl*  
*incd of 7057*  
No. 7183

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*H. W. Hunter*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST C  
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— *Hazel W. Hunter*  
English name: *Hazel W. Hunter*  
Indian name: *Hazel W. Hunter*
2. Residence: *Durwood*
3. Town and post office: *Durwood*
4. County: *Pickens*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *April 16<sup>th</sup> 1874, Parker County 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 Father who was a son of Patsy Hunter, who was a Daughter of Sallie Brownley, who was a Daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian by blood*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mollie Hunter, 34, Thirty four years old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Willis L. Hunter Sarah Jane Hunter*  
Indian name: *Willis L. Hunter*  
Mother—English name: *Sarah Jane Hunter*  
Indian name: *Sarah Jane Hunter*  
Maiden name: *Sarah Jane Cantrell*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *In Tennessee*  
Mother: *In Texas*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *In Texas*  
Mother: *In Texas*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Living*                      Mother: *Living*

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Sarah J. Hunter	Born August 9th	1860
(2)	John Hunter	Born October 5th	1862
(2)	William H. Hunter	Born Sept 29	1869
(3)	Willis C. Hunter	Born June 16th	1872
(3)	Daniel G. Hunter	Born May 14	1874
(4)	John H. Hunter	Born June 9th	1879
(4)	Emma L. Hunter	Born December 8th	1882
(5)	Robert and Bonnie L. Hunter	Born September 10th	1888
(6)	Benjamin C. Hunter	Born November 16th	1890

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
Daniel Hunter	Patsy Hunter
Patsy Hunter	Patsy Hunter
Patsy Hunter Indian	Naziel G. Cantrell white
	Cynthia Cantrell white

17. Where were they born? all in Tennessee  
except Cynthia Cantrell, she in Arkansas

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

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

(1) English name: Unknown to me  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

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

*my Grandmother's name was Patsy Hunter who was a Daughter of Jallie Bromley who was a Daughter of James Starr, who was a Cherokee Indian by blood a recognized member East of the Mississippi River and whose name will be found on the Roll of*

REMARKS. 1835

(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.) *Hazel M. Hunter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *May 23<sup>rd</sup>*, 1908, *W. O. Kiepatrick* 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. Collins* and *J. B. Parrish*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Hazel M. Hunter*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *4* years and *6* 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. Collins*  
*J. B. Parrish*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *May 23<sup>rd</sup>*, 1908, \_\_\_\_\_ 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. 7113

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Hayel W. Hunter*

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. 7183

1. State your full name: Hazel Wesley Hunter
2. Residence and post office: Durwood
3. County: Pickens
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: April 16<sup>th</sup> 1874 Parker County Texas
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mollie Hunter 34 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>William Lucas Hunter</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1893</u>
(2)	<u>Hazel Mury Hunter</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Jan 10<sup>th</sup> 1896</u>
(3)	<u>Mollie Beatrice Hunter</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Sept 25<sup>th</sup> 1897</u>
(4)	<u>Vina Jewel Hunter</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>" 14 1901</u>
(5)	<u>Ollie Edna Hunter</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>November 15<sup>th</sup> 1903</u>
(6)	<u>Stathie Luella Hunter</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 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

### 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) Hazel Wesley Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

W. J. Kilpatrick  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

23<sup>rd</sup> May, 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 B. C. Coltrane and F. V. Walker who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Hazel, Wesley, Hunter who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 25 years and 7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by me are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark. \_\_\_\_\_ Signatures of Witnesses. B. C. Coltrane  
F. V. Walker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907. W. J. Kilpatrick  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 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.  
JUL 30 1907  
7183.

Supl. Ford  
8/2/07.

Application

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Edward J. J.

July 26 1887

I have been thinking of  
the court of law  
I write you in regard  
to my minor children  
I am sorry for me to  
be a separate application  
for my minor children  
I have not yet applied  
I think I find my  
mind & know that my  
application if not made  
before the 1st of August  
will be made

Edward J. J.  
I am at home

No. 7184.

Action: Reject.

Name: John N. Hunter and -- children. Residence: Chickasha, Okla.

Reasons: Uncle of #7051; claims thru same source.

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No. 7184

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*John N. Hunter*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

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*John*

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, 1906, 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 right of father, Willis Lucas Hunter who was the son of Patsy Hunter, who was the daughter of Sallie Brunley, who was the daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian blood, who was a recognized member east of the Mississippi River.*

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: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
	Sarah Florence Hunter	Aug 7, 1860	
(1)	Sary Hunter	Nov 8, 1862	
(2)	Wm H. Hunter	Sept 29, 1869	
(3)	Willie C. Hunter	June 16, 1872	
(4)	Hazel W. Hunter	April 16, 1874	
(5)	Daniel E. Hunter	May 16, 1877	
(6)	Emma L. Hunter	Nov 8, 1882	
	Robert and Boynton Hunter	Sept 10, 1888	
	Benjamin B. Hunter	Nov 16, 1890	

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
Daniel Hunter	Hazel Green Cantrell
Patsy Hunter	Cynthia Cantrell

17. Where were they born? Daniel & Patsy Hunter in Tennessee Hazel Green Cantrell in Lawrence, Indiana

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hazel Green & Cynthia Cantrell in Texas Daniel Hunter in Tennessee

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: *My mother's name was Patsy Hunter who was a daughter of Fannie Brunley. He was a daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian by blood and a recognized member past of the Mississippi River whose name will be found in the rolls 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 M. Hunter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Dec.*, 1906.

My commission expires *Mar. 15*, 1907

*James T. Walker*  
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 *N. B. Dill* and *G. P. Holder*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John M. Hunter*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *8* 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:  
*G. P. Holder*  
*N. B. Dill*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Dec.*, 1906.

My commission expires *Mar. 18*, 1907

*James T. Walker*  
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. 7185.

Action: Reject.

Name W. C. Hunter and -- children. Residence: Comanche, Okla.

Reasons: Uncle of #7051; claims thru same source.



*Uncle of 7051*

No. 7185

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*W. C. Hunter*

For share of money appropriated for the 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. DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*5812*

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:

Through my father, who was a son of Patricia Hunter, who was a daughter of John Brunley, who was a daughter of James Starr, who was a Cherokee Indian by blood.

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: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Sarah F. Hunter	August 7 <sup>th</sup> 1860	
(2)	Sam Hunter	October 8 <sup>th</sup> 1862	
(3)	Hazel M. Hunter	September 29 1864	
(4)	John N. Hunter	April 16 <sup>th</sup> 1874	
(5)	Emma L. Hunter	May 16 <sup>th</sup> 1877	
(6)	Robert L. Hunter	September 8 <sup>th</sup> 1882	
(7)	Benjamin B. Hunter	November 16 1890	

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
Daniel Hunter	Hazel G. Cantrell white man
Patric Hunter	Cynthia Cantrell white
Patric Hunter Indian	

17. Where were they born? All in Tennessee except Cynthia Cantrell. She in Arkansas

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Texas

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: \_\_\_\_\_
- }
- not known

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 grandmother's name was Patience Hunter who was a daughter of Sallie Brunley who was a daughter of James Starr; who was a Cherokee Indian by blood and a recognized member east of the Mississippi river, and whose name will be found on the roll of 1855*

**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.

*J.B. Weir* (Signature.) *Willis C. Hunter*  
*H.L. Deaton* & the *8th* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 17*, 190*7* *W.H. Admire*  
*Southern District Indian Territory*  
 Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Joel B. Weir* and *Henry L. Deaton*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Willis C. Hunter* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *19* 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.

*Joel B. Weir*  
*Henry L. Deaton*

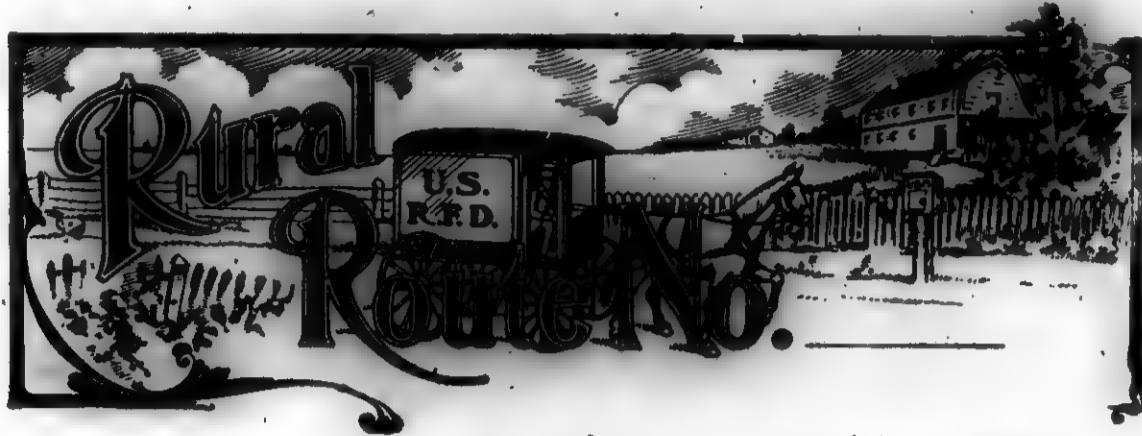
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8th* day of *September*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 17*, 190*7* *W.H. Admire*  
*Southern District Indian Territory*  
 Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
OCT 8 1907  
7185

*Circ. let.*  
OCT 8 1907



October 4 1907

Canaan Lake, I. T.  
Department of the Interior  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sirs

It has been some time since  
I heard from my Indian  
belonging to No. 7186

I will <sup>be</sup> glad what progress has been  
had in the cases and if there  
is a possibility being settled  
soon

Yours respectfully

Willis B. Hunter

No. 7186

Action:

Reject

Name: Jno E Holcomb and X children.

Residence: Lexington Okla.  
R.F.D. 1

Reasons:

First cousins of #7118. All names  
had same surname

No. 7186  
Name J. E. Wilson  
With No. 7153

Remarks: . . .



1<sup>st</sup> case of 7118

No. 7186

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jno E. Halcomb*

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

9-624

INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7112

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 E. Halcomb

Indian name: Douté Kwan

2. Residence: Lexington St.

3. Town and post office: Lexington St. P. O. No 1

4. County: Cleveland

5. State: Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth: April 6 1857

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

that my Cherokee Indian blood being descended from  
my maternal grandfather Great Great Grandfather  
was born in 1757 and Sarah Halcomb Great  
Grandmother of William Halcomb 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: Martin Halcomb

Indian name: Stump

Mother—English name: Sarah Halcomb

Indian name: Stump

Maiden name: Sarah Halcomb

11. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not known to my knowledge

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary J. Frozier	May 23-1870	
(2)	Edna J. Halcomb	Aug 28-1877	
(3)	Gennie E. "	Sept 7-1875	
(4)	Stanton B. "	" 10-1887	
(5)	Albert E. "	Oct 11-1890	
(6)	Jessie M. "	Aug 11-1894	
(7)	Bessie B. "	June 5-1896	

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 J. Halcomb Dont know	John Hayes Dont know
Louisa Halcomb Dont know	

17. Where were they born? Murray Co Tenn. White side  
North Bradley Co Tenn.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Murray Co Tenn  
Bradley Co Tenn.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Edna J. Halcomb  
Dont know  
Indian name: Do not know  
Residence: Bradley Co Arkansas
- (2) English name: Sarah Hayes  
Indian name: Jack Co Texas Died 1881  
Residence: Martin A Halcomb  
Bradley Co Tenn
- (3) English name: J. A. Halcomb  
Dont know  
Indian name: Residence Murray Co Tenn  
Residence: Balima Halcomb  
Residence Murray Co Tenn 1861
- (4) English name: Jama C. Halcomb  
Indian name: Dont know  
Residence: Residence Murray Co Tenn
- (5) English name: Do not know  
Indian name: Dont know  
Residence: Died Oct 16-1885

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:

Isaac Nicholson	Gr. Gr. Grand Parent	on Mother side	John Haystack	Father
Sarah Halecomb	Gr. Grand Parent	"	"	Gr. Father
W. J. Halecomb	Grand Parent			
Martin A. Halecomb	Father			

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Applicant presented application and affidavit evidence to Daw's Commission in 1896 and proof of claim is matter of Record.

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 E. Halecomb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of November 1906.

My commission expires July 22, 1907

Neal 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 John W. Myers and N. M. Odell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John E. Halecomb, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 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.

John W. Myers  
N. M. Odell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of November 1906.

My commission expires July 22, 1907

Neal Smith Notary Public.

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No. 7187  
Name: Harvey T. Holcomb and X children. Residence: Lexington  
RFD #1 Okla  
Action: Reject  
Reasons:

First cousins of #7118. Claims  
show same source.

No. 7187

Name Henry H. Coulb

With No. 7156 of 7116

Remarks:

No File

1<sup>st</sup> copy of 7118

No. 7187

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Harvey J. Falcomb*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC-26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7187

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— *Harvey J. Halcomb*  
English name: *Harvey J. Halcomb*  
Indian name: *Doubt Krow*  
2. Residence: *Lexington, O.T.*  
3. Town and post office: *Lexington RFD No 1*  
4. County: *Cleveland*  
5. State: *Oklahoma*  
6. Date and place of birth: *Murray Co Georgia June 4, 1885*  
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 that of Cherokee Indian Bloodline  
Descendant of Isaac Nicholas Great Grand Parent  
who was born about 1757 and Sarah Halcomb  
Great Grand Parent - William J. Halcomb 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: *Martin H. Halcomb*  
Indian name: *Doubt Krow*  
Mother—English name: *Sarah H. Halcomb*  
Indian name: *Doubt Krow*  
Maiden name: *Sarah A. Hoys*  
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Murray Co Tenn*  
Mother: *Bradley Co Tenn*  
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Murray Co Georgia*  
Mother: *Bradley Co Tenn*  
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: *Not to my knowledge*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Mary Krozier	May 13 1811	
(2)	Samuel Halcomb	Aug 28 1877	
(3)	Emma E Halcomb	Sept 17 1875	
(4)	Corina Stone	Nov 29 1881	
(5)	St John E Halcomb	Apr 6 1883	
(6)	Blanton B	Sept 10 1887	
(7)	Alberta E	Oct 11 1890	
(8)	Vessie M	Aug 11 1894	
(9)	Susie B	June 5 1896	

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 J Halcomb	John Hayes
Dont Know	Louisa J Hayes
Louisa Halcomb	
Dont Know	

17. Where were they born? *Murray Co Tenn on Father's side  
North Carolina & Tenn on Mother's side*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Murray Co Tenn*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *E. D. Halcomb*  
Indian name: *Dont Know*  
Residence: *Murray Co Tenn*
- (2) English name: *Sarah Hayes*  
Indian name: *Dont Know*  
Residence: *Murray Co Tenn*
- (3) English name: *John Halcomb*  
Indian name: *Murray Co Georgia*  
Residence: *Home Galina Halcomb*
- (4) English name: *Jama C. Massey*  
Indian name: *Dont Know*  
Residence: *Murray Co Tenn Died 1861*
- (5) English name: *Arline Sippin*  
Indian name: *Dont Know*  
Residence: *Lexington 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:

Isaac Nelson, Grand Parent / On Mother Side  
 Sarah Holcomb, Grand Parent / John Hayes, Grand Parent  
 William J. Holcomb, Grand Parent / " " Father  
 Martina Holcomb, Father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Applicant presents application and affidavit evidence to Dawis Commission in 1896 and proof of claim is matter of record.

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.) Harry J. Holcomb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of November, 1906.

My commission expires July 22, 1907

Neal 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 John W. Myers and N. M. Odell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Harry J. Holcomb who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 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.

John W. Myers  
 N. M. Odell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of November 1906.

My commission expires July 22, 1907

Neal 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. 7188

Action: *Reject*

Name: *L.M. Holcomb* and *X* children. Residence: *Coventry Springs, Ga.*

Reasons:

*First cousins of #7118 Alvin  
Holcomb*

No. 7188  
Name. G. M. Stewart  
With No. 7115

Remarks:

1" cons. 77 7118.

No. 7188

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*J. S. M. Halcomb*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

8812

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— Thomas Samual Norman Nealcome  
English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Sarah Nicholson
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: Lookutta Springs
4. County: Murray
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: Born in Murray County Ga. Aug. 26, 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: By being the son of W. A. Nealcome who was the son of W. H. Nealcome who was the son of Sarah Nealcome nee Nicholson who was the daughter of John Nealcome who resided and died in Murray Co. Ga.
8. Are you married? I am
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Nealcome Age 24 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Martin A. Nealcome  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Annie Swisher Nealcome  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Ann Swisher
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Was in Murray Co. Ga.  
Mother: Was in Murray Co. Ga.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Murray Co. Ga.  
Mother: In Murray Co. Ga.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1861 Mother: Died March 1877

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were enrolled at Naggon Indian Territory for land and annuities in the year 1894*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William N. Nolecomb	1867	May 21 <sup>st</sup> 1891
(2)	Marion N. Nolecomb	1869	Still living
(3)	Logie N. Nolecomb	1878	Sept. Still living
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Benjamin Nolecomb	Sarah Nicholson
Doyle known Indian Name	" "

17. Where were they born? *Benjamin Nolecomb was born in Wales England Sarah Nicholson was born in Lincoln Co. N.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Near Madisonville near the Lewis & Tennessee*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <i>Joshua Nolecomb</i>	Residence: <i>W. Va. &amp; died in Ill. 1850</i>
	Indian name: <i>Quac Nolecomb</i>	<i>1849 in Chap. Co. Va.</i>
	Residence: <i>William Nolecomb</i>	<i>Resided in N. Carolina Ga. died in Tex.</i>
(2)	English name: <i>Sarah Nolecomb</i>	<i>died &amp; buried in N. Carolina</i>
	Indian name: <i>Sarah Kullak</i>	
	Residence: _____	
(3)	English name: <i>Wendell Nolecomb</i>	
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: <i>Near Lewis &amp; Tennessee</i>	
(4)	English name: _____	
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: _____	
(5)	English name: _____	
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: _____	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *yes at Naggon Indian 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:

Paternal Ancestor Benjamin Noles Head No  
Indian Name Sarah Noles nee Nichol son  
Was a ...  
In Cherokee ... Both are dead

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.) Thomas Samuel Noles nee Nichol

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Dec, 1906.

My commission expires

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Lo Le Noles

Notary Public. J. J. R.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George W. Noles and  
Lo Le Noles, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Thomas S. Noles nee Nichol, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, 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 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.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Dec, 1906.

My commission expires

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Lo Le Noles

Notary Public. J. J. R.

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No. 7189

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Martin A. Holcomb* and  children. Residence: *Levington, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Uncle of #7118. Claims thro' same source.*

No. 7189

Name Martin D. Halcomb

With No. 7118

Remarks:

*Uncle of 7118*

No. 7189

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Martin A. 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.

6-624

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*6812*

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:

Martin A. Halcomb

Indian name:

Dout Kuo

2. Residence:

Oklahoma

3. Town and post office:

Ferington

4. County:

Cleveland

5. State:

Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth:

Aug 7-1849, Meuro County 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:

By that of Cherokee Indian blood and being descendant of Isaac Nicholson Sr. Grand father who was born about 1757 in North Carolina

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Sarah Halcomb 52 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

William Halcomb

Indian name:

No known knowledge

Mother—English name:

Louisa Halcomb

Indian name:

Dout Kuo

Maiden name:

Louisa B. ...

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Meuro County Tenn

Mother:

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12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Murray County Georgia

Mother:

Murray County Georgia

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Dec 22-1882

Mother:

Dec 14-1855

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not to My Knowledge

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	E. D. Halcomb	Dec 3 1837	
(2)	Martha J. Davis	Jan 10 1840	
(3)	Sarah Kay	Feb 6 1842	
(4)	W. A. Halcomb	Aug 7 1844	
(5)	Salina Halcomb	Oct 8 1849	
(6)	Fama C. Manley	Mar 6 1853	
(7)	Melina Jippin	Oct 16 1855	

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.
Benj. Halcomb	Hiram Berry
Do not know	Sarah Berry
Sarah Halcomb	
Do not know	

17. Where were they born? Information is, they were born in Monroe County Tenn

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Murray County Georgia

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Joshua Halcomb Died 1872 Milton Co Ga  
Indian name: Do not know  
Residence: Milton Co Georgia
- (2) English name: Bera Clark Died 1869  
Indian name: Do not know  
Residence: Monroe County Tenn
- (3) English name: W. J. Halcomb Died 1882  
Indian name: Do not know  
Residence: Ellis Co Texas
- (4) English name: Isaac Halcomb  
Indian name: Do not know  
Residence: Kentucky last known
- (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:

Isaac Nicholson Gr. Parent. On Mother's side the  
Sara Halcomb Gr. Parent Name is Perry and I know  
W. J. Halcomb Father Nothing further about  
them

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Applicant presented application and affidavit evidence to Dawes Commission in 1896 and proof is matter of record

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.) Martina Halcomb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of December 1906.

My commission expires July 22, 1907

Neal 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 N. M. Odell and J. L. Long, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martin A. Halcomb, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 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.

N. M. Odell  
J. L. Long  
7th December 1906

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of December 1906.

My commission expires

July 22, 1907

Neal Smith  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* FEB 17 1908

*No.* 9'

Feb. 10. 61.

Special Commission of the Court  
of Claims.

I submit that Isaac  
Nichols and his wife  
resided in Monroe Co. Tenn. in 1835. The son  
of Isaac Nichols the  
great grand father of  
Sarah Nichols grand mother  
was not enrolled she  
was not living at that  
time. They left Monroe  
Carolina where the land  
was made part of  
Monroe Co. Tenn.



Tenn. and as why my  
 Father William J.  
 Hancock was not  
 enrolled I can not tell.  
 and whilst I was  
 William J. Hancock's heir  
 was not enrolled 1851  
 I dont know our  
 relationship to the  
 Cherokee Indians was  
 by the Nicholson descent  
 Isaac Nicholson the great  
 grand father was a full  
 blood Cherokee Indian  
 That is as far as I can  
 inform you unless I  
 was back in Tenn. and  
 Tenn. where older people

could tell me. and if  
you want any farther  
information let me know  
and I will get up all  
the information that  
I think will be  
necessary.

Resp yours  
M. A. Hancock.

Group #7118,  
App. #7189.

January 7, 1908.

Martin A. Holcomb,  
Lexington, Okla.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7189 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you state that your Cherokee blood is by right of your great grandfather, Isaac Nicholson, who was born in 1787, will ask, were any of the said Isaac Nicholson's children living in 1835? If so, where did they reside, and why were they not enrolled on the roll of 1835? Why was Sarah Holcomb, your grandmother, not enrolled in 1835? Why was your father, William Holcomb, not enrolled in 1835 and 1851? Why were you not enrolled in 1851, as you state you were born in 1846? Please give the history of your Cherokee blood relationship, dating back to your full-blood Cherokee ancestor.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

MSD/AIL

No. 7190.

Action: Reject

Name Ellen Howell and X children. Residence: Honey Grove, Texas.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Nor does it appear that any ancestor ever lived with the Cherokee tribe.

Misc. Test. P. 2218 & 2219.

No. 7190 Field: Texas

Name Ellen Howell

With No. Hannan Co.

Remarks:  
4389, 4209

Field

J. W. Ward

See Records at  
Muscoy, Okla.

J. W. Ward

Unclaimed 2/21/08

No. 7190

Name Ellen Howell

With No.

Remarks:

Exp. File

No. 7190

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ellen 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 29, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec' DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,**  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST C  
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: *Ellen Howell*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Honey Grove Texas*

3. Town and post office:

*Honey Grove*

4. County:

*Tarrant*

5. State:

*Texas*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Honey Grove Texas October 13<sup>th</sup> 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:

*Jerry Hard son of  
John (called Jack) Hard*

8. Are you married?

*Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

*G. W. Howell aged*

*fifty nine years*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

*Jerry Hard son of*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Nancy Hard*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Nancy Freeman*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*in South Carolina*

Mother:

*Tennessee*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

*Honey Grove Tarrant County Texas*

Mother:

*Honey Grove Tarrant County Texas*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

*August 14<sup>th</sup> 1853*

Mother:

*June 25<sup>th</sup> 1886*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Polly Allen ne Ward	March 9/1823	January 18/1859
	Henry Etta Yates ne Ward	February 11/1825	
(2)	William Ward	November 28/1826	April 1902
	Elisha Ward	May 1828	
(3)	Jerry Ward	March 22/1832	September 21/1877
	Lewis Ward	January 13/1835	May 10/1863
(4)	Andrew Ward	November 29/1837	April 22/1863
	Amanda Jolley ne Ward	March 6/1843	
(5)	John Ward	January 7/1847	
	James C Ward	March 19/1846	
(6)	Sarah Ward	August 8/1849	

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE: John (Called Jack) Ward MOTHER'S SIDE: Polly Madole

17. Where were they born? Don't know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both dead

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Jerry Ward</u>	Died August 14/1853
	Indian name: <u>John Ward</u>	Don't know date of death
	Residence: <u>James Ward</u>	" " " " " "
(2)	English name: <u>Bill Ward</u>	" " " " " "
	Indian name: <u>Tom Ward</u>	" " " " " "
	Residence: <u>Lewis Ward</u>	" " " " " "
(3)	English name: <u>Polly Ward Freeman</u>	" " " " " "
	Indian name: <u>Peggy Ward</u>	" " " " " "
	Residence: <u>Lily Davis</u>	" " " " " "
(4)	English name: <u>Nancy Beardens</u>	" " " " " "
	Indian name: <u>Heddie Gaskill</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: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Ellen Howell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of December, 1906.

My commission expires May 31st, 1907  
E.C. Armstrong Notary Public E.C. Armstrong Notary Public in and for Tarrant County, Texas

**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.M. Smith and T. E. Lassiter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ellen Howell, 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.

W.M. Smith  
T. E. Lassiter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of December, 1906.

My commission expires May 31st, 1907  
E.C. Armstrong Notary Public E.C. Armstrong Notary Public in and for Tarrant County, Texas

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.

James Ward being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 35 years of age and live in Fannin Co., Tex. I claim my Indian descent through my father; my mother is a white woman. My wife is a white woman. My father claimed through his father, Thomas Ward. I think my father was ~~born~~ raised in Illinois. He was born in Missouri. He died in July 1907 and was 75 years old. Don't know how much Indian he claimed, but he was descended from the Cherokee tribe. Don't know that he lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe. His father was born and raised in Tenn., I think, but don't know what part. He died in Illinois before the war. Think he was living in 1851, but am not certain, but if he was living at that time it was either in Mo. or in Illinois. I think it was Macon County, Mo. where my father lived. My father was recognized as a white man in the community. He always talked Cherokee language. Don't know whether my father or his father were ever on any rolls, but suppose they were. Never heard that they ever received any money or land from the government by reason of their Indian blood. William was my father's first name. I think my father made application to the Dawes Commission, but I did not. Don't know what the result of the application was, but I never got anything. Thomas and Jerry were brothers of my father. Thomas is living yet, I think, in Illinois.

*James Ward*  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Bonham, Tex. this 24th day of August 1908.

*F. J. R.*  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ass't to Special Commissioner  
 of Court of Claims.

Amanda M. Jolly being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 65 years of age and was born in Texas. I claim my Indian descent through my father. He was 65 years ~~xx~~ old when he died. He was born in S. C. He left there before he was married and went to Illinois, Ky. and Tenn. James Ward's father was a nephew of Jerry Ward. Jerry and James' grandfather were brothers. My father claimed the Indian through his father, John Ward. Don't know anything about when or where John Ward died. If my father ever lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe, I did not know it. I never lived with the Indians. I am recognized as a white woman with some Indian blood. My husband is a white man. My aunt, Polly Ward, was on the roll - the roll of 1833. She was enrolled in one of the eastern states but I don't know which one. Don't know when Polly Ward died. All I know about Polly Ward being on the roll is what the lawyer Stanfield told me. He had a copy of the roll and said it was stolen from his office. I never received any money from the government by reason of my Indian blood. About 16 or 17 years ago some of my relatives made application to get on some Cherokee roll, but don't know what it was. We never made application to the Dawes Commission. We never got anything from that application of about 16 years ago. My father nor none of his brothers and sisters went to the Territory. My father moved to Texas in 1837 and died there. He came from Mo. ~~xxxx~~ at that time, from what is now known as Dade Co.

*Amanda M. Jolly*  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Bonham, Tex. this 24th day of Aug. 1908.

*[Signature]*  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ass't to Special Commissioner  
 of the Court of Claims.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
801 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. Aug. 6, 1908.

Application No. 7190  
Ellen Howell,  
Money Grove, Texas.

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 Frank D. Ryan one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Bonham, Texas on Monday, Aug. 24, 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 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.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*E. Guion Miller*  
*Honey Grove Tex*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 7190, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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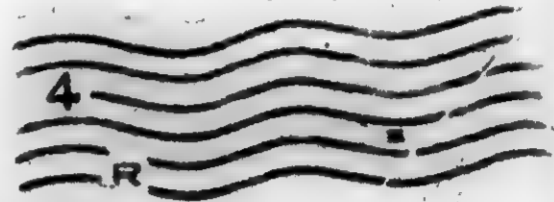
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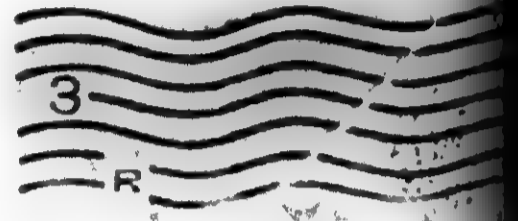
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No. 7191

Action: *Revised*

Name: *Elizabeth ...* and *...* children. Residence: *...*

Reasons: *First cousin once removed of 7049*

~~*...*~~

No. 7191

Name *S. J. ...*

With No. 7049

Remarks:

No. 7191

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Mrs Elizabeth Simulard  
Excellior Springs Mo.*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
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: Lizabeta Annibard  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Clay County Missouri
3. Town and post office: Excelsior Springs
4. County: Clay
5. State: Missouri
6. Date and place of birth: July 4<sup>th</sup> 1861. Clay County 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: By Indian blood of Cherokee Anians, Beniah Williams son of David Williams of North Carolina
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: William C Annibard  
age 60
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Minter Williams  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Sarah E Williams  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Sarah E Martine
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Tennessee  
Mother: Missouri
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Ray County Missouri  
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1900 Mother: 1879

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Geo W William</u>	<u>age 42</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Arthur E Williams</u>	<u>" 40</u>	
(3)	<u>Nancy Harris</u>	<u>" 38</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>Beriah Williams</u>	<u>Thomas Martin</u>
<u>Nancy Williams</u>	<u>Lydia A Martin</u>
	<u>Mrs Hendrix</u>

17. Where were they born? father's side North Carolina and Tennessee  
on mother's side Missouri & Kansas

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? father's side in Ray  
County Missouri, NOT known by applicant

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>not known by applicant except</u>
	Indian name: <u>Munter Williams</u> <u>Dead</u>
	Residence: <u>Lerinciah Williams</u> <u>"</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Beriah Williams</u> <u>"</u>
	Indian name: <u>Robitha Sears</u>
	Residence: <u>Fort Scott Kansas</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Ruth Burns Harrison Co Missouri</u>
	Indian name: <u>David Williams Perry County Missouri</u>
	Residence: <u>Near McConnis Iowa City Iowa</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Martha Hogan Davison Ia Mo</u>
	Indian name: <u>John A Williams Excelsior Springs Mo</u>
	Residence: <u>"</u>
(5)	English name: <u>"</u>
	Indian name: <u>"</u>
	Residence: <u>"</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: Beniah Williams who was known to be a Cherokee Indian by blood by George Wabber and Rolle McDaniel of Cherokee Nation Indian Territory

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Case Made before the Dawes Commission and appealed to the U.S. Court Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee I.T. Showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian blood

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Lizabeth<sup>her</sup> Hubbard<sup>mark</sup>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Sixth day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H. Shelton  
Notary Public.  
In and for Clay County Missouri

**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. Sheue and Thomas M. Gash, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Lizabeth Hubbard, 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.

J. W. Sheue  
Thomas M. Gash

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Alonzo H. Shelton  
Notary Public.  
In and for Clay County Missouri

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.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C., Jan 31, 1907

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs begs to acknowledge receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. It has been filed as Application No. 7191 and will be considered in its order. If any further information is required you will be notified.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above and be addressed to "The Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C."

No. 7192

Action: *Reject*

Name *Malinda J. Kemzell* and *X* children. Residence: *Commerce, Texas*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #7214; claims through same source.*

No. 7192

Name Malinda J. Hense

With No. 7214

Remarks:

Case No. 7192 Field # Texas.

Name Melinda J. Small

With No.

Remarks:

7213, 7214, 7205,  
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Do not think these people entitled. Field #

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Passed for future consideration until the "Elder James Letter Turns".

Will James

Ans recd. 2/17/08

*Case no. of # 7314*

No. 7192

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Malinda J. Newell*

For share of money appropriated for the 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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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*7192*

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: Mrs. Robert James Hammit  
English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Commerce
3. Town and post office: Commerce
4. County: Hunt
5. State: Ill.
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: Through  
William James my great grandfather
8. Are you married? no
9. Name and age of wife or husband: William Russell 64 62
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Joel James  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Annemie James  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Rear
11. Where were they born? in Virginia  
Father: Born in Virginia  
Mother: Born in Virginia
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Virginia  
Father: Joel James Virginia  
Mother: Annemie James Virginia
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: Died 1875 Mother: Died 1901

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)	William James	74	
(2)	Nancy Brivett	65	
(3)	Elizabeth King		Died 10 27 52
(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.
Grandfather	Sevithan James	Grand Mother
		Amanda James

17. Where were they born? in Virginia I suppose

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Virginia

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Joel	
Indian name:		
Residence:	Commerce	T.S.
(2) English name:	John	James
Indian name:		
Residence:	Ludonia	T.S.
(3) English name:	George Washington	James
Indian name:		
Residence:	Kennett	
(4) English name:	Sevithan	James
Indian name:	Martha	Millsiff
Residence:		Roanoke W. Va.
(5) English name:	Palmy	Payne
Indian name:	Leont	Jordan
Residence:		Boon Co W. Va.

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 James Great Grand Parents  
Schuetham James Grand Father  
Joel James was my Father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

To get a true record of the older James  
write Bedford City Bedford Co Va

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. Hensell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires June 12<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Thos. W. Thompson  
Notary Public, in and for Hunt County, Tenn.

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. E. Langford and A. W. Acker, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. M. J. Hensell, 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. E. Langford  
A. W. Acker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

June 12<sup>th</sup>, 1907

Thos. W. Thompson  
Notary Public, in and for Hunt County, Tenn.

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.

App. #7192.

January 7, 1906.

Malinda Jane Hensell,  
Commerce, Texas.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #7192 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you state that you base your claim through your great grandfather, William James. The name of William James does not appear upon the roll of 1835, nor does that of your grandfather, Jonathan James, or your father, Joel James. When were you born? Why were none of your ancestors enrolled with the Cherokee Indians in 1835 or 1851? Where was your full-blood Indian ancestor residing in 1835? If in the West, when did he move from the East to the West?

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

LBD/AIL

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 17 1908  
No.

*LBD*  
App. #7192.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. January 7, 1908.

Malinda Jane Hemsell,  
Commerce, Texas.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #7192 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you state that you base your claim through your great grandfather, William James. The name of William James does not appear upon the roll of 1835, nor does that of your grandfather, Jonathan James, or your father, Joel James. When were you born? *1842* Why were none of your ancestors enrolled with the Cherokee Indians in 1835 or 1851? *Carroll's only looked in North Carolina* Where was your full-blood Indian ancestor residing in 1835? If in the West, when did he move from the East to the West?

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

*John Miller*

Special Commissioner.

LBD/AIL

No. 7193

Action: Rejected

Name Catherine A. Hyder and X children.

Residence: Lawson, Mo.

R.F.D. #2

Reasons:

Mother of 7099.

No. 7193

Name Catharine Heyder

With No. 7199

Remarks:

*Martin*

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No. 7193

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Catharine A. Heydes*  
*Lawson Mo*  
*R.F.D. No 2*

For share of money appropriated for the 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, 1900, and May 20, 1902.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7193

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: *Catharine A. Ryder*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Lawson Ray County Missouri*

3. Town and post office: *Lawson*

4. County: *Ray*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *Nov 18<sup>th</sup> 1856* *State of Indiana*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *King of Cherokee Indian Blood  
a Daughter of Josiah Van Trump and a Grand  
Daughter of John Van Trump of Virginia*

8. Are you married? *yes 57 yrs*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *J. A. Ryder 52 years old*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Josiah Van Trump*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Susan " "*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Susan Heffly*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Virginia*

Mother: *Indiana*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Wayne County Indiana*

Mother: *" " "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Dec 9 1887* Mother: *Living*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *no*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Malaria Van Trump</i>		
(2)	<i>John F</i>	<i>"</i>	
(3)	<i>Samuel</i>	<i>"</i>	
(4)	<i>Maggie</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Fletcher</i>
(5)	<i>Powroy</i>	<i>"</i>	
(6)	<i>Amanda</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Cardell Died Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 75</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 Van Trump</i>	<i>Samuel Heffly born in Ohio</i>
<i>Elizabeth " "</i>	<i>Mary Heffly born in Maryland</i>

17. Where were they born? *Virginia father*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Indiana Mother*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<i>Reubin Van Trump</i>	<i>"</i>
Indian name:	<i>Calvin " "</i>	<i>"</i>
Residence:	<i>Abraham " "</i>	<i>"</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Caroline " "</i>	<i>"</i>
Indian name:	<i>Josephine " "</i>	<i>"</i>
Residence:	<i>Jacob Living Rochester Indiana</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. *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:

*Johan Van Trump of Stanton Virginia my Grand father is proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood by the affidavits of Ex Chief John Ross and Geo. W. Vann*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Case was made before Dawes Commission and appealed to the U.S. Court. Master report on record with the case at Muskogee, T. showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian Blood*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Catharine A. Hyder*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*December 21*, 1908

*Maurice H. Winger*

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 *C. H. Winger* and *Madge Shutt*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Catharine P. Hyder*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *two* years and *two* 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.

*C. H. Winger*

*Madge Shutt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*December 21*, 1908

*Maurice H. Winger*

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.

Group #7099,  
App. #7193.

January 7, 1908.

Catharine A. Hyder,  
Lawson, Ray Co., Mo.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #7193 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you state that your grandfather, John Van Trump, was proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood, will ask what blood relationship did he bear to a full-blood Cherokee Indian? Why was he not enrolled in 1835? Why was your father, Josiah Van Trump, not enrolled in 1851, as you state he was living at that time? Please trace carefully from your full-blood Indian ancestor down to yourself, giving the reasons for their not being enrolled on the roll of 1835 or 1851. How was the said John Van Trump proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood by Ex-Chief John Ross and George W. Vann? What was the occasion for the proving of Indian blood?

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner..

LBD/ALL

No. 7194

Action: Rejected

Name: Maurice E. Hyder and X children. Residence: Polo-Mo.

Reasons:

Brother of 7099.

No. 7194

Name Maurice E. Hyder

With No. 7199

Remarks:

no.

No. 7194

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*Maurice E. Fisher*  
*vs. No. 5*

For share of money appropriated for the 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, 1900, and May 20, 1900.

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INDIAN OFFICE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWEN**  
**ATTORNEY,**  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7616

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: Maurice E. Hyde

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Polo Caldwell, Mo.

3. Town and post office: Polo

4. County: Caldwell

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: July 25, 1882, State, Mo.

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: Being a son of

Thomas A. Hyde  
brother of Josiah Van Trumbull  
brother of John Van Trumbull, Esq.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Clara E. Hyde

Age 22

10. Give names of your father and mother and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: John A. Hyde

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Catherine A. Hyde

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Catherine A. Van Trumbull

11. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Indiana

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Living

Mother: 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)	Eva Myrtle Crowley	Nov 5 - 1884	
(2)	Carroll Paul Hyder	Sep 11 1886	
(3)	Edith Edna	Dec 20 1888	Died 18 1891
(4)	Bina Hyder	July 22 1890	
(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
Sons }	William Hyder	Josiah Van Trump
	Emily	Susan " "
	William Hyder Tenen	Josiah Van Trump Jr
	Emily	Susan " "

17. Where were they born? .....

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ind and Mo

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Melissa Van Trump</u>
	Indian name: .....
	Residence: .....
(2)	English name: <u>John</u> " "
	Indian name: .....
	Residence: .....
(3)	English name: <u>Jane</u> " "
	Indian name: .....
	Residence: <u>Hayes</u> " "
(4)	English name: .....
	Indian name: .....
	Residence: <u>Ind</u> " "
(5)	English name: .....
	Indian name: .....
	Residence: <u>Ind</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:

John Van Trump Stanton in New York Grand  
father is proven to be a Cherokee Indian  
by blood by the affidavits of Ex Chief  
John Ross and George W. Van

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Case was made before Dawes Commission  
and appealed to the U.S. Court. Master  
report on record with this case at  
Muskogee. This is in accordance to  
case made in Indian Court.

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.) *Maurice E. Hyder*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

Dec 21, 1908

*Maurice H. Winger*  
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 C. H. Winger and  
Madge Shutt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Maurice E. Hyder, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for three years and three 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.

*C. H. Winger*  
*Madge Shutt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

December 21, 1908

*Maurice H. Winger*  
Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C. 1-31, 1907

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs begs to acknowledge receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. It has been filed as Application No. 7194 and will be considered in its order. If any further information is required you will be notified.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above and be addressed to "The Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C."

No. 7195

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Medici Van Trump Hyder* and *X* children. Residence: *Elmira, Mo.*

Reasons:

*1st cousin once removed 7099*

No. 7195

Name Media Binder

With No. 70990

Remarks:

*1st  
consequence  
of the award*

No. 7195

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Medice 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.

Rec DEC 26 1906

No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*7195*

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: *Medici Van Trump Hyde*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Near Elmira Ray Co Mo.*

3. Town and post office: *Polo*

4. County: *Caldwell*

5. State: *Mo.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Sept. 26 1865 Fulton Co. Indiana*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Being of Cherokee Indian blood, a daughter of Ruben Van Trump, and a granddaughter of John Van Trump of Stanton Virginia.*

8. Are you married? *Yes Age 41*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Marshall Hyde*  
*Died May 1, 1899*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Ruben Van Trump*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Syanna Van Trump*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Syanna Carver.*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Virginia*

Mother: *Virginia*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Virginia*

Mother: *Virginia*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Died Oct. 1, 1888* Mother: *Died Nov. 24, 1882.*

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)	Sylas Van Trump		Aug, 1857
(2)	John C. Van Trump	Mar 7, 1852	
(3)	Elizabeth Van Trump		Aug, 1857
(4)	A. V. Van Trump	Nov. 24, 1857	
(5)	Medici Van Trump	Sept. 26, 1865	
(6)	Olango Van Trump	May 7, 1875	April, 13, 1876

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 Van Trump	Daniel Barnes, Rowin Va.
Elizabeth Van Trump	Unknown

17. Where were they born? Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Virginia

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Josiah Van Trump
Indian name:	Reuben Van Trump
Residence:	Calvin Van Trump
(2) English name:	Abraham Van Trump
Indian name:	Caroline Van Trump
Residence:	Josephine Van Trump
(3) English name:	Jacob Van Trump, Living in
Indian name:	Rochester, Arkansas
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: .....

*John Van Trump of Stanton Virginia, my grand-  
father is proved to be a Cherokee Indian by blood,  
by the affidavits of Ex Chief John Rose  
and Gen. W. Vann.*

**REMARKS:**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Case was made before Daves Commission and  
appealed to the U.S. Courts, Masters report on  
record with the case at Muskogee, I.T.  
Showing applicant to have Cherokee Indian  
blood.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Medici Hyder*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10th* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*October 22nd 1910*

*Frank A. Crowley*  
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 *Melissa Van Trump* and  
*A. V. Vantump*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Medici Hyder*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *30* years and *30* years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Melissa Van Trump*

*A. V. Vantump*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10th* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

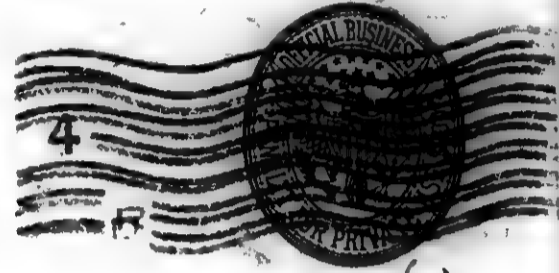
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*Frank A. Crowley*  
Notary Public.

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.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C., 1-31, 1907

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs begs to acknowledge receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. It has been filed as Application No. 7193 and will be considered in its order. If any further information is required you will be notified.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above and be addressed to "The Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C."

No. 7196

Action: *Reject*

Name *Charley Heape* and *3* children. Residence *Baxter Springs, Kansas*  
*R.F.D. #2.*

Reasons:

*Nephew of #7040, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 7196

Name Charles J. [unclear]

With No. 7040 ✓

Remarks:  
No file

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*1/2* *negh. of 7040*  
No. 7196

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Charley Heape*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE**  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7614

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: *Charley Heape*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Lincolnton S. C.*

3. Town and post office: *Baptist Springs, R. F. D. No 2*

4. County:

5. State: *Dist. Ter.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Nov. 6, 1869 Cherokee Co. Kans*

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:

*William Logan, Jr. Grandfather*

*Maryann J. Allen Grandmother*

*Jacariah Logan Sr. Grandfather*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Julia Heape, 26 years*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *John Heape*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Mahlda Heape, nee*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Allen*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Ills.*

Mother: *Ills.*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Sept. 1851*

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not to my knowledge

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>No bro. or sister</u>		
(2)	<u>Have half bro. &amp; 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>Louis Allen</u>
	<u>Margaret J. Allen</u>

17. Where were they born? 1847 & 70

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ills

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Adeline Lapan</u>	Indian name: <u>Martha A. Williamson</u>	Residence: <u>Millie Capon</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Delilah McHully</u>	Indian name: <u>Thos. Lapan</u>	Residence: <u>Lucinda " Milida Allen</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Geo. " Billy "</u>	Indian name: <u>Epoch " Leonard "</u>	Residence: <u>James " Judson " Heas</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Wm J. " Louisa "</u>	Indian name: <u>Brewery "</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. 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:

*Yachariah Layan, Sr. Great grandfather*  
*Wm. Layan, Sr. grandfather*  
*Louis Allen, grandfather*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Have had claim for citizenship before  
The Review Com. and courts. Master's Report  
Shows "Indian blood"; Record at Muckogee & J*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*John Sedrow* (Signature.) *Charley Heape*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 9*, 190*8* *W. L. Kins*  
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 *Walter Beggs* and *John Sedrow*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Charley Heape*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *37* 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.

*John Sedrow*  
*Walter Beggs*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 9*, 190*8* *W. L. Kins*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7196

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Charles Neape*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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CHESTER HOW  
ATTORNEY,  
S. LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 7196

1. State your full name: Charles Heape
2. Residence and post office: Patterson Springs, N.C. RR 2
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Kansas
5. Date and place of birth: Nov. 6, 1870 - Cherokee Co. Kansas
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Julia Heape - 28 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>Myrtle May Heape</u>	<u>8 years</u>	<u>9/22/01</u>
(2)	<u>Maudie Elunia Heape</u>	<u>3 "</u>	<u>8/22/03</u>
(3)	<u>Mabel Heape</u>	<u>1 "</u>	<u>12/26/1905</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: 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 mark:*  
*M. E. Edmiston*  
*Maffie McBlair*

(Signature)

Charles Heape

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

12

day of

August

1907.

D. W. Talbot

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 30, 1909

**AFFIDAVIT**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me..... and  
..... who, being duly sworn, on oath depose  
and say that they are well acquainted with..... who makes the  
foregoing application and statement, and have known..... for..... years and..... years,  
respectively, and know..... to be the identical person..... represents..... to be, and that  
on May 28, 1906,..... had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by  
..... are true, and they have no interest whatever in..... claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... day of....., 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires....., 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 7196

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Charles Neale*

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, 1906-1907.

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REGISTER HOW  
ATTORNEY,  
LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

No. 7197

Action: Reject

Name Frank W. Hart and X children. Residence: Norloville, Kans.

Reasons: <sup>G-dn-</sup> For Bertha M. Hart + brother

Marine through the same source as 700-3.

No. 7194

Name Franklin T. Hain

With No. 7037

Remarks:

No. 7197

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*Mina L. Miller Hart dec'd*  
*Frank N. Hart*  
*Guardian*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO  
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.

- Bertha M. Hart and Lloyd A. Hart, children and sole heirs of -*
1. State full name—  
English name: *Nina L. Miller Hart (deceased)*  
Indian name: *Unknown*
  2. Residence: *in Nortonville*
  3. Town and post office: *Nortonville*
  4. County: *Jefferson*
  5. State: *Kansas*
  6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 17-1871 in Platte County 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: *By right of Indian Blood on my Mother's side, see Question 21<sup>st</sup> and answer and also remarks*
  8. Are you married? *deceased*
  9. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: *Fran M. Hart age 20 yrs*
  10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Jonathan A. Miller*  
Indian name: *None*  
Mother—English name: *Mary Foley Miller before marriage*  
Indian name: *Grand daughter of Rhoda Gentry a Cherokee woman*  
Maiden name: *Mary Gentry*
  11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Jonathan A. Miller Platte Co Mo*  
Mother: *Mary L. Foley Miller in Kentucky*
  12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Jonathan A. Miller Kansas Co Mo*  
Mother: *Mary L. Foley Miller Platte Co Mo*
  13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *living* Mother: *died May 13 1874*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: .....

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Yoram J. Miller	July 27-1869	now living
(2)	Rhoda W. Miller	Aug 26-1875	now living
(3)	James J. Miller	Dec 7-1879	now living
(4)	Claude E. Miller	Feb 21-1882	now living
(5)	Mary S. Miller	June 22-1884	now living
(6)	Hina M. Miller	Oct 17-1871	died Apr 14-1903 This applicant for her children

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 Wesley Miller	Rhoda A. Foley
No Indian Blood	Grand daughter of Rhoda Burge a Cherokee Indian by blood
Susan Farris Miller	James Foley her husband
No Indian Blood	No Indian Blood

17. Where were they born? Rhoda A. Foley born May 20-1812 in Kentucky  
William Wesley Miller & Susan Farris Miller both Kentucky  
William Wesley Miller & Susan Farris Miller

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? James Miller Andrew Co. Mo  
Rhoda A. Foley James Foley her husband. Platt Co. Mo.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:  
No Indian Blood in children of William Wesley Miller  
(1) English name: and Susan Farris Miller his wife

Indian name: The following are the living  
Residence: Children of Rhoda A. Foley & James Foley  
(2) English name: her husband and their Post Office  
Indian name: address  
Residence: James H. Foley 21 Joseph Mo  
(3) English name: Jack Foley 212 Aurora Co  
Indian name: Elizabeth Foley Nelson Liberty Mo  
Residence: Andrew S. Foley Stanton Mo  
(4) English name: William H. Foley Stanton Mo  
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. *Mary L. Foley Miller*  
(the mother of *Harold Miller Hart* deceased) *is a daughter of*  
*Rhodan "Foley" nee Boatright and the Grand daughter of*  
*Elizabeth Boatright nee Macburn of Virginia and the Grand*  
*Niece of Polly Carter and a Grand daughter of James & Rhoda*  
*Macburn of Virginia, whose Maiden name was Rhoda*  
*Baugh, who were Cherokee Indians by blood as shown*  
*by proofs to James Commission and appealed to U. S. Court*  
*at Muskogee and in Masters report.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Polly Carter on Roll 1835 and Nina L. Miller*  
*Hart deceased, was a Great Grand Niece of*  
*Polly Carter.*

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.) *Frank N Hart Guardian of*  
*the Estate of *Nina L. Miller Hart* deceased.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1st* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 4*, 19*10*

*E. J. Hamant*  
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 F. Hamant* and  
*Frank Rhinefelter* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Frank N Hart Guardian* who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *26* years and *26* 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.

*Albert F. Hamant*  
*Frank Rhinefelter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1st* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*January 4*, 19*10*

*E. J. Hamant*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7198

Action: *Reject-*

Name *Pearl Holhe* and *X* children. Residence: *Poolville, Texas.*

Reasons:

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No. 7188  
Name Pearl Hollis  
With No. 7053

Remarks:

No. 7198

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Pearl Holis*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,**  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO  
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: *Pearl Hoke*

Indian name: *Boatright*

2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Town and post office: *Poolville*

4. County: *Parker*

5. State: *Texas*

6. Date and place of birth: *1934 Parker County 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: *only one relative the Blackum & Boatright of Virginia our grandfathers side they were not living in 1851*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *J. W. Hoke 20 years*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *W. D. Barely*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *none*

Indian name: *Boatright*

Maiden name: *Matie Boatright*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Mo. Tenn*

Mother: *Gentry County Missouri*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Mo. Tenn*

Mother: *Gentry County Missouri*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *still living*

Mother: *July 4, 1895*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Only in the case now*

*Pending*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>H. L. Parsley</i>	<i>1872</i>	
(2)	<i>W. F. Parsley</i>	<i>1875</i>	
(3)	<i>Delfina</i>	<i>1877</i>	
(4)	<i>Frank Parsley</i>	<i>1879</i>	
(5)	<i>Lee Parsley</i>	<i>1880</i>	
(6)	<i>Ethel Parsley</i>	<i>1880</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>Parsley</i>	<i>Indian name Boatright</i>
<i>Indian name none</i>	

17. Where were they born? *Grandfather - born in Kentucky*  
*Grandmother was born in Virginia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *They were living in Missouri*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *Mattie Parsley* *April 1890*  
Indian name: *Mattie Boatright*  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: *Alice Parsley*  
Indian name: *Alice Boatright*  
Residence: *Wagon Idos*
- (3) English name: *Mary E. Lane*  
Indian name: *Mary E. Boatright* *April 1907*  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: *Ada Harker*  
Indian name: *Ada Boatright*  
Residence: *Van Buren Arkansas*
- (5) English name: *Bindie Kettle*  
Indian name: *Bindie Boatright*  
Residence: *Wagon Idos*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Only in the case now*

*Pending*

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's name H. Preston Purdy  
 Mother's name Martina E. Purdy English

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Polly Carter was another Indian ancestor was a sister of Elizabeth Boatright nee Blackman who was an full Cherokee Indian

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Pearl Hallis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of December, 1906.

My commission expires Nov, 1908  
G. W. Squires  
 Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me F. M. Baldwin and A. B. Russell who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Pearl Hallis, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 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.

F. M. Baldwin  
A. B. Russell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of December, 1906.

My commission expires Nov, 1908  
G. W. Squires  
 Notary Public.

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No. 7199

Action: *Reject*

Name *Bertha Kost* and — children.

Residence:

*Baxter Springs*  
*(R.F.D. #2) Kans.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #7040, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

No. 7199  
Name. T. H. H. H. H. H.  
With No. 7040

Remarks:

No. 4199

Name Bertha Hest

With No. 7040

Remarks:

On Sale

1/2 piece of 7040

No. 7199

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Bertha Howe*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
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: *Bertha Host*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: *Lincolnton S.C.*

3. Town and post office: *Beattie Springs 15m R.F.D. No 2*

4. County: \_\_\_\_\_

5. State: *S.C.*

6. Date and place of birth: *May 21 1891*

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:

*Wm. Logan Great grandfather*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Frank Host 27 years*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Chas. Shinn*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *Melinda Shinn nee*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Allen*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *S.C.*

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: not to my knowledge

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Clara Gordon	30	
(2)	Maggi McClary	27	
(3)	Cora Slate	18	
(4)	Louis Shinn	28	
(5)	Wilbur "	24	
(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
	Louis Allen
	Margaret Allen

17. Where were they born? Ky & Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illa

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Matilda Allen</u>		
	Indian name: <u>Riley</u>	"	
	Residence: <u>Leonard</u>	"	
(2)	English name: <u>Judson</u>	"	<u>dead</u>
	Indian name: <u>Lacinda</u>	"	
	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:

*Zachariah Logan, Jr. Great Grandfather*  
*John Logan, Jr. Great Grandfather*  
*Louis Allen*

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Have had claim for citizenship*  
*before Kansas Court. Muster*  
*report shows Indian blood.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Bertha Host*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires *Apr 9*, 190*8*

*Bertha Host* *Mc Lykin*  
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 *Walter Beggs* and *John Sedrow*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Bertha Host*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and *11* 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.

*Walter Beggs*  
*John Sedrow*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires *Apr 9*, 190

*Mc Lykin*  
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. 7200

Action: Reject

Name: Virginia Hagler and X children. Residence: Celeste, Texas.

Reasons:

First cousin twice removed of # 7064 and  
claims through the same source.



No. 7057

Name Virginia Taylor

With No. 7075

Remarks:

*First cousin twice removed.*  
*No. 7200*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*Virginia 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.  
Rec DEC 26 1906  
No.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7200

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: in 1889 at Santa Indian Territory

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joe Keith	1864	
(2)	Mollie Dickman	1869	
(3)	August Keith	1871	
(4)	George Keith	1873	
(5)	Myrtle Dickman	1875	
(6)	Water Keith	1877	1902
	Bertie Keith	1884	

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.
	Ch. Keith	
	No Indian name	
	Elizabeth Wick	
	No Indian name	

17. Where were they born? in Kentucky

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not living

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>No Indian on father's side</u> William Watson <u>dead</u>
	Indian name: <u>Caldwell</u>
	Residence: <u>Arkansas</u> <u>dead</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Belle Watson</u>
	Indian name: <u>Caldwell</u>
	Residence: <u>Texas</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Sarah Francis Watson</u>
	Indian name: <u>Caldwell</u>
	Residence: <u>Texas</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Beverly Watson</u> <u>dead</u>
	Indian name: <u>Caldwell</u>
	Residence: <u>Arkansas</u> <u>dead</u>
(5)	English name: <u>David Watson</u>
	Indian name: <u>Caldwell</u>
	Residence: <u>Arkansas</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. Yes in 1889 at Santa Indian 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: \_\_\_\_\_

**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.) *Virginia Hagler*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 15*, 190*6*.

*W. D. Macmillan, J.P.*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *A. H. Armstrong* and *M. A. Scott*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Virginia Hagler*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *12* years and *13* 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. H. Armstrong*  
*M. A. Scott*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30* day of *Oct*, 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 15*, 190*6*.

*W. D. Macmillan, J.P.*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7201

Action: Reject

Name Agnis D. Hackett and children. Residence: Wagoner Okla

Reasons: applicant's ancestors were not parties to treaties of 1835-6-46 nor shared in payments to the Cherokees nor enrolled with them

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No. <sup>Full Okla</sup> 7207 <sup>or</sup> Field <sup>Jenn?</sup>

Name Agnes D. Hackett

With No. Wagon

Remarks:

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~~Field~~  
~~Wagon~~ ~~Okla~~ +  
Jenn.

Recd ans. 1/20/08

See enclosed letter.

Wagon

No. 7201

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Agnes D. Noche*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7201



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: *Agnes Hasket nee Agnes D. Goodwin*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: *Abogon*
4. County: *Cook Nation*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *Cartersville 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: *Agnes nee Agnes D. Goodwin*  
*English Mother of Agnes Hasket nee Goodwin*
8. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *F. J. Hasket 46 years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Samuel D. Goodwin*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Agnes Emeline Goodwin*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Agnes E. Georgie*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *South Carolina*  
Mother: *St Clair County Alabama*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Near Cartersville Ga.*  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *May 1st 1889* Mother: *Oct 8th 1884*

14. W	Born	Died	Death
	Louisa	March 27 1864	Jan 1890
15. Na	Jessie P	Nov 18 1866	Death:
	Sam E	Nov 18 1869	DIED. Dec 1891
	Thomas H	Sept 8 1875	10 1852
			1881
(4)	Agnes D	Jan 22 1851	April 17 1904
(5)	John J	Dec 8 1859	
(6)	Ella M	Dec 3 1861	1875

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 B. Yeargin	Martha Yeargin

17. Where were they born? Martha Yeargin was born in Old Cherokee Nation do not know exact locality

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? St Clair County, Ala.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Lizzy Yeargin, Mary Yeargin  
Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name: Martha Yeargin, Alpha Yeargin  
Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name: Agnes E. Yeargin, Susan Yeargin  
Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name: Newton Yeargin, Julia Yeargin  
Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name: Samuel Yeargin + Lura Yeargin  
Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Bartlett Y	Aug 17 1849	
(2)	Martha E	Oct 10 1851	Sept 10 1852
(3)	Rufus Y	June 12 1853	about Mch 1881
(4)	Agnes D	Jan 22 1857	April 17 <sup>th</sup> 1904
(5)	John J	Dec 8 1859	
(6)	Ella M	Dec 3 1861	1875

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 B. Yeargin	Martha Yeargin

17. Where were they born? Martha Yeargin was born in Old Cherokee Nation do not know exact locality

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? St Clair County, Ala.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Lizzy Yeargin, Mary Yeargin  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: Martha Yeargin, Alpha Yeargin  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: Agnes E. Yeargin, Paragie Yeargin  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: Newton Yeargin, Susan Yeargin  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: Samuel Yeargin + Jane Yeargin  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. \_\_\_\_\_

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

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**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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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.) *[Handwritten Signature]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

July 24, 1906

*[Handwritten 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 *[Handwritten Signature]* and *Charles Bailey*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *[Handwritten Signature]*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *[Handwritten]* for 6 years and 13 years, respectively, and know *[Handwritten]* to be the identical person *[Handwritten]* represents *[Handwritten]* to be, and that the statements made by *[Handwritten]* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *[Handwritten]* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*[Handwritten Signatures of Witnesses]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

July 24, 1906

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

App. #7201.

January 7, 1908.

Agnes D. Hackett,

Wagoner, Okla.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #7201 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you state that you base your right through your mother, Agnes J. Gorman, nee Yeargin, whose mother was Martha Yeargin. Was your grandmother, Martha Yeargin, a full-blood Cherokee Indian? If not, who were the full-blood Indian ancestors, and where did they reside in 1835, and why, if living in 1835, were they not enrolled? Where did the said Martha Yeargin reside in 1835, and why was she not enrolled? Why was your mother, Agnes Yeargin, not enrolled in 1851? In what year were you born, and where did you reside if living in 1851, and why were you not enrolled if living in 1851? Please state the history of your Indian ancestors, tracing from your full-blood ancestors down to yourself.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 20 1908  
No.

Wagoner Okla Jan 16, '08  
J B B S

Mr Guion Miller,  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your communication of  
Jan 7 relative to claim #7201.

I wish to say that Martha Georgia  
was a 1/2 blood Descending from  
Sooky Turner nee Dougherty we do  
not know if Sooky Turner was on  
the rolls or not. She lived in ~~Zone~~  
in the old Cherokee Nation.

John B. Georgia & Wife Martha lived  
apart from the Tribe, they lived  
in Little Hills Valley Alabama near  
Gadsden, which was their Post Office  
they lived there previous to 1828 and  
continued to reside there up to their  
Death, when the U. S. Troops removed

The Cherokees to Indian Territory  
Mr Yeargin kept his wife hid in  
Brush while the Soldiers were in  
that vicinity.

Emeline Goodwin nee Yeargin  
was living in vicinity of Cartersville  
Ga in 1855 and I do not suppose they  
made any effort to be Enrolled.

Mrs Goodwin was placed on the  
Census Report of 1866 as a Cherokee  
Indian. They lived in vicinity of  
Cassville & Cartersville Ga until 1871  
when they removed to Indian Territory.

I wish to say in this connection  
that the Agnes D. Hockett Case  
went before the Laws Com in 1896  
and appealed to District Court and  
Finally to U. S. Supreme Court.



and was docketed as case 105  
our Record was one of the first  
Cherokee Cases that had Record  
Printed

Agnes D. Hockett nee Goodwin  
was born Jan 22 1857  
Near Cartersville, Ga.  
I wish to say that we had a  
Favorable Report from Master in  
Chancery.

Respectfully

F. J. Hockett

P.S. We have four Children

William	Boon Jan 27	1886
Bessie	June 13	1890
Myrtle	May 9	1892
Fredrick D	Sept 6	1898

F. J. H.

Witness in re

App. No. 7201. Agnes E. Hackett.

Misc.

Fred ~~Agnes~~ J. Hackett, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Fred J. Hackett. My age is 48 years. I have been living in Wagoner County since 1891. Agnes D. Hackett is dead. She was my wife. Jennie P. Best is her sister. She died in 1904. She was not enrolled by the Dawes Commission. She made application. She was rejected on the ground that they could not find her name on the rolls. She made application in 1871, but have been rejected for citizenship. They found that she was Cherokee by blood. She was 47 at her death. She lived in the Territory since '71; she was born in Georgia and came here in 1871. She got her blood from her mother, Emeline Goodwin. She is not living; she died in '84. She died here in Indian Territory; came out with my wife; she was 52 at her death. I think they were never on the rolls. Her ~~husband's~~ maiden name was Yeargin. She got her blood from her mother, Martha Yeargin; ~~Martha Crump~~. She was not enrolled that I know of. Martha Crumpton's father kept her hid in the bushes in order to keep her people from bringing her out West with the Indians. She never came to the Territory. She never left Alabama or Georgia. Her mother was Agnes Tyner, and her mother Sookie Tyner, nee Dougherty. I don't know whether any of these people were on the rolls. I understand that Mr. Crump at the time he ~~married~~ moved into Georgia. They claim to be Cherokees. She had several brothers and sisters (Emeline Goodwin) Newton, Sim and ~~James~~ and Martha and Mary and Lizzie and Alfred Yeargin and ~~James~~ Parale. I cannot name my any brothers and sisters of Martha Yeargin. Agnes D. Hackett's case was appealed to the District Court and then to the U. S. Supreme Court from the decision of the Dawes Commission. They came in 1871. None of the rest came West that I know of. I don't know of their ever joining any other tribe of Indians. The statement about keeping his wife in hiding was evidence in the formal proceedings. I never heard them talk about the treaties of 1835 or that they were parties to them.

  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Wagoner,  
Oklahoma, this 9th day of September, 1908.

  
Ass't to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

No. 7202

Action: Repeat -

Name: Lucy E. Hillen and X children. Residence: Midway, Kans.

Reasons:

obtains through the same source as 705-3-

No. 7202

Name Wm. E. Hilton

With No. 7053

Remarks:

No. 7202

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lily E. Hilton*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 DEC 26 1906 No.
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**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

7202

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name: *Lucy Ellen Hilton*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Crawford County, Kansas*

3. Town and post office: *Midway*

4. County: *Crawford*

5. State: *Kansas*

6. Date and place of birth: *Madison County Kentucky October 27<sup>th</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: *By Cherokee Indian blood,*

*James Blackburn great great grandfather, and Elizabeth Boatright (nee Blackburn) Rhoda Patterson (nee Blackburn) great grand mothers who were sisters and Benjamin H. Boatright grandfather and John Ann Boatright (nee Patterson) grand mother.*

8. Are you married? *Yes.*

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 W. Boatright*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Fannin Boatright*

Indian name: *nee Pylis*

Maiden name: *Fannin Mylin*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Madison County Kentucky*

Mother: *Garrett County Kentucky*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Madison County Kentucky*

Mother: *Garrett County Kentucky*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Living*

Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Rodney Smith Boatright		age 39 y <sup>10</sup>
(2) Morris Harvey Boatright		" 37 "
(3) Sallie Ann Olmstead (nee Boatright)		35 "
(4) Lizzie E. Proffitt nee Boatright		30 "
(5) John Boatright		27 "
(6) Emmett Myra Boatright		25 "
Robert Guy Boatright		" 32 "

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
Benjamin D. Boatright	Harvey Myra
Jalia Ann Boatright (nee Patterson)	Ruth Ann Myra (nee Chamber)

17. Where were they born? All born in Kentucky except Benjamin D. Boatright who was born in Virginia.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All in Kentucky

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- Father's side*
- (1) English name: John W. Boatright Vermon County Missouri  
 Indian name: Sallie Ann Ramsey (nee Boatright) Died July 9<sup>th</sup> 1869.  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- Mother's side*
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: Eliza Jane Ralston (nee Wyler) Kentucky  
 Residence: Salem Ky Kentucky
- (3) English name: Margaret E. Bassett nee Myler Missouri  
 Indian name: Martha Ann Darrell (nee Myler) Kentucky  
 Residence: Mary R. Roberts nee Myler Missouri
- (4) English name: Franina Boatright nee Myler Missouri  
 Indian name: William F. Myler Died December 6, 1903.  
 Residence: John L. Myler Kentucky
- (5) English name: Sarah Ellen Ballard Kentucky  
 Indian name: Harry L. Myler Illinois  
 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: .....

*Polly Carter on the rolls of 1835 was a sister of my two Great Grandmothers Elizabeth Boatright (nee Blackburn) and Rhoda Patterson (nee Blackburn) daughters of James Blackburn*

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Case made before the Dawes Commission in 1896 and appealed to the U.S. Court. Minutes report on record with the case at Muscogee Indian Territory, showing the Applicant to have Indian blood.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Lucy Ellen Hilton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*May 31, 1910, ~~1908~~*

*Ray B. Allen*

Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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Personally appeared before me *Leon Ducey* and *Mrs. C. Miller*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Lucy Ellen Hilton*, 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.

*Leon Ducey*  
*Mrs. Miller*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*May 31, 1910, ~~1908~~*

*Ray B. Allen*

Notary Public.

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Pittsburg Kansas  
Lucinda Helton Debraay  
East first 200 12 1908  
Sir Mr Guion Miller  
I filled out and sent  
in my application  
for myself and my  
minors <sup>children</sup> and children  
of age also. So if  
you have received it  
please let me know  
and if there are  
any more required  
I will get my witnesses  
and any more to be  
filled out I will do it  
so please let me  
know as quickly as you  
can. I am  
telling me no how  
soon. Yours  
Lucinda Helton

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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No. 7002

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FEB 18 1908

To J. Williams  
how it is going  
respectfully yours

Jucinda Hilton

200 East first st  
Pittsburg Kans

be in best  
answer soon

Lucy Ellen Hilton

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