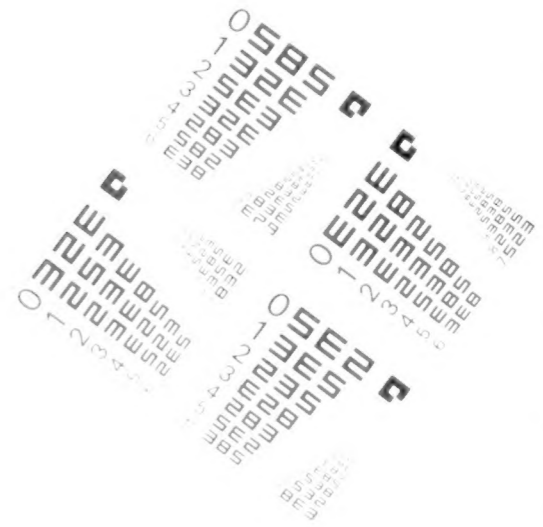


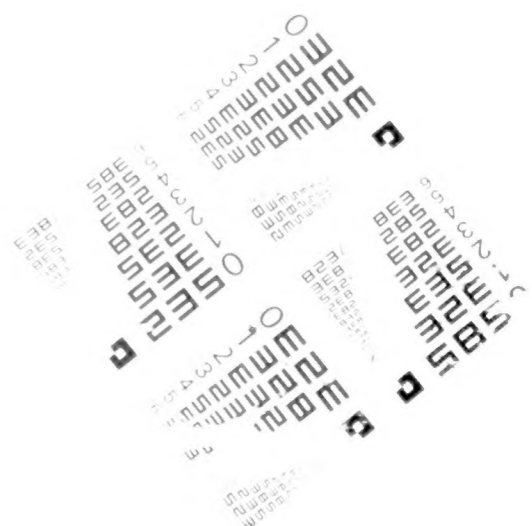
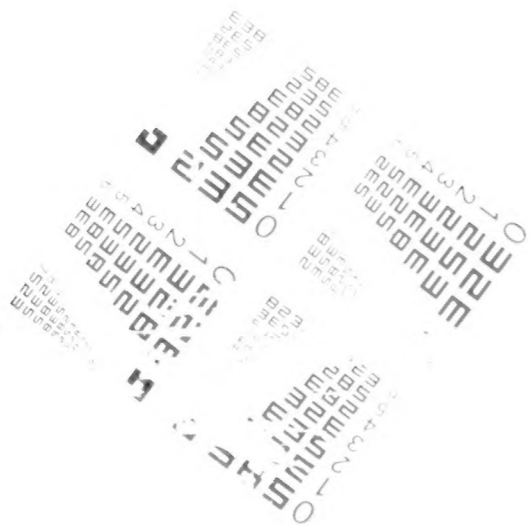
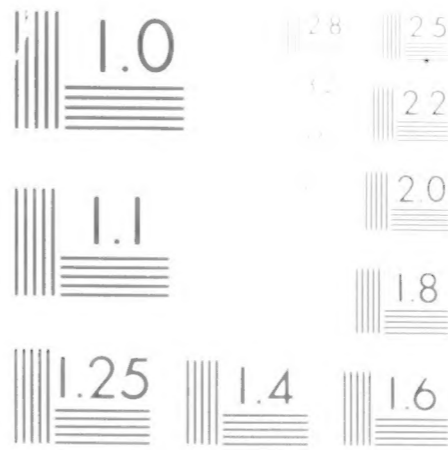
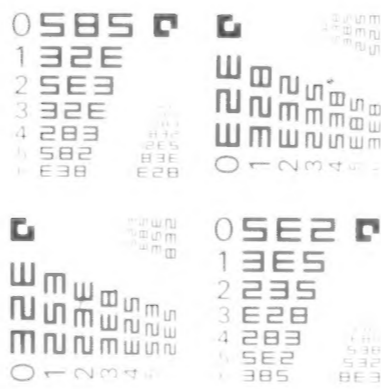
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EASTERN CHEROKEE

APPLICATIONS OF THE

U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS

1906-1909

Roll 75

Application Nos. 7303-7403

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INTRODUCTION

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

History

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### Records

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

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



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### Related Records

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

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

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

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

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

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S. J. ...

No.

Action:

Name and children. Residence:

Reasons:

7803

No.

Name

With No.

Remarks

No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

## APPLICATION

*John C. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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 BOWME,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASHINGTON TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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:

Carl O. Stone

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

July 21 1881 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:

I claim through my mother, Hannah B. Ross, who was married to my father, Samuel H. Stone, in 1851. My mother was born in 1812 and died in 1881. My father was born in 1812 and died in 1881. I was born in 1881.

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:

Samuel H. Stone

Indian name:

Mother - English name:

Hannah B. Ross

Indian name:

maiden name:

Samuel H. Foley

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Virginia

Mother:

Missouri

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>Walter C. Foley</i>	<i>Feb. 18, 1879</i>	<i>Jan. 15, 1911</i>
(2)	<i>Ra F. Foley</i>	<i>Jan. 18, 1883</i>	
(3)	<i>Anna Foley</i>	<i>Jan. 18, 1883</i>	
(4)	<i>Anna Foley</i>	<i>Jan. 18, 1883</i>	
(5)	<i>Fred Foley</i>	<i>Jan. 18, 1883</i>	
(6)	<i>John Foley</i>	<i>Jan. 18, 1883</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:

*Laura Foley*  
*Rhoda Foley*

17. Where were they born? *of Mrs. Foley in Kentucky, Rhoda Ann Foley in Virginia aged 10 years*

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: *William B. Foley* B. *Jan. 24, 1851* - *Jan. 15, 1911*

Indian name: *William B. Foley*

Residence: *Yamhill Co. Foley*

(2) English name: *William S. Foley* B. *Jan. 27, 1857*

Indian name: *William S. Foley*

Residence: *Yamhill Co. Foley*

(3) English name: *William S. Foley* B. *Jan. 27, 1857*

Indian name: *William S. Foley*

Residence: *Yamhill Co. Foley*

(4) English name: *William S. Foley* B. *Jan. 27, 1857*

Indian name: *William S. Foley*

Residence: *Yamhill Co. Foley*

(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:

*Handwritten names and dates in cursive script, including "1835" and "1832".*

REMARKS.

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

*Blank lines for handwritten remarks.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) *Carl O Ross*

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

My commission expires *April 10<sup>th</sup>*, 190*7*. *W. A. [Signature]*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Frank D Apple* and *Geo. E Robbins*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Carl O Ross*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *ten* years and *4* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person represents to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Frank D Apple*  
*Geo. E Robbins*

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

My commission expires *April 10<sup>th</sup>*, 190*7*. *W. A. [Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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

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No. 7304

Action

Rejected

Name

Jos. R. Reynolds and X children.

Residence:

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Reasons:

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No. 1214

Name .....

With No. 1108

Remarks:

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*1111*  
No. *1111*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF  
*G. F. C. ...*  
*Excelsior Springs, Miss.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

*7304*

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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 J. Reynolds*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Sevier County, Tennessee*

3. Town and post office: *Exchange Springs*

4. County:

5. State: *Tennessee*

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  
Ancestors. First of name Great Grandfather,  
Grandfather, both of name who had been  
known to be a Cherokee Indian by blood,  
by John Ross and Dr. Peter, 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: *John Reynolds*

Indian name:

Mother- English name: *Mary J. Reynolds*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Mary J. Patton*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Tennessee*

Mother: *Sevier County, Tennessee*

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

Father: *Sevier County, Tennessee*

Mother: *Sevier County, Tennessee*

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>George Reynolds</i>	<i>1824</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Mary Reynolds</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Elizabeth Reynolds</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Kate Reynolds</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>John Reynolds</i>		
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>George Reynolds</i>	<i>John Morgan</i>
<i>Elizabeth Reynolds</i>	<i>Mary Morgan</i>

17. Where were they born? *George Reynolds, Indiana; Elizabeth Reynolds, Kentucky; John Morgan, North Carolina; Mary Morgan, Tennessee.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Franklin, on Mother's side; Ray County, Missouri, other side.*

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

(1) English name: *George Reynolds*

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 father side George Reynolds & Grandmother  
Elizabeth Reynolds nee Cook, Grandfather on Mother  
side Nathan Perkins Grandmother Hannah Perkins  
ne Massena

#### REMARKS.

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

Case Made to the Deeds Commission and referred  
to the U.S. Court, Masters report in record with  
the case of Messrs J. L. Shoring & Co. in  
re: 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) George Reynolds

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

My commission expires

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

George W. Perkins  
Notary Public,  
in and for the County of 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 Nathan Perkins and  
George Reynolds, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with George Reynolds, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 year and 2 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.

Witness my hand,

Signature of witnesses.

Nathan Perkins

George Reynolds

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

My commission expires

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

George W. Perkins  
Notary Public,  
in and for the County of 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. 7305

Action Rejected

Name James R. Ryndall and X children. Residence: Exeter, N.H.

Reasons:

Widow of J. R.

7305

No. 7345

Name \_\_\_\_\_

With No. 7345

Remarks:

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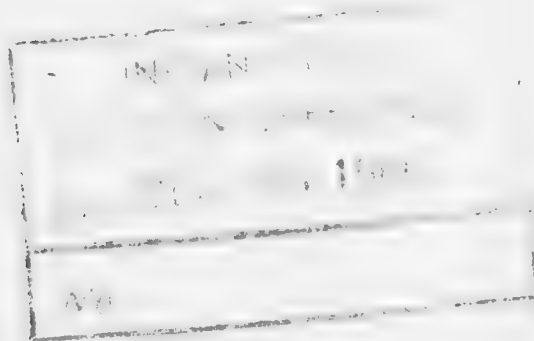
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*James Robert Payne et al.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

7305



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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 Robert Reynolds

Indian name:

2. Residence: Clay County, Missouri

3. Town and post office: Delaney Springs

4. County: Clay

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: Benjamin Hunt of Cherokee  
Nation died James Morgan Hunt, son of  
of Delaney, North Carolina, who was born  
to be a Cherokee Indian by John Hunt & his  
wife Dora Hunt Cherokee Indians

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Annie Reynolds age 28

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 Reynolds

Indian name:

Maiden name: Mary P. Hunt

11. Where were they born?

Father: Clay County, Missouri

Mother: Clay County, Missouri

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

Father: Delaney Springs, Missouri

Mother: Delaney Springs, 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)	<i>Thomas Wesley Reynolds</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Manda A. Lewis</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Kate Chapman</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>George R. Reynolds</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>John R. Reynolds</i>	<i>22</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:  
*George Reynolds*  
*Eugenia Reynolds*

MOTHER'S SIDE:  
*Nathan Morgan*  
*Maria Morgan*

17. Where were they born? *George Reynolds Virginia Eugenia Reynolds*  
*Nathan Morgan North Carolina Maria Morgan Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Grandfather on Mother's side in*  
*Co. Co. Missourri Now Dead*

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

(1) English name: *John Morgan*  
 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  
 father's side: George Reynolds, Grandmother: Elizabeth  
 on mother's side: William  
 Grandmother: Anna Morgan, B.S. Missoula*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Case made to the Deeds Commission and appeared  
 to the US Court Master, now on file with  
 the case to establish the same record  
 now under review*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 Robert Reynolds*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *Nov* 190*6*

My commission expires

*January 1<sup>st</sup>* 190*7*

*James R. Reynolds*  
 Notary Public,  
 Headwaters

**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 Gellerman* and *John A. Gode*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *James Robert Reynolds*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for *27* years and *7* 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 sign.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John Gellerman*  
*John A. Gode*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *Nov* 190*6*

My commission expires

*January 1<sup>st</sup>* 190*7*

*James R. Reynolds*  
 Notary Public,  
 Headwaters

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No. 4306

Action Rejected

Name Mary A. Venable and X children. Residence: Exelsior, Minn.

Reasons: Hunt of 1905.

4306

No.

7306

Name

With No.

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Remarks:

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No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Arthur L. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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:

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1. State full name--

English name:

Mary A. Reynolds

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Exton, N. C.

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 descent from my father, James A. Reynolds, who was born in North Carolina and died in Exton, N. C. My mother, Mary A. Reynolds, was born in North Carolina and died in Exton, N. C.

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: Nelson Reynolds

Indian name:

Mother English name: Annie Reynolds

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

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

Father: Exton, N. C.

Mother: Exton, N. C.

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)	<i>James Morgan</i>	<i>Age 55</i>	<i>1851</i>
(2)	<i>John Morgan</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Jane Dickey, Mrs. Morgan</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>James Morgan</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Francis Morgan</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>James Morgan</i>	<i>Betsy Heston</i>
<i>Maria Morgan, nee Dicks</i>	<i>Peter Heston, nee</i>
<i>Millett</i>	

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

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Grandmother on mother's side, in Fry County Missouri to their death*

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

(1) English name: *Melissa*

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:

Father Nathan D. ... (Mason) ...  
 Mother ...  
 Grandfather James ...  
 Grandmother ...

REMARKS.

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

Case made before ... Commission ...  
 appeared to the US Court Masters ...  
 records with the case ... showing ...  
 showing ... it to ... 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.) Mary A. Reynolds

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

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

Henry A. Shelton  
 Notary Public.

in and for Clay County, 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 J. B. Jones and J. D. Doherty, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary A. Reynolds, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person 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.

Witness to make, James A. Davis

Signature, witness, J. G. Doherty  
J. B. Jones

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10-18-1865

No. 17307

Action Rejected

Name: Mrs. W. Reynolds and X children. Residence: 11 Union Street, N.Y.

Reasons:

none of them

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Name

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With No.

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Remarks:

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*James M. ...*

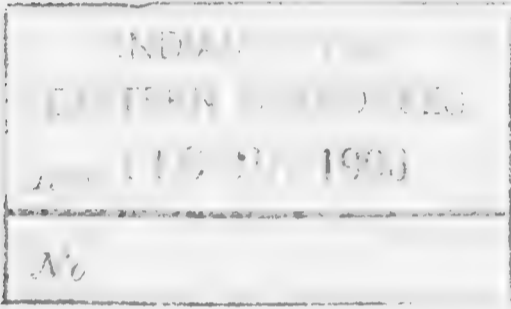
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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

*7307*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name:

Thomas Wesley Reynolds

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Excelsior Springs

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 Indians, trace to James Morgan, great grandfather of Daniel North Carolina. Thomas Reynolds to be a Cherokee Indian by blood by marriage to Mrs. Cherokee Indians

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

Father English name:

Indian name:

Mother English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

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

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Mary Anna Deady</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>living</i>
(2)	<i>James Robert Reynolds</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>George C. Reynolds</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Kate Devenger</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Ma C. Reynolds</i>	<i>14</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>George Reynolds</i>	<i>Nathan Morgan</i>
<i>Elizabeth Reynolds</i>	<i>Anna Morgan</i>

17. Where were they born: *on father's side Virginia Kentucky*  
*on mother's side North Carolina Tennessee*

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

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 benefit? 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 father's side Grandmother Elizabeth Reynolds & Clark, Grandfather on Mother's side Nathaniel Morgan, Grandmother Anna Morgan, & Massouale*

**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 referred to the U.S. Court. Master's report on record with the case at St. Louis, Mo. showing services of applicant's name & brother James [unclear]*

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

(Signature) *Thomas Wesley Reynolds*

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

My commission expires

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

*J. H. [unclear]*  
*Notary Public, Illinois*

**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 [unclear]* and *James [unclear]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Thomas Wesley Reynolds*, 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 *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.

Witness my hand,

Signature of witness.

*John [unclear]*  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* 1906.

My commission expires

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

*J. H. [unclear]*  
*Notary Public, Illinois*

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Action: Refused

Name: J. J. [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear], [unclear].

Reasons:

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No. 7308 Field 2.

Name John A. Reynolds

With No.

Remarks:

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Information - Con-  
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Reynolds

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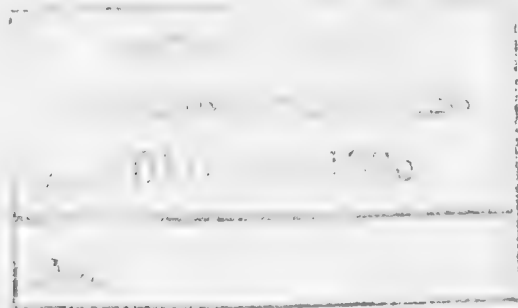
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APPLICATION

OF

*John C. Reynolds*

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WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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1. State full name -

English name: *John Arthur Reynolds*

Indian name: *X*

2. Residence:

*English, Texas*

3. Town and post office:

*English, Texas*

4. County:

*Red River*

5. State:

*Texas*

6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 27 1871, Cookeville, 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 Henry Reynolds, my grand father he was living at Coffeytown, Alabama in 1835 with Lou Watts.*

8. Are you married? *No*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *None*

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

Father - English name: *David Richard Reynolds*

Indian name:

Mother - English name: *Judith Elizabeth Reynolds*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Judith Elizabeth Holder*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Tennessee - Middle Part*

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: *Nov. 1901*

Mother: *87?*

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

where: *I don't know but they were  
it was at Boggetown Alabama*

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <i>Ellen Reynolds Duke</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>1866?</i>
(2) <i>H.P. Reynolds</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>1869.</i>
(3) <i>Nannie L. Reynolds Wright</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>1873.</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>Henry Reynolds Wall</i>	<i>Bresley Holder</i>
<i>May Reynolds</i>	<i>Mary Holder</i>

17. Where were they born? *Virginia and Tennessee on father's side  
in Alabama*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In Alabama I think  
mother's parents maybe were then in Texas.*

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

- (1) English name: *John Reynolds*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Talley Alabama Jackson Co.*
- (2) English name: *Arthur Reynolds*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Nocena Texas Montague Co.*
- (3) English name: *Elizabeth Reynolds; Wellson died*  
Indian name: *about 1890*  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: *Sallie Reynolds Duke died about 1902.*  
~~Indian~~ name: *Nancy Reynolds Brown died about 1877*  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: *David Nelson Reynolds died 1901*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

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

*Thomas and Jennie Reynolds (Great grand parents)  
Henry and Mary Reynolds (Grand parents)  
David and Elizabeth Reynolds (Parents)*

REMARKS.

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

*Henry Reynolds, my grand father, was quartered on Cherokee, and lived with them at Coffeytown Alabama when they were gathered, lived with them from 1835 to 1851 (or later at same place). From which parent his blood came I do not know.*

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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) *J. A. Reynolds*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Nov*

1908

*W. C. Stony J. P. & Co. Office*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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Witnesses to name.

Signatures of witnesses.

*C. A. Reynolds*  
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J. A. Reynolds, M. D.  
ANNONA, P. O. NO. 2, TEXAS.

my dear Sir

Commissioner of Land Office  
Washington D. C.  
Dear Sir:

I have just received from  
your office a copy of a  
white man's name as being  
connected with the name  
Halls which he sometimes  
may have come about by  
mixing with the Halls which  
is also and was also doing  
at times of a settlement  
of the land. You may have  
been the son of an illegitimate  
father. I am sure you are  
of the same blood as the  
white man's name as being  
connected with the name  
Halls which he sometimes

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Henry Reynolds was ...  
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J. A. Reynolds, M. D.,

ANNONA, R. R. NO. 2, TEXAS.

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hours ago, we have  
not been, as far as  
that is concerned, or  
more than 100 miles  
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No. 4309

Action: Rejected

Name James W. Reed and X children. Residence: Harlow N.Y.

Reasons:

None of 4131.

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Name .....

With No. ....

Remarks:

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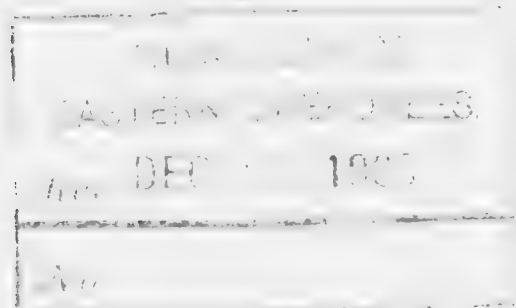
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1. State full name--

English name:

*James L. Reed*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Warren*

3. Town and post office:

*Warren*

4. County:

*Clay*

5. State:

*Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Warren, Mo. 1867 (male)*

7. 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  
Arvid's case, my great uncle Thomas Irving  
died 1896 to 1897 now dead*

8. Are you married? *is*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Paul J. Reed (m) 35 years*

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

Father--English name:

*Albert B. Reed*

Indian name:

Mother--English name:

*Emilia Reed (m) Loggins*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Emilia Loggins*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Warren, Mo.*

Mother:

*Tennessee*

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

Father:

*Warren, Mo.*

Mother:

*Warren, Mo.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father:

*Dec 1st 1907*

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>Joseph H. Reed</i>	<i>February 7 1873</i>	
(2)	<i>Miss Sarah A. Reed</i>	<i>September 13 1883</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 Reed</i>	<i>Joseph Bagley</i>
<i>Emerine Reed</i>	<i>Celina Bagley (nee) Keeney</i>

17. Where were they born? *Father's side Kentucky*  
*Mother's side Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *James and Emerine Reed Kentucky*  
*Joseph and Celina Bagley (nee) Keeney Tennessee*

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

(1) English name: *William Bagley*  
Indian name:  
Residence: *211 1/2 Adams St*

(2) English name: *Cas Bagley*  
Indian name:  
Residence: *and residence 6 1902*

(3) English name: *Ellender Reed (nee) Bagley*  
Indian name:  
Residence: *Missouri, Ray county Missouri*

(4) English name: *Gene Roberts (nee) Bagley*  
Indian name:  
Residence: *Missouri, Ray county Missouri*

(5) English name: *Joseph Bagley*  
Indian name:  
Residence: *Missouri, 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 Bagley my Great uncle my Grand Father Brother  
Who was known to be a Cherokee Indian by Blood  
By Ezekiel 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 Census Commission  
and appealed to the U. S. Court. Report on Record  
With this case at Mustang, N. 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.) *James W. Read*

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

My commission expires

*February 13, 1910*

*C. H. House*

Notary Public,  
For Clay County, State of Missouri.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. C. F. ...* and *R. W. ...*

... who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *James W. Read*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *16* 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 make.

Signatures of witnesses.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 20 1910  
No. 17389

circ. list.

Brookfield Mo 1/17/10

Clerk of Court of Claims  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir: Will you please advise me as  
to the present status of my claim No 7309  
for participation in funds etc of the  
Eastern Cherokee Indian tribe and oblige

Yours Respy

James W. Reed  
719 Lincoln St.

Brookfield  
Mo

No. 7310

Action

Rejected

Name

Ellender Reed

and

X

children.

Residence:

Wash.

Reasons:

Brother of 7131.

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Name

With No.

Remarks:

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No. 2130

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

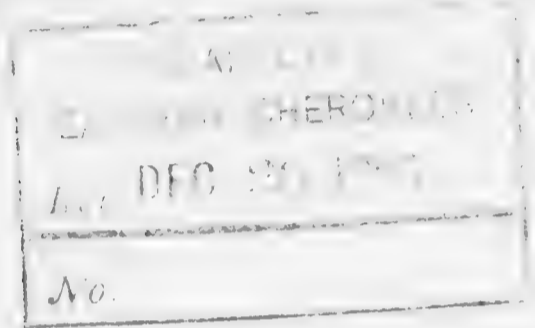
APPLICATION

OF

*Ellender Reed*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



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— *Elmer P. ...*  
English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *Moody ... Missouri*
3. Town and post office: *Moody ... Mo.*
4. County: *Way*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *December 30<sup>th</sup> 1846 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 Indian ... as living in 1851 - 1877 ...*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *75 Deceased ...*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father— English name: *Joseph ...*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother— English name: *Elina ...*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Elina ...*
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: *Died ... 1863* Mother: *Died ... 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 Bagley	June the first 1836	October 1874
(2) Elias Bagley	February 9 <sup>th</sup> 1838	November 6 <sup>th</sup> 1902
(3) Alvin Bagley	January 28 <sup>th</sup> 1840	June 6 <sup>th</sup> 1864
(4) Eiza Bagley	April 25 <sup>th</sup> 1842	
(5) Hannah C. Bagley	August 19, 1844	November 19, 1905
(6) Joseph Bagley	January 30, 1853	

16. 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 Bagley	William Keeney
Hannah Bagley	Elisabeth Keeney

17. Where were they born? *all born in East Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *William Keeney dead*  
*Elias Bagley and Hannah Keeney lived in Tennessee*

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

- (1) English name: *Katie Thompson nee Keeney*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: *Emira Ray county Missouri*
- (2) English name: *Brother Keeney*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: *Anderson County Tennessee*
- (3) English name: *Alvin Bagley*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: *Excelsior Springs Clay county Missouri dead*
- (4) English name: *Joseph Keeney*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: *dead March 5<sup>th</sup> 1863 in Missouri*
- (5) English name: *Alma Bagley (nee) Keeney*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: *dead March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1863 in 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:

Chris Cagay, my <sup>uncle</sup> Father's Brother.  
That was proven 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 Lower 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.) Ellender Reed

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

My commission expires

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

Alonzo A. 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 Thomas M. Gash and  
J. W. Turner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Ellender Reed, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 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.

Thomas M. Gash  
J. W. Turner  
5th day of December, 1906.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

My commission expires

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

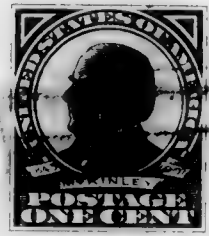
Alonzo A. Shelton  
Notary Public,  
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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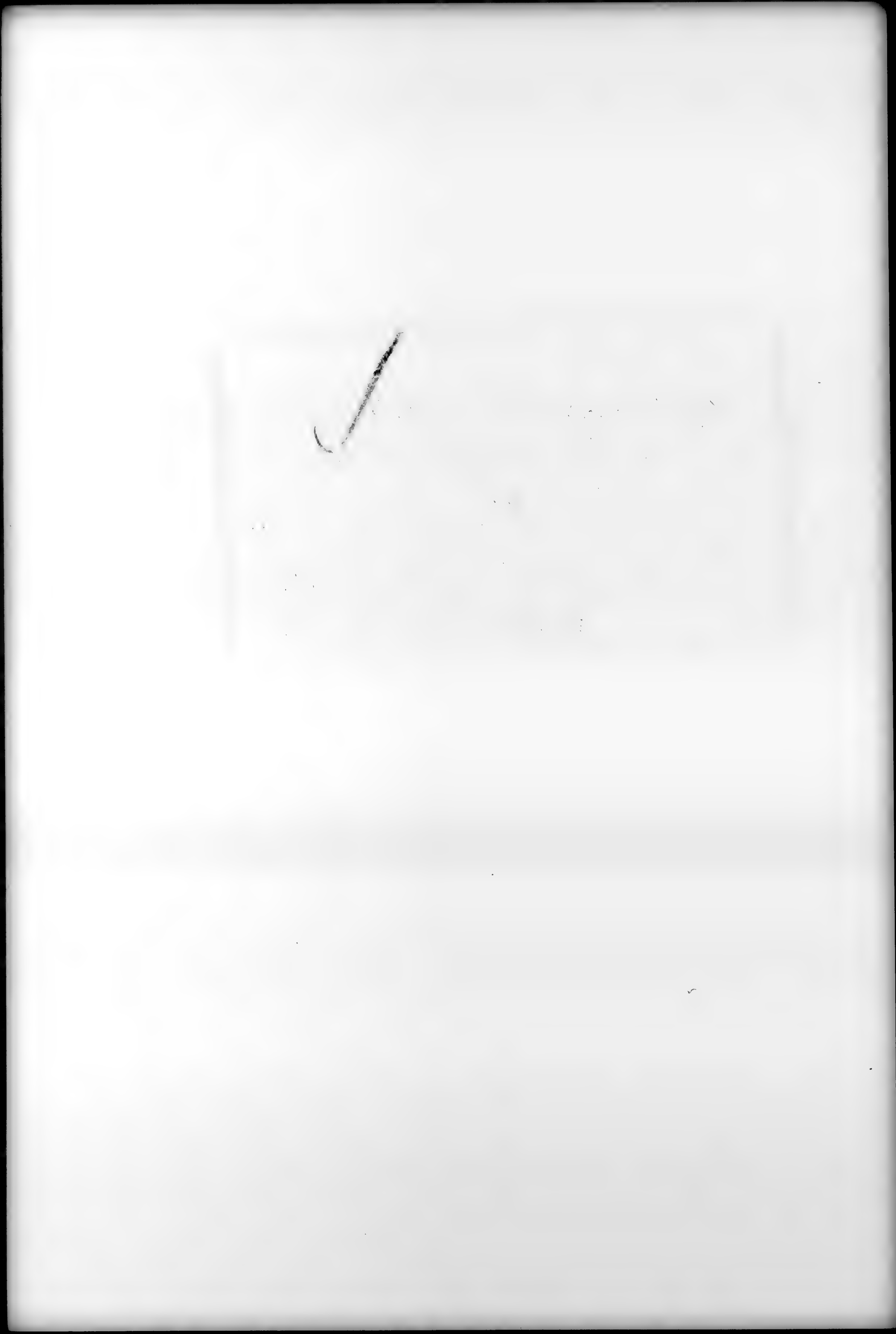
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**POSTAL CARD**

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No. 7311

Action: *Reject*

Name: *D. W. Howell* and *x* children. Residence: *Wilke, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Brother of #7088. Claims  
through marriage.*

7311

No. 4-1

Name ✓

With No. ✓

Remarks:

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*A. H. Council*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

7311

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

Sir:

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

1. State full name--

English name: *David Hugh Rowell*

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

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

3. Town and post office: *Walker*

4. County: *Southern District*

5. State: *Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth: *May 23<sup>rd</sup> 1861*

7. 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 Jacob Rowell*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Nora Rowell (nee Gales)*  
*Age 27 years*

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

Father- English name: *William Jacob Rowell*

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

Mother- English name: *Marta Rowell*

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

Maiden name: *Marta Gales*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Indian Territory*

Mother: *Walker County*

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

Father: *Walker County*

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

13. Date of death of your father and mother

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

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

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
	Green Samuel Rowell	1870	1891
(1)	William Franklin	1872	1873
	Mary Matilda	1874	1882
(2)	Martha Celestine	1876	1905
	Emma Ardrey	1878	
(3)	Francis Ophelia	1881	
	Jann Wilbourn	1881	
(4)	John Allen	1887	
(5)	Marion Barnett	884	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
David Hugh Rowell	Josharoy Kerral
Mary O Fountain (English)	Matilda
Falley (Indian)	

17. Where were they born? Mary O Fountain - Wilcox County, Alabama

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

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

(1) English name: Queen Rowell - died 1848

Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name: William Jacob Rowell

Indian name:

Residence: Walker, Ind. Ter.

(3) English name: James M. Rowell

Indian name:

Residence: Flo - Texa

(4) English name: John Barnett

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

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

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

REMARKS.

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

I have three minor children living and one dead named Martha Emma Rowell died July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1906. Robert Newton Rowell age 3 yrs. Nellie May Rowell age 2 years and Jessie Viola Rowell.

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

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

David Hugh Rowell  
(Signature.)

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

My commission expires

1906

Marion Henderson

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Joe L. Davis and

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with David Hugh Rowell who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and

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.

Joe L. Davis

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

My commission expires

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Notary Public.

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No. *73101*

Action: *Reject*

Name *Oliver J. Rowell* and *1* children. Residence: *Mulher, Okla*

Reasons:

*Father of # 7085 Pl claims three*

*7512*

No. 7

Name

With No. 7085

Remarks:

No. 12

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

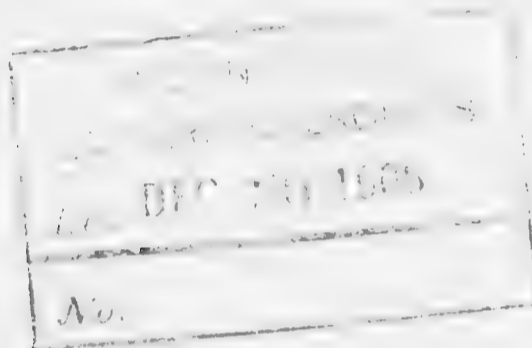
APPLICATION

OF

*Wm J. Rowell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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: *James M. ...*

Indian name: *...*

2. Residence: *...*

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

4. County: *... Southern District*

5. State: *...*

6. Date and place of birth: *... on 31st ...*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *... (C. ...)*  
*... (C. ...)*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *... 58 Years of age (wid 8th 1876)*

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

Father—English name: *Lucius ...*  
Indian name: *...*

Mother—English name: *... (nee ...)*  
Indian name: *...*

Maiden name: *... (C. ...)*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *... Co. ...*

Mother: *... Co. ...*

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

Father: *...*

Mother: *...*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: *...*

Mother: *...*

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>John</i>		
(2)	<i>James</i>		
(3)			
(4)	<i>William</i>	<i>March 1856</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>Elizabeth (Married) Dixon</i>	<i>South</i>

17. Where were they born? *Ohio*

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

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

(1) English name:	<i>John</i>
Indian name:	<i>John</i>
Residence:	
(2) English name:	<i>James</i>
Indian name:	<i>James</i>
Residence:	
(3) English name:	<i>William</i>
Indian name:	<i>William</i>
Residence:	
(4) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	

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

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 three minor children named - John T Merion B. Rowell age 17 - James A. Rowell age 14 -*

**REMARKS.**

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

*[Handwritten remarks area, mostly illegible]*

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

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

My commission expires

*May 1st*, 19*10* *William J. Rowell*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *Jac J. Davis* and *[illegible]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William Jacob Rowell*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *9* years and *[illegible]* 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.

*Jac J. Davis*

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

My commission expires

*May 1st*, 19*10* *[illegible]*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 26 1909  
No. 7312

*credit*

FEB 26 1909

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The claimant has  
been a long time  
without any  
of my claim but still  
that you please let me  
know what it was about  
or report it respectfully  
William G. Cook, Boston



No. 7312

Oct. 10th, 1908.

William Jacob Powell,  
Wilkes, Wis.

Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of October 6th enclosing affidavits. These will be filed with your case and if any further testimony is necessary you will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
OCT 10 1908  
No. 7312

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Affidavit of Witnesses  
In the matter of petition and  
memorial of J. M. Rowell and  
W. J. Rowell for admission to  
Citizenship in the Cherokee Nation

State of Texas }  
County of Leon }

Before me the  
undersigned a Notary Public in  
and for the County and state  
afore said personally appeared  
G. J. Deen who after being by me <sup>sworn</sup>  
sworn states that he is 55 years  
of age and a resident of the State  
of ~~the~~ and County of Leon  
and that he was personally acquainted  
with Mary A. Rowell who was  
formerly Mary A. Fountain whose  
children are applicants for  
citizenship in the Cherokee Nation  
affiant ~~from their~~ States from the  
year 1849 to the year <sup>1855</sup> I resided  
in Jasper County, Miss and while  
there I was personally acquainted  
with the said Mary A. Rowell  
once ~~at~~ Fountain and I know  
of my own knowledge

That she was recognized as a part  
Cherokee Indian affiant further states  
That he has known the said  
Mary A Fountain for the past ten  
years and knows that she has  
been and is recognized by her  
neighbors and acquaintances and the  
people generally as having  
Cherokee Indian blood and that  
the complexion and physical appearance  
of the said Mary A. Powell once  
Mary A Fountain indicates that she  
is of Indian blood and descent  
affiant states that from the  
above facts and circumstances and  
from what he has heard and  
knows of the family of the said  
Mary A. Powell once Mary A  
Fountain he believes the said  
Mary A. ~~Powell~~ once Mary A  
Fountain to be a descendant by  
blood of the Cherokee Indian tribe  
affiant further states that he has  
no interest whatever in the  
prosecution of the claim for  
citizenship of the said Mary A  
Powell once Mary A Fountain  
affiant further states that  
J. M. Powell and W. J. Powell  
are the sons of the said Mary A

Rowell once Mary A Fountain

witness J. L. Shiry  
witness Robert White } G. J. Deen

subscribed and sworn to before me  
This the 18 day of July 1895

J. R. Lookingbill  
J. R.  
and Ex-officio notary public  
Leon County Texas

The State of Texas  
County of Leon. I, J. R. N. Stevens, Clerk of the County  
Court of Leon County, Texas, do hereby Certify  
that the foregoing instrument is a true and  
correct copy of the original Affidavit of  
G. J. Deen, made before J. R. Lookingbill whose  
Name is subscribed to the Affidavit was at the  
date of same, and is now a Justice of the Peace  
and Ex-officio Notary Public in and for Leon  
County, Texas, duly qualified and authorized  
by law to administer Oaths and take Acknowl-  
edgments of Instruments, and full faith and credit  
are due to his Official Acts as such.

Said Original Affidavit now in hands of J. M. Deen  
M. J. Rowell -

Given under my hand and seal of

Office at Office in the town of Greenville Tex.  
this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August A.D. 1893.

C. M. Stevens  
Pa. Pl. Law Co. Tex.



COUNT OF CLAIMS  
PAID TO CALIFORNIA  
BY THE STATE  
No. 7872

7085

witness  
witness

Martha A Kidd

in & an. of  
Wm Kidd

the state of Texas  
County Leon before me A. B. Joney  
a Notary Public in and for  
Leon County Texas on this day  
personally appeared Martha A Kidd  
known to me to be the person  
whose name is subscribed to the  
fore going instrument of writing  
and being see me duly sworn  
deposed and says the foregoing  
statements concerning the nationality of  
Martha A Rowell is true and correct to the  
best of his ~~knowledge~~ knowledge and  
belief witness my hand this 22 day  
of July 1895

A. B. Joney  
a Notary Public  
for Leon County,  
Texas

The State of Texas  
County of Leon. J. R. N. Stevens, Clerk of the  
County Court of Leon County, Texas. do hereby  
certify that the foregoing instrument is a  
true and correct copy of the Original  
Affidavit of Martha A. Slid, made before  
F. B. Looney, whose name is subscribed  
to the affidavit was at the date of same,  
and is now, a Notary Public in and for  
Leon County, Texas. duly qualified and  
authorized by law to administer oaths  
and take acknowledgments of instruments,  
and full faith and credit are due to his  
official acts as such. Said original affidavit  
now in hands of J. M. Rowell and W. J. Rowell  
Given under my hand and seal of office  
at office in the town of Centreville, Texas.  
this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August A. D. 1893  
J. R. N. Stevens  
Co. C. W. Deaw Co. Texas.





Affidavit of witnesses  
 in the matter of petition and  
 memorial of J. M. and W. J. Powell  
 and for admission to  
 citizenship in the Cherokee Nation

State of Texas  
 County of Leon

Before me the  
 undersigned a Notary Public in  
 and for the County and State  
 afore said personally appeared before  
 me Martha A. <sup>Kidd</sup> who being by me  
 duly sworn states that she is 60  
 years of age and a resident  
 of the State of Texas and

County of Leon and that she is  
 personally acquainted

with Henry A. Powell who is  
 formally Henry A. Thompson and  
 children are applicants for  
 citizenship in the Cherokee Nation  
 affiant further states from the  
 year 1845 to the year 1868

I resided in Jasper County Mississippi  
 and while there I was personally  
 acquainted with the said

Mary A. Powell once Mary A  
Hornum and I know of my own  
knowledge that she was  
recognized as a part  
Cherokee Indian affiant further states  
that the complexion and physical  
appearance of the said Mary A. Powell  
once Mary A. Hornum indicates that  
she was of Indian blood and  
herent affiant states that from  
the above facts and circumstances  
and from what she has seen  
and know of the family of  
said Mary A. Powell once  
Mary A. Hornum she believes  
the said Mary A. Powell once  
Mary A. Hornum to be  
connected by blood of the  
Cherokee Indian tribe that  
affiant further states that she  
has no objection whatever in the  
prosecution of the said Mary A.  
Powell once Mary A. Hornum she  
affiant further states that  
J. M. Powell and W. J. Powell  
are the sons of the said  
Mary A. Powell once Mary A.  
Hornum

Walter H. ...  
October 10, 1911  
Dear Sir,  
In answer to your  
letter of the 9th inst. regarding  
my case with the ...  
of the ...  
to my ...  
I have ...  
and ...  
lost ...  
to ...  
we ...  
Yours ...

Very truly,  
Walter H. ...

No. 733

Action: *Excluded*

Name: *Isa Rogers* and *2* children. Residence: *Berlin, Md.*

Reasons: *patrol # 728 and claims this  
same source.*

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No. 30

Name 1000

With No. 3/1

Remarks:

No. 111

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

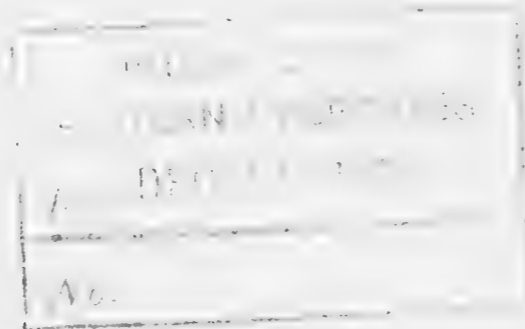
APPLICATION

OF

*H. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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,  
WAS. F. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7313

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

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name: Robert H. ...

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

2. Residence: Wagon

3. Town and post office: Keokuk

4. County: Wagon

5. State: Iowa

6. Date and place of birth: May 10, 1852

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: as son of ...

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: ... 26

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: *MA*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>John</i>	<i>1810</i>	<i>1880</i>
(2)	<i>William</i>	<i>1815</i>	<i>1885</i>
(3)	<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>1820</i>	<i>1890</i>
(4)	<i>Michael</i>	<i>1825</i>	<i>1895</i>
(5)	<i>William</i>	<i>1830</i>	<i>1900</i>
(6)	<i>John</i>	<i>1835</i>	<i>1905</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.
English name:	<i>John</i>	<i>William</i>
Indian name:	<i>John</i>	<i>William</i>

17. Where were they born?

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

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

(1) English name:	<i>John</i>	<i>1810</i>	<i>1880</i>
Indian name:	<i>John</i>		
(2) English name:	<i>William</i>	<i>1815</i>	<i>1885</i>
Indian name:	<i>William</i>		
(3) English name:	<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>1820</i>	<i>1890</i>
Indian name:	<i>Elizabeth</i>		
(4) English name:	<i>Michael</i>	<i>1825</i>	<i>1895</i>
Indian name:	<i>Michael</i>		
(5) English name:	<i>William</i>	<i>1830</i>	<i>1900</i>
Indian name:	<i>William</i>		
(6) English name:	<i>John</i>	<i>1835</i>	<i>1905</i>
Indian name:	<i>John</i>		

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:

*Emerson ...*  
*John ...*  
*Ann ...*

REMARKS.

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

*The ...*  
*... in Kentucky in 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.)

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

My commission expires

*Sept 1st*, 190*7*

Notary Public.

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 ...* and *John ...* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John ...* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *John ...* for *10* years and *10* years, respectively, and know *John ...* to be the identical person *John ...* represents *John ...* to be, and that the statements made by *John ...* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *John ...* claim.

Witnesses to oath.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John ...*  
*John ...*

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

My commission expires

*Sept 1st*, 190*7*

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. 1213

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

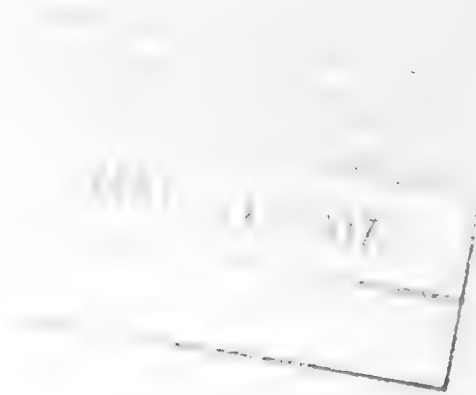
*Rosa Rogers*

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FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 4313

1. State your full name: Rosa Rogers
2. Residence and post office: Roger Mills Co. Okla; P.O. Berlin Okla.
3. County: Roger Mills Co
4. State: Oklahoma
5. Date and place of birth: May 3, 1877, at Naco, Texas
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: James M. Rogers, age 47.
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>Joe Millie Rogers</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>April 1898</u>
(2)	<u>Bessie Rogers</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Feb. 19 - 1900.</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never enrolled for any purpose

### REMARKS

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

My grandmother and great grandmother were enrolled as Eastern Cherokees in 1835. Their names Mackey and great grandmother's name was a girl of 16 then name Delle Anderson (Bundexter).

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

(Signature) Rosa Rogers

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

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me H. W. Russell and J. D. May who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Rosa Rogers who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 7 years and 7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, 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.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

27th day of May, 1907.

Edward J. ...  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb, 1908.

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

No. 1813

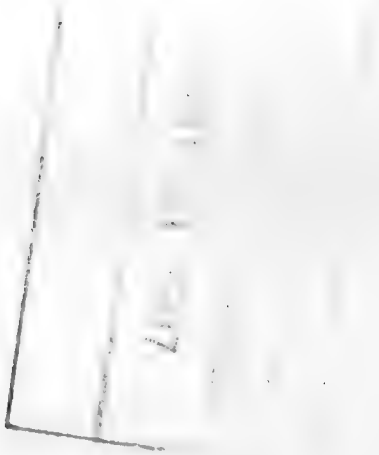
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Rosa Rogers  
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.



UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO  
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App. #7313.

June 24, 1907.

Rosa Rogers,  
Berlin,  
Oklahoma.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of June 17, 1907, you are advised that there is no land to be distributed in connection with the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

The filing on lands in the Cherokee Nation, which you mention in your letter, has nothing whatever to do with this enrollment.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

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Department of the Interior,  
Dec 18 1906  
Jesse E. Wilson  
Assistant Secretary  
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CITY PROPERTY A SPECIALTY

Your business solicited  
List your property with us

Berlin

~~Sage~~, Oklahoma, Dec 11, 1906,

Secretary of Interior, Washington D. C.  
Dear Sir, I noticed in the paper that the  
Eastern Cherokee were going to have a payme-  
nt soon, now as I am and would like to  
know just when the payment is going to  
be, I have sent all my papers in properly  
drawn up & signed & in due time,  
now please answer at once as I live about 50  
give or take miles from the Cherokee capital  
& would like to know in time to be present  
at the payment, yours & C. H. Hige  
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Re. MAY 6 1907  
No. 7313A

Ford Supplettes  
vs. parties 5/18/07

I like to know just  
what you think of the  
idea of a new  
building that we  
have in mind  
that we can't  
we can't get

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App. #7313.

July 29, 1907.

Mrs. Rosa Rogers,  
Berlin,  
Oklahoma.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of July 16, 1907, you are advised that your husband would not be entitled to participate in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees unless he is an Eastern Cherokee by blood, and can prove that he is descended from Eastern Cherokee Indians, parties to the Treaty of 1835-6 and 1846, as will more fully appear from the circular letter inclosed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

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No. 7314

Action: *Reject*

Name *Dora W. Ressler* and *X* children. Residence: *Dallas, Texas.*

Reasons:

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

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No. 1314

Name J. P. ...

With No. ...

Remarks:

No. 111

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Now*  
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1895, and May 28, 1906.

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

7314

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name— *And her minor son Powell C. Baker*  
English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: *She ...*
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, *What* 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:

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.

17. Where were they born?

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

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

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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.) *Dora L. Ressler.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 190*6*.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 190*7*.  
*J. J. Strupper* Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *A. J. Sadler* and *R. Lee Smith*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Dora L. Ressler*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *14* 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 oath.

Signatures of witnesses.

*A. J. Sadler*  
*R. Lee Smith*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 190*6*.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 190*7*.  
*J. J. Strupper* Notary Public.

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

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING, *L. H.*  
WASHINGTON, D. C. *Oct. 1, 1908.*

Application No. 7314


Dora L. Ressler,  
Station A. Dallas, Tex.


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 J. Howard Tyler - one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Dallas Tex. on Wed. 9th., 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~~ Clerk of Federal Court at 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.



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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the 11th., day  
of October 1909.  
My Commission Expires  
May 18th., 1913

*H. H. Overman*  
Notary Public in and for Choctaw  
County Oklahoma.



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Witness:

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Dora L. Ressler,  
Station A/  
Dallas, Tex.

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No. 7315.

Action: Reject.

Name: Eva Ramsey and -- children. Residence: Romney / Texas.

Reasons: Grandniece to #6904. Claims thru same source.

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Name .....

With No. 7

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John Ramsey*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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 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: Samuel Ramsey

Indian name: Unkison

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

3. Town and post office: Randolph

4. County: Westland

5. State: Texas

6. Date and place of birth: 1887 Deer

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Side one relative living  
1851 - my grand father,  
Unkison

8. Are you married? Not

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Delia Ramsey  
2 years 19

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

Father—English name: Wm. C. Ramsey

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

Mother—English name: Maria

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

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

11. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

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

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

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

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1861

Mother: 1864

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)	<i>William</i>	<i>1881</i>	
(2)	<i>Lella</i>	<i>1887</i>	
(3)	<i>John</i>	<i>1891</i>	
(4)	<i>John Williams</i>	<i>1892</i>	
(5)	<i>Rudie</i>	<i>1896</i>	
(6)	<i>Elthara</i>	<i>1898</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 Williams</i>	<i>John</i>
	<i>John Williams</i>	<i>John</i>

17. Where were they born? *South Carolina*

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

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

- (1) English name: *Lella Williams* *Gemina*  
 Indian name: *Williams*  
 Residence: *Williams*
- (2) English name: *John Williams*  
 Indian name: *Williams*  
 Residence: *Williams*
- (3) English name: *John Williams*  
 Indian name: *Williams*  
 Residence: *Williams*
- (4) English name: *John Williams* 1837  
 Indian name: *Williams*  
 Residence: *Williams*
- (5) English name: *John Williams*  
 Indian name: *Williams*  
 Residence: *Williams*

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



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

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My name is Alfred D. ...*  
*My paternal ancestors ...*  
*My maternal ancestors ...*

**REMARKS.**

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

*My name is Alfred D. ...*  
*My paternal ancestors ...*  
*My maternal ancestors ...*

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

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

(Signature.) *Alfred Ramsey*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21st* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan 1st*, 190*7*  
*J. D. McCallister*  
*Notary Public*

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *Alfred Ramsey* and *John Smith*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Alfred Ramsey*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *7* 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.

Signature of witnesses.

*Alfred Ramsey*  
*John Smith*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21st* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan 1st*, 190*7*  
*J. D. McCallister*  
*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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Action:

Name and children. Residence:  
Reasons:

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No. ....

Name .....

With No. 903 .....

Remarks:

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Myrtle W. Rush*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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:

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:

Myrtle W (Foley) Rush

1021 Green St

St Joseph

Buchanan

Missouri

Feb 3-1882 St Joseph Mo

Being of Cherokee Indian Blood  
James Blackburn Gr. Gr. father  
Elizabeth Boatwright " Mother

Yes

Roy Rush

Born March 28<sup>th</sup> 1882

James R Foley

Mary Francis Foley

Mary Francis Osborne

Missouri Buchanan county  
Missouri Lath County

Missouri

Missouri

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>Margitta Foley (Johnson)</i>	<i>12-19-1865</i>	
(2)	<i>Laura E Foley</i>	<i>12-23-1868</i>	<i>9-26-1869</i>
(3)	<i>Seneca B Foley (Smith)</i>	<i>—30-1870</i>	
(4)	<i>James J Foley</i>	<i>2-7-1872</i>	
(5)	<i>Bennie H Foley</i>	<i>10-29-1874</i>	<i>6-7-1878</i>
(6)	<i>Amanda V Foley</i>	<i>12-28-1876</i>	<i>8-16-1877</i>
(7)	<i>John H Foley</i>	<i>6-26-1878</i>	<i>6-20-1879</i>
(8)	<i>William H Foley</i>	<i>6-26-1878</i>	<i>6-20-1879</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 Foley</i>	
<i>Rhoda W Foley</i>	<i>(No right maiden name)</i>

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 death:

- (1) English name: *James Boatwright (decd)*
- Indian name: *Allen* "
- Residence: *Benjamin* "
- (2) English name: *Rhoda A* "
- Indian name: *Eliza* "
- Residence: *Patsy* "
- (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:

*Lily Carter on 1835 Rolls, 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 Law Commission in 1896 and referred 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.) *Myrtle W. Rush (nee 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

*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 Skellern* and *Jennie L. Perkins*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Myrtle W. Rush (nee Foley)* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *3* years and *3* 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.

*Mrs. Elsie Skellern*

*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

*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.

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No.

Action:

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

7317



No. 717

Name J. J. ...

With No. 717

Remarks:

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Mrs Fieatic F Rhodes*  
*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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ESTATE OF EASTERN CHEROKEES No. DEC 20 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 Fieitie F. Proctor

Indian name:

2. Residence: Clay County Missouri

3. Town and post office: Excursion Springs

4. County: Clay

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: 28<sup>th</sup> November 1875

7. 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  
Merrell Indians, Beniah Williams, Great  
Grandfather of North Carolina

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: James Proctor 34

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

Father English name: John A. Williams

Indian name:

Mother English name: Mary F. Williams

Indian name:

Maiden name: Mary F. Nichols

11. Where were they born?

Father: Warren County Tennessee

Mother: Clay County Missouri

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

Father: Warren County Tennessee

Mother: Clay County Missouri

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: 1879

Mother: 1883

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Mary E. Carr</i>	<i>age 42</i>	<i>living</i>
(2)	<i>William Williams</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>John H. Williams</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Effie Williams</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Martin Williams</i>	<i>John Williams</i>
<i>Frankie Williams</i>	<i>Mary O. Nichols</i>

17. Where were they born? *Father's Side, Tennessee*  
*Mother's side for father Kentucky, for mother Missouri*

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

*Father's side, Ray County, Missouri; for mother Clay County, Missouri*

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

(1) English name: *Carroll*

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:

*Beriah Williams, Great Grandfather, who was known to be a Cherokee Indian by blood, by George Webber and John Daniel 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 came before the Deeds Commission and referred to U.S. Court. Ministers 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.) *Mrs. Fannie K. Williams.*

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

My commission expires

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

*George S. 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 *William L. Brant* and *Wm. Wholf*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Fannie K. Williams*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* 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.

*Wm. Wholf*  
*Wm. Wholf*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*8<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

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

*George S. 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. 7318.

Action: Reject.

Name: Sarah A. Riddle and 1 children. Residence: Comanche, Okla.

Reasons: 2nd ~~or 3rd~~ cousins, once removed: claim through same source, as 7051.

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No. 7318.

Name Franklin A. Riddle

With No. 7000

Remarks:

7" or 8" 1/2

No. ....

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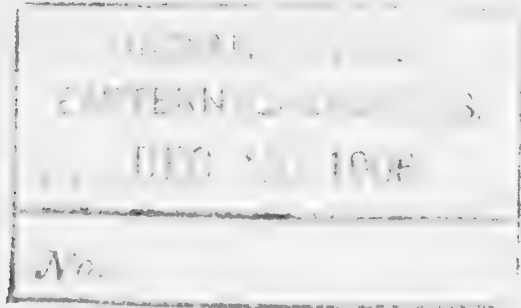
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah A. Riddle*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

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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 W. ...

Indian name: ... ..

2. Residence: ... ..

3. Town and post office: ... ..

4. County: ... ..

5. State: Indian Territory

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? 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: ... ..

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: ... ..

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William J. ...</u>	<u>1874</u>	
(2)	<u>William J. ...</u>	<u>1874</u>	
(3)	<u>William J. ...</u>	<u>1874</u>	
(4)	<u>George ...</u>	<u>1874</u>	
(5)	<u>William J. ...</u>		
(6)			

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	<u>Unknown</u>	<u>...</u>
	<u>...</u>	<u>...</u>

17. Where were they born? ...

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

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

- (1) English name: William J. ...  
 Indian name: ...  
 Residence: ...
- (2) English name: ...  
 Indian name: ...  
 Residence: ...
- (3) English name: ...  
 Indian name: ...  
 Residence: ...
- (4) English name: ...  
 Indian name: ...  
 Residence: ...
- (5) English name: ...  
 Indian name: ...  
 Residence: ...

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

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

*[Handwritten notes and names in cursive script, including "The name of the claimant's 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.) *Sarah A. Biddle*

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

My commission expires *Jan 6*, 190*7*. *J. D. Weidman*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *Henry L. Deaton* and *Sam Harris*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Sarah A. Biddle*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *19* 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 *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Henry L. Deaton*  
*4<sup>th</sup> Floor*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *Dec 1*, 190*7*. *J. D. Weidman*  
Notary Public  
*Southern District Indian Territory*

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. 7318

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah A. Riddles*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 7318

1. State your full name: Sarah W. Riddles
2. Residence and post office: Command
3. County: Southern District
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: August 26 - 1885, Jack County, Texas
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Wade Riddles, 29 years old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? No
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

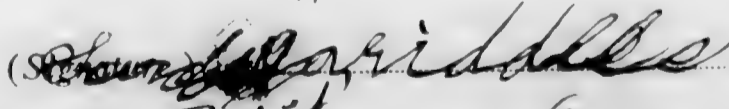

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Medie Adaline Riddles</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>Jan. 18 - 1905</u>
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

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

My Commission expires Nov. 17, 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 Henry L. Deaton and William A. Yates who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah A. Riddles who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 19 years and 19 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.

Henry L. Deaton  
William A. Yates

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

W. H. Adams  
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.

No. 7318

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Sarah A. Riddles

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 9 1909  
No. 7215

JAN 11 1909





COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 16 1909  
No. 7318

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MAR 16 1909

Feb 12 1909  
I have thought that  
I should write you  
regarding the  
change in my  
address  
No. 7318  
Sarah A. Riddler  
Winnipeg, Man.

No. 7319

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Henryetta Scott* and  children. Residence: *Benbrook, Tex.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #7190. Claim 2, thru  
same name.*

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No. ....

Name .....

With No. 11/21

Remarks:

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

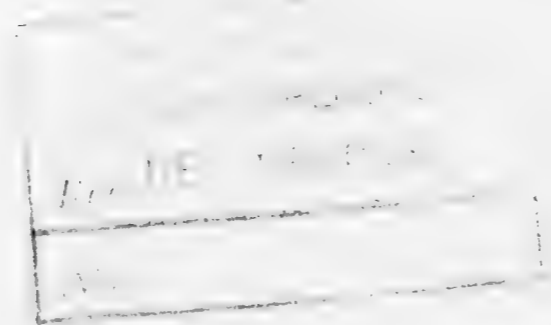
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Herbert Scott*

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



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: *Henryetta Scott*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Benbrook*

3. Town and post office:

*Benbrook*

4. County:

*Tarrant*

5. State:

*Texas*

6. Date and place of birth:

*near Honey Grove, Tarrant 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: *James C. Hard and Mary Hard, my father and Grandfather*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband:

*J. W. Scott*

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

Father—English name:

*James C. Hard*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Mary Ann Hard*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Mary Ann Ish*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Near Honey Grove, Tarrant County, Texas*

Mother:

*Jackson County, Missouri*

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

Father:

*Tarrant County, Texas*

Mother:

*She was not born there*

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)	<i>M. L. Ward</i>	<i>Oct 3/1871</i>	
(2)	<i>Lenora Ward</i>	<i>September 29/1873</i>	<i>May 12/1881</i>
(2)	<i>Lewis E. Ward</i>	<i>April 11/1875</i>	<i>Jan 25/1877</i>
(3)	<i>Harry Belle Clark (Ward)</i>	<i>December 23/1876</i>	
(3)	<i>James Gill Ward</i>	<i>November 11/1878</i>	
(4)	<i>John A. Ward</i>	<i>July 14/1881</i>	
(4)	<i>John A. Ward</i>	<i>February 24/1886</i>	
(4)	<i>John A. Ward</i>	<i>February 24/1886</i>	
(5)	<i>Ida May Ward</i>	<i>October 4/1889</i>	
(5)	<i>Ida May Ward</i>	<i>October 4/1889</i>	
(6)	<i>Louise Ward</i>	<i>February 12/1891</i>	
(6)	<i>Louise Ward</i>	<i>March 28/1891</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 H. Ward</i>	<i>John H. Ish</i>
<i>Nancy H. Ward</i>	<i>Mary Ann Ish</i>

17. Where were they born? *Grand parents on father's side born in North Carolina, mother's side, Missouri*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In Texas and Missouri, as a family.*

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

- (1) English name: *Poussin (Ward)* died *January 13/1869*  
 Indian name: *Henry Ella Gale (Ward)* Proctor Ind. Ter.  
 Residence: *William Ward, address 'Benbrook', Texas*
- (2) English name: *Elisha Ward* died *April 1902*  
 Indian name: *Harry Ward* died *September 21/1878*  
 Residence: *Ward, died May 15/1863*
- (3) English name: *William Ward*, died *April 22/1863*  
 Indian name: *William Ward*, address *Honey Grove, Texas*  
 Residence: *William Ward, Honey Grove, Texas*
- (4) English name: *John Ward* *Elida, New Mexico*  
 Indian name: *John Ward* *Honey Grove, Texas*  
 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.)

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

My commission expires

March 31st 1907

R. E. Russell, 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 J. M. Carter and I. T. Lyster

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Henryetta Scott, 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.

J. M. Carter  
I. T. Lyster

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

My commission expires

June 30th 1907

E. Armstrong  
Notary Public in and for Fannin County, Ga.

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



No. 7320

Action: *Reject*

Name *Rosa Smith* and — children. Residence: *Drake, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of # 7077, and claims through the same ancestors.*

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No. 72

Name

With No. 7577

Remarks:

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mrs. Kate* .....

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

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*No.*

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. Rosa Smith*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: *Drake*
4. County: *Southern District*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *August 14, 1857, Stearns, Ind. Ter.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *A full blood Cherokee woman by the name of Annisatie*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Louis H. Smith - 42*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Luther J. Barnes*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Alice M. Barnes*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Alice M. [unclear]*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Alabama*  
Mother: *Arkansas*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Alabama*  
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>Bartha E Burns</i>	<i>Jan 27 1890</i>	<i>living</i>
(2)	<i>Josephine Burns</i>	<i>Oct 13 1897</i>	<i>living</i>
(3)	<i>William Burns</i>	<i>May 26 1893</i>	<i>living</i>
(4)	<i>Luella Burns</i>	<i>Oct 12 1895</i>	<i>living</i>
(5)	<i>Ruth Burns</i>	<i>Sept 6 1907</i>	<i>living</i>
(6)	<i>Robert L Burns</i>	<i>Jan 3 1904</i>	<i>living</i>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Willis Burns</i>	<i>Robert S French</i>
<i>Elizabeth Burns</i>	<i>Sarah French</i>

17. Where were they born? *on father's side North Carolina and some on the mother's side about same*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Father's parents Tuscaloosa, Alabama*

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

(1) English name: *Buckner Burns Scipio Ind Tn*

Indian name:

Residence: *Scipio Indian Tn*

(2) English name: *Luther J Burns*

Indian name:

Residence: *Tuscaloosa Indian Tn*

(3) English name: *Mrs Mattie Patton*

Indian name:

Residence: *Stewart Indian Tn*

(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 was the Daughter of Robert French and Sarah E. French Sarah E. French was the Daughter of Elizabeth Stephenson Elizabeth Stephenson was the Daughter of John Young and Millie Young Millie Young was the Daughter of John Thompson and John Thompson was the Son of Arisvokite a full blood Cherokee Woman*

REMARKS.

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

*John Thompson was allowed Per-emption No. 113 Tennessee River ferry South Side of Tennessee River in the State of Tennessee near Gummers Landing*

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

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

My commission expires *March 3*, 1907

*E. C. Smith* Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. W. Moore* and *A. J. Moore*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Ms. Rosa Smith*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *5* years and *6* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her self* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. W. Moore*  
*A. J. Moore*

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

My commission expires *March 3*, 1906

*E. C. 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. 7321.

Action: Reject.

Name: Evelina Smith and -- children. Residence: 213 So. Harvey St.,  
Oklahoma City,  
Okla.

Reasons:

Sister to #7253. Claims thru same source.

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No. 12

Name John Smith

With No. 1234

Remarks:



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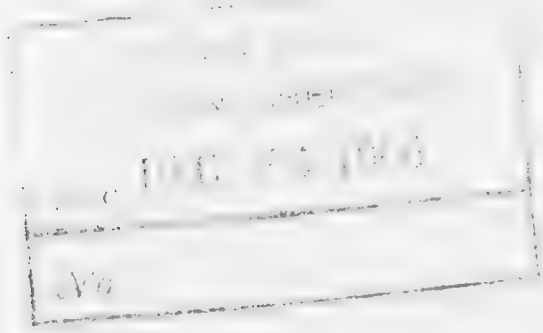
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

of

*William Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 17, 1906, and May 28, 1906.



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

7321

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name:  
English name: *Walena Smith*  
Indian name: *unknown*
2. Residence: *213 So Harvey*
3. Town and post office: *Oklahoma City*
4. County: *Oklahoma County*
5. State: *Oklahoma Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *December 11<sup>th</sup> 1884, Howard, Elk 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 great, great grand father, named Buck Sellers, through mother, named Mary Jane Matthews*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Will Smith, age 24, years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:  
Father - English name: *Kircher Matthews*  
Indian name: *...*  
Mother - English name: *Mary Jane Matthews*  
Indian name: *unknown*  
Maiden name: *Mary Jane Mc Bee*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *In Missouri July 31<sup>st</sup> 1832,*  
Mother: *in Georgia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Missouri*  
Mother: *Georgia*
13. Date of death of your father and mother:  
Father: *...* Mother: *...*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes, at Wagon, Indian Territory 1846*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	John Matthews	July 26 - 1871	August 12 - 1871
(2)	Carrie Matthews	Aug. 17 - 1872	Living
(3)	Carrie Matthews	Feb. 16 - 1874	Living
(4)	Stella Rebecca Matthews	Feb. 5 - 1877	Oct. 29 - 1884
(5)	Leah Matthews	March 5 - 1879	Living
(6)	Bernie Matthews	Aug. 2 - 1881	April 13 - 1887
(7)	Lita John Matthews		
(8)	Editha Matthews	Feb. 20 - 1889	July 3 - 1889

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

	FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
1	Unknown	John Lee Bee
2	Unknown	Unknown

17. Where were they born: *Lazarus Powell Matthews, born in*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time: *John Lee Bee & wife Hannah Bee resided in Georgia. Lazarus Powell Matthews, residence unknown. Editha Matthews " "*

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

- (1) English name: *Unknown*  
Indian name: *Unknown*  
Residence: *Unknown*
- (2) English name: *Leah Bee, died date unknown*  
English name *Leah Lee Bee, date of birth unknown*  
Residence: *date of death unknown*
- (3) English name: *Stella Bee, date of birth unknown*  
Indian name: *date of death unknown*  
Residence: *Unknown*
- (4) English name: *Rebecca Balaed date of birth unknown and date of death unknown*  
Indian name: *Unknown*  
Residence: *Victoria Dougherty born 1846*
- (5) English name: *Editha Matthews born 1848, lives at Shawnee Oklahoma*  
Indian name: *Unknown*  
Residence: *Editha Matthews born 1843 lives at Piquette, Oklahoma*

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

Great great grandfather, Buck Sellers; Great Great Grandmother, Judy Sellers; Great Grandfather, John Hanks; Great Grandmother, Kate Hanks; Great Grandfather, John Mc Bee; Father, Hinchin Matthews; Mother, Mary Jane Matthews.

REMARKS.

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

We have had the advantage of the Indian schools, at Lawrence Kansas and Chillicothe, Oklahoma Territory.

Note.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) *Evelina Smith*

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

My commission expires *December 11<sup>th</sup>*, 1906

*William F. Litch*  
Notary Public.

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. L. Bradford* and *H. L. Bradford* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Evelina Smith*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *8* 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 (name)

Signatures of witnesses.

*H. L. Bradford*  
*H. L. Bradford*

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

My commission expires

*December 11<sup>th</sup>*, 1906

*William F. Litch*  
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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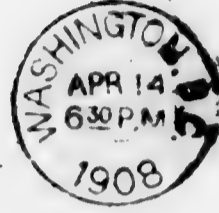
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No. 7322

Action: *Reject*

Name *Matilda Shinn* and — children. Residence: *Centralia, Pa.*

Reasons:

*Half-sister of #7040, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

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No. ....

Name / .....

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

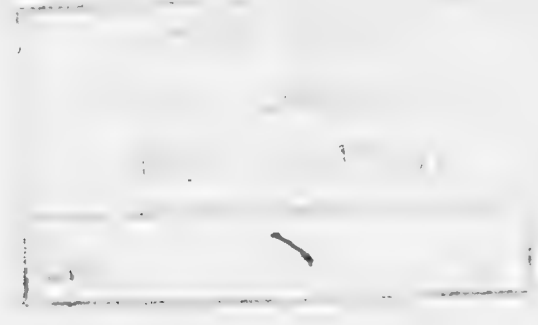
APPLICATION

OF

*W. H. S. S. S.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 23, 1906.

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7322

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Matilda Sturm*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Centralia*

3. Town and post office: *"*

4. County:

5. State: *Ind. Ter.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Nov 21, 1853*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*Was born in 1853 to Louis & Mary Ellen Sturm*

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *52*

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

Father—English name: *Louis Ellen*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Mary Ellen Sturm*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *L.*

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:

Born  
 Delilah Lawrence, Nov. 10, 1845  
 4 years prior

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>Polly Allen</u>	<u>Oct. 17, 1817</u>	
(2) <u>Louisa</u>	<u>Mar. 7, 1858</u>	
(3) <u>John</u>	<u>Mar. 5, 1860</u>	<u>Deft.</u>
(4) <u>Lucinda Kennedy</u>	<u>48 years</u>	
(5) <u>Louisa</u>	<u>44 " "</u>	
(6) <u>John</u>	<u>Nov. 15, 1855</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>Jos. Allen</u>	<u>Wm. Lacey</u>
<u>Mary</u>	<u>Mildred Lacey</u>

17. Where were they born? Pa

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

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

- (1) English name: William  
 Indian name: William  
 Residence: Millie Caton
- (2) English name: Delilah M. Mully  
 Indian name: Thos. Lacey  
 Residence: Lucinda Lacey
- (3) English name: Geo  
 Indian name: Geo  
 Residence: Geo
- (4) English name: Geo  
 Indian name: Geo  
 Residence: Geo
- (5) English name: Geo  
 Indian name: Geo  
 Residence: Geo

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:

*Dr. Prandy...*

REMARKS.

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

*Have had... court... I.S.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) *Matilda Shime*

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

My commission expires

*Apr 10*, 190*8*

*Walter Shime* Notary Public.

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 DeLoo*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Matilda Shime*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *...* years and *...* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Walter Beggs*  
*John DeLoo*

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

My commission expires

*Apr 10*, 190*8*

Notary Public.

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

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Indian Commissioner,  
Washington, D C

Dear Sir:

Mrs. Matilda Shinn made application for Eastern Cherokee money near one year ago with other relatives; the others have received their receipts and numbers of their respective claims, but Matilda Shinn has not received her receipt. Please advise her if same has been filed and address her at Quepaw.

Very truly yours,

*M. M. Edmiston*

17-1-1945

No. 7323.

Action: Reject.

Name Carrie M. Shinn and - children. Residence: Berlin, Md.

Reasons: Sister of 7283; claims thru same source.

7323

No. ....

Name .....

With No. ....

Remarks:

No. 7323

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Carrie M. Shinn

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 31 1907

**CHESTER HOWE**  
**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. 7373

1. State your full name: Carrie May Sinner
2. Residence and post office: Sedan
3. County: Wagon Wheel
4. State: Kansas
5. Date and place of birth: Howard Park, Mo., Nov. 16, 1877
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: S. Franklin Sinner
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>W. V. Ell Sinner</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4 Nov. 1905</u>
(2)	<u>David Sinner</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>6 Dec. 1900</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

### 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) Carrie May Sinner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1907.

My Commission expires

H. W. Hendricks  
Clerk of the District Court  
By R. E. Rathbun Deputy

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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 K. H. Richards and S. H. Edden who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Carrie M. Shuman who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 25 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of June, 1907.

My commission expires

K. H. Richards  
S. H. Edden  
H. W. Henderson  
Clerk of the District Court  
By D. S. Matthews 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.

No.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Carrie M. Shuman

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 AUG 31 1907

CHESTER HOWE

ATTORNEY,

WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.

WASHINGTON, D.C.



No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Chester 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.

6-021



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

7323

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

My grand father Buck Belle's  
and Mrs. Belle's

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: died August 13, 1876. Mother:

Living

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

where: *Yes. Wagoner Indian Territory in 1896*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>[illegible]</i>	<i>March 5 1871</i>	
(2)	<i>[illegible]</i>	<i>August 17 1872</i>	
(3)	<i>[illegible]</i>	<i>December 11 1874</i>	
(4)	<i>[illegible]</i>	<i>March 12 1876</i>	
(5)	<i>John Matthews</i>	<i>July 26 1871</i>	<i>August 1 1891</i>
(6)	<i>Hattie Matthews</i>	<i>February 5 1877</i>	<i>October 27 1887</i>
	<i>Bennie Matthews</i>	<i>August 2 1881</i>	<i>April 13 1897</i>
	<i>Clifford Matthews</i>	<i>February 17 1884</i>	<i>July 3 1897</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>Lazarus Powell Matthews</i>	
	<i>Mary Jane Matthews</i>	<i>Katie Starnes 1818</i>

17. Where were they born? *Lazarus Powell Matthews: Carolina.*

*Katie Starnes 1818: Georgia. Catherine Matthews*

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

*Grandfather Matthews & father Matthews 1851*

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

- (1) English name: *Caroline Moore Harrison*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (2) English name: *Carol McBe*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (3) English name: *Will McBe*  
 Indian name: *Telisha Harrison by name 1851*  
 Residence: *second Kansas*
- (4) English name: *Rebecca Moore Ballard*  
 Indian name: *Judith Shoemaker born 1848*  
 Residence: *Marion Co. Oklahoma*
- (5) English name: *Mary Jane Matthews born 1851*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: *New Kirk Co. Oklahoma*

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

where: *Yes. Wagoner Oklahoma 1896*

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 great Grand father was Wesley Sellers  
Great great Grand mother was Judy Sellers  
Great grand father was John McCall  
Great grand mother was Malie Sellers Hawes  
Grand father John McCall Grand mother Malie Hawes  
Hannah McCall Patience McKers Walter Mather  
Mary Jane Mather  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My brother and sisters had the advantage  
of attending the Indian schools at Haskell  
Kansas and Chillicothe Oklahoma

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

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

My commission expires  
Jan 24, 1907

W. Eastman  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Oliver W. Wheeler and  
Oliver W. Regan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Carrie May Shiner, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 8 years and 1 year,  
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 make.

Signatures of witnesses.

Oliver W. Wheeler  
Oliver W. Regan

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

My commission expires  
Jan 24, 1907  
Commission Expires Jan 24, 1907.

W. Eastman  
Notary Public.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

App. 7323 .

April 3, 1907.

Carrie M. Shinn,

Sedan,

Kansas.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of March 29, 1907, you are advised that this Office cannot say, at the present time, when the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees will be paid, or the amount each successful claimant will receive.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

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Wash. D. C.

Dear Sir, in regard to the  
claim of Mrs. Carrie Matthews  
Shinn of Eastern Cherokee  
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and her boys been passed on  
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is known as the Buck Sett-  
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of said claim will be highly  
appreciated by her self and

boys. my former address  
was, Ugra, Okla. but is  
at present, Sedan Kans.  
yours Respect

Currie M. Shinn

Sedan Kans.



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Thanking you for your help & support  
 Yours truly  
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No. 7324

Action: *Reject*

Name *Louis Shinn* and *2* children. Residence: *Barter Springs, Kans.*  
*R. F. D. #12.*

Reasons:

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

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No. 7324

Name \_\_\_\_\_

With No. 45

Remarks:

1/27 apl. of 7040  
No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Louis Shinn*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1903, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

NAME	
EASTERN CHEROKEES	
No.	
Age	

HESTER  
ATTORNEY  
WASHINGTON D.C.

7324

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Louis Shim*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Lincolnton, N. C.*

3. Town and post office: *Bayler Springs, Lincoln Co., N. C.*

4. County:

5. State: *N. C.*

6. Date and place of birth: *126 17, 1811*

7. 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 or husband: *Rosa Shim, 21*

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

Father—English name: *Chas. Shim*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Melitta Shim*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Melitta*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *N. 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: *NO*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Anna ...</i>	<i>18</i>	
(2)	<i>Beulah ...</i>	<i>15</i>	
(3)	<i>...</i>		
(4)	<i>Cora Slats</i>	<i>18</i>	
(5)	<i>Wilson ...</i>	<i>24</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

*Louis Allen*

*Mappai*

17. Where were they born?

*1859 ...*

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

*Ill.*

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

- (1) English name: *...*  
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:

*Mary Ann ...*  
*...*

REMARKS.

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

*Have claim in court. Masters Report shows land is owned by ...*

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

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

(Signature) *Louis ...*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *Nov*, 1906.  
My commission expires *Sept 2*, 190*7*.  
*W. H. ...*  
Notary Public.

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 Bezy* and *John Teelrow*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Louis ...*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *28* years and *28* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Walter Bezy*  
*John Teelrow*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *Nov*, 1906.  
My commission expires *Sept 2*, 190*7*.  
*W. H. ...*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavit 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.

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. 7324

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Louis Shinn

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.

STEWART  
ATTORNEY  
LEAH S  
WINSTON, D

## 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 13, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 7324

1. State your full name: Louis Shinn
2. Residence and post office: Baptis Springs,
3. County: Cherokee R R 2
4. State: Kansas,
5. Date and place of birth: Feb. 17, 1878 - Newton Co. Mo
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Rosa Shinn, 25 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>Cecel Shinn</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>9/11/1900</u>
(2)	<u>Fred Shinn</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3/24/1905</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.

*Witness*  
*W. M. Edmiston*  
*Bara State*

(Signature)

*Louis Shinn*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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day of

May

1907.

*J. W. Falbert*

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 30

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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 ..... 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. 7324

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Louis Shivers

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.

STENNIS ATTORNEY LOAN & TRUST CHINGON, D.

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Action:

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

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Name A. J. ...

With No. 117

Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

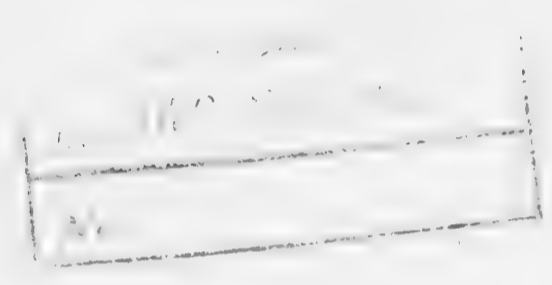
APPLICATION

OF

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

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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
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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: *Rhoda Anna Sevier (nee) Miller*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *11a ... street*

3. Town and post office: *Alexandria*

4. County: *Alexandria*

5. State: *Kentucky*

6. Date and place of birth: *Platte County, Mo. - Aug 26<sup>th</sup> 1875*

7. 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 or husband: *James Sevier*  
*age 34 yrs.*

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

Father - English name: *J. B. Miller*

Indian name:

Mother - English name: *Mary E. Miller*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Mary E. Taylor*

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: *Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1894*

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)	George T. Miller	July 22 1879	
(2)	Neville L. Hart, (son Miller)	Oct 18 71	April 14 1903
(3)	James W. Miller	Dec 7 1879	
(4)	Claude E. Miller	Feb 18 87	
(5)	Mary Louisa Miller (nee McCoy)	June 18 84	
(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 Miller	James Foley
Sam F. Miller	Rhoda Ann Foley

17. Where were they born? *all in England*

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

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

- (1) English name: *James Miller*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: *London, England*
- (2) English name: *Richard Miller*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: *London, England*
- (3) English name: *John Miller*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: *London, England*
- (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:

*Handwritten notes in cursive script, likely providing names of ancestors as requested in the instruction above.*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Handwritten remarks in cursive script, providing additional information for the claimant's case.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 *10th* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires

*[Handwritten date]*  
*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Notary Public

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

I personally appeared before me *[Handwritten Name]* and *[Handwritten Name]*; who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *[Handwritten Name]*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *[Handwritten Name]* for *[Handwritten]* years and *[Handwritten]* years, respectively, and know *[Handwritten Name]* to be the identical person *[Handwritten Name]* represents *[Handwritten Name]* to be, and that the statements made by *[Handwritten Name]* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *[Handwritten Name]* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

*[Handwritten Signature]*

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
*[Handwritten Signature]*

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

My commission expires

*[Handwritten date]*  
*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Notary Public

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June 27, 1907.

Carrie H. Sainn,  
Selen,  
Kansas.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of June 20, 1907, you are advised that your minor children do not appear to be included in your original application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund.

If you desire to have your children's applications considered you should fill out the inclosed supplemental application and return to this office.

Your stamped envelope is returned herewith.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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No. 7326

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Cordie Stone* and *3* children. Residence: *Dalton, Ga.*

Reasons:

*First cousins of #7118. Claimed  
them as their own.*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_ /

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

Remarks:

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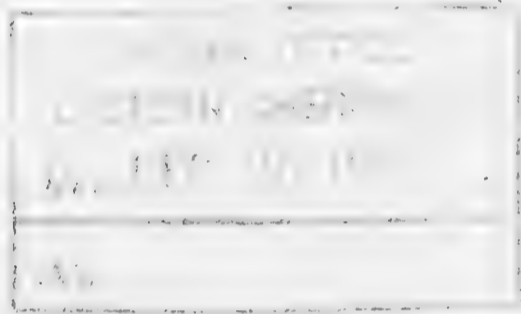
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

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



THE UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7326

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: Cordie Stone,

Indian name: Don't know

2. Residence: Whitfield County, Georgia.

3. Town and post office: Wh Dalton, Georgia.

4. County: Whitfield County

5. State: Georgia.

6. Date and place of birth: Murray County, Georgia. March, 29, 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 that of Cherokee

Indian blood, being a decendant of Isac Nicholson, great great grand  
parent who was born about 1757 and Sarah Holcomb's, great grand ~~XXXXX~~  
father and William Holcomb's grand father.

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: L. W. Stone who is 41 years of age

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

Father - English name: Martin A. Holcomb.

Indian name: Don't know.

Mother - English name: Sarah A. Holcomb.

Indian name: Don't know.

Maiden name: Sarah Hayes.

11. Where were they born?

Father: Mource County, Tennessee.

Mother: Bradley County, Tennessee.

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

Father: Murray, County, Georgia.

Mother: Bradley County, 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: **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 J. Frazier,	May, 23, 1870.	
(2) Sam T. Holcomb,	Aug. 28, 1877.	
(3) Annie E. Holcomb,	Sept, 17, 1875.	
(4) John E. Holcomb,	Apr. 6, 1883.	
(5) Harry Holcomb,	June, 4, 1885.	
(5) Stanton Holcomb,	Sept. 10, 1887.	
(6) Albert E. Holcomb,	Oct. 11, 1890,	
(6) Jessie M. Holcomb,	Aug. 11, 1894.	
(6) Susie E. Holcomb,	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. Holcomb.	John Hayes.
Louisa Holcomb.	Louisa Hayes.

17. Where were they born? **Monroe County, Tenn. and North Carolina. and Blunt 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: **E. D. Holcomb.** 2. Indian Name? **Don't know.**  
 Indian name: **?** Residence? **Bradley County, Tenn.**  
 Residence: **2. Martha J. Davis. Indian Name? Don't know.**  
 Residence. **Norman Oklahoma.**

(2) English name: **3. English Name. Sarah Hayes. Indian Name do not know.** Residence? **Jack County, Texas, Died. 1881.**

(3) English name: **4. Martin A. Holcomb, Indian Name; do not know.** Residence; **Lexington O.T.**  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: **5. English Name. W.A. Holcomb. Indian Name; Do not know.** Residence **Murray County, Georgia.**

(4) English name: **6. English Name. Solina Holcomb. Indian Name; Do not know.** Residence; **Murray County, Georgia.**  
 Indian name:  
 Residence: **7. English Name. Aveline Tippan, Indian Name; Do not know.** Residence; **Ellis County 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, great great grand parent.  
Sarah Holcomb, great grad parent.  
W. J. Holcomb, grand parent.  
Martin Holcomb, Father.

On mother's side, John Hayes, grand parent.  
and John Hays, 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 and evidence, Daws  
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.) *Carole Stone*

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

My commission expires *March 31st*, 1908. *George B. Glenn*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Carole Stone* and  
*Carole Stone*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Carole Stone*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *Carole Stone* for *2* years and *2* years,  
respectively, and know *Carole Stone* to be the identical person, *Carole Stone* represents *Carole Stone* to be, and  
that the statements made by *Carole Stone* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *Carole Stone* claim.

Witness's mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires

*March 31st*, 1908. *George B. Glenn*  
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. 1326

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Jordis Stone*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

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## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 7516.

1. State your full name: Georgia Stone
2. Residence and post office: Dalton, Ga.
3. County: Whitfield
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: March 21st, 1891. Sherman Texas.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: W. N. Stone. 33 Years.
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>James Paul Stone</u>	<u>4 Y</u>	<u>March 21st 1901.</u>
(2)	<u>John Paul Stone</u>	<u>3 Y</u>	<u>Nov 13th 1903.</u>
(3)	<u>William Stone</u>	<u>1 Y</u>	<u>May 28 1906.</u>
(4)	.....		
(5)	.....		
(6)	.....		

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never enrolled.

### 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)

*Cardie Stone*

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

*E. P. Stone*  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Oct 25th, 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 S. E. Berry and J. S. Estinger who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Corrie Stone who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 25 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents Corrie Stone 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.

S. E. Berry

J. S. Estinger

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

[Signature]

Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 25th, 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. 1324

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Corrie Stone

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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DALTON, GA.  
Department of the Interior.  
Office of Indian Affairs.  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sirs: I have received Card saying  
my application no 7324 has been filed  
and will be considered & etc.  
I have three minor children all under  
six year of age will you please  
advise me whether it is necessary or not  
to send in their application separately?  
I have each ones name on the application  
I sent in last year but whether I should  
have sent them in separately or not I  
would thank you to kindly let me know  
and if so would you send me three  
applications blank to fill out for them.  
I will thank you very much for your attention  
Yours Truly  
Cordie Stone

AD . 7328.

7, 1908.

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DALTON, GA.

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Mr. G. W. Miller, Special Commissioner.

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Yours of the 7th inst, received, and guide to my baby Helen Stone  
age. She was born in ~~the~~ ~~square~~ ~~county~~ ~~both~~ 1906. Will be two years  
old this coming 11th. I have none of all three living and is  
the youngest.

Yours Very Truly,

Cardie Stone

No. 7327.

Action: Reject.

Name Sarah J. Stone and -- 6 children. Residence: Carey, Texas.

Reasons: Mother of #7021; prima facie case shown.

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No. 234

Name John A. Smith

With No. 123

Remarks:



*Suppl.*  
7 *No. 17151*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

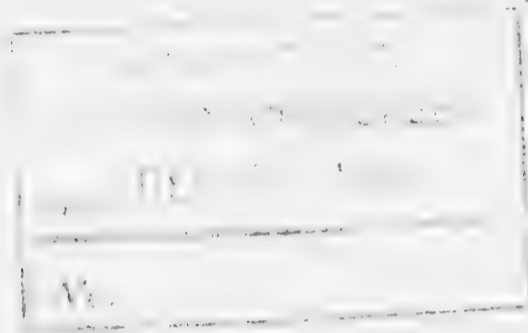
APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah F. Stone*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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  
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: Sarah Flance Stone

Indian name: Sarah Flance Stone

2. Residence:

Childress County Texas

3. Town and post office:

Carey Childress County Texas

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth: Aug 7th 1860 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: Through my father

Willis L. Hunter who was a son of Patsie Hunter who was a daughter of Sadies Brounley who was a daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian.

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband:

James O. Stone  
51 years old

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:

Texas

Mother:

Texas

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)	Sam Hunter	Oct 8	1862
(2)	William H Hunter	Sep. 29.	1869
(3)	Willis C. Hunter	Jan 16	1872
(4)	Hazel W Hunter	April 16	1874
(5)	David H Hunter	May 16	1877
(5)	John W Hunter	June 9	1879
(5)	Emer. L Hunter	Nov 8	1882
(6)	Harriet and Sammie Lee Hunter	Sep 10	1888
	Bergman & Hunter		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Willis Brunley White	Lattie Brunley
Mau	Indian name.
	Sally Star

17. Where were they born? *in the State of Texas*

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

*in State of Texas*

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

- (1) English name: *Hot. Brown*
- 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 Fathers Name is Willis H. Hunter who was a son of Patsie Hunter who was a daughter of Callie Brumley who was a daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian by blood and a Reorganized 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.) *Sarah J Stone*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires

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*W.B. Howard, County Judge, Childress 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 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Sarah Florence Stone*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *7* years and *1* years,

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

that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J.H. Cristler*  
*Henry L. Linn*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires

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*W.B. Howard, County Judge, Childress Co. 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.

No. 7327

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Sarah F. Stone

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. ~~7787~~ 7787

1. State your full name: James L. Stone
2. Residence and post office: 101, New Mexico.
3. County:
4. State: New Mexico Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: August 7th 1882, Hopkins County, Tenn.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: James L. Stone, born Dec. 1st 1857
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>James L. Stone</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Aug. 7th 1882</u>
(2)	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>
(3)	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>
(4)	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>
(5)	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>
(6)	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>

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) James L. Stone

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of June 1908

David W. King  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires July 20, 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 Charles H. Stone and Walter P. Howard who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah F. Stone who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 26 years and 11 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.

Charles H. Stone

Walter P. Howard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

6th

day of

June

, 1906

Joseph W. Gray

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 20th

, 1906.

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

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Sarah F. Stone

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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No. 7328

Action: *Reject*

Name *Cora Slate* and *1* children. Residence: *Baxter Springs, Kans.*

Reasons:

*(K.A.P. #2)*

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

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No. 1000

Name J. J. J.

With No. 1000

Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Cora State*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

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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:

*Cora State*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Leicester St*

3. Town and post office:

*Boyer Springs, N. C.*

4. County:

5. State:

*Ind. St.*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Dec 11 1848 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:

*Wm. State 1851*

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Wm. State 20*

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:

*Ill*

Mother:

*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)	Clara Jordan	30	
(2)	Louisa Root	15	
(3)	Henry McCarty		
(4)	Alvin	24	
(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.

Louis Allen

Maggie

17. Where were they born?

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

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

(1) English name:	Jessie Allen	
Indian name:	Jessie	
Residence:		
(2) English name:	Alvin	
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:

*Jachariah Logan or Great Grandfather  
 Wm Logan  
 Louise Allen*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Has claim depend on common blood. Ricardus  
 Munkayee & 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.

(Signature.) *Lora Skate*

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

My commission expires

*27*, 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 *Walter Bepp* and *John S. ...*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Lora Skate*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *18* 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:

Signature of Witness:

*Walter Bepp  
 John S. ...*

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

My commission expires

*27*, 190

Notary Public.

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

on May 28, 1906, that the children...

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. 7328

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Cora State

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 O'Quay 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. 7828.

1. State your full name: Cora Slate
2. Residence and post office: Bufler Springs
3. County: Cherokee RR 2
4. State: Kans.
5. Date and place of birth: Nov. 4 1888 200
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Cal Slate - 26 20
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Elcie Slate</u>	<u>3 20</u>	<u>1/26/04</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 Indian: Chero 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) Cora Slate

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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day of

August

1907.

D. W. Walbat

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 30

1907

No. 7329.

Action: Reject.

Name: Emma L. Sprouse and children. Residence: Comanche, Okla.

Reasons: Aunt of #7051; claims thru same source.

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No. 7200

Name [unclear]

With No. [unclear]

Remarks: 24 July

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Edward Sproule*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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 D. ...  
ATTORNEY,  
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: *Emma Lee Spruance*  
Indian name: *Emma Lee Hunter*
2. Residence: *Comanche Ind Territory*
3. Town and post office: *Comanche*
4. County: *Texas*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *November 8th 1882 in 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: *I through my father Willis L. Hunter who was a son of Peter Hunter who was a son of Willie Brumby who was a son of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian By Blood.*
8. Are you married: *Yes*
9. Name and date of ~~wife's~~ husband: *James Lee Spruance  
Married Sept 23rd 1895.*
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: *in Tennessee*  
Mother: *in Texas*
12. Whom did they reside with in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *in State of Texas*  
Mother: *in State of Texas*
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) Sarah F. Hunter	Aug, 7, 1860	
(2) Sam. Hunter	Oct, 8, 1862	
(3) William H. Hunter	Feb 29, 1867	
(4) Willis C. Hunter	June 16, 1872	
(5) Hazel W. Hunter	April, 16, 1874	
(6) Annie J. Hunter	May, 16, 1877	

*John W. Hunter, June 9, 1894 Robert O. Hunter, Dec. 10, 1888*  
 Benjamin C. Hunter, Nov. 16, 1898  
 16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Willis Brunley (Whitman)	Sallie Brunley
	Indian Name Sallie Starr

17. Where were they born? *in the State of Tennessee*

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

*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: *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 Father's Name is Willie L. Hunter who was a Son of Patrick Hunter who was a Daughter of David Brunley who was a Daughter of James Starr who was a Cherokee Indian of blood and a recognized member of East of the Mississippi River and whose name was first found as 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) *Emma Lee Spruce*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 17* 190*7*.

*W H Udumie*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Henry J. Deaton* and *J B McInnis* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Emma Lee Spruce*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *17* 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 be sworn.

Signature of witnesses.

*Henry J. Deaton*  
*J B McInnis*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 1906.

My commission expires *Nov. 11* 190*7*.

*W H Udumie*  
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. 7329

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

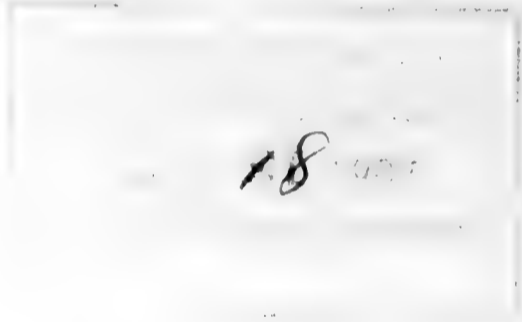
OF

*Emma Sprawl*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 7329

1. State your full name: Emma Lee Sprouse ( Nee Hunter)
2. Residence and post office: Comanche
3. County: Chickasaw Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: November 8th 1872, Jack County Texas.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: James Luke Sprouse, 34 years old
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.
(1)	<u>Mary Jane Sprouse</u>	<u>5 years</u>	<u>May 7th, 1902</u>
(2)	<u>Emma Jewell Sprouse</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>April 14th, 1904</u>
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

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 Farris and Henry J. Hunter who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Famma Lee Sproue who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 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.  
W. H. Adkins  
W. L. Hunter

Signatures of Witnesses.  
Thomas Farris  
Henry J. Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. H. Adkins  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov. 15, 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. 7329

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Famma Lee Sproue

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

W. H. Adkins

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Washington, D.C.

April 10, 1918

Mr. Guion

Special Commissioner

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*Wilkinson & Admire,*

*Lawyers*

*Yates Bldg - Notary in Office.*

Comanche, Ok., July 15th 1907.

Guinn Miller ,

Special Commissioner,

Dear sir:

No. 7329

I am sending you Supplemental Application, if same is needed in my case you have the liberty to file the same as a part of the original , as we was not certain that it was required in our case.

Yours truly

*Emma F. Strauss*



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 30 1909  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

Comanche, Oklahoma

Nov 26

Dear Mr. [unclear]

Mr. J. [unclear]

and to Mr. [unclear]

at [unclear]

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Att. No. 7023.

March 1, 1933.

Frank L. Johnson,  
Comptroller,  
GCS Office.

Re:

Re: In reply to your letter of March 24, 1933, you are advised that the exception you have filed in your case will be considered in the regular order, but it will probably be considered in some particular case, in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 23, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. \_\_\_\_\_, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 23, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 23th 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

No. 7530

Action: *Reject*

Name: *T. M. Stripling* and *X* children. Residence: *Gibbs, Okla.*

Reasons:

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of paper. Claims three...*

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Name John

With No. 12

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*F. J. Williams*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 16, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



CHESTER HOWE  
ATTORNEY,  
CASH, LOAN & TRUST  
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: *Travis M. Strickland*  
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Indian Territory*
3. Town and post office: *Diboll, Diboll*
4. County: *Fortbeloe*
5. State: *Indian Territory*
6. Date and place of birth: *Feb 7, 1881, Child 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 by that of Cherokee Indian Blood, being a descendant of my great grand father who was born Dec 3, 1814, Monroe County, Tennessee*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Trace Mae Strickland August 7<sup>th</sup> 1886*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father English name: *William A. Strickland*  
Indian name:  
Mother English name: *Louisa M. Strickland*  
Indian name:  
Maiden name: *Susanna Davis*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Buttack County, Alabama*  
Mother: *Lawson County, Georgia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Lawson County, Georgia*  
Mother: *Lawson County, Georgia*
13. Date of death of your father and mother  
Father: *1860* Mother: *1860*



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>Lucas B. Davis</i>	<i>1855</i>	
(2)	<i>Louis Davis</i>	<i>1857</i>	
(3)	<i>Henry Stripling</i>	<i>June 25, 1890</i>	
(4)	<i>Malie Stripling</i>	<i>June 16, 1893</i>	
(5)	<i>Earl Stripling</i>	<i>Nov. 5, 1916</i>	
(6)	<i>Arthur Stripling</i>	<i>Nov 23, 1900</i>	
(7)	<i>Lillian Stripling</i>	<i>Nov. 23, 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>Reuben M. Davis</i>	<i>Martha J. Davis</i>
<i>William H. Davis</i>	<i>Louisa Williams</i>

17. Where were they born? *Torsyth County, Georgia, Moore 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:	<i>William C. Davis</i>	<i>Oklahoma</i>
(2) Indian name:	<i>Louis M. Stripling</i>	<i>Indian Territory</i>
(3) Residence:	<i>Wm. C. Davis</i>	<i>Oklahoma</i>
(4) English name:	<i>John M. Davis</i>	<i>Oklahoma</i>
(5) Indian name:	<i>Robert A. Stripling</i>	<i>Texas</i>
(6) Residence:	<i>Samuel H. Davis</i>	<i>Indian Territory</i>
(7) English name:	<i>Mary J. Gardner</i>	<i>Indian Territory</i>
(8) Indian name:	<i>Eugene O. Davis</i>	<i>Oklahoma</i>
(9) Residence:	<i>Julia Davis</i>	<i>Dec 1851</i>
(10) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(11) 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 P. ...*  
*... grand father, Martha, ...*  
*... mother, William, ...*  
*... father, Louis, ...*  
*... mother*

**REMARKS.**

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

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*... evidence to ...*  
*... Commission in 1906 and ...*  
*... matter of ...*

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

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

(Signature.) *Franklin M. ...*

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

My commission expires

*Sept*, 190*7* *Wm. ...* Notary Public.

**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. ...* and *...* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Franklin M. ...* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *1st* 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.

*Wm. ...*  
*...*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *7th* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Sept*, 190*7* *Wm. ...* Notary Public.

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Action: *Rej. et*

Name: *Laura M. [unclear]* and *x* children. Residence: *Albany, N.Y.*

Reasons:

*Not a member of the [unclear]*

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Name

With No.

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Remarks:

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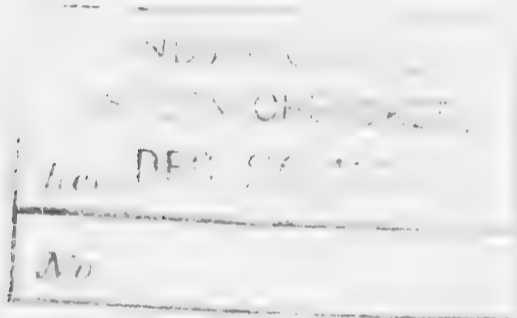
# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Louisa M. Strickland*

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



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

SIR:

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

1. State full name:

English name:

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:

Claim by that of Cherokee Indian blood and being a descendant of my father who was born December 3rd 1819, Monroe Co. Tenn.

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:

*None 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>John M. Davis</i>	<i>Jan 12 1871</i>	
(2)	<i>Lillie B. Davis</i>		<i>Dec 2 1882</i>
(3)	<i>Rufus D. Davis</i>	<i>Sept 1 1871</i>	
(4)	<i>John M. Davis</i>	<i>Jan 12 1871</i>	
(5)	<i>Rufus D. Davis</i>	<i>Sept 1 1871</i>	
(6)	<i>Samuel H. Davis</i>	<i>Feb 12 1873</i>	
(7)	<i>Mar. J. Gardner</i>	<i>Nov 24 1871</i>	
(8)	<i>Eugene O. Davis</i>	<i>Aug 21 1871</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 H. Davis</i>	<i>Louisa B. Davis</i>

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.

*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:

William J. Roseman, Grandfather;  
Louisa Roseman, Mother;  
On grandmaternal side, the name  
is Barry.

**REMARKS.**

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

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and affidavit evidence to Bureau  
Commission in 1906, 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.) *Louisa M. Stripina*

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

My commission expires  
*Jan 3rd*, 1909

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *J. F. [Signature]* and  
*C. E. [Signature]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Louisa M. Stripina* who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *2* years and *2* years,  
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her self* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires  
*d*, 1909

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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Mr E. J. Miller

Special Commissioner.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

Please note the change in  
Post Office address of the following  
Applicants to wit. Application No 7331,  
No 7330, No 7176, and No please  
address each of us at Washington,  
McBlain County, Oklahoma, and oblige.  
Will you kindly inform <sup>me</sup> whether or not, that  
my application has been passed upon,  
if it is consistent with the rulings of  
your office.

Respectfully

Mrs Louisa M. Strippling

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 7331

Washington Ok. Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> 1909.

ex Court of Claims.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

I sent you an affidavit some days since, to be filed in my case no 7331. Will you please return the same to me for corrections, as I find that it does not meet the requirements of the Courts Order, hoping that you will be able to do this by return mail.

I AM Very Respectfully

# 7331

Louisa M. Strippling

App. No. 7331

October 11, 1907.

Louisa M. Stripling,

Dibble, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of October 4, 1907, you are advised that this office cannot undertake to adjust difficulties between attorneys and their clients. However, when consulted by applicants regarding the employment of attorneys to prosecute their claims, we have always advised them that it is not considered necessary, unless their cases were unusually complicated.

The Court has not yet issued any orders regarding the method of the distribution of the monies arising from the judgment of the Court in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

7331.

London 18th Dec 1854

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 London and have not yet seen any of the friends I have been expecting. I shall be glad to hear from you again soon. I am, my dear Mother, ever affectionately yours  
Your affectionate son  
John



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Washington Ok. June 28<sup>th</sup> 1907.

Hon. Guion Miller.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir.

I am in receipt of yours of the 10th Instant, notifying me that you had recommended to the Court that my Claim should be rejected.

Will you kindly inform me upon what point that you base your Opinion, ~~upon~~. I do not know what the decree of the Court is regards the Eastern Cherokee payment. It is apparent to me, that we have proved beyond a reasonable doubt that we are of Cherokee Indian descent, some of the family (Nicholson) being on both rolls 1835 and 1851, or at least, we are informed that they were enrolled. You understand that it is perfectly natural for us to think that we are entitled to share in this payment, notwithstanding this I

am frank to believe that the rulings  
of the court are or will be just, as  
well as your opinions in this matter.  
hoping to hear from <sup>you</sup> at an early date.  
I am sincerely yours

#7331

L. M. Stripling

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

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

You are hereby notified that in my report to the Court of Claims of May 28, 1909, I have enrolled you and your minor children as entitled to participate in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906.

Your number on this roll is

A copy of all the names enrolled by me as entitled to participate in said fund has been forwarded to the following places, where said roll may be examined:

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.

Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla.

The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.

The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma.

The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.

The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.

The Clerk of Courts at:--

North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.

Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.

Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.

Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega, Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiawassee, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, have been printed and will be sold at \$2.50 each, and the proceeds applied to the cost of printing.

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,251 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

The Court of Claims in its order of June 10, 1909, has directed that all exceptions to my report shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., to be filed in the Court on or before the 30th day of August, 1909.

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909.

Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

Please retain this circular and present it at the time of payment.

Very respectfully,

GUYON MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

App. No.7331.

November 26, 1909.

Mrs. D. M. Stripling,  
Washington,  
Oklahoma.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of November 22, 1909, you are advised that the exception you have filed in your case will be considered in its regular order, but it will probably be some time before the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NHC.

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No. 7332.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *W. W. Skippard* and *X* children. Residence: *Wrightburg, Tex.*

Reasons: *Cause of # 7114*

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No. 7332

Name D. W. Shepard

With No. 4192

Remarks:

No.

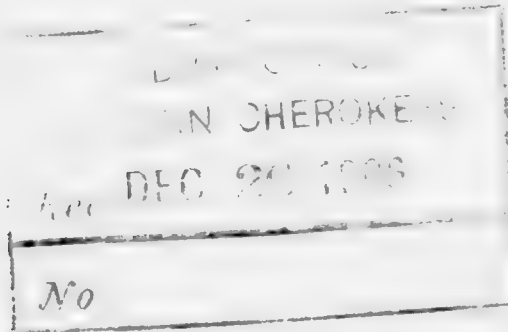
# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

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

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CHESTER D. MILLER  
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— *J. C. ...*  
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:

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
<i>John ...</i>	<i>John ...</i>
<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>

17. Where were they born? *Several ...*

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

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

(1) English name:	<i>...</i>
Indian name:	<i>...</i>
Residence:	<i>...</i>
(2) English name:	<i>...</i>
Indian name:	<i>...</i>
Residence:	<i>...</i>
(3) English name:	<i>...</i>
Indian name:	<i>...</i>
Residence:	<i>...</i>
(4) English name:	<i>...</i>
Indian name:	<i>...</i>
Residence:	<i>...</i>
(5) English name:	<i>...</i>
Indian name:	<i>...</i>
Residence:	<i>...</i>

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:

*Paternal ancestors: Great Grandfather  
Grandfather*

REMARKS.

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

*To get back records of the  
ancestors of the applicant*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) *D. M. Shepherd*

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

My commission expires

*June 1*, 190*7* *M. J. Seaman*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. M. Gordon* and *B. P. Harrison*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *D. M. Shepherd* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* 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.

*J. M. Gordon*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June 1*, 190*7* *M. J. Seaman*  
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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Name	and children. Residence:
Reasons:	

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Name *Judy Shaffer*

With No. 07053

Remarks: also

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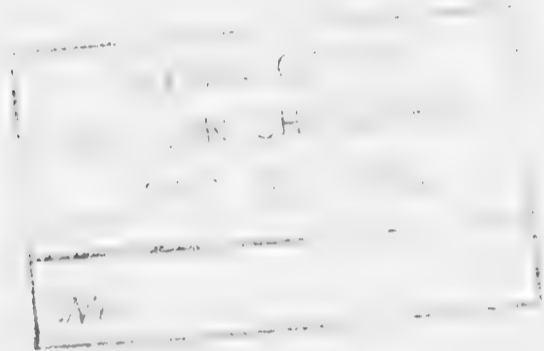
# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Clay*

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



THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT  
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:

Greg Stoffer.

Indian name:

2. Residence: ...

Danville

3. Town and post office:

Danville

4. County:

Hendricks

5. State:

Indiana

6. Date and place of birth:

May 14, 1876 Danville

7. 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 possession of me. I am the only one left. My grandfathers both died and my great-grandfather passed away.

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: *They were not enrolled.*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>None</i>	<i>None</i>	<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>None</i>	<i>None</i>

17. Where were they born? *See note on page 14. They were born in the same place as their parents.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *At the same place as their parents.*

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

- (1) English name: *Thomas*  
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: *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: *My Mother's name*

*is Mrs. E. Thomas her father's name was ... is John  
H. ... the father of my great-grandfather James  
...*

REMARKS.

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

*James ... brother of  
... 1850*

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

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

My commission expires

*April 3* 1910 *A. S. ...*  
Notary Public.

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 R. ...* and  
... who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with ... who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known ... for ... years and *6* years,  
respectively, and know *...* to be the identical person *...* represents, ... to be, and  
that the statements made by *...* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *...* claim.

Witnesses' names.

Signatures of witnesses.

*George R. ...*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*15th* day of *November* 1906.

My commission expires

*April 4th* 1910 *A. S. ...*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, when ver 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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U. C. Ford

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J. W. Shoffner  
Contractor and Builder  
PHONE 206

Danville, Indiana, Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> 1907

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

I received a communication on May 25<sup>th</sup> 1907, acknowledging receipt of my application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees but have heard nothing more. My application No. is 7333. Has said application been rejected if not when will it be considered and what assurance if any do I have of success. Enclosed you will find stamped addressed envelope Will you kindly give me some information.

Very respectfully,  
J. W. Shoffner,  
Box 265,  
Danville,  
Indiana

No. - 33 -

Action: - 2000 -

Name: - J. J. Smith - and X children. Residence: - 123 Main St -

Reasons:

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No. *1111*

Name *John Smith*

With No. *1234*

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

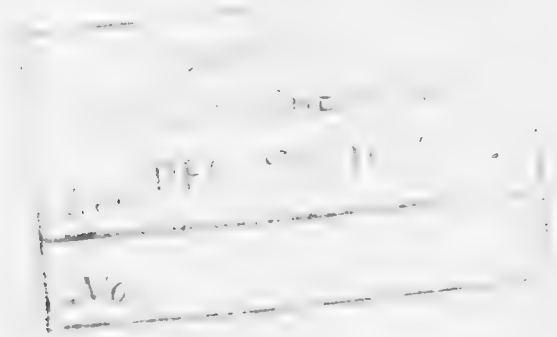
APPLICATION

OF

*Armelia Saunders*

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 23, 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: *Permelia a Mc-Millen, Married Saunders*

Indian name: *1222/5 woman*

2. Residence: *Silesia Montana*

3. Town and post office: *Silesia*

4. County: *Carbon*

5. State: *Montana*

6. Date and place of birth: *May 3, 1865, at Darlington 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 mother's inheritance, and my own blood relation to the Cherokee Indians*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: *W. A. Saunders.*

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

Father—English name: *George B. Mc Millen*

Indian name: *unknown*

Mother—English name: *Mary A. Mc Millen*

Indian name: *unknown*

Maiden name: *Mary A. Boatright*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *In Rome, Perry County Indiana*

Mother: *In Graves County, Kentucky*

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

Father: *Gentryville Gentry Co. Missouri*

Mother: *Moved from Graves Co. Kentucky to Platte Co. Mo. in the fall of 1851.*

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: ... ?

- 7 Simon Van Rencillier McMillen July 28. 1876. Dec 14. 1879,  
 8 Sarah a McMillen Mar 30. 1878 Mar 30. 1878  
 9 Margaret Frances McMillen Dec 20 1880.  
 (4) Eugenia Jane McMillen Mar 1. 1870 —  
 (5) James Miles McMillen Aug 15. 1871 Dec 10. 1871  
 (6) Silsa Marilla McMillen Mar 6 1874

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Jonathan McMillen	William V. Boatright
Mary McMillen	Sallie N Boatright
Indian names are all unknown	

17. Where were they born? unknown

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On the father's side Gentryville, Gentry Co. Mo. On the mother's side they moved from Graves Co. Ky. to Platte Co. Mo. in 1851.

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

6. English name Jacob G. Boatright  
 Ind " unknown  
 Residence Joplin Mo
7. English name Francis A Boatright  
 Ind " unknown  
 Residence Van Buren Ark
8. English name Joseph M. Boatright  
 Ind " unknown  
 Residence died 1863.
9. English name William M. Boatright  
 Ind " unknown  
 Residence Norwich Kansas.
- 10 English name James B Boatright  
 Ind " unknown  
 Residence Colorado Springs Colo.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: 7.

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>	<i>— [Claimant]</i>
(2)	<i>William Jonathan McMillen</i>	<i>July 11. 1867</i>	<i>—</i>
(3)	<i>Alfredine Beuna McMillen</i>	<i>July 11. 1868</i>	<i>—</i>
(4)	<i>Fuzena Jane McMillen</i>	<i>Mar 1. 1870</i>	<i>—</i>
(5)	<i>James Miles McMillen</i>	<i>Aug 15. 1871</i>	<i>Dec 10. 1871</i>
(6)	<i>Lissa Marilla McMillen</i>	<i>Mar 6 1874</i>	<i>—</i>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Jonathan McMillen</i>	<i>William V. Boatright</i>
<i>Mary McMillen</i>	<i>Sallie W Boatright</i>
<i>Indian names are all unknown</i>	

17. Where were they born? *Unknown*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *On the father's side*  
*Gentryville, Gentry Co. Mo. On the mother's side they*  
*moved from Graves Co. Ky. to Pleate Co. Mo. in 1851.*

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

(1)	English name: <i>Susan J. Scuff</i>
	Indian name: <i>unknown</i>
	Residence: <i>Darlington, Mo.</i>
(2)	English name: <i>Elizabeth J. Sloan</i>
	Indian name: <i>unknown</i>
	Residence: <i>Darlington, Mo.</i>
(3)	English name: <i>Rebecca G. Boatright</i>
	Indian name: <i>unknown</i>
	Residence: <i>Died Jan'y 1830.</i>
(4)	English name: <i>Jesse W. Boatright</i>
	Indian name: <i>unknown</i>
	Residence: <i>Died Nov 9. 1905.</i>
(5)	English name: <i>Bernassia G. Boatright</i>
	Indian name: <i>unknown</i>
	Residence: <i>Died Jan'y 18. 1853.</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: *Unknown*

REMARKS.

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

*I know of none*

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

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

My commission expires

*July 15*, 1907

*Jucius Whitney*  
Notary Public.  
*In & for Carbon Co. Montana*

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. L. Nelson* and *Joab James*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs. Bernice Saunders*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known for *9* years and *0* 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. G. Saunders*  
*A. Eber*

*C. L. Nelson*  
*Joab James*

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

My commission expires

*July 15*, 1907

*Jucius Whitney*  
Notary Public.  
*In & for Carbon Co. Montana*

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No. 225

Action: Direct

Name: [unclear] and children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons: [unclear]

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No. 925

Name .....

With No. ....

Remarks: .....

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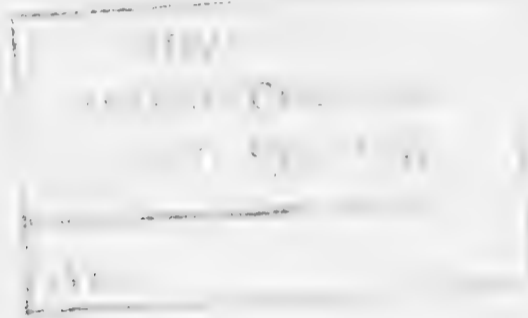
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

of

*Alvord J. ...*

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



CHRISTOPHER ...  
ATTORNEY ...  
WASHINGTON D

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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: *W. M. de Beed*

Indian name: *W. M. de Beed*

2. Residence: *Seas*

3. Town and post office:

4. County: *Seas*

5. State: *Seas*

6. Date and place of birth: *Seas*

7. 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 the only son of the late W. M. de Beed and his wife Elizabeth de Beed who were*

8. Are you married: *v*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *W. M. de Beed*

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

Father - English name: *W. M. de Beed*

Indian name:

Mother - English name: *Elizabeth de Beed*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Elizabeth de Beed*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Seas*

Mother: *Seas*

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

Father: *Seas*

Mother: *Seas*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

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

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John W. ...	1821	1871
(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
John ...	John ...
Catherine ...	...

17. Where were they born? Grandfather ... Ireland ...

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: William S. ...  
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:

*[Faint handwritten text, likely names of ancestors]*

REMARKS.

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

*[Handwritten text in the Remarks section]*

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

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

(Signature.) *Maudie Speed*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 1906.

My commission expires *April 30* 190*6*. *Chas. P. Burnett*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Cicero Alexander* and *[Name]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Maudie Speed*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *8* years and *[ ]* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses' names.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Cicero Alexander*

*[Signature]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *April 30* 190*6*. *Chas. P. Burnett*  
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 countersigned before a notary, etc.

6-1-1905

No. 7236

Action: *Reject*

Name *John H. Stearns* and *x* children. Residence: *Armeda Co, Okla*  
*1905*

Reasons:

*Section of land...*

7236

No. 412

Name

With No.

Remarks:

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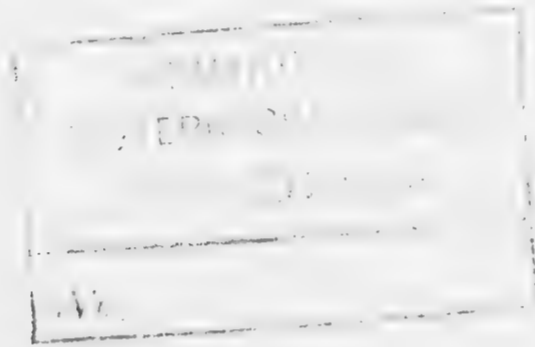
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Rosa J. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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 HOWARD  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7356

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name -

English name:

Rosa D. Stevens

Indian name:

Doubtless

2. Residence:

Oklahoma

3. Town and post office:

Adarko

4. County:

Waddo

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

Oct 12 1851 Cherokee

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

By that of my Indian blood and being descendant of Isaac Dickson Great Great Grandfather who was born about 1750, and Sarah Wallace Great Grandmother and William Wallace Grandfather

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Wife: Mrs. W. Stevens

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

Father English name:

John M. Dickson

Indian name:

Isaac Dickson

Mother English name:

Sarah Wallace

Indian name:

William Wallace

Maiden name:

William Wallace

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Franklin County Georgia

Mother:

Murray County Georgia

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

Father:

Milton County 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)	Mary E. Dodson	Jan 4 1877	
(2)	John M. Massey	July 5 1879	
(3)	Lucy M. Massey	April 10 1882	
(4)	Elizabeth Massey	Dec 18 1885	
(5)	Emmett L. Massey	May 5 1888	
(6)	Bluesy M. Massey	Aug 12 1891	

16. 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 H. Halcouck
Doubt known	Doubt known
Mary M.	Louisa Halcouck
	Doubt known

17. Where were they born? *Our fathers of South Carolina on mother's side, Morrow County Ga*

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

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

(1) English name:	ED Halcouck
Indian name:	
Residence:	Broad Co. Arkansas
(2) English name:	Martha J. Davis
Indian name:	Doubt known
Residence:	Norman, Cleveland Co. Ark
(3) English name:	Sarah Hays
Indian name:	
Residence:	Died
(4) English name:	Martin H. Halcouck
Indian name:	Doubt known
Residence:	Lexington, Kentucky
(5) English name:	W. B. Halcouck
Indian name:	Doubt known
Residence:	Murray Co. Ga

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 Holcomb Gr. Grand Parent. Lima - Massey Gr. Grand Parent  
 M. J. Halloway Gr. Grand Parent. Ephraim " Gr. Grand Parent  
 A. A. Halloway Mother. Joseph M. Massey, Father

REMARKS.

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

Applicant - presently residing in ... and affidavit evidence to Bureau Commission 1896 and ...

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 24 day of Nov, 1906.

My commission expires

190

*[Signature: Fremont Boyle]*  
 Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. C. Hendryx* and *H. E. Hendryx*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Rosa D. Stevens*, who make the foregoing application and statements, and have known ... for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know ... to be the identical person ... represents ... to be, and that the statements made by ... are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in ... claim.

Witnesses to affirm.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. C. Hendryx*  
*H. E. Hendryx*

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

My commission expires

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*[Signature: Fremont Boyle]*  
 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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6-11-1905

No. 115

Action:.....

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

7387

No. 100

Name .....

With No. 100

Remarks:

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Ethel Seaberg*

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

6-10-06



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

7337



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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:

*... I claim through my mother ...*

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Leahy age 27 years*

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

Father - English name:

Indian name:

Mother - English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

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

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes in 1868 now Pending*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>John Quincy</i>	<i>1872</i>	
(2)	<i>John Quincy</i>	<i>1874</i>	
(3)	<i>John Quincy</i>	<i>1877</i>	
(4)	<i>Frank Quincy</i>	<i>1891</i>	
(5)	<i>John Quincy</i>	<i>1884</i>	
(6)	<i>John Quincy</i>	<i>1884</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 Quincy</i>	<i>John Feather</i>
<i>John Quincy</i>	<i>John Feather</i>

17. Where were they born? *Grandfather was born in ...*

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: *John Quincy* *1872*  
 Indian name: *John Quincy*  
 Residence: *...*
- (2) English name: *John Quincy*  
 Indian name: *John Feather*  
 Residence: *...*
- (3) English name: *John Quincy*  
 Indian name: *John Feather*  
 Residence: *...*
- (4) English name: *John Quincy*  
 Indian name: *John Feather*  
 Residence: *...*
- (5) English name: *John Quincy*  
 Indian name: *John Feather*  
 Residence: *...*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes in 1868 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:

*Matthew ...* *English*  
*... (English)*

**REMARKS.**

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

*My mother's sister was a sister of ... who was the wife of ... 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.) *[Signature]*

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

My commission expires

... 190...  
*[Signature]*  
 Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *[Signature]* and *[Signature]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *[Signature]*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for ... years and ... 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 make.

Signatures of witnesses.

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*

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

My commission expires

... 1906  
*[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.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT.

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Etnel Leabery,  
Fort Worth, Texas.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 7337, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

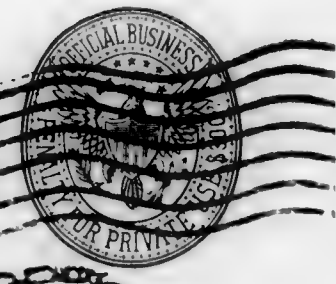
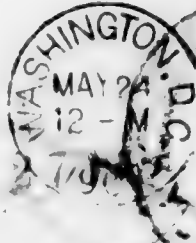
No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

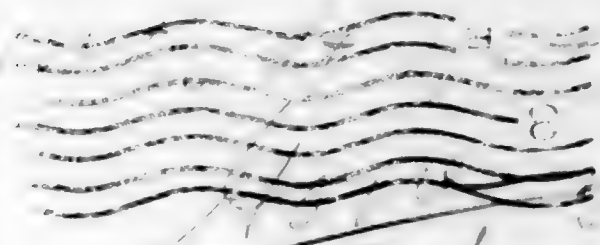
GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.



*Chief Clerk*  
*U.S. Interior Dept.*



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. 7337 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."

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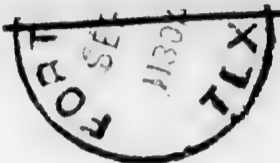
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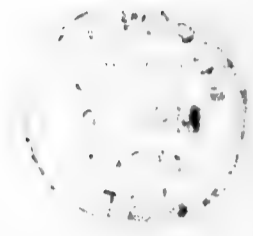
Fort Worth,

Texas.

2018 Main Street.

1931







No. 7338.

Action: Reject.

Name: Mamie Swafford and - children. Residence: Lomine, Texas.

Reasons: Niece to #6964; claims thru same source.

10-1-1965

7338

No. 1175

Name 15

With No. 127

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*[Faint handwritten text]*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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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REGISTERED AND  
ATTORNEY,  
LLOYD & BOSTON  
WASHINGTON

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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 C. ...*

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: \_\_\_\_\_

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

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

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

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

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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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:

*[Handwritten names and dates]*

**REMARKS.**

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

*[Handwritten remarks]*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 *12* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires  
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*[Handwritten signature]*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *[Handwritten name]* and *[Handwritten name]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *[Handwritten name]*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *[Handwritten name]* for *[Handwritten number]* years and *[Handwritten number]* years, respectively, and know *[Handwritten name]* to be the identical person *[Handwritten name]* represents *[Handwritten name]* to be, and that the statements made by *[Handwritten name]* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *[Handwritten name]* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses

*[Handwritten signatures of witnesses]*

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

My commission expires  
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*[Handwritten signature]*  
Notary Public.

*[Handwritten text]*

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

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No. 7339

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Genevieve & family and X* children. Residence: *Genevieve Springs, Ill.*

Reasons: *1st. cousin once removed 1/11*

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No. 1

Name ..... ✓

With No. 1/1

Remarks:

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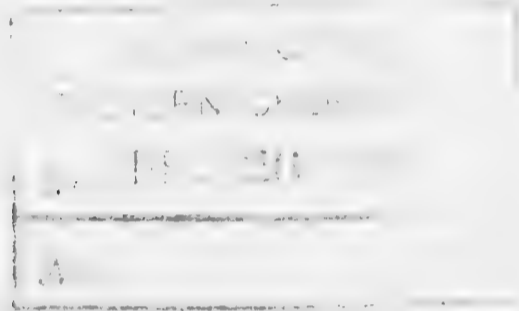
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Quitclaim from Scribble*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

7354

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name

English name: *Gertrude Irene Trimble*

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: *September 13, 1882, 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 Cherokee*  
*James Carroll my great grand*  
*father, of the name of Knoxville*

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: *Benjamin H. Trimble*

Indian name:

Mother English name: *Mary E. Trimble*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Mary C. Carroll*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Clay County Missouri*

Mother: *Clay County Missouri*

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

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *died 1894.*

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>Oscar Trimble</i>	<i>1884</i>	<i>living</i>
(2)	<i>Logan Trimble</i>	<i>1885</i>	<i>1891 died</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 Trimble</i>	<i>Frances M. Carroll</i>
<i>Maggie Trimble</i>	<i>Prudence Carroll</i>

17. Where were they born? *Mother's side, Clay County Missouri*  
*Father's side, Clay County Missouri*

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: *Emma Carroll. Excelsior Springs Mo. K. Fall.*  
 Residence: *Ganesh Carroll. died 1900.*

(2) English name: *George S. Carroll. " 1891.*  
 Indian name: *Hannie E. Carroll. " 1894.*  
 Residence:

(3) English name: *Father's Side.*  
 Indian name: *William Trimble. 1888 died.*  
 Residence: *Ann Trimble. 1900 died.*

(4) English name: *Jessie Trimble. Holston, Ala.*  
 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 great grand Father of East Tennessee was a Cherokee Indian as is shown by the affidavits of John Ross and John R. Beard.*

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 report on record Muscogee S. 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.) *Bertrude T. Trumble*

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*  
*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 S. Roberts* and *L. D. Brabbs*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Bertrude T. Trumble*, 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.

*William S. Roberts*  
*L. D. Brabbs*

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*  
*Missouri*

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No. 7340

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Archie T. ...* and *X* children. Residence: *...*

Reasons: *1st ...*

*...*

*7340*

No. ....

Name .....

With No. ....

Remarks:



No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Oscar L. Grumble*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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  
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:

*Cesar Thomas Trimble*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Toloco*

3. Town and post office:

*Toloco*

4. County:

*Montezuma*

5. State:

*Colorado*

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:

*Benjamin Daimy Trimble*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Mary Ellen Moore*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Mary Ellen Carrel*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Clay 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:

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)	Tertrude Irene Trimble	Sept 13 - 1882	
(2)		Jan 13 - 1886	
(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.
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(6)		

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:	Clay Co., Mo.
(5)	English name:	James Archibald
	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.) .....

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

My commission expires

My Commission expires April 25, 1910

Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

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

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires

My Commission expires April 25, 1910

Notary Public.

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

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No. 7341

Action: *Reject*

Name *Geo. Pedrow* and — children. Residence: *Leoria, Okla.*

Reasons:

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

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No. 7341

Name Geo. Sedrow

With No. 7040

Remarks:



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No. 78-10740

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Geo. Tedrow*

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

6-021



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: *Geo. Tedrow*

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

2. Residence: *Georgia, I. T.*

3. Town and post office: *"*

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

5. State: *I. T.*

6. Date and place of birth: *24<sup>th</sup> of Aug 1861* *W. P. ...*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*Adaline Beggs, nee, Lopez, ...*

*William Lopez ...*

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 Tedrow*

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

Mother—English name: *Harriet Tedrow* *nee*

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

Maiden name: *Beggs*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *I. T.*

Mother: *"*

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

Father: *I. T.*

Mother: *not born*

13. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother: *1861*

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)	<i>John</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>David Sedron</i>	<i>Robert Beys</i>
<i>Eliza Sedron</i>	<i>Adeline Beys, nee Logg</i>

17. Where were they born? *Ohio - Ills* \_\_\_\_\_ *Ills* \_\_\_\_\_

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: *Wallis Beys*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Miami Id*
- (2) English name: *Martha Beys, nee Logg*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Tombstone, Ariz.*
- (3) English name: *Maggie Adams*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Madison, Wis.*
- (4) English name: *Geo. Beys*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Ills*
- (5) English name: *Edw. Beys*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: *Ills*

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:

*Sachariah Lopez* *Dr. Ina's father*  
*Wm. Lopez* " " "

REMARKS.

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

*The same claim as above of the Lopez ancestor*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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. Brown*

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

My commission expires

*Jan 9*, 190*9* *Geo. Brown*  
Notary Public.

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. Stevens* and  
*J. L. Coody*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Geo. Brown*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *11* 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.

*H. G. Stevens*  
*J. L. Coody*

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

My commission expires

*Jan 9*, 190*9* *Geo. Brown*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7342.

Action: Reject

Name Jasper D. Perry and X children. Residence: Fort Gibson, Okla.

Reasons:

First Cousin of # 7069 and claims through the same source.

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No. 7200

Name [unclear] ✓

With No. 11

Remarks:

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

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

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

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:

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

17. Where were they born?

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

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

(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:

*[Faint, illegible handwritten text]*

**REMARKS.**

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

*[Faint, illegible handwritten text]*

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

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

(Signature.) *Jasper D Terry*

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

My commission expires *Nov 18*, 190*8*

*[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 *A. J. Hunt* and *J. E. Thurmond*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *[blank]*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *[blank]* for *7* years and *[blank]* years, respectively, and know *[blank]* to be the identical person *[blank]* represents *[blank]* to be, and that the statements made by *[blank]* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *[blank]* claim.

Witnesses to mark

Signatures of witnesses

*A. J. Hunt*  
*J. E. Thurmond*

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

My commission expires *Nov 18*, 190*8*

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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14-11-1865

No. 7343

Action: *Reject*

Name *James D. Taylor* and children. Residence: *Donny Home Tex*

Reasons: *It does not appear that applicant  
ancestors were parties to treaties of  
1835-40, were shared in payments  
to the Cherokee*

*no*

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No. 7343 *Field 2*

Name *James D. Taylor*

With No.

Remarks:

*7345, 8187*

*Information?*

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7343 etc.

Name

James D. Taylor

With No.

Remarks:

Taken to field  
in Texas.

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name - *James B. Taylor*  
English name:  
Indian name: *know but have no Indian name*
2. Residence: *near Lammie's*
3. Town and post office: *Honey Grove*
4. County: *Fannin*
5. State: *Fla*
6. Date and place of birth: *February 10 - 1879 Arkansas*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:  
*know*  
*but the Sally Mott and Sam Mott*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Letty Taylor*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father English name: *John Taylor aka Taylor*  
Indian name: *Poland*  
Mother English name: *Catie Taylor*  
Indian name: *aka Pevin*  
Maiden name: *Pevin*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *in Alabama*  
Mother: *I dont know*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *do not know*  
Mother: *do not know*
13. Date of death of your father and mother  
Father: *in February 1887* Mother: *Died in 24-1885*

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

*not as we know of*

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

- |     | NAME.                | BORN.   | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|---|-------|
| (1) | <i>Sarah Taylor</i>  | <i>dead dont know the date</i>                        |       |
| (2) | <i>Robert Taylor</i> | <i>died 1885</i>                                      |       |
| (3) | <i>Ben Taylor</i>    | <i>married a person that receive own up to (1877)</i> |       |
| (4) | <i>Meggy Taylor</i>  | <i>born 1851</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>Mr. John Taylor</i>	
<i>Mr. John</i>	

17. Where were they born? *I dont know*

*Father was Born in ...*

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

*I dont know*

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

(1) English name: *dont know*

Indian name: *dont know*

Residence: *dont know*

(2) English name:

Indian name: *I dont know any; The quarters*

Residence: *across it is 20 Summer*

(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:

*all the names I have on Mother's side & Pat's*

REMARKS.

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

*My parents died when I was young and I don't know of any one that could help us out in this*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 T. Taylor*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *the 14* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *1st day of June 1907*

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*G. F. M. Stephens a* *Notary Public*

*Farmington County, N. H.*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *A. C. Stephens* and *Ernest L. ...* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *J. D. Taylor*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *50* years and *...* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *whom* represents *his* claim, and

that the statements made by *them* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *said* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signature of witnesses.

*A. C. Stephens*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *the 14* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June 1st*

1907

*G. F. M. Stephens a*

*Farmington County, N. H.*

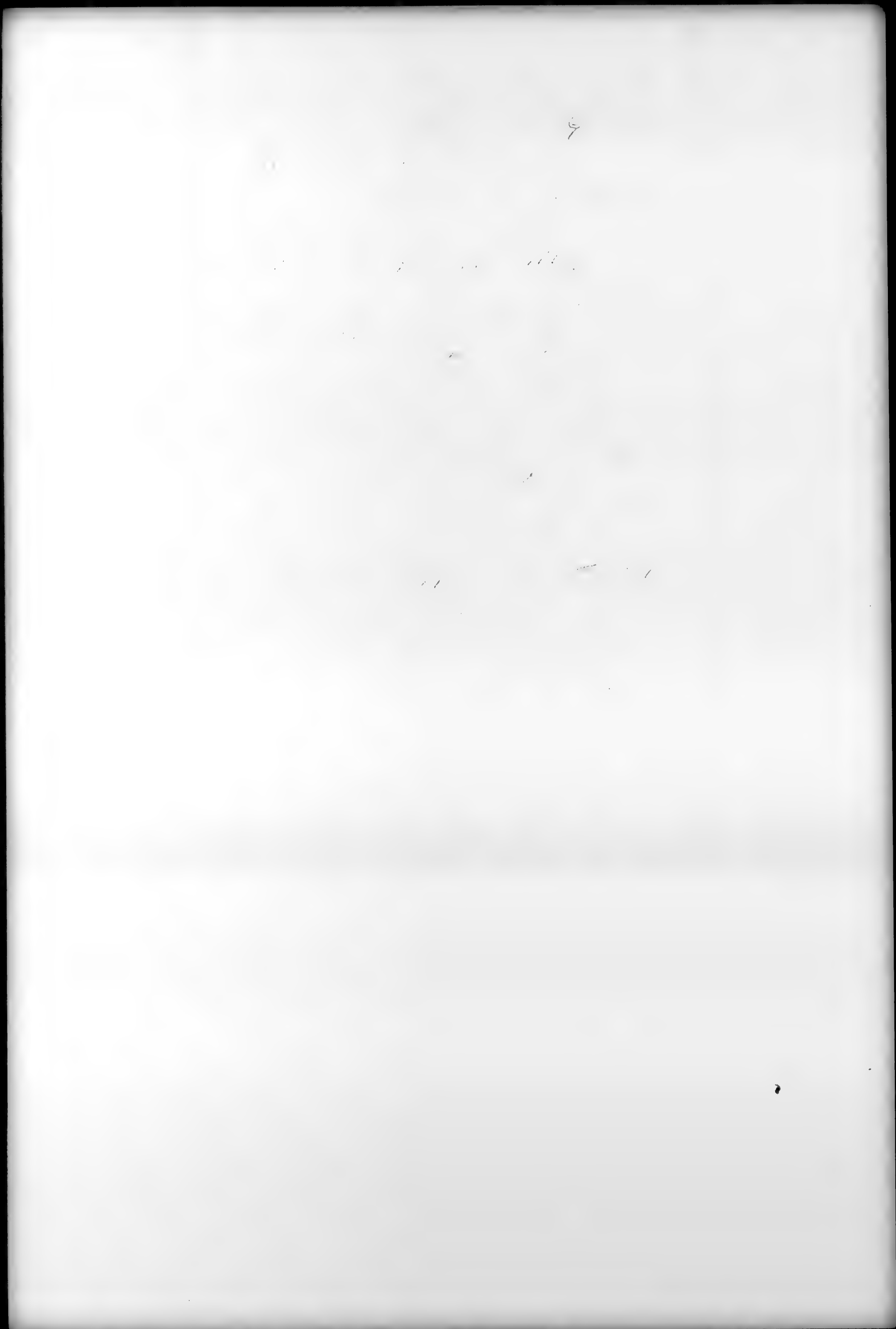
Notary Public.

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.

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

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James L. Taylor, first Sul. sworn, deposition says:

That I am 29 years of age. I claim my Indian descent through my mother; my father was a white man. My mother was about 35 when she died. Don't know where my mother was born. To the best of my knowledge, she died in Ind. Terr. She originally came from Ala., but I don't know what part. Don't know which of her parents she claimed to be. Ulin was my grandmother's maiden name, but I don't know her first name. I think my mother got her Indian descent through her mother, but am not sure. Don't know my mother's brothers and sisters. Don't know whether my father ever lived with the Indians as a member of any tribe. I never lived with them myself. My wife is a white woman. Both of my sisters married white men. I am descended from a white man in the community. My mother has not on my rolls that I know of. Never heard that she ever received anything from the government by reason of her Indian blood. I did not see application of the Taxes Commission; this is the only application I have made. There is no one living that I know of who says my mother was Indian by ancestry.

*[Signature]*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed at \_\_\_\_\_, Ind. Terr., this 24th day of Aug. 1904.

*[Signature]*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Assistant Special Commissioner  
of the Land Office.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 17 1909  
No. 9064

*W. H. ...*  
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 21 1909  
No. 8051

*notice*  
*6/10*

Dear Mother  
I received your letter  
of the 10th and was  
glad to hear from you  
and to hear you got the  
letter before the court of claims.  
I'm sorry you  
" 8051  
I hope I can see you





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*W. H. L. H.*

W. H. L. H.
1898
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C.

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JAN 27 1918

Dear Mr. [unclear]  
I have not had time  
to write you before  
but I am glad to  
hear from you and  
hope you are well.  
I am well at present  
and hope these few  
lines will find you  
the same. I am  
very truly  
yours,  
[unclear]



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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 21 1909  
No. 7343

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Henry Jones

1847

I would wish you  
on your journey

5-11-66

No. 3 Action: release

Name John & Susan and 1 children. Residence: 1000 1st St

Reasons: John, the owner of the property, has been convicted of a crime and is serving a term in prison. Susan, the wife of John, has been convicted of a crime and is serving a term in prison.

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No. 27

Name J. J. J.

With No. 7/27

Remarks:

No.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

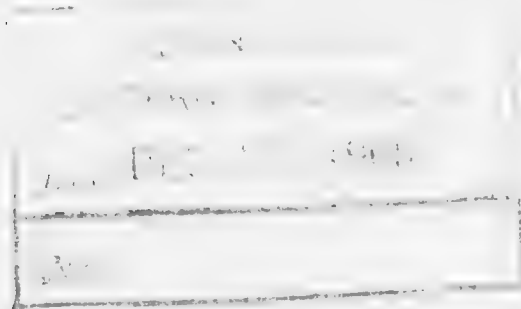
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary S. 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.

6-621



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:

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: \_\_\_\_\_

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

	NAME.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____
(4)	Ray Wallace Pinkston	Sept - 30 - 1897
(5)	Ray Jackson Pinkston	Jan - 3 - 1900
(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.
Richard _____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

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: <sup>Richard</sup> my father

*English name*  
Richard  
my mother  
Mary & Daniel  
English name

REMARKS.

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

*That on Richard's certificate was his English name  
Richard  
my mother  
Mary & Daniel  
English name*

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

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

(Signature.) *Mary J. [unclear]*

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

My commission expires

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *[Signature]* and *[Signature]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *[Signature]*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *16* years and *16* years, respectively, and know *him* 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 make.

Signatures of witnesses.

*G. A. Clark*  
*C. H. [unclear]*

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

My commission expires

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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

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No 1344

Action: reject

Name *Wagon Master* and *children* Residence: *San Jose*

Reasons:

*invention of a <sup>2</sup> machine through an*

7305

No. 725

Name

With No. 725

Remarks:

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Maggie 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.

6-521



CHESTER V  
AT OREGON, Y.  
S. & P. R. I. S. T.  
A. S. T. O. N.

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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-- *Maggie Taylor*  
English name: *d.*  
Indian name: *no indian name*
2. Residence: *Lanmus*
3. Town and post office: *Lanmus*
4. County: *Fannin*
5. State: *Texas*
6. Date and place of birth: *July 11 - 1881 - Arkansas*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Not married*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father - English name: *John Taylor*  
Indian name: *John Taylor*  
Mother - English name: *Cate Taylor*  
Indian name: *Cate Nolin*  
Maiden name: *Nolin*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Alabama*  
Mother: *do not know*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *do not know*  
Mother: *do not know*
13. Date of death of your father and mother  
Father: *February 1887*      Mother: *December 24 1885*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Not as we know of*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Sarah Taylor</i>	<i>dead</i>	
(2)	<i>Robert Taylor</i>	<i>died 1885</i>	
(3)	<i>Bell Taylor married Anderson Platt</i>	<i>born 4 of September 1877</i>	
(4)	<i>James D. Taylor</i>	<i>February 10 - 1879</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>on Father's side</i>	<i>William Taylor</i>
	<i>Cate Nolin</i>

17. Where were they born? *Father born in Ohio*

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: *do not know any of the questions*

Indian name: *down to the 20 number*

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:

*All the claim is on Mother's side Nolin.*

REMARKS.

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

*My Parents died when I was young and I dont know of any one that can be put in Evidence*

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

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

(Signature.) *Maggie Taylor*

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

My commission expires *year 1st* 1907

*J. F. M. Stephens* Notary Public  
*Farmington, Idaho*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Earnest Cook* and *J. F. M. Stephens*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Maggie Taylor*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *5 or 6* years and *...* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person who represents *the claim* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *said* claim.

Witnesses to mark. *J. E. Stephens*

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires *year 1st* 1907

*J. F. M. Stephens* Notary Public  
*Farmington, Idaho*

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, when ever 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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JUN 26 1907  
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To

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The Commission of  
the State of New York  
to the State of New York

1917

I will give you  
a copy of the  
report of the  
Commission of  
the State of New York  
to the State of New York

Read down it  
some time  
looking to  
address  
George Taylor

Hudd City  
Linnan, Co. Ia  
Rd. No 2.  
Oct. 19,

App. #7345.

June 27, 1907.

Maggie Taylor,

R.P.O. No. 2, Box 19,  
Podd City, Texas.

Madam:-

Your letter of June 22, 1907, relative to when the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees 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, an abstract of which is herewith inclosed, has extended the time for the filing of applications to August 31, 1907, and until the applications have all been filed it will be impossible to give final consideration to any of them.

As there are already over 26,000 applications on file and the claimants are widely scattered through the United States, it will necessarily take considerable time to have all of these cases adjudicated, and until they are so determined no money can be distributed.

If there is any further information required in connection with your application you will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

NLC.

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 26 1909  
No. 7345

Rej notice  
7/30/09

George Washington

Signature

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Dear Mother  
I hope you are  
well & happy  
I am well  
I am now  
in the  
hospital  
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R. H.

Jamaica  
R. H.

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Action:

Name:

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

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Name J. J. J.

With No. 733

Remarks:



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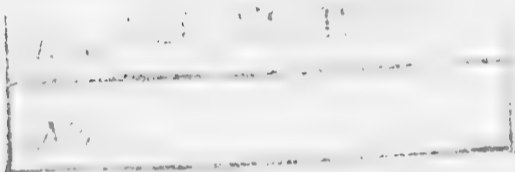
# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary O. ...*

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



7346

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name

English name: *Wary E. Trank*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Warriner*

3. Town and post office: *Warriner*

4. County: *Sevier*

5. State: *Tennessee*

6. Date and place of birth: *Dec. 23, 1852 near Warriner, 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 descent from*

*John Blackbird*

8. Are you married? *No*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *None*

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

Father: English name: *J. B. Blackbird*

Indian name:

Mother: English name: *Mary Blackbird*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father: *near Warriner, Tenn.*

Mother: *near Warriner, Tenn.*

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

Father: *near Warriner, Tenn.*

Mother: *near Warriner, Tenn.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: *Abt. 1875* Mother: *Abt. 1875*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were not enrolled*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Francis E Blackburn</i>		<i>October 1861</i>
(2)	<i>William M Blackburn</i>	<i>August 13 1864</i>	<i>Still</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>Francis Blackburn</i>	<i>Elizabeth Proctor</i>

17. Where were they born? *Not known, resided in 31 years in New York and Maryland*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *in 1851 they resided to Kent in the date of the...*

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

- (1) English name: *Francis E Blackburn*  
Indian name: *Blackburn*  
Residence: *Blackburn*
- (2) English name: *William M Blackburn*  
Indian name: *Blackburn*  
Residence: *Blackburn*
- (3) English name: *Elizabeth Blackburn*  
Indian name: *Blackburn*  
Residence: *Blackburn*
- (4) English name: *Blackburn*  
Indian name: *Blackburn*  
Residence: *Blackburn*
- (5) English name: *Blackburn*  
Indian name: *Blackburn*  
Residence: *Blackburn*

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:

*W. L. Latham*  
*E. B. ...*  
*...*  
*...*  
*Blackburn*

**REMARKS.**

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

*I ...*  
*...*  
*...*  
*...*

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

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

(Signature.) *Mary E. Tracy*

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

My commission expires *1900*

Notary Public.

**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 B. Blaydes* and *...*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *W. L. Latham*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *...* for *4* years and *5* years, respectively, and know *...* to be the identical person *...* represents *...* to be, and that the statements made by *...* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to swear.

Signatures of witnesses.

*George B. Blaydes*  
*...*

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

My commission expires *1900*

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. DEC 17 1908  
No. 7346

*W. C. ...*  
DEC 17 1908

Laurie, Ed.

1911

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

I have a request  
for a copy of the  
application for  
the land in  
the name of  
the late  
John A. [unclear]  
No. 7546. I  
would be  
grateful if you  
could send  
me a copy of  
the same.

Wm. E. ...  
and ... for ...  
with

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No. 7347.

Action: Reject.

Name: Deffie Townsend and children. Residence: Romney, Texas.

Reasons: Grand-niece of 5964; claims thru same source.

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No. 13

Name

With No.

Remarks:

No. ....

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

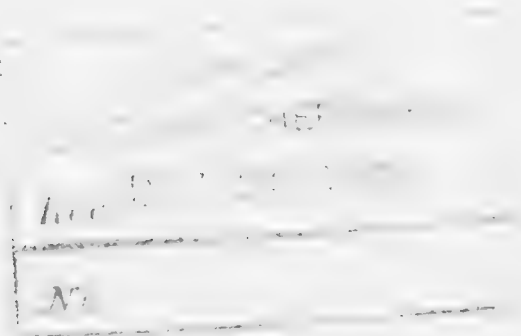
APPLICATION

OF

*Debbie Townsend*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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 DOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
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: Walter C. Curtis

Indian name: Walter C. Curtis

2. Residence: Wagon Mound, N. M.

3. Town and post office: Wagon Mound, N. M.

4. County: Grant

5. State: N. M.

6. Date and place of birth: February 22, 1884, Wagon Mound, N. 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: My father's side and relative living in 1851. My grand father

8. Are you married? No

9. Name and age of wife or husband: None  
26 years of age

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

Father—English name: Walter C. Curtis

Indian name: Walter C. Curtis

Mother—English name: Anna Williams

Indian name: Anna Williams

Maiden name: Anna Curtis

11. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Georgia

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

Father: Wagon Mound, N. M.

Mother: Wagon Mound, N. M.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1884 Mother: 1884

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *yes in 1851 and 1852 enrolled in the ...*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>William</i>	<i>1853</i>	
(2)	<i>John</i>	<i>1854</i>	
(3)	<i>...</i>		
(4)	<i>...</i>		
(5)	<i>Rudie Williams</i>	<i>1896</i>	
(6)	<i>Lethe Williams</i>	<i>1893</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>Joseph Williams</i>	<i>...</i>
<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>

17. Where were they born? *South Carolina*  
*Georgia*

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

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

(1) English name:	<i>Lethe Williams</i>	<i>Jan 10, 1826</i>	
Indian name:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>	
Residence:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>	
(2) English name:	<i>Lethe Williams</i>	<i>Jan 24, 1827</i>	
Indian name:	<i>...</i>	<i>April 2, 1831</i>	
Residence:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>	
(3) English name:	<i>Lethe Williams</i>	<i>Jan 12, 1819</i>	
Indian name:	<i>...</i>	<i>April 7, 1831</i>	
Residence:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>	
(4) English name:	<i>John Williams</i>	<i>Jan 29, 1829</i>	
Indian name:	<i>...</i>	<i>May 3, 1832</i>	
Residence:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>	
(5) English name:	<i>Lethe Williams</i>	<i>Jan 12, 1829</i>	
Indian name:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>	
Residence:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>	

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

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

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REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *H. L. S. ...*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29th* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan 1st*, 190*7*

*M. D. Freeman*

Notary Public, *Eastland*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *R. L. Early* and *W. M. Shannon*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs. D. J. ...*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for *5* years and *6* 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.

*R. L. Early*  
*W. M. Shannon*

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

My commission expires

*Jan 1st*, 190*7*

*M. D. Freeman*

Notary Public, *Eastland*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_ Action: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ children. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons: \_\_\_\_\_

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No. *11*

Name *H. C. ...*

With No. *...*

Remarks:

No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*J. T. ...*  
*Cherokee*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 27, 1906.

No.

THE STATE OF ...  
ATTORNEY,  
...

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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 ...*

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: *Q/E*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>L. C. ...</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>James ...</i>	<i>Andrew ...</i>
<i>peretta ...</i>	<i>Anna ...</i>

17. Where were they born? *Kentucky* } *Wardens County Kentucky*  
*Unknown* } *Garrard " "*

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:	<i>Jesse J Roberts</i>	<i>Oliver ...</i>
Indian name:	<i>...</i>	<i>died 1871</i>
Residence:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>
(2) English name:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>
Indian name:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>
Residence:	<i>...</i>	<i>...</i>
(3) English name:	<i>...</i>	<i>died 1878</i>
Indian name:	<i>...</i>	<i>died 1877</i>
Residence:		
(4) English name:	<i>...</i>	
Indian name:		
Residence:	<i>...</i>	
(5) English name:	<i>...</i>	
Indian name:	<i>...</i>	
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:

*A Great Grandfather ...*  
*...*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Once ...*  
*and appeared to ...*  
*... at ...*  
*showing applicant ...*

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

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

My commission expires *Oct 10<sup>th</sup>*, 190*9* *John Bailey*  
Notary Public.

**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 Bailey* and *Anna Bailey*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Anna Bailey*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *37* years and *—* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signature of witness.

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

My commission expires *Oct 11*, 190*9* *John Bailey*  
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.

5-11-65

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

Action: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_

children.

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

Reasons:

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No. ....

Name .....

With No. 105

Remarks:

No. 1111

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

## APPLICATION

OF  
*Mrs Lizzie M Turner*  
*Felsin 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 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
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H E T E N  
T C H E Y

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name

English name:

Lizzie M. Darnie -

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Cherokee County, Georgia

3. Town and post office:

Excelsior Springs

4. County:

Cherokee

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

11. December 1861 - Excelsior Springs, Georgia

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

James M. Darnie, son of William  
of Virginia, Cherokee County, Georgia, born  
1815, died 1875, Cherokee  
1835, a grant made, Alabama by the  
Cherokee Commission and heard to US Court

8. Are you married:

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

None

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

Father - English name:

George Smith

Indian name:

Mother - English name:

Charlotte Smith

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Charlotte Smith

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Virginia

Mother:

Virginia

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

Father:

Harrison County, Georgia

Mother:

"

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father:

1888

Mother:

1875

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 & Gevinn	age 69	Living
(2)	Sally Gidberry	" 55	"
(3)	William Smith	57	"
(4)	George Smith	52	
(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.
Nathan Smith	James Blackburn
Elizabeth Smith	Wm. Blackburn
	Wm. Blackburn

17. Where were they born? *on the side of Kentucky*  
*Mothers side Kentucky*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *on this side not remembered on Mothers side Kentucky*

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

(1) English name:	Fathers side	Dead
Indian name:	Samuel Smith	"
Residence:	Abraham	"
(2) English name:	Frank	"
Indian name:	John	"
Residence:	Henry Smith	Kentucky
(3) English name:	Mothers side	
Indian name:		
Residence:	James Blackburn	Dead
(4) English name:	John	"
Indian name:	Jesse	"
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:

*by Mother,*  
Elizabeth Smith, nee Blackburn Grandfather James  
Blackburn of Kentucky and Great Grandfather James  
and Rhoda <sup>nee Boyette</sup> Blackburn of Virginia who were  
Cherokee Indians by blood also Polly Carter a 1/2 Grand  
who was 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 made before the Duves Commission and  
case appealed to the U S Court report on record  
with the case at Nashville TN shows 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.) *Lizzie M. Turner.*

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

My commission expires

*January 1st*, 1907

*Henry H. Dutton*  
*Notary Public,*  
*in and for Wayne County, Tennessee*

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. H. Anderson*  
*C. S. ...*

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

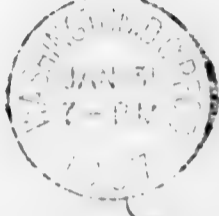
My commission expires

*January 1st*, 1907

*Henry H. Dutton*  
*Notary Public,*  
*in and for Wayne County, Tennessee*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.



*Lizzie M. ...*  
To avoid delay to delivery have your mail  
addressed to Street and No. P. O. Box; or  
General Delivery.  
*to Master Howe, City.*

*City*

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. 7347 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."

4-1-1968

No. 1000

Action: [unclear]

Name [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons:

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No. 7350

Name Aaron W. Wland

With No. 2904

Remarks: Grouped box-  
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... of ...  
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# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

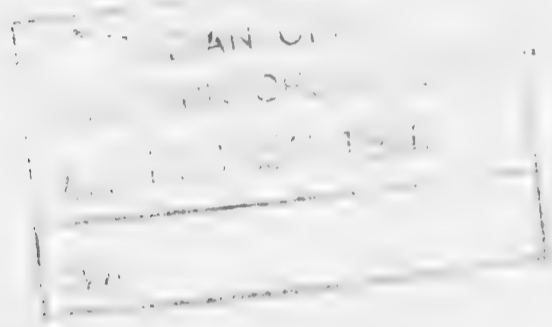
APPLICATION

OF

*Carroll G. Maud*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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: Aaron Washington Wland

Indian name: None none

2. Residence: Vincennes, Indiana.

3. Town and post office: Vincennes.

4. County: Knox

5. State: Indiana.

6. Date and place of birth: May 17<sup>th</sup> 1885; Wright's Point, 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: I claim through Letta Bays whose maiden name was Letta Mays, my great-grand mother on my father's side and her brother Sam Mays of Georgia who was on the roll of 1833 or 1835, or both, of the Old Virginia Reservation.

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Myrtle Wland, age 25

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

Father English name: John Wland

Indian name: John Wland

Mother English name: Letta Mays

Indian name: Letta Mays

Maiden name: Letta Mays

11. Where were they born?

Father: Greenville, S. C.

Mother: Letta Mays

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

Father: Letta Mays

Mother: Letta Mays

13. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1885

Mother: 1885

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Not to any knowledge*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John W. Wland	Dec 1874	living
(2)	Ruth E. Wland	Dec 1876	Dec 1876
(3)	see H. Wland	Dec 1878	living
(4)	Charles E. Wland	Dec 1881	October 1904.
(5)	Edith E. Wland	Dec 1888	Dec 1890.
(6)	Grand Wland	Dec 1891	living
(7)	Maude Wland	Dec 1891	May 1906.
(8)	Raymond Wland	Dec 1894	living
(9)	Harry E. Wland	Dec 1898	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
John Wland	Carrie Cook
Edith Wland	Ruth E.

17. Where were they born? *On father's side, grandfather in Virginia and grand-mother in Green County, Indiana. Other unknown.*

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

*In Green County, Indiana.*

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

- (1) English name: *David J. Wland* Died: *1853*  
 2 English name: *Jonas Wland* Died in *1862*  
 Residence:
- (3) English name: *Elijah Wland* Died in *1883*  
 (4) English name: *Vera Wland* Died in *1875*  
 Residence:
- (5) English name: *Carrie Wland* *now living*  
 c English name: *Eliza Jane Wland* *now living*  
 Residence:
- (7) English name: *John Wland (-father of claimant)* *Quincy, Indiana.*  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (8) English name: *Stewart Wland* *now living*  
 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 understanding is that my Great-grandmother Letta Bays whose maiden name was Letta Mays, was known in her English and Indian name as "Letta Mays," and that she was the sister of Jane Mays who was in the rolls of 1833 or 1835 in Georgia.*

REMARKS.

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

*My understanding is also, that my grand-mother Polly Maudt was a daughter of the said Letta Bays aforementioned.*

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

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

My commission expires

*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*William F. Calverley*  
Notary Public, in  
and for *Steele* County,  
Indiana.

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. Riddle* and *J. L. Oliphant*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Aaron Washington Maudt*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *3* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses (each)

Signatures of witnesses

*J. L. Riddle*  
*J. L. Oliphant*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1907

*William F. Calverley*  
Notary Public, in  
and for *Steele* County, Indiana.

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VINCENNES, IND. July-9th-190

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir;

We represent Messrs John Uland, Jesse H. Uland and Aaron  
W. Uland applicants in the Eastern Cherokee matter. We do not know  
the numbers of their applications. These parties have children and  
while their names are mentioned in the application of each of said  
parties, is it necessary for the parties to make out a separate ap-  
plication for their minor children? If so, please send us blanks.

Yours Respectfully,

*Calverley & Judah*

App. #7580-1-2.

July 18, 1907.

Calverley & Judah,  
Vincennes,  
Indiana.

Sirs:-

Your letter of July 9, 1907, relative to the applications of Aaron W., John and Jesse H. Gland, is at hand.

You are advised that from our records it appears that Chester Howe of this City is the attorney for these parties.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

1-2-1955

No. 1001

Action: 11/1/55

Name: [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons:

[Faint handwritten text, possibly describing reasons for action]

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No. ....

Name .....

With No. ....

Remarks:

No. 1000

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*John Ward*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1907.



CHESTER WARD,  
ATTORNEY

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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 Wland  
Indian name: Hove wove.

2. Residence: Vincennes, Indiana

3. Town and post office: Vincennes

4. County: Knox

5. State: Indiana

6. Date and place of birth: July 7<sup>th</sup> 1854; Green County, Ind

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim through Zetta Bays, whose maiden name was Ma (Marys) my grand mother, and her brother Saml Mays of Georgia, on the roll of 1833 or 1835, or both, of the old Virginia res.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Wife E. Wland; age - 48 years

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

Father English name: John Wland

Indian name: Hact wove.

Mother English name: Polly Wland

Indian name: Hact wove.

Mother name: Polly Bays.

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Virginia

Mother: In Green County, Indiana

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

Father: In Green County, Indiana

Mother: In Green County, Indiana.

13. Date of death of your paternal mother:

Father: In Autumn of 1862 Mother: Dec 1851



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)	Sarah J. Wland	Jan 1842	Jan 1893
(2)	Jonas Wland	Jan 1844	Jan 1862
(3)	Elizabeth Wland	Jan 1846	Jan 1883
(4)	Vera Wland	Jan 1848	Jan 1875
(4 1/2)	Carrie Wland	Jan 1850	Now living.
(5)	Elizavane Wland	Jan 1852	Now living.
(5 1/2)	John Wland (claimant)	Jan 1854	Now living.
(6)	Clementine Wland	Jan 1856	Now living.

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*Letta Bays, maiden name Mayo.*  
*Walter Bays*

17. Where were they born? *My grandmother Letta Bays was born in the Old Cherokee District of Va, in Va. Grandfather in Virginia.*

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

*In Green County, Indiana*

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

- (1) English name: *Walter Bays; dead; Do not know date of death.*  
 (2) English name: *Willie Bays; dead; Do not know date of death.*  
 Residence: *Unknown*  
 (3) English name: *Clary Bays; dead; Do not know date of death.*  
 (4) English name: *Elyse Bays; dead; Do not know date of death.*  
 Residence: *Unknown*  
 (5) English name: *Josephina Bays; dead; Do not know date of death.*  
 (6) Indian name: *Joseph M. Bays; dead; Do not know date of death.*  
 Residence: *Unknown*  
 (7) English name: *Polly Bays; dead; Jan 1856 (My mother)*  
 (8) English name: *Alfred Bays; dead; Do not know date of death.*  
 Residence: *Unknown*  
 (9) English name: *Jackson Bays; dead; Do not know date of death.*  
 (10) English name: *James Bays; dead; Do not know date of death.*  
 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:

My understanding is that my Grandmother Letta Bays whose maiden name was Letta Mays, was known in her English and Indian name as Letta Mays and that she was the sister of Sam Mays who was on the roll of 1833 or 1835 in Georgia.

REMARKS.

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

after the marriage of my grandmother Letta Mays to my grand-father Walter Bays, she and all of her descendants used the surname of Bays, except the females of the family who married.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 Waud

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

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup> 1907.

William F. Calverley  
Notary Public, in  
and for Knox County,  
Indiana.

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. L. Cliphart

Volney Miller

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Waud

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 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 the claim.

Witness my hands

Signature of Witness

H. L. Cliphart  
Volney Miller

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

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup> 1907.

William F. Calverley  
Notary Public, in  
and for Knox County, Indiana.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, when so 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.

No. 7351

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*John W. ...*

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.

Attys:-  
*Calverley & Judah,*  
*Vincennes,*  
*Indiana.*

## 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. 7351.

1. State your full name: John Wland
2. Residence and post office: Vincennes
3. County: Stuart
4. State: Louisiana
5. Date and place of birth: July 7<sup>th</sup> 1854; Green County, Indiana,
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Risic Wland; 49 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>John R. Wland</u>	<u>33 years old</u>	<u>December 15<sup>th</sup> 1874</u>
(2)	<u>Jesse H. Wland</u>	<u>29 years old</u>	<u>December 27<sup>th</sup> 1878</u>
(3)	<u>Carson W. Wland</u>	<u>22 years old</u>	<u>May 11<sup>th</sup> 1885</u>
(4)	<u>Claude Wland</u>	<u>16 years old</u>	<u>May 11<sup>th</sup> 1891</u>
(5)	<u>Raymond Wland</u>	<u>13 years old</u>	<u>September 11<sup>th</sup> 1894</u>
(6)	<u>Harry E. Wland</u>	<u>9 years old</u>	<u>March 7<sup>th</sup> 1898</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 make application herein for and on behalf of the most minor of my children named above, the above children being under their...

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

(Signature) John Wland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

William F. Calverly  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

June 13<sup>th</sup>, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me Frank J. Oliphant and Benjamin F. Nesbitt who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Maud who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 10 years and 4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim herein.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Frank J. Oliphant

Benjamin F. Nesbitt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

William F. Calverly  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 13<sup>th</sup>, 1911.

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No. 111111 Action: 111111

Name: 111111 and 111111 children. Residence: 111111

Reasons: 111111

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*No.* .....

*Name* .....

*With No.* .....

*Remarks:*

Serial 78  
No. 724

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jesse Horace Mauds*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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,  
SOUTH 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: *John Horace Wland*

Indian name: *How-nure*

2. Residence: *Sumner, Indiana*

3. Town and post office: *Sumner*

4. County: *Warrick*

5. State: *Indiana*

6. Date and place of birth: *December 27<sup>th</sup> 1877, Green County, Indiana*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim as the son of Lella  
Byrd, my great-grandmother, and her brother  
Sam W. of the state of Georgia, who was  
in the raid of 1833 or 1835, on the part of the  
Old Virginia Regiment.*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and birth of wife or maiden: *Mary E. ...*

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

Father: English name: *John Wland*

Indian name:

Mother: English name: *Mary E. ...*

Indian name:

Mother name: *Miss Condit*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Warrick County, Indiana*

Mother: *Warrick County, Indiana*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if different from above?

Father: *Warrick County, Indiana*

Mother: *Warrick County, Indiana*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: *...*

Mother: *...*

11. 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)	Aaron W. Maud	May 11 <sup>th</sup> 1885	now living
(2)	Claude Maud	May 11 <sup>th</sup> 1891	now living
(3)	Raymond Maud	Sept 11 <sup>th</sup> 1894	now living
(4)	Harry C. Maud	March 7 <sup>th</sup> 1898	now living
(4 <sup>b</sup> )	Charles G. Maud	November 17 <sup>th</sup> 1881	October 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1904
(5)	Ruth M. Maud	November 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1876	December 27 <sup>th</sup> 1878
(5 <sup>b</sup> )	Edw. C. Maud	Oct 21 <sup>st</sup> 1888	June 27 <sup>th</sup> 1890
(6)	Mary Maud	May 11 <sup>th</sup> 1891	May 6 <sup>th</sup> 1906
(7)	John R. Maud	December 13 <sup>th</sup> 1894	now living

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Grandfather	Polly Maud	Aaron Corubo - Grandfather
Grandmother	John Maud	Ruth Corubo - Grandmother

17. Where were they born? *on father's side, grandfather in Virginia and grandmothers in Green County, Indiana. Others unknown.*

18. Where did they reside in 1871, if living at that time?  
*In Green County, Indiana.*

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

- (1) English name: *Sarah J. Maud* - Died in 1893  
Indian name:  
Residence:
- (2) English name: *Jonas Maud* - died in 1862.  
Indian name:  
Residence:
- (3) English name: *Elizabeth Maud* - Died in 1883.  
English name: *Vien Maud* - Died in 1875.  
Indian name:  
Residence:
- (4) English name: *Carrie Maud* now living  
English name: *Elyz Jane Maud* now living  
Indian name:  
Residence:
- (5) English name: *John Maud* (father of Annis with), Vincennes, Indiana,  
English name: *Clementine Maud* now living  
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 understanding is that my Great-grandmother Letta Bays whose maiden name was Letta Mays, was known in her English and Indian name as Letta "S". My grand-mother Polly Bays was a daughter of -

REMARKS.

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

My great-grandmother "Letta Mays" after her marriage, and her descendants, the heirs of the surname of Bays, with the females of the family after their marriage.

NOTE.--Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 Horace Maud

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

My commission expires June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1907.

William F. Calverley  
Notary Public, in  
and for Knox County,  
Indiana.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me H. L. Oliphant and Volney Miller, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with Jesse Horace Maud, 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

Signatures of witnesses

H. L. Oliphant  
Volney Miller

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

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1907.

William F. Calverley  
Notary Public, in  
and for Knox County, Indiana.

NOTE.--Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person bearing a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, the affidavit is executed before a notary, etc.

No. 7352

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*[Handwritten signature]*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

Attys: -  
*Calverley and Judah,*  
*Vincennes,*  
*Indiana.*

## 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. 7352

1. State your full name: Jesse Horace Almond
2. Residence and post office: Vincennes,
3. County: Warrick
4. State: Indiana
5. Date and place of birth: December 27<sup>th</sup> 1878: in Peru, Ind.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Martha Ann Almond 31
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>William Almond</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>December 27, 1878</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: \_\_\_\_\_

### 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) Jesse Horace Almond

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

William T. Colver  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

June 13<sup>th</sup>, 1908

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me Frank G. Clifton and Benjamin F. Nesbitt who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jesse Horace Waud who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 5 years and 4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim herein.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

F. G. Clifton  
B. F. Nesbitt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

William F. Calverley,  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 13<sup>th</sup>, 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.

Apr. 1908.

January 7, 1908.

Dear Mr. [Name],  
[Address]

Sir:-

I have the pleasure to inform you that  
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Yours faithfully,  
[Signature]

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CALVERLEY & JUDAH  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

WILLIAM F. CALVERLEY  
CHARLES B. JUDAH

VINCENNES, INDIANA,

Jan. 10-1908

Mr. James Miller,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir: Find enclosed affidavit  
of Horace Blount regarding his  
children - as you wrote him.

Yours Respectfully,  
Wm. F. Calverley

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State of Indiana.

Knox County, Ind.

Jesse Lyvon Uland being first duly sworn on oath says that Aia G. Uland is a daughter of his, that she was born on the 18th day of January, 1906; and that Jennie Lyvon Uland was a daughter of his and she was born on the 24th day of January 1906 and died on the 18th day of March 1907. That this affiant has no other children.

Jesse Lyvon Uland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January, 1908.

William F. ...

Notary Public in and for Knox County, Indiana.

My commission expires on the 1st day of June 1911.

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No. 1000

Action: Report

Name: J. S. and 1 children. Residence: [illegible]

Reasons:

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No. ....

Name .....

With No. ....

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John P. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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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WALTER F. ...  
ATTORNEY

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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 Ransom Mound  
Indian name: Hove none

2. Residence: Benfield, Indiana

3. Town and post office: Benfield,

4. County: Green County,

5. State: Indiana

6. Date and place of birth: Dec 15<sup>th</sup>, 1844, Green County, 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: I claim through Letta Baye whose maiden name was Letta Wags my great-grandmother on my father's side and her brother Sam Wags of Georgia, who was on the roll of 1838 or 1839, or both, of old Virginia Riverain

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband.

J. Mound; 20 yrs. et.

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

Father - English name: John Mound

Indian name: Hove none,

Mother - English name: Lisa Mound

Indian name: Hove none,

Maiden name: Lisa Combs

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Green County, Indiana.

Mother: In Green County, Indiana.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, in 1852, or that year?

Father: In Green County, Indiana.

Mother: In Green County, Indiana.

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: *C*

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Aaron W. Wlandt -	Dec 1885	
(2) Ruth M. Wlandt -	Dec 1876	December 1906
(3) Faye H. Wlandt -	Dec 1878	living
(4) Charles E. Wlandt -	Dec 1881	October 1904
(5) Fred E. Wlandt -	Dec 1888	Dec 1890
(6) Elwood Wlandt -	Dec 1891	living
(7) Maude Wlandt -	Dec 1891	May 1906
(8) Raymond Wlandt -	Dec 1894	living
(9) Harry E. Wlandt -	Dec 1898	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.
John Wlandt	Aaron Combs
Polly Wlandt	Ruth Combs

17. Where were they born? *On father's side - grandfathers in Germany and grandmothers in Green County, Indiana. All unknown.*

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

*In Green County, Indiana.*

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

- On father's side.*
- (1) English name: Sarah J. Wlandt; Died in 1893.  
 (2) English name: Jonas Wlandt; Died in 1862.  
 Residence:
- (3) English name: Elizabeth Wlandt; Died in 1883.  
 (4) English name: Vera Wlandt; Died in 1875.  
 Residence:
- (5) English name: Carrie Wlandt; now living.  
 (6) English name: Eliza Jane Wlandt; now living.  
 Residence:
- (7) English name: John Wlandt (father of claimant); living at Vincennes, Indiana.  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (8) English name: *Wm Wlandt*  
 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 understanding is that my great grand mother Pella Boye whose maiden name was Pella Mays, was known in her English and Indian name as "Pella Mays", and that she was the sister of Sam Mays who was on the rolls of 1833 in Georgia.*

REMARKS.

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

*My understanding is also, that my grand mother Polly Wood was a daughter of the said Pella Boye and her first husband.*

Note.— Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 Ransom Wood*  
17<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

My commission expires  
*June 1<sup>st</sup> 1907.*

*William F. Calverly*  
Notary Public, *ex officio*  
and for *Stump County, Indiana*

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. Riddle* and *F. L. Oliphant* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John Ransom Wood*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for *15* years and *3* years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witness my hands

Signature of witness

*J. L. Riddle*  
*F. L. Oliphant*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906.

My commission expires  
*June 1<sup>st</sup> 1907.*

*William F. Calverly*  
Notary Public, *ex officio*  
and for *Stump County, Indiana*

Note.— Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person authorized to administer oaths. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be sworn to before a notary.

No. 7353

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Juan Cain Wland*

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. 7353

1. State your full name: John R. Ulland
2. Residence and post office: Bloomfield,
3. County: Greene
4. State: Indiana
5. Date and place of birth: December 15<sup>th</sup> 1874
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Leona J. Ulland 29 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>Joan Cair Ulland</u>	<u>Two years</u>	<u>Nov 7<sup>th</sup> 1906-</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

### 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 R. Ulland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

13<sup>th</sup>

day of

July

1907.

William A. Meredith  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb. 10

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 Ernest C. Meredith and Ida F. Meredith who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ivan Cain Wland who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 2 years ~~and~~ ~~years~~ ~~respectively~~, and know him to be the identical person represents to be, and that on May 28, 1906, had the child living as above set forth, and that the statements made by are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ernest C. Meredith  
Ida F. Meredith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

William U. Meredith  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1 1910, 1910.

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

No. 7353

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Ivan Cain Wland

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.

DEPT OF CLAIMS  
TOWN OF CHEROKEE  
JUN 2 1907  
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*Suppl. Found  
H. L.*

# Indianapolis Southern Railroad Company.

Bloomfield, Ind. June. 20, 1907.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:--

Under date of 1/31/'07 you acknowledge receipt of application in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee. Beg to inform you that I had an application presented at the same time. Will you kindly advise me if my application has been filed.

Yours truly,

*John R. Uland*

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# Indianapolis Southern Railroad Company.

Bloomfield, Ind., July 25, 1907,

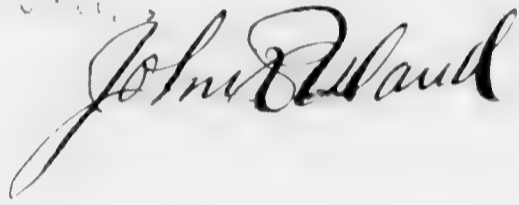
Special Commissioner Court of Claims,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have your receipt regarding application No. 2000, as per your letter, July 6, 1907.

Will acknowledge receipt.

Very truly,





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



John R. Wand,



~~4000 Hester Ave.~~



Rossfield, Ind.

~~City~~

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

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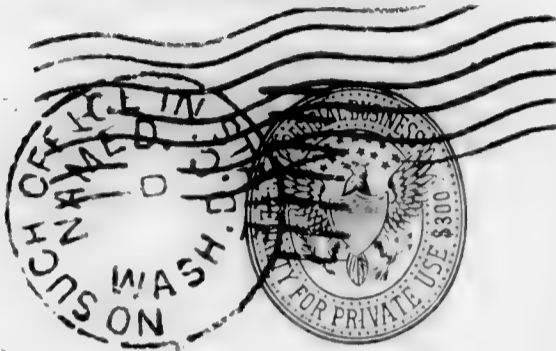
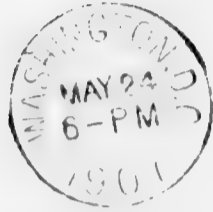
Washington, D. C., *1-17*, 1907

Receipt of your supplemental application on behalf of your minor children for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed with your original application, No. *353*, with which it will be considered.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above, and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

GUION MILLER,  
*Special Commissioner.*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.



John E. Ward,  
Hester Hunt City.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C., 1-3, 190.

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. 7253 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. 7354

Action

*Rejected*

Name

*Mercy Van Trump and X*

children.

Residence:

*Amira Mo.*

Reasons:

*Mule 7/4/94*

7354

No. 95-4

Name

With No. 71-90

Remarks:

No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John F. ...*

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

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney for Applicant

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
FARM LOAN & TRUST CO.  
MEMPHIS, TENN.

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name

English name:

*Pomeroy Van Trump*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*Near Elmira, N.Y. Co., N.Y.*

3. Town and post office:

*Elmira*

4. County:

*Seneca*

5. State:

*Mississippi*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Jan. 1, 1851*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*Being of Cherokee descent*

8. Are you married?

*Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Alice Van Trump*

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

Father - English name:

*John Van Trump*

Indian name:

Mother - English name:

*Mary Van Trump*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Jeffly*

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:

*1851*

Mother:

*1851*



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) <i>Catherine Van Trump</i> |      |      |
| (2) <i>John G. Van Trump</i>   |      |      |
| (3) <i>Samuel Van Trump</i>    |      |      |
| (4) <i>Margie Van Trump</i>    |      |      |
| (5) <i>Samuel Van Trump</i>    |      |      |
| (6) <i>Anna Van Trump</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>Samuel Van Trump</i>	<i>John Van Trump</i>
<i>Elizabeth Van Trump</i>	<i>Elizabeth Van Trump</i>

17. Where were they born? *Father in Virginia*

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

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

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| (1) English name: <i>Josephine Van Trump</i> |   |
| Indian name: <i>Josephine Van Trump</i>      | " |
| Residence: <i>Indiana</i>                    | " |
| (2) English name: <i>Caroline Van Trump</i>  | " |
| Indian name: <i>Josephine Van Trump</i>      | " |
| Residence: <i>Indiana</i>                    | " |
| (3) English name: <i>Josephine Van Trump</i> |   |
| Indian name: <i>Josephine Van Trump</i>      |   |
| Residence: <i>Indiana</i>                    |   |
| (4) English name: <i>Josephine Van Trump</i> |   |
| Indian name: <i>Josephine Van Trump</i>      |   |
| Residence: <i>Indiana</i>                    |   |

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:

*John ... ..  
... ..  
... ..  
... ..*

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, Western District  
of Oregon, the Census Commission report  
was filed in the Court on ... ..  
... ..*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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*

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

My commission expires  
*Dec. 31*, 1908

*Maurice H. Winger*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

*Madge Shutt* and  
*W. H. Childress*, who, being duly sworn, or can depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Pomeroy Van Trump*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *7* years and *15* years,  
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses:

Subscribed and sworn to:

*Madge Shutt*

*W. H. Childress*

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

My commission expires  
*Dec. 31*, 1908

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Notary Public.

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No. 7355

Action: Reported

Name Melisa Van Trump and X children. Residence: Union - Ill

Reasons:

Article of 7099.

7355  
MVA

No. 7255-1147

Name.....

With No. 7/25

Remarks:

1-1-11

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Melina L. E. ...*

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

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COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name:

English name: *Melissa Ann Sump*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Etowah Co., Ga.*

3. Town and post office: *Etowah*

4. County:

5. State: *Mississippi*

6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 1863 State of 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: *as daughter of one Peter Sump*

*and as daughter of one John Sump*  
*the deceased*

8. Are you married? *No*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *W. Sump*

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

Father - English name: *Peter Sump*

Indian name:

Mother - English name: *Mary Sump*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Mary Sump*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Georgia*

Mother: *Georgia*

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

Father: *Waynes County, Georgia*

Mother: *Waynes County, Georgia*

13. Date of death of your father and mother?

Father: *Oct 1863* Mother: *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)	<i>Catherine Van Trump</i>	<i>Apr 18</i>	
(2)	<i>John Van Trump</i>		
(3)	<i>Samuel Van Trump</i>		
(4)	<i>Mary Van Trump</i>	<i>Oct 18</i>	
(5)	<i>William Van Trump</i>		
(6)	<i>George Van Trump</i>		<i>Adell Dec 25, 1901.</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 Jeffery</i>
<i>Elizabeth Van Trump</i>	<i>Mary Ann</i>

17. Where were they born? *Virginia*

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: *Asah Van Trump* *dead*  
Indian name: *Kuten Van Trump* "  
Residence: *Clinton Van Trump* "
- (2) English name: *William Van Trump* "  
Indian name: *Charles Van Trump* "  
Residence: *Washington Van Trump* "
- (3) English name: *John Van Trump* "  
Indian name: *John Van Trump* "  
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 the Dutchess County  
grandfather is known to be the Indian  
by blood by the affidavits of Ex. Chief, Ch. Rose  
and W. H. ...*

REMARKS.

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

*To see was made before James Commission, and  
affirmed to be that of ...  
record with the case of ...  
applicant to have ...*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 Van Trump*

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

My commission expires  
October 22nd 1910

*James ...*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. L. Thompson* and *E. M. Uinger*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William Van Trump*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 30 years and 33 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 and

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires  
October 22nd 1910

*James ...*  
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  
AND COMPTON  
FOR THE  
WESTERN CHEROKEES.  
MAY 27 1909

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No. 751

Action Reported

Name *W. M. Thompson* and *X* children. Residence: *Wm. Co. Mo.*

Reasons:

*...*

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*A. V. Van Trump.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 27, 1906.

RECEIVED

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:

*A. V. Van Trump*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

*India*

3. Town and post office:

*Etowah*

4. County:

*Way*

5. State:

*Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Nov. 27, 1877 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:

*...ing of ...  
Indian Blood, a son of ...  
Van Trump, and a grandson  
of ... Van Trump of ...*

8. Are you married?

*Yes. Age 41*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Melissa Van Trump, 49, old.*

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

Father English name:

*Laben Van Trump*

Indian name:

Mother English name:

*Anna Van Trump*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Anna Van Trump*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Indiana*

Mother:

*Indiana*

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

Father:

*Indiana*

Mother:

*Indiana*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father:

*Dec. 1888*

Mother:

*Dec. 1858*

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>John A. Van Trump</i>		<i>Aug. 1854</i>
(2)	<i>John A. Van Trump</i>	<i>Mar. 7 1832</i>	
(3)	<i>Elizabeth "</i>		<i>Aug. 1854</i>
(4)	<i>William Van Trump</i>	<i>Nov. 24 1811</i>	
(5)	<i>Martha Van Trump</i>	<i>Sept. 26 1865</i>	
(6)	<i>Alonzo Van Trump</i>	<i>May 15 1841</i>	<i>13, 1876</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>Anna Van Trump</i>
<i>Elizabeth "</i>	<i>Elizabeth "</i>

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 death:

(1) English name:	<i>John Van Trump</i>
Indian name:	<i>John Van Trump</i>
Residence:	<i>Virginia</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Abraham Van Trump</i>
Indian name:	<i>Abraham Van Trump</i>
Residence:	<i>Virginia</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Joseph Van Trump</i>
Indian name:	<i>Joseph Van Trump</i>
Residence:	<i>Virginia</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: *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 Camp of Canton Va, was my father  
in law to my mother, Maria M. Black  
by the affidavit of Ex. Co. John Van  
Camp Dec. 11, 1890.*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Case was referred to Special Justice (Commissioner)  
appointed to the U.S. Court. Master reported case &  
with the case at New York. In his report  
affirming to have a Van Camp 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) *A. V. Van Camp*

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

My commission expires *October 22nd 1911*  
*F. W. [Signature]*  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

This affidavit may be sworn to by two or more persons who are well acquainted with the applicant.

*I* personally appeared before me *J. L. Thompson* and *E. M. Winger*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *A. V. Van Camp*, 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 *this* claim.

Witness my hand

*J. L. Thompson*  
*E. M. Winger*

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

My commission expires *October 22nd 1911*  
*F. W. [Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7357

Action: Reported

Name: Osee Van Trump and  children.

Residence: Polo 2<sup>nd</sup>

Reasons: Uncle of 7044.

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No.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

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

6-021



THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
ATTORNEY GENERAL  
J. M. WALKER

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: .....

Indian name: .....

2. Residence: .....

3. Town and post office: .....

4. County: .....

5. State: .....

6. Date and place of birth: .....

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

8. Are you married? .....

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

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

Father—English name: .....

Indian name: .....

Mother—English name: .....

Indian name: .....

Maiden name: .....

11. Where were they born?

Father: .....

Mother: .....

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

Father: .....

Mother: .....

13. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: .....

Mother: .....

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

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

17. Where were they born? .....

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

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

- (1) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....
- (2) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....
- (3) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....
- (4) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....
- (5) English name: .....
- Indian name: .....
- Residence: .....

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

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

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**REMARKS.**

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

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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.) *Osie Van Trump*

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 *Osie Van Trump*, 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

*Dec. 21*, 1908

*Maurice H. Winger*  
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No. 1358

Action Rejected

Name John G. W. Frank and X children. Residence: C...

Reasons: Under § 144.

2358

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

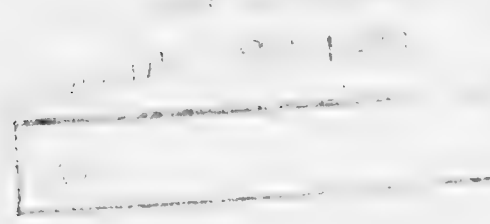
APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel P. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 27, 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: *John C. ...*

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: *...*

*and member of ... of ... and ... of ... Cherokee ... into the ... about ...*

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: *...*

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: *They were enrolled for annuities in 1851*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>John Henry</i>	<i>1806</i>	
(2)	<i>William Henry</i>	<i>1811</i>	<i>Dec. 10, 1851</i>
(3)	<i>John Henry</i>	<i>1812</i>	
(4)	<i>John Henry</i>	<i>1819</i>	
(5)	<i>John Henry</i>	<i>1827</i>	
(6)	<i>John Henry</i>	<i>1827</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 Henry</i>	<i>John Henry</i>
	<i>William Henry</i>	<i>William Henry</i>

17. Where were they born? *John Henry was born in Virginia and William Henry was born in Maryland*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Near a village called ...*

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

(1)	English name: <i>John Henry</i>	<i>near a village called ...</i>
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(2)	English name: <i>John Henry</i>	<i>near a village called ...</i>
	Indian name: <i>John Henry</i>	
	Residence:	
(3)	English name: <i>John Henry</i>	<i>near a village called ...</i>
	Indian name: <i>John Henry</i>	
	Residence:	
(4)	English name: <i>John Henry</i>	<i>near a village called ...</i>
	Indian name: <i>John Henry</i>	
	Residence:	
(5)	English name: <i>John Henry</i>	<i>near a village called ...</i>
	Indian name: <i>John Henry</i>	
	Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were enrolled for annuities in 1851*



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

*William Van Dusen*      *William Van Dusen*  
*William Van Dusen*      *William Van Dusen*  
*Elizabeth Van Dusen*      *Mary Meyer*  
*William Van Dusen*

**REMARKS.**

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

*I have been born to a man named Van Dusen of the name of William Van Dusen and I have been told that the name of my mother was a woman named Meyer and that she was a woman named Meyer who was born in the State of New York.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 Van Dusen*

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

My commission expires

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Notary Public.

**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 Van Dusen* and *John S. ...*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William Van Dusen*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *William Van Dusen* for *2* years and *...* years, respectively, and know *William Van Dusen* to be the identical person *William Van Dusen* represents *William Van Dusen* to be, and that the statements made by *William Van Dusen* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *William Van Dusen* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John S. ...*  
*...*

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

My commission expires

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Notary Public.

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

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

June 10, 1909.

*Wm G. H. Trump,*  
*Conroy, Ark.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *7358*, 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~~ 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.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 12 1909  
No. 7358

*encl.*

108 1/2 East 8th St

Kansas City

Mo

May 8, 1901

Quinn Miller, Spec. Com.

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Will you please

inform me what this case stands  
in the Land Office. I am in  
the possession of the \$50,000.00 going  
to the Eastern Land Office. I have  
written that the claim has been based  
on the grant of 1850 and it was  
never before and I have written  
about some of the points to be  
made. It is my hope to see you

you are in the same way. Very  
truly yours,  
John W. Patterson

COURT OF CLERK  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 28 1907  
No. 7358

*circ. letter*

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Conway, Ark.

Oct 23, 1907.

Hon. James A. Garfield,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:

In June 1905 Congress appropriated \$5,000,000 to pay the claims of the Eastern and Emigrant Cherokee Indians in accordance with a decision rendered by the Court of Appeals and confirmed by the Supreme Court of U.S.

What has been done with that money and why are these claims not being settled off what is the hitch causing all this delay. It has now been a year since some 10,000 of claims were filed and I would like to know what the trouble is. I notice the Department is constantly taking up new business and disposing of it. Will you please inform me where

the money is

Very Obliginglly Yours  
John S. Van Brunt  
A. Colman

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

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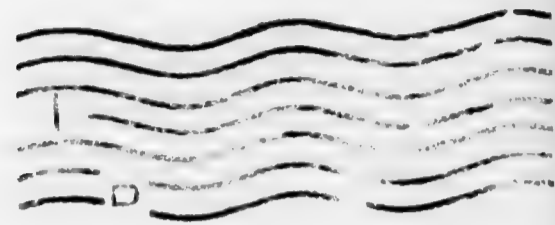
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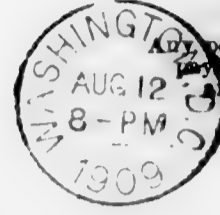
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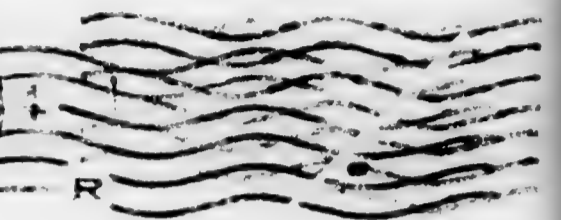
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Kansas City, Missouri.

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No. 1359

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *John C. Van Trump* and  children. Residence: *Richmond, Va.*

Reasons:

*St. ... ..*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John C. Parbury*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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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ATTORNEY  
ASH & TRUST  
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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Robert Lee Gray*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Rockingham N. C.*

3. Town and post office: *Rockingham N. C.*

4. County: *Rockingham*

5. State: *N. C.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Feb 7 1852 Rockingham N. C.*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*My mother's name was Indian Blood  
a son of the same blood as the present  
of the same blood as the present*

8. Are you married: *Yes 24 yrs*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Marie Ann Gray 44 yrs old*

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

Father English name: *Robert Lee Gray*

Indian name:

Mother English name: *Ann Lee*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Ann Lee*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *N. C.*

Mother:

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

Father: *N. C.*

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Oct 18 1880*

Mother: *Feb 1852*

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>Sylvia Van Trump</i>		<i>August 1855</i>
(2)	<i>John Van Trump</i>	<i>1837</i>	
(3)	<i>Joseph Van Trump</i>		<i>August 1855</i>
(4)	<i>A. D. Van Trump</i>	<i>Nov 24 1837</i>	
(5)	<i>William Van Trump</i>	<i>Sep 22 1835</i>	
(6)	<i>Robert Van Trump</i>	<i>May 4 1875</i>	<i>April 13 1876</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>Agnes Van Trump</i>
<i>William Van Trump</i>	<i>Leah Van Trump</i>

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:	<i>Frank Van Trump</i>	
<del>Indian name:</del>	<i>Ruben</i>	<i>Lead</i>
<del>Residence:</del>	<i>Calvin</i>	<i>Lead</i>
(2) English name:	<i>William</i>	<i>Lead</i>
<del>Indian name:</del>	<i>Caroline</i>	<i>Lead</i>
<del>Residence:</del>	<i>Josephine</i>	<i>Lead</i>
(3) English name:	<i>John Van Trump</i>	<i>Lead</i>
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 C. Van Trump  
born to a Quaker in 1835  
1st child of George Van Trump and Sarah*

REMARKS.

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

*has been made from a record in the  
court records of the court in  
the name of John C. Van Trump  
born to a Quaker in 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.) *John C. Van Trump*  
11<sup>th</sup> day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*April 30, 1910*

*C. D. Wall*  
Notary Public  
*for Roy 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 *Dr. J. E. Ball* and  
*Jasper Wall*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *John C. Van Trump* who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *7* years and *16* years,  
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to be sworn.

Signature of witnesses.

*J. E. Ball M.D.*  
*Jasper Wall*  
11<sup>th</sup> day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*April 30<sup>th</sup>, 1910*

*C. D. Wall*  
Notary Public  
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No. 500

Action: admitted

Name: Wm E. Vance and others Residence: Shelby 1110

Reason: It does not appear that applicant's ancestors were parties to treaties of 1835-40, hence should in payments be excluded

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No. 7360 *Sept 2*

Name *Wm E. Vance*

With No. *File*

Remarks: 7361. 7362. 7363

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*Answers -*

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or piece that was lost from this  
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use of Mr. Floyd Vance  
on Records Request # 2030  
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No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Wm. P. Vance*

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.

EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. DEC 20 1906
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
THE 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: *William E. Vance*  
Indian name: *Natham*
2. Residence: *Grouby*
3. Town and post office: *Grouby*
4. County: *Newton*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *Jan. 1, 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.

(1) *Great Grand father Richard Natham*

(2) *Grand mother Elneline Vance*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband.

*Annie Vance, 25 yrs*

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

Father - English name:

*William D Vance*

Indian name:

Mother - English name:

*Margaret E Vance*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Margaret E Martin*

11. Where were they born?

Father:

*Virginia*

Mother:

*Missouri*

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

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mattie L. Wells	Dec. 23/1873	
2	Charles P. Vance	Feb. 8 - 1878	
(3)	Thomas M. Vance	Oct. 9 - 1883	
4	Lemuel J. Vance	Oct. 30 - 1885	
(5)	Colin J. Vance	Nov. 12 - 1887	
6	Ernest J. Vance	Feb. 18 - 1889	
(7)	Jessie J. Vance	Aug. 19 - 1891	
8	Julia E. Vance	Nov. 10 - 1893	
(9)	David C. Vance	Jan 30 - 1895	
10	Alice J. Vance	Apr 2 - 1886	

16. 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 Vance	Eudine Vance

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:

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:

Great Grandfather Richard Watham (Indian)  
 Grand Mother Emeline Wether

**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.) William E. Vance

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

My commission expires July 9, 1909  
M. W. Anderson  
 Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me J. H. Anderson and Joe Ingoly, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William E. Vance, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and        years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses (2 or more).

Signatures of witnesses.

J. H. Anderson  
Joe Ingoly

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

My commission expires July 9, 1909  
M. W. Anderson  
 Notary Public.

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No 112

Action: *Agreement*

Name *John J. ...* and *...* children. Residence: *...*

Reasons:

*...*

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No. 7

Name .....

With No. 7

Remarks:  
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No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Wm. W. ...*

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

EASTERN CHEROKEES
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No.

REGISTERED

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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 D Vance

Indian name: Watham

2. Residence: Granby

3. Town and post office: Granby

4. County: Newton

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: Nov. 8, 1853 in Virginia

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

(1) = Emeline Vance lived in 1851 and was my mother

(2) Mother's father, Richard Watham, = mother and grand-father were members of Eastern Band of Cherokees

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Margaret Elizabeth Vance  
age 53 yrs.

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

Father - English name: William Vance

Indian name:

Mother - English name: Emeline Vance

Indian name: Watham

Maiden name: Emeline Watham

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: 1875

Mother: 1872

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Think Emily Vance, my mother, was enrolled.*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
1	John W Vance	Sept. 12, 1844	March 6, 1898
2	Rachel E. Smith	Dec. 17, 1846	—
3	Polly Ann Waller	Aug. 22, 1848	Dec. 18, 1866
4	Sarah Jane Thorpe	Apr. 24, 1850	—
5	William D. Vance	Nov. 8, 1853	—
6	Robert J. Vance	Oct. 6, 1856	—
7	Nancy E. Phifer	June 7, 1858	—
8	Colin H. Vance	Jan. 27, 1860	Feb. 10, 1877
9	Martha L. Vance	Apr. 26, 1862	Aug. 21, 1864
10	Thomas J. Vance	Mar. 6, 1866	—

(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.

*Richard Watham*  
*Watham*

*Don't know*

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:

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:

*Richard Natham*  
(Indian) *Natham*, my grandfather  
*Encline Natham* my mother was born 1875

REMARKS.

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

*I remember grandfather Richard Natham, and he was nearly if not quite, a full blood Cherokee lived and died in Virginia*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 D. Vance*

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

My commission expires

*1907*

*W. D. Hudson*

Notary Public.

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. Grubble* and *J. M. Daniel*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William D. Vance*, 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 *us* 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.

*C. E. Grubble*  
*J. M. Daniel*

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

My commission expires

*1907*

*W. D. Hudson*

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person bearing 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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Dear Mother

I have just received  
your kind letter and  
am glad to hear  
from you. I will  
write you again  
soon. My father  
and mother are well.

I am well and  
hope you are the same.  
I have not much news  
to write at present.

Love  
from  
John

He is well and  
hope you are the same.  
I have not much news  
to write at present.

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I was born in 1853 in Tenn. I was born a slave. My parents were  
 white, and I cannot say whether in Va. or Tenn. I think thro'  
 my father, since he was a white man. My mother  
 was a white woman. I was born in Va. My father  
 was a white man. My mother was a white woman.  
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 They always lived in Va. XXXX  
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Action: Reported.

Name *Da ...* and children. Residence: *...*

Reasons:

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Remarks:

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S. J. Smith

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Chas. ...*

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

EASTERN CHEROKEES  
CHAS. ...  
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CHESTER F. OWEN,  
ATTORNEY,  
FIRST 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:

Charles P. Vauca

Indian name:

Watham

2. Residence:

Granby

3. Town and post office:

Granby

4. County:

Newton

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

Feb. 8, 1878, - Missouri

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

in 1850, set forth each claim separately:

- (1) Richard Watham - Great Grandfather  
(2) Emeline Vauca - Grand Mother

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Emma Vauca, - 24 yrs

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

Father - English name:

William D. Vauca

Indian name:

Mother - English name:

Margaret E. Vauca

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Margaret E. Martin

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Virginia

Mother:

Missouri

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

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father:

Mother: ✓

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mattho L. Vauce	Dec. 23 - 1873	
2	Ollie F. Vauce	Apr. 2 - 1880	
(3)	Thomas M. Vauce	Oct. 9 - 1883	
4	William E. Vauce	Jan. 1 - 1876	
(5)	Lemial J. Vauce	Oct. 30 - 1885	
6	Colin H. Vauce	Nov. 12 - 1887	
(7)	Ernest F. Vauce	Feb. 18 - 1889	
8	Jesse F. Vauce	Aug. 19 - 1891	
(9)	Julia E. Vauce	Nov. 10 - 1893	
10	David C. Vauce	Jan. 20 - 1895	
X			

16. 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 Vauce	Emeline Vauce

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:
- 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:

Great Grand father Richard Walham (Indian)  
Grand Mother Emeline Vance

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) Charles P Vance

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

My commission expires July 7 1907  
W. M. Hudson  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Joe Grigley and Charles P. Vance who, being duly sworn, on each depose and say that they are well acquainted with the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 10 years respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses:  
J. H. Hudson  
Joe Grigley

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

My commission expires July 7 1907  
W. M. Hudson  
Notary Public.

NOTE: Affidavit should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. It is sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, if needed, it is executed before a notary.



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Grandville 10-26-1890

Dear Missions - Indian  
I am in Washington  
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I would like to see you  
in 30 or 40 days and  
I would like to see you  
if you have time  
Yours  
L. V. Vance

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No. 1000

Action: *Adoptive*

Name: *Thomas H. Hill* and *children*. Residence: *Early, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Order of the court...*

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Name.....

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# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

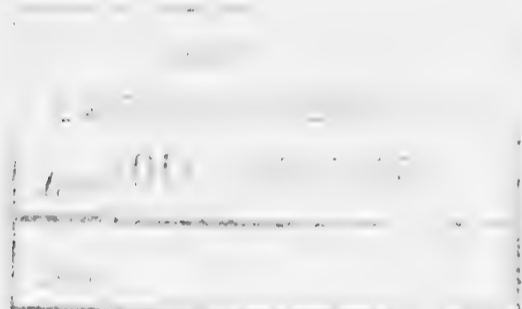
APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas M. J.*

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

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name:

English name:

Thomas M. Vance

Indian name:

Nathan

2. Residence:

Granby

3. Town and post office:

Granby

4. County:

Newton

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

Oct. 9 - 1883 in Virginia

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

(1) Great Grandfather Richard Nathan

(2) Grand-mother Eudine Vance

8. Are you married:

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Jessie E. Vance age 23 yrs.

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

Father English name:

William D. Vance

Indian name:

Mother English name:

Margaret E. Vance

Indian name:

Wrotham

Maiden name:

Margaret E. Mosler

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Virginia

Mother:

Missouri

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	Mattie L. Wells	Dec. 26 - 1873	
2	William E. Vauce	Jan. 1 - 1874	
3	Charles P. Vauce	Feb. 8 - 1878	
4	Ollie J. Vauce	Apr. 7 - 1880	
	<del>James H. Vauce</del>		
5	Lemuel J. Vauce	Oct. 30 - 1885	
6	Colin J. Vauce	Nov. 12 - 1887	
7	Ernest J. Vauce	Feb. 18 - 1889	
8	Jessie J. Vauce	Aug. 19 - 1891	
9	Julia E. Vauce	Nov. 10 - 1893	
10	David C. Vauce	Jan. 30 - 1895	

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

FATHER'S SIDE: William Vauce MOTHER'S SIDE: Eveline Vauce

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:

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. Has your eye 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:

Grand-father, Richard Watham (Indian)  
Grand-mother, Emeline Watham

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 M. Vance

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

My commission expires

W. W. Hudson  
Notary Public

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. Grobble and J. M. Daniel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Thomas M. Vance, 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 us are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witnesses to claim.

Signature of witnesses.

C. E. Grobble  
J. M. Daniel

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

My commission expires

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W. W. Hudson  
Notary Public

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B-CHARGES

No. 1111

Action: *Rejected*

Name *John J. ...* and *...* children. Residence: *...*

Reasons:

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No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

of

*H. V. C.*

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

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name--

English name:

Ollie J. Vauce

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Granby

3. Town and post office:

Granby

4. County:

Newton

5. State:

Mo

6. Date and place of birth:

April 21, 1880 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:

(1) Great Grand father Richard Nathan

(2) Grand-Mother Emeline Vauce

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Nancy Vauce, age 22 yrs.

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

Father English name:

William D. Vauce

Indian name:

Mother English name:

Margaret E Vauce

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Margaret E Marlin

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Virginia

Mother:

Missouri

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

Father:

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Mother:

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13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father:

Mother:

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mathe L. Wells	Dec. 23/1873	
2	William E. Vance	Jan. 1/1876	
(3)	Charles P. Vance	Feb. 8 - 1878	
4	Thomas M. Vance	Oct. 9 - 1883	
(5)	Lemuel J. Vance	Oct. 30 - 1885	
6	Colin J. Vance	Nov. 12 - 1887	
(7)	Ernest F. Vance	Feb. 18 - 1889	
8	Jessie F. Vance	Aug. 19 - 1891	
(9)	Julia E. Vance	Nov. 10 - 1893	
10	David C. Vance	Jan. 30 - 1895	
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16. 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 Vance	Emeline Vance

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:

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:

Great-grandfather, Richard Nathan Jordan  
Grandmother Emeline Nathan

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) Ollie J. Vance

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

My commission expires  
July 7 1909

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. H. Hudson and G. M. Daniel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ollie J. Vance, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to oath:  
F. S. [unclear]  
W. P. [unclear]

Signatures of witnesses:  
J. H. Hudson  
G. M. Daniel

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

My commission expires  
July 9 1909

Notary Public.

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Action: .....

Name: .....

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children.

Residence: .....

Reasons: .....

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

Name John L. ...

With No. 4-5

Remarks:

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Nora A. Violet*  
*Elmira 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.



CHESTER F. WEAVER,  
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: *Nora A. Smith*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth: *July 12<sup>th</sup> 1869 Ray 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: *Jesse Roberts*  
*Oliver Smith the brother of my father*  
*John Blackburn Go Go*  
*James Blackburn Rhoda Blackburn the wife of my father*  
*and Grand aunt of Polly C. Smith the wife of my father*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Had Violet age*  
*Nora A " " 37*

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

Father - English name: *Jesse Roberts*

Indian name:

Mother - English name: *Mary C. Smith*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Mary C. Smith*

11. Where were they born:

Father: *North Carolina*

Mother: *North Carolina*

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>Wm L Roberts</i>	<i>July 2<sup>d</sup> 1865</i>	
(2)	<i>Matthias McCullough</i>	<i>Mar 2<sup>d</sup> 1867</i>	
(3)	<i>Chas H Roberts</i>	<i>Oct 12<sup>d</sup> 1877</i>	
(4)	<i>Lyman P "</i>	<i>Feb 2<sup>d</sup> 1887</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 Roberts</i>	<i>Harvey Kytic</i>
	<i>Sarah Elizabeth Roberts nee Blackburn</i>	<i>Watha A "</i>
17. Where were they born?	<i>Madison Co Ky</i>	

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

*Madison County Kentucky*

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

- (a) English name: *Wm L Roberts Casselby Mo*  
 Indian name: *Harvey Davis nee Roberts "*  
 Residence: *Sarah E Morgan " " Carthage Mo*
- (b) English name:  
 Indian name: *Mary A Baker nee Roberts*  
 Residence: *Maggie Nelson " "*
- (c) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (d) English name:  
 Indian name:  
 Residence:
- (e) 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 G. G. aunt was enrolled in 1835 Rossie Roll and was a sister of my G. G. father John Blackburn and a daughter of James and Rhoda Blackburn (nee Branch) of Virginia*

REMARKS.

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

*Lora U. Worth is a daughter of John Robert and a G. G. daughter of John Blackburn (nee Blackburn) and a G. G. daughter of John Blackburn of Virginia a G. G. daughter of James and Rhoda Blackburn of Virginia who were Cherokee Indians as shown by proofs submitted to the Court of Appeals to the G. G. Court on record with the Court at Washington, D. C. in 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.) *Lora U. Worth*

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

My commission expires *22* 1906  
*[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 *[Signature]* and *[Signature]* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *[Signature]* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *[Signature]* for *22* years and *36* years, respectively, and know *[Signature]* to be the identical person *[Signature]* represents *[Signature]* to be, and that the statements made by *[Signature]* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatsoever in *[Signature]* claim.

Witnesses to be filled.

Signatures of witnesses.

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*

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

My commission expires *22* 1906  
*[Signature]*  
 Notary Public.

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Action: *Repealed*

Name *Williamson Robert* and *1* children. Residence: *1166*

Reasons:

*Proctor of the ... claim through ...*

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No. 7366 Field

Name Wm. C. Whitsett

With No. ~~701 & 702~~  
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Remarks:

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Field  
Mo.

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Museum  
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EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION

*Williamson & Whitsett*

*Polo 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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CHESTER J. OWEN,  
ATTORNEY  
WASH. LEG. & 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:

Indian name: *Williamson & Whitsett*

2. Residence:

*Caldwell County*

3. Town and post office:

*Polo*

4. County:

*Caldwell*

5. State:

*Missouri, Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1859*

6. Date and place of birth:

*Yancey County, Goldsborough, North Carolina*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851,

set forth each claim separately: *My mother Piercey Whitsett ne Perkins.*

*Grand mother Cilla Perkins, and Grandfather Aaron Perkins who resided near Goldsborough, North Carolina*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Pauline & Whitsett, Born*

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

Father English name: *Dr. William Whitsett*

Indian name:

Mother English name: *Piercey Whitsett ne Margie Daniels*

Indian Name:

Maiden name: *Piercey Perkins*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *near Goldsborough North Carolina*

Mother: *" " " "*

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

Father: *near Goldsborough " "*

Mother: *" " " "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: *January 14 1879* Mother: *June 12 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>Stephen D Daniels</i>		<i>living</i>
(2)	<i>Jacob R "</i>		<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Barnabas Whitsett</i>		<i>"</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 Whitsett</i>		<i>Aaron Perkins</i>	
<i>Polle Whitsett</i>		<i>Celia Perkins</i>	
<i>"</i>		<i>"</i>	
<i>North Carolina</i>		<i>North Carolina</i>	

17. Where were they born? *North Carolina*

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

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

- (1) English name: *Maoma Ward, nee Perkins, unknown* *"*  
 Indian name: *Wanna Woods* *"* *"*  
 Residence: *Elizabeth Crawford* *"* *"*
- (2) English name: *Barna Perkins* *dead date unknown*  
 Indian name: *"*  
 Residence: *William C Whitsett died near Salagoah, N.C.* *4*
- (3) English name: *Cornelia Tackard, nee, 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*



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 William C. Whitsett and mother Piercey Whitsett went to the Cherokee Nation I. J. P. and made applications before the Cherokee Council for admittance as Cherokee Indians for their rights and while case was pending, mother took sick and died 1876 and case ended then*

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) *Williamson C. Whitsett*

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

My commission expires  
My Commission Expires Jan. 25, 1910

*John G. Withers* x  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *John E. Linwill* and *B. A. Carr*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Williamson C. Whitsett*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* 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' Oaths.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John E. Linwill*  
*B. A. Carr*

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

My commission expires

My Commission Expires Jan. 25, 1910

*John G. Withers* x  
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.

COUNTY OF  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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Dear Sir,

May 1861

Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.  
Application No 732  
I have the honor to state  
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made known to you that my

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No. 7367

Action: reject

Name: Sima B. Whitutt  
Residence: Simia 110

Reason: It does not appear that African  
ancestors were parties to treaties of  
1835-6-46, never complied with  
the Cherokee nor shared in payments  
to them.

Wm. T. P. 1859

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No. ....

Name *W. J. ...*

With No. ~~.....~~

Remarks:  
*copy file*

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Nanna B. Whitsett*

*Amira Misonic*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.

CHESTER TOWNE,  
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: *Barna B Whitsett*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Emira*

3. Town and post office: *Emira*

4. County: *Way*

5. State: *North Carolina*

6. Date and place of birth: *Goldston North Carolina Mar 5 1861*

7. 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 Percy Whitsett Grandfather Aaron  
Perkins and Bealy Perkins of Goldston  
North Carolina*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Age 2 - 1866 wife*

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

Father - English name: *William C Whitsett*

Indian name:

Mother - English name: *Percy Whitsett 2nd marriage to Bealy*

Indian name:

Mother's name: *Percy Perkins 1st marriage to Bealy*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Goldston North Carolina*

Mother: *" " "*

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

Father: *Goldston " "*

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>living</i>
(2)	<i>Stephen D Daniels's Bro</i>		<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Jacob R " 1/2 Bro</i>		<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Williamson, C. Whitsett</i>		<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Piercy B " and Knight</i>		<i>"</i>
(6)	<i>Cornelia " Cherry</i>		<i>"</i>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>James Whitsett</i>	<i>Aaron Perkins</i>
<i>Polly Whitsett</i>	<i>Sally Perkins</i>
<i>r/c</i>	

17. Where were they born?

*North Carolina*

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

*North Carolina*

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

(1) English name:				
Indian name:	<i>William, C. Whitsett</i>	<i>Dead</i>	<i>unknown date</i>	
Residence:	<i>Cornelia Blackwood</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	
(2) English name:				
Indian name:	<i>Hanna Ward, nee Perkins</i>	<i>"</i>		
Residence:	<i>Selia Scott</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>living</i>	<i>NC</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Mary Woods</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Def</i>
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 William E. Whitsett, mother Nancy Whitsett went to the Cherokee Nation, D. C. in 1874 and made application before the Cherokee Council for admittance as Cherokee Indians and while case was pending mother took sick and died in 1876 and case was dismissed.

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. Executors report on record with the case at Washington, D. C. showing entitlement to land Cherokee Nation.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) *Barbara Whitsett*

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

My commission expires *Dec 31*, 190*6*.  
*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

*[Signature]* personally appeared before me *[Signature]* and *[Signature]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *[Signature]*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *[Signature]* for *20* years and *15* years, respectively, and know *[Signature]* to be the identical person *[Signature]* represents *[Signature]* to be, and that the statements made by *[Signature]* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *[Signature]* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires *Dec 31*, 190*6*.  
*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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

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I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the above matter. I am sorry to hear that you are unable to attend to the same at present. I will endeavor to do all in my power to expedite the same as soon as possible. I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
 Yours truly,  
 Barney B. Whitsett

Barney B. Whitsett  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Attorney at Law

J. D. Ryan  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Attorney at Law

No. 7365

Action: *Repeat*

Name: *Albert B. Williams* and *X* children. Residence: *Clarksville, Texas*

Reasons: *Incl of #7067*

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No. 476 6 1

Name

With No. 7127

Remarks:



No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*A. W. Williams*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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  
ATTORNEY,  
WILLIAMS & TRUST  
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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: Albert Mitchell Williams

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Carrollville Texas

3. Town and post office:

Carrollville Texas

4. County:

Red River County

5. State:

Texas

6. Date and place of birth:

March 1851 Allegheny Co. N. Carolina

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Through my ~~maternal~~ grand mother on my father's side whose name was - Braughn

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Rosa Williams aged 58 years

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

Father English name:

Louis Williams

Indian name:

Mother English name:

Lucinda Williams

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Lucinda Trivett

11. Where were they born?

Father:

In North Carolina

Mother:

In North Carolina

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

Father:

In Allegheny County North Carolina

Mother:

In Allegheny County North Carolina

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father:

About 1875

Mother:

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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>Louisa Williams</i>	<i>About 1849</i>	
(2)	<i>John Williams</i>	<i>" 1851</i>	
(3)	<i>Leah Williams</i>	<i>" 1852</i>	
(4)	<i>Mary Williams</i>	<i>" 1855</i>	<i>about 1890</i>
(5)	<i>Lee Williams</i>	<i>" 1862</i>	<i>" 1863</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>Martin B. Williams</i>	<i>Noah Privett</i>
<i>Nancy Osborne</i>	<i>Neoma Privett</i>

17. Where were they born?

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

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

(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 ancestors whose names were given in answer to question 16 covers this and were alive in 1835. My paternal great grand mother was named - I remember she being the one through whom I inherit my Indian - she being a half Cherokee Indian*

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.) *Albert Mitchell Williams*

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

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 1907

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

I personally appeared before me *W. J. Hiers* and *R. H. Shacker*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *W. J. Mitchell Williams* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* 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 oath.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. J. Hiers*  
*R. H. Shacker*

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

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 1907

*George Morrison*

Notary Public.

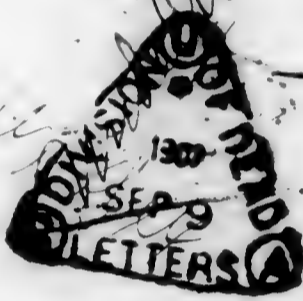
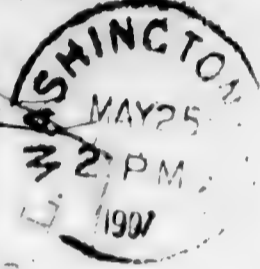
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

*Adv. 8-1-07*



*Robert M. Williams*



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. 736 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."



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No. 7369

Action: Report

Name: Willie C. Williams and X children. Residence: Charville Texas

Reasons: Cousin of #7069

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No. 1324

Name J. S. [unclear]

With No. 7

Remarks: [unclear]

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*W. L. Williams*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Willie Cicero Williams*

Indian name: *Willie Cicero Williams*

2. Residence: *Clarksville, Hamilton County Texas.*

3. Town and post office: *Clarksville, Texas.*

4. County: *Red River*

5. State: *Texas*

6. Date and place of birth: *June 15, 1859 in Hamilton County, Texas sec*

7. 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  
Albert Mitchell Williams*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Lucy Williams aged*

*26 years*

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

Father - English name: *Albert Mitchell Williams*

Indian name: *Albert Mitchell Williams*

Mother - English name: *Rosa Shipley Williams*

Indian name: *Rosa Shipley*

Maiden name: *Rosa Shipley*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *In Allegheny County North Carolina*

Mother: *In Hawkins County Tennessee*

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

Father: *In North Carolina*

Mother: *In Tennessee*

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) Lewis Edward Williams	1874	
(2) Maggie Ann Williams	1874	
(3) Jimmie Williams	about 1874	about 1890
(4) Lillian Maria	1876	Survived after birth
(5) Addie Lee Williams	June 15, 1883	July 30, 1894
(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 Williams	Milla Shippen
Lucinda Sivett	Jane Harris

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

18. Where'd they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In North Carolina*

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

(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:

*See answer to question No. 18. These parties were all alive at time*

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) *Willie C. ...*

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

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 190*7*

*George ...*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *W. S. ...* and *R. H. ...*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Willie C. ...*, 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.

Witness to each

Signatures of witnesses

*W. S. ...*  
*R. H. ...*

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

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 190*7*

*George ...*  
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No. 7370

Action: *Reject*

Name *Lewis E Williams* and *X* children. Residence: *Charterville Mo.*

Reasons: *Cousin of # 7119*

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No. 407

Name.....

With No. 1127

Remarks:



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*L. E. Williams*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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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AT WASHINGTON  
SH. L. M. & T. U.S.  
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: Lewis Edward Williams

Indian name:

2. Residence: Clarksville Texas

3. Town and post office: Clarksville Texas

4. County: Red River County

5. State: Texas

6. Date and place of birth: December 1851

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my father Albert Mitchell Williams and Grant Williams

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Belle Williams aged 27 years

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

Father - English name: Albert Mitchell Williams

Indian name:

Mother - English name: Rosa Whipple Williams

Indian name:

Maiden name: Rosa Whipple

11. Where were they born?

Father: Wayne County North Carolina

Mother: Hancock County Kentucky

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

Father: Wayne County North Carolina

Mother: Hancock County Kentucky

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)	<u>Willie Cicero Williams</u>	<u>June 15, 1869</u>	
(2)	<u>Maggy Jane Williams</u>	<u>November 19, 1872</u>	
(3)	<u>Samuel Williams</u>	<u>about 1874</u>	<u>about 1871</u>
(4)	<u>Adam Williams</u>	<u>about 1871</u>	<u>3 weeks after birth</u>
(5)	<u>Adelaide Williams</u>	<u>June 15, 1873</u>	<u>July 3, 1895</u>
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Sam Williams</u>	<u>Willie Shipley</u>
<u>Lucinda Powell</u>	<u>Jane Harris</u>

17. Where were they born? Both sides in North Carolina

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

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

(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:

*All answer to question 16  
These parties were all alive  
at that time*

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.) *Levi Williams*

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

My commission expires  
*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 190*6*

*George Morrison*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *H. ...* and  
*R. H. ...*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Levi Williams*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* 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 make.

Signatures of witnesses.

*H. ...*

*R. H. ...*

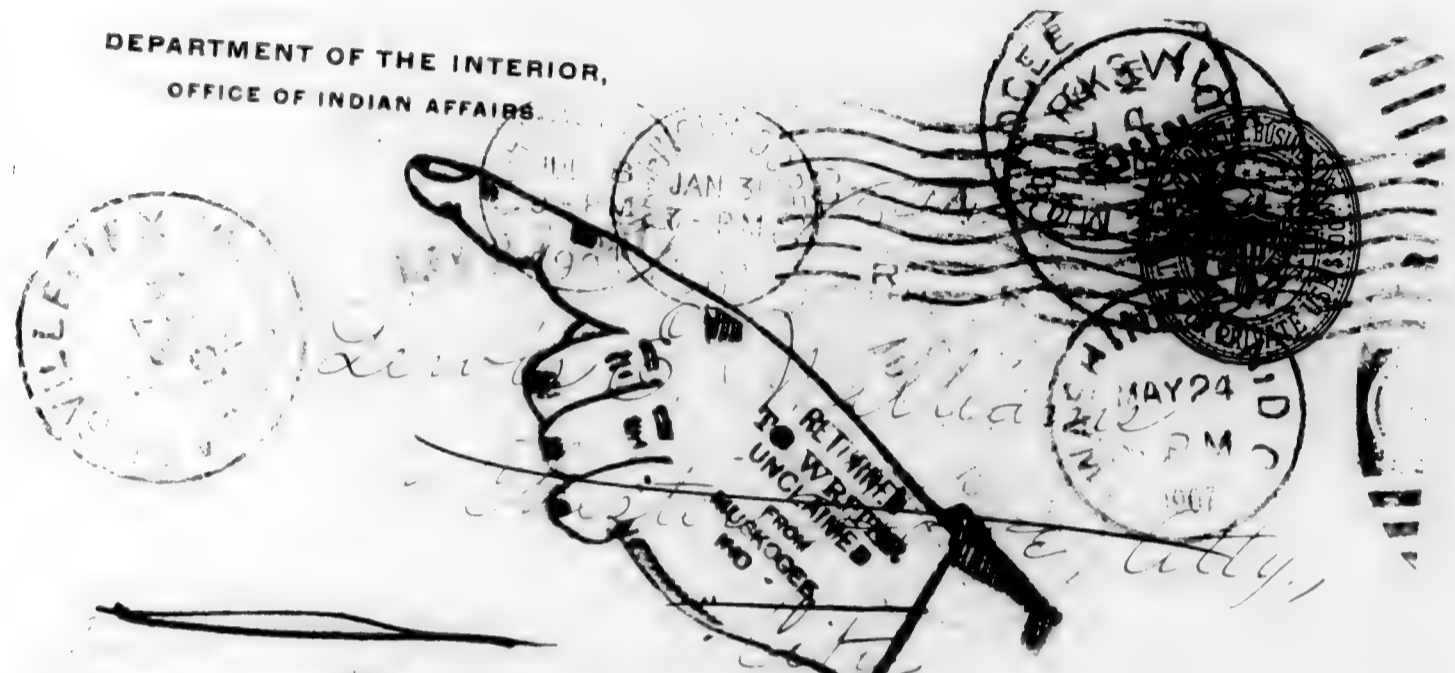
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 190*6*

*George Morrison*  
Notary Public.

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

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS



*Ford [Signature] Muskogee, W.*

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. 7370 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."

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No.

Action:

Name

and

children.

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

Reasons:

*Internal, Great Britain, 1844.*

7371

No. 4271

Name *[Handwritten Name]*

With No. *[Handwritten Number]*

Remarks: *[Handwritten Remarks]*



No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

## APPLICATION

OF  
*Sam A. Thomas*  
*Claimant*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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  
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: *Sam A. Williams*

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: *October 4th 1844, Mearns County, Tennessee*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim blood of the Beniah Williams son of David Williams of North Carolina*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mary A Williams age 60*

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

Father—English name: *Amos Williams*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Frankie Williams*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Frankie Lane*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *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: *1870* Mother: *1870*

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Martha Williams		
(2)	Lucretia Newton		Living in Ind.
(3)	James Newton		
(4)	Mary Catherine		
(5)	James		
(6)	Emily Munday, nee Williams		

*not remembered*

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Beniah Williams	not known
Nancy Williams	

17. Where were they born? Madison, North Carolina  
Grandmother in Tennessee

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

Dr. Geo. Craig, Mississippi

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

(1) English name:	William Williams	Ind.
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(2) English name:	Beniah Williams	Ind.
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(3) English name:	Martha	Ind.
Indian name:		
Residence:	Fort. Wall, Kansas	
(4) English name:	Ruth Burnett, nee Williams	Ind.
Indian name:	David Williams, nee Burnett	
Residence:	Lawrence, Kansas	
(5) English name:	Martha Hogan, nee Williams	Ind.
Indian name:	David Williams	
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:

*Burick  
Williams was given to be a Cherokee  
Indian by Head of House of the said tribe  
McLinn 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.)

*6 months before the said commission and  
appeared to the US court in two reports on  
record with the case of Miss Lopez & 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.) *[Handwritten Signature]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *December 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Notary Public,  
*[Handwritten Name]*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. D. Miller* and *A. Stocker*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John H. Williams*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* 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 make.

Signatures of witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires *December 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Notary Public,  
*[Handwritten Name]*

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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affidavit of  
George Weber  
in case of  
Beniah Williams  
of N.C.

A F F I D A V I T.

Cherokee Nation  
Indian Territory

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 1st day of September 1893, personally appeared before me [Signature] of [Signature] District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, and after being by me duly sworn, according to law, deposeth and says that he is a resident of [Signature] District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, that his age is 65 years and his occupation that of a Farmer, that he was well and personally acquainted with [Signature] in the Old Cherokee Nation, State of North Carolina, and that the said [Signature] was a Cherokee Indian by blood, about one year or two ago by blood. Affiant makes this sworn statement, from his own personal knowledge and acquaintance with the aforesaid [Signature] family of North Carolina, and affiant further states that he is not directly or indirectly interested in the prosecution of the heirs of said [Signature] deceased, for Citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME

L. S.

[Signature]

[Signature]

Affidavit of  
Rolla McDaniel  
in Case of  
Beniah Williams

AFFIDAVIT.

Cherokee Nation  
Indian Territory

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 1st day of September 1893,  
personally appeared before me John M. Daniel, who is a reliable and creditable citizen  
of Delaware District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, and after being by me duly  
sworn, according to law, deposeth and says that he is a resident of Delaware District, Cher-  
okee Nation, Indian Territory, that his age is 38 years and his occupation that of a  
farmer, that he was well and personally acquainted with  
Beniah Williams in the Old Cherokee Nation, State of North Carolina  
and that the said Beniah Williams was a Cherokee Indian by blood, about one  
year or thereabouts by blood. Affiant makes this his sworn statement, from his own per-  
sonal knowledge and acquaintance with the aforesaid Beniah Williams family of  
North Carolina, and affiant further states that he is not directly or indirectly interested  
in the prosecution of the heirs of said Beniah Williams, deceased, for Citizenship in  
the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

{ L. S. }

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME John M. Daniel

R. M. Hammond  
Sept 1st 1893  
Cherokee



No. ....

Action: .....

Name ..... and ..... children. Residence: .....

Reasons:

*Uncle of 7049*

No. 9270

Name

With No. 756

Remarks:

No.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF  
*John H. Williams*  
*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 23, 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: *John S. ...*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *...*

3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs*

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth: *1872 May 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:

*...*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mrs. ... 20*

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)	<i>Mary E Carr</i>	<i>age 42</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>William Williams</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Beatie F Rhodes</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Ellie Williams</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Miner Williams</i>	
<i>Frankie Williams</i>	

17. Where were they born? *Paternal side Tennessee*  
*Maternal side Kentucky*

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

*All in Missouri*

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

(1) English name: *unknown to Government*  
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:

*Bessie  
Williams who was born to be a Cherokee  
Indian by blood by George Miller and  
Catherine Miller of Cherokee Nation before  
1835*

**REMARKS.**

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

*Case made before the Court in 1897  
and upheld by the Court. Mother's name  
is recorded in the records of the  
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.) *[Handwritten Signature]*

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

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_  
*Jan 1st 1907* \_\_\_\_\_  
*[Signature]* Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

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

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_  
*Jan 1st 1907* \_\_\_\_\_  
*[Signature]* Notary Public.

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

O-I M A C E S

No.

Action:

Name

and children.

Residence:

Reasons:

Maternal Uncle of 7049

2373

No. 11673

Name, V

With No. 1200

Remarks:



No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

## APPLICATION

OF  
*William H. Murray*  
*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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WALTER H. ...  
ATTORNEY ...  
...  
...

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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 A. Williams*  
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Blair County Missouri*
3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs*
4. County: *Blair*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *1870 Blair 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 Nation which was a blood descendant of the Cherokee Nation*
8. Are you married?
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Frances E. Williams, 1908*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father English name: *Sam H. Williams*  
Indian name:  
Mother English name: *Frances E. Williams*  
Indian name:  
Maiden name: *Williams*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Blair County Missouri*  
Mother: *Blair County Missouri*
12. Where did they reside (if living at that time)?  
Father: *Blair County Missouri*  
Mother: *Blair County Missouri*
13. Date of death of your father and mother  
Father: *1908* Mother: *1908*

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary E Karr	age 42	Living
(2)	John H Williams	" 34	"
(3)	George F Rhodes	" 29	"
(4)	Effie Williams	" 8	"
(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.
Walter Williams	Henry A. Nichols
Frank Williams	Mary C. Nichols
	see vs

17. Where were they born? *father side Tennessee*  
*on Mother's Kentucky*

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

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

*Benish Williams, who was born to ...*  
*Benish Williams, who was born to ...*  
*Benish Williams, who was born to ...*

**REMARKS.**

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

*I see name Benish Williams in commission and appeared to U.S. Court in relation to ...*  
*record with ... showing descent to ...*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) *Wesley Williams*

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

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907.  
*[Signature]* Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me *O. J. Kerr* and *Wm. [Signature]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Wesley Williams*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *2<sup>d</sup>* years and *2<sup>d</sup>* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *to be*, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*O. J. Kerr*  
*Wm. [Signature]*

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

My commission expires *13<sup>th</sup>*, 1907.  
*[Signature]* Notary Public.

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

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No. ....

Action: .....

Name: ..... and ..... children. Residence: .....

Reasons:

all brother 7217.

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No. 4374

Name *[Faint handwritten name]*

With No. ~~7104~~ ~~7117~~

Remarks: 1909  
On File

No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

## APPLICATION

*Benjamin J. Williams*  
OF  
*Executive Director*

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

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Beniah Williams*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Clay County, Missouri*

3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs, Mo.*

4. County: *Clay*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *28<sup>th</sup> December 1871, 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 title of Cherokee  
title, from Beniah Williams, son of  
Daniel Williams of North Carolina*

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: *Loveless Williams*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Sarah Jane Williams*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Sarah Jane Williams*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Missouri*

Mother: *Clay County, Missouri*

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

Father: *Clay County, Missouri*

Mother: *Clay County, Missouri*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: *1876*

Mother: *1876*



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *225*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Charles S Williams age 46</i>	<i>Albert Williams age 30</i>	
(2)	<i>William L "</i>	<i>40 E. W. Jones</i>	<i>" 28</i>
(3)	<i>Henry Jones</i>	<i>38 Jennie Williams</i>	<i>" 26</i>
✓(4)	<i>William S "</i>	<i>42 Emma "</i>	<i>" 24</i>
✓(5)	<i>Jeremiah "</i>	<i>37 Alice "</i>	<i>" 22</i>
(6)	<i>James</i>	<i>32 David "</i>	<i>" 20</i>
		<i>Oscar "</i>	<i>" 18</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>Jeremiah Williams</i>	<i>Francis W. Williams</i>
<i>Samuel Williams</i>	<i>David Williams</i>

17. Where were they born? *Full. side North Carolina*  
*North side North Carolina*

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

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

(1) English name: *William L. Jones*  
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: *Beriah Williams who was born to be a Cherokee Indian by George Walker and Rosa McDowell of Cherokee 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 referred to the US Court Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee showing a blood 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.) *Beriah Williams*

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

My commission expires *January 6th*, 1907

*George 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 *George Sellers* and *E. Bryan*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Beriah Williams* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *27* 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.

*George Sellers*

*George Sellers*  
*E. Bryan*  
5th day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *January 6th*, 1907

*George 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.

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Action: .....

Name .....

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children. ....

Residence: .....

Reasons:

*Full full brother of 7.21/*

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No. ....

Name .....

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Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*William & Wilkins*  
*Executors*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

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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 C. Williams*  
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Excelsior Springs*
3. Town and post office: *Excelsior Springs*
4. County: *Cass*
5. State: *Missouri*
6. Date and place of birth: *3<sup>d</sup> Sept 1842*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:  
*By right of my father, William C. Williams, who was a Cherokee Indian, and my mother, Sarah Williams, who was a white woman.*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *None*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father - English name: *James C. Williams*  
Indian name:  
Mother - English name: *Sarah Williams*  
Indian name:  
Maiden name: *Sarah Williams*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Missouri*  
Mother: *Missouri*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Excelsior Springs, Missouri*  
Mother: *Excelsior Springs, Missouri*
13. Date of death of your father and mother  
Father: *1872* Mother: *1872*

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>Charles S Williams age 46</i>	<i>1847</i>	<i>1893</i>
(2)	<i>Andrew " "</i>	<i>1848</i>	<i>1878</i>
(3)	<i>Henry " "</i>	<i>1849</i>	<i>1876</i>
(4)	<i>Sarah " "</i>	<i>1857</i>	<i>1881</i>
(5)	<i>Benjamin " "</i>	<i>1854</i>	<i>1872</i>
(6)	<i>James " "</i>	<i>1852</i>	<i>1878</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>Samuel Williams</i>	<i>Thomas C. Williams</i>
<i>Nancy Williams</i>	<i>David Williams</i>

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

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *on father's side in*  
*King County, Tennessee, on mother's side in County, Tennessee*

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

- (1) English name: *James Williams*
- 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:

*English*  
*William C. Williams*  
*born by George Williams*  
*English*

**REMARKS.**

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

*In the case of the Bureau of Indian Affairs referred to the U.S. Court, Washington, report on record with the case at 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.) *William C. Williams*

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

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

*George C. Williams*  
*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 *C. L. Cravens* and *W. W. Dick*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William C. Williams*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *35* 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.

*C. L. Cravens*  
*W. W. Dick*

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

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

*George C. Williams*  
*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.





State of Missouri  
County of Clay

I, William C. Williams of  
Clay County Missouri Claimant no 7375 ~~7900~~  
of the Cherokee fund for the eastern Cherokees  
makes oath that the following is a correct list of  
the names and ages of my children of legal age to  
become claimants in the Cherokee fund

1 <sup>st</sup>	Alice	Williams	-	Born	October	2 <sup>d</sup>	1892
2 <sup>d</sup>	Marshall	"	"	"	October	4 <sup>th</sup>	1895
3 <sup>d</sup>	Edgar	"	"	"	June	1 <sup>st</sup>	1899
4 <sup>th</sup>	Rubie	"	"	"	May	23 <sup>d</sup>	1901
5 <sup>th</sup>	John	"	"	"	July	4 <sup>th</sup>	1903
6 <sup>th</sup>	Paul	"	"	"	March	23 <sup>d</sup>	1905

I hereby certify the above statement to be  
correct

J. C. Miller, witness

William C. Williams  
<sup>his</sup>  
mark

State of Missouri  
County of Clay

Personally appeared before me a  
Notary Public in and for Clay County Missouri  
William C. Williams known to me to be the person  
he represents himself to be, makes oath that the  
above statement is true and correct

Alonzo H. Shelton

My term expires January 5<sup>th</sup> 1911; Notary Public

In and for Clay County  
Missouri

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

Application No. 7375-7049

*William C. Williams*

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 one of my duly authorized assistants, Frank D. Ryan, will be at Excelsior Springs, Mo. on Thursday, October 22nd, 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 principal hotel.

☛ 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,

OSION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

Mrs.

Excelsior Springs,

William C. Williams

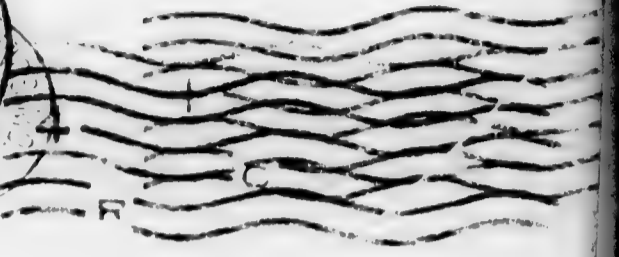
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WASHINGTON, D. C.



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Name and children. Residence:

Reasons:

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Name *[faint handwritten name]*

With No. *[faint handwritten number]*

Remarks:

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# EASTERN CHEROKEES

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## APPLICATION

*Emma Williams*  
OF  
*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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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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 Williams*  
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: *28<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1882 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, filed to Beniah Williams, son of David Williams of North Carolina*
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: *Jeremiah Williams*  
Indian name:  
Mother English name: *Sarah Jane Williams*  
Indian Name:  
Maiden name: *Sarah Jane Worthington*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Tennessee*  
Mother: *Clay County Missouri*
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: *1876* Mother: *" "*

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

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

	NAME	AGE	BORN	DIED
(1)	Charles E. Williams	44	1851	age 30
(2)	Andrew L. Williams	40		28
(3)	William L. Williams	42		26
(4)	Henry Clay Williams	38		22
(5)	Jeremiah Williams	37		20
(6)	James E. Williams	32		18
	Berniah Williams	35		

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Berniah Williams	Francis M. Worthington
Nancy Williams	Sarah Worthington

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

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: Melvina S. Applicant
- 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: Beriah Williams who was proven to be a Cherokee Indian by blood by George Webber and C. La 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. Muslens report in 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) Emma Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

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

Alvizo B. Shelton  
for Clay County Notary Public, 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. B. Jones and J. W. Carr, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Emma Williams, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that 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: J. B. Jones

Signatures of witnesses:

J. B. Jones  
J. W. Carr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

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

Alvizo B. Shelton  
for Clay County Notary Public, Missouri

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

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Action:

Name:

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children.

Residence:

Reasons:

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Name

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Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES

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APPLICATION

*Jeremiah Williams*  
*Excursion 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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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

1. State full name:  
English name: *Jerimiah Williams*  
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: *2<sup>nd</sup> Aug 1805 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, Beniah Williams, Grandfather, Son of David Williams, of North Carolina*
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: *Jeremiah Williams*  
Indian name:  
Mother English name: *Sarah Jane Williams*  
Indian Name:  
Maiden name: *Sarah Jane Worthington*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Tennessee*  
Mother: *Clay County Missouri*
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: *1876* 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 S. Williams	40	Albert Williams 80
(2)	William C. Williams	42	Corrie Williams 26
(3)	Andrew Williams	44	Emma Williams 24
(4)	Harry B. Williams	45	Adwin Williams 22
(5)	Beriah R. Williams	34	David Williams 20
(6)	James O. Williams	32	Oscar Williams 8 Ella Jones 28

*all 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
Beriah Williams	Francis M. Worthington
Vance Williams	Sarah Jane Worthington

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

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 to applicant*  
 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: *210*



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

their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Jeremiah Williams  
(Father) Beriah Williams, grandfather of North  
Carolina, who was proven to be a Cherokee  
Indian by blood, by George Webber and  
Rolla McDaniel of Cherokee Nation I & II

REMARKS.

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

Case Made before the Deeds Commission and  
appealed to the U.S. Court. Masters report on  
record with the case at West case I & II  
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) Jeremiah Williams  
15<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 Andrew King and  
J. W. Kars, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that  
they are well acquainted with Jeremiah Williams, who makes the foregoing  
application and statements, and have known him for 26 years and 36 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 (Signature)

Signature of witnesses

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Andrew King  
J. W. Kars

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.  
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.

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Reasons: ...

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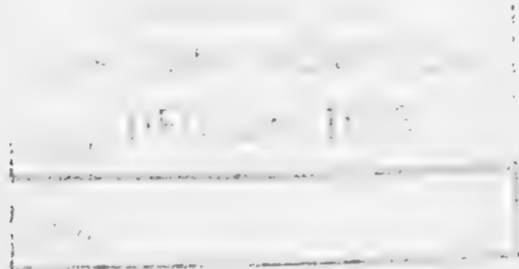
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Mrs Allie Williams  
Missouri City, 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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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: *Allie Williams*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Chickamauga, Ga.*

3. Town and post office: *Chickamauga, Ga.*

4. County: *Chickamauga, Ga.*

5. State: *Georgia*

6. Date and place of birth: *15<sup>th</sup> Sept 1864, Kay 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 Grand*

*father of Tennessee, who is supposed to have been a Cherokee Grand 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: *Ruben Lee*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Maranda Lee*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Maranda Lee*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Missouri*

Mother: *Clay County, Missouri*

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

Father: *Clay County, Missouri*

Mother: *Clay County, Missouri*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: *1868*

Mother: *1874*

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 C. Hutchings</i>	<i>age 44</i>	
(2)	<i>Luce Yates</i>	<i>Died 1848</i>	<i>aged 40</i>
(3)	<i>William F. Sullenger</i>	<i>age 44</i>	
(4)	<i>Charles Sullenger</i>	<i>age 30</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>William Sullenger</i>	<i>James Carroll</i>
	<i>Jesse Carroll</i>
	<i>2 sons</i>

17. Where were they born? *Father's side not known*  
*Mother's side Tennessee*

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

Indian name: *William*

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: *Edward ...  
Dawson ...  
...  
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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.) *Allie ...*

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

My commission expires *January 6<sup>th</sup>*, 1907. *George ...*  
Notary Public,  
*...*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. B. ...* and *J. S. ...*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *...*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *5* years and *2* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. B. ...*  
*J. S. ...*

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

My commission expires *...*, 1907. *George ...*  
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.

S I M A G G E

No. 7379

Action: *Repet*

Name *William Williams* and *—* children. Residence: *West Mineral, Kans.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 7040, and claims through the same ancestor.*

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Name J. M. ...

With No. ...

Remarks:

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

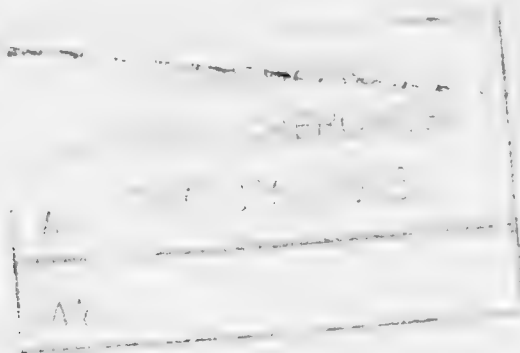
APPLICATION

OF

*William Williamson*

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

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *William Williamson*

Indian name: *Lajun*

2. Residence: *West Mineral*

3. Town and post office: " "

4. County: *Cherokee*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *Apr. 6 - 1875*

7. 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's Grandfather was  
Guchariah Lajun, Sr. 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 Williamson*

Indian name: *Lajun*

Mother—English name: *Marta A. Williamson*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Lajun*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Mo*

Mother: "

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

Father: *Mo*

Mother: "

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: *Mo* Mother: *Mo*

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) John Williamson	Jan. 10. 1869	
(2) Jas "		
(3) Mary Walcliff		1908
(4) Nellie Williamson	Oct. 30. 1870	
(5) Norma Arundale	Dec. 24. 1872	
(6) S. Price Williamson	Jan. 22	

16. 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 Williamson	Wm Logan
Bobby "	Matilda Logan

17. Where were they born? Kentucky

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

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

(1) English name: Adaline Bezza

Indian name: Margaret J. Allen

Residence: Nellie Eaton

(2) English name: Delilah Logan

Indian name: Thos. Logan

Residence: Lucinda "

(3) English name: Geo. "

Indian name: Geo. "

Residence: James "

(4) English name: Wm. J. "

Indian name: Al. Henry "

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:

*Isabariah Lawrence*

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 Warer Commission and courts. Masters Report shows I have children in the Cherokee Museum records at Newhope D.C.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 Williamson*

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

My commission expires

*Nov. 24*, 190*7*

*J. E. Whately*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

I personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William Williamson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for *20* years and *22* years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by *William Williamson* 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. N. Newberry*  
*James H. Elliott*

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

My commission expires

*Nov. 24*, 190*7*

*J. E. Whately*  
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. 7380.

Action: Reject.

Name A. A. Williams and children. Residence: Romney, Texas.

Reasons: Brother to #8984; claims thru same source.

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No.

Name

With No.

Remarks:

No.

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*W. Williams*

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

U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS
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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: *W. Ord. A. Williams*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Eastland county, Ga.*

3. Town and post office: *Henry*

4. County:

5. State: *Georgia*

6. Date and place of birth: *January 1, 1853*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *through my father,*

*Joseph Williams*

8. Are you married? *No*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Miss A. Williams only*

*was all my life, born, Mar. 1<sup>st</sup> 1851*

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

Father: English name: *Joseph Williams*

Indian name:

Mother: English name: *Stella Williams*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Stella H.*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *in the mountains*

Mother: *Georgia*

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

Father: *Henry*

Mother: *Henry*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: *Jan 10, 1860* Mother: *J. A. Williams*

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

*From the military connection are admitted claimants by law at Annapolis*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Jonathan Williams</i>	<i>1824</i>	<i>1871</i>
(2)	<i>Jesse Williams</i>	<i>1840</i>	<i>1900</i>
(3)	<i>Robert Williams</i>	<i>1841</i>	<i>18</i>
(4)	<i>Reuben Williams</i>	<i>1828</i>	<i>1905</i>
(5)	<i>Samuel Williams</i>	<i>1850</i>	
(6)	<i>Thomas Williams</i>	<i>1851</i>	

16. State *Continued Births* other's side, if *Deaths*

1	<i>Jonathan W Williams</i>	<i>1833</i>	<i>1865</i>	<i>deceased</i>
	<i>Sarah Williams</i>	<i>1835</i>		
	<i>Catherine Williams</i>	<i>1836</i>		
	<i>William A Williams</i>	<i>1839</i>	<i>1899</i>	
17. WI	<i>Jesse Williams</i>	<i>1840</i>	<i>1858</i>	<i>deceased</i>
18. WI	<i>Joseph F Williams</i>	<i>1842</i>		<i>deceased</i>
	<i>Wesley M Williams</i>	<i>1844</i>	<i>1894</i>	
19. GI	<i>Moses S Williams</i>	<i>1847</i>	<i>1899</i>	<i>dates of deaths: Death</i>
	<i>Francis Williams</i>	<i>1849</i>	<i>1852</i>	
	<i>Stord. F Williams</i>	<i>1855</i>	<i>applicant</i>	<i>father</i>
	<i>Gerry D Williams</i>	<i>1859</i>		<i>1865</i> <i>came</i> <i>from</i> <i>NY</i>

17. English name *Father and son were 1858*  
 Indian name *etc. etc. etc. page*

Residence:

18. English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

19. English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

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

*From military connection are admitted claimants by law at Annapolis*

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*Admitted*

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state when and  
where

*1871*

of death:

DIED.

*1871*

*1900*

*18*

*1905*

16. 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 William*

*Jessie Crutcher*

17. Where were they born?

*Edward William was born in  
Plymouth, Vermont in 1810 or 1811*

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

*At the residence*

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

(1) English name:

*Josephine Williams - sister of Death*

Indian name:

*Elizabeth's name unknown*

Residence:

*Dr. Williams of ...*

(2) English name:

*John Williams D. 1865*

Indian name:

*My Mother was an orphan, came*

Residence:

*to ... to ...*

(3) English name:

*Father and his were ...*

Indian name:

*... see ...*

Residence:

(4) English name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Residence:

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

where:

*... but  
Admitted to ...  
... ..*

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

*Joseph Williams, b. 1800, son of John Williams, was born in the State of Virginia.*

REMARKS.

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

*My father, Joseph Williams, was a son of John Williams and Peggy Williams, nee Peggy Williams, who was a daughter of Jonathan Williams.*

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

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

(Signature) *A. A. Williams*

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

My commission expires *June 10th*, 1907. *J. D. Freeman* Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *A. S. Richardson* and *Daniel McBeth* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *A. A. Williams*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *18* years and *28* 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 whatsoever in *his* claim.

*A. S. Richardson*  
*Daniel McBeth*

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

My commission expires *June 10th*, 1907. *J. D. Freeman* Notary Public.

NOTE: A claimant should be made, when practicable, to appear before a Justice of the Court, or before a Notary Public, or before a Justice of the Peace, or before a Justice of the Indian Service, if necessary.

No. 7381.

Action: Rejet.

Name: Jerry D. Williams and -- children. Residence: Sutter, Okla.

Reasons: Brother to 76964; claims thru same source.

6-11-45

7381

No.

Name

With No.

Remarks:

No.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 23, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
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CHESTER H. ...  
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:

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:



11. Were they ever married, or under any other name? If so, state when and

12. Name of your mother and father, give ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	Name	Age	Sex	Date of death
(a)				
(b)				
(c)				
(d)				
(e)				
(f)				
(g)				
(h)				
		born		died
	Jonathan L. Williams	1833		1865
	Sarah Williams	1825		
	Catherine Williams	1836		
	William A. Williams	1829		1890
	John Williams	1840		1855
	Joseph F. Williams	1842		
	Virgil A. Williams	1841		1894
	Moses W. Williams	1847		1899
	Francis Williams	1849		1852
	Edward C. Williams	1855		
	George D. Williams	1859	Applicant	

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FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*at Fort William ...*

17. Where were they born? *at Fort William ...*

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

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

(1) English name: *John ...*

Indian name: *John ...*

Residence: *at Fort William ...*

(2) English name: *John ...*

Indian name:

Residence: *at Fort William ...*

(3) English name: *John ...*

Indian name: *John ...*

Residence: *at Fort William ...*

(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.

*at Fort William ...*

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 William ...*  
*...*  
*...*

**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) *...*

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

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

Witnesses to each.

Signatures of witnesses.

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

My commission expires

... 190...

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. 7382.

Action: Reject.

Name: J. P. Williams and -- children. Residence: Romney, Texas.  
Reasons: Grand-nephew of 6964. Claims thru same source.

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No. ....

Name .....

With No. *612* .....

Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

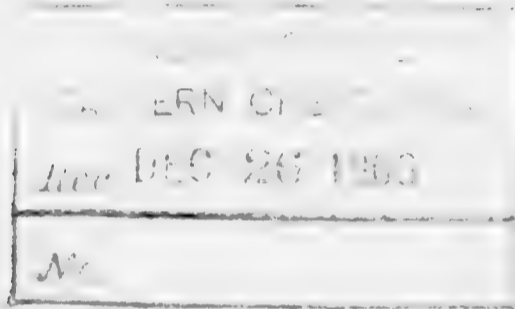
APPLICATION

OF

*J. H. [unclear]*

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

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REGISTER  
AT  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

4. County: Bartholomew

5. State: Ind.

6. Date and place of birth: Feb. 27 - 1883 - Paris

7. 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 relationship

to my mother & at the same time  
my father and Grandfather

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: 22 years

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

Father—English name: Wm. C. Williams

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

Mother—English name: Jennie Williams

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

Maiden name: Jennie

11. Where were they born?

Father: Indiana

Mother: Georgia

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: None known

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sam Williams</u>	<u>1817</u>	
(2)	<u>Della</u>	<u>1849</u>	
(3)	<u>Daniel</u>	<u>1891</u>	
(4)	<u>William</u>	<u>1892</u>	
(5)	<u>Marie</u>	<u>1896</u>	
(6)	<u>Thomas</u>	<u>1898</u>	
	<u>Baby</u>	<u>1900</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>Sam Williams</u>	<u>Thomas</u>
<u>John Williams</u>	<u>John</u>
<u>John Williams</u>	<u>John</u>

17. Where were they born? North Carolina and Georgia

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:	<u>Elizabeth Williams</u>
Indian name:	<u>Head, Kate, et Knows, mother's name</u>
Residence:	<u>Head, Kate, et Knows</u>
(2) English name:	<u>William</u>
Indian name:	<u>Head, Kate, et Knows</u>
Residence:	<u>Head, Kate, et Knows</u>
(3) English name:	<u>John</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Head, Kate, et Knows</u>
(4) English name:	<u>John</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Head, Kate, et Knows</u>
(5) English name:	<u>John</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Head, Kate, et Knows</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: None known



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

*William ...*  
*...*  
*...*

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.) *...*

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

My commission expires *June 1st*, 1907. *J. D. Greenman*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. H. Nichols* and *R. N. Early*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *J. P. Williams*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *22* 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.

*J. H. Nichols*  
*R. N. Early*

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

My commission expires *June 1st*, 1907. *J. D. Greenman*  
Notary Public.  
*In and for Collin 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.

No. 7383

Action: *Reject*

Name *Wash C. Williams* - and *X* children. Residence: *Whiteoak Hill*

Reasons: *Ancle of # 7069*

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No. 1-83

Name ... 1/9

With No. ... 9

Remarks:

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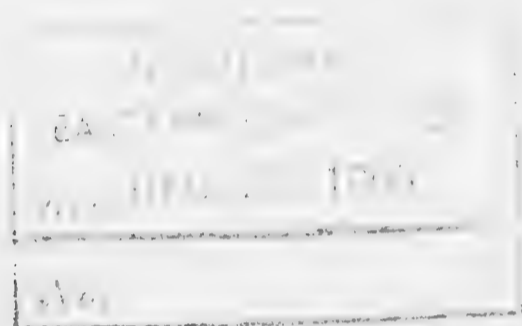
# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Noah C. Williams*

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



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

SIR:

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

1. State full name--

English name: *Noah C. Williams*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Whiteoak*

3. Town and post office: *Whiteoak*

4. County:

5. State: *Ind. Ter.*

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:

*Francis M., Martin B. Williams*  
*Anna Baker - Grandmother*

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: *Louis Williams*

Indian name:

Mother English name: *Lucinda Williams*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Primit*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Ash Co. N.C.*

Mother: *" " "*

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

Father: *Ash Co. N.C.*

Mother: *" "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father: *Oct-16, 1876* Mother: *Nov. 17, 1862*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No, but am not sure*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Delpha L J Barrett</i>	<i>4/4/1849</i>	
(2)	<i>Albert Williams</i>	<i>1847</i>	
(3)	<i>John W Williams</i>	<i>1854</i>	
(4)	<i>Nancy</i> "		<i>1890</i>
(5)	<i>L E E Williams</i>		<i>1862</i>
(6)	<i>Sarah A</i> "		<i>1891</i>
	<i>C. C.</i> "		<i>1894</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>Marlin B Williams</i>	<i>Geoma Pruitt</i>
<i>John</i> "	

17. Where were they born? *Kentucky*

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

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

(1) English name:  
Indian name: *cannot give this*  
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:

Gr. Father, Martin B. Williams  
Gr. Mother, Neoma Pruitt, Indian

Gr. Grandfather, John W. Williams

REMARKS.

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

Here claimants, have master's reports showing Indian blood. Record at Muskogee I.D.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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) Noah C. Williams

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

My commission expires July 1<sup>st</sup> 1907  
C. W. Kilgore  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Josephus Bennett and  
who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_ who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and 12 years,  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person that 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 same:

Signature of witness:

Josephus Bennett  
J. G. Willis

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

My commission expires July 1<sup>st</sup> 1907  
C. W. Kilgore  
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. 7384

Action: *Reject*

Name *Nellie Williamson* and — children. Residence: *Quincy, Washington*

Reasons:

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



No. ....

Name .....

With No. ....

Remarks:

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No.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Kellie Williamson*

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

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES No. DEC 30 1906
No.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
FIRST FIDELITY 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: **Nellie Williamson**

Indian name:

2. Residence: **Quincy, Washington**

3. Town and post office: **Quincy**

4. County: **Douglas**

5. State: **Washington**

6. Date and place of birth: **October 30th, 1870 at Illinois.**

7. 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 blood relation to my mother, Mrs. Martha A. Williamson and my grandfather, William Logan.**

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: **Benjamin F. Williamson.**

Indian name:

Mother—English name: **Martha A. Williamson.**

Indian name:

Maiden name: **Martha A. Logan**

11. Where were they born?

Father: **In Kentucky.**

Mother: **In Kentucky.**

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

Father: **In Illinois.**

Mother: **In Illinois.**

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: **Unknown.**

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James W. Williamson	September 28th, 1862.	1898.
(2)	Mary F. Williamson Ratcliff	August 12th, 1867.	1903.
(3)	John Williamson	January 10th, 1869	
(4)	Naomi Williamson Arundalle	December 24th, 1872.	
(5)	William Williamson.	April 6th, 1976	
(6)	Bruce, Williamson	June 5th, 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 Logan.

Matilda Logan.

17. Where were they born?

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

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

(1) English name: **Margaret Allen**  
Residence ~~#####~~ **Mineral City, Kansas.**  
Name (2) ~~#####~~ **Adeline Beggs** deceased, date unknown.  
Name (3) **Mrs. Martha A. Williamson.**  
Residence ~~#####~~ **Columbus, Kansas**  
Name (4) ~~#####~~ **Millie Caton** deceased, date unknown.  
Name (5) ~~#####~~ **Lucinda Logan, deceased, date unknown.**  
Name (6) Indian name: **Thomas Logan, deceased, date unknown.**  
Name (7) ~~#####~~ **Delila McNulty**  
Residence (8) ~~#####~~ **Mineral City, Kansas**  
Name (9) ~~#####~~ **George Logan**  
Residence: **Keel ville, Kansas**  
(10) English name: **Enoch Logan**  
Residence ~~#####~~ **Pinckneyville, Illinois**  
Name (11) ~~#####~~ **Drury Logan**  
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:

Maternal. Martha A. Williamson daughter of William Logan son of Zachary Logan .

#### REMARKS.

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

Further proofs will be found with Martha A., Williamson's affidavits and claimant proof.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 A. Williamson*

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

My commission expires

June 30th, 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 **Solomon V. Frazier** and **Paul Jaehn**, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with **Nellie Williamson**, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and 2½ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark

Signature of witness

*Solomon V. Frazier*  
*Paul Jaehn*

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

My commission expires

June 30th, 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.

S. T. James

No. 7385

Action: *Reject*

Name *Elmer Williamson* and — children. Residence: *Neosho Falls, Kans.*

Reasons: *Cousin of #7600 and claims through the same ancestors.*

7385

No. 736

Name ..... 21/11/1914

With No. 137

Remarks:

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No.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

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

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**ESTER POWE  
ATTORNEY,  
LOCAL ATTORNEY**

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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: Cherokee

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence: Cherokee

3. Town and post office: Cherokee

4. County: Cherokee

5. State: Georgia

6. Date and place of birth: Cherokee

7. 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

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Cherokee

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

Father—English name: Cherokee

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Cherokee

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Cherokee

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee

Mother: Cherokee

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

Father: Cherokee

Mother: Cherokee

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Cherokee Mother: Cherokee

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John</u>	<u>1818</u>	<u>1880</u>
(2)	<u>William</u>	<u>1820</u>	<u>1890</u>
(3)	<u>Mary</u>	<u>1822</u>	<u>1895</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.
(1)	<u>John</u>	<u>John</u>
(2)	<u>William</u>	<u>William</u>
(3)	<u>Mary</u>	<u>Mary</u>
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

17. Where were they born? Illinois

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

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

- (1) English name: John  
Indian name: John  
Residence: Fort Snelling
- (2) English name: William  
Indian name: William  
Residence: Fort Snelling
- (3) English name: Mary  
Indian name: Mary  
Residence: Fort Snelling
- (4) English name: John  
Indian name: John  
Residence: Fort Snelling
- (5) English name: William  
Indian name: William  
Residence: Fort Snelling

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:

*Paternal James Williams ...  
Maternal ...  
Grand Mother ...  
Grand-grand ...*

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.) *Edmund ...*

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

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 *Edmund ...* and *...*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Edmund ...*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *...* for *1* years and *...* years, respectively, and know *...* to be the identical person *...* represents *...* to be, and that the statements made by *...* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *...* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Jas. W. ...*

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

My commission expires *...*, 190*...*  
Notary Public.

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

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No. 7386

Action: *Reject*

Name *John Williamson* and — children. Residence: *West Mineral, Kansas*

Reasons:

*Owner of #7040, and claims through  
the same ancestor.*

7386

No. 7349

Name J. J. [unclear]

With No. 7347

Remarks:

10000 77040

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John Williams*

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

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *John Williamson*

Indian name: *Loyan*

2. Residence: *West Fairview*

3. Town and post office: *West*

4. County: *Cherokee*

5. State: *Tenn.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 10, 1840, 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:

*William L. ...*  
*Zachariah Loyan in ...*

8. Are you married? *No*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *26 years Polly J.*

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

Father English name: *Benj. Williamson*

Indian name: *Loyan*

Mother English name: *Mary C. Williamson*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Mary C. ...*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Tenn.*

Mother: *Tenn.*

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

Father: *Tenn.*

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Williamson	Sept. 28, 1802	1848
(2)	Mary Radcliff	May 19, 1807	1903
(3)	Nellie Williamson	Oct. 10, 1810	
(4)	Naoma Wrondale	Dec. 24, 1822	
(5)	John Williamson	Apr. 6, 1826	
(6)	Elmer " "	June 8, 1831	

16. 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. Lagan	Wm. Lagan
Mrs. Lagan	Melinda Lagan
Ja. Williamson	
Polly " "	

17. Where were they born: March 16 1812 - Ky.  
Jan. 1813 - respectively

18. Where did they reside in 1850, if living at that time:  
Illinois

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

- (a) English name: Adaline Lagan
- Indian name: Margaret J. Allen
- Residence: Millie Eden
- (b) English name: Delilah M. Nully
- Indian name: Thos. Lagan
- Residence: Lucinda "
- (c) English name: Geo. Lagan
- Indian name: Tioch "
- Residence: James "
- (d) English name: Mrs. D. "
- Indian name: "
- Residence: "
- (e) 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 William*

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 District Court and to Masters report chose Indian blood record at Mount Pleasant S.C.*

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

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

My commission expires *Nov. 2*, 190*7*

*J. E. Whately*  
Notary Public.

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. Elliott* and *J. M. Huntzinger*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John Williamson* 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' marks.

Signatures of witnesses.

*James N. Elliott*

*J. M. Huntzinger*

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

My commission expires

*Nov. 2*, 190*7*

*J. E. Whately*  
Notary Public.

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No. 7387

Action: *Reject*

Name *Martha W. Williamson* and — children. Residence: *Columbus, Kans.*

Reasons:

*Aunt of # 7040, and claims through the same  
ancestry.*

7387

No. 17

Name/Field

With No. 7640

Remarks:

Account # 7040

No.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Walter P. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 24, 1906.

11-621



CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
BANK, 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: *Martha L. Williamson*

Indian name: *Logan*

2. Residence: *Columbus*

3. Town and post office: *Columbus*

4. County: *Cherokee*

5. State: *Georgia*

6. Date and place of birth: *Allen Co. Ga. 11/18/1847*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

8. Are you married? *no*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Benj. Williams, 66 years*

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

Father - English name: *William Logan*

Indian name:

Mother - English name: *Marta Logan*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Marta Logan*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *GA*

Mother: *GA*

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

Father: *Allen Co. Ga.*

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)	<i>Adeline Logan</i>	<i>1845</i>	<i>1885</i>
(2)	<i>Joseph Logan</i>	<i>1845</i>	
(3)	<i>Willie Cutler</i>	<i>1840</i>	<i>1895</i>
(4)	<i>Abeliah McKully</i>	<i>1842</i>	<i>deceased</i>
(5)	<i>Thomas Logan</i>	<i>1845</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)	<i>Geo. Logan</i>	<i>1845</i>	<i>"</i>

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

	FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
(1)	<i>John Logan</i>	<i>Robert Logan</i>
(2)	<i>Thomas Logan</i>	<i>John Logan</i>

17. Where were they born? *NC*

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

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

- (1) English name: *William Logan*  
Indian name: *"*  
Residence: *"*
- (2) English name: *Lavinia Logan*  
Indian name: *"*  
Residence: *"*
- (3) English name: *William Logan*  
Indian name: *"*  
Residence: *"*
- (4) English name: *John Logan*  
Indian name: *"*  
Residence: *"*
- (5) English name: *John Logan*  
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:

*None given*

REMARKS.

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

*Household records, etc. in the  
Census and courts. Masters Report shows  
Denton Good, rec'd. in the year 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) *Mark A. ...*

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

My commission expires *August* 1906 *L. S. Touquary* Notary Public.

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. A. Beggs* and  
*Ed Y McNeill*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Martha A. Williamson*, 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 *she* represents *herself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to oath.

Signatures of witnesses.

*R. A. Beggs.  
E. Y. McNeill*

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

My commission expires *August 18<sup>th</sup>* 1907 *L. S. Touquary* Notary Public.

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

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No. 7358

Action: *reject*

Name: *W. A. Thoms* and  children. Residence: *Long Grove, Ill.*

Reasons:

*Birth of 2nd child*

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No. ....

Name .....

With No. ....

Remarks:

No.

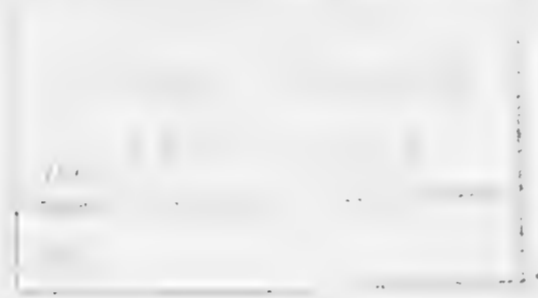
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*James C. Head*

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.



CHESTER I. WEAVER  
ATTORNEY AT LAW

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: *James C. Hard*

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 March 19. 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: *Jerry Hard, son of John (called Jack) Hard*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mary Ann Hard Aged fifty two years*

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

Father English name: *Jerry Hard*

Indian name:

Mother English name: *Nancy Hard*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Nancy Freeman*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *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 do not know*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Folly Allen (ne Ward)	March 3/1823	January 18/1857
	Henrietta Yates (ne Ward)	February 11/1825	
(2)	William Ward	November 25/1825	
	Elisha Ward	May 7 <sup>th</sup> 1828	April 1902
(3)	Jerry Ward	March 22 <sup>nd</sup> 1832	September 21/1877
	Louis Ward	January 13/1835	May 16/1863
(4)	Andrew Ward	November 23/1837	April 22/1863
	Ellen Howell (ne Ward)	October 18/1840	
(5)	Amanda Jolley (ne Ward)	March 6/1843	
	Johanna Ward	Jan. 7 <sup>th</sup> 1847	
(6)	Oliver H Ward	August 3 <sup>rd</sup> 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: *Folly Hudson*

17. Where were they born? *I don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851 if living at that time? *Both Level*

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

(1) English name: *Jerry H. d. August 14/1863*  
 Indian name: *John Ward*  
 English name: *James Ward*  
 Residence: *Level*  
 (2) English name: *Bill Ward*  
 English name: *Tom Ward*  
 English name: *Louis Ward*  
 Residence: *Level*  
 (3) English name: *Folly Freeman ne Ward*  
 English name: *Peggy Freeman ne Ward*  
 Indian name: *Peggy Lucy Davis ne Ward*  
 English name: *Nancy Bearden ne Ward*  
 Indian name: *Level*  
 Residence: *Level*  
 (4) English name: *Hullie Gamble ne Ward*  
 Indian name: *Don't know dates of death except*  
 Residence: *Jerry Ward*

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) *James Hard*  
*8th*

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

My commission expires *May 31st* 190*7*  
*E.C. Armstrong*

*E.C. Armstrong*  
 Notary Public, in and for *Tenniss 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 *J. McElwee* and *J. W. Grass*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *James C. Hard*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that 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 my hand

Signature of witness

*J. W. Grass*  
*J. McElwee*  
*8th* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires *May 31st* 190*7*  
*E.C. Armstrong*

*E.C. Armstrong*  
 Notary Public, in and for *Tenniss County, Texas*

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No. 7381

Action: *Reject*

Name *Henry Hard*

and *x*

children.

Residence:

*Honey Grove,  
T. V.*

Reasons:

*Don of type (Class. 1800)*

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No. 7389

Name Henry Ward

With No. 7190

Remarks:

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No. 7389

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Henry Hard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
LAW & TRUST CO  
MEMPHIS, TENN.

6884



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Henry Ward*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Honey Grove Texas*

3. Town and post office: *Honey Grove*

4. County: *Fannin*

5. State: *Texas*

6. Date and place of birth: *Honey Grove Texas May 9<sup>th</sup> 1872*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Jerry Ward son of John (Called Jack) Ward*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Bera Ward aged 20  
Twenty Eight (28) years*

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

Father—English name: *Bedford Ward*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Ellen Ward (now Ellen Howell)*

Indian name: *Ellen Ward (now Ellen Howell)*

Maiden name: *Ellen Ward*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Georgia*

Mother: *Fannin County Texas*

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

Father: *Arkansas*

Mother: *Fannin County Texas*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *June the 15<sup>th</sup> 1874* 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>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	<u>Jerry Ward</u>	<u>Nancy Ward</u>

17. Where were they born? Jerry Ward was Born in South Carolina  
Nancy Ward was Born in Tennessee

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

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

(1) English name: Polly Fannin County Texas, Died January 18-1859  
English name ~~Indian name~~: Henry Cottagates ne Ward, Proctor Ind. Ter.  
English name ~~Residence~~: William Ward, Benbrook, Texas

(2) English name: Alish Ward, died April 1902  
English ~~Indian name~~: Jerry Ward Sept. 21/1878  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: Lewis Ward died May 15/1863  
English ~~Indian name~~: Andrew Ward died April 27/1863  
English name ~~Residence~~: Ellen (Ward) Howell, Honey Grove, Texas

(4) English name: Amanda Talley ne Ward Honey Grove Texas  
English ~~Indian name~~: John Ward Elida, New Mexico  
English name ~~Residence~~: James C. Ward, Honey Grove, Texas

(5) English name: Sarah P. Ward Honey Grove Texas  
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.) Henry Ward

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

My commission expires May 31<sup>st</sup>, 1907

E. C. Armstrong  
Notary Public in and for Fannin County, Georgia

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me T. E. Lassiter and J. W. Gross, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Henry Ward, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

T. E. Lassiter  
J. W. Gross

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

My commission expires

May 31<sup>st</sup>, 1907  
E. C. Armstrong Notary Public

E. C. Armstrong  
Notary Public in and for Fannin County, Georgia

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*LBD*  
App. #7190.

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

January 7, 1908.

Ellen Howe,  
Honey Grove, Tex.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #7190 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you state that you base your claim by right of your father, Henry Ward, son of John Ward, (called Jack) will state that I cannot find the name of John (or Jack) Ward enrolled in 1835. Where did the said John, or Jack, Ward reside in 1835? If living in the West, when did he move from the East to the West? Where was your father, Jerry Ward, residing in 1851, and why was he not enrolled? As you were born in 1840, why were you not enrolled? Please state the history of your Indian ancestors from your full-blood ancestor down to yourself, giving any reasons you may have for their not being enrolled.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

*Genius Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

LBD/AIL

APP. 2710.

January 7, 1890.

Ellen ~~Howe~~ *Howe*  
Honey Grove, Tex.

Madam:-

Relative to your application #7120 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, in which you state that you base your claim by right of your father, Henry Ward, son of John Ward, (called Jack) will state that I cannot find the name of John (or Jack) Ward enrolled in 1835. Where did the said John, or Jack, Ward reside in 1835? If living in the West, when did he move from the East to the West? Where was your father, Jerry Ward, residing in 1831, and why was he not enrolled? As you were born in 1840, why were you not enrolled? Please state the history of your Indian ancestors since your full-blood ancestor came to you, and the reasons you may have for their not being enrolled.

Your obedient reply will be appreciated.

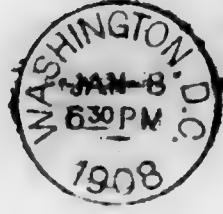
Respectfully,

LBD/AIL

Special Commissioner.

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

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Ellen Howell,

Honey Grove,  
Texas.



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No 7340

Action: *Rejected*

Name

*John C. Mack*

and *X* children.

Residence:

*Colton, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #7360 and claims through same.*

7350



No. 7390

Name John C. Ward

With No. ~~7367~~ 7367

#Remarks: 4 file  
7391

Ancestors why  
not enrolled?

*Courtesy of A 7306*

No. 7300

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John C. Ward*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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— John C Ward  
English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Elkton Missouri
3. Town and post office: Elkton
4. County: Hickory
5. State: Missouri
6. Date and place of birth: April 24 1859 North Carolina
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Mother
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Angelina Ward
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Ward  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Naomi Ward  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Where were they born?  
Father: North Carolina  
Mother: North Carolina
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: North Carolina  
Mother: North Carolina
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1865 Mother: 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)	<u>Aaron Ward</u>		
(2)	<u>Mary Ward</u>		
(3)	<u>Dallas Ward</u>		
(4)	<u>John C Ward</u>		
(5)	<u>Nathaniel Ward</u>		
(6)	<u>Celia Ward</u>	<u>George Ward</u>	<u>Granham Ward</u>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

17. Where were they born?

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

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

(1)	English name:	<u>Naomi Perkin</u>	<u>Dead</u>	
	Indian name:	<u>Bethany Perkin</u>	<u>Dead</u>	
	Residence:	<u>Percy Perkin</u>	<u>Dead</u>	
(2)	English name:	<u>Mary Ann Perkin</u>	<u>Eldora Oklahoma</u>	
	Indian name:	<u>Elizabeth Perkin</u>	<u>Dead</u>	
	Residence:	<u>Panna</u>	<u>Buss Perkin</u>	<u>Dead</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.

Wagoner 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: .....

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REMARKS.

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

*I was filed at Wagoner But I don't  
recollect date*

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

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

My commission expires  
*May 23*, 1907

*J. M. Allen*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *A. J. Tillery* and *L. H. Goodrich*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John Ward*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and *10* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
*A. J. Tillery*  
*L. H. Goodrich*

Signatures of witnesses.  
*A. J. Tillery*  
*L. H. Goodrich*

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

My commission expires  
*May 23*, 1907

*J. M. Allen*  
Notary Public.

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App. 7526.

September 13, 1907.

John C. Ward,

Wilton,

Missouri.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of September 2, 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 this time whether or not you are entitled to share in this fund, or the amount each successful claimant will receive.

As there are over 40,000 applications on file and the claimants are widely scattered through the United States, it will necessarily take considerable time to have all of these cases adjudicated, and until they are so determined no money can be distributed.

If there is any further information required in connection with your application you will be notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
*Rec.* SEP 9 1907  
*No.* 7390

Sept 1881  
I received a card  
stating that my papers  
had been filed as application  
No. 1234/370 and were  
so I would be here  
if anything in the near  
future

J. G. Hawk

Aug 1881

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No 7391

Action: Reported

Name Fred Hart and X children. Residence: Boston, Mass.

Reasons: ~~Claim of illegitimacy~~

7391

No. 7391

Name Fred Ward

With No. 7570

Remarks:

No. 7391

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Fred Ward*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

1637

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: Fred Ward

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Elkton

3. Town and post office:

Elkton

4. County:

Hickory

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

Born 1884 November

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:

Father and Grand  
mother

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

Father—English name:

John C. Ward

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Angeline Ward

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Angeline Smith

11. Where were they born?

Father:

North Carolina

Mother:

Missouri

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:

Mother:

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mittie Ward</u>	<u>17</u>	
(2)	<u>Frank Ward</u>	<u>15-</u>	
(3)	<u>Lee Ward</u>	<u>9</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 Ward</u>	<u>Naomi Ward</u>
<u>Eddy Smith</u>	<u>Mary Smith</u>

17. Where were they born? Ward side North Carolina  
Smith 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: Aaron Ward Jefferson Kan  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

(3) English name: ~~Mary~~ Wallas Ward Dead  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: John C Ward Elkton Mo  
Indian name: Graham Ward  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: Nathan Ward Vernon Colorado  
Indian name: Doctor Balhavel Ward Vernon Colorado  
Residence: George Ward Topeka Kansas

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.) Fred Ward

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

My commission expires May 23, 1907.

) J. M. Allen  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me A. J. Tilley and L. H. Goodrich, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fred Ward, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
A. J. Tilley  
L. H. Goodrich

Signatures of witnesses.  
A. J. Tilley  
L. H. Goodrich

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

My commission expires May 23, 1907.

) J. M. Allen  
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. 7392

Action: *Reject*

Name *Katy Wade White* and — children. Residence: *West Mineral, Kans.*

Reasons:

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

No. 7392

Name Katy W. White

With No. 7040

Remarks:



*piece of 7040*

No. 7392

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Katy Wade White*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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,  
W. H. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*7392*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—  
English name: *Katie Wade now White*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *West Mineral*
3. Town and post office: *West Mineral*
4. County: *Cherokee*
5. State: *Kansas*
6. Date and place of birth: *March 27-1886 Cherokee county 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: *Wm Logan my Great Grand and Goshairiah Logan my Great Grand Grand Father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *W.B. White 30 years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Jasper Wade*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Lucinda Wade. afterward Miller*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Lucinda Miller*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Ohio*  
Mother: *Illinois*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father:
- Mother:
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Dec. 1857* 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>Willie Wade</i>	<i>27</i>	
(2)	<i>Lucenie Wade</i>	<i>23</i>	
(3)	<i>William Kennedy 1/2 Kin</i>	<i>13</i>	
(4)	<i>Clarence Kennedy "</i>	<i>8</i>	
(5)	<i>Miller Kennedy "</i>	<i>6</i>	
(6)	<i>Judson Kennedy "</i>	<i>4</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.

*Joseph Allen*  
*Margaret J. Allen*

17. Where were they born?

*Kentucky*

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: \_\_\_\_\_  
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: \_\_\_\_\_

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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.) Katie White

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

My commission expires  
Nov. 24, 1907

J. E. Whately  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me W. S. Russell and  
A. O. Matta, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Katie White, 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

W. S. Russell  
A. O. Matta

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

My commission expires  
Nov. 24, 1907

J. E. Whately  
Notary Public.

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No. 225

Action: 225

Name: [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons: [unclear]

No. 7393

Name *Pauline Wines*

Whit No. 7053

Remarks:

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No. 7393

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Geroldine Kines*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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 25 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7393

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

*my infant daughter Geraldine Wines*

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Geraldine Wines*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Lebanon, Boone County, Indiana*

3. Town and post office: *Lebanon*

4. County: *Boone*

5. State: *Indiana*

6. Date and place of birth: *Lebanon, Boone County, Indiana January 15, 1904.*

7. 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 she is one thirty second (32) Indian blood, her mother Grace B. Wines ne Yingst and her grand mother Nancy E. Yingst ne Blackburn and her great grand father John H. Blackburn, and her great great grandfather, James Blackburn*

8. Are you married? *is no.*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *none.*

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

Father—English name: *Elmer H. Wines*

Indian name: *Elmer H. Wines*

Mother—English name: *Grace B. Wines*

Indian name: *Grace B. Wines*

Maiden name: *Grace B. Yingst.*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *St. Paul, Shelby County Indiana*

Mother: *Lebanon, Boone County Indiana.*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Not living*

Mother: *Not living*

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)	<u>None</u>		
(2)	<u>Nancy Jeanette Wines</u>	<u>January 11, 1902</u>	<u>September 2, 1903.</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>Simon Wines</u>	<u>Jacob W. Yingst</u>
<u>Margaret Wines</u>	<u>Nancy E. Yingst.</u>

17. Where were they born? Simon Wines — County, Indiana. Margaret Wines  
County, Indiana. Jacob W. Yingst, Miami County Ohio. Nancy E. Yingst  
Hendricks County, Indiana.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Simon Wines and Margaret  
Wines, unknown. Jacob W. Yingst Miami County, Ohio. Nancy E. Yingst  
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>Unknown</u>
Indian name:	<u>"</u>
Residence:	<u>"</u>
(2) English name:	<u>"</u>
Indian name:	<u>"</u>
Residence:	<u>"</u>
(3) English name:	<u>"</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: Grace B. Wines, ne Yungt  
Name E. Yungt ne Blackburn, John N. Blackburn  
James Blackburn

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Geraldine Wines is a great great grand niece of Polly Carter and her name is on the roll of 1835-where she drew annuities for the support of herself and children. She was 1/2 Indian and was a sister of Geraldine Wines's my great great grandfather James Blackburn, of Kentucky.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) Grace B. Wines

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of November, 1906.

My commission expires February 24, 1909

Elyza O. Rogers  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Harlan P. Matthews and William T. Hooton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Grace B. Wines, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that 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.

Harlan P. Matthews  
William T. Hooton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of November, 1906.

My commission expires February 24, 1909

Elyza O. Rogers  
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. 7394.

Action: Reject.

Name: Ader J. Wheeler and -- children. Residence: Romney, Texas.

Reasons: Niece of #6964; claims thru same source.

No. 7394

Name *Order of the*

With No. 6964

Remarks:

No. 7394

*Mass of 6960*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Alex J. Wheeler*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

*7394*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Adair J. Wheeler*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Texas*

3. Town and post office: *Romney*

4. County: *Eastland*

5. State: *Texas*

6. Date and place of birth: *March 11 1875 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 being a Cherokee Indian by blood through mother*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *C. P. Wheeler,  
November 20, 1888.*

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: *still living* Mother: *still living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *in 1894 at Wagoner Indian Territory*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Jonathan L Montgomery</i>	<i>1857</i>	<i>1901</i>
(2)	<i>Jessie R Montgomery</i>	<i>1858</i>	
(3)	<i>Martha C Montgomery</i>	<i>1861</i>	
(4)	<i>Sarah E Montgomery</i>	<i>1865</i>	
(5)	<i>John P Montgomery</i>	<i>1867</i>	
(6)	<i>George W Montgomery</i>	<i>1870</i>	
	<i>Mary E Montgomery</i>	<i>1873</i>	<i>1898</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 Montgomery</i>	<i>Joseph Williams</i>
<i>Martha Montgomery</i>	<i>Catharine Williams</i>

17. Where were they born? *on Father's side Born in Virginia*  
*on Mother's side Born 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:

English name:	Residence:
<i>Patilla Williams</i>	<i>Jessie Williams</i>
<i>Martha Williams</i>	<i>Malinda C Williams</i>
<i>James P Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek Alabama</i>
<i>Thomas S Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek Alabama</i>
<i>Jonathan Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek Alabama</i>
<i>Sarah M Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek Alabama</i>
<i>Catharine Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek Alabama</i>
<i>William S Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek Alabama</i>
<i>Jessie Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek Alabama</i>
<i>Joseph Williams</i>	<i>residence total Indian Territory</i>
<i>Vigil M Williams</i>	<i>1894</i>
<i>Francis A Williams</i>	<i>died 1900</i>
<i>Frances Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek</i>
<i>Alford S Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek</i>
<i>Gerry S Williams</i>	<i>resides at horse creek</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *Yes in 1894 at Wagoner 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: *Mother is a daughter of Joseph and Catharine Williams nee Sturfford my great grand fathers name was Edward Williams my great grand mother was Peggy Williams nee Peggy Britten den who was a daughter of Jonathan Britten a Cherokee Indian*

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.) *Ader J. Wheeler*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30th* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 1907

*J. D. Greenman*  
and for Eastland *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. L. Richardson* and *Dan McBeth*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs. Ader J. Wheeler*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *23* years and *23* 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. L. Richardson*  
*Dan McBeth*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30th* day of *Nov*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 1907

*J. D. Greenman*  
and for Eastland *Notary Public. in*

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N.P.

*[Handwritten initials]*

Department of the Interior,  
Office of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C. *July 20/09*

Respectfully referred to the ~~Superintendent~~  
of the *Quion Miller* for  
for report with return of papers.

*appropriate action*

*E. B. Meritt*  
Acting Chief Land Division.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 26 1909  
No. 7394

Rec. Notice  
7/26/09.

OFFICE OF THE  
SHERIFF  
JUL 19 1899  
FILE 57139

United Texas

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Affairs of the former P. O. and  
Territory but now United  
my Application no 7394  
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application money the same  
application money was not  
returned in any way I have  
not seen them I have seen  
nothing since the same  
showing my application  
no 7394 rejected I have  
my 7394 and have to pay  
for the same application

1863

John J. Wheeler  
Sec. State of Montgomery  
Federal Court  
R. R. 1, Box 35

add J. Wheeler

No. 7995

Action: *Rejected.*

Name: *Mattie D. Wells* and *4* children. Residence: *Granby, Mo.*

Reasons:

*sister of #796 and claims through same name*

No. 7395  
Name Matthew Wells  
With No. 7320

Remarks:

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No. 7395

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mattie L. Miles*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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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: Mattie L. Neels  
Indian name: Watham
2. Residence: Granby
3. Town and post office: Granby
4. County: Newton
5. State: Mo
6. Date and place of birth: Dec. 23, 1873, 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:  
(1) Richard Watham, Great Grand father  
(2) Eneline Vance, Grand mother
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: W. J. Neels
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William D. Vance  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Margaret E. Vance  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Margaret E. Morlin
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Virginia  
Mother: Missouri
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: ✓  
Mother: ✓
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: ✓ Mother: ✓



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: ✓  
✓

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William E. Vauce	Jan. 1-1876	}
✓	Charles P. Vauce	Feb. 8-1878	
(2)	Ollie F. Vauce	Apr. 2, 1880	
+	Thomas M. Vauce	Oct. 9 1883	
(5)	Lezaniel J. Vauce	Oct. 30-1885	
6	Colon F. Vauce	Nov. 12-1887	
(7)	Ernest F. Vauce	Feb. 18-1889	
8	Jesse F. Vauce	Aug. 19-1891	
(9)	Julia E. Vauce	Nov. 10-1893	
10	David C. Vauce	Jan. 30-1895	
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE. William Vauce MOTHER'S SIDE. Emeline Vauce

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: \_\_\_\_\_  
 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:

Great Grandfather Richard Natham (Indian)  
Grand Mother Emeline Natham ("")

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 L. Wells

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Nov., 1906.

My commission expires

July 1, 1909

W. W. Hudson

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Hudson and J. M. Daniel

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mattie L. Wells

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known for 15 years and 15 years,

respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents to be, and

that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. H. Hudson

J. M. Daniel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Nov., 1906.

My commission expires

July 1, 1909

W. W. Hudson

Notary Public.

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No. 7396

Action: Rejected

Name Granville Wright and X children. Residence: Bonham, Tex. R.F.D. 3

Reasons: Nephew of 7096

No. 7396

Name Granville High

With No. 7096

Remarks:

*N. of how*

No. 73983

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Granville Wright*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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: Granville Wright

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence: Banham, Tenn. R. F. D # 3 Box 61.

3. Town and post office: Banham.

4. County: Tenn.

5. State: Tenn.

6. Date and place of birth: 11/2/1881. Banham, 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: Wm. Wright, John Pierce,

8. Are you married? yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Esther Wright, 39

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: William Wright

Indian name: 1

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Cooper

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary Ann Pierce

11. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: Tenn. "Benton Co" 1839

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: Tenn. "Meakley Co."

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1862

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>William Wright</u>	<u>1859</u>	<u>1899</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>P. D. Wright</u>	<u>John Pierce</u>
<u>Charity Wright</u>	<u>Nancy Pierce</u>

17. Where were they born? John Pierce Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tennessee "Weakley Co."

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:

*Mother*  
*Cooper m. Pierce her father, John Pierce, her mother*  
*the name of Elizabeth - her father of the*  
*Mother Charity Wright and Elizabeth*

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.) *Granville Wright,*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 190*7*

*C. A. Wheeler*

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *T. F. Gray* and *E. R. Gattin*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Granville Wright*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* years and *40* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*T. F. Gray*  
*E. R. Gattin*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 1906.

My commission expires

*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 190*7*

*C. A. Wheeler*

Notary Public.

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No. 707

Action: *Recd*

Name: *John J. ...* and *J. ...* children. Residence: *...*

Reasons:

*...*

No. 7394

Name. J. A. D. H. H. H.

With No. 7106 7053

Remarks:

See file

*Suppl.*

No. 1307

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ida S. Wilson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
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: *Ida S. Wilson*  
Indian name: *Unknown*
2. Residence: *Ford, Noble County, Territory of Oklahoma.*
3. Town and post office: *Ford*
4. County: *Noble*
5. State: *Territory of Oklahoma*
6. Date and place of birth: *May 22, 1863, Danville, Hendrix 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: *By mother and Grandfather both living in 1851. Mother's name is Mary E. Clark, and Grandfather's name is William Baugh.*
8. Are you married? *Yes.*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Oliver E. Wilson, age 44 years.*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Roland A. Clark*  
Indian name: *None*  
Mother—English name: *Mary E. Clark*  
Indian name: *Unknown*  
Maiden name: *Mary E. Baugh*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Born in Mercer County, Kentucky*  
Mother: *" " Shelby County, Kentucky*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *resided in Frankfort, Kentucky*  
Mother: *" " Danville, Indiana*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *living* Mother: *March 6, 1904.*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: unknown

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James W. Clark	Aug 1 - 1854	living
(2)	Thomas A. Clark	July 6, 1856	"
(3)	Susan M. Manning	Jan. 16, 1860	"
(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 Clark	William Baugh
Mildred Clark	Susan Baugh
Indian names unknown	Indian names unknown

17. Where were they born? All in Kentucky, I believe

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandparents on father's side in Frankfort, Kentucky; Mother's side, Danville, Indiana

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Alexander B. Baugh - Kansas.
Indian name:	unknown
Residence:	Kansas
(2) English name:	Cyrus M. Baugh
Indian name:	unknown
Residence:	California
(3) English name:	Walker Baugh
Indian name:	unknown
Residence:	Peoria, Ill.
(4) English name:	James Baugh
Indian name:	unknown
Residence:	Iowa
(5) English name:	Jack Clark - Jane Clark
Indian name:	none none
Residence:	Hatton, Kentucky } Danville, Ind.

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Unknown

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Ida S. Wilson - father, Roland H. Clark; Grandfather, James Clark  
 Ida S. Wilson - mother, Mary E. Clark; Grandfather, William Baugh  
 Grandmother, Susan Baugh nee Forsythe

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Ida S. Wilson (nee Clark) is a daughter of Elizabeth Clark (nee Baugh) and a grand-daughter of William Baugh, of Indiana, and a great-grand-daughter of William Baugh of Kentucky, and a grand-niece of Rhoda Blackburn (nee Baugh) and a great-grand-niece of Polly Carter, (nee Baugh) who is a daughter of James and Rhoda Blackburn and on Chief John Ross's Roll of 1835 and 1836.

Note.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) Ida S. Wilson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of November, 1906.

My commission expires  
Whitey Oklahoma, 1906  
Kay Co.

A. M. Noble  
 Supt. of P. Dept. Agent

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. Lamb and Herschel F. Cox, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ida S. Wilson, 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.

William C. Lamb  
Herschel F. Cox

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of November, 1906.

My commission expires  
Whitey Oklahoma, 1906  
Kay County

A. M. Noble  
 Supt. of P. Dept. Agent

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No. 7397

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION :

OF

*Ida S. Wilson*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

## 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. 7397.

1. State your full name: Ida S. Wilson
2. Residence and post office: Ford
3. County: Noble
4. State: Oklahoma
5. Date and place of birth: May 22, 1863, Danville, Hendricks Co., Ind.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Oliver E. Wilson - 45 years,
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:
 

NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(8) <u>Frances C. Padgett</u>	<u>11 months old</u>	<u>July 22, 1906</u>
(1) <u>Roscoe D. Wilson</u>	<u>20 years</u>	<u>Dec. 2, 1885,</u>
(2) <u>Annie E. Wilson</u>	<u>18 years</u>	<u>Mar. 15, 1888.</u>
(3) <u>Burford R. Wilson</u>	<u>14 years</u>	<u>June 7, 1891.</u>
(4) <u>Bonnie B. Wilson</u>	<u>12 years</u>	<u>Sept. 18, 1893.</u>
(5) <u>Bessie W. Wilson</u>	<u>10 years</u>	<u>July 15, 1895.</u>
(6) <u>Emmett R. Wilson</u>	<u>8 years</u>	<u>Oct. 30, 1897.</u>
(7) <u>Warren S. Wilson</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>Mar. 12, 1903.</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.)  
Frances C. Padgett is a granddaughter of the applicant, the mother, being a minor Annie E. (Wilson) Padgett, daughter of the applicant.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ida S. Wilson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June 1907.

H. G. Jewerson  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires  
Dec. 20, 1910.

Whiteagle,  
Kay Co,  
Okla.



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Eli W. Fowler and Malchus Watrous who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ida S. Wilson who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 1 1/2 years and 2 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.

Eli W. Fowler  
Malchus Watrous

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 1907.

H. G. Jermerson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec. 20, 1910.

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No. 7397

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION :

OF

Ida S. Wilson

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

CHBITON HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

COUNT OF ...  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
AUG 20 1909  
No. 7397

Ford, Oklahoma.

Aug. 19, 1909.

Special Commissioner of Court of Claims,  
( Eastern Cherokee Enrollment )  
601 Ouray Bldg. Washington. D.C.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of June 10, 1909 relative to the rejection of my claim 7397 for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, and entering exception thereto to said order, I have the honor to file in answer thereto an affidavit establishing my relationship to James and Rhoda Blackburn Eastern Cherokee Indians who are carried on the John Ross Roll of 1835-6.

No affiliation of the Baugh Indian family, Indian name not carried, has ever been recorded on any tribal roll and it is from these facts that I hereby file exception with the Clerk of the Court of Claims, File No. 7397, including the following:  
Mrs. Ida S. Wilson and her minor children, ( See diagram ).

Very respectfully,

*Ida S. Wilson.*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 16 1908

No. 7397

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MAR 17 1908

March 12th, 1908

Sir, The owner of  
Application No 7397  
Eastern Cherokee wishes  
to know when the payment  
~~will~~ be made.

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Address.

Ida S. Wilson.

Grand Oklahoma.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 14 1909  
No. 7397

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July 9th, 1909.

Court of Claims. The  
holder of Registration No  
7377 for participation  
in the fund arising from  
the judgment of the Court  
of Claims of May 28, 1906,  
in favor of the Eastern  
District, wishes to know  
how to get on the roll  
as having been rejected by  
the special commissioner  
Ernest Miller, should like  
to know why, and what  
so many as - should have  
all names and accounts  
of the fund as it stands.

I know that I am entitled  
to a share and wish that  
I could prove it to your  
satisfaction I wish that  
you would read the  
application and advise  
me how to make it  
clear, I have more papers  
in my possession and  
hate to be thrown out  
while others get what I  
know that I am entitled to  
share the same as they.  
Please consider and answer  
yours as soon as possible.

Ida S. Wilson.  
Grandchildren.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 12 1909  
No. 7397

*env. let.*

July 9<sup>th</sup>, 1909

Special Commissioner  
Gordon Miller, P.O.

state why application  
No 7397 for participation

in the land arising

from the judgment of

the court of Claims of

May 28 1906 in favor

of the Eastern Cherokee

was rejected and Colin

Ida S. Wilson

Head

Oklahoma

No. 325

Action: Transfer

Name: John Doe and children

Residence: 422 South Main Street  
Northampton, Mass.

Reasons:

1. The above named person has been  
found to be a habitual drunkard.

No. 4398

Name Edythe Nelson

With No. 17152

Remarks:

No. 7308

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

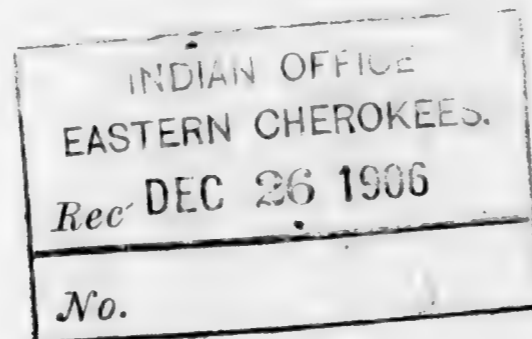
APPLICATION

OF

*Elyth Wilson,*  
*Carthage, 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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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH., LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name: Edyth Wilson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: 422 South MilGregor St.

3. Town and post office: Carthage

4. County: Jasper

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: June 6, 1887, 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: Cherokee Indian by blood, Grandmother Eliza Roberts, (nee Blackburn) and Great-Grand-daughter of Jno. Blackburn of Mo. and a Great-Great-Niece of Polly Carter of Va., a Gr. Great-Grand-daughter of Jas. T. Rhoda Blackburn (nee Balfour) of Virginia who were Cherokee Indians by blood.

8. Are you married? No.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

As shown by proofs submitted

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Thos. M. Wilson, Jr.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Maggie A. Wilson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Maggie A. Roberts

11. Where were they born?

Father: Fayette County, Kentucky

Mother: Madison " "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living

Mother: Not living

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: March 12<sup>th</sup> 1899 Mother: Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> 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)	<u>no brothers nor sisters</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>Thos. M. Wilson, Sr.</u>	<u>Andrew J. Roberts</u>
<u>Nancy Wilson</u>	<u>Eliza Roberts</u>

17. Where were they born? Father's parents in Madison Co., Ky.

Mother's father Madison Co., Ky. Mother's mother in Garrard Co., Ky.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Madison Co., Ky.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>John Roberts</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <u>Edmura, Missouri</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Mary A. Roberts</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <u>died Oct. 1871</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Nancy J. Roberts</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <u>Excelsior Springs, Mo</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Wm. L. Roberts</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <u>Moseby, Missouri</u>
(5)	English name: <u>Margaret E. Roberts</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <u>died June 15<sup>th</sup> 1857</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. no.

19-6) no. B. Roberts, Kansas City, Missouri.  
(7) Samuel S. " , Berthage, Missouri  
(8) Maggie " , died Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> 1888.

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 Great-Grand-Niece of Polly Carter, a daughter of Jas. & Rhoda Blackburn nee Bingham of Virginia, 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 Howe's Commission and appealed to U.S. Court. Masters report on record with the case at Muskogee, Ind. Ter 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.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires Oct 10<sup>th</sup> 1909

John C Bailey  
Notary Public

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 C Bailey and Callie Bailey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Edyth Nelson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and — years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John C Bailey  
Mrs John C Bailey  
Callie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1906.

My commission expires

Oct 10<sup>th</sup> 1909

John C Bailey  
Notary Public

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No. 7399

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Agnes Allen Wilson* and — children. Residence: *West Mineral, Kansas.*

Reasons:

*Sister of #7040, and claims through the same  
ancestors.*

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No. 7379

Name. Agnes O'Brien

With No. 7040

Remarks:

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*No. of 7040*

*No. 7399*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Agnis Allen now Wilson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern  
~~Cherokee~~ Indians by the Act of Congress approved  
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the  
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec 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— *Agnus Allen was Wilson*  
English name: *Agnus Allen.*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: *West Mineral Kansas*
3. Town and post office: *West Mineral Kansas*
4. County: *Cherokee*
5. State: *Kansas*
6. Date and place of birth: *Apr. 2-1870 in Cherokee County Kan.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Margaret Logan who married Joseph Allen. her father was Wm Logan and his father was Zachariah Logan making him my Great Grand Father who was an Indian.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *A. S. Wilson Born January 5-1871*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Joseph Allen*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: *Margaret Logan, nee Allen*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Margaret Logan*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Cherokee Nation in Georgia*  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Illinois*  
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)	Louis J. Allen	age 24 yrs	
(2)	Delilah A. <sup>Allen</sup> Lamer	39	1900
(3)	Ryley Allen	1/2 Brother 55	
(4)	Leonard Allen	48	
(5)	Judson Allen	46	
(6)	John A. Allen	41	
	Lucinda Kennedy	47	
	Matilda Shinn	47	

16. 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 Allen	Wm Logan
Kate Mountain married Allen	Matilda Logan

17. Where were they born? Kentucky on mother's side

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ill.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name:	Adaline Beggs	Head
	Indian name:	Margaret J. Allen	W. Minual
	Residence:	Millie C. St.	Head
(2)	English name:	Delilah M. Kully	W. Minual
	Indian name:	Thomas Logan	Head
	Residence:	Lucinda Logan	Head
(3)	English name:	George Logan	Melrose Kansas
	Indian name:	Enoch Logan	Bankersville
	Residence:	James Logan	Head
(4)	English name:	Wm J. Logan	
	Indian name:	Dwerry Logan	Spokane Washington
	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 Great Grand Father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Have had claim before Court and Lawes Com. Masters report shown Indian blood Recorded at Muscogee Indian Territory

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) Agnes Allen now Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Nov., 1906.

My commission expires Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>, 1907

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 W. J. Russell and Palley Russell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Agnes Allen now Wilson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

W J Russell Palley Russell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Nov., 1906.

My commission expires Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>, 1907

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.

No. 7-27

Action: Secret

Name: William J. ... and X children. Residence: ...

Reasons: ...

9856

No. 7400

Name Grace B. White

With No. 7313

Remarks:



No. 7400

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Grace B. Wines.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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 W. WELLS  
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: Grace B. Wines  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Town and post office: Lebanon
4. County: Boone
5. State: Indiana
6. Date and place of birth: Boone County, Indiana, September 5, 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; Because I am one sixteenth Indian blood. My mother, Nancy E. Yingst, ne Blackburn, my grandfather, John H. Blackburn, and my great grandfather James Blackburn.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Elmer N. Wines, age 27 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Jacob W. Yingst  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Nancy E. Yingst  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Nancy E. Blackburn
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Miami County, Ohio, December 2, 1846  
Mother: Hendricks County, Indiana, March 2, 1851.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Miami County, Ohio.  
Mother: Hendricks County, Indiana
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: still living Mother: October 2, 1911.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *They were neither ever enrolled.*

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.
<i>Lewis Yingst</i>	<i>John H. Blackburn</i>
<i>Elizabeth Yingst</i>	<i>Athena Ann Blackburn</i>

17. Where were they born: *Lewis Yingst Lebanon County, Penn. January 19, 1813.*  
*Elizabeth Yingst Clark County, Ohio Sept. 5, 1823* *John H. Blackburn Madison County, Kentucky, February 23, 1825.* *Athena Ann Blackburn, Putnam County Ind. Oct. 5, 1831.*

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: *I have never been enrolled*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their ~~paternal~~ and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*Nancy E. Jigot, ne Blackburn, and James Blackburn.*

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I am a great grand niece of Polly Carter and her name is on the roll of 1835, where she drew annuities for the support of herself and children, she was 1/2 Indian and was a sister of my great grandfather, James Blackburn of Kentucky.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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.) *Grace B. Wines.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*February 24*, 190*9*

*E. C. Rogers*  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Harlan P. Matthews* and *William T. Hooton*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Grace B. Wines*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that 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.  
*Harlan P. Matthews.*

*William T. Hooton.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27* day of *November*, 1906.

My commission expires  
*February 24*, 190*9*

*E. C. Rogers.*  
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. 7751

Action: Exempt

Name J. R. Harris and two children. Residence: Lytham, Linc.

Reasons: Applicant's ancestors were never enrolled. It does not appear that they were living within the limits of the tract in 1800-1846 as recognized members of the tribe. It also does not appear that they were ever recognized members of the tribe.

Misc. List (P. 2568)

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No.

7401

Name

John B. Walden

Will No.

Wilburton

Remarks:

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Ancestor "Young"

1880

No. 7401

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John B. Macdon*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.

1072

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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 T. Walden*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: *LeFlore*

3. Town and post office: *LeFlore*

4. County: *Choctaw Nation*

5. State: *Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth: *Jan. 12 - 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: *I claim to share through my father John T. Walden who claims the right through his grand mother Millie Young, Indian name Millie Thompson*

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 T. Walden*

Indian name: *Barbra Jane Walden*

Mother—English name: *Barbra Jane Walden*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Barbra Jane Pennell*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *In. Arkansas*

Mother: *In. Mississippi*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *was not born*

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.	ages	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nancy A. Walden	28	Ark.	living
(2)	Geo Walden	24	"	"
(3)	Andrew Walden	20	"	"
(4)	Sherman Walden	18	"	"
(5)	Emme Walden	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 Walden	Bartley Pennell
Nancy Walden	Susie Pennell

17. Where were they born? Ind. Alabama

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ind Ark

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Jerry Walden
Indian name:	
Residence:	Jenson, Ark
(2) English name:	Elisha Walden (dead)
Indian name:	
Residence:	Glenn, Ark
(3) English name:	Jane K. Walden
Indian name:	
Residence:	Fanshawe St.
(4) English name:	Geo Walden, dead
Indian name:	
Residence:	Commercefield St.
(5) English name:	John T. Walden
Indian name:	
Residence:	LeGrove

No room for whole thing or on both sides

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

*I am not able to give the history of the families.*

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 B. Walden*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan. 5*, 19*10*

*Robert E. Lee*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *M. D. Kennedy* and *S. H. Tiffen*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John B. Walden*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *8* years and *8* 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.

*M. D. Kennedy*

*S. H. Tiffen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan. 5*, 19*10*

*Robert E. Lee*  
Notary Public.

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7402- 7401.

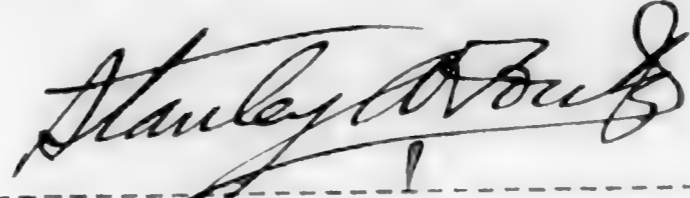
John T. Walden, being duly sworn, deposes and says.

My name is John T. Walden and I reside at LeFlore, Okla. I was born in Polk County, Arkansas, in 1855. I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my Mother, whose maiden name was Nancy Young, who was one-eighth Cherokee; she was born in Alabama, I do not know what year. She claims through her Mother, whose maiden name was Millie Thompson, who was one-half Cherokee. I do not know where Millie Thompson was born, but she came to Arkansas in the year 1840, with her husband John Young, who was a white man. They came from Alabama to Arkansas. My Mother has told me that her Mother was one-half Cherokee Indian. She lived in Alabama prior to coming to Arkansas, but I can not tell how long. I have been told that Millie Thompson's father stayed in the east and did not come west; his name was John Thompson. I do not know where he was born. This is all I know.

(Signed) John T. Walden.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 3rd. day of September, 1908, at Wilburton, Okla.



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Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of Court of Claims.

*Repect.*  
*J. A. W.*

No. 7402.

Action: Reject.

Name: John T. Walden and - children. Residence: Le Flore, Okla.

Reasons: Father of 7401; claims thru same source.

7402

No. 7402-3-4

Name John J. Walden

With No. 7401

Remarks:

*father*

No. 7402

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John T. Walden*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec DEC 26 1906 No.
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CHESTER HOWE,  
ATTORNEY,  
WASH. LOAN & TRUST CO.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7402

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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 T. Walden*

Indian name: *Thompson*

2. Residence: *Leflore I.T.*

3. Town and post office: *Leflore I.T.*

4. County: *Choctaw Nation*

5. State: *Indian Territory*

6. Date and place of birth: *Center Point Ark. April 25-1855*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *By blood, I claim thru one relation, I claim thru my grand mother, her English name was Merric Young, her Indian name was Millie Thompson*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Barbra Jane Walden*

*53 years of age*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *John Walden*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *Nancy Walden*

Indian name: *Nancy Thompson*

Maiden name: *Nancy Young*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *I think it was in Alabama*

Mother: *The same as above*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Arkansas*

Mother: *Arkansas*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *1898*

Mother: *1883*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Jerry Walden	Ark	Living
(2)	Elisha Walden	"	dead
(3)	Jamie Walden	"	Living
(4)	Geo. W. Walden	"	dead
(5)	John T. Walden	"	Living
(5)	Elizabeth Walden	"	"
(5)	Millie Walden	"	"
(6)	Tommy Walden	"	dead
	Isaac Walden	"	Living
	Miriam Walden	"	"

*and several Walden in Ark.*

16. 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 Walden	John Young
mother's name was	Millie Young
unknown	Millie Thompson Indian name

17. Where were they born? unknown

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Arkansas

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Elisha Young  
 Indian name: Elisha Thompson  
 Residence: 100 Locust Grove, S.S.
- (2) English name: Sally Young (now Stevord)  
 Indian name: Sally Thompson  
 Residence: Peggs, S.S.
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: The above names are now  
 Residence: living. Do cannot give
- (4) English name: the death of the other  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *I claim right than my grand mother on my mother's side but I'm not able to give the history back to 1835-*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*If you wish to get more information you can secure the same from Jerry Steward Peggs, Jr. or Locus Grove St.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. 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 T. Walden*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan. 5*, 19*10*

*Robert E. Lee*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *M. D. Kennedy* and *S. C. Tiffen*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John T. Walden*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *8* years and *8* 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.

*M. D. Kennedy*

*S. C. Tiffen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan. 5*, 190*6*

*Robert E. Lee*  
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 #7401.  
App. #7402.

January 7, 1908.

John T. Walken,  
Leflore, Okla.

Sir:-

Relative to your application #7402 for a share of the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, you claim through your grandmother, and state her English name was Millie Young, and Indian name Millie Thompson. Was your said grandmother, Millie Thompson, a Cherokee or Choctaw Indian? Where did she reside in 1851? Where was she born? If in the East, when did she emigrate to the West, and where did she settle? Who were her father and mother? Please give all the information you may be able to obtain relative to your Indian ancestors, stating to what Indian tribe they belonged in the East, and why, if your grandmother was alive in 1851, was she not enrolled?

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

LWD/ALL

No. 7403.....

Action: Reject.....

Name: George Walden ..... and - ..... children. Residence: Le Flora, Okla.....

Reasons: Brother to 7401; claims thru same source.

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No. 7403

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Geo. Walden*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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 FOWLE  
ATTORNEY  
SH. LOAN & TRUST CO  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

7403

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Geo Walden*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Le Flare S. D.*

3. Town and post office: *Le Flare S. D.*

4. County: *Cherokee Nation*

5. State: *Ind. Ter*

6. Date and place of birth: *Bar... Sept. 17-1882*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim to share*

*for my father's side*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Ellen Walden*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *John T. Walden*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Barbara Jane Walden*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Barbara Jane Pennell*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Ind*

Mother: *Mississippi*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *They were not born*

Mother: *They were 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)	Bartly Walden	26 years Ark	living
(2)	Andrew Walden	20	"
(3)	Sherman Walden	18	"
(4)	Nancy G. Walden	28	"
(5)	Jane Walden	13	"
(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 Walden	Bartly Remell
Nancy Walden	Silvie Remell

17. Where were they born? Either in Alabama  
Louisiana

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Ark

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Jerry Walden  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Jerson St.

(2) English name: Elisha Walden dead  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Glean, Ark

(3) English name: James A. Walden  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Fanshawe St.

(4) English name: Geo. Walden dead  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: John T. Walden  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: LeGlore St.

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 cannot give any history*

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.) *Yes Walden*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *Jan. 5*, 19*10* *Robert E. Lee*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *M. D. Kennedy* and *S. G. Tiffen*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Yes Walden*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *8* years and *8* 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.

*M. D. Kennedy*  
*S. G. Tiffen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Dec*, 1906.

My commission expires *Jan. 5*, 19*10* *Robert E. Lee*  
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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