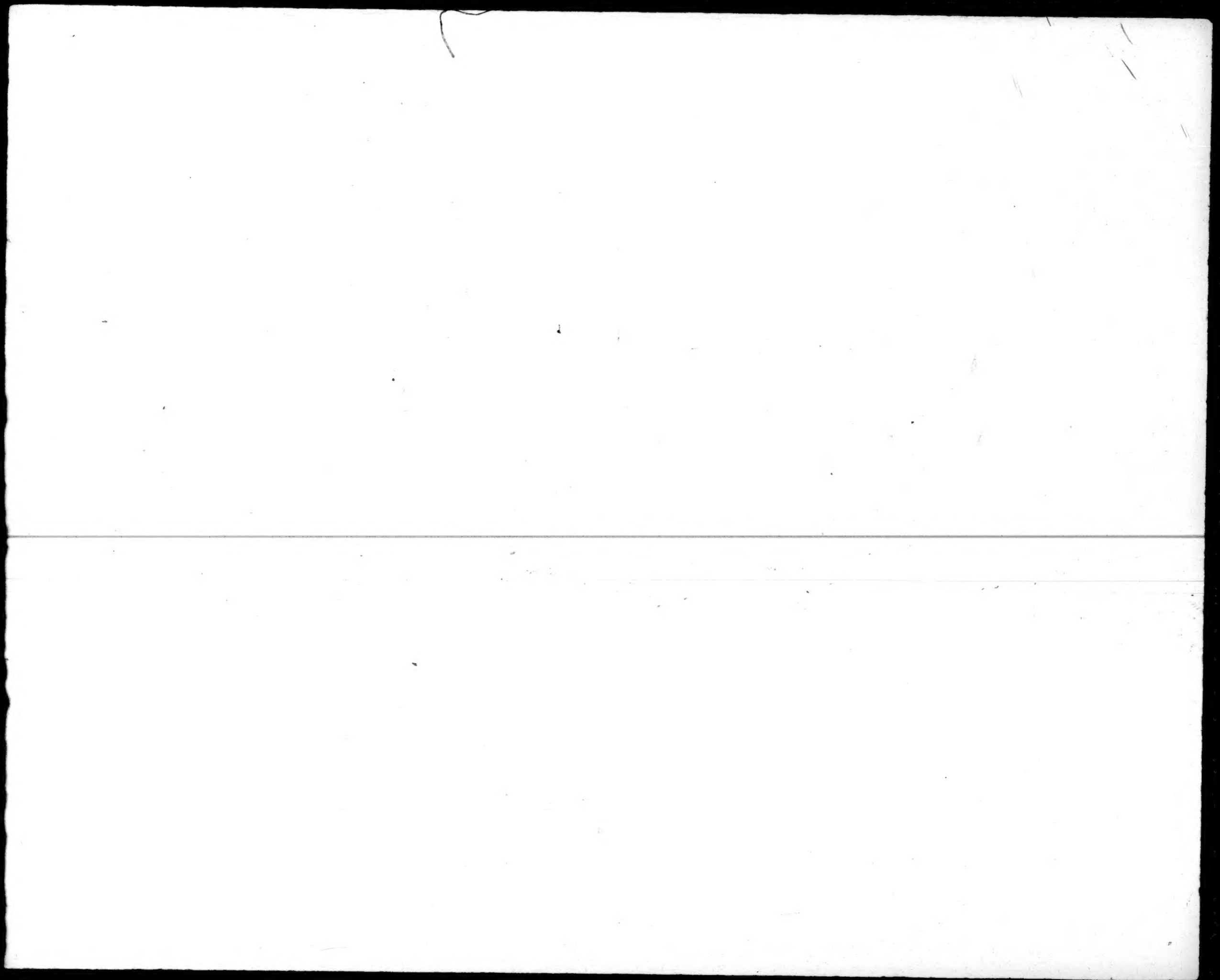
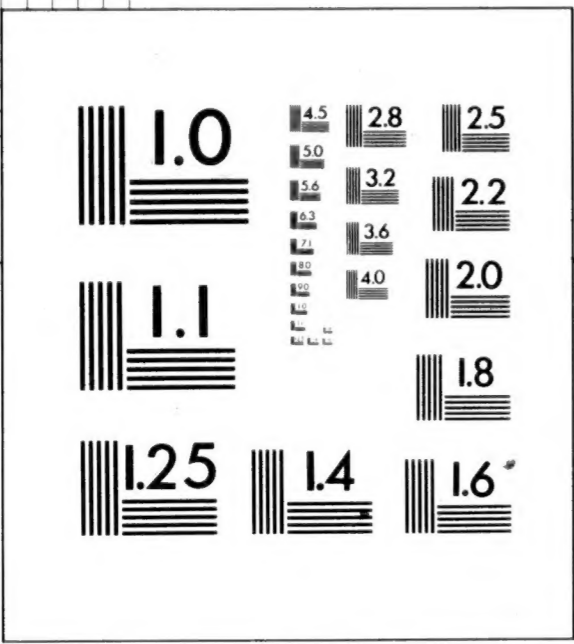


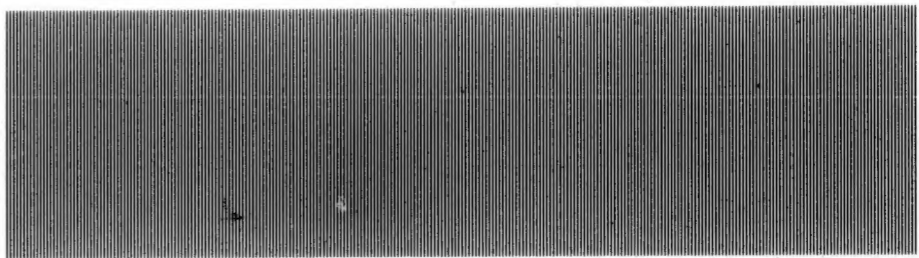
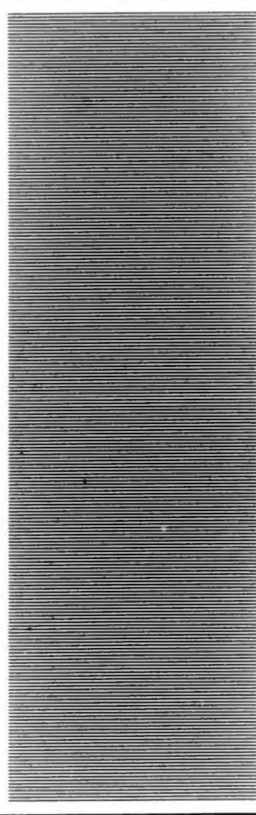
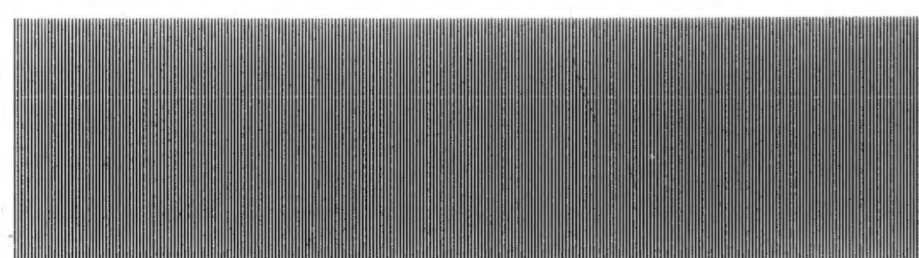
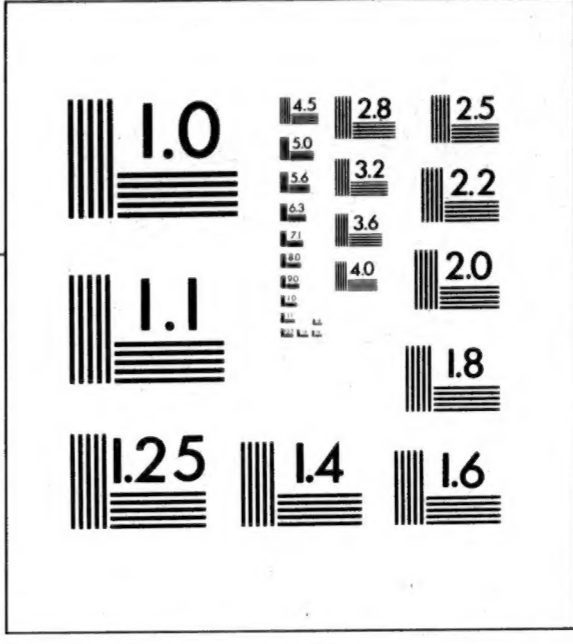
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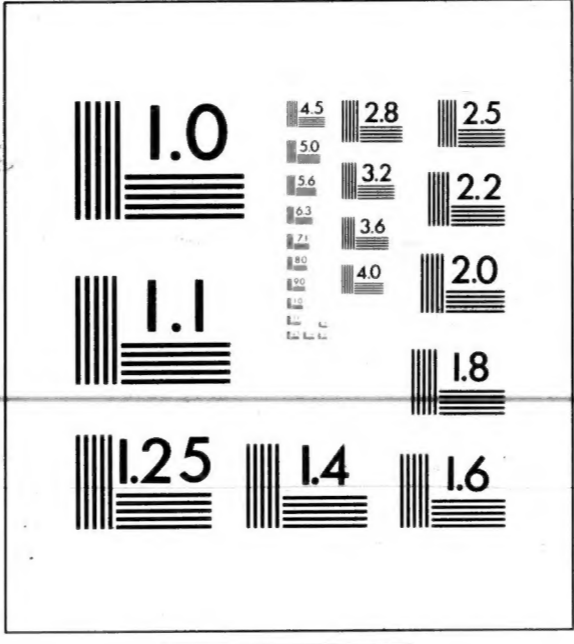
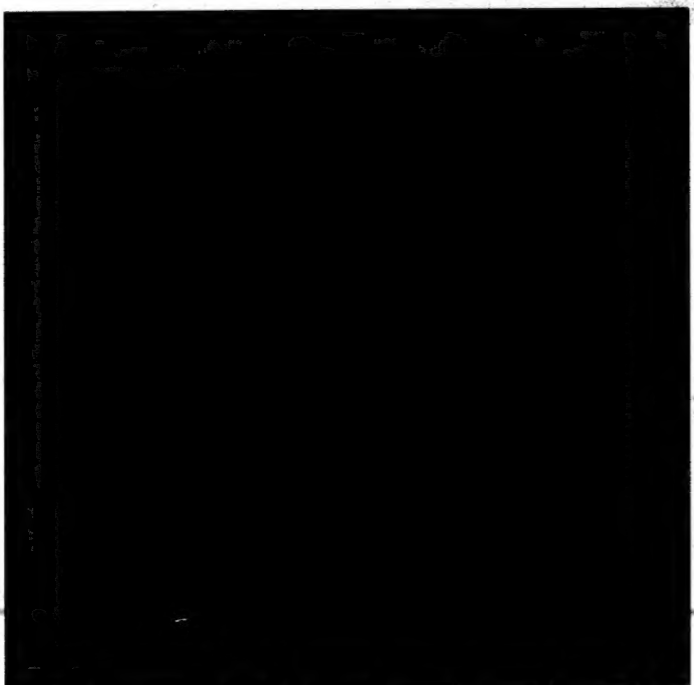




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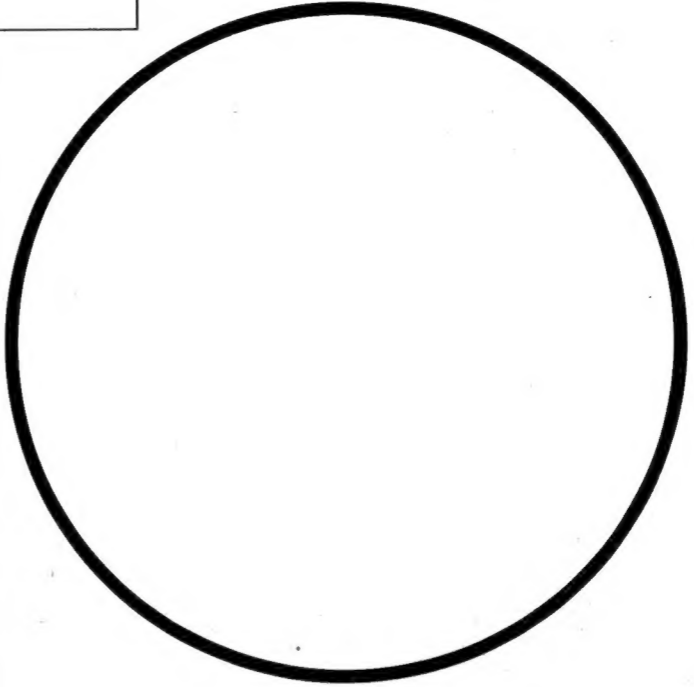
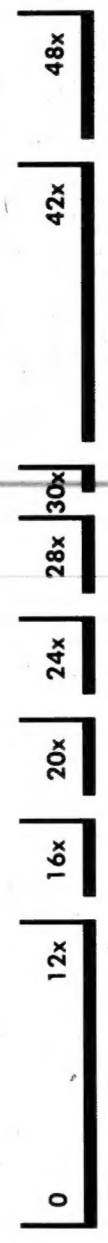


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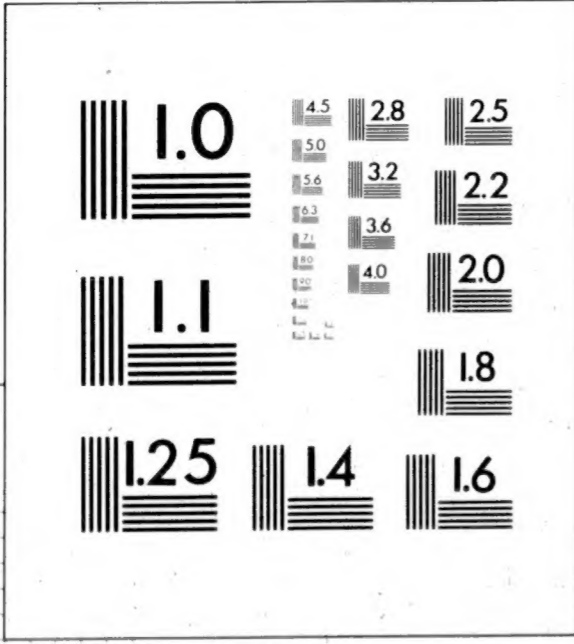
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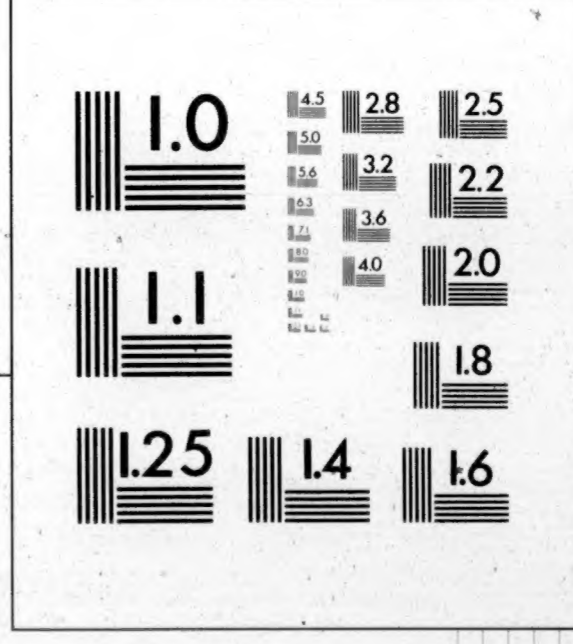


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INTRODUCTION

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

History

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Records

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

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



## Related Records

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

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

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

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

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

No. 30951

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Fannie Kelley* and *4* children. Residence: *Ironsburg, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of 30949*

No. 30951 to 30962

Name Sunny Mission

With No. 102

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Hazzie Kelley & 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.

6-624



30951

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Fannie Kellie  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Irons Burg
3. County: Winn
4. State: Miss
5. How old are you? 35 Born Jan 28 - 1872
6. Where were you born? Coker Creek Tenn
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wm K Kelley 37
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Fannie Kelley</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>28 Sept 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Robert "</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>9 Jan 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Rosa "</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>10 Nov 1902</u>
(4)	<u>Saura "</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>17 March 1905</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Timothy S Hawk  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Rosa Hawk  
Indian name: 11  
Maiden name: 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn  
Mother: TN

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

Father: Sum

Mother: ||

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: ||

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Harry Hawk	1859	
(2)	Harriet	1862	
(3)	Harry	1865	
(4)	Sulawan	1867	
(5)	Charley	1874	
(6)	Robert	1878	
	Grace	1880	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
<u>Madison Hawk</u>	<u>  </u>	<u>Henry Wilson</u>	<u>  </u>
<u>John Hawk</u>	<u>  </u>	<u>Mary Wilson</u>	<u>  </u>
<u>  </u>	<u>  </u>	<u>  </u>	<u>  </u>

18. Where were they born? Madison Hawk in N. A.

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

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

- (1) Robert Hawk
- (2) Fannie ||
- (3) Mary ||
- (4) Grace ||
- (5) Madison ||
- (6) ||

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father's name is Timothy A. Hawk & his father's name was Madison Hawk & his father's name was Robt. Hawk & his wife was

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
a Walker, sister to John Walker (John Walker son, John Walker, was enrolled in 1835-70)

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

(Signature) Fannie Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W A Jones

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

that they are well acquainted with Fannie Kelley

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 mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W.A. Jones  
G.W. Isbill

W.A. Jones  
Frank Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Isbill  
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. 30952

Action: Rejected

Name: Perry Miller and 4 children. Residence: Ironsburg, Tenn.

Reasons:

Daughter - 20% + 1/2



No. 30952

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Gary Miller &  
4 children*

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

6-624



30952

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Gary Miller

Indian name: 11

2. Residence and post office: Ironsburg

3. County: Mussum

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? McMinn County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Newton Miller

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Ralph Miller	22 1/2	25 Nov 1884
(2)	Senla " "	20	30 May 1887
(3)	Charley " "	18	13 Sept 1889
(4)	Fred " "	14	25 March 1893
(5)	Agnes " "	10	17 Aug 1896
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Samuel J. Hawk

Indian name: 11 " "

Mother—English name: Rosa " "

Indian name: 11

Maiden name: 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: N.C.

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

Father:       *Tim*      

Mother:             

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:       *Living*      

Mother:             

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Fannie Hawk</i>	<i>Jan 28-1872</i>	

(2)	<i>Harriett</i>	<i>   </i>	<i>   </i>
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(3)	<i>Henry</i>	<i>   </i>	<i>   </i>
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(4)	<i>Malvian</i>	<i>   </i>	<i>   </i>
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(5)	<i>Charly</i>		
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(6)	<i>Robert Grace</i>		
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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
<i>Madison Hawk</i>			
<i>   </i>	<i>   </i>		
<i>Jane</i>			
<i>   </i>	<i>   </i>		

18. Where were they born?       *Nevada*      

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

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

(1) *Robert*

(2) *Fannie*

(3) *Mary*

(4) *Grace*

(5) *Madison*

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father's name Timothy S. Hawk & his father name Madison Hawk & his father was Robt. Hawk & his wife was

REMARKS.

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

a Walker sister to John Walker (John Walker's son, Jack Walker, was enrolled in 1875-76)

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

(Signature) Daisy Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

Geo W. Sobell  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. A. Jones  
and Fannie Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Daisy Miller 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 mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. Jones  
Fannie Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W. Sobell  
Notary Public.

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No. 30953

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Sullivan Hawk* and *1* children. Residence: *Trousbury, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Son of 30949.*

No. 30953

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

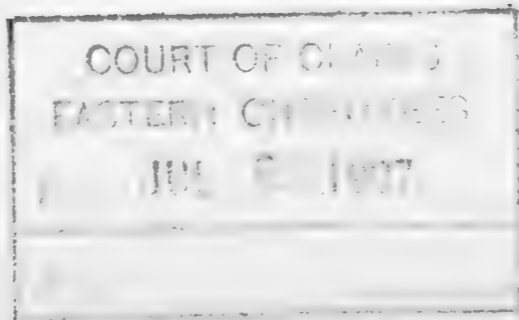
APPLICATION

OF

*Sullivan Hawk &  
2 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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30953

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sullivan Hawk

Indian name: 11

2. Residence and post office: Ironsburg

3. County: Adams

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born 1886

6. Where were you born? McMinn County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rachel Hawk 33y

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Bryle Hawk</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Sept 27 - 1895</u>
(2)	<u>Essa 11</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Jan 25 - 1898</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Timothy Hawk

Indian name: 11

Mother—English name: Rosa Hawk

Indian name: 11

Maiden name: 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: N. C.

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

Father: Osage

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Harry Hawk</u>		
(2)	<u>Harriet 11</u>		
(3)	<u>Henry 11</u>		
(4)	<u>Charles 11</u>		
(5)	<u>Fannie 11</u>		
(6)	<u>Robert 11</u>		
	<u>Grace 11</u>		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Amelia Hawk</u>	
<u>11</u>	
<u>Jane Hawk</u>	
<u>11</u>	

18. Where were they born? W A S

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

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

- (1) Robert Hawk
- (2) Fannie 11
- (3) Mary 11
- (4) Grace 11
- (5) Prudence 11
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father's name Timothy S. Hawk & his father's name was Madison Hawk & his father's name was Robt. Hawk Dubois

REMARKS.

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

wife was a Walker, sister of John Walker, (John Walker's son, Jack Walker was enrolled in 1895-96)

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

(Signature) Sullivan Hawk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. A. Jones  
and Frammie Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sullivan Hawk 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.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. Jones

Frammie Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

Geo W Isbill

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. 30954

Action: Rejected

Name Charley Hawk and 4 children. Residence: Ironsburg, Tenn.

Reasons: Son of 30949

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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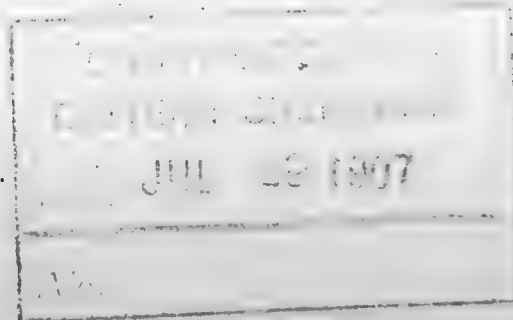
APPLICATION

OF

*Charley Hawk &  
4 children*

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

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4-560E

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Charley Hawk

Indian name: ''

2. Residence and post office: Krossburg

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 33 Born Feb 4 - 1874

6. Where were you born? Beckham County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jane Hawk 32y

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>Kellie Hawk</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Aug 19 - 1895</u>
(2)	<u>Meris</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>March 25 - 1899</u>
(3)	<u>Frank</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>March 23 - 1903</u>
(4)	<u>Hayle</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Aug 16 - 1905</u>
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Timothy Hawk

Indian name: ''

Mother—English name: Rosa Hawk

Indian name: ''

Maiden name: ''

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Miss

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

Father: Tenn

Mother: ''

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: ''

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Harry Hawk		
(2)	Barrett ''		
(3)	Henry ''		
(4)	Fannie ''		
(5)	Charley ''		
(6)	Robert ''		
	Grace ''		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Madison Hawk	
''	
Jane Hawk	
''	

18. Where were they born? W. Va.

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

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

- (1) Robert Hawk
- (2) Fannie ''
- (3) Mary ''
- (4) Grace ''
- (5) Madison ''
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Father's name Timothy  
A Hawk & his father name Madison Hawk  
& his father name Rept Hawk & his wife was

REMARKS.

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

a worker, sister to John Walker  
(John Walker's son, Jack Walker, was enrolled  
in 1895-96)

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

(Signature)

Charley Hawk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

W A James

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

that they are well acquainted with Charley Hawk

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W A James

Fannie Hawk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

Geo W Isbill

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. 30955

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Grace Longford* and *1* children.

Residence: *Lronsburg, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of 30944*

No. 30955

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Grace Louisa Good*  
*for claim*

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

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30955



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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Eruse Laveisinggood

Indian name: 11 Hawk

2. Residence and post office: Ironsbury

3. County: Warrick

4. State: Ind

5. How old are you? 27 Born April 22 '83

6. Where were you born? Coker Creek Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert Laveisinggood 30

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Glida Laveisinggood</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>Sept 28 1905</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Simon O Hawk

Indian name: 11 11 11

Mother—English name: Rosa

Indian name: 11 11

Maiden name: 11 Wilson

12. Where were they born?

Father: W. Va

Mother: Burkwood Tenn

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

Father: Tom

Mother: N. G.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11

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

and with what tribe of Indians: The Hawks & walkers

were

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Carry Hawk	1859	
(2)	Harrett "	1862	
(3)	Henry "	1865	
(4)	Mulan "	1867	
(5)	Fannie "	1872	
	<del>Grace</del>	<del>1882</del>	
(6)	Charley "	1874	
	Robert "	1878	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Madison Hawk	
" "	
Jane	
" "	

18. Where were they born? V A

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hester near

Jane Hawk in Tom

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

- (1) Mary Hawk
- (2) Cynthia "
- (3) Rob "
- (4) Grace "
- (5) Fannie "
- (6) Madison "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835 Father name Timothy Hawk  
& his father name was Madison Hawk & his father  
name was Reht Hawk & his wife was a Wainer

REMARKS.

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

Wife to John Walker (John Walker's son,  
Jack Walker was enrolled in 1875-76)

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

(Signature) Grace Loringgood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

W A James

and

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

that they are well acquainted with

Grace Loringgood

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W A James

Jammie Kelly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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

No. 30956

Action: *Repeal*

Name *Robert Hawk* and *X* children. Residence: *Crossburg, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Son of 3844.*

No. 100156

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Robert Hawk*

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

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Robert Hawk

Indian name: '' Hawk Walker

2. Residence and post office: Irvingburg

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 28 Born Sept 8 - 1878

6. Where were you born? McMinn County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Hawk 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Timothy Hawk

Indian name: '' '' ''

Mother—English name: Rosa

Indian name: '' ''

Maiden name: '' Wilson

12. Where were they born?

Father: McMinn County Tenn

Mother: McMinn County Tenn

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

Father: Turn

Mother: W. G.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Carry Hawk	1859	
(2)	Harrett "	1862	
(3)	Henry "	1865	
(4)	Malvin "	1867	
(5)	Fannie "	1872	
	Grace	1880	
(6)	Charley "	1874	
	Robert "	1878	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Madison Hawk

Jane

18. Where were they born? N. A.

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

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

1. Carry Hawk
2. Fanny "
3. Rob "
4. Grace "
5. Fannie "
6. Madison "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father's name Timothy S Hawk & his father's name was Madison Hawk & his father's name was Robt Hawk & his wife

REMARKS.

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

was a woman sister to John Walker (John Walker son, Jack Walker was enrolled in 1876-77)

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

(Signature) Robt Hawk

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

Geo W Sobell

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W A James  
and Fannie Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Robert Hawk who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W.A. James

Fannie Kelley

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

Geo W Sobell

Notary Public.

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No. 30957

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Lily Jones* and  children. Residence: *Tellico Plains, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Granddaughter of 30949*

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No. 305157

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

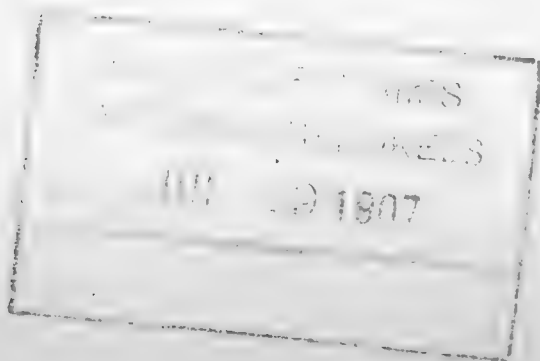
APPLICATION

OF

*Lily Forest*

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

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305157

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

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lily Jones

Indian name: Hank & Walker

2. Residence and post office: Tellie Plains

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 21

Born 1885

6. Where were you born? Rockwood Tennessee

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: William T. Jones

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Mariet Jones

Indian name: Hank & Walker

Maiden name: Mariet Hank

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mo. Co.

Mother: Tennessee

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

Father: Not living (not born)

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

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1889

Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lula Jones	1879	
(2)	William G. " "	1880	
(3)	Nellie " "	1882	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.  
 Joseph Jones  
 Mary Jones

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
 Timothy S. Hawk  
 " Hawk & Walker  
 Vera Hawk

18. Where were they born? T.S. Hawk Tennessee Rosa Wilson Mo.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mo. Min. Co  
Tennessee

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

(1) Larry Hawk  
 (2) Navut " "  
 (3) Henry " "  
 (4) Sullivan " "  
 (5) Hammie " "  
 (6) L. Charles  
Kohlt  
Lance

Tellio bet. Tenn  
Tellio Plains Tenn  
Chattanooga Tenn  
Tenn  
" "  
" "  
" "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: W

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My mother's name is Harriet Jones her maiden name was Harriet Rank her father's name is Timothy S. Rank his father's

REMARKS.

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

name was Madison Rank & his father's name was Robert Rank & his wife was a Walker, sister to John Walker (John Walker's son, Jack Walker, was enrolled in 1835-36)

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

(Signature)

Lily Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Mrs Fannie Kelley

and Wm R Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lily Jones

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William R Kelley

Fannie Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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No. 30958

Action: Rejected

Name Lula Shearer and 2 children. Residence: Farmer, Tenn.

Reasons:

Granddaughter of 30949

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

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lula Shearer*

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

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Lula Shearer  
Indian name: Hank & Walker
2. Residence and post office: Hamer
3. County: Balk
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 28 Born 1879
6. Where were you born? Coker Creek Tennessee
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Shearer age 27
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Paul Shear</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(2)	<u>Louis</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: William Jones  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Hannet Jones  
Indian name: Hank & Walker  
Maiden name: Hannet Hank

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mo.  
Mother: Tennessee



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

Father: Not born

Mother:       "      "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1889

Mother: Living

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

and with what tribe of Indians: No.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William A. Jones</u>	<u>1880</u>	
	<u>Phyllis Jones</u>	<u>1882</u>	
(2)	<u>Lily</u>	<u>1885</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Joseph Jones</u>	<u>Timothy S. Hank</u>
	<u>Frank J. Walker</u>
<u>Mary Jones</u>	<u>Rosa Hank</u>

18. Where were they born? Tim S. Hank Levellie Rosa Wilson Fla.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Michigan Co

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

(1)	<u>Carry Hank</u>	<u>Levellie</u>
(2)	<u>Harriet</u>	<u>Levellie</u>
(3)	<u>Henry</u>	<u>Levellie</u>
(4)	<u>William</u>	<u>Levellie</u>
(5)	<u>Hannie</u>	<u>Levellie</u>
(6)	<u>Kohlt</u>	<u>Levellie</u>
	<u>Grace</u>	<u>Levellie</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My mother's name is Harriet Jones, maiden name Harriet Hawk, her father's name is Timothy S. Hawk & his father's name was

REMARKS.

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

Madison Hawk & his father's name was Robert Hawk & his wife was a Walker sister to John Walker, John Walker's son, Jack Walker, was enrolled in 1835-36

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

(Signature)

Lula Shearer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

Geo W Esbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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

Wm B Kelley

and Mrs Fannie Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Lula Shearer

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 28 years and 28 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William B. Kelley

Fannie Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

Geo W Esbill

Notary Public.

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No. 30959

Name *Nellie Williamson* and *1* children. Residence: *Tellie Plains, Tenn.*

Action: *Rejected*

Reasons:

*Grand daughter of 30749*

30959

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

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

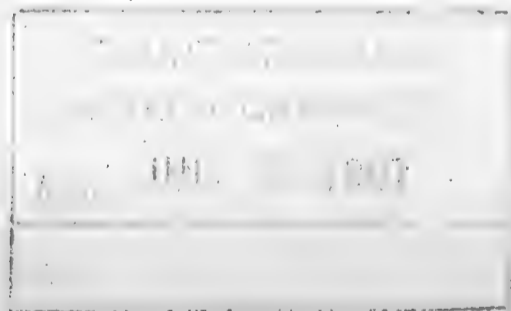
OF

*Nellie Williamson*

*9 one child*

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

6-624



30959

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Vellie Williamson

Indian name: Hank & Walker

2. Residence and post office: Fellico Plains

3. County: Warren

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 24 Born 1882

6. Where were you born? Deatur Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Roy Williamson age 30

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Maude William</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1904</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: William T. Jones

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

Mother—English name: Harriet Jones

Indian name: Hank & Walker

Maiden name: Harriet Hank

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mo

Mother: Tennessee

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

Father: Not living

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

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1889

Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lula Jones</u>	<u>1879</u>	
(2)	<u>William T Jones</u>	<u>1880</u>	
(3)	<u>Lily Jones</u>	<u>1885</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

Joseph Jones

Mary Jones

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Timothy S. Hawk

Rosa Hawk

18. Where were they born? Tim. S. Hawk Tennessee Rosa Wilson N. C.

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

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

(1)	<u>Carly Hawk</u>	<u>Tellie Jct. Tenn.</u>
(2)	<u>Quail</u>	<u>Tellie Hawk Tenn.</u>
(3)	<u>Nancy</u>	<u>Lebanon Tenn.</u>
(4)	<u>Mulligan</u>	<u>Franklin Tenn.</u>
(5)	<u>Charles</u>	
(6)	<u>Robert</u>	
	<u>Trace</u>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My mother's name is Harriet Jones maiden name Harriet Bank. Her father's name is Timothy S. Bank his father's name was

REMARKS.

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

Madison Bank & his father's name is Robert Bank & his wife was a Wilkes sister to John Walker. John Walker's son Jack Walker was enrolled in 1895-98

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

(Signature)

Nellie Williamson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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

Wm H. Kelley

and Mrs Fannie Kelley, 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 25 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William B. Kelley

Fannie Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

Geo W Isbill

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. 30960

Name Harriet Jones

Action: Rejected

and X children.

Residence: Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Reasons:

Daughter of 30949.



No. 30000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

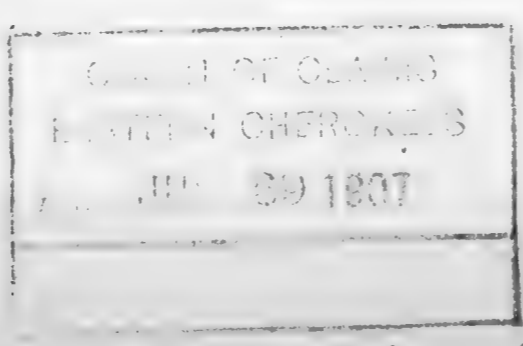
APPLICATION

OF

*Harriet Jones*

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

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30460

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Harriet Jones

Indian name: Hank & Walker

2. Residence and post office: Tellico Plains

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 44 Born 1863

6. Where were you born? Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes, Husband dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William Jones age 35 at death

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<del>Lula Jones</del>	<del>28</del>	<del>1879</del>
(2)	<del>Willie A Jones</del>	<del>26</del>	<del>1880</del>
(3)	<del>Neve " "</del>	<del>25</del>	<del>1882</del>
(4)	<del>Lily " "</del>	<del>21</del>	<del>1885</del>
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Timothy S. Hank

Indian name: Hank & Walker

Mother—English name: Rosa Hank

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: Rosa Wilson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: North Carolina

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

Father: Tennessee

Mother:     "    "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother:     "    "

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

and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Hawk	1857	
	Henry " "	1865	
(2)	Sullivan " "	1867	
	Fannie " "	1872	
(3)	Leah " "	1874	
	Robert " "	1878	
(4)	Grace	1880	
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Madison Hawk	Mary Wilson
" Hawk & Walker	Henry O'Neilson
Jane Hawk	
" " "	

18. Where were they born? Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Madison Hawk dead.

Jane Hawk Riceville, Tenn.

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

(1)	Mary Hawk	
(2)	Timothy S. Hawk	
(3)	Robert Hawk	
(4)	Grace " "	
(5)	Fannie " "	
(6)	Madison " "	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Atkinson no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my father's name is Timothy S. Hank & his father's name was Madison Hank & his father's name was Robt. Hank & his wife was a

REMARKS.

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

Walker, sister to John Walker  
(John Walker son Jack Walker, now enrolled in 1845-36)

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

(Signature) Harriet Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Geo W. Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Wm R Kelly  
and Fannie Kelly, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Harriet Jones who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents 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 Kelly  
Fannie Kelly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W. Isbill  
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. 30961

Name *Wm A. Jones*

Action: *Rejected*

and *1* children.

Residence: *Gronsborg, Tenn*

Reasons:

*Sp. in case of 30949*

No. 30061

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

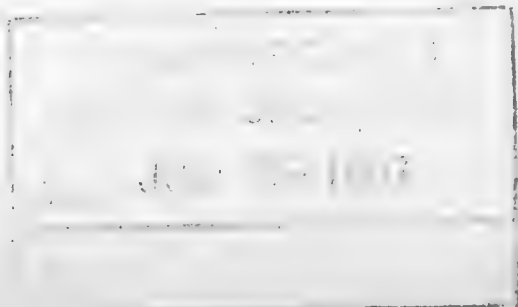
APPLICATION

OF

*William P Jones*  
*one child*

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

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30961

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William A Jones

Indian name: Hank & Walker

2. Residence and post office: Fronshurg

3. County: Memphal

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 26 Born 1880

6. Where were you born? Fronshurg, Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary S. Jones, age 20

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Paul Jones</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: William Jones

Indian name: Hank & Walker

Mother—English name: Hannie Jones

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

Maiden name: Hank

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: Tennessee

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

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: William A. Jones

Indian name: Hank & Walker

2. Residence and post office: Fronshurg

3. County: Memph

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 26 Born 1880

6. Where were you born? Fronshurg, Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary S. Jones age 20

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Paul Jones</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: William T. Jones

Indian name: " " Hank & Walker

Mother—English name: Hannet Jones

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

Maiden name: Hank

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mo.

Mother: Tennessee



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

Father: Not born

Mother: ( )

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1889

Mother:

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lula Jones <small>Princeton, Tenn.</small>	1879	
	Hellie <small>Hellie Plains Tenn.</small>	1882	
(2)	Luy <small>Princeton, Tenn.</small>	1885	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Timothy A. Hank	Timothy S. Hank
Joseph Jones	Indian name Hank & Wilson
Mary Jones	Rosa Hank

18. Where were they born? Tim. S. Hank Tennessee Rosa Wilson Ark.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? McMinn Tenn. Tennessee

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

(1)	Wang Hank	Zellie J. Hank
(2)	Harriet " "	Zellie Plains Tenn.
(3)	Henry " "	Chattanooga Tenn.
(4)	Sullivan " "	Princeton Tenn.
(5)	Luzie " "	" " "
(6)	Charles	" " "
	Robert	" " "
	Lion	" " "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 910

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My mother name is Harriet Jones her name before marriage was <sup>Harriet</sup> Hawk her father name is Timothy S. Hawk his father name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
was Madison Hawk & his father name was right Hawk & his wife was a Walker, sister to John Walker, (John Walker's son, Jack Walker, was enrolled in 1835)

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

(Signature) William A. Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1, 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 Wm R. Kelley  
and Mrs. Fannie Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William A. Jones who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 26 years and 26 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Wm R. Kelley  
Mrs Fannie Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Isbill  
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. 30962

Name *Ralph Miller*

and *X* children.

Action: *Rejected*

Reasons:

*Prison of 25449*

Residence: *Ironsburg, Tenn.*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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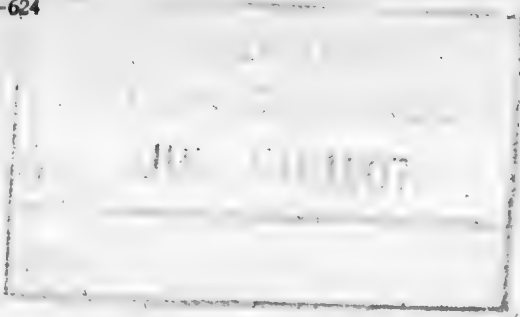
APPLICATION

OF

*Ralph Miller*

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



30962

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

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ralph Miller

Indian name: ll

2. Residence and post office: Ironsburg

3. County: Marion

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 22 Born Nov 24 - 1884

6. Where were you born? Maecia Tenn

7. Are you married? No

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Newton Miller

Indian name: ll

Mother—English name: Sarah Miller

Indian name: ll

Maiden name: ll Hawk

12. Where were they born?

Father: Baker Creek Tenn

Mother: Maecia Tenn

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

Father: mt Born

Mother: '' ''

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: ''

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Senla Miller</u>	<u>May 30 - 1887</u>	
(2)	<u>Charley</u>	<u>''</u>	<u>Sept 13 - 1889</u>
(3)	<u>Fred</u>	<u>''</u>	<u>March 25 - 1893</u>
(4)	<u>Agnes</u>	<u>''</u>	<u>Aug 17 - 1896</u>
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

''  
''  
''  
''

Timothy Hawk  
''  
Rosa Hawk  
''

18. Where were they born? Term

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

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

- (1) Larry Hawk
- (2) Harrett ''
- (3) Henry ''
- (4) William ''
- (5) Fannie ''
- (6) Charley ''
- Robert '
- Grace ''

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grandmother's name

Larry Miller her name is married  
was born her father's name is Timothy  
S. Hawk REMARKS Father's name was

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

matron Hawk and his father's name is  
Robt Hawk his wife was a mother sister  
to John Walker (John Walker's son Jack Walker was  
enrolled in 1835 am'g)

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

(Signature)

Ralph Miller

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

Scott L. Bill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

W. A. James

and

Fannie Kelly

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Ralph Miller

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. James

Fannie Kelly

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

My commission expires

June 1, 1908 Scott L. Bill

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. 30963.

Action: Reject

Name Thos. H. McDonald and 3 children.

Residence: Dahlonega, Ga.

Reasons:

Blythe case



No. 30963.

Name J. H. McDonald.

With No. 257.

Remarks:

Slythe Group.

No. 300000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

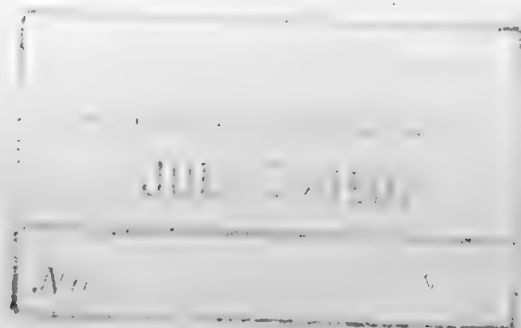
APPLICATION

OF

*J. P. Henry McDonald*

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

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney and Solicitor,

319 F STREET, NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, D. C.

30463

Guion Miller

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Thomas Henry McDonald  
Indian name: " " Eskagua
2. Residence and post office: Dahlonega
3. County: Lumpkin
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? Twenty-nine Born Apr. 13, 1878
6. Where were you born? Dahlonega Lumpkin Co Ga.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Martha McDonald - age 25 year
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>Ruby L. McDonald</u>	<u>6 years</u>	<u>Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1900</u>
(2)	<u>Leonard P. McDonald</u>	<u>4 "</u>	<u>Nov 30 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Mamie L. McDonald</u>	<u>2 "</u>	<u>July 16<sup>th</sup> 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Jesse Marion McDonald  
Indian name: " " Eskagua  
Mother—English name: Sarah Ann McDonald  
Indian name: " " Eskagua  
Maiden name: Sarah Ann Thomas

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee County N. C.  
Mother: Lumpkin County Ga.

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

Father: Cherokee County N.C.

Mother: Lumpkin County Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary L. Stuman	Sept 23, 1864	Sept 13, 1905
	Wm. Edgar McDonald	Nov 25, 1866	
(2)	Hattie J. McDonald	Apr 21, 1869	
	Kate Isabella McDonald	Oct 21, 1871	
(3)	Jas. Franklin McDonald	Apr 14, 1873	
	James Ross McDonald	Feb 26, 1875	
(4)	Jesse Blanson McDonald	Apr 3, 1880	
	Sallie E. Lunsford	Apr 3, 1882	
(5)	Fannie M. McDonald	March 15, 1885	

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(6) \_\_\_\_\_

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Jonathan McDonald grand father	Barriet McDonald grand Mother
Amos McDonald, great grand father	Sallie McDonald great grand Mother
Jonathan Blyche, great great grand father	Fannie or Mammie Blyche, great great grand Mother

18. Where were they born? McGowan County N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Co. N.C.

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

(1) Jesse Marion McDonald	Dahlouga Ga.
(2) Nancy Decker	Fair View N.C.
(3) James Blyche McDonald	Blwood Ill.
(4) John Elson McDonald	Ogrieta N.C.
(5) Mary McDonald	Deceased
(6) Sallie Palmer	Fair View N.C.
Thos. C. McDonald	Murphy N.C.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great great grand mother Nannie or Mammie Blythe, was on the treaty roll of 1835, 1836 and 1846.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. JOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.  
My great uncle James McDonald now in his 85th year testifies on oath that Nannie or Mammie Blythe, his own grand mother, was half Cherokee Indian

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

(Signature) Thos. H. McDonald

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31, 1908.

D. J. Cook  
Clerk Superior Court  
Lumpkin Co. Ga.  
Notary Public.

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. K. Satterfield  
and W. C. Tate, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Thos. H. McDonald who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that 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. K. Satterfield  
W. C. Tate

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

My commission expires

Dec. 31, 1908.

D. J. Cook  
Clerk Superior Court  
Lumpkin Co. Ga.  
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. 30964

Action: *Reject*

Name *Andy McDonald* and *1* children. Residence: *Brady, N. C.*

Reasons:

~~Blighted case~~ *See of 4/1/11*

No. 30964, ~~30965~~, ~~30966~~.

Name. Cindy McDonald et al

With No. ~~257~~ 4175 -

Remarks:

No. 30064

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

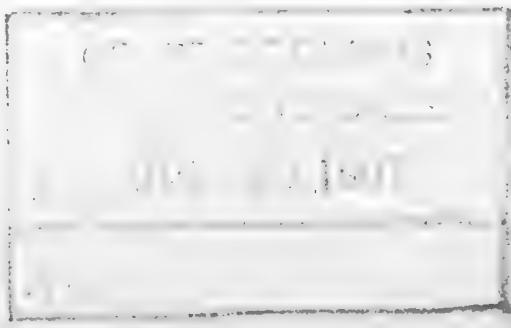
APPLICATION

OF

*Andy McDonald*

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



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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Andy McDonald  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Brady Cherokee Co N.C.
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: North Carolina
5. How old are you? 24 Born 1883
6. Where were you born? Cherokee Co N.C.
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong? none that I know of
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Robert McDonald</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Feb 13<sup>th</sup> 1906</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: John McDonald  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary McDonald  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary Parham

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Co N.C.

Mother: " "

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

Father: Cherokee Co N.C.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

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

and with what tribe of Indians: I think my mother was but dont know when or where

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Elizabeth James	1861	Dead
(2)	Catherine Galant	1863	Living
(3)	Harriet Darlow	1871	"
(4)	John McDonald	1873	"
(5)	Wrest McDonald	1875	"
(6)	James McDonald	1877	"
(7)	Susan Mashburn	1879	"
(8)	Olie Burgess	1881	"
(9)	Belona McDonald	1887	"
(10)	Harrison McDonald	1889	"

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Jonathan McDonald	Catherine McDonald
Harriet McDonald	Felix Parker

18. Where were they born? Father Macan Co N.C. Mother side Morgan Penn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Co N.C.

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

Father side	Mother side
(1) Jesse McDonald	Mary McDonald
(2) Nancy Jackson	Abigail Cardell
(3) James McDonald	Octavia Hartness
(4) John McDonald	
(5) Sarah Palmer	
(6) Thos McDonald	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835 Andy McDonald son of John McDonald son of Jonathan McDonald son of Sarah McDonald daughter of Amie or Nancy Bly the

McDonald daughter of Amie or Nancy Bly the

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Andy McDonald, son of Mary McDonald who was the daughter of Catherine Parker nee Catherine McDonald daughter of David & Pally Taylor to

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

(Signature Andy McDonald)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this July day of 27 1907.

Thos B McDonald  
Notary Public.

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

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J B Ahernathy  
and W F Palmer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Andy McDonald who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Ahernathy  
W. F. Palmer

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

My commission expires July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1909. Thos B McDonald  
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. 30965

Action: Reject

Name Hutta Parker and ? children. Residence: Blaine, Ga.

Reasons:

Cousin of #14901.

No. 30965-6.

Name.....

With No. 14904

Remarks:

New file  
Hattie Parker

Pilla "

*Case 9-14704*

No. ....

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

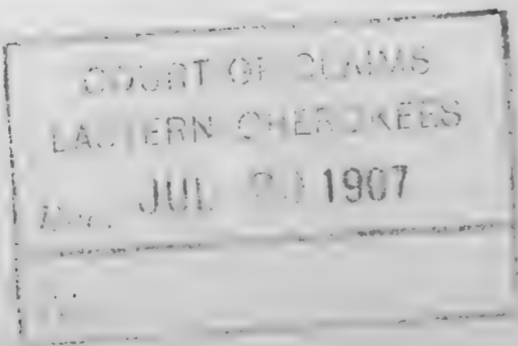
APPLICATION

OF

*Hetta Parker*

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



BELVA A LOCKWOOD

Attorney at Law

3060 E  
PITTSBURGH, NORTHWEST

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Hatta Parker  
Indian name: Hatta Linsay
2. Residence and post office: Blain
3. County: Wilkes County
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 27 Years Born August 6<sup>th</sup> 1879
6. Where were you born? Wilkes County, Ga.
7. Are you married? no.
8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Susanna Parker</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>July 17<sup>th</sup> 1902</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Parker</u>	<u>2 "</u>	<u>Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 1904</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Francis M. Parker

Father—English name: Francis M. Parker

Indian name: Francis M. Linsay

Mother—English name: Mary Parker

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

Maiden name: Mary Corbell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wilkes County, Ga.

Mother: Cherokee, N.C.

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

Father: Wetumpka County Ga  
Mother: Cherokee Co

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living  
Mother: Died Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> 1900

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: don't know

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Reufus Parker	Sept 12 <sup>th</sup> 1874	
	Calvin Parker	Sept 14 <sup>th</sup> 1873	
(2)	Cepus Parker	Dec. 11 <sup>th</sup> 1876	
	Amaline Parker	Aug. 22 <sup>nd</sup> 1879	
(3)	Laura Parker	Nov. 21 <sup>st</sup> 1881	
	Maebel Parker	June 6 <sup>th</sup> 1883	
(4)	Willie Parker	June 19 <sup>th</sup> 1884	
	Henry Parker	July 26 <sup>th</sup> 1888	
(5)	Mulvin Parker		
(6)		Date of death not known	

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Julius Parker</u>	<u>Edy Parker</u>
<u>Julius Lindsey</u>	

18. Where were they born? South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Perkins County Ga

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

(1)	Vina Parker	Perkins Co Ga
(2)	John Parker	Gilmer "
(3)	Reufus Parker	Do not know "
(4)	Betta Parker	Gilmer "
(5)	Aron Parker	Do not know "
(6)	Lissy Parker	Perkins Co Ga
7	Frances M. Parker	Do not know "



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: S. W. Parker

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Father was Frances Parker  
my Grand Father was Gules Parker Indian  
name Frances Parker

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint BELVA A. JOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

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

(Signature Hatta Parker)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

J. J. [Signature] Notary Public.

My commission expires June 1<sup>st</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 Moses S. Southerton  
and W. S. Southerton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Hatta Parker  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and 18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Moses S. Southerton  
W. S. Southerton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

My commission expires June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1908  
J. J. [Signature] 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. 30966

Action: Reject

Name Miller Parker and 1 children. Residence: Blaine, Ga.

Reasons:

Cousin of #14904.

*Case No. 9-11-204*

No. 7501000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

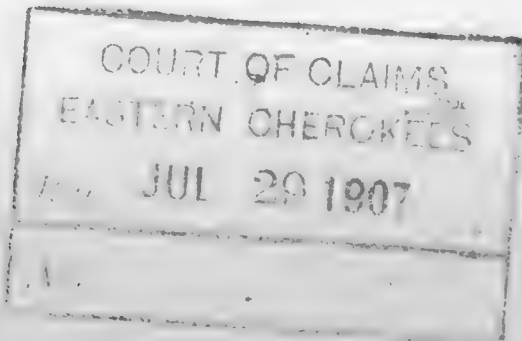
APPLICATION

OF

*Roller Parker*

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



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
**601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Piller Parker

Indian name: Piller Linsy

2. Residence and post office: Blain

3. County: Rehoboth

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 21 years

Born June 13<sup>th</sup> 1886

6. Where were you born? Rehoboth County Ga

7. Are you married? no

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Deas Parker</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>May 17<sup>th</sup> 1904</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Francis M. Parker

Indian name: Francis M. Linsy

Mother—English name: Mary Parker

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

Maiden name: Mary Corbett

12. Where were they born?

Father: Rehoboth County Ga

Mother: Cherokee, N. C.

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

Father: in Gilmer County Ga  
Mother: Gilmer

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living  
Mother: Died Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1900.

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Calgan Parker	Sept 14 <sup>th</sup> 1878	
	Rufus Parker	Sept 12 <sup>th</sup> 1875	
(2)	Cefus Parker	Dec. 11 <sup>th</sup> 1876	
	Angeline Parker	Aug. 22 <sup>nd</sup> 1879	
(3)	Louise Parker	Nov. 21 <sup>st</sup> 1881	
	Rachel Parker	June 6 <sup>th</sup> 1883	
(4)	Est. Henry Parker	July 26 <sup>th</sup> 1888	
(5)	Melvin Parker	Date of death no known	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Julian Parker</u>	<u>Cely Parker</u>
<u>Julian Lacey</u>	

18. Where were they born? South Carolina

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

County Ga

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

(1)	<u>Vienna Parker</u>	<u>Petkins Co Ga</u>
(2)	<u>Julian Parker</u>	<u>Gilmer Co Ga</u>
(3)	<u>Rufus Parker</u>	<u>Deed</u>
(4)	<u>Betty Parker</u>	<u>Gilmer Co Ga</u>
(5)	<u>Calgan Parker</u>	<u>Gardner Co Ga</u>
(6)	<u>Russy Parker</u>	<u>Petkins Co Ga</u>
	<u>Frances M. Parker</u>	<u>Gardner Co Ga</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I don't know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Father english name Francis M. Parker Indian name Francis M. Lindsey my Grand Father Jules Parker Indian name Jules Lindsey

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

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

(Signature Biller Parker)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

H. J. Lindsey  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</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 Wm. S. Sautherland  
and W. S. Sautherland, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Biller Parker  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Wm. S. Sautherland  
W. S. Sautherland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup> 1908

H. J. Lindsey  
Notary Public.

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No. 30967

Name Martha E. Burnett and X children.

Action: Admitted

3-1-1908, Ga

Reasons:

Residence: ~~Henry, Ala.~~

# 85-1007

Wife of # 205 and claim - this same name

30967

No. 30967

Name Martha E. Burnett

With No. 205

Remarks:



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3/28 1910.

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

*[Handwritten signature]*

Treasury Warrant No. \_\_\_\_\_  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 409  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.  
*May*

*[Handwritten signature]*

No. 30967

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Martha E Burnett*

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



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor.

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

2960E

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Martin E. Burnett

Indian name: Hubbards

2. Residence and post office: Doney ~~At~~ Toney Dalton

3. County: Madison

4. State: Alabama 8 Pine St. Ga

5. How old are you? Thirty two (32) Born 1875

6. Where were you born? Peterson County, Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Eldredge Burnett 26 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: None

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

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

Aaron Parker, Caroline Langley

Father—English name: Aaron Parker

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Caroline Parker

Indian name: Hubbards

Maiden name: Caroline Langley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Peterson County, Georgia

Mother: State of Tennessee

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

Father: Georgia  
 Mother: Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Both living  
 Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes, about 20 years Eastern Cherokee.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Harvey Gaylen</u>	<u>1867</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Aaron Parker</u>	<u>1887</u>	<u>"</u>
272110 (2)	<u>Julian Parker</u>	<u>1869</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Reuben Parker</u>	<u>1871</u>	<u>deady Don't know</u>
15193 (4)	<u>Emma Silven</u>	<u>1873</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u>Martha E Burnett (Self)</u>	<u>1875</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>William P. Parker</u>	<u>1877</u>	<u>"</u>
43173	<u>Loolquith Parker</u>	<u>1879</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Mary L. Hawkins</u>	<u>1881</u>	<u>"</u>
25190	<u>Royce Parker</u>	<u>1883</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Taylor Parker</u>	<u>1885</u>	<u>"</u>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Aaron Parker</u>	<u>Sallie Hubbard wife of Lock Langley</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Grand father in South Carolina Grand mother in Georgia

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

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

(1)	<u>Sam Langley</u>	<u>Deady</u>
(2)	<u>John Langley</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Albert Langley</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Baker Langley</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Sy Langley</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Ann Langley</u>	<u>Pheliquah I. P.</u>
75111 (7)	<u>Sue Langley</u>	<u>W. Langley, I. P.</u>
(8)	<u>Frankie Langley</u>	<u>Pheliquah</u>
43173 (9)	<u>Caroline Langley</u>	<u>Prison Georgia</u>
(10)	<u>Ruby Langley</u>	<u>Deady</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 92 1/2 for years  
Eastern Cherokee

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great grand father & mother  
John Wilkison & Pella Wilkison (nee Hubbard)

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

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

(Signature) Martha E. Burnett

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

Marionette R. Schiffman  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 28, 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 H. Holmes Crabe and  
and H. R. Mitchell who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha E. Burnett who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and 7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Marionette R. Schiffman H. Holmes Crabe  
J. W. Brown H. R. Mitchell

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

My commission expires

Jan 28, 1908 Marionette R. Schiffman  
Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No 20967

August 19 - 1907

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Mr Guoin Miller Dear Sir  
I will inform you that I  
give names of 2 of my sisters  
young on Blank no 30967  
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thinken

- (1) nick name Kinsey Bayler  
write name if Loshie Bayler
- (2) nick name if Mary I Hankins  
write name if Leissy Hankins

I will send you names  
of my Mother, Brothers and  
sisters I dont think the  
man that fill out my Blank  
give there write names I  
think he put them all  
Langley yours Truly  
Martha E Burnett  
Hubbard

correct names of all my  
mothers and aunts

John Langley	Leesett
Albert Langley	" "
Bales Langley	" "
Sam Langley	" "
Ann Leach	Utequah <sup>ig</sup>
Thomas Langley	Leesett
Julson Bell	" "
Jy Langley	" "
Carlino Parker	Joney ala
Maney Tipton	Utequah <sup>ig</sup>
Harvey Garner	Leesett

My man was Carlino Parker  
her man was Baley Hubbard

Martha & Burnett



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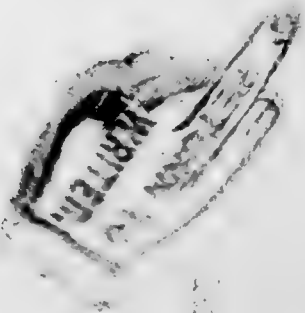
Dear Mr. Miller  
I want to know about  
the garden cherries I  
will give you some  
of my plants 2007  
I live & change resident  
my address is

Yours truly  
Martha J. Burnett

San Jose  
California

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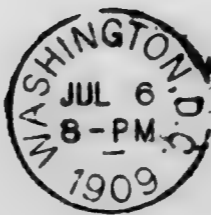
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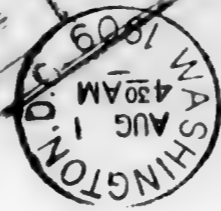
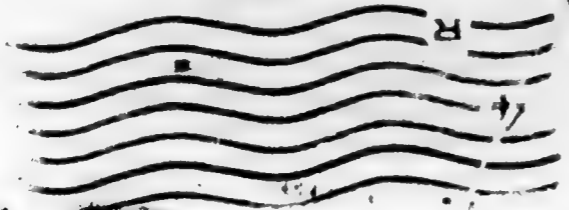
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*Martina E. Burnett  
Foney, Ala.*

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~~ <sup>minor children</sup> 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 *409*

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

- Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.
- Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Oklahoma.
- Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.
- U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla.
- The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.
- The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma.
- The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.
- The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.
- The Clerk of Courts at:--
  - North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.
  - Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.
  - Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.
  - Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega, Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiawassee, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

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

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,254 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

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

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909. Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

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

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. SEP 15 1909  
No.

Martha E. Burnett,

8 Pine Street,

Delton,

Ga.

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Rec. SEP 15 1909  
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AUG 13 1897  
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No. 30968

Action: *Rejected*

Name *William E. Durham* and  children.

Residence: *Greenbrier, Texas*

Reasons: *Knows them they are from  
see #35*

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No. 30968.

Name Winnie E. Durham

With No. 1105:

Remarks:

Alex. Brown file.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

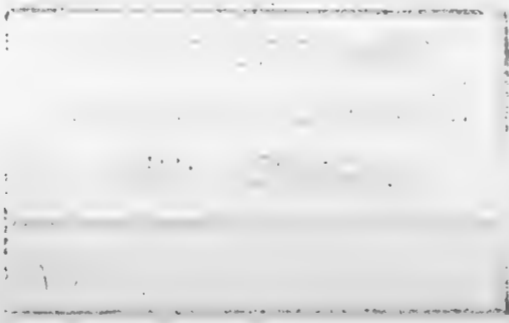
APPLICATION

OF

*Minnie E. Durham*

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

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BELVA A. LOCKYER

Attorney

30968

ATTEST

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Elizabeth Durham

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

2. Residence and post office: Greenbrier Po

3. County: Fallston Co

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 21 years Born 1886

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Luther Durham 27

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Elmer Durham</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>1904</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

12. Where were they born?

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

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

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

Father: not known

Mother: not known

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not known

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William</u>	<u>18. 9. 57</u>	
(2)	<u>John</u>	<u>18. 7. 57</u>	
(3)	<u>James</u>	<u>18. 7. 57</u>	
(4)	<u>William</u>	<u>18. 7. 57</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

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

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

18. Where were they born? not known

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not known

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

(1)	<u>William</u>	<u>not known</u>
(2)	<u>John</u>	<u>not known</u>
(3)	<u>James</u>	<u>not known</u>
(4)	<u>William</u>	<u>not known</u>
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mingo

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my father is the  
son of [unclear] and [unclear]  
1907 [unclear] 1835 [unclear]

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

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

(Signature) Minnie E. Durham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 21, 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 G. L. Henderson  
and J. H. Glover, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Minnie E. Durham who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and 18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. L. Henderson  
J. H. Glover

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Mar 26<sup>th</sup>

1911

L. M. [unclear]

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. 30969

Action: Rejected

Name: Amy Jane Guinn and X children. Residence: Camp Springs, Tex.

Reasons:

Cousin of #315. Claims through  
the same source.

No. 30969

Name. Amy Jane Guinn

With No. J 315

Remarks:

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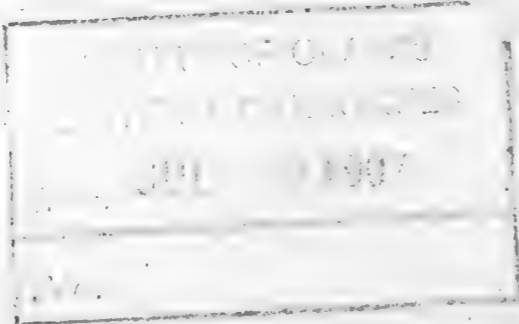
APPLICATION

OF

*Amy Jane Gurin*

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

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BELVA  
Attor

W. C. ...  
W. C. ...

30969

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Amy Jane Guinn

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

2. Residence and post office: Camp Springs

3. County: Scurry county

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 26 Born Feb. 15<sup>th</sup> 1881

6. Where were you born? Georgia

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jesse Otis Guinn age 30 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: none

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Wilson Stevens

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

Mother—English name: Amy Vienna Stevens

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

Maiden name: Amy Vienna Franklin

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia Thomas County

Mother: Georgia Union county

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

Father: Not Living  
Mother: Not Living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living  
Mother: Still Living

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
✓ 48748 (1)	Benjamin Mercer Stevens Rotan Texas	Dec. 28 <sup>th</sup> 1878	
(2)	Mary Viola Stevens Rotan Tex	April 28 <sup>th</sup> 1888	
(3)	Amy Janet Stevens (nee Stevens)	Feb 14 <sup>th</sup> 1891	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Cannon Stevens	William Riley Franklin
Jane Stevens (nee Coffey)	Amy Vienna Franklin (nee Sedford)

18. Where were they born? S. Carolina N. Carolina

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

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

(1) Sarah Swanson	dead	Milton Young Franklin	} dead
(2) Nancy Stevens	Ga	Josiah Franklin	
(3) Mary Stevens	dead	Martha E. Franklin	
(4) Martha Rodgers	Ga.	Mary A. Franklin	
(5) John Stevens	(dead)	Julia Ann. Horton	
(6) Gen. Washington Stevens	Ga.	Miriam Viola Williams, Tex	
7 Wilson Stevens	Texas	Amy Vienna Stevens Tex	
		William Riley Franklin Jr. Tex	
		Benjamin Crump Franklin Tex	
		John Calhoun Franklin unknown	
		Juan Williams Franklin Tex	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: William R. Franklin  
Amy Vienna Ledford

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

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

(Signature) Amy Jane Guinn (nee Stevens)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

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Notary Public.

Fishing  
county  
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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

Luther Moore

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

that they are well acquainted with Amy Jane Guinn

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 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.

Luther Moore

Ira Meakley

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

My commission expires

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S. Patton J. P. And  
Ex officio Notary Public.

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

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OCT 17 1907



OFFICE OF  
J. O. GUINN.

Camp Springs, Texas, Oct 10

1907

Union Miller  
Special  
Washington, D.C.

Commissioner

Dear Sir

Subject, Eastern Cherokee application  
I would be pleased to know the result of your  
I think each of us will get and when  
no communication will be made any further  
information at hand

to Government make out the form on  
on his report, sure he can  
Paul

Thank you very much for  
and I will be glad to hear  
of any news.

Very yours  
Guinn

Camp Springs, Texas  
Oct 10

No. 30970

Name *Lara Frank*

Action: *Rejected*

and 6 children.

Residence: *Princeton, Ill.*

Reasons:

*Immigrant # 757, and name Lara Frank - name*

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No. 30970

Name *Laura Louise*

With No. 17679

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

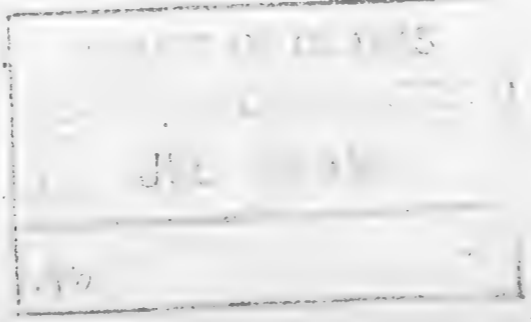
APPLICATION

OF

*Lolana Crisp*

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



*B.A. Lockwood*  
*City*

30070

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Clara Crisp

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Sparrow Sparrow Ind. Ter. Dist. No. 5

3. County:

May

4. State:

Ill or Okla

5. How old are you?

31

Born

1876

6. Where were you born?

Craham Co N.C.

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

J. P. Crisp

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

White man

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Ones Crisp	12	1895
(2)	Ines "	10	1897
(3)	Fleeter "	6	1901
(4)	Wain H. "	5	1902
(5)	True	3	1904
(6)	Hope M.	1	1906

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

Father—English name:

Sanmanian Colvard

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Rocky Anna Colvard

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Rocky Anne Phillips

12. Where were they born?

Father:

North Carolina

Mother:

Ill

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

Father: North Carolina

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

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

and with what tribe of Indians: No

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
18581	(1) <u>Minnie Stewart</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>1873</u>
34111	<u>Quince Colvert</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>1878</u>
	(2) <u>Lula Ward</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>1883</u>
36288	(3) <u>Sarah Colvert</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1886</u>
36546	<u>Myra</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>1888</u>
	(4) <u>Hecator</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1891</u>
	(5) <u>Joe Bob</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1893</u>
	(6) _____		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Andrew Newton Colvert</u>	<u>Gilligan Phily</u>
<u>Myra</u>	<u>Harrett</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? N.C.

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

- (1) Andrew
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No none

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

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

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

(Signature)

Clara Crisp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

Wm F Abernethy  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 10, 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me S J R Colvart

and W H Harris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Clara Crisp

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 34 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.

S J R Colvart

W H Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 10, 1910

Wm F Abernethy  
Notary Public.

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App. No. 30970.

August 5, 1907.

Clara Crisp,

Spavinaw, Indian Territory.

Madam:

Kindly inform this Office at once the exact date of the  
birth of your minor child, Hope M. Crisp.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Spasman J D  
8/10-07  
Hon Union Miller  
Special Commissioner  
Washington D C

Dear Sir

In response to your  
Request dated Aug the 5<sup>th</sup> / 07  
as to the exact dates of my  
Minor Children Omer Crisp  
born July 21<sup>st</sup> 1895  
Ines Crisp born March 21<sup>st</sup>  
1897. Flester Crisp born  
March 26<sup>th</sup> 1890, Wainel  
Crisp born Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> 1892  
Irene Crisp born June 27  
1894. Hope Crisp March  
27<sup>th</sup> 1906

Respectfully  
O. Lang Crisp

COURT OF CLAIMS  
AND EASTERN CHEROKEES  
No. FEB 17 1908  
No. 30970

*circ. let.*

FEB 17 1908

Elk City

C. H. Lee

2/11, 08

Mr. Union Miller

Special Commissioner

Sir have the number  
30970 been considered  
if so what is the  
decision hope to hear  
soon

Yours Truly  
Clara West  
Elk City, Okla

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OK City Oklahoma  
Apr 9 1108  
Mr Union Miller  
Special Commissioner.  
Sir in regard to your  
notice will say that  
it was miss sent and  
delayed at Spavinaw.  
I received it the 13th  
to late to meet  
E. C. Black at Pryor  
Creek Oct the 19th  
went to meet him but  
to late. What is requ  
ired for me to do in  
regard to The Claim  
Application No. 30970  
Yours Truly

Clara Crisp  
R. F. D No. 2 Elk City  
Okla

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 3 1940

No. 30970

8th City L.A.  
L.C. 2809  
Mr. Gen. Miller  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

In regard  
to my application

for 30.970.

I have enclosed you  
drawings of the  
plan of the house to  
be built on the

Yours truly  
C. J. Miller  
8th City L.A.

Enc. 2



App. #30970.

January 4, 1910.

Clara Crisp,

Route #2,

Elk City, Oklahoma.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of December 28, 1909, you are advised that the exceptions filed to my report will be taken up By the Court for final disposition on January 10, 1910, and until after that date I will be unable to announce the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

No. 30871 .....

Action: ..... Reject .....

Name Cella Ann Fricke ..... and 5 ..... children. Residence: ..... Blaine, Ga. ....

Reasons:

Cousin of #14904.

No. 30971.

Name *Clia A. Frick.*

With No. 14904

Remarks:

*Case 9-14904*

No. 30971

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

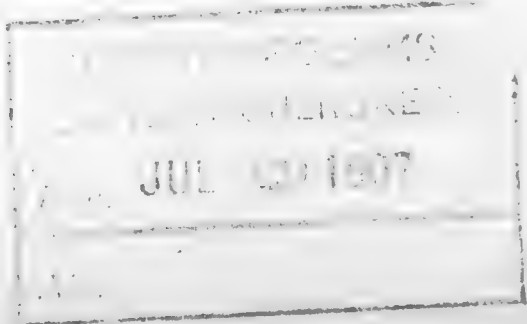
APPLICATION

OF

*Belva Ann Frick & Co.*

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



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney

AT LAW

*30971*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Coaly Ann Fricke  
Indian name: Coaly Ann. Tinsy
2. Residence and post office: Blair
3. County: Pickens
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 33 years Born Sept 11<sup>th</sup> 1873
6. Where were you born? Pickens Co Ga
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband:
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Louisa Fricke	12 years	May 11 <sup>th</sup> 1892
(2)	Willie Fricke	10 "	Nov 9 <sup>th</sup> 1897
(3)	Edward Fricke	7 "	June 13 <sup>th</sup> 1899
(4)	John Fricke	5 "	June 12 <sup>th</sup> 1902
(5)	Willie Fricke	2 "	June 9 <sup>th</sup> 1904
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Francis M. Parker

Indian name: Francis, M. Linsy

Mother—English name: Mary Parker

Indian name:

Maiden name: Mary Cordell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pickens County Ga

Mother: Cherokee County Ga

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

Father: Petersburg County Ga

Mother: Cherokee Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Died Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1900

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

and with what tribe of Indians: don't know

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Leopold Parker	Sept 12 <sup>th</sup> 1872	
	Calper Parker	Dec. 11 <sup>th</sup> 1876	
(2)	Ameline Parker	Aug 27 <sup>th</sup> 1879	
	Larry Parker	Nov. 21 <sup>st</sup> 1881	
(3)	Bessie Parker	June 4 <sup>th</sup> 1883	
	Hattie Parker	Aug 6 <sup>th</sup> 1884	
(4)	Ritter Parker	June 19 <sup>th</sup> 1884	
	Henry Parker	July 26 <sup>th</sup> 1885	
(5)	Mullin Parker	don't know date died	

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side; if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Julian Parker	Willy Parker
William Julian Lindsey	

18. Where were they born? South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Petersburg County Ga

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

(1)	Vienna Parker	Petersburg Co Ga
(2)	John Parker	Silmer " "
(3)	Stephen Parker	Died
(4)	Silla Parker	Silmer " "
(5)	Adrian Parker	Carleton " "
(6)	Isidore Parker	Petersburg " "
(7)	Francis M. Parker	Carleton Co Ga

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I don't know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Grand Father's name was John Parker, my Mother's name was Frances M. Parker. Indian name Francis D. Loney

REMARKS:

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

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

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

(Signature Belva A. Lockwood)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

(Notary Public. H. J. Hensley)

My commission expires Jan 1<sup>st</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 Mrs. J. S. Southland and Wm. S. Southland, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Belva A. Lockwood who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years and 14 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 1<sup>st</sup>, 1908

(Notary Public. H. J. Hensley)

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No. 30972

Name: *Mary A Finkiss*

Action: *Rejected*

Reasons: *Claimant* was born in 1852 in Ohio, His father was  
born in Ky and his mother in Ohio, consequently were not  
living within Cherokee Domain in 1835 and 46. None of  
ancestors are enrolled with Cherokee and no connection  
with tribe is shown See letter "A"

and *—* children. Residence: *Exeter, Mo.*



~~Field Station, No. 7~~

No. 30972.

~~Reject~~

Name Mary A. Pines

With No.

Remarks:

Graded herewith  
are nos. 33346, 34113,  
33345, 35803, 41307.

Reject :-

1. No ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " living within Cherokee domain in 1835 or 1846 and therefore no ancestor party to either treaty.
3. Ancestors live in Ohio & Ky.

Awaiting reply to letter.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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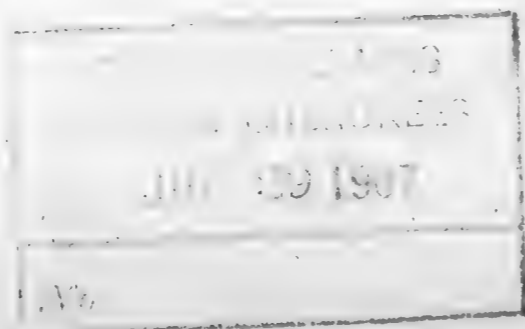
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary A. Fickiss*

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



BELVA S. LOCKY

Attorney

30972

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary A. Tinkiss

Indian name: Mary A. Oldfield

2. Residence and post office: Exeter

3. County: Barry

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 55 Born Sept 26 - 1857

6. Where were you born? Hardin Co. Ohio

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband Silas L. Tinkiss aged 58

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

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	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Ida May Howard	35	Apr 6 - '72
(2)	Emil Joan Thomas	29	June 24 - 78
(3)	Geo. William Thomas	25	Jan 15 - 82
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Elias J. R. Oldfield.

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Oldfield

Indian name:

Maiden name: Mary Ann Dement

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Ohio

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

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1882

Mother: Feb 24 1900

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

No.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Henry Sterling Oldfield Chitwood, Me.	Apr - 1850	
(2)	James T. W. Oldfield Stillwater, O.K.	Dec. - 1852	
(3)	Eleuora Robertson Michita, Kas	Apr - 1865	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.


18. Where were they born?

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

None dead.

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

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) all are dead
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

*No*

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

*Cannot give this information*

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

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

(Signature) *Mary A. Tinkiss*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *July*, 1907.

*My Commission as Notary Public expires July 27, 1909.*

*William H. Martin*  
Notary Public.

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

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

*S. H. Doyel*

and *O. P. Drinkwater*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Mary A. Tinkiss*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and

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

*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*S. H. Doyel*

*O. P. Drinkwater*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *July*, 1907.

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

*William H. Martin*  
Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20972.

May 14, 1908.

Mary Tinkiss,

Creter, Missouri.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? State the names of your grandparents on both sides? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim the right to share in this fund? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1763-4 and 1768? Were any of your ancestors or ancestors live and one dead? Were they ever enrolled?

Give any other information obtainable bearing to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Exhibit No

May 24th 1908

Special Commissioner of Court of Claims

Eastern Cherokee Enrollment

601 Army Building Washington, D.C.

I am in regard to my name  
as a descendant of the Cherokee my father

His name is Henry Oldfield

who was married to a Cherokee of the name  
Mary my Parents took the name of Oldfield  
my father's name was Oldfield was a son of  
Cherokee just as the name of the father

He was married to a Cherokee of the name  
Mary my Parents took the name of Oldfield  
my father's name was Oldfield was a son of  
Cherokee just as the name of the father

He was married to a Cherokee of the name  
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Why in the first instance should we have been  
not in: But I left out of my paper and the  
we would have been well as to take from me  
the last thing I got from But I was not

Q. No 3

Name of the person who was with me  
was DeWitt

Name of the person with whom I was  
living I do not know or remember  
Name of either of the persons

Q. No 4

Name of the person who was with me  
of the person who was with me  
of the person who was with me

Q. No 5

Name of the person who was with me  
Name of the person who was with me

Q. No 6

Name of the person who was with me  
Name of the person who was with me

Q. No 7

Name of the person who was with me  
Name of the person who was with me

Q. No 8

Name of the person who was with me  
Name of the person who was with me



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My great father was not living in 1856  
But my great mother and my father were  
in the state of Georgia in 1856  
under the name my father had at  
Cochise

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My father was in the  
state of Georgia in 1856  
under the name my father had at  
Cochise  
My mother was in the  
state of Georgia in 1856  
under the name my mother had at  
Cochise

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COURT OF CHIEFS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 29 1908  
*No.* 30829.



My dear Mr. ...  
 The enclosed is a duplicate of ... 30972  
 important ... M. Jantzen ... no 34113  
 17 ...  
 Mrs. Emil ... Schulte ...  
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 My sister Mrs. Nora ...  
 William H. ...  
 ...

and the ...  
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No. 30973.

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Stacy E. Verner* and *1* children. Residence: *Grove, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Claims only as a descendant of Polly Murphy.*

No. 30973

Name Tom E. Serner

With No. 119

Remarks:

No. 30973

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Stacy E. Turner*

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



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney at Law

Washington, D. C.

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Stacy E. Verner*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Dusttown Grove*

3. County:

*Folk Oklahoma*

4. State:

*Missouri*

5. How old are you?

*31* Born *June 11 1886*

6. Where were you born?

*Cherokee Co. N.C.*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*E. R. Verner aged 31 years*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Viola Verner</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1905</i>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name:

*William C. Groham*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Sarah L. Groham*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Sarah L. Briant*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Cherokee Co. N.C.*

Mother:

*Monroe Co. Tennessee*



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

Father: Not living

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

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

No

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Minnie Dixon	1889	
(2)	Mary G. Graham	1891	
(3)	Lucy Graham	1897	
(4)	Ella Graham	1905	
(5)	Estelle Graham	1905	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.  
Mr Matay

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Fatey Bryant

18. Where were they born? Saint New

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

Cherokee County N.C.

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

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

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

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

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

(Signature) Stacy E. Verner

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

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 27, 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 E. L. Shuburn

and J. B. Bryant, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Stacy E. Verner

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.

E. L. Shuburn +  
J. B. Bryant +

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

My commission expires

July 3, 1911.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Application No 30973

no 35, 1973

Dear Mr. Miller, Special Commissioner  
of Eastern Cherokee Enrollment

I was moved from Hixson town Tenn to  
Hixson, Ala and I haven't heard from you  
in a long time I would like to  
know all the news about the claims  
and how much will be owed to the head  
and when they will be paid

and allow me for me and my baby & you

(Application No 30973)

Please let me hear from you as once  
from Tracy E. C. C. C.

No. 30974

Action: Repeat

Name William H. [unclear] and 2 children. Residence: East Bend, N.C.

Reasons: Armed Case

No. 40 170

Name 21 50

With No.

Remarks: H 1.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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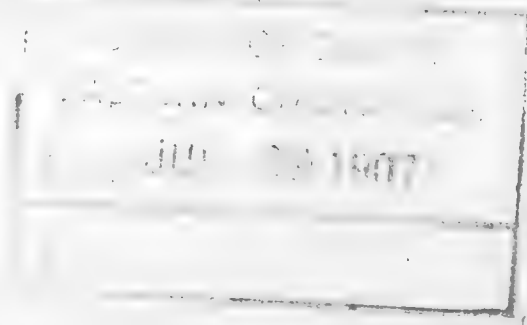
APPLICATION

OF

*William Henry Poincexter*

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

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *William Henry Poindexter*

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

2. Residence and post office: *East Bend N.C.*

3. County: *Yadkin*

4. State: *N.C.*

5. How old are you? *27* Born *Oct 11 - 1879*

6. Where were you born? *Yadkin Co*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mrs Taylor Poindexter 20 years*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Clara Poindexter</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Yadkin</i>
(2)	<i>Robert Poindexter</i>		<i>1906</i>
(3)	_____		
(4)	_____		
(5)	_____		
(6)	_____		

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

Father—English name: *W. W. Poindexter*

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

Mother—English name: *Addie Poindexter*

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

Maiden name: *Addie Rerrigar*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Yadkin Co*

Mother: *Forsyth "*



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

Father: Yadkin Co

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

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: "

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

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Lula Poindexter	Yadkin	1898
	Lillian Poindexter	1875	
(2)	Winston - Salem N.C.	1877	
	Wiley A Poindexter	1877	
(3)	Optario Cal		
	Charlie E Poindexter	1888	
(4)	East-Bend N.C.		
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>A. P. Poindexter</u>	<u>G. H. Ruggar</u>
<u>Elizabeth Poindexter</u>	<u>Margret Ruggar</u>

18. Where were they born? Yadkin Co Surry Co

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Forsyth Co

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

(1)	R. A. Poindexter	died 1906
(2)	A. A. Poindexter	Jones Panther Creek
(3)	N. W. Poindexter	East-Bend
(4)	M. E. Poindexter	Turner Panther Creek
(5)	F. W. Poindexter	Spain
(6)	H. B. Poindexter	Wana N.C.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father W W Poindexter  
Grand Father A P Poindexter  
Great Grand Father R A Poindexter

REMARKS.

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

My Great Grand Father R A Poindexter  
was a son of Thomas P Poindexter  
who married Betsy Pledge daughter of an  
Indian chief by name of Dourahoo

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

(Signature) William Henry Poindexter

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

J. L. Norman  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 24th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. L. Williams  
and J. T. Smithman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with William Henry Poindexter  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. L. Williams  
J. T. Smithman

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

My commission expires

Dec 24th, 1908. J. L. Norman  
Notary Public.

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App. No. 30974.

August 5, 1907.

William H. Poindexter,  
East Bend, North Carolina.

Sir:

Kindly inform this Office at once as to the exact dates of  
the births of each of your minor children.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 14 1908

No. 30974

East Bend, N.C.

Jan. 10 - 1908.

Dear Sir: Is there is  
any Indian blood  
besides what I have  
through Donnahoo  
and Bettie Pledge  
Pinderter I don't know  
it but I know I am  
a decendant of an  
Indian chief by  
name of Donnahoo  
Yours truly  
William H. Pinderter

No. 30925

Action:

Reject

Name Loua King and 4 children. Residence: Negro Hill, Ark.

Reasons:

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No. 30975

Name Dona King

With No. William H. H.

Remarks:

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No. 3097

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Donation*

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

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U. S. DEPT. OF CLAIMS  
U. S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE  
JUL 22 1907



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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Dona King

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

2. Residence and post office: Chickamauga Hill

3. County: White

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 39 Born Nov 12 1867

6. Where were you born? Dickens County Georgia

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. G. King age 27 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Robert King	19	Sept 2 - 1887
(2)	John King	10	July 11 - 1896
(3)	Fannie King	16	Oct 14 - 1890
(4)	Leone King	9	Feb 10 - 1897
(5)	Carroll King		Nov 15 - 1898
(6)	Legend Townsend	25	5 - 12 - 1881

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

Father—English name: J. W. Edwards

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

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Edwards

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

Maiden name: Mary Ann Edwards

12. Where were they born? 7

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

Mother: Cherokee County Georgia

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

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

Mother: Princeton County Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

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

Mother: 1848 August 24 1848

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? Macon Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Princeton Georgia

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

- (1) John deceased
  - (2) John deceased
  - (3) John deceased
  - (4) John deceased
  - (5) John deceased
  - (6) John deceased
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John in Carter Co Ga  
deceased  
deceased  
deceased

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Hubert Day, Col. 1835  
Walter G. ... & ...  
Samuel ...

REMARKS.

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

Hubert Day was married twice ...  
... to Edward's ...  
... sent ...

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

(Signature) Edw. King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 15 1910, 1907.  
Wm. J. ... Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. M. ...  
and B. J. ..., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Edw. King who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known 1833 for 34 years and 14 years, respectively, and know Edw. King to be the identical person Edw. King represents Edw. King to be, and that the statements made by Edw. King are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in Edw. King's claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Edw. King  
B. J. ...

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 15 1910, 1907.  
Wm. J. ... Notary Public.

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Signatures of Witnesses.

*D. B. Wisner*

*W. W. Heathcoat*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of August, 1907.

*G. A. Kern*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov, 1907.

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No. 30975

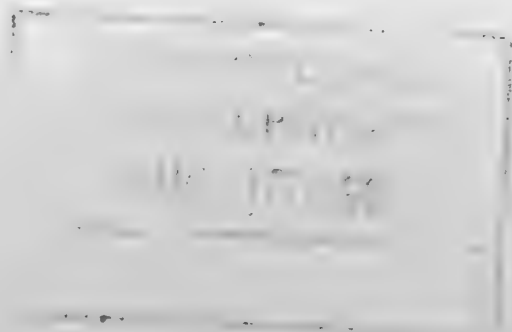
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Lona King*  
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.



Filed by  
*Bickford Winans & Clagett*  
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. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Leona King
2. Residence and post office: Megaw Hill Township, Megaw Hill P. O.
3. County: White
4. State: Arkansas
5. Date and place of birth: November second 1867, Pickens Co Georgia
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: J. T. King, 37 years old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Arizona Journal</u>	<u>Twenty five</u>	<u>1882</u>
(2)	<u>Albert King</u>	<u>Thirteen</u>	<u>1894</u>
(3)	<u>Jacob King</u>	<u>Ten</u>	<u>1897</u>
(4)	<u>Louancy King</u>	<u>Six</u>	<u>1900</u>
(5)	<u>Leona King</u>	<u>Two</u>	<u>1905</u>
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have Not

### REMARKS

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

The mother of these children is a Grand daughter of Seville Corbin

I solemnly swear that...

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

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

1. State your full name: Leona King
2. Residence and post office: Nego Hill, Township, Nego Hill P. O.
3. County: White
4. State: Arkansas
5. Date and place of birth: November second 1867, Pictious Co Georgia
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: J. T. King, 37 years old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Arizona Journal</u>	<u>Twenty five</u>	<u>1882</u>
(2)	<u>Albert King</u>	<u>Thirteen</u>	<u>1894</u>
(3)	<u>Jacob King</u>	<u>Ten</u>	<u>1897</u>
(4)	<u>Louancy King</u>	<u>Six</u>	<u>1905</u>
(5)	<u>Leona King</u>	<u>Two</u>	<u>1905</u>
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

### REMARKS

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

The mother of these children is a Granddaughter of Delile Corben

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

(Signature) Leona x King

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

G. W. Allen J. P.  
Notary Public

My Commission expires

November 1908.

## ◇ CERTIFICATE OF OFFICIAL CHARACTER. ◇

STATE OF ARKANSAS  
WHITE COUNTY.

I, J. T. Madler, Clerk of the County Court within and for said county, do hereby certify that J. T. Allen whose genuine signature appears to and upon the above and foregoing instrument is now, and was at date of said certificate a duly elected, commissioned and acting Justice of the Peace in and for White County, Arkansas:

1. State your full name: *Sonia King*
2. Residence and post office: *Negro Hill Township to Negro Hill P.O.*
3. County: *White*
4. State: *Arkansas*
5. Date and place of birth: *November second 1867, Pickens Co Georgia*
6. Are you married? *yes*
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: *J. T. King, 37 years old*
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? *Cherokee*
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Arizona Journal</i>	<i>Twenty five</i>	<i>1882</i>
(2)	<i>Albert King</i>	<i>Thirteen</i>	<i>1894</i>
(3)	<i>Jacob King</i>	<i>Ten</i>	<i>1897</i>
(4)	<i>Louancy King</i>	<i>Six</i>	<i>1900</i>
(5)	<i>Leone King</i>	<i>Two</i>	<i>1905</i>
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *have Not*

REMARKS

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

*The mother of these children is a Grand daughter of Delile Corben*

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

(Signature) *Sonia King*

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

*G. W. Akers J.P.*  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires *November*, 1908.

◇ CERTIFICATE OF OFFICIAL CHARACTER. ◇

STATE OF ARKANSAS  
WHITE COUNTY.

I, *J. S. Headlee*, Clerk of the County Court within and for said county, do hereby certify that *J. T. Akers* whose genuine signature appears to and upon the above and foregoing *Instrument* is now, and was at date of said certificate a duly elected, commissioned and acting *Justice of the Peace* in and for White County, Arkansas; that all his official acts as such are entitled to full faith and credit.

In testimony whereof I hereto set my official signature and affix the seal of said court, this, the *8* day of *August*, A. D. 1897.

By *J. S. Headlee* Clerk  
D. C.

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me J. B. Wright and W. W. Heathcott who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Loana King who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known here for 7 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him 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 him are true, and they have no interest whatever in The Above claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of August, 1907.

E. W. Kern, Jr.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov, 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. 20975

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Loana King  
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.



Filed by Richard W. Mann + Clayton  
Washington, D.C.



#30975

~~Wm. H. King~~

To the Commission of Indian Affairs

Dear Sir,

I send you my claim for a  
part of the money appropriated for  
the purchase of land in the  
State of Georgia for the  
benefit of the Creek Indians.  
I have the honor to be  
very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant

W. H. King

When met at Peach Hill White County  
Ga

App. #30975.

August 5, 1907.

J. F. King,

Negro Hill,

Arkansas.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of recent date, you are advised that it is not necessary for claimants to employ attorneys to represent them in the matter of the enrollment of the Eastern Cherokees, unless their cases are very complicated.

All applications will be taken up in their regular order and considered.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

App. #2087E.

September 9, 1907.

Lena King,

Nogrohill,

Arkansas.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of September 4, 1907, you are advised that the applications for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund have not been taken up for final consideration, and we cannot state, at the present time, whether or not you are entitled to share in this fund, or the amount each successful claimant will receive.

As there are over 40,000 applications on file and the claimants are widely scattered through the United States, it will necessarily take considerable time to have all of these cases adjudicated, and until they are so determined no money can be distributed.

If there is any further information required in connection with your application you will be notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HLC.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
AND  
EQUIPMENT  
FOR THE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Feb 15 1908

Special Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs as I haven't heard from  
my application No 30975 I will  
ask you to please write me  
whether or not it has been  
considered and if so what is  
to be expected and when  
please and at once yours  
Truly Yours King Negroff  
ark



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 5 1909  
No. 30975

*vide. let.*

FEB 5 1909

*Whitmore*

Jan 28 1909 Negro Hill Ark  
white County

Hon Gen Miller Special  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Dear Sir in regard to app  
No. 80975 your Honor has our  
application ever been duly considered  
yet and if so when shall  
we expect our allowance  
Please and as soon as possible  
please excuse my annoyance  
as I can not help being anxious  
as I know by rights I am  
entitled to part in in roll  
with your Resp

J. F. & C. D. King

Dora King

No. 30976.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Biddie L. Uerith* and *4* children.

Residence: *Ennis, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*John Hatcher case*

No. 30976.

Name B. b. Averitt

With No. 10798.

Remarks:

Halter file

*Encl.*  
*190670*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Bidder Lee Annett*

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

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30976

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name— *Robert Lee Smith*

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 19 1879 Humphreys Co Tenn*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

*Through my father John W Smith who was the son of my grand father who was the son of Elizabeth Lewis who was the daughter of John Hatcher who was an Eastern Cherokee and was married to my mother in 1851*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *C. O. Smith*

*Married April 13 1875*

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

Father—English name: *John W Smith*

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

Mother—English name: *Theodocia Smith*

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

Maiden name: *Theodocia Lewis*

11. Where were they born?

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

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

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: *Dec 19 1904*

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

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

where: *not unless my great grand father R.B. Hunter enrolled in 1893 at the Land Office Nashville T. Tenn*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Mildred Lushorn</i>	<i>Jan 18 1878</i>	
(2)	<i>Marcella Linn Lushorn</i>	<i>Aug 14 1888</i>	
(3)	<i>Georgia Ann Trippitt</i>	<i>May 6 1888</i>	
(4)	<i>Martha Leah Smith</i>	<i>about 1889</i>	
(5)	<i>Chloe Bedone Smith</i>	<i>May 8 1891</i>	<i>Sept 22 1916</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
English	<i>Wm Smith</i>	<del>Unknown</del>
Indian	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Unknown</i>
English	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Mary Jane Smith</i>
Indian		<i>Unknown</i>

17. Where were they born? *Both born in Tennessee,*

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

*In Humphreys County Tenn.*

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

- (1) English name: *Wm. H. Smith died Jan, 14, 1904*  
 Indian name: *W. H. Smith*  
 Residence: *Humphreys County Tenn.*
- (2) English name: *Mary Jane Smith, died - 1875 -*  
 Indian name: *Unknown*  
 Residence: *Humphreys County Tenn.*
- (3) English name: *George T. Smith, James G. Smith,*  
 Indian name: *Unknown*  
 Residence: *Humphreys County Tenn.*
- (4) English name: *J. S. D. Smith, dead, - Unknown, Center,*  
 Indian name: *-*  
 Residence: *Humphreys County Tenn.*
- (5) English name: *Lucie H. Hill, Phoebe Wheeler,*  
~~*Lucie H. Hill*~~ *Geo. C. Danforth, died, Jan, 1905,*  
 Residence: *W. H. Smith, dead 1870, Humphreys County Tenn.*

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

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

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

*Though my Father shows in Smith who was the son of my mother Smith m. no. was the daughter of Elizabeth Dennis who was the daughter of John Fisher whose Indian name was Hotehik. She was an Eastern Cherokee Indian moved from N.C. a year or 1810*

REMARKS.

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

*I am claiming through my father who was a descendant of John Fisher who was an Eastern Cherokee and on the son of my mother*

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

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

(Signature.) *Biddie Lee Averitt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *July*, 1907

My commission expires *1910,*  
*Sept 5<sup>th</sup>*, 1907.

*J. M. Harris,*  
*County Court Clerk,*

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. Blake Bonnell,* and *Ellis Edgerton,* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Biddie Lee Averitt,* 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. Blake Bonnell*  
*Ellis Edgerton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *July*, 1907

My commission expires *Sept 5, 1910,*

*July 25<sup>th</sup>*, 1907. *J. M. Harris,*  
*County Court Clerk,*

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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.

W. R. Boone

J. J. Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

J. M. Harris

My commission expires Sept 5 1910, Hamilton County Tenn.

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No. 30976

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

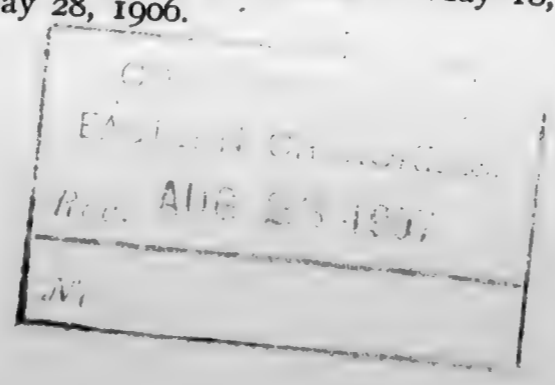
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Biddie L. Smith

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. 30976.

1. State your full name: Biddie L. Averitt,
2. Residence and post office: Erin,
3. County: Houston
4. State: Tennessee,
5. Date and place of birth: October 19<sup>th</sup> 1879,
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Wife 28. Year and age,
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>D. Roy Averitt</u>	<u>9.</u>	<u>April 21, 1898,</u>
(2)	<u>Herbert R. Averitt,</u>	<u>8.</u>	<u>Aug. 31, 1899,</u>
(3)	<u>Lee E. Averitt,</u>	<u>6.</u>	<u>July 27, 1901,</u>
(4)	<u>Oscar L. Averitt,</u>	<u>4.</u>	<u>June 16<sup>th</sup> 1903,</u>
(5)	<u>Hallie L. Averitt,</u>	<u>About 2.</u>	<u>Aug. 26, 1905,</u>
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

### REMARKS

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

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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) Biddy L. Averitt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

J. M. Harris,  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Sept 5 1910,  
1400 County Court Clerk  
Houston County Tenn,

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me W. R. Boone and J. J. Adams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Biddie L. Amitt who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 6 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. R. Boone  
J. J. Adams

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

J. M. Harris

My commission expires Sept 5 1910, County Court Clerk, Hampton County, Tenn.

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No. 30976

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

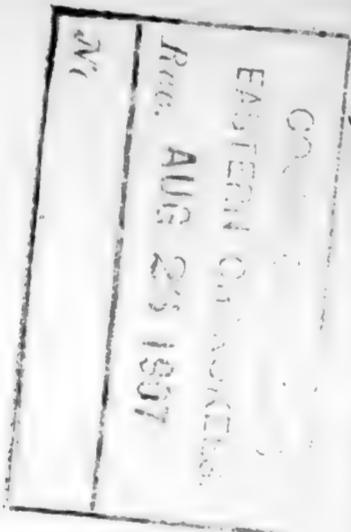
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Biddie L. Amitt

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. FEB 13 1908  
No. 30976

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FEB 18 1908

Erin Tenn. Feb 11 1868

Dear Sir in regard  
to the eastern Cherokee enrollment  
I would like to know whether  
my proof is all right or  
not and when it is to be  
paid I am interested in  
it and would like to know  
my answer will be gladly  
received my no 30976.  
Please let me hear from you  
about this and all else

Biddie L. A. with Erin Tenn

No. 30977

Action:

Reject

Name

Ruth O Halls and 5 children.

Residence:

Adams, Okla.

Reasons:

Sister of #19080. Claims through same source.

No. 30999  
Name Ruth C. Hall  
With No. 19085  
Remarks:

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No. 30977

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

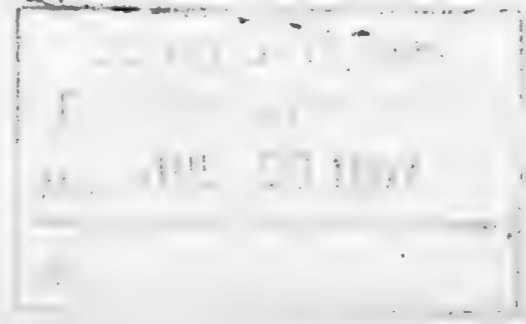
APPLICATION

OF

*Ruth D. Walls*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Ruth C Walls

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office: ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ Hucks, Okla.

4. County:

5. State: Chickasaw Nation

6. Date and place of birth: 11-19-1871 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: ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Ruth C Walls  
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10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: James J. Simon

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: 1851

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

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>James W Brown</i>	<i>Aug 22, 1866</i>	
(2)	<i>Dora B Brown</i>	<i>Dec 23, 1869</i>	
(3)	<i>Charles R Brown</i>	<i>Dec 21, 1872</i>	
(4)	<i>Margaret D Brown</i>	<i>July 11, 1875</i>	
(5)	<i>Joseph T. Brown</i>	<i>Aug 15, 1877</i>	<i>Mar 21, 1897</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>Silas Brown</i>	<i>John B. Suggs</i>
<i>Born in Georgia</i>	<i>Born in South Carolina</i>
<i>Surrendia Brown</i>	<i>Ruth A. Suggs</i>
<i>Born in Georgia</i>	<i>Born in Tenn.</i>

17. Where were they born?

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

*Silas and Surrendia Brown near Tahlequah*

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

- (1) English name: *William Brown* died: *1900*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: *Robert Brown* died: *1865*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: *Nancy Jane Brown* died  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: *James J. Brown* died: *March 1881*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: *Nelson Brown* died in *India*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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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 think my grand father came from Georgia about 1835 went to Ala and here is died My grandmother and her Parents all died near Detroit. Also my great grand fathers name William Downing

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

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

(Signature.) Ruth C Walls

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907

My commission expires

March, 1909

J. O. Reeves

Notary Public.

Center

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. R. Randall and Mandy Randall, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ruth C Walls, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 1 year 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. R. Randall

Mandy Randall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907

My commission expires

March, 1909

J. O. Reeves

Notary Public.

Center

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

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*L. R. Brown*  
*Edward Randall*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

*G. O. Rivers*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> 1911, ~~1908~~.

*Central*

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No. 30974

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Ruth C. Walls*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 30917

1. State your full name: Mrs Rutha C Walls
2. Residence and post office: Cherokee, Ind. Ter.
3. County: Bryant, Co.
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: Born March 19, 1871.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife ~~or~~ husband: 36 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Charles C. Walls</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1892</u>
(2)	<u>Dora C. Walls</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1885</u>
(3)	<u>Frank E. Walls</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1901</u>
(4)	<u>Callie J. Walls</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1903</u>
(5)	<u>William J. Walls</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1906</u>
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They have not

### 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) Mrs Rutha C. Walls

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

G. O. Reeves

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb 23 1901

Central

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. R. Brown and

Leonard Randall who, being duly sworn, on oath depose

and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs Rutha E Walls who makes the

foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 15 years and one year

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

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

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

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. R. Brown  
Leonard Randall

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

*Central*

G. O. Reeves

Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 23 1911, ~~1908~~.

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No. 30974

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

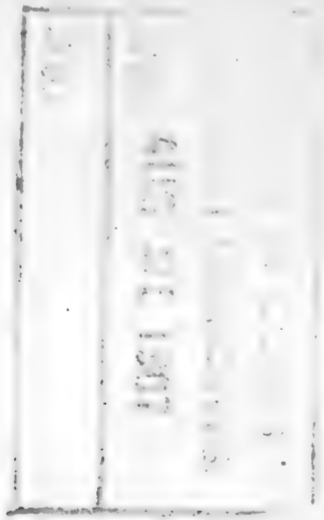
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Rutha E. Walls

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.



Names and ages of our  
Children

Charles C Wallis

Born at June 15 1892

age 14 years

Charles C Wallis

Born at June 21 1897

age 13

Ernest C Wallis

Born at April 21 1901

age 6 years

Carl Tra Wallis

Born at Dec 3 1903

age 3 years

Ernest Chaab Wallis

Born at April 9 1906

age 15 months

Dec 23. 1894

at Green Hill

It is with  
the paper and I will  
not be in the office  
until the morning of the  
24th. I am sorry  
that you cannot see me  
today.

Yours truly  
C. C. Jones

Ms. no 3097



EASTERN CHRONICLE  
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DEC 26 1907

Dear Sir,  
I have the honor to acknowledge  
the receipt of your letter of the  
10th inst. in relation to the  
above mentioned matter.  
I am sorry to hear that  
you are unable to attend  
to the same at present.  
I will endeavor to  
attend to the same as  
soon as possible.

Yours very truly,  
J. M. [Name]  
[Address]

Appl. 1908

Mar 14, 1908.

Margaret D. Poolsey,  
Robbers Falls, Okla.

Ma'am:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Northern Railroad, give the date of your father's birth, and the county and state in which he was born. Give the full names of your grandparents on your father's side, and state where they resided in 1874-75, and where they now live.

If you were enrolled by the Census Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 31 1908

No.

April 1908

P. H. B.

Special Commissioner  
Wash. D. C.

Kind Sir

I received your  
letter. I will say my  
father's family Record was  
located in the archives  
at Washington. I will  
you please show me how to  
locate the record of my  
grandfather's family  
Record is in the I am for-  
getting my father's name  
to you will you please

April 1908

Yours truly  
P. H. B.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 16 1908

No. 19080.

Washington D.C.  
June 10<sup>th</sup> 1848  
Hon. Commissioner  
Land O. C.  
Kind Sir

My Father was  
born in Georgia. I think  
it was in the Co. of  
Father was born 1848  
The day of his birth I can  
not tell

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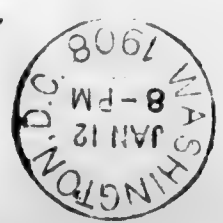
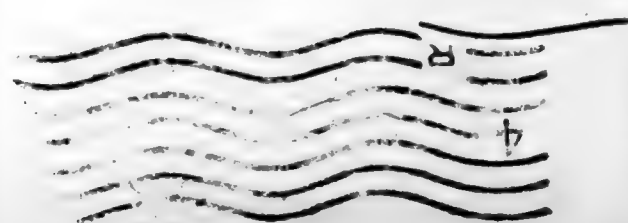


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COUNTY OF  
 EASTERN CHESTER  
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of the Eastern Cherokee  
Cherokee



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*Special Commissioners of the Court  
of Claims  
601 Cavalry Building  
Washington D.C.*

October 17 - 24 1875  
The above specimens were  
collected at the same time  
and place as those mentioned  
in the preceding list and are  
of the same nature and quality  
as those which are mentioned  
in the preceding list.  
Marsden L. Wadley



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Special Commissioners of the Court  
of Claims  
601 Curran Building  
Washington D.C.

No. 30 978.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Arthur Lee* and *1* children. Residence: *Bethesda, D.C.*

Reasons: *Unsubstantiated. Duplicate of 16407.*



No. 30978.

Name Arthur J. ...

With No. ...

Remarks : H 2

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No. 10770  
(16407 Duplicate)  
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Arthur Tise.

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

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Arthur Tise

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

2. Residence and post office: Bethania

3. County: Forsyth

4. State: N. C.

5. How old are you? 23

Born Jan. 19, 1884.

6. Where were you born? Forsyth Co. N. C.

7. Are you married? No.

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

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

Father—English name: John Tise

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

Mother—English name: Margaret E. Tise

Indian name: Dorrah

Maiden name: M. E. Poinceter

12. Where were they born?

Father: Forsyth Co. N. C.

Mother: Forsyth Co. N. C.

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

Father: Forsyth Co. N.C.

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

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

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

Mother: March 24, 1890.

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

and with what tribe of Indians: no.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Emma Fise</u> <u>Forsyth Co. N.C.</u>	<u>Oct. 26, 1876</u>	
(2)	<u>Lora Fise</u> <u>Forsyth Co. N.C.</u>	<u>July 21, 1879</u>	
(3)	<u>Fannie Fise</u> <u>Forsyth Co. N.C.</u>	<u>Sept. 7, 1881</u>	
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>S. Simon Fise.</u>	<u>Thomas Poincexter</u>
<u>Loretta Fise.</u>	<u>Jane James</u>
	<u>Donahoe.</u>

18. Where were they born? Davidson Co. N.C. Forsyth Co. N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Forsyth Co. N.C.  
Then Currey.

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

(1)	<u>Frances Poincexter</u>	<u>Rural Hall N.C.</u>
(2)	<u>Margaret</u>	"
(3)	<u>Sarah</u>	<u>All the rest are dead.</u>
(4)	<u>John</u>	"
(5)	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John + Sarah Barnes  
Prindexter, Thomas + Jane J. Prindexter,  
Indian name: Dorahov.

REMARKS.

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

My great great grandmother Elizabeth  
Pledge was the daughter or granddaughter of the  
Indian Chief, Dorahov. I am related to the  
Scotts, Pettets, Samuels, and Thomases.

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

(Signature) A. L. Tise

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

W. J. Hayes  
Notary Public.

My commission expires April 5, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. L. Wall  
and L. C. Mickle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with A. L. Tise  
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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. L. Wall  
L. C. Mickle

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

My commission expires April 5, 1909. W. J. Hayes  
Notary Public.

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

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No. 30978  
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App. No. 16407.

March 22, 1907.

Arthur Lee Tise,

Mans, North Carolina.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 16407, which is returned you herewith for execution.

This application must be sworn to by yourself and by two witnesses and returned to this office at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

GM/WEA

Enclosure.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 30978



Bethania, N. C.

Jan. 19-1908

Special Commissioner,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I filled out my  
blank to the best of my  
knowledge. So will  
be glad to ask you to look  
at it for further information.  
(Blank No. 30978)

Yours truly  
Arthur L. Tise,

No. 30979

Action: *Ref. eted*

Name *Elva Cole* and *6* children. Residence: *Madisonville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First Cousin in removal of 2.18*

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No. 30979

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

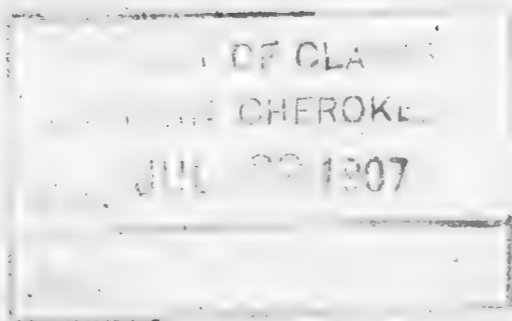
APPLICATION

OF

*Ella Gale &  
6 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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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ella Cole

Indian name: " Saunders

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville Route 3

3. County: Macon

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 31 Born 15 Oct 1875

6. Where were you born? Tellico River Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Cole 29

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Thomas Cole	10	14 May 1895
(2)	Effie 11	9	3 March 1898
(3)	James 11	8	20 Nov 1900
(4)	Brynnell 11	5	1 March 1902
(5)	Frankie 11	3	12 March 1904
(6)	Eller May 11	1	14 May 1906

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

Father—English name: Leifayette Braswell

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Elisabeth 11

Indian name: " Saunders

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Madisonville Route 3 Tenn

Mother: Tellico River Tenn

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

Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother: Tellier River Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living  
Mother: 11

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
# 20000 (1)	<u>Alford</u>	<u>28 Sept 1877</u>	
(2)	<u>Kata</u>	<u>29 May 1880</u>	<u>15 June 1904</u>
# 20900 (3)	<u>Ruban</u>	<u>7 March 1882</u>	
(4)	<u>Lara</u>	<u>26 Sept 1884</u>	
# 21000 (5)	<u>Senla</u>	<u>9 Feb 1887</u>	
(6)	<u>Edward</u>	<u>26 June 1891</u>	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Nancy Saunders  
11 11

18. Where were they born? Tellier River Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tellier River Tenn

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

- (1) Elizabeth
- (2) Columbus
- (3) Maherry
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

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

Mrs. Mason maiden name Elisabeth Saunders her mother  
was Saunders & her mother Betty Pickens  
last name Betty Saunders first name  
REMARKS.

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

her maiden name was Betty Saunders but  
was raised by her grand father Ellison

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

(Signature) Ella Cole,

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

Geo W. Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Larkin Mason  
and Lula Mason, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Ella Cole  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Larkin Mason  
Lula Mason

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W. Isbill  
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.

married ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> being a woman  
children ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> what is  
I don't understand what is  
regards as a man would  
and a mother can't get out  
and leave and understand  
as a father could.

awaiting earliest Reply.

Edna Cole

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 17 1909  
No. 30979

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Madisonville P. 3 Tenn  
July 15-1909

Mr Guion Miller

Has ~~not~~ <sup>my</sup> application no 30979 for  
participation in the fund in  
favor of the Eastern Tennessee  
lacking in proof? What proof  
do I need

Has my identification not  
sufficient

If you will please tell me what  
I like or need I shall be very  
grateful indeed and try again  
Has my Grandmother Betsy  
McKinney not identified sufficiently  
or would a copy of a "land warrant" I  
issued to Betsy McKinney be of  
any value as proof? Please tell  
me what more I need as proof



What will be any help in any way to me as I am ~~at 100 years~~ married and have small children and being a woman I don't understand what is required as a man would and a mother can't get out and learn and understand as a father could.

awaiting earliest Reply,

Olla Cole

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 17 1909  
No. 30979  
Olla Cole

No. 20920

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Reuben Mason* and *no* children. Residence: *Madisonville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First cousin once removed of 2/184*

No. 30980-1-2-3-4

Name *Reuben Brown*

With No. 30779-23011

Remarks:

No. 30980 /

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Rubens Mason*

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 29 1907

30980

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ruban Mason

Indian name: Sanunders

2. Residence and post office: Smithsboro Route 3

3. County: W. Va.

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 25 Born March 1882

6. Where were you born? Cherokee River Tenn.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Serila Mason 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Safayette Mason

Indian name: Sanunders

Mother—English name: Elisabeth Mason

Indian name: Sanunders

Maiden name: Sanunders

12. Where were they born?

Father: Smithsboro Route 3 Tenn.

Mother: Cherokee River Tenn.

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

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

Mother: Tellier River Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ella</u>	<u>15 Oct 1875</u>	
(2)	<u>Alford</u>	<u>27 Sept 1877</u>	
(3)	<u>Kata</u>	<u>23 May 1860</u>	<u>14 June 1904</u>
(4)	<u>How</u>	<u>26 Sept 1884</u>	
(5)	<u>Saula</u>	<u>9 Feb 1887</u>	
(6)	<u>Edward</u>	<u>26 June 1891</u>	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

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

18. Where were they born? Tellier River Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tellier River Tenn

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

- (1) Elisabetha Munder
- (2) Columbu "
- (3) Aberry "
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 1111 Arrows

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

Grandmother name Elisabeth Saunders  
Grandmother name Betty Saunders  
Grandfather name Betty Saunders  
REMARKS. Mr Kenney by his last will name Betty Saunders

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
was Saming but was raised by her Grandfather Ellison

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

(Signature) Ruban Mason

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

Geo W Sobell

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Saul Muson  
and Lula Muson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ruban Mason who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Lula Muson

Saul Muson

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W Sobell

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. 90981

Action: *Accepted*

Name *Dora Downing* and

children.

Residence: *Etawah, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First Cause once removed of 2/11/84*



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No. 30981

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nora Lowmyer &  
1 child*

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

6-624 COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 29 1907

30981

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Hora Downey

Indian name: " Saunders

2. Residence and post office: Etamah

3. County: McCoy County

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 22 Born 26 Sept-1884

6. Where were you born? Murray County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Gen W Downey 52

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Gen W Downey</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Jan 1906</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Seafayth Mason

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Elizabeth

Indian name: " Saunders

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pelliver River Tenn

Mother: " " "

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

Father: Cellio River Farm

Mother: '' '' ''

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: ''

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Grand M<sup>e</sup> Saunders

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sula Mason</u>	<u>9 Feb 1887</u>	
(2)	<u>Alford</u>	<u>27 Sept 1877</u>	
(3)	<u>Kata</u>	<u>29 May 1880</u>	<u>14 June 1904</u>
(4)	<u>Rubun</u>	<u>7 March 1882</u>	
(5)	<u>Edward</u>	<u>26 June 1891</u>	
(6)	<u>Ella</u>	<u>15 Oct 1875</u>	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Nancy Saunders  
'' ''

18. Where were they born? Cellio River Farm

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cellio River Farm

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

- (1) Elisabeth
- (2) Kalumbus
- (3) Burberry
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Nebraska

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother, name Elisabeth  
Mason, maiden name Elisabeth Saunders,  
her mother Betty ne Kearney name by her last name

REMARKS.

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

Betty Saunders, by her first name she  
was raised by John Ellison she  
was a ~~mother~~

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

(Signature) + Lora Dawney +

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. Reynolds.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January, 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 Larkin Mason

and Lula Mason, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lora Dawney who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Larkin Mason  
Lula Mason,

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

My commission expires

June, 1908, Geo W. Hill  
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. 20982

Action: *Accepted*

Name *Lula Mason* and *no* children. Residence: *Madisonville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First Cousin once removed of 2/1/84*

No. 30082

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

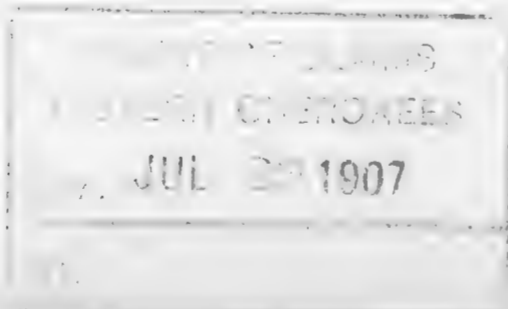
APPLICATION

OF

Scula Ouzum

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

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30082

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sula Mason

Indian name: || Saunders T

2. Residence and post office: Wadsworthville Route 3

3. County: Morgan

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 20 Born 9 Feb 1887

6. Where were you born? Tellico River Tenn

7. Are you married? no

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Seaford H. H. H. H.

Indian name: ||

Mother—English name: Elizabeth

Indian name: || Saunders

Maiden name: ||

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wadsworthville Tenn Route 3

Mother: Tellico River Tenn

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

Father: Telliver River Tenn

Mother: 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ella	15 Oct 1875	
(2)	Alford	27 Sept 1877	
	Kata	Lead 23 May 1880	14 June 1904
(3)	Ruban	7 March 1882	
(4)	Nora	26 Sept 1884	
(5)	Edward	26 June 1891	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

FATHER'S SIDE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S SIDE: Nancy Saunders  
Nancy Saunders

18. Where were they born? Telliver River Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Telliver River Tenn

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

- (1) Elizabeth
- (2) Columbus
- (3) Berny
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: U. K. Mason

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name is Elizabeth Mason  
mother's name Elizabeth Saunders her mother Nancy  
Saunders & her mother Betty's her Kenney by her last name

REMARKS.

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

Betty Saunders her first name her  
mother's name was (Ellison) Sansing  
but was raised by her Grandfather Ellison

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

(Signature)

Lula Mason

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

Geo W. Shill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1

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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

Sparkie Mason

and

Maggie Mason

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Lula Mason

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.

Ladwell Mason

Ladwell Mason

Geo W. Shill

Maggie Mason

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

My commission expires

Jan 1

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Geo W. Shill

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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*No.*

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RFD #3. Madisonville Tenn

June 18-88

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims

We would like to know if there  
is any money from the Eastern

Cherokee for applications no

30982 and 30984 - ~~30987~~

Please advise me at once

Respt

Lula Mason

No. 50983

Action: *As etid*

Name *Alfred Mason* and *1* children. Residence: *Madisonville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First Cousin once removed of 2/1/85*

*Case No. A*  
No. 30983

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Alford Grant*  
*child*

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

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
JUL 20 1907  
No.

30983

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Alford Mason  
Indian name: 11 Summers
2. Residence and post office: Bradentonville Route 3
3. County: Polk
4. State: Fla
5. How old are you? 29 Born 24 Sept 1877
6. Where were you born? Tellier River Tenn
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Margie Mason 24
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>Maria Mason</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>17 Feb 1905</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Leafayette Mason  
Indian name: 11 11  
Mother—English name: Elisabeth 11  
Indian name: 11 Summers  
Maiden name: 11 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: Bradentonville Route 3  
Mother: Tellier River Tenn

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

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

Mother: Sellieo River Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 11

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ellen</u>	<u>15 Oct 1845</u>	
(2)	<u>Kate</u>	<u>23 May 1850</u>	<u>14 June 1904</u>
(3)	<u>Zubari</u>	<u>7 March 1882</u>	
(4)	<u>Hora</u>	<u>26 Sept 1884</u>	
(5)	<u>Lula</u>	<u>9 Feb 1887</u>	
(6)	<u>Edward</u>	<u>29 June 1891</u>	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

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

Nancy Saunders  
Nancy Saunders

18. Where were they born? Sellieo River Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Sellieo River Tenn

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

- (1) Elizabeth Saunders
- (2) Calvinus
- (3) Berry
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_ Nancy Saunders
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_ 11
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_ 11

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name Elizabeth Mason  
Mason's name Elizabeth Munders her mother Nancy  
Munders her brother Bettsey her Henry Bettsey

REMARKS.

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

Munders her maiden name Ellison  
that is thus Ellison raised her she really  
was Munders

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

(Signature) Alford Mason

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

Geo W. Shell  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Larkin Mason  
and Lula Mason, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Alford Mason  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Larkin Mason  
Lula Mason

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W. Shell  
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. 30984

Action: *Refused*

Name *Elizabeth Mason* and *2* children. Residence: *Madisonville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of 21184*

No. 20914

Name Elizabeth Mason

With No. 21184

Remarks:

No. 30084

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

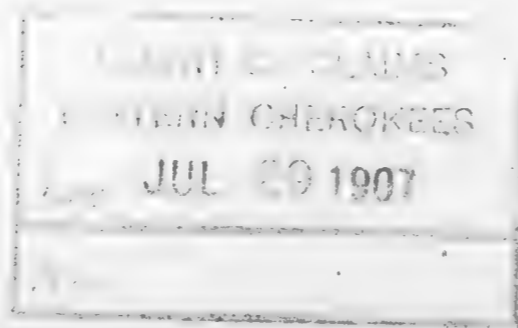
APPLICATION

OF

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Elizabeth Branson

Indian name: Ellison or Saunders

2. Residence and post office: Wichitownville Route 3 box 1011

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Miss

5. How old are you? 54 Born Feb 24 - 1850

6. Where were you born? on Allieo River Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: B L Branson 54

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Edward Branson</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>24 June 1891</u>
(2)	<u>Therese</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>13 Aug 1900</u>
(3)			
(4)			

(5) Sula is my girl & she is under age

(6) but has applied an application for herself which is all right

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

Father—English name: unknown

Indian name: 11

Mother—English name: Nancy Saunders

Indian name: 11

Maiden name: 11

12. Where were they born?

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

Mother: South Carolina

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

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

Mother: on Tellico River Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

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

Mother: died 7 Jan 1894

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

The Saunders & Elletts were  
near Tellico Plains Tenn N.C.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Columbus Saunders</u>	<u>h</u>	
(2)	<u>Barbara</u>	<u>11</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

\_\_\_\_\_ I can't give the given names  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Betsy Saunders  
\_\_\_\_\_ Betsy

18. Where were they born?

in Tenn

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

Tennessee

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

- (1) Martha she had 5 by Saunders
- (2) Nancy & 4 by Andrew McHenry
- (3) Jackson
- (4) Elley
- (5) Thomas
- (6) John
- Margaret
- Jessie
- Sarah

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Mother's name was Nancy Saunders & her brother Bettsey McKenny last ones first man was Saunders so she was

REMARKS.

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

Bettsey Saunders & she was an Ellison  
I think his given name was Thomas she was  
a dancing girl was raised by her grandfather  
Ellison

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

(Signature) Elizabeth Mason

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of July 1907.

Geo W. Skell

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Jackie Mason  
and Jennie Craig, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Mason  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and  
16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jackie Mason

Jennie Craig

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

Geo W. Skell

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.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Mother's name was Nancy Saunders & her brother Bettsey McHenry last man first man was Saunders so she was

REMARKS.

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

Bettsey Saunders & she was an Ellison I think his given name was Thomas she was a dancing girl was raised by her grandfather Ellison

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

(Signature) Elizabeth Mason

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

Scott L. Hill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Larkin Mason and Jennie Craig, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Mason who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Larkin Mason  
Jennie Craig

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Scott L. Hill

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. 30985

Name: *James J. Marion* and 1 children. Residence: *Peyor Creek, Okla.* Action: *Admit*  
Reasons:

*Son of #51. Claims through same source.*



No. 30985.

Name James L. Marion

With No. 51.

Remarks:

*rdn*

No. 30885

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James S. Marion 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.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 23 1907

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	John Franklin Marion	27 months	Oct 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1903
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

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

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1884

Mother: P.O. South West City Mo

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

and with what tribe of Indians: Mother on all Cherokee

Rolls, since birth, to present

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
half brother	(1) W <sup>m</sup> Henry Martin		P.O. South West City Mo
" sister	<del>Rebecca E. Jolley</del>		→ died about 1900
	(2) Rebecca E. Shoemaker nee Jolley		
full sister	Agnes E. Hallow nee Marion		P.O. Maricopa Ariz
" "	(3) Sarah Payton nee Marion		" " Echo S.T.
	Lenora Green nee Marion		" " Chapel S.T.
half B <sup>m</sup>	Jake Muskrat		South West City Mo
" "	Jane Muskrat	about 1890	died about 1890
	(5) 16670-10151		

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

See my mothers application No 57

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

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

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

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) See application

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: On all Cherokee Rolls.

from birth to present date.

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

See application of my Mother

REMARKS.

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

See Application

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

(Signature James S. Mason)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1<sup>st</sup>, 1908.

J. 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 J. C. Whitaker

and W. J. Whitaker, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James S. Mason

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 years and

3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses,

J. C. Whitaker  
W. J. Whitaker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1<sup>st</sup>, 1908.

J. S.  
Notary Public.

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No. 30986

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Gas Symore* and *7* children. Residence: *Beech, N.C.*

Reasons: *Symore Case*

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No. 30986-

Name Jas Rissman

With No. Dr John

Remarks :

*John*

No. 30586

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James Rice*

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

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CLAIMS  
AND DEEDS  
JUL 29 1907

30986



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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Sismore

Indian name: Cant say

2. Residence and post office: Beech

3. County: Buncombe

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 61 Born Oct. the 4<sup>th</sup> 1846

6. Where were you born? Tenn. Carter county

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sallie A. Henderson 47

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Barter Sismore</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>June 26 1882</u>
(2)	<u>Eqkiel</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>Sept. 18 1884</u>
(3)	<u>Elizabeth</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>January 15 1887</u>
(4)	<u>William</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>June 27 89</u>
(5)	<u>James Lee</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Sept. 16 1892</u>
(6)	<u>Ruth</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>June 2 1894</u>

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

Father—English name: John J. Sismore

Indian name: Cant say

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Sismore  
Reynolds before marriage

Indian name: Cant say

Maiden name: Elizabeth Reynolds

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina Greenville co.

Mother: North Carolina Buncombe

James Sismore & son  
 Beaufort N.C. July 18 1901  
 North Carolina  
 " " " 1898  
 " " " 1905

India

2. Resident

3. County

4. State

5. How old

6. Where

7. Are you

8. Name a

9. To what

10. Name a

(1)	Jennings	Lisemore	8 born	April the 7	1898		
(2)	Beall	"	" 6 "	July 18	1901		
(3)	Dexter	"	" 18 months	born	December 19	1905	

11. Give na

Fath

Moth

12. Where

Fath

Moth

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

Father: Carter county Tenn.

Mother: Carter county " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: December the 24 1903

Mother: October 1856

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

and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Thomas Sizemore</u>		
	<u>Sallie</u>		
(2)	<u>Martha " "</u>	<u>Martha</u>	<u>Dead</u>
	<u>Alfred " "</u>		" "
(3)	<u>Nathaniel " "</u>		
	<u>Wiley " "</u>		
(4)	<u>cannot give ages</u>		
	<u>nor date of birth</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

Jesse Sizemore

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Sockey Torrey

18. Where were they born? South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North West

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

- (1) Ephraim Sizemore
- (2) Alfred
- (3) Edward
- (4) William
- (5) all dead all of South Carolina
- (6) Greenville co

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: cannot give Indian name  
my Grandfather died when I was a very small child  
at the age of ~~11~~ 115 years

REMARKS.

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

I can only state under this heading that it is generally known that  
we have Indian blood in us my father was known as the "old  
Indian Doctor" my great Grandfather had a wife who was Indian  
so my father always told me

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

(Signature)

James Sismore

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

W. H. Bradley

My commission expires

Notary Public.

Justice of the Peace

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me L. G. Hodges

and W. L. Bradley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James Sismore

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and

30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. G. Hodges

W. L. Bradley

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

My commission expires

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W. H. Bradley

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.

*Dr. J. W. ...*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 16 1907  
No. 30986

*circ. let.*

NOV 19 1907

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Beck M.C.

November 13 1904

Dear Sir

Special Commission. I have  
been reading a notice in  
my edition of the No. 1000.

I did not receive the notice  
received in my edition until  
yesterday. I am sorry  
your edition is so late.

Yours  
Sincerely  
John S. ...

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 22 1909  
No. 30986

*enc. let.*

JAN 22 1909

*Single*

~~Dear Sir~~  
1847

I am sorry to hear  
of your illness & hope  
it will be of short duration  
I am, Sir, your obedient  
servant  
To the matter you  
respectfully  
Yours  
B. C.



No. 30987

Action: Reject

Name Isiah Kelley and 4 children. Residence: Drousbury, Tenn.

Reasons:

First Cousin twice removed of #18130 and claims through the same source.

No. 30987 to 30997

Name James Kelley

With No. 18130

Remarks:

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

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

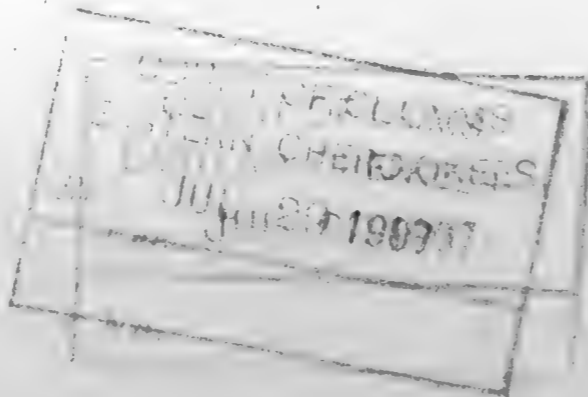
APPLICATION

OF

*Isiah Kelley &*

*four 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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20987

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Isaiah Kelley

Indian name: Elliot

2. Residence and post office: Dransburg

3. County: Morroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 52 Born Aug 1, 1853

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Serene Kelley 47

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE.	BORN.
✓ (1)	<u>Elliot Kelley</u>	<u>25</u>	
(2)	<u>Erata</u>		
(3)	<u>Wallie</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Jan. 15, 1890</u>
(4)	<u>Gillie</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Sept. 9, 1893</u>
(5)	<u>Charles</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>April 10, 1895</u>
(6)	<u>Eddie</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Mar. 3, 1900</u>

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

Father—English name: Erroy Kelley

Indian name: '' ''

Mother—English name: Lettie

Indian name: '' Elliott

Maiden name: '' ''

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn

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

Father: Tenn.

Mother: ''''

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Dead April 12, 1904

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
1	(1) <u>Karena Kelley</u>	<u>Feb 21 1848</u>	
4	<u>Wm R</u>	<u>April 15 1871</u>	
	(2) _____		
	(3) <u>Rosana</u>	<u>Nov 30 1852</u>	
	(4) <u>Armintha</u>	<u>Feb 23 1859</u>	
4	(5) <u>Lidiana</u>	<u>May 20 1858</u>	
	(6) _____		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Johathan Kelley</u>	<u>John Elliott</u>
<u>''''</u>	<u>''''</u>
<u>Pollie</u>	<u>Nancy</u>
<u>''''</u>	<u>''''</u>
<u>Elliott</u>	<u>''''</u>

18. Where were they born? Tenn.

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

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

1873	(1) <u>Nancy Elliott</u>	<u>Corinda</u>	<u>''</u>
	(2) <u>Minnie</u>	<u>Charlotte</u>	<u>''</u>
1872	(3) <u>Belle</u>	<u>Jamus</u>	<u>''</u>
	(4) <u>Columbus</u>	<u>Eva</u>	<u>''</u>
1871	(5) <u>Lida</u>	<u>Sara</u>	<u>''</u>
	(6) <u>Pollie</u>	<u>Margaret</u>	<u>''</u>
		<u>Thomas</u>	<u>''</u>
		<u>Lennie</u>	<u>''</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Michigan

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Lettie Kelley her maiden name Lettie Elliott. Father's name John Elliott his Father's name John Elliott who married a daughter

REMARKS.

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

a daughter of Pearson B. Bennett who married a daughter of Pearson B. Mansfield (Pearson B. Elliott is my mother's uncle)

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

(Signature) Isiah Kelley

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

Scott Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Wm R Kelley

and W.A. Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Isiah Kelley

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 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.

Wm R Kelley  
W.A. Jones

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

My commission expires

June 1, 1908. Scott Isbill

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.

P.S. Dear Sir please send  
all mail concerning this to  
my Brother Mr. B. Kelly.  
Kromsberg Tenn  
and he will let me know  
when you write him  
O. Lige I. Heath Kelly

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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Traneburg Tenn

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MS Court of Claims

Washington DC

Dear Sir

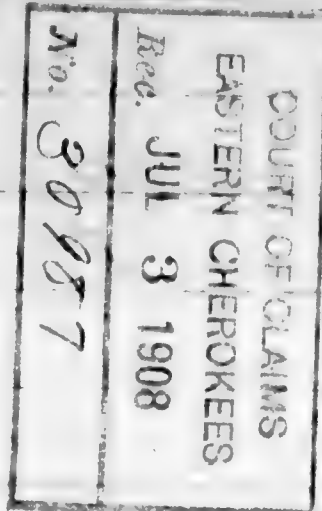
I write you concerning my being notified to meet the Inspector at Madisonville Tennessee but the notification didnt reach me in time for me to get there in fact the date was from 27am it came to me from 21. There as all of the Kelley ~~men~~ <sup>men</sup> that hasnt been notified see my self if so we have ~~just~~ <sup>just</sup> to get the notes and the U. S. Army connection hasnt had any notes so you please give us all some instructions what to do for we can make more proof if necessary <sup>plus</sup> ~~to~~ <sup>to</sup> Kelley



P.S. Dear Sir please send  
all mail concerning this to  
my Brother Mr. B. Kelley.

Krossburg Tenn  
and he will let me know  
when you write him

Oblige Michl Kelley



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. AUG 13 1908  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

18130  
No 30987 - ~~3098~~

State of Tenn Howard County

Personally appeared before me  
G. W. Sobell a Notary Public for said  
County and State Josiah Kelley who  
being duly sworn according to Law  
states as follows that he has an application  
before the Court of Claims of the Eastern  
District at Washington D. C. No 30987  
and that he received a notice to meet  
The Examiner at Nashville Tenn  
June the 10th to make Proof Relative  
to the claims states that he never got  
his notice in time to reach  
the place that he never got his notice till  
after the time had past he asks that  
the following proof be taken in his  
case, He states as follows that his  
mother was E. the Kelly mardens name  
Eletta Elliott & her Father was John  
Elliott John Elliotts Brothers were  
Thomas Elliott James Elliott and Pearson B  
Elliott, & his sisters before married were  
Gerrison and Nancy Elliott  
and his Mother was John Elliott & had  
a Brother and that his Mother  
was a Brassmilt who was a 1st cousin to  
Pearson, B, Mayfield he states that his  
understanding was that John Mayfield  
was enrolled John Mayfield & Pearson Mayfield  
were first cousins to Gilbert Gilmore &  
and he further states  
that his Great Uncle Pearson B Elliott  
to his information went west &  
drew his money he further states  
that Nancy Riggs wife of James Elliott  
who is dead their children represented by  
Miss A. Lang the name of one of the children was Nancy J  
Riggs, The Elliotts principally lived in Tenn  
in 1834 & in 1851, he states that he is  
taken as white some ever in bondage that in  
1834 & 1851 were here with the tribe  
as he was informed This Aug 10 - 1908  
Josiah Kelley

and subscribed before me  
this Aug 10 - 1908

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 13 1908  
No.

No 30996

State of Tennessee County

July 10 - 1908 Personally appeared before me Geo W Isbill A Notary Public for said County Wm A Hampton who states that he has a claim in before the U.S Court of Claims for his children No 30996, that his wife is dead, He states that he received a notice to meet the examiners at Madisonville Tenn on June the 25<sup>th</sup> 1908, that he never got the notice until too late to meet the examiners and as he does not know much about his wife relationship, asks that his claim be considered with the application of Isiah Kelley No 30987 that his wife Isiah Kelley was brother or sister that his present address is Parkville Tenn, Wm A Hampton

Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
July 10 - 1908  
Geo W Isbill  
A Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 13 1908

No.

NO 90987

State of Texas personally appeared  
Provine County) before me G. W. Isbill  
a Notary Public, <sup>for Provine County</sup> B. F. Payne who  
being duly sworn states as follows  
as to Isiah Kelley & his Mother & her  
People will say that I am well  
known to them & I have known  
his Mother ever since she was a little  
girl she was Lettie Elliott before she  
was married and her Father was John  
Elliott John Elliott & his people  
were all taken & known as Cherokees  
who came into this country many years  
ago John Mankin Bird said he was  
a second cousin of Rarse Elliott who was  
a son of John Elliott, he further states  
that he has seen the Elliotts Mankin's Crows  
& the Mankin's Birds <sup>& that they</sup> would often  
meet & hold consultations as what is  
well known as the all the above mentioned  
that he states he has met ~~them~~ with them  
on many occasions himself, he further  
states that the Elliotts in 1851 & before  
that time lived near Tellioplain, Tex  
visited the Hawks & all the above mentioned Cherokees  
& Mankin's to be of that race he states that he is  
78 years old. his Po address

B. F. Payne

Tellioplain, Texas

Sworn to and subscribed before me on  
this August 10 - 1908

Geo W Skill  
A Notary Public



No. 30988

Action: Reject

Name Wm. R. Kelley and 4 children. Residence: Ironsburg, Tenn.

Reasons:

First cousin twice removed <sup>of #18130</sup> and claims through  
the same source.

No. 30988

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

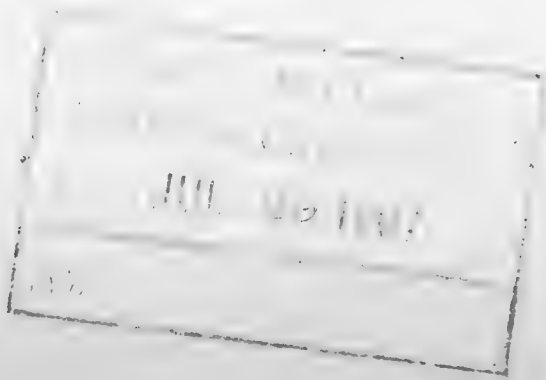
APPLICATION

OF

*Wm P. Kelley &  
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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30988

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William R. Kelley

Indian name: " " Elliott

2. Residence and post office: A Grovesburg

3. County: Sumner

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 35 Born 15 April 1872

6. Where were you born? Coker Creek Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Fannie Kelley 34

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Fannie Kelley	7	28 Sept 1899
(2)	Robert "	6	9 Jan 1901
(3)	Rosa "	4	10 Nov 1903
(4)	Sara "	2	17 March 1905
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Deroy Kelley

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Bettie "

Indian name: " Elliott

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Warren County Tenn

Mother: McMinn County Tenn  
Overton "

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

Father: McMinn County Tenn  
Mother: 11 " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living  
Mother: died 18 April 1904

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Rosanna Kelly	Nov 30 - 1852	
(2)	Isiah "	Aug 1 - 1855	
(3)	Madama "	May 20 - 1858	
(4)	Arminata "	Feb 23 - 1859	
(5)	Marthula "	dead Sept 11 - 1861	
	Brenda "	Feb 21 - 1868	
(6)	Eli "	June 26 - 1864	
	Gilbert "	dead June 28 - 1866 (Oct 24 - 1866)	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
Johnathan Kelly	"	John Elliott	"
"	"	"	"
Palley	"	Nancy	"
"	Elliott	"	"

18. Where were they born? John Elliott in Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? McMinn County Tenn

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

(1)	Nancy A Elliott	Sevensville
(2)	Miriam "	Clementine
(3)	Zettie "	Yucca
(4)	Columbus "	Eva
(5)	Leiza "	Samuel
(6)	Palley "	Margaret
		Thomas
		Lena

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: the Elliotts were

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

REMARKS.

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

My mother's name Lettie Kelley maiden name Lettie Elliott  
& her father's name John Elliott his father John Elliott  
& his mother the married daughter Pearson B. Brumett &  
her married daughter of Pearson B. Mayfield

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. (Pearson B. Elliott is my mother's uncle)

(Signature) Wm R. Kelley

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

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Robert W Webb

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

that they are well acquainted with Wm R Kelley

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Robert W Webb

Gessa Kelley

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908, Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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18130

Uraniberg, Tenn.  
3/17/59  
Atty. Gen. Court  
Washington

Sir please take some  
notice of the  
application No. 30988  
if you have any  
objections to the same  
please let me know  
in time to make a  
reply and if not  
I will let you know  
in due season  
Very truly  
yours  
Wm. R. Kelly

No. 30989.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Armintha Webb* and *4* children. Residence: *Older Creek, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First cousin twice removed of # 18130 and claims through the same source.*



1st Cousin  
James Webb

No. 30989

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

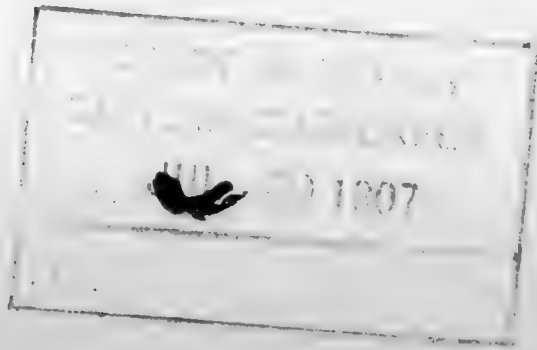
APPLICATION

OF

Armissa Webb &  
1/2 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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30989

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Arzzzzzzzz Webb.

Indian name: Elliot

2. Residence and post office: Coker Creek

3. County: Sevier

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 47 Born 23 Feb 1860

6. Where were you born? McMinn County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert Webb 46

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Rosha R Webb</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>30 July 1889</u>
(2)	<u>Arzzzzzzzz</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>25 April 1894</u>
(3)	<u>Robert</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>26 July 1899</u>
(4)	<u>Bettie</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>12 Dec 1901</u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

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

Father—English name: Sevier Kelley

Indian name: Elliot

Mother—English name: Bettie

Indian name: Elliot

Maiden name: Elliot

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn

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

Father: McBrides County Tenn

Mother: '' '' ''

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 15 April 1804

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

and with what tribe of Indians: Pearce Elliott drew his part

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Rosanna Kelley</u>		
(2) <u>Isaiah</u> <u>''</u>		
(3) <u>William</u>		
(4) <u>Martha</u> <u>'' dead</u>		
(5) <u>Elijah</u> <u>'' dead</u>		
<u>8 Pearce J</u> <u>'' dead</u>		
(6) <u>Sarrese</u> <u>''</u>		
<u>7 William R</u> <u>''</u>		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Johannathan Kelley</u>	<u>John Elliott</u>
<u>''</u>	<u>''</u>
<u>Polly</u>	<u>Nancy</u>
<u>'' Elliott</u>	<u>''</u>

18. Where were they born? Tenn

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

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

(1) <u>Leitia</u>	<u>Monday</u>
(2) <u>Anna</u>	<u>Clementine</u>
(3) <u>Liza</u>	<u>Eva</u>
(4) <u>Nancy A</u>	<u>James</u>
(5) <u>Bettie</u>	<u>Samuel</u>
(6) <u>Polly</u>	<u>Thos</u>
<u>Columbus</u>	<u>William dead</u>
	<u>Isabella dead</u>
	<u>Margarett</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: you will find the Elliotts on roll

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name was Lettie Kelley maiden name Lettie Elliott her father John Elliott her father name John Elliott

REMARKS.

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

who married a daughter of Pearson B Brummett who married a daughter of Pearson B Mayfield Pearson B Elliott is my mother's uncle

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

(Signature) Armintha Webb

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

Scott Edill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Wm R Kelley  
and Genea Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Armintha Webb who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Wm R Kelley  
Genea Kelley

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Scott Edill

Notary Public.

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No. 30990

Action: Reject

Name Ellen Tate

and 2 children.

Residence: Cobler Creek Tenn.

Reasons:

Second cousin once removed of # 18130 and claims through the same source.

30990

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*Three copies*  
301990

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

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ellen Tate &*  
*2 children*

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
JUL 29 1907

30970

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ellen Tate

Indian name: Ellott

2. Residence and post office: Coker Creek

3. County: Murray

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 25 Born 1882

6. Where were you born? Coker Creek Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Isaac Tate Oct 1-1875

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lessie Tate</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>May 10 - 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Ester</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>April 13 - 1903</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Isaiah Kelley

Indian name: Ellott

Mother—English name: Serena Kelley

Indian name: Ellott

Maiden name: Kelley

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Coker Creek Tenn

Mother: 11

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

Father:     

Mother:     

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother:     

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lucenia Kelley	1884	
	Willie " "	1890	
(2)	Lily " "	1899	
	Chester " "	1890	
(3)	Eddie " "	1900	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Leroy Kelley	Lettie Kelley
	Elliott

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

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

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

✓ (1)	Anna Kelley	
✓ (2)	Lain " "	
✓ (3)	Didana " "	
✓ (4)	Araminta	
✓ (5)	Wena	
✓ (6)	Wm K " "	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father's name is

Israh Kelley his mother name Lettie Kelly, maiden name Elliott, her father's name John Elliott &

REMARKS.

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

my father's name John Elliott who married a daughter of Person B Brummet who married a daughter of Person C. Elliott was my Grandmother's uncle

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

(Signature) Ellen Tate

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Geo W Sobel  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me William A Jones

and Wm H Kelly, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ellen Tate

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and

25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William A Jones  
Wm H Kelly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Sobel

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. 30991

Action:

Reject

Name

Ollie West

and

1

children.

Residence:

Coler Creek, Tenn.

Reasons:

Second cousin once removed of # 18130 and claims  
through the same source.

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No. 30991

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

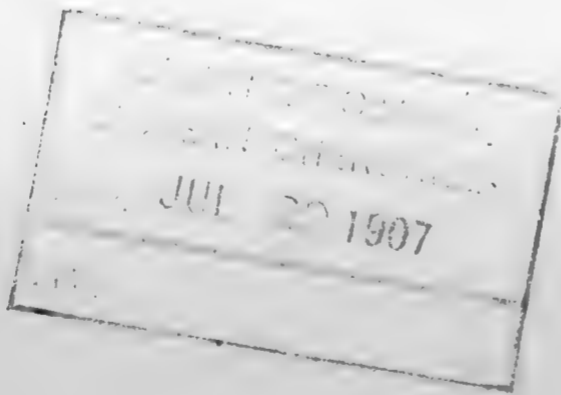
APPLICATION

OF

*Allie West &  
1 child*

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

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30991

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ollie West

Indian name: " Elliott

2. Residence and post office: Baker Creek

3. County: Nowata

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 18<sup>21</sup> 5/6 Born 28 March 1886

6. Where were you born? Baker Creek Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sumner West 24

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary West</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3 Nov - 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Ethel</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Robert Weble

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Annistha Weble

Indian name: " Elliott

Maiden name: " Kelley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tallico Plains Tenn

Mother: McMinn's Community Tenn

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

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

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

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 11

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

(Pearce Elliott)

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Julie Wible</u>	<u>1884</u>	
(2)	<u>Rosha "</u>	<u>1889</u>	
(3)	<u>Robert "</u>	<u>1899</u>	
(4)	<u>Anna "</u>	<u>1895</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
<u>Surke Wible</u>		<u>Levey Kelley</u>	
<u>" "</u>		<u>" "</u>	
<u>Magaline "</u>		<u>Settie "</u>	
<u>" "</u>		<u>" Elliott</u>	

18. Where were they born? Tenn

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

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

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Arminita Webb  
Wife's name Arminita Kelley her Mother Lettie Kelley  
Mother's name Lettie Elliott her father's

REMARKS.

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

name John Elliot his father name John Elliott  
who married a daughter of Pearson B. Bennett  
who married a daughter of Pearson B. Mayfield  
(Pearson B. Elliott is my mother's uncle)

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

(Signature) Ollie West

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1907.

G. W. Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 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 Wm B Kelley

and Gene Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ollie West

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.

Wm B Kelley  
Gene Kelley

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

My commission expires

June 1, 1908 G. W. Isbill

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. 30992

Action: Reject

Name

Julie West

and

2

children.

Residence:

Colser Creek, Tenn.

Reasons:

Second cousin once removed of # 18130 and  
claims through the same source.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Julie West &  
2 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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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Julie West

Indian name: " Elliott

2. Residence and post office: Baker Creek

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 23

Born 24 Feb 1884

6. Where were you born? Baker Creek Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jess West 24

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Gertie West</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>28 Feb 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Ether "</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2 July 1904</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Robert Webb

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Ann Martha "

Indian name: " Elliott

Maiden name: " Kelley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Telliplains Tenn

Mother: McCormick County Tenn

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

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

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

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Living*

Mother: *"*

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Allie Webb</i>	<i>1886</i>	
(2)	<i>Rosanna "</i>	<i>1889</i>	
(3)	<i>Robert "</i>	<i>1899</i>	
(4)	<i>Leattie "</i>	<i>1901</i>	
(5)	<i>Anna "</i>	<i>1895</i>	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

<i>Sanke Webb</i>	<i>Henry Kelley</i>
<i>" "</i>	<i>" "</i>
<i>Amjalini "</i>	<i>Leattie "</i>
<i>" "</i>	<i>" Elliott</i>

18. Where were they born?

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

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

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

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

where, and with what tribe of Indians: My mother's name Armintha Webb  
Maiden name Armintha Kelley her mother Lettie Kelley

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

Elliott her father's name John Elliott his  
father's name John Elliott who married a

REMARKS.

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

daughter of Pearson B. Bennett who married  
daughter of Pearson B. Mayfield  
(Pearson B. Elliott is my Mother's Uncle)

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

(Signature) Julia West

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1907.

Geo W Skill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 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 Wm R Kelley

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

that they are well acquainted with Julia West

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.

Wm R Kelley

Lena Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1908. Geo W Skill

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. 30993.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Anna Kelley* and *X* children. Residence: *Ironsburg Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First cousin twice removed of # 18130 and claims through the same source.*

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

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Anna Kelley*

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

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Anna Kelley

Indian name: Ellie Elliott

2. Residence and post office: Louisburg

3. County: Morgan

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 35 Born 30 Nov 1852

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? No

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Serry Kelley

Indian name: Ellie Elliott

Mother—English name: Lettie

Indian name: Ellie Elliott

Maiden name: Ellie Elliott

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn

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

Father: Tenn

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: April 18 - 1904

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

and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Cerra Kelly	Feb 21 - 1868	
	Maria	April 15 - 1871	
(2)	Isiah	Aug 1 - 1855	
(3)	Udama	May 20 - 1858	
(4)	Annita	Feb 23 - 1859	
(5)	Marthula	dead Sept 11 - 1861	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
Johnathan Kelly	11	John Elliott	11
11	11	11	11
Polley	11	Nancy	11
11	Elliott	11	11

18. Where were they born? Tenn

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

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

(1)	Maria Elliott	Lansinda	11
(2)	Maria	Clementine	11
(3)	Bettie	James	11
(4)	Columbus	Eva	11
(5)	Lina	John	11
(6)	Polley	Margaret	11
		11	
		11	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name Lettie Kelley  
mother's name Lettie Elliott her father John Elliott  
her father John Elliott who married a

REMARKS.

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

Daughter of Pearson B Brummett who married  
Daughter of Pearson B Mayfield  
Pearson B Elliott is my mother's uncle

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

(Signature) Anna Kelley

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

Geoff Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Robert W Webb

and Fannie Kelly, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Anna Kelley

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 years and 22 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.

Robert W Webb  
Fannie Kelly

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

My commission expires

June 1, 1908 Geoff Isbill  
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. 30994.

Action: *Reject*.

Name *Didanna Kelley* and *X* children. Residence: *Ironsburg, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First Cousin twice removed of #18130 and  
claims through the same source.*

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No. 30994

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

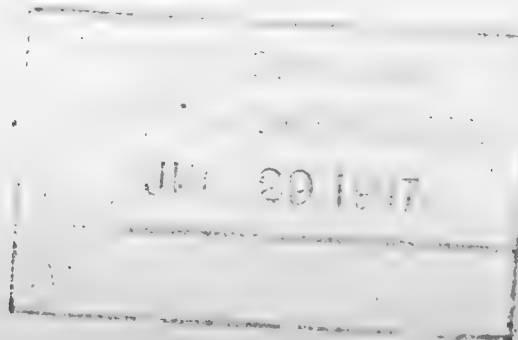
APPLICATION

OF

*Widama Kelley*

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

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30994

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Widama Kelly

Indian name: " Elliott

2. Residence and post office: Iron, Burg

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 47 Born 20 May 1858

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? no

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Lerry Kelly

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Lethie "

Indian name: " Elliott

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: " "

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

Father: Terrell

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 18 April 1904

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: don't know

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Leona Kelley	21 Feb 1868	
	Miss R	15 April 1871	
(2)	Rosanna	30 Nov 1852	
(3)	Leiah	1 Aug 1853	
(4)	Armintha	23 Feb 1839	
(5)	Harthula	11 Sept 1861	
(6)	Gilbert	28 June 1856	Oct 18 66
	Elia	dead 29 June 1855	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
Johnathan	Kelley	John	Elliott
11	11	11	11
Palley	11	Nancy	11
11	Elliott	11	11

18. Where were they born? Terrell

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

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

(1)	Nancy A Elliott	Sansinda	11
(2)	Isma	Clennantine	11
(3)	Bettie	James	11
(4)	Columbus	Eva	11
(5)	Liza	Sam	11
(6)	Palley	Margaret	11
		Thomas	11
		Levie	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: with Kuman

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mastus & Miss Lettie Kelley  
maiden name Lettie Elliott nee father John Elliott & his  
father John Elliott who married a daughter of

REMARKS.

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

Pearson B Brummett who married a  
daughter of Pearson B Mayfield  
Pearson B Elliott is my mother's uncle

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

(Signature) Lidama Kelley

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

Geo W Hill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Robert W Webb

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

that they are well acquainted with Lidama Kelley

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Robert W Webb

Fannie Kelley

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W Hill  
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. 30995

Action: Reject

Name Bena Kelley and X children. Residence: Ironsburg, Ohio

Reasons:

First cousin twice removed of # 18130 and claims through the same source.

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*W. Cousin*  
*Miss ...*

No. 30995

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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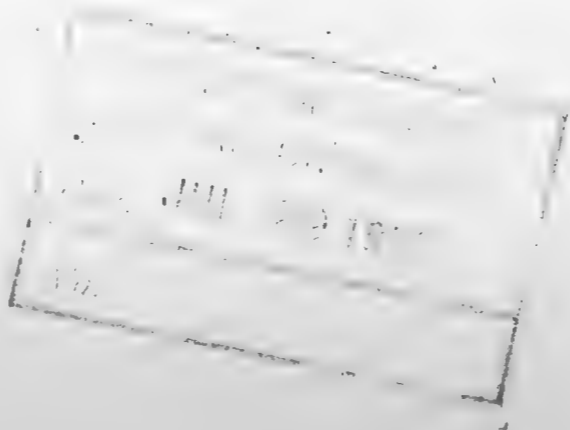
APPLICATION

OF

*Lena Kelley*

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

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30995

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Cessa Kelley

Indian name: " Elliott

2. Residence and post office: Irons Burg

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 39 Born 21 - Feb - 1868

6. Where were you born? Greene County Melvin County Tenn

7. Are you married? No

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Leroy Kelley

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Leattie

Indian name: " Elliott

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn



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

Father: Terron

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 18 April 1904

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Rosanna Kelley	30 Nov 1852	
	Min R	11	15 April 1871
(2)	Isiah	11	1 Aug 1883
(3)	Lidama	11	20 May 1858
(4)	Armenta	11	29 Feb 1839
(5)	Marthula	11	11 Sept 1861
	Gilbert	dead	28 June 1866 - Oct 24 - 1866
(6)	<del>Ferron</del>	11	
	Elia	11	dead 26 June 1864 - Aug 14 - 1895

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

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
Johannathan Kelley		John Elliott	
11	11	11	11
Palley	11	Nancy	11
11	Elliott	11	11

18. Where were they born? Terron

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

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

- (1) Nancy A. Elliott
- (2) Mona 11
- (3) Bethie 11
- (4) Columbus 11
- (5) Liza 11
- (6) Palley 11
- Spasinda 11
- Clementine 11
- Janus 11
- Eva 11
- Samuel 11
- Margaret 11
- Spas 11
- Blasie 11

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Sioux

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name was Lettie Kelley mother's name Lettie Elliott & her father's name John Elliott & his father was John Elliott who

REMARKS.

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

married a daughter of Pearson B. Brummett who married a daughter of Pearson B. Mayfield (Pearson B. Elliott) is my mother's uncle)

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

(Signature) Gena Kelley

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

Scott Esbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Robert W. Webb  
and Fannie Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Gena Kelley who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Robert W. Webb  
Fannie Kelley

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Scott Esbill  
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. 30996.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Wm. A. Hampton* and *4* children. Residence: *Trumburg, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Second Cousin, once removed of #18130 and  
claims through the same source.*

30996

*2d Comm*

*Case No. 1*

No. 30996

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William Hampton  
& children*

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 22 1907

*30996*

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William A Hampton

Indian name: I place this in for my children as their mother is dead

2. Residence and post office: Tronsburg

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 47

Born 1859

6. Where were you born? Tennessee

7. Are you married? Wife dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Parthula Hampton

maiden name Kelly Cherokee

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>Helena Hampton</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Oct 7 1888</u>
(2)	<u>Eiley Hampton</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>April 15, 1890</u>
(3)	<u>John " "</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Jan 22 1893</u>
(4)	<u>Martha " "</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>June 13 1897</u>
(5)			
(6)			

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

These are the children father + mother

Father—English name: William A Hampton

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Parthula

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: " "

Elliot  
Kelly

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: " "

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

Father: Not living (not born)  
 Mother:     '    '    '

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: I am living  
 Mother: Died August 7 1900

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>This application is for their mothers</u>		
(2)	<u>children as previously stated (see their</u>		
(3)	<u>Uncles application William R Kelly)</u>		
	<u>Write which this application is enclosed.</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? .....

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

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

- (1) .....
- (2) .....
- (3) .....
- (4) .....
- (5) .....
- (6) .....

See application as above stated

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

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

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
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- (1) See application in their mother's
- (2) children as previously stated (see their
- (3) uncles application William R. Kelly)
- (3) omit which their application is enclosed.

- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

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

18. Where were they born?

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

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

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

*See application as above stated*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

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

The children mother's name is Parthula Hampton maiden name Parthula Kelly and her mother name Lettie Kelly maiden name Lettie Elliott her father's name J. H. Elliott who married a daughter

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

of Pearson B. Burnett who married a daughter of Pearson B. Masfield. Pearson B. Elliott is my Mother's Uncle

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

(Signature) William A. Hampton

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

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. H. Kelly and W. A. Jones and W. A. Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William A. Hampton who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Kelly  
W. A. Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

July 1, 1908

Geo W Isbill

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.



CHERRYBEE.  
JUL 8 1908

30996.

Parkeville

Tenn.

July the 4<sup>th</sup> 1908

Mr. Guion Miller,  
Special Commissioner, of the  
Court of Claims,  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment  
601 Curran Building,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Your Notice to me  
in regard to my Application  
which is No. 30996 did not  
reach me till after the days  
you mention as I am now  
located 5 miles from  
Parkeville, Tenn. But did

2<sup>nd</sup>

not so that you will  
please tell you such good  
so I wish you to give  
me some instructions  
in regard to what and I  
will have all opportunity  
gain, also as to what  
proof will be needed for  
my application, my applicat.  
is for my father  
and his mother was a  
Kelley and his mother  
was a Elliot and if other  
whilst from that she  
was in that will be

3<sup>rd</sup>

nothing for me to make  
any thing only that my  
wife was a descendant of  
her and that my children  
to be descendants  
going to bear from  
you 2000  
I have my own  
alliance. Pennsylvania

No. 30997

Action: Reject

Name Mueretia Witt and X children.

Residence: Colser Creek, Penn.

Reasons:

Second Cousin once removed of #18130 and claims through the same source.

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*J. L. Cousin*

*Attorney at Law*

No. 30997

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

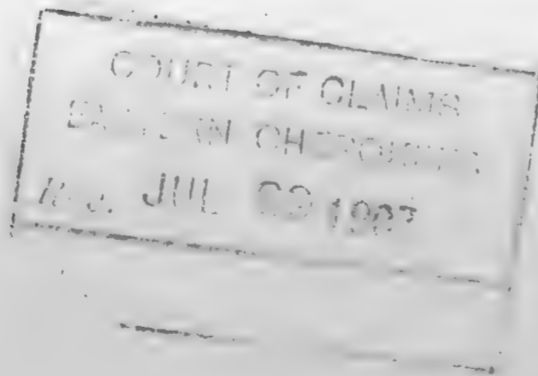
APPLICATION

OF

*Lucretia Witt*

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

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30997

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lucretia Witt

Indian name: Ellison

2. Residence and post office: Baker Creek

3. County: Wilson

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 25 Born 1884

6. Where were you born? Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wm. H. Witt age 28

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

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

*No children*

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

Father—English name: Isiah Kelley

Indian name: Ellison

Mother—English name: Serena Kelley

Indian name: " Ellison

Maiden name: Brammer "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Tennessee

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

Father: Not born

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

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

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

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

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ellen Kelley	1882	
	Willie " "	1890	
(2)	Lily " "	1899	
	Chester " "	1896	
(3)	Eddie " "	1900	
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

FATHER'S SIDE.  
Leroy Kelley

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Lettie Kelley  
Elliott

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

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

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

- (1) Anna Kelley
  - (2) Isiah " "
  - (3) Piedmont " "
  - (4) Maryanna " "
  - (5) Anna " "
  - (6) Wm R. Kelley
- Tennessee



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father's name is Isaac

Kelley his mother's name is Lettie Kelley maiden name  
Lettie Elliott her father John Elliott & his father  
John Elliott who REMARIED a daughter of  
Peardon B. Primm who married a daughter  
of Peardon B. Mayfield  
(Peardon B. Elliott was my Grandmother's uncle)

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

(Signature) Lucretia Kelly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 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 Wm R Kelley  
and William A Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lucretia Kelley  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William R Kelley  
William A Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Isbill  
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. 30998.

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Edmar Bateman* and *4* children. Residence: *Stuy, Texas.*

Reasons: *Edmar*

*John Hatcher Case.*

30998

No. 30998.

Action: Reject.

Name: Demar Bateman and 4 children. Residence: Stuy, Texas.

Reasons:

John Hatcher case.

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No. 30998

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Henry Bateman*

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

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 20 1907

30998

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Wanda Ballman

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

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: Waynes

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 29 Born: Jan 10, 1878

6. Where were you born? Chicago, Illinois

7. Are you married? No

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Wanda Ballman

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

Mother—English name: Wanda Ballman

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

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

12. Where were they born?

Father: Chicago, Illinois

Mother: Chicago, Illinois

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

Father: Sumner's Cove, Tennessee

Mother: Sumner's Cove, Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

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

Mother: June 21, 1905

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Bateman</u>	<u>Nov 1, 1870</u>	
	<u>Carrie Bateman</u>	<u>Oct 22, 1872</u>	
#3 1879 (2)	<u>Lillian Bateman</u>	<u>June 29, 1874</u>	
	<u>Linnie Bateman</u>	<u>Oct 29, 1876</u>	
(3)	<u>Henry Bateman</u>	<u>Jan 10, 1878</u>	
	<u>Frederic Bateman</u>	<u>Dec 28, 1880</u>	
(4)	<u>John Bateman</u>	<u>31, 1882</u>	
	<u>John Bateman</u>	<u>31, 1882</u>	
(5)	_____		
(6)	_____		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Alfred Bateman</u>	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

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

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

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

(1)	<u>William Paul Bateman</u>	<u>Wardlaw Curtis</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Ann Bateman</u>	<u>James W. Curtis</u>
(3)	<u>Johnnie Bateman</u>	<u>Rebecca Luquixie Curtis</u>
(4)	<u>Rebecca Bateman</u>	<u>James Abraham Curtis</u>
(5)	<u>Henry Bateman</u>	<u>Eli Thomas Curtis</u>
(6)	_____	_____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John as Jack  
Elizabeth daughter of John as Jack  
Rebecca Harrison daughter of Elizabeth  
Curtis her Benjamin

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature) Idemar Bateman

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

D. C. Kennedy  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909.

Saint 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 C. B. Butler  
and Mrs J. A. Henderson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Idemar Bateman who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 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.

C. B. Butler

J. A. Henderson

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

My commission expires

June, 1909.

D. C. Kennedy  
Notary Public.  
Saint County Texas

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.



30998.

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**APPLICATION**  
**Power of Attorney and**  
**Contract**

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For *Idear Bateman*

*Stuy*

*Texas*

*Kaufman Co.*

*P.O. No. #1 - Box 23*

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**FILED BY**  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**  
**CLAIM AGENT,**  
**KONAWA, I. T.**

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DEPT. OF COMMERCE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 25 1907

# Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Grant

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Denar Bateman  
for the county of Henderson state of IT do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Styrt, Klaufman, IT

D. B. Butler Denar Bateman  
Signature.  
J. A. Henderson  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Texas County of Grant Be it known on the 20 day of July 1907  
personally appeared Denar Bateman, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be my free act and deed, and that I has not  
paid my attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1 1909 L. S. D. C. Kennedy  
notary Public Grant County Texas

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907.

My commission expires March 17th, 1908.  
Notary Public

No. 30999.

Action: *reject*

Name *Leighton Boteman* and *2* children. Residence: *Stuy, Texas.*

Reasons:

*John Hatcher case.*

30999

No. 30999-9

Name *L. L. ...*

With No. 110998

Remarks:

No. 30000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Leighton Bateman*

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

FILED BY

ANDREW E. CAGLE,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

KONAWA, - IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lighton Bateman

Indian name: ~~Lighton~~

2. Residence and post office: Stuy

3. County: Harrison

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 33 Born June 29<sup>th</sup> 1874

6. Where were you born? Harrison County, Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or ~~husband~~ Nancy Salina, Adaline, Bateman (age 30 years)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>Thomas Austin Bateman</u>	<u>Feb 19, 1897</u>	<u>age 10 years</u>
(2)	<u>Better Saulter Bateman</u>	<u>Feb 29, 1904</u>	<u>" 3 "</u>
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

Father—English name: William Taylor Bateman

Indian name: .....

Mother—English name: Rebecca Louisa Bateman

Indian name: .....

Maiden name: Carlis

12. Where were they born?

Father: .....

Mother: .....

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

Father: Amherst county Tenn

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

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: June 21<sup>st</sup> 1905

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

and with what tribe of Indians: no

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Amos Esten</u>	<u>Nov 1. 1870</u>	
	<u>Edna Hobbs</u>	<u>Nov 22. 1872</u>	
(2)	<u>Walter Bateman</u>	<u>June 29. 1874</u>	
	<u>Levin Corda</u>	<u>Nov 27. 1876</u>	
(3)	<u>James Bateman</u>	<u>Jan 10. 1878</u>	
	<u>James Bateman</u>	<u>Dec 15. 1880</u>	
(4)	<u>Levin Lester</u>	<u>Nov 3. 1882</u>	
+	<u>Levin Stone</u>	<u>Jan 3. 1882</u>	
(5)	<u>Last two twins</u>		
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Joshua Curtis  
Elizabeth Curtis a  
daughter of John or Jack  
Hatcher Cherokee Indian

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

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

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

- (1) Amos Esten
- (2) Edna Hobbs
- (3) Walter Bateman
- (4) Levin Corda
- (5) James Bateman
- (6) James Bateman

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Elizabeth Curtis, a daughter of John or Jack Hatcher. Rebecca Luverne Curtis, she being a daughter of Elizabeth Curtis, she being my mother on my Indian side

REMARKS.

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

May and Jack Hatcher have filed. Eli Thomas Curtis has filed. their claims

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

(Signature)

Leighton Bateman

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

E. Carriffee J.P. and Ex Officio  
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 Bob Prigmore  
and A. A. Carriffee, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Leighton Bateman 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 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.

A. A. Carriffee  
Bob Prigmore

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

My commission expires

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E. Carriffee J.P. and Ex Officio  
for Henderson Co. Tex Notary Public.

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



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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Leighton Bateman*  
*Styx. P.O. Box* <sup>54</sup>  
*Texas*

*Henderson County*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JUL 29 1907
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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Henderson

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Leighton Bateman

for the county of Henderson state of Texas do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is St. J. R. 1 Box 54

A. A. Cayiffe  
Bob Pignore  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Leighton Bateman  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Henderson Be it known on the 1 day of July 1907 personally appeared Leighton Bateman, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 190  
[L. S.]

E. C. Warrille J.P. and Ex Officio  
in aid for Henderson Co. Texas

And now to witness 23 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of July 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1907  
W. M. Davis  
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
RECORDED JUL 2 1909  
No. 30999

Dear J. E. R. G. Bot 44  
4 24 1909

My dear Mr. Miller Dear  
sir in reply to your  
letter to hand I will  
say we dont no have  
you want on it to put  
our papers on for our  
~~our~~ claim. Will you send  
a form home to put  
them on sir willing  
I pay you for your  
trouble. We can give  
the names of the ind  
see and arbeston  
all so the Post office

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Please let me hear  
in the return mail  
and if you will send  
me a form we have to  
fit my papers and  
I can fit them in one  
day yours Truly

Wighton Bateman

P. S. My  
no. 30999

No. 31000

Action:

Reject

Name Amelia C. Walker and 4 children.

Residence: Warramangee, N.Y.

Reasons:

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

31000

Field Texas  
No. 31000 Fern Co.  
Name Amelia A. Walker  
With No. ....  
Remarks:

Awaiting reply to letter.

31000

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

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Amelia A. Walker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by 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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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

31000



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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Amelia Azaner Shelton

Indian name: Gee

2. Residence and post office: Porman gee

3. County: Leon

4. State: Tex

5. How old are you? 43 Born Feb 10 1864

6. Where were you born? hays co

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 49

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Charles Walker</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1887</u>
(2)	<u>May Walker</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1894</u>
(3)	<u>Delphia Walker</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1894</u>
(4)	<u>Joe Walker</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1897</u>
(5)	<u>Rora Walker</u>		<u>June 3 1907</u>
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Gerry Shelton

Indian name: Gee

Mother—English name: Delphia Shelton

Indian name: [blacked out]

Maiden name: Colbeth

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Arkansas

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

Father: Arkansas

Mother: Arkansas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Jan 8 1889

Mother: Oct 7 1905

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

and with what tribe of Indians: no

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Shelton	1860	
(2)	Odds Po Tex		
(3)	Marin Shelton	1866	
	Odds Po Tex		
(4)	George Shelton	1868	
(5)	Georgia Shirk	1858	
(6)	Patay Tex		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

<u>Ada Lee</u>	<u>Shepard Colhath</u>
<u>William Shelton</u>	<u>Creacy Peel</u>
<u>Granma Lee in din</u>	

18. Where were they born?

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

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

- (1) Steve Shelton
- (2) was lives in Madison co
- (3) A
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

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

Art Walker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Justice of Peace Sam H. Fletcher  
The Peace and Co. office Notary Public.  
Room 207 Low Co. Bldg.

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. Jamison  
and J. W. Kyle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Archie A. Jones Walker  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and  
28 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Jamison  
J. W. Kyle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Justice of the Peace and Co. office Sam H. Fletcher Notary Public.

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

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Amelia A. Walker*  
*Konawa*  
*Texas*  
*Leas County*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JUL 29 1907 No.
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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Ind

COUNTY OF Seas

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I A.A. Walker

for the county of Seas state of Ind do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Normangee, Ind Co. Ind.

L.A. Heath A.A. Walker  
Signature.  
C.P. Cannon  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Ind County of Seas. Be it known on the 19 day of July 1907 personally appeared A.A. Walker, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid my attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 190  
[L. S.] Samuel Tetcher  
Justice of the Peace and (S. Hall) City Public  
Number 207 Seas Co. Ind.

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle  
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907  
Samuel Tetcher  
Justice of the Peace

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COUNTY OF  
EASTERN CHELUNKEEES.  
Rec. SEP 18 1907  
No. 35887

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File

Jefferson City Mo  
P. O. No 4 Box 28

Dear Sir I received  
your card in regard  
to my claim in the  
Eastern Cheasy Cherokee  
claim no 35-497  
may I inquire of  
Jefferson City  
Mo Co Mo  
P. O. No 4 Box 28



Appln. No. 31000.

May 14, 1908.

*Walker.*

Amelia A. Shelton,

Normangee, Texas.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846?

State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim the right to share in this fund and where that ancestor was living in 1835 and 1851?

Give any other information obtainable, tending to establish your claim.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Social Commissioner.

W.E./D.D.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 3 1909  
No. 31000

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FEB 3 1909

① Brainerd By Feb<sup>11th</sup> 1899

Gyon Miller  
Washington D.C

Dear Sir in regard to  
the application No 31000  
of the Cherokee Indian  
affair it would be a  
Pleasure to No if i am going  
to get it or how soon you  
get for some statements  
some time ago and you  
never said whether you  
got it or not i would give  
to No something about it  
Please get me no if you  
can as i am poor but  
need it very bad and  
oblig

yours fraternally  
J. M. Collins

(2)

Allrs Linda Collins  
Claim No 31001 we have  
not heard from it for  
some time neither and  
we would love to hear  
from it and the two minor  
children what you have  
done with them to it  
do you think we will  
get it or not get us no  
something about it if  
you can and oblig

Linda Collins

Brainard Ry

No. 31001

Name: *Paul E. Evans*

and *1* children.

Action: *Rejected*

Residence: *Goldthwaite, Tex.*

Reasons:

*None to 214114.*

31001

No. 31001

Name Pearl E. Crane

With No. 21444

Remarks:

*Grand No. 21443*  
*Serial 21444*

No. 31001

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Pearl Elizabeth Corns*

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

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FILED BY  
**ANDERSON B. CAGLE,**  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Pearl Elizabeth Evans

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

2. Residence and post office: Goldthwaite,

3. County: Mills,

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 19 Born April 26th. 1888

6. Where were you born? Milam County, Texas.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Harvey Evans, 29 years.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Carl Evans</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>May 22-1904</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: J. D. Parker

Indian name: I do not know

Mother—English name: Savannah Parker

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

Maiden name: Savannah Litchfield

12. Where were they born?

Father: Milam County, Texas.

Mother: Williamson County, Texas.



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

Father: Was not then living.

Mother: Was not then living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

<sup>5144</sup>  
<sub>5142</sub> Father: Living.

Mother: Living. 21446

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They are just now prosecuting their claim under Cherokee lineage- on mother's side.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Eddie Everett Parker</u>	<u>Aug. 7th. 1891</u>	<u>-----</u>
	<u>Addie Nevada Parker</u>	<u>Jan. 12th. 1894</u>	<u>-----</u>
	<u>J. D. Parker,</u>	<u>Febby 1896</u>	<u>-----</u>
(2)	<u>Ellen Ella Parker</u>	<u>1898</u>	<u>-----</u>
	<u>Ollie E. Parker</u>	<u>Aug. 12th. 1900</u>	<u>-----</u>
(3)	<u>Lillie Savannah Parker</u>	<u>Jan. 19th. 1904</u>	<u>-----</u>
(4)	<u>-----</u>	<u>-----</u>	<u>-----</u>
(5)	<u>-----</u>	<u>-----</u>	<u>-----</u>
(6)	<u>-----</u>	<u>-----</u>	<u>-----</u>

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

FATHER'S SIDE. 21445-8

MOTHER'S SIDE.

----- Parker.

Joseph Litchfield

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I do not know

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

(1) Myrtle Litchfield Beachom, Indian Territory

(2) Maggie Litchfield Terry, Indian Territory

(3) Lillian Litchfield Indian Territory

(4) Naoma Litchfield Indian Territory

(5) Ella Litchfield Beachom, Deceased.

(6) Sarah Litchfield, Deceased.

Charles Litchfield Indian Territory

Lee Litchfield, Indian Territory.

Samuel Litchfield Deceased.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:  
I do not know.

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) Pearl Lippie Beath Evrons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th. day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 30th 1st. 1907. - 190

W. J. Smith  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Mrs. Mary Woffenberge  
and Tishie Evans, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Pearl Elizabeth Evrons 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.

Mrs. Mary Woffenberge  
Tishie Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th. day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st. 1907. , 190

W. J. Smith  
Notary Public.

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

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Pearl Elizabeth Evans*  
*Goldthwaite*

*Texas*

*Mills Co. R.F.D. #1*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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FILED IN
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
FILED JUL 29 1907
No.

# Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Mills.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Pearl Elizabeth Evans,

for the county of Mills state of Texas do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioner Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Goldthwaite, Mills County, Texas, R.F.D. No.1,

Mr. Harry Wolfenbarger  
Stashie Evans  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Pearl Elizabeth Evans  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Mills. Be it known on the 12 day of July 1907 personally appeared Pearl Elizabeth Evans, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1st, 1907  
[L. S.]

W. H. Smith Notary Public

And now to witness 23 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of July 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1907  
W. H. Smith  
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 12 1907  
No. 31001.

*are. let.*  
NOV 12 1907

Hall County Texas

March 5 1857

To the Court of Claims

James B. [unclear] [unclear]

Claim 3401 [unclear] [unclear]  
the money due the [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

Respectfully [unclear]

Hall County Texas

[unclear] [unclear]

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* AUG 23 1909  
*No.* 31001

*Reject  
notice*

I received of  
Aug 15 1861

Mrs Susan [unclear]  
[unclear]

Dear Madam  
I have the honor to acknowledge  
the receipt of your kind letter  
of the 10th inst. and in reply  
to inform you that the same  
has been forwarded to the  
proper authorities for their  
consideration.

I am, Madam,  
Very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,

[unclear]



No. 31002.

Action: Rejected.

Name William Henry Slusher  
and 7 children. Residence: Konawa, Okla.

Reasons:

Brother of #21788 and claims through the same source.

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No. 31002  
Name John W. Slusher  
With No. 21783

Remarks:

*7 months of - 21783*

No. 51002

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William Henry Plusher*

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

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FILED BY  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 29 1907

*3/3/E*

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Henry Shusher

Indian name: Jackson

2. Residence and post office: Florawa

3. County: Seminole Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? age 40 Born Sept-7, 1866

6. Where were you born? Indiana

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nannie Shusher, age 37

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Harrison Shusher</u>	<u>17 yrs</u>	<u>Jan 16, 1889</u>
(2)	<u>Lillia B</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Mar 7, 1892</u>
(3)	<u>Leonard J.</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Sept-4, 1894</u>
(4)	<u>Minnie</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Mar 16, 1896</u>
(5)	<u>Dona</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Oct-30, 1898</u>
(6)	<u>William Eli</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Mar 29, 1902</u>
	<u>Albert</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Nov 9, 1904</u>

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

Father—English name: Simcon J. Shusher

Indian name: Jackson

Mother—English name: Rizzie Shusher

Indian name: ..

Maiden name: Reziah Salpers

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kentucky

Mother: ..

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

Father: Kentucky

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: November 1904

Mother: Still Living

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

and with what tribe of Indians: no

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<del>Sylvia</del> <sup>Lucy</sup> Shusher	April 13, 1859	

(2)	Nancy Jane Shusher	Dec 25, 1861	
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(3)	John <del>W</del> Shusher	Feb. 6 <sup>th</sup> , 1867	
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(4)	Mandy Shusher	March 15 <sup>th</sup> , 1870	All Living
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(5)	Doraphene <sup>J</sup> Doritz	Oct 16, 1871	
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Korawa I.T.

(6)	Ellen <sup>V</sup> Shusher	Feb 6, 1867	
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Engl	William Shusher	Henry Salyers
	Mary Shusher	Elizabeth Salyers nee
	nee Jackson Ind	Conley
		no Indian blood.

18. Where were they born? in Kentucky in Kentucky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All in Kentucky

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

(1) William Salyers in Kentucky

(2) Fizzie <sup>J</sup> Shusher Korawa Ind Territory

(3) Iziah Shusher in Kentucky

(4) Pulvania "

(5) Loucratia "

(6) "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents Simeon J. Shusher Jackson Indian name Kizzie Shusher, William Shusher, Mary Shusher nee Jackson, Grand Parents

REMARKS.

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

Great Grandfather Garner Jackson, was the Father of Mary Jackson, who was the mother of Simeon J. Shusher  
married William Shusher

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

witness to mark W. M. Davis

(Signature)

William Henry Shusher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

....., 190 ..

W. M. Davis  
Notary Public.  
Konawa J. T.

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. Autry

and

J. B. Collins

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

that they are well acquainted with William Henry Shusher

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 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. L. Autry

J. B. Collins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

....., 190 ..

W. M. Davis

Notary Public.

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

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *William N. Husher*

*Konawa*

*I. T.*

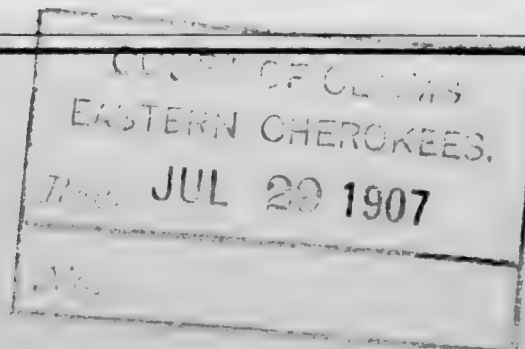
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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Indian Territory
COUNTY OF Seminole Nation

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I William Henry Shusher
for the county of Seminole state of Indian Territory do hereby
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in
said claim. My post office is Konawa Ind Ter

Witness signatures: A. A. Aubrey, J. B. Collins

Signature: William Henry Shusher

State of Ind Ter County of Seminole Be it known on the 11th day of July 1907
personally appeared Wm Henry Shusher, who after having read over to him
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 1907 [L. S.]

And now to witness 12 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 12 day of July 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1909



P.F.

# 31002  
with  
# 21783.

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Appln. No. 31002-21783.

March 23, 1908.

William W. Slusher,  
Konawa, Oklahoma.

Sir:

# 31002  
# 21783  
# 31583

The application which you have filed for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information is:

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1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
  2. Were you, your parents and your grandparents, ever enrolled?
  3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?
- State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Chief Clerk,  
Claims Practice-

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
*Rec.* APR 18 1908  
*No.*

31002 F.S.

Guion Miller  
601 Curay Building  
W. Cart of Claines  
Washington D.C.

Konang Oka  
W.H. Slusher

Dear Sir

No. 1. Grand Parents  
on fathers side  
William Slusher a white man  
and Mary Slusher nee  
Jackson Eastern Cherokee  
She resided in Targa O  
Solone in 18-34-35 near the  
boundary of Kentucky <sup>or in</sup>  
1851 the Jackson and Slusher  
Lined in Kentucky  
No. 2. Grand Parents on  
our Mother side  
white Henry Salus and  
Elizabeth Salus nee Comely  
Great Grand Parents  
Garner Jackson Mary Jackson  
both Cherokee Indians My father  
said my Grand Parents were on  
Roll at Tlafah in Cherokee  
Nation  
(over on other side)

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. APR 18 1908  
No. 3/002.

None of our ancestors  
were ever slaves  
we were always taught  
all of our lives that we were  
Cherokee Indians by blood

Yours

William Henry  
Shubert  
Krona Oklahoma

No. 31002--21783

William T. Slusher, after being first duly sworn,  
deposes and says:

I am 42 years of age; was born in Indiana. I claim Cherokee Indian blood through my father. I claim no Indian through my mother. My father was born in Kentucky. I have never received any Indian money from the government and my father never got any that I know of. I never tried to get any land in the Territory. My father's father was the Indian. I never saw him. I think he lived in Georgia ~~but I do not know where he lived~~ and was born in Kentucky.

William T. Slusher

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Newok, Oklahoma,  
this eleventh day of September, 1938.

Assistant to Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims.

Koziah Slusher, witness for her son, William T. Slusher,  
after being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am the mother of William Slusher, No. 31002. His father was not an Indian, it was his grandfather. His father did not live with the Indians and passed as a white man. He was a veter. It have seen my son's grandfather. He lived in Kentucky when I knew him and claimed to have come from Georgia. I do not know what part of Georgia he was born. I think he was a man and had a family when he left Georgia. I know him well. My son gets his Indian blood through his grandmother, Mary Slusher. His grandfather had no Indian blood. I know Mary Slusher. She was living in Kentucky when I knew her. She was married when she moved to Kentucky and I think she was born in Georgia. She lived with the white people. She spoke the Indian language. I do not know why my husband never got any Indian money from the government when he was living in Missouri about 20 years ago he tried to get some money. Ten years before the war my husband lived in Kentucky.

Koziah Slusher

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Newok, Oklahoma,  
this eleventh day of September, 1938.

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Asistant to Special Com. of Court of Claims

*W. W. Keton*

No. 31003

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Salmon S. White* and *3* children. Residence: *Hugh, Texas*

Reasons:

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

*Miss. Test. P. 2181.*

31003



Field, High, Texas.

No. 31003.

Name S. J. White

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith  
are nos. 31044, 36474,  
31004.

Awaiting replies to letters.

No. 31003

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

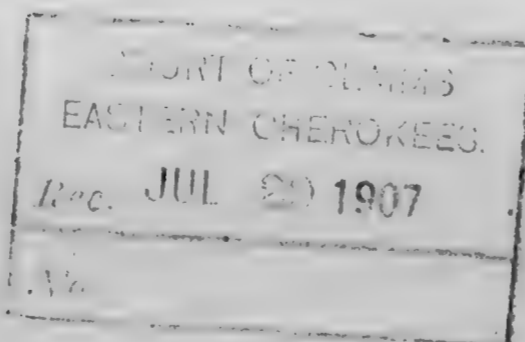
OF

*Solomon S. 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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**FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.**



3-7-E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Solomon S. White  
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: High
3. County: Lamar
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 31 Born 1876
6. Where were you born? Arkansas
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lottie White
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lucia White</u>	<u>Five</u>	<u>1902</u>
(2)	<u>Joseph G. White</u>	<u>Two</u>	<u>1905</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Martha J  
White James G. White  
Father—English name: James G. White  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Martha J. White 31054  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Martha Gilkeyson

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

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

Father: Alabama

Mother: before her birth

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: not dead

Mother: not

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
✓ 36474	(1) James J. White	1875	
	(2) Fannie J. White	1878	
now	.. .. Clark		
	(3)		
	(4)		
	(5)		
	(6)		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<del>27</del> 25 Adams J. White	<del>Patsy Long</del>
Patsy Long	James R. Sibley or
	Mary E. Jarrell

18. Where were they born? Georgia

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

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

✓ 187	(1) Herman White	Moses P. Sibley or
	(2) Emily White	Thomas P. ..
59	(3) Rebecca A. White	Sallie A. ..
240	(4) Solomon White	William A. ..
✓ 31	(5)	Nancy C. ..
	(6)	Baby ..
		Judith B. ..
		Samuel B. ..
		Annie E. ..

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jas R Gelskey Sr  
Mary E Jarrett; Robert Gelskey Sr

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) Solomon S White

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

D. Coleman

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909.

Lamar County Tex

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 A. Orr  
and James H. McBurnett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Solomon S. White  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 31 years and  
31 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.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Orr

James H. McBurnett

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

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June 1st, 1909.

D. Coleman

Notary Public.

Lamar County Tex

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#31004 - 31003

Miscel.

Martha Jane White being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 53 years of age and live in Lamar Co., Tex. I claim my Indian descent through both parents. My grandfather was ashamed of his Indian blood and would never tell us how much Indian our parents were. My father died in 1893 and would have been 69 that year. My mother died when I was two years old and was about 20 when she died. My father was married twice. The second time it was Judy Caple that he married. My father's father was Robert Emmett Gilkeyson. Elizabeth Simmons was my grandmother's name on my father's side. My grandmother's name on my mother's side was Belindy Redwine and she married Jarratt. James Jarret was my grandfather's name on my mother's side. My parents were born and raised in Ga., Henry Co., I think. My father left there in 1855 and went to Searcy Co., Ark. He died in Texas. My mother died in Searcy Co., Ark. My father had two sisters - Agnes Jane and Martha Margaret. This latter named married a Waters. He had no brothers. My mother's brother was named James. Don't know whether he is dead or living. She had several sisters. My parents were recognized as white people. Very few knew that they had Indian blood because they were ashamed of it. Never heard that my parents were ever on any roll. Never received anything from the government. ~~From an application to the Bureau of Indian Affairs~~ This is the only application I ever made for Indian benefits. My husband is a white man.

*apparently white*

*Martha J. White*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Paris, Tex. this 22nd day of August 1908.

FDR

\_\_\_\_\_  
Asst to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

29.

Appln. No. 31905.

May 14, 1908.

Solomon L. White,  
High, Texas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Western Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1842? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim to share that ancestor was living in 1835 and 1842?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

Your answers will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 21 1908  
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.



1/15 1898

Dear Sir,

I have the pleasure  
to inform you  
that the same  
has been done  
in 1895 and 1897

They did not  
do it in 1896  
because of the  
state of the  
country  
at that time

Indian there was  
seen in the  
year 1817  
the name was  
the name of the

A single specimen  
of the same kind  
was found  
in the year  
1817

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1817

No. 31001

Action: 10/10/1

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

Reasons:

Mother #31003 Claims  
same name - same [unclear]

No. E 100 H

Name William J. Hunt

With No. E 100 E

Remarks:

*ma*

No. 31004

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Martha Jane 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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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
A.D.

*White*

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

SIR:

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

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Martha Jane White

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: High Texas

3. County: Lamar

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 52 Born November 1855

6. Where were you born? Arkansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Griffie White age 61

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>James White</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>1875</u>
(2)	<u>Bolouon White</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>1876</u>
(3)	<u>Fannie Jane White</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>1878</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: James

R. Gilkeyson. Mary E. Jarrett

Father—English name: James R. Gilkeyson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary E. Jarrett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary E. Jarrett

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1903

Mother: 1857

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
<u>1/2 Sister</u>	(1) <u>Sallie A. Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1861</u>	
<u>now</u>	<u>William E. Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1863</u>	<u>1892</u>
	(3) <u>Nancy O. Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1865</u>	<u>1894</u>
	(4) <u>Moses P. Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1868</u>	<u>1869</u>
<u>now</u>	<u>Ellen E. Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1869</u>	
	(5) <u>Thomas F. Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1872</u>	<u>1876</u>
	<u>Samuel D. Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1874</u>	
	(6) <u>Baby Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1877</u>	<u>1877</u>
	<u>Judith B. Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1878</u>	
	<u>Annie E. Gilkeyson</u>	<u>1883</u>	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>English</u>	<u>Elizabeth Simmons</u>	<u>Elizabeth Simmons</u>
	<u>Gilkeyson</u>	<u>Veranda Redwine</u>

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents) Jas R. Gelsey son  
Mary E. Jarrett - G.P. Robert E. Gelsey son

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Grandfather has always said he was of Indian blood.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Martha Jane White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

D. McKeeman Lamar Co. Texas  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James A. Orr  
and James H. McBurnett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha J. White  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and 40 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 the claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Orr  
James H. McBurnett  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909 D. McKeeman Lamar Co. Texas  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *Jocannon D. White*  
*High,*  
*Texas.*

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FILED BY  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 20 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Lamar

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Solomon White  
for the county of Lamar state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is High Texas

J. A. Orr  
James A. McBurnett  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Solomon White  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Lamar Be it known on the 20 day of July, 1907  
personally appeared Solomon White, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid the attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1 1909  
[L. S.]

D. Coleman  
Notary Public Lamar County  
Texas

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1908.  
M. D. ...  
Notary Public

31004.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Martha Jane White*  
*High*  
*Tex.*

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN DISTRICTS.  
JUL 29 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Lamar

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Martha Jane White  
for the county of Lamar state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

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of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is High Texas

J. A. Orr  
James H. McBurnett  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Martha Jane White  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Lamar Be it known on the 20 day of July 1907  
personally appeared Martha J. White, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid an attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 10th 1909  
[L. S.]

D. Abolucan Notary Public  
Lamar County Tex

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1900

W. M. Davis  
Notary Public

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Appln. No. 31004-31003.

May 14, 1908.

Martha Jane White,  
High, Texas.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Heredity fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim, and where that ancestor was living in 1835 and 1846?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

Answers as early as possible will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. J. C.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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In the morning I talked  
at the house of the  
American Consul

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a copy of that letter  
and some other things  
in the winter of  
1862. I have to the  
best of my

knowledge  
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document  
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No. 31005.

Name *Martha Alice Morgan*, and

1 children

Residence:

*Bonham, Texas,*  
*R. F. D. #7.*

Action: *Reject.*

Reasons:

*Sister of #17770, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

31005

No. 31002-

Name Martha A. Morgan

With No. 17773

Remarks:

31005

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Martha Alice Morgan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Martha Alice Morgan

Indian name:

Marthawhite

2. Residence and post office:

Fannin County, Texas, Post office is Bonham, P. O. No 7.

3. County:

Fannin

4. State:

Texas

5. How old are you?

35

Born

January 22<sup>nd</sup> 1872

6. Where were you born?

In Marion County Tenn

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Alance Morgan

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	See May	one year	Sept 1905
(2)	✓		
(3)	✓		
(4)	✓		
(5)	✓		
(6)	✓		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father's name: Shade Lofty Killen  
 Mother's name before marriage: Martha Killen  
 Mother's name: Martha Lofty  
 Father—English name: Lofty Shade Lofty  
 Indian name: [unclear]  
 Mother—English name: Martha Lofty  
 Indian name: Martie Lofty  
 Maiden name: Martha Killen

12. Where were they born?

Father: Warren County, Tenn  
 Mother: Fannin County, Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hamilton County Tenn

Mother: Hamilton County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: February 28<sup>th</sup> 1903

Mother: June 1875

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: none that I ever knew or heard of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Thomas Lofly Camp</u> <u>Cade City Ga.</u>	<u>1870</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Ellison</u> <u>Can't give residence</u>	<u>1868</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Almie Camp</u> <u>Can't give residence</u>	<u>1864</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Emma Hale</u> <u>Can't give residence</u>	<u>1874</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Can't give grandfathers</u>	<u>William Killen</u>
<u>Can't give grand mothers</u>	<u>Martha Killen</u>
<u>Name on this side</u>	<u>bill Low for grand-</u>
	<u>Mother for grand mother</u>

18. Where were they born? William and Martha Killen were born in James County Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? James County Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Cannot answer
- (2) this question
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great grand father  
Cherap pony Cheraps painte  
gr grand mother Sude painte Susy  
Smith

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My mother was of indian blood descended from  
the Cherokee tribe in Tennessee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Martha Alice Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

CA Wheeler  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. Nevill  
and H. V. Morgan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Martha Alice Morgan  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and  
18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Nevill  
H. V. Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

CA Wheeler  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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*Martha Alice Morgan*  
For

*Bonham*

*Texas*

*Famine County*

*P. O. D. 7*

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FILED BY

**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**

CLAIM AGENT,

**KONAWA, I. T.**

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COUNTY CLERK  
EASTERN DISTRICTS.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907



Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Fannin

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Martha Alice Morgan  
for the county of Fannin state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Barham Rd # 7, Fannin County, Texas

W. T. Meville  
H. W. Moore  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Martha Alice Morgan  
Signature

State of Texas County of Fannin Be it known on the 12 day of July 1907  
personally appeared Martha Alice Morgan, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 12<sup>th</sup> 1907  
[L. S.] C. W. Wheeler

And now to witness 27 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 27 day of July 1907

My commission expires March 15th, 1907  
Notary Public

No. 31006

Action: *Reject* -

Name *Sarah Sparks* and *1* children Residence *Duncan, Stephens Co., Okla.*

Reasons: - *Applicant not enrolled in 1851, - though living in N. C. at the time. Parents not enrolled - and no evidence to connect them with the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians either at the time of the Treaty of 1835-6 or since. Applicant notified to appear before the Commission at Warrick, Okla., but failed to appear.*

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Field Office ?

No. 31006

Name Sarah Sparks

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith

are nos. 36216, 41234,

37374, 37375?

Notified at  
Hannibal Mo.  
but failed to appear.

Awaiting reply to letter.

*Susan J. ...*

No. 30000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Spates*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLERK  
KONAWA, OKLAHOMA TERR.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 29 1907  
No.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sarah Sparks

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Duncan

3. County: Stephens

4. State: Ind Territory

5. How old are you? 62

Born 1845

6. Where were you born? North Carolina

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James M Sparks

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
V	(1) <u>Sicie L Sparks</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>1873</u>
20216	(2) <u>Charley M. Sparks</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>1870</u>
V	(3) <u>Pearl C. Sparks</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>1880</u>
37374	(4) <u>Samuel J. Sparks</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>1882</u>
	(5) <u>Ethel L. Sparks</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>1888</u>
	(6) _____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: William Bandy

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Sicie Bandy

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sicie Green

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't know

Mother: 1879

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ansel Bandy		
	John "		
(2)	Martha		
(3)	Lizzie		
(4)	Marion		
(5)	Thomas		
	George		
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
David Bandy  
Pally Bandy

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Shadricks Green  
Patsy Green

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Carl
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Sarah Sparks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

M. J. Collins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

P. A. Daily

and

C. E. Leffel

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Sarah Sparks

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 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.

P. A. Daily

C. E. Leffel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1910

M. J. Collins

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.

*Indian* DIVISION

~~PENSION~~

No. *31006,*

*Additional Evidence*

CLAIM OF

*Sasook Spawts*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Sasook Spawts*

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 13 1909
No.

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

To be executed before a Court of Record, or some officer thereof, having custody of the seal, a Notary Public, or Justice of the Peace, whose official signature shall be verified by his official seal, and in case he has none, his signature and official character shall be certified by a Clerk or Court of Record, or a City or County Clerk, unless such certificate is already on file in the Pension office, when such fact should be stated.

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*Joseph W. Wance*  
(Official Signature)  
*W. Wance*  
(Official Character)

contents before *the* executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant *is* personally known to me, and that *the* is creditable person.

erased, and the words \_\_\_\_\_, added, and acquainted \_\_\_\_\_ with its



Special Notice. The Civil Officer before whom this Affidavit is Executed should be careful to fill all spaces, both Caption and Jurat.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF New Mexico  
County of Roosevelt } SS

In the Matter of Sarah Sparks # 3'00'6.  
to share in the Cherokee

ON THIS 11 day of December A. D., 1908 personally appeared before me, a Notary Public and for the aforesaid county, duly authorized to administer oaths, Sarah Sparks aged 6.3 years, a resident of Chaves County, and State of New Mex whose postoffice address is Leusey and \_\_\_\_\_ aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County and State of \_\_\_\_\_ whose postoffice address is \_\_\_\_\_, well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, who being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

(NOTE: Affiants should state here how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify)

That she is the legitimate  
person who applied to share  
in the Cherokee fund, and  
that her father's name was,  
William Barry, and Grand  
father's name (was) Shadrice Green  
mother's name, was, Fiee Barry  
nee Green born in  
Cherokee, North Carolina.  
The Indian blood, I get  
from my mother, and Grand  
father, Shadrice Green, she  
further says that she  
has been brought from  
child hood that she was  
of Cherokee blood,

She further declare that she has no interest in said case, and is not concerned in its prosecution.

C. H. Madgel  
J. E. Manes

Sarah Sparks  
mk

If affiant signs by mark, two witnesses who can write sign here.

Signature of Affiants

STATE OF NM  
County of Chaves } ss

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day by the named affiant....., and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant....., including the words.....  
..... erased, and the words.....  
....., added, and acquainted..... with its contents before she..... executed the same, I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant is..... personally known to me, and that she is..... creditable person....

--L S.--

Joseph M. Mares  
(Official Signature)  
Notary  
(Official Character)

To be executed before a Court of Record, or some officer thereof, having custody of the seal, a Notary Public, or Justice of the Peace, whose official signature shall be verified by his official seal, and in case he has none, his signature and official character shall be certified by a Clerk or Court of Record, or a City or County Clerk, unless such certificate is already on file in the Pension office, when such fact should be stated.

Indians DIVISION  
~~PENSION~~  
No. 31006,

Additional Evidence  
CLAIM OF  
Sarah Sparks

AFFIDAVIT OF  
Sarah Sparks

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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CLAIM AGENT,  
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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *Sarah Sparks*

*Duncan*

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**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**

CLAIM AGENT,

**KONAWA, I. T.**

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. REC. JUL 29 1907
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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Ind. Ter.  
COUNTY OF Southern Dist

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Sarah Sparks

for the county of \_\_\_\_\_ state of Ind Territory do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Duncan, Ind.

P. A. Daily  
E. E. Laffel  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Sarah Sparks  
Signature.

State of Ind. Ter. County of Southern Dist Be it known on the 13 day of July 1907 personally appeared Sarah Sparks, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid an attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Sept 14 1910  
[L. S.]

M. J. Collins

And now to witness 29 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of July 1907

My commission expires March 15th, 1909  
M. J. Collins  
Notary Public

Appln. No. 31006.

May 14, 1908.

Sarah Sparks,

Tuncan, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors ~~parties~~ to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor was living in 1835 and 1846?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

Your early reply will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JUL 29 1908  
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The Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
Washington, D.C.

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Mrs. Susan Sparks.

Redland,

New Mexico.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. Sept. 21, 1908.

Application No. 31606

Sarah Sparks,  
Ducan, Okla.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that ~~J. Edward Taylor~~ one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at ~~Waurika, Okla.~~ on ~~Wed. Sept. 30th~~, 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,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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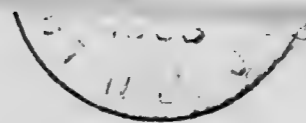
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OCT 27 1908  
No. 31006

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Sar ah sparks,  
Duncan, Okla.



No. 31007

Action: *Reject*

Name *James B. Parker* and *3* children. Residence: *Ragland, Texas.*

Reasons:

*Brother of # 28768 and claims through the same source.*

31007

No. 31009

Name C. D. Carter

With No. 26751

Remarks:

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No. 31007

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James Burned Parker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1900.

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**FILED BY**  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

*2915*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Buren Parker

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Rayland, Texas

3. County: Board

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 35 year Born April 3rd, 1872

6. Where were you born? near Birmingham, Ala

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Allie Parker, age 33 year

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lloyd Parker</u>	<u>10 yrs</u>	<u>May 14, 1897</u>
(2)	<u>Lloyd Parker</u>	<u>5 "</u>	<u>July 1902</u>
(3)	<u>J.B. Parker</u>	<u>4 "</u>	<u>Aug. 1903</u>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Parker

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Tempy Hildman Parker

Indian name: .....

Maiden name: Tempy Hildman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ala

Mother: Ala



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ala.

Mother: Ala.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: in the year 1883.

Mother: is still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: If they were enrolled at all of which I am not informed, it was with the Cherokee tribe.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Parker	1864	1882
	Robert Parker	1870	living in Millersville, Texas
(2)	Annie Andrews	1866	lives at Waco, Texas
	7		
(3)	Nannie Williams	1868	still living.
	Cherokee, Texas		
(4)	Sallie Guynes	1870	still living
	Rayland, Texas		
(5)	Norah Juy	1876	still living
	Vernon, Texas		
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Parker

Mollie Leaker

18. Where were they born? Do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in the state of Ala.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Am unable to answer.

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: unable to do so

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 Breen Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909

W. H. H. H. H.  
Notary Public,  
Wilbonger 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 E. H. Underwood  
and C. S. McCulloch, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Breen Parker who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 years and 5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. H. Underwood  
C. S. McCulloch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909

W. H. H. H. H.  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *James Burns Parker*  
*Rayland*  
*Texas.*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COUNT OF CLERKS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 20 1907

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas
COUNTY OF Wilbarger

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I James Buren Parker

for the county of Wilbarger state of Texas do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Rayland, Texas,

Witness signatures: A. M. Smith, J. A. ...

James Buren Parker Signature.

State of Texas County of Wilbarger. Be it known on the 22 day of July 1907 personally appeared James Buren Parker, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid any attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1 1909 [L. S.] Notary Public Wilbarger County Texas

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907

Notary seal: Notary Public, Wilbarger County, Texas, expires March 17th, 1908.

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# 31002.  
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# 28768.

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Appln. No. 51007-28768.

April 10, 1908.

James B. Parker,  
Ragland, Texas.

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*Strin*  
*# 28588*

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

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Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 4 1908  
No. 31007

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Application, [unclear]  
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No. 31008

Action: *Reject*

Name *Martha J. Hill* and children. Residence: *Trinity, Ala.*

Reasons:

- 1:- No ancestor ever enrolled.
- 2:- " " party to treaties of 1835-6 & 1848<sup>t</sup>.
- 3:- Shows no connection with Eastern Cherokee.
- 4:- Ancestors never lived in Cherokee domain.

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No. 31008

Name Martha J. Hill

With No.

Remarks: Received

Trans. all mail

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~~Outstanding reply to letter.~~

No. 31608

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Martha J. Hill*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

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JUL 29 1907
No.

31608/E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Martha J. Hill  
Indian name: Martha J. Holmes

2. Residence and post office: Prinity Ala

3. County: Morgan

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? sixty one Born 1846

6. Where were you born? Morgan County Ala

7. Are you married? Widdow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: was Stephen P. Hill do not no his age

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Martha - Cherokee, Stephen English Born

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Laura J Hill	38	1869
(2)	Mary A Hill	36	1871
(3)	Fannie C. Hill	32	1875
(4)	Stephen P. Hill	29	1878
(5)	Sugar M Hill	26	1881
(6)	Charles M Hill	22	1885

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Ab. Holmes  
Indian name: Ab Holmes

Mother—English name: Fannie Roche  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Fannie Roche

12. Where were they born?

Father: on Warrior River in Ala

Mother: in Jackson County

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: .....

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *died in 1846*

Mother: *1849*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>have none</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

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18. Where were they born? *do not no*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? .....

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) *Jessie Bly do not no where she is*
- (2) *she lived some where in Mississippi*
- (3) *when I was a child, she was my*
- (4) *grandfather's sister*
- (5) .....
- (6) .....

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father's name was Mr. Homes. If he had any other name I never heard of it. He was a full blood Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my mother was a white woman.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Witnesses

(Signature) Martha J. Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of July, 1907.

J. W. Emeus  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

In June 11<sup>th</sup>, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. B. Gray  
and W. A. Lenty, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha J. Hill who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 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.

E. B. Gray  
W. A. Lenty

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

In June 11<sup>th</sup>, 1910. J. W. Emeus  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Martha J. Hill*  
*Trinity*  
*Hillsboro. & not*  
*Alabama.*

*C. W. P. Hill*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EAST OF CHICAGO  
Dec. JUL 23 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Alabama  
COUNTY OF Lawrence

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Martha J Hill

for the county of Lawrence state of Alabama do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Hillsboro - Ala R F D No 1

W. A. Smith  
G. M. Shelton  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Martha J Hill  
Signature.

State of Alabama County of Morgan. Be it known on the 25 day of July 1907 personally appeared Martha J Hill, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be a free act and deed, and that she has not paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 11 1910  
[L. S.]

J. W. Emeus  
Notary Public

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907

my commission expires March 17th, 1908

W. P. Hill  
Notary Public

address all communications w, Martha J Hill - Hillsboro - Ala - R F D No 1  
Care of W. P. Hill

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Appln. No. 21006.

May 14, 1906.

Mertie J. Hill,  
Trinity, Alabama.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Western Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1855-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim the right to share in this fund, and where said ancestor was living in 1855 and 1851?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your claim.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully

Special Commissioner.

S/10.

No. 31009

Action:

Rejected

Name Mittie Bell West and 1 children.

Residence: Wynona, Tex.

Reasons:

Section of 24118.

31009

No. 3179

Name Mathy B. Wood

With No. 24818

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mattie Belle Wood*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BY  
ARTHUR D. CAGLE,  
KONAWA

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mattie Belle Wood

Indian name: " " "

2. Residence and post office: Near Lingleville P.O. is Lingleville

3. County: Erath

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 22 Born Sept. 12 1885

6. Where were you born? Near Lingleville Erath Co. Texas

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jewell Wood</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Jan 15 1904</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: George W. Wood

Indian name: " " "

Mother—English name: Sarah Frances Wood

Indian name: had none

Maiden name: Sarah Frances Nail

12. Where were they born?

Father: In the Cherokee Nation

Mother: In Shelby County Texas



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Paula County Texas

Mother: Was not born there

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Yes Father was for money in 1896 at Salequah D.I. with the Cherokees

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Martha May Wilson (nee Wood)	1873	Living
(2)	William Floyd Wood	June 23 1882	Living
(3)	Henry Edward Wood	Sept. 13, 1883	"
(4)	Maudie Lee Wood	Jan 13 1889	"
(5)	Bulah Wood	Sept 20 1897	"
(6)	Ahniwa Wood	July 10, 1904	"
	Mellie Minnie Coleman Wood	Sept 1875	"

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Abe Wood  
~~Sarah Frances~~  
~~Wood~~

Tom Nail  
Martha Nail

Elizabeth Wood

Martha nail (nee Daught) in Tenn.

18. Where were they born? Do not know as to others

Tom Nail in Shelby County Texas

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Tom Nail and Martha nail in Shelby County Texas, and others in Paula County Texas.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Tom Wood
- (2) Nancy Wood
- (3) Mellie Wood
- (4) Pattie Wood
- (5) Jilda Wood
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

- John Nail dead
- Sarah Frances Wood (nee Nail)
- Bew Nail
- Gus Nail
- Peggie Penny (nee Nail)
- Mary Nail
- Samford Nail
- Sudie Furlow (nee Nail)
- Ake Nail
- Rosa Nail dead

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents George W. Wood Sarah Frances Wood; Grand Parents Abe Wood; Elizabeth Wood; Tom Nail, Martha Nail

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) Mattie Belle Wood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Frank Grissom  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. Dover  
and J. D. Elliott, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mattie Belle Wood who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. Dover  
J. D. Elliott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909 Frank Grissom  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Mattie Belle Wood*  
*Singleville*  
*Texas*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JUL 29 1907 No.
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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Erath

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mattie Belle Wood

for the county of Erath state of Texas do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Lingleville, Texas.

B. D. Dancer
L. W. Elliott
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Mattie Belle Wood
Signature.

State of Texas County of Erath Be it known on the 15 day of July 1907 personally appeared Mattie Belle Wood, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1st 1909 [L. S.] Frank Grissom Notary Public Erath County Texas.

And now to witness 23 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of July 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1908. H. H. Grissom Notary Public

No. 31010

Action: *Reject*

Name *Ana Dodson* and — children. Residence: *Hammon, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Grandchild of # 5138, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

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No. 31010

Name Mrs. Dodson

With No. 5738

Remarks:

No. 30000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

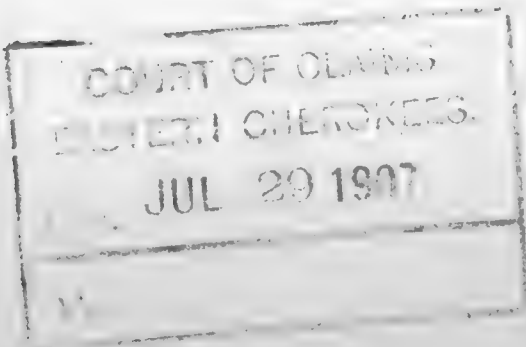
APPLICATION

OF

*Ina Rodson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ona Hodson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Hammer

3. County: Quater

4. State: Oklahoma Terr

5. How old are you? 18 Born 1889

6. Where were you born? Jafflin Mo.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Joseph Hodson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Edith Fry ne Hodson ne Mulkey 34-711

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Edith Mulkey

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Ill



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *not born*

Mother: *not born*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *died April 1884*

✓ 32591

Mother: *living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Amie Blodson</i>	<i>Jan 17, 1891</i>	
	<i>Wellwater Okla in school</i>		
(2)	<i>Bessie M. Blodson</i>	<i>July 18, 1898</i>	
	<i>Cherryvale Kans in school</i>		
(3)	<i>James F. Fry (half brother)</i>	<i>Feb 1<sup>st</sup> 1906</i>	
	<i>Chateau Ind Ten</i>		
(4)	<i>Gracia Fry</i>	<i>April 26<sup>th</sup> 1907</i>	
	<i>Chateau Ind Ten</i>		
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

✓ 5138

FATHER'S SIDE.

*Phillip Mulkey*

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*Nancy Mulkey nee Willis*

18. Where were they born? *Kentucky* *Ohio*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*Kentucky* *Ohio*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

✓ 26614

- (1) *Edith Fry nee Mulkey* *Chateau Ind Ten*
- (2) *Effie Whittenberg nee Mulkey* *Coffeyville Kans*
- (3) *Blanche Pearson nee Mulkey* *Cherryvale Kans*
- (4) *William H Mulkey* *head*
- (5) *Jesse W Mulkey* *"*
- (6) *Emonest Mulkey* *"*
- Emma Mulkey* *"*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled for School Benefit -

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Ona Dodson)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July 1907.

J. M. Blish  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 8th, 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 Jean M. Blish,  
and Dolly Johnson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ona Dodson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and 7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark. Signatures of Witnesses.

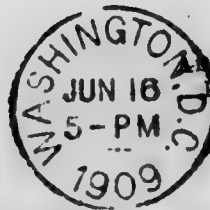
Jean M. Blish  
Dolly Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July 1907.

My commission expires June 8th, 1908,  
J. M. Blish  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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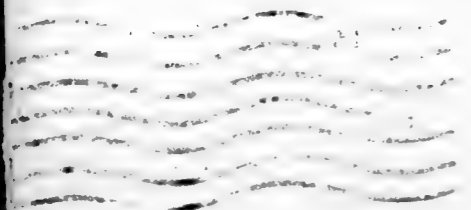
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*May A. Nail*  
*Grenada, Miss*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 32010, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 31011.

Action: Reject

Name: L. S. Brauhame and X children. Residence: Pondgap, W. Va.

Reasons: It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled but it does appear that applicants' ancestors came from Ky. to W. Va. in or about 1835. They were therefore not living anywhere near the Cherokee domain and were not parties to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Show no connection with the Cherokee tribe. See affidavit.

31011

No. 31011.

Action: Reject.

Name L. S. Bramham and X children. Residence: Pondgap, W. Va.

Reasons: It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled but it does appear that applicant's ancestors came from Ky. to W. Va. in or about 1835. They were therefore not living anywhere near the Cherokee domain and were not parties to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Show no connection with the Cherokee tribe. See affidavit.

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No. 31011.

Reject?

Name L. S. Braukham

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith

are nos. 37687, 37688,  
 38759, 34293, 36091,  
 36330, 35058, 35059,  
 44123, 44124, 44141, 44142,  
 43967, 37014, 44301, 44274,  
 44237, 44238, 44239, 44240,

43967, 44124, 44141, 44142,  
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 9, 49868.

Reject: Ancestors came  
 from <sup>ky to</sup> W. Va. in or about  
 1835. They were therefore not  
 parties to the treaties &  
 not living within the Cherokee  
 domain. No ancestors ever

Awaiting replies to letters.



No. 31011

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

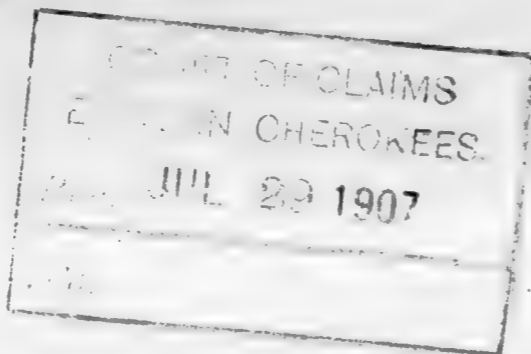
APPLICATION

OF

*Lane Shannon Braukam*  
*Trustee of W.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.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lane Shannon Brauham

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Pondgap

3. County: Hanawha

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 75 yrs. Born April 26 1832

6. Where were you born? Logan County Virginia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Brauham 68 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? claims to be Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>M. H. Brauham</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>May 21 1860</u>
(2)	<u>John W. Brauham</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>Jan. 12 1865</u>
(3)	<u>Milton Brauham</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>Nov. 7 1866</u>
(4)	<u>Cynthia "</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>Aug. 1 1871</u>
(5)	<u>Amie A. "</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>Nov. 17 1873</u>
(6)	<u>Andrew L. "</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>Nov. 13 1877</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Andrew Brauham

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Sabra Brauham

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sabra Estep

12. Where were they born?

Father: County of Pike Kentucky

Mother: County of Pike Kentucky

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Hancock County Ga

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 29 1853

Mother: January 17 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They were not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Branham	about 1841	
	Martha "	about 1826	about 1875
(2)	Lucinda "	" 1828	July 6 1895
	Emily "	" 1836	
(3)	Rebecca -	" 1834	Dec. 1 1881
	Celia -	" 1839	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Branham	Cornelius Estep
Patsy "	Annie Estep

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: (on mother's side)

(1)	<u>Don't know</u>	Sabra Estep
(2)	"	Turner "
(3)	"	Samuel "
(4)	"	Lettie "
(5)	"	Andrew "
(6)	"	Maston "
		Celia "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

*I have not*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*I have frequently heard my mother and grand mother on my mother's side (whose maiden name was Annie Terry) say that they were by blood related to the Cherokee Indians, as those Indians frequently camped near them when passing through that country.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Lane S. Brauham*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July*, 1907.

*Chas. M. Crist*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*(For life or during 190 good behavior)*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*Frederick W. Rucker*

and

*S. L. Brewer*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Lane Shannon Brauham*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *40* years and

*20*

years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Frederick W. Rucker.*

*S. L. Brewer*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July*, 1907.

My commission expires

*(For life or during 190 good behavior)*

*Chas. M. Crist*

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.

U.S. DEPT. OF CLAIMS  
LAUREN CHERCKEES.  
Rec. JUL 26 1907  
No. 31011.

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Ferris, W. Va. 7/27 1907

Guion Miller Esq

Special Commission Claims  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I beg to say in filling out Application blank sent to My Daughter Lillian Carver to Eagle W<sup>a</sup>. that I took the Application to my Uncle James N. Branham & had him make the application he being the eldest. He is now living of my Grandma Julia Branham who was Post Cherokee Indian. We inclosed herewith Application and do not think that it will be much trouble to find all the claimants or those that are entitled to enroll - on my Grandmother's side (the Estes) as all her six (6) Bro & Sister would in now W<sup>a</sup> about the time she died. and their descendants all live now in Kanawha Nicholas & Clay Counties.

Respectfully Yours  
A. White

Ferris, W. Va.

App. #31011.

August 5, 1907.

A. J. White,

Ferris,

West Virginia.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of July 27, 1907, you are advised that the application of Lane Shannon Branham has been received and filed, but this one application will not be sufficient for all of the heirs of Sabra Branham.

The adult children of Mr. Branham should also file applications.

Six application blanks are inclosed, herewith.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

ELC.

6 inclosures.

7.5.9.

Appln. No. 21011.

May 14, 1908.

Lane L. Brecken,  
Bond Cor., Va.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Shore fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Are any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim, and where said ancestor was living in 1835 and 1846.

Give any other information obtainable leading to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 9 1908  
No. 31011.

Application No. 31,011

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Pondgap CD No 6/5/08

To Hon. Gideon Miller

Spe Com Court Claims

Washington D.C.

(see moved family claim in 1851)

Dear Sir: In reply to within questions will say that I think the removal of my parents & grand parents from Kentucky to Virginia may have been the cause of not being enrolled (if they were not) I claim Annie (Terry) Estep who was a niece of John Ross, as my ancestor. I think John Ross was a party to the treaties of 1805-'6 and 1846. We pass as white and none of our ancestors were slaves that we know of. The physique of the Indian is distinctly noticeable in our people, my father & mother were living in Kanawha Co. Va (now WV) in 1851, I think, my grandmother Annie (Terry) Estep died sometime about 1846, I think, and was buried on Blue Creek, Kanawha Co. Va (now WV) near where I live. For further evidence in the see affidavits of Lorenzo S. Hill and others filed with the claim of Joseph R. Hill (my nephew) of Lockwood Nicholas Co, W. Va. I was born in 1832 and remember my grandmother Annie (Terry) Estep and remember, well, her resemblance to the Indians.

Yours truly

S. Branda

[Redacted]

see

(see moved from Key about the yrs 1826-35)

aka

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

No. 31012

Name *Psy Humphris Thompson* and *1* children.

Action:

*Reject*

Reasons:

Residence:

*Little Okla.*

*Grand-child of #17459 Daughter  
of #24105.*

31012

No. 31012

Name Paul Schaefer

With No. 01729

Remarks:

*John*

No. 31012

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Rosy A. Thompson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 29 1907

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'ray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Gas Newton	4 yrs	Feb 8 - 1903
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

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13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where

and with what tribe of Indians: we claim Cherokee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
1122	(1) Sophrona E.		
27441	James Wm		
	(2) Ollie		
✓ 3186	Etter		
41040	(3) Richard W.	Hills, Tex	
	Russel P		
42248	(4) Cara	34	
✓ 30939	Sora Twins	37 35	
	(5)		
	(6)		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Lewis Thompson	Joseph Costley

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Posy Humphreys Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

F. P. Henry

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 6 - 1910, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. M. Dickson  
and J. M. Hughes, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Posy Humphreys Thompson  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for one years and  
years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents  
him to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. M. Hughes  
J. M. Dickson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 6 - 1910, 1908.

F. P. Henry

Notary Public.

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No. 31013

Action: *Rejected*

Name

*Walter J. Davis*

and

X

children.

Residence:

*London, Ohio*

Reasons:

*Alleged Case*

No. 31213

Name Nettie Benson

With No. September 2

Remarks :

No. 350073

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nettie Plevins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Laura

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nettie Blevins

Indian name: Never went by any name but Blevins though I understand the Indian name to be Sizemore

2. Residence and post office: 140 Mulberry St., Fronton

3. County: Lawrence

4. State: Ohio

5. How old are you? 21

Born Nov. 2, 1885

6. Where were you born? Hunnewell, Greenup County, Ky.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: None

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) .....

(2) .....

(3) .....

(4) .....

(5) .....

(6) .....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Edward Blevins

Indian name: Edward Sizemore

Mother—English name: Jane Blevins

Indian name: Jane Sizemore

Maiden name: Jane Harrah

12. Where were they born?

Father: Smith County, Va.

Mother: Hunnewell, Greenup Co., Ky.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Neither living at that time.*

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Dec. 31, 1890.*

Mother: *still living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *Ma*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Cora Blevins</i> <i>Irouton, O.</i>	<i>July 16, 1887</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(2)	<i>Thomas Blevins</i> <i>Irouton, Ohio</i>	<i>June 29, 1889</i>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Ned Blevins</i>	<i>Perry Hannah</i>
<i>Susan "</i>	<i>Sarah (Jones) Hannah</i>

18. Where were they born? *Ned Blevins & Susan Blevins born in North Carolina Perry Hannah, Greenup Co. Ky. Sarah Jones, Wheelersburg Ohio*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *I suppose Ned Blevins & wife in North Carolina Perry Hannah in Hunnewell, Greenup Co. Ky.*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

<i>Ned Blevins &amp; wife</i>	(1)	<i>F. M. Blevins</i>	<i>Hopewell Ky</i>
	(2)	<i>Wm "</i>	<i>Ashland "</i>
	(3)	<i>Susan "</i>	<i>Greenup Co. Ky</i>
	(4)	<i>Eli Blevins</i>	<i>near Hopewell, Ky</i>
	(5)	<i>Margaret Chandler</i>	<i>(Dead)</i>
	(6)	<i>Mary Little</i>	<i>Hunnewell, Greenup Co. Ky.</i>
<i>These are the names of the brothers &amp; sisters of Jane Blevins</i>		<i>Perry Hannah</i>	<i>Riverton Ky</i>
		<i>Ambria Goff</i>	<i>near Waterloo, Ohio</i>
		<i>Elizabeth Canaba</i>	<i>Annister, Washington</i>
		<i>Shade Hannah</i>	<i>Riverton Ky.</i>
		<i>Laura Hartley</i>	<i>Irouton, O.</i>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: know nothing back of information herinbefore given

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) Nattie Blevins.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

L. Cooper  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 17<sup>th</sup> 1910, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Laura Hartley  
and Virgie Zerk, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nattie Blevins who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 21 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Laura Hartley

Virgie Zerk.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> da July, 1907.

My commission expires March 17<sup>th</sup> 1910, 1907.

L. Cooper  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before

the court, if sworn to before an

No. 31014

Action: Admitted

Name: *William E. Smith* and *1* children. Residence: *2200 1/2 1st Ave.*

Reasons:

*William E. Smith and children through the same  
ancestry.*



No. 31014

Name *William Fulton*

With No. 615

Remarks:

No. 31071

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

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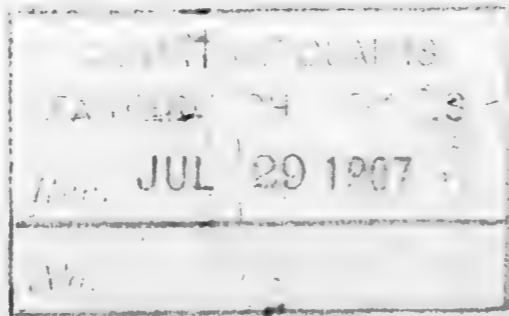
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APPLICATION OF  
OF

**Willie Fulton**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 23, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Willie Fulton  
Indian name: None used
2. Residence and post office: Coffeyville
3. County: Montgomery
4. State: Kansas
5. How old are you? 25 years Born September 29<sup>th</sup> 1882
6. Where were you born? Delaware District Cherokee Nation
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ralph D. Fulton age 27 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? He is white
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James C. Trott .81  
1858  
 Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)  
 Mother—English name: Madora Trott .05  
 Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee) 4222  
 Maiden name: Madora Stover

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: Tennessee April 6, 1839  
 Mother: Cherokee Nation Jan. 25, 1851

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Vinita, I. T.

Mother: Living at Vinita, I. T.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mother and Father on the Emigr at Cherokee roll of 1851, Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880 and are Cherokee allottees

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

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✓ 30535

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Birdie Abney Afton, I. T.	Nov. 25, 1870	Living
(2)	Eugene H. Trott Vinita, I. T.	Mar. 18, 1873	Living
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James J and Rachel P. Trott  
nee Adair.

John H. and Charlotte Stover  
nee Ward

(He was white)

18. Where were they born? All in the Cherokee Nation East.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Paternal Grand-parents in Cherokee County, Kans. Maternal Grandparents in Cherokee Nation.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

FATHERS  
SIDE

	Nannie Adair Vann	Died 1876
(1)	John Ross Trott	Virden, Ill.
	James C. Trott (My Father)	Vinita, I. T.
(2)	Timothy Trott	Died 1862
	Mariah Elizabeth Trott	Died 1862
(3)	William L. Trott	Vinita, I. T.
	Henry Harden Trott	Died 1894.
(4)	Sabrina Large	Died 1885
	Nancy Dameron	Died 1892
(5)	Sarah Hilder brand	Died 1852 or 53
	George Stover	Died 1849
(6)	Elisha Stover	Died 1866
	James Stover	Died 1860
	Louisa Hastings	Maysville, Ark.
	Charlotte Fields	Catoosa, I. T.
	Martha Black	Sterrett, I. T.
	Rogers Stover	Died 1863
	Malinda Trott	Died 1865
	Madora Trott (My Mother)	Vinita, I. T.
	William R. Stover	Needmore, I. T.

MOTHERS  
SIDE

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: On all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since I was born and am a Cherokee allottee.

22 To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Paternal Great Grand-father was Red Watt Adair. My Maternal Great Grand-parents were George and Lucy Ward nee Mayes. They were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835. My Paternal Great Grand-father died before 1851. the others were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1851.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

For further information see the applications of my Father James C. Trott, No. 3508 and my Mother Madora Trott, No. 4332 both of Vinita, I. T.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Willie Fulton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

Charles A. Estlin  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 11<sup>th</sup> 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 George Franklin  
and George Conroy, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Willie Fulton 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.

George Franklin  
George Conroy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

My commission expires

June 12, 1908. Charles A. Estlin  
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. 5000

Action: Permitted

Name: [illegible]

and [illegible] children.

Residence: [illegible]

Reasons:

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No. 31515

Name Jimmie L. Mat

With No. 603

Remarks:

No. 31015

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Jennie Rat

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jennie Raut R R C 20141

Indian name: Ju-wo Co-sta-ri

2. Residence and post office: Mill Hill

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 30 years Born May 20th 1887

6. Where were you born? Cherokee I.T.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Not married

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Charley Greene 5516

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Call. Dief. Lather 604

Indian name: Call. Horn

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation I.T.

Mother: Cherokee Nation I.T.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee Nation I.T.

Mother: Cherokee Nation I.T.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: My mother was on the Cherokee roll of 1851, my father has been on all Cherokee pay rolls since 1884, both on Cherokee allotment for lands.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
3/015 (1)	Jim West 1/2 Bro	1885	Living
	Berna West Sister	1887	"
(2)	Will West 1/2 Bro,	1880	"
	Billy Scraper 1/2 sister	1885	"
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Greene	Ash-horn
Will's Greener	Wattie

18. Where were they born? Old Nation West

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Flint District Cherokee Nation I.T.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Lucia Hopper	Dead
(2)	Will Hopper	"
(3)	Joe Hopper	"
(4)	Lucia Hopper	Flint Dist. I.T.
(5)	Bill Greaser	Brasas I.T.
(6)	Lucia Greaser	Flint Dist. I.T.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have been on all Cherokee rolls since 1894, and on a Cherokee allotte for lands.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father is Charley Grease his father was Grease, my mother Sallie B. Hopper, whose maiden name was A.L. Hopper, her father was Ash-hopper

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. Witnesses to mark

Joseph Hogner  
J. B. Adair

(Signature Jennie's mark her mark)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1907.

Wm. Shannon  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 22nd, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Joseph Hogner

and J. B. Adair, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Jennie's mark

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 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.

Joseph Hogner  
J. B. Adair

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

July 22nd, 1909.

Wm. Shannon  
Notary Public.

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No. 31016-

Action: Rec'd

Name: John J. [unclear] and 6 children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons: [unclear] 126.1

[unclear] and [unclear]

No. 31016

Name Frank Serat

With No. 22231

Remarks:

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No. 130000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

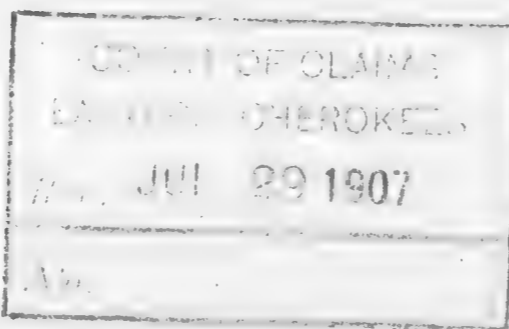
APPLICATION

OF

*Frank Reese*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Frank Serat

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Shilwell

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Ind Ter.

5. How old are you? 40 years Born Aug 11 1865

6. Where were you born? In Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rosa Serat age 29 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? White

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jerry Serat</u>	<u>11 years</u>	<u>Sept 24 1895</u>
(2)	<u>Albert Serat</u>	<u>9 "</u>	<u>Jan. 3, 1897</u>
(3)	<u>Henry Serat</u>	<u>7 "</u>	<u>Dec 8. 1900</u>
(4)	<u>Bill Serat</u>	<u>5 "</u>	<u>Sept 8. 1902</u>
(5)	<u>Avie Serat</u>	<u>4 "</u>	<u>Oct 1. 1903</u>
(6)	<u>George Serat</u>	<u>2 "</u>	<u>Sept. 3. 1905</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jerry Serat

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Margaret Serat

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Margaret Nail

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Missouri

Mother: In Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Known

Mother: Not Known

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died April 11 1881

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
✓ 2457/2 (1)	Cal. Serat	1873	Living
(2)	Lillie Serat		Dead
(3)	Louiza Serat		"
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Serat	Newton Nail
Delilah Serat	Louiza Nail

18. Where were they born? In Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not Known

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Bill Serat	Tom - Nail	Dead
(2)	George Serat, Dead	Jim Nail	"
(3)	Mart Serat	Bill Nail	Living
(4)	Henry Serat	Mary Nail	"
(5)	Cal Serat	Priscilla Nail	"
(6)	Joe Serat Living	Harriet Nail	"
	John Serat	Dead	"
	Sam. Serat	Living	"
	Mary Serat	Living	"
	Mahata	Dead	"
	Polly & Poor	Living	"
	Martin Serat	Living	"



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Unknown

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) Frank Serat

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

Hugh M. Adair  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 21, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W M. Hawkins  
and J. E. Hawkins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Frank Serat who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. M. Hawkins  
J. E. Hawkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov. 21, 1908 Hugh M. Adair  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 21016

*Reject  
notice*

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Mr. ~~John~~ Quinn Miller  
Special Commissioner  
of the ~~Patent~~ Board of  
Claims in New Orleans  
in the Eastern District  
pay amount and I hope  
got no notice if you no  
what is the matter  
please let me know at  
once my ref is 3/216

Yours truly  
Frank Geist

~~Direct~~

Direct 2 ray

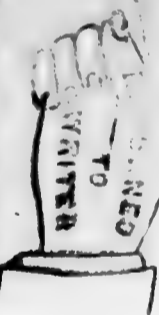
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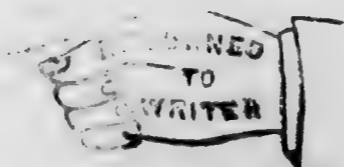
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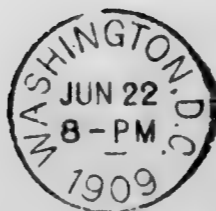
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

*Frank Grant,  
Stimul, Okla-*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 31016, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 31017.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary C. Nichols* and *7* children. Residence: *Borham, Texas*  
*R.F.D. 7 Box 74*

Reasons:

*Note - of Ora E. C. Hunt appl. no. 4531 and  
Claims thru the same source.*

No. 31017  
Name Mary C. Nichols  
With No. ~~4531~~  
Remarks: 4 July



*Suppl.*

No. 31017

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Couch Nichols.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 29 1907

*C/E*

**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Couch Nichols.

Indian name: Mary Couch.

2. Residence: ~~Leonard, Texas, Rannin Co.~~ Bonham,

3. Town and post office: ~~Leonard, Texas.~~ Texas

4. County: Rannin Co.

5. State: Texas.

6. Date and place of birth: April 19, 1860. 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 Parentage. Eastern Cherokee.

Through one relative only- Father.

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Henry Nichols. 49 yrs.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Orrel G. Couch.

Indian name: Orrel G. Kouch.

Mother—English name: Nannie M. Wilson Couch.

Indian name: No Indian blood.

Maiden name: Nannie M Wilson.

11. Where were they born?

Father: virginia.

Mother: kentucky.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: kentucky.

Mother: kentucky.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Aug. 3, 1879.

Mother: Aug. -, 1901.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Alice G. Couch Holt	July 14, 1849	Living.
(2) Leon L. Couch	May 27, 1851,	Sept. 1, 1882.
(3) Kate M. Couch	Feb. 27, 1853.	April 18, '6
(4) Galedena Couch Hunt	Sept 18, 1854.	Living.
(5) Ora E Couch Hunt,	April 27, 1858	Living.
(6) John W. Couch	Nov. 14, 1866.	Living.
Otis L. Couch	Feb. 16, 1873,	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 Couch	Mary Couch
John Kouch	Mary Kouch

17. Where were they born? Virginia.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Not living.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Elizabeth S. Couch  
Indian name: Elizabeth S. Kouch.  
Residence: Not living

(2) English name: Mirah A. Couch  
Indian name: Mirah A. Kouch  
Residence: Not living

(3) English name: John S. Couch  
Indian name: John S. Kouch  
Residence: Not living

(4) English name: James D. Couch  
Indian name: James D. Kouch  
Residence: Not living

(5) English name: Mary A. Couch  
Indian name: Mary A. Kouch  
Residence: Not living

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. No.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Orrel G. Couch, Orrel G. Couch, -Father.  
John Couch, John Couch - Grand Father.  
Nannie Wilson Couch- Mother.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Mary Couch Nichols*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1909

*A. S. Browning*

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *T. M. Durham* and *Sarah C. Durham*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary Couch Nichols*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *47* years and *27* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.  
*T. M. Durham*  
*Sarah C. Durham*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

*June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1909

*A. S. Browning*  
*Fannin Co Texas*

Notary Public.

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*her* are true, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*M. W. Gibson*  
*B. A. Gibson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires *Jan 1 1908*, 190

*A. S. Brumby*  
Notary Public.

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No. *31017*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Mary C. Nichols*  
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. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Mary Couch Nichols
2. Residence and post office: Leeward Pky. B# 2
3. County: Franklin
4. State: Pexas
5. Date and place of birth: Missouri Webster Co. April 19-1860
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Henry Nichols 48
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>Albert Nichols</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>May 18-1889</u>
(2)	<u>Ada Nichols</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Dec. 14-1890</u>
(3)	<u>Roy Nichols</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>July 21-1892</u>
(4)	<u>Laura Nichols</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Sept. 17-1894</u>
(5)	<u>Homer Nichols</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Aug 14-1898</u>
(6)	<u>Houston Nichols</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Nov-19-1901</u>
	<u>Vera Nichols</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>May-2-1905</u>

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary Couch Nichols

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

A. D. Brumby  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires June 1909, 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 M. W. Gibson and B. A. Gibson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Couch Nichols who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
M. W. Gibson  
B. A. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

A. S. Brauning  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 1st, 1909.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 31617

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Mary C. Nichols  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



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EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 20 1907



" State of Arkansas  
County of Crawford 33"

" Be it remembered that on this the 20 day of August 1892, personally appeared before me Geo. W. Vann who is a reliable and creditable citizen of Sequoyah Dist., Cherokee Nation I. T. and after being by me duly sworn according to law says that he is a resident of Sequoyah Dist. Cherokee Nation I. T., that his age is 77 years, and his occupation is that of a minister, and that he was well and personally acquainted with John and Mary Couch of Virginia who are both Cherokee Indians by blood, about 1/4 Cherokee by blood. Affiant makes this his sworn statement from his own personal acquaintance with the Couch family; affiant further states that he is not directly or indirectly interested in the prosecution of the heirs of the said John and Mary Couch for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation I. T. "

*Geo. W. Vann*  
*Minister*

" Subscribed and sworn to before me Aug. 20, 1892 "

"H. D. Howers, Clerk Circuit Court, Crawford Co. Ark.

By A. P. Sandler, D. C. "

(Exact copy of the original)

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EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 29 1907

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" Cherokee Nation  
Indian Territory

" As it is remembered that on this the 23 day of April 1898  
personally appeared before me Walt Christie who is a reliable  
citizen of Going Snake District, Cherokee Nation, I. T. And  
after being by me duly sworn according to law says that he is a  
resident of Going Snake district Cherokee, Nation, I. T. That  
his age is 26 and his occupation is that of a farmer, and that he  
was well acquainted with John and Mary Couch in the state of  
Virginia and that they both, John and Mary Couch, were Cherokee  
Indians by blood, about 1/4 Cherokee by blood, affianced makes  
this his sworn statement from his own personal knowledge and  
acquaintance with the Couch family of Virginia. Affiant further  
states that they are not directly or indirectly interested in  
the prosecution of the aforesaid heirs for citizenship in the  
Cherokee Nation, I. T. Sworn and subscribed to before me this  
Aug. 22, 1898.

" J. B. Chate, Deputy Clerk,  
Flint Dist., C. N. "

" <sup>his</sup> Walt + Christie"  
may

(Exact copy of original)

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN DISTRICTS  
JULY 15 1907

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

App. No . 23562

June 7, 1907.

Otis L. Hunt,  
Aylesworth, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 23562, which is returned herewith for the signature and acknowledgment of two witnesses.

You will please give this matter prompt attention and return to this Office without delay.

Very respectfully,

*Orion Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

*Dear Sir -  
Enclosed find signature  
& acknowledgment of witnesses  
as per your request.*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 6 1908  
No. 21017

JAN 9 1908

Bonham Tex

Jan 1. 1905.

Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims.

Gentlemen Please

Send me mail concerni  
ng my claim to

P.O. Box 741

Bonham Tex

Mary Couch Nichols

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circ. let.

NOV 2 1917



Bonham Tex  
Nov 23. 1887.

Dear Mr. ... I have  
written you some time ago and  
have not heard from you.  
I would be glad to  
hear from you in  
regard to my claim  
Please let me hear  
at once. If you can  
give me any information  
about my rights  
and value

Yours truly  
M. C. ...

R-1. ...

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 17 1909  
*No.* 31817

Permanence of  
Memory

For a long time  
I have been thinking  
of the various ways  
in which the  
mind is able to  
retain its impressions  
of things and  
of the various  
factors which  
influence this  
process.

It is a very  
interesting  
subject and  
one which  
has attracted  
the attention  
of many  
philosophers  
and psychologists.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Books

The number of books  
in the library is 9  
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in the library is 9

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*enc. let.*

FEB 9 1909

x

Bonham

Feb 4. 1909.

Swiss Miller, Spec. com.  
Sir. I would be pleased  
to know whether or  
not I will receive  
my Part of the Eastern  
Cherokee - funds as  
soon as possible.  
Yours  
G. W. Miller

Miss Mary Louise Nichols

Bonham

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. APR 12 1909  
No. 31017

enc. let.



Bonham Texas

April 7. 1904.

Dear Sir. I have just  
received your letter  
and will give you  
my best attention in  
the Indian land matter  
and also my kind regards  
I am still looking  
forward to my right  
you are  
Yours truly

W. H. Jones

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
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*notice*  
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Copy for the  
June 11, 1881

Dear Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge  
the receipt of your letter of the  
11th inst. and in reply to inform  
you that the same has been  
forwarded to the proper  
authorities for their consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
J. W. [Name]

J. W. [Name]

[Address]

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Exp:

R. J. 93 Bond - 7  
Nov 4.

Handwritten notes, possibly describing a bond or financial transaction.

Handwritten notes, possibly a signature or date.

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Exp.

Rt. J. 93 Bank of T.  
Nov 4.

Received of the  
Bank of T. the sum of  
\$100.00 for the  
month of Nov. 1893  
to wit for the  
month of Nov. 1893  
the sum of \$100.00

Wm. H. [unclear]  
[unclear]

[unclear]

App. No. 31017.

November 8, 1909.

Mary Couch Nichols,  
Route #7, Box 95,  
Bonham, Texas.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of November 4, 1909, you are advised that the time for filing exceptions to my report has been extended to November 15, 1909, and it will probably be some time after that date before the decision, in any particular case in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

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The exception you have filed in your case will be given due consideration.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

TIC.

No. 3/105

Action: Report

Name: B. L. ... and 1 children. Residence: ... Co.

Reasons: ...

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Name Certie L. Ryan

With No. Poundstone

Remarks:

No. 31018

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

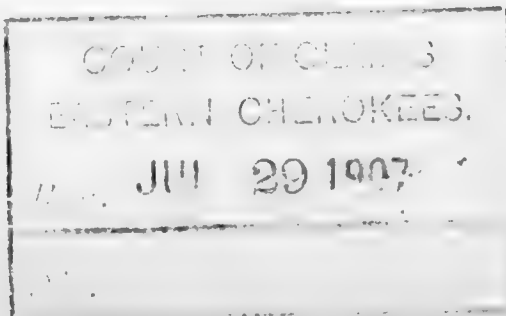
APPLICATION

OF

*Bertie L. Pinyan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Bertie Lee Runyan.

Indian name: Pedge

2. Residence and post office: Frank Purity Ark.

3. County: Clark

4. State: Ark

5. How old are you? 22 Born Jan 3, 1885.

6. Where were you born? Dallas Polk Co. Ark.

7. Are you married? I am

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Cue Dallas Runyan age 24 years.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Verona Christine Runyan</u>	<u>21 months old</u>	<u>10 Sep. 23, 1905</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Noel Parrish

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Susan Elisabeth Parrish.

Indian name: Pedge

Maiden name: Cross

12. Where were they born?

Father: Polk Co., Ark.

Mother: Polk Co., Ark.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: June 3, 1896

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 3, 1896

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Garland Joshua Parrish	Nov. 27, 1881.	Memphis Ga
	Dora Linn Parrish	March 13, 1883.	Ink Ark
(2)	Isaac J. C. Clingman Parrish	March 20, 1887.	
	Fannie Louisa Parrish	Dec. 22, 1888.	
(3)	Corra Ethel Parrish	June 20, 1890	
	Eduwin Doyle Parrish	August 17, 1893.	
(4)	Joseph Anderson Parrish	May 24, 1895.	
	Gula Edna Peindexter Chambers	May 9, 1901	[Half sister]
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Garland Parrish	Joshua Harn Cross
Born in Tenn	Corn Bedford Co., Tenn.
Emily Jane Parrish	Elizabeth Linn Cross
Born Saline Co., Ark.	Indian name Pedge.
	Born in Tenn.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All resided in Arkansas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Mary Jane Garner
(2)	Res. Unity Ark.
(3)	Linn Martha Harris
(4)	Res. Ink Ark.
(5)	Susan Elizabeth Chambers
(6)	Res. Ink Ark.

*Parrish children all dead.*

Bertie Runyan.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Elisabeth Ann Cross maiden name Chingman  
Indian name Pedge Alexander Brandon Chingman Indian name Pedge.  
and Anne Martha Chingman Indian name Pedge.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Thomas Pindexter married Bertie Pedge Indian girl and their son Francis Pindexter married Jane Patella; they had two daughters Jane and Anne; Peter Chingman married Anne Pindexter and Jacob Chingman Peter's brother married Jane Pindexter, and Peter's and Anne's son Alexander Brandon Chingman married Jacob and Jane daughter Anne Martha Chingman and their daughter Elisabeth Ann Chingman was my grandmother.  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Bertie Lee Runyan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. J. Grubbe

Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 7<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 W. J. Grubbe

and H. J. Poling, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Bertie Lee Runyan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and

6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by them 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. J. Grubbe  
H. J. Poling

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

January 7<sup>th</sup>, 1911.

W. J. Grubbe

Notary Public.

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No. 31014

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Frank H. Johnson* and *1* children. Residence: *Urbana, Ill.*

Reasons: *Under the Case.*

No. 1019

Name Frank H. Johnson

With No. "Pioneer"

Remarks:

No. 31019

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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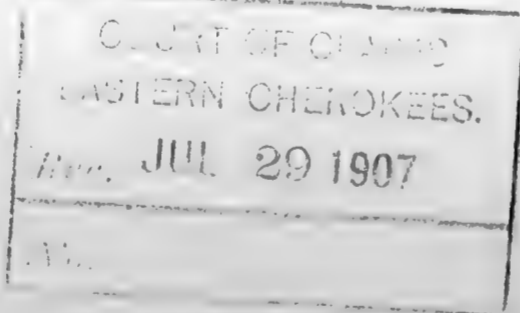
APPLICATION

OF

*Frank H. Johnson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31019



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Frank Henry Johnson

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Utana Ill. RR #8

3. County: Champaign

4. State: Ill.

5. How old are you? 26 Born May 26, 1881

6. Where were you born? Near Utana Ill.

7. Are you married? No.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary Anne Delitha Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary Anne Delitha Apperson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Utana Illinois

Mother: Southern part of Illinois

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: died September 2, 1899.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
29487 (1)	Cora <u>Johnson</u>	Oct 11 - 1883	
(2)	Mae <u>Johnson</u>	Jan 21 - 1887	
(3)	Otie <u>Johnson</u>	Sept 27 1859	
(4)	Ralph <u>Johnson</u>	Dec 27 1893	
(5)	Floesie <u>Johnson</u>	June 8 1896	
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Joel Johnson

Francis Pledge Apperson

Ruth Ann Johnson

Patience Apperson

18. Where were they born? Francis Pledge & Patience Apperson in Surry & Stokes Co North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Surry Co North Carolina,

Joel & Ruth Ann Johnson in Champaign Co near Urbana Ill

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible Illinois.

(1) John Johnson Francis Pledge Emma & Eliza Urbana Ill

(2) Miles Johnson Head Apperson "

(3) Lucy Johnson Head Francis Loe Apperson "

(4) Erwin Johnson Head Francis Peter Apperson "

(5) Urbana Ill. Mary Ann Delitha Johnson Deceased

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: W.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Francis & Patience Apperson  
Jim & Lillitha Apperson John & Betty Apperson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Betty Poin Dexter was my Grandfather Apperson's  
Great Aunt. & her husband was a Cousin of my  
Grandfather Apperson's Grandfather.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Frank Henry Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

L. A. M. Lean  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

February 20<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 George Walter Stodd

and A. S. Boyd, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Frank Henry Johnson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. Walter Stodd

A. S. Boyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

February 20<sup>th</sup>, 1911.

L. A. M. Lean  
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. 31020.

Action: *Rejects*

Name *Flurence Hermspy* and *1* children.

Residence: *Sheridan Ind*

Reasons: *Misc of # 27027*

No. 31020

Name *John D. Gray*

With No. 29028

Remarks:

*Waco #27027,*

No. 31020

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Florence Lempsey*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. H. Matthews*

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31020

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Florence Dempsey

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Sheridan P. F. D. # 21. Box 86.

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 44 Born June 11, 1863

6. Where were you born? Franklin County, Indiana

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William F. Dempsey age 62

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Edgar Dempsey</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>June 28, 1886</u>
(2)	<u>Flossie Dempsey</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Nov. 22 1897</u>
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William A. Matthews 23277

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Mary E. Matthews 3211-3

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Mary E. Scipion

12. Where were they born?

Father: Franklin County, Indiana

Mother: Rush County, Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Rush County, Ind.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
✓ 35677	(1) William M. Matthews age 48. Indianapolis, Ind.	June 23 1859	
	(2) Frances Roberts age 46. Atlanta, Ind.	Aug. 29. 1861	
	(3) Alice Dempsey age 42. Westfield, Ind.	Feb. 15. 1865	
	(4) Lou. P. Sweatt age 39. Westfield, Ind.	May 28. 1868	
27684	(5) Laura Roberts age 33. Atlanta, Ind.	Mar. 31. 1874	
31199	(6) Rhoda Roberts - age 31 -	Mar. 30. 1876	Noblesville, Ind.
29459	(7) Milton Matthews - age 24 -	May 10 1882	Atlanta, Ind.

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Do not know

Jacob Simpson  
Martha Simpson - her maiden  
name was Martha Matthews

18. Where were they born? Halifax County, North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Do not know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Jacob Simpson Jr. State of Michigan
- (2) Mary E. Matthews. Atlanta, Ind.
- (3) Samuel Roberts Atlanta, Ind.
- (4) Ora Mahoney Decatur, Mich.
- (5) Melinda Mahoney Decatur, Mich.
- (6) Eliza Keen Grand Rapids, Mich.
- (7) Martha Lawson Jacksonville, Ills.
- (8) Lurilla Cisco Pearl, Mich.
- (9) Julia Young Pueblo, Colo.
- (10) Eli Simpson State of Michigan.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My grand<sup>mother</sup> other on my mother's side was Martha Watkins - born in 1817 - died July 8, 1889 - aged 70 years

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My great grand<sup>mother</sup> was Patience Watkins and was 1/2 Cherokee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness: Algodia Winburn (Signature) Florence + Dempsey <sup>her</sup>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Geow Du Bois  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct. 11, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Algodia Winburn

and Rhoda Roberts, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Florence Dempsey

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

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.

Algodia Winburn  
Rhoda Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct. 11, 1909. Geow Du Bois  
Notary Public.

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Washington DC. to 10 way  
building

Gentleman- we received our cards  
and would like to have some advice  
about them some say we have to send  
the cards back and others say it is  
just the number please write and  
let us know is there any prospect of  
us getting any money and how soon  
will it be write soon

Respectfully yours  
Florence Dempsey

Direct your letters to Sheridan Indiana  
R.R. Route 26 Box 86  
Florence Dempsey

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Sheridan Inst

April 7, 1905

Genevieve thought I would write to you when  
we joined the Cherokee. I thought that my  
great grand mother was a Cherokee Indian and that  
was why you I suppose.

Our first day in the new place was  
the first day of school. I went at 8 o'clock  
to be with the Patience with the school.

No. 31021

Action: Reject

Name: Walter P. Parnell and 2 children. Residence: East St. Louis, Ill.

Reasons: circumstances. &c.

Walter through the same source as 0-70-

No. 31221

Name *S. Purdon*

With No. 10996

Remarks:



No. 31021

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mattie A. Gardner*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31021

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mattie Sylvia Parden

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: East St. Louis, Illinois 1523, Exchange, Ave.

3. County: St. Clair

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 39 Born March 29, 1868

6. Where were you born? Fort Valley, Ga.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Noah Walter Parden 41

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Don't know

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Frank Broyles Parden</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1895</u>
(2)	<u>Lillian Parden</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1900</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Frank Broyles

Father—English name: Frank Broyles

Indian name: Don't know

Mother—English name: Sidney Broyles

Indian name: Don't know

Maiden name: Sidney Broyles

12. Where were they born?

Father: Burkham County, North Carolina

Mother: Green County, Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Green County, Tennessee

Mother: Green County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1890 Dalton, Ga

Mother: Still living at Dalton, Ga

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Have not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Benj. Broyles</u>	<u>Feb 19, 1848</u>	
	<u>Jack Broyles</u>		
(2)	<u>Chattanooga, Tenn.</u>	<u>Nov 5, 1850</u>	
(3)	<u>Mary Sapp</u>	<u>Oct. 10, 1854</u>	
	<u>Dalton, Ga.</u>		
(4)	<u>Alice Mayer</u>	<u>Jan. 4, 1859</u>	
	<u>Mountain, Tenn.</u>		
(5)	<u>Luvonia Miller</u>	<u>Oct. 10, 1863</u>	
	<u>Chattanooga</u>		
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Long Jack

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Don't know

(2)

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Cannot tell of them.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am the daughter of Sidney Broyles whose number is 5170 under the recent claim for Indian money

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mattie Sylvia Parden.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>d</sup> day of July 1907.

Wm Sapp Clerk & Co  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 31<sup>st</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 H. C. Hamilton

and W. Sapp, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mattie Sylvia Parden

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. C. Hamilton

W. Sapp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>d</sup> day of July

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1908

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a Notary Public or Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be made before a Justice of the Peace.

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*F. F. P.*

Appln. No. 3102/-10994.

February 5, 1908.

Miss Sylvia Gordon,  
1131 Exchange Avenue,  
East St. Louis, Illinois.

Relative to your application for participation  
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims  
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether  
any of your grandparents were ever enrolled? If so, state  
when, where and under what name? Have you never been  
enrolled? Are any of your ancestors slaves? Have any  
of your ancestors ever lived with the tribe since 1800?

Please state clearly your reasons for thinking  
that you are a descendant of the Cherokees?

Give any other information obtainable tending  
to establish your right to participate in this fund.

Answers will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

#3102  
#10994  
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No. 310221

Action: Admitted

Name Nancy D. Adair and 2 children. Residence: Muskogee, Okla

Reasons:

Mother born abt 1857.  
Grandmother # 6591 same group,  
enrolled as Nancy McLean, 260 Illi.  
Grand-niece of # 4054.

No. 31022

Name Nancy D. Adair

With No. 4034

Remarks:



Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 12678-9-80.

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each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 3328-9-30 on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said Court March 15, 1910.

To: Commercial Natl Bk,  
Indian Wells, Kans.

No. 31022

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy D. Adair*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
ESTABLISHED BY ACT OF MARCH 3, 1891  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nancy D. Adair

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Mustogee

3. County: Mustogee

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 22 Born Aug 22, 1885

6. Where were you born? Illinois Dist. Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John E. Adair age 46

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Margaret B.</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>July 5, 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Kitty E.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Jan. 30, 1905</u>
(3)			
(4)			
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(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Samuel Wadkins

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Nannie Wadkins

Indian name: Unknown

Maiden name: Nannie Pair

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois Dist. C. N.

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Born

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

✓  
28826  
1894  
935

Father: Living

Mother: March 1886

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Drew money in 1894.

Enrolled by Daws Comm. Cherokee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
1899	(1) Alex. Watkins	Unknown	
	(2) Samuel " Jr	"	
	(3) Grover "	"	
	(4) Cona G. "	"	
	(5) Clarence "	"	
	(6) John W. "	"	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Nancy Morrow

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Stacy M<sup>c</sup> Daniel

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18. Where were they born? Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois Dist - C.R.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: New money in 1874.  
Enrolled by Laws Com. Cherokee

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great grandmother  
on Father side Bellah McLain

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) Nancy D. Adair

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1907.

R. E. Coon  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 31, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. N. Patterson

and W. H. Keys, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Nancy D. Adair

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and

5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

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. N. Patterson

W. H. Keys

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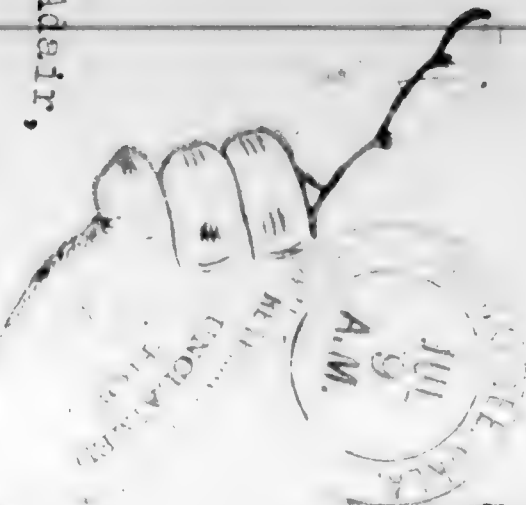
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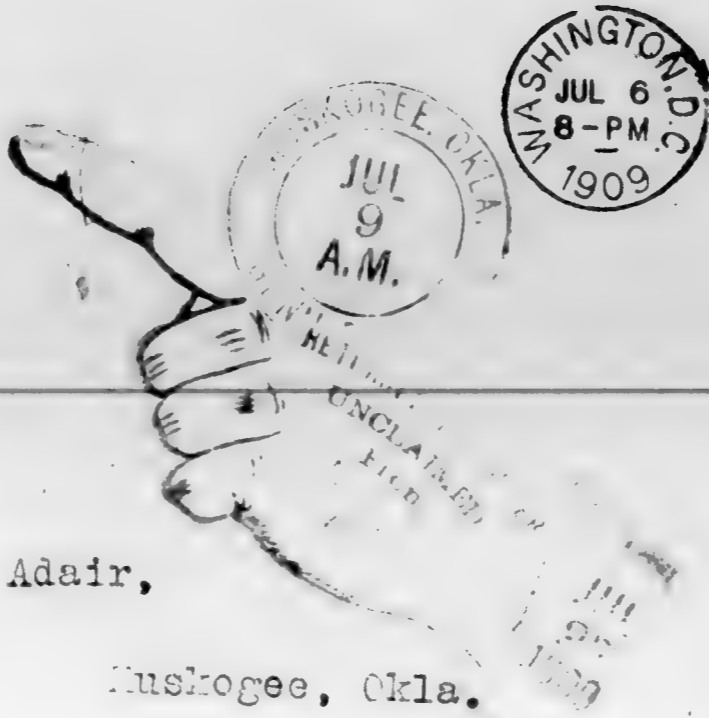
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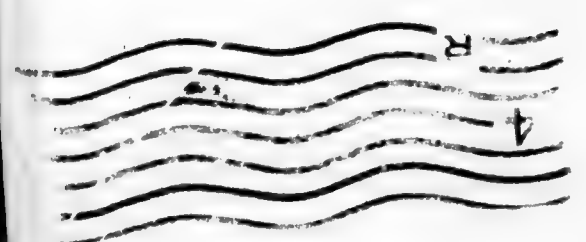
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*Nancy D. Adair,  
Muskogee, Okla.*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

You are hereby notified that in my report to the Court of Claims of May 28, 1909, I have enrolled you and your <sup>2</sup> 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 *3328-*

A copy of all the names enrolled by me as entitled to participate in said fund has been forwarded to the following places, where said roll may be examined:

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.

Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla.

The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.

The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma.

The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.

The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.

The Clerk of Courts at:--

North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.

Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.

Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.

Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega,

Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiawassee, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, have been printed and will be sold at \$2.50 each, and the proceeds applied to the cost of printing.

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,254 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

The Court of Claims in its order of June 10, 1909, has directed that all exceptions to my report shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., to be filed in the Court on or before the 30th day of August, 1909.

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909.

Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

Please retain this circular and present it at the time of payment.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 31023

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Julia Riddler* and *3* children.

Residence: *Orlando, Fla.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of #27571.*

No. 31022 et al

Name *George W. ...*

With No. 29 71

Remarks:

No. 31023

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

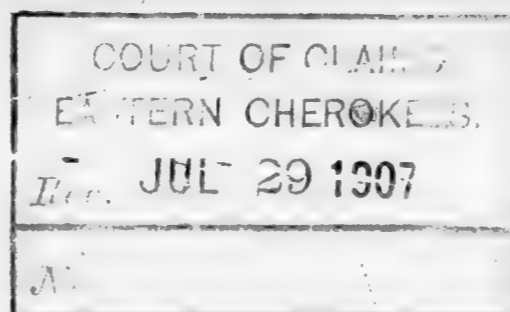
APPLICATION

OF

*Julia 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.

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31023

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: Julia Riddle -- named twice from name <sup>Julia</sup> ~~Franklin~~

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: ~~Washington~~ Clark County,

3. County: Clatsop Oregon, Cook Co.

4. State: Washington Texas.

5. How old are you? 80 Born Sept. 29 - 1876

6. Where were you born? Madison County, Arkansas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Josiah Riddle - 47-

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Franklin Riddle -</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>March 31 - 1896</u>
(2)	<u>Lee "</u>	<u>10 mth</u>	<u>Sept 21 - 1897.</u>
(3)	<u>Grant Riddle -</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Nov 5 1901.</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

William Surak J. Hochstetler, (Maiden) Golbert - <sup>John</sup> Stephen H. Hochstetler

Father—English name: see above -

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: none

Indian name: see above

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Indiana - don't know where

Mother: Franklin County, Arkansas - April 29 - 1842 -

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Either in Cherokee Nation or Arkansas - don't know which  
Mother: ✓

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 27 - 1898  
Mother: " 6 - 1899

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Emily Smith Wich. Oklahoma	July 24 - 1867	Living
(2)	Grant Hochstetler	Aug - 8 - 1869	Aug - 18 - 1904
(3)	May Crawford	April 3 - 1871	Aug 18 - 1901
(4)	Geo. Hochstetler Wich. Oklahoma	May - 11 - 1873	
Twins	(5) Oliver Hochstetler	June 12 - 1881	June 22 - 1897
	(6) William Hochstetler Gene & Lu - Ind. Tex.	June 12 - 1881	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Samuel Hochstetler	William Calbort
May "	Emile "
don't know who	Maiden name & map tree
born	born June 22 - 1811 - at
	Clarksville - Tenn -

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Either in Cherokee Nation or Arkansas - can't say which -

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Wade Calbort - I think he lives in Arkansas -
- (2) Susah f. Hochstetler (my mother) dead -
- (3) Nancy Mandan Hall - dead
- (4) Nandy Shook - (sister) Russell - Ind. Tex.
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: See question #17-

Don't know Indian names-

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My grandfath on my mother's side claimed to be half blood Chinook Indian and I was always taught that this was true

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Julia Riddle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 1907.

W. F. Stapleton  
Notary Public for Washington, Notary Public.  
residing at Vancouver.

My commission expires

Feb 7-, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. W. Powers  
and B. F. Powers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Julia Riddle 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. W. Powers  
B. F. Powers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb-7-, 1908

W. F. Stapleton  
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No. 31024

Action: Reject

Name: Uca @ Poe and 4 children.

Residence: Rockford, Ill. 61101 N.C.

Reasons:

Nephew of #21092. Claims through same source

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No. <sup>2</sup>1024

Name *Ada C. Cox*

With No. 21092

Remarks:

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No. 31024

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ala G. Coon*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Aca C Coe

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Rockford RFD #1

3. County: Surry

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 46 years Born April 1<sup>st</sup> 1861

6. Where were you born? in Surry County N. C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Adine Coe age 49 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>A. Thurston Coe</u>	<u>24 years</u>	<u>Nov 19<sup>th</sup> 1882</u>
(2)	<u>Ernest C. Coe</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1884</u>
(3)	<u>Ira W. Coe</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Mar 19<sup>th</sup> 1887</u>
(4)	<u>Wiser E. Coe</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Feb 7<sup>th</sup> 1889</u>
(5)	<u>Cora L. Coe</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>July 27<sup>th</sup> 1891</u>
(6)	<u>Parra &amp; Pasha Twins</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Jan 28<sup>th</sup> 1896</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jackson Coe

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Julina Coe

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Julina Stanly

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Surry Co. N. C.

Mother: in " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in surry Co N.C.

Mother: in Surry Co N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

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Father: living

Mother: died in the 1877

15. 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

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

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	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Plutina Coe Rockford N.C.	Aug 1856	
(2)	Milton Y. Coe Mt Airy N.C.	1863	
(3)	Leonard M. Coe Rockford N.C.	1865	
(4)	Hiram E. Coe Rockford N.C.	1867	
(5)	Mina J. Hutson Rockford N.C.	1869	
(6)	James M. Coe Thos W. Coe Rockford N.C.	1871 1873	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Coe Garrat Stanly

Gincy Coe Jemima Stanly

18. Where were they born? all in surry Co N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Surry Co N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: I can not give this

further than

(1) Haney McGee Dobson N.C.

(2) Arnold Coe Mt Airy N.C.

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never were enrolled

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

My Mother Juliana Coe daughter of Gemina Stanley born prior to 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grandmother Gemina Stanley (maiden name) Smith daughter of Ned Smith whose father was a Cherokee Indian I dont know his name

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Aca. C. Coe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

W. W. Hampton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. L. Reece

and G. H. Crissman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Aca. C. Coe

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. L. Reece

G. H. Crissman

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My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

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No. 91025

Action: Requested

Name Josie O. Ridge and no children. Residence: Mitchell, Tenn.

Reasons:

First Cousin once removed of 2194

No. 31075

Name John H. Page

Wish No. 2194

Remarks:

No. 31025

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

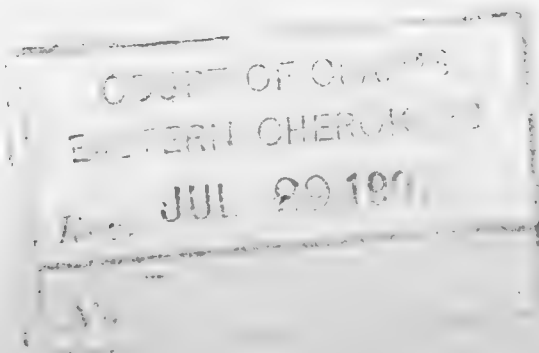
APPLICATION

OF

*Jasie Niorly Ridge*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

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1. State full name—

English name: Jessie Naisy Ridge

Indian name: of Cherokee tribe

2. Residence and post office: Whitwell

3. County: Marion

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? I was Born March 27<sup>th</sup> 1886

6. Where were you born? at Whitwell Tenn

7. Are you married? yes husband has filed application

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charley C. Clark Ridge

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? to the Cherokee tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	My husband Charley Ridge has		
(2)	heretofore filed my children		
(3)	names and ages in his		
(4)	application		
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: L. L. Gannaway

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Mary Jane Ridge Gannaway

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: was Mary Jane Ridge

12. Where were they born?

Father: father was born in east Tenn

Mother: was born at Whitwell Tenn

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13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Bath or living

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I think father did on

and for Mathus claims on a Cherokee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
✓ 35773 (1)	J. B. Jaraway	July 29	1884
(2)	J. V. Jaraway	March 27	1886
(3)	P. W. "	Parue Nov 24 <sup>th</sup>	1887
(4)	F. U. "	Parue Nov 30 <sup>th</sup>	1890
(5)		Parue Oct 21	1891
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE: David Ridge Cherokee on Grand father's side Cherokee on My Mother's side  
 MOTHER'S SIDE: Martha Bailey  
She is a daughter of David Ridge

18. Where were they born? at or in Marion Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Marion Co State of Tenn

20. Give names of all their children and residence, if possible:
- (1) Frank Ridge PO Ridge Dale Chatt
  - (2) Fester Jaraway Tenn
  - (3) Mary Jaraway PO Whitwell
  - (4) James Ridge Tenn
  - (5) The above is the names of my
  - (6) Grand father's children David Ridge  
who lived and died on the Cherokee  
Indian Reservation

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Was Never enrolled before

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grand Parents father was Barn June 1833 grand Mother Barn June 8th 1834

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My father was Barn March 30th 1840  
Mathew Barn Feb. the 28th 1841 and My  
Grand father on Mathew side lived on the  
Indian Reservation before he died.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Josie Viola Ridge)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 12th day of July 1907.

J. H. White  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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R. F. White

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July 1909 J. H. White  
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No. 31026

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Jos. W. Dutton* and *4* children.

Residence: *Okeimah, A.T.*

Reasons:

*Spencer Case*

No. 31026-7

Name George W. Duke

With No. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: "Sycamore"



No. 10000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*George W. Sutton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**FILED BY**  
**ANDERSON B. CAGLE**  
CLAIM AGENT  
KONAWA, INDIANA

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 20 1907

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

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1. State full name:
  - English name: GEORGE W. SIZEMORE
  - Indian name: ...
2. Residence and post office: ...
3. County: ...
4. State: ...
5. How old are you? ... Born at ...
6. Where were you born? ...
7. Are you married? ...
8. Name and age of wife or husband: ...
9. To what tribe of Indians does he belong? ...
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME	AGE	SEX
...	...	...
...	...	...
...	...	...
...	...	...
...	...	...

11. Name of your mother and father, and your mother's name before marriage:

My mother's name before marriage: Luanna Dutton

My father's name: ...

My mother's name: Luanna Sizemore

My father's name: ...

My mother's name: ...

My father's name: ...

...

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: ~~XXXXXX~~ George W. Dutton

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Okemah, ~~INDIAN TERRITORY~~

3. County: Western Judicial District

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? forty two Born on the 6 day of October, 1865

6. Where were you born? Fayetteville, in the state of Arkansas.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband My wife's name is Ella Dutton and is 37 years old.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or ~~she~~ belong? Cherokee Indian Tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Floyd Dutton	16 years old.	On 29 March, 1891
(2)	Gertha Dutton	14 year old.	On Jan., 18, 1893.
(3)	Robert Dutton	12 years old.	On Dec., 27, 1895.
(4)	Bertha Dutton	5 years old.	On 23 of March, 1902.
(5)	George W. Dutton JR.	1 year old.	On June, 12, 1906.
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jack Dutton

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Luanna Dutton

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Luanna Sizemore

12. Where were they born?

Father: born in the state of Virginia but do not know where

Mother: born in the state of Kentucky but do not know the place.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Near Fayetteville, in the state of Arkansas.

Mother: Near Fayetteville, in the state of Arkansas.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: not dead

Mother: not dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: ~~they were enrolled~~ my mother was enrolled as a Cherokee Indian

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
35335 34234 32848	(1) Sarah Ellen Gibson		She is about forty and still living.
	(2) Jack Gibson		He is about thirty eight years old and is still living.
3265 33	(3) Frank Gibson		He is about twenty eight years old and is still living.
√35144	(4) Mack Gibson		He is about twenty six years old and is still living.
√35839	(5) Livu Gibson		He is about twenty four years old and is still living.

(6) Racey Gibson She is about twenty two years old and is still living; Also Arthur Gibson who is about 19 years old and is still living.

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>James Dutton, Grandfather</u>	<u>Ephraim Sizemore</u>
<u>I do not know the name of my Grand mother.</u>	<u>Neema Sizemore</u>

18. Where were they born? They were born in the state of Kentucky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? my grandfather Ephraim Sizemore was dead at 1851 but my grandmother was living in Ark., in 1851.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>George Sizemore</u>	<u>at Dutton, Ark.</u>
(2) <u>Jack Sizemore</u>	<u>residence unknown.</u>
(3) <u>Luanna Sizemore</u>	<u>at Spring Valley, Ark.</u>
(4) <u>Russel Sizemore</u>	<u>at Dutton, Ark.</u>
(5) <u>Nancy Sizemore</u>	<u>at Spring Valley, Ark.</u>
(6) <u>Hiram Sizemore</u>	<u>died about 1884</u>
(7) <u>Kit Sizemore</u>	<u>died about ten years old</u>
(8) <u>Elizabeth Sizemore,</u>	<u>at Spring Valley, Ark.,</u>
(9) <u>Martha Jane Sizemore</u>	<u>residence unknown.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no. I have never been enrolled.

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: none of my parents had any Indian name that I am aware of.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have some very near relatives on the Sizemore side who have proven their rights in the Cherokee nation. One of my uncles but I am not sure which until I write them and see.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

George W. Dutton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July 1907.

Geed T. Huddleston  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 12 1909, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Hennessee

and W. T. Evans, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with George W. Dutton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 1/2 years and

2 1/2 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Hennessee  
W. T. Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July 1907.

Geed T. Huddleston  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 12, 1909, 1909

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION

Power of Attorney and  
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For

*George W. Dutton*  
*Shenah,*  
*Pa.*

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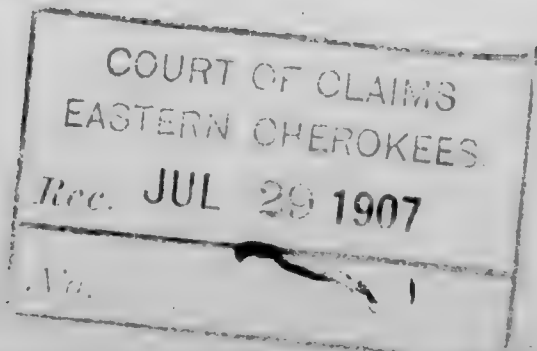
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA, I. T.

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# Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Indian Territory.

COUNTY OF Western Judicial District

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I, George W. Dutton

for the county of Western District state of Indian Territory do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Okeah, Indian Territory.

*J. A. ...*  
*W. T. ...*  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

*George W. Dutton*  
his  
mark  
Signature.

United States of America, Western District  
of the Indian Territory County of \_\_\_\_\_

Be it known on the 22 day of July, 1907.

personally appeared George W. Dutton, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires March 12 1909  
[L. S.]

*Ernest Huddleston*  
Notary Public

And now to witness 23 day of July, 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 25 day of July, 1907.

*W. M. Davis*  
Notary Public

No. 31027

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Wm. P. Hill* and *7* children. Residence: *Brownwood Tex.*

Reasons: *Summer Case.*

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No. 31027

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

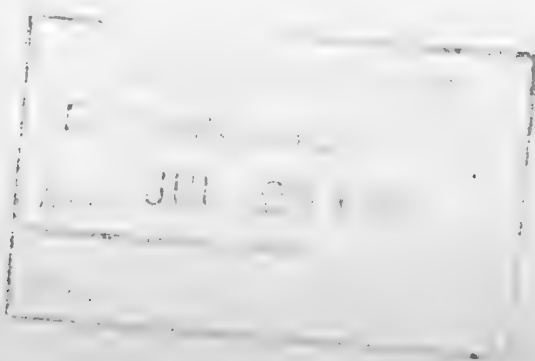
OF

*Mary L. Hill*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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ANDERSON P. GARDNER  
CLERK OF COURT  
KONAW



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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Mary E Hill  
Indian name: Dust Know
2. Residence and post office: Burnwood Texas P.O. 2303
3. County: Burns
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 44 Born October 17th 1862
6. Where were you born? Hopkins Co Texas
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband Guy Hill - age 53
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ethel Westerman</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>April 4th 1882</u>
(2)	<u>Berta Hill</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>Aug. 20th 1883</u>
(3)	<u>Elma S Marshall</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>June 8th 1886</u>
(4)	<u>Mabel Hill</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>June 12th 1887</u>
(5)	<u>Bessie Ray Hill</u>		<u>Nov. 15 1889</u>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Henry D. Litchfield  
Indian name: Dust Know  
Mother—English name: Lucinda A Litchfield  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Lucinda A Seymour

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ala  
Mother: Denmark

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *I think in Rush Co. Ind.*

Mother: *I think in Rush Co. Ind.*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *1863*

Mother: *still living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *No*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>None</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Joseph Warren Litchfield</i>	<i>Isaac &amp; Suzanne</i>
<i>Indian name not known</i>	<i>Indian name not known</i>

18. Where were they born? *Don't know*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Ida.*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) *Green Litchfield*

(2) *Charley Litchfield*

(3) *George W. Litchfield*

(4) *all that are known to me.*

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: W

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*Joseph Warren Litchfield Living at Lantons I.T.  
is an uncle of mine on my father's side*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Mrs Mary C Hill*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of July, 1907.

*M. A. H. Bates*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1907.

*for Brown Co 542*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mrs M D Davis  
and S. Coffey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mrs Mary C Hill  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 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.

*M D Davis*

*S Coffey*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July, 1907.

*M. A. H. Bates*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1907.

*for Brown Co 54*

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
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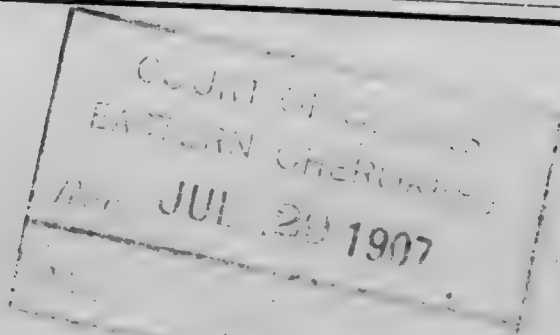
For *Mary C. Hill,*  
*Brownwood*  
*Tex.*

*Box 2103*

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Neas

COUNTY OF Brown

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mrs Mary C Hill

for the county of Brown state of Neas do hereby

make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Brownwood Neas P.O. 154 303

W. C. Coffey  
Steffen  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Mrs Mary C Hill  
Signature.

State of Neas County of Brown Be it known on the 20 day of July 1907

personally appeared Mrs Mary C Hill, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1<sup>st</sup> 1909  
[L. S.]

W. A. M. Z. Tol a Notary  
Public for Brown Co & 2+

And now to witness 25 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be; who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 25 day of July 1907

W. A. M. Z. Tol  
Notary Public

No. 31028

Action: *Reject*

Name *Beare Whittey* and *1* children. Residence: *Shrewport, La.*

Reasons:

*Claims through Mary Jeter,  
nee West Bee #21266*

*First Cousin, once removed,  
of #21266.*

No. 31078  
Name Pearl V. Stone  
With No. 21766  
Remarks:



No. 31024

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

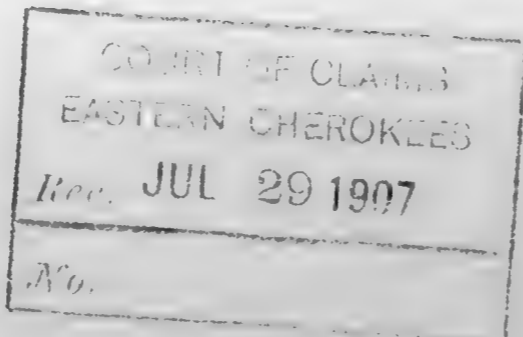
*Pearl Whitley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Pearl Whitley  
 English name: Pearl Rice  
 Indian name: West
2. Residence and post office: 424 West Jordan St., Shreveport,
3. Rice  
 County: Calcasieu
4. State: Louisiana
5. How old are you? 17 yrs. Born Sept 2, 1889
6. Where were you born? Vanola County, Texas
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Cleveland Whitley, 23 yrs.
9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Morice Whitley</u>	<u>1 yr.</u>	<u>1/27/06</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Simon Rice Anna Rice nee Peter  
 Father—English name: Simon Rice  
 Indian name: none  
 Mother—English name: Anna Rice  
 Indian name: West  
 Maiden name: Anna Peter

12. Where were they born?

Father: Shelby Co., Texas  
 Mother: Vanola Co., Texas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Unable to answer

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ola Rice</u>	<u>8/21/90</u>	
	<u>Maud Rice</u>	<u>2/27/82</u>	
(2)	<u>Anna Rice</u>	<u>3/21/86</u>	
(3)	<u>W.B. Allth</u>		
	<u>above named</u>		
(4)	<u>are residents</u>		
	<u>of Kentucky, La.</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Peter West

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thompson  
Surname unknown

18. Where were they born? Grandfather in Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandmother in Pecos Co., Texas

Pecos County, Texas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Mary Peter</u>	<u>Lela Peter</u>
(2)	<u>Gertrude</u>	<u>Sadie</u>
(3)	<u>Henry</u>	<u>Brook</u>
(4)	<u>Anna</u>	<u>Millie</u>
(5)	<u>Dick</u>	
(6)	<u>Etta</u>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: grandfather's English name was Peter, Indian name was [unclear]

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) Pearl Whitley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 1907.

Hugh C. Fisher  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 13th, 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 P. N. Johnson  
and W. G. Farris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Pearl Whitley who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

P. N. Johnson  
W. G. Farris

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July 13th, 1911. Hugh C. Fisher  
Notary Public.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Pearl Whitley*  
*Shreveport*  
*La*

*224 West Jordan St.*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
AND DAMAGES  
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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Louisiana  
Parish Cade  
COUNTY OF Cade

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Pearl Whitley  
of the Parish Cade state of Louisiana do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

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the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by; or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is 424 West Second St. Shreveport, La.

P. W. Johnson  
W. F. Jones  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Pearl Whitley  
Signature  
I hereby authorize my wife to sign  
Cleveland Whitley

State of La. Parish Cade County of Cade Be it known on the 20th day of July 1907  
personally appeared Pearl Whitley, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires July 13th 1911  
[L. S.]

Hugh C. Fisher  
Notary Public for Cade Parish, La.

And now to witness 23 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of July 1907  
W. F. Jones  
Notary Public

No. 31000

Action: Reject

Name Margaret Chapman and X children. Residence: Taylorsville, Ga.

Reasons:

Ancestors not on rolls. Does not establish genuine connection with Eastern Cherokee tribe.

Misc. cert. p. 1203

No. 31029

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mrs Margaret Chapman*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by 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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ANDERSON P. CAGLE  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 29 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Margaret Chapman

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Taylorville

3. County: Polk

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 64 Born 1843

6. Where were you born? Dade County

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Field Chapman 73

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE	BORN.
(1)	Sallie Chapman	40	1867
(2)	James M. Chapman	35	1872
(3)	Mary Ann Blackburn	33	1874
(4)	Sarona Doves	36	1876
(5)	Fannie Blackburn	29	1879
(6)	Napoleon Chapman	27	1880

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Robert Hulsey

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Polly Bing Hulsey

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Polly Bing

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee County Ga

Mother: Dade County Ga best of my recollection  
as she died when I was 13 years old

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lowndes County Ga  
Mother: Dead

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August 12<sup>th</sup> 1898  
Mother: 1846

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not as I ever heard of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence, if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Hulsey</u>	<u>1841</u>	<u>1862</u>
(2)	<u>Susan Smith</u>	<u>1845</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>Peace Hulsey</u>	<u>1847</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>James Hulsey</u>	<u>Margaret Hulsey</u>

18. Where were they born? Do Not Know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

I do not remember ever seeing them

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Joe Hulsey not Harvey Chapman Dead
- (2) John Hulsey Dead Susan Keeler "
- (3) West Hulsey "
- (4) Peace Hulsey "
- (5)
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Have Not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I have told all I remember

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) Mrs Margaret + Chapman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1907.

J. H. Dorsey  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

August, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. E. Smith

and J. W. Kennedy, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs Margaret Chapman 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. E. Smith  
J. W. Kennedy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

August, 1909 J. H. Dorsey  
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.

51079

APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

For

*Mrs Margaret Chapman  
Taylorville  
Georgia*

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

AGENT OF CLAIMS  
LACLAN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Ga  
COUNTY OF Bolton

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Margaret Chapman  
for the county of Bolton state of Ga do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Taylorville Ga

John Bowman Margaret Chapman  
Edith Evans not Signature.  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Bolton County of Ga Be it known on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1907  
personally appeared Margaret Chapman, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires August 9 Judorsey  
[L. S.]

And now to witness 25 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle  
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 25 day of July 1907  
W. M. Davis  
Notary Public

Xa.No.(20568) \$1029.

Margaret Chapman, being first duly sworn and examined,  
deposes and says:

My name is Margaret Chapman; I was born in Lumpkin Co., Ga. 1848: I claim my Indian blood through my father; I think my father was born either in Lumpkin or Cherokee Co., Ga.; about 1826; my father got his Indian blood from his mother; I never saw my grandmother through whom I claim: I do not know where or when she was born: I make no claim of Indian blood through my mother: I am unable to trace my Indian ancestry back farther than my grandfather: I do not know whether my father or grandfather ever lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe or not: neither I nor any of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever enrolled and never received any money or land: my father never had an Indian name that I know of: none of my father's relative ever went West with the Indians; none of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever held in bondage: my father claimed to be a half Cherokee: both I and my father were always regarded as white people with an admixture of Cherokee Indian blood.

Margaret Chapman

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Cartersville, Ga.  
this 1th day of Jul, 1908.

J. A. B.

Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

No. 31030

Action: Reject

Name: Leicus G. Bearden and children Residence: Lone Oak Tex

Reasons: Ansistors were not parties to treaties of 1835-4-46. They were born in Va several hundred miles from Cherokee Country - never enrolled with Cherokee nor lived with them.

No. 31030.

Reject #

Name Lewis C. Bearden

With No. ....

Remarks:

Rejected -  
Because -

1. no ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " party to treaties of 1835-6 or 1846.
3. Ancestors came from Va. within 50 miles of Richmond
4. no ancestor ever lived within the Cherokee domain
5. Do not really even claim to be Cherokees but say they are Powhatan Indians of Va.

Awaiting reply to letter.



No. 31030

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

*Cicero Celkush Beard*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. EAGLE  
CLERK  
KONASA INDIAN TERRITORY

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 29 1907

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Cicero Belknap Bearden  
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Long Oak, Texas, R. F. D. 4
3. County: Hunt
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 41 Born April 26, 1866
6. Where were you born? Quachita Co. Ark
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rocia Blanche, 32 yrs
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Roxie Anna</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Dec 1890</u>
(2)	<u>Rosa Belle</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1892</u>
(3)	<u>Jennie Victoria</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1894</u>
(4)	<u>Leonard Franklin</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1896</u>
(5)	<u>Alice Viola</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1898</u>
(6)	<u>Willie Lawrence</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(7)	<u>Esther Jane</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Thomas Ward Bearden  
Indian name: None  
Mother—English name: Elvira Ann  
Indian name: None  
Maiden name: Elvira Ann Blankenship

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois  
Mother: Virginia, 50 mi. of Richmond

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ouachita Co. Ark.

Mother: Ouachita Co. Ark.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living with me

Mother: Sept. 12, 1904

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Lambert</u>	<u>1844</u>	<u>1881</u>
(2)	<u>Fielding J.</u>	<u>1847</u>	<u>1865</u>
(3)	<u>Jennetta M.</u>	<u>1850</u>	<u>dead</u>
(4)	<u>Fronis M. (Randolph, Tex.)</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>Lora A. (Magnolia, Ark.)</u>	<u>1854</u>	<u>Living</u>
(6)	<u>Jasper B. (Timpson, Tex.)</u>	<u>1856</u>	<u>Living</u>
(7)	<u>Thomas H. (Young, Ark.)</u>	<u>1858</u>	<u>Living</u>
(8)	<u>John E. (in I.T.)</u>	<u>1861</u>	<u>Living</u>
(9)	<u>Mary J.</u>	<u>1863</u>	<u>died in infancy</u>
(10)	<u>Myself.</u>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
<u>Lambert</u>	<u>Smith Bearden</u>	<u>William W. Blonkship</u>	<u>Harriett (Meadow)</u>
<u>Nancy Jane (Ward)</u>			

18. Where were they born?

Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Blonkships lived in Ouachita Co. ~~Ark.~~ <sup>Missouri</sup> Ark.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Can't do it

- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: (see 17)

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I have an affidavit of my mother's stating that her great-grandmother's maiden name was Waddle and that she was a descendant of the Powhatan Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Cicero Belkirk Bearden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1907.

G. M. Morton

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. C. Moss

and C. W. Bohu, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Cicero Belkirk Bearden

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for nin years and

himself years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Moss

C. W. Bohu

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1907.

G. M. Morton

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Cicero G. Bearden*  
*Lone Oak*

*Texas*

*R. F. D # 4*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
R. C. JUL 29 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Hopkins

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Bicero Belkirk Bearden

for the county of Hunt state of Texas do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Lone Oak, Tex. P. F. D. 4

J. C. Marx

C. H. Bohm

(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Bicero Belkirk Bearden  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Hopkins. Be it known on the 23 day of July 1907 personally appeared Bicero Belkirk Bearden, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid an attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1 1909  
[L. S.]

G. M. Morton  
Notary Public

And now to witness 25 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 25 day of July 1907.

G. M. Morton  
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* DEC 31 1907  
*No.* 31130

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JAN 3 1908

Indianapolis Ind 12/29-07  
Mr. Miller

Kind sir

It has bin five months  
since I sent my application in  
and I recieved a card that it  
had bin filed my No. 31030  
I would be pleased to hear  
from you and to ascertain what  
you have done you will please  
oblige me with a early reply

Res. Yours

Sidney Rebecca Howell  
1111 S. Senate Ave  
Indianapolis Ind



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Appln. No. 51030.

May 14, 1908.

Cicero D. Beardon,  
Lone Oak,  
Texas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? Was a claim made on the part of the ancestor through whom you claim, and where said ancestor was living in 1835 and 1851?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W.E./

COURT OF CLAIMS  
 EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
 Rec. MAY 22 1908  
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I was born in the town of  
 Emory, Ga. and lived there  
 until I was about 12 years of age  
 when I went to school at  
 the Indian school in  
 Phoenix, Ga. I was  
 educated there until I was  
 about 18 years of age when  
 I went to the college at  
 the Indian school in  
 Phoenix, Ga. I was  
 the first Indian to ever see

Ed. M. Beardslee

The date mentioned was  
 shown to before the committee  
 of the Senate, Oct. 1902

M. K. Beardslee  
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Long Oak Texas 1854

May 18 1858

Mr. Miller

Sir I don't

know why my parents and grandparents  
were never enrolled under it was because  
they had moved from Pa. before the  
time of enrollment -

no Sir no slaves ever in our family  
I certainly pass as a white man  
in my community

I don't know whether any of our  
ancestors were part of the patriots of  
1835-6 and 1846 or not

my claim is that my mother  
her maiden name was Elizabeth A. -

Blankenship and was living in  
Lenn. in 1835 and was living  
in Ark. in 1851. I don't

know about the matter. I don't  
from my mother and I have good reason  
to believe what she said was so. I

affidavit to be made in  
before the clerk in each of the  
State of Arkansas

Court of Sessions  
on this day I do solemnly

swear and in  
standing before me and make  
oath to the following statement -

my Father was white. Blankenship

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No. 31092

My mother's maiden name  
was Nancy Carter and her mother's  
maiden name was Woddie. Who  
was a descendent of the Powhatan  
Indians I was born in  
Virginia fifty miles from  
Richmond I can remember my  
great uncle Denis Woddie. When  
he visited my father when  
I was small he was dressed in  
the Indian garb he was  
the first Indian I ever saw

Eliza D. Bearden  
The foregoing statement was  
sworn to before me this 10-day  
of September A.D. 1902

M. G. Cambell

*[Signature]* 3/10/02

Thank you for the information you  
have give me. I am glad to hear  
I will be able to give you the  
desired information. anything  
you need to know will be greatly  
appreciated. Yours truly  
Eliza D. Bearden

No. 31031.

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Carrie May Yoakum* and *2* children.

Residence: *Shrewder, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #25857; claims through same source*

No. 31031

Name Carrie A. Oakum

With No. 30797

Remarks:

File # 25857

No. 31031

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Carrie May Yakusov*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON D. CAGLE,  
SOLICITOR GENERAL  
KONAWA, MISSOURI

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

31031

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Carrie May Gookum

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Shrewder Green Co. O. T.

3. County: Green

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 22 yrs Born Jan 13 1885

6. Where were you born? Montague Co., Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: S. H. Gookum 29 yrs.

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lynda Fay</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>3/30/01</u>
(2)	<u>Daisy Mabel</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4/14/03</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Wm P. Burleson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Laura A. Burleson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Laura A. Miller

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Both

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Emima Francis	4/14/1882	
(2)	Ida Belle	10/28/87	
(3)	Mattie	- 1889	
(4)	Rufus Lee	1891	
(5)	Mary E.	1893	
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Burleson	Joshua Miller
Emily Jane	Francis Miller

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Mary E. Miller
  - (2) Melissa "
  - (3) Mattie "
  - (4) Thomas "
  - (5) John "
  - (6) Laura "
  - (7) Willie "
- Mother's Side

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Have not.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Joshua Miller and Francis Miller  
William Burleson and Emily J. Burleson

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 Goakum

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov., 1908

J. S. Leonard  
Ex. Of. Notary Public.

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. Jones  
and A. B. Crawford who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Carrie May Goakum  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 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.

J. F. Jones

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. F. Jones  
A. B. Crawford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov., 1908

J. S. Leonard  
Ex. Of. Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Carrie May Yvonne*  
*Shrewder,*  
*Guerr Co,*  
*W. Va.*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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OFFICE OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Childress

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Carrie May Gookum for the county of Greer ~~Tex.~~ of Oklahoma do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Shrewder, Greer Co., O. T.

J. H. James Carrie May Gookum  
A. B. Crawford Signature.  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Texas County of Childress Be it known on the 22 day of July 1907 personally appeared Carrie May Gookum, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid an attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Nov 1908 J. Leonard J. P. Rec. 3rd Ex. Of.  
[L. S.] Notary Public Childress Co Tex

And now to witness 25 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this, 25 day of July 1907  
W. Madaris  
Notary Public

No. 31032.

Action: Reject

Name: Lora E. Green and children. Residence: Dovey Okla.

Reasons: Daughter of \$3750.

31032

No. 31032.

Name Cora E. Green

With No. 22003.

Remarks:

No. 31032

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lora E. Green*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
AND GENERAL INVESTIGATION  
JUL 28 1907

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Cora, Ellen, Green  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Doxey Roger Mills
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: Okla
5. How old are you? 24 Born July 26 - 1883
6. Where were you born? Pulaski Co., Mo.
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband H. C. Green, age 36
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Robert M Green</u>	<u>6 years</u>	<u>Feb 21-1901</u>
(2)	<u>Lawrence Green</u>	<u>14 years</u>	<u>June 2-1903</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)	<u>Rachel Green</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>June 8 1905</u>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: August S Mayfield  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Jessie R Mayfield  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Jessie R Miller

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Missouri  
Mother: Little Rock, Ark.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Missouri

Mother: not living.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 1 1906

Mother: still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Albert S. Mayfield</u>	<u>Oct - 10 - 1885</u>	
(2)	<u>Amanda M. Mayfield</u>	<u>Nov - 17 - 1887</u>	
(3)	<u>Leola E. Brock</u>	<u>July - 4 - 1893</u>	
(4)	<u>Ruth M. Brock</u>	<u>Jan - 22 - 1896</u>	
(5)	<u>Mattie C. Brock</u>	<u>June 9 - 1898</u>	
(6)	<u>Mayfield, Ohio</u>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

En. William H. ...  
William H. ...

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? all the tribe emigrated to I.T.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Jocie, R. Mayfield Mayfield, Ohio
- (2) .....
- (3) .....
- (4) .....
- (5) .....
- (6) .....

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never was enrolled

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

cannot this application be made a part of my mothers original application no 22203?

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Eva E. Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July 1907.

W. M. Ewton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 28, 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 E. J. Dineen  
and Linn Ewton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Eva Green 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 to be, and that the statements made by them are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. J. Dineen  
Linn Ewton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July 1907.

W. M. Ewton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 28, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For Cora E. Green  
Robert M. Green  
Emerson S. Green  
Rachel Green  
Lacey, Okla.

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUL 26 1907  
No.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

Territory of Oklahoma  
STATE OF Oklahoma

COUNTY OF Rogersville

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Cora Green  
for the county of Rogersville state of Oklahoma do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Doon, Okla

E. D. Hunt  
Linia Ewton  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Anderson P. Cagle  
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Rogersville Be it known on the 24 day of July 1907.  
personally appeared Cora Green, who after having read over to me  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be a free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Dec 28 1907  
[L. S.] Linia Ewton

And now to witness 25 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 25 day of July 1907  
W. M. Davis  
Notary Public

No. 31033

Action: Reject

Name Rebecca Ball and 3 children. Residence: Carl, Ark.

Reasons: Sister to #21380.

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No. 51033

Name Rebecca Waller

With No. 21370

Remarks:

No. 31635

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Rebecca Falls*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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UNITED STATES  
AND TERRITORIES  
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Ralacca Ball  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Carl
3. County: Howard
4. State: Kansas
5. How old are you? 33 Born 1874 May 28
6. Where were you born? Chalton Sebastian County Ark
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Sherman Ball, now Dead
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Walker Gilbert</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>August 14 1893</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Gilbert</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Feb 28 1896</u>
(3)	<u>Alice Ball</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>August 1 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: James Fatta

Mary S Fatta maiden name Mary S Gilbert

Father—English name: James Fatta

Indian name: don no

Mother—English name: Mary S Fatta

Indian name: don no

Maiden name: Mary S Gilbert

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Wade County Georgia

Mother: Mary Gilbert in Cherokee County Alabama



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: was not Borned

Mother: was not Borned

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: march 10 1897 he Died

Mother: mother is living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never was enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
21380	(1) John W Latta	April 8 1876	
	(2) James A Latta	march 2 1878	
	(3) James E Latta (bro)	Sept 15 1880	
21417 <del>29087</del>	(4) Hannah J Latta	march 12 1886	
	(5) Mary A Latta	may 11 1889	
	(6) Julia M Latta	Feb 15 1892	
	Jessie A Latta	may 29 1894	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Latta	Henry Latta - Cousin
Indian Cherokee	

18. Where were they born? Can not be come out of the Cherokee nation

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) John
- (3) no
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: can't do it

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Rebecca Ball is the daughter of James Latta and she  
the the son of John Latta and he come out of the  
Cherokee tribe in Georgia

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Rebecca Ball

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907.

John B. Hester  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 1, 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 Al Hester  
and D I Welms, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Rebecca Ball  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
18 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.

Al Hester  
D I Welms

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

December 1, 1907. John B. Hester  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Rebecca Hall,*  
*Carl*

*Ark.*  
*Howard County.*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
JUL 27 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Kansas

COUNTY OF Howard

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Rebecca Ball

for the county of Howard state of Kansas do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Carl Kansas

At Hester

Rebecca Ball Signature.

D. I. McCombs

(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Kansas County of Howard. Be it known on the 22 day of July 1907 personally appeared Rebecca Ball, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Dec 1 1908 John P. Hester

[L. S.]

And now to witness 25 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 22 day of July 1907  
F. W. McDevitt  
Notary Public

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney  
and  
Contract

For

*John W. Latta*  
*Victory*  
*Land Co*

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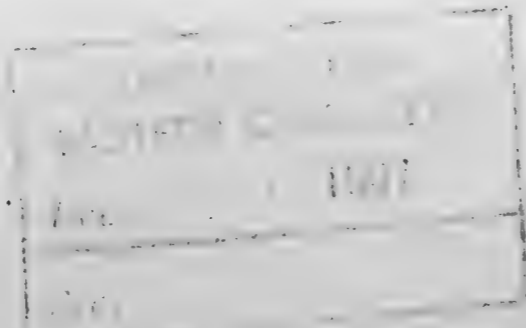
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FILED BY

**ANDERSON P. CAGLE**  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Indian Territory  
COUNTY OF Western District

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I John W. Latta  
for the county of Western District state of Indian Territory do hereby make consti-  
tute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful at-  
torney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior  
Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato  
share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this  
case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises  
I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of  
all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and  
the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my  
claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not  
paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is McTory, Ind. Ter

Thomas L. Corliss  
Walter Burchett  
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

John W. Latta  
Signature.

State of Indian Territory County of Northern District ss.  
personally appeared John W. Latta, who after having read over to him in the presence of the  
attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and ac-  
knowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid his attorney any sum whatever for  
his services in said claim.

My commission expires August 31 1907  
[L. S.]

Eva McHugh  
Notary Public

And now to witness 25 day of March 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney,  
etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises,  
and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50)  
Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses

Witness my hand the year and day above written.  
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who hav-  
ing signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,  
Witness my hand and seal this 25 day of March 1907

Anderson P. Cagle

Appl. #21380

March 19, 1908.

John W. Latta,  
Matory, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, state where the parent through whom you claim resided in 1834-35, if living at that time.

Were there your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

By

Chief Clerk

CEB/ALS

App. No. 21417

April 21, 1908.

Mary Latta,

Carl, Arkansas.

Madam:

On March 19, 1908, the following letter was addressed  
your son, John F. Latta, Letory, Oklahoma:

"Relative to your application for participation in  
the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims  
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, state where the parent  
through whom you claim resided in 1834-35, if living at  
that time.

"Were there your grandparents on the side through which  
you claim residing in 1834-35?"

"If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves of Indians or white people.

"If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state  
your number, and indicate on what roll your name was  
placed."

This letter was returned to this Office, unclaimed, hav-  
ing been forwarded to Atlanta, Georgia.

You are requested to make answer to this letter, giving  
the information desired; also furnish us with the present where-  
abouts of your son. All changes of address must be reported to  
this Office immediately.

Please be prompt.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner/



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES'

*Rec.* MAY 11 1908.

*No.*

May 2 1908 21310  
Tahlequah Okla C.H.P.

My Dear Sir yours  
to hand to answer  
those questions  
my Great Grand  
mother lived in  
Catawpa River in  
North Carolina in  
1834 & 35 my ~~Great~~ Grand  
Father lived in  
Georgia at that  
time if they were  
slaves i cant find  
out nothing about it  
we was not enrolled  
By the Dawes  
Commission

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~~My~~ we was on the  
roll of 1966 & am  
writing in my  
mother place & how  
changed my PO  
PO to Tahlequah Okla

Yours Truly

John W Latta

my mothers  
Postoffice-

is Carlark

*CHB*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 21380

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



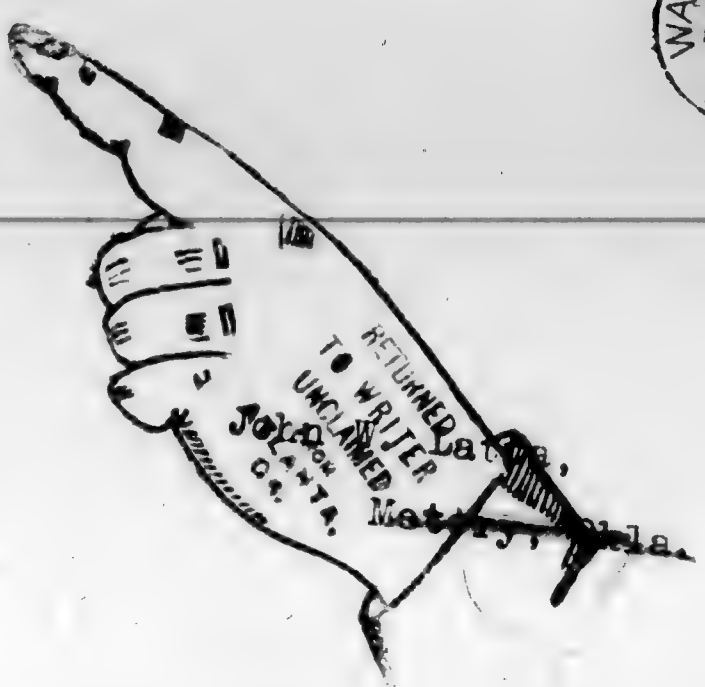
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No. 31034

Action: Reject

Name Minnie Lester and 3 children. Residence: Waco, Texas.

Reasons:

John Hatcher case

31034

No. 31034

Name *James Lester*

With No. "Curtis-Kiss"

Remarks: *Group*



No. 31034

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Minnie Lester*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

FILED BY  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**  
CLAIM AGENT  
KONAWA, *INDIAN TERR.*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

5807

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Chimmie Lester

Indian name: I have none

2. Residence and post office: Waco

3. County: McClennan

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 25 Born Jan 31 - 1882

6. Where were you born? Ellis County Texas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Edward Lafayette Lester

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jimie Andrew Lester</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Dec 2, 1900</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Louisa Lester</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>July 2, 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Marie May Lester</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>January 12, 1904</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Peter Esterman

Indian name: do none

Mother—English name: Rebecca Louvinie Baleman

Indian name: had none

Maiden name: Rebecca Louvinie Bartis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Waco, Texas

Mother: same place

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Humphreys County Tennessee

Mother: same place

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: June 21 1903

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	RESIDENCE
(1)	William Bateman	April 1870	
	John Bateman	June 29 1874	
(2)	Ida Bateman <sup>Henderson</sup>	Nov 10 1878	
	Howard Bateman	Dec 28 80	
(3)	Edw. Bateman Kaufman	Oct 22 1872	
	Minnie Bateman <sup>Co. Tenn</sup>	Jan 31 1882	an twin sister
(4)	Dallas <sup>Tenn</sup>		
	Jinnie Bateman	Oct 29 1875	
(5)	Kaufman		
	And J. Kaufman	1882	
(6)	M. Kaufman		
	Co. Tenn		living

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side; if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Alfred Bateman	Joshua
Louisa Mitchell Bateman	Elizabeth
	Adolphus of John & Gabrielle

18. Where were they born? Humphreys Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Humphreys Co Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William Foster Bateman	Mary Jane Carter
(2)	Louisa Mitchell Bateman	John A. Carter
(3)		Belle L. Lawrence
(4)		James Alfred Carter
(5)		Eli Thomas Carter
(6)		Walter B. Carter
		W. B. Carter
		James B. Carter

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John or Jack Hatcher

Eliza - Curtis daughter of John or Jack Hatcher  
Rebecca - Curtis daughter of John or Jack Hatcher  
Elizabeth Curtis - being my mother on Indian side

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Mary Ann Hatcher has died  
Edith James Curtis has died their parents

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Minnie Lester

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1907.

W. C. Clayton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. P. Smith  
and M. W. Grave, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Minnie Lester who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 1 years and 7 or 8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Marion B. King

A. P. Smith  
M. W. Grave

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909.

W. C. Clayton  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavit should be made, whenever practicable, before a 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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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

For *W. H. ...*

*Waco*

*Inc*

*Texas*

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Mchenra

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Minnie Lester

for the county of Mchenra state of Texas do hereby

make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Waco

John Thompson  
Robman  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Minnie Lester  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Mchenra Be it known on the 13 day of July 1907 personally appeared Minnie Lester, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires July 1st 1909  
[L. S.] Sto Clayton

And now to witness 23 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of July 1907  
W M Davis  
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 29 1909

No. 31024

June 26. 1909.

J.P. Trust Co. for

in default of Claims you

and my claim has been

settled in amount to me what

is due to me and I have

up all my money. N. 31034

I have no more to say

you say return mail

mine and I will

thank you very much

Yours



No. 31035

Action: *Reject*

Name *Minda Bishop* and *7* children. Residence: *Celeste, Texas.*

Reasons: *It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 to 1846. Shows no real connection with the Eastern Cherokees.*

*Miss. Test. P. 2462.*

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Celeste, 7/2/02, 11.00?

No. 31035

Name Maida Bishop

With No.

Remarks:

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 51035

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Minda Bishop*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 20 1907

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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Minda Bishop  
Indian name: Minda Giam
2. Residence and post office: Celista 21 1/2 Bot 12
3. County: of Hunt
4. State: Ark.
5. How old are you? 32 years old Born April 12, 1875 1875
6. Where were you born? in Garland county Ark.
7. Are you married? I married October 13, 1892
8. Name and age of wife or husband Mr. E. Bishop, his age is 37 yrs.
9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong? To the Cherokees
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Pearlie P. Bishop</u>	<u>14 years old</u>	<u>Aug 22, 1893</u>
(2)	<u>Minnie E. Bishop</u>	<u>12 years old</u>	<u>April 14, 1895</u>
(3)	<u>Robert E. Bishop</u>	<u>10 years old</u>	<u>July 19, 1897</u>
(4)	<u>William G. Bishop</u>	<u>8 years old</u>	<u>Sept 10, 1899</u>
(5)	<u>Elford E. Bishop</u>	<u>6 years old</u>	<u>June 25, 1901</u>
(6)	<u>Rosevelt Bishop</u>	<u>4 years old</u>	<u>June 27, 1903</u>
(7)	<u>John E. Bishop</u>	<u>2 years old</u>	<u>May 30, 1905</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Simon Giam  
Indian name: S. Giam  
Mother—English name: Pollie Giam  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Bebe Fisher

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Randolph county W.C.  
Mother: in Montgomery county Ark.

This county has never been divided and Garland Co established

father and mother children  
 by his second wife

13. Where did they re

Father: in  
 Mother: in

Edisebeth miller age 42 year  
 Lena ark #1227 13302

14. Date of death of y

Father: in  
 Mother: in

gillian graves age 40  
 Lena ark

15. Were they ever e

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 Lena ark

nd where,  
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16. Name all your b

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- (2) Len
- (3) Ma
- (4) ga
- (5) in

<sup>30945</sup> Linda Kelley age 34 year  
 Lena ark

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<sup>36167</sup> <sup>37202</sup> Minna Bishop age 32  
 Celeste Texas 1/2, Bot 12

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these are the children by  
 father first wife

- (6) ga

Lena ark  
 Jessie grave cedar glade No ark

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Grave

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Lunder

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? They was Dad at that date

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Bill's grave he has been dead for year
- (2) Don's grave married a Bates he was been dead
- (3) Fannie grave dead
- (4) Gillian grave been dead 32 years
- (5)
- (6)

father and mother children

by his second wife

Edisebeth miller age 42 year

Lena art #1007 2300

gillian gray age 40

Lena art

greenberg gray age 38

Lena art

Randall gray age 36

Lena art

3099 Linda Kelley age 34 year

Lena art

36167 37000  
Minda Bishop age 32

Celeste Texas rfd 2, Box 12

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Montgomery County Pa

Mother: in Montgomery County Pa

14. Date of death of your father and mother.

Father: my father died Nov 25 1874

Mother: mother died the year of 1878

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: the Indian Blood came by father

he never was enrolled for money or land either

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	Garland Co Pa	BORN. if living	DIED.
(1)	Betsy graves	Garland Co Pa	1830	
	Garland Co Pa		1836	Wash Mt Vernon Pa
(2)	Leonard grave	Wash Mt Vernon		
(3)	Charles grave	Garland Co Pa	do not know their age	
(4)	John grave	Mountain Valley Pa		
(5)	Adeline Phillip	Mt Vernon Wash		
(6)	Jane Fisher	Luna Pa		
	Jessie grave	Cedar Glade Pa		

these are the children by father first wife

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Grave

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Lunder

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- (2) Danis grave married a Bates she was been dead
- (3) Fannie grave Dead
- (4) William grave been dead 32 years
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

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14. Date

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(6)

These are the children by  
father first wife

17 State

18. Who

19. Who

20. Give



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have never been enrolled  
never received any benefits of any source
- 22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

father died and did not in whole and I was left with  
no one to help me get my rights in the tribal funds  
I was 3 years old when my parents died and I do not know my grand  
parents given names, only grand and Lunder

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Minda Bishop

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 1907.

John A. Stone Jr.  
 Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. D. Bickham and  
J. M. England, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
 that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Minda Bishop  
 who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for one years and  
three years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. D. Bickham  
J. M. England

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 1907.

John A. Stone Jr.  
 Notary Public.

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June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Minda Bishop*  
*Celeste,*  
*Texas.*  
*Hunt Co.*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No.

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STATE OF Texas
COUNTY OF Hunt

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Minda Bishop
for the county of Hunt state of Texas do hereby
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in
said claim. My post office is Celeste Texas

W. W. Gregory
E. J. Gregory
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Minda Bishop
Signature.

State of Texas County of Hunt Be it known on the 22 day of July 1907
personally appeared Minda Bishop, who after having read over to her
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not
paid attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 6/1 - 1909
[L. S.] John A. Stone Jr
Notary Public in & for Hunt Co, Texas.

And now to witness 22 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of July 1907
J. W. Davis
Notary Public

#31035

Miscel.

Minda Bishop being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 33 years of age. I claim my Indian descent through my father; my mother was a white woman. My husband is white. My father claimed through his mother, ~~xx~~ Lunder or Londer. Don't know her first name. She married a Graves. My father was born in Randolph Co., N. C. My father was about 40 or 45 years of age when he was in the army. My father left Randolph Co., N. C. when a small boy. I think he went to Alabama or Arkansas. He died in Arkansas. My father never lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe. Don't know when his mother died. I am recognized as a white man in the community, and my father was considered white. He was in the northern army. None of my relatives have made application to this fund. This is the first application I have made. Never heard that my father was ever on any roll or ever received any land or money from the government.

*Minda Bishop*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Witness.

*Shows slight indication of Indian blood*

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Greenville, Texas this 29th day of August 1908.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Ass't to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

7.59.

Appln. No. 31025.

May 14, 1906.

Minda Bishop,  
Celeste, Texas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1834-5 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim, and where said ancestor was living in 1834 and 1851?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Social Commissioner.

W/S.





Miss Minda  
J. Graves  
Bishop  
I am no negro



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Went to see my grand

2 Feb 12

Washington

31035

Washington D.C.

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the United States

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rail road and did not know  
the Cherokee Indian was  
in title to these claims till in  
the year after the close of the  
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the state of Georgia and  
I was in the Cherokee Indian  
state of Georgia the state of  
Georgia

and my children go to the  
white school if any of my  
people was some of your Church  
if any of my letters  
were sent to the  
records of 1887-8-<sup>1895</sup> do not  
know at all claims is enough  
to sustain. Please you write  
to Susan Fisher and  
James Blacker and  
Carroll Gray

Cedar Glades Ark  
to get information concerning  
me in these claims  
do not know the date of  
my grand Parents death  
if they did long before  
I was born

all papers in your hands but  
never before. I would  
be glad to write to him if  
you could get him to write  
any thing to him and he  
will be glad to write in  
reply to my letter.

Hope you will  
write me  
when you have time  
for my father's name

Yours  
as ever

Minda Bishop

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 24 1909  
No. 31035

Send  
notice

May 10 1888

Dear Sir

The Indian Office  
Special Commissioner  
of the court of Claims  
Washington D.C.

In answer to my  
application for Eastern  
Sherokee Indian claim  
my application is  
recorded in Book X 5  
in court of Claims  
No 3735. Please let me  
know how you are doing  
in this matter  
Write me at once

Yours truly  
Minda B. B. B.  
1888

A.

August 12 1859

Jessville Ark

My dear Mr Bishop

I take great pleasure

to sit you to let you know

we are all well at the

present time hoping

you all the same

Well my dear friend

the old man's grandfather

name is General Green

and they don't see him

much in Indian blood

They were in

in 1851 he was 63 years

old and was



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justice

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Beck's ...

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... commission ...  
... court of admiralty ...  
... my claim in the ...  
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to the matter in my case

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way of doing business

my friend the late  
Leonard Jones and

1954 and that in

the year 1851

Leonard Jones

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Pd. embarked in the  
war to witness the  
cain they are so  
ignorant they do not  
know what to do

Maria Bickel

No. 31036.

Name

*E. A. Terry,*

and 1

children.

Residence

Action:

*Reject.*

*Seattle Wash.*

Reasons:

*Chair through the same source  
as # 2917.*

No. 31036

Name E. A. F. ...

With No. 29171

Remarks:



No. 31036

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*C. A. Terry*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Cycl Augustus Terry

Indian name: Hildebrand,

2. Residence and post office: ~~XXXXXX Seattle~~ Seattle,

3. County: ~~XXXXXX~~

4. State: Washington, ~~XXXXXX Oklahoma~~

5. How old are you? 31

Born

Aug. 12 1876

6. Where were you born? Hunt Co. Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or ~~husband~~

husband: Minnie Terry, 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None,

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) Walter E. Z. Terry,

18 Months, Jan. 1906

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

James Bolin Terry, Lou E. Terry, Lou E. Simmons,

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

James Bolin Terry,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Hildebrand,

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

LOU E. Terry,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

No.

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

Lou E. Simmons,

12. Where were they born?

Father: Fannin County, Texas,

Mother: Fannin County, Texas,

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fannin County, Texas,

Mother: Fannin County, Texas,

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living,

Mother: Still Living,

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Myrtle R. Henslee</u> <u>Wolfe City, Hunt Co. Texas,</u>	<u>Nov. 1872</u>	
(2) _____	_____	_____
(3) _____	_____	_____
(4) _____	_____	_____
(5) _____	_____	_____
(6) _____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>James F. Terry,</u>	<u>John B. Simmons,</u>
<u>Catherine Boyles,</u>	<u>Polly Simmons,</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Bedford Co. Tennessee,

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hunt Co. Texas,

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) _____	_____
(2) _____	_____
(3) _____	_____
(4) _____	_____
(5) _____	_____
(6) _____	_____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Ezel Augustus Terry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

J. A. Kuehry  
Notary Public  
in and for the state of Washington,  
residing in Seattle.

My commission expires

January 15, 1911, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. A. Wright  
and J. B. Thorton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ezel Augustus Terry who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 months years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. A. Wright

J. B. Thorton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 11th 1911, 190

J. A. Kuehry  
Notary Public  
in and for the state of Washington,  
residing in Seattle.

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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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *Evel A. Terry*

*Mangum*

*Okeola*

*Greer County*

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FILED BY

**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**

CLAIM AGENT,

**KONAWA, I. T.**

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CLERK OF COURTS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 29 1907

No.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Washington,

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Evel Augustus Terry for the county of Greer state of Oklahoma do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Seattle Washington, xxxxx

J. A. Keacey  
J. B. Horn  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Evel Augustus Terry  
Signature.

State of Washington County of King Be it known on the 15 day of July 1907 personally appeared Evel Augustus Terry, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid my attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jan 15 1911 1907  
[L. S.]

J. A. Keacey  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
In and for the State of \_\_\_\_\_  
residing in \_\_\_\_\_

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907

W. H. ...  
Notary Public

No. 31037

Name: *George W Paul.* and *11.* children. Action: *Reject.*  
Residence: *Muscogee, Ind. Ter.*  
Reasons: *Uncle of "19120."*

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No. 31037

Name Geo. A. Paul

With No. 78836

Remarks:



No. 31037

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*George Alexander Paul*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

**FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.**

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

31037

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: George Alexander Paul

Indian name: Corker and Cobb

2. Residence and post office: Mustogee, Ind Ter

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? age 53 Born July 22<sup>nd</sup> 1854

6. Where were you born? Jamestown Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ella Paul, August 28, 1865

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Samuel O. Paul</u>	<u>March 13, 1888,</u>	
(2)	<u>Claudine Paul</u>	<u>May 21, 1892.</u>	
(3)	<u>Hyde A Paul</u>	<u>age 12 yrs</u>	<u>Sept 29, 1895-</u>
(4)	<u>James Hubert Paul</u>	<u>8 yrs</u>	<u>Jan 4, 1899</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Samuel Paul

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Paul

Indian name: Cobb & Corker

Maiden name: Elizabeth Cobb

12. Where were they born?

Father: Virginia

Mother: Hunter Co Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: James town Tennessee

Mother: James town Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 31<sup>st</sup> 1900

Mother: Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sara Jane Paul</u>	<u>1850</u>	

14/21 (2)	<u>John Paul</u>	<u>1857</u>	
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2/8/37 (3)	<u>James Dudley Paul</u>	<u>1863-</u>	
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(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

3/10/37 George Paul  
Beulah Ann Paul  
nee Willson

Jesse Cobb  
Jenetta Cobb  
nee Coker

18. Where were they born? Cobb & Cokers Ala Town Tusculasa

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jesse Cobb in James town Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Hilda Smith</u>	<u>Sarah Beaty</u>	<u>Hannie Smith</u>
(2)	<u>Cobb</u>	<u>Cobb</u>	<u>Cobb all</u>
(3)			<u>dead</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*all Indian English*  
Hammie Coker, Jesse Cobb  
Genethie Cobb, nee Coker, Elizabeth Paul, nee Cobb-  
George Paul, Beniah Q. Paul, nee Millson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature George Alexander Paul)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

H. Burger  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 10<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 E. Jordan

and Pete Buchanan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with George Alexander Paul

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for ten years and one month years and

ten years 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.

E. Jordan  
Pete Buchanan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires Oct 5, 1909.

A. Bruce  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *George Alex Paul*  
*Mustogee*  
*Ind Ter*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Missouri  
COUNTY OF Cole

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I, George Alexander Paul  
for the county of Cole state of Missouri do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Box 47, Jefferson City, Missouri.

Sumner W. Page George Alexander Paul  
J. M. Williams, Jr. Signature.  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Missouri County of Cole Be it known on the 10th day of July 1907  
personally appeared George Alexander Paul, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Oct 10th 8 1908 A. B. Burgess  
[L. S.]

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle  
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24th day of July 1907  
J. M. Davis  
Notary Public

My commission expires

*CLAIMS*

No. 31338

Action: Rejected

Name: Jessie Alton Watson and x children. Residence: Naples, Texas.

Reasons: Daughter of #21810 and claims thro same source.

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No. 31038

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jessie Alton Watson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

**FILED BY**  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAW, IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

31038



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Jessie Alton Watson

Indian name:

Habgood

2. Residence and post office:

Naples

3. County:

Morris

4. State:

Texas

5. How old are you?

age 23.

Born

Sept 10<sup>th</sup> 1884

6. Where were you born?

Morris County, Texas

7. Are you married?

no

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

George W. Watson

Indian name:

Habgood

Mother—English name:

Fannie Watson

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Fannie Smith

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Alabama

Mother:

Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

<sup>not</sup>  
Father: *Living not Born*

Mother: *Not Born*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Living*

Mother: *Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1904*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Lillie Watson</i>	<i>1886</i>	
(2)	<i>Mittie Watson</i>	<i>1887</i>	<i>1888</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*Perry Watson*

*Mittie Habgood*

18. Where were they born? *Mittie Habgood in Ala. Perry Watson*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Ala*

*unknown*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) *Jim Watson*

(2) *Link* *is dead*

(3) *Henry*

(4) *Columbia Spradlin died in 1897*

(5) *George W. Watson, Naples Texas*

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Hezaleich Habgood  
Patry Habgood, nee Edwards Millie Watson  
nee Habgood, George Watson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I come under my Father George W. Watson  
whose application has already been filed  
in the Court of Claims his application No  
is 21810.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Jessie Alton Watson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of June 1907.

S. F. Lebbetter  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. W. Watson  
and J. E. Stewart, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Jessie Alton Watson  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 22 years and  
3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

G. W. Watson  
J. E. Stewart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of June, 1907.

My commission expires

May 30<sup>th</sup>, 1909 S. F. Lebbetter  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney  
and  
Contract

For

*Jessie Alton Watson*  
*Naples*  
*Texas*  
*Morris County*

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FILED BY

**ANDERSON P. CAGLE**  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA I. T.

FILED  
JUL 29 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas
COUNTY OF Morris

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Jessie Alton Watson
for the county of Morris state of Texas do hereby make constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Naples Texas

J. W. Watson
J. E. Stewart
Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Jessie Alton Watson
Signature.

State of Texas County of Morris Be it known on the 24 day of June 1907 personally appeared Jessie A. Watson, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid to attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires May 31 1909 [L. S.]

S. F. Ledbetter
Notary Public

And now to witness 28 day of June 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,

Witness my hand and seal this 28 day of June 1907

My commission expires March 17th. 1909.

Handwritten signature and notes at the bottom right of the page.

No 31034-

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Charles R. Knowles* and *1* children

Residence: *Muplas, Texas*

Reasons: - *Parents and grand parents were not enrolled in 1835 - ~~and~~ <sup>not in</sup> 1851 - nothing to show connection by claimant or his ancestors with the Eastern Cherokee*

*Claimant was born in Fayette Co., Ga., in 1859 quite removed from the Cherokee domain.*

*Notified to appear before the Commission for Examination but failed to appear*

31039

No. 31039

Charles K. Knowles

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Does not connect  
with #30926.

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No. 31039

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*to Charlie R. Knowles*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 1, 1906.

6-624

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, INDIAN TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Charlie Richard Knowles*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: *Naples*

3. County: *Morris*

4. State: *Texas*

5. How old are you? *age 48* Born *May 9, 1859*

6. Where were you born? *Fayette Co. La.*

7. Are you married? *Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Samantha J. Knowles*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

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	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Ida, Freeman</i>	<i>27</i>	
(2)	<i>Lona, Fulcher</i>	<i>24</i>	
(3)	<i>John, a. Knowles</i>	<i>22</i>	
(4)	<i>Hattie Posy</i>	<i>16</i>	
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: *J. P. Knowles*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *Sarah Knowles*

Indian name: *Hopgood*

Maiden name: *Mary Edwards*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Georgia*

Mother: *"*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Georgia

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: died in 1888

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Knowles	1849	
(2)	Elizabeth Knowles		Dead
(3)	Sanford Knowles		1887
(4)	H. R. Knowles		
(5)	Georgia Smith		Dead
	Burgood Knowles		Dead
(6)	Joe Knowles		Dead

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Edward J. Knowles	
Joseph J.	Patsy Edwards

18. Where were they born? In Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Georgia.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Nancy Mitchell Mt Pleasant Tex
- (2) Millie Watson
- (3) Mintie McKay Clay Co Ala
- (4) Martha Hobgood
- (5) Huskiah Hobgood Mo
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I found some papers and also a letter from my brother

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

C R Knowles

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

S. G. Ledbetter

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 30<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. M. Davis

and

J. C. Marshall

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

C. R. Knowles

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

him to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Si \_\_\_\_\_ of Witnesses.

J. M. Davis

J. C. Marshall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

May 30<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

S. G. Ledbetter

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney  
and  
Contract

For

*Charlie R. Knowles*

*Naples*

*Texas*

*Morris County*

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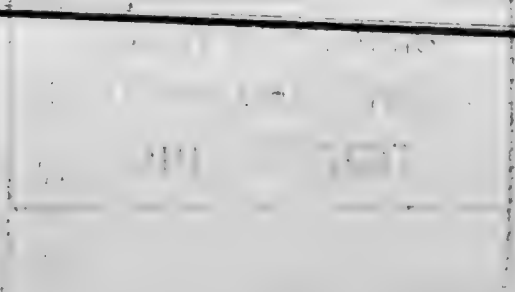
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**ANDERSON P. CACLE**

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Morris

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

~~Anderson P. Cagle~~  
~~Notary Public~~

That I

for the county of Morris state of Texas do hereby make constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Court of Claims Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Neeples Texas

B. B. Wally  
J. M. Davis  
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

A. R. Knowles  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Morris. Be it known on the 27 day of July 1907 personally appeared A. R. Knowles, who after having read over to me in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid... attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires May 31<sup>st</sup> 1907  
[L. S.]

J. G. Ledbetter  
a Notary Public

And now to witness 7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907 I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,

Witness my hand and seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907

J. M. Davis  
Notary Public

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Charlie R Knowles*  
*Naples*  
*Texas*  
*Morris County*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T. "

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas
COUNTY OF Morris

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Charlie R. Knowles
for the county of Morris state of Texas
do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in
said claim. My post office is Naples Tex

J. M. Davis
J. C. Morris
Signature: Charlie R. Knowles

State of Texas County of Morris Be it known on the 3 day of July 1907
personally appeared Charlie R. Knowles who after having read over to him
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires May 30 1909
[L. S.] S. G. Ledbetter
Notary Public

And now to witness 10 day of July 1907 I accept the foregoing declara-
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 10 day of July 1907
My commission expires March 17th, 1909

No. 31040

Action:

Refused

Name

Monroe Jenkins

and

4

children.

Residence:

Marietta, Ga.

Reasons:

Proof of genuine connection with the estate (probate insufficient).  
It appears that no ancestor was a party to the treaties of 1836-36-46.  
No ancestor was ever enrolled.

Misc. Test. P. 973.

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Field, Marietta, Ga. 9

No. 31040

Name Morse Jenkins

With No. /

Remarks: -

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 31040

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Monroe Jenkins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 23, 1906.

6-624

CASE

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

31040

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Monroe Jenkins

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Monetta Cobb Ga R.F.D. 7

3. County: Cobb

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 29 Born August 5th 1878

6. Where were you born? Newton Co Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Bessie Florine Jenkins

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Anna Jenkins	8	Jan 26th 1899
(2)	Edna Clarence Jenkins	5	May 11, 1902
(3)	Horris Monroe Jenkins	0	Dec 25, 1903
(4)	John Dean Jenkins	2	Nov 23, 1905
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Father—English name: Joseph Jenkins

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Mother—English name: Nancy Ann Jenkins

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nancy Ann Stapp

12. Where were they born?

Father: Guinett Co. Ga

Mother: Newton Co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Guinett Co Ga

Mother: Newton Co, Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Minnie Jenkins	June 5 <sup>th</sup> 1876	
<del>41165</del> ?	Egbert Jenkins	Sept 19 <sup>th</sup> 1881	
<del>27327</del> (2)	Saley Jenkins	Aug 29 <sup>th</sup> 1886	
	Francis Jenkins	June 14 <sup>th</sup> 1888	
(3)	Tom Jenkins	Feb 14 <sup>th</sup> 1893	
	Dan Jenkins	April 24 <sup>th</sup> 1895	
(4)	Joseph Dial Jenkins	Oct 1892	Nov 1 <sup>st</sup> 1892
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Jack Jenkins

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Elizabeth Johnston

18. Where were they born? Abbeville South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Guinett Co, Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Joseph Jenkins

Morgan Co, Ga

(2) Jack Jenkins

Lithonia Ga

(3) John S. Jenkins

(4) Tom Jenkins

(5) Berlina Jenkins

(6) Debby Ann Jenkins

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jack Jenkins Grand Father  
Joe Jenkins Father

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) Monroe <sup>his</sup> Jenkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this July day of July 1907.

J. M. Bishop J.S.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. L. Layenby  
and W. L. Layenby, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Monroe Jenkins who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 29 years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

W. L. Layenby  
W. L. Layenby

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. L. Layenby  
W. L. Layenby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909.

J. M. Bishop J.S.  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Monroe Jenkins*  
*Marietta,*  
*Ga.*  
*Cobb Co.*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT CLERK  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 29 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Georgia
COUNTY OF Cobb

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Monroe Jenkins
for the county of Cobb state of Georgia do hereby
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in
said claim. My post office is Marietta Ga

W. L. Lazerty
W. B. Lazerty
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Monroe Jenkins Signature

State of Georgia County of Cobb Be it known on the 15 day of July 1907
personally appeared Monroe Jenkins, who after having read over to him
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jan 1 1909
[L. S.]

J. M. Bishop J. P.

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907

W. M. Davis
Notary Public



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Appln. No. 31040.

May 14, 1908.

Monroe Jenkins,  
Marietta, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1825-6 and 1843? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim, and where that ancestor was living in 1825 and 1843?

Give any other information obtainable leading to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Wm/100.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 22 1908  
*No.* 3/036.

Georgia Cobb Co

May 20th 1908

Mr G. Miller Dear Sir

My Grand Father lived in Guinett County Ga in 1835  
& sic + 1837 he was half Indian his name was Jenkins he has  
been dead 18 years my father made out a claim last year  
none of my people has ever been slaves we all pass  
as white my father name was Jenkins he lives in  
Morgan Co. Ga now and is 59 years old

Monroe Jenkins

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31 Oct 0

#31040

Miscel.

Monroe Jenkins being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 29 years of age. I claim my Indian through my father. My mother is white. It was my grandfather on my father's side who claimed the Indian. All the rest of my grandparents were white. My father was born and raised in Gwinett Co., Ga. He is about 58 years of age and is now living in Morgan Co., Ga. He has filed application but I don't know the number. My father claims 1/4 Cherokee Indian. He never lived among the tribe. He was never on any Indian roll. My grandfather's name was Jack Jenkins; he has been dead about 18 years. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Don't know where he was born but he came from Abbeville, S. C. to Gwinett Co., Ga. That was sometime before my father was born. My grandfather Jenkins was not on any roll that I know of. I don't know whether he ever lived with the Indians or not. I am recognized as a white man in the community. I don't know whether my grandfather had any brothers or sisters or not. This is the only application I ever made and my father never made any but this. My wife is white. None of my brothers and sisters have made application that I know of.

Monroe Jenkins  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Marietta, Ga. this 6th day of July 1908.

Frank D. Ryan  
Ass't to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

Applicant to all appearances is a full blooded white man.

No. Z1041

Action: Reject

Name Hugh West, Gdn. and 5 children. Residence: Waneta, Ore.

Reasons: Job of #996 7.

No. 31041

Name Hugh West

With No. 29704.

Remarks:

# 31041

No. 31041

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Hugh West Guardian*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON T. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

31041

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Hugh West, Guardian & Father

Indian name: Ferbe West, nee Brown, deceased

2. Residence and post office: Manette

3. County: Pottawatomie

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? age 54 Born July 8<sup>th</sup> 1853

6. Where were you born? In Arkansas

7. Are you married? a widower

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ferbe West, nee Brown deceased

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? to Cherokee the

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Bettie West</u>	<u>15 years</u>	<u>June 4<sup>th</sup> 1892</u>
(2)	<u>Ethel West</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>May 29, 1895</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Ruben Brown

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary Jane Brown

Indian name: Hell

Maiden name: Mary Jane Callie

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *In Dixon County Middle Tenn*  
Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *January 1906*  
Mother: *Still Living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *No*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Martin Brown</i>	<i>1853</i>	
(2)	<i>Johnie Brown</i>	<i>about 1858</i>	
(3)	<i>Aaron Brown</i>	<i>" 1857</i>	
(4)	<i>Lully Brown</i>	<i>" 1861</i>	
(5)	<i>Amanda Brown</i>	<i>" 1859</i>	<i>about 1890</i>
(6)	<i>Fimmie Brown</i>	<i>" 1870</i>	
	<i>Tom Brown</i>	<i>" 1874</i>	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Grand Parents <sup>MOTHER'S SIDE</sup>

*Herbe West, nee Brown*

*Mother of Bettie West*

*and Ethel West*

*Elizabeth Hall Indian*

*Archie & Cathie English*

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) .....
- (2) .....
- (3) .....
- (4) .....
- (5) .....
- (6) .....

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Herbe West's Parents Mary

Sarah Cathie, Rubin Brown Father, Grandparents Elizabeth Hall  
& Archie Cathie, Great Grandparents Margaret Hall & John Cathie  
Great Great Grandparents Lucy Hall & William Hall  
REMARKS. Cherokee Indians

(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) Hugh West

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1907.

Wm Davis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

my commission expires March 17th, 1909, 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Tom Brown  
and Henry Rodgers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Hugh West, Guardian  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and  
8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, 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 mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Henry Rodgers  
Tom Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

My commission expires March 17th, 1909, 190

Wm Davis  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *Hugh West* <sup>*Guardian*</sup>

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FILED BY  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**  
CLAIM AGENT,  
**KONAWA, I. T.**

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JUL 29 1907 No.
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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Indian Territory  
COUNTY OF Western District

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I, Hugh West  
for the county of Cottawawamis - state of Oklahoma Territory do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Manette Okla.

Henry Rodgers  
Tom Brown  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Hugh West  
Signature.

State of Indian Territory County of Western Dist. Be it known on the 24 day of July 1907  
personally appeared Hugh West, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires March 17th 1909  
[L. S.]

W M Davis  
Notary Public

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907

W M Davis  
Notary Public

No. 31042

Action: Rejected.

Name: Rosa Curl

and

children.

Residence:

Mineral, Texas.

Reasons:

Daughter of #2154, and claims thro' same source.

R.F.D. #3

31042

No. 31042

Name Mrs Rosa Curc

With No. 22124

Remarks:

No. 31042

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mrs. Rosa Crowl*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

Atty: -

*Anderson F. Cagle,  
Kovawa*

*2711E J.T.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Mrs Prosa Curl  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Mincola. R. F. D. #3.
3. County: Wood
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 23 Born 19th December, 1882
6. Where were you born? Hanbman Co. Texas
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mill. P. Curl - 30 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Uera Curl</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>27 Jan. 1902</u>
(2)	<u>Ualdau Curl</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>29 Dec. 1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: L. H. Puple  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Samantha Puple  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Samantha Pae

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Christ Co. Ark.  
Mother: Winn Parish Louisiana



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: *Neither was born in 1851*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *They were not*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Ellie Kelly</i>	<i>28 June, 1882</i>	_____
(2)	<i>Alario S. Ruple</i>	<i>15<sup>th</sup> June 1886</i>	_____
(3)	<i>Alario Ruple</i>	<i>5<sup>th</sup> July 1889</i>	<i>10<sup>th</sup> Nov 1899</i>
(4)	<i>Elbio Ruple</i>	<i>3-Oct. 1892</i>	_____
(5)	<i>Lowen Ruple</i>	<i>April 1894</i>	_____
(6)	<i>Ruthy M. Ruple</i>	<i>11<sup>th</sup> Jan'y</i>	<i>1905</i>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Alario S. Ruple</i>	<i>Samuel Rye</i>

18. Where were they born? *South Carolina, Angyles Parish Louisiana*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *South Carolina - Angyles Parish Louisiana*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_ *Marguerite Rye, Grant Parish La.*
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_ *Parsona Rye, Grant Parish La.*
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_ *Eliza McRay, Grant Parish La.*
- (4) *Don't know* \_\_\_\_\_ *Isabel Sanger, Denison, La.*
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

*None*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Mrs. Rosa Carl*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

*B. J. Crow*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

31 May, 1909

*Madison County, Va.*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*P. B. Roe*

and

*Alice Roe*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Mrs. Rosa Carl*

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*P. B. Roe*

*Alice Roe*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

31 May, 1909

*B. J. Crow*

Notary Public.

*Madison County, Va.*

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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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Mr Rosa Curl*  
*Wincola*  
*Texas*  
*Wood County*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
AND DAMAGES  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 29 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Mad

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I J. Mrs. Rosa Curl  
for the county of Mad state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Mineral, Mad Co. Tex

D. T. Crow Mrs. Rosa Curl  
Mrs. Alice Roe Signature.

(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Texas County of Mad Be it known on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907  
personally appeared Mrs. Rosa Curl, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 31 May 1909 D. T. Crow, Notary Public,  
[L. S.] Mad Co. Texas

And now to witness 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of July 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1908

J. W. Davis  
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Dear Sir as the time has  
passed for all claims to be  
presented I thought I  
would like you to wait until  
the time has passed

from my claim No. 31042 I  
am anxious to know something  
about the matter if my claim  
has not been paid I would  
like to know if the money is  
not sufficient I have the money  
of my decedent for  
the last time I have  
I have the right to  
the money

did not want to mention  
myself in the matter as to  
how the blood count would  
show. I know what I was  
talking about and I  
wanted them to see some  
- see I'll be in St. Louis  
before coming to see you  
again.

Yours, Rich  
R. H. H.  
R. B. H.

No. 31043

Action: Rejected.

Name John R. Hagar and 4 children. Residence: Collinsville, Tex.

Reasons:

Nephew of #315. Claims through the same source.

No. 31043

Name John R. Hagar

With No. 315

Remarks:



No. 31043

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John B. Heagar*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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ANDERSON T. CAGLE,  
CLERK  
CENTRAL DISTRICT

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John R. Hagar

Indian name: Franklin

2. Residence and post office: Colmsville

3. County: Grayson

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 32

Born 1873

6. Where were you born? Texas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or ~~husband~~: Leah Hagar 37

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
Twins	(1) <u>Winnie H. Hagar</u>	<u>6 years</u>	<u>Nov. 1, 1901</u>
	(2) <u>Nellie Grant Hagar</u>	<u>6 1/2</u>	<u>Nov. 1, 1901</u>
	(3) <u>Joe A. Hagar</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Jan 26 1904</u>
	(4) <u>F. Lora Lee Hagar</u>	<u>one</u>	<u>Feb. 26, 1906</u>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Hagar

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Lucinda Hagar

Indian name: Franklin

Maiden name: Franklin

12. Where were they born?

Father: Indiana

Mother: Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Indiana

Mother: Arkansas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1877

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Hagar	1873	
(2)	Ida Arnold		
	Lee Farnsworth		
(3)	Alice Stephenson		
	Richard A. George		
	Walker George		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Anderson Franklin  
Narcissus Franklin

18. Where were they born?

Kentucky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Kentucky

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Dean Wilson

(2) Leliah Leroy

(3) Betsy Kyle

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *Anderion Franklin and Narcissus Franklin*

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. Kagar*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12* day of *July*, 1907.

*J. W. Fisher*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*May 31*, 190*9*.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*John Malone*

and

*W. L. Bruce*

who,

*3*

years sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*John R. Kagar*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and has known him for

*him*

years and

years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*John Malone*

*W. L. Bruce*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12* day of *July*, 1907.

My commission expires

*May 31*, 190*9*.

*J. W. Fisher*

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney  
and  
Contract

For

*John R. Hagar*  
*Collinsville*  
*Texas*  
*Grayson County*

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FILED BY

**ANDERSON P. CAGLE**  
CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA I. T.

JUL 2 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Grayson

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I John B. Hagar  
J. B. Fisher  
for the county of Grayson state of Texas do hereby make consti-  
tute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful at-  
torney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior  
Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato  
share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this  
case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises  
I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of  
all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and  
the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my  
claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not  
paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Collinsville Texas

W. L. Bruce  
John Malone  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

John B. Hagar  
mark  
Signature

State of Texas County of Grayson Be it known on the 19 day of July 1907  
personally appeared John Hagar, who after having read over to him the presence of the  
attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and ac-  
knowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid him attorney any sum whatever for  
his services in said claim.

My commission expires May 31 1909  
[L. S.]

J. B. Fisher  
notary public

And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney,  
etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises,  
and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50)  
Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who hav-  
ing signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,

Witness my hand and seal this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907

My commission expires March 1st, 1908.

W. W. Davis  
Notary Public

No. 310 44

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Fannie J. Clark* and *1* children. Residence: *High Falls*

Reasons:

*Not a service. Claims thru  
same office.*

No. 31024

Name Jimmy Clark

With No. 31003

Remarks:



No. 31041

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Fannie June Clark.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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ANDERSON . C. CARR

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Fannie Jane Clarr

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Hugh

3. County: Landon

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 29 Born 1878

6. Where were you born? Arkansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Samuel D Clarr

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Martha J. George	14	1893
(2)	James J. George	11	1896
(3)	Porter L. Simpson	6	1901
(4)	Ernest G. Clarr	1	1906
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Martha

J. White James G. White

Father—English name: James G. White

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha J. White

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha G. Keyson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Alabama

Mother: before her birth

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Not dead

Mother: not

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James J White	1875	
(2)	Solomon White	1876	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*27753*  
Andrew J White  
Patsay Long

James R Gilkeyson  
Mary E Jarrett

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Norman White	Moses P. Gilkeyson	
(2)	Emily White	Thomas J.	"
(3)	Rebecca White	Dallie A.	"
(4)	Solomon White	William E.	"
(5)		Nancy C.	"
(6)		Bob	"
		Judie B.	"
		Samuel B.	"
		Annie E.	"

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*27753*  
*31003*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jas. R. Giltkison

Mary E. Jarrett Robert Giltkison

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)

Fannie Jane Clark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

D. Coleman

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909

Lamar County, Tex

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. A. Orr

and J. H. M. Burnett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Fannie J. Clark

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 29 years and

29 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Orr

James H. M. Burnett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909

D. Coleman

Notary Public

Lamar County, Tex

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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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Fannie Jane Clark*  
*High,*  
*Texas.*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 29 1907  
No.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Lamar

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Fannie J Clark  
for the county of Lamar state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is High Texas

J. A. Q. M. Fannie Jane Clark  
J. A. M. M. M. Signature

State of Texas County of Lamar Be it known on the 20 day of July 1907  
personally appeared Fannie J Clark, who after having read over to she  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1 1909  
[L. S.] D. A. Coleman  
Notary Public  
Lamar County  
And now to witness 24 day of July 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-

tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle  
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of July 1907  
My commission expires March 17th, 1909, Notary Public

App. No. 31044.

August 5, 1907.

Fannie J. Clark,

High, Texas.

Madam:

Kindly inform this Office at once the exact date of the birth of your minor child, Everett G. Clark.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

No. 3,040

Action: Admitted

Name: Tom P. Payne and 3 children. Residence: Free Sea

Reasons:

Grandson of no-10-111 claim through the same  
source.



No. 31045-6-7  
Name Henry W. Payne  
With No. 106

Remarks:

Wm. P. Payne  
Wm. P. Payne

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No. ....

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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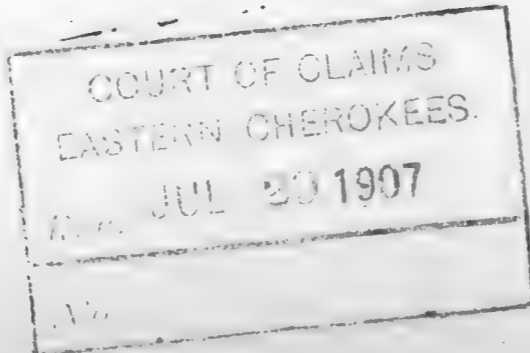
APPLICATION

OF

*John P. Payne*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: William P. Payne  
Indian name: Dont Know
2. Residence and post office: Foyil
3. County: Dist. #4
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. How old are you? 28 Born Jan. 25, 1879
6. Where were you born? Flint Dist. Cherokee Nation I.T.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lucindia A. Payne Age 28  
White
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? .....
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: .....

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Pearl J. Payne</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>AUG. 16, 1898</u>
(2)	<u>Charlotte E. Payne</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Oct. 26, 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Ollie G. Payne</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Dec. 21, 1902</u>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: .....

Father—English name: Isaac J. Payne  
Indian name: Not Known  
Mother—English name: Sarah L. Payne  
Indian name: Not Known  
Maiden name: Sarah L. Holland

12. Where were they born?  
Father: North Carolina  
Mother: North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dont Know  
Not Living  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 1896  
Mother: Dec. 29, 1892

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled with Cherokees 1873, Bread Roll 1889, Strip Payment 1893 ~~xxxxxx~~ ~~xxxxxx~~ ~~xxxxxx~~ . First two in Flint Dist. I.T. last not known

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Henry W. Payne</u>	<u>Dec. 22, 1882</u>	
	<u>Georgia Allen nee Payne</u>	<u>Feb. 27, 1885</u>	
(2)	<u>Alfred W. Payne</u>	<u>Oct. 16, 1886</u>	
	<u>Claude L. Payne</u>	<u>Oct. 11, 1889</u>	
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Miah Payne</u>	<u>John W. Holland</u>
<u>Francis Payne</u>	<u>Mary E. Holland</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Eliza Payne</u>	<u>Manuel J. Holland</u>
	<u>Mary Payne</u>	<u>Alfred B. Holland</u>
(2)	<u>Martha Payne</u>	<u>Sarah L. Payne</u>
	<u>William Payne</u>	<u>John A. Holland</u>
(3)	<u>Joseph Payne</u>	<u>Neah S. Holland</u>
	<u>Elizabeth Payne</u>	<u>Mallie King</u>
(4)		<u>Lillie B. Gibson</u>
(5)		<u>Martha Early</u>
		<u>James D. Holland</u>
(6)		<u>Mary E. Jones</u>
		<u>Ida J. Hallford</u>
		<u>William H. Holland</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled with Cherokees on Bread Roll 1889, Strip Payment 1893, Dawes Comm. 1896. first in Flint list. I.T. Second and third at Claremore, I.T.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See Grandmother's statement No. 106 Mary E. Holland

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William P. Payne

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1907.

O. A. Johnson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W.D. Lee

and John H. Gibson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with William P. Payne

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. D. Lee  
John H. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909, 190 .

O. A. Johnson  
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. 3, C-0

Action: Admitted

Name: *Henry J. Paine* and *X* children.

Residence: *San Jose, Cal.*

Reasons:

*Admitted on basis of same through the same source.*

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No. 31046

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Henry W. Payne*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Henry W. Payne

Indian name: Not known

2. Residence and post office: Foyil

3. County: Dist. #4

4. State: Ind. Ter.

5. How old are you? 24 Born Dec. 22, 1882

6. Where were you born? Flint Dist. I.T.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary J. Payne Age 18

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? White

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	.....	.....	.....
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Isaac J. Payne

Indian name: Not known

Mother—English name: Sarah L. Payne

Indian name: Not known

Maiden name: Sarah L. Holland

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dont know

Mother: Not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 1896

Mother: Dec. 29, 1892

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled with Cherokees 1873, Bread Roll 1889, Strip Payment, 1893. First two in Flint Dist. I.T. last not known

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William P. Payne</u>	<u>Jan. 25, 1878</u>	<u>Foyil, I.T.</u>
	<u>Geotgia Allen nee Payne</u>	<u>Feb. 27, 1885</u>	<u>Foyil, I.T.</u>
(2)	<u>Alfred W. Payne</u>	<u>Oct. 16, 1886</u>	<u>Foyil, I.T.</u>
	<u>Claude L. Payne</u>	<u>Oct. 11, 1889</u>	<u>U.S. Navy</u>
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Miah Payne</u>	<u>John W. Holland</u>
<u>Frances Payne</u>	<u>Mary E. Holland</u>
.....	.....
.....	.....

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Eliza Payne</u>	<u>Manuel J. Holland</u>
		<u>Alfred B. Holland</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Payne</u>	<u>Sarah L. Payne</u>
		<u>John A. Holland</u>
(3)	<u>Martha Payne</u>	<u>Neah S. Holland</u>
(4)	<u>William Payne</u>	<u>Mallie King</u>
		<u>Lillie B. Gibson</u>
(5)	<u>Joseph Payne</u>	<u>Martha Early</u>
(6)	<u>Elizabeth Payne</u>	<u>James D. Holland</u>
		<u>Mary E. Jones</u>
		<u>Ida J. Hallford</u>
		<u>William H. Holland</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled with Cherokees on Bread Roll 1889, Strip Payment 1893, Dawes Comm. 1896. First in Flint Dist. I.T. second and third at Claremore, I.T.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See grandmothers statement Mary E. Holland Roll No. 106

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 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909, 190

O.A. Johnson  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W.C. Allison

and Ben K. Dowdy, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Henry W. Payne

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W.C. Allison  
Ben K. Dowdy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909 190

O.A. Johnson  
Notary Public.

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No. 3 047

Action: Admitted

Name Alfred W. Farnum and children. Residence: In the Sea-

Reasons: Marine & Farnum

By William W. Farnum Juri-

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same course.

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him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

*Milo Boyd*

*Ben. H. Dancy*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July, 1907.

*O. Johnson*

Notary Public.

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909

My commission expires, 190 .

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No. 31047

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

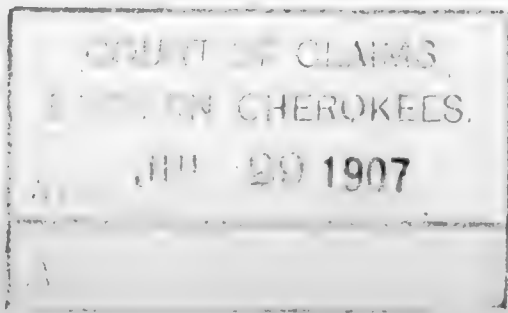
*Original*  
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Wm. P. Payne Esq.*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of n. appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indian Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. ....

1. State your full name: William P. Payne
2. Residence and post office: Foyil  
Dist. #4
3. County: Ind. Ter.
4. State: Ind. Ter.
5. Date and place of birth: Jan, 25, 1879 Flint. Dist. Cherokee nation, I.T
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Lucindia A. Payne Age 28
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? White
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Alfred W. Payne</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Oct. 16, 1886</u>
(2)	<u>Claude L. Payne</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Oct. 11, 1889</u>
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: enrolled with Cherokees, Dred roll 1889, strip 1893, Dawes Comm. 1896. first two not known, last Cherokee orphan Asylum

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

**Remarks.**

The applicants herein mentioned are minor orphans, sons of Isaac J. and Sarah L. Payne, grandsons of Mary E. Holland nee Mary E. Ward, who has made original Application No. 106. I as legally appointed Guardian for the applicants herein mentioned, herewith enclose original Guardianship papers and ask that they be enrolled as Eastern Cherokees.

*William P. Payne Guardian*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Wm. D. Payne Guardian

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1907.

C. A. Johnson  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909, 190

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Milo Foyil

Personally appeared before me

Ben K. Dowdy

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose

and say that they are well acquainted with William P. Payne Guardian who makes the

foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 15 years and 15 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that

on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by

him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Milo Foyil

Ben K. Dowdy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July, 1907.

O. Johnson

Notary Public.

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909

My commission expires, 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Original SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Wm P Payne

For share of r... appropriated for the East-... Act of Congress ap-... proved June 30, 1900, ... in accordance with the de-... crees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



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**LETTERS OF GUARDIAN**

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Approved:

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LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
INDIAN TERRITORY, } SS.  
NORTHERN DISTRICT, }

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING:

KNOW YE, That whereas, *W. P. Payne*

has, on this day, by the United States Court in Probate, in and for said Northern District of the Indian Territory, been appointed guardian for *Henry Payne, Alfred Payne, Claude Payne, and Georgie Payne*

minor *P.*, under the age of *18* years, by *his* entering into Bond to the United States of America for the use of said minor *P.* in the sum of *Sixteen Hundred* Dollars,

and, whereas, the said *W. P. Payne* has this day filed *his* Bond in such sum to the United States of America for the use of said minor *P.*, which said Bond stands approved by the Court;

NOW, THEREFORE, *he*, the said *W. P. Payne* is hereby authorized and empowered to collect and receive all moneys, property and effects that now are, or hereafter may become due to *his* said ward *P.*, and in general to do and perform all and singular, the duties devolving upon *him* as such guardian by law, or that may be enjoined upon *him* by the lawful order, sentence or decree of any Court having competent jurisdiction.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, Chas. A. Davidson, Clerk of the United States Court in Probate, in and for the said Northern District of the Indian Territory, hereto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, at my office in *Vinita* this *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* A. D. 190*0*

(Seal)

CHAS. A. DAVIDSON, Clerk,  
By *T. A. Chandler* Deputy,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

I, CHAS. A. DAVIDSON, Clerk of the United States Court of the Northern District of the Indian Territory, do certify the attached instrument to be a true and correct copy of Letters of *Guardianship* issued to *W. P. Payne* on the

*25* day of *April*, 190*7*, as the same appears in my office at Vinita, Ind. Ter.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this *24* day of *July*, 190*7*, at

Vinita Ind. Ter.

*Chas. A. Davidson* Clerk  
*By W. H. Chubb* Deputy

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INDIAN TERRITORY.

I, CHAS. A. DAVIDSON, Clerk of the United States Court of the Northern District of the Indian Territory, do certify the attached instrument to be a true and correct copy of Letters of Guardianship issued to W. P. Payne on the

25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1900 as the same appears in my office at Vinita, Ind. Ter.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907, at Vinita, Ind. Ter.

Chas A Davidson Clerk  
By J. A. Chandler Deputy

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No. 31048

Action: Admitted  
Owasso, Okla.

Name: Letta M. Chapman et al. and X children.

Residence:

Reasons:

Nieces and nephews of # 4276 and  
came thru the same source.

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No. 31048-9

Name *Petta M. Blackman*

With No. 8296

Remarks:

*Suppl. to #*

*No.* 31048

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Rebecca M. Blakemore, et al*  
*petitioners by*  
*William H. Blakemore*  
*Guardian.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 29 1907  
No.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: **Netta M. Blakemore, Gracie D. Blakemore and Oce Blakemore, minors, William N. Blakemore, their guardian and father.**  
Indian name: **same**

2. Residence: **Owasso, Indian Territory.**

3. Town and post office: **Owasso,**

4. County: **Cherokee Nation,**

5. State: **Indian Territory.**

6. Date and place of birth: **Netta M., July 11, 1892., Gracie D., born, Dec. 16, 1897, and Oce, born, August 14, 1900.**

7. 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 their mother, who was**

**Susan Delilah, Blakemore, (nee Coody) whose mother was Hannah Foreman, a sister of Link Foreman, whose names will appear on the Emigrant rolls of the Cherokee Nation of 1851.**

8. Are you married? **They are not 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: **William N. Blakemore,**

Indian name: **He is a whiteman.**

Mother—English name: **Susan Delalah Blakemore,**

Indian name: **same**

Maiden name: **Susan Delalah Coody**

11. Where were they born?

Father: **In Benton County, Arkansas.**

Mother: **In the Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.**

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: **Not born at that time.**

Mother: **In the Cherokee Nation, I.T.**

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: **He is living.**

Mother: **In 1901.**

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: She was enrolled as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, I.T. and he as an intermarried citizen.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<del>XXXXXXXXXXXX</del>		
(2)	Susanna M. Blakemore,	born May 14, 1904.	
(3)	Claimed for by mother of said child.		
(4)	Willie Starkey (half brother)	born April 25, 1898.	
(5)	Henry Starkey, (half brother)	born January 30, 1901.	
(6)	Claimed for by their mother,		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	On their father's side they	Arch Coody, a Cherokee,
	were all white people.	

17. Where were they born? In the Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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. They have been enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, 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:

Same as given in sections seven and sixteen above.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) William N. Blakemore
As guardian of above named wards.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires August 24th, 1909.

W. F. Wood
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John M. Taylor, Jr. and
W. N. Blakemore, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with William N. Blakemore and his wards,
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 25 years,
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John M. Taylor Jr.
W. N. Blakemore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires August 24th, 1909.

W. F. Wood
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Action: Admitted.

No. 51049.

*Suzana M. Blakemore et al*

Name: Sarah E. Blakemore, Gdn. and ~~3~~ children. Residence: Owasso, Oklahoma.

Reasons: 2nd cousin of #8276.

*1st cousins once removed of #8276. The maternal grand father, <sup>of applicant</sup> ~~Blakemore~~ died in 298, Flint District in 1851.*

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No. 380039

See #

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF  
Sarah E. Blakemore  
and Minor Children

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 29 1907

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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 E. Blakemore,

Indian name: Same.

2. Residence: Owasso, Indian Territory.

3. Town and post office: Owasso,

4. County: Cherokee Nation,

5. State: Indian Territory.

6. Date and place of birth: August 18, 1883, in the Cherokee Nation, I.T.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my mother, Susie Galcatcher (nee Foreman), who was a daughter of Link Foreman,

8. Are you married? Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband: William N. Blakemore, aged 42 years, he is a white man.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Bud Burgess,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Susie Burgess

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Susie Foreman.

11. Where were they born?

Father: In the Indian Territory.

Mother: In the Indian Territory.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In the Indian Territory.

Mother: In the Indian Territory.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: 1903.

Mother: She is living.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes; as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Henry Galcatcher (halfbrother)		
(2) Tom Galcatcher (halfbrother)		
(3) Hattie Galcatcher, (halfsister)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Burgess, a cherokee, and Jane Burgess, a cherokee	Link Foreman, a cherokee, and Mary Foreman, a cherokee.

17. Where were they born?

The old Cherokee Nation, east.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In the Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter., to the best of my knowledge.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Bud Burgess,	Indian name: Hettie Burgess,	Residence: Sarah Burgess,
(2) English name: Jennie Burgess,	Indian name: Cooie Burgess,	Residence: Dick Burgess,
(3) English name: Susie Foreman,	Indian name: Nellie Foreman,	Residence: Willie Foreman.
(4) English name: Dave Foreman.	Indian name:	Residence:
(5) English name:	Indian name:	Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes; as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

Same as given in sections seven and sixteen above.

### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Names of all my minor children who were living on May 28, 1906.

~~XX~~  
born July 11, 1898.

~~XX~~  
born December 18, 1897,

~~XX~~  
XXXX1900X

Susana M. Blakemore, born, May 14, 1904.

Willie Starkey born April 25, 1898.

Henry Starkey, born January 30, 1901.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*John M. Taylor Jr.*  
*E. M. Blakemore*

(Signature.)

*Sarah E. Blakemore*  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July, 1907., ~~XXXX~~

My commission expires

August 24th, 1909.

*A. S. Wood*

Notary Public.

### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John M. Taylor Jr. and C. M. Blakemore, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah E. Blakemore, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*John M. Taylor Jr.*  
*E. M. Blakemore*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July, 1907., ~~XXXX~~

My commission expires

August 24th, 1909.

*A. S. Wood*

Notary Public.

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No. 31050

Action: Admitted

Name: Elvira Gladney and 5 children. Residence: Enreka, Okla.

Reasons:

Sister of # 2411 & Claims for same source.

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No. 31050-1.

Name. 2411-

With No.

Remarks:

Elmer Glen

10-10-11



No. 31050

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Elmira Gladney*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. JUL 29 1907
No.

31050

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Elmira Gladney

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Eureka

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: Ind. Territory

5. How old are you? 52 Born Sept 10, 1854

6. Where were you born? near Evansville, Ark

7. Are you married? yes. Husband deceased

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE.	BORN.
11 31-57	<u>Cynthia E. Gladney</u>	<u>March 23, 1874</u>	<u>33</u>
2. C.	(1) <u>Joseph F. Gladney</u>	<u>June 11, 1878</u>	<u>29</u>
12 57	(2) <u>Annie L. McKinney</u>	<u>Jan 22, 1881</u>	<u>26</u>
" 58	<u>Henry S. Gladney</u>	<u>Jan 27, 1886</u>	<u>21</u>
" 60	(3) <u>Harry Beck</u>	<u>Jan 27, 1886</u>	<u>21</u>
" 61	(4) <u>Minnie B. Gladney</u>	<u>Aug 6, 1888</u>	<u>19</u>
" 62	(5) <u>Charlotte Gladney</u>	<u>Nov 5, 1890</u>	<u>16</u>
" 63	(6) <u>Elizabeth Gladney</u>	<u>May 6, 1893</u>	<u>14</u>
" 64	<u>John R. Gladney</u>	<u>May 1, 1897</u>	<u>10</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Sam Mayes, Annie Spirit, nee Annie Snell

Father—English name: Sam Mayes

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Annie Snell

Indian name: Ahnewate

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Don't know

Mother: think in Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee Nation

Mother: Near Evansville Ark

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dead but know date of death

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Per Capita Payments

Cherokee tribe

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Charloux Ballard</u> <u>Esco. IJ</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u>living</u>
(2)	<u>Will Mays</u> <u>Yone</u>	<u>1856</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

.....	.....
.....	.....
.....	.....
.....	.....

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Near Evansville Ark

Near Evansville Ark

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) .....
- (2) .....
- (3) .....
- (4) .....
- (5) .....
- (6) .....

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes, Cherokee tribe

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elmira Gladney.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 29, 1910

Notary Public.

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 G. Harnage  
and Eva M. Gregor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Elmira Gladney  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John G. Harnage  
Eva M. Gregor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 29, 1910 J. B. Saunier

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. 31051

Action: Admitted.

Name: Cynthia E. Ballard and 3 children. Residence: Copan, Okla.

Reasons:

C. Kece of # 24118 applicants' grandmother  
Aue. wa. Kee or Annie Snell is enrolled  
by Drennan in 1851 from Flint Dist. # 384.  
applicants mother born in 1853.

31051

No. 31051

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Cynthia E. Ballari*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 29 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Cynthia Elean Ballard

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Copan I. T.

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 33 Born March 23, 1874

6. Where were you born? near Southwest City Mo. 1874

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Archibald L. Ballard, age 29

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Elean May Ballard</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>July 19, 1902</u>
(2)	<u>Chuska E. Ballard</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Apr 1903</u>
(3)	<u>Fannie E. Ballard</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>March 23, 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Samuel Finn & Elmira Gladney nee Elmira Mayes

Father—English name: Samuel Finn

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elmira Gladney

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Smith Knob

Mother: near Eransville, Ark in I. T.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: .....

Mother: Not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't know

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: mother was in

Cherokee tribe

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joseph F Gladney Eureka Ill	June 11, 1878	
(2)	Annie L. McKinney Wagoner Ill	Jan. 22, 1881	
(3)	Mary Beck	Dec 11, 1883	July 20, 1907
(4)	Henry S. Gladney Eureka Ill	Jan 27, 1886	
(5)	Minnie B. Gladney Eureka Ill	Aug 6, 1888	
(6)	Charlotte Gladney Eureka Ill	Nov. 5, 1890	
	Elyabeth Gladney	May 6, 1893	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John R. Gladney

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Annie Snell

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Annie Snell near Southwest City, Mo

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) .....
- (2) .....
- (3) .....
- (4) .....
- (5) .....
- (6) .....



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes Cherokee  
tribe

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Cynthia Ellen Ballard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907.

J. B. Dannerberg  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 29, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Eva M. Gregor  
and John G. Harbage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Cynthia Ellen Ballard who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Eva M. Gregor  
John G. Harbage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 29, 1910. J. B. Dannerberg  
Notary Public.

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No. 31052

Action: Resisted

Name Andy J Mc Guire and 2 children. Residence: Elsey Mo

Reasons: Brother of 16072 and claims this same father.

31052

No. 31052-31055-

Name. *Qns Quires*

With No. 16072

Remarks:

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No. 31052

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Cindy Jackson McClure*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 23, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 23 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *andy Jackson Mc Guire*

Indian name: *andy Jackson Mc Guire*

2. Residence and post office: *Elzey*

3. County: *Tane*

4. State: *Missouri*

5. How old are you? *41* Born *Jan 1 1866*

6. Where were you born? *Candem Co Mo*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mathie Mc Guire*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *mo*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Luby Angeline Mc Guire</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>Oct 6 1895</i>
(2)	<i>Thomas Albert Mc Guire</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>July 10 1899</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Jessie Calvan Mc Guire*

Indian name: *Jessie Calvan Mc Guire*

Mother—English name: *Elizabeth Mc Guire*

Indian name: *+*

Maiden name: *Elizabeth Sumner*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Middle Tennessee*

Mother: *Middle Tennessee*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Boalinges O Co MO

Mother: Boalinges O Co MO

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: March 5 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sarah Jane Mc Guire</u>	<u>May 14 1853</u>	<u>Feb 10 1904</u>

(2)	<u>John Calvin Mc Guire</u>	<u>Feb 8 1855</u>	
	<u>Prosperity MO</u>		

(3)	<u>Elizabeth Mc Guire</u>	<u>Sept 5 1857</u>	
	<u>Richmond MO</u>		

(4)	<u>William Jasper Mc Guire</u>	<u>April 2 1858</u>	
	<u>Ossey MO</u>		

(5)	<u>James B Mc Guire</u>	<u>Aug 9 1860</u>	
	<u>Ossey MO</u>		

(6)	<u>Green Berry Mc Guire</u>	<u>Nov 16 1862</u>	
	<u>Ossey MO</u>		

Names	Born	Died	105-
<u>Lusenda Mc Guire</u>	<u>Dec 6 1864</u>		
<u>Ossey MO</u>			
<u>Carlina Mc Guire</u>	<u>Jan 25 1868</u>		
<u>Thomas Mc Guire</u>	<u>Feb 6 1870</u>		
<u>Abitha Mc Guire</u>	<u>unknown</u>		
<u>Quiline Mc Guire</u>	<u>Mar 10 1874</u>	<u>Died May 2 1874</u>	

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Boalinges O Co MO  
Both sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Sam Mc Guire

(2) June Mc Guire

(3) John Mc Guire

(4) William Mc Guire

(5) Emily Mc Guire

(6) Gandy Mc Guire

Thomas Mc Guire

Jal Mc Guire

13. Where did

Father

Mother

14. Date of death

Father

Mother

15. Were they

and with

16. Name all

(1)

(2)

(3)

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(5)

(6)

Names	Born	Died
Luzenda Mc Guire	Dec 6 1864	
Essey mo		
Carlina Mc Guire	Jan 25 1868	
Thomas Mc Guire	Feb 6 1870	
Abitha Mc Guire	unknown	
Guiline Mc Guire	Mar 10 1874	May 2 1874

19. Where did

20. Give name

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Boalinges Co Mo

Mother: Boalinges Co Mo

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother: March 5 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

- |     | NAME                    | BORN.        | DIED.       |
|-----|-------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| (1) | Mary Jane Mc Guire      | May 14 1853  | Feb 10 1904 |
| (2) | John Calvin Mc Guire    | Feb 8 1855   |             |
|     | Prosperity Mo           |              |             |
| (3) | Elizabeth Mc Guire      | Sept 5 1857  |             |
|     | Klanonka, I. T.         |              |             |
| (4) | William Jasper Mc Guire | April 2 1858 |             |
|     | Essey Mo                |              |             |
| (5) | James B Mc Guire        | Aug 9 1860   |             |
| (6) | Green Berry Mc Guire    | Nov 16 1860  |             |
|     | Essey Mo                |              |             |

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 Mc Guire	Mrs Lunnia
John Mc Guire	+
Rachel Mc Guire	Mary Lunnia
+	+

Where were they born? Middle Tennessee Both sides

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Boalinges Co Mo  
Both sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Sam Mc Guire
- (2) Jane Mc Guire
- (3) John Mc Guire
- (4) William Mc Guire
- (5) Mary Mc Guire
- (6) Andy Mc Guire
- Thomas Mc Guire
- Jal Mc Guire



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father Jessie Calvan

McGuire Grand, father John McGuire  
Great Grand father Fessie McGuire

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Brother John Calvan McGuire  
has got his Number 22514

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Witness to Mark

J. C. Overstreet  
J. A. Mahan

(Signature)

Audley Jackson McGuire  
his mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 19010.

J. C. Overstreet  
Justice of Peace  
Lincoln Twp  
Stone 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 J. W. King

and W. J. Mahan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Audley Jackson McGuire 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 This claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. King

W. J. Mahan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this July day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 26 19010.

J. C. Overstreet  
Justice of the Peace

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.

Lincoln Twp  
Stone Co Mo.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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If we are moved I  
would like to know it.  
and if we are not I  
would like to know also  
I would like to see  
proofs you mean.  
I am  
andy J. McQuire

Osney Mo

5/8-09:

Mr. Guion Miller; Sp. Com.  
Washington D. C.

I thought I would write you  
about my application that  
was made out in August  
1907.

Mr. Baker you agent  
told me that if we got  
anything we would  
get it in 7 months from  
the time that we were at  
Corona, in July, and  
the time is up.

I will refer to you my

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If we are moved I  
would like to know it.  
and if we are not I  
would like to know also  
I would like to see

from you soon.  
I remain yours truly  
andy J. McVire

No. 31053

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Wm J Mc Guire* and *7* children.

Residence: *Elsie, Mo*

Reasons:

*Brother of 16072 and claims thro' same source.*

1200 of 16072

No. 31053

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William Jasper McGuire*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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#2  
#3

Name	age	Born
Dellia Mc Guire	6	July 12 1901
Billic Mc Guire	3	May 1 1904
Jae Mc Guire		May 6 1907

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Jasper McGuire

Indian name: William Jasper McGuire

2. Residence and post office: Eley Stone

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 49 Born April 2, 1858

6. Where were you born? Camden Co Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Hannie McGuire 43

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
431054 (1)	John Calvin McGuire	28	Dec 18 1879
431055 (2)	Jda McGuire	20	May 16 1887
(3)	Perry McGuire	18	Sept 14 1889
(4)	Gracie Ann McGuire	15	Dec 14 1891
(5)	Debie McGuire	12	April 23 1895
(6)	Stellie McGuire	10	Mar 4 1898

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Jessie Calvin McGuire

Indian name: Jessie Calvin McGuire

Mother—English name: Elizabeth McGuire

Indian name: +

Maiden name: Elizabeth Sumner

12. Where were they born?

Father: Middle Tennessee

Mother: Middle Tennessee



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bollinger Co Mo

Mother: Bollinger Co Mo

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: March 5 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Sarah Jane Mc Guire	May 14 1853	Feb 10 1904

(2)	John Calvin Mc Guire	Feb 8 1855	
	Prosperity Mo		

(3)	Elizabeth Mc Graham	Sept 3 1857	
	Okla. Ind. T.		

(4)	James B. Mc Guire	Aug 9 1860	
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(5)	Gene Berry Mc Guire	Nov 16 1862	
	Stane Co Mo		

(6)	Lusenda Mc Guire	Dec 6 1864	
	Stane Co Mo		

Name	Born	Died	Residence, if possible
Andy J Mc Guire	Jan 1 1866		Stane Co Mo
Carlina Mc Guire	Jan 25 1868		Tentara
Thomas Mc Guire	Feb 6 1870		Terresty
Tobitha Ann Mc Guire	unknown		Stane Co Mo
Eviline Mc Guire	Mar 10 1874	May 2 1874	

- (2) Jane Mc Guire
- (3) John Mc Guire
- (4) William Mc Guire
- (5) Emily Mc Guire
- (6) Andy Mc Guire
- Thomas Mc Guire
- Cal Mc Guire

name	Born	Died
Andy J Mc Guire	Jan 1866	
Residence Stone Co Mo		
Carlina m C Guire	Jan 25 1868	
terry		
Mary m C Guire	Feb 6 1870	
terry		
Tobitha ann m C Guire	unknown	
Eveline m C Guire	Mar 10 1874	May 2 1874

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ballinger Leo Mo

Mother: Ballinger Leo mo

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: March 5 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: MO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

- |     | NAME.                | BORN.       | DIED.       |
|-----|----------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | Sarah Jane Mc Guire  | May 14 1853 | Feb 10 1904 |
| (2) | John Colvan Mc Guire | Feb 8 1855  |             |
|     | Prosperity Mo        |             |             |
| (3) | Elizabeth Mc Graham  | Sept 5 1857 |             |
|     | Klaka Mo             |             |             |
| (4) | James Mc Guire       | Aug 9 1860  |             |
| (5) | Gene Berry Mc Guire  | Nov 16 1862 |             |
|     | Stane Co Mo          |             |             |
| (6) | Lusenda Mc Guire     | Dec 6 1864  |             |
|     | Stane Co Mo          |             |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Mc Guire	Artes Sumnia
John Mc Guire	+
Rochel Mc Guire	Mary Sumnia
+	+

18. Where were they born? Middle Tennessee Both sides

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ballinger Co Mo  
Both sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Sam Mc Guire
- (2) Jane Mc Guire
- (3) John Mc Guire
- (4) William Mc Guire
- (5) Emily Mc Guire
- (6) Gundy Mc Guire
- Sam Mc Guire
- Sal Mc Guire

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Father Jesse Colman  
McGuire Grand Father John McGuire  
Great Grand Father Jesse McGuire

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Brother John Colman McGuire  
has got his number 22514

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Witness to mark

W. R. Epps  
C. B. Brown

(Signature)

William Jasper McGuire  
his mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 1907.

F. A. Dumbler Justice of the Peace  
Washington D.C. & Stone Co. Inc  
Notary Public

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. Waldman

and W. R. Epps, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Jasper McGuire who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 17 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

March 21<sup>st</sup>

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23<sup>rd</sup> day of July  
F. A. Dumbler Justice of the Peace  
Washington D.C. & Stone Co. Inc  
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. 31054

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *John C. McQuire* and  children. Residence: *Elsey, Mo*

Reasons: *Traphur # 16072 met claims thru same source*

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No. 31054

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John Calvin McGuire*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUL 29 1907  
No.

31054

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *John Calvin Mc Guire*

Indian name: *John Calvin Mc Guire*

2. Residence and post office: *Elsey*

3. County: *Stone Co Mo*

4. State: *Missouri*

5. How old are you? *28*

Born *Dec 18 1879*

6. Where were you born? *Christian Co Mo*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Meda Mc Guire*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *no*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Effie Mc Guire</i>		<i>Feb 11 1907</i>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *William Jasper Mc Guire*

Indian name: *William Jasper Mc Guire*

Mother—English name: *Jennie Mc Guire*

Indian name: *+*

Maiden name: *Jennie Madlin*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Christian Co Mo*

Mother: *Christian Co Mo*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ida Mc Guire	May 16 1887	
	Elsie mo		
(2)	Perry Mc Guire	sept 14 1889	
	Elsie mo		
(3)	Gracey Ann Mc Guire	Dec 14 1891	
	Elsie mo		
(4)	Debie Mc Guire	April 23 1895	
	Elsie mo		
(5)	Stellie Mc Guire	mar 14 1898	
	Elsie mo		
(6)	Nellie Mc Guire	July 17 1901	
	Elsie mo		

Name	Born	Died	side, if possible
Billie Mc Guire	May 1	1904	_____
Ida Mc Guire	May 6	1907	_____
			_____

18. Where were they born? middle Tennessee Bath side

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Bollinger Co mo  
Bath side

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Sarah Mc Guire Bill Madlin
- (2) John Colman Mc Guire Jane Madlin
- (3) William Jasper Mc Guire Lue Madlin
- (4) Elizabeth Mc Guire Sarah Madlin
- (5) James B Mc Guire John Madlin
- (6) Gre Berry Mc Guire Wiley Madlin
- Lusenda Mc Guire Annie Madlin
- Andy J Mc Guire
- Carline Mc Guire Lave Madlin
- Frank Mc Guire
- Martha Mc Guire



Name	Born	Died
Billie McGuire	may 1	1904
Jal McGuire	may 6	1907

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: *no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ida Mc Guire	May 16 1887	
	Elsie	no	
(2)	Perry Mc Guire	Sept 14 1889	
	Elsie	no	
(3)	Gracie Ann Mc Guire	Nov 14 1891	
	Elsie	no	
(4)	Debie Mc Guire	April 23 1895	
	Elsie	no	
(5)	Hellie Mc Guire	Mar 14 1898	
	Elsie	no	
(6)	Hellie Mc Guire	July 12 1901	
	Elsie	no	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Jessie Calhoun Mc Guire	John Madlin
Desire Calhoun Mc Guire	+
Eizabeth Mc Guire	Martha Madlin
+	+

18. Where were they born? *Both sides Middle Tennessee*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Bollinger Co Mo Both sides*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Sarah Mc Guire Bill Madlin
- (2) John Calhoun Mc Guire Jane Madlin
- (3) William Jasper Mc Guire Paul Madlin
- (4) Eizabeth Mc Guire Sarah Madlin
- (5) James B Mc Guire John Madlin
- (6) Gre Berry Mc Guire Wiley Madlin
- Isenda Mc Guire Annie Madlin
- Andy J Mc Guire Kate Madlin
- Basile Mc Guire
- Stamps Mc Guire
- Abba Mc Guire

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no father williams

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father william jessie

Grand father John Mc Guire Great Great  
Grand father Jessie Mc Guire

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my uncle John Calvin Mc Guire  
has got his number 22514

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John Calvin Mc Guire

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1907.

F A Dunbar Justice of the Peace  
Washington Sup Store Co Mo  
Notary Public

My commission expires March 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J Wildman  
and Ed Chaffin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with John Calvin Mc Guire  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and  
3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J Wildman  
Ed Chaffin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1907.

My commission expires March 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

F A Dunbar Justice of the Peace  
Washington Sup Store Co Mo  
Notary Public

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No. 31055-

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Ida Mc Guire* and <sup>2</sup> children. Residence: *Elroy, Mo.*

Reasons: *Traces of #16072 and claims there  
same @ home*

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*Trice of 16072*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ida McGuire*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*31055*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ida Mc Guire

Indian name: Ida Mc Guire

2. Residence and post office: Elsey

3. County: Stone

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 20 Born May 16 1887

6. Where were you born? Ind Territory

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>William Jasper Mc Guire</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Nov 15 1891</u>
(2)	<u>William Jasper Mc Guire</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Sept 15 1895</u>
(3)	<u>William Jasper Mc Guire</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Sept 15 1901</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: William Jasper Mc Guire

Indian name: William Jasper Mc Guire

Mother—English name: Fannie Mc Guire

Indian name: T

Maiden name: Fannie Madlin

12. Where were they born?

Father: Condover, Ia Mo

Mother: Christina, Ia Mo

Name	Begin	End
Billie	McGuire	May 1 1904
Jal	McGuire	May 6 1907

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: .....

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: .....

Mother: .....

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Calvin McQuire	Del 1818	1879
	Elsie	MO	
(2)	Perry McQuire	Sept 14	1889
	Elsie	MO	
(3)	Gracie Ann McQuire	Del 14	1891
	Elsie	MO	
(4)	Nettie McQuire	April 23	1895
	Elsie	MO	
(5)	Stellie McQuire	mos 4	1898
	Elsie	MO	
(6)	Nellie McQuire		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Jessie Calvin McQuire	John Madlin
Jessie Calvin McQuire	+
Elizabeth McQuire	Martha Madlin
+	+

18. Where were they born? Middle Tennessee Both sides

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Brookings Co MO Both sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Sarah McQuire	Bill Madlin
(2)	John Calvin McQuire	Jane Madlin
(3)	William Jasper McQuire	Jire Madlin
(4)	Elizabeth McQuire	Sarah Madlin
(5)	James B. McQuire	John Madlin
(6)	Green Berry McQuire	Wiley Madlin
	Lusenda McQuire	Wade Madlin
	Andy McQuire	
	Tom McQuire	
	Thurman McQuire	
	Topeka McQuire	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

mother William Joseph  
McGuire Grand father Jessie Calvin McGuire  
Great Grand father John McGuire Great Great Grand  
father

REMARKS. Jessie McGuire

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my uncl John Calvin McGuire  
has got my number 29514

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ida McGuire

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

March 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

J. A. Dumbear Justice of the Peace  
Washington Sup Stone Co Mo  
Notary Public

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. W. Dumbear

and Ed Chaffin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ida McGuire

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Dumbear

Ed Chaffin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

March 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

J. A. Dumbear Justice of the Peace  
Washington Sup Stone Co Mo  
Notary Public

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No. 31056

Action: *Reject*

Name *Bessie Mc Tea* and *1* children.

Residence: *806 Elgin Ave,*

Reasons:

*Daughter of #18175*

*Must see spec*

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No. 31056

Name Bessie McRea

With No. 18195-

Remarks:

1817-

No. 31056

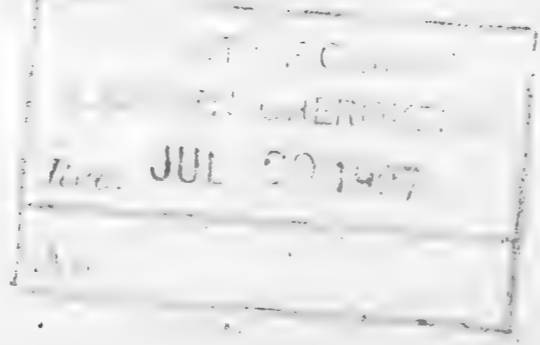
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

*Bessie McRea*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Bessie McRea (nee Phillips)*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office:

*Muskogee 806 Elgin ave*

3. County:

*Creek Nation*

4. State:

*Ind Ter*

5. How old are you?

*29*

Born

*Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> 1877*

6. Where were you born?

*Cherokee Nation I.T.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*A S McRea 43*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Llewellyn W McRea</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>10/11<sup>th</sup> 06</i>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Chas Walker Martha Phillips*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name:

*See Application Martha Phillips*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

*application #18175*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Don't know*

Mother:

*See Application #18175*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Don't know

Mother: See Application # 18175

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't know

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Grand father Cherokee

Jack Thompson

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Carl Phillips	22	
	Alice " "	21	
(2)	William " "	20 18	
	Ben	16	
(3)	Chas Walker	35	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jack Thompson  
Emily Vann (nee Thompson)

18. Where were they born? See application Martha Phillips # 1875

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

See application no 1875

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Polly Ross Fort Gibson IA

(2) James Smith deceased.

(3) \_\_\_\_\_  
(4) \_\_\_\_\_  
(5) \_\_\_\_\_  
(6) \_\_\_\_\_

18183  
13189

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes - By Kerns Clifton  
Commission - June 1897 as Hayden <sup>Native</sup> Cherokee

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Explained in  
Application of Martha Phillips  
# 1875-

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) Bessie McRea

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1907.

D. H. Towne  
 Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 3, 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 Wash French

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Bessie McRea

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 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

Wash French  
Dennis Rof

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires Feb 3, 1911.

D. H. Towne  
 Notary Public.

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No. 31057

Action: Admitted

Name: Frank J. Swift and 3 children. Residence: Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons: 1st. citizen since removed of 1781

31057



No. 31057

Name Frank E. Swift

With No. 5540

Remarks:

*Let  
Court  
on  
demand 1781  
No. 3105?*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

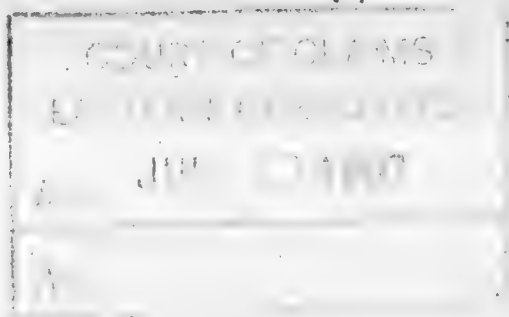
APPLICATION

OF

*Frank I. Swift*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



*LS01E*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Frank T. Swift

Indian name: Sequayah

2. Residence and post office: Muskogee

3. County: Creek Nation

4. State: Indian Ter.

5. How old are you? 4 yrs Born 1867 March 5<sup>th</sup>

6. Where were you born? Lawrence Douglas Co. Kansas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nettie, age 37

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Christie Swift</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Dec. 25<sup>th</sup> 1891</u>
(2)	<u>Frank B. Swift</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>June 20<sup>th</sup> 1894</u>
(3)	<u>Mabel Swift</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>July 6<sup>th</sup> 1896</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Intermarried white Grand Robert Swift

Indian name: ✓

Mother—English name: Martha Swift

Indian name: Tol a nana 5540

Maiden name: Martha Turner

12. Where were they born?

Father: Brunswick Maine

Mother: Born in the Cherokee Nation Ind Ter

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Intermarried white, in State of Kansas

Mother: In Gouge Snake District Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Mother enrolled on Census rolls

in 1851 and on nearly all subsequent rolls under

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
✓ 36000	(1) <u>Benj. William Swift</u> <u>Chicago Ill</u>	<u>March 5<sup>th</sup> 1868</u>	<u>Living</u>
✓ 35338	(2) <u>James A. Swift</u> <u>Muskogee I.T.</u>	<u>April 11<sup>th</sup> 1870</u>	<u>"</u>
	(3) _____	_____	_____
	(4) _____	_____	_____
	(5) _____	_____	_____
	(6) _____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Whites

MOTHER'S SIDE.

21700 - Walter Sanders  
Ty-yanie "

18. Where were they born? In the old Cherokee Nation in  
State of Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

2416	(1) <u>Katy Tyson</u>	<u>Doublehead Sanders</u>
	(2) <u>Annie Hair</u>	<u>Thomas</u>
1918	(3) <u>Polly</u>	<u>John</u>
	(4) <u>Lakie Sanders</u>	<u>David</u>
25160	(5) <u>Jane Sanders</u>	<u>65-35</u>
553	(6) <u>Susan</u>	<u>"</u>

96-  
5735

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes. Enrolled under Cherokee tribal authority, also by the Dawes Commission

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Walter Sanders  
Ty-ga-nie "

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Drew money in Cherokee payments of 1891 and 1894. Mother on 1851 Roll as Martha Sanders

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Frank T. Swift)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

....., 190 ..

J. S. Burger  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Levi Scelley  
and Chas. S. Seekings, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Francis Lynn Swift who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Levi Scelley  
Charles S. Seekings

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

....., 1911, 190 ..

J. S. Burger  
Notary Public.

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... are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.  
Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Samuel H. ...*  
*Charles T. Beckwith*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My Commission expires Jan. 3, 1911.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190\_\_\_\_.  
*J. B. ...*  
Notary Public.

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No. 91057

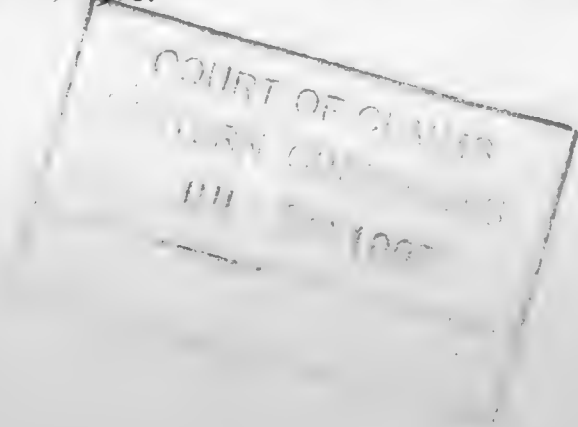
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Frank Lynes Swift*  
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. ....

1. State your full name: *Frank Turner Swift*
2. Residence and post office: *Muskogee*
3. County: *Western District*
4. State: *Indian Territory*
5. Date and place of birth: *March 5<sup>th</sup> 1867 Lawrence Kansas*
6. Are you married? *Yes*
7. Name and age of wife or husband: *Nettie*
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)	<i>Cryotie Swift</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>Dec. 25, 1891</i>
(2)	<i>Maud B Swift</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>June 20, 1894</i>
(3)	<i>Mabel Swift</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>July 6, 1896.</i>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *Yes as Cherokees*

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*All on Cherokee Rolls of 1896.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Frank Turner Swift*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 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 Levi Adley and Chas S Seekings who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Frank James Swift who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know he to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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Levi Adley  
Charles S. Seekings

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My Commission expires Jan. 3, 1911.

J. S. Berger  
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. 91057

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Frank James Swift  
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.





No. 31058

Name

Ruth Stouley

and

children.

Residence

Action

Admit

Reasons:

Duplicate of #17552.

31058

No. 31058

Name Ruth Hunsford

With No. 17552

Remarks:

No. 31058

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

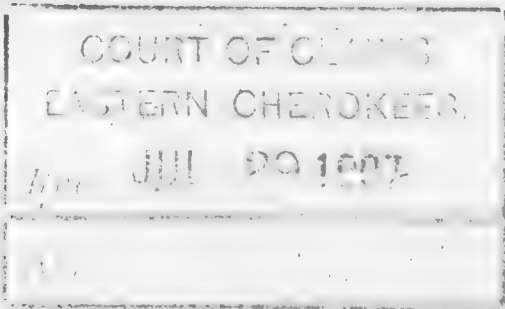
APPLICATION

OF

*Ruth Amisley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31058

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Beuth Hershey a Minor by her Natural*  
 Indian name: *Guardsim N. H. Hershey.*

2. Residence and post office: *Choteau*

3. County: *Fifth Recording District*

4. State: *Indian Territory*

5. How old are you? *7 years* Born *July 14<sup>th</sup> 1900.*

6. Where were you born? *Cowles Cowles District C.M.T.*

7. Are you married? *No a Minor*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *None.*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *None.*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)	<i>None</i>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Nathaniel H. Hershey.*  
 Indian name: *None.*

Mother—English name: *Sallie Hershey.*  
 Indian name: *None.*

Maiden name: *Sallie Markham.*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Tennessee*

Mother: *Cherokee Nation Indian Territory*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wash Berns York

Mother: Wash Berns York.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: March 25<sup>th</sup> 1906.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Father white man in the Rose Mother in

Cherokee Rose of 1840 Cherokee Pay Roll of 1874 and Dawes Census Roll of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)	<i>None</i>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Robert H. Hensley  
None.

Carrollia Hensley  
None.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jacob W. Markham  
None.

Charlotte Markham, now Wadsworth

18. Where were they born? Hensley in Tennessee Markham in Cherokee Nation

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hensley in Tennessee

Markham in Cherokee Nation Indian Territory

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Susan A. Bunch</u>	<u>Dead.</u>
(2)	<u>Jacob W. Markham</u>	<u>Dead.</u>
(3)	<u>Sallie Hensley</u>	<u>Dead.</u>
(4)	<u>Lydia Snodgrass</u>	<u>Cherokee I.T.</u>
(5)	<u>Oliver V. Wicks</u>	<u>Cherokee I.T.</u>
(6)	<u>H. H. Hensley</u>	<u>Cherokee I.T.</u>
	<u>H. C. Hensley</u>	<u>Fort Cobb. O.T.</u>
	<u>Bruce Hensley</u>	<u>Cherokee I.T.</u>
	<u>Carrie H. Wadsworth</u>	<u>Cherokee I.T.</u>
	<u>Logan Hensley</u>	<u>Fort Cobb. O.T.</u>
	<u>Elizabeth Hensley</u>	<u>Cherokee I.T.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: Dawson Commission Roll of Cherokee Indians

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I am the daughter of N. H. & Sallie

Hensley. Sallie Hensley was a daughter of Charlotte & Jacob W.

W. Markham. Charlotte is a daughter of Clara & Ellis West, Ellis West was  
a son of Jacob West who is in the Rolls of 1835-1836 & 1846.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Jacob W. Markham was a son of Leroy and Eliza  
Markham. Eliza Markham was a daughter of Jacob  
West in Rolls as above stated.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Ruth Hensley By  
N. H. Hensley, Notary Public

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

J. L. Baugh  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 12<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 P. J. Beatz

and W. E. Grant, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ruth Hensley & N. H. Hensley,

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and

3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

P. J. Beatz  
W. E. Grant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

July 12<sup>th</sup>, 1911. J. L. Baugh  
Notary Public.

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No. 31059

Action: Admitted

Name Helen Vann and X children. Residence: Wagoner, Okla.

Reasons:

~~Home removed Cousin of J.W. Jordan (1942)~~

31059

No. 31659

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

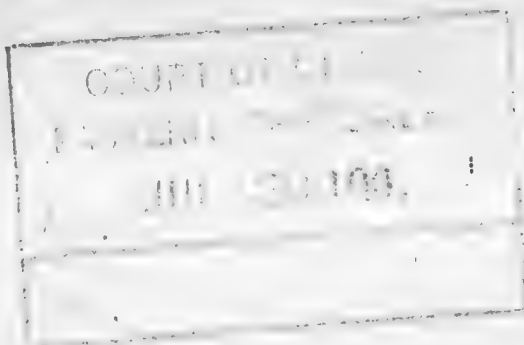
APPLICATION

OF

*Helen Vann*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Helen Vann

2. Residence and post office: Wagoner, Ind. Ter.

3. County: Creek Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 22 Born Aug. 31 - 1884

6. Where were you born? in Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: James

Vann, Alice Vann before marriage Alice Riley

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: James Vann

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Alice Riley

Maiden name: Alice Riley

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Creek Nation Ind. Ter.

Mother: Cherokee Nation

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: not dead

Mother: not dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: 1894 in Cherokee Nation and  
Cherokee Tribe

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	.....	.....	.....
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Vann

Mary Vann

John Riley

Nancy Riley

18. Where were they born? Grand Pa Vann, Tenn. & Grand Ma in Ala. Grand  
Pa Riley in Cherokee Nation.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand Pa Vann in Tenn  
Cherokee Nation & Grand Ma in

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) James Vann

(2) Benjamin Vann

(3) Jessie Riley

(4) John Riley

(5) Sarah Riley

(6) William Riley

Cherokee Nation

Cherokee Nation

Cherokee Nation

Cherokee Nation

Cherokee Nation

Cherokee Nation

1849

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 1894 Ft Gibson, Choctaw Nation

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Helen Warner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Edward L. Moore  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 24, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Geo. Hickey and  
and Barrie Akin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Helen Warner who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 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.

Geo. Hickey  
Barrie Akin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires July 24, 1910. Edward L. Moore  
Notary Public.

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Appl. # 31059-1442

February 6, 1909.

Helen Vann,  
Farmer, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission. If you were, please state your number, and indicate under what name you were so enrolled.

To what tribe of Indians did your father, James Vann belong? Was he enrolled by the Dawes Commission? If so, was he enrolled with the Creeks or Cherokees.

Please state your full name. Were you ever known as Sarah Heland Vann?

Please answer immediately, and refer in your reply to A.C. 31059-1442.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

ALS

Wagoner et al  
Feb. 16/09.

Sir, - I rec your letter  
in regard to the Eastern  
Cherokee enrollment.

I was enrolled by  
the Dawes Commission  
of my allotment of land  
as Sarah Heland Dawes.  
I am well known by  
that name, but  
my claim was  
made out as  
Helen Dawes, as Helen  
and Heland are almost

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* FEB 19 1909  
*No.*

same and I go by  
Helen most of the time.  
my Father is both  
Cherokee and Creek. his  
Father being Cherokee and  
his mother Creek he  
was enrolled by the  
Hans Commission in  
the Creek nation.

my Roll no. 9187. ✓✓  
" application no. 31059.  
" mother is Cherokee.

Respect yours  
Helen Vann

No. 31060

Action:

Reject

Name Thomas W. Johnson, Jr. and X children.

Residence: Nashville, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 30398.

31060



No. 31060

Name Thos. W. Johnson

With No. 30398. 0

Remarks:

No. 31060

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas W. Johnson Jr.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 20 1907

31060

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Thomas W. Johnson Jr.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: 2729 Walnut St St Louis Mo.

3. County: St Louis Nashville Tenn.

4. State: Missouri 10 Robertson St.,

5. How old are you? 24 years Born November 21, 1882

6. Where were you born? Brentwood Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or ~~husband~~: Flora Johnson 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~she~~ she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>no children</u>		
(2)	_____		
(3)	_____		
(4)	_____		
(5)	_____		
(6)	_____		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Thomas W Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Charity A. Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Charity A. Turner

12. Where were they born?

Father: Brentwood Tennessee

Mother: Laverne Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living at that time

Mother: Not living at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Father living

Mother: Mother living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary S. Peyton 3937 5 <sup>th</sup> Ave. Chicago Ill.	July 16 1875	
(2)	Ernest N. Johnson 2832 Glenview place Denver Ill.	January 10 1881	
(3)	Luther R. Johnson 3936 5 <sup>th</sup> Ave Chicago Ill.	December 23, 1884	
(4)	Lusie M. Allard	August 13, 1886	
(5)	Charity A. Johnson 10 Robertson St Nashville Tenn	November 29, 1887	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jake Tabb

Matilda Dorch

Fannie Edmondson

Mary J. Johnson

18. Where were they born? Mecklenburg Co Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Parts unknown

Mary J. Johnson Brentwood Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Mary J. Johnson Dead

(2) Austin Edmondson Parts unknown

(3) David Edmondson Dead

(4) Thomas H. Johnson 10 Robertson St. Nashville Tenn

(5) Robert E. Johnson Brentwood Tenn

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Thomas W. Johnson my father —  
Jake Tall a full blood Cherokee Indian was the father of  
Matilda Dorch born 1792. She was the mother of Fannie Edmondson  
born 1810. She was the mother of Mary Jane Johnson born 1828.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My father holds in his possession an affidavit of his  
mother and two competent witnesses and properly  
acknowledged and sworn to by them as claimant to  
Indian hereditary possession.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Thomas W. Johnson Jr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Geo. L. Vaughn  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1911, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me R. E. Hunt  
and Mrs. Willie Phillips, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Thomas W. Johnson Jr.  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 24 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. E. Hunt

Mrs. Willie Phillips

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1911, 1907. Geo. L. Vaughn  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Mr. E. Simon - Sir;  
Special Commissioner of the Court of  
Tennessee  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment  
60. (Army Building)

Washington

Dear Sir:

At the time I received  
at your bank in reference to  
the payment of the Court of Tennessee  
in favor of the Eastern Cherokee  
and in the amount of \$5. It was  
sent to your bank, I have  
at Robertson St. Nashville, Tenn.  
Please favor me by withdrawing  
the amount of \$5.00 from your  
bank and my Enrollment Card  
number 410.

Very truly,  
Yours,  
#10 N. B. [unclear]

[Signature]

No. 31061

Action: Admit

Name: Lucile J. Brannon and X children. Residence: Tulsa, Okla.

Reasons:

Grand-daughter of #2376. Daughter  
of #31062.

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No. 31061-62

Name

With No. 2376

Remarks:

Lucy S. Truman  
Ida S. Hammett

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lucille P. Brannon*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
WASHINGTON  
JUL 10 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
 English name: Lucille L. Brannon  
 Indian name: X
2. Residence and post office: Tulsa
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 9 Born Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> 1887
6. Where were you born? Tulsa Ind Ter
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Oval O. Brannon - 23 years old
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Not an Indian
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>X</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>X</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Owen H. Hawthorn  
 Indian name: X  
 Mother—English name: Ida L. Hawthorn # 162  
 Indian name: X  
 Maiden name: Ida L. Stephens

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: Illinois  
 Mother: Cherokee Nation

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Living

Mother: Not Living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Yes, at Catonsville 1846

See Denver Commission Report

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Perry &amp; Hawthorn</u> <u>Julia S.T.</u>	<u>May 7<sup>th</sup> 1843</u>	
(2)	<u>Edgar W Hawthorn</u> <u>Julia S.T.</u>	<u>June 28 - 1851</u>	
(3)	<u>Oliver W Hawthorn</u> <u>Julia S.T.</u>	<u>Feb 28<sup>th</sup> 1847</u>	
(4)	<u>Grace Hawthorn</u> <u>Julia S.T.</u>	<u>Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 1848</u>	
(5)	<u>Owen H Hawthorn Jr.</u> <u>Julia S.T.</u>	<u>Oct 26<sup>th</sup> 1851</u>	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Spencer Stephens  
Genl Wm P Hawthorn  
Susie M Hawthorn

Sarah Stephens  
maiden name Sarah Hicks  
Spencer Stephens Grand Father

18. Where were they born? Grand Father in Cherokee nation, Grand Mother in Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee nation.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Ala Carter</u>	<u>Claramore S.T.</u>
(2)	<u>Spencer A Stephen</u>	<u>Claramore S.T.</u>
(3)	<u>Florence Evans</u>	<u>Louisa S.T.</u>
(4)	<u>Ernest L Stephen</u>	<u>Louisa S.T.</u>
(5)	<u>Jessie Nelson</u>	<u>Cherokee S.T.</u>
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes Catonsville 1896

Received allotments through Dawes Commission

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Impossible

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have participated in all payments except the one known as the old settlers Payment

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 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Robert E. Lynch  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 2<sup>nd</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 Jacob Baehoff

and Samuel C. Davis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lucille J. Braumon

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known for 14 years and

14 years, respectively, and know Her to be the identical person she represents

Herself to be, and that the statements made by Her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in Her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jacob Baehoff  
Samuel C. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1908.

Robert E. Lynch  
Notary Public.

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No. 31062

Name *Ida L. Haworth* and *5* children.

Action:

*Admit*

Residence:

*Mulsa, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of #2376*

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No. 31062

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

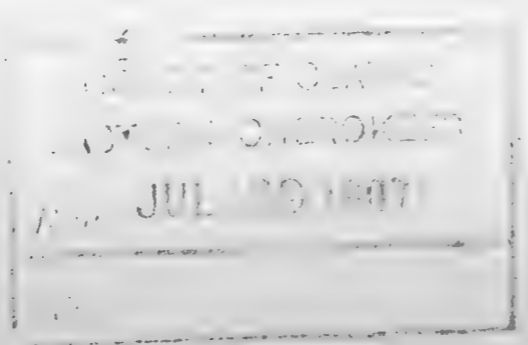
APPLICATION

OF

*Ida L. Haworth*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*31062*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ida L. Haworth

Indian name: X

2. Residence and post office: Tulsa

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Ind. Ter.

5. How old are you? Forty-two Born Mar 13<sup>th</sup> 1865

6. Where were you born? St. John, Cherokee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert Haworth age forty-eight

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Not an Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>Lucille L. Haworth</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 887</u>
(2)	<u>Bess L. Haworth</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Mar 1<sup>st</sup> 1892</u>
(3)	<u>Charles L. Haworth</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Jan 24<sup>th</sup> 1904</u>
(4)	<u>William L. Haworth</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Feb 28<sup>th</sup> 1901</u>
(5)	<u>Grace L. Haworth</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Apr 1<sup>st</sup> 1898</u>
(6)	<u>Anna L. Haworth</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Jan 26<sup>th</sup> 1901</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Spencer Stephens

Indian name: X

Mother—English name: Sarah Stephens

Indian name: X

Maiden name: Sarah Lewis

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Cherokee Nation

Mother: In Georgia



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Cherokee Nation

Mother: In Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Yes, Ft. Gibson 1851, Vinita 1896

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16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ala. H. Carter</u> <u>Clarence, I. T.</u>		
(2)	<u>Shenar A. Stephens</u> <u>Clarence, I. T.</u>		
(3)	<u>Louise Crane</u> <u>Vinita, I. T.</u>		
(4)	<u>Ernest S. Stephens</u> <u>Vinita, I. T.</u>		
(5)	<u>Marie Nelson</u> <u>Chicotah, I. T.</u>		
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

William Hicks  
in care of

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Sally Hicks  
Maiden Name Sally Freeman  
William Hicks Grandfather

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not living at that time.  
Grandfather died in Georgia during American Civil War.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) unrecorded
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes. Catorca Cher. Feb. 1896

Received my Allotments through same Commission

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Impossible

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have participated in all payments except the one known as the Settlers Payment.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ida L. Hawthorn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Robert E. Lynch

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 2<sup>nd</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 Jacob Bantoff

and Samuel C. Davis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ida L. Hawthorn

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years and

14 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

Jacob Bantoff  
Samuel C. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1908. Robert E. Lynch

Notary Public.

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Witnesses to Mark.

claim.

Signatures of Witnesses

*James B. [Signature]*  
*Samuel C. Davis*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

*Robert E. Lynch*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 2, 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. 31062

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Ida L. Haworth*

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. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Ida L. Fawcett (Queen H. Hawthorne Fawcett Legal Guardian)
2. Residence and post office: Cherokee, Okla.
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Oklahoma
5. Date and place of birth: St. Louis - May 1st 1865
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: C. F. Fawcett - age - 48 yrs
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee Indian
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ida L. Fawcett</u>		
(2)	<u>Robert E. Fawcett</u>		<u>May 1st 1892</u>
(3)	<u>Erigeron Mrs. Fawcett</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>June 28th 1895</u>
(4)	<u>Gladys E. Fawcett</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Feb. 28th 1897</u>
(5)	<u>Grace Fawcett</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Jan 1st 1898</u>
(6)	<u>Queen H. Fawcett</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Jan 2nd 1901</u>

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes with the Dawes Commission and received their allotments through same in the Cherokee Nation

**REMARKS**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ida L. Fawcett (Queen H. Hawthorne Fawcett Legal Guardian)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Robert E. Jones  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires July 2nd, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Jacob Baithoff and Samuel C. Davis who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ida L. Hawthorn who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known them for 14 years and 14 years, respectively, and know them to be the identical person 5 they represents themselves to be, and that on May 28, 1906, they had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by them are true, and they have no interest whatever in their claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jacob Baithoff  
Samuel C. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 1907.

Robert E. Lynch  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 2, 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. 31062

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Ida L. Hawthorn

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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May 26, 1907.

Special Comm. of County Commissioners,  
Tulsa, Okla.

The Eastern Oklahoma Land  
Acquisition Act, and  
Chapter 31062, are considered  
to be valid.  
The ice men have had  
further notice in relation  
to the same and will  
be held responsible for  
any loss that may be  
incurred.

Receipt

Adm. E. Haworth

Miss,

Loc. Box 764

Chattanooga,



No. 31063

Action: [unclear]

Name: [unclear] and 3 children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons: [unclear]

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No. 31063-

Name *Amif Pagan*

With No. 25104

Remarks:

No. 31063

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*David Prigyan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 23 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Daniel Pinyan

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Ballground RFD No 1

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 60 Born 7 Apr 1847

6. Where were you born? Humphkin Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 45-years Sarah A

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary L Pinyan</u>	<u>22</u>	
(2)	<u>Mahda "</u>	<u>15-</u>	
(3)	<u>Ara "</u>	<u>13</u>	
(4)	<u>Matilda "</u>	<u>12</u>	
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Jacob Pinyan

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Matilda

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Hayde

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina

Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lumpkin Co Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 16 years

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John Piyan</u>		<u>dead</u>
	<u>James H Piyan</u>		<u>"</u>
(2)	<u>Enos Crane</u>		
(3)	<u>Nancy Piyan</u>		<u>dead</u>
(4)	<u>Lepta Piyan</u>		
	<u>Fate Ga</u>		
(5)	<u>Robt Piyan</u>	<u>54 years</u>	
	<u>Ballpound Ga</u>		
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Stakes Piyan  
Jelly

Hyde  
Sokey Bottoms

18. Where were they born? S. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>William Piyan</u>	<u>Jackson Hyde</u>
(2)	<u>Sallie Piyan</u>	<u>Emma "</u>
(3)	<u>Betty Brown</u>	<u>Thos "</u>
(4)	<u>Rebecca Brown</u>	<u>Luia Piyan dead</u>
(5)	<u>Thos Piyan</u>	<u>Minnie Edwards "</u>
(6)	<u>Lepta Piyan</u>	
	<u>Love - Rolise</u>	
	<u>Malinda Piyan</u>	
	<u>Peggy Piyan</u>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*My Grand Mother on my father's side was named Tally, and she was part Indian*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Daniel Curran*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28* day of *July* 1907.

*J. M. Grogan*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*1910*, 190 - .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. W. Hodgens*  
and *N. S. Adams*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Daniel Curran* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *18* years and *18* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*N. S. Adams*  
*W. W. Hodgens*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *28* day of *July*, 1907.

My commission expires

*1910*, 190 - .

*J. M. Grogan*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 31063

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Quion Miller.

Special Commissioner.

Dear Sir.

I ask for full information  
of the Court of Crims in  
favor of the Eastern Cherokeees

I refer to No. 31063

Please give me full  
information

Yours Truly.

Daniel Rinyan



No. 31064

Action: Reject

Name: Sarah E. Collins and children: Residence: Blairsville, Ga

Reasons: Ancistors were not parties to treaties of 1835-6-46, never lived with Cherokee nor shared in their payments,

31064

Field, Clairsville, Pa. ?

No. 31064

Name Sarah E. Collins.

With No.

Remarks:

Noted to appear

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 31064

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah E. Collins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



31064

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sarah E Collins

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Blairsville

3. County: Union

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 54 Born Aug 15 1853

6. Where were you born? Union County Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James N Collins 65 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary Weaver</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>1879</u>
(2)	<u>Bellia Sullivan</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>1882</u>
(3)	<u>Gitie Collins</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>1885</u>
(4)	<u>Eller Buckworth</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>1888</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James Scruggs

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary Scruggs

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary Battams

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina

Mother: Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Union County Ga

Mother: Union County Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1852

Mother: 1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William L Scruggs	1851	
	John Scruggs	1849	
(2)	Osphard Scruggs	1855	
	Mary Bryant	1857	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Scruggs	Peggie Battams
Elizabeth Scruggs	John Battams

18. Where were they born? Nahun County Georgia and Greenville South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Nahun County Georgia I think

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) James Scruggs
- (2) Henry Scruggs
- (3) Elizabeth Davis
- (4) Olive Weaver
- (5)
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jimmie Scruggs  
Elisabeth Scruggs, John Battams,  
Peggie Battams

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My Grand Father Jimmie Scruggs  
was had 1/4 Cherokee Indian  
blood.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah E Collins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907

F L Southern  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May the 1st, 1917

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Sarah Collins  
and T K Jackson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Sarah E Collins  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
20 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.

Sarah Collins  
T. K. Jackson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires May the 1st, 1917 F L Southern  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 51064.

May 14<sup>th</sup> 1908.

Samuel W. Collins,  
Whiteville, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Sheroes Fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1832-5 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor was living in 1832 and 1851?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WV/10.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 25 1908  
No. 3/10/08



710<sup>64</sup> 751

Blairsville Ga. May 20-1908  
Special Commissioner of the Court  
of Claims  
Washington D.C.

Sir. I do not know why my  
Parents and grandparents were not  
enrolled.

I do not know of any of  
my ancestors being slaves.

I Pass as white in my  
community.

As to the treaties, I do not know  
whether any of my ancestors  
were partick or not.

My Grandfather, James. Scruggs.

Sarah E. Cousins.

Appl. #31064

July 31, 1908.

Sarah E. Collins,  
Blairsville, Ga.

Madam:

You were notified to appear at Blairville, Ga. July 15th before one of my assistants to furnish additional testimony relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund. Having failed to appear at that place, you will kindly answer the enclosed list of questions as soon as possible.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CHB/ALS

No. 31065

Action: Repeled

Name Thos P. Bowling and X children. Residence: RT 1042, Blainville

So.

Reasons:

10-10-48 of # 474A and claims this same name.

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No. 3106-

Name P. H. ...

With No. 783

Remarks:

No. 31005

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

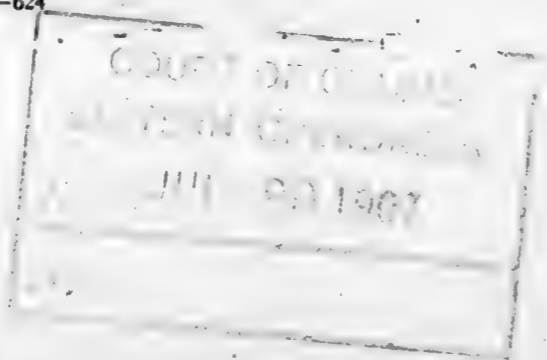
APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas P. Bowling*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31005

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Thomas P. Bowling

Indian name: " "

2. Residence and post office: Blainsville R.F.D # 2.

3. County: Uwiau

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 73 — Born In 1835

6. Where were you born? Greenville South Carolina

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Harriett L. Bowling - 66 years.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>M.A. Bowling</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>1859</u>
(2)	<u>J.F. Bowling</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>1861</u>
(3)	<u>Lorna Bowling</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>1863</u>
(4)	<u>Ben Bowling</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>1866</u>
(5)	<u>Jas. A. Bowling</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>1876</u>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Bowling

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Lettie Bowling

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: Lettie Christopher

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Greenville South Carolina

Mother: In Greenville South Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Union County Georgia

Mother: In Union County Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in 1877

Mother: Died in 1879

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where

and with what tribe of Indians: None

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Jerry Bowling</u>	<u>April 1846</u>	<u>_____</u>
	<u>Blairsville Ga.</u>		

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Cannot do so.</u>	<u>Cannot do so.</u>

18. Where were they born?

Cannot know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Were dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Cannot do so

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Cannot do so further than I have already done. I claim through blood of Pechahuntas & also through McDonalds one of whom is in Indian Territory on land drawn from Government.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Claim under Bowlings who are part Cherokee Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Thomas P. Bowling

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

S. Y. Jarrett  
Notary Public.  
Ordinary

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 C. J. Melhorn Jr  
and J. C. Hughes, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Thomas P. Bowling who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and 50 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. J. Melhorn Jr.  
J. C. Hughes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

S. Y. Jarrett  
Notary Public.  
Ordinary

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be

public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an before a notary, etc.



No. 31066

Action:

Reject

Name Alice R. Callahan and 3 children.

Residence:

Mountain City  
Neo.

Reasons:

Daughter of #6517 Claims  
thru same source

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No. 31666

Name Anes R. Calahan

With No. 6517

Remarks:

No. 31006

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

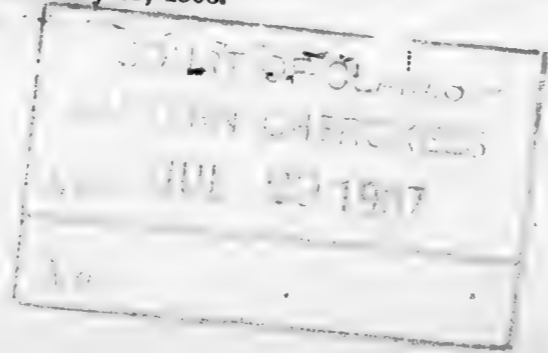
APPLICATION

OF

*Walter C. Callahan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31066

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Alice Reservoirman

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Muskogee I.T. Now Hantam City - Okla.

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Ind., Ter.

5. How old are you? 28 Born Oct. 6, 1878

6. Where were you born? Muskogee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Walter A. Gallaham

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary Alice Gallaham</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 1905</u>
(2)	<u>Reddy Gallaham</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Jan. 7, 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Josephine Gallaham</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>March 16, 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: F. S. Reid

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Josephine Reid Wood

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Josephine Andre

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cincinnati Ohio

Mother: Fort Gibson Ind., Ter.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cincinnati Ohio.

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee Indian, mother

and all of her children drew the strip payment, with all Indian children.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	Age	Res.
		Born	Died
(1)	<u>W. Arthur Reid</u> <u>Muskogee, Ind. Ter.</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>Oct 22, 1880.</u>
(2)	<u>Clarence A. Reid</u> <u>Muskogee Ind. Ter.</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>Mar. 7, 1883.</u>
(3)	<u>Leola M. Reid</u> <u>Muskogee Ind. Ter.</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>June 6, 1885.</u>
(4)	<u>W. Earnest Reid</u> <u>Muskogee Ind. Ter.</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Mar. 17, 1887.</u>
(5)	<u>Barthel M. Reid</u> <u>Gracie M. Reid</u>	<u>17</u> <u>15</u>	<u>Dec. 7, 1889.</u> <u>Dec. 17, 1891</u>
(6)	<u>Ruby M. Reid</u> <u>Muskogee Ind. Ter.</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Feb. 17, 1894.</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Grandfather Reid  
and Beller

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Grandfather Aulse  
" Scott.

18. Where were they born? Father's in Ohio, Mother's in the L. T.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio and Ind. Ter.  
mother's parents were Cherokee Indian.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) They are all dead.
- (2) many years ago, and
- (3) all our family records burned
- (4) and destroyed during the
- (5) rebellion.
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee Indian

with my mother we drew the Cherokee Strip payment  
enrolled with the same tribe.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother maiden name

was Audie, Indian name wa to leese,  
Don't know Indian names of Grand Parents.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The entire family drew when the  
Cherokee Strip payment was made.  
But not me or my drew with the  
old rollers. Not any annuities of any kind.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Alice Reid Bellahaw)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1907.

J. H. Hillis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 23rd, 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 A. E. Kennedy and

and Wau Oliver, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Alice Reid Bellahaw

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and

7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. E. Kennedy  
Wau Oliver

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 23rd, 1911.

J. H. Hillis

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. 31067.

Action: Reject

Name Lucy Taylor and two children. Residence: Hayden, V. Ter.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was party  
to the treaties of 1835 or 1846 - nor does it appear  
that any ancestor was ever enrolled. Shows no  
real connection with the Eastern Cherokee,  
Misc. Test 2063.

No. 31067

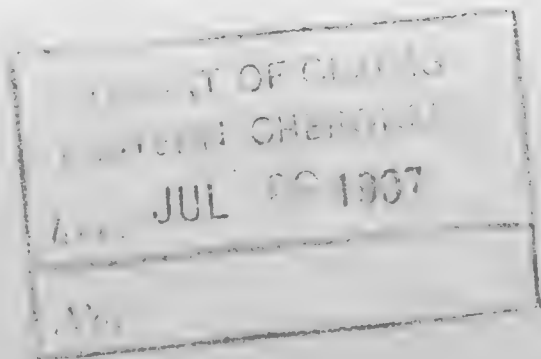
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lucy 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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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Luey Taylor*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Hayden St*

3. County:

*Dick 3*

4. State:

*Ind Terr*

5. How old are you?

*30*

Born

*1877*

6. Where were you born?

*Lightning*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Frank Taylor*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Earnest Roach</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>1897</i>
(2)	<i>Eliza Taylor</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1904</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Denis Whitman*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Sally Whitman*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Sally Ratcliff*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*in Gornsnak Dick*

Mother:

*in Illinois Dick*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *in Goussnake Dist*

Mother: *In Illinois Dist*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Levine*

Mother: *died in about 1883.*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: *Cherokee*

*in Goussnake Dist 1851*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>354 Jos Whitman</i>	<i>1874 about</i>	
(2)	<i>Gertr. Whitman</i>	<i>1880 about</i>	
(3)	<i>Hayden P. G. J. D</i>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Major Whitman</i>	<del>Major [unclear]</del>
<i>Major Wright</i>	<i>Alic Ratcliff</i>
<i>Peggy Wright</i>	<i>Fuey Ratcliff</i>

18. Where were they born? *in Georgia*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Illinois Dist*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) *Sallie Ratcliff*
- (2) *Nary Ratcliff*
- (3) *Carolin Ratcliff*
- (4) *Mahsa Ratcliff*
- (5) *Ross Ratcliff*
- (6) *Jawana Ratcliff*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: in 1880 and 1896  
and 1901 Cherokee

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:  
Annice Balaloff (Chaw-jone) Indian name  
Kuk Balaloff

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) Lucy Taylor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of June 1907.

Wm. Madden Jr  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Betsy Whitmire  
and Peggy Hickey who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lucy Taylor  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and  
30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Wm. Madden  
George Champion  
Betsy Whitmire  
Peggy Hickey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Wm. Madden Jr  
Notary Public.

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73.9.

Appln. No. 51067.

May 14, 1908.

Lucy Taylor,

Mayden, Oklahoma.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state under what names you think your parents were enrolled in 1851? Were they living in the Sevier Snake District at that time? Were any of your grandparents ever enrolled? If so state where and where? If not, explain why? Please state clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim to share in this fund, and give any other information intended to establish that right?

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Hayden Okla.

May 30 1888

Mr Miller

Sir

My parents enrolled in 1851  
in the name of Ratchiff  
Alex Ratchiff and is my grand  
papa and dict. and Chintre  
Ratchiff is my great grand  
parents that is who I came  
to share in the funds.

Through they was enrolled  
in Tahlequah district I cant  
tell just what year they  
enrolled. They drew money  
at fort gibson and I cant  
just where that was.

Respectfull  
Yours.

Miss. Lucy Taylor.

No. 31068

Action: *Reject*

Name *Joseph W. Huffitt* and children. Residence: *Texmo Okla*

Reasons: *applicant ancestors were not parties to treaties of 1835-64. never shared in Cherokee payments, nor enrolled with them.*

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Field, *Exp. Coll.* ?  
No. 31068.  
Name Joseph W. Griffith  
With No. ....

Remarks:  
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for  
Chapman  
Roger Mills Co

Awaiting reply to letter

No. 31068

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

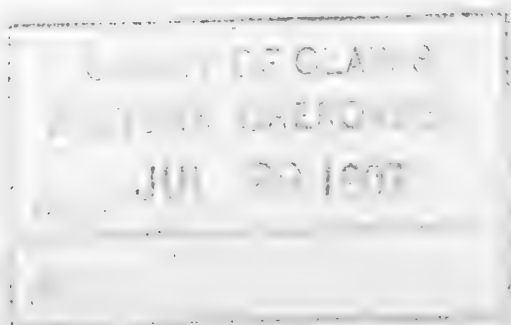
APPLICATION

OF

*Joseph W. Griffith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Joseph W. Griffith

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Texmo

3. County: Roger Mill

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 22

Born 23rd of July 1884

6. Where were you born? Nowhere

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: W. E. Griffith

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Sarah F. Griffith

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sarah F. Walden

12. Where were they born?

Father: In State of Alabama

Mother: " " Ark.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In North Alabama

Mother: not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John M. Griffith Peggs Dist.	1886	all
(2)	Nancy M. " Porum Dist.	1881	living
(3)	Diary L. " Peggs Dist.	1888	
(4)	Elizabeth " Peggs Dist.	Oct 23rd 1891	
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Morgan Griffith	John Walden
Jane Griffith	Nancy Walden

18. Where were they born? John M. Griffith born in Georgia

Jane Griffith born in Alabama. John Walden in Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Nancy Walden in Alabama.  
either in Ark or Cherokee nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	W E Griffith	Peggs Dist
(2)	James B. "	dead
(3)	R. C. "	"
(4)	Mary "	*
(5)	Melisa "	dead
(6)	Mattie	New Boston Texas
7	Edmond "	unknown
8	Emma "	dead.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father W. E. Griffith

Grandfather John Morgan Griffith  
Grand Mother Jane Griffith the Cherokee  
and her

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Parents were Pally Bass & Ransom Bass,  
My Great Grand Mother was Pally Reeves  
My Grand Mother on Walden side was Nancy Walden nee  
Nancy Young. Great Grand Mother Millie Young nee Thompson

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Joseph Griffith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 1907.

Amson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May-23, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Walter Ingram  
and J. H. Ingram, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Joseph W. Griffith  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and  
5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Walter Ingram  
J. H. Ingram

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires May-23, 1909.

Amson  
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.

7.5.9.

Appln. No. 31268.

May 14, 1908.

Joseph W. Griffith,  
Texmo, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1845-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim the right to share in this fund, and where that ancestor was living in 1834 and 1851?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Wm. Morris Cowen.

Dear Mr. Chla May 25 1903  
Quinn Miller  
Washington, D.C.

In answer to your  
letter Mr. was one of  
my ancestors and was  
I know we pass as white  
people, my mother is  
Miss Francis Gump  
a daughter of John  
Melton who was the  
son of John Melton  
Name Melton was a  
descendant of Melton  
you are the wife of  
John Melton Melton  
was the son of Daniel  
John Melton his  
wife was a daughter

I am but I do not know  
how many, you will  
find Miller's younger  
sons and some of their  
children on the rolls of  
1846 or 1851  
my ancestor lived in  
Tenn or Tex at  
the claim which  
enough Miller's  
as Miller's  
having this land  
with the information  
which I remain  
with the family

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Joseph W. Griffith.

Joseph W. Griffith being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My Name is Joseph W. Griffith, and I live at Texmo, Okla. I am 23 years old. I claim my Indian blood through my mother, Sarah F. Walden. She is now living at Pourn, which I think is in the Chectaw Nation. I think my mother claims to be 1/16 Cherokee. My mother never got any recognition or rights in the Indian Territory on account of her Indian blood. My mother got her Indian blood through her father, John Walden. He was born in Tenn. I do not know the County. He was getting pretty old when he died. He came west, though I do not know just the exact time he came, but he lived in the Cherokee Nation. I do not know whether my mother came out with him or not. I never heard my mother say whether he mixed up with the Indians in any way, either out here in the Nation, or back east in Tenn. My grandfather never got any money from the Government in 1852. John Walden got his Indian blood through his mother. I do not know her name or anything about her. All I know about my Indian blood is what I have learned through my mother, who has taught me that I get my Indian blood through her people, and the statement in my application that I also get Indian blood through my father's people the Griffiths was put in by my father, and I suppose it is correct, but I know nothing about it myself. I do not know of any recognition by the Indians of my mother, but she has lived among them since she has been out here. But I do not know in what way.

*Joseph W. Griffith*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Oct. 1908, at Cheyenne, Okla.

*J. Taylor*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.

No. 31069.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Amanda M. Foy* and *two* children. Residence: *Swiss Yancy Co. - N.C.*

Reasons:

*Kaziah Van case*

No. 51507

Name Amanda N Fox

With No. "Reginald Saml"

Remarks:

No. 31069

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Aminda M. Fox*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31069

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Amanda M. Haze <sup>2 minor children</sup> applicant for my self and  
Indian name: vann
2. Residence and post office: Sixias Yancey co N.C.
3. County: Yancey county N.C.
4. State: N.C.
5. How old are you? 22 Born 1885
6. Where were you born? N.C.
7. Are you married? Yes husband living
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Amanda M. Haze applicant 22 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? the Cherokee Tribe
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Robert L. Haze</u>	<u>5 years</u>	<u>1902</u>
(2)	<u>Nancy E. Haze</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>1904</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John B. Metcalf no 25324

Indian name: vann

Mother—English name: Dulla C. Metcalf

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Roberson

12. Where were they born?

Father: N.C.

Mother: N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living not Borne

Mother: not living not Borne

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Father was Enrolled, but cant  
tell date of <sup>ally</sup> he was Enrolled with The Cherokee Tribe

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Harrett B Wilson	1877	
	James H. Metcalf	1879	
(2)	William M. Metcalf	1881	
	Becky S. Wilson	1883	
(3)	Zeb. W. Metcalf	1887	
	Edna P. Metcalf	1881	
(4)	George W. Metcalf	1883	
	Birda M. Metcalf	1885	
(5)	Froy M. Metcalf	1887	
	Stella L. Metcalf	1901	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Metcalf no 389 Martha Metcalf

Indian name Indian name none

John Roberson Mary Roberson

Indian name Indian name none

18. Where were they born? U. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? U. C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) cant tell

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians I have been Enrolled but cant Tell date of Roll

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: gran father William Metcalf no 389 and gran mother Martha Metcalf and gran father Roberson and gran mother Roberson was all living in 1855

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I certify that my father is a son of William Metcalf no 389 and he is a son of Hiram Metcalf and that he is a son of Nancy Metcalf before her marriage Maney and that she is a daughter of Kezrah Maney before her marriage Damm

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Amanda M. Fox

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

J. N. Keill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. the 25<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Robert Wilson  
and Felix Wilson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Amanda M. Fox who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and her 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.

Robert Wilson  
Felix Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires Feb. the 25<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

J. N. Keill  
Notary Public.

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Norfolk N.C.

Feb 14 1908

Mr. G. W. Quinn

Hammonton

Dear Sir

Have just received  
your letter of the 11th. Attached  
find \$100.00  
No 10 dollar bills  
I have for you  
attached as the  
enclosed

Yours truly  
H. S. Quinn

No. 31070

Action: 31070

Name Mary S. Gault and

children.

Residence:

Atlanta, Ga.

Reasons:

Vanidicta case

No. 31070.

Name Mary A. Gough.

With No. *Polio*

Remarks:

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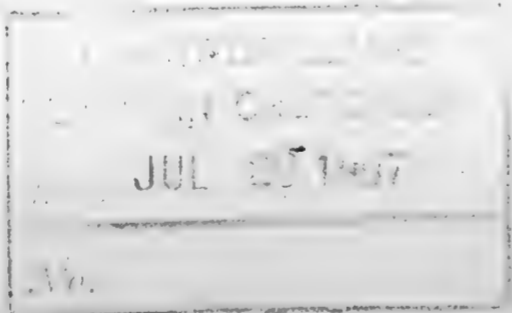
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary A. Gough*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31070

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs. Alice Gough

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Schools

3. County: Swain

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 40

Born Jan 19th 1867

6. Where were you born? Yadkin Co., N.C.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

- | NAME.     | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| (1) _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: William Anderson Gough

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mittai Gough

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mittai Poindester

12. Where were they born?

Father: N.C.

Mother: “

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Nashville Mo N.C.  
Mother: 11 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct 30th 1902  
Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Mother has in  
claim now no 14127

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Laura, S. Hensen</u>	<u>July 13th 1870</u>	
(2)	<u>William, H. Gough</u>	<u>Aug 8th 1875</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Milton Gough</u>	<u>William Poindexter</u>
<u>Mary Gough</u>	<u>Polly Poindexter</u>

18. Where were they born? N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I put in my claim through my  
Mather Amittai, Gough whose claim  
no is 14127

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Mather Amittai Gough

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of July 1907.

J. L. Norman

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 24th, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. L. Inlove

and A. D. Pinderster, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary Alice Gough

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.

J. L. Inlove

A. D. Pinderster

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 24th, 1907.

J. L. Norman

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

cc. JAN 8 1903

o. 31070



31070

Shoals. Ct. Jan the 6. th 1908  
Mr Guion Miller  
in reply to yours of Jan the 3.  
I claim no indian blood any  
through Donahoo and Pette  
Pledge Poindexter

yours respectfully

Mary. Ct. Ganeyh

No. 31071

Name Oscar J. Hazlewood

and X

children.

Action: *Reject*

Residence:

*Bedias, Texas.*

Reasons:

*Son of # 22889 and claims through the same source.*

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No. 31071-2

Name Oscar J. Hayward

With No. 22889

Remarks:

No. 31071

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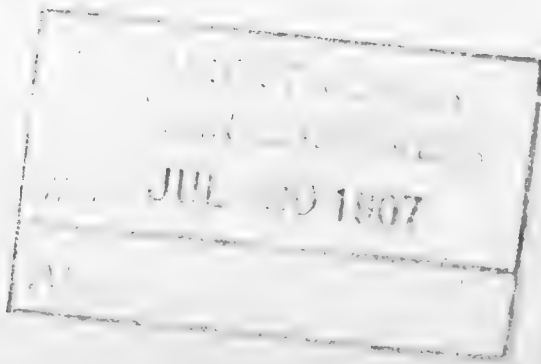
APPLICATION

OF

*Wesley J. Haywood*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31071

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Oscar J. Hazlewood

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Bedias

3. County: Grimes

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 23 Born March 15, 1884

6. Where were you born? Blount Co. Ala

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sela Hazlewood

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John M. Hazlewood

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nannie Hazlewood

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nannie Miles

12. Where were they born?

Father: Licken Co. Ga

Mother: East Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living

Mother: not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my father, J M Hazlewood has filed application

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Wm Hazlewood</u>	<u>Oct 15, 1886</u>	
	<u>Grimes Co. Tex</u>		
(2)	<u>Hugh Hazlewood</u>	<u>April 6, 1887</u>	
	<u>Grimes Co. Tex</u>		
(3)	<u>Joe Hazlewood</u>	<u>March 3, 1892</u>	
	<u>Grimes Co. Tex</u>		
(4)	<u>Earnest Hazlewood</u>	<u>Oct 17, 1899</u>	
	<u>Grimes Co. Tex</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
Wm Hazlewood

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Felsie Mann

18. Where were they born? Grandfather in South Carolina & grand mother Pickens Co. Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? both lived in Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Georann Hazlewood
- (2) Mary
- (3) J M
- (4) Skellie
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I claim through Betsy Mann formerly Betsy Spencer who was my grand mother who lived in Piepers County, Ca. L.A.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I know nothing further than what ~~is~~ I have been told by my father J. M. Hazelwood

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Cesar J Hazelwood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

M. S. Stampler  
Notary Public  
Yuma Co. Ariz

My commission expires  
May 31, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. B. Braemell  
and R. L. Midkiff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Cesar J Hazelwood 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 he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. B. Braemell,  
R. L. Midkiff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires  
May 31, 1909

M. S. Stampler  
Notary Public  
Yuma Co. Ariz

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No. 31072.

Action: Repet

Name Wm. Hazlewood and X children. Residence: Bedias, Texas

Reasons:

son of # 22 889 and claims through the same  
source.

31072



No. 31072

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Wm. Hazlewood.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31072

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: William Hazlewood  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Pedias
3. County: Grimes
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 21 Born October 15<sup>th</sup> 1886
6. Where were you born? Blount Co. Ala
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
9. To what ~~tribe~~ of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	X		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John M. Hazlewood  
 Indian name: Spluce  
 Mother—English name: Nannie Hazlewood  
 Indian name: None  
 Maiden name: Nannie Miles

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pieters Co. Ga  
 Mother: East Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living

Mother: not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: still living

Mother: still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my father, M. Hazlewood

has filed application

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Oscar Hazlewood	Mar. 15, 1884	
(2)	<del>Ernest</del>		
	Hugh Hazlewood	April 6, 1887	
	Grimes Co. Texas		
	Joe Hazlewood	March 2, 1892	
	Grimes Co. Texas		
	Ernest Hazlewood	Oct. 14, 1898	
	Grimes Co. Texas		
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Wm Hazlewood

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Lettie Mann

18. Where were they born? Grand father in South Carolina

Grand mother in Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? South Georgia

lived in Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Geo Wm Hazlewood

(2) Mary

(3) Wm

(4) Willie

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never have been

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I claim through the Beley Mann. Formerly Bebie Spencer who was my grand mother who lived in Richburg Co. Ga

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I know nothing further about his matter except what I have been told by my father & Mr Hazlewood

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature William Hazlewood)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July 1907.

N. S. Stampler  
Notary Public  
Richburg Co. Ga

My commission expires May 31st, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. A. McDonald  
and B. D. Newson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Wm Hazlewood who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. A. McDonald  
B. D. Newson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

May 31, 1909

N. S. Stampler  
Notary Public  
Richburg Co. Ga

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No. 31073

Action: Repealed

Name: Wm. H. Fisher and X children. Residence: Worcester, Mass.

Reasons:

~~was born to the same father as~~  
First cousin of Wm. H. Fisher

No. 31073

Name H. J. [unclear]

With No. 725

Remarks:

No. 31073

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

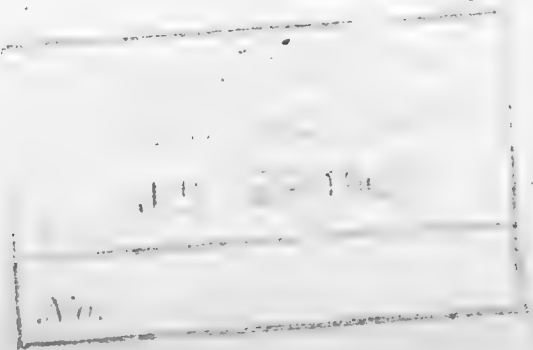
APPLICATION

OF

*Am R Belcher*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



31073

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— William R. Belcher  
 English name: Belcher  
 Indian name: not known
2. Residence and post office: Massy Rock
3. County: Lewis
4. State: Washington
5. How old are you? fifty five Born April 11<sup>th</sup> 1852
6. Where were you born? Taswell Co. Virginia
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Susanah. Born August 22nd 1849
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokees
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Martely Loomis	Thirty one	West Va
(2)	J. C. & T. K. Belcher <sup>Twins</sup>	Twenty nine	W. Va
(3)	Sarah A. Rice	Twenty seven	W. Va
(4)	Emanuel Belcher	Twenty five	W. Va
(5)	James Belcher	Twenty three	W. Va
(6)	Hesteria Jennings	Twenty one	W. Va

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Benjamin Belcher <sup>Father</sup> Susanah <sup>Mother</sup> Lester before marriage.  
 Father—English name: Belcher  
 Indian name: None  
 Mother—English name: Lester  
 Indian name: don't know  
 Maiden name: Lester

12. Where were they born? in Taswell Co. Va

Father: Benjamin Belcher  
 Mother: Susanah Belcher



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tazwell, Co. Virginia

Father: Benjamin Belcher

Mother: Susannah Belcher

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died April 1890 or 1891

Mother: died Oct. 1887 or 1888

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: with none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Pricy Belcher</u> <u>Mitchan</u>	<u>not known</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Nancy Belcher</u> <u>Knickles</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>" "</u>
(3)	<u>Daniel B. Belcher</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>" "</u>
(4)	<u>Abner H. Belcher</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>" "</u>
(5)	<u>Sarah A. Belcher</u> <u>Gross</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>" "</u>
(6)	<u>Millie Belcher</u> <u>Lambert</u>	<u>May 18, 1854</u>	<u>Living</u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Given name	<u>William Belcher</u>	<u>Abner H. Lester</u>
	<u>not known Kingery</u>	<u>Rebecca Lester</u>
		<u>Whitt</u>

18. Where were they born? Tazwell Co. Virginia unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? same place

Tazwell, Co. Virginia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John Belcher</u>	<u>residence not known</u>
(2)	<u>Peter Belcher</u>	
(3)	<u>William Belcher</u>	
(4)	<u>Isaac Belcher</u>	
(5)	<u>Tobias Belcher</u>	
(6)	<u>Benjamin Belcher</u>	
	<u>Elyse H. Belcher</u>	
	<u>Andrew Belcher</u>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never have.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: <sup>father side</sup> Grand Father William Belcher  
<sup>mother side</sup> Abner H. Lester.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My claim is based on the name of Lester as we understand that from the Lesters came from the Cherokee Tribe.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William R. Belcher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 1907.

C. A. Schmid  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 2<sup>nd</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 Geo. Thomson  
and D. C. Blankenship, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William R. Belcher who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. Thomson  
D. C. Blankenship

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1908. C. A. Schmid  
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31073.

U. S. Court of Claims  
I will give you a little  
sketch of my ancestry  
according to statements of  
my four parents, as follows  
My Grandfather Abner H.  
Lester was ~~one~~ one fourth  
Cherokee Indian. his father  
being a half breed his  
Grand father was a Cherokee  
Chief. but there was no  
Records kept that I know of.  
This came about in this  
way, My Grand Father's Grand  
mother was taken Prisoner by  
the Cherokees. and a Chief

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Name not known. Taken her  
to wife he had one child  
his name was William. After  
this child was born she by  
some means returned to the  
white people. and her child  
was brought up among the  
whites. how she got a way  
from the Indians is not known.  
My uncles and aunts on the  
Yester ~~side~~ on Indian side  
are all dead, except one  
aunt. I don't know of her  
whereabouts only she is in  
N. H. some where. I give this  
statement as I have heard my

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Grand Father and others relate  
it, as I can not tell the  
Indian except it were tested  
I do not know that I could  
give any further information  
hoping to hear favorably  
from you

I am Truly yours  
M. R. Belcher

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 16 1908

No. 22973

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Mayfield Wash  
May 9<sup>th</sup> 1908

Guion Miller Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment  
601 Murray Building  
Wash D.C.

Sir

I have been told that my  
Claim had been rejected for  
lack of evidence. I have not  
had any notice for further  
evidence. I would like to  
know the truth of the matter  
would be glad to have the  
information of how the matter  
stands in what way the  
Distribution will be made



and what will be the nature  
of it and a hint when

I do not wish to take up  
a delay time with you, by  
asking unnecessary questions  
so please give me the full  
details of the matter as  
near as your rules will  
admit

Hoping to hear from

I am Truly Yours  
W. R. Belcher

31073

John C. Belcher, born Feb.  
1<sup>st</sup> 1856

Peter Belcher born, March 10<sup>th</sup>  
1861  
these are living

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 12 1909  
No. 31073

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31073.

Mayfield Wash  
June 30- 1909

Mr. Guion Miller, Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims

Dear Sir

As I have received a notice from you  
in regard to my claim, the statement is  
made in a way that I don't understand  
it. Neither can I know just what  
proof is lacking, on my part. I wish  
to establish my claim, and will ask you  
if you will be so kind, to give me a  
plain statement of the evidence ~~lacking~~  
and just what proof I will have to make  
on my part.

Hoping to hear from you soon  
I remain yours Truly  
H. R. Belcher

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JUL 30 1909  
*No.* 31073

Mayfield, Wash  
July 23<sup>rd</sup>. 1909

Guion Miller

Dear sir Special Commissioner

after receiving your reply I will say that I fully understand why our claims was not allowed, and must must acknowledge the justice of you and the Court in rejecting the claims as we was not considered in the treaty of 1835-6 but had been recognized at the while as sitting <sup>people</sup> tribe but after the second generation was recognized as white people, I am a Minister of the Gospel of the old school Baptist and wish to be honest with all men, so please take this as my acknowledgement to the Chertity in the way you have handled this matter

Truly yours  
H. R. Belcher

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 18 1907  
No. 31073

Ruth cine Ford  
9/20/07-



Application 31073

Mayfield, Wash  
Sept 11<sup>th</sup> 1907

Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
601. Murray Building  
Dear Sir

As it is not too late  
to enter claims, be so  
kind as to send me seven  
blanks to distribute to  
my children, as I written  
for them long ago and have  
never received them.

if there is any further  
evidence needed to prove  
my claim please notify  
at once, in regards to the  
name Lester some people

Spells it Luster but I have  
always been taught to spell  
it Lester but Luster and  
Lester is the same name.  
I have recently been told  
that our Indian name was  
Gillford. but never having  
any knowledge of any thing  
of this kind, I have not  
tried to put to memory  
what my fore fathers and  
mothers have told me  
So hoping to hear from  
you at any necessary time

I am Truly Yours  
W. K. Belcher

No. 31074.

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Henry P. Gray* and 10 children. Residence: *Jonestown, W. I.*

Reasons: *See serials.*

No. 31674-78

Name

With No.

Remarks:

Henry O. Bran

Daisy L. Bran

John L. Bran

Melinda L. Bran

Wm. R. Bran

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No. 31074

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

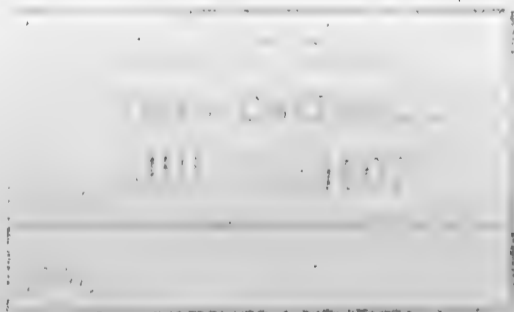
APPLICATION

OF

*Henry P. Bray*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



31074

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Henry Pindexter Bray  
Indian name: +

2. Residence and post office: Jonesville

3. County: Yadkin

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 53 Born Oct. 29, 1853

6. Where were you born? Near Dobson, Surry Co. N.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Margaret Bray (dead) Liza Jane Bray, 52 yrs of age

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? +

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	John Enord Bray	28	May 8, 1878
(2)	Wm Raymond	26	Oct 6 1880
	Mary Belle	24	Jan 15 1882 - dead
(3)	Daisy Samska	22	Jan 5 1884
	Martha Luiga	20	May 28 1887
(4)	Hilda Samska	18	Dec 25 1889
	Sarah Libbia	16	July 4 1891 - dead
(5)	Robert Henry	14	Dec 26 1893 - dead
	Katie Ovalines	12	Apr 7 1896
(6)	Jamie Corbett	10	Aug 27 1898

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Henry Clinton Bray  
Indian name: +

Mother—English name: Martha Milliner Bray  
Indian name: descendant of Cherokee tribe. Donohoo family  
Maiden name: Martha Milliner Pindexter

12. Where were they born?

Father: Near Dobson, Surry Co. N.C.

Mother: near Old Richmond, Surry Co N.C. now known as East Bend, Yadkin Co. N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Near Dobson. Surry Co. N.C.  
 Father: Near Dobson. Surry Co. N.C.  
 Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:  
 Father: 28 Jan 1866  
 Mother: 22 July 1872

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Dont know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
deceased	William A. Bray		
	Robert Franklin Bray	The Hollow, Patrick Co. Va.	
deceased	Ann Victoria Bray		
	Martha Francis Bray		
deceased	Letitia Elizabeth Bray		
"	Pamela Ellen Bray		
" (4)	Josaphine Bray		
	Mary W. Bray + Calson		
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE
born near Dobson	William Bray	Robert A Pindexter
	Letitia Bray	Miriam Pindexter
	Letitia Hamlin before marriage	Thomas Pindexter <small>my grandfather</small>
		Elizabeth Pledge Pindexter

18. Where were they born? near Old Richmond Surry Co. N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Near Old Richmond Lowry East Pond

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Children of Robert A Pindexter & wife

- (1) Nancy Ann Pindexter + Westgrove
  - (2) Martha Milliner Pindexter + Bray
  - (3) Archibald Pledge Pindexter
  - (4) Rebecca Pindexter
  - (5) Sandy Pindexter
  - (6)
- all dead.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians

*about eleven years ago I put in my claim for a share in the land which was allotted to the Eastern Cherokee Indians*

To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*My claim comes through my mother Martha M. Pindexter + Pray her father Robert A. Pindexter who was the son of Elizabeth P. Pindexter who was the daughter of one Donoho. Chief of the Cherokee tribe living near this place.*

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*My great grandfather Thomas Pindexter came from Virginia & married in this Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians a woman named Elizabeth Pledge. her Indian name was Elizabeth Donoho. they settled near East Bend. there known as Old Richmond. their old home is still in possession of some of their descendants living near Donaha.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *H. P. BRAY*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *July*, 1907.

*Alvin Chatham*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *Dec 20*, 190*8*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *H. P. Bray*

and *Al Chatham*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *H. P. Bray*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and

*10* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*H. P. Bray*  
*Al Chatham*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *July*, 1907.

My commission expires

*Dec 20*, 190*8*

*Alvin Chatham*  
Notary Public.

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App. No. 31074.

August 5, 1907.

Henry P. Bray,

Jonesville, North Carolina.

Sir:

Kindly inform this Office at once the dates of the deaths  
of your deceased children.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WPA

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. AUG 8 1907  
No. 31074

Jonesville N.C.

August 8, 1707

Mr Union Miller

Special Commissioner

of the court of claims

Sir I send you the dates

of the death of my children

Mary B Bray died July 15, 1853

Robert Henry Bray died January

10, 1874 Saml. B. Bray died

January 11, 1877

Very respectfully

H. W. P. Bray

31074

No. 31075

Name: *Larry A. H. and 3 children* Action: *Deport.*  
Residence: *Jennette, N.C.*

Reasons: *Independent Cause*

31075

No. 31075

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Daisy P. Evans*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
JUL 29 1907

31075

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Daisy Linska Evans & Bray

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Jonesville

3. County: Madkin

4. State: NC

5. How old are you? 22

Born Jan. 5, 1884

6. Where were you born? Jonesville

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert Owens 59

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Hubert Evans</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>June 25, 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Ruth Evans</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Feb 11, 1905</u>
(3)	<u>Curtis Evans</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>May 9, 1906</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Henry Ponderus Bray

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Eliza Jane Bray

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Eliza Jane White

12. Where were they born?

Father: near Dobson Leno Co NC

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: both living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: My father enrolled at Gadkinville.

Gadkinville, N.C. about eleven years ago for a share in the Eastern Cherokee lands in Indian Territory.

Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John L Bray Jonesville N.C.	May 8 1878	
(2)	Mary Belle Bray William Wayne S.	Jan 15 1883 Oct 6 1880	July 15 1883
(3)	Martha Louisa Brown Booneville N.C.	Aug 28 1887	
(4)	Hulda E Bray	Dec 25 1889	
minors	Larah L "	July 4 1891	Feb 10 1887
	Robert H. "	Dec 26 1893	" " 1887
	Katie E "	Apr 7 1896	
	James C "	Aug 27 1898	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Henry Clinton Bray Robert White

Martha M Bray Elizabeth White

*occident name* Martha M. Poindester

18. Where were they born? My grandmother Bray was born near Old Richmond now known as Donaha.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Near Dobson, Surry Co. N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) William A. Bray dead
- (2) Robert F. Bray The Hollow, Patrick Co Va
- (3) Ann V. Bray dead
- (4) Fannie Bray Pinnacle N.C.
- (5) Lettie "
- (6) *all dead* Pamela "
- Josephine "
- Mary "

Henry Poindester Bray. Jonesville Gadkin Co N.C.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my claim comes through my father Henry Poindexter Bray the son of Martha Bray, who was the daughter of Robert A. Poindexter who was the son of Thomas Poindexter who married Elizabeth Pledge. her indian name being Elizabeth Donohoo.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Thomas Poindexter married in this Cherokee tribe and he & his wife never went to the Indian Territory and I don't think were ever enrolled with the Indians as they went by their English name.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Daisy Sineka Enay

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Alv. Chubbaw  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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. Summers  
and Z. D. Greenwood, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Daisy Sineka Enay 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.

J. M. Summers  
Z. D. Greenwood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 20, 1908. Alv. Chubbaw  
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. 3116

Action: Reject

Name: John L. Brown and 3 children. Residence: Stoneville N.C.

Reasons: unintentional

No. 130073

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

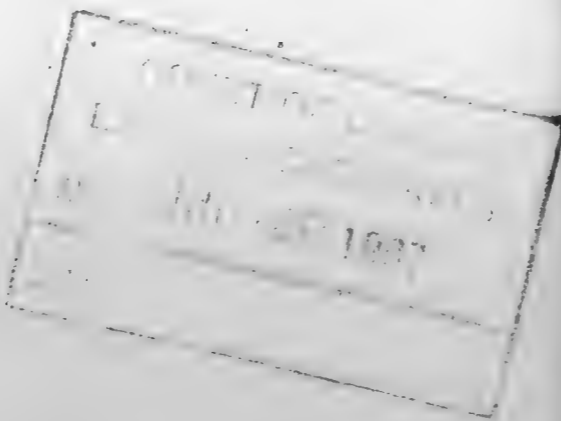
APPLICATION

OF

*Jno L. Bray*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John Leonard Bray

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? 28 Born May 8 1878

6. Where were you born? Jonesville Yadkin Co N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lela M. Timney Bray

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	Raymond G Bray	5 yrs	July 24, 1892
(2)	Mattie A	3	March 4 1904
(3)	Mary E	2	August 31, 1905
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Henry Ponderus Bray

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Margaret Bray

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Margaret Winnish

12. Where were they born?

Father: Near Dobson Lenoir Co N.C.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: Died July 9, 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my father sent in a claim for a share of those lands allotted to the Eastern Cherokees about 11 yrs ago

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Belle Bray	Jan 15 1883	July 15 1883
(2)	Daisy Lincoln Evans	Jan. 5, 1884	
	Jonesville N.C.		
(3)	Martha Louisa Brown	Aug. 28, 1887	
	Bonneville N.C.		
(4)	Hulda E. Bray	Dec 25 1889	
	Sarah Letitia "	July 4 1891	Feb 10 1887
(5)	Robert Henry "	Dec 29 1893	" 11 1887
	Katie Evaline "	Apr 1 1896	
(6)	James Corbet "	Aug 27 1898	
	William Hannon	Oct 6 1880	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Henry Clinton Bray Thomas R. Minnick

Martha M. Bray

Jane Minnick

maiden name Martha M. Pindexter

18. Where were they born? Grandmother Bray near Dormahoe N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? near Dobson, Surry, N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) William A. Bray (dead)
- (2) Robert J. Bray The Hollow, Patrick Co Va.
- (3) Ann V. " (dead)
- (4) Fannie Bray Pinnacle Surry Co N.C.
- (5) Lettie " "
- (6) dead Pamela " "
- Josephine " "
- Mary " "

Henry Pindexter Bray, Jonesville, Madkin Co, N.C.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

My claim comes through my father H.P. Bray the son of Martha Bray the daughter of R.H. Pindexter who was the son of Elizabeth & Thomas Pindexter.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Thomas Pindexter was married to Elizabeth Reddy whose Indian name was Elizabeth Donohoo, she was an Indian woman belonging to the Cherokees tribe who lived near what is now known as Dogwood, the place was named after her father.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) J.L. Bray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of July, 1907.

Ann Chalkowf  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 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 C. Martin and W.A. Shores, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with J.L. Bray

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

x C. Martin  
W.A. Shores

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires Dec 20, 1908 Ann Chalkowf  
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. 31077

Action: Deport

Name: Martha L. Brown and 1 children.

Residence: Booneville, W.C.

Reasons: Incompetent Case.

No. 31077

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Martha L. Brown*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Maetha Louisa Brown, Bray before marriage*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: *Booneville*

3. County: *Yadkin Co*

4. State: *N.C.*

5. How old are you? *21*

Born *Aug 28 1886.*

6. Where were you born? *Near Hamptonville, Yadkin Co N.C.*

7. Are you married? *Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Marvin Brown*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Deceased*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Monsey Jones Brown</i>	<i>2 yrs</i>	<i>June 5, 1905-</i>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Henry Pindexter Bray*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *Mary Eliza Jane Bray*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Eliza Jane White*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Near Dobson, Surry Co. N.C.*

Mother: *near " " " "*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living at that time  
Mother: " " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living  
Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my father was enrolled at Mademoiselle about eleven years ago for a share in the lands allotted to the Eastern Cherokee by the U.S.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John L Bray Jonesville N.C.	May 8 1848	
(2)	Mary Belle Bray William Haynes Bray	Jan 15 1883 Oct - 6 - 1880	15 July 1883
(3)	Daisy Ineska Bray Jonesville N.C.	Jan 5 1884	
(4)	Hilda Elizabeth Bray Sarah Lettice	Dec 25 1889 July 4 1891	Feb 10 1887
(5)	Robert Henry Katie Evaline	Dec 26 1893 Apr 1 1896	" 11 1887
(6)	James Corbit	Aug 26 1898	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Henry Clinton Bray	Robert White
Martha Milliner Bray	Elizabeth White
Martha M. Pindexter	

18. Where were they born? my claim comes through my grandmother

Bray who was born near what is now known as Donnanha N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

They resided near Dobson Surry Co N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) William A Bray (dead)
- (2) Robert F. Bray. The Hollow, Patrick Co Va.
- (3) Ann V. (dead)
- (4) Lammie Bray Pinnacle, Surry Co N.C.
- (5) Letticia "
- (6) Pamela "
- all dead. Josephine "
- Marv "

Henry Pindexter Bray, Jonesville, Yadkin Co N.C.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father was Henry Pindexter Bray,

the son of Martha M. Bray who was the daughter of Robert A. Pindexter. he was the son of Thomas Pindexter and Elizabeth P. Pindexter she being a daughter of one Donshoo a Chief of the Cherokees who were settled near Donahoe

REMARKS.  
Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
There was a tribe of Cherokee Indians living near Old Richmond what we now call Donahoe. My great grandfather married one of the women of this tribe. They never left the old home to go to the Indian Territory but lived & raised a large family on the old home.  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Martha Louise <sup>her</sup> Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July <sup>month</sup> 1907.

Alex Charbonnet  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 31

1907

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. M. Evans

and W. A. Shiner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha Louise Brown

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and

18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. M. Evans

W. A. Shiner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31

1907

Alex Charbonnet  
Notary Public.

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No. 31078.

Action: *Deport.*

Name: *Wm H. Page* and *X* children.

Residence: *Jessupville, W. Va.*

Reasons: *Indigent & ac.*

No. 31078

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John H. Bray*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Hayne Bray

Indian name: +

2. Residence and post office: Jonesville

3. County: Yadkin Co

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 26

Born 1880 Oct. 6.

6. Where were you born? near Booneville Yadkin Co N.C.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: +

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? +

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: ✓

NAME

AGE

BORN

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Henry Pindexter Bray

Indian name: +

Mother—English name: Margaret Bray

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Margaret Winnish

12. Where were they born?

Father: Near Dobson Surry Co N.C.

Mother: " Jonesville Yadkin Co

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living at that time

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: Died July 9, 1883.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: My father sent in claim about eleven

acs also from Gadsdenville, W.V. for a share in the Eastern Cherokee reservation in the Indian territory

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John L. Bray near Jonesville	May 8, 1878	
(2)	Mary Belle Bray	Jan 15 1883	15 July 1883
(3)	Daisy Simska Jonesville Gadsden Co. W.V.	Jan 5 1884	
(4)	Martha Louisa Brown Booneville N.C.	Aug 28 1887	
(5)	Hulda Elizabeth Bray	Dec 25 1889	
all minors	Sarah Leticia	July 4 1891	Feb 10 1887
	Robert Henry	Dec 26 1893	" 11 1887
	Katie Evaline	Apr 1 1894	
	James Corbett	Aug 27 1898	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Henry Clinton Bray	Thomas R. Mimmick
Martha Millemor Bray	Jane Mimmick
Martha M. Pindexter before marriage	

18. Where were they born? Grandmother Martha Pindexter Bray was born near Old Richmond, Surry Co. N.C. Now Dornaha, Forsythe Co. N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Living near Dobson, Surry Co. N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William A. Bray	dead
(2)	Robert F. Bray	The Hollow, Patrick Co. Va.
(3)	Ann V. Bray	dead
(4)	Fannie Bray	Pinnacle, Surry Co. N.C.
(5)	Lottie	"
all dead	Pamelia E.	"
	Josephine	"
	Mary	"
	Henry Pindexter Bray	Jonesville, Gadsden Co. N.C.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father Henry Pindexter Bray was the son of Martha M. Bray the daughter of Robert H. Pindexter who was the son of Thomas Pindexter who married an Eastern Cherokee indian named Elizabeth Pledge her indian name was Elizabeth Donohoo.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I am a descendant from this Cherokee indian woman of the fourth generation. my grandmother was the granddaughter of this Eastern Cherokee woman.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) W. H. Bray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907  
Alv. Chatham  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 31, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. M. Chatham  
and C. M. Bodenhorn, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with W. H. Bray 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 he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark. Signatures of Witnesses.  
R. M. Chatham  
C. M. Bodenhorn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires Dec 31, 1907 Alv. Chatham  
Notary Public.

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No. 31079.

Name Peter S. Shaw and 6 children. Action: Reject  
Residence: Bridgport Ala.

Reasons:

Inkland case,

31079



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31079

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

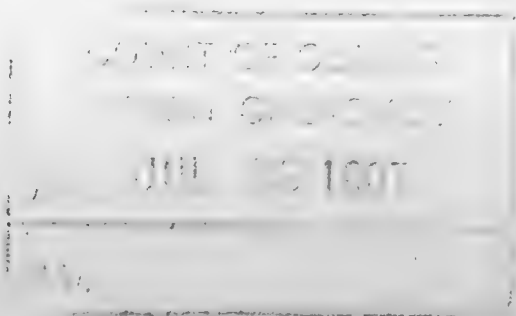
APPLICATION

OF

*Peter S. Hearn*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



31077

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Peter S. Shaw*

Indian name: *None*

2. Residence and post office:

*Bridgport*

3. County:

*Joekson*

4. State:

*Alabama*

5. How old are you?

*44*

Born

*March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1863*

6. Where were you born?

*Monro Co Tennessee*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Sarah E. Shaw*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None that I know of*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) *James N. Shaw*

(2) *Melie R. Shaw*

(3) *Hettie M. Shaw*

(4) *Rubens Shaw*

(5) *Peter S. Shaw*

(6) *Hampden B. Shaw*

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Bass, Shaw*

Indian name:

*None*

Mother—English name:

*Rebecca, Shaw*

Indian name:

*None*

Maiden name:

*Rebecca, Kirklin*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*on Soul Creek Haywood Co N C*

Mother:

*on Soul Creek Haywood Co N C*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Monroe Co Tennessee

Mother: in Monroe Co Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: was killed in 1894 by Sulphur

Mother: died about 1899

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I think so

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

Bass, Sherr  
 Tilliocephalus Tenn  
 William R. Sherr  
 both  
 Alva  
 Born  
 both

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Murphy Harris Kafter Tenn	Cent-Gen age	
(2)	Gal. B. Sherr Kafter Tenn		
(3)	Eura Sherr Kafter Tenn		
(4)	Silvan Lynn Tilliocephalus Tenn		
(5)	Christ. Sherr Chattanooga Tenn		
(6)	Rebecca Lelford Tilliocephalus Tenn		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Bass Sherr	James Kirklin
Susan Sherr	Susan Kirklin
	maiden name
	Susan Buxton

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Polk Co Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) John Kirklin	Sar Sherr
(2) Eppay Kirklin	Christa Giles
(3) Charles Kirklin	Elizabeth Sherr
(4) Jessie Kirklin	Bettie Lynn
(5) Christ Kirklin	Rachel McDaniel
(6) Rebecca Sherr	Bettie English
Rista Lynn	
Will Kirklin	

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(4)

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J. Bass, Show Born  
Tillacopleis Tenn  
William B. Shaw  
Kash Ala

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Dont Know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I have stated above all I know

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)

Petter S. + Shaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

W.B. Gross  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 25, 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 C. E. Wooten

and W. L. Burkhalter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Petter S. Shaw

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 us 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. E. Wooten

W. L. Burkhalter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 25, 1907.

W.B. Gross  
Notary Public.

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Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*D. E. Wooten*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires ..... 190 .

*July Wooten*  
Notary Public.

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No. 31079

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

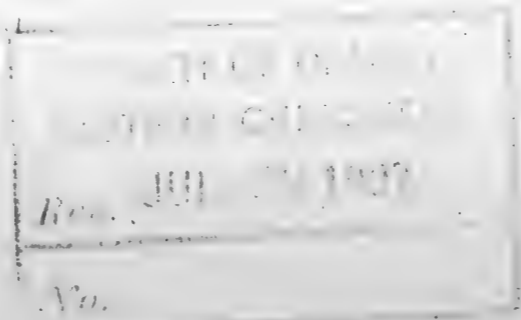
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Peter S. Snow*

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. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Peter S. Show
2. Residence and post office: Bridgport
3. County: Jackson
4. State: Alabama
5. Date and place of birth: March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1867 Monroe Co Tennessee
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Show age 50
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>James W. Show</u>		<u>Jan 12<sup>th</sup> 1887</u>
(2)	<u>Nettie Show</u>		<u>April 20 1889</u>
(3)	<u>Melie Show</u>		<u>August 28 1892</u>
(4)	<u>Rebecca Show</u>		<u>March 20 1894</u>
(5)	<u>Peter S. Show</u>		<u>July 17 1896</u>
(6)	<u>Hampton Show</u>		<u>July 26<sup>th</sup> 1905</u>

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

### 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) Peter S. Show

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

W. H. Mason  
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 C. E. Wooten and

..... who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Peter Shrew who makes the

foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that

on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by

us are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. E. Wooten

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. M. ...  
Notary Public.

My commission expires ....., 190 ..

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No. 31079

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Peter Shrew

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.





No. 31080.

Action: Reject.

Name James H. Shaw and 4 children. Residence: Fabius Alabama

Reasons:

Kirkland case.

31080

No. 31080-1

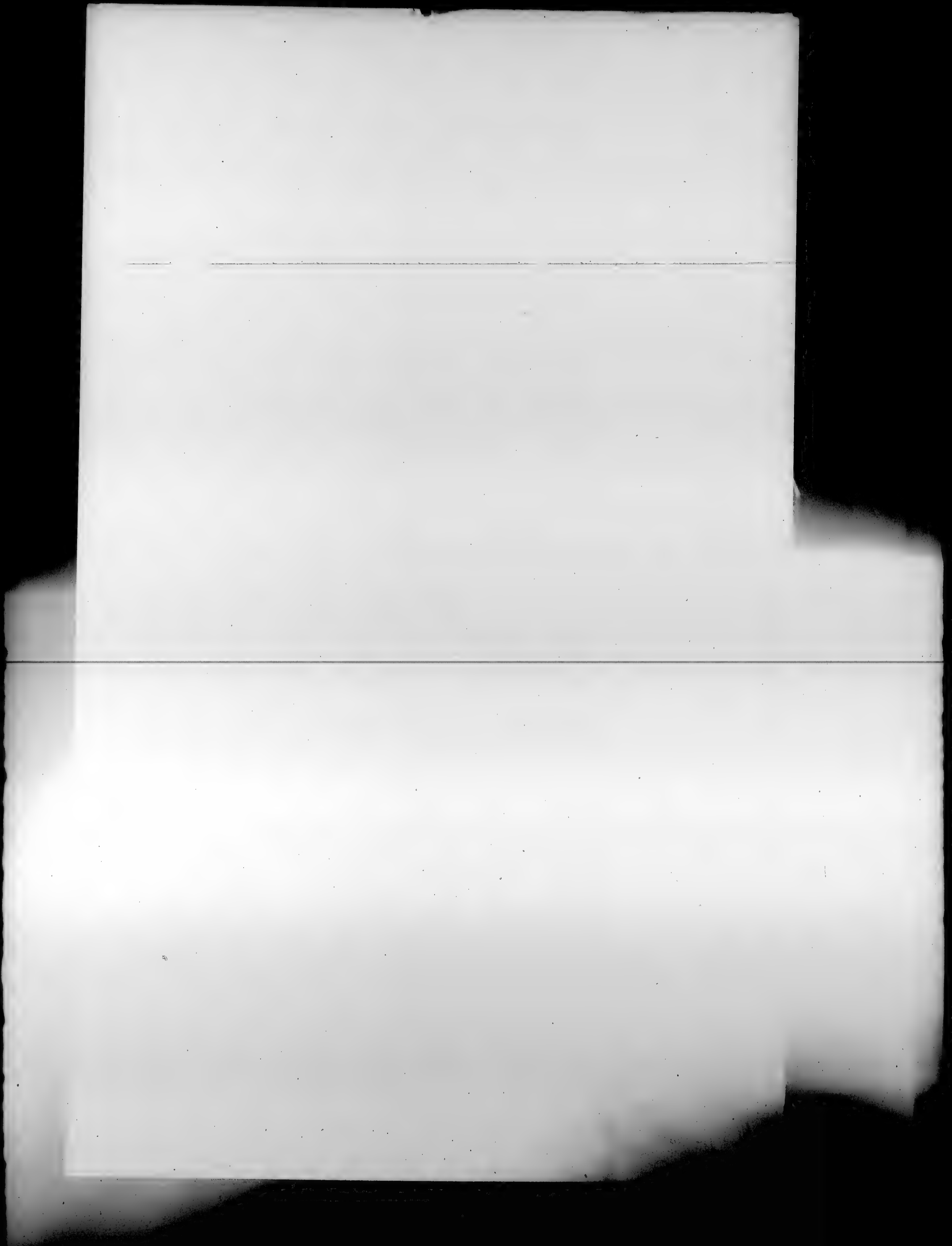
Name Jas. V. Shaw

With No. 31079 = 586

Remarks:

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No. 31080

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

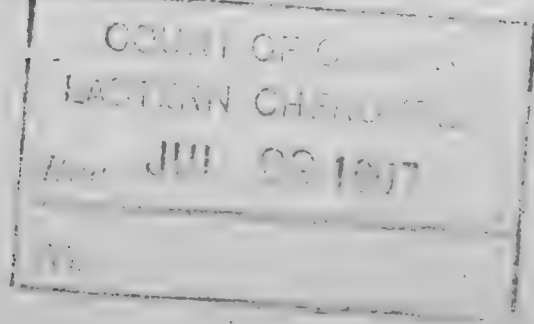
APPLICATION

OF

*Jessie M. Shaw*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31080

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *James H. Shaw*

Indian name: *None*

2. Residence and post office: *Fabius*

3. County: *Jackson*

4. State: *Alabama*

5. How old are you? *30* Born *Dec 8<sup>th</sup> 1877*

6. Where were you born? *in Jackson Co Tennessee*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Sarah Shaw age 32*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *None*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	.....	.....	.....
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *William R. Shaw # 31115*

Indian name: *None*

Mother—English name: *Nancy Shaw*

Indian name: .....

Maiden name: *Nancy Clowers*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *in Monroe Co Tennessee*

Mother: *in Monroe Co Tennessee*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Monroe Co Tennessee

Mother: in Monroe Co Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: was born 185-2 Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
# 2037	(1) Thomas E Show Kash Ala	37	Die 20 <sup>th</sup> 1890
# 2038	(2) William E Show Kash Ala		April 5 1893
# 2039	(3) George W Show Kash Ala		Jan 18 <sup>th</sup> 1884
# 21	(4) Lottie O Powell Kash Ala		Sept 18 <sup>th</sup> 1887
	(5) Elverton Show		Aug 20 <sup>th</sup> 1897
	(6)		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Bass B. Show

Rebecca Show

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Elbert Blowers

Catherine Blowers

18. Where were they born? Father Side North Carolina

Mother Side Monroe Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Monroe Co Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: 1890

(1) Mary. Harris

Nancy Show

(2) Jac. B. Show

Synthia Rossley

(3) Sior. Show

Sarah. Ellison

(4) Susan Lynn

Northw. Kirkpatrick

(5) Christ Show

Verlida. Ledford

(6) Rebecca Ledford

J. Bass. Show

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Matthias & Knorr

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 H. Show

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. B. Gross  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 25, 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 C. E. Wooten  
and W. L. Burkhalter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James H. Show who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and 18 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.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. E. Wooten  
W. L. Burkhalter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 25, 1907.

W. B. Gross  
Notary Public.

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No. 31081

Action: Reject

Name Etta O. Powell and 2 children. Residence: Trask, Alabama

Reasons:

Kirkland Case



No. 31081

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

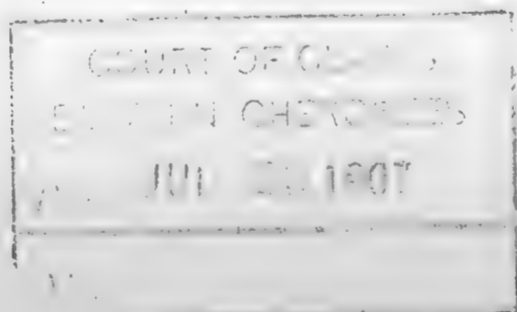
APPLICATION

OF

*Paul*  
*Edna A. Russell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



31081

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ettie C. Powell

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Kash

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 20 Born Sept 18<sup>th</sup> 1887

6. Where were you born? Jackson Co Alabama

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy Powell

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? No

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>William H Powell</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Nellie L Powell</u>		<u>Dec 14 1904</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William R. Sherr

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Nancy Sherr

Indian name:

Maiden name: Nancy, Colman

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Macon Co Tennessee

Mother: in Macon Co Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: M. Maurice Co Tennessee  
Mother: M. Monroe Co Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Thomas E. Show Leary, Texas	37	Dec 20 <sup>th</sup> 1870
(2)	William B. Show Kash Ala	34	April 5 1873
(3)	James H. Show Tribus Ala	30	Dec 31 <sup>st</sup> 1877
(4)	George W. Show Kash Ala	23	Jan 18 <sup>th</sup> 1887
(5)	Robertin Show	10	April 20 <sup>th</sup> 1897
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Bass B. Show</u>	<u>Elbert Clowers</u>
<u>Rebecca Show</u>	<u>Catherine Clowers</u>

18. Where were they born? on father's side Hagwood Co W. Va.  
mother's side Monroe Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All resided in  
Monroe Co Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Mary Harris</u>	<u>Nancy Show</u>
(2) <u>Joe B. Show</u>	<u>Cynthia Rowley</u>
(3) <u>Lior. Show</u>	<u>Buriah Allison</u>
(4) <u>Susan Lynn</u>	<u>Martha Kirkpatrick</u>
(5) <u>Christ Show</u>	<u>Virgil Ledford</u>
(6) <u>Rebecca Ledford</u>	
<u>T. Bass Show</u>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Do not know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I can't

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) Ettie O Powell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. B. Grand

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 C. E. Wooten

and J. L. Burkhalter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ettie O. Powell

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and

18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by us 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. E. Wooten

J. L. Burkhalter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 25

, 1907.

W. B. Grand

Notary Public.

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No. 31082

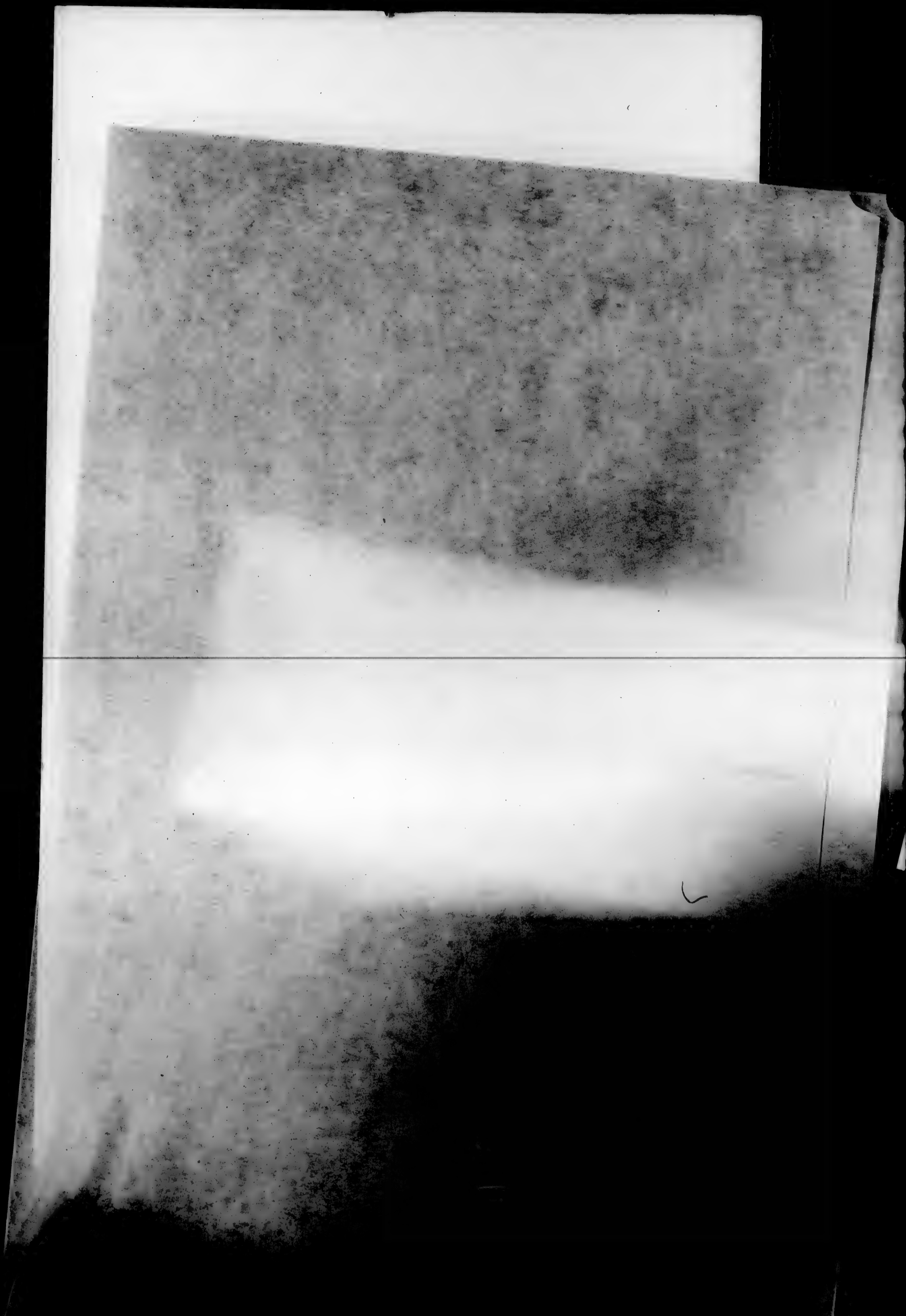
Action: Arrested

Name: Geo. M. Barnett, Jr. and 1 children. Residence: Grayville, Tenn.

Reasons:

Son of 4572. Claims the same source.

31082



No. 31082

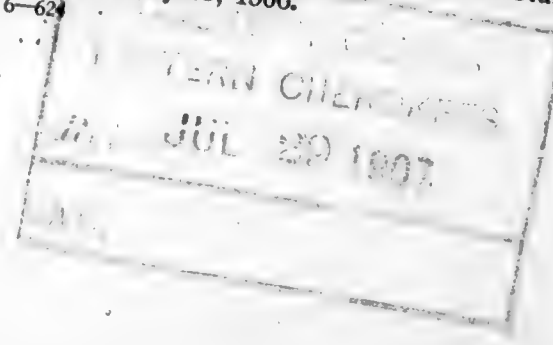
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*George M. Everett Jr*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Handwritten signatures and names: Everett, Everett, Everett, Everett, Everett, Everett, Everett, Everett, Everett, Everett

31082

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: *George M. Everett Jr*

2. Residence and post office: *Grayville and Grayville*

3. County: *Rhea*

4. State: *Tennessee*

5. How old are you? *I was* Born *Jan 25/1874*

6. Where were you born? *Rhea county Tenn*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *George M Everett 31*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee Tribe*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Paula Q Everett</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>Dec 11/1904</i>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *George M Everett*

Indian name: *Cherokee*

Mother—English name: *Martha E Everett*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Martha E Bergen*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Jefferson county Tennessee*

Mother: *Meigs county Tennessee*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *in Rhea County Tennessee*

Mother: *in Meigs County Tennessee*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *yet living*

Mother: *yet living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: *Father George M. Everett filed under the act of Congress approved June 30/1904*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Robert M. Everett</i>	<i>Nov 5/1840</i>	
(2)	<i>John M. Everett</i>	<i>March 10/1844</i>	
(3)	<i>Ruphis H. Everett</i>	<i>Nov 24/1847</i>	<i>Feb 8/1904</i>
(4)	<i>Alice B. Rains</i>	<i>March 25/1849</i>	<i>April/1894</i>
(5)	<i>James M. Everett</i>	<i>Jan 17/1874</i>	
	<i>Lornisday D. Everett</i>	<i>June 29/1880</i>	
(6)	<i>Orna Dell Gunstine</i>	<i>Sept 30/1878</i>	
	<i>Kettie L. Everett</i>	<i>July 30/1883</i>	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>George M. Everett</i>	<i>Easter Everett</i>
<i>Easter Everett</i>	<i>Robert B. Barger</i>
<i>Cherokee Tribe</i>	<i>Elen Barger</i>

18. Where were they born? *Jefferson County Tennessee*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Grand Father was Dead Grand Mother in Rhea County Tenn*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<i>John M. Everett</i>	<i>Dead</i>
(2)	<i>George M. Everett</i>	<i>Rhea County Tenn</i>
(3)	<i>Nancy A. Everett</i>	<i>Dead</i>
(4)	<i>William M. Everett</i>	<i>Dead</i>
(5)	<i>James J. Everett</i>	<i>Dead</i>
(6)	<i>David R. Everett</i>	<i>Weatherford Texas</i>
	<i>Marshal B. Everett</i>	<i>in the S. I. -</i>
	<i>Joseph B. Everett</i>	<i>Dead</i>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: George W. Everett  
Easter Everett Grate Grand Parents  
John White Colley White

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature George W. Everett)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of July 1907.

J. W. Clouse Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. C. Benson  
and J. R. Berger, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with George W. Everett son  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. C. Benson  
J. R. Berger  
of July, 1907.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

My commission expires

Jan 1st

Clouse Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, by an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, if

lic, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an agent, or a notary, etc.

No. 31082.

Name Geo. W. Everett Jr.

With No. 4572.

Remarks:

No. 31083.

Action: *Wjact.*

Name *Tom R. Shaw* and *2* children. Residence: *Nash, Alabama*

Reasons:

*Irishland case.*

No. 31083-4-5

Name John N. Smart

With No. 586

Remarks:

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No. 51083

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

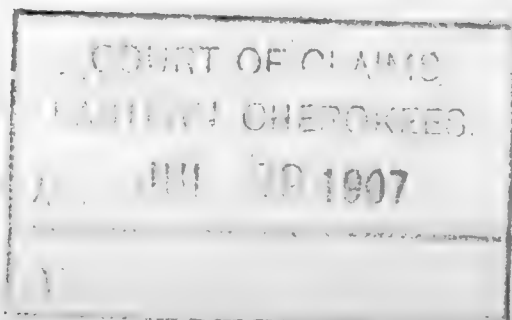
APPLICATION

OF

*William D. Shaw*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: William D. Shan  
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Kash
3. County: Jackson
4. State: Alabama
5. How old are you? 59 Born Nov 25<sup>th</sup> 1848
6. Where were you born? Monroe Co Tennessee
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Show age 55
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Thomas, Shan	37	Dec 20 1870
(2)	William G Shan	34	June 5 1873
(3)	James Henry Show	28	Dec 31 <sup>st</sup> 1877
(4)	George W. Show	23	Jan 18 <sup>th</sup> 1884
(5)	Ettie O. Pomell	11	Sept 18 1887
(6)	Elvener Show	10	Aug 20 <sup>th</sup> 1897

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Bas. Shan  
Indian name: No

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Rebecca, Show  
Maiden name: Rebecca, Kirkland

12. Where were they born?

Father: on Sulis Creek Haywood Co N.C.  
Mother: on Sulis Creek Haywood N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Monroe Co Tennessee

Mother: In Monroe Co Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Was killed in 1864 Soldiers

Mother: Died about 1899

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cant Tell

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

7 Bros Shown  
 8 Sisters Shown  
 3 Bridgesport - Me

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Harris Rafters Tenn	Cant Tell	
(2)	Jacob Shown Rafters Tenn	2 years older than me	
(3)	Sam Shown Rafters Tenn	2 years younger than me	
(4)	Elsan Linn Tillies Plus Tenn	Dont Know aged	
(5)	Christ Shown Chattanooga Tenn	Dont Know aged	
(6)	Rebecca Bedford Tillies Plus Tenn	Dont Know how long	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Bros Shown	James Kirklin
Susan Shown	Susan Kirklin
	Madder Wain
	Susan Boston

18. Where were they born? Dont Know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Polk Co Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) John Kirklin	Bros Shown
(2) Abby Kirklin	Christo Giles
(3) James Kirklin	Elisabeth Shown
(4) Bessie Kirklin	Betty Linn
(5) Christ Kirklin	Rachel McDanell
(6) Rebecca Shown	Betty English
Resta Linn	
Will Kirklin	



13. W

14. D:

15. W

16. <sup>24</sup>

Bas Sherr Bern  
Lillieplains Tenn  
& Petter Sherr age 44  
Bridgeport Ala

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sit

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18. Where

19. Where

20. Give n

(1)

(2)

(3)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No Not as a member of

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I have above stated all the fact & I know

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William R. Show

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. B. Grass  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 25, 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 C. E. Wooten  
and H. L. Burkhalter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William R. Show who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and 18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by them 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. E. Wooten  
H. L. Burkhalter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 25, 1907.

W. B. Grass  
Notary Public.

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Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. E. Martin*  
*W. A. Bushkhaler*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires ..... 190

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No. 31083

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

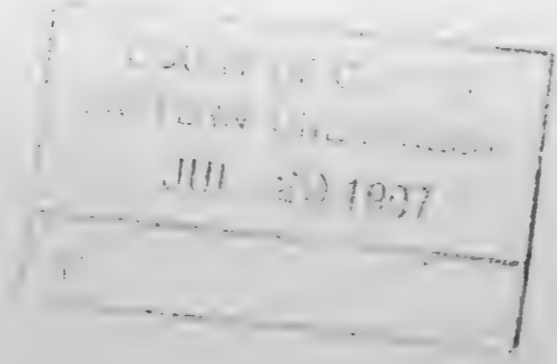
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*William R. Shaw*

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. ....

1. State your full name: William R. Shaw
2. Residence and post office: Kash
3. County: Joelster
4. State: Alabama
5. Date and place of birth: Nov 25<sup>th</sup> 1848 Manera Co Tennessee
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Naney. Shaw age 55-
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>Thomas Shaw</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 1870</u>
(2)	<u>William G. Shaw</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>April 5<sup>th</sup> 1873</u>
(3)	<u>James H. Shaw</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>Dec 31<sup>st</sup> 1877</u>
(4)	<u>George W. Shaw</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 1884</u>
(5)	<u>Ettie O. Russell</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Sept 18<sup>th</sup> 1887</u>
(6)	<u>Verden Shaw</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Augt 20<sup>th</sup> 1897</u>

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

.....

.....

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William R. Shaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

W. H. Mason  
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 C. E. Wooten and W. S. Burkhalter who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William B. Shaw who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 18 years and 18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
C. E. Wooten  
W. S. Burkhalter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

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No. 31013

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

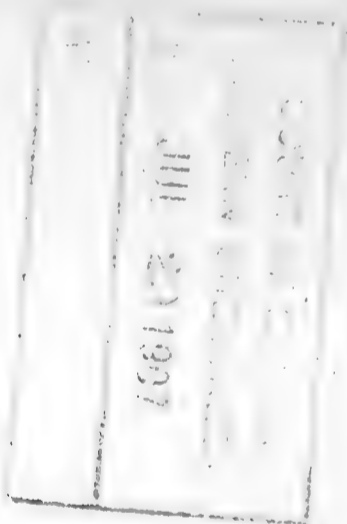
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

William B. Shaw

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.



No. 31084.

Action: *Reject*

Name *William G. Shaw* and *X* children. Residence: *Kash ~~Tenn~~ Tenn*

Reasons:

*Fiskland Case.*

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No. ....

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William G. Dun*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905 and May 20, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 20 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: William G. Shaw  
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Kash
3. County: Jackson
4. State: Alabama
5. How old are you? 34 Born April 5-1874
6. Where were you born? In Monroe Co Tennessee
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Maggie J. Shaw 34 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	.....	.....	.....
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William R. Shaw  
Indian name: None  
Mother—English name: Nancy Shaw  
Indian name: None  
Maiden name: Nancy Glowers.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Born in Monroe Co Tennessee  
Mother: Born in Monroe Co Tennessee



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Resided in Monroe Co Tennessee

Mother: Resided in Monroe Co Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Thomas E. Show Living. Texas	37	Dec 20 1870
(2)	Honest H. Show Habius Ala		Dec 31 <sup>st</sup> 1877
(3)	George W. Show Kash Ala		Jan 18 <sup>th</sup> 1884
(4)	Ettie O. Powell Kash Ala		Sept 18 <sup>th</sup> 1887
(5)	Everden Show Kash Ala		Aug 20 <sup>th</sup> 1897
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Bass B. Show  
Rebecca Show

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Albert Flowers  
Catherine Flowers

18. Where were they born? on father's side Haywood Co N.C  
on mother's side Monroe Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? all resided in  
Monroe Co Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Mary Harris	Honey Show Kash Ala
(2)	Joe B. Show	Sydney Ranley Pittsburg Ga
(3)	Lion Show	Garah Allison Kash Ala
(4)	Susan Lynn	Walter Kirkpatrick Rising Sun Md
(5)	Christ Show	Melilia Lidford Trenton Pa
(6)	Rebecca Lidford	
7	Bass Show	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: B. Coak

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William G. Shaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. G. Coak  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 25, 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 C. E. Wooten  
and N. L. Burkhalter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William G. Shaw who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and 19 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.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. E. Wooten  
N. L. Burkhalter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires Nov 25, 1907

W. G. Coak  
Notary Public.

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No. 31085.

Action: *Reset*

Name *George W. Shaw* and *7* children.

Residence: *Nash, Alabama*

Reasons:

*Kirkland case.*

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No. 31085

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

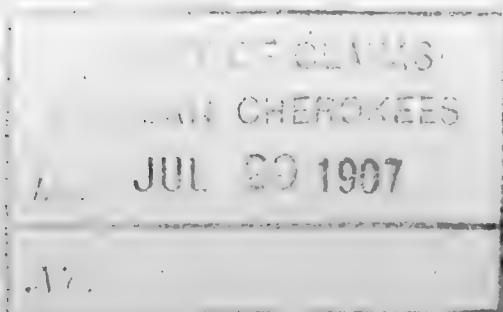
APPLICATION

OF

*George W. Henry*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*31085*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: George M. Shaw

Indian name: Name

2. Residence and post office: Kash

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 23 Born Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 1884

6. Where were you born? In Jackson Co Alabama

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mertle Shaw age 17

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Name

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	.....	.....	.....
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William B. Shaw

Indian name: Name

Mother—English name: Nancy Shaw

Indian name: Name

Maiden name: Nancy Cloivers

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Macon Co Tennessee

Mother: in Macon Co Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Monroe Co Tennessee

Mother: in Monroe Co Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Do not know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Thomas B. Show	37	Dec 20 <sup>th</sup> 1870
	Learj Texas		
(2)	William B. Show	34	April 5 1873
	Kash Alu		
(3)	James H. Show	30	Dec 31 <sup>st</sup> 1877
	Habins Alu		
(4)	Ettie A. Powell	28	Sept 18 <sup>th</sup> 1887
	Kash Alu		
(5)	Elvina Show	10	Aug 20 1897
	Kash Alu		
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Bass B. Show  
Rebecca Show

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Robert Glowers  
Catherine Glowers

18. Where were they born? Father Side N.C. Mothers Side Monroe Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Monroe Co Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- |     |                        |                                   |
|-----|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Mary Harris</u>     | <u>Nancy Show</u>                 |
| (2) | <u>Jas B. Show</u>     | <u>Synthia Rowley</u>             |
| (3) | <u>Sior. Show</u>      | <u>Sarah Ellison</u>              |
| (4) | <u>Susan Lynn</u>      | <u>North Kirkpatrick</u>          |
| (5) | <u>Christ Show</u>     | <u>Verlinda Ledford Denton Ga</u> |
| (6) | <u>Rebecca Ledford</u> |                                   |
|     | <u>7 Bass Show</u>     |                                   |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Dont Know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I cant

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

George W Shaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

W. B. Gross  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 25, 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

C. E. Wooten

and

N. L. Burkhalter

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

George W. Shaw

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and 18 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.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. E. Wooten

N. L. Burkhalter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 25, 1907

W. B. Gross  
Notary Public.

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No. 31086  
Name: *Marena (Maggie) J. McCallough* and *3 children.* Residence: *Miami, Okla.* Action: *Admitted*  
Reasons: *Niece of #1340, and claims through the same ancestors. Mother of applicant, Sarah P. Smith (Fields) enrolled in Delaware District, No. 1439.*



No. 31086

Name *Wm. J. H. Gullong*

With No. 1325

Remarks:

No. 31086

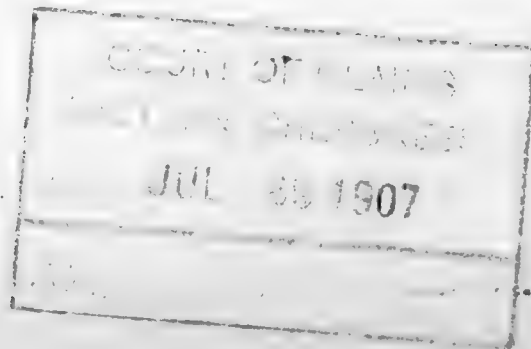
**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION OF  
OF

*Margaret J. McCullough*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31086

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Wynona J. McCallister*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: *Spencer, Ark.*

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? *35* Born *Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> 1871*

6. Where were you born? *Spencer, Ark.*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Peter McCallister, age 35*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
<i>DC 30298</i>	<i>Wynona J. McCallister</i>		<i>Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> 1871</i>
<i>DC 30299</i>	<i>Wynona J. McCallister</i>		<i>June 21<sup>st</sup> 1901</i>
<i>DC minor 2417</i>	<i>Wynona J. McCallister</i>		<i>Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> 1904</i>
	(4) _____		
	(5) _____		
	(6) _____		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Wynona J. McCallister*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *Wynona J. McCallister 1341*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Wynona J. McCallister*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Tennessee*

Mother: *Alabama*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: .....

Mother: *Ind. Ter. Cherokee Nation.*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: .....

Mother: .....

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*Yes Cherokee Nation on Cherokee rolls.*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<i>William F. Fields</i>	<i>Aug. 13-1863</i>	<i>Feb. 17-1877</i>
<i>27313</i>	<i>William F. Fields</i>	<i>Nov. 5-1865</i>	<i>Living</i>
<i>✓ 31896</i>	<i>Walter F. Fields</i>	<i>Feb. 16-1870</i>	<i>Living</i>
<i>27312</i>	<i>William F. Fields</i>	<i>Oct. 4-1871</i>	<i>Living</i>
<i>24277</i>	<i>James F. Fields</i>	<i>Jan. 31-1872</i>	<i>Living</i>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

<i>John F. Fields</i>	<i>John F. Fields</i>
<i>William F. Fields</i>	<i>William F. Fields</i>
.....	.....
.....	.....

18. Where were they born?

*in Alabama*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*Cherokee Nation*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<i>James Fields</i>	<i>Cherokee Nation</i>
(2)	<i>Walter Fields</i>	<i>Living</i>
(3)	<i>William Fields</i>	<i>Living</i>
(4)	<i>John Fields</i>	<i>Living</i>
(5)	<i>James Fields</i>	<i>Living</i>
(6)	<i>John Fields</i>	<i>Living</i>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Abraham Fielder  
John Fielder  
John Fielder grand father

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

The Cherokee name Maggie

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature James)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

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 AG James  
and D W Furman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Margaret M Cullough who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

AG James  
D W Furman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

James  
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. 31087

Action: Admitted

Name William P. McCallough and ~~one~~ 4 children.

Residence: Fairland, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant is son of 1049  
" mother 179 Saline, Rachel J.

31087

No. 21087-2

Name John P. Van C...

With No. 1047

Remarks:

No. 31087

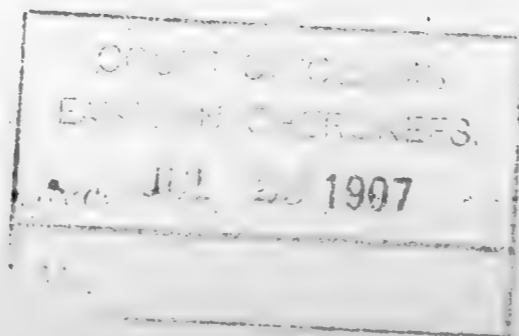
**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION OF  
OF

*William P. McCullough*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31087



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
 English name: William J McCullough  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. How old are you? 37 years Born Oct. 17 1870
6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mollie J McCullough 32
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? white
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:
 

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lillian M McCullough</u>		<u>Mar 27 1898</u>
(2)	<u>Milton M "</u>		<u>July 18 1899</u>
(3)	<u>William E "</u>		<u>Apr 9 1902</u>
(4)	<u>Pete C "</u>		<u>Mar 11 1905</u>
(5)	_____		_____
(6)	_____		_____
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
 

Father—English name: M A M McCullough (white)  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: Rachel J McCullough  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maiden name: Rachel J Adair
12. Where were they born?  
 Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother: Cherokee Nation

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Chero  
Mother: Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Aug 1904  
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians.

Mother is a Cherokee allottee and Eastern Cherokee Claimant No. 1049

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>John W McCullough</u>	<u>July 1869</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Pete McCullough</u> <u>Miami St.</u>	<u>May 1872</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>James F McCullough</u> <u>Kelchum St.</u>	<u>Dec 1873</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>George E McCullough</u> <u>Afton St.</u>	<u>Jan 1878</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Joseph H McCullough</u>	<u>Jan 1871</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Nathan M Mayfield</u> <u>Garfield Ark.</u>	<u>May 1881</u>	<u>"</u>
(7)	<u>Charles H McCullough</u>	<u>Nov 1882</u>	<u>"</u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

George W Adair  
Martha

18. Where were they born?

Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) W B Adair
- (2) Mie " }
- (3) W F " } Dead
- (4) John J " }
- (5) Ellen Thompson }
- (6) Rodney McCullough
- Frank Adair — Dead
- Cherokee Mayes — Taliesaw St.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I am a Cherokee Adelle

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William P McCallough

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Ch James  
Notary Public.

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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 AG Dennis  
and Dr W Freeman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William P McCallough who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

AG Dennis  
Dr W Freeman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Ch James  
Notary Public.

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No. 91088

Action: Admitted

Name: Pete McCullough and his children. Residence: Miami, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant is a son of 1649  
" mother 179 Saline, Rachel J.

No. 31088

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

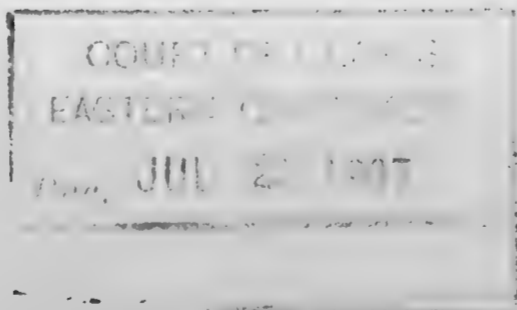
APPLICATION OF

OF

*Pete McCullough*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



31088

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
 English name: Pete McCullough  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Miami Fla.
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. How old are you? 35 years Born May 29 1872
6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Magena J.
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:
 

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<del>Minnie D McCullough</del>		<del>Apr 1897</del>
(2)	<del>Ruby</del>		<del>June 1901</del>
(3)	<del>Elizabeth M</del>		<del>Sept 1904</del>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

See App. # 31086
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
 

Father—English name: M H McCullough (white)  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: Rachel J McCullough  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maiden name: Rachel Adair
12. Where were they born?  
 Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother: Cherokee Nation

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:   
 Mother: Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Aug 1904   
 Mother: Lewing

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians.

Mother is a Cherokee Allottee and Eastern Cherokee Claimant No. 1049

Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	John N McCallough FAIRLAND, IND. TER	July 1869	
(2)	William O " FAIRLAND, IND. TER	Oct 1870	
(3)	James F Ketchum St.	Dec 1873	
(4)	George E " Alton St.	Jan 1878	
(5)	Joseph H " FAIRLAND, IND. TER	July 1871	
(6)	Nannie M Mayfield Garfield Ave	May 1881	
	Charles N McCallough	Nov 1882	

17. State the birth and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

George W Adair  
Martha Adair

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) W R Adair
- (2) Mice "
- (3) W T "
- (4) John T " } Dead
- (5) Ellen Thompson
- (6) Rachel McCallough
- Frank Adair - dead
- Cherokee Mays - Salisaw St

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *I am a Cherokee relative*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature *Pete M. Callough*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *July* 1907.

*W. J. James*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 1908.* 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *A. G. Dumas*  
and *D. W. Ironman*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Pete M. Callough* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and *10* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*A. G. Dumas*  
*D. W. Ironman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *July* 1907.

My commission expires

*My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 1908.*

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*W. J. James*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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admit  
notice

~~San Francisco~~  
San Francisco, Cal.  
Feb. 10 - 1880.

Hon. Quincy

Dear Sir,  
I have the honor to  
acknowledge the receipt  
of your kind letter of  
the 7th inst. and in  
reply to inform you that  
the same has been  
forwarded to the  
proper authorities. The  
same have been  
sent to the  
proper authorities and will  
be closed when we find  
out the result. When we  
make up the list we  
will send you a copy  
of the same and two of the

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out the papers for  
application had we  
there was no use  
in giving any application  
for her she was not  
old enough. So we did  
not think any more  
at all it might be a few  
weeks ago we found  
out that she was  
a young man  
she was. So we wrote  
our friend Mr. Hastings  
and he told us all  
the rest of the story  
in his May 22 - 1906.

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So he referred me  
to you and said  
he figured if we would  
write you and state  
the case to you that  
perhaps you would  
enroll her. So long as  
we were decided  
about the time they  
were entitled to  
be enrolled. We have  
another born June 21<sup>st</sup>  
1907. #110 is not entitled  
at all to the time  
given me by Bill Hastings  
this year. I will write  
and let you know.

is also see making  
up a list for the  
M. Woodcock for  
3rd 1804 for William V.  
1807. If there is  
you please favor me  
with a reply soon.  
The No of my card is  
3105. I am  
Yours truly  
W. Woodcock

No. 31089.

Action: Admitted

Name: Clara D. James and X children. Residence: Fairland, Okla.

Reasons:

Daughter of #3053, and claims through same source.

No. 31089  
Name Clara D. James  
With No. 2052

Remarks:

*Daughter # 2053*

No. 31089

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

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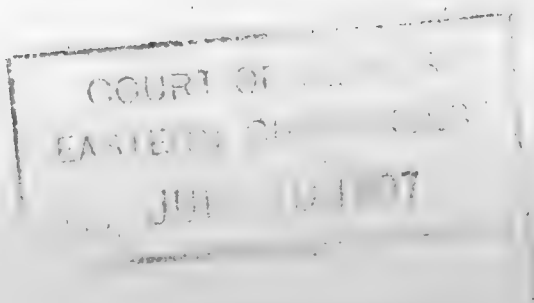
APPLICATION OF

OF

*Chara D James*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



31089



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Gara D James  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. How old are you? 33 years Born June 1874
6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation
7. Are you married? no
8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:  
Father—English name: David S James  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Tennessee A James  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Tennessee S Lane
12. Where were they born?  
Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother: Cherokee County, Kansas then Cherokee Nation

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, and or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mother is a Cherokee allottee and Eastern Cherokee Claimant No. 2053

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Calvin G James	Aug 1867	Living
(2)	Louise D James Albuquerque N.M.	Dec 1870	"
(3)	Albert B James Miami Fla.	Sept 1878	"
(4)	Lula B Higgins	Feb 1881	"
(5)	Comelia J	Aug 1883	"
(6)	Joseph L James Claude F James	1887 1890	Misses } "

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Laura (white)  
Jane Laura

18. Where were they born?

Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Sawanna Heller

(2) Tennessee A James

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *I am a Cherokee Alutche*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *My Great Grand father was David M Harlan born in 1804 died in 1868*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Clara D. James*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July* 1907.

*W. Galbraith*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*Dec 10 1904* 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant)

Personally appeared before me *D W Truman*  
and *F Nidiffer*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Clara D James* 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.

*D W Truman*  
*F Nidiffer*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *July* 1907.

My commission expires

*Dec 10 1904* 190 *W. Galbraith*  
Notary Public.

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No. 8, 070

Action: Identified

Name Monte T. Swales and 4 children. Residence: Home St.

Reasons:

None given - name correct, address correct.

31070

No. 31090

Name *Walter B. Cooley*

With No. 48

Remarks:

No. 31090

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION OF

OF

*Myrtle B. Ormley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



31090

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
 English name: Myrtle B Orrley  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Residence and post office: Miami  
 3. County: \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. State: Ind Ter  
 5. How old are you?— 27 yrs Born July 30 1879  
 6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation  
 7. Are you married? Yes  
 8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sam F Orrley  
 9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? white  
 10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Forest W Orrley</u>	<u>8 years</u>	<u>Jan 21 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Paul K " "</u>	<u>6 "</u>	<u>Jan 23 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Fern L " "</u>	<u>3 "</u>	<u>June 25 1904</u>
(4)	<u>Rossie E " "</u>	<u>1 "</u>	<u>Feb 27 1906</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Preston S James (white)

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha E James

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha E James

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: *Georgia*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: *Living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *Mother is on Cherokee allottee and an Eastern Cherokee Claimant.*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
<i>1842</i>	(1) <i>Lula G Drouside</i>		
	<i>Miami IA</i>		
<i>1855</i>	(2) <i>Lolake Atting</i>		
	<i>Miami IA</i>		
	(3) <i>Bunah James</i>		
	(4) <i>Selaud D "</i>		
	(5) <i>Martha L "</i>	<i>Michigan living</i>	
	(6) <i>Frank W "</i>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*James D Vann*  
*Rosanna J Vann (white)*

18. Where were they born?

*Georgia*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*Georgia*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

<i>1841</i>	(1) <i>John E Vann</i>	
	(2) <i>Louisa William</i>	
<i>5170</i>	(3) <i>Mary J Ladd</i>	<i>Narcissa IA</i>
<i>7180</i>	(4) <i>David W Vann</i>	<i>Fairland IA</i>
<i>1850</i>	(5) <i>Martha E James</i>	<i>Bourne Texas</i>
	(6) <i>Sarah A Mance</i>	<i>Fairland IA</i>
	<i>Emma L Crayton</i>	<i>Fairland IA</i>
	<i>James G Vann</i>	<i>Dead</i>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Saw a Cherokee

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22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Great Grand father and mother were John James & Martha James

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 Myrtle B. Overlay  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July 1907.  
O. James  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 1908, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant)

Personally appeared before me D. W. Freeman  
and A. G. Sumas, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Myrtle B. Overlay who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know they to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. W. Freeman  
A. G. Sumas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

My Commission expires Sept. 7th, 1908, 190 .

O. James  
Notary Public.

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No. 1091

Action: Admitted

Name Charles T. McCullough and his children.

Residence: Sifton, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant is a son of 1049.

" mother, Rachel J. Adair "179 Saline"

1091

No. 3291

Name *Comptroller*

With No. 1027

Remarks:

No. 31691

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

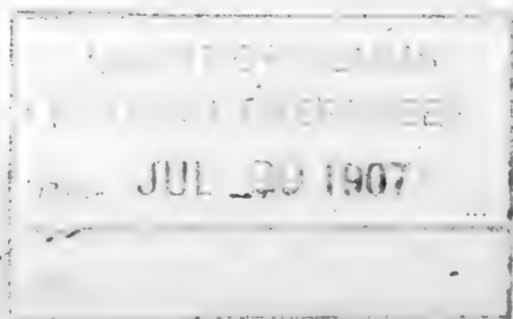
APPLICATION OF

OF

*Charles K. McCallough*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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31691

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
  - English name: Charles H. McCullough
  - Indian name: none
2. Residence and post office: Afton
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind Terr
5. How old are you? 24 Born Nov 21st 1882
6. Where were you born? Delaware District C. N. Ind Terr
7. Are you married? No.
8. Name and age of wife or husband: —
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? —
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:
 

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	.....	.....	.....
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
  - Father—English name: Milton H. McCullough
  - Indian name: none
  - Mother—English name: Rachel J. McCullough
  - Indian name: none
  - Maiden name: Rachel J. Adair
12. Where were they born?
  - Father: Bloomington, McClain Co. Illinois
  - Mother: Cherokee Nation Ind Terr.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois  
Mother: Cherokee Nation, Durd Durr

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August 21st 1904  
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Enrolled for strip money in 1895 & for land in 1903 with Cherokee Tribe

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	John H. McCullough Fairland D.C.	July 3rd 1869	Living
(2)	William P. McCullough Fairland D.C.	Oct 12th 1870	"
(3)	Pete McCullough Miami D.C.	May 28 1872	"
(4)	James F. McCullough Kitchum D.C.	Dec 20 1873	"
(5)	George E. McCullough Afton D.C.	Jan 14 1878	"
(6)	Joseph H. McCullough Afton D.C.	July 9 1879	"
	Marion M. Mayfield Georgetown, S.C.	May 17th 1884	"

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

W. Pitt

MOTHER'S SIDE.

George H. Adair  
Martha Adair

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation

Durd Durr.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William P. Adair	Dead.
(2)	Brice Adair	"
(3)	Watt J. Adair	"
(4)	John Adair	"
(5)	Allen Adair	"
(6)	Hackett Adair	Afton D.C.
	Francis Adair	Dead.
	Cherokee Adair	Maigs, Tallisaw D.C.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *for strip money in 1895*  
*placed in 1903 with Cherokee Tribe of Indians.*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature *Charles W. McCullough*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 1907.

*H. O. Bland*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *Jan 7<sup>th</sup>* 19*11*.

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. J. Melton*  
 and *Jas. A. Cox*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
 that they are well acquainted with *Charles W. McCullough*  
 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 mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*H. J. Melton*  
*Jas. A. Cox*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 1907.

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Notary Public.

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No. 31092

Name Wm. H. Pratt.

With No. 615

Remarks:

*Suppl.*

No. 31092

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

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APPLICATION OF  
OF

*John H. Frost*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 24 1907  
No.

31092

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
 English name: *William Henry Frott*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: *Vinita*
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: *Ind Ter*
5. How old are you? *29* Born *1878*
6. Where were you born? *Vinita Ind. Ter.*
7. Are you married? *Yes*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Hona 20 yrs of age*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *None*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Henry Moore Frott</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1903</i>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *William Lafayette Frott*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: *Louisa Jane Frott*  
 Indian name: *She is white*  
 Maiden name: *Louisa Jane Moore*

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: *Woodberry, Tenn Mch 10 1844*  
 Mother: *Tennisee*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Ferrissee*

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Living at Vinita Ind.*

Mother: *Living at Vinita Ind.*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*On all the Cherokee Rolls & The Roll Prepared by the Dawes Commission*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<i>Not Fay Frott Vinita Ind.</i>	<i>About 1884.</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>James Jenkins Frott</i>	<i>They were white.</i>
<i>Rachel Bounds Frott</i>	

18. Where were they born? *North Carolina & Madison Co. Georgia*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Ferrissee  
Blairdson County*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) *Sarah Ann Frott* ~~Living~~ *Dead*
- (2) *Minnie Adair Vann* *Dead*
- (3) *John Rose Frott* *Virden Ill.*
- (4) *James C. Frott* *Vinita Ind Ter*
- (5) *Maria Elizabeth Frott* *Dead*
- (6) *Charlotte F. Johnson* *Afton Ind Ter*
- Henry Hardin Frott* *Dead*
- Timothy Frott* *Dead*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *On all the Cherokee Rolls Since I was Born & the Roll prepared by Laws Commission*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *My Great Grand Parents Names on My Father's Mother's Side were "Red Watt Adair" & "Ada Adair"*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

*You can see my Fathers claim for father Prooff*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief

*William Henry Proff*  
(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this JUL 26 1907 day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1907.

*A. M. M. L. K.*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909 . 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant)

Personally appeared before me *W. E. Ridenhour*  
and *George F. Couch*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William Henry Proff* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. E. Ridenhour*  
*George F. Couch*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this JUL 26 1907 day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1907.

My commission expires  
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909 . 190 .

*A. M. M. L. K.*  
Notary Public.

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are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*D. M. Mays*

*W. M. Mays*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *first*

day of *August*, 1907.

*Will Heyrod*

Notary Public.

My commission expires *October 5*, 1910.

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No. *31090*

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

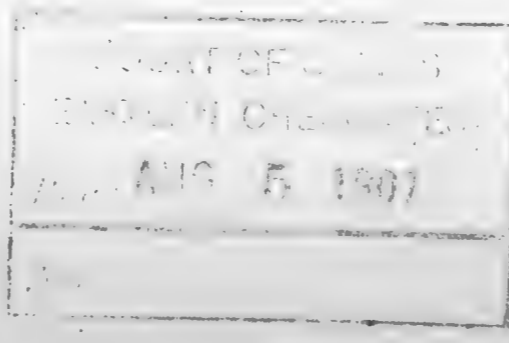
## SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Wm H. Tratt*

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. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: William Henry Frott
2. Residence and post office: Viuita
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: Ind. Tec.
5. Date and place of birth: Viuita Ind. Tec. Dec 4-1878
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Hona Frott 2 yrs
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Henry Moore Frott</u>	<u>4 yrs</u>	<u>1903-Apr 27</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: Law's Commission Muscogee Indian as State Cherokee

**REMARKS**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

"See my own claim & in Father's 'William Chafayette Frott'"

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William Henry Frott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of August 1907.

Will H. Bayl

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Oct 5

, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. M. Mann and A. B. Marks who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Henry Trott who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 26 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. M. Mann

A. B. Marks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of August, 1907.

Will H. Boyd

Notary Public.

My commission expires October 5, 1910.

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No. 1001

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Wm H Trott

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.





No. 31092

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Robert W. Main* and *6* children. Residence: *La Fayette Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Son of 29695. Claims thru same source.*

29695

No. 31093.

Name Robert J. Main

With No. 29695.

Remarks:

No. 31093

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

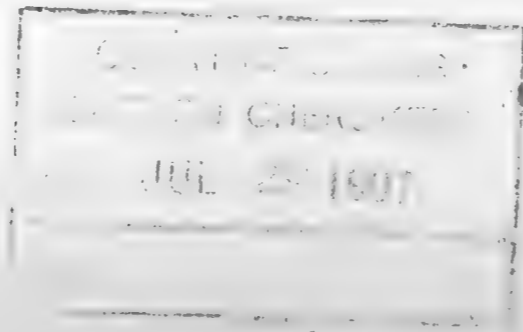
APPLICATION

OF

*Robert Tilford Main*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1900, and May 28, 1906.

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E. G. O. I. E.

*Nicholas & Acuff -  
Attys. Rockwood, Tenn.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Robert Telford Maine

Indian name: Roorkie Rookie Maine

2. Residence and post office: LaFollette

3. County: Campbell

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 31 yr. Born Oct. 7 1876

6. Where were you born? Laural County Ky.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Delia Maine. age 31 yr.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Mary Maine	12 yrs	Oct. 16 - 1895
(2)	Millicah Maine	10 "	Feb. 27 1897
(3)	Annie Maine	8 "	May 18 1899
(4)	Belle Maine	6 "	Feb. 28 1901
(5)	Matton Maine	3 "	Mar. 2 1904
(6)	Lemuel Luster Maine	1 "	April 12 1907

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Lemuel Maine, Margaret Hatfield

Father—English name: Lemuel Maine

Indian name: Roorkie

Mother—English name: Margaret Hatfield Maine

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Margaret Hatfield

12. Where were they born?

Father: Lemuel Maine born Ash County N.C.

Mother: Whitley County N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Ash County N.C.  
Mother: Whitley County Ky

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: now living  
Mother: now living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	
(1)	Abbie S. Main		deceased - Feb. 11 1905
	William R. Main	Nov. 6 - 1869	
(2)	Elizabeth A. Main (McNamee)	Jan. 12 1874	
	Fallie Main (McNamee)	Aug. 11 - 1876	
(3)	Katherine Main (Brown)	Feb. 5 - 1886	
	Robert T. Main (Apple)	Oct 8 1876	
(4)	Mary C. Main		deceased
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Joseph Main	Abbie Gill Main
William Hatfield	Rosie Elizabeth Hatfield

18. Where were they born? Ash County N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father was dead. Mother lived in Ash County N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) Can't do it
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None whatever

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Maiden name of Grand Mother was Abigail Lewis, my mother's maiden name was Margarette Halphill

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have been informed by my father that my great, great grand mother was an Cherokee Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Robert T. Main

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July, 1907.

A. W. Brantley

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5,

1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. C. Bibee

and

J. J. Marshall

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Robert T. Marshall

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and

22 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

him to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses:

W. C. Bibee

J. J. Marshall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5

1910.

A. W. Brantley

Notary Public.

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No. 31094

Name

Catherine Brown

and no children.

Action:

Rejected

Residence:

Newcomb Tenn.

Reasons:

Daughter of 29695. Claims the same source.

No. 31094.

Name Catherine Brown.

With No. 29695.

Remarks:



No. 31101

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

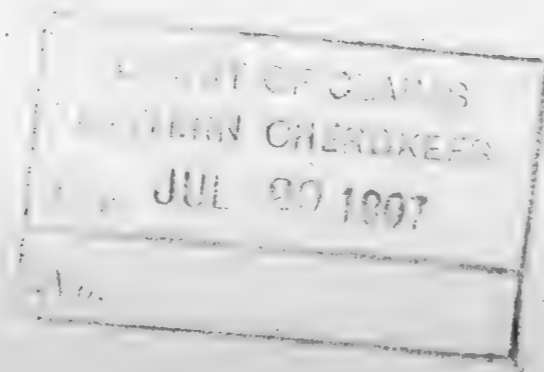
APPLICATION

OF

*Catherine Brown*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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1760 XE *Nicholas & Acuff -  
Atty. Rockwood, Tenn.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Catherine Brown

Indian name: Roark

2. Residence and post office: Newcomer

3. County: Campbell

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 21 Born 5 February

6. Where were you born? Larrel County Kentucky

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Catherine Brown 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Earl Wood</u>	<u>9 months 2 days</u>	<u>January 1907</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Samuel Main

Father—English name: Samuel Main

Indian name: Roark

Mother—English name: Margret Main

Indian name: nan

Maiden name: Margret Hatfield

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cath County North Carolina

Mother: Whitley County Kentucky

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: ash County North Carolina  
Mother: Whitley County Kentucky

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They have not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Elisabeth a Hughes & Robert T	12 January	1874
(2)	Talitha	8 October	
(3)	Elisabeth a Hughes & Robert T	12 January 1874	35 years
(4)	Robert T Sapalotte Tennessee	8 October 1876	31 years
(5)	Talitha Hughes & Robert T	11 August 1879	27 years
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
Sennel main Indian  
Koark

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Margret main  
no Indian that I know of

18. Where were they born? Father North Carolina mother Kentucky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father North Carolina  
mother Kentucky

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Elisabeth a Hughes & Robert T	Hughes & Robert T
(2)	Robert T Sapalotte Tenn	Sapalotte
(3)	Talitha Hughes & Robert T	Hughes & Robert T
(4)	Mathewine <del>main</del>	Newcomb Tenn
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Calvin ~~and~~ Samuel Mann  
Margaret Mann from parents Joseph Mann  
Abigail Mann William Hatfield Elizabeth Hatfield

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I have been informed by my father that my  
great great grandmother was a Eastern Cherokee  
Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Catherine Brown.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1907  
Martin Payne  
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 D. B. Wright  
and Mollie Wright, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Catherine Brown  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
her self 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.

D. B. Wright  
Mollie Wright

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

....., 190 ..

Martin Payne  
Notary Public.

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J. L. NICHOLAS  
BLAINE ACUFF  
**NICHOLAS & ACUFF**  
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW  
ROCKWOOD, TENNESSEE

Rockwood, Tenn., July, 26, 1907.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Find enclosed herewith the original applications of Robt. Tilford Main and Catherine Brown and also the supplemental application of Tennessee T. Jordon # 10777.

Please file and acknowledge receipt of same.

Yours truly,

*Nicholas + Acuff.*

B.A.-  
F.R.S.

No. 31095

Action: *Repeat*

Name: *Sarah Burkhardt* and *X* children.

Residence: *Racine, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Amount of \$309.15*

31095

No. 31095-6-7

Name Sarah Burkhardt

With No. 30915

Remarks:

Mary E. Williams

Mary Davis



No. 31095

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

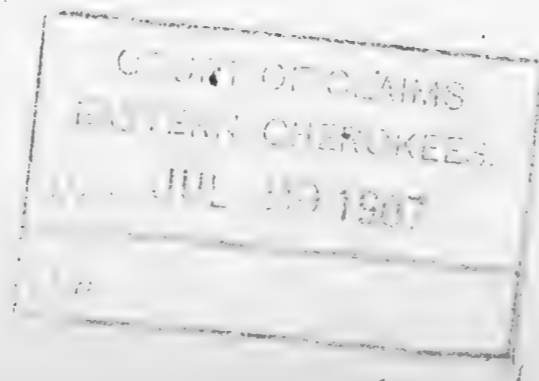
APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Burkhardt*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



31095

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'ray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sarah Querkhart

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Racine

3. County: Newton

4. State: Mississippi

5. How old are you? 76 Born 10 July 1831

6. Where were you born? Sumner

7. Are you married? widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME	AGE	BORN
# 31097	(1) <u>A. K. Graham</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>in 1855</u>
# 31096	(2) <u>Nancy C Daniels</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>1868</u>
	(3) <u>Mary E Williams</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>Jan 31 1870</u>
	(4) _____	_____	_____
	(5) _____	_____	_____
	(6) _____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: William Golden

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Juliska Golden

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Fantha Bragg

12. Where were they born?

Father: Virginia

Mother: don't know

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Newton County Mo

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1878

Mother: about 1870

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Miss Living</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

<u>Ant Reed</u>	<u>Ant Reed</u>

18. Where were they born? Ant Reed

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ant Reed

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)		
(2)		
(3)	<u>✓</u>	<u>✓</u>
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: never knew any other names than those given

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The Claimant is descendant of William Golden who was of Cherokee blood

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness to mark -

Jalop Gibraltar (Signature)

Sarah Bunkhant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July 1907.

Barton Morrow

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 14, 1911, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Wm. G. Harned

and

Wm. G. Harned

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Sarah Bunkhant

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 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 she claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Wm. G. Harned  
Wm. G. Harned

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 19, 1911, 190

Barton Morrow

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. 31096

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Mary E. Williams* and *3* children. Residence: *Racine, Wis.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #30915*

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No. 31096

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

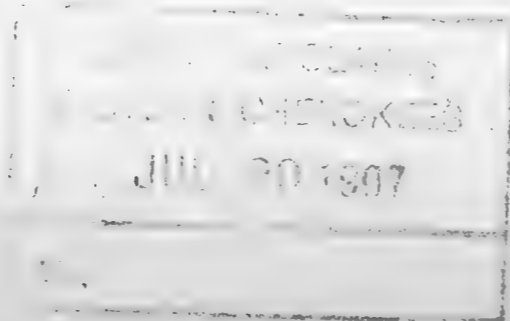
APPLICATION

OF

*May 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.

6-624



31096

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary E Williams

Indian name:         

2. Residence and post office: Racine

3. County: Newton

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 37. Born July 31, 1870

6. Where were you born? Newton Co Mo

7. Are you married? Widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband:         

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?         

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Clair Williams</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(2)	<u>Dary L. Williams</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(3)	<u>Alice C. Williams</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>
(4)	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>
(5)	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>
(6)	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Solomon Burkhead

Indian name:         

Mother—English name: Sarah C. Burkhead

Indian name:         

Maiden name: Sarah C. Golden

12. Where were they born?

Father: Indiana

Mother: Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Newton Co Mo

Mother: Newton Co Mo

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 17. Mch. 1905

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>A R Graham</u> <u>Ant Hill</u>	<u>1855</u>	
(2)	<u>Nancy C Daniels</u> <u>Ravin</u>	<u>1868</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Golden  
Salitha Golden

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Newton Co Mo

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- |                             |                         |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) <u>Mary A Golden</u>    | <u>Mary A Golden</u>    |
| (2) <u>Elizabeth Golden</u> | <u>Elizabeth Golden</u> |
| (3) <u>Peter Golden</u>     | <u>Peter Golden</u>     |
| (4) <u>Margaret Golden</u>  | <u>Margaret Golden</u>  |
| (5) <u>Fanny Golden</u>     | <u>Fanny Golden</u>     |
| (6) <u>Joseph C Golden</u>  | <u>Joseph C Golden</u>  |
| <u>Rebecca Golden</u>       | <u>Lucinda Golden</u>   |
| <u>Martha Golden</u>        | <u>Martha Golden</u>    |
| <u>William H Golden</u>     | <u>William H Golden</u> |
- Handwritten note:* Anna and Mary and Elizabeth and Rebecca and Margaret and Fanny and Joseph and William and Rebecca and Martha and William



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: no names known except given

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The claimant, as descendant of William Golden who was of Cherokee blood (a grand daughter)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary E Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

Barton Johnson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 19, 1911, 190.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. McDaniel

and W. H. McDaniel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary E Williams

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. McDaniel  
W. H. McDaniel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 19, 1911, 190 Barton Johnson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. FEB 17 1910

v. 31096

1913

Racine Wis I-11

Mr. Eugene Miller  
Dear Sir will you  
in order to send me  
the William Godwin  
of the Eastern Church  
man has been signed  
as yet as I am a needy  
William Godwin  
to send me

Yours truly  
Eugene Miller  
1913

No. 31097

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Nancy C. Daniels* and *5* children. Residence: *Paris Mo*

Reasons:

*No income of \$3000*

31097

*T. Daniel*

No. 31097

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Agency*

OF

*Henry C. Daniels*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUL 19 1907  
No.

31097

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Nancy C. Daniels  
Indian name: C
2. Residence and post office: Racine
3. County: Newton
4. State: Minnesota
5. How old are you? 37 Born July 17, 1868
6. Where were you born? Newton Co Mo
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Leander Daniels
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? —
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Arthur Daniels	17 yrs.	1890
(2)	Delmar Daniels	16	1891.
(3)	Jesse F Daniels	14	1893
(4)	Delphia Daniels	6	1901
(5)	Ethel C Daniels	2	1903
(6)	Vernor L. Daniels	1. 10 mos.	1906.

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Solomon Burkhat  
Indian name: —  
Mother—English name: Sarah G. Burkhat  
Indian name: —  
Maiden name: Sarah G. Golden

12. Where were they born?

Father: Underscore  
Mother: Underscore

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Beeton Co Mo

Mother:       

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 7. Nov 1905

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>A R Golden</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>      </u>
	<u>      </u>		
(2)	<u>Mary E Williams</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>      </u>
	<u>Racine Mo</u>		
(3)	<u>      </u>		
(4)	<u>      </u>		
(5)	<u>      </u>		
(6)	<u>      </u>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Golden  
Jabitha (Boggs) Golden

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Beeton Co Mo

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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(1)	<u>Mary M Golden</u>	<u>Mary A Golden</u>
(2)	<u>Elizabeth Golden</u>	<u>Elizabeth Golden</u>
(3)	<u>Peter Golden</u>	<u>Peter Golden</u>
(4)	<u>Marygold Golden</u>	<u>Marygold Golden</u>
(5)	<u>Henry Golden</u>	<u>Henry Golden</u>
(6)	<u>Sarah C Golden</u>	<u>Sarah C Golden</u>
7	<u>Lucinda Golden</u>	<u>Lucinda Golden</u>
8	<u>Mantua Golden</u>	<u>Mantua Golden</u>
9	<u>William H. Golden</u>	<u>William H. Golden</u>

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: no name given  
The claimant as descendant of William Golden who  
was of Cherokee blood (being a Grand Daughter)

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness to Mark  
Joseph H. Triplett (Signature) Nancy C. Daniels  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.  
Barton J. Mowbray Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 19 1911, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. J. McDaniel  
and W. H. McDaniel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Nancy C. Daniels  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. McDaniel  
A. J. McDaniel  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

July 19 1911, 190 Barton J. Mowbray Notary Public.

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No. 31098

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Lama Patton* and children.

Residence: *Baltimore N.C.*

Reasons: *applicant was a slave*

31098

No. 31098:

Reject 2

Name Kaura Patton

With No. ....

Remarks:

Reject - Slaves.  
See letter

Awaiting reply to letter.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF *Tatton*  
*Laura Walter*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Filed by Harry Durauf*  
*Bristol Tenn*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Mrs. O.A. Patton  
Indian name: Laura Walker
2. Residence and post office: Biltmore
3. County: Buncombe
4. State: North Carolina
5. How old are you? 60 Born 1846
6. Where were you born? Asheville, N.C.
7. Are you married? yes. husband dead.
8. Name and age of wife or husband: O.A. Patton dead, 79
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Was not Indian.
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Geo. Patton	43	1864
(2)	Winnie "	40	1867
(3)	Effie "	38	1869
(4)	Laura "	36	1871
(5)	Corrie "	34	1873
(5)	Ollie "	32	1875
(6)	Sam "	30	1877
(6)	Jim "	28	1879

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Abraham Walker, Elvira Smith.

Father—English name: Abraham Walker

Indian name: —

Mother—English name: Elvira Smith Walker

Indian name: —

Maiden name: Elvira Smith

12. Where were they born?

Father: New Orleans

Mother: James River, Virginia.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ashville, N.C.

Mother: Ashville N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1865

Mother: 1892

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
X (1)	Harriet Walker now Harriet Russell	1860	
	Okolona.	about	
(2)	Frank Walker	1858	1892
(3)	Howard Walker	1859	
	Knoxville Tenn		
(4)	Alfred Walker	1840	1900
(5)	Mitchell Walker	1844	1887
(6)	Abram Walker	1855	1895
	Jane Walker	1842	1865

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Grant</u>	<u>Grant</u>

18. Where were they born?

the state of Va. I think

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

James River Virginia.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) I don't know both Grandparents
- (2) from father's side left Chesapeake
- (3) resurrection when children, I
- (4) have been told, about those on
- (5) my mother's side I don't know.
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

As I understand it my father's <sup>father</sup> was a full blooded Chesapeake Indian, I don't know about my father's mother, and my mother's mother was a full blooded Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Wm. H. Judger (Signature) Laura O. Walker her mother

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 1907.

Wm. H. Judger  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 13<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. C. Spears

and

Maurice J. Reynolds

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Laura Walker nee Mrs. O. P.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 60 years and

45 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Spears

M. J. Reynolds

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 13<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

Wm. H. Judger  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 22 1908  
No.



Honno L. Gudger  
Attorney at Law  
Number 33 Patton Avenue  
Asheville, N. C.

Asheville, N. C., May 21, 1908.

Guion Miller, Special Commissioner,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

In answer to your letter of May 4th, 1908 I beg to state in reference to my claim as a descendant of the Cherokee Indians the following facts: First, that my ancestors were slaves, that my father's mother was a slave, of course, that made my father a slave also, as the children of mothers who were slaves were slaves also. Second, that I pass as colored in the community in which I live. Third, if any of my ancestors were parties to the Treaty of 1835-6 and 1846 I know nothing of it. Fourth, I claim under my grand-father whose name was Walker, his first name I do not know.

Fifth, I do not know where my grand-father Walker lived in 1851 and 1835 and that my father did not know, who was the said

Honno L. Gidger  
Attorney at Law  
Number 33 Patton Avenue  
Asheville, N. C.

Asheville, N. C., May 21, 1908.

Walker's son. My father was brought to Asheville a slave in the service of Mr. Tom Patton. My grand-father Walker married a negro slave that made the children by them and their children's children slaves. It is for this reason that it was so difficult for me to get evidence desired. Please advise me of what other evidence may be necessary and I will endeavor to get the same.

Respectfully,

Witness:

Honno L. Gidger

Laura <sup>her</sup> Patton  
Mack

31098

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. MAY 22 1908

Thomas L. Gudger  
Attorney at Law  
Number 33 Patton Avenue  
Asheville, N. C.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollement,  
Washington, D.C.

May 21, 1908.

Sir:

I dictated the enclosed letter of Laura Patton, at her instance in my office on this date and she signed the same after it was explained to her in my presence.

If I may be allowed as her representative to make a statement in the premises, I should say that from the appearance of Laura Patton, and the general reputation in this community of people who have known her since, she was a mere child that she is undoubtedly of Indian decent. I have no reason to doubt any statement she should make. And her evidence about the matter seems to be the only evidence obtainable. The reason I think for her not knowing more about her people is that her grandfather "Walker" was a full blooded Indian that he went to New Orleans and there married a negro slave. It seems to have been the rule that children took the same status as their mother. Hence her father was a slave owned by Mr. Patton.

This condition of servitude existing and the members of the family of Walker being separated because of said condition they no little of their forefathers.

Respectfully submitted,

*Thomas L. Gudger*

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Appln. No. 31998.

May 14, 1908.

Laura Weston,

Baltimore, Md.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Shore fund please state did you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Are any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-3 and 1846? It is clearly to your regret for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund, we give the name of the ancestor through whom you claim, and where that ancestor was living in 1833 and 1846.

Give any other information or evidence leading to establish your claim.

Your civil and military records are appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Wm. A. R. Taylor.

FBI/DO.

No. 31099

Name

William C. Adams

and

—

children.

Action:

Reject

Reasons:

Cousin of #1585.

Residence:

Racine, Mo.

31099

No. 31094-0

Name Wm. C. Adams

With No. 1585-

Remarks:

Wm. C. Adams  
Jesse T. Perry

1<sup>st</sup> Court of 1885

No. 30000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

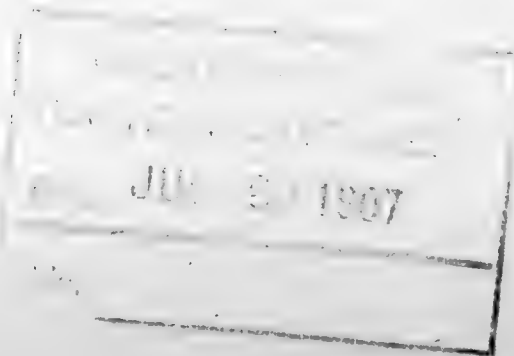
APPLICATION

OF

*William B Adams*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



31094



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William B. Adams

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Racine

3. County: Newton

4. State: Missi

5. How old are you? 58 Born Jan 9 - 1849

6. Where were you born? Newton Co Mo

7. Are you married? widower

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>W. Adams</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Adams

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary M. Golden Adams

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary M. Golden

12. Where were they born?

Father: Sumner

Mother: Ala

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: (Kend)

Mother: Newton Co

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Aut 1877

Mother: no 1877

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)	<u>Mary Henry</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	<u>William Golden</u>
	<u>Jalitha Golden</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Aut Kend

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Mary M Golden
- (2) Elizabeth H Golden
- (3) Peter Golden
- (4) Maryann Golden
- (5) Thomas Golden
- (6) Joseph C Golden
- 7 Lucinda Golden
- 8 Nantha Golden
- 9 William H Golden

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: No names known except as given

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The claimant, as descendant of William Golden who was of Cherokee blood (a broad son)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness to mark  
R. M. Gilchrist (Signature) William C. Adams  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July 1907.  
Barton J. Morris Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 19 1911, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. J. McDaniel  
and W. H. McDaniel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with McAdams who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. J. McDaniel  
W. H. McDaniel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 1907.

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No. 31100

Name *Jessie H. Cherry* and *3* children.

Action: *Reject*

Reasons:

Residence: *Racine, Mo.*

*Cousin of #1585.*

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No. 31100

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION

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*W. William Holden*

31100

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jesse H Cherry  
Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Racine

3. County: Newton

4. State: Wisconsin

5. How old are you? 42 Born Nov. 1865

6. Where were you born? Newton County Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Ella Cherry

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ernest Raymond Cherry</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Feb 5. 1897-</u>
(2)	<u>Bessie Lee Cherry</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Dec 12. 1898</u>
(3)	<u>Jessie Edith Cherry</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Apr 30 1901</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Jesse Cherry      Lucinda (Golden) Cherry

Father—English name: Jesse Cherry

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Lucinda (Golden) Cherry

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Lucinda Golden

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Newton Co Mo

Mother: Newton Co Mo

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 9, 1879

Mother: Jan 4, 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

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	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lessie Graham	38 km - 1864	(Living)
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

~~Samuel~~ Bill Cherry  
Sarah Cherry

William Golden  
Linda Golden

18. Where were they born? Virginia, England

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Newton County Mo

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

1. Mary W Golden
2. Elizabeth H Golden
3. Peter Golden
4. Margaret Golden
5. Emma Golden
6. Sarah C Golden. Buckhart Lucine Mo
7. Lucinda Golden
8. Martha Golden
9. William H Golden

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*[Signature]*

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MOTHER'S SIDE.

<del>Samuel</del> Bill Cherry	William Golden
Laura Cherry	Lurida Golden

Where they born? Virginia, Kentucky

Where they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Newton County Mo

Names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Mary H Golden	dead
William G Golden	dead
John Golden	dead
Mary Ann Golden	dead
(3) Francis Golden	dead
(6) Sarah E Golden	Newton Mo.
7 Lucinda Golden	dead
8 Martha Golden	dead
9 James H Golden	(dead)

Copy of name  
of each

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The Claimant is a grand son of William Golden who was of Cherokee blood

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James H. Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Arthur H. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 14 - 1911 190

AFFIDAVIT.

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and Joseph T. Roberts

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James H. Golden

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

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.

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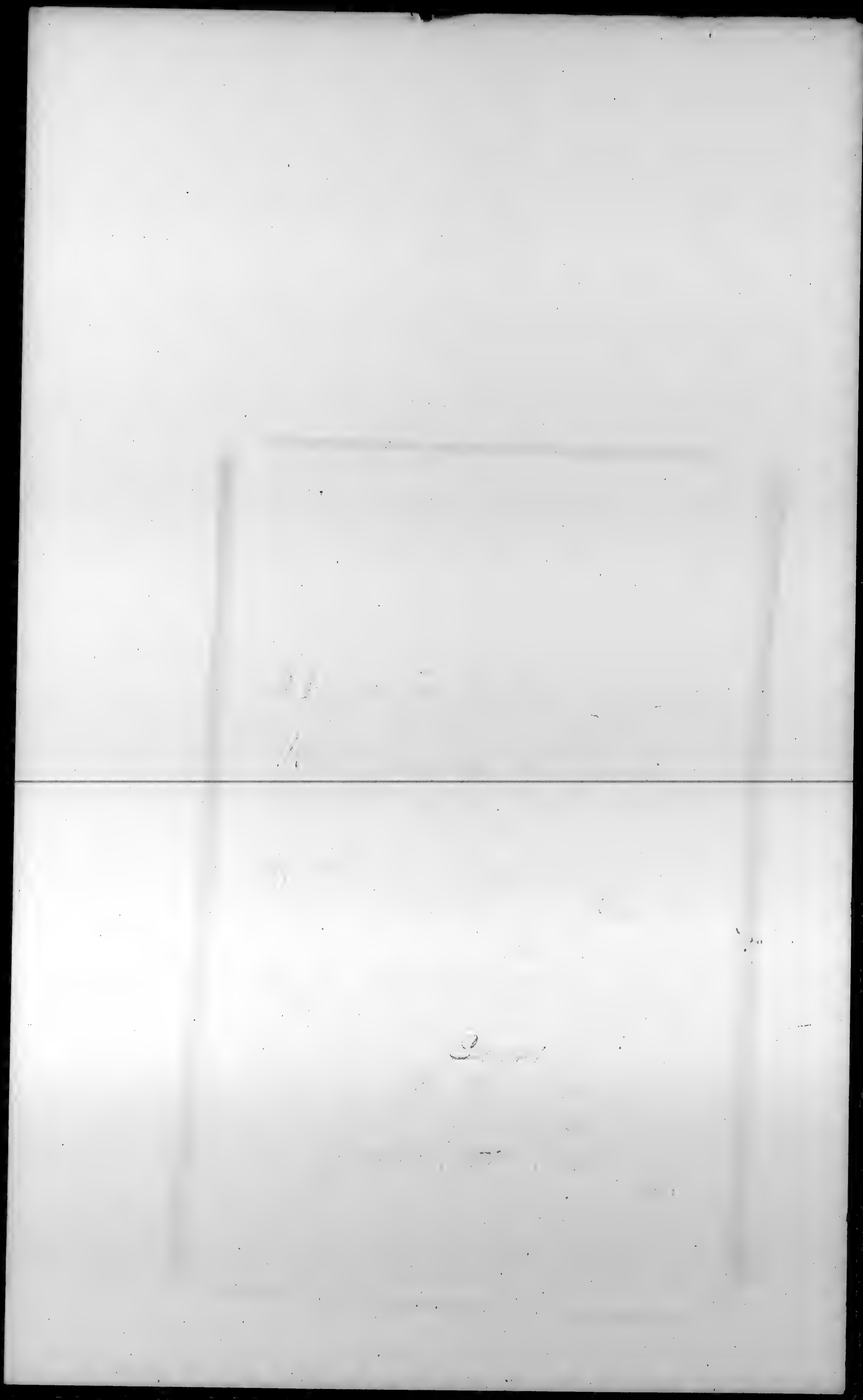
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