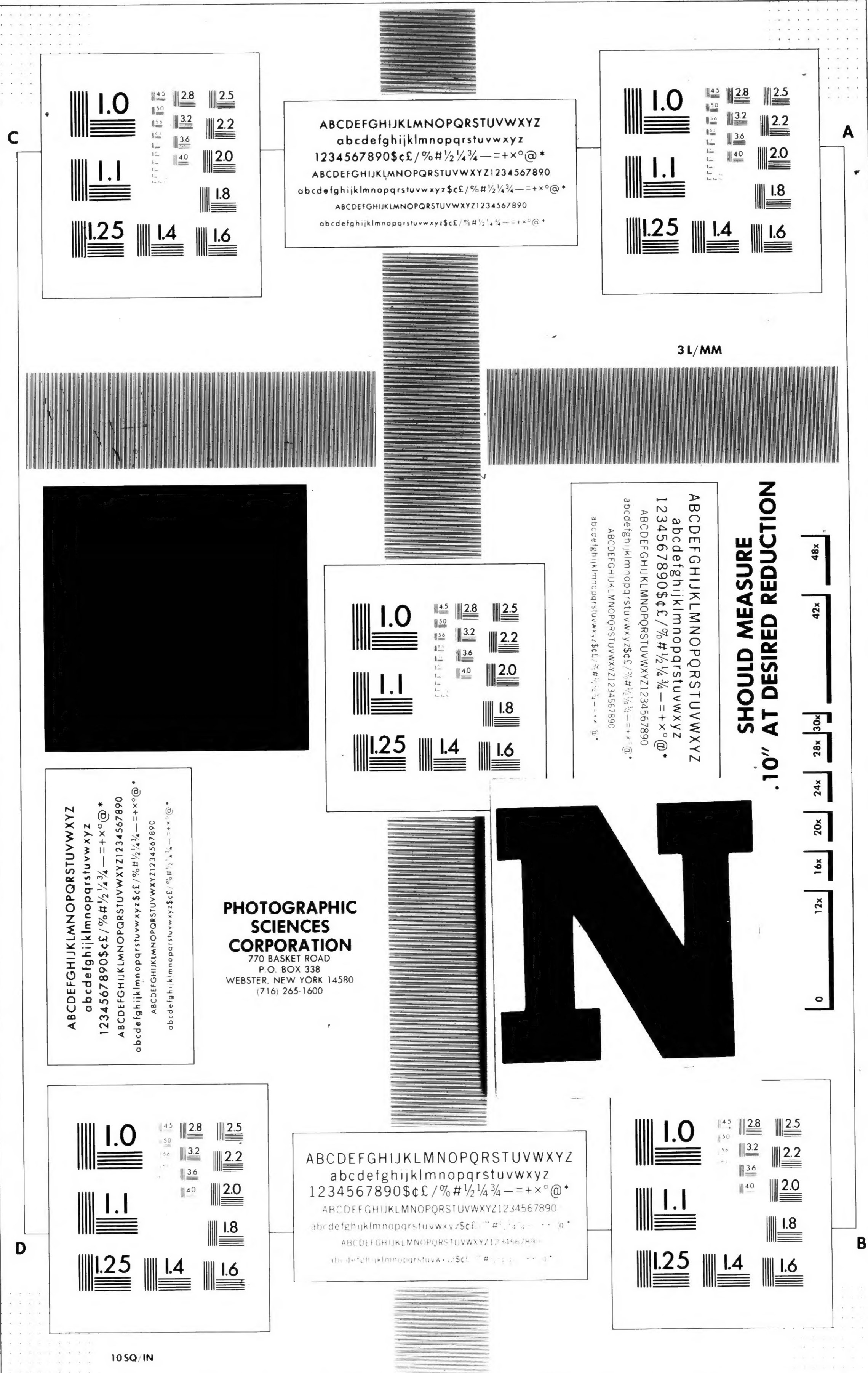


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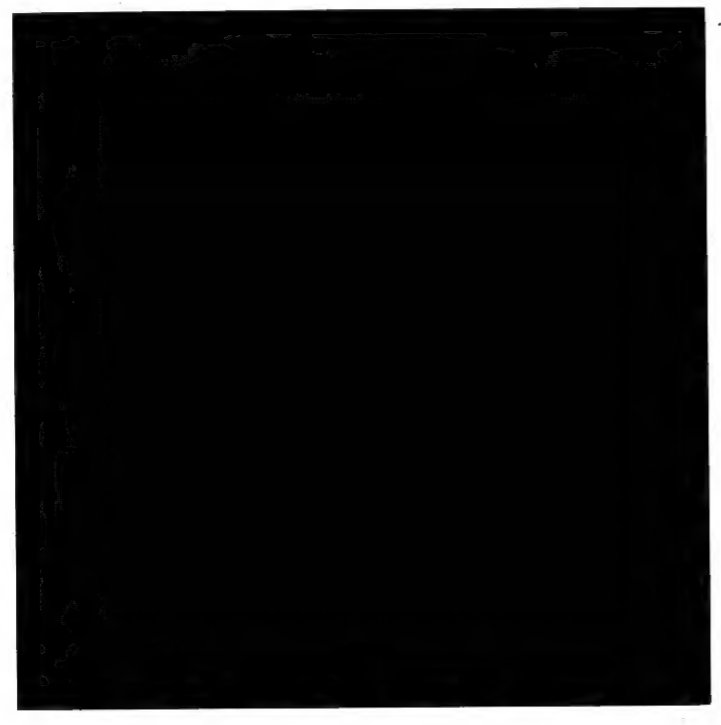
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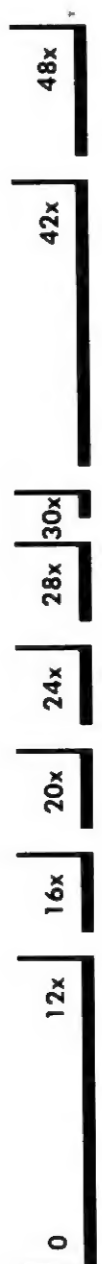
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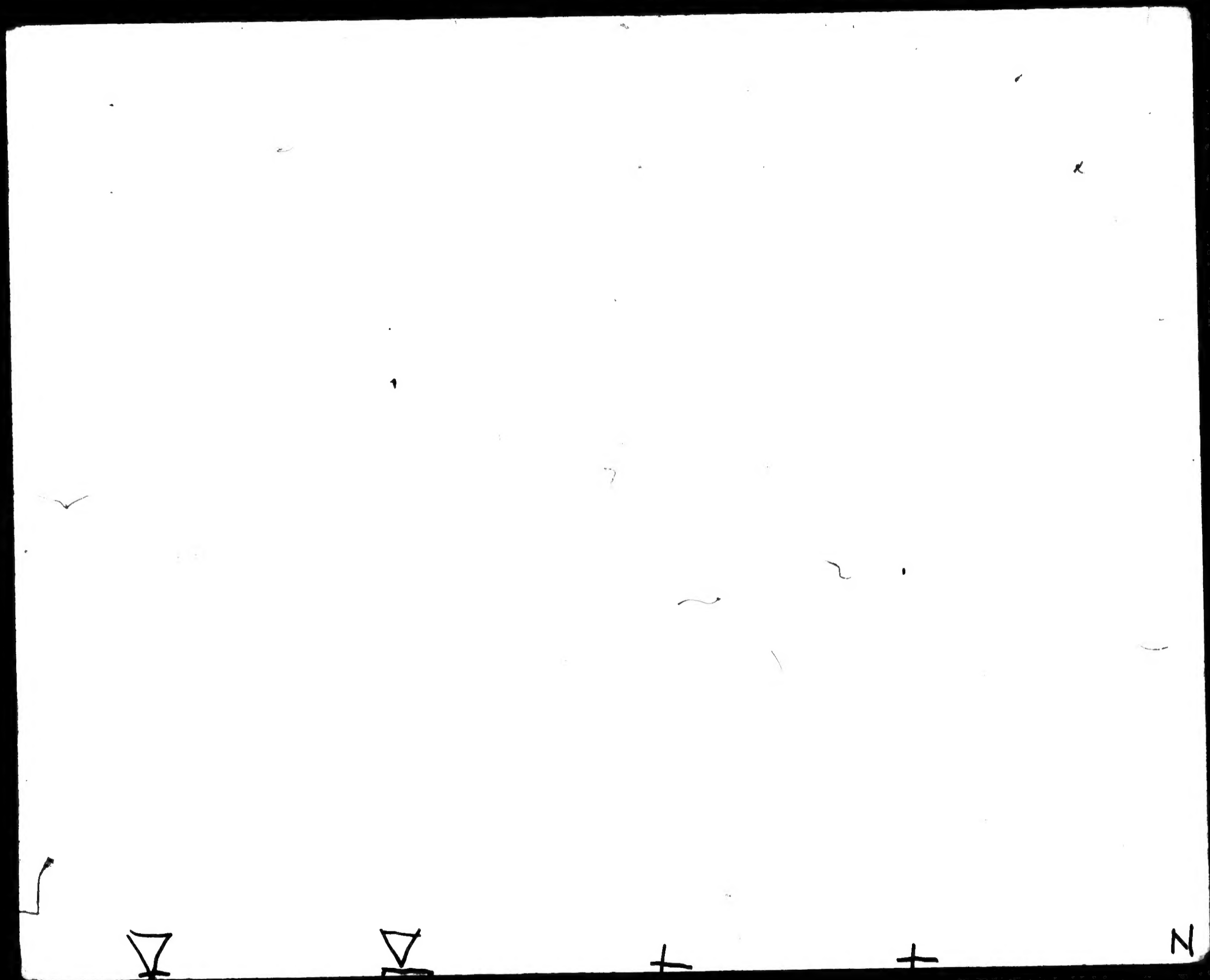
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INTRODUCTION

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

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 Jistine Turner and William D. Grover, who also prepared these introductory remarks.

No. 34401

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Theophales J. Brown* and *4* children. Residence: *Knopville, Tenn.*

Reasons: *Sizimora Case*

No. 22309

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Theophilus J. 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.

**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: Theophilus G. Brown

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Keokuk,

3. County: Iowa

4. State: Iowa

5. How old are you? 46 years

Born Nov. 13, 1861.

6. Where were you born? How Sup, Iowa Clay County, Ky.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elizabeth J. Brown, age 36 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>Roy H. Brown</u>	<u>19 years</u>	<u>Dec. 20, 1887</u>
(2)	<u>James Harry Brown</u>	<u>16 years</u>	<u>Jan 1890</u>
(3)	<u>Carroll C. Brown</u>	<u>13 years</u>	<u>Wid 1893</u>
(4)	<u>Thos. G. Brown</u>	<u>9 years</u>	<u>Apr 1898</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: James James Crawford Brown

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Rebecca J. Brown

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Rebecca J. Vermillion

12. Where were they born?

Father: How Sup, Howkins County, Iowa

Mother: Hillier Springs, Russell County, Va

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

Father: War Sup. Hawkins County, Tenn
Mother: Shakelyville, Scott County, Va.

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 were never enrolled

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

	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>George McCallister and</u> <u>James Brown (deceased)</u> <u>Lees Springs, Tenn and</u> <u>Big Stone Gap, Va</u>	<u>March 12/1864</u>	
(2) <u>John Brown</u> <u>Clinton St. Brown</u>	<u>Dec 9/1865</u>	
(3) <u>Whiteburg Tenn</u> <u>John W. Brown</u>	<u>Oct. 12/1867</u>	
(4) <u>St. Clair, Tenn</u> <u>James W. Brown</u>	<u>Dec. 28/1869</u>	
(5) <u>Whiteburg Tenn</u> <u>James W. Brown</u>	<u>Nov. 23/1874</u>	
(6) <u>Whiteburg Tenn</u> <u>Hiram Brown</u>	<u>Nov. 20/1878</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>Thos C. Brown</u>	<u>Wm Vermillion</u>
<u>Sarah Singerson</u>	<u>Haney Owen</u>

18. Where were they born? On father's side North Carolina, mother's side Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On father's side at War Sup. Tenn, mother's side Scott County, Va.

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

(1) <u>Iredell C. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>John W. Vermillion</u>
(2) <u>Thos C. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>John B. Vermillion</u>
(3) <u>James W. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Augustus Vermillion</u>
(4) <u>Clinton C. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Wm Douglas Vermillion</u>
(5) <u>James F. C. Brown</u>	<u>Mary C. Vermillion</u>
(6) <u>Whiteburg, Tenn.</u>	<u>Sarah C. Vermillion</u>
	<u>Rebecca J. Vermillion</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: J. J. C. Brown, and Rebecca J. Brown; Thomas and Sarah Brown, William and Nancy Pennington

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
Am unable at present to give Indian name of my Cherokee ancestor. Seigemore is the English name.

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

(Signature) Theophilus G. Brown

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

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires April 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 R. J. Hickman
and E. K. Bradford, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Theophilus G. Brown who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

[Signature]
[Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires Apr 1910, 190

[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. 34402

Action:

Rejected

Name

Francis A Brown and 7

children.

Residence:

Rogersville, Tenn.

Reasons:

Simmons Case

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No. 61402

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Francis Hobury 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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**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: Francis Ashbury Brown
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Reynoldsville, Iowa
3. County: Harrison
4. State: Iowa
5. How old are you? 56 years Born May 15, 1851
6. Where were you born? Lee Valley
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Stellie P
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)	Mary E. Brown	25 years	May 11, 1882
(2)	Maudie E. Brown	23 years	April 17, 1884
	Frank C. Brown	21 years	Feb 18, 1886
(3)	Anna Brown	18 years	Apr 15, 1888
	John W. Brown	16 years	Apr 27, 1890
(4)	Russell Brown	11 years	Oct 1, 1895
	Walter Brown	8 years	Feb 7, 1898
(5)	Ralph Brown	6 years	July 10, 1901
	Stellie Brown	3 years	Apr 14, 1903
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Dredell
C. Brown and Mary Ann Brown formerly Hillis

Father—English name: Dredell Campbell Brown
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Mary Ann Brown
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Mary Ann Hillis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Was Sup. Harrison County, Iowa
Mother: Lee Valley, Harrison County, Iowa

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

Father: Lee Valley, Tenn.

Mother: Lee Valley, Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: December 30, 1898

Mother: June 21st, 1887

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.
#34405	(1) Sallie E. Johnston Morganston, Tenn.		
#34404	(2) Susan C. Brown Morganston, Tenn.		
	(3) John W. Brown Morganston, Tenn.		
	(4) Mary A. Brown Morganston, Tenn.		
#34403	(5) Mattie E. Brown Whitesburg, Tenn.		
	(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>Shos E. Brown</u>	<u>James Willis</u>
<u>Sarah Sizemore</u>	<u>Sarah Stephenson</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina, father's side Tenn mother's side

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? War Gap, Tenn. on father's side, Lee Valley, Tenn. on mother's side

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

(1) <u>Drusell C. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Mary A. Willis (decd)</u>
(2) <u>James E. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>J. M. D. Willis (decd)</u>
(3) <u>Charles F. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Annis C. Willis (decd)</u>
(4) <u>William F. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Wm. Willis (decd)</u>
(5) <u>F. E. Brown</u>	<u>Drusell Willis (decd)</u>
(6) <u>Whitesburg, Tenn.</u>	<u>Leah Willis (decd)</u>
	<u>Blackwater, Va (decd)</u>
	<u>Mary Willis (decd)</u>
	<u>John Willis (decd)</u>
	<u>Elizabeth Willis (decd)</u>
	<u>James Willis (decd)</u>
	<u>Nashburn, Tenn.</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: Isidell C. and Mary A. Brown,
Thos E. and Sarah Brown, father's side, James and Sullie
Wells, mother's side

REMARKS.

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

I cannot give the Indian name of
my Cherokee ancestor, Sizemore is the
English name

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

(Signature) F. A. Brown

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

A. D. Bowen
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 8, 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. H. Calkins
and J. R. Cope, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Francis Osborne Brown
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 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.

S. H. Calkins
J. R. Cope

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No. 34403

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Mattie E. Brown* and *X* children.

Residence: *Whitesburg, Tenn*

Reasons:

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No. 34493

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

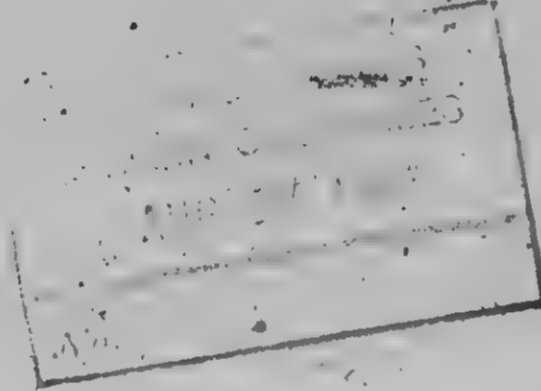
APPLICATION

OF

Mattie E. 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, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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34493

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

SIR:

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1. State full name—
English name: Mattie O. Brown
Indian name: Do not know
2. Residence and post office: Whitesburg
3. County: Sevier
4. State: Tenn
5. How old are you? 47 years Born April 9, 1859
6. Where were you born? See Valley
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: Isidore C. Brown
 Indian name: Do not know
 Mother—English name: Mary A. Brown
 Indian name: _____
 Maiden name: Mary A. Hillie

12. Where were they born?
 Father: War Gap, Hawkins Co, Tenn
 Mother: See Valley Hawkins Co Tenn

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

Father: Lee Valley Hawkins Co Tenn

Mother: Lee Valley Hawkins Co Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 30 1898

Mother: June 21 1887

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 never were

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Jessie E. Johnston	Dec. 2 1844	
	Anna R. Stewart	Nov. 4 1840	
(2)	Argyria L. Beah	Dec. 8 1848	
	Francis A. Brown	May 16 1857	
(3)	John H. Brown	Nov. 15 1852	
	arkin H. Brown	Dec 1 1854	
(4)	Mary A. Carr	Jan 23 1857	
(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>Thos E. Brown</u>	<u>James Hillis</u>
<u>Sarah Sizemore</u>	<u>Jessie Hillis</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On father side Her Gap Tenn and mother side Lee Valley Tenn

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

- (1) Medel L. Brown Dead Mary A. Hillis Dead
 - (2) Jessie Brown Dead Mat Hillis Dead
 - (3) Thomas E. Brown Dead William Hillis Dead
 - (4) Fancy Brown Dead Ferry Hillis Dead
 - (5) Living M. Brown Dead Sam Hillis Dead
 - (6) Clinton A. Brown Dead Elizabeth Hillis Dead
- James J. L. Brown
Whitesburg 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: 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:

Frederic C and Mary A Brown, Samuel Ould Sarah Brown
on father side, on mother James and Sallie Hillier

REMARKS.

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

At this time I am unable to give Indian name
of my Cherokee ancestors. Seymour is the
English name.

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

(Signature)

Mattie O. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of Aug., 1907.

Jas H Beal

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 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

R. S. Rader

and

J. Must

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mattie O. Brown

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signature of Witnesses.

R. S. Rader

J. Must

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

3 day of

August, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1911.

Jas H Beal

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. 34404

Action: Rejected

Name Argyra O'Boil and X children.

Residence: Whitesburg, Tenn.

Reasons:

Sizmore Case

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

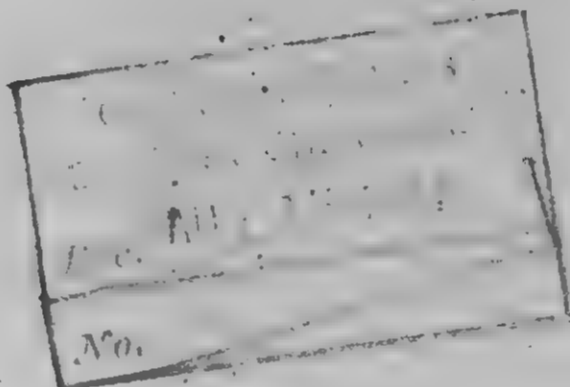
APPLICATION

OF

Wagon L. Deal

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

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Duray 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: Argyria C. Beal

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Whitcomb

3. County: Hamberlin

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 5-9 years Born Dec. 8, 1848

6. Where were you born? Lee Valley

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James H. Beal 5-9 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Does not claim Indian blood

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>I have 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: Fred C. Brown

Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Mary A. Brown

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Mary A. Hillis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Was Gap Hamblin Co Tenn

Mother: Lee Valley, Hamblin Co Tenn

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

Father: See Valley Hawkins Co Tenn
Mother: See Valley Hawkins Co Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. 30 1898
Mother: June 21 1887

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 never were

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sallis E Johnston</u> <u>Rogersville Tenn</u>	<u>Dec. 2 1844</u>	
(2)	<u>Anna P. Stames</u> <u>Morris town Tenn</u>	<u>Nov. 4 1844</u>	
(3)	<u>Francis A. Brown</u> <u>Rogersville Tenn</u>	<u>May 15 1857</u>	
(4)	<u>Francis A. Brown</u> <u>Rogersville Tenn</u>	<u>Nov 15 1857</u>	
(5)	<u>Sarkin H. Brown</u> <u>Morris town Tenn</u>	<u>Dec. 1 1854</u>	
(6)	<u>Mary A. Orr</u> <u>Morris town Tenn</u>	<u>Jan 23 1857</u>	
(6)	<u>Mattie E. Brown</u> <u>Hillsburg Tenn</u>	<u>April 7 1867</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>Thomas E Brown</u>	<u>James Hillis</u>
<u>Sarah Sizemore</u>	<u>Sallis Hillis</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On father's side Harlap Tenn
and mother's side See Valley Tenn

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

(1)	<u>Fredie E Brown Dead</u>	<u>Mary A Hillis Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Jessie Brown Dead</u>	<u>Mat Hillis Dead</u>
(3)	<u>Thomas E Brown Dead</u>	<u>William Hillis Dead</u>
(4)	<u>Faust Brown Dead</u>	<u>Levin Hillis Dead</u>
(5)	<u>Levin M Brown Dead</u>	<u>Sam Hillis Dead</u>
(6)	<u>William Brown Dead</u>	<u>Elizabeth Hillis Dead</u>
	<u>James W. Brown</u>	
	<u>Huntsville Tenn</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:

Isabel L. and Mary A. Brown Thomas and Sarah Brown
on father side, on mother James and Jellie Hillie

REMARKS.

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

At this time I am unable to give Indian name
of my Cherokee ancestor. Benjamin is the
English name.

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

(Signature)

Argyra L. Beal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of Aug, 1907.

Gas H. Beal

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 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

R. S. Rader

and

J. Thrush

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Argyra L. Beal

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 she represents

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. S. Rader

J. Thrush

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

3 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1911.

Gas H. Beal

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. 34405

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Sallie E. Johnston* and *X* children.

Residence: *Rogersville, Tenn*

Reasons:

Sumner Case

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

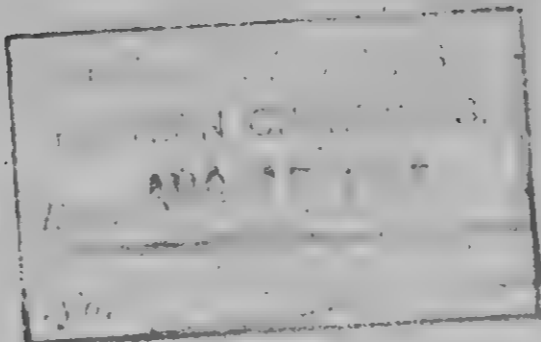
APPLICATION

OF

Sallie E. Johnston

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

6-624



34405

**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: Sallie E. Johnston
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Rogersville
3. County: Haukeins
4. State: Tenn
5. How old are you? 62 years Born Dec. 2, 1844
6. Where were you born? Lee Valley, Tenn
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: James R. Johnston, 65 years old
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? never met claim Indian blood
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Charles C. Johnston</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>Aug. 6, 1870</u>
(2)	<u>Fannie J. Cross</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>Sept. 27, 1871</u>
(3)	<u>Mary J. Duille</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>Feb. 11, 1874</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Iredell C. Mann
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Mary Ann Mann
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Mary Ann Willis

12. Where were they born?
Father: War Exp. Haukeins County, Tenn
Mother: Lee Valley, Haukeins County, Tenn

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

Father: Lee Valley, Tenn

Mother: Lee Valley, Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 30, 1898

Mother: June 21, 1887.

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 never enrolled

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Amos R. Starnes</u>	<u>Nov 6, 1846</u>	
	<u>Morris Tom</u>		
	<u>Joseph C. Paul</u>		
(2)	<u>Whiteburg, Tenn</u>	<u>Dec 8, 1846</u>	
	<u>Henry A. Brown</u>		
	<u>Kingston, Tenn</u>	<u>May 15, 1851</u>	
	<u>John Wesley Brown</u>		
	<u>Kingston, Tenn</u>	<u>Nov 15, 1852</u>	
(3)	<u>Larkin H. Brown</u>		
(4)	<u>Morris Tom</u>	<u>Dec 1, 1854</u>	
	<u>Henry A. Orr</u>		
(5)	<u>Morris Tom</u>	<u>July 23, 1857.</u>	
	<u>Mattie E. Brown</u>		
(6)	<u>Whiteburg, Tenn</u>	<u>April 9, 1859</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>Thos E. Brown</u>	<u>James Miller</u>
<u>Sarah Sizemore</u>	<u>Jillie Starnes</u>

18. Where were they born? Father's side, North Carolina, mother's side Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father's side Lee Valley, Tenn
His wife, Tenn, mother's side Lee Valley, Tenn

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

(1)	<u>Grubbs C. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Henry A. Miller (decd)</u>
	<u>James Brown (decd)</u>	<u>John B. Miller (decd)</u>
(2)	<u>James E. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Amos R. Miller (decd)</u>
	<u>Mary Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Mattie Miller (decd)</u>
(3)	<u>Elizabeth A. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Richard Miller (decd)</u>
	<u>James H. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Elizabeth Miller (decd)</u>
(4)	<u>Mattie E. Brown (decd)</u>	<u>Henry Miller (decd)</u>
	<u>James H. C. Brown</u>	<u>John Miller (decd)</u>
(5)	<u>Whiteburg, Tenn</u>	<u>Elizabeth Miller (decd)</u>
(6)		<u>James Miller (decd)</u>
		<u>Whiteburg, Tenn</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: Dwight C. and Mary A. Brown
Shore C. and Sarah Brown, father's side; James
and Sallie Miller, mother's side

REMARKS.

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

I am unable to give Indian name of my
Cherokee ancestor. Sigensone is the English
name.

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

(Signature) Sallie E. Johnston

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 1907.

L. R. Baker County Court Clerk
Hawkins Co., Tenn. 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 L. L. Poats

and J. E. Shanks, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Sallie E. Johnston

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 33 years and

26 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.

L. L. Poats

J. E. Shanks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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L. R. Baker County Court Clerk
Hawkins Co., Tenn. 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. 34406.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Mrs. Ella Maest. Gray* and *x* children. Residence: *Bull's Gap, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Sister of 32802 and claims through the same source.

No. 34406

Name Ella M Gray

With No. 328021

Remarks:

No. 34406

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Ella Jane Arwman Gray

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

6-624

34406

**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 Mae Newman Gray

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Bulls Gap,

3. County: Hawkins

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 50 years Born _____

6. Where were you born? Jefferson City, Tenn

7. Are you married? No; am a widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Gray

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Claimed no Indian blood

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

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>Have 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: Samuel D. Newman

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Newman

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Mary Ann Blum

12. Where were they born?

Father: Jefferson City, Tennessee

Mother: Jefferson City, Tennessee

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

Father: Jefferson City, Tennessee
 Mother: Jefferson City, Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 24th, 1887,
 Mother: July 5th, 1891,

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 ever enrolled, I do not know it

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mrs Sarah Keel		Oct. 31, 1900
	Conant Stewart		June 20, 1902
	Sham Stewart		Sept 18, 1906
	Mary Lee		Dec 31, 1902
(2)	Mrs Callie P. Buckner		March 16, 1907
	John Stewart		Nov 31, 1904
(3)	Mrs Martha Bible		
	McHawk, Tenn		
(4)	Mrs Anna Stewart		
	Sabbath, Tennessee		
(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>Stewart</u>	<u>Anna Elmore</u>
	<u>"Amu-ah-Mah-Kah"</u>

18. Where were they born? In North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? If living at that time they resided in Jefferson County, Tennessee

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

	NAME	RESIDENCE
Father's, brothers and sisters	(1) Campbell Stewart	Jefferson City, Tennessee
	(2) Mrs. Jane Elmore	" " "
	(3) Mrs. Peggy Gibson	" " "
Mother's, brothers and sisters	(4) William Elmore	Chattanooga, Tennessee
	(5) Lewis Elmore	Jefferson City " "
	(6) Robert Elmore	" " "
	(6) Elizabeth Mendemull	Portland, Oregon

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 was never enrolled for money or other benefits.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Samuel D. and Mary Ann Sturman, and Andrew on father's side

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I claim to be a lineal descendant of John Elmore and wife, Anna, a full blood Cherokee woman whose Indian name was "Anu-ah-Nah-Kah".

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

(Signature Ellen Mc Newman Gray)

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

George S. Mooney
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 16th 2001.

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. Bertha Chesnut

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

that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Ellen Mc Newman Gray

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 8 years and

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

Bertha A. Chesnut

Peter Smith

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

My commission expires

July 10, 2001

George S. Mooney
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. 34406.

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Bullgap, Tenn.
Sept 26. 1907.

Quion Miller.

I noticed in the paper
where you was going
to be in Chattanooga soon.
Will you please let me
know when you will
be there as I want to see
you on business and
I am one of your Indecan
Ladies.

Mrs Ella Gray.

Bullgap,
Tenn.

No. 34407

Action: Rejected

Name: Over M Sizmore and 5 children. Residence: Rogersville, Tenn

Reasons: Sizmore Case

34407

No. 34407

Name Owen M. Sizmore

With No. "B"

Remarks :

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No. 34407

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Owen M. Seymour

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

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34407

**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: Owen M. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Rogersville

3. County: Hooker

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 37 years Born Nov. 1856

6. Where were you born? Hancock County Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary, 30 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong? None as far as I know

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

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>Joseph Sizemore</u>	<u>22 years</u>	
(2)	<u>Lucas Sizemore</u>	<u>20 years</u>	
(3)	<u>Thomas Sizemore</u>	<u>18 years</u>	
(4)	<u>Jesse Sizemore</u>	<u>13 years</u>	
(5)	<u>Arthur Sizemore</u>	<u>10 years</u>	
(6)	<u>William Sizemore</u>	<u>3 years</u>	
(7)	<u>Martha Sizemore</u>	<u>8 months</u>	

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

Father—English name: Thomas W. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Katherine Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Katherine Washburn

12. Where were they born?

Father: See Tenn

Mother: See Va

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

Father: In Kanawh County, Tenn
Mother: In Kanawh County, Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 11th 1901
Mother: Jenny 1869

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)	Wiley Sizemore	1848	
	John Sizemore	1862	
	Josiah Sizemore	1858	
(2)	Mary Sizemore		
	Edison	1860	
(3)	Martha Sizemore	1866	
	Rigamite		
(4)	Ruehail Sizemore		
	Edison	1868	
(5)	Joseph D. Sizemore		
(6)	Edison	1864	

#34408

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 Sizemore	Owen Sizemore
Lydia Sizemore	Don't know

18. Where were they born? In Abertoe Conline

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)	Elizabeth Sizemore Dead	Deane Weston
(2)	Rosa Sizemore Dead	Van, Lee County, Va
(3)	Chloe Sizemore Dead	
(4)	Herb Sizemore Dead	
(5)	Bessie Sizemore Dead	
(6)	Ed Sizemore 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: As

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: Hester B. and Lydia Dyer, Miller's side, George and Lydia Dyer, mother's side, Amos Dyer, Don't know name of wife

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
Don't know Indian name of my Cherokee ancestor, Dyer is the English name.

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

(Signature) O. W. H. Stinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190

L. R. Baker County Clerk
Hawkins Co, Tenn. Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Geo. W. Stout
and L. L. Prato, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Amos M. Dyer who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 36 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.

Geo. W. Stout
L. L. Prato

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190

L. R. Baker County Clerk
Hawkins Co, Tenn. Notary Public.

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No. 34408

Action: Rejected

Name Joseph I. Sizmore and 6 children. Residence: Edson Tenn.

Reasons:

Sizmore Case

No. 34408

Name. Joseph D. Lignere

With No. Lignere A.

Remarks:

No. 34408

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

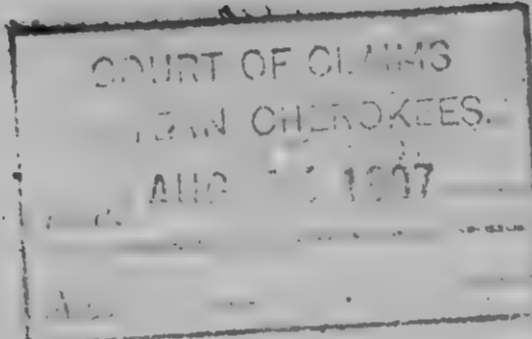
APPLICATION

OF

Joseph D. Sizemore

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

6-624



34408

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: Joseph I. Sigmore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Edson, Tennessee

3. County: Hawkins

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 43 years Born July 17, 1864

6. Where were you born? Near Gap Hawkins County Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife ~~and~~: Hildah Sigmore 41 years

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Abraham L.</u>	<u>17 years</u>	<u>27 Aug 1889</u>
(2)	<u>Florence</u>	<u>16 "</u>	<u>Sept 6 1890</u>
(3)	<u>Lisa</u>	<u>14 "</u>	<u>Sept 16, 1893</u>
(4)	<u>Franklin</u>	<u>12 "</u>	<u>Sept 26, 1895</u>
(5)	<u>Philip H.</u>	<u>9 "</u>	<u>March 6 1898</u>
(6)	<u>Mattie R.</u>	<u>5 "</u>	<u>May 1902</u>
	<u>Joseph A.</u>	<u>5 months old</u>	<u>March 1907</u>

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

Father—English name: Thomas D. Sigmore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Katherine Sigmore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Katherine Whitson

12. Where were they born?

Father: See Tennessee

Mother: See Va

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

Father: In Hancock County Tenn
Mother: In Hancock County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 11, 1901
Mother: January 1869

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>Wiley Sigmon</u> <u>Hancock County Tenn</u>	<u>1848</u>	
(2)	<u>John B. Sigmon</u> <u>Hancock County Tenn</u>	<u>Nov. 5, 1856</u>	
(3)	<u>Mary Sigmon</u> <u>Hancock County Tenn</u>	<u>1860</u>	
(4)	<u>Russell Sigmon</u> <u>Hancock County Tenn</u>	<u>1868</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>George Sigmon</u>	<u>Queen Sigmon</u>
<u>Lydie Sigmon</u>	<u>Went known</u>

18. Where were they born? In North Carolina

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

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

- (1) Elizabeth Sigmon Went known
- (2) John Sigmon Went known
- (3) John B. Sigmon Went known
- (4) Wiley Sigmon Went known
- (5) Russell Sigmon Went known
- (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: on father's side Thos D. and Lydia Sijemore, Emma and Lydia Sijemore, mother's side ~~Thos~~ Owen Sijemore, don't know name of wife

REMARKS.

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

Don't know Indian name of my Cherokee ancestor; Sijemore is the English name

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

(Signature) Joseph S. Sijemore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August 1907.

L. R. Baker County Court Clerk
Hawkins Co, Tenn 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 Geo. W. Stout
and L. L. Poats, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joseph S. Sijemore who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 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.

Geo. W. Stout

L. L. Poats

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

_____, 190

L. R. Baker County Court Clerk
Hawkins Co, Tenn Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 15 1908
No. *34408*

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Orray Building Washington

May the 13 1908

Mr Guian Miller

Dear Sir I send you 2 affidavits
in my Indian claim and
you can examine them and
file them with my claim
And if they are worth anything
I think I thought it was right
to send them my file
No is 34408 your friend

J. A. Signature

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 15 1908
No.

To view copy
Whether my land is this side of the 30th day
March, 1908

Richard Lawson

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 14th day of March, 1908. at
Canton, N.C. 1908.

A. H. Kelly, Justice

my com. expires 1-1-1910

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 15 1908
No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
This 31st day of March 1908.
Stokely Davis
Notary Public
My Com. expires 1911

State of Tennessee Hawkins County

Personally appeared before me

A Notary Public in the aforesaid
County and State John Johnson well made

Oath in due form of Law that he is a
Citizen of Hancock County and State
of Tennessee his Address Being Eyes Ford.

Tenn and is 76 Seventy six years of Age.

And States that he was well acquainted with

George Sizmore and Mrs. Ains well. Acquai

nted with Sam Thomas, B. Sizmore and when

I was a Boy they were called Indians and I

have heard the old Man George Sizmore

Say they were Cherokee Indians and he

showed his face his name and name

showed that he was Indian and I never

heard it described in my life and

can not recall the old Man Thomas

my wife says he was an old

Man then I was well acquainted with his

son John B. Sizmore and his language

which Maria a Zaccaria Minor and

All his wife Personly Acquainted with

Thomas, B. Sizmore says in Grand

of George Sizmore then name being

Deposited in my hands

C. M. Sizemore C. M. Sizemore grand
Sizemore the son of Thomas B. Sizemore
and Grand son of George Sizemore
and is one who is acquainted with
S. H. Minor and know him to be a
great Grand son of George Sizemore
and the heirs of George Sizemore
has always claimed to be a Cherokee
Indian from May first 1832 to this day
to this day.

Witness my hand this the 30th day of
March 1908

John Lawson

Subscribed and Sworn to before me
this the 30th day of March 1908 at
Edison, N. J. 1908.

J. J. Kelly

Notary Public

my Com. expires 1910



State of Tennessee }
Hawkins County }
Personally appeared before me atoke by
Price a notary Public of the afore said
County and State P. Ter. M. Anderson
and made oath in due form of Law that
he is a Citizen of Hancock County and
State of Tennessee his address being Ciddson
Tennessee. K. P. 26. and that he is 74 years
of age and states that he was well acquainted
with George Sizemore and his heirs and
well acquainted with his son Thomas B.
Sizemore. George Sizemore. Son from the
time it was a small boy it was raised
and a neighbor to George Sizemore and
his family they was said to be part Indians
and I have heard them say they were
part Indian I have been acquainted with
George Sizemore and his family for
sixty years and his daughter Mary who
married Nicholas Simpson and all his
children. P. minor is his grand son
and Thomas B. Sizemore. Heirs was Wiley
Sizemore. Curran Sizemore. Joseph S. Sizemore.
John Sizemore. C. M. Sizemore.
Martha Sizemore. now Presley and many
Sizemore now minor Sarah Sizemore. now
Stephens and Rachael Sizemore. now Roberts

and ~~Curren~~, M. Sizemore Heirs is
Thomas Sizemore and William Sizemore
~~Witness~~ hand this the 31st day of
march 1908

~~John M. Anderson~~

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this the 31st day of march 1908.

Stokely Puel

notary public

My Com. expires 1910

COUNT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
Rec. MAY 15 1908	
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No. 34409

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Sarah E. Gillenwaters* and *4* children. Residence: *Rogersville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Lizimor Case

Rejected

No. 34409-19.

Name.....

With No. "A" pigeon.

Remarks :

Sarah E. Gilmanwater
Nancy L. Brown
Luther F.
Owen W. Jr.
Sam H. Edison.

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No. 31109

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah E. Gillenwater

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

6-524

34402

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

nd

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the 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. Gillenwaters

Indian name: Duit Kew

2. Residence and post office: Rogersville, Tenn.

3. County: Hawkins

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 44 years Born April 11th, 1863

6. Where were you born? Harbors, Hawkins County, Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: O. K. Gillenwaters, 56 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Does not claim Indian blood

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Hannie Pearl	16 years	June 26, 1891
(2)	Mary Almer	14 "	March 20, 1893
(3)	Emile Kathleen	12 "	Dec 3, 1894
(4)	Earnest Orville	8 "	Oct 31, 1898
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Owen M. Brown

Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Nancy R. Brown # 34410

Indian name:

Maiden name: Nancy R. Holman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Harbors, Hawkins County, Tennessee

Mother: Pattenville, Scott County, Tenn.

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

Father: Nor Gap, Hawkins County, Tennessee

Mother: Pattersonville, Scott County, Va

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: September 28, 1886

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: They were never enrolled for money, land, annuities or other benefits

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
#34411 - (1)	Luther J. Brown	Aug 26, 1857	
	Rogersville, Tenn		
(2)	Rebecca P. Brown	Oct. 24 th , 1860	1875
#34412 - (3)	Owen M. Brown	March 20, 1871	
	Bristol, Tenn		
(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>Thos. B. Brown</u>	<u>Osasa Falkner</u>
<u>Carole Sizemore</u>	<u>Berale Ellis</u>

18. Where were they born? In North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On father's side at Nor Gap, Tenn, mother's side at Pattersonville, Va

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

(1) <u>Dredell C. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Elizabeth Falkner (Dead)</u>
(2) <u>Thos B. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Rebecca Falkner (Dead)</u>
(3) <u>John M. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Francis Falkner (Dead)</u>
(4) <u>John J. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Fancy R. Falkner</u>
(5) <u>William A. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Rogersville, Tennessee</u>
(6) <u>Robert C. Brown</u>	<u>Martha C. Falkner</u>
<u>Whitesburg, Tennessee</u>	<u>Blairton, Va.</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: Owen M. and Mary L. Brown
Thos. P. and Sarah Brown on father's side, on mother's
side. ~~John~~ Isaac and Sarah Frankner.

REMARKS.

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

At this time I am unable to give an
Indian name of my Cherokee ancestor. Benjamin
is the English name

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

(Signature) Sarah E. Gillenwaters

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 1907.

L. R. Baker County Court Clerk
Hawkins Co., Tenn. 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 L. L. Poats

and J. E. Shanks, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Sarah E. Gillenwaters

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.

L. L. Poats

J. E. Shanks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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L. R. Baker County Court Clerk
Hawkins Co., Tenn. Notary Public.

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No. 34410

Action: Rejected

Name Nancy L. Brown and X children.

Residence: Rogersville, Tenn

Reasons:

Lizemore Case

34410

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Hancy 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, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

OFFICE

**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: Fancy Louisa Brown
Indian name: Doit know

2. Residence and post office: Rogersville, Tennessee

3. County: Hawkins

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 70 years Born July 12th 1837

6. Where were you born? Pattonville, Scott County, Va.

7. Are you married? No, am a widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: My husband was named Owen M. Brown

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
# 34,411 (1)	Ruthert J. Brown	49 years	Aug. 26, 1857
34,409 (2)	Sarah E. Brown	44 "	April 11, 1863
34,412 (3)	Owen M. Brown, Jr.	36 "	March 20, 1871
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Isaac Falkner

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Sarah Falkner

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Sarah Ellis

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

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

Father: At. Duttonville, Scott County, Va
Mother: Has died

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1870
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)	<u>Elizabeth Fulkner</u>		
	<u>Rebecca Fulkner</u>		
(2)	<u>Francis Fulkner</u>		<u>1857</u>
(3)	<u>North E. Fulkner</u>	<u>July 19, 1899</u>	
	<u>Blington, Va.</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

Ethelbridge Ellis
Elizabeth Ellis

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

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

Grand father resided in North Carolina

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

- (1) Cannot give names or residences
- (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 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: My maternal grand father was named Etheldridge Ellis, grand mother Elizabeth Ellis, Do not know names of father's parents

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I claim share of Cherokee fund as widow of Owen
Mr Brown, who was of Cherokee descent, but I can
not give Indian name of his ancestors. Sig-
ned was by English name

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

(Signature) Nancy J Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 1907.

L. R. Baker County Court clerk
Hawkins Co., Tenn. 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 L. L. Poats
and J. E. Shanks, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Nancy Louisa Brown
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. L. Poats
J. E. Shanks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190

L. R. Baker County Court clerk
Hawkins Co., Tenn. 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.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

30, 1906 or may have died since that time.

This fund can only be paid to parties who were living on May 31, 1886, that your claim may be further considered.

any other than your deceased husband, please advise this office.

If you make claim to participate in your own right or through

you should have been enrolled at that time.

at the time of the partial payment made in 1851-2, in which case

fund unless you yourself were a duly recognized Cherokee Indian.

which being the case you would have no right to participate in this

appears that your husband, Owen M. Brown, died in September 1886,

descent. From the application of your son, Luther F. Brown, it

Cherokee fund as a widow of Owen M. Brown who was of Cherokee

of the Eastern Cherokees, you state that you claim a share of the

the fund arising from the judgment of the court of claims in favor

Relative to your application No. 24410 for participation in

Madam:-

Nancy Louise Brown,
Rogersville, Tenn.

App. No. 24410

January 6, 1908.

App. No. 34410

January 6, 1908.

Nancy Louisa Brown,
Rogersville, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application No. 34410 for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you state that you claim a share of the Cherokee fund as a widow of Owen M. Brown who was of Cherokee descent. From the application of your son, Luther F. Brown, it appears that your husband, Owen M. Brown, died in September 1886, which being the case you would have no right to participate in this fund unless you yourself were a duly recognized Cherokee Indian at the time of the partial payment made in 1851-2, in which case you should have been enrolled at that time.

If you make claim to participate in your own right or through any other than your deceased husband, please advise this office at once, that your claim may be further considered.

This fund can only be paid to parties who were living on May 30, 1906 or may have died since that time.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

JET/LJC

No. 34411

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Luther F. Brown* and *5* children.

Residence: *Rogersville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Syrmore Case

34411

No. 34411

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Luther J. 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, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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: Luther Falkner Brown
Indian name: Do not know
2. Residence and post office: Rogersville, Tennessee,
Hankins
3. County: _____
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 49 years Born Aug. 26th 1857.
6. Where were you born? War Laps, Hankins Co., Tenn
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife ~~or~~ husband: Jennie Brown, 48 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~she~~ she belong? Does not claim Indian blood
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Mary Maud	20 years	Dec. 16 th 1886
(2)	Willie Ruthen	19 "	June 14 th 1888
(3)	Oscar Reed	15 "	Aug 2 nd 1891.
(4)	Samuel Gault	10 "	April 19 th 1897.
(5)	Fyler Rupert	7 "	Oct. 17 th 1899.
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Owen M. Brown
Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Stacey L. Brown
Indian name: Do not know
Maiden name: Stacey L. Falkner.

12. Where were they born?

Father: War Laps, Hankins County, Tennessee
Mother: Duttonville, Scott County, Va.

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

Father: Mar Gaps, Hawkins County, Tennessee
Mother: Duttonville, Scott County, Va.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept. 28th 1886.
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: They were never enrolled for money, land, annuities or other benefits.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Rebecca P.</u> <u>Rogersville, Tenn</u>	<u>Oct 24, 1860</u>	<u>1893-</u>
(2)	<u>Sarah E.</u> <u>Rogersville, Tenn</u>	<u>April 11th 1863</u>	
(3)	<u>Owen M. Brown Jr.</u> <u>Bristol, Tennessee</u>	<u>March 20th 1871</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>Thos E. Brown</u>	<u>Isaac Falkner</u>
<u>Sarah Sizemore</u>	<u>Sarah Ellis</u>

18. Where were they born? In North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On father's side at Mar Gaps, Tenn, mother's side at Duttonville, Va

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

(1) <u>Isabelle C. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Elizabeth Falkner (Dead)</u>
(2) <u>James Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Rebecca Falkner (Dead)</u>
(3) <u>James Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Frances Falkner (Dead)</u>
(4) <u>Owen M. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Harvey L. Falkner</u>
(5) <u>Clinton B. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Rogersville, Tennessee</u>
(6) <u>James J. C. Brown</u>	<u>Madhate, Falkner</u>
	<u>Abingdon, Va.</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:

Queen M. and Nancy R. Brown, Thos. O. and Sarah Brown,
on father's side, on mother's side Isaac and Sotash Feltner

REMARKS.

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

At this time I am unable to give Indian
name of my Cherokee ancestors. Give more to
the English name.

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

(Signature) Luther J. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 1907.

L. R. Baker County Court clerk
Hawkins Co. Tenn.
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 L. L. Poats

and L. E. Shanks, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Luther J. Brown

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. L. Poats
L. E. Shanks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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L. R. Baker County Court clerk
Hawkins Co. Tenn.
Notary Public.

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No. 34412

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Quen M. Brown Jr.* and 1 children.

Residence: *Bristol, Tenn*

Reasons:

Siemore Case

34412

No. 3442

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

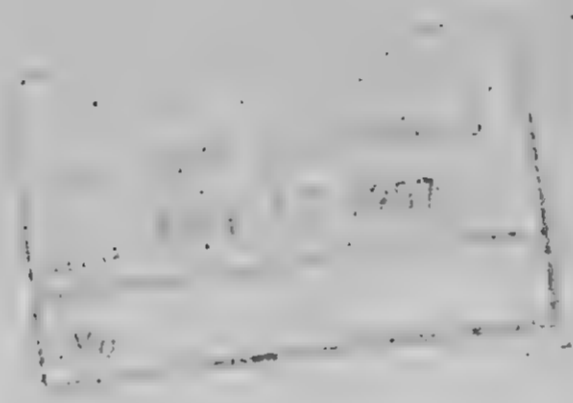
APPLICATION

OF

Owen M. Brown, 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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7.14.12

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: Owen M. Brown

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Bristol, Tenn

3. County: Sullivan

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 36 years Born March 20, 1871

6. Where were you born? War Exp. Hawkins County, Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Kathleen M. Brown 32 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 Lucile Brown</u>	<u>11 years</u>	<u>July 21st 1896</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 M. Brown

Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Fancy R. Brown

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Fancy R. Falkner

12. Where were they born?

Father: War Exp. Hawkins County, Tennessee

Mother: Nathansville, Scott County, Va.

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

Father: War Gap, Hawkins County, Tennessee
Mother: Pattersonville, Scott County, Va.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept 28, 1886
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: They were never enrolled

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Luther F. Rogersville, Tenn	Aug 26, 1857	
(2)	Reuben P. Rogersville, Tenn	Oct 24, 1860	1895-
(3)	Sarah E. Rogersville, Tenn	April 11, 1863	
(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
Thos E. Brown	Isaac Falkner
Sarah Sigmund	Sarah Ellis

18. Where were they born? In North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On father's side at War Gap, Tenn, mother's side, Pattersonville, Va.

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

(1) <u>Iredell C. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Elizabeth Falkner (Dead)</u>
(2) <u>John E. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Rebecca Falkner (Dead)</u>
(3) <u>Lucy M. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Franklin Falkner (Dead)</u>
(4) <u>Clinton H. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Stacey R. Falkner</u>
(5) <u>Walter G. Brown (Dead)</u>	<u>Rogersville, Tenn</u>
(6) <u>James F. C. Brown</u>	<u>Walter E. Falkner,</u>
<u>Wintersburg, Tenn</u>	<u>Abingdon, Va</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:
Owen M. and Nancy L. Brown, Thos. E. and Sarah Brown
on father's side, on mother's side, Deane and Sarah Falkner

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
At time I am unable to give Indian name
of my Cherokee ancestors. Surname is
the English name.

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

(Signature) Owen M. Brown

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

Jas. P. Rader
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 6th, 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 D. B. Mullins
and W. J. Fickel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Owen M. Brown, Jr.
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.

D. B. Mullins
W. J. Fickel

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

My commission expires January 6th, 1911. Jas. P. Rader
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. 34413

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Sam H. Eidson* and *5* children. Residence: *Eidson, Tenn*

Reasons: *Lizimore Case*

34413

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sam. N. Wilson

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 27 1907

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**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: Samuel H. Eilson

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Eilson, Tenn

3. County: Hawkins County,

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 44 years Born May 31st 1863

6. Where were you born? Eilson, Hawkins County, Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Eve R. Eilson

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)	Charles P. Eilson	20 years	
(2)	Joseph P. Eilson	16 years	
(3)	Sam H. Eilson Jr	13 years	
(4)	Evulim Eilson	5 years	
(5)	Dana M. Eilson	1 year	
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Samuel Eilson

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Eilson

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Brown

12. Where were they born?

Father: Eilson, Tenn

Mother: Eilson, Tenn

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

Father: Eidson, Tenn

Mother: Eidson, Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 6, 1885

Mother: July 5, 1884

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)	Joseph R. Eidson	50 years	
	Sally Eidson	54 years	
(2)	Matilda Klepper	62 years	
	Quinnville, Texas		
(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 Eidson	Geo. C. Brown
Patsy Eidson	Sarah Eidson

18. Where were they born? Grandfather in Va, & mother Hawkins Co. Tenn

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

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Father's side

Father's side	Mother's side
(1) Lark Eidson (Dead)	Irwell C. Brown (Dead)
(2) Glenn Eidson (Dead)	John Brown (Dead)
(3) M. Eidson	Geo. C. Brown (Dead)
(4) Martha Hunter	David W. Brown (Dead)
(5)	Sarah J. Brown (Dead)
(6)	Clinton W. Brown (Dead)
	Matilda K. Brown (Dead)
	James F. C. Brown
	Whitesburg, 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: 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: Sam and Nancy Aidson, on father's side, Wm and Patsy Aidson, on mother's side Thos E. and Sarah Brown

REMARKS.

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

Am unable at present to give Indian name of my Cherokee ancestors. Sigmore is the English name.

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

(Signature) J. H. Aidson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Aug. 1907.

A. G. Bowen
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 8, 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 J. R. Sanders
and Walter Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sam H. Aidson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 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. R. Sanders
Walter Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires Oct 8, 1910.

A. G. Bowen
Notary Public.

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App. No. 34413.

August 30, 1907.

Samuel H. Eidson,
Eidson, Tennessee.

Sir:

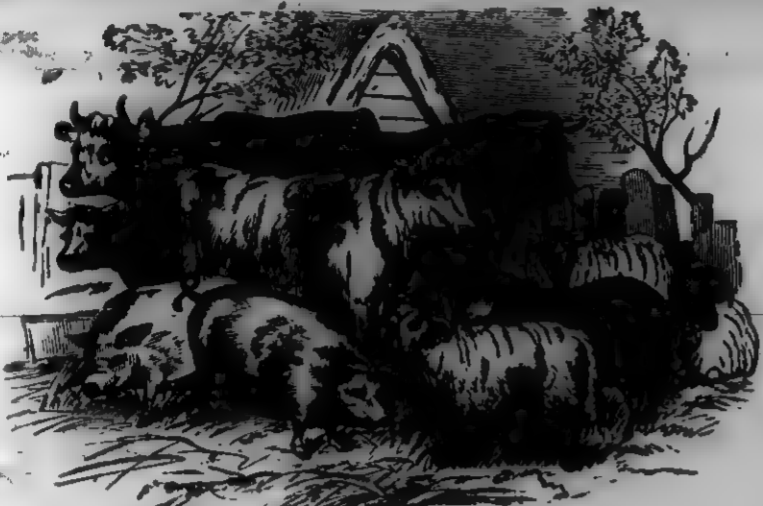
Kindly inform this Office at once the exact date of the
birth of your minor child, Dana H. Eidson.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 5 1907
No. 74413



S. H. EIDSON
 Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
ALL KINDS OF LIVE STOCK

Reference:
 CITIZENS BANK, Rogersville, Tenn.
 or any one who knows me.

STOCK CATTLE AND STOCK SHEEP
 a Specialty

R. R. STATION, ROGERSVILLE, TENN.

Eidson, Tenn. *Sept. 3* 1907

*Special Commissioner of Court of Claims,
 Washington, D.C.*

*Dear sir;
 Yours rec'd asking date of
 Daria M. Eidson's birth in App.
 No. 34413.*

He was born March, 27, 1906.

*Yours truly,
 S. H. Eidson*

S.H.

No. 34414

Action: Rejected

Name Henry J. Sater and 2 children.

Residence: Sheridan, W. Va.

Reasons:

Suzmore Case

34414

No. 34414-7.

Name.....

With No. X Reservoir

Remarks: "C"

Henry J. Saiter
Herbert E.
Dobson B.
Annie Zappin

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No. 34414

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

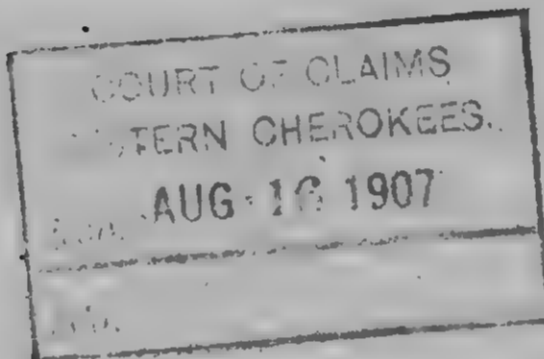
APPLICATION

OF

Henry J. Scites

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



Brandenburg & Brandenburg

Attys. General Bldg

City

W. Va.

**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: Henry J. Scites

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Sheridan

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: W. Va

5. How old are you? 26 Born 1881

6. Where were you born? W. Va

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nona, May Scites

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>Ida May Scites</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(2)	<u>James V. Scites</u>	<u>3</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: James D. Scites

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy C. Scites

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy C. Sizemore

12. Where were they born?

Father: W. Va

Mother: W. Va

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

Father: W. Va

Mother: W. Va

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: None

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
#34417(1)	Anna Yappins	1876	
#34415-	Wilhelm E. Scites	1877	
#34416(2)	Deliver B. Scites	1884	
(3)	Rhoda Scites	1890	
(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 Scites	Susan Ponten
Owen Sizemore	Rhoda Sizemore

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: 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) Henry J. Scites

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

J. C. Dammron
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Never during of life, 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 Tolbert McComas

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

that they are well acquainted with Henry J. Scites

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and

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

himself to be, and that the statements made by me 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.

Tolbert McComas

Spencer Midkiff

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

My commission expires

Never during of life, 190 .

J. C. Dammron
Notary Public.

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No. 34415

Action: Rejected

Name Wilburn E. Sites and 1 children. Residence: Saltrick, N. Va.

Reasons:

Suzanne Case

34415

34415

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wilburn E. Scites

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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.
Recd. AUG -13 1907
No.

*Brandenburg & Brandenburg
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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: Wilburn E. Scites

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Saltrock

3. County: Coahull

4. State: Mo

5. How old are you? 29

Born 1877

6. Where were you born? Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Bill Scites age 22

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>Pangie Scites</u>	<u>3</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: James D. Scites

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy C. Scites

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy C. Sizemore

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mo

Mother: Mo

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

Father: Wva

Mother: Wva

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: _____

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Anna Tappins</u>	<u>1876</u>	_____
	<u>Henry J. Scites</u>	<u>1881</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Loliah B. Scites</u>	<u>1884</u>	_____
	<u>Rhoda Scites</u>	<u>1890</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>Owen Sizemore</u>	<u>Rhoda Boldan</u>
<u>John Scites</u>	<u>Susan Porter</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Wva

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

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: 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) Wilbur E. Scites

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

D. C. Dannon
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Never During of Life, 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 Albert McComas
and Spencer Midkiff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Wilbur E. Scites who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by me are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Albert McComas
Spencer Midkiff

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

My commission expires
Never During of Life, 190 D. C. Dannon
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. DEC 8 1909
No. 34415

12/6/09

Salt Rock

W Va

Mr Union Miller

Will you please give
me some information
about eastern Cherokee settle-
ment

yours Truly

J. P. Scitzer

EP Siaman applicant

App. #34415,

December 8, 1909.

W. E. Scites,
Salt Rock,
West Virginia.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of December 6, 1909, you are advised that the time for filing exceptions to my report has expired, but it will probably be some time before the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

No. 34416

Action: Rejected

Name Oliver B. Lites and X children. Residence: Sheridan, W. Va.

Reasons:

Suzmar Case

a

No. 34416

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Robert B. Scites

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 19, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 15 1907
Rec.
No.

*Brandenburg & Brandenburg
Attys Fundall Bldg
White City.*

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:

Daliver B. Scites

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Sheridan

3. County:

Lincoln

4. State:

W. Va

5. How old are you?

22

Born

1884

6. Where were you born?

W. Va

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Paralee Scites

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:

James D. Scites

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Nancy C. Scites

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Nancy C. Simpson

12. Where were they born?

Father:

W. Va

Mother:

W. Va

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

Father: W. Va

Mother: W. Va

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: None

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Anna Tappin</u>	<u>1876</u>	_____
	<u>Wilbur E. Scites</u>	<u>1877</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Henry J. Scites</u>	<u>1881</u>	_____
	<u>Rhoda Scites</u>	<u>1890</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>Owen Sizemore</u>	<u>Rhoda Baldan</u>
<u>John Scites</u>	<u>Susan Porter</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: _____

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) Daliver B. Scites

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

J. C. Dannon
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Never During of Life, 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 Albert McComas

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

that they are well acquainted with Daliver B. Scites

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Albert McComas

Spencer McKiff

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

My commission expires

never During of Life, 190 . J. C. Dannon
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. 34417

Action: Rejected

Name Annie Tappin and 5 children. Residence: Sheridan, W. Va.

Reasons:

Seizure Case

a

No. 34417

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Arnie Toppins

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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.
AUG 16 1907

Brandenburg
Attorney
Fundall Bldg
City

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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 Toppins

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Sheridan

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: W. Va

5. How old are you? 31 Born 1876

6. Where were you born? W. Va

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Singy Toppins age 32

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>Scuseo Toppins</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1898</u>
(2)	<u>Dortha Toppins</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1899</u>
(3)	<u>Lucie Toppins</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(4)	<u>Olie Toppins</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(5)	<u>Haskell Toppins</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1906</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: James D. Scites

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy C. Scites

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy C. Sizemore

12. Where were they born?

Father: W. Va

Mother: W. Va

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

Father: Wva

Mother: Wva

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: None

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Wilhelm E. Scites</u>	<u>1877</u>	_____
	<u>Henry J. Scites</u>	<u>1881</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Daliver B. Scites</u>	<u>1884</u>	_____
	<u>Rhoda Scites</u>	<u>1890</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>Owen Sizemore</u>	<u>Rhoda Baldan</u>
<u>John Scites</u>	<u>Susan Porter</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: _____

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) Annie Toppins

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

J. C. Damon
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Never During of Life, 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 Spencer Midkiff
and Charley Midkiff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Anna Toppins
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 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 me 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.

Spencer Midkiff
Charley Midkiff

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

My commission expires

Never During of Life, 190 J. C. Damon
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. SEP 5 1907

No. 34417

File

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,

WASHINGTON, D. C. August 30, 1907.

App. No. 34417.

Anna Toppins,
Sheridan, West Virginia.

Madam:

Please notify this Office at once as to the exact date of
the birth of your child, Haskel Toppins.

Very respectfully,

Guinn Miller

Special Commissioner,
per spec.

WEA

*Haskel Toppins was
Born January 24th 1906.
Anna Toppins*

No. 34418.

Action: Reject

Name Mary W. Bell and 6 children. Residence: Range, Ala.

Reasons:

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

34418

No. 34418

Name Mary M Bell.

With No. Ala

Remarks: Conch Co.

Field, Ala. 9

No. 34418 Conclude

Name Mary M. Bell

With No.

Remarks:

No file

Arrested not
on rolls

No. 34418
Name Mary M Bell.
With No. Ala
Remarks: Conner Co.

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Mary Ann
2nd Field box
Field - Apple

Field No. 34418

34418 Circumference

Name Mary M. Bell

With No.

Remarks:

Low field

Circumference not
on rolls,

No. 34418

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary M. Beef

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 13 1907
No.

81478

**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 M Bell
Indian name: Cheroes

2. Residence and post office: Range

3. County: Leonard

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 37- Born Nov 15th 1867

6. Where were you born? Escomb Co Ala

7. Are you married? no (widow)

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Dead

9. To what tribe of Indians ^{did} does he or she belong? Cheroes

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	James J Bell	20 yrs	May 14 th 1884
(2)	Garden H Bell	18 "	July 27-1889
(3)	James F Bell	16	Nov 11 th 1891
(4)	Lily M Bell	-	Dead
(5)	Mamie A Bell	12 -	Apr 16 th 1895
	Cory N. Bell	9	Feb 7 th 1898
(6)	Hope N Bell	7	Nov 19-1900

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

Father—English name: James Johnson

Indian name: (Cheroes)

Mother—English name: Betsy Johnson

Indian name: (Cheroes)

Maiden name: Betsy Coon

12. Where were they born?

Father: Monroe County Ala

Mother: Escomb County Ala

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

Father: Monroe County Ala
Mother: Escombria County Ala

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: still lives
Mother: died year 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: no

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>no Bros or Sisters</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>Jack Coon</u>	<u>Calley Manock</u>

18. Where were they born? Baldwin County Ala

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

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

(1)	<u>John Coon</u>	<u>Escombria Co Ala Coal Poffe</u>
(2)	<u>Alex Coon</u>	<u>Escombria " " (Stedham ")</u>
(3)	<u>Sam Coon</u>	<u>Escombria " " (")</u>
(4)	<u>Mary Coon</u>	<u>Escombria " " (")</u>
(5)	<u>Rogey Coon</u>	<u>Escombria " " (")</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:

Conant Ziv An
For back

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 M. Bell)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug 1907.

W. H. Ellis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 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 W. R. Johnson

and E. L. Johnson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary M. Bell

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

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

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. R. Johnson
E. L. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24th

1908

W. H. Ellis

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 12 1907
No. 34418

Mr. Gideon Miller, Washington
Dear sir I received a card of
receipt of my application
no 34418 I would like to have
some advice what to do about
my minor children as nothing
was said about them on the
card if there is anything
to do about them let me
know at once

Respectfully
Rangalo Mary M. Bell
Sept 7th 1907

App. #34418.

September 18, 1907.

Mary M. Bell,

Range,

Alabama.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of September 7, 1907, you are advised that it is not necessary for you to file a separate application for your minor children, as you have included them in your own application.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

MLC.

No. 34418.

May 12, 1902.

Mary H. Bell,
Rango, Choctaw Co., Ala.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why were your grandparents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees?

Did your parents or your grandparents live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Did any of your ancestors ever give land in any of the Eastern Cherokee States? If so, give their names and state when and where they were paid.

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HEX/AIL

Parents was not held
as slaves by white people
nor Indians for I am of the
Eastern Cherokee nation
self

Respectfully

Mary M Bell

Kangalonecuh
aka

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAY 28 1908
No.

HWK

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I don't know why this
Parents were not enrolled
with the ...
In 1851 I don't know why
my grand parents ...
... the Eastern
Church and my parents
Grandparents ... with
the Eastern Church ...
... members ...
... I don't know whether
...
Share ... to the
Eastern Church my

Parents was not held
as slaves by white people
nor Indians for I am of the
Eastern Cherokee nation my
self

Respectfully
Mary M Bell

Kangloncuh co

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAY 28 1908
No.

No. 94419

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Uma Albritton* and *3* children.

Residence: *Parkville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Stice of 16404

No. 34419

Name Oona Albuton

With No. 16404

Remarks:

No. 34419

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Oma Albritton

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 16 1907
No.

*W. H. Robinson,
Board Bldg.,
WASH DC*

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: Oma Albritton
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Parksville
3. County: Polk
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 28 yrs Born Jan. 19th 1879
6. Where were you born? Polk County Tennessee
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: William H. Albritton
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>Hilbard S Albritton</u>	<u>4 yrs</u>	<u>Dec 12 - 1902</u>
(2)	<u>Bernice Albritton</u>	<u>1 yr 10 mo.</u>	<u>Oct 5th - 1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: John A. Rymer
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Mary N. Rymer
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Mary N. Guinn

12. Where were they born?
Father: Tennessee
Mother: Pike County Arkansas

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

Father: Tennessee

Mother: unknown

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 19 - 1892

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)	Julia Smith Etawah Tenn.	Nov. 11 - 1873	
(2)	Ida Rymer	May 13 1876	1890
(3)	Bea Rymer Sweetwater Tenn.	March 18. 1887	
(4)	Olin G. Rymer Archville Tenn.	May 12. 1885	
(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 Rymer	Decendants of Omahsooyah or (Omahseejah)
Betsy "	
	Abraham Guinn
	Cornelia "

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandfather on mother's side in Arkansas

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

(1)	Mary N Rymer	Archville Tenn
(2)	Sarah Moody	Salleguash I.T.
(3)	John W. Guinn	Bonnie Tenn
(4)	Martha Cate Deed	
(5)	George N. Guinn	Benton Tenn
(6)	Manda Quintrell	Archville "
7	William A. Guinn	(Deed) McCoys 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: 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 side} Mary N. Rymer (nee Guinn) mother
Abraham Guinn + Cornelia Guinn Grandparents
Almon Guinn (Indian name Omahowoyoh) Great Grandfather

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
Proofs of this descent has been made in Indian Territory by ~~my~~ ^{my} Mitchell Great Aunt, sister to my Grandfather Abraham Guinn and her claims allowed several years since

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

(Signature) Orna Albritton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

W. J. Copeland
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Apr, 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. W. Harbison
and M. M. Copeland, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Orna Albritton
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.

G. W. Harbison

M. M. Copeland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April, 1911.

W. J. Copeland
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. AUG 16 1907
No. 34419

WILLIAM H. ROBESON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
BOND BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D.C.

August 15, 1907.

Guion Miller, Esq.,

Curay Building,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find applications of
Mamie Duffield, Elizabeth Strickland, and Oma
Olbritton in the matter of the distribution of
the Cherokee fund.

Very truly yours,



No. 34420

Action: *Reject*

Name *Guzereth Strickland* and *X* children.

Residence: *Wichita, Kans.*

Reasons:

*Sister of #34420. Claims thru
same source.*

No. 34420

Name Elizabeth Strickland

With No. 133245

Remarks:

Rec. Filed

No. of 33245

No. 34420

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth Strickland

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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W. H. Robinson

34420

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: Miss Elizabeth G. Strickland

Indian name: Betty Bowlin

2. Residence and post office: Wichita

3. County: Sedgwick

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? Fifty one Born May 31st 1856

6. Where were you born? White Co. Arkansas

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: no

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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Joseph Strickland

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Strickland

Indian name: Mary Ann Bowlin Small

Maiden name: Mary Ann Small

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: Penn. Fayette Va.

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

Father: North Arkansas

Mother: North Arkansas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 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: no

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Jay Strickland New York City	April 17 - 1851	
(2)	Elizabeth Strickland Wichita Kan	May 31 - 1856	
(3)	Johanna Bennett Wichita Kan	April 19 - 1862	
	Maria Porter Strickland Wichita Kan	Sep 2 - 1868	
(5)	Pocahontas Strickland Wichita - Kansas	Sep 30 - 1874	
(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
Lease Strickland	John Smith
Milie Strickland	Petsy Bowlin Smith
	Petsy Bowlin (Indian name)

18. Where were they born? Ind., Tenn., Tenn., & North-Carolina

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

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

- (1) Joseph Strickland
- (2) Mary Ann Strickland
- (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:

Joseph Strickland John Smith
Mary Ann Strickland Betsy Bowlin Smith
Bowlin (Indian name) REMARKS: Indian name Bowlin

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

Mary Ann Bowlin Smith Strickland (my mother) made application for citizenship under Joel B. Moya (then chief) in 1889 at Lohloquah D. The evidence of the Indian blood was submitted to the chief in a personal interview and some accepted as bonified, through the neglect of the attorney her papers were lost.

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

(Signature) Elizabeth C. Strickland

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

W. E. Keller

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 7, 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. A. Dorsey
and W. A. McAuliffe, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth C. Strickland 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. A. Dorsey

W. A. McAuliffe

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

My commission expires

Sept 7, 1909.

W. E. Keller

Notary Public.

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No. 34421

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Mamie Duffield* and *1* children.

Residence: *Elizabethton*
Tenn.

Reasons:

Daughter of #31992.

12/1/18

No. 34421

Name Annie Bufford

With No. 31995

Remarks:

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mamie Duffield

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 16 1907 No.
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J. H. R. Nelson

34421

**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 Huffield
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Elizabethton
3. County: Carter
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 24 Born March 4 1883
6. Where were you born? Elizabethton Tenn
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: William Howard
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee name
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Novella Howard</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Jan 7 1901</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 Huffield
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Laura Huffield
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Laura McKerson

12. Where were they born?
Father: Carter County Tennessee
Mother: North Carolina

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)	<u>Nathanial Duffield</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>George Duffield</u>	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Shocho settlement North Carolina

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

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

(1)	<u>William Duffield</u>	<u>Elizabeth Tenn</u>
(2)	<u>David Duffield</u>	<u>Trigumout Tenn</u>
(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: not known (Indian name)
English name of Grandfather: Geo. Duffield

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) Mamie Duffield

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

J. F. Grindstaff Clerk
Circuit Court 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 J. R. Fletcher
and J. R. Bussan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mamie Duffield 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 to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. R. Fletcher
J. R. Bussan

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

My commission expires

_____, 190

J. F. Grindstaff Clerk
Circuit Court 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. 34422

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Gas. O. Sizemore* and *4* children.

Residence: *Lincoln, W. Va.*

Reasons:

Sizemore Case

No. 34422-5

Name

With No.

Syrmore C.

Remarks:

*Jan. 10
Quinn
Andrew
Henry*

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C.

No. 31432

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Gas. O. Sizemore

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
AUG 16 1907

*Brandenburg & Brandenburg
attys. Fendall Blair
W. Va. City*

**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 O. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Myra Wva

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: Wva

5. How old are you? 32 Born 1874

6. Where were you born? Wva

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mrs. Sizemore 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>Willie Sizemore</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1896</u>
(2)	<u>Susan Sizemore</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1898</u>
(3)	<u>Rosa Sizemore</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>
(4)	<u>Owen Sizemore</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Owen Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Rhoda Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Rhoda Baldan

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wva

Mother: Wva

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

Father: W. va

Mother: W. va

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1901

Mother: Died 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:

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Henry Sizemore	1852	
	Nancy C. Scites	1854	
(2)	John Sizemore	1857	1904
	Davey Sizemore	1861	1868
(3)	Susan Sizemore	1864	1890
	Elizabeth Sizemore	1866	
# 34423 - (4)	Owen Sizemore	1873	
	James O. Sizemore	1874	
(5)	Joseph Sizemore	1880	
see also # 34424			
(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>Red Sizemore</u>	<u>Anna Baldare</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: 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) James O. Sizemore

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

J. C. Dannon
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Never During of Life, 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 Robert McComas
and Spencer Midkiff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with James O. Sizemore
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 me 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 McComas
Spencer Midkiff

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

My commission expires
Never During of Life, 190 . J. C. Dannon
Notary Public.

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No. 34423

Action: Rejected

Name Quinn Sizemore and 4 children. Residence: Huntington, W. Va.

Reasons: Sizemore Case

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No. 34433

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

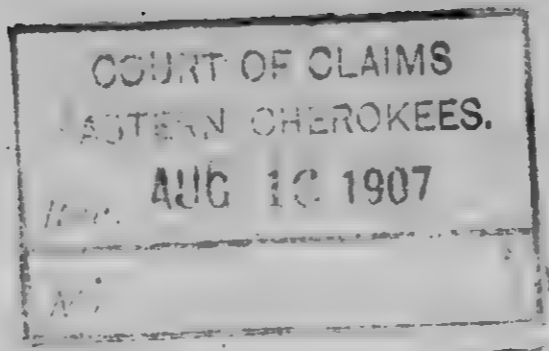
APPLICATION

OF

Owen Sizemore.

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

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34423

**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: Owen Seymour

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Huntington

3. County: Cabell

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 34 years Born 1873

6. Where were you born? Lincoln County W. Va.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Margaret Seymour 36.

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

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

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>McMuley Seymour</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1897</u>
(2)	<u>Cecil "</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1900</u>
(3)	<u>Estella "</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>
(4)	<u>Earnest "</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Owen Seymour

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Rhoda Seymour

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Rhoda Baldwin

12. Where were they born?

Father: West Virginia

Mother: West Virginia

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

Father: *H. J. A.*

Mother: *H. J. A.*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1901

Mother: 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: No Sir.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Henry Sigmon</i>	<i>1852</i>	
2	<i>Nancy Clifton</i>	<i>1854</i>	
3	<i>John Sigmon</i>	<i>1859</i>	<i>1904</i>
4	<i>J. Dovy Sigmon</i>	<i>1868</i>	<i>1868</i>
5	<i>Susan Sigmon</i>	<i>1864</i>	<i>1890</i>
6	<i>Elizabeth Sigmon</i>	<i>1866</i>	<i>1</i>
7	<i>James O. Sigmon</i>	<i>1872</i>	
	<i>Joseph Sigmon</i>	<i>1880</i>	
(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.

Ned Sigmon

Ama Baldwin

18. Where were they born?

Don't know.

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

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

- (1) *George Sigmon*
- (2) *Tobias Sigmon*
- (3) *Nancy Pruden*
- (4) *Sheba Brinadger*
- (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) Owen Seymour

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

My commission expires last
during lifetime, 190

W. J. Wolfe
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Alderson Adkins
and Willis Noel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Owen Seymour
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and
30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Alderson Adkins
Willis Noel

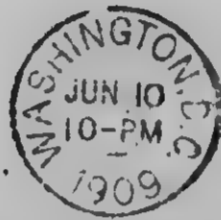
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during lifetime, 190

W. J. Wolfe
Notary Public.

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If not called for in 15 days, return to
**U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

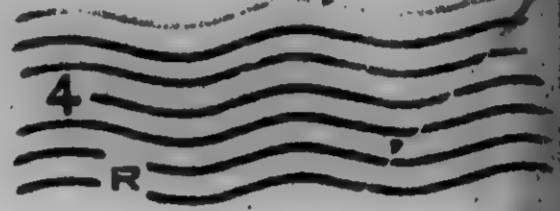


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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Owen Sizemore
Huntington, W. Va.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 31423, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further~~ed~~ 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.

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



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REC'D
U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS
WASHINGTON, D.C.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS

EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT

601 OURAY BUILDING

Washington, D. C.



Receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed as application No. 34423 and will be considered in its order.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above, and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

GUION MILLER,
Special Commissioner.

No. 314424

Action: Rejected

Name Andrew J. Seymour and 8 children.

Residence: Sheridan, W Va.

Reasons:

Seymour Case

Q.

No. 34421

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Andrew J. Seimon

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, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No.

*Prattville, Ala.
Fendall Bledsoe
City.*

17421

**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: Andrew J. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Sheridan W. Va.

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: W. Va.

5. How old are you? 39

Born 1868

6. Where were you born? W. Va.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Leatha Sizemore age 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)	<u>Anna Sizemore</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1892</u>
(2)	<u>Rhoda Sizemore</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1894</u>
(3)	<u>William L. Sizemore</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1896</u>
(4)	<u>Laura Sizemore</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1898</u>
(5)	<u>Emma Sizemore</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1900</u>
(6)	<u>Cora Sizemore</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
	<u>Charley Sizemore</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>

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

Lidda Sizemore

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Father—English name: Owen Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Rhoda Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Rhoda Baldon

12. Where were they born?

Father: W. Va.

Mother: W. Va.

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

Father: W. Va

Mother: W. Va

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1901

Mother: Died 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.	DIED.
(1)	Henry Sizemore	1852	
	Nancy C. Seitis	1854	
(2)	John Sizemore	1859	1904
	Davey Sizemore	1861	1868
(3)	Susan Sizemore	1864	1890
	Elizabeth Sizemore	1866	
(4)	Owen Sizemore	1873	
	Oliver Sizemore	1874	
(5)	Joseph Sizemore	1880	
(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>Ned Sizemore</u>	<u>Anna Boldan</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: 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) Andrew J. Siganone

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

D. C. Dammron
Notary Public.

My commission expires never During of Life, 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 Halbert McComas
and Spencer Midkiff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Andrew J. Siganone 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 Self to be, and that the statements made by me 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.

Halbert McComas
Spencer Midkiff

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

My commission expires never During of Life, 190 . D. C. Dammron
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.

App. No. #34424.

August 30, 1907.

Andrew J. Sizemore,
Sheridan, West Virginia.

Sir:

Please inform this Office at once as to the date of the
birth of your child, Lidda Sizemore.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

801 OURAY BUILDING,

App. No. #34424.

WASHINGTON, D. C. August 30, 1907.

Andrew J. Sizemore,

Sheridan, West Virginia.

Sir:

Please inform this Office at once as to the date of the
birth of your child, Lidda Sizemore.

Very respectfully,

Guinn Miller

Special Commissioner.

per file.

WEA

*Lidda Sizemore is Dead
Andrew J. Sizemore*

No. 34425

Action: Rejected

Name Henry Sizimor and 5 children.

Residence: Central City, W. Va.

Reasons:

Sizimor Case

34425

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No. 31425

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Henry Seymour

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1838, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-524

U.S. DEPT. OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No.

Brandenburg & Brandenburg
Attys. General Bldg
527 E. 11th

**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 Sigemore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Central City

3. County: Cabell

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 55 yrs Born 1852

6. Where were you born? Hartford City Mason Co W Va

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Amanda Sigemore age 44 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong? None

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Elizabeth</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>1885</u>
(2)	<u>James Harrison</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1888</u>
(3)	<u>Henry J.</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1891</u>
(4)	<u>Levy M.</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1893</u>
(5)	<u>Mattie R.</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1894</u>
(6)	<u>Idellie May</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>

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

Father—English name: Owen Sigemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Rhoda Sigemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Rhoda Bolden

12. Where were they born?

Father: West Virginia

Mother: West Virginia

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

Father: W. J. W.

Mother: W. J. W.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1901

Mother: 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: Not sure

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary E. Sigmon	1854	
(2)	John Sigmon	1859	1904
(3)	Davy Sigmon	1861	1868
(4)	Lidian Sigmon	1864	1890
(5)	Elizabeth Sigmon	1866	
(6)	Owen Sigmon	1873	
	James O. Sigmon	1874	
	Joseph Sigmon	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.

Ned Sigmon Anna Baldwin

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not positive

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

- (1) George Sigmon
- (2) Tobias
- (3) Nancy Purdu
- (4) Sheba Bringer
- (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)

Henry Sigomora

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

W. J. Wolfe

Notary Public.

My commission ~~expires~~ lasts

during lifetime, 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 Alderson Adkins

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

that they are well acquainted with Henry Sigomora

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 26 years and

30 years, respectively, and know true 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.

Alderson Adkins

Alderson Adkins

Willis Noel

Willis Noel

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

My commission ~~expires~~ lasts

during lifetime, 1907.

W. J. Wolfe

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. 34426

Action: Rejected

Name Calvin Szymor and 6 children.

Residence: Sheridan, W Va.

Reasons:

Szymor Case

No. 34426-31

Name

With No.

Seymour B.

Remarks:

Carlton
Aclias
Ruth P.
Alexander
Jas
Hiram

B.

No. 34426

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Calvin Sizemore

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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
Rec. AUG 10 1907
No.

Brantley & Brantley
Atty. General
City.
7211E

**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: Calvin Sizemore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Sheridan W. Va

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: W. Va

5. How old are you? 41 years Born May 9th 1866

6. Where were you born? Ohio near Proctorville

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Armintha Sizemore 36 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:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	James Sizemore	17	1890
(2)	Estie E. Sizemore	13	1893
(3)	Albert W. Sizemore	12	1894
(4)	Martha Sizemore	10	1897
(5)	Pearley Sizemore	6	1901
(6)	Eros Sizemore	3	1904

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

Edward W. Sizemore & Nancy Cremons

Father—English name: Edward W. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Cremons

12. Where were they born?

Father: West Virginia

Mother: Ohio

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

Father: W.ve

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1901

Mother: 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.
#34427 - (1)	Aclias Sizemore	1865	
#34428 - (2)	Rutha Prichard	1874	
#34430 - (3)	James Sizemore	1878	
#34431 -	Hyram Sizemore	1880	
#34429 - (4)	Alexander Sizemore	1882	
(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.

George Sizemore

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 Calvin^{his} Sizemore
mark)

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

J. C. Dannon
Notary Public.

My commission expires

During of Life, 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 Robert McComas

and Spencer Midriff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Calvin Sizemore

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

his self to be, and that the statements made by me 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 McComas
Spencer Midriff

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

My commission expires

J. C. Dannon
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. 34427

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Achis Sizmore* and 1 children.

Residence: *Shridan, W. Va*

Reasons:

Sizmore Case

B.

No. 34427

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Achias Sizemore.

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

6-594

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No.

*Brandenburg & Brandenburg
attys. General Bldg
Lynchburg Va*

**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: Achias Sizemore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Shoridan Wva

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: Wva

5. How old are you? 43 years Born 1865

6. Where were you born? Ohio

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 45 years Martha Sizemore

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>William E. Sizemore</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Edward W. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Cremins

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wva

Mother: Ohio

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

Father: Mo

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1901

Mother: 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)	Calvin Sizemore	1866	
	Rutha Prichard	1874	
(2)	James Sizemore	1878	
	Hiram Sizemore	1880	
(3)	Alexander Sizemore	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	MOTHER'S SIDE
George Sizemore	

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: 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) Achias ^{his} Sigemone
mark

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

D. C. Dammron
Notary Public.

My commission expires
During of Life, 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 Halbert McComas
and Spencer Midkiff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Achias Sigemone who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by me 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.

Halbert McComas
Spencer Midkiff

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

My commission expires
During of Life, 190 .

D. C. Dammron
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. AUG 15 1907
No. 34476

IN RE

OFFICES OF
BRANDENBURG & BRANDENBURG,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS AT LAW.
ROOMS 20, 21, 22, 23 & 24
FENDALL BLDG., 244 D STREET, N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

EDWIN C. BRANDENBURG.
CLARENCE A. BRANDENBURG.
F. WALTER BRANDENBURG.

LLOYD A. DOUGLASS.
STUART E. OMBELAN.
WILLIS HARLAN.

LONG DISTANCE PHONE, MAIN 627
CABLE ADDRESS, "CARRAND."

Aug. 15, 1907/

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

Dear Sir:-

We beg to enclose herewith the following appli-
cations in the Eastern Cherokee matter:

Henry Sizemore, Owen Sizemore,
James Sizemore, Aclias Sizemore,
Rutha Prichard, Alexander Sixemore,
Doliver B. Scites, Wilbern E. Scites,
Anna Toppins, Hiram Sizemore,
Calvin Sizemore, James O. Sizemore,
Andrew J. Sizemore, and Henry J. Scites.

Kindly note our names as the attorneys of record
in the several cases, and oblige,

Very truly yours,

Enclosure.

App. Nos. 34426
to 34431

October 22, 1907.

Brandenburg & Brandenburg,
Feudall Building,
Washington, D. C.

Sirs:

It is noted that the applications in the above cases are brothers and sister, the children of Edward W. Sizemore, who was a son of George Sizemore.

You are requested to kindly inform this Office as to when and where George Sizemore was born, whether or not he was on the roll of 1836, where he lived in 1851, if he was living at that time, and the names of all his children.

Also state the names of his brothers and sisters, if he had any, and the name of his father.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

No. *34428*

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Rutha Richard and 4 children.*

Residence: *Sheridan, W Va*

Reasons: *Simons Case*

34428

B.

No. 34428

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Rutha Trichard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.
AUG 16 1907.
No.

Brundage & Brundage
Atty. General Bldg
827 E City

**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: Rutha Prichard

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Shurdan Mva

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: Mva

5. How old are you? 33 years Born 1874

6. Where were you born? Ohio

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wesley Prichard age 39

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>Nancy Prichard</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(2)	<u>Harvey Prichard</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1898</u>
(3)	<u>Julia Prichard</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1900</u>
(4)	<u>Gracy Prichard</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Edward W. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Cremons

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mva

Mother: Ohio

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

Father: W. Va

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1901

Mother: 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:

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

	NAME:	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Achias Sizemore</u>	<u>1865</u>	
	<u>Calvin Sizemore</u>	<u>1866</u>	
(2)	<u>James Sizemore</u>	<u>1878</u>	
	<u>Hyram Sizemore</u>	<u>1880</u>	
(3)	<u>Alexander Sizemore</u>	<u>1882</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.

George Sizemore

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 *Rutha^{her} Prichard*
mark)

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

D. C. Dameron
Notary Public.

My commission expires

During of Life, 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 *Halbert McComas*
and *Spencer Midriff*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with *Rutha Prichard*
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 *me* 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.

Halbert McComas
Spencer Midriff

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

My commission expires

Never, *During of Life*, 190 .

D. C. Dameron
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. 34429

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Alexander Simmons* and children.

Residence: *Branchland, W. Va.*

Reasons:

Simmons Case

34429

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No. 34429

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Alexander Rignmore

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
AUG 16 1907
No.

*Prandubing & Prandubing
attys General Bldg - City
8247E*

**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 Cherokee. 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: Alexander Sizemore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Branchland W. Va

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: W. Va

5. How old are you? 25 years Born 1882

6. Where were you born? W. Va

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Malissa Sizemore

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: Edward W. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Crenshaw

12. Where were they born?

Father: W. Va

Mother: Ohio

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

Father: Wva

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1901

Mother: 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:

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Adias Sizemore	1865	
	Calvin Sizemore	1866	
(2)	Rutha Prichard	1874	
	James Sizemore	1878	
(3)	Hyram Sizemore	1880	
(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.

George Sizemore

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) Alexander ^{his} Sizemore
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

J. C. Dammron
Notary Public.

My commission expires
During of Life, 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 Robert McComas
and Spencer Midkiff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Alexander Sizemore who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents him self to be, and that the statements made by me 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 McComas
Spencer Midkiff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires
Never During of Life, 190 . J. C. Dammron
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. 34430

Action: Rejected

Name Gas Seymour and X children.

Residence: Princeton, N. Va.

Reasons:

Seymour Case

B.

No. 34430

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Joe. Seymour

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907

Prud'homme & Prud'homme
Atty. Kendall Bldg.
Chm.

34430

**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 Sizemore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Branchland

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: W. Va

5. How old are you? 27

Born 1878

6. Where were you born? W. Va

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rebecca Sizemore 17 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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Edward W. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Crenshaw

12. Where were they born?

Father: W. Va

Mother: Ohio

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

Father: Wva

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1901

Mother: 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: None

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Adias Sizemore</u>	<u>1865</u>	
	<u>Calvin Sizemore</u>	<u>1866</u>	
(2)	<u>Rutha Prichard</u>	<u>1874</u>	
	<u>Hiram Sizemore</u>	<u>1880</u>	
(3)	<u>Alexander Sizemore</u>	<u>1882</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

George Sizemore _____

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) James S. Sizemore
his mark

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

D. C. Jamron
Notary Public.

My commission expires

During of Life, 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 Robert McComas
and Spencer Midkiff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Sizemore, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents Self to be, and that the statements made by me 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 McComas
Spencer Midkiff

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

My commission expires

During of Life, 190 D. C. Jamron
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. APR 17 1909

No. 34430

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Bristol Tenn Apr 15 09

Mr. Gwain Miller

Dear Sir I see you
are not thorough with
the Cherokee fund yet and
I am one of the Lawful
Descendants and I want to
know why if anything
is Lawfully due me and
my family why we cant
get it if there is any
justice in this business
I look like all of our kind
should be considered for

Me and My People is

Direct Descendants from

The Cherokee Indians and

if you will look on the

old Record you will

find my grand father

Name Enrolled there in

Two Different Places for

some use from 1814

is that this thing looks up

some years ago hoping to hear

from you soon

Very Resp

J. S. Squire

Cherokee

P.S.
The old Records that I
spoke of is there in
Washington or was about
20 years ago when me and
my uncle Jim Sizemore
was looking up the
matter then

No. 34431

Action: Rejected

Name Hiram Seymour and 1 children.

Residence: Branchland, W. Va.

Reasons:

Seymour Case

B.

34431

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Hyram Sizmore

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTN. CHEROKEES.
AUG 16 1907

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Atty - General Bldg
City.

18431

**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: Hyram Sizemore

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Branchland W. Va

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: W. Va

5. How old are you? 27 years Born 1880

6. Where were you born? W. Va

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Alla Fair Sizemore

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 Sizemore</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: Edward W. Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Sizemore

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Crumens

12. Where were they born?

Father: W. Va

Mother: Ohio

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

Father: W. Va

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1901

Mother: 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:

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Aschias Sizemore</u>	<u>1865</u>	
(2)	<u>Calvin Sizemore</u>	<u>1866</u>	
(3)	<u>James Sizemore</u>	<u>1878</u>	
(4)	<u>Hiram Sizemore</u>	<u>1880</u>	
(5)	<u>Alexander Sizemore</u>	<u>1882</u>	
(6)	<u>Rutha Prichard</u>	<u>1874</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>George Sizemore</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: _____

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) Hyram ^{his} Sigeonore
mark

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

D. C. Damm
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 Tolbert McComas
and Spencer Midkiff, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Hyram Sigeonore who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by me 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.

Tolbert McComas
Spencer Midkiff

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

My commission expires never during of life, 190 .

D. C. Damm
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. 344321

Action: *Reject*

Name *Narcissus Elrod* and *7* children. Residence: *Turtletown, N.C.*

Reasons:

Sister of 37191 and Claims through the same source.

No. 34432

Name Narcissa Elrod

With No. 37191

Remarks:

Field No. ?

No. 34432, Cherokee Co.

Name Narcissus Elrod

With No.

Remarks: 38817, 37150,

37151, 37188, 37188,

Attention not
on rolls,

37188, 37191 sent
to Farming Co. Ga. to
study before F. H. Ryan
7/11/08

34432, 38696
also sent to N.C.
field.

No. 34432

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Narcissus Elrod.

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. AUG 13 1907 No.
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34432

**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: Narcissus Elrod

Indian name: Brady

2. Residence and post office: Smithtown

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 37 years Born Jan 22 - 1870

6. Where were you born? Rabun County Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Thomas N. Elrod

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>Scenery J. Elrod</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1894</u>
(2)	<u>Ezekiel H. Elrod</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1896</u>
(3)	<u>Minnie L. Elrod</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1898</u>
(4)	<u>Timie E. Elrod</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1900</u>
(5)	<u>George H. Elrod</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(6)	<u>Bessie J. Elrod</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>
	<u>Isaiah Elrod</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Apr 1906</u>

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

Father—English name: William Jones

Indian name: Brady

Mother—English name: Jones

Indian name: No Indian name

Maiden name: Woodall

12. Where were they born?

Father: don't know

Mother: don't know

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

Father: Do not know
Mother: Do not know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: February 1907
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)	<u>Isabella Jones</u>	<u>1862</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Willis Jones</u>	<u>1866</u>	<u>"</u>
(2)	<u>Eliza Jones</u>	<u>1873</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Rufus R. Jones</u>	<u>1875</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Sarah Jones</u>	<u>1877</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Gentian Jones</u>	<u>1879</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Josephine Jones</u>	<u>1881</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>Elias Jones</u>	<u>Rachel Brady</u>

18. Where were they born? Buncombe Co N.C.

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) Do not know
- (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: 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)

Narcissus Elrod

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

December 27, 1907.

W. L. Vayles
Justice of the Peace
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Goly Vayles
and Gay Johnson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Narcissus Elrod who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person 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.

Goly Vayles
Gay Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

December 20, 1907.

W. L. Vayles
Justice of the Peace
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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Specimen of the material.

Respectfully,

Your children are dead, please give date of death.
of Indian child, giving day, month and year. If any of

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the birth

is:-

Washington, D.C.

Washington, D.C.

W.S. 1908.

NO. 24433

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No. 34432.

May 6, 1908.

Narcissus Elrod,
Turtletown, N.C.

Madam:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the birth
of Isaiah Elrod, giving day, month and year. If any of
your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 15 1908
No.

J. M. W. W. W.
May 12 1908

in answer to your
petition Bond

April the 4 1906
our eldest child is dead
at Bond August 21 1892

Died September 29 1895

I have the other 3 children

Elgin four on May

Blank you don't
the

signed truly
William W. W.

7/4/32
H. W. W.

Any I want you to
kindly inform
me when will I
get my money as
is my claim
your truly
No. 1000

No. 34432.

May 13, 1908.

Narcissus Elrod,
Turtletown, N.C.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly advise this office why your grandparents or your parents were never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees.

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names, and state when and where they were paid.

Did your grandparents, through whom you claim your Cherokee blood, come from Buncombe County? If so, state when.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe? Were they admitted to tribal councils?

Respectfully,

JWK/AIL

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 25 1908
No.

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10635
Trenton NJ

May 20 1978

Mr. given Miller
your letter to hand
I will stay in reply
I suppose they have
in held the way
bin talk of of them
Dorothy Mary from
some time but
never did the way at
first had the way
all haste get water
the way. find of course
Several times. Run did
the way in held and
Run away I can't tell
if any of my relatives
Did ever get any Mary
as yet

2.

My Dear friend I had
a few words relative to
Ellard and will give
the best the report to the
Nation unless you heard
of other ways then

My friend I would
like from Brudenell as
the day but I don't
give you the date
of when I know my
pupl is broken
I can give you all the
evidence I can I will
send you my sheets
and you can see
me as checker so I want
you to look careful
after my things

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and Ad with me at
out if i am in till
are not. So you know
i am in found and
Don't know how to
hang. So do best for
me you can. And
picture back if no benefit
they will close
Expense Bad writing
from Madison Road

Appl. #34332.

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July 30, 1908.

Narcissus Elrod,
Turtletown, N. C.

Madam:

You were notified to appear at Murphy on July 18th, before my assistant, Frank D. Ryan and produce additional testimony in the matter of your application to participate in the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

You failed to appear and produce any witnesses, and as we will not be in your section of the country again for the purpose of taking testimony, it will be absolutely necessary that you answer each and every one of the enclosed list of questions at the very earliest possible date. If you cannot possibly answer any given question, so state, that we may know it has not escaped your notice.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FDR/MLS.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 16 1907

No. 34432

Mr. wife father had bill
claim before her died
his real no is 11836

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No. 34438.

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My dear friend
I have been thinking
of you very much lately
and wondering how you
are getting on. I hope
you are well and happy.
I have been very busy
with my work lately
but I will try to find
time to write to you
more often. I am
always yours truly
J. J. [unclear]

1185

No. 34433.

Action: *Refut.*

Name *Sam Jordan* and *5* children.

Residence: *Jones Oklahoma*

Reasons: *Master not in roll*

"Shiner"

+ Field
No. 34433 Okla.?

Name Sam Gordon

With No.

Remarks:

Reject-

Slaves

(See later)

Amputation not
on rolls.

No. 34433

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Race Jordan

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. AUG 16 1907 No.
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34433

**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: Sam Jordan

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Jones, Oklahoma

3. County: Oklahoma

4. State: Okla

5. How old are you? fifty Born 1857

6. Where were you born? Crenshaw County, Alabama.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mattie Jordan, age 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.
	<u>Alfonso Jordan</u>	<u>4</u>	
(1)	<u>Sam William Jordan</u>	<u>23</u>	
(2)	<u>Leroy Jordan</u>	<u>21</u>	
(3)	<u>Sally Jordan</u>	<u>18</u>	
(4)	<u>Charlotte Jordan</u>	<u>16</u>	
(5)	<u>Ellie Jordan</u>	<u>14</u>	
(6)	<u>Lillie Jordan</u>	<u>12</u>	
	<u>Mc Kirby Jordan</u>	<u>10</u>	

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

Father—English name: Henry Jordan

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Polly Jordan

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Polly Nichols

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

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

Father: don't know

Mother: don't know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: don't know

Mother: don't know

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)			
(2)			
(3)	<i>None</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.
<u>Phelix Jordan</u>	<u>Sam Nichols</u>
<u>Minnie Jordan</u>	<u>Rosana Nichols</u>

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)	<u>Lewis Jordan</u>	<u>Silla Nichols</u>	<u>(Mrs) (Chla)</u>
(2)	<u>Julia Jordan</u>	<u>Pea Nichols</u>	<u>(Mustogee)</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Jordan</u>		<u>& t.</u>
(4)	<u>Charlotte Jordan</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

Alabama

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: MO.

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.)

Address Isaac May, husband
Lilla Nichol May,

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

(Signature) Sam Jordan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twelfth day of August, 1907.
Boone Willmott
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 14, 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 Isaac May
and Sandy Smiley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Sam Jordan
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and
34 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. to Isaac May mark Signatures of Witnesses.

Charles Kennedy Isaac May
A M Beckwith Sandy Smiley

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

My commission expires

May 14, 1911. Boone Willmott
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 CLERKS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. NOV 25 1907
No. 32433

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NOV 25 1907

Jones Okla 11.21.1907
Washington D.C. Gentlemen Will
you please let me know your de-
cision of application 34433. Please
inform me should we employ
A lawyer to see after that
business or shall we wait to hear
from you. Please let me here from
you I want to do my duty to get
my rights I have plenty of witness
that new my Parents the old man
Isaac G. may say he use to run hor-
se races with my grand father, cal-
the indian horse race and others
that new my People please let me here
from you. and obblidge
Sam Jordan
Jones Okla

No. 34433.

May 13, 1908.

Sam Jordan,

Jones, Okla.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Were you held as a slave? If so, were you owned by White people or Indians?

Were your parents held as slaves? Have you been enrolled by the Dawes Commission? If so, give your number and indicate on what roll your name appears.

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names and state when and where they were enrolled.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HVK/ALL

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 23 1908

No.

no. 34433 I

HWK

Special Commissioner
of Court of Claims dear Sir
in reply to your inquiring
I does not know why my
People did not enroll with
the Eastern cherokees only
they remain in Alabama
- I was born A slave & held by
white People. I my Parents
was held as slaves my
mother held by white People &
my father held by indian
his father was A indian
Felix Jordan. I have not been
enroll by the Dawes commis-
sion. I made application
to one Richard Smith who
said he was appointed by

The Government as an
indian agent & while
looseing time with him
the roles closed and I
was too late to make
application to the Dawes
Commission.

It I does not know whether
my immediate relatives
ever shared in A Payment
to the Eastern Cherokees
or not.

I can furnish as many
witnesses as you might
want to Prove my Claims
Mr & Mrs Mary of Jones Co.
knew all my People and
used to run horse races

with the old man, Felix
Jordan. Call the indian
horse race, and plenty
of others if needed

I remain sincerely
yours
Sam Jordan
Jones, Okla

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 34433

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AUG 24 1908

Change
of
Post

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arcadia okla august
to the Special Com of the
Court of Claims having
moved from Jones City
to arcadia okla has
Change Post offices Please
Send my mail to arcad
ia okla. Gen the men cou
ld you advise me Concl
rning application No
34433. Say Mr Miller
I have two daughters gain
majority by marriage
one name Sally hickerson
and Charlotte Kingbury
by marriage Please
advise me can they make

Claims. Please let
me here from you at
once

P.S. my father name hen
ry jordan he was called
~~to~~ to be jordan I met
mr. #12, at okla city

From Sam Jordan
Arcadia Okla

Name Sam Jordan
Po. Arcadia Okla

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EASTERN CHEROKEE:
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DEC 12 1908

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arcadia okla, 12/8-08
Special Commissioner of
Court of Claims eastern
Cherokee enrollment Washing
ton D.C. dear Sir Please
advise me Sam Jordan.
could I know your decis
ion of my application.
my application no. is
3443?

Sam Jordan
arcadia
okla

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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okla
May the 5- 1909, arcadia
Special Commissioner
of Court of Claims. dear
sir will you please let
me know decision of
my application, my
no. is 34433

Please inform me
Sam Jordan,

P.O. arcadia
State Oklahoma

P.S. I need my wrights got
Plenty Proof of my relation
to indians I am $\frac{1}{4}$ indian
give me my wrights if
Please, I never got any
things yet

No. 34434

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Rose Knight* and *X* children. Residence: *Sheridan, Ind.*

Reasons:

Claims through same source as # 10886.

No. 34431

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Rose Knight

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

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H. H. Kateshouse

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. AUG 16 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: Rose Knight

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Sheridan P. O. # 24

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 27 Born May 29, 1880

6. Where were you born? Hamilton County, Ind.

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)	<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: John W. Knight

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Mary A. Knight # 344

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Mary A. Adress

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gates County North Carolina

Mother: Indianapolis Indiana

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

Father: Gates County, North Carolina

Mother: was not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 1, 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: No.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lida H. Keig</u> age 29. Lebanon Ind.	<u>Mar 14, 1875</u>	
* 34436 - (2)	<u>Anna M. Sweatt</u> age 29. Westfield, Ind.	<u>Dec. 12, 1877</u>	
(3)	<u>Charly A. Knight</u> age 21. Sheridan Ind.	<u>Oct. 2, 1885</u>	
(4)	<u>Cecil A. Knight</u> age 19. Sheridan Ind.	<u>Mar 11, 1888</u>	
(5)	<u>Roy M. Knight</u> age 16. Sheridan Ind.	<u>Sept 30, 1890</u>	
(6)	<u>Ruby E. Knight</u> born Jan 3, 1893, age 14, Res. Sheridan, Ind.		
(7)	<u>Mary G. Knight</u> " Mar. 8, 1897, " 10. " Sheridan, Ind.		

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

FATHER'S SIDE

Do not know

MOTHER'S SIDE

Charley Andrews's blood Cherokee Indian
Nancy Revel's - wife of Stephen Revel who
belonged to the famous Revel family
whose maiden name was Nancy Madden

18. Where were they born? Think Andrews was born in North Carolina and the

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? grandmother in Rush County, Ind.,
in Indianapolis, Ind.

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

- (1) Francis A. Andrews now dead.
- (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: My grand father Charly Andrew was one fourth blood Cherokee Indian

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) Rose Knight

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug. 1907.

Geo. 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 Mary A. Knight
and Anna Sweatt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Rose Knight
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 27 years and 27 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents 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.

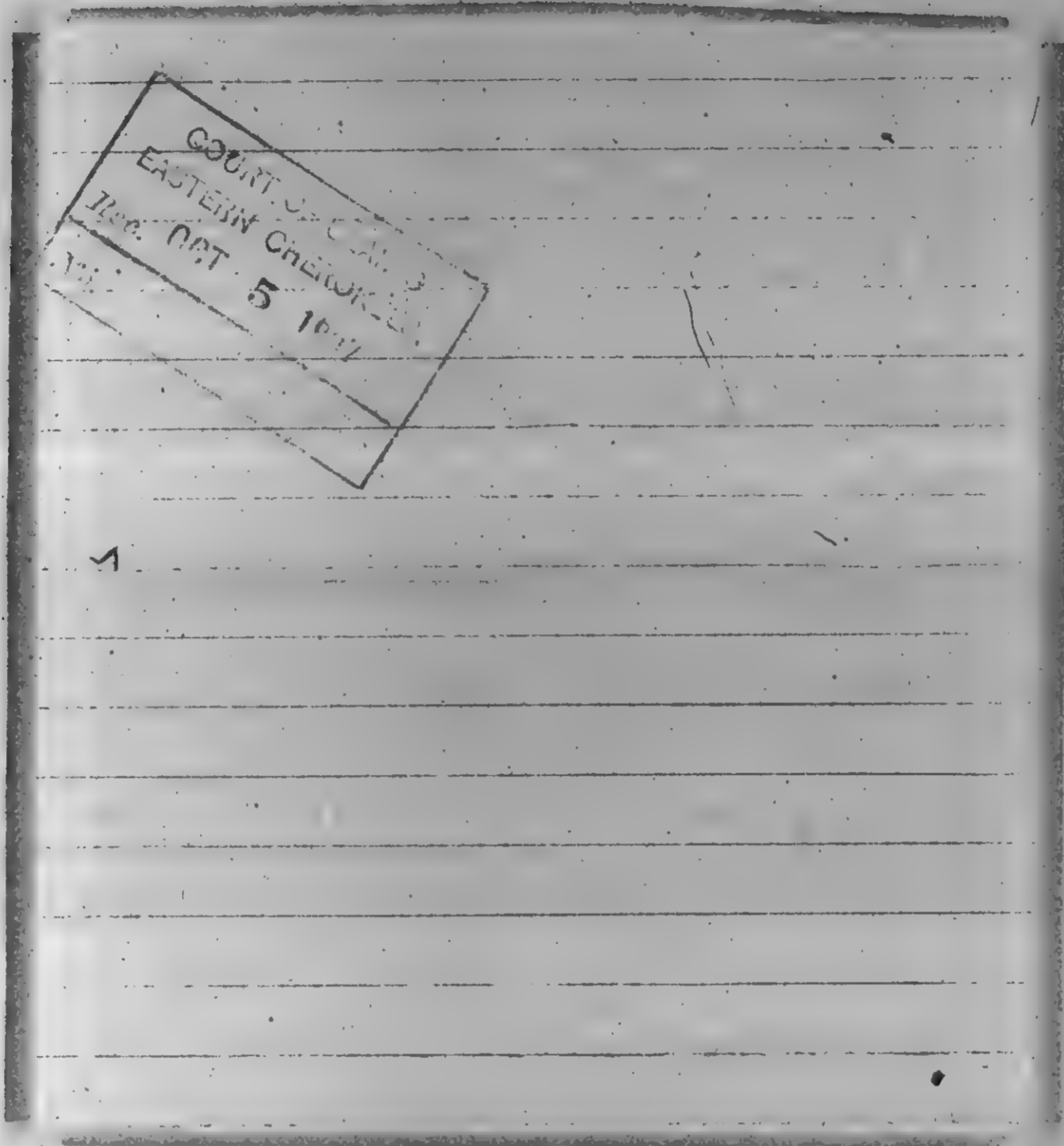
Signatures of Witnesses.

Mary B. Knight
Anna Sweatt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires Oct. 11. 1909. Geo. Du Bois
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.



COUNTY COURT
EASTERN CHESTER
Dec. 10th 5 1897
No.

Mary Knight + minor heirs.

Sheridan.

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R.R. 24-74.

Ind.

minor heirs } Cecil Knight
Roy Knight Sheridan
Betty Knight Ind.
Gertrude Knight

Miss Rose Knight

Sheridan

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R.R. 24-74.

Ind.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. OCT 5 1907
No. 34434-5

card sent
10/7/07

send
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card
recpts.
+
file.

Mon. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

We made application
for our share of money
appropriated by Congress
for the Eastern Cherokees
some 8 weeks ago and have
not heard from it.

Please see that our cards
acknowledging receipt for
same is mailed to us. Yours
and Obligated.

No. 34435

Action:

Rejected

R. F. D. # 24,

Name

Mary W Knight

and

4

children.

Residence:

Sheridan, Ind.

Reasons:

Claims through same source as #10886.

No. 34435

Name Mary R Knight

With No. 34434

Remarks:

No. 34435

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary A. Knight

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

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H. H. Kautshouse

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. AUG 16 1907 No.
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34435

**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: Mary A. Knight

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Sheridan R. F. D. # 24

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 54 Born Dec 20, 1852

6. Where were you born? Indianapolis, Ind

7. Are you married? No. a widow.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: — dead

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)	Lida H Knight	32.	Mar. 14. 1875
(2)	Anna M. Sweatt	29	Dec 12. 1877
(3)	Rose Knight	27	May 29. 1880
(4)	Charley A. Knight	21	Oct 2. 1885
(5)	Cecil A. Knight	19	Mar. 11. 1888
(6)	Roy M Knight	16	Sept. 30. 1890
(7)	Ruby E Knight	14	Jan. 3. 1893

(8) Mary A. Knight
10 yrs. - born Dec 20, 1852

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

Father—English name: 1st husband Charley Andrew - 1/4 blooded Cherokee Indian

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: 2nd husband Stephen Revels - belonged to the famous Revels family

Indian name: Nancy Revels - Indian name not known.

Maiden name: Nancy Walden

12. Where were they born?

Father: Do not know. Think Stephen Revels born in North Carolina

Mother: Rush County, Indiana

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

Father: Indianapolis, Ind.

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1856

Mother: July 12, 1896.

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>Francis A. Andrews</u>	<u>1854</u>	<u>1860</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>Do not know</u>	<u>Micajah Walden</u>
	<u>Mary A. Walden</u>

18. Where were they born? Halifax County, N.C. in the year 1805

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

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

(1)	<u>Elizabeth Revels</u>	<u>Sparta Wis.</u>
(2)	<u>Peter Walden</u>	<u>Muncie Ind.</u>
(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: My father, Charley Andrew was 1/4 blood Cherokee Indian

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 A Knight

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Aug. 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 Rose Knight

and Anna M. Swatt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary A. Knight

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and

26 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.

Rose Knight

Anna Swatt

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

My commission expires

Oct. 11, 1909.

Geow Du Bois

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. 34436

Action: *Rejected.*

Name: *Anna M. Sweatt* and *X* children.

Residence: *Westfield, Ind*

Reasons:

Claim through same source as # 10886.

No. 34436

Name Anna M. Sweet

With No. 34435

Remarks:

No. 31436

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Anna M. Sweatt

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 13 1907
No.

H. H. Kauterhouse

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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: M. Anna Sweatt
 Indian name: not known
2. Residence and post office: Westfield
3. County: Hamilton
4. State: Indiana
5. How old are you? 29 Born Dec. 12, 1877
6. Where were you born? Hamilton County, Indiana
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Oliver R. Sweatt age 22
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)	<i>No children</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: John N. Knight
 Indian name: not known
 Mother—English name: Mary A. Knight
 Indian name: not known
 Maiden name: Mary A. Andrews

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gates County North Carolina
 Mother: Indiana Co. Ind. Indiana

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

Father: Gates County, N. C.
Mother: was not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 1, 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: No

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lida H. Knight age 39. Lebanon Ind.	Mar 14. 1875	
(2)	Rose Knight age 27. Sheridan Ind	May 29. 1880	
(3)	Charly A. Knight age 21. Sheridan Ind.	Oct 2. 1885	
(4)	Cecil S. Knight age 19. Sheridan Ind	Mar. 11. 1888	
(5)	Roy M. Knight age 16. Sheridan. Ind.	Sept 30. 1890	
(6)	Ruby E. Knight - born Jan 3. 1893. age 14. Res. Sheridan, Ind.		
(7)	Mary L. Knight " Mar 8. 1897. " 10. " Sheridan 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.
<u>Do not know</u>	<u>Charly Andrews - the Wood Cherokee Indian</u>
	<u>Nancy Revels wife of Stephen Revels who belonged to the famous Revels family and whose maiden name was Nancy Malden.</u>

18. Where were they born? think Andrews was born in North Carolina and the grandmother

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Rust County, Indiana.
in Indianapolis Indiana

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

- (1) Francis S. Andrews now dead.
- (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: My great grand father Charly Andrews was 1/2 blood Cherokee Indian

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) Anna M. Sweatt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

Geo. 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 Mary A. Knight
and Rose Knight, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Anna M. Sweatt
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 29 years and
26 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.

Mary A. Knight

Rose Knight

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Oct. 11, 1909.

Geo. Du Bois

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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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
WASHINGTON, D. C.
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Elmer R. Suratt,

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

Dear Sir:-

We made application for
our share of money appropriated by
Congress for the Eastern Cherokee
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from it. Please see that our cards
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Anna Swatt.
Westfield, 34436
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No. 24437

Action: Rejected

Name Nina F. Becke and X children. Residence: Battle Creek, Mich.

Reasons:

Claims through same source as # 10886.

No. 34437

Name Anna Becka

With No. 10886

Remarks:

No. 34437

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mina F. Becke.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1908.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. AUG 16 1907 No.
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34437

**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: Nina Frances Beck

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Battle Creek

3. County: Calhoun

4. State: Michigan

5. How old are you? 24 Born Dec 9th 1883

6. Where were you born? Marion, Indiana, Grant County

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: —

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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Shorton L. Beck

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Marria Frances Beck

Indian name: Unknown

Maiden name: Marria Frances Weaver

12. Where were they born?

Father: Harrisburg, Pa

Mother: Sank County, Wisc

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

Father: Not born yet
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: still alive
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>Estel Thornton Becke</u>	<u>1882</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>Mathew Becke</u>	<u>Alfred Weaver</u>
<u>Fannie Becke</u>	<u>Charity Moore (remarried)</u>

18. Where were they born? Father's side, Virginia, Mother's side - W. Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mother's side, Grant County, Indiana

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

Mother's side,	(1)	<u>Marria Becke</u>	<u>Battle Creek, Mich</u>
	(2)	<u>Cynthia Price</u>	<u>Marion, Ind</u>
	(3)	<u>Reisa Murrell</u>	<u>Davenport Ia</u>
	(4)	<u>Ezra Weaver</u>	<u>Madison Wisc</u>
	(5)	<u>Melvin Weaver</u>	<u>Shanow "</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: Maccaga Revels, was mother's grandfather; wife Mormon Jacobs, Maccaga Revels' mother's name was Deliah. Maccaga's father was Hiptun Revels

REMARKS.

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

The claim comes thro' Maccaga Revels

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

(Signature) Mia Frances Berkes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1907.
Carl J. Storm
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 5th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Geo. A. Craig
and _____, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mia Frances Berkes
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.

Geo. A. Craig
Jacob A. Zebbs
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Oct. 5th, 1908. Carl J. Storm
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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Maria Weaver Becks.

Flint Mich.

Jan. 12 '88.

121 E. 7th St.

Commissioner of Indian Claims
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir.

This will notify
you of change of residence of myself
Mrs Maria Weaver Becks and
my daughter Maria Francis Becks
The latter has not received her enrollment
number but my son has Estel Thornton
Becks has received his number.
my address and daughters is

121 E. 7th St. Flint

Michigan.

Yours Truly

Mrs. Maria Francis Weaver Becks

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Anna F. Beck
Battle Creek
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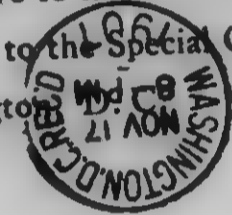
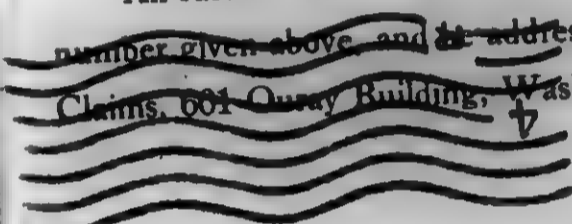
**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

601 OURAY BUILDING

Washington, D. C., 10/16, 1907

Receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed as application No. 94437, and will be considered in its order.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.



GUION MILLER,
Special Commissioner.

No. 34438

Action: Reject

Name Martha Hester and children. Residence: Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims thru same source
as #690.

No. 34438

Name Martha Hester

With No. 20158

Remarks:

No. 34438

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Martha Hester

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 16 1907 No.
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34438

**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: Martha Hester

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Pelico Plains

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 23 years

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Co. NC

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Hester 42 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She belongs to Eastern 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: James Davis

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Tennessee Davis

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Tennessee Taylor

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Haywood Co NC

Mother: in Alabama

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

Father: Cherokee Co. Mo.

Mother: Cherokee Co. Mo.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: unknown he has been dead about 17 years

Mother: Just Date 1908

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.	RESIDENCE
(1)	Adrie Medley	Age unknown	Maaka, Mo.
(2)	Sarah Smith		
(2)	Mary Taylor		Keosauqua, Mo.
(3)	Robert Davis		
(4)	Ezzie Allen		Delaware, Mo.
(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
Isaac Davis	Harold Taylor
Roda Davis	Sarah Taylor

18. Where were they born? unknown

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

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

(1)	John Davis	Sarah Davis
(2)	James Davis	Mary Davis
(3)	George Davis	
(4)	Adaline Davis	
(5)	William Davis	
(6)	Lizzie Davis	

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.)

James Davis through whom I am intitled
was the son of Boade Davis

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

(Signature)

Martha Kester

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

D. T. McVally
Notary Public.

My commission expires

December 3, 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 Jefferson B. Cain
and J. E. Shearer who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Martha Kester
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
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. E. Shearer

Jefferson B. Cain

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

December 3, 1908 D. T. McVally J.P.
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.

If not called for in 15 days, return to
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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

June 10, 1909.

*Martha Hester
Tellico Plains, Tenn*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 34438, 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~~ed~~ 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. 34439

Action: Reject

Name Walter C. Highmuntand X children.

Residence: Stearns, Washburn,

Reasons: Pauper's Case

No. 34439

Name. Wella C. Nishenit

With No. 1

Remarks: 3

No. 34439

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Milla C. Highsmith

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

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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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: Willa Cornelia Highsmith

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Marlow

3. County: Stevens

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 24 Born Aug 22, 1882

6. Where were you born? Montgomery Co Ark

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: William Harrison Highsmith

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Fannie Arveyana Highsmith

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Fannie Arveyana Jones

12. Where were they born?

Father: Floyd Co Ia

Mother: Pike Co Ark

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

Father: Floyd Co Ia

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)	Annie May Kighsmith Marlow	1880	—
(2)	Robert Alfred Kighsmith Prescott Ark	1884	—
(3)	Mattie Lee Kighsmith Marlow Ia	1886	—
(4)	Isaac Klingman Kighsmith Marlow Ia	1888	—
(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
Robert R Kighsmith	Alfred Jones
Mary Kighsmith	Jane P Jones
Mary Bobo maiden	Jane P Klingman maiden

18. Where were they born? Robert R Kighsmith + Mary Kighsmith born in Ia
Alfred Jones born in Ia, Jane P Jones born Clark Co Ark

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Kighsmiths lived Floyd Co Ia
Jones lived in Ark

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

	MOTHER'S SIDE
(1)	Melinda Embrey Amity Ark
(2)	Hranville Jones East Spring S Dakota
(3)	Mary Dyer Detroit Texas
(4)	Arthur Jones Oak Cliff Texas
(5)	Mattie Chandler Amity Ark
(6)	Lee J Chandler Dequien Ark
	Clair L Jones Shreveport La
	Grace Palmer Amity Ark
	Genefford L Jones Lerado Texas

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 maiden name Fannie Arveyne Jones, daughter of James P. Jones whose maiden name was Jane P. Blingman daughter of A. M. Blingman and Ann M. Blingman

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) Willa Cornelia Highsmith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

F. B. Allen
Notary Public.

My commission expires
May 10, 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 H. P. Duncan
and F. M. Blake, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Willa Cornelia Highsmith who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and 7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that 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. P. Duncan
F. M. Blake

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires
May 10, 1909, 190 . F. B. Allen
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. JAN 31 1908

No. 34439

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT

501 O'RAY BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Willie C. Hightsmith
Marlow

Sir: *Walter*

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether you claim to be an Eastern Cherokee Indian by blood through any other line of descent than through *Donnacha and Bettie Pledge Ponderston*

If so, set forth fully the name of the ancestor through whom you so claim, who was living in 1835 or 1845, giving his or her full name, and the date of birth and death as nearly as possible, together with the exact place of residence of such ancestor in 1835, or 1845.

Very respectfully,

GUYON MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

I have no other ancestor except
Donnacha Ponderston and Bettie Pledge and
the latter was living as late
probably as 1845.

Willie C. Hightsmith

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

JAN 10 1908

Willa C. Highsmith
Marlow,

Sir:-

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, please state whether you claim to be an Eastern Cherokee Indian by blood through any other line of descent than through Donnahor and

Bettie Pledge Pinderster

If so, set forth fully the name of the ancestor through whom you so claim, who was living in 1835 or 1846, giving his or her full name, and the date of birth and death as nearly as possible, together with the exact place of residence of such ancestor in 1835, or 1846.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

We know of no other ancestor except ~~Thomas~~ Pinderster and Bettie Pledge and Peter Clingman. The latter was living as late probably as 1846.

Very respectfully

Willa C. Highsmith

Marlow, Okla.

Jan. 27, 1908.

No. 34440.

Action: *Reject*

Name *John Lance,* and *6* children. Residence: *Lead, Colo.*

Reasons:

Son of # 4140, and claims through the same ancestors.

No. 34440

Name J. O. Lance

Wish No. 4140

Remarks:

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Lauer

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
AUG 10 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: John Lane

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Read tent

3. County: Delta

4. State: Kala

5. How old are you? 29 Born 18 69

6. Where were you born? union Co Georgia

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Gussie Brown

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Milla Lane</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Georgia</u>
(2)	<u>Leola Lane</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Kalabado</u>
(3)	<u>Hellen Lane</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Kala</u>
(4)	<u>Gussie Lane</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Kala</u>
(5)	<u>Fredie Lane</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Kala</u>
(6)	<u>Minie Lane</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Kala</u>

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

Father—English name: Russell Lane

Indian name: X

Mother—English name: Margaret Lane

Indian name: +

Maiden name: Margaret Swain

12. Where were they born?

Father: Sumner Co North Carolina

Mother: union Co Georgia

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

Father: Union Co Ga

Mother: Union Co Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 22 nt 1903

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>Delia Collins</u>	<u>18 59</u>	
	<u>Grandd Hunter</u>		
(2)	<u>Julia Cook</u>	<u>18 60</u>	
	<u>William Lane</u>	<u>18 63</u>	
(3)	<u>Harsh Nelson</u>	<u>18 65</u>	
	<u>John Lane</u>	<u>18 57</u>	
(4)	<u>Alie Dabrymple</u>	<u>18 69</u>	
	<u>Leah Ellis</u>	<u>18 71</u>	
(5)	<u>Quale Zell</u>	<u>18 74</u>	
	<u>Est Lane</u>	<u>18 79</u>	
(6)	<u>Abbie</u>	<u>18 81</u>	
		<u>18 87</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.

Henry Lane
Jane Lane

Enoch Swain
Myrtha Griffiths

18. Where were they born? Union Co North Carolina

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

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

(1)	<u>Dow Lane</u>	<u>Union Co Ga</u>
(2)	<u>Thomas Lane</u>	<u>Union Co Ga</u>
(3)	<u>Delia Lane</u>	<u>Union Co Ga</u>
(4)	<u>F M Swain</u>	<u>Chastel Ga</u>
(5)	<u>J M Swain</u>	<u>Chastel Ga</u>
(6)	<u>Lusinda Cain</u>	<u>Lumpkin 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: now

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 John Lauer)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907

Maurice J. Bayter
Notary Public.

My commission expires
My Commission Expires January 28, 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 John S. Fuller and
and Charles B. Pickett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with John Lauer
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for five years and
four years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John S. Fuller
Charles B. Pickett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires January 28, 1911, 190

Maurice J. Bayter
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.

App. No. 34440.

August 30, 1907.

John Lance,
Lead, Colorado.

Sir:

Please inform this Office at once and the exact date of
the birth of your child, Minnie Lance.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
SEP 9 1907
34440

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

801 OURAY BUILDING,

WASHINGTON, D. C. August 30, 1907.

App. No. 34440.

John Lance,
Read, Colorado.

Sir:

Please inform this Office at once also the exact date of
the birth of your child, Minnie Lance.

Very respectfully,

Guiron Miller

Special Commissioner.
profr.

WEA

*Minnie Lance was born November
14, 1906 Died April 21 of 1907*

*John Lance Read
Colo*

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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
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WASHINGTON, D. C.



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John Lance,

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

June 10, 1909.

*John Lance
Read Cole*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 31140, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 34441

Action: Reject

Name Elizabeth Martin and children.

Residence: Woodville Ala

Reasons:

Daughter of 33116

34441

No. 34441
Name Elizabeth A. Martin
With No. 33116

Remarks:

Law

No. 31411

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth W Martin

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 16 1907

*J. H. Gregory,
Scottsboro,
Ala*

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: Elizabeth Williams Martin

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Woodville

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 30 years old Born Feb 17, 1868

6. Where were you born? Wartrace, Tenn

7. Are you married? am married

8. Name and age of wife or husband: husband 23 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: have no children

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

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

Edward

Father—English name: Edward E Williams

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Rachel Williams

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Rachel Warren

12. Where were they born?

Father: don't know

Mother: in Tenn

FEE AGREEMENT

THIS MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT; WITNESSETH:

That we Elizabeth Williams Martin
for ourselves and minor children, have employed J. M. Stevenson Ala. as attorney to
prosecute our claims against the Government of the United States for our part of the fund arising from
the order of the Court of Claims at Washington, D. C., on 29th day of April, 1907, and in consideration of
his professional services in the prosecution of said claim, we hereby agree to pay him as a fee a sum
equal to twenty per cent of the amount which may be collected upon said claim, said fee to be
a lien on any warrant that may be issued in payment of said claim.

Witness our hands this 13th day of August 1907, in the County
of Jackson State of Ala.
Elizabeth W. Martin

Witnesses to signature,

Wm. T. Bridges
James R. Conner

(5) _____
(6) _____

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

Edward
Father—English name: Edward E. Williams
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Rachel Williams
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Rachel Warren

12. Where were they born?

Father: don't know
Mother: in Tenn

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

Father: don't know

Mother: don't know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: father living

Mother: died 12 or 13 years ago

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 Williams	Workover Tenn	Don't know
	Robert Williams	" "	Dead
(2)	Edward Williams	Don't know	Dead
	Tom Williams	Shelbyville	Dead
(3)	Mary Williams	Don't know	living in Madison Co Ala Tallon P.O.
(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>Don't know</u>	<u>Don't know</u>

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 any except father Edward
- (2) E. Williams Plain Rock Ala
- (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:

Don't 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) Elizabeth W. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

W. R. Bridges
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 22, 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. C. Jones
and Maggie Allen, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Williams Martin who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 35 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. R. Bridges

J. C. Jones
Maggie Allen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 22, 1908.

W. R. Bridges
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. 34442

Action: *Reject*

Name *Stephen B. Austin* and *1* children. Residence: *Paint Rock, Ala.*

Reasons:

- 1:- *No ancestors on roll.*
- 2:- *" " party to treaties of 1835-6 + 1846.*
- 3:- *Shows no connection with Eastern Cherokee.*

Misc. Post. P. 781.

Field plan ?
No. 54472 Jackson Co
Name Stephen B. Austin

With No. _____

Remarks:

Auction notes
on rolls

No. 3442

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

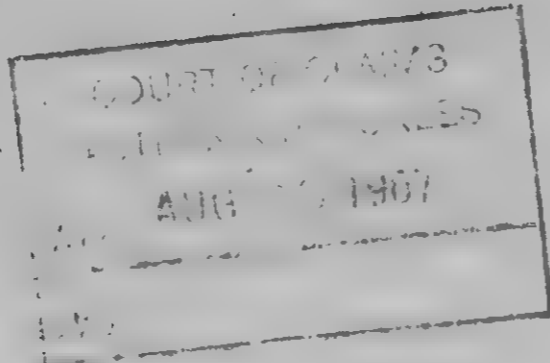
APPLICATION

OF

Stephen B Austin

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



J. H. Gregory,
Scottsboro
Ala

**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: Stephen B. Austin

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Paint Rock

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 64 years old Born 1843

6. Where were you born? Presque County Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: wife Born in 1850, 57 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: _____

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>Tobitha Allis Reynolds</u>	<u>36 years</u>	<u>1870</u>
(2)	<u>Mary A. Reiford</u>	<u>33 "</u>	<u>1874</u>
(3)	<u>Harriet A. Grigg</u>	<u>31 "</u>	<u>1871</u>
(4)	<u>Jennie Delap</u>	<u>18 "</u>	<u>1889</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father: James Austin

Father—English name: James Austin

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Polly Ann Austin

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Polly Ann Bennett

12. Where were they born? _____

Father: In North Carolina

Mother: " Presque Co. Ga

FEE AGREEMENT

THIS MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT, WITNESSETH:

That we Stephen B. Austin
for ourselves and minor children, have employed J. H. Gregory Sealeboro
~~John H. Gregory Sealeboro~~, Ala. as attorney to
prosecute our claims against the Government of the United States for our part of the fund arising from
the order of the Court of Claims at Washington, D. C., on 29th day of April, 1907, and in consideration of
his professional services in the prosecution of said claim, we hereby agree to pay him as a fee a sum
equal to 20 per cent of the amount which may be collected upon said claim, said fee to be
a lien on any warrant that may be issued in payment of said claim.

Witness our hands this 13th day of August 1907, in the County
of Jackson, State of Alabama

S. B. Austin

Witnesses to signature,

Calvin M. Rousseau
Paul L. Jones

(4) James Seale 100000 100000
(5) _____
(6) _____

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

Father—English name: James Austin

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Polly Ann Austin

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Polly Ann Bennett

12. Where were they born?

Father: In North Carolina

Mother: in Presque Co. Ga

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

Father: Ga

Mother: Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in 1863

Mother: died in 1874

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Davis Austin</u> <u>Enloe Delta Co Texas</u>	<u>1859</u>	<u>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>John Eideon Austin</u>	<u>Malinda Jones</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? In North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand mother lived in Ga. Grand father was dead

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

- (1) all dead so far as I know
- (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 give names any further back than have given above.

REMARKS.

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

Made application for allotment in Nov 1897 for land in Cherokee Nation. I was informed by the Commissioner that because I did not return to the Cherokee Nation at the time the Cherokee Tribe moved their that I forfeited my right to allotment in land.

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

(Signature) Stephen B Justice

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug, 1907.

Wm B Bridges
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 22, 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 Calvin M Rousseau
and Paul L Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Stephen B Justice who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents 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.

Calvin M Rousseau

Paul L Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 22, 1908. Wm B Bridges
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.

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

Father: Ga

Mother: Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in 1863

Mother: died in 1874

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Davis Austin</u> <u>Enloe Delta Co Texas</u>	<u>1859</u>	<u>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>John Gideon Austin</u>	<u>Malinda Jones</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? In North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand mother lived in Ga. Grand father was dead

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

- (1) all dead so far as I know
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

No. 34442.

May 13, 1908.

Stephen B. Austin,
Point Rock, Ala.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why you were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Were you held as a slave? If so, were you owned by White people or Indians?

Why were your parents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees? Did they live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names and state when and where they were paid.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 21 1908

No.

J. H. GREGORY
ATTORNEY AT LAW
SCOTTSBORO, ALA.

May 19 1908

Heard

34442

Dear Sir:-

In answer to your letter of the 13 will state I do not know why I was not enrolled in 1851 with the Eastern Cherokees. I was never a slave. My father lived with the Cherokees when they left this Country and came from Georgia as far as Guntersville Ala with them when they left but left them and went back to Georgia. I do not know whether my father was ever enrolled with the Cherokees. I had an aunt a sister of my father --- Austin who married man named Garrett who shared in a payment to the Cherokees it was in Forsyth Co Ga.

I have a brother in the Indian territory who received his allotment of lands with the Cherokees. This shows that my claim as to blood is all right.

Yours truly,

Stephen B Austin
Paint Rock

Ala

Appl. #34442

Stephen B. Austin being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Stephen B. Austin. I live at Paint Rock, Ala. I was born in 1843 in ~~the~~ Presidio County, Ga. I claim through my father and his father. I claim to be connected to the Cherokee tribe. My father told me that we had Cherokee blood. My ~~father~~ died in 1863. He was born in 1822. He was born in N. C. My grandfather came from N. C. to Ga. when my father was not grown. My father and his father were recognized as mixed breeds, part Indian and part white. They did not associate with the Indians much. My father came down here to Gunterville here with the Indians when they went west, but he turned around and went back. I don't know why he went back. They did not make him go, because he did not have to. He was living in Ga. when the Indians went away from there. My ~~grandfather~~ father's aunt, Linda Garret, I think got some money from the Indians. I don't know why only they said she was entitled to it. She was living in Presidio County then. Her name was Garret at the time she got this money. Her maiden name was Austin. I never heard of my father and grandfather being enrolled with any tribe or Indians. I never heard of my father or grandfather taking any part in tribal proceedings. I never heard of my father or grandfather living with the tribe. The Indians were around there. In 1882 I was living down here at Paint Rock. I never heard of any enrollment at that time. If my father ever tried to be enrolled, I don't know it. He never got any money or land from the Government. I never heard my father speak of a treaty that the Govt made with the Indians in 1835. I don't know whether my father voted or not. ~~My father~~ I have a brother, Davis Austin, and a sister, Mary Wright, her name was Austin at that time, living in Okla. who received an allotment of land.

Stephen B. Austin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of June, 1908
at Scottsboro, Ala.

Asst't to Special Commissioner
U. S. Court of Claims.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 7 1909

No.

Washington, D. C. August 6th, 1909.

Honorable Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner to the Court of Claims,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have just been advised of the rejection of the claim of Mr. Stephen B. Austin, of Paint Rock, Alabama in the Eastern Cherokee Enrollment. Mr. Austin is a constituent and friend of mine,--a man unquestionably of Indian blood, and I had entertained great hopes of seeing his name included in the Enrollment. He has a brother in the West, that has, on account of his Indian blood, received at the hands of the Government, certain lands.

Mr. George MacDonald of 606 F., Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., is looking after Mr. Austin's interest in this connection, and, I sincerely hope that you will most carefully re-consider such evidence as is presented in support of Mr. Austin's claim, and unless entirely inconsistent with your duties, I hope that you will see proper to replace his name in the Enrollment.

I am with great respect,

William Richardson

WR

App. No. 34442.

August 11, 1909.

Honorable William Richardson,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of August 6, 1909, making inquiry as to the application of Stephen B. Austin for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund.

Mr. George McDonald has called to see me in regard to this case and I have given it careful consideration, but I do not see how it would be possible for me to change my decision.

Mr. Austin is no doubt, as you suggest, an Indian descendant but seemed to have been entirely unable to establish the fact of Eastern Cherokee descent under the terms of the decree of the Court of Claims.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

GM:MLC

No. 34443

Action: *Admitted*

Name *Edward W. Russell* and — children. Residence: *Wasso, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Grand-nephew of # 159, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

Father of applicant, enrolled by Chapman No. 2031.

34443

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Edward W. 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

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No.

34443

**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: Edward W. Russell

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Owasso

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 22 years Born January the 9-1885

6. Where were you born? Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Gertie Russell 21 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 H. Russell

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mary Russell

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Mary Charles

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

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

Father: in Georgia

Mother: Not Born

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 in Georgia in 1851, and he is on

all the Cherokee Rolls Except the Old Settler Roles

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>deceased</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>William G. Russell</u>	<u>Harvy M. Charles</u>
<u>Susan Russell</u>	<u>Jane Charles</u>

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)	<u>John R. Russell</u>	<u>died October 8-1874</u>
(2)	<u>William H. Russell</u>	<u>Owasso I.T.</u>
(3)	<u>Mary E. Robbs</u>	<u>Porum I. T.</u>
(4)	<u>Martha J. Marshall</u>	<u>Temple. Texas</u>
(5)	<u>Walter R. Russell</u>	<u>Died Aucust 1894</u>
(6)	<u>Fannie L. Higgins</u>	<u>Dead September 3-1899</u>
	<u>Robert L. Russell</u>	<u>CLAREMORE 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: in 1891-1894 and I am Enrolled by the Commission for land and have filed on my Land

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 Fathers Application NO 2075

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 Edward W. Russell)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Aug. 1907.

John W. Key
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb'y 3rd 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 Robert L. Russell

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

that they are well acquainted with Edward W. Russell

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

9 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 L. Russell
Tom Galcatcher

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

My commission expires

January the 11th 1909

W J Dodson
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. 34444.....

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

Name.....Chas. S. Roberts.....and.....X.....children. Residence :.....Indianapolis, Ind.....

Reasons :

Son of #34949

No. 34444
Name. Chase & Robt. Co.
With No. 21749
Remarks:

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No. 31111

Chas. Roberts

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Chas. Roberts

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No.

34949

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: Chas. S. Roberts

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: 1719 Alford St. Indianapolis Ind.

3. County: Marion County

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 29 yrs. Born Feb. 27, 1878.

6. Where were you born? Indianapolis Ind.

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: Chas. Edward Roberts

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Georgia Roberts

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Georgia Ross

12. Where were they born?

Father: Bedford Ind. Lawrence County

Mother: Shelbyville Kentucky

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

Father: Before birth Born in 1854.
 Mother: Before birth. Born in 1857.

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)	<u>Alethea Byrd</u> <u>Indianapolis, Ind</u>	<u>1879</u>	
(2)	<u>Theodore Roberts (Crossen)</u>	<u>Feb 1882</u>	<u>Dec. 1882</u>
(3)	<u>Gertrude Roberts (Crossen)</u> <u>Indianapolis, Ind</u>	<u>1885</u>	
(4)	<u>Maurice Roberts (Crossen)</u> <u>Indianapolis, Ind</u>	<u>1887</u>	
(5)	<u>Elmer Roberts (Crossen)</u> <u>Indianapolis, Ind</u>	<u>1889</u>	

My grandmother first married John Roberts. My father and three other children were born to them. She afterwards married a Crossen and my father was commonly called Crossen his step father's name. Hence I am commonly called Crossen.

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 Roberts</u>	<u>John Ross</u>
<u>Indian name unknown</u>	
<u>Maria Roberts</u>	<u>Jane Ross</u>
<u>No Indian name</u>	

18. Where were they born? John Roberts in N. Carolina; Maria Roberts, Salem, Ind.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? John Roberts in North Carolina, Maria Roberts in Salem Ind. John + Jane Ross in Kentucky

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

- (1) Charles E. Roberts Indianapolis, Ind
- (2) Mary E. Mays Indianapolis, Ind
- (3) Ella L. Walden Indianapolis, Ind
- (4) Anna Laura Walker Indianapolis, Ind
- (5) Thomas F. Crossen Indianapolis, Ind
- (6) Joseph L. Crossen California
- 7. Stella Crossen Deceased
- 8. Kate G. Harper Indianapolis, Ind.

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 + Maria Roberts;
Jach. Benj. Roberts, Indian name Tall Oak and
Delilah Roberts; Tobitha Wilkerson, Indian name Wild Rose

REMARKS.

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

My grandmother was the first daughter of Jach. Benj. Roberts (Tall Oak) a full breed Eastern Cherokee Indian and Delilah Roberts a half breed E. Cherokee Indian.

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

(Signature) Chas. S. Roberts

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

L. J. Boxley
Notary Public

My commission expires June 29th, 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 Chas. S. Roberts and Shel Miller who being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charles Roberts

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 29 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Jones
Shel Miller

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

My commission expires June 29th, 1911, L. J. Boxley
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 28 1908
No. 34444

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FEB 29 1908

Indianapolis, Ind.

Feb. 26, 1908.

Mr. C. M. Miller,

Sir:—

We hold claim cards nos. 34,949; 34,444; 35,701; 34,950, as heirs of the Eastern Cherokee Indians, having not heard from these claimants since August, we desire further information.

Looking to gain further information from you at your earliest convenience,
am yours truly,

Chas. E. Crossin.

1719 Wood St.

Indianapolis,

Ind.

Chas. H. Roberts # 34554

No. 34445.

Action: Rejected.

Name Lucy F. Neighbours and X children. Residence: Afton, Okla.

Reasons:

Niece of #21707 and claims through the same source.

No. 34445

Name. Mary F. Wright

With No. 21707

Remarks:

niece

No. 34445

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Lucy F. Neighbours

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 16 1907
No.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 12 1907
No.

54445E

**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: Lucy F. Neighbours
Indian name: None used
2. Residence and post office: Afton,
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 28 years Born August 12, 1878
6. Where were you born? Delaware District, 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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
Father—English name: Robert B. Neighbours
Indian name: (He was white)
Mother—English name: Nancy C. Neighbours
Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)
Maiden name: Nancy C. Horn
12. Where were they born?
Father: Dont know
Mother: Collin County, Texas. Feb. 2, 1857

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

Father: Born in Alabama in 1850

Mother: Born after 1851.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb. 24, 1901

Mother: Jan. 11, 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: Mother on all rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1878 up to her death

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
#34447 - (1)	Lorine L. Williams Afton, I. T.	Feb. 6, 1880	Living
34446 - (2)	James W. Neighbours Afton, I. T.	Sept. 15, 1883	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.

They were white

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William T. and Margaret Horn
nee Ledbetter.

(Both were Cherokees)

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East

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

Collin County, Texas.

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

(1)	Synthia J. Taylor	Born , 1847, Vinita, I. T.
(2)	Martha Emily Collins	Born 1850, Died about 1880
	Mary E. Neighbours	Born 1852, Died about 1877
(3)	John W. Horn	Born 1854, Living Oakland, Calif.
(4)	Nancy E. Neighbours (Mother)	Born 1857, Died 1886
	Susan L. Brown	Born 1858, Living, Pryor Creek, I. T
(5)	Alicia C. Grace	Born 1860, Living Coweta, I. T.
(6)	Fannie Curtsinger	Born 1868, Living, Pryor Creek, I.T.
	Lawrence Horn	Born 1870, Living, Prosper, Texas.
	Alethia F. Barrett	Born 1870, Living, Pryor Creek, 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: 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 Maternal Great Grand-parents Jeremiah and Alcie Horn, nee Hicks and Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty, both ^{years} Grand-fathers were white.

REMARKS.

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

My Maternal Great great Grand-father was William Hicks.
After the death of my Great Grand-father, Daniel Ledbetter in 1845 my Great Grand-mother, Cynthia Ledbetter married my Great Grand-father, Jeremiah Horn.

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

(Signature Lucy F. Neighbours)

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

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. J. Melton

and J. H. Melton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lucy F. Neighbours

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

[Signatures]

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

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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[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.

App. No. 34445.

August 30, 1907.

Lucy F. Neighbours,
Afton, Indian Territory.

Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 34445, which is returned herewith.

You will note that, although the Notary Public has affixed his seal, he has neglected to sign his name.

Kindly have the proper signature made and return to this Office without delay.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

TEA

Enclosure.

No. 34446.

Action: Rejected.

Name: James W. Neighbours and X children. Residence: Afton, Okla.

Reasons:

Nephew of #21707 and claims through the same source.

34446

No. 34446^T
34447

Name

With No. 34445

Remarks:

Spent Night on
arriving at home

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34446

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF
OF

James W. Neighbours

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

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG. 15 1907
No

34446

**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 W. Neighbours
 - Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Afton,
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 23 years Born Sept. 15, 1883
6. Where were you born? Delaware District, Cherokee Nation
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Muta A. Neighbours age 21 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>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: Robert E. Neighbours
 - Indian name: (He was white)
 - Mother—English name: Nancy C. Neighbours
 - Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)
 - Maiden name: Nancy C. Horn
12. Where were they born?
 - Father: Alabama
 - Mother: Collin County, Texas, Feb. 2, 1857

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

Father: Born in Alabama in 1850

Mother: Born after 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb. 24, 1901

Mother: Jan. 11, 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: Mother on all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1878 to her death.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lucy F Neighbours</u> <u>Afton, I. T.</u>	<u>Aug. 12, 1878</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Lorine L. Williams</u> <u>Afton, I. T.</u>	<u>Feb. 6, 1880</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.

They were white

William T. and Margaret Horn

nee Ledbetter.

(Both Cherokees)

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East

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

Collin County, Texas.

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

(1)	<u>Synthia J. Taylor</u>	<u>Born 1847, Living, Vinita, I. T</u>
(1)	<u>Martha Emily Collins</u>	<u>Born 1850, Died about 1880</u>
(2)	<u>Mary E. Neighbours</u>	<u>Born 1852, Died 1877</u>
(3)	<u>John W. Horn</u>	<u>Born 1854, Living, Oakland, Cal</u>
(3)	<u>Nancy E. Neighbours (Mother)</u>	<u>Born 1857, Died 1886</u>
	<u>Susan L. Brown</u>	<u>Born 1858, Living, Pryor Creek</u>
(4)	<u>Aleis C. Grace</u>	<u>Born 1860, Living, Coweta, I. T</u>
	<u>Fannie Curtsinger</u>	<u>Born 1868, Living, Pryor Creek</u>
(5)	<u>Lawrence Horn</u>	<u>Born 1870 Living, Prosper, Tex</u>
(6)	<u>Alethia F. Barrett</u>	<u>Born 1870, Living, Pryor Creek</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: 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 Maternal Great Grand-parents were Jeremiah and Alcic Horn nee Hicks and Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty, both Great Grand-fathers were white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835.

REMARKS.

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

My Maternal Great great grand-father was William Hicks. After the death of my Great Grand-father, Daniel Ledbetter in 1845 my Great Grand-mother, Cynthia Ledbetter married my great Grand-father, Jeremiah Horn.

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

(Signature) James W. Neighbours

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

J. C. Barry
Notary Public.

My commission expires

September 5th, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me T. A. Jackson

and J. T. McAffrey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James W. Neighbours

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 17 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

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

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

Signatures of witnesses:

T. A. Jackson
J. T. McAffrey

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Melton
J. C. Barry

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

My commission expires

September 5th, 1908.

J. C. Barry
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. 34447.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Laurine L. Williams and ^x children. Residence: Afton, Okla.

Reasons:

Niece of #21707 and claims through the same source.

Miss

No. 34447

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF
OF

Laurine L. Williams

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 12 1907
No.

Williams

**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: Laurine L. Williams

Indian name: None used

2. Residence and post office: Aston, I.

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 27 years Born Feb. 6, 1880

6. Where were you born? Delaware District, Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: W. E. Williams age 31 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: Robert B. Neighbours

Indian name: (He was white)

Mother—English name: Nancy C. Neighbours,

Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)

Maiden name: Nancy C. Horn

12. Where were they born?

Father: Dont know

Mother: Collin County, Texas. Feb, 1857

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

Father: Born in Alabama in 1850

Mother: Born in 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb. 24, 1901

Mother: Jan. 11, 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: Mother on all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation from about 1878 up to her death.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lucy F. Neighbours</u> <u>Afton, I. T.</u>	<u>Aug. 12, 1878</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>James W. Neighbours</u> <u>Afton, I. T.</u>	<u>Sep. 15, 1883</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.

They were white

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William T. and Margaret Horn

nee Ledbetter

(Both Cherokees)

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East

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

Collin County, Texas.

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

(1)	<u>Synthia J. Taylor</u>	<u>Vinita, I. T.</u>
	<u>Martha E Collins</u>	<u>Died about 1880</u>
(2)	<u>Mary E. Neighbours</u>	<u>Died about 1877</u>
(3)	<u>John W. Horn</u>	<u>Oakland, Calif.</u>
	<u>Nancy E. Neighbours (Mother)</u>	<u>Died 1886</u>
(4)	<u>Susan L. Brown</u>	<u>Pryor Creek, I. T.</u>
(5)	<u>Alecia C. Grace</u>	<u>Coweta, I. T.</u>
	<u>Fannie Curtsinger</u>	<u>Pryor Creek, I. T.</u>
(6)	<u>Lawrence Horn</u>	<u>Prosper, Texas.</u>
	<u>Alethia F. Barrett.</u>	<u>Pryor Creek, 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: **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 Maternal Great Grandparents were Jeremiah and Alcie Horn nee Hicks and Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty, both great grand-fathers were white.**

REMARKS.

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

My Maternal Great Great Grand-father was William Hicks.

After the death of my Great Grand-father, Daniel Ledbetter in 1845 my Great Grand-mother, Cynthia Ledbetter married my Great Grand-father, Jeremiah Horn.

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

(Signature *Laurine F. Williams*)

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

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me **W. J. Melton**

and **J. H. Melton**, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with **Laurine F. Williams**

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

[Signatures of W. J. Melton and J. H. Melton]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this **24th.** day of **August** 1907.

My commission expires

Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909 190

[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.

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App. No. 34447

August 30, 1907.

Laurina L. Williams,
Afton, Indian Territory.

Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 34447, which is returned herewith.

You will note that, while the Notary Public has affixed his seal, he has neglected to sign his name.

Please have the proper signature made and return to this Office without delay.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

No. 34448.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Isabella R. Tard and 3 children. Residence: Afton, Okla.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21707 and claims through the same source.

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No. 34448-34454

Name

With No. 34445

Remarks:

Sealed in box
At the 3rd floor
for a doctor
My name is Allen
No. 71 No. 1
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No. 34413

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Isabella R. Ward

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

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U.S. CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907

34413

**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: Issabella R. Ward
Indian name: None used
2. Residence and post office: Afton,
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 49 years Born August 23, 1857
6. Where were you born? Collin County, Texas.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: T. J. Ward age 56 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) John D. Ward	30 years	Nov. 23, 1876
#34451	(1) Minneola Allen	29 years	Feb. 18, 1878
#34452	(2) Lela M. Ward	27 years	Apr. 18, 1880
#34450	(3) Genobia A. Douthitt	25 years	Mar. 28, 1882
34449	(4) Alethia B. Allen	23 years	Mar. 3, 1884
#34454	(5) Carrie M. Ward	21 years	April 12, 1886
#34452	(5) Lena N. Ward	18 years	Sep. 18, 1888
	(6) Ida B. Ward	12 years	July 16, 1895
	(6) Robert L. Ward	9 years	Dec. 21, 1897

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

Father—English name: John D. Ledbetter
Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)
Mother—English name: Mary E. Ledbetter
Indian name: (She was white)
Maiden name: Mary E. Dial

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation Nov. 1, 1834
Mother: Dont know

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

Father: Collin County, Texas

Mother: Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1862

Mother: 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 on the Emigrant Cherokee roll of 1851, then living in Collin County, Texas.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>None 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.

Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter
nee Daugherty.

They were white.

He was white.

18. Where were they born? Paternal Grand-mother in Cherokee Nation, Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Paternal Grand-father died 1845. Grand-mother living in Collin County, Texas.

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

(1) Margaret Horn Born 1830, Prosper, Texas.

(2) Sarah Elizabeth Sublet Born 1831, Died 1861

(3) John D. Ledbetter (Father) Born 1834, Died 1862

(4) Alethia Ann Pate Born 1836, Died 1902.

(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 was admitted to citizenship in the

Cherokee Nation about 1884 and have been on all Cherokee rolls since that time, 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 Grand-parents, Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835 he died about 1845.

REMARKS.

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

This application is made in behalf of my two minor children, Ida B. and Robert L. Ward.

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

(Signature) Isabella R. Ward

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

A. Smith
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. J. Melton

and J. H. Melton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Issabella R. Ward

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Melton
J. H. Melton

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

My commission expires

Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909 190 .

A. 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.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. NOV 15 1907
No. 34448

Receipts &
circ. let.
Gov. id.

NOV 16 1907

Atton, S.F. Nov. 12-1907

Mr. G. J. Miller

Dear Sir, - We received our numbers
for application for participation in the
Eastern Cherokee money but have
lost them. Will you please send
them again for Lela M. Ward, Carrie M.
Ward, Lena M. Ward and myself.

I shall be so much obliged to you.
Very Respectfully

34445.

Mrs. Isabelle R. Ward

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Waverille N.C.
Mr. Guyon Miller
Special Commissioner
Dear Sir in June
the 2nd you said that
my test name was
at hand and as
it was not suitable
but you to reach
a consideration
you would notify
me to meet your
assistant at some
convenience please
and I have had
no notes yet

so I please sit
me and let me
no how you
have considered
my case
your truly
Isabell Rice Ward

21787.

we are proud
of our new
president

COURT OF CLAIMS
EMERSON CHEROKEES.
Dec. 13 1904
No. 34448

circ. let
NOV 15 1904

No. 34449.

Action: Rejected.

Name Alethis B. Allen and 1 children. Residence: Afton, Okla.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21707 and claims through the same source.

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No. 34449

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

Alethia B. Allen

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: **Alethia B. Allen**

Indian name: **None**

2. Residence and post office: **Afton,**

3. County: **Cherokee Nation**

4. State: **Indian Territory**

5. How old are you? **23 years** Born **Mar. 3, 1884**

6. Where were you born? **Coowescoowee District, Cherokee Nation**

7. Are you married? **Yes**

8. Name and age of wife or husband: **Charles E. Allen age 24 yers**

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)	Kenneth Allen	3 years	June 1, 1904
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: **T. J. Ward**

Indian name: **(He is white)**

Mother—English name: **Isabella R. Ward**

Indian name: **(Emigrant Cherokee)**

Maiden name: **Isabella R. Ledbetter**

12. Where were they born?

Father: **Georgia**

Mother: **Collin County, Texas.**

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

Father: **Dont know**
Mother: **Born after 1851, Aug. 23, 1857**

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: **Living at Afton, I. T.**
Mother: **Living at Afton, 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 on all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1884 and is a Cherokee allottee.**

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

NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1) John D. Ward	Nov. 23, 1876	Afton, I. T.
Minneola Allen	Feb. 18, 1878	Afton, I. T.
(2) Lela M. Ward	Apr. 18, 1880	Afton, I. T.
Genobia A. Douthitt	Mar. 28, 1882	Bluejacket, I. T.
(3) Carrie M. Ward	Apr. 12, 1886	Afton, I. T.
Lena . Ward	Sep. 18, 1888	Afton, I. T.
(4) Ida B. Ward	July 16, 1895	Afton, I. T.
Robert L. Ward	Dec. 21, 1897	Afton, I. T.
(5) .....	.....	.....
(6) .....	.....	.....

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

They were whites

MOTHER'S SIDE.

**John D. and Mary E. Dedbetter
nee Dial.**

(She was white)

18. Where were they born? **Grand-father in Cherokee Nation, Nov. 1, 1834**

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

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

(1) **Isabella R. Ward (My Mother)** **Living at Afton, I. T.**
(2) **My Mother had two sisters younger than herself**
(3) **who died in infancy.**
(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: On all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since I was born and am a Cherokee abobotee.
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 Maternal Great Grand-parents were Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty, he was white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835. He died about 1845.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)
After the death of my Great Grand-father, Daniel Ledbetter about 1845, My great Grnad-mother Cynthia Ledbetter married Jeremiah Horn, her name was Horn in 1851.

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

(Signature Alethia B. Allen)

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

[Signature]
 Notary Public.

My commission expires
 Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. J. Melton

and J. H. Melton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Alethia B. Allen

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

herslef to be, 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.

[Signatures]

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

My commission expires
 Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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[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. 34450.

Action: Rejected.

Name Genobia A. Douthitt and ~~X~~ children. Residence: Bluejacket, Okla.

Reasons:

Second cousin of #34445 and claims through the same source.

Daughter of #34448

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No. 34450

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Genobia A. Douthitt

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 16 1907
No.
No.

34450

**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: Genobia A. Douthitt

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Bluejacket,

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 25 years Born Mar. 28, 1882

6. Where were you born? Denton County, Texas.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Allie E. Douthitt age 26 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: T. J. Ward

Indian name: (He is white)

Mother—English name: Isabella R. Ward

Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)

Maiden name: Isabella Ledbetter

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Collin County, Texas.

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

Father: Dont know
Mother: Born after 1851, Aug. 23, 1867

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Afton, I. T.
Mother: Living at Afton, 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 on all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1884 and is a Cherokee allottee

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	John D. Ward	Nov. 23, 1876	Afton, I. T.
	Minneola Allen	Feb. 18, 1878	Afton, I. T.
(2)	Lela M. Ward	Apr. 18, 1880	Afton, I. T.
	Alethia B. Allen	Mar. 3, 1884	Afton, I. T.
(3)	Carrie M. Ward	Apr. 12, 1886	Afton, I. T.
	Lena N. Ward	Sep. 18, 1888	Afton, I. T.
(4)	Ida B. Ward	July 16, 1895	Afton, I. T.
	Robert L. Ward	Dec. 21, 1897	Afton, I. T.
(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>They were white</u>	<u>John D. and Mary E. Ledbetter</u>
	<u>nee Dial</u>
	<u>(She was white)</u>

18. Where were they born? Grand-father in Cherokee Nation Nov. 1, 1834

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

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

(1) Isabella R. Ward (My Mother) Living at Afton, I. T.
(2) My Mother had two sisters younger than herself
(3) who died in infancy.
(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: On all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1884 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 Maternal Great Grand-parents were Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty he was white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835, he died about 1845.

REMARKS.

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

After the death of my Great Grand-father, Daniel Ledbetter about 1845, my Great Grand-mother, Cynthia Ledbetter married Jeremiah Horn, her name was Horn in 1851.

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

(Signature Genobia A. Douthitt)

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

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 13th

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 J. Melton

and J. H. Melton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Genobia A. Douthitt

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.

[Signatures of W. J. Melton and J. H. Melton]

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

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

1907

[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. 34451.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Minneola Allen and ^x children. Residence: Afton, Okla.

Reasons:

Second cousin of #21707 and claims through the same source.

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Allen

34451

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Minneola Allen

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
AUG 13 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: Minneola Allen

Indian name: None used

2. Residence and post office: Afton,

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 29 years Born Feb. 18, 1878

6. Where were you born? Denton County, Texas.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: E. V. Allen age 40 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: T. J. Ward

Indian name: (he is white)

Mother—English name: Isabella R. Ward

Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)

Maiden name: Isabella R. Ledbetter

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Collin County, Texas.

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

Father: Dont know
Mother: Born after 1851, Aug. 23, 1857

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Afton, I. T.
Mother: Living at Afton, 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 on all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1884 and is a Cherokee Allottee.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	John D. Ward	Nov. 23, 1876	Afton, I. T.
	Lela M. Ward	Apr. 18, 1880	Afton, I. T.
(2)	Genobia A. Douthitt	Mar. 28, 1882	Bluejacket, I. T.
	Alethia B. Allen	Mar. 3, 1884	Afton, I. T.
(3)	Carrie M. Ward	Apr. 12, 1886	Afton, I. T.
	Lena N. Ward	Sep. 18, 1888	Afton, I. T.
(4)	Ida B. Ward	July 16, 1895	Afton, I. T.
	Robert L. Ward	Dec. 21, 1897	Afton, I. T.
(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>They were whites</u>	<u>John D. and Mary E. Ledbetter</u>
	<u>nee Dial.</u>
	<u>(She was white)</u>

18. Where were they born? Grand-father in Cherokee Nation, Nov. 1, 1834

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

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

- (1) Isabella R. Ward (My Mother) Living at Afton, I. T.
- (2) My Mother had two sisters younger than herself
- (3) both of whom died in infancy
- (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: On all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1888 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 Maternal Great Grand-parents were Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty, he was white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835. He died about 1848

REMARKS.

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

After the death of my Great Grand-father Dainiel Ledbetter about 1848 my Great Grand-mother, Cynthia Ledbetter married Jeremiah Horn, her name was Horn in 1851.

On some of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation my name appears as Minnie O. Ward

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

(Signature Minnie Allen)

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

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. J. Melton

and J. H. Melton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Minnie Allen

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.

[Signature]
[Signature]

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

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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[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. 34452.

Action: Rejected.

Name Lena N. Ward and X children. Residence: Afton, Okl a.

Reasons:

Second cousin of #21707 and claims through the same source.

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No. 34452

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF
OF

Lena N. Ward

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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34452

**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: Lena N. Ward
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Afton,
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 18 years Born Sept. 18, 1888
6. Where were you born? Delaware District, 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)			
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
Father—English name: T. J. Ward
Indian name: (He is white)
Mother—English name: Isabella R. Ward
Indian name: (Eastern Cherokee)
Maiden name: Isabella Ledbetter
12. Where were they born?
Father: Georgia
Mother: Collin County, Texas.

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

Father: Dont know

Mother: Born after 1851, Aug. 23, 1857

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Afton, I. T.

Mother: Living at Afton, 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 on all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1884 and is a Cherokee allottee,

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	John D. Ward	Nov. 23, 1876	Afton, I. T.
	Minneola Allen	Feb. 18, 1878	Afton, I. T.
(2)	Lela M. Ward	Apr. 18, 1880	Afton, I. T.
	Genobia A. Douthitt	Mar. 28, 1882	Bluejacket, I. T.
(3)	Alethia B. Allen	Mar. 3, 1884	Afton, I. T.
	Carrie M. Ward	April 12, 1886	Afton, I. T.
(4)	Ida B. Ward	July 16, 1895	Afton, I. T.
	Robert L. Ward	Dec. 21, 1897	Afton, I. T.
(5)			
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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.

They were whites

John D. and Mary E. Ledbetter
nee Dial.

(She was white)

18. Where were they born? Grand-father in Cherokee Nation Nov. 1, 1874

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

Collin County, Texas.

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

(1) Isabella R. Ward (Mother) Living at Afton, I. T.

(2) My Mother had two sisters younger than herself who died in infancy.

(3)

(4)

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(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 of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since my birth 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 Maternal Great Grand-parents were Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty, he was white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835, he died about 1845.**

REMARKS.

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

After the death of my Great grand-father, Daniel Ledbetter about 1845, my great grand-mother, Cynthia Ledbetter married Jeremiah Horn, her name was Horn in 1851.

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 24th. day of July 1907.

[Handwritten Signature]
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. J. Melton
and J. H. Melton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Lena N. Ward
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

[Handwritten Signatures of Witnesses]

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

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

[Handwritten 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. 34453.

Action: Rejected.

Name Lela M. Ward and X children. Residence: Afton, Okla.

Reasons:

Second cousin of #21707 and claims through the same source.

2nd Edition

No. 34453

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

Lola M. Ward

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

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BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
WASHINGTON, D.C.

34453

**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: Lela M. Ward
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Afton, I. T.
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 27 years Born April 18, 1880
6. Where were you born? Denton 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)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: T. J. Ward
Indian name: (he is white)

Mother—English name: Isabella R. Ward
Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)
Maiden name: Isabella R. Ledbetter
12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia
Mother: Collin County, Texas.

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

Father: Dont know

Mother: Born after 1851, Aug. 23, 1857

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Afton, I. T.

Mother: Living at Afton, 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 on all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1884 and is a Cherokee allottee.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>John D. Ward</u>	<u>Nov. 23, 1876</u>	<u>Afton, I. T.</u>
	<u>Minneola Allen</u>	<u>Feb. 18, 1888</u>	<u>Afton I. T.</u>
(2)	<u>Genobia A. Douthitt</u>	<u>Mar. 28, 1882</u>	<u>Bluejacket, I. T.</u>
	<u>Alethia B. Allen</u>	<u>Mar. 3, 1884</u>	<u>Afton, I. T.</u>
(3)	<u>Carrie M. Ward</u>	<u>Apr. 12, 1886</u>	<u>Afton, I. T.</u>
	<u>Lena N. Ward</u>	<u>Sep. 18, 1888</u>	<u>Afton, I. T.</u>
(4)	<u>Ida B. Ward</u>	<u>July 16, 1895</u>	<u>Afton, I. T.</u>
	<u>Robert L. Ward</u>	<u>Dec. 21, 1897</u>	<u>Afton, I. T.</u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
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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.

They were whites

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John D. and Mary E. Ledbetter
nee Dial

(She was white)

18. Where were they born? Grand-father in Cherokee Nation Nov. 1, 1834

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

Collin County, Texas

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

(1) Isabella R. Ward (My Mother) Living at Afton, I. T.

(2) My Mother had two sisters younger than herself
who died in infancy.

(3)

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(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 of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1864 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 Maternal Great Grand-parents were Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty, he was white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835. He died about 1845

REMARKS.

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

After the death of my Great Grand-father, Daniel Ledbetter about 1845, my Great Grand-mother, Cynthia Ledbetter, married Jeremiah Horn, she was a Horn in 1851.

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

(Signature)

Lela M. Ward

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

C. A. Melton
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. J. Melton

and J. H. Melton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lela M. Ward

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Melton
J. H. Melton

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

My commission expires

Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909, 190 .

C. A. Melton
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. 34454.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Carrie M. Ward and ^x children. Residence: Afton, Okla.

Reasons:

Second cousin of #34454 and claims through the same source.

2nd
Admin

No. 34451

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Carrie M. Ward

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

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BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
WASHINGTON, D.C.

**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: **Cargie M. Ward**

Indian name: **None**

2. Residence and post office: **Afton,**

3. County: **Cherokee Nation**

4. State: **Indian Territory**

5. How old are you? **21 years** Born **April 12, 1886**

6. Where were you born? **Delaware District, 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)	None		
(2)			
(3)			
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(6)			

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

Father—English name: **T. J. Ward**

Indian name: **(He is white)**

Mother—English name: **Isabella R. Ward**

Indian name: **(Emigrant Cherokee)**

Maiden name: **Isabella R. Ledbetter**

12. Where were they born?

Father: **Georgia**

Mother: **Collin County, Texas.**

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

Father: Dont know

Mother: Born after, 1851, Aug. 23, 1857

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Afton, I. T.

Mother: Living at Afton, 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 on all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1884 and is a Cherokee allottee.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	John D. Ward	Nov. 23, 1876	Afton, I. T.
	Minneola Allen	Feb. 16, 1878	Afton, I. T.
(2)	Lela N. Ward	April 18, 1880	Afton, I. T.
	Genobia A. Douthitt	Mar. 28, 1882	Bluejacket, I.T.
(3)	Alathia B. Allen	Mar. 3, 1884	Afton, I. T.
	Lena N. Ward	Sep. 18, 1888	Afton, I. T.
(4)	Ida B. Ward	July 16, 1896	Afton, I. T.
	Robert L. Ward	Dec. 21, 1897	Afton, I. T.
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

They were whites

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John D. and Mary E. Ledbetter
nee Dial

(She was white)

18. Where were they born? Grand-father in Cherokee Nation, Nov. 1, 1834

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

Collin County, Texas.

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

(1) Issabelle R. Ward (My Mother) Living at Afton, I. T.

(2) My Mother had two sisters younger than herself
who died in infancy

(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: **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 Maternal Great Grand-parents, were Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty (He was white) they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835, he died about 1845.**

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)
After the death of my Great Grand-father, Daniel Ledbetter, about 1845, my Great Grand-mother, Cynthia Ledbetter married Jeremiah Horn. Her name was Horn in 1851.

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

(Signature) *Carrie M. Ward.*

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

C. A. Smith
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. J. Melton
and J. H. Melton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Carrie M. Ward
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Melton
J. H. Melton

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

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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C. A. Smith
Notary Public.

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No. 34455

Action: Admitted

Name: Oscar T. Kroelke, 2 children.

Residence: Chelsea, Mass.

Reasons: Son of #8001.

Father of applicant not living
in 1956.

No. 34455

Name Oscar E. Padden

With No. 8001

Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES

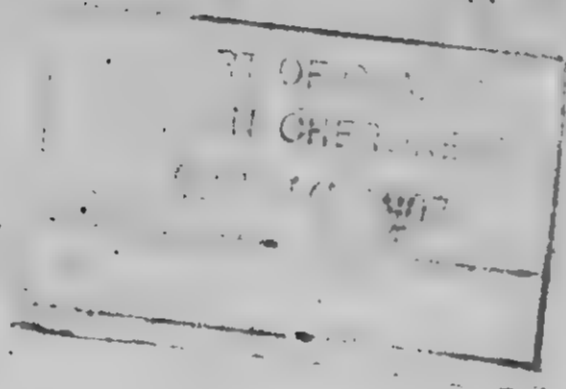
APPLICATION OF

OF

Oscar T. Roddy

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

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34455

**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 T. Roddy

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Chelsea, I. T.

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 25 years Born March 4, 1882

6. Where were you born? James County, Tennessee.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Carrie Roddy age 21 years

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Newton Roddy</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>Jan. 1, 1904</u>
(2)	<u>James Roddy</u>	<u>1 years</u>	<u>Sep. 4 1905</u>
(3)			
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(5)			
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John L. Roddy #8001

Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)

Mother—English name: Rachel Roddy

Indian name: (She is white)

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee, March 27, 1854

Mother: Tennessee

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

Father: **Born after 1851**

Mother: **Born after 1851**

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: **Living at White Oak, I. T.**

Mother: **Living at White Oak, 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: **Not on the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation.**

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
#34456 (1)	Elbert D. Roddy	Dec. 10, 1876	Ooltewah, Tenn.
	Violena K. Waitman	May 20, 1880	Big Cabin, I. T.
#34457 (2)	Lelia J. Roddy	Jan. 23, 1884	Chelsea, I. T.
#34458 -	Sidney L. Roddy	Dec. 13, 1885	Chelsea, I. T.
(3)	Samuel J. Roddy	July 21, 1887	Chelsea, I. T.
	Rosa A. Roddy	Aug. 23, 1889	Chelsea, I. T.
(4)	Alfred C. Roddy	Jan. 15, 1892	Chelsea, I. T.
	Martha B. Roddy	May 2, 1894	Chelsea, I. T.
(5)	Francis H. Roddy	June 1, 1902	Chelsea, I. T.
(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.

Thomas and Zerelda Roddy

They were white

nee Yarnell

(He was white)

18. Where were they born? **Cherokee Nation East, Tennessee**

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? **Cherokee Nation East, Tennessee.**

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

(1) **John L. Roddy (My Father)** **White Oak, I. T.**

(2) **He was the only child**

(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: Not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the 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: My Great Grand-parents on my Fathers side were John L. and Jane Isabella Yarnell, he was white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim).
For any further information see the application of my Father, John L. Roddy, No. 8001, White Oak, I. T.

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

(Signature) Oscar T. Roddy.

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

Charles D. Sullivan
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 7th 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 J. W. Harris
and A. L. Pitts, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Oscar T. Roddy 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 him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Harris
A. L. Pitts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

C. A. Muck
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. 34456.

Action: *Admitted.*

Name: *Albert W. Ruddy*, and *3* children.

Residence: *Cottman's Ferry.*

Reasons: *Son of ~~the~~ *Pool*.*

*Father of applicant not living
in 1867.*

34456

No. 344-6

Name *Albert J. Prady*

With No. 8001

Remarks:

34456

MAR 15 1910

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Treasury Warrant No. 11139-60-61-62
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 2155-86-87-88
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.

Elbert D. Roddy

34456
No. *Sund 8001*
EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Elbert D. Roddy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No.

578E

**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: Elbert D. Roddy
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Ooltewah
3. County: James County
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 30 years Born Dec. 10, 1876
6. Where were you born? James County, Tenn.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lizzie Roddy age 26 years *is Dan Born 13-1881*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She is white.

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jessie R. Roddy</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10th Nov 1897</u>
(2)	<u>Leta M. Roddy</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>25th July 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Ralph Roddy</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>17 July 1902</u>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

Father—English name: John L. Roddy
Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)
Mother—English name: Rachel Roddy
Indian name: (She was white)
Maiden name: Rachel Newman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee, March 27, 1854
Mother: Tennessee

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

Father: Born after 1851
Mother: Born after 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at White Oak, I. T.
Mother: Living at White Oak, 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: Not on the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Violena K. Waitman	May 20, 1880	Big Cabin, I. T.
	Oscar T. Roddy	Mar. 4, 1882	Chelsea, I. T.
(2)	Lelia J. Roddy	Jan. 23, 1884	Chelsea, I. T.
	Sidney L. Roddy	Dec. 13, 1885	Chelsea, I. T.
(3)	Samuel J. Roddy	July 21, 1887	Chelsea, I. T.
	Rosa A. Roddy	Aug. 23, 1889	Chelsea, I. T.
(4)	Alfred C. Roddy	Jan. 15, 1892	Chelsea, I. T.
	Martha B. Roddy	May 2, 1894	Chelsea, I. T.
(5)	Francis H. Roddy	June 1, 1902	Chelsea, I. T.
(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>Thomas and Zekelda Roddy</u>	<u>They were white.</u>
<u>nee Yarnell</u>	
<u>(He was white)</u>	

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East, Tennessee.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation East, Tennessee.

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

(1) John L. Roddy (My Father) White Oak, I. T.
(2) He was the only child.
(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: Not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the 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: My Great Grand-parents on my Fathers side were John L. and Jane Isabella Yarnell, he was white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)
For further information see the application of my Father, John L. Roddy, No. 800L, White Oak, I. T.

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

(Signature) Elbert D. Roddy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of August 1907.

C Cooper

Notary Public.

My commission expires

The 5th August 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

and

A. L. Pitts

J. W. Harris

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

that they are well acquainted with

Elbert D. Roddy

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 him are true, to the best of their

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Harris
A. L. Pitts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

17 JUL 1907

1907.

My commission expires

Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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A. 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.

No. 34457

Action: *Admitted*

Name *Lelia J. Brady* and *X* children.

Residence: *Chelsea, Mass.*

Reasons: *Widower of \$8001.*

*Father of applicant not living
in 1851.*

No. 3447

Name Lucia Rodin

With No. 8015

Remarks:

No. 34457
Daughter of
EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF
OF

Lellia J Roddy

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

6-424

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No.

L-STATE

**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: **Lelia J. Roddy**

Indian name: **None**

2. Residence and post office: **Chelsea,**

3. County: **Cherokee Nation**

4. State: **Indian Territory**

5. How old are you? **23 years** Born **Jan. 23, 1884**

6. Where were you born? **James 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?

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	None		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: **John L. Roddy**

Indian name: **(Emigrant Cherokee)**

Mother—English name: **Rachel Roddy**

Indian name: **(She is white)**

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father: **Tennessee, March 27, 1854**

Mother: **Tennessee**

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

Father: Born after 1851

Mother: Born after 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at White, Oak, I. T.

Mother: Living at White Oak, 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: Not on the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>Elbert D. Roddy</u>	<u>Dec. 10, 1876</u>	<u>Ooltawah, Tenn.</u>
	<u>Violena K. Waitman</u>	<u>May 20, 1880</u>	<u>Big Cabin, I. T.</u>
(2)	<u>Oscar T. Roddy</u>	<u>Mar. 4, 1882</u>	<u>Chelsea, I. T.</u>
	<u>Sidney L. Roddy</u>	<u>Dec. 13, 1885</u>	<u>Chelsea, I. T.</u>
(3)	<u>Samuel J. Roddy</u>	<u>July 21, 1887</u>	<u>Chelsea, I. T.</u>
	<u>Rosa A. Roddy</u>	<u>Aug. 23, 1889</u>	<u>Chelsea, I. T.</u>
(4)	<u>Alfred C. Roddy</u>	<u>Jan. 15, 1892</u>	<u>Chelsea, I. T.</u>
	<u>Martha B. Roddy</u>	<u>May 2, 1894</u>	<u>Chelsea, I. T.</u>
(5)	<u>Francis H. Roddy</u>	<u>June 1, 1902</u>	<u>Chelsea, 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.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas and Zerelda Roddy

They were white

nee Yarnell

(He was white)

(She was Cherokee Indian)

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East, Tennessee

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

Cherokee Nation East, Tennessee

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

(1) John L. Roddy (My Father) White Oak, I. T.

(2) He was the only child

(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: **Not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the 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: **My Great Grand-parents on my Father's side were John L. and Jane Isabella Yarnell, he was white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835.**

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)
For any further information see the application of my Father, John L. Roddy, No. 8001. White Oak, I. T.

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

(Signature) *Lelia J. Roddy*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July 1907.

H. H. Cooper

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1st

1909.

Patterson County Texas

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

J. W. Harris

and

A. L. Pitts

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Lelia J. Roddy

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Harris
A. L. Pitts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

17th

day of

July

1907.

My commission expires

Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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O. 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.

No. 34458.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Sidney R. Roddy and children.

Residence: Chelsea W. Va.

Reasons:

Son of #8001.

Father of applicant not living
in 1850.

No. 34457

Name Sidney L. Rodde

With No. 800

Remarks:

34458

Sidney L. Reddy

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Sidney L. Reddy

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

6-524

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 16 1907

34458

**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: **Sidney L. Roddy**
Indian name: **None used**
2. Residence and post office: **Chelsea,**
3. County: **Cherokee Nation**
4. State: **Indian Territory**
5. How old are you? **21 years** Born **Dec. 13, 1884**
6. Where were you born? **Tennessee, James County**
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)	None		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
Father—English name: **John L. Roddy**
Indian name: **(Emigrant Cherokee)**
Mother—English name: **Rachel Roddy**
Indian name: **She is white**
Maiden name:
12. Where were they born?
Father: **Tennessee March 27, 1854**
Mother: **Tennessee**

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

Father: **Born after 1851**
Mother: **Born after 1851**

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: **Living at White Oak, I. T.**
Mother: **Living at White Oak, 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: **On none of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation.**

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Elbert D. Roddy	Dec. 10, 1876	Ooltewah, Tenn.
	Violena K. Waitman	May 20, 1880	Big Cabin, I. T.
(2)	Oscar T. Roddy	Mar. 4, 1882	Chelsea, I. T.
	Lelia J. Roddy	Jan. 23, 1884	Chelsea, I. T.
(3)	Samuel J. Roddy	July 21, 1887	Chelsea, I. T.
	Rosa A. Roddy	Aug. 23, 1889	Chelsea, I. T.
(4)	Alfred C. Roddy	Jan. 15, 1892	Chelsea, I. T.
	Martha B. Roddy	May 2, 1894	Chelsea, I. T.
(5)	Francis H. Roddy	June 1, 1902	Chelsea, I. T.
(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.
Thomas and Zerelda Roddy	They were whites.
nee Yarnell	
(He was white)	

18. Where were they born? **Cherokee Nation East, Tennessee**

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

Cherokee Nation East, Tennessee

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

(1) **John L. Roddy (My Father)** **White Oak, I. T.**
(2) **(He was the only child)**
(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 not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the 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: My Great Grand-parents on my Fathers side were John L. and Jane Isabella Yarnell, he was white, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)
For any further information see the application of my Father, John L. Roddy, No. 8001, White Oak, I. T.

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

(Signature Sidney L. Roddy)

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

O. A. Smith
 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 J. W. Harris
 and A. L. Pitts, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sidney L. Roddy who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Harris
A. L. Pitts

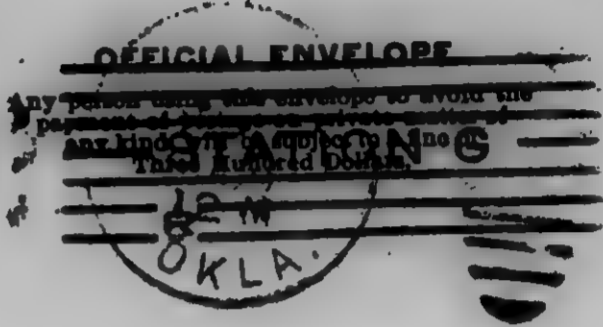
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th. day of July 1907.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

O. A. Smith
 Notary Public.

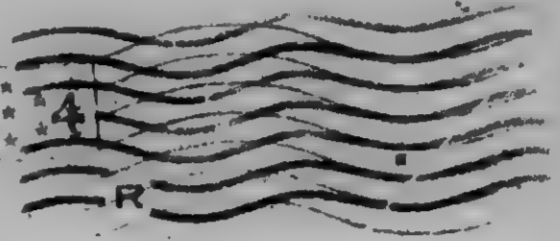
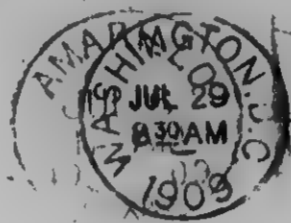
NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

If not called for in 15 days, return to
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



34458

(~~nee~~) ^{now} Sidney I. ~~Reddy~~ - Mrs E. A. Hill House
~~Chicago, Ill.~~
Amarillo
Texas



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

*Andrew J. Paddy,
Chelsea, Okla.*

June 10, 1909.

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

Your number on this roll is 20777

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 34459.

Action: Admitted

Name: Harold E. ~~Stacked~~ ^{Eldridge} and: x children. Residence: Sageeak, Okla.

Reasons:

Nephew of #317 and claims through same source.

No. 34459 (2d)

Name W. E. Stearns

With No. 317

Remarks:

Neplew of # 317.

64459

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Hulda E. Stockton For

Harrold E. Eldridge

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

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. AUG 16 1907. No. _____

6-577E

**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: Hulda E. Stockton (As Legal Guardian)

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Sageehah

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 52 Born August-6- 1855

6. Where were you born? M.O.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J J. Stockton 57 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>Harrold E. Eldridge</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>July-11-1903</u>
(2)	<u>He is my Adopted Child and I do not know his brothers</u>		
(3)	<u>and Sisters names his Father gave him to me when his</u>		
(4)	<u>died I am not a Cherokee my self</u>		
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: His Father is William J. Eldridge

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Lizzie Eldridge

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Lizzie Rose

12. Where were they born?

Father: Indian Territory

Mother: M.O.

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: Living

Mother: July 14- 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: Yes his Father is Enrolled for land and has filed on his land, and I have filed for this Boy

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

this is the Name ^{NAME} of his Fathers Brothers ^{BORN} and Sister ^{DIED}

(1) Clara L. Stockton I Dont Know _____

Copan I.T.

(2) Taylor Eldridge _____

Claremore I.T.

(3) Marti B. Eldridge _____

Claremore I.T.

(4) _____

(5) William J. Eldridge is his Father _____

Oolahah I.T.

(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

Un known to Me

Un known to Me

18. Where were they born? Un known

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

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

(1) Un known to Me _____

(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: This Childs Fatherc is 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.)

This Childs Mother Died when he was Born and his Father gave him to me and the Court has Appointed Me Guardian his Father is a Cherokee and has always been reconised by all the Courts of this country

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

(Signature)

Osbulah E. Stockton

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

W J Dodson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January the 11.th, 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 Frank Moore

and D M. Stockton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Hulda E. Stockton (Guardian)

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 9 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.

Frank Moore
D M Stockton

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

My commission expires

January the 11.th, 1909.

W J Dodson
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. 34460

Action: Admitted

Name: Lida De Mott and 2 children. Residence: Pryor Creek Okla

Reasons: applicant's father enrolled
by Drennon 1851 Del 1001.

34460

No. 34460:

Name Lida D. Demott.

With No. 1375.

Remarks:

No relation to
Cynthia Mann, no one
knows her,

No. 34460

EASTERN CHEROKEES

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APPLICATION

OF

Lida Downing-DeMott

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

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34460

**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: Lidda Downing-DeMott

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: De York Creek, Indian Territory

3. County: _____

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? 23 years Born 1884

6. Where were you born? Delaware District, Indian Territory

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Bert DeMott, a white person

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>Fay DeMott</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>1903 (Dec. 14)</u>
(2)	<u>Emory Ray DeMott</u>	<u>18 months</u>	<u>Dec. 30, 1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: James Downing

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Annie Walker-Downing

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Annie Walker

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory

Mother: Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory

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

Father: ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1888

Mother: Don't know - (about 1891)

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 Roels to his death

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Willie Downing	1882	1886
(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

~~Don't know anything about grandparents~~ Eliza Walker-Ridge

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: On All rolls of Cherokee Nation since birth.

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 do not know anything about my family as my parents died when I was very young. I am informed that my father is on the Eastern Cherokee Roll of 1858, Delaware, Page 250, No. 1001.~~

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

(Signature) Lidda DeMott

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

J M Watts
Notary Public.

My commission expires

3-26, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me E. A. Green
and Lettie Thompson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lidda Downing-DeMott who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known 5 for 20 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.

E. A. Green
Lettie Thompson

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

My commission expires

3-26, 1909. J M Watts
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. 34461.

Action: Rejected.

Name Lewis R. Hollis and 2 children. Residence: Hollis, Okla.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #30138.

No. 34461
Name Lewis R. Holm
With No. 45

Remarks:

34461

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lewis R. Hollis

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

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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: Lewis Robert Hollis

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Hollis Okla

3. County: Greer

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 30 Born March 25, 1877

6. Where were you born? Bour Co, Arkansas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Ellen Hollis (nee) Dennis age 25

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>Roy Lewis Hollis</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Jan 18, 1902.</u>
(2)	<u>Floyd Hollis</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Oct 1, 1904.</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Robert Jesse Hollis

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Easter Paralee Hollis

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Easter Paralee Eddings

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Tennessee

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

Father: Canon County Tennessee

Mother: Canon County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: died April 20 1907.

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>Elizabeth Jane</u>	<u>May 27, 1853</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Martha Melissa</u>	<u>July 3, 1856</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Levi Rayford</u> <u>Dixon Texas</u>	<u>March 23, 1857</u>	_____
(4)	<u>Sarah Louisa</u> <u>Collinsville, T.</u>	<u>Dec 25, 1866</u>	_____
(5)	<u>Mary Catherine</u> <u>Essex, T.</u>	<u>Feb 27, 1869</u>	_____
(6)	<u>Easter Paralee</u> <u>Collinsville T.</u>	<u>Mar 23, 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.

Jesse Hollis Wm Eddings
Nancy Hollis Malinda Eddings (nee) Culp

18. Where were they born? Grandfather Virginia Grandmother Georgia
Don't know where Grand Parents on mother's side were born

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 Eddings
- (2) Wesley Eddings
- (3) Eli Eddings
- (4) Paralee Eddings
- (5) Levi Eddings
- (6) Andrew S. Eddings
Lucie Eddings

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: Grand Parents on mother side were Eddings. On Father's side were Hollis that is as far back as I know

REMARKS.

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

Easter Paralee Hollis is sister to Andrew S. - (-Eddings)

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

(Signature) Lewis Robert Hollis

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

J. L. Rankin
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 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 H. F. Sapp

and Jesse Hollis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lewis Robert Hollis

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 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 his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. F. Sapp

Jesse Hollis

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

My commission expires

Aug 11, 1909.

J. L. Rankin
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 22 1908
No. 34461

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JUN 22 1908

Halls Otha June 16
Union Miller Special
Commissioner I would
be pleased to hear from
my claim No 34461
whether or have lost
or still a chance for
us I know we ought to
have it my Great
Grandfather was a
full blood Cherokee
Indian. please let me
know at once.

Lewis B. Hallie

Halls O.T.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 24 1909
No. 3446 /

*Send
notice*

Hollis Okla

5-20-1909

Union Silver: S B
Kind sir, I would like
to hear from our claim
No (34461) as I haven't
heard any news from
them since, 8/31-1907
of course we are anxious
about it and that
seems quite a while

Lewis R Hollis

Hollis

Okla.

No. 34462

Action: Admitted

Name: Henry C. Byers and X children. Residence: Mc Kay, Okla.

Reasons:

A two times removed cousin of Fanny E. Chandler
(1723)

No. 34462

Name *Henry C. Byrd*

With No. 17213

Remarks :

No. 34462

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Henry C Byers

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 17 1907

34462

**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 C Byers

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Mc Kay

3. County: Sequoyah

4. State: Ind. Territory

5. How old are you? 24

Born Jan 125- 1880

6. Where were you born? Cherokee nation

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: no

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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: William H Byers

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Ellen E Byers

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Ellen E Morris

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee nation

Mother: do

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

Father: NW

Mother: NW

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: on all Rolls since

Borned up to Present Time

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Eliada C Byers ne Peck	Feb 17	1882
	Age 27		
(2)	Charles W Byers	Aug 30	1886
(3)	Sarah A Byers	Sept 29	1888
(4)	Louisa M Byers	Oct 9	1890
(5)	Mary E Byers	Dec 3	1892
	Alpha C Byers	Sept 16	1894
(6)	William E Byers	Jan 17	1897
	John A Byers	Jan 25	1900

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>Charles Byers</u>	<u>Willson Morris</u>
<u>Eliada Byers</u>	<u>Ellen Morris</u>

18. Where were they born? old nation East

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

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

- (1) Willson Byers
- (2) Rena Byers ne Conley
- (3) Ellen Byers ne Vait
- (4) James Byers
- (5) Fannie Byers ne Gilbert
- (6) Eliada Byers
- Lizzie Byers
- Lydia Byers
- Nora Byers

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 strip money in 1894 and allotment of Powell

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) Henry C. Byers,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

James G. Weston
Notary Public.

My commission expires

1-11, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. W. Rader

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

that they are well acquainted with Henry C. Byers

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Rader
Ellis Storer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

1-11, 1908

James G. Weston
Notary Public.

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No. 34463.

Action: Admitted

Name: Mattie Seales and 87 children.

Residence: Flint, Okla.

Reasons: Advice to 867

34463

No. 34463

Name Mattie Scales

With No. 867

Remarks:

Recd. to 1907

No. 34463

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Matter: Scales

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
Recd. AUG 13 1907
No.

20752

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

Sir:

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

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Flint D. T.

3. County: _____

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? 39 Born Feb. 13 1868

6. Where were you born? Flint Creek Indian Terr.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: W. W. Scales - 58

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.
	<u>Grover Scales</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>April 19 1889</u>
(1)	<u>Joseph Scales</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Jan 15 1891</u>
(2)	<u>Hillie Scales</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Oct 5 1893</u>
(3)	<u>Louisa Scales</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Apr. 12 1896</u>
(4)	<u>George Scales</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>June 23 1899</u>
(5)	<u>Ann Scales</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Nov. 22 1903</u>
(6)	<u>Mary Scales</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Dec 19, 1905</u>
(3 children)	<u>Ethel Scales</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>Jan 24 1886</u>

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

Father—English name: J. P. Chandler

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Eliza Chandler

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Eliza Beck

12. Where were they born?

Father: Benton County, Arkansas

Mother: Indian Territory

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

Father: Benton County Arkansas

Mother: Indian Territory

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: died 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: they participated in all payments - with the Cherokees.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Chandler</u>	<u>1870</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>John Beck</u>
	<u>Emily Beck</u>

18. Where were they born? Georgia

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

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: I participated in all payments and allotment of lands. 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: _____

REMARKS.

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

I claim through my great-grand mother Susanna Buffington, who was an Eastern Cherokee.

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

(Signature)

Mattie Seales

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August 1907.

Connelly Farrington
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 24, 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. S. Gibson

and

C. D. Gunter

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

that they are well acquainted with

Mattie Seales

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 23 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.

R. S. Gibson

C. D. Gunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

10-24-07, 190

Connelly Farrington
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.

on May 28, 1906, had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by
are true, and they have no interest whatever in claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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

Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 190_____.

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

No. 34463

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Matthie Scales.

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.

COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

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

1. State your full name: Mattie Scales
2. Residence and post office: Blint D. C.
3. County: _____
4. State: _____
5. Date and place of birth: 1868- Blint Creek
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: H. W. Scales 58
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
	<u>Isaac Scales</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1889</u>
(1)	<u>Joseph "</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1891</u>
(2)	<u>Lillie "</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1893</u>
(3)	<u>Louisa "</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1896</u>
(4)	<u>George "</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1899</u>
(5)	<u>Ann "</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1903</u>
(6)	<u>Mary E "</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1905</u>
	<u>Ethel Scales</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1886</u>

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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 participated with

the 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) Mattie Scales

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August 1907.

Bonnelly Farrington
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

12-24 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 and
..... who, being duly sworn, on oath depose
and say that they are well acquainted with who makes the
foregoing application and statement, and have known for years and years,
respectively, and know to be the identical person represents to be, and that
on May 28, 1906, had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by
..... are true, and they have no interest whatever in claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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

Notary Public.

My commission expires, 190 ..

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

No. 34463

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Mattie Seiber

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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No. 34463

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encl.*

Flint, Okeo.

Aug. 4, '09.

Hon Guion Miller

Dear Sir; - I
have twin babies that were
born April 7th 1908. Will
they be entitled to be placed
on the Emigrant Rolls? I
am on said rolls and also
my other seven minor
children. Please advise me
by return mail. I am

Yours Very Truly,

Mattie Scales.

Flint, Okeo.

Nov. 22nd, 1909.

Mattie Scoles,
Flint, Oklahoma.

Madam:

Relative to the application filed by you for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, I beg to inform you that an exception has been filed by Money A. Beck of Flint, Oklahoma objecting to your enrollment and the enrollment of your children, namely Grover, Joseph, Lilly, Louisa, George, Ann L., Mary and Ethel Scoles. Upon further investigation of your case, it appears that you claim only through your mother, whose maiden name was Eliza Beck, daughter of John and Emery Beck, all of whom are enrolled on the Old Settler roll of 1851 in Going Snake District at group No. 21. It further appears that the father of the children above named is a white man and that they claim only through you. Under the Decree of the Court, Old Settlers are not entitled to participate in this fund. It further appears that you make no claim through your father, J. P. Chandler who is only an adopted citizen. You are advised therefore that your name and the names of your children will be stricken from the roll and you and they will be referred to the United States Court of Claims as not entitled to share in the Eastern Cherokee fund.

Very respectfully,

CHB/MSM

Special Commissioner.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 34463

Key

Row, Okla.

Dec. 16, '09.

Mr. Guion Miller,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:- Yours of
Nov. 22 received, stating
that myself and 8 children
are to be stricken from
the Emigrant Roll, on the
ground that my mother
was an Old Settler.

I claimed through
my great grandmother,
Susana Buffington,
who is on the Emigrant
Roll.

I did not receive notice.

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of any conditions being
filed till about Nov. 25.

The exceptions to the con-
ditions should have been
filed prior to Nov. 15,
and not getting any notice,
except the final notice.
I was unable to file ex-
ceptions before Nov. 15.

Will I now be allowed
to file exceptions and
have a re hearing?

I would have filed
exceptions before Nov. 15.
if I would have been
notified of objections being
made.

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Please write me in
regard to the above.

Yours very truly,
Mattie Seales.

App. No. 34463.

December 20, 1909.

Mattie Scales,

Row,

Oklahoma.

Madam:

This morning I mailed you a notice that exceptions to my report were finally set down by the Court for hearing on January 10, 1910.

As you were originally enrolled there would be no necessity for you to have filed an exception, and you will be privileged to present your case to the Court at that time, if you feel that you are entitled to participate in the fund.

As you will see from the inclosed abstract of the decree of the Court of Claims the Old Settler Cherokees were expressly excluded from the benefit of this fund.

It appears from your application that your father was a white man, and that you claim only through your mother, who was enrolled as an Old Settler, in Going Snake District, Group 21, in 1851. This brings your case directly within the decree of the Court, which excludes Old Settlers from participating in the fund.

The fact that you had a remote ancestor, who was an Emigrant Cherokee, would not entitle you to share since you have

to trace through your mother, who was an Old Settler.

Very respectfully,

No. 34464

Action: Reject

Name: Mary O'Killeam and 1 children.

Residence: Ballisaw, Okla.

Reasons:

Cousin of #2837.

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No. 34464

Name Mary O. Kellam

With No. 2837

Remarks:

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Mary Q. Killeam

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

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U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS
AND GENERAL ACCOUNTS
REC. AUG 13 1907
No. _____

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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: Mary Q. Kelleam
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Salisbury N. C.
3. County: Swain Co
4. State: Ind Ter
5. How old are you? 37 Born June 23 1870
6. Where were you born? Frederick Ark
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: R. T. Kelleam 39
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>Fannie</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>7/16/1891</u>
(2)	<u>Robert</u>		
(3)	<u>Francis</u>		
(4)	<u>Jess</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Argyle Guessebury
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Harriet B Guessebury
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Harriet B Wheeler

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ark
Mother: Park Hill Ind Ter Cherokee Nation

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

Father: Fort Smith Ark

Mother: Fort Smith Ark

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: _____

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ida Busley</u>	<u>1872</u>	
(2)	<u>Sadie Frye</u>	<u>1873</u>	
(3)	<u>Theodor Guesenbury</u>	<u>1875</u>	<u>1901</u> <u>1899</u>
(4)	<u>Lucy Brodie</u>	<u>1877</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>White Don't Know</u>	<u>(no F) Wheeler</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? _____

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

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

(1)	<u>Harriet B Guesenbury</u>	<u>Jallisaw I. J.</u>
(2)	<u>Will W Wheeler</u>	<u>Jallisaw I. J.</u>
(3)	<u>Jarah Nelson</u>	<u>Vivie I. J.</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: Yes - Money and land

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.)

Refer to Claims of W.W. Wheeler - Mrs H.B. Queen -
Henry and Mrs Sara Nelson -

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

(Signature) Mary Q. Kelleman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

Chas. O. Fyfe
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Feb 23 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 S.C. Rossow and John Sparks

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

that they are well acquainted with Mary Kelleman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S.C. Rossow

John Sparks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires
Feb 23 - 1909, 1909.

Chas. O. Fyfe
Notary Public.

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App. No. 34464.

August 20, 1907.

Mary C. Kelleum,
Sallisaw, Indian Territory.

Madam:

Please notify this Office at once as to the dates of the
births of your children.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

COURT OF CLAIMS
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

August 30, 1907.

App. No. 34464.

Mary C. Kelleum,
Sallisaw, Indian Territory.

Madam:

Please notify this Office at once as to the dates of the
births of your children.

Very respectfully,

Guinn Miller
Special Commissioner.
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In re Sup

<i>Fannie Kelleum</i>	<i>son</i>	<i>Born July 16th 1891</i>
<i>Robert</i>	<i>" son</i>	<i>" Nov 6 1906</i>
<i>Margaret Francis</i>	<i>" dau</i>	<i>" Aug 28 1903</i>
<i>Jim</i>	<i>" dau</i>	<i>" May 13th 1907</i>

All living to day -

Resp

Mrs Mary Q Kelleum

Sept 2^d 1907

Sallisaw
I. J.

No. 34465

Action

Reject

Name

Richard H. Faulkner, and X children.

Residence

Harrison, Tenn.

Reasons:

Names not on roll. Does not show a genuine connection with Cherokee title. Applicant failed to appear to give testimony.

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Name Robt H. Fowler

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Remarks: 34467, 34469,
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No. 34465

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Roland H. Fowler

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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 RECEIVED AUG 19 1907 No.
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**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: Roland A. Hawks
Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Harrison Tennessee

3. County: Morgan County

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 29 Born June 15 1878

6. Where were you born? Hickman County

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: Tabell Hawks
Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Senana Hawks
Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Senana McMillan

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hickman County Tennessee

Mother: Hickman County Tennessee

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

Father: Hickman County Tennessee
 Mother: Hickman County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died Jan 6th 1896
 Mother: Died Oct 9 1884

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>Arthur Hawks</u>	<u>Sept 30 1870</u>	<u>Living Centerville Tenn</u>
	<u>Charles B Hawks</u>	<u>Feb 4 1873</u>	<u>Living Centerville Ala</u>
(2)	<u>Estelle Hawks</u>	<u>Aug 29 1875</u>	<u>Living Vernon Tenn</u>
(3)	<u>Gubell Hawks</u>	<u>Sept 29 1883</u>	<u>Living Centerville Tenn</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>Grandfather Mathias Hawks</u>	<u>Grandmother Mary J. Tolson</u>
<u>Grandmother Thompson Hawks</u>	<u>Grandfather James McWain</u>
<u>Grandmother Lucy Wilson</u>	<u>Grandmother Betsey Woodfin</u>
<u>Grandmother Elizabeth Robinson</u>	<u>Tennessee</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia

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

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

(1)	<u>Thompson Hawks</u>	<u>Died</u>
(2)	<u>Jack Hawks</u>	<u>Died</u>
(3)	<u>Jim Hawks</u>	<u>Died</u>
(4)	<u>Med Hawks</u>	<u>Died</u>
(5)	<u>Sam Hawks</u>	
(6)	<u>Susan Hawks</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: Mother Susanna Howles

Grand Mother Mary J. McMiner Modern name Celrose
Great Grand mother Chappell. Lotted Chappell

REMARKS.

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

My Great Grand Mother Lotted Chappell who
was half Blood Cherokee Indian on
My mother's side

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

(Signature)

Roland H. Howles

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

J. Jones
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July, 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 Willis Weaver

and Susanna D. Lowell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Roland H. Howles

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Willis Weaver
Susanna D. Lowell

Signatures of Witnesses.

Willis Weaver
Susanna D. Lowell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July, 1908.

J. Jones
Notary Public.

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No. 34465.

May 12, 1908.

Robert H. Fowles,
Harriman, Tenn.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe? Were they admitted to tribal councils?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in any payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names, and state when and where they were paid.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HWK/AIL

COURT OF CLERK
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec MAY 25 1908
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AWK

State of Tennessee,
Poane County,

On this the 26th day of May, 1908, personally appeared before me Robt. M. Jones a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, commissioned as such, R. H. Paulk a citizen of the county of Poane and state of Tennessee, a person with whom I am well acquainted and whom I certify to be credible, respectful and trustworthy and whose statements when made under oath are entitled to full faith and credit in any court of justice in the state or

R. H. Paulk having been by me first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says: I do not know why my parents were not enrolled in 1851 without they did not know. I never heard anything of the kind until I filed my application in this cause. They never were held as slaves, none of them. Lottie Chappell, my great grandmother, was a Cherokee Indian and came to Hickman County, Tennessee, from Cherokee County, N. C. My great grandmother, Lottie Clark, married Alexander Clark and Lottie was a sister of Drue Chappell. (See affidavit of Willis Booher in C. S. Chappell's application No. 14819.) They were admitted to all tribal councils. If any of my relatives ever drew any money from the Government, I never heard of it.

R. H. Paulk

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this 26th the day of May 1908.

I further certify that I am not directly or indirectly interested in the foregoing, personally. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed the official seal of my office on this the 26th day of May 1908.

Robt. M. Jones
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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Mr Robert M. Fowler,

Harriman,

Tenn.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
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Mr Robert H. Fowler,
Harriman,
Tenn.

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No. 34466

Action: Rejected

Name: William E. Anderson and 5 children. Residence: Redmon, Okla.

Reasons: See special report in re #7281 in regard to Sarah Poindexter, nee Anderson. Applicant's grandfather, Henry Anderson first cousin of Sarah Anderson and it is claimed that he inherited his Cherokee blood from the same source that she did.

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No. 34466

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John H. Anderson

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 13 1907
No.

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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: William Henry Anderson

Indian name: same

2. Residence and post office: Redmoon Okla, 3 miles west.

3. County: Roger Mills

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 39 Born Aug. 28. 1867

6. Where were you born? Shackelford Co. Texas.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jennie L Anderson age 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)	<u>Nona J Anderson</u>	<u>12 yrs.</u>	<u>Sept. 7-1895.</u>
(2)	<u>Oran A ..</u>	<u>9 ..</u>	<u>Feb. 11-1898</u>
(3)	<u>Virgie A. ..</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Aug. 6th 1899</u>
(4)	<u>Lilly L ..</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Feb. 3-1901</u>
(5)	<u>William D ...</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Aug. 11-1904</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Albert J Anderson

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy A Wilson Anderson

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy A Wilson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Arkansas

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: Dec. 3. 1906

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>Calvin Anderson</u>	<u>Sept 7 '70</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Lizzie Woods.</u>	<u>1875</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Mattie B Strong</u>	<u>1872</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>May Colburn</u>	<u>1881</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Bell Woodward</u>	<u>1883</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)			

all at Fayetteville
Arkansas

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>Henry Anderson</u>	<u>James Wilson</u>
<u>Sarah Anderson</u>	<u>Not known</u>

18. Where were they born? Henry Anderson in S.C. Not known

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

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

(1)	<u>John H Anderson</u>	<u>Redwood</u>
(2)	<u>W W Anderson</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>
(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: can't

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
William Ponderer who has claim no. 19251. bases his claim on blood of his mother Sallie Anderson, who is a first cousin, and from the same Anderson parent of my Grandfather Henry Anderson

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

(Signature) William Henry Anderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug. 1907.

Jacob Hendrix
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct. 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 Milo Burlingame
and J. M. Miller, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Henry Anderson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 42 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.

Milo Burlingame
J. M. Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 31 1910, 190

Jacob Hendrix
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 CLERKS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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COURT OF CLERKS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 16 1997

JNO. C. HENDRIX,
COUNTY ATTORNEY,
CHEYENNE, OKLAHOMA.

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District's office
and office
of the
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App. #24436.

August 21, 1907.

W. H. Anderson,
Redmoon,
Oklahoma.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of recent date you are advised that it is not necessary for you to file a separate application for your minor children, as you have included them in your original application.

An application blank is inclosed for you to file for your father's share.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 6 1908

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Hamburg Ok La
June 28 1908

Mr Garrison Miller dear Sir
I just got your letter that you note my
father Albert J Anderson address to Forsyth
mont his dad now died Dec 3 1906
I sent in his application last year but think it was
to let I put in my application and my information
you can give me in regard to it will shortly
be by application I will try and answer the
questions you ask my father

Why he was not enrolled with the Eastern
Cherokees in 1861 I do not no I dont think
he ever lived with the Cherokees as a recognized
member of that tribe he never was held as a
slave I dont no when they moved to Ark
I think some of his relatives was an recognized
Cherokee as I will tell you as near as I can
from what I have found out who they were
and when they come from and you can see what
I have got your wife
W. B. Anderson

Henry Anderson Was my Grandfather

Henry Anderson Was the son of James Anderson
and grandson of Henry Anderson and also
grand son on his mothers side of
James and Bettie Mitchell who lived
in the old Cherokee Nation
East Bettie Mitchell's maiden name was
East Bettie Harlin she was an recognized
Cherokee and my grand father was an
second cousin of old Tom Star
my grandfathers folk came from
Tennessee to mississippi then to Arkansas
but the date I can't tell you
if there is any further information I
can give you I will gladly do so
yours very truly

W. H. Anderson

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COURT OF
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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Mr Quion Miller Sir
I sent in my papers to the court & claims
and dont no whether I got them right or not but
done the best I could I can prove my claim so
What is the next step for me to take I have got a
Witness if I can stand it right the rules of 123
and 134 in there is so do the same of
East Betty Mitchell or East Betty Harlin
after on them Harlin was her maiden name
and she is my great grand mother
on my grand father mother side.

If there is any objection from you in
me in regard to what I do I will
I hope you will help

W. H. ...

34466

No. 34467

Action: Reflet.

Name Estell Trajico and 1 children.

Residence: Vernon, Tenn.

Reasons: Sister of # 34465

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34467

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Estell. Franjin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Estell. Frazier

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Vernon

3. County: Hickman

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 32 Born August 29 1875

6. Where were you born? Hickman County Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Walter M. Frazier 36 years old

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>Annie Lee Frazier</u>	<u>11.</u>	<u>1895</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Gabriel Howells

Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Senona Howells

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Senonia McWhinn

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hickman County Tennessee

Mother: Hickman County Tennessee

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

Father: Hillman County Tennessee

Mother: Hillman County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died January 6th 1898

Mother: Died Oct 9th 1884

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>Arthur Hawkins</u>	<u>Sept 30 1870</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Centerville Tenn</u>		
(2)	<u>Charles B. Hawkins</u>	<u>Feb 6 1873</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Centerville Ala</u>		
(3)	<u>Roland H. Hawkins</u>	<u>June 15 1875</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Harrison Tenn</u>		
(4)	<u>Geoffrey Hawkins</u>	<u>Sept 29th 1888</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Centerville Tenn</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.
Grandmother	<u>Mathemell Hawkins</u>	<u>Carry B. McMillin</u>
Grandfather	<u>Thompson Hawkins</u>	<u>Wm. McMillin</u>
Grandmother	<u>Jessie W. Wynn</u>	<u>Miss Grandmother Justice McMillin</u>
Grandfather	<u>Asaph Roberton</u>	<u>Miss Betsey Woodfin</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia Tennessee

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

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

(1)	<u>Thompson Hawkins</u>	<u>Del & Senona McMillin</u>	<u>Del</u>
(2)	<u>John Hawkins</u>	<u>Del Narcissa McMillin</u>	<u>Del</u>
(3)	<u>Jim Hawkins</u>	<u>Del Martha B. McMillin</u>	<u>Princeton</u>
(4)	<u>Neil Hawkins</u>	<u>Del</u>	
(5)	<u>June Hawkins</u>	<u>Del</u>	
(6)	<u>Susan Howler</u>	<u>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

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

General Martin Munn for McMiner Munder Munn
Colonel Geo. General Munn was Lolly Chappell

REMARKS.

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

Mr Geo. General Munn Lolly Chappell was
Half Blood Cherokee Indian on my mother
Side

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

(Signature) Estelle Craigie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Aug 1907.

J. Jones
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July, 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 Willis B. Boaker

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

that they are well acquainted with Estelle Craigie

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known _____ for 20 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Byell
S. A. Simpson

Willis B. Boaker
Susan D. Howell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July, 1908. J. Jones
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 APPEALS
EASTERN CHESHIRE
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No. 34467

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Centerville, Tenn.

Sept 27 1880

Dear Sir,

in connection

Dear Sir,

my application in
connection with the
land in the name of
the estate of the late
John M. Gray

my interest in the
same will be
appreciated my number

is 34467. Estelle
Gray
Mrs. J. M. Gray

No. 34468

Action: Repet.

Name: Gabriel Faulkes X children.

Residence: Centerville, Tenn.

Reasons: Brother of ~~#~~ 34465

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No. 34468

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

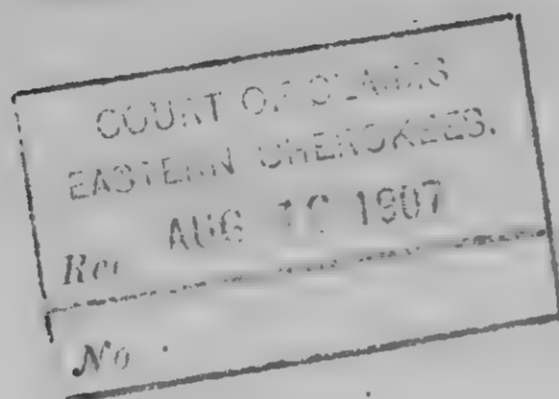
APPLICATION

OF

Gabriel Fowlks

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

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34468

**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: Gabriel Fawcetts
Indian name: Do not know
2. Residence and post office: Centerville
3. County: Hickman
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 23 Born Sept 29 1883
6. Where were you born? Hickman County
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: Gabriel Fawcetts
 Indian name: Do not know
 Mother—English name: Senonia Fawcetts
 Indian name: Do not know
 Maiden name: Senonia Williams

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hickman County Tennessee
 Mother: Hickman County Tennessee

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

Father: Hickman County Tennessee

Mother: Hickman County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died January the 4th 1898

Mother: Died Oct 9th 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: No

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Charles B. Fumels</u>	<u>Feb 6 1873</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u>Centerville Ala</u>		
(2)	<u>Arthur J. Fumels</u>	<u>Sept 30th 1870</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u>Centerville Tenn</u>		
(3)	<u>Esther Fumels</u>	<u>Aug 27 1873</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u>Vincent Tennessee</u>		
(4)	<u>Robert H. Fumels</u>	<u>June 15th 1875</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u>Harriman Tenn</u>		
(5)	<u>Ella B. Fumels</u>	<u>Oct 2 1880</u>	
	<u>Centerville Tenn</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.
Grand Pa	<u>Saml. W. Northam. Fumels</u>	<u>Jesse D. McCombs</u>
Grand Ma	<u>Thompson Fumels</u>	<u>Rebel Ann McCombs</u>
Great Grand Pa	<u>Levi W. Wynn</u>	<u>part with first grandpa. McCombs</u>
Great Grand Ma	<u>Lucy Robertson</u>	<u>part with first grandpa. McCombs</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia Tennessee

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

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

(1)	<u>Thompson Fumels</u>	<u>Deed</u>
(2)	<u>John Fumels</u>	<u>Deed</u>
(3)	<u>Jim Fumels</u>	<u>Deed</u>
(4)	<u>Red Fumels</u>	<u>Deed</u>
(5)	<u>Jane Fumels</u>	<u>Deed</u>
(6)	<u>Dorson Fumels</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: Mrs. Simonie Hawks

Grand Mother Mary Jane McMillin Mauden Nawan
Charles Gato Grand Mother was Lotta Campbell

REMARKS.

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

My Gato Grand Mother Lotta Campbell was with
Blood Cherokee Indian on my mother's
Side

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

(Signature) Gabriel Hawks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Aug 1907.

J. F. Jones Notary Public.

My commission expires

July, 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. Temple
and Susan D. Temple, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Gabriel Hawks
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known _____ for 20 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.

W. H. Temple
S. D. Temple

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Temple
Susan D. Temple

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July, 1908.

J. F. Jones 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. 34469

Action: Reject

Name Arthur J. Faulkner and 2 children.

Residence: Centerville, Tenn.

Reasons: Brother of - ~~##~~ 34465

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No. 34469

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Arthur J. Fowlks

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 16 1907

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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: Arthur J. Howells

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Centerville

3. County: Hickman

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 37 Born Sept 30 1870

6. Where were you born? Hickman County Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary M. Howells 27 years old

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>Pauline Howells</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>June 30 1897</u>
(2)	<u>Mary E. Howells</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Aug 12 1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Gabriel Howells

Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Serronia Howells

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Serronia McVinn

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hickman County Tennessee

Mother: Hickman County Tennessee

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

Father: Hickman County Tennessee

Mother: Hickman County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died January the 4th 1898

Mother: Died Oct^r 9th 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: No

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Charles B. Howells</u>	<u>Feb 6 1873</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Centerville Ala</u>		
(2)	<u>Isabel Fitzgerald</u>	<u>Aug 25 1875</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Vernon Tenn</u>		
(3)	<u>Roland H. Howells</u>	<u>June 15 1878</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Harriman Tenn</u>		
(4)	<u>Ella B. Shaw</u>	<u>Oct 2 1880</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Centerville Tenn</u>		
(5)	<u>Gabriel Howells</u>	<u>Sept 29 1880</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Centerville Tenn</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
Grand father	<u>Nathaniel Howells</u>	<u>James D. McMin</u>
Grand mother	<u>Thompson Howells</u>	<u>Mary Wood</u>
Grand father	<u>Lucy Winn</u>	<u>James McMin</u>
Grand mother	<u>Elizabeth Robertson</u>	<u>Mary Betsy Woodfin</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia Tennessee

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

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

(1)	<u>Thompson Howells</u>	<u>Died</u>
(2)	<u>John Howells</u>	<u>Died</u>
(3)	<u>James Howells</u>	<u>Died</u>
(4)	<u>Mel Howells</u>	<u>Died</u>
(5)	<u>June Howells</u>	<u>Died</u>
(6)	<u>Susan Howells</u>	<u>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

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 Lemmie Fawcett
Grandmother was Lottie Chappie

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
My Great Grandmother Lottie Chappie was
Half Blood Cherokee Indian on my
Mother's Side

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

(Signature) Arthur J. Howstres

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Aug 1907.

J. Jones
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July, 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 Willis B. Zacher
and Suzanne D. Lowell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Arthur J. Fawcett
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 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.

W. H. Zacher
S. D. Lowell

Willis B. Zacher
Suzanne D. Lowell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of August, 1907

My commission expires

July, 1908

J. Jones
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. 34470.

Action: *Rejected.*

Name *Sarah M. Cyphers* and *1* children.

Residence: *Tellus Plains, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Child of # 18486.

No. 3447 0-1.

Name Sarah M. Cyphele

With No. 18486

Remarks:

Jas. W. Roberts

Chief of 18486.

34470

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

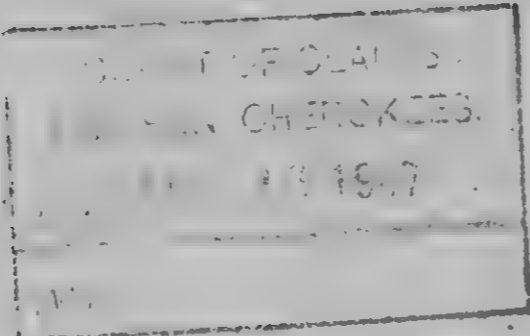
APPLICATION

OF

Sarah M. Byrd

for 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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34470

**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 M. Cyphers

Indian name: Garratt or Troutman

2. Residence and post office: Jessie Plains

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 21 years Born June 22 - 1886

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Co., N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Cater Cyphers

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>John L. Cyphers</u>	<u>1 yr. 6 mos.</u>	<u>July 19 - 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: Thomas H. Decker

Indian name: Garratt or Troutman

Mother—English name: Elvira Decker

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Elvira Perkins

12. Where were they born?

Father: Union County Ga

Mother: Georgia

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

Father: not living at that date

Mother: not living at that date

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)	Louise b. Dickey	March 13-1895	Living
	Robert W. Dickey	June 28-1894	Living
(2)	Jules D. Dickey	April 27-1889	Living
	Eleanor E. Dickey	Sept. 7-1890	Living
(3)	William H. Dickey	Nov. 11-1892	Living
	Silda M. Dickey	Feb. 2-1895	Living
(4)	Esther J. Dickey	10 years old	Living
	John W. Dickey	Sept. 7-1899	Living
(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.

George Dickey

Robert B. Wilkins

Margaret J. Dickey
Gerritt or Jonathan

Sarah (D. Wilkins) Wilkins

18. Where were they born? Geo. Dickey, Buncell Co., N.C. Margaret J. Dickey, N.C. Sarah (D. Wilkins) Wilkins, in England

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

The Dickey's in Union Co. Ga. Wilkins in Pickens Co. Ga.

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

- | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------|
| (1) <u>Kellis Dickey</u> | <u>Jackson Wilkins</u> |
| (2) <u>Rebecca J. Dickey</u> | <u>Jacob Dickey</u> |
| (3) <u>Thomas H. Dickey</u> | <u>Eleanor Dickey</u> |
| (4) <u>Mahaley Kelly</u> | <u>Jules Wilkins</u> |
| (5) <u>Nancy Ball</u> | <u>Arlene Radford</u> |
| (6) <u>Dora Roberts</u> | <u>Ligea Wilkins</u> |
| <u>George Dickey</u> | <u>Eleanor Lamm</u> |
| <u>Jackson Dickey</u> | <u>Fanny Rose</u> |
| <u>Lavin D. Dickey</u> | <u>William Wilkins</u> |
| <u>Dora Dickey</u> | |
| <u>Lavin Dickey</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: Thomas H. + Elvira Deery
George Deery + Margaret Deery, Martin
Gardner + Jennie Gardner, William Justice + Sallie Justice,
maiden name of Sallie Justice was Sallie Trueman
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
William (or Billie) Justice was 1/2 Cherokee
Indian, his wife Sallie Trueman was full
Cherokee

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

(Signature) Sarah M. [unclear]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.
S. B. [unclear]
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 Lois Witt
and [unclear], who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Sarah M. [unclear]
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
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.
Lois Witt
[unclear]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.
My commission expires _____, 190 .
S. B. [unclear]
Notary Public.

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ORIENTAL COLLEGE
EASTERN CHURCHES
Rec. MAY 18 1908
No.

No. 34470.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. May 6, 1908.**

Sarah M. Cyphels,
Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Madam:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the birth of your son, John L. Cyphels, giving day, month and year. If any of your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,

Simon Miller,
Special Commissioner.

AIL

*My son John L. Cyphels was
born Feb 19-1906.
I have no children dead
This May 16-1908
Sarah M. Cyphels*

No. 34491.

Action: Rejected.

Name James W. Roberts and X children.

Residence: Upala, N.C.

Reasons:

@Nephew of #18486.

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Sept. 7 18486.

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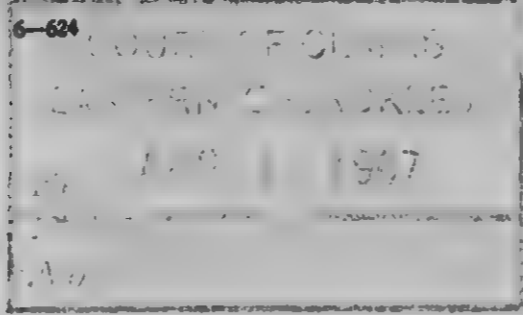
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

James W. Roberts

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: James W. Roberts

Indian name: Kito blood from the Roberts + Ganett or Ganettian

2. Residence and post office: Cherokee Apalachia

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 30 years Born Oct. 15-1886

6. Where were you born? Cherokee County 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: James E. Roberts

Indian name: Roberts

Mother—English name: Dora Roberts

Indian name: Ganett or Ganettian

Maiden name: Kona Deering

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee County N.C.

Mother: Union Co. Ga.

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

Father: not living at that date

Mother: not living at that date

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: June 1898

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>Polly Ann Roberts</u> <u>Baker Creek Tenn</u>	<u>about 18 years old</u>	<u>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>Reason Roberts</u> <u>Roberts</u>	<u>George Doering</u>
<u>Polly Roberts</u>	<u>Margaret J. Doering</u> <u>has the blood from William Doering</u>

18. Where were they born? Reason & Polly Roberts in N.C.
Geo Doering Brunswick Co., N.C. Margaret J. Doering Robeson Co. Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Roberts in Chester Co. N.C. Doering's in Union Co. N.C.

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

(1) <u>William R. Roberts</u>	<u>Willie Doering</u>
(2) <u>Jane Hampton</u>	<u>Rebecca J. Doering</u>
(3) <u>Sallie Roberts</u>	<u>Thomas H. Doering</u>
(4) <u>Minnie Roberts</u>	<u>Mahely Kelly</u>
(5) <u>Susan James</u>	<u>Nancy Cole</u>
(6) <u>Mary West</u>	<u>George Doering</u>
<u>Reason Roberts</u>	<u>Dora Roberts</u>
<u>James E. Roberts</u>	<u>Jackson Doering</u>
<u>Benjamin F. Roberts</u>	<u>Lavin D. Doering</u>
	<u>Doering Doering</u>
	<u>Sallie Doering</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: James E. + Dana Roberts,

Reason + Sally Roberts, Israel (Amigo name) Roberts
on mother side James E. + Dana Roberts, Geo. Decker + Margaret J. Decker,
Martin Garrett + Jennie Garrett, William + Sallie Justice

REMARKS.

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

Reason Roberts ^{my Grandfather} was about 1/2 Cherokee
Indian. My mother's Grand mother (Jennie Garrett)
was 3/4 Cherokee. Jennie Garrett's father + mother
was William + Sallie Justice. Maiden name of Sallie
Justice was Sallie Justice

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

(Signature) James W. Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

R. J. W. Co.
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 James W. Roberts
and John W. Co., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with James W. Roberts
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.

John W. Co.
John W. Co.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190 .
R. J. W. Co.
Notary Public.

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No. 34472 Action: Admit
Name Addie P. Parkinson and 6 children. Residence: Logan, Okla.
Reasons:

Niece of #1541. Claimant's
mother enrolled in
1851 by Chapman #1584.

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No. 34492
Name Ed. W. C. Perkins
With No. 1541

Remarks:

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Eddie Cobb Jordan son

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
FILED AUG 16 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: Addie Cobb Parkinson

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Wagoner, Ind. Ter.

3. County: Wagoner

4. State: Oklahoma or Ind. Ter.

5. How old are you? 36 Born Sept. 9, 1870

6. Where were you born? Near Gibson Station, I. T.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Larry Parkinson, 41 years

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)	<u>Rachel May</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>May 1 1892</u>
(2)	<u>Ruth</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Aug. 28 1893</u>
(3)	<u>J. Terry</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Feb. 9 1895</u>
(4)	<u>Isabel Lane</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Oct. 20 1896</u>
(5)	<u>Addie Florence</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Jan. 16 1900</u>
(6)	<u>Bruce Cobb</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>April 30 1901</u>
	<u>Evaline</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>July 19 1902</u>
	<u>James</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>July 27 1904</u>

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

Father—English name: Joseph B. Cobb

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Evaline Clingan Cobb

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Evaline Clingan

12. Where were they born?

Father: In East Tennessee

Mother: Near Cleveland, Ross County, E. Tenn.

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

Father: In Blount Co, near Morganton, E. Tenn.

Mother: Near Cleveland, E. Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 22, 1896

Mother: She 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: Yes, Mother has been enrolled with Cherokee since her birth in 1835 - except Old Settlers

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Loabel Cobb	Oct 20, 1857	Wagoner, I.T.
(2)	Wm C. Cobb	April 1, 1860	Dead July 27, 1880
(3)	Martha Cobb Clark	Dec. 28, 1861	Minneapolis, Minn.
(4)	Joseph B. Cobb	Feb. 21, 1865	Wagoner, I.T.
(5)	Alex C. Cobb	Sept. 13, 1864	" "
(6)	Samuel S. Cobb	Dec. 12, 1865	" "
7	Aldie Cobb Parkinson	Sept. 9, 1870	" "

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
Sylvester W. Cobb	Alex & Clingman
Artz Hall Cobb	Martha Blythe Clingman

18. Where were they born? In East Tenn.

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

Father at Morganton, Mother near Cleveland

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

(1)	Nancy A. Clingman	Died in infancy
(2)	Elizabeth Clingman	Dead
(3)	Polly Ann Clingman	"
(4)	William D. Clingman	Wagoner Station, I.T.
(5)	Eveline Clingman Cobb	Wagoner, I.T.
(6)	Martha Clingman Norman	Ft. Gibson I.T.
7	Andrew Keith Clingman	Chelsea I.T.
8	Aldie Clingman	Dead
9	Miranda Clingman McDonald	Dead
10	James H. Clingman	Dead
11	Stephanus Clingman	Dead

- Continued 12 Lillian Clingan Cobb Lane - - - Deed
 13 Elijah E. Clingan - - - Colter, Ok., Tenn.
 14 George M. Clingan Deed
 15 Franklin Pierce Clingan Deed
 16 Isabel G. Clingan Madren Deed

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: Can't remember the date but

with the Cherokee - with money and land, not old. See me

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

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother Evaline Cobb, Grandmother

Mother Blythe Clingan Great grand mother Nancy Fields
Great grand mother Jennie Buffington Fields, West
great grand father Richard Fields

(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) Addie Cobb Parkinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August 1907.

Howard Searcy
 Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec. 16, 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. Nicholson
 and H. E. Dodge, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
 that they are well acquainted with Addie Cobb Parkinson
 who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and
12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
 knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. Nicholson
H. E. Dodge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Dec. 16, 1907. Howard Searcy
 Notary Public.

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No. 34473.

Action: Reject

Name Sarah A. Penley and 5 children. Residence: Weaverville, N.C.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was a party to the treaties of 1835-36 or 1846. Nor does it appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled. Shows no real connection with the Eastern Cherokee. Mass. Test: - 1698.

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No. 34473
Name Sarah A. Penley

With No.

Remarks:

#36210

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uncertain not
on card

No. 34473

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Sarah A. Tenley

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 13 1907
No.

34473

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 Ann Penley
Indian name: Don't know

2. Residence and post office: Wearville

3. County: Burke

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 54

Born 1853

6. Where were you born? Madison County N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Ann Penley

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>Esquire J. Penley</u>	<u>36</u>	
(2)	<u>William J. Penley</u>	<u>34</u>	
(3)	<u>Mary Lina Penley</u>	<u>32</u>	
(4)	<u>John R. Penley</u>	<u>29</u>	
(5)	<u>Leah Lina Penley</u>	<u>27</u>	
(6)	<u>Dennis M. Penley</u>	<u>22</u>	

Ed Penley 7
Mary Penley 6
George Penley 5
" " 4
" " 3
" " 2
" " 1

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

Father—English name: James Rice
Indian name: Don't know
Mother—English name: Sousanna Rice
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Louisa Balland

12. Where were they born?
Father: Madison County N.C.
Mother: " " " "

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

Father: Madison county N.C.

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1902 Apr 24

Mother: 1903 Mar 31

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)	Jamie Penley	1843	
	Burton Rice		
(2)		1848	
(3)	Alford Rice	1850	
(4)	Allison "	1852	
(5)	John H. "	1855	
(6)	Margaret Range	1858	

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	
English Name	John Rice	English Name	Joe Bullard
Indian Name	Margaret	Indian Name	Sallie

18. Where were they born? Madison co N.C.

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

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

(1)	Rice Rice	Susanne Bullard
(2)	Polly "	David "
(3)	Nancy "	Betsy "
(4)	Rutha "	John "
(5)	Jane "	George "
(6)	Sallie "	Rutha "
	John "	James "
	James "	
	Binda "	
	Manda "	
	Esack "	

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: Don't know

REMARKS.

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

John Rice when he came to Madison county lost down his Indian name and took up the name of Rice

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

(Signature)

Sarah Ann x Purdy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

Lehas P West
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 22, 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. L. Allen

and

Jacob G. Sams

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Sarah Ann Purdy

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 her 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.

A. L. Allen

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. L. Allen

Jacob G. Sams

Jacob G. Sams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 22, 1909

Lehas P West
Notary Public.

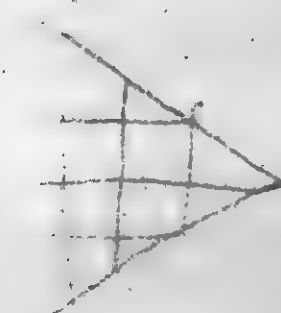
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No. 34473.

May 12, 1908.

Sarah Ann Penley,
Weaversville, N.C.

Madam:-



Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned by White people or Indians? Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Where were your grandparents born?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names, and indicate on what roll their names appear.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Mr. Guin Miller
in answer to your
request i will write
you my ancestors was
not slaves ether by
white or indian race
my grate grand
father was a indian
man he claimed
to have come brass
eastern Cherokee
and he lived in
Morrison Co MS
till he died and
was about brass
his tribe when

The enrollment
was made and he
never received
any thing brass the

government said
can give an abatement
to these boats
if required. power
Truly yours. ant^{sup} penley
mark

No. 36210.

May 29, 1902.

Zach T. Dove,
Weaversville, N.C.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why you were not enrolled
with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Did you ever live with the Cherokees as a recognized
member of their tribe? Were you admitted to tribal councils?

Were you held as a slave? If so, were you owned by
White people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HVK/AID

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Appl. #36210

Zack Done being first duly sworn deposes and says:
My name is Zack Done. I live at ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~
Weaverville, N. C. I was born in 1847 in Madison Co., N. C.
I claim Cherokee Indian blood through my mother and her father.

I claim through the same line as Sarah A. Penley does.
Her application is #34473

Zack Done

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Asheville, N. C. this
18th day of July, 1908.

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

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Misc.

Testimony in case of Sarah A. Penley. #34473

Appl. # 34473

Robert V. Penley being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Robert V. Penley. I live at Weaverville, N.C. I am the husband of Sarah Ann Penley. She is ill and cannot be present this morning. My wife claims to get her Indian blood through her father. She claims Cherokee Indian blood. She gets her Indian blood through her father's father. My wife's father died in 1902 and was 76 years old when he died. He was born and raised in Madison Co., N. C. I don't think he ever lived any place else. I don't think my wife's father ever got any money or land from the Govt. on account of his Indian blood. I never heard of his being enrolled. My wife's father lived with the white people. I have heard my wife's father speak about the Indians being driven away from this country. He did not go away with them. I think that the law was then that any that had any white blood ~~with~~ in them did not have to go away, were not driven away. He just had Indian blood in him. I never heard him say anything about being a member of the tribe. He owned land in Madison Co., N. C. Her grandfather also owned land here.

Robert V. Penley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July, 1908
at Asheville, N. C.

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

Adam F. Eller being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Adam F. Eller. I am 75 years old. I know Sarah A. Penley. I also know her father and grandfather. I knew her grandfather first when I was about ten years old. He was living then in what is now Madison Co., N. C. He had been living there for years. I can't tell you the number of years. He owned some land there. He was living with the white people. His wife was a white woman. I remember John Rice, Sarah A. Penley's grandfather was a member of the Indian tribe. That is my understanding. I never knew of him taking any part in tribal proceedings. He did not go away with the Indians when they were driven away. I never heard that he had anything to do with making the Treaty in 1835. I never heard of his getting any money or land from the Govt. on account of his Indian blood. I never heard of any Indian name that John Rice had. I don't know anything about his having Indian blood only on acct. of his color, and what her father said.

Adam F. Eller

Subscribed and

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Asheville, N. C. this
18th day of July, 1908.

Chas. H. Bradley

Asst't to Special Commissioner, U. S. Court of Claims.
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No. 34474.

Action: *Repealed*

Name

Furetta Sutton and *v* children.

Residence:

Collinsville, Mo.

Reasons:

Grant of #11250, and claims thro' same source.

34474

No. 34474.

Action: *Exited*

Name: *Metta Sutton* and *v* children. Residence: *Collinsville, Mo.*

Reasons: *Cousin of #11250, and claims thro' same source.*

No. 34474

Name. *Lepista mutter*

With No. 11250

Remarks:

No. 34421

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

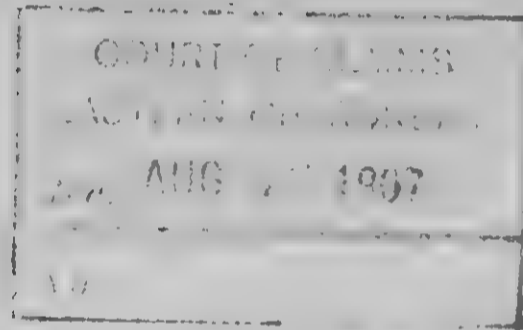
OF

Mrs.

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name:

Mrs Loretta Sutton,

Indian name:

None

2. Residence:

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Collinsville

3. Town and post office:

Mena, Adair County, Okla

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

Jan 25 - 1882, Indian Territory.

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

through Samuel
Hurd, my Great-grandfather and
my grandmother Mrs Mary Hurd.

8. Are you married?

Yes.

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Frank Hammond Sutton

Age 28 yrs

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

Father—English name:

E. S. Phillips

Indian name:

None

Mother—English name:

Susan M. Edwards

Indian name:

None

Maiden name:

Susan M. Cornwell

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Cincinnati, Ohio

Mother:

Indian Territory

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

Father:

Cincinnati, Ohio

Mother:

Born in Ohio

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Dec. 15 - 1886

Mother:

Living

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

where: *Strip payments in 1893 and by the Commission to the five tribes for lands in the Cherokee Nation.*

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Pearl Phillips</i>	<i>Oct-5-1880</i>	<i>1883</i>
(2)	<i>Mrs. Myrtle Harris</i>	<i>Oct-5-1880</i>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Unknown</i>	<i>J. Isaac Cornwell</i>
	<i>Mrs. Mary Lynn Cornwell</i>

17. Where were they born? *Grandfather, England, Grandmother, Cherokee Nation.*

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

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

(1)	English name: <i>Ruth Cornwell</i>	Died: <i>1878</i>
	Indian name: <i>none</i>	
	Residence: <i>Cherokee Nation</i>	
(2)	English name: <i>Mary E. Fitzsimmons</i>	
	Indian name: <i>none</i>	
	Residence: <i>Cherokee Nation</i>	
(3)	English name: <i>Susan M. Edwards</i>	
	Indian name: <i>none</i>	
	Residence: <i>Cherokee Nation</i>	
(4)	English name: <i>James Cornwell</i>	
	Indian name: <i>none</i>	
	Residence: <i>Cherokee Nation</i>	
(5)	English name: _____	
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: _____	

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

where: *Strip payment in 1893 and by Dawes Commission for lands in 1900*

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

My Great-Grandfather was Samuel Ward, my Great-grandfather was also Samuel Ward, and my Grandmother was Mrs Mary Lyman (ne Cornfield)

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.

ell.)

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

(Signature) *Mrs Loretta Sutton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *1*th day of *Aug*, 190*7*.

My commission expires *June 4* 1911, 190*7*. *W.T. Anderson* Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *W.D. Beck* and *G.A. Bidcock*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs Loretta Sutton*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *14* months 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. *W.D. Beck*, *G.A. Bidcock*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Aug*, 190*7*.

My commission expires *June 11* 1911, 190*7*. *W.T. Anderson* 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.

COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 16 1907
No. 34474

File

ANDERSON
BROS.

Farm Machinery - - Real Estate


General Merchandise

Mesa, Washington.

1907

Gentlemen — Received your
letter and Supplemental Application for
Minor Children, Thanks for same,
in answer will say we have no
children.

Resp.

Ms. Loretta Sutton
Formerly Miss. Etta Phillips

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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*add. changes to
original text
March 1908*

Wm. H. ...

Collinsville, Okla.

Mr. Union Miller

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir — I have
not received receipt of
application for participation
in the funds arising from
the judgment of the court
of claims in favor of the
Eastern Cherokees showing
it has been placed on file
please write me about it,
Thanking you in advance
for this favor

Resp.

Mrs. F. H. Sutton

My name before marriage

Miss Corretta Phillips

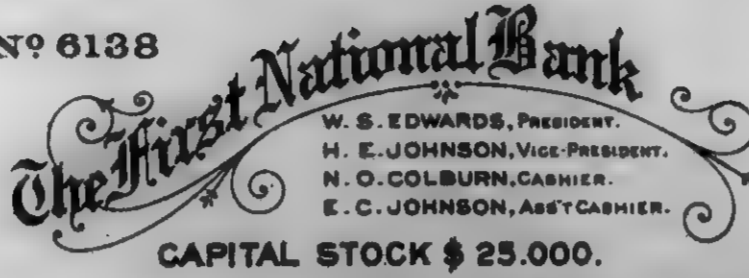
P.S. I was in Mesa
Washington - when
I made out application

Resp.
Mrs Frank H Sutton

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 27 1909
No. 34474

(Ryd)

Nº 6138



COLLINSVILLE, IND. TER. June 25, 1909

U.S. Court Of Claims
Washington D. C.

Gentlemen*

Inclosed find stamped envelope. Please send copy of Special Commissioners report on application No. 34474. I do not know why I was rejected as my Mother and Sister, and all others of the family were accepted. ^{I mean placed on file.} Also send copy of my application to Guion Miller. Please advise me what to do, to get this matter straightened out. Thanking you in

advyance, for an early reply. Yours Respt. Mrs. F. H. Sutton
Formerly Miss Loretta Phillips, or
Etta Phillips,
P.S. I was in Washington when I filled out my application blank and did not know any body there over six months.

No. 34475

Action: *Denied*

Name: *Attorney* and *+* children. Residence: *Longa, Pa.*

Reasons:

Attorney is on the same course as 3000.

34475

No. 34472

Name *Cross*

With No. 5050

Remarks:

Sister.

34475
No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mattie Lane

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

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 30 1907
No.

34475

**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— Mattie Corn
 English name: Harrison
 Indian name: Hensley Tenn. Ga. (7)
2. Residence and post office: Ducktown Tenn
3. County: Polk
4. State: Tenn
5. How old are you? 26 Born June 13 1880
6. Where were you born? Cherokee N.C.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mattie Corn
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)	<u>I have 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: J H Harrison
 Indian name: _____
 Mother—English name: Elizabeth Harrison
 Indian name: Hensley
 Maiden name: Hensley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Haverhill Ga
 Mother: Cherokee County

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

Father: I don't no

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 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: I don't no

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Harry Harrison</u>		
	<u>Ed Harrison</u>		
(2)	<u>Jack Wallace</u>		
	<u>Doney Pisswood</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>Riley Hensley</u>	<u>Jack Hensley</u>

18. Where were they born? I don't no

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I don't no

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

- (1) Harry Hensley
- (2) Benjamin Hensley
- (3) William Hensley
- (4) Margaret McGee
- (5) Larry Twig
- (6) Carl Anderson

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 have no record of them

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 Matie Earn)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

J W Kiepatrick J.P.
Notary Public

My commission expires

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 R A Montgomery
and S M Montgomery, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Matie Earn
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 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.

S. M. Montgomery
R. A. Montgomery

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

1909

J W Kiepatrick J.P.
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. NOV 20 1907
No. 34475

*add
changed*

Tennaga ga.

Nov 10

Mrs quion miller

1907

Dear Sir. if you
should have cause
to write me in regard
to my claim filed as
application no 34475
please address me
at Tennaga ga. as
i have changed
my address since
writing you.
Respect.

Wattie Corn-

34475

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
NOV 8 1909

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



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OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

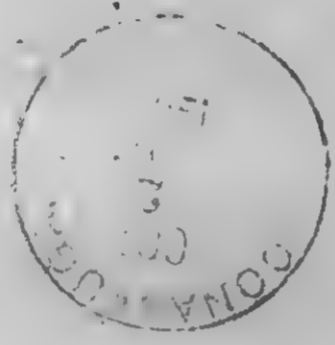
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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any kind, will be subject to the
penalties provided in the Act of
March 3, 1879, c. 223, § 1103.
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Mattie Corn
Tenuga Ga

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *34475*, 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. 34476

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mrs. J. Lewis* and *3* children. Residence: *Ostrant, Ala.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that applicant or any of his ancestors were ever enrolled. It does not appear that they were residing within the Cherokee Domain in 1835-67/1846 as recognized members of the tribe. It does appear that they were recognized as white people.

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34476

No. 34476

Name *W. J. Lewis*

With No.

Remarks: 38790



*Amputation not
on roll,*

No. 34176

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

A. J. Lewis

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

**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: W. G. Lewis

Indian name: Lewis

2. Residence and post office: Detroit Ala 6348 #1

3. County: Marion

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 52 years born April 5th 1854

6. Where were you born? in Marion County Ala

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wife, Lewis age 41 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>W. G. Lewis</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>1882</u>
(2)	<u>Hester Lewis</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1886</u>
(3)	<u>W. G. Lewis</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1897</u>
(4)	<u>L. J. Lewis</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1899</u>
(5)	<u>W. V. Lewis</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Wajah Lewis

Indian name: Lewis

Mother—English name: Wenthaor Lewis

Indian name: Lewis

Maiden name: Wenthaor Bishop

12. Where were they born?

Father: in State of Tenn

Mother: in Marion County Ala

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

Father: Morion County Ala

Mother: Morion County Ala

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: in 1864

Mother: in 1887

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)	J B Lewis	1 Can't remember	date of birth & all
(2)	E M Lewis	in living	
(3)	M C Lewis		
(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
J B Lewis	Mora Lewis
J B Lewis	Mora Lewis

18. Where were they born? in South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? The west part of Ala
at that time

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

- (1) Isaiah Lewis all over Ala
- (2) Pety ..
- (3) Shady ..
- (4) Brachil ..
- (5) Biggy ..
- (6) John .. Alabama
- 7 Mary ..
- 8 George ..
- 9 Esther .. in Ala
- 10 Wiley ..
- 11 Thomas ..
- 12 John ..

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) W. J. Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190 .

J. C. Northington
Notary Public.
D. C. Hoff

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. Northington
and W. J. Lewis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with W. J. Lewis 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.

J. C. Northington
W. J. Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 1907.

June 31, 1907. J. C. Northington
Notary Public.
D. C. Hoff

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. 34476.

May 12, 1908.

W. J. Lewis,
Detroit, Ala. R.F.D. #1.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why were your grandparents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees?

Were you and your parents held as slaves? If so, were you owned by White people or Indians?

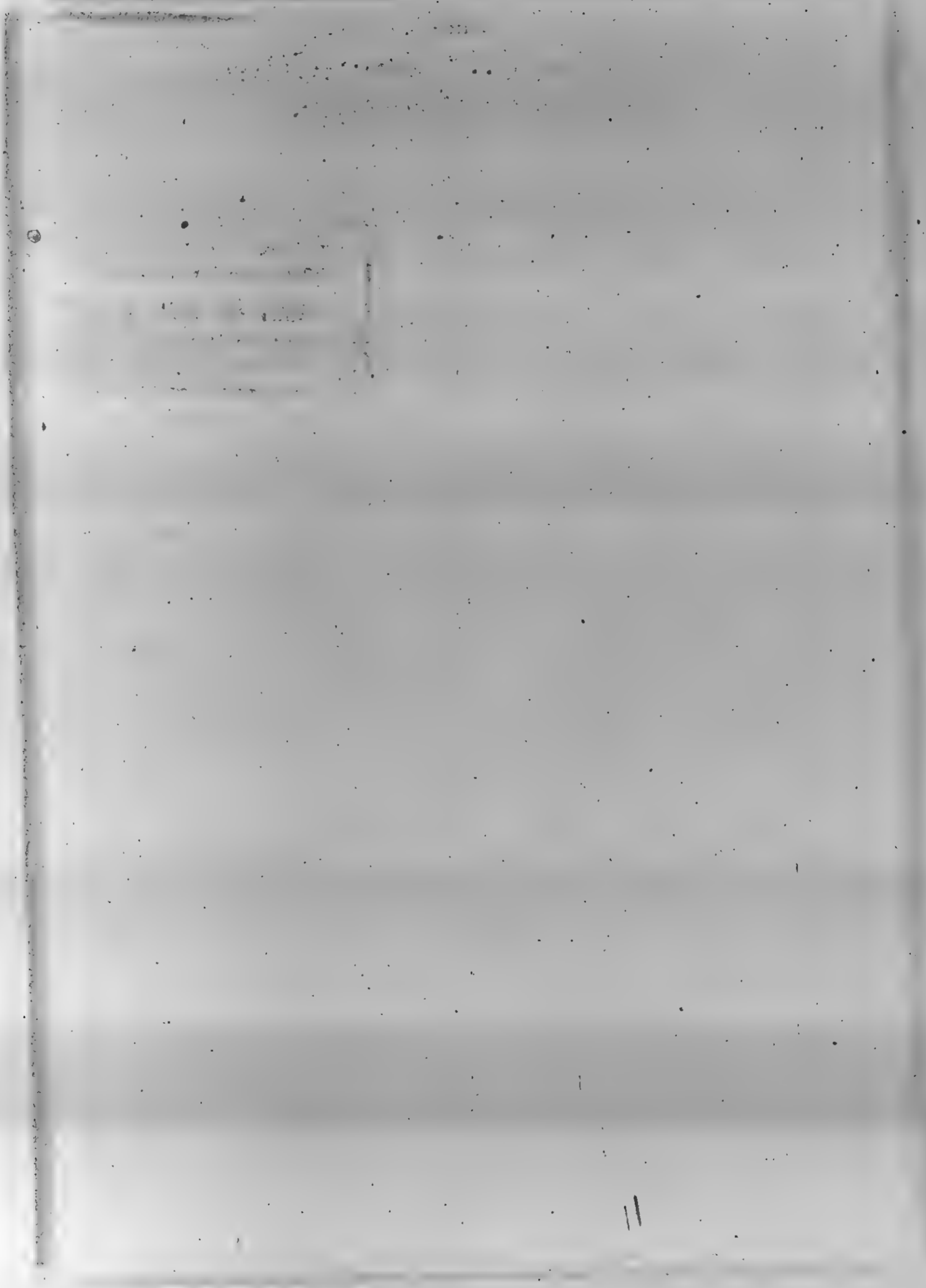
Did your parents ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HEK/ALL



Dry Goods, Groceries,
and General Merchandise.

Detroit, Mich., June 13, 1908.

Union Miller Special Corn
Washington Dc

In Reply to yours of May 12th 1908

Will please for ads of the year

first I do not know

second I do not know

third we were not told at

last by any one

with you

I do not that I have

any knowledge of

Respectfully

W. J. Lewis

P.S. if any further information

Required let me know

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COURT OF CLAIMS
AND EASTERN CHEROKEES
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Subsequent Ala
7/2 1908
Garrison Miller

Special Bureau

Washington D.C.

as I did not get notice in time
to meet at Washington Ala your
assistance in the matter. My
claim and as I am an old
man I write to ask you if it is
possible to do so. Arrange for
me to make what proof I can for
in my behalf I can do better
a 100 x 40 x 100 x make the proof
so I will ask you to send me
proper blanks to make the proof
W H Duke



No. 34476

William J. Lewis, being first duly sworn, deposes
and says:

My name is William J. Lewis, and I reside at
Detroit, Ala., R.F.D. I was born in Marion Co., Ala. in
1854. I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through
my father, John B. Lewis, who claims through his mother,
Lucinda Bush, who was a quarter Cherokee Indian. My father
was born in Bibb Co., Ala. about 1820. I made a mistake,
I should have said that my father was born in the northern
part of South Carolina. My father came to Marion Co., Ala.
~~and~~ about 1840 and lived there until the Civil War, when he
enlisted and died. My father was not recognized by the
Indians to my knowledge and the Indians never visited my
home. My parents were never enrolled as Indians and never
received any money from the Government. My people were always
recognized as white people.

(Signed) William J. Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Winfield, Ala.,
this 1st day of July, 1908.

Assistant to Special
Commissioner of the
Court of Claims.

Reject. S.A.F.

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John B. Lewis, being first duly sworn, deposes
and says:

My name is John B. Lewis and I reside at Detroit,
Ala. I was born in Bibb Co., Ala. in 1850. My father
had no Indian blood that I know of, but my mother was a
quarter Cherokee Indian. I make no claim myself, but am
appearing as a witness in this case for my nephew, William
J. Lewis. My mother's name was Lucinda Bush, and she was
the grandmother of William J. Lewis, and she was born in
South Carolina in 1796. My mother was recognized by the
Indians while she lived in Coosa Co., Ala. I know of no
enrollment. She died in 1850 in Marion Co., Ala., where
she lived for eight years previous. My people were always
recognized as white people.

Test:

W.L. Daley


(Signed)

his

John B. x Lewis

mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Winfield, Ala.,
this 1st day of July, 1908.


Assistant to Special
Commissioner of the
Court of Claims.

4476

No. 34477

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Robert Ridge* and *1* children. Residence: *Nashville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

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

34477

Field Team
No. 34477

Name Robert Ridge

With No.

Remarks: 35-360, 425-07,
42934, 42933, 42935;
42936.

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rolls

Written on
card to adult
children
J.S.
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No. 12117

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Robt. 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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Robt. Ridge

**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 Ridge

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: 203 Cleveland St Nashville

3. County: Davidson

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 61 Born Oct 15 - 1845

6. Where were you born? Loneys Creek Marion Co Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Ridge, Age 60, 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>James S Ridge</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>Nov 18 - 1864</u>
(2)	<u>Thomas K Ridge</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>April 1 - 1868</u>
	<u>Winnie Ridge</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>April 28 - 1871</u>
(3)	<u>Hugh Ridge</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>Nov 23 - 1873</u>
	<u>William Ridge</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>Sept 4 - 1876</u>
(4)	<u>Joseph Ridge</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>Sept 4 - 1879</u>
(5)	<u>Burtis Ridge</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>Jan 28 - 1882</u>
(6)	<u>Sallie Ridge</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Nov 27 - 1888</u>

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

Father—English name: Thomas Ridge

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Polly Ridge

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Polly Dove

12. Where were they born?

Father: Jackson Co Ala

Mother: Jackson Co Ala

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

Father: Dead in 1861

Mother: Dead in 1861

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in Nashville July 1850

Mother: Died in Nashville July 1850

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 No

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Ridge</u>	<u>1832</u>	<u>1886</u>
(2)	<u>Ary Ridge</u>	<u>1835</u>	<u>1859</u>
(3)	<u>Winnis Ridge</u> <u>wife of Smith McKinney</u>	<u>1837</u>	<u>1868</u>
(4)	<u>Thomas Ridge</u>	<u>1839</u>	<u>1850</u>
(5)	<u>Hiram Ridge</u> <u>909 N. 2nd St Nashville Tenn</u>	<u>1841</u>	
(6)	<u>Martby Ridge</u>	<u>1848</u>	<u>1860</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.

Thomas Ridge John Dove

I have no record of Grand mother on Father's side except that her name was Polly Dove

18. Where were they born? To best of my knowledge Grand Father Thomas Ridge was born in Georgia.

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

Thomas Ridge lived in Marion Co Tenn in 1851

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

- (1) John Ridge
 - (2) William Ridge
 - (3) Hall Ridge
 - (4) Thomas Ridge
 - (5) Jordan Ridge
 - (6) David Ridge
 - (7) Rhody Ridge
 - (8) Seton Ridge
 - (9) Nancy Ridge
 - (10) Hannah Ridge
- 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: Sant M o

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

Deed in Marion Co Tenn in 1866 at about 80 years of age and from what I can learn he lived all of his life on this Cherokee Reservation

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

one John Ridge an Uncle went to Territory with Cherokee Indians and come back to this country in 1862.

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

(Signature)

Robert Ridge

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

J. J. Allen

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 14th, 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. Williams

and J. S. Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Robert Ridge

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

30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person she represents

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Williams

J. S. Williams

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

My commission expires

Oct 14th, 1907.

J. J. Allen

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.

Mr. Dixon Miller.
This Eastern Cherokee Application
goes in on the same papers
that Robert Ridge applications
goes in on

Hiram Ridge

PS
send rest of bands at once

No. 34477.

May 11, 1908.

Robert Ridge,

203 Cleveland St., Nashville, Tenn.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why you were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why were your parents and grandparents not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851 and 1835?

Were you held as a slave? If so, were you owned by white people or Indians?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names and state when and where they were paid.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HEK/ALL

None of my relatives that I ever heard of
received any payment in any way
the Cherokees.
If any of my people were ever held a-
slaves I know nothing about it.
Signed _____ Robert Ridge

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34477.

Washville, Tenn.

June 1, 21st '08.

Mr. Gen. Miller,
Official Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Eastern Cherokee Commission,
601 O'Quay Building,
Washington, D. C.

Sir: The question in regard to the call of 39, 40 & 41
test of my knowledge, and all I can find out, he
did not go, but he would be forced away.

He was mine an education.

The role call of 41 he had leased his land in
Jackson Co. Alabama 29 miles from Tallapoosa
and went up the Walden Ridge Mountain 23
miles from Jackson Co. since peace was made
I was in Marion Co. He was living there
when I got old enough to remember him, which
was about 1848.

(over)

None of my relatives that I ever heard of
received any payment in any way
the Cherokees.
In my & many people were ever held a-
slaves & murdered about it.
Signed _____ Robert Ridge

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#34477

Sept. 3, 1908.

Robert Ridge,
907 Cleveland St.,
Nashville, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation
in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please send me the
list of questions which you will find attached hereto
at once.

In answering refer to No. 34477.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

C. J. ...

Enclosure.

COMMISSION OF THE
CHEROKEE INDIANS
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Answer fully the following questions, putting your answers on a separate sheet of paper or on the back of this paper.

1. Give your name, age and post office address.
2. Do you claim your Cherokee Indian blood through your father or your mother?
3. Give the name of death of the parent through whom you claim, and state how old he or she was at that time. Indian or negro race, or the combination of a white person, Indian or negro in the combination in which he or she resided at the time the parent through whom you claim was born, were your grandparents on that side living with the white people or with the Indians?
4. Give the name and place of birth of the grandparent through whom you claim. State whether he or she lived with the Indians or with white people, and whether he or she was recognized as a white person, an Indian, or a negro in the community in which he or she resided.
5. Did the parent through whom you claim ever receive any money or land from the Government or account of Indian land or blood?
6. Do any of your ancestors ever enslave, if so, state where and with what tribe.
7. Was the parent through whom you claim, or any of your ancestors, ever the part of any Cherokee tribal proceedings, and did they vote with the white people?

Knoxville, Tenn

Sept 9, 1908

Mr Union Miller

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir

Referring to claim No 34477

No-1. Robert Ridge, age 62 years address
216 Stockell St. Nashville Tenn

No-2. I claim my Indian blood on my
Father's side. Inos Ridge, Jr.

No-3. My Father died in 1860 in Nashville Tenn
he must have been 40 or 50 years old
he was called a white man in the

community where he ~~lived~~ resided.
My Grand Father at the time of my Father's
birth was living on Cherokee Reservation in
Jackson Co Tenn about 3 1/2 miles from
where Ridge Port is now the place is
known to day as the old Tom Ridge Home
and the ferry he run still goes by the
name of Ridge ferry

No-4 -

I know nothing about my Grand Father's
place of birth, but he must have been
born and raised between Ridge Port and
Chattanooga and lived with the Indians
I was told by Ephraim Price one of whom
I have an affidavit from that he had
often been to his home and that he
lived with the ^{Cherokee} Indians in Jackson
Co Tenn. if he ever lived anywhere else
I could never find out where it was
until we settled 20 miles up Sevier
Valley on Honey Creek where he died

No 5- If my Grand Father ever received any
money on account of having Indian blood
I know nothing of it

Answer fully the following questions, putting your answers on a separate sheet of paper or on the back of this paper.

1. Give your name, age and post office address.
2. Do you claim your Cherokee Indian blood through your father or your mother?
 - a. Give the date of death of the parent through whom you claim, and state how old he or she was at that time.
 - b. Was he or she recognized as a white person, Indian or negro in the community in which he or she resided?
 - c. At the time the parent through whom you claim was born, were your grandparents on that side living with the white people or with the Indians?
3. Give the name and place of birth of the grandparent through whom you claim. State whether he or she lived with the Indians or with white people, and whether he or she was recognized as a white person, an Indian, or a negro in the community in which he or she resided.
4. Did the parent and grandparent through whom you claim ever receive any money or land from the Government on account of having Indian blood?
5. Do any of your ancestors ever own slaves? If so, state where and when they were.
6. Did the parent through whom you claim, or any of your ancestors, ever have any Cherokee Indian blood?
7. Do you, the parent and grandparent through whom you claim live on the same land as the Indians who lived there?
8. If your parents or grandparents on that side, or you, or any of your ancestors ever owned or were slaves of Indians.
9. Do you indicate clearly and fully your Cherokee Indian blood?
10. Will you ever have a treaty the Government has made with the Indians in 1846? If so, state what you understand it.
11. Do you or your parents live on the same land as the Indians who lived there?

No 11 I have often heard talk of the Treaty, and
the white people wiping out the Indians
away, but I know nothing else.

No 12 In 1882 I was living on North College Street
Nashville Tenn. and my parents were
both dead.

Robert P. Wise

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No 6 I don't know, but my Uncle John Ridge left with
them, and he might have been enrolled.

No 7 Not that I know of.

No 8 It must have been about that time they left their
old home in Jackson Co. Ga. went up the valley
forty five miles, and settled on Looney's Creek.
I have been told the reason of his leaving was to keep
from going away with the Indians.

No 9. My ancestors were never slaves that I know of.

No 10 I have been told my ancestor was a child that my
Grand Father saw that I suppose Indian, and it was
recognized as one of the Ridge party in 1887. by
Chief Mayo in Taliqua. by favor of his mother who was
a Ridge and I have two living witnesses that was
with me at the time. Also have eight children and
the trace of Indian blood can be seen in my own
body build, and complexion. Once on a visit to my wife's
Uncle a very intelligent man he asked me these questions
when he saw my eldest daughter, who was then about
15 years old. Hasn't there been some in your
family since then.

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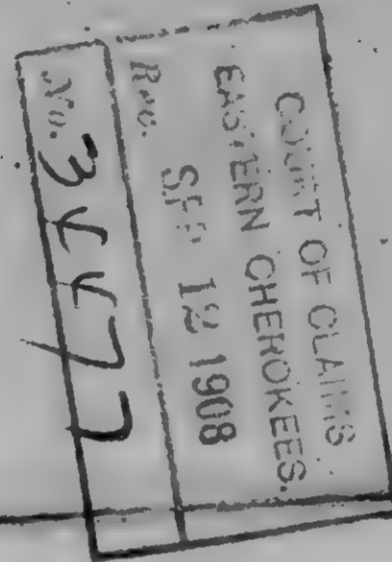
No 9. No ancestors were ever slaves that I know of.

No 10 I have ~~known~~ known since I was a child that my
Grand Father was part of some nation, and I was
recognized as one of the Ridge party in 1887. by
Chief Mayo in Gallegua, by favor of his mother who was
a Ridge and I have two living witnesses that was
with me at the time. Also have eight children and
the trace of Indian blood can be seen in every one
by build, and complexion. Once on a visit to my wife's
Uncle a very intelligent man, he asked me these words
when he saw my eldest daughter, who was then about
six years old. "Isn't there some blood in your
family?"

No 11 I have often heard talk of the treaty, and
the white people helping haul the Indians
away, but I know nothing else.

No 12 In 1882 I was living on North College Street
Nashville Tenn. and my parents were
both dead.

Robert Hildre



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Simon Miller

Col Curay Dickeling
Washington D. C.

Sir For some time I have thought

of writing you a letter in regard to my claim. One of the questions asked me in

the last list of questions you sent me, was

why I thought I was Cherokee blood. My father

is the first place was where my Grandfather

lived all of his life somewhere near 1838.

which was in Jackson Co. Al. between

Bridgeport & Chattanooga. The second place

my own children know distinctly the blood

that is in them. That his my Grandfather

and Major Ridge was. I can't tell, but

it is a family

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Guion Miller

601 Curay Building

Dir. Washington D. C.

For some time I have thought of writing you a letter in regard to my claim. One of the questions asked me in the last list of questions you sent me, was why I thought I was Cherokee blood. In the first place was where my Grandfather lived all of his life, somewhere near 1835, which was in Jackson Co. Al. between Bridgeport & Chattanooga. The second place my own children shows distinctly the blood that is in them. What kin my Grandfather and Major Ridge was I can't tell, but the resemblance between the two families was so great ~~that~~ ^{they} must have been close kin. I was told by an old lady in Talequa that she believed she remembered him, and that he went by the name of Pot Ridge with the Indians, but she had

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Emory Miller

601 Curay Building

Sir Washington D.C.

For some time I have thought of writing you a letter in regard to my claim. One of the questions asked me in the last list of questions you sent me, was why I thought I was Cherokee blood. One place was where my Grandfather lived all of his life somewhere near 1835 which was in Jackson Co. Al. between Bridgeport & Chattahoochee. The second place my own children shows distinctly the blood that is in them. What kin my Grandfather and Major Ridge was I can't tell, but the resemblance between the two families was so great ~~that~~ ^{they} must have been close kin. I was told by an old lady in Talequa that she believed she remembered him, and that he went by the name of Pot Ridge with the Indians, but she had

never seen ^{him}, since they moved West.
My Grand Father, and none of his children
had any education whatever there was no
record left behind them I have heard there
was a bible, but it was destroyed in a fire.
Old Granny Bailey told me in 1884
she was then 88 or 89 years old the reason
my Grand Father left his home in
Jackson Co. Al. he did not want to go
west with the Indians. Granny Bailey's
home at the time of this conversation was
Looney's Creek Marion Co Tenn. But his
son John Ridge did go with the Indians
and was some a number of years, came
back here about 1844 died shortly at
Looney's Creek Marion Co. I was born on
Looney's Creek Marion Co. Oct. 1845. In 1848
my Father Thomas Ridge jr. left Looney's
Creek came to Knoxville, and died with
cholera in 1850. I never saw or had
any correspondence with any of my people
at Looney's Creek for about 33 years.
I then went up there in 1884, and
stayed there or four years. I was living

Were when I had my papers made
out for citizenship in the Cherokee
nation 1887. I then went to Muskogee
for the purpose of filing my claim
but soon found out that I did not
have money enough to satisfy those
Muskogee lawyers. There were however
lots of trouble here about seating Chief
Mays as chief of the nation. I put up
at the Fuller house the first night I landed
here, the Chief Mays saw my name, and
where I was from he sent a man, and
brought me up, and in our conversation
he told me he was satisfied that I was
one of the Ridge party by favor of his
mother who was a Ridge. He then asked
me if I had come here for the purpose of
filing a claim. I answered yes. He then
told me to do nothing until I came to his
room next day at noon, just one o'clock,
he would then tell me how to proceed.
This conversation taken place at the supper
table I dined with him. But during the
night one end of the sail was broken

out by some parties. It created such an excitement in Georgia that his friends took him away for fear of injury to him. I remained here five days, and he never returned that I know, at least I never got to see him. I was very unwell at the time, and very short of money that I could not stay any longer.

There is one old man still living near Whitwell Marion Co. and one at Little Rock Ark. that would make good proof for the Ridge family.

I am perfectly willing to be qualified to this statement made if necessary, and will do any good.

Very Respectfully
Robert Ridge

No 4477.

To
Claim of Robert Ridge
to Cherokee Indian
Citizenship Before the
National Council of the
Cherokee Nation

Memorial of
Robert Ridge

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In the Matter of Claim of
Robert Ridge to Cherokee Indian
Territories before the National
Council of the Cherokee Nation.

Memorial of Robert Ridge
State of Tennessee }
Sequatchie County }

On this the 13^d
day of September AD 1887 Person-
ally appeared before me the under-
signed Clerk of the County Court
in and for said County it
being a Court of record Robert
Ridge of Marion County State of
Tennessee to me well known
and who I certify to be credible
and respectable who being by me
first duly sworn according to
law do solemnly and truly depose
that he is a Person of Cherokee Indian
that his age is 41 years and
his Post office address is Sumner
Side Sequatchie County State of
Tennessee that he Robert Ridge
the Claimant is a Grand Son
of One Thomas Ridge w¹/₂ half
Breed Cherokee Indian of the
Ridge party and was born on

the Cherokee Indian reservation
East of the Mississippi River
in the year A.D. 1838 and died
in Marion County and State
of Tennessee in the year 1856
that the said Thomas Ridge lived
at Redge Ferry for a number
of years which Ferry is on the
Tennessee river in the County
of Jackson and State of ~~Tennessee~~ ^{Alabama}
that the said Thomas Ridge lived
on the Cherokee reservation until
the year A.D. 1838 that a ^{son} ~~brother~~
of the said Thomas Ridge
One John Ridge emigrated to
the Indian Territory with the
Cherokee Indians when
the Cherokees left the reservation
in the State of Tennessee

Department further says that
he and his children viz James
Ridge age 23 years Thomas Ridge
age 19 years Wiley Ridge age 16
years Hugh Ridge age 13 years
Willie Ridge age 10 years Joseph
Ridge age 8 years and David Ridge
age 5 years, are persons of

Cherokee Indian ~~seem~~ entitled
to all the rights privileges and
immunities in the Cherokee
Nation of any other member of
the Cherokee Tribe he therefore sub-
mits his and his childrens claims
as aforesaid to the National Council
of the Cherokee Nation and Prays
that the Honorable Council will
take such action as will secure
him and his children as afore-
said equal rights privileges and
immunities in the Cherokee Na-
tion and Indian Territory as is
enjoyed by any other member
of the Cherokee Tribe of Indians
and for such other and further
relief as the Honorable Council
may deem proper and just on
the premises that he makes this
his abode and abode for him and his
children as aforesaid a declara-
tion of citizenship in the Cher-
okee Nation and Indian Terri-
tory for the full purchase of
him and his children in migration
to the said Cherokee Nation
and Indian Territory

Identified with the said Cherokee
 Tribe of Indians, and making a
 permanent residence in said
 Cherokee Nation and Indian
 Territory
 Witness my hand and seal
 of the Court
 at Washington
 this 15th day of September
 1887

Robert Pierce

C. H. Carpenter

Ephraim H. Price

known to and subscribed
 before me this day by the
 above named Memorialist
 in testimony whereof I
 have hereunto subscribed
 my name and affixed the
 Seal of said Court
 this 15th day of September
 1887
 Charles Carpenter Clerk

To
 Claim of Robert Ridge
 to Cherokee Indian
 Citizenship Before the
 National Council of the
 Cherokee Nation
 Memorial of
 Robert Ridge

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Attest of
A. J. Smith

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In the matter of Claim of
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Affidavit of Ephraim H. Price
State of Tennessee Sequachuck County

On this the 4th day of November A. D. 1887

Personally appeared before me the undersigned Clerk
of the aforesaid county it being a court of record
the said Ephraim H. Price of Sequachuck County
State of Tennessee to me well known and who
I Certify to be credible and respectable. who
being by me first duly sworn according
to law depose and saith that he was well
acquainted with Thomas Ridge who he knows
to have always been considered a Cherokee Indian
also having been borne and raised on the Cherokee
Indian reservation East of the Mississippi River
and that the said Robert Ridge is a grandson
of the aforesaid Thomas Ridge and son of
^{deceased} Thomas Ridge Jr. ^{deceased} who was a son of the said Thomas
Ridge The said Ephraim H. Price is 72 years
of age - Ephraim H. Price

Witness
J. H. Heard

Sworn to and subscribed before me in tes-
timony whereof I have here unto subsc-
ribed my name and affixed the seal of
said Court, this 4th day of November 1887
J. H. Heard Clerk

Thomas Ridge a 1/2 Breed Cherokee
Indian that the said Thomas
Ridge lived on the Cherokee res-
ervation in the State of Ten-
nessee.

Witness

M. C. Grayson, A. J. Smith his
mark

J. H. Heard

He and I subscribed before me
this day by the above named
affiant in testimony whereof
I have hereunto subscribed my
name and affixed the Seal of
said Court this the 15th day of
September A.D. 1887

J. H. Heard

County Court Clerk

*Attest of
H. H. Harrison*

COURT CLERK'S
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STATE OF TENNESSEE, Monroe COUNTY.

I, James S. Dinkins Clerk of the County Court of said County,
do hereby certify that H. H. Harrison Esq
whose genuine signature appears to the attached Instrument is now,
and was at the time of signing the same, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said
County, duly elected, commissioned, and qualified as such.

WITNESS my hand, at office, this 3^d day of January 1893

James S. Dinkins Clerk.

In the Matter of Claim
of Robt. Ridge to
Cherokee Indian Citizen-
Ship

Affidavit of H. H. Lawson
of Marion County Tennessee }

On the 13th day of June 1872
Personally appeared before me a
Justice of the Peace in and for the
Afore said county, being authorized
to administer oaths H. H. Lawson
of Marion Co Tenn. to me well
known and who I certify to be
Credible and respectable who being
by me first duly sworn according
to law, Deposeth and Saith that
he was well acquainted with
Thomas Ridge who he knows to
have always been considered as a
Cherokee Indian - by all who knew
him and that he said Thomas Ridge
at the time of his first acquaintance
with him was about 1833 or 35
and that the said Ridge was then living
on the Cherokee Indian reservation
east of the Mississippi River and
according to the best of his knowledge
and belief that Robt. Ridge the
Claimant mentioned in this affidavit
is a grandson of the aforesaid Thomas
Ridge the said Thomas Ridge was
sixty seven years of age

attest
H. Sherman
Edizia Harbor

H. H. Lawson
Richard J. D.

*Affidavit of
R. H. Harcum
Jan 30 1893*

26773

STATE OF TENNESSEE, *Monroe* COUNTY.

I, *James S. Drotter* Clerk of the County Court of said County,
do hereby certify that *R. H. Harcum Esq*
whose genuine signature appears to the attached *Instrument* is now,
and was at the time of signing the same, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said
County, duly elected, commissioned, and qualified as such.

WITNESS my hand, at office, this *30* day of *January* 18*93*

James S. Drotter Clerk.

No. 34478

Action: Reject

Name: May J. Barrett and 2 children.

Residence: Porim Olla

Reasons: Daughter of 22433

no-34478-

Mary Ida Barrett

~~Worcester~~

~~File~~ F.S.S.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mrs. Mary Ida
Barrett*

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

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*Robert
any
J. P. [unclear]*

SLTAE

**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: Mrs. Mary Ida Barrett.

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Dorson, I. T.

3. County: Cherokee Nation.

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? 30 Born Sept. 15, 1877.

6. Where were you born? Near Will's Point, Texas.

7. Are you married? Yes, sir.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: F. C. Barrett, 34 on Oct. 2nd, 1907.

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)	<u>Mary Ida Barrett</u>	<u>Between 9 and 10</u>	<u>Apr. 15, 1903.</u>
(2)	<u>Fred Barrett,</u>		<u>Feb'y 3, 1900.</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Plattoff L. Miller.

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Margaret Miller.

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Margaret P. A. _____

12. Where were they born?

Father: Flint District, Cherokee Nation, I. T.

Mother: Georgia.

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

Father: Living in Flint District, Cherokee Nation.

Mother: in Georgia.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living.

Mother: Died in 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:

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Abbie Johnson,</u>	<u>1862</u>	<u>Living at Perma, T. T.</u>
	<u>Mattie Rose,</u>		<u>Living in Perma, T. T.</u>
(2)	<u>James Willie Jackson,</u>	<u>1861</u>	<u>Living in Perma, T. T.</u>
	<u>John Thomas Jackson,</u>	<u>1865,</u>	<u>Living in Perma, T. T.</u>
(3)	<u>Debie Cornelius,</u>	<u>1867,</u>	<u>Living at Woodville, T. T.</u>
(4)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
(5)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
(6)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Oliver Miller,</u>	<u>Geo. W. Deary,</u>
<u>Polly Abies Miller.</u>	<u>Mary Deary.</u>
<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>

18. Where were they born? They were all born in Georgia.

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

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

- (1) Plattolph Miller is only child living of Oliver Miller.
- (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.)
Reference is hereby made to the claim of my Father, Plattolph Miller, to aid in the allowance of this claim.

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

(Signature)

Mary Ida Barritt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug 1907.

G. W. Blackstone
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 10th, 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 J. W. Warwick

and James Starr, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Ida Barritt who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 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.

J. W. Warwick
James Starr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

August 12th, 1909, 1907

G. W. Blackstone
Notary Public.

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respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by
her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.
Signatures of Witnesses.
James Brown
James Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.
Geo. W. Blanton
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 10, 1908, 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. 34478

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

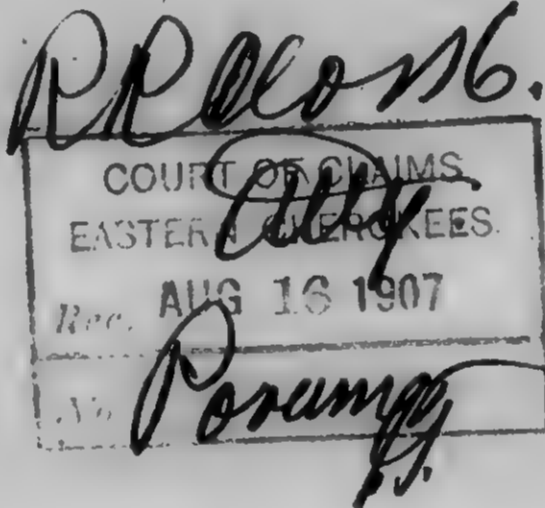
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Mary Ida Bandt.

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 Ida Barrett
2. Residence and post office: Peru, I. T.
3. County: Cherokee Nation.
4. State: Indian Territory.
5. Date and place of birth: Near Will's Point, Texas, Sept. 15, 1877.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: E. C. Barrett, aged 54.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Martha Barrett,</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Apr 15, 1890.</u>
(2)	<u>Effie Barrett,</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Feb 3, 1900.</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

June 10, 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 J. W. Warrick and James Starr who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Mary Ella Bennett who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 10 years and 6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Warrick
James Starr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

G. W. Blackstone
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 10, 1908, 190 .

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No. 34478

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Mary Ella Bennett
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.

J. W. Warrick
COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Recd. AUG 18 1907
James Starr

Feb. 22nd, 1909.

Mary Ida Barrett,
Tulsa, Okla.

Relative to your application for participation
in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state whether you have been
enrolled by the Board of Commissioners. If so, under what name
were you enrolled and what is your number?

Please answer immediately and refer to "WCF No.

74478-1196".

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 34478-4196

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Feb. 22nd, 1909.

Mary Ida Barrett,
Porum, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you have been
enrolled by the Dawes Commission. If so, under what name
were you enrolled and what is your number?

Please answer immediately and refer to "FST No.
34478-4196".

Very respectfully,

Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner.

MSM

Dear Sir,

Mary Ida Barrett was not enrolled by the Dawes Commission.
She is another of the daughters of Platoff Miller.

*Yours
Clark & Clark*

No. 34479

Action: Admitted

Name: James E. Coate and 3 children.

Residence: Blue Jacket, Okla.

Reasons:

Nephew of 9422.

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No. 54479
Name J. E. Costa
With No. 9419
Remarks:

replied.

No. 34129

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

James E. Coats

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
AUG 1 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: James E. Coats
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Bluejacket, R. R. No. 1
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 37 years Born Nov. 19, 1869
6. Where were you born? Johnson County, Mo.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Muzettie Coats 32 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She is white
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1) <u>Annie M. Coats</u>		<u>May 7, 1894</u>
(2) <u>Claude E. Coats</u>		<u>Aug. 23, 1896</u>
(3) <u>Robert P. Coats</u>		<u>Oct. 2, 1902</u>
(4) _____		_____
(5) _____		_____
(6) _____		_____
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Huff D. Coats
Indian name: (He is white)

Mother—English name: Louisa Jennie Coats
Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)
Maiden name: Louisa Jennie Craig
12. Where were they born?
Father: Missouri
Mother: Johnson County, Mo.

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

Father: Dont know
Mother: Born after 1851. April 27, 1852

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Bluejacket, I. T.
Mother: Living at Bluejacket, 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 on all rolls of the Cherokee Nation since 1875 and is a Cherokee allottee.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Charles F. Coats Bluejacket, I. T.	Jan 18-74	Living
(2)	John W. Coats Bluejacket, I. T.	Oct 7-77	Living
(3)	Annie L. Taylor Bluejacket, I. T.	Sep 7-85	Living
(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>They were white</u>	<u>Samuel and Eliza Craig</u>
	<u>nee Harlan (Or Harlin)</u>
	<u>He was white</u>

18. Where were they born? Maternal Grand-mother in Cherokee Nation, Tenn.

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

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

(1)	John O. Craig	Dead about 1897
(2)	Nancy Ann Craig	Died before 1851
(3)	Adeline Bivin	Living, Vinita, I. T.
(4)	Penelope Duncan	Died 1872
(5)	William Craig	Dead about 1866
(6)	Granville C. Craig	Living, at Welch, I. T.
(7)	Louisa Jennie Coats (Mother)	Living, Bluejacket, I. T.
(8)	Frank W. Craig	Died 1894

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: All rolls of the Cherokee Nation since 1875 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 Great Grand-parents were Ezekiel and Hannah Harlan (He died before 1851) she was living in Johnson County, Mo. Both were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835.

REMARKS.

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

My Great Great Grand-father was Ellis Harlan. My Grand-mother, Eliza Craig nee Harlan had a brother, David M. and a sister, Susan Jane, she married James Perry. My Mothers brother and sister wife on the roll of 1851 but she may not have been on that roll on account of living in Missouri, but was on the Emigrant roll of 1835. The name Harlan was sometimes spelled Harlin and sometimes Harland.

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

(Signature)

James E. Coats

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

O. A. Smith
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. A. Bivin

and A. J. Pitchford, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James E Coats

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Bivin

A. J. Pitchford

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

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1908

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O. A. 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.

No. 34480.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Synthia J. Taylor for
Robert Lee Taylor and 1 children. Residence: Vinita, Okla.

Reasons:

Son of #21707 and claims through the same source.

No. 34480-S1

Name *Arthur Taylor*

With No. 21707 "0"

Remarks:

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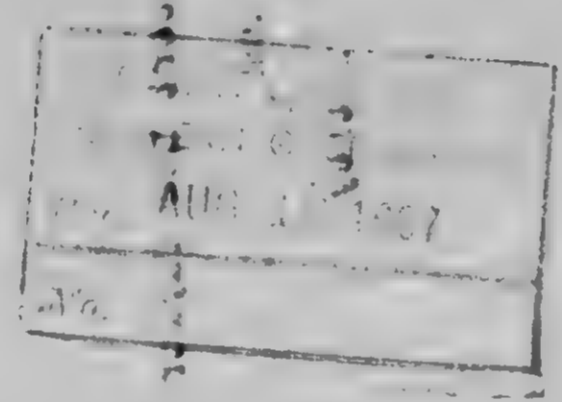
No. 21707

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

**Synthia J. Taylor for
Robert Lee 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: **Synthia J. Taylor for her son Robert Lee Taylor**
Indian name: **Whose whereabouts is not now known.**

2. Residence and post office: **Vinita,**

3. County: **Cherokee Nation**

4. State: **Indian Territory**

5. How old are you? **27 years** Born **Jan. 22, 1881**

6. Where were you born? **Delaware District, Cherokee Nation,**

7. Are you married? **Yes**

8. Name and age of wife or husband: **Emily Taylor about 19 years**

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Robert Drake Taylor	2 years	June 1906
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: **Robert R. Taylor**

Indian name: **(He is white)**

Mother—English name: **Synthia J. Taylor** #21707

Indian name: **(Cherokee)**

Maiden name: **Synthia J. Horn**

12. Where were they born?

Father: **Tennessee**

Mother: **Collin County, Texas**

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

Father: Don't know

Mother: Collin County, Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother: ^{his}

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 on the Emigrant Cherokee roll of 1861 in Collin County, Texas. All rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1871

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	John Taylor	Nov. 9, 1871	Vinita, I. T.
	Maggie Gentry	Nov. 10, 1873	Vinita, I. T.
(2)	Chester Taylor	Dec. 27, 1875	Vinita, I. T.
	Thomas Taylor	Feb. 15, 1877	Prosperity, Mo.
	Vinnie Harmon	Apr. 26, 1879	Vinita, I. T.
(3)	Gertrude L. Taylor	Feb. 6, 1883	Vinita, I. T.
	Byrd L. Taylor	Feb. 6, 1883	Vinita, I. T.
(4)	Surse Taylor	Oct. 27, 1886	Vinita, I. T.
	Hubert Taylor	Feb. 14, 1887	Vinita, I. T.
(5)	Jemina Taylor	Feb. 12, 1889	Vinita, I. T.
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

They were white

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William T. and Margaret Horn
nee Ledbetter

Both Cherokees

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East

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

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

(1)	Synthia J. Taylor (His Mother)	Vinita, I. T.
	Martha E. Collins	Dead
(2)	Mary E. Neighbors	Died 1877
(3)	Nancy C. Neighbors	Died 1886
	John W. Horn	Oakland, Calif.
(4)	Susan L. Brown	Pryor Creek, I. T.
(5)	Fannie Cartsinger	Pryor Creek, I. T.
(6)	Alathia F. Barrett	Pryor Creek, I. T.
	Aleie C. Grace	Coweta, I. T.
	William G. C. Horn	Prosper, Texas.
	R. L. Horn	Prosper, Texas.

21. ~~Have you~~ **Has he** 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 he was born and is 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: **His Grand-mother, Margaret Horn nee Ledbetter was born in the Cherokee Nation East July 14, 1830. His Great Grand-parents were Jeremiah and Alois Horn nee Hicks and Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty.**

REMARKS.

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

Both of my Mothers parents were Cherokee and I understand were Eastern Cherokees.

For further information see the application of my Mother, Synthia J. Taylor, No. 21707.

My son, Robert Lee Taylor for whom I make this application left his home here about Oct. 1st. 1906, I dont know his address.

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 25th day of June 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

J. H. Wimer

Personally appeared before me

and A. C. B. Allen, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Synthia J. Taylor and Robert Lee Taylor

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

15 years, respectively, and know them to be the identical persons they represents

themselves be, 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.

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

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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Notary Public.

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No. 34481.

Action: Rejected.

Name Synthia J. Taylor for
Vinnie Harmon and 2 children. Residence: Vinita, Okla.

Reasons:

Son of #21707 and claims through the same source.

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No. 344815

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

or
**Synthia J. Taylor for
Vinnie Harmon**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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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For further information see the application of W. H. Taylor.
Taylor J. Taylor No. 3110A

**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: Synthia J. Taylor, for her daughter.

Indian name: Vinnie Harmon an incompetent.

2. Residence and post office: Vinita, I. T.

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old is she 28 years Born April 26, 1879

6. Where was she Delaware District, Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Harmon about 30 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>Thelma Harmon</u>	<u>9 years</u>	<u>June 1898</u>
(2)	<u>James Harmon</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>Oct. 1902</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Robert R. Taylor

Indian name: He is white

Mother—English name: Synthia J. Taylor

Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)

Maiden name: Synthia J. Horn

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Collin County, Texas.

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

Father: Dont know

Mother: Collin County, Texas.

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 on Emigrant Cherokee roll of 1851 in Collin County, Texas. All rolls of the Cherokee Nation since about 1871

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	John Taylor	Nov. 9, 1871	Vinita, I. T.
	Maggie Gentry	Nov. 10, 1873	Vinita, I. T.
(2)	Chester Taylor	Dec. 27, 1875	Vinita, I. T.
	Thomas Taylor	Mar. 15, 1877	Prosperity, Mo.
(3)	Robert L. Taylor	Jan. 22, 1881	Vinita, I. T.
	Gertrude L. Taylor	Mar. 6, 1883	Vinita, I. T.
(4)	Byrd Taylor	Mar. 6, 1883	Vinita, I. T.
	Surse Taylor	Oct. 27, 1885	Vinita, I. T.
(5)	Hubert Taylor	Feb. 14, 1887	Vinita, I. T.
	Jemima Taylor	Feb. 12, 1889	Vinita, I. T.
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

They were white

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William T. and Margaret Horn

no Ledbetter

Both Cherokees.

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East

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

Collin County, Texas.

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

(1) Synthia J. Taylor (Mother) Vinita, I. T.

Martha E. Collins Dead

(2) Mary E. Neighbors Died 1877

(3) Nancy C. Neighbors Died 1886

(4) John W. Horn Oakland, Calif.

Susan L. Brown Pryor Creek, I. T.

(5) Fannie Curtsinger Pryor Creek, I. T.

(6) Alethia F. Barrett Pryor Creek, I. T.

Aloie C. Grace Coweta, I. T.

William G. C. Horn Prosper, Texas.

R. L. Horn Prosper, Texas.

- Has she**
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 she was born and is 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: Her Grand-mother, Margaret Horn nee Ledbetter was born in the Cherokee Nation East July 14 1850 Her great Grand-parents were Jeremiah and Alcie Horn nee Hicks and Daniel and Cynthia Ledbetter nee Daugherty.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)
 I understand that both of my Mothers parents were Eastern Cherokee
 For further information see the application of my Mother,
 Synthia J. Taylor No. 21707.

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

(Signature) Synthia J. Taylor
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June 1907.
[Signature]
 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 A. C. B. Allen
 and J. H. Wimer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
 that they are well acquainted with Synthia J. Taylor
 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.

A. C. B. Allen
J. H. Wimer
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June 1907.
 My commission expires
 Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909 190 .
[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. 34442

Action: *Dismissed*

Name: *James P. Loderick* and *2* children. Residence: *1110 1/2 St. S.W.*

Reasons:

*While James P. Loderick is a member of the
C.C. - see det. page 1110*

No. Action:

Name and children. Residence:

Reasons:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF
OF

Zachariah W. Poindexter

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

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 16 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 names: Zachariah W. Poindexter
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Vinita,
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 39 years Born Dec. 3, 1867
6. Where were you born? Missouri
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charlotte N. Poindexter
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She is white
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Zadock W. Poindexter</u>	<u>11 years</u>	
(2)	<u>Percy Poindexter</u>	<u>9 years</u>	
(3)	<u>Lillian Poindexter</u>	<u>7 years</u>	
(4)	<u>Gladys Poindexter</u>	<u>4 years</u>	
(5)	<u>Joyce Poindexter</u>	<u>1 year</u>	
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Zadock Poindexter
Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)

Mother—English name: Missouri Poindexter
Indian name: (She was white)
Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born?
- Father: Missouri
- Mother: Dont know

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

Father: Dade County, Mo.

Mother: Born after 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1869

Mother: Foyil, 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: Not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation or any other Nation. Was supposed to be on the Emigrant Cherokee roll of 1851.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
# 34483 - (1)	Sallie Allison	About 1870	Foyil, I. T.
(2)	Cordelia L. Hunt	About 1880	Died 1905
(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>Wright and Sarah or Sal-ee</u>	<u>They were white</u>
<u>Poindexter, nee Anderson</u>	
<u>(He was white)</u>	

18. Where were they born? Paternal Grand-mother in Cherokee Nation East

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

Paternal Grand-mother in Dade County, Mo.

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

(1)	Rebecca Flynn	Dead
(2)	James Robert Poindexter	Dead
(3)	Zebidee Poindexter	Dead
(4)	Alexander Poindexter	Dead
(5)	Zedock Poindexter (My Father)	Dead
(6)	Jane Pollan	Southwest City, Mo.
	William A. Poindexter	Sayre, Okla.

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 not anyrolls of the Cherokee Nation or any other 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 Graet Grand-mother was Nancy Anderson nee Gentry. She had brothers and sisters, John, James, Betsy, Polly and William.**

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) *Zachariah W. Poindexter*

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

Chas. Smith
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *James Westcott*
and *Simpson J. Melton* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with **Zachariah W. Poindexter**

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.

Zachariah W. Poindexter
Simpson J. Melton

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

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

Chas. Smith
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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No. 34482

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John J. H. ...

Re appl. #34482, Zachariah W Poindexter.

William Archie Poindexter being recalled deposes and says:
That Zachariah W. Poindexter, Appl. # 34482 is his nephew
being the son of Zedock W. Poindexter who was my brother.

W A Poindexter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Sept.
1908 at Grove, Okla.

Quinn Miller
Special Commissioner,
U. S. Court of Claims.

App. No. 34482.

August 30, 1907.

Zachariah W. Poindexter,
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 34482.

Please notify this Office at once as to the exact date of the birth of your child, Joyce Poindexter.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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No. 34482.

May 6, 1908.

Zachariah W. Poindexter,
Vinita, Okla.

Sir:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the birth
of Joyce Poindexter, giving day, month and year. If any
of your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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No. 34483.

May 12, 1908.

Zachariah W. Poinexter,

Winita, Okla.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for determination as to the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Land, kindly advise this office why your father was not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why was your grandfather on your father's side not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851 and 1852?

Are you a Cherokee allottee?

Have you been enrolled by the Eastern Commission? If so, give your number and indicate on what list your name appears.

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names and state when and where they were paid.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 12 1908.
No.

W. P. THOMPSON
ATTORNEY AT LAW

Hook

VINITA, OKLA., May 9, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller, Special Commissioner,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of May 6th received and in reply will say that Joyce Poindexter was born April 1, 1906 and died July 25, 1906; that I had two other children whose names I did not give in my application for enrollment to you, for the reason that both of them were dead prior to the time these funds were found to be due to the Eastern Cherokees. Their names, ages and dates of death follow:

Joy Poindexter, born August 17, 1893, died May 30, 1895.

Ira Poindexter, born December 2, 1902, died Dec. 24, 1902.

I hope this will be entirely satisfactory, otherwise let me know and we will furnish anything that is necessary.

Your number of my application is 34482.

Yours truly,

Zachariah W. Poindexter

No. 34483

Action: Adopted

Name: John Lawrence and 4 children. Residence: Walden, N.H.

Reasons:

Adopted through the ...

No. 34483
Name *Robert White*
With No. *34483*

Remarks:

34483

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Sallie Allison

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

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 25 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: Sallie Allison
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Talala
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 37 years Born Feb. 20, 1870
6. Where were you born? Dade County, Mo.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: John R. Allison age 56 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Is an Allotted Cherokee In Cherokee Nation I.T.
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Willie R. Pollon</u>	<u>14 years</u>	<u>May 5, 1893</u>
(2)	<u>Sabra L. Allison</u>	<u>10 years</u>	<u>Sep. 28, 1896</u>
(3)	<u>Edgar H. Allison</u>	<u>8 Years</u>	<u>Feb. 18, 1899</u>
(4)	<u>Pina Allison</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>Feb. 18, 1903</u>
(5)	<u>All are now living.</u>		
(6)			
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Zedock Poindexter
Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)

Mother—English name: Missouri Poindexter
Indian name: She was white.
Maiden name: Missouri Baker
12. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Dont know

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

Father: Dade County, Mo.

Mother: Born after 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1889

Mother: Foyil, 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: Not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee or any other Nation. Father on the Emigrant Cherokee roll of 1851

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Zachariah W. Poindexter Vinita, I. T.	Dec. 3, 1867	Living
(2)	Cordelia L. Hunt	About 1880	Died 1905.
(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.
Wright and Sarah or Sal-ee	They were white.
Poindexter, nee Anderson.	
He was white.	

18. Where were they born? Paternal Grand-mother in Cherokee Nation East.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Paternal Grand-mother in Dade County, Mo.

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

(1)	Rebecca Flynn	Dead
(2)	James Robert Poindexter	Dead
(3)	Zebidee Poindexter	Dead
(4)	Alexander Poindexter	Dead
(5)	Zedock Poindexter (My Father)	Dead
(6)	Jane Pollan	Southwest City, Mo.
	William A. Poindexter	Sayer, Oklahoma.

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 not enrolled on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation or other 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 Great Grand-mother was Nancy Anderson nee Gentry, she had brothers and sisters, John, James, Betsey, Polly and William. Who were Cherokee Indians

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)
My Paternal Grand Mother Sarah or Sal-ee Poindexter, nee Anderson was an enrolled Cherokee

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

(Signature Sallie Allison)

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

John B. Poindexter
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 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 Joe A. Rusk and J. T. Trett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sallie Allison who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 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.

Joe A. Rusk

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

My commission expires

Dec 21 1908.

John B. Poindexter
Notary Public.

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No. 34484

Action: Admitted

Name Frannie M. May and X children.

Residence: Hallow, Okla.

Reasons:

Wife of #38 a claim. This same same.

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No. 34484

Name Fannie M. May

With No. 38

Remarks:

**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 May
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Hollow,
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 21 years Born May, 1/1886
6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: James S. May age 28 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)			
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: David Humphrey
Indian name: (Emigrant Cherokee)

Mother—English name: Sarah Humphrey
Indian name: (She was white)
Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born?

Father: Delaware District, Cherokee Nation Dec. 27, 1856

Mother: Don't know

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

Father: Born after 1851, Dec. 27, 1856.

Mother: Born after 1851

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: Father on all of the rolls of the

Cherokee Nation since his birth and is a Cherokee allottee.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>James Humphrey</u> <u>Muskogee, I. T.</u>	<u>About 1879</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>William Humphrey</u> <u>Hollow, I. T.</u>	<u>About 1881</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>John Humphrey</u> <u>Catale, I. T.</u>	<u>About 1883</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Andrew Humphrey</u> <u>Hollow, I. T.</u>	<u>About 1888</u>	<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>Graden Humphrey</u> <u>Hollow, I. T.</u>	<u>About 1890</u>	<u>Living</u>
(6)	<u>Sadie E. Humphrey</u> <u>Hollow, I. T.</u>	<u>About 1893</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.

James A. and Lucretia (Or Crissie)

They were white

Humphrey nee Monroe

18. Where were they born? Grand-mother in the Cherokee Nation East

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

Delaware District, Cherokee Nation.

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

(1) John H. Humphrey Collinsville, I. T.

(2) Nancy Blevins Vinita, I. T.

(3) William Humphrey Died 1865

(4) Fannie Whipple Died 1874

(5) Malinda Calliger Dead

(6) David Humphrey (My Father) Vinita, 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: **On all 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-parents were Thomas and Nancy Monroe nee Ward, she was a Carroll in 1851 they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835.**

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim) **My Great Grand-mother was born in Cherokee Nation East and was living in the Cherokee Nation in 1851. Her children were Narcissa, Simpson P., Fincher, Thomas R., Lucretia or Crissie, Susie, Ann, Jane, Caroline and Lettie.**

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

(Signature *Fannie May*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July 1907.

A. Smith
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 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. Taylor
and J. G. Gunter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fannie May who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents 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 13th day of August 1907.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

A. 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.

No. 344 AS

Action: Admitted.

Name Rachel Burr and 1 children. Residence: Columbus, Kans.

Reasons:



Great niece of # 1074A and claim this same name.

(This applicant is grand-daughter of # 169 who is a brother of # 1074A but # 169 was enrolled as Chickasaw - applicant however was enrolled as Cherokee by blood - her mother also enrolled as Cherokee by blood by Dawes Com.)

344AS

No. 34483 -

Name Rachel Buis

With No. 169.

Remarks:

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No. 34485

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Rachel Burr

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 10 1907
No.

34485

**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: Rachal Burr
Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Columbus

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 18 years Born Aug. 10, 1889

6. Where were you born? Cannadian District, Cherokee nation

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John C. Burr age 40 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>Villie E. Jones</u>		<u>April 21, 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: Joe Latty

Indian name: (Cherokee)

Mother—English name: Louvina Latty

Indian name: (Cherokee)

Maiden name: Louvina Johnson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee nation, Georgia

Mother: Cherokee Nation, Cannadian District.

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

Father: **Born after 1851**

Mother: **Born after 1851**

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: ✓ **about 1898**

Mother: **Living at Porum 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: **On all of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation for the past several years and is a Cherokee allottee. On Cherokee pay roll of 1894 in Canadian District, Cherokee Na**

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Mark Perkins	About 1887	Council Hill, I. T.
(2)	Betsy Latty	About 1894	Council, Hill, I. T.
(3)	Fannie Latty	about 1897	Council Hill, I. T.
(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.

Allen and Lydia Latty

(She was white)

Grand-mother, Mary Jane Johnson

He was white

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

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Cherokee Nation East or Cherokee Nation I. T. Dont know which.

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

(1)	Eliza Watson	Porum, I. T.
(2)	Lyddia Hilderbrand	Webbers Fall, I. T.
(2)	Mary Take	Webbers Fall, I. T.
	Joe Latty (My Father)	Dead
(3)	Andy Burr (Mothers 1/2 bro.)	Osage Nation.
	Aaron Burr	Porum, I. T.
(4)	Lovely Fry	Webbers Falls, I. T.
(5)	Lydia Latty (My Mother)	Porum, I. T.
(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 of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation for the past several years and have an allotment in the Cherokee 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: I do not know further back than I have 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.

Witness to mark.

James Burr

(Signature)

Rachel Burr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th. day of June 1907.

[Signature]
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 James Burr

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

that they are well acquainted with Rachel Burr

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

James Burr

Jennie Burr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th. day of June 1907.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909 190 .

[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. 34485

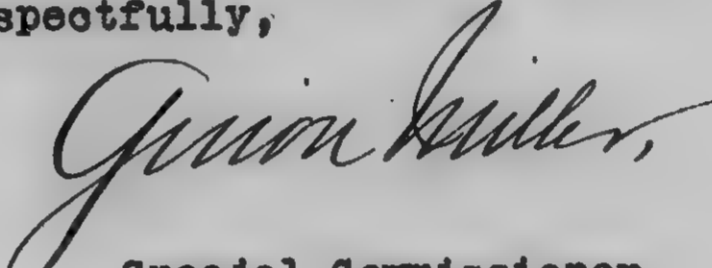
**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. May 6, 1908.**

Rachel Burr,
Columbus, Kansas.

Madam:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the
birth of Willis E. Jones, giving day, month and year. If
any of your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,


Special Commissioner.

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Special Commissioner

Acting Commissioner

Please refer to the file in your office for information re the above-mentioned case.

There is no record of the above-mentioned case in the files of the Department.

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Columbia, Kansas

Director

October 15, 1950

ADM. NO. 3442-1048

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App. No. 34485-10748.

October 5, 1908.

Rachel Burr,
Columbus, Kansas.

Madam:

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Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state whether you claim through both your father and your mother. If you claim through the latter, please give the names of your grandparents, uncles, and aunts on that side. State where they were born and where they resided in 1851. If you or they were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, please give your number and indicate on what roll you were placed.

Please give the full name and date of birth of your minor child and state whether he is the child of your husband, John C. Burr, or someone else.

Please be prompt and refer in your reply to CHB-34485-10748

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

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May 6, 1908.

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Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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

*Rachel Burr,
Columbus, Kans.*

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 *one* 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 *6289*

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.
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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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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

App. No. 34485-10748. WASHINGTON, D. C. October 5, 1908.

Rachel Burr,

Columbus, Kansas.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state whether you claim through both your father and your mother. If you claim through the latter, please give the names of your grandparents, uncles, and aunts on that side. State where they were born and where they resided in 1851. If you or they were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, please give your number and indicate on what roll you were placed.

Please give the full name and date of birth of your minor child and state whether he is the child of your husband, John C. Burr, or someone else.

Please be prompt and refer in your reply to CHB-34485-10748.

Very respectfully,

Givon Miller
Special Commissioner,
By *W. H. C.*

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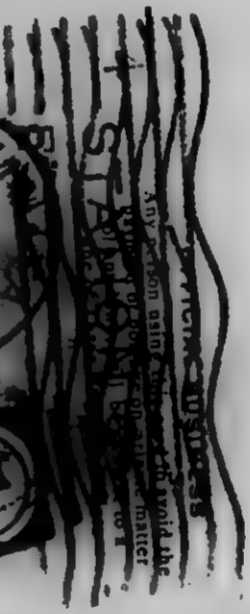
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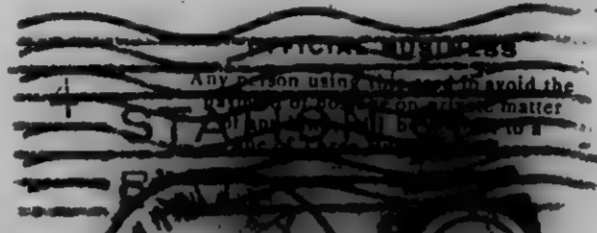
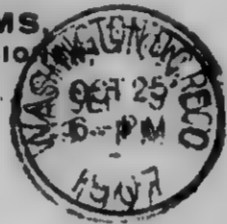
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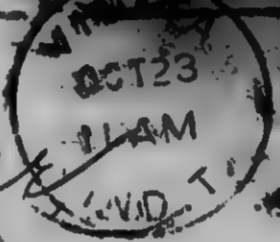


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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

601 OURAY-BUILDING

Washington, D. C., ^{8/30}....., 1907

Receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed as application No. 34485, and will be considered in its order.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above, and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

GUION MILLER,
Special Commissioner.

If not called for in 15 days, return to
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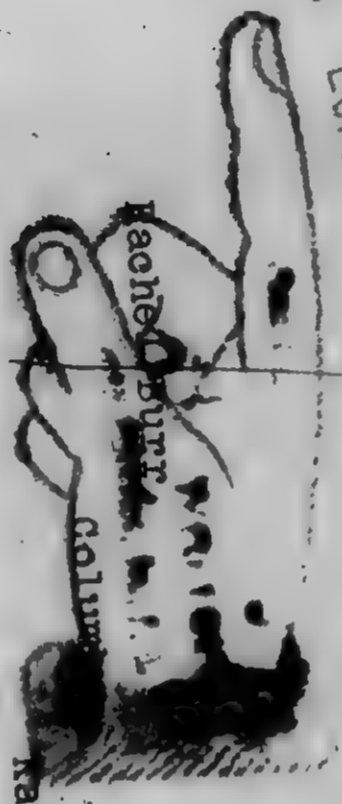
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No. 34486

Action: Admitted

Name Sarah F. Scruggs and 1 children. Residence: Adair Okla.

Reasons:

Second cousin of #977. Claims thru same source.
Applicant is also a sister of #9217.

Grandfather Dick or "Dickson" Crutchfield
342 Delaware.

No. 34486.

Name Sarah Spruigg.

With No. 9217.

Remarks:

No. 34486

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Sarah F. Seruggs,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Sarah P. Scruggs,

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Adair

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 26 years Born April 23, 1881

6. Where were you born? Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John P. Scruggs age 38 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>Julia M. Scruggs</u>	<u>1 year</u>	<u>Aug. 7, 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: John T. Milholland

Indian name: he was white

Mother—English name: Ida Milholland

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Ida Crutchfield

12. Where were they born?

Father: Dont know

Mother: Texas

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

Father: **Dont know**

Mother: **Born after 1851**

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: **Dont know**

Mother: **March 4, 1884**

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 admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation in 1882 and died 1884. Father, white.**

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Daisy B. Hunt	Apr. 18, 1882	
	Estella, I. T.		
(2)	John D. Milholland	Mar. 4, 1884	
	Chelsea, I. T.		
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(4)			
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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.

They were white

Dixon and Francis Crutchfield

She was white

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

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

Dont know if East or A West of the Mississippi river.

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

(1) **Ida Milholland (My Mother)** **Dead**

(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: All 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 Grand-father, Dixon Crutchfield was living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1836.

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
P. J. Coyne
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of June 1907.
Sarah F. Scruggs
 (Signature)
A. Smith
 Notary Public.

My commission expires

Commission Expires Dec. 4, 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 Ed Hall
 and J. S. Hunt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah F. Scruggs who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 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.

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

My commission expires

Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909

Ed Hall
J. S. Hunt
A. 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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No. 34487 Action: Admit
Name Lewis P. Pass and 5 children. Residence: Stelch, Okla.
Reasons:

Son of #8894

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No. 34487

Name Lewis P. Brown

With No. 77303

Remarks:

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No. 34487

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Lewis P. Cass

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Lewis P. Cass
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Welch
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 34 years Born Dec. 4, 1872
6. Where were you born? _____
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Oreana Cass age 29 years 28037
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 May Cass</u>		<u>Jan. 4, 1896</u>
(2)	<u>Pearl M. Cass</u>		<u>July 15, 1897</u>
(3)	<u>Gracie B. Cass</u>		<u>Aug. 8, 1899</u>
(4)	<u>Cornelia C. Cass</u>		<u>Apr. 13, 1901</u>
(5)	<u>Lewis P. Cass</u>		<u>Dec. 17, 1902</u>
(6)	_____		_____
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
Father—English name: Thomas M. Cass
Indian name: (He was white)
Mother—English name: Mary J. Cass now Mary J. Harris
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: _____
12. Where were they born?
Father: Dont know, he was white.
Mother: Flint District, Cherokee Nation about 1851

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

Father: Dont know
Mother: Born about 1851 In Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living
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 on all rolls of the Cherokee Nation since her birth and is a Cherokee allottee

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>Grant Cass</u> <u>Vinita, I. T.</u>	<u>Sep. 18, 1867</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Cora Skelly</u> <u>Morrisson, Ill.</u>	<u>Jan. 18, 1871</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.
<u>They were white</u>	<u>Grand-mother, Susan Jane</u>
	<u>Wilcox, married Keys.</u>

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East

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

Think in Cherokee Nation East.

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

- (1) Thomas Sharp (Mothers half Brother) Dont know
- (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 on the rolls of the Cherokee Nation 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 Great Grand-mother was Susan Wilcox, she was living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835.**

REMARKS.

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

For further information see the application of my Mother, Mary J. Harris 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) *Lewis P. Cass*

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

[Signature]
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 **J. H. Wimer**

and **A. C. B. Allen**, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with **Lewis P. Cass**

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

24 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.

[Signature]
[Signature]

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

My commission expires
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[Signature]
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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Welch Okla
March 14-09

Mr. Guion Miller

Kind sir I
write you in regard to my son
one year old if he is entitled
to enrolment on the Eastern
Cherokee Roll My application
no. is 34487. and my wifes no. is
28037 please notify me at once
if he is entitled to enrolment
if so I will furnish proper
papers

Respectfully

J. F. Case

No. 34488.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Clara P. Montgomery and 4 children. Residence: Vinita, Okla.

Reasons: 2nd cousin to #55.

Grandfather, James Lamar, 1709 Chapman.

No. 3428

Name Clara Montgomery

With No. 53

Remarks:

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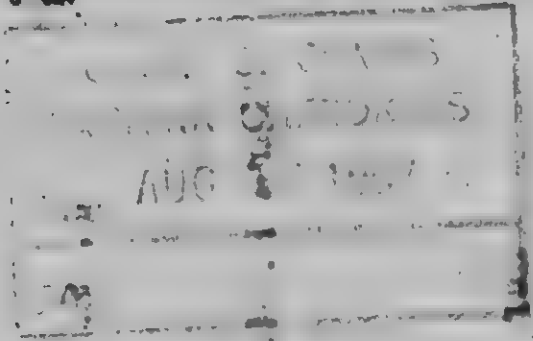
EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

of

Clara P. Montgomery

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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 Oury 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 P. Montgomery
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: RR No. 1, Vienna, D.C.
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 26 Born Sept 12 - 1880
6. Where were you born? Adewee District, Ind. Ter.
7. Are you married? Yes.
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ed L. Montgomery age 29 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>Clara Sylvia V. Montgomery</u>		<u>July 9 - 1895</u>
(2)	<u>Fredrick C. Montgomery</u>		<u>Feb - 4 - 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Audretta L. Montgomery</u>		<u>Nov. 16 - 1903</u>
(4)	<u>Mary M. Montgomery</u>		<u>Aug. 17 - 1905</u>
(5)	_____		_____
(6)	_____		_____

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

Father—English name: Charles H. Preston
Indian name: He is white

Mother—English name: Martina E. Linn (Linn)
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Martina E. Linn

12. Where were they born?

Father: Virginia
Mother: High Creek Cherokee Nation

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

Father: Virginia

Mother: Born after 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living Vinita RR No 1

Mother: Oglesby Ind Ter

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

Machew on rolls at 1850 and all rolls of Cher na am cher. adottee.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Zacariah Montgomery Preston	Jan 23-53.	Oglesby Ind.
(2)	Willie M. Preston	Feb. 1890.	Oglesby Ind.
(3)	Henry K. Lain	Aug 1894.	Oglesby Ind.
(4)	Goldie M. Lain	Oct. 1898	Oglesby Ind.
(5)	George Lain	Dec. 1901	Oglesby Ind.
(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.
They were white.	James R. and Elizabeth Lomar nee Padon (He was white)

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation East Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Flint District Cherokee Nation.

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

(1)	Mary Miller	Brook Ind.
(2)	Benjamin Lomar	Died 1847
(3)	Sallie Kiefer	Lawrence Ind.
(4)	Ewing Lomar	Died 1898
(5)	Lucas Lomar	Afton Ind.
(6)	Jesse Lomar.	Ardmore Ind.
	Charles Lomar.	Afton Ind.
	Alexander Lomar	Died 1898.

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 Cherokee Authenticated roll of 1880. All Cherokee roll and all Cherokee rolls.

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 mother Elizabeth Lamar ne Paden was living in Cherokee Nation East in 1835.

REMARKS.

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

I think my great grand mother Paden was in a dour - By reference to the application of my mother, Martha E. Laine of Oglesby T. more information may be obtained.

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

(Signature Clara P. Montgomery)

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

[Signature]
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.)

J. F. Trotter

Personally appeared before me _____
and **Bettie M. Sneed**, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with **Clara P. Montgomery**

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known **her** for 7 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. F. Trotter
Bettie M. Sneed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th. day of June, 1907.

My commission expires
Commission Expires Dec. 4, 1909
190 .

[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. *34489*

Action: *Admitted*

Name *Cora Struggs* and *3* children.

Residence: *Edna, Kansas.*

Reasons:

Wassin of 4519.

No. 34489

Name *Corn Scruff*

With No. 4736

Remarks:

34489

No. 34489

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Cora Scroggs

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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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No.

34489

**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: Cora Seniggs

Indian name: name

2. Residence and post office: Cherokee Nation, P.O. Edus.

3. County: Le Bette

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 23 Born Aug-18, 1884

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation, I.T.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: R.C. Seniggs, age 33 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>David Seniggs</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>May 6, 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Jack Seniggs</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Jan'y 29, 1903</u>
(3)	<u>Reverend Seniggs</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>July 18, 1905-</u>
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: David Stinger

Indian name: was white man

Mother—English name: Louisa Stinger

Indian name: name

Maiden name: Louisa Morris

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pennsylvania

Mother: Cherokee

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

Father: Pennycuik
Mother: Cherokee Nation I.T.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct 29, 1906
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: yes. Mother was drawn "Strip Money"
at one time "Broad Money"

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John A. Stinger</u>	<u>1887</u>	<u>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>unknown</u>	<u>Margaret Morris, G.M.</u>
	<u>Grace Morris, G.M.</u>

18. Where were they born? Grand mother was born Ken Chateauerge Texas

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation I.T.

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

(1)	<u>Olive Morris</u>	<u>dead</u>
(2)	<u>Louis Stinger</u>	<u>Living. Educ. Texas</u>
(3)	<u>Albert Morris</u>	<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: yes. \$1000 money - all interest

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 Bara Sanggs.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

My Commission expires March 16, 1909. J. S. Adams 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 D. G. Elliott
and W. H. Redman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Bara Sanggs.
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and
17 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. G. Elliott

W. H. Redman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

My Commission expires March 16, 1909.

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J. S. Adams
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. JUL 24 1909
No. 34489

adm. notice
my mother's name
James King
John King
Robert King
George

Edna
Kon.

July 20 1909.
Washington D.C.

Yvon Miller.

Dear Yvon -
I know what your mother
is on the great hall.
My mother got her number
when brother and his
and I was kind of messy
and I wanted you to
me if I can
at once

your truly

Mrs. Cora Suggs

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 24 1909
No. 34489

adm. notice of
my mother's name is
↓
Susan King
Marshall King
Sergeant

No. 34490

Action: Admitted

Name: Ethel Scales and - children. Residence: Flint, Okla.

Reasons: Niece to #867. Also on supplemental usa
minor #34463.

No. 34478

Name Ethel scales

With No. 344-3

Remarks:

34490

No. 34490

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

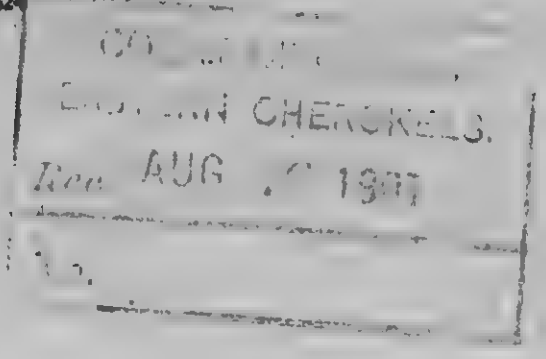
APPLICATION

OF

Ethel Scaler

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

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34490

**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: Ethel Scales

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Flint 9. D.

3. County: _____

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? 21 Born Jan 24 1886

6. Where were you born? Indian Territory

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. Scales

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mattie Scales

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Mattie Chandler

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Indian Territory

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

Father: Georgia
Mother: not born

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:

Yes - with the
Cherokees.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Grover Scales</u>	<u>1889</u>	
	<u>Joseph Scales</u>	<u>1891</u>	
(2)	<u>Lillie Scales</u>	<u>1893</u>	
	<u>Louisa Scales</u>	<u>1896</u>	
(3)	<u>George Scales</u>	<u>1899</u>	
	<u>Ann L. Scales</u>	<u>1903</u>	
(4)	<u>Mary E Scales</u>	<u>1905 -</u>	
	<u>Bo. Flint I. J.</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.

Emily Beck
John Beck
J. P. Chandler
Eliza Chandler

18. Where were they born? Grandfather, Arkansas. Grandmother Ind. Terr.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandfather - Benton
County Arkansas. Grandmother Indian Territory

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

(1)	<u>Matthie Scales</u>	<u>Flint I. J.</u>
(2)	<u>William Chandler</u>	<u>Delequah I. J.</u>
(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 - have participated in all payments with the Cherokees.

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-parents John Beck Emily Beck - Grand parents J. P. Chandler - Eliza Chandler.

REMARKS.

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

I claim through my mother, whose great-grandmother Susanna Buffington was an Eastern Cherokee.

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

(Signature) Ethel Scales

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

Cornelius Jamniglow
Notary Public.

My commission expires 10-24-1907, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me R. S. Gibson
and B. D. Hunter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ethel Scales who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. S. Gibson
B. D. Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

10-24-1907, 190 .

Cornelius Jamniglow
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. 34490

Nov. 22nd 1909.

Ethel Seales,

Flint, Oklahoma.

Madam:

An exception has been filed by Toney A. Beck of Flint, Oklahoma, objecting to your enrollment for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund. Upon further investigation of your case it appears that you claim only through your mother, Nettie Seales, your father being a white man, your mother making her claim only through Eliza Chandler, nee Beck, who with her father and mother, John and Emily Beck were enrolled on the Old Settler roll of 1851 in Going Snake District, group No. 21. You are advised that under the Decree of the United States Court of Claims Old Settlers are not entitled to participate in the Eastern Cherokee fund and that your name will be reported to said Court as not entitled to participate in this fund.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CHB/SM

No. 34491.

Action: Reject.

Name Ollie Gibson and children. Residence: Hiawassee, Ga.

Reasons:

Kaziah Van case

15/1/20

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No. 34491
Name *W. J. Simpson*
With No. *Region 1*
Remarks:

Kay

34491

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Ollie Gibson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 10 1906
No

1002

**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 Gibson

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Hiawasse

3. County: Town

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 28 years Born June 25th - 1879

6. Where were you born? Clay County, N. C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wesley Gibson age 32 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none, but I to Cherokee Indians

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's name is T. D. McClure, mother's name is Barbara Adline McClure

Father—English name: T. D. McClure

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Barbara Adline McClure

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Barbara Adline Anderson

12. Where were they born?

Father: T. D. McClure born in Raleigh Co., N. C.

Mother: Barbara Adline Anderson Cherokee Co., N. C.

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

Father: Cherokee County, N.C.

Mother: Cherokee County, N.C.

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 was likely enrolled on Hester's Band.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Callie McCalure	about 1877	
(2)	Lon McCalure	about 1881	
(3)	John McCalure	about 1883	
(4)	Elna McCalure	about 1885	
(5)	James McCalure	about 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.
Grand father	Andy McCalure	Lynus Anderson
Grand mother	Peggy McCalure nee Rogers	Randy Anderson

18. Where were they born? on mother's side in Buncombe County, N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee County, N.C.
 part of team

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: on mother's side

(1)	Robert Anderson	Shooting Creek, N.C.
(2)	William Anderson	Shooting Creek, N.C.
(3)	James Anderson	Shooting Creek, N.C.
(4)	John Anderson	dead
(5)	Angela Smith	Shooting Creek, N.C.
(6)	Patience Anderson	Shooting Creek, N.C.
(7)	Sarah Owens	part of team
(8)	Fannie Covert	Shooting Creek, N.C.
(9)	Barbara McCalure	Shooting Creek, 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: yes on Hester Roll & think it was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Applicant is daughter of Barbara McLure, who is daughter of Nancy Anderson, who is daughter of James W. Anderson, who was son of Kinnar Vason, who was daughter of Sam Vason, who was a full blooded Cherokee Indian and on roll 8/35-20 1981

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 Ollie Gibson)

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

John H. Davis
Notary Public.
of Town of ...

My commission expires Nov. 25th, 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 S. D. Kitchens

and A. J. Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ollie Gibson

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

and 17 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. D. Kitchens
A. J. Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Nov. 25th, 1911.

John H. Davis
Notary Public.
of Town of ...

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
SFP 12 1907
No 34491

Card sent

8/13/07

John H. Davis,
Attorney at Law.

Hiawassa, Ga. 9/19/07 1907

Hon. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-I mailed to you for Mrs. Ollie Gibson, wife of S.W. Gibson or Wesley Gibson an application by her for participation in the fund arising from the judgment in the Court of claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. I mailed this application from the P.O. here at Hiawassa about the first days of ~~AVENEX~~ August last. Her husband has just now called in my office inquiring about receipt stating that she has received no receipt for her claim yet. I gave you instructions to mail same to her. Her P.O. is Hiawassa, Georgia, Towns County. Not having received ~~any~~ any receipt card yet, she has no number to mention. Please look for the application and acknowledge receipt of the claim direct to her at Hiawassa, Georgia Towns County. If this is lost what is the result? I am willing to testify that I mailed it for her? The claim was made out before me and her witnesses came before me. Yours truly,

John H. Davis

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No. 34491.

John H. Davis,
Attorney at Law.

Hiawassa, Ga. 8/12/07. 1907

Hon. Guin Miller,
Special Commissioner,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir: Please find enclosed application of Ollie Gibson to participate in distribution of share due Eastern Cherokee Indians. Please receipt her direct at Hiawassa, Georgia as I simply file for her as a favor to her.

Yours truly,

John H. Davis

No. 34492.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Maggie Cloud* and *2* children. Residence: *Mt. Airy, N.C.*

Reasons:

Applicant's parents were slaves.

See letter.

34492

Object N. C. ?
No. 34492 July 20

Name Fizzie Cloud

With No.

Remarks:

uncertain with
no name

No. 51102

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lizzie Cloud

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

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	EASTERN CHEROKEES
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**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: Lizzie Cloud
Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: not any

3. County: Surry Co

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 47

Born

Dec. 26-1859

6. Where were you born? Franklin Co. Va

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wiseburn Cloud, Age 36-^{second wife}

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

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

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	Lilla King	29-	Mich. 10-1878
(2)	Walter Moore	27	Aug-31-1880
(3)	Belle Moore	25-	June 12-1882
(4)	Lula	23	May-10-1884
(5)	Lou. Ann. Thompson	21	April 2-1886
(6)	Wm. Thompson	19	June 20-1888
7	Geo. Moore	17	Mich-11-1890

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

Father—English name: Bob Base

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Sally Base

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Sally Ross

12. Where were they born?

Father: Franklin Va

Mother: _____

First husband
 Walter Moore - 10-10-1892
 Thomas Moore 12- April 6-1895
 Herman Moore 4- Jan. 6-1895
 George Moore 6- _____
 Dissolved young

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

Father: Franklin Va

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 1879

Mother: 1901

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)	Jim Ross, Westfield No.	age 66	
2	Mary Finner, State Co No Dead	63	
3	Aminda Ross, wid.	61	- when small
4	Milly Flippi - North Full, Jonston W. Va.	58	
5	Francis Doty, Du	55	1878
6	Mose Ross, Springfield, Ohio	53	
7	Thos Ross, Donhoe, Va	51	
8	Edmond Ross, Botkinia, N.C.	49	
9	Jervis Morsey, Mt Airy, N.C.	age 37	

(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>Ben Teel unknown</u>	<u>Ben Teel</u>
<u>Harriet Teel</u>	<u>Hanna Teel</u>

18. Where were they born? Franklin Co Va

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

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

(1)	<u>Sully Ross</u>	<u>Mt Airy N.C.</u>
(2)	<u>Sarah Teel</u>	<u>unknown</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Teel</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: I claim through my mother Sally Bore (in Ross) and my grandmother Homa Teel who my mother said was full blood Indian

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) Lizyir + Cloud

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

WR Badgett
Notary Public.

My commission expires Aug 1, 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. P. Joyce
and J. J. Joyce, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lizyir Cloud, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

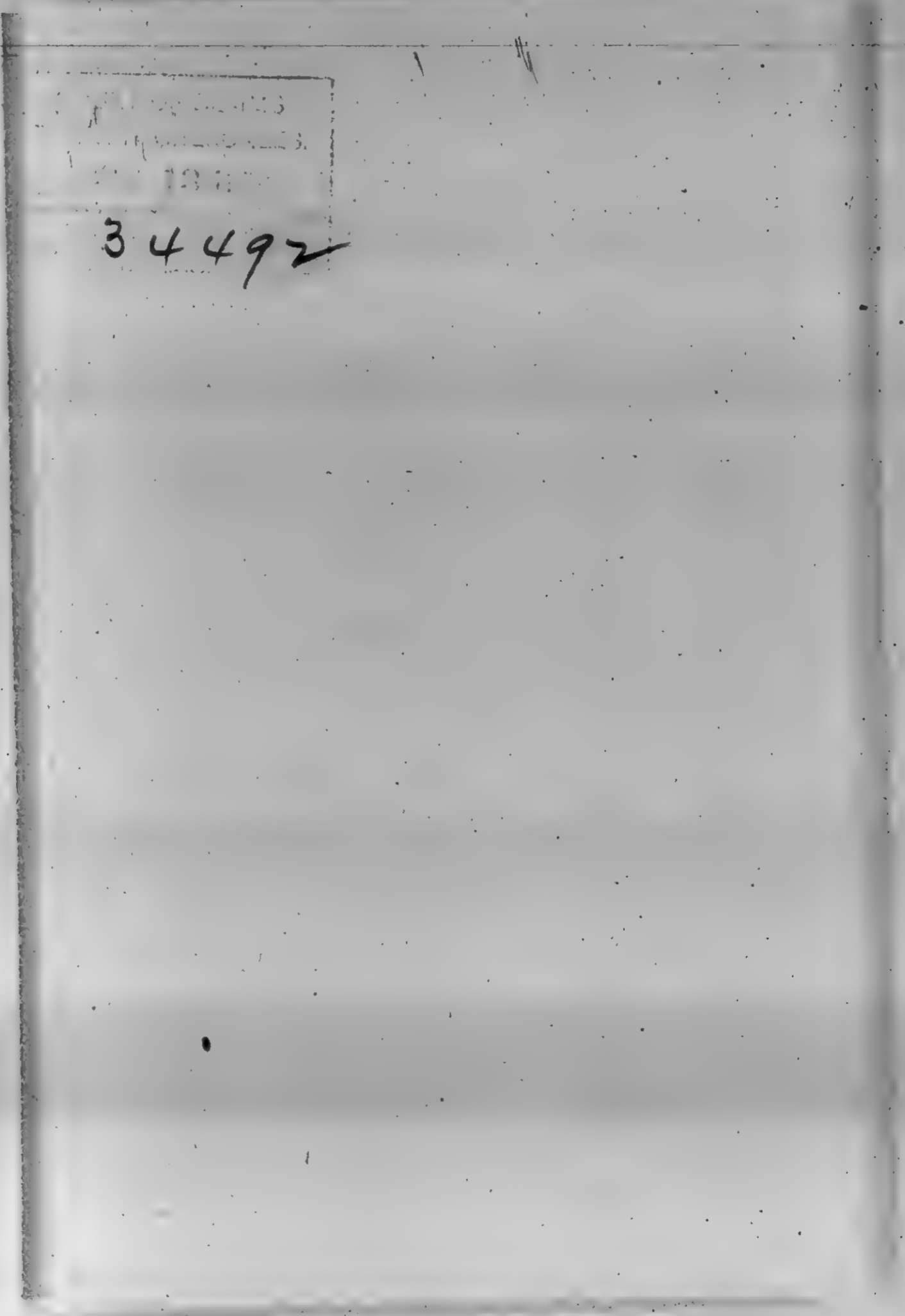
J. L. P. Joyce
J. J. Joyce

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

My commission expires

Aug - 1, 1907 WR Badgett
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. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
WATER RESOURCES DIVISION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

34492

Mt Airy NC
Nov 12 1908
Mr Guion Miller Special
Commissioner

Dear Sir

Replying to your letter received
some time ago relative to
my application for participation
in the distribution of the
Eastern Cherokee fund, I
will say:— 1st I am
not able to state why my
parents or grandparents were
not enrolled in 1857 and 32
2. They were slaves owned by
white people. 3 My grandfather

was a Cherokee Indian
and lived with the Indians
near Franklin Va. and
was recognized as a member
of that tribe.

H. None of my relatives have
shared in the payment to
the Eastern Cherokees.

Respectfully
Lizzie Clou J
No 347 92.

No. 34492.

May 17, 1908.

Lizzie Cloud,

St. Mary, N. D.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents and grandparents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851 and 1835.

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Did your parents or grandparents live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Have any of your immediate relatives shared in a payment to the Eastern Cherokee? If so, give their names and state when and where they were paid.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HWK/AIL

No. 34493.

Action: Reject.

Name Charlie Hunt and two children. Residence: Bells, Texas.

Reasons:

Son of Calidonia Hunt appl. no. 31875 and
Claims thro same source.

34493

No. 34 49 3-6.

Name

With No.

4531

Remarks:

Charlie Hunt
Nannie Proctor
Luther Hunt
Lula Proctor.

No. 34493

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Charlie Hunt

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 13 1907
No.

34493

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 Hunt

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Bella Texas

3. County: Grayson

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 29 Born 1878

6. Where were you born? Debaty Co. Mo.

7. Are you married? YES

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Caro Hunt 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>Orleta Hunt</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>9/18 1902</u>
(2)	<u>Larissa Hunt</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4/13 1904</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: J. D. Hunt

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Baldonia Hunt

Indian name: Baldonia Kanch

Maiden name: Baldonia Couch

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Kentucky

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

Father: Illinois

Mother: Ind. Penn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: still 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>F. E. Hunt</u>	<u>June 30 - 1875</u>	
(2)	<u>Charlie Hunt</u>	<u>Jan 18 - 1878</u>	
also #34496 (3)	<u>Milam Hunt</u>	<u>Oct 15 - 1881</u>	
#34494 (4)	<u>Nannie Hunt</u>	<u>June 25 - 1883</u>	
#34495 (5)	<u>Father & Surlay Hunt</u>	<u>August 25 - 1875</u>	
	<u>Leonard Hunt</u>	<u>June 7 - 1888</u>	
(6)	<u>Thurman Hunt</u>	<u>April 28 - 1894</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>Orrel G. Couch</u>	<u>Nannie M. Couch</u>
<u>Orrel G. Couch</u>	<u>Nannie M. Willson</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia and 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) Alise G. Couch
- (2) Leon G. Couch
- (3) Goldonia Couch
- (4) Orrel G. Couch
- (5) John W. Couch
- (6) Penasia G. Couch
- Oliver G. Couch

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: John & Mary Kanch English

John & Mary Kanch Indian name Great Grand Parents
Ornel. G. Kanch name in English Grand Parents
Ornel & Kanch name in English T. J. Hunt & Callonia
REMARKS.
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.) Parents

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

(Signature) Lehastie Hunt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909.

A. W. Witches
Notary Public.
Grayson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. G. Neal
and J. T. Meador, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Charlie Hunt
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and
10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. G. Neal

J. T. Meador

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909.

A. W. Witches
Notary Public.
Grayson County, Texas.

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COURT OF CLERKS
EASTERN OHIO REG.
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Horsald Texor

June 17 - 1908

Guian Miller

Dear sis in the fund
arising of the Eastern
Cherokee what have you
Done about no. 34493
No 34493 as have you
taken it up yet as that
if there is any Prof you
want me to do about
me na at once and
C. Howard

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 7 1908
No. 34493

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JAN 10 1908

Bells Tex
64 1908

Special Commissioner
of Claims.

I write a few words for
information. In regards to
my application no. 34773
I am anxious to know what
you have done. as a favor
do if you lack a proof let me
know at once.

Yours Resp.

Charlie Hunt

No. 34494

Action: Reject

Name Nannie Proctor and X children. Residence: Denison, Texas.

Reasons:

Daughter of Calidonia Hunt, appl. no. 31875

declares this same source.

34494

No. 34401

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Nannie Proctor

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

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RECEIVED
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 13 1907
No.

34401

**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: Nannie Proctor

Indian name: Nannie Hunt

2. Residence and post office: Denison 210 West Hill St.

3. County: Logan

4. State: Iowa

5. How old are you? 24 Born June 25 - 1883

6. Where were you born? Christian Co. Mo.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mannil Proctor 27

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: J. J. Hunt

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Baldonia Hunt

Indian name: Baldonia Kouck

Maiden name: Baldonia Couch

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Kentucky

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

Father: Illinois

Mother: not born in 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still 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)	J. E. Hunt	June 30 1876	
	Kemp J. J.		
(2)	Charley Hunt	Jan. 18 1878	
	Belle J.		
(3)	Milner Hunt	Oct. 15 1881	
	Belle J.		
(4)	Mannie Hunt	June 25 1883	
	Denison J.		
(5)	Lula Hunt	Aug 28 1885	
	Denison J.		
(6)	Luther Hunt	Aug 28 1885	
	Belle J.		
	Thurman Hunt	April 28 1892	

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.
Orrel G. Couch	Mannie M. Couch
Orrel G. Couch	Mannie M. Wilson

18. Where were they born? Virginia and 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) Effie G. Couch
- (2) Leora L. Couch
- (3) Edonia Couch
- (4) Oral E. Couch
- (5) John W. Couch
- (6) Louisa V. Couch
- Otis L. Couch

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 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: John and Mary Couch English
John and Mary Couch Indian (Great Grand Parents)
Orrel Couch and Nannie McCouch (Grand Parents English)
Orrel Couch and Nannie McCouch (Grand Parents Indian)

REMARKS.
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
S. J. Hunt and Caldonia Hunt (Mrs. Caldonia Couch Indian)

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

(Signature) Nannie Proctor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug. 1907.

W. H. Wetcher
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909 Grayson 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 R. L. Allen
and G. McAdams who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Nannie Proctor who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. L. Allen
G. McAdams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909 W. H. Wetcher
Notary Public.
Grayson County Texas.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. JAN 9 1909
No. 34494

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Harold Tap

Jan 5 1909

Union Miller

Special Commission

Sir please give me
some idea about what
time our claim will
come to a close my
application no 34494.
I would like to know
all the information you
can give I have waited
quite over a year and half
and I want to know
something about
give me all the information

over one and about
what time it will
close wishing and
early reply

Harriet Proctor

Harold Tef
R.N. No 1 Box 68

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES,
SEP 30 1907
No. 34494

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SEP 30 1907

Memorandum
Sept 27/27
Special Committee of
The Court of Claims
Eastern Cherokee enrollment
colony building
Washington, D.C. de-
sirous of word to know
further information about
The claim of Eastern
Cherokee please explain
to me when it will be
settled about how long
it will take to settle
would like to see
it please explain to
me and about how
much it will be to.

each one of us may
invention No 34484
please give all implement
for our use & oblige
Hannah Proctor

Hannah Proctor

25 W. Hall St.

Union Hill

Special mention
Hannah Proctor
invention No 34484

No. 34495.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Luther Hunt* and *x* children.

Residence: *Bells, Texas*

Reasons:

Son of Calidonia Hunt appl. no. 31875 and

Claims thro same source.

No. 21495

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Luther Hunt

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

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RECEIVED
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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: Guthrie Hunt
Indian name: '' ''

2. Residence and post office: Bells

3. County: Grayson Co

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 21 Born 18 86

6. Where were you born? Christian Co 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? Eastern 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: J. J. Hunt

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Caldonia Hunt

Indian name: Caldonia Kanch

Maiden name: Caldonia couch

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Kentucky

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

Father: Illinois

Mother: out Barn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: still living

Mother: 11 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: no

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>J. E. Hunt</u>	<u>June 30 1875</u>	
(2)	<u>Charlie Hunt</u>	<u>Jan 18 1878</u>	
(3)	<u>Milam Hunt</u>	<u>Oct 15 1881</u>	
(4)	<u>Nannie Hunt</u>	<u>June 25 1873</u>	
(5)	<u>Butler & Loula Hunt</u>	<u>August 18 1875</u>	
(6)	<u>Benard Hunt</u>	<u>June 7 1888</u>	
	<u>Thurman Hunt</u>	<u>April 28 1892</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>Orrel G. Cauch</u>	<u>Nannie M. Cauch</u>
<u>Orrel G. Kauch</u>	<u>Nannie M. Wilkerson</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia and 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) Alice G. Cauch
- (2) Leam L. Cauch
- (3) Caldonia Cauch
- (4) Are G. Cauch
- (5) John W. Cauch
- (6) Lavinia Cauch
- Atin L. Cauch

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 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: John & Mary Church English
John & Mary Kanch Indian name Great Grand Parents
Arrel G. Kanch Annie M. Church Grand Parents
Arrel G. Church Annie M. Willson T. J. Hunt & Baldania
Parents

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) Luther Hunt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug. 1907.

A. W. Wetcher
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 1st, 1909.

Grayson County, Ga.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. O. Binion
and J. H. West who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Luther Hunt
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 19 years and
18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person 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.

W. O. Binion
J. H. West

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires June 1st, 1909.

A. W. Wetcher
Notary Public
Grayson County, Ga.

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. 34496.

Action: Reject

Name Loula Proctor and 1 children. Residence: Denison, Texas

Reasons:

Daughter of Calidonia Hunt appl. no 31875
claims this same source.

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

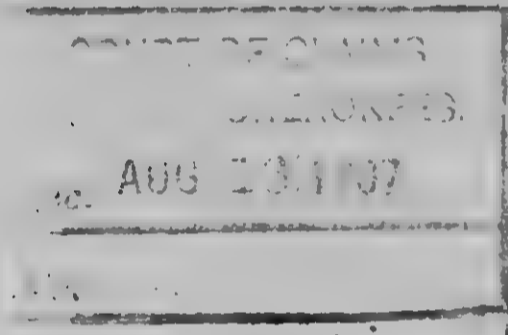
APPLICATION

OF

Lula Proctor

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

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

Sir:

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

Indian name: Lula Hunt

2. Residence and post office: Denison W. 210 St

3. County: Grayson

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 21

Born 18.85

6. Where were you born? Christian Co. MO.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marvin Proctor 27 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>Lewett Proctor</u>	<u>2.</u>	<u>June 19, 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: J. J. Hunt

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Baldonia Hunt

Indian name: Baldonia Kouch

Maiden name: Baldonia Couch

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Kentucky

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

Father: Illinois

Mother: Not Born.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still 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>Ch. E. Hunt</u>	<u>June 30. 18. 76.</u>	
(2)	<u>Charlie Hunt</u>	<u>Jan. 18. 18. 78.</u>	
(3)	<u>Milow Hunt</u>	<u>Oct. 15. 18. 81.</u>	
(4)	<u>Hannie Hunt</u>	<u>June 25. 18. 89.</u>	
(5)	<u>Luther & Lila Hunt</u>	<u>Aug. 28. 18. 86.</u>	
(6)	<u>Lenord Hunt</u>	<u>June 7. 18. 88.</u>	
	<u>Thurman Hunt</u>	<u>April 28. 18. 92.</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>Orrel S. Couch</u>	<u>Hannie M. Couch</u>
<u>Orrel S. Couch</u>	<u>Hannie M. Wilson</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia & 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) Alice S. Couch _____
- (2) Leon L. Couch _____
- (3) Caldonia Couch _____
- (4) Orrel E. Couch _____
- (5) John W. Couch _____
- (6) Louisia V. Couch _____
- Oris L. Couch _____

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 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: John & Mary Couch English

John & Mary Kanch Indian Name Great Grand Parents

Orsel G. Couch Cousin of Couch Grand Parents

Orsel G. Kanch Cousin of Willson T. J. Hunt & Baldania Couch

Parents

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

Lula Hunt Claims Eastern Cherokee

But Married a Man by the Name of

Proctor But Claims No tribe of Indians

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

(Signature) Lula Proctor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug, 1907.

W. W. Wetcher
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 1st, 1909. Waynes County, West

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. Baur

and C. R. Badgett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Lula Hunt Proctor

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 13 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. Baur
C. R. Badgett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909. W. W. Wetcher
Notary Public.
Waynes County, West

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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ELECTRA HARDWARE CO.

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PAINTS, STOVES, GUNS AND QUEENSWARE

Electra, Texas

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Mr. Guion Miller

Dear sir

Your letter of June 10-09.
concerning my claim
No. 34476. Lula Proctor.

I can not understand what
the objections are.
I thought I had my claim
proved.

Please let me know
what more proff I need.
~~or~~ what points
yours

Cordially
Lula Proctor

Electra
Texas.

No. 34497

Action: Admit

Name Florence E. Ross and x children.

Residence: Rose, Okla.

Reasons:

Niece of #334

No. 34497

Name Florence E. Ross

With No. 334

Remarks :

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No. 34497

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Flornice E. Hass.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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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L. H. H. 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: Florence E. Tass

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: About 1 1/2 miles East Tass, Gt.

3. County: Cherokee Nation - Ind. Terr.

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? 27 yrs. Born Nov. 30 - 1879

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation - 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? 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: Daniel Tass.

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Betha C. Tass

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Betha C. Holland

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation - Ind. Terr.

Mother: Gordon County - Georgia

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

Father: Cherokee Nation - Ind. Terr.

Mother: Georgia

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: 1851 - Cherokee tribe. Participated in money, land + everything due Cherokees -

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
# 34498 - (1)	Maggie M. Tass	1883	
(2)	Cornelius N. Tass	1888	
(3)	Carrie E. Tass	1891	
(4)	Daniel N. Tass	1900	
(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>Andrew Tass</u>	<u>James Holland</u>
<u>Sarah Tass</u>	<u>Nancy Holland</u>

18. Where were they born? Old Nation East of Mississippi

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father's side - Mother dead
Father in Cherokee Nation - Mother's side - Georgia

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

(1) <u>Pleasant Holland</u>	<u>Wagon Road, Tenn</u>
(2) <u>Wm L. Holland</u>	<u>Dorsey, Tenn</u>
(3) <u>Richard Holland</u>	<u>St. Louis, Mo</u>
(4) <u>Martha Johnson</u>	<u>Westville, Tenn</u>
(5) <u>Nancy Collins</u>	<u>White Oak, Tenn</u>
(6) <u>Louise Johnson</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: 1880 with Cherokee tribe

Participated in money, land & everything due Cherokees.

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's Application filed No. 4583
Mother's " " " " No. 1368

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

(Signature) Florence E. Vassar

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

W. Haggdale
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 11, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Maggie Vaggdale
and Laura Vaper, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Florence E. Vassar
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 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.

Maggie Vaggdale
Laura Vaper

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

My commission expires

Nov 11, 1909. W. Haggdale
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. 34498

Action: Admit

Name Maggie M. Ross and children.

Residence: Rose, Okla.

Reasons:

Niece of #334

No. 34498

Name Maggie M. Ross

With No. 334

Remarks :

W.C.C.C.

No. 34498

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Maggie M. Bass

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 19 1907
No.

34498

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Oaray 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: Maggie M. Trass.
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: About 1 1/2 Miles East. Trass, I. T.
3. County: Cherokee Nation - Ind. Terr.
4. State: _____
5. How old are you? 24 Born 1883
6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation - 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? 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: Daniel Trass
 Indian name: _____
 Mother—English name: Trusha C. Trass
 Indian name: _____
 Maiden name: Trusha C. Holland

12. Where were they born?
 Father: Cherokee Nation - Ind. Terr.
 Mother: Garden County - Georgia

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

Father: Cherokee Nation, Ind. Terr.

Mother: Georgia

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: 1851 - Cherokee tribe - Participated in money, land and everything due Cherokees

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Florence E. Tass	1879	
(2)	Cornelius M. Tass	1888	
(3)	Carrie E. Tass	1891	
(4)	Daniel W. Tass	1900	
(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
Andrew Tass	James Holland
Sarah Tass	Nancy Holland

18. Where were they born? Old Nation East of Mississippi

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father's side / Mother died + Father living in Cherokee Nation (Mother's side) - Georgia

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

(1) Pleasant Holland	Wann, Tenn.
(2) Wm. J. Holland	Deer Creek, Tenn.
(3) Richard Holland	Stilwell, Tenn.
(4) Martha Johnson	Westville, Tenn.
(5) Nancy Collins	Tahlequah, Tenn.
(6) Lucius Sanders	

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 Cherokee tribe

Participated in money, land & Everything due 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:

REMARKS.

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

Father's Application filed No. 4583.
Mother's " " " " No. 1368.

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

(Signature Maggie M Pett)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

D W Ragsdale Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 11 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Maggie Ragsdale
and Laura Raper, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Maggie M Pett
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 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.

Maggie Ragsdale
Laura Raper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 11 1909. D W Ragsdale 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. 34499

Action: Admitted

Name Joe Starr and 2 children. Residence: Rose, Okla

Reasons:

Nephew of # 991 and claims through same source
(Grandparents enrolled.)



34499

No. 34499

Name J. H. Stewart

With No. 1991

Remarks:



No. 34419

Name Joe Stair

With No. Locust Lane

Remarks:



Amputation not
on rolls,

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No. 1491 -

No. 6147

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Joe Starr

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

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: Wm Starr

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: one mile east of Co. PC

3. County: Dist. 5

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 26 Born April 20-1881

6. Where were you born? Flint Dist. Co. Indian Territory

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Margaret E. Starnes

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>Wm Starr</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Oct 30-1902</u>
(2)	<u>Felix Starr</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Jan 27-1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Boce Starr

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Johanna Parris

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Johanna DeWey

12. Where were they born?

Father: Flint Dist. Co. Indian Territory

Mother: Flint Dist. Cherokee Indian Territory

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: Per capita payment

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Starr</u>	<u>Aug 11 - 1879</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>George Starr</u>	<u>Samuel H. ...</u>
<u>not known</u>	<u>Lydia Le ...</u>

18. Where were they born? not known

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

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

11980	(1)	<u>Joseph ...</u>	<u>Stilwell, N.J.</u>
13748	(2)	<u>Maggie Locant</u>	<u>Tahlequah, Ark.</u>
1991	(3)	<u>Andrew - large</u>	<u>Union, Ark.</u>
10-31484-5106	(4)	<u>James ...</u>	<u>Starr, Ark.</u>
17842	(5)	<u>Charles ...</u>	<u>" " "</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: Per capita payments

with all other per capita payments

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

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: do not know



REMARKS.

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

See previous application no. 12010

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

(Signature) J. P. [unclear]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Ruggdale
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 11, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Maggie [unclear]
and Laura [unclear], who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with J. P. Starr

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.

Maggie [unclear]
Laura [unclear]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 11, 1907.

J. W. Ruggdale
Notary Public.

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#34499

Joe Starr, being duly sworn deposes and says:-

My name is Joe Starr. I was born in Flint District in 1881. I was enrolled before the Dawes Commission as a half-blood. I was enrolled under the name of Joe Starr, # 14460, and received my allotment of land. I think my father's correct name is Caleb Starr. I have been told by my father that he and his parents were Old Settlers. I make the claim in this fund thru my mother who was a half-blood Cherokee. (See OLD SETTLER ROLL for names of father and grandfather) My mother's maiden name was Johnanna Hensley. My mother was born in Flint District about 1858. My mother claims her Cherokee blood thru her mother. My mother's father, Samuel Hensley was a white man. My grandmother on my mother's side was born in Sequoyah District. I do not know when my grandmother was born. I have always heard that my grandmother was an emigrant Cherokee. I never heard whether my grandmother drew any money in 1852 or not. I don't know whether my grandmother thru whom I claim ever drew any Old Settler money or not. I think that my mother never drew any Old Settler money. All my ancestors have always been Cherokees and have never received rights with any other tribe.

Both I and my mother received the Strip payment in 1894. In 1851 I think my grandmother lived in Sequoyah District and that she was enrolled in that District. My grandmother was married four times. Her husbands names were Duncan, Hensley, Rogers and Lamar. I think that she was enrolled under the name of Duncan in 1851.

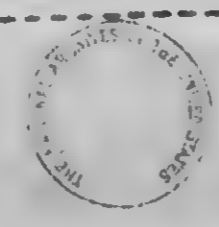
The brothers and sisters of my mother were Taylor Duncan, Margaret Hensley, Andrew Rogers, and James Lamar, Charlie Lamar and Alexander Lamar.

The brothers and sisters of my grandmother were James Tehee, Charlie Tehee, Steve Tehee, Mary Tehee and Lizzie Tehee.

Mary, Charlie and Lizzie Tehee have applied for participation in this fund. I do not know their application numbers.

*Account first ...
on ...*

Joe Starr



SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 5th day of October, 1908,
at Locust Grove, Okla.

J. C. ...

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

2735

No. 34499.

May 12, 1906.

Joe Starr,

Rose, Okla.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly advise this office why your grandparents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Are you a Cherokee allottee? If so, give your number and indicate on what roll your name appears.

Were your grandparents enrolled with the Old Settlers?

Were any of your ancestors held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,



Special Commissioner.

HWK/AIL

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Post Office

June 15th 1908

Mr John Miller
Washington D. C.

I received a letter from
your office asking
why my grandparents
were not enrolled with
the Eastern Cherokees
in 1851

I can not answer that
question

When I made out
my application I
made mistake in
giving in my father
name I give it in
of Base Start his

name is

~~Caleb Start~~



I am Charles allister

I am not No Negro

my name appears on

Dans Commission

Roll 4 my number

is 14466

Joe Start

No. 34500

Action: *Revised*

Name: *Robert Patrick* and *children* Residence: *Suburban*

Reasons:

Belongs through the same source as 32336

No. 34510-02,

Name

With No. 32336,

Remarks:

Bertha M. Parson
Joseph A. Parson
Mary E. "

No. 34570-02,

Name _____

With No. 32336,

Remarks:

Bertha M. Patten
Joseph A. Patten
Mary E.

No. 34500

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Bertha M. Patrick

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

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*Filed by O. F. Farrell
Patent
~~George W. Farrell~~
Washington*

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JULY 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: Bircha M. Patriak

Indian name: Birdin Bellon

2. Residence and post office: Leather bluff Washpark

3. County: Texas

4. State: Virginia Wash.

5. How old are you? 50 yrs Born Dec 26, 1856

6. Where were you born? Texas Co. Tex

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Birdin Patriak

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>Paul Patriak</u>	<u>2 yrs</u>	<u>Nov 13, 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Sarah Patriak</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Isaac M. Bellon

Indian name: Isaac M. Bellon

Mother—English name: Jane Bellon

Indian name: Jane Bellon

Maiden name: Jane Parker

12. Where were they born?

Father: Texas Co. Tex

Mother: Texas Co. Tex

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

Father: Tej

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 Isaac M. Belton

was recently enrolled as a laborer

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>James W. Belton</u> <u>Neenah, W. Va.</u>	<u>April 28, 1873</u>	
(2)	<u>T. J. Belton</u> <u>Deer Park, Wash</u>	<u>Aug 1 1875</u>	
(3)	<u>Sarah Niogo</u> <u>Pond, Tex</u>	<u>Aug 21, 1877</u>	
(4)	<u>Jos Belton</u> <u>Leadon Bluff, Va</u>	<u>Dec 1880</u>	
(5)	<u>Mary Belton</u> <u>Leadon Bluff, Va</u>	<u>Nov 23, 1881</u>	
(6)	<u>Wm. J. Belton</u> <u>Leadon Bluff, Va</u>	<u>Jan 29, 1883</u>	
	<u>John Belton</u>	<u>Dec 25, 1884</u>	
	<u>Charles Belton</u>	<u>July 1891</u>	
	<u>Ellen Belton</u>	<u>March 1893</u>	
	<u>Carl Belton</u>	<u>May 1895</u>	
		<u>April 27, 1897</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.

Thomas J. Belton Le av. spirit

Sarah Ann Belton Sarah Williams

18. Where were they born? Tejwese County, Va

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

Virginia

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

(1)	<u>Polly Brown</u>	<u>Bundy, Va</u>
(2)	<u>James Belton</u>	<u>Deer Park, Wash</u>
(3)	<u>Isaac M. Belton</u>	<u>Leadon Bluff, Va</u>
(4)	<u>Ellen Thompson</u>	<u>Jacoma, Va</u>
(5)	<u>Thomas Albert Belton</u>	<u>Pandora, W. Va</u>
(6)	<u>A. J. Belton</u>	<u>Deer Park, Wash</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: Thomas Jefferson Bellon
Thomas Jefferson Bellon, Sarah Ann
Bellon, Isaac M. Bellon, father

REMARKS.

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

She hereby appoints Patrick O'Connell
of Washington D.C. her lawful attorney

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

William
W. B. Spruill, N.P.

(Signature)

Bertha M. Patrick

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Aug 1907.

W. B. Spruill
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 11, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. A. McQuinn
and J. A. McQuinn, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Bertha M. Patrick
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. McQuinn
J. A. McQuinn
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 11, 1907 W. B. Spruill
Notary Public.

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No. 34301

Action: *Recorded*

Name: *John A. Smith* and *children*

Residence: *1234 7th St*

Reasons:

illness, the same, entered as 3-2-21

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No. 34501

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Joseph A. Belton

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

Samuel Otwell

Washington

COURT OF CLAIMS D.C.
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 13 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: Joseph A. Bellon

Indian name: Joseph A. Bellon

2. Residence and post office: cedar bluff

3. County: Tennese

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 26 Born Dec 26 1880

6. Where were you born? Tennese Co Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Willie Bellon 20 years old

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>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: Isaac Yu Bellon

Indian name: Isaac Isaac

Mother—English name: Jane Bellon

Indian name: Jane Isaac

Maiden name: Jane Pasley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennese Co Ga

Mother: Wayson Co Ga

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: My father Isaac M. Bellin

was recently enrolled as a Cherokee Indian

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James W. Bellin	Aug 28, 1873	
	Thomas W. Bellin		
(2)	J. J. Bellin	Sept 11, 1871	
	Deer Park, Wash		
(3)	Sarah Mingo	Aug 21, 1871	
	Pond, Ky		
# 34502 (4)	Mary Bellin	Nov 23, 1881	
	Floyd Bellin	Jan 29, 1883	
	Maggie Bellin	Dec 25, 1889	
	John Bellin	July 1891	
	Charles Bellin	March 1893	
(5)	Ella Bellin	May 1895	
(6)	Leard Bellin	April 27, 1897	
	Leadus Bluff, Va		

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

Thomas J. Bellin
Sarah Ann Bellin

James T. Bellin
Leticia M. Bellin

18. Where were they born? Grandfather Tazewell Co Va

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

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

(1)	Polly Bellin	Bundy, Va
(2)	James Bellin	Deer Park, Wash
(3)	Isaac M. Bellin	Leadus Bluff, Va
(4)	Ellen Thompson	Tazewell, Va
(5)	Thomas D. Bellin	Pandora, W Va
(6)	A. J. Bellin	Deer Park, Wash

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, Isaac M Bellin. My Grand father, Thomas J. Bellin. Grand mother, Sarah Ann Bellin

REMARKS.

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

We hereby appoint Patual O'Garraill of Washington D.C. his true and lawful attorney

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

(Signature) Joseph A. Bellin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Aug, 1907.

W.D. Spruce
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 11, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. A. Gillespie

and J. A. McQuinn, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Joseph A. Bellin

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and

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

himself to be, and that 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. A. Gillespie

J. A. McQuinn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 11, 1907.

W.D. Spruce
Notary Public.

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No. 34501

Action: Rejected

Name: Mary E. Miller and children. Residence: Durham N.C.

Reasons:

Admission to the same school as 21556

34502

No. 34502

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

May E. Bellon

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

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Zeedy O'Farrell
Patent Agent
Washington D.C.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 18 1907

**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 me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the 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. Bellon

Indian name: Mary E. Bellon

2. Residence and post office: London Bluff near Park

3. County: Igousee

4. State: Virginia Wash

5. How old are you? 25 Born Nov 23, 1881

6. Where were you born? Igousee les ya

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: Isaac M. Bellon

Indian name: Isaac Isaac

Mother—English name: Jane Bellon

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: Jane Pasley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Igousee les ya

Mother: Grayson les ya

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: My father Isaac M. Bellin

was named enrolled as a Cherokee Indian

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	James M. Bellin	April 28, 1873	-
	Thompson M. M.		
(2)	J. J. Bellin	Sept. 1875	
	Deer Park Wash		
(3)	Scrub Kings	Aug 21, 1877	
	Pond Key		
(4)	Jas Bellin	Dec 1880	
	Leader Bluff Va		
(5)	Maggie Bellin	Jan 29 1883	
	Cherokee	Dec 25 1889	
	John Bellin	July 1891	
	Bellevue Bellin	March 1893	
(6)	Ella Bellin	May 1895	
	Carl Bellin	April 27, 1897	

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

Thomas J. Bellin _____ Leah M. M.
 Scrub Sea Bellin _____ Sarah M. M.

18. Where were they born? Green's father Logansville Ga

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

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

(1)	Polly Brown	Bundy Va
(2)	James Bellin	Deer Park Wash
(3)	Isaac M. Bellin	Leader Bluff Va
(4)	Ellen Thompson	Leona Va
(5)	Thomas S. Bellin	Paithen Va
(6)	A. J. Bellin	Deer Park Wash

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: Isaac M. Bellon father
Thomas J. Bellon grand father

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint Patrick O'Connell
of Washington D.C. his legal attorney

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

(Signature) Mary E. Bellon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Aug 1907.

W.B. Spruill
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 11, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. S. Greenup
and J. A. McQueen, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary E. Bellon who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 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.

J. S. Greenup
J. A. McQueen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 11, 1907 W.B. Spruill
Notary Public.

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No. 34503.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Chas. F. Casto* and *x* children.

Residence: *Estrella, Okla.*

Reasons:

1st Conviction of # 7713.

No. 34573
Name. Cur & Costa
With No. 77/3

Remarks:

7th Cousin of 97713.

No. 34503

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Chas. F. Casto.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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.
Rec. AUG 11 1907
No.

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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: Charles F. Casto

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Estella Indian Ter

3. County: _____

4. State: Cherokee Nation

5. How old are you? 21 years Born May 27 1886

6. Where were you born? in Indian Missouri

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: William Casto

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mary C. Casto #1720

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Mary C. McCabe

12. Where were they born?

Father: Indiana

Mother: Indiana

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

Father: Indiana

Mother: Indiana

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:

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John, a, Casto	1867	Living Ind Ter
(2)	Joe, R. Casto	1869	Living "
(3)	Mary, S. Casto	1872	Living "
(4)	Margaret S. Casto	1874	Living "
(5)	Murtie a Casto	1877	Living "
Self (6)	Charles, F. Casto	1886	Living "
	Albert, R. Casto	1891	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>Arnon Casto</u>	<u>Mary, a. Read</u>
<u>Sarah Casto</u>	<u>Wm McCabe</u>

18. Where were they born? Indiana

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

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

- (1) ~~William McCabe~~ John
- (2) James S McCabe
- (3) Robert C
- (4) Isaac Reed
- (5) William F McCabe
- (6) Harry L. Chase

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.)

The Rolls of 1793 shows that my great grand father's name is that, English Name Christopher Harmon, Indian Name Sticker Harmon

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

(Signature Charles F. Castle)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August 1907.
R. A. F. Allen
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Commission Expires May 13, 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 C. W. Miller
and W. M. Warren, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Char F Castle
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 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.

C. W. Miller

W. M. Warren

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

My commission expires

Commission Expires May 13, 1909, 190

R. A. F. Allen
Notary Public.

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No. 34504.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Geo. H. James* and *1* children. Residence: *Breedenton, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Son of 29758 and claims through the
same source*

34504

No. 34504
Name. G. H. Mayo
With No. 29758
Remarks:

34504

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

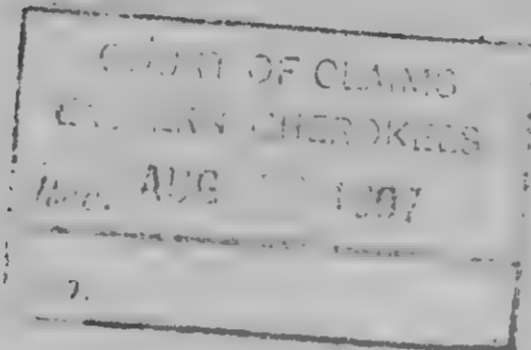
APPLICATION

OF

Geo. H. 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



10507

**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 Henry James,

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Breedenton,

3. County: Meigs

4. State: Tennessee,

5. How old are you? 26 years Born 1881.

6. Where were you born? Cumberland County, Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Bertha Huffman James, Age 17years

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>George Avery James</u>	<u>2years.</u>	<u>May 24, 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: George N.B. James

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Louisa James,

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Louisa Williams.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Haywood Co., North Carolina,

Mother: Fannin Co., Georgia.

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

Father: Fannin Co., Ga.,

Mother: Fannin Co., Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1906. Nov. 4.

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 James</u> <u>Eucliee, Tenn.</u>	<u>1868</u>	
(2)	<u>John James</u> <u>Harriman, Tenn.</u>	<u>1870</u>	
(3)	<u>Mary J. Clark,</u> <u>Decatur, Tenn.</u>	<u>1873.</u>	
(4)	<u>Charles James,</u> <u>Rockwood, Tenn</u>	<u>1876.</u>	
(5)	<u>Sally Robinson,</u> <u>Eucliee, Tenn.</u>	<u>1878</u>	
(6)	<u>Joseph James,</u> <u>Cardiff, Tenn.</u>	<u>1884</u>	
	<u>Lissie Briggs,</u> <u>Kingston, Tenn</u>	<u>1888</u>	
	<u>Randy Briggs,</u> <u>Kingston, Tenn.</u>	<u>1888</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>John James,</u>	<u>Samuel Williams,</u>
<u>Barbara James,</u>	<u>Malinda Williams,</u>
<u>Barbara Ruff, maiden name.</u>	<u>Malinda Bryant, maiden name.</u>

18. Where were they born? James in Haywood Co. N.C. Williams Hyawood Co., N.C.
Ruff in N.C. Bryant in Georgia.

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

All in Fannin Co., Ga.

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

(1) <u>Christina Hall</u>	<u>Blount Co. Tenn.</u>
(2) <u>John James,</u>	<u>Cumberland Co. Tenn.</u>
(3) <u>Elijah James,</u>	<u>Dallas Co. Texas.</u>
(4) <u>George N.E. James,</u>	<u>Dead.</u>
(5) <u>Telitha C. Buck,</u>	<u>Fannin Co., Ga.</u>
(6) <u>Elizabeth Henson</u>	<u>Fannin Co., Ga.</u>
<u>Louisa James,</u>	<u>Breedenton, Tenn.</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: Father and grandfather etc, given in answer to 17 and GGP. Betty Littlefield James, George Williams Polly Carson Williams, Richard Bryant.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
George Williams and Richard Bryant half blood Cherokee indians.
John James of Cherokee Indian descent.

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

(Signature) G. H. James

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

My commission expires Jan 8, 1908., 190 .

J. W. Leonard
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Louisa James
and S. S. Eaves, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with G. H. James who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 26 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.

S. S. Eaves
X Johnson Clark
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 8, 1908., 190 .

J. W. Leonard
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 17 1909
No. 34504

vic. 184

May 12, 1909

Washington

D.C.

Dear Sir,

My Application Blank for
The Eastern Cherokee Claim
has been in your care
for some time & I
hope that you will
come to some conclu-
sion at once. Let me
know what it is. I have
changed my address
now & I would like
to know about that
at once. Yours

Respectfully

Geo H

My card no is 345057 James

My address is Lenoir
Tenn

R. F. D. no 1

May The. 13 (08)

Mr. Guion Miller

601. O'ray Bldg.

Washington, D.C.

My Dear Sir I will write to
inform you that I have
changed my address since I
sent my claim as I am
parte Cherokee Indian.

Will you please notify the
Court of Claims of the change
and let me know at once
what & where we will hear
from them and oblige
my name is Wm. S. James
my address was Enchill Tennessee
But now it is

Deeatur

R.F. I. no. 1. Tenn

C.P.S. my claim no is 35,007.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1909
No. 34504

*Regist
Notice*

Aug 12. 1909

Washington
D.C.

Dear Sir as I have not been
notified whether or not
that I will be appointed
and more exact information
please send me at
at June 10 1909

My Application No
is 34509 Please

notify me at

my home

Geo. H. Jones

Director Bureau

No. 34505

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Madison T. B. Washington, and 1 children.* Residence: *1811 Lombard St.
Phila. Pa.*

Reasons:

Claims thro. father and mother who "belonged to the same tribe of Indians as Sitting Bull" - the famous chief of the Sioux tribe

(See Misc. Act. p. 4394)

Field, Ill. Book 8.

No. 345-05-

Name M. T. B. Washington

With No.

Remarks:

Question not
on roll.

See answer to
question 22

Rept.

No. 34505

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Madison J. B. Washington

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. AUG 16 1907 No.
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34505

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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: Madison Thomas Bell Washington

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: 1811 Lombard St. North De-
partment Street Chicago Illinois

3. County: Cook County

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 51 yrs Born June 15th 1856

6. Where were you born? Detroit Michigan

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 nation of Indians

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Madison Washington Jr</u>	<u>17 yrs</u>	<u>April 12th 1890</u> <u>Chicago Illinois</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 Washington

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Emily Washington

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Emily Foythe

12. Where were they born?

Father: Virginia State

Mother: _____

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

Father: Detroit Michigan

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: deceased Sept 31 1896

Mother: " June 5th 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)	<u>Henry Washington</u>	<u>15th Oct 1860</u>	<u>Apr 4th 1907</u>
(2)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
(3)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
(4)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
(5)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
(6)	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>

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.

don't know Grand parents name don't know

18. Where were they born? Virginia State

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

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

- (1) don't know
- (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: my Father left the state of Virginia in 1830 with a member of his family at the age of 12 years and settled in Detroit Michigan and resided there until his death,

REMARKS.

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

my father's statement to me when living was (Betling Bull) is my Uncle and he advised me to state this or repeat the same to my children. His mother made beaded slippers & parkies & etc

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

(Signature) Madison J. B. Washington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 23rd, 1911.

David A. Smith
3128 State St Chicago Ill.
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Madison J. B. Washington

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

that they are well acquainted with Madison J. B. Washington

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 9 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

David A. Smith 3128 State St Chicago Ill.

Joseph E. Pierce

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

My commission expires

January 31st, 1911, Lawrence 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.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JAN 14 1909
No. 34505

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Philadelphia, Pa., *Jan 14th* 1909

How Gain Miller

Special Commissioner of Court

Washington D. C.

Application No 34505

Dear Sir

Your notice dated Aug 14th 1908, at hand requesting my appearance before you, on Friday September 4th 1908 at 8 o'clock A.M. for purpose of giving testimony relative to our claims.

I desire to state that I have been in this City since April 19th 1908 and received your letter to date to have appeared before you to testify, in my behalf, however, I will be in Washington D.C. before the inauguration of our next president, and hope to be in position to give testimony as per request.

Yours Respectfully,

Madison J. B. Washington.

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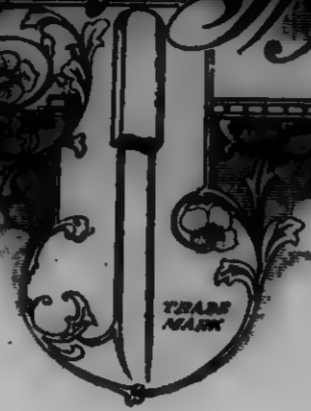
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UNITED STATES



Chicago, Ill. Aug 12th 1907

Mr. Gion Miller
Special Commissioner
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

Please forward me special application or supplemental

Blank, also, Application for a renewed Patent and oblige
and since May 28th 1906
Yours Truly

M. T. B. Washington

No. 34505.

May 12, 1908.

Madison T. S. Washington,
3458 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1861.

Why were your grandparents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees?

When did your parents, or your grandparents, move from Virginia to Illinois?

Were you held as a slave? If so, were you owned by white people or Indians?

Did your parents or grandparents live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HWK/AIL

App. #34505.

August 21, 1907.

M. T. B. Washington,
2458 Dearborn Street,
Chicago, Illinois.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of August 12, 1907, you are advised that it is not necessary for you to file a supplemental application for your minor children, as you have included them in your original application.

An application is inclosed for you to file for your deceased brother's share.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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No. 34506.

Action: *Reject*.

Name: *John H. Stephens* and *3* children. Residence: *Bagwell, Texas.*

Reasons:

It appears that this applicant has no Indian blood but claims through his step-mother.

Misc. Test. P. 2112.

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No. 345-06

Name Jno H. Stephens

With No. Red River Co

Remarks:
 Reject

Claims through
Ben Munnell
to 1782.

Why was applicant
mother not enrolled

No. 34506

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Stephens

Jno. H. Stephens,

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 16 1907

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 23 1907
No.

34506

**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 H. Stephens

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Bagwell

3. County: Red River

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 52 Born DEC 14, 1855

6. Where were you born? Marshall Co Alabama

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 52

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>John Stephens</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>Ala</u>
(2)	<u>Peto</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Ala</u>
(3)	<u>Boy</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Bonnie</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Peter Stephens

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Emoline Stephens

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Emolina Merrill

12. Where were they born?

Father: Marshall Co Ala in the old Cherokee Nation

Mother: Marshall Co Ala in the old Cherokee Nation

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

Father: in Marshall Co Ala

Mother: in Marshall Co Ala

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1887

Mother: 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: about my Grandfather Ben Merrell

was enrolled about the time the Eastern Cherokee was removed from Ala to the Musk Cho nation

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ben Stephens</u>	<u>1870</u>	
(2)	<u>Bea Reeves</u>	<u>1863</u>	
(3)	<u>Ma Reeves</u>	<u>1861</u>	
(4)	<u>Mj Reeves</u>	<u>1868</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>Don't no</u>	<u>Ben Merrell</u>
	<u>Bea Reeves</u>

18. Where were they born? in North Ala

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

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

- (1) Devoley Merrell residence Lamont Ala
- (2) Martha Jane Stephens 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: _____

REMARKS.

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

I Colombe Kinby marriage my Grandfather Ben Marshall married a Cherokee Indian & raised a family by her after her death Marshall married my grandmother and raised 4 children & have no Indian blood in me

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

(Signature)

John H. Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

3rd day of Sept 1907.

Herbert Jones

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 31st

1909.

Herbert Jones

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

James H. Morris

and

James West

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John H. Stephens

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 52 years and

52 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. Morris

James West

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

19 day of September, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 1910, 1909.

C. M. Owen

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. JUN 18 1909
No. 34506

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United States Post-Office

AT BAGWELL, TEXAS

JOHN H. STEPHENS, Postmaster

June 16 1909

Hon. Guion Miller Special Comm
U.S. Cont of Claims
Washington D.C.

Sir

yours of June the 12 to hand
and I note that you have
reported unfavorable on my
Claim no 34506
and I am going to ask a
favor if you understand
that I dont claim any blood
kind with the Eastern Cherokee
Indians but only a relation
by marriage I have lately learned
the maiden name of the Indian
woman that my Grand father
married and approximately
close to the date of their
Post office at that time now
hear the question does my being
related by marriage

United States Post-Office

AT BAGWELL, TEXAS

JOHN H. STEPHENS, Postmaster

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Entitle me to a portion in
the Eastern Cherokee fund fund
if so I employ an attorney and
prosecute the claim further if
not I drop it when its at
I no I am able to prove my
kindship by marriage and if it
law for to me to participation
that I want it if not I dont
please advise me.
Very Resp. J. H. Stephens

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App. No. 34506.

August 30, 1907.

John H. Stevens,
Bagwell, Texas.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 34506, which is returned herewith for your signature and the affidavit of two witnesses.

Please have all the signatures sworn to before the proper officer and return the application to this Office without delay.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 9 1907
No. 34306

File

Barrell Texas Sep 5 1907
Hon United States Court of Claims
Washington DC

I Sign my Claims and forward it
to my old home in Marshall Co Ala
for the Signature of two witnesses
with instructions for it to be sent
to you when completed. hope you
will receive it soon if you desire
further information about me
write Mrs. M. A. Perkins at
Fort Gibson ok She is an Indian
and a Grand Daughter of Ben Merrill
and a cousin of mine.
I was Born and Raised in the 12 miles
Square on my Grand Father's Old
Reservation in North Ala. The Late
Nancy West that died at Ft Gibson
ok about 5 years ago was a daughter
of Ben Merrill and aunt of mine
I close hoping you soon receive my
Claims and believe you give it
your special attention
I remain your very truly
J. F. Stephens.

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I hear the Greeting from my Grand
father's mirror to an Indian and
Prisoner an Indian Family by
her entitle me To Share of Money
Appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
I am able to wait the above
Proof by ^{my} Aunt & Cousins who
live in the Cherokee Nation.

Please let me hear from you
John H. Stephens

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Will be allowed or not.
Very Resp^t. J. H. Stephens.

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NOV 22 1907.

Bagwell Tex Nov 19. 07
Commissioner of Indian Claims
Washington DC

Sir

Sometime ago I sent a
a claim to Ala to have it
proved & I received a letter
from Jas H. Morris & he said him
Jas Hest swore to what I set
forth but since then I receive
a letter from Mrs Margrett
Brackett my Aunt at
Veneta Ok. and she said her
Father & my Grandfather Ben
Murrell name was not on
the Emigrant Roll Please
Write me who my claim is on

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Will be allowed or not.
Very Respect. J. H. Stephens.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. NOV 22 1907
No. 34506

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No. 34506.

May 12, 1908.

John H. Stephens,
Bagwell, Tex.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1831.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as members of their tribe?

Give the names of your ancestors who were enrolled with your grandfather, Ben Marshall, in 1831.

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Did any of the members of your family, other than your grandfather, ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names and state when and where they were paid.

Respectfully,

HVK/AIL

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 1 1908
No. 24506.

File

J. H. STEPHENS.

J. L. DAVIS.

Stephens & Davis

DEALERS IN

Dry Goods and Groceries.

COUNTRY PRODUCE BOUGHT AND SOLD.

J. L. DAVIS, MANAGER.

BAGWELL, TEXAS, May 30 1908

Hon. Quinn Miller
Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,
I have before me a letter from my
Congressman Hon. Morris Sheppard
that if your Honor is unable to
reach a conclusion to my
app no 34506 that I will be notified
to appear before one of your
assistants to furnish additional
Testimony.

and if I am summoned to appear
before one of your assistants, I
will try to meet him at Fort Gibson
(if) other for I could find my entire
relatives than I will add
proof very respectfully yours.
J. H. Stephens

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 18 1908
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J. H. STEPHENS.

J. L. DAVIS.

Stephens & Davis

DEALERS IN

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COUNTRY PRODUCE BOUGHT AND SOLD.

J. L. DAVIS, MANAGER.

Handwritten:
A.W.K.
M.H.S.

BAGWELL, TEXAS, May 15 1908

*Special Commissioner Court of Claims
Washington DC*

Hon Sir

*In answer to yours of May 12
as to why my Parents was not
Enrolled with the Eastern Cherokee
in 1851 I cant definately say
for that was before I was.*

*Boone but I suppose about
that time my Mother married
my Father ~~and~~ that time
and he refused to go*

*In ans to your second question
relitive to my parents ever living
with the eastern Cherokee as
members of their Tribe my
Mother was raised on my
Grandfather Ben Merrell old
reservation on the old Cherokee
nation in Marshall Co Ala*

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J. L. DAVIS, MANAGER.

BAGWELL, TEXAS, ² 190

I suppose your records will show
 Ben Merrells old reservation it lies
 in the 12 mile square commencing
 at the mouth of Paint rock river and
 running in an easterly direction up the
 Tennessee River 12 miles to a point some
 where opposite Gunterville & thence north 12
 miles & back to the beginning point at
 the mouth of Paint rock river and this
 land belonged to the Eastern Cherokee
 Indians & I am told that this is
 land in this 12 mile square that
 yet belongs to them & I have bin
 told that my Granfather made
 several trips from the old Cherokee
 nation in north ala. to the
 new Cherokee nation & I have bin
 told that Ft Gibson was the
 place he visited but he held
 his reservation until he died

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J. L. DAVIS, MANAGER.

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and my mother being one of
 his young children & never
 when she first grew up and
 about the time grandfather
 died is the reason she was
 never carried to the new Christie
 nation & your third question as to
 names of my ancestors who
 was enrolled with my grandfather
 Ben Merrell I can not answer
 but his daughter Nancy Merrell
 on West was likely to have
 been enrolled when he was.
 my Parents were not slaves.
 see ans to your last question
 yes. Billy Merrell & Nancy
 West & other aunts aunts of
 mine. I had in Payments
 of the Eastern Cherokee's don't
 in the dates of their Payments

J. H. STEPHENS.

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J. L. DAVIS, MANAGER.

BAGWELL, TEXAS, _____ 190

I think they are all dead
if you think there is a probability
of my claims being allowed
to go to Ft Gibson I want up
my Indian relatives
Please let me hear from
you Very Respt yours
J. H. Stephens.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 29 1908

No. 34506

Bagnell Tex Jan 25. 08
Laron Miller
Special Commissioner
Hon Sir

in reply to your letter of the
Nov 22 1907 relative to the
Eastern Cherokee Encouragement
don't think it impertinent
of me to ask you what
you think of my claim no 345 do
nor don't think I am trying
to hurry you I have located
an Indian Aunt of mine
by the name Margaret Brackett
at Vinita (Ok) Okla
Very Resp J. H. Stephens.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 25 1908
No. *21506.*

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COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES U.S.,

WASHINGTON, D.C.

May 21, 1908.

My dear Sir:

I understand that Mr. J. H. Stephens, of Bagwell, Red River Co., Texas, has a claim pending before you as Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims in the matter of the Eastern Cherokee Enrollment. The number of the case is 34506. Kindly give me the status of this claim and advise me, if practicable, whether there is any probability that it will be adjudicated at an early date. Thanking you in advance for anything you may be able to do to hasten action in the matter, I am,

Yours very truly,

Morris Sheppard

Special Commissioner Miller,

Eastern Cherokee Enrollment,

Ouray Building,

Washington, D.C.

App. No. 34506.

January 4, 1909.

Honorable Morris Sheppard,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 2, 1909, making inquiry relative to the application of Mr. J. H. Stephens, of Bagwell, Texas.

In reply you are advised that the testimony already furnished in connection with this case will be all that is required for the final adjudication of the same.

I am making every effort to complete the roll so that I may report the same to the Court during the month of May next, and until I make my report to the Court I will be unable to announce my conclusions in regard to any particular case.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

App. No. 34506.

May 25, 1908.

Honorable Morris Sheppard,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 21, 1908, making inquiry relative to the application of Mr. J. H. Stephens, of Bagwell, Texas.

You are advised that Mr. Stephens' application has been given a preliminary examination but it has not yet been finally acted upon.

More than 44,000 applications have been filed and in many instances testimony will have to be taken in the field in order to obtain the necessary information to pass upon the claims. Some of this testimony has already been taken and several field parties will soon start upon this work, but it will necessarily take considerable time to complete the taking of testimony and the final adjudication of the claims.

If we are unable to reach a conclusion as to Mr. Stephens' application he will be notified to appear before one of my assistants to furnish the additional testimony required.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 34506.

J. H. STEPHENS.

J. L. DAVIS.

Stephens & Davis

DEALERS IN

Dry Goods and Groceries.

COUNTRY PRODUCE BOUGHT AND SOLD.

J. L. DAVIS, MANAGER.

BAGWELL, TEXAS, May 16 1908

Guion Miller Special Com
Washington D.C.

Hon Sir

I have located my Indian
relatives they are at Ft Gibson Ala
Their names are Mrs M. Perkins &
Sis Antone they are my mothers
Sisters Children and Grand
Children of Ben Merrell and
Daughters Nancy West they
were raised at Fort Gibson
and have rights that they
remember my mother & me
having been with them when
visited in the old Cherokee country
in North Ala at our Grandfathers
old reservation if you kindly
send me proper plans to
go up there to see them and
make proof by them that

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J. L. DAVIS.

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COUNTRY PRODUCE BOUGHT AND SOLD.

J. L. DAVIS, MANAGER.

BAGWELL, TEXAS, 2 190

that I am the grand son of
Ben Merrell and my mother
was ^{born} raised on an Indian
reservation in the 12 miles
square in Marshall Co Ala
my app no is 34506
Very Resp. J. H. Stephens
Bagwell Texas.

#34506

Miscel.

John H. Stephens being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 53 years of age. I claim my Indian descent through my mother; my father was a white man. Ben Merrill was my grandfather and he was a white man. His first wife was an Indian and he raised an Indian family, but his second wife was a white woman, the mother of my mother. I rely on the marriage of Ben Merrell to his wife the first time, for my Indian blood. My grandmother's name was Moore; they called her Aunt Peggy. Ben Merrell's first wife's name was Thompson, and she was a full blood Cherokee. My wife is a white woman.

John H. Stephens
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Clarksville, Texas this
21st day of Aug. 1908.

Reject. No Indian blood claimed

Asst to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 4 1909
No. 34506.

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COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES U.S.,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Jan. 2, 1909.

My dear Sir:

Please give me the status of the claim of Mr. J. H. Stephens, of Bagwell, Red River Co., Texas. The number of the claim is 34506. Kindly advise me if the testimony you already have in this case is sufficient to warrant you in arriving at a conclusion as to the merits of the claim. As I understand it, you will render all your findings in these cases at the same time. Thanking you in advance for an early reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

M. C. Shepard

M. C. First Texas Dist.

Hon. Guoin Miller,
Special Commissioner, Court of Claims,
Curay Building,
Washington, D. C.

No. 34507

Action: *Reject*

Name *Sarah M. Whitter* and *2* children. Residence: *Gainesville, Ga. R.F.D. #6.*

Reasons: *Cousin of #37198, and claims through the same ancestors.*

Field No. ?

No. 345-07 Hall Co.

Name Sarah M. White

With No.

Remarks:

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on rolls

Claim through
Riley Dickerson

No. 34507

Name Sarah M. Whitteir

With No. 33890

Remarks:

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No. 34507

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah Malvina Whitter

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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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: Sarah Melvina Whitter

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Gainesville, Ga. R.F.D. - 2.6.

3. County: Hall County

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 46 years/ Born MAY 20, 1860/

6. Where were you born? Talladiga County, Alabama.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Oliver Whitter, 46 years when he died.

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>Jahn Marion Whitter</u>	<u>22 years</u>	<u>12/9/1885</u>
(2)	<u>Rosa Lee Allie Whitter</u>	<u>19 "</u>	<u>10/25/1886</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Stephen Pruitt

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Pruitt

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: ELIZABETH Wilkerson

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina, Greenville

Mother: Cherokee County, North Carolina

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

Father: Hall County, Georgia.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Do not know.

Mother: Do not know.

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)	John Pruitt	66	
	Martha Pruitt	64	
	Jane Pruitt	60	when she died.
	Juda Pruitt	58	
(2)	William Pruitt	54	
(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>Riley Wilkerson</u>	<u>Riley Wilkerson</u>
<u>Sallie Brunner Wilkerson</u>	<u>Sallie Brunner Wilkerson</u>
<u>Do not know.</u>	

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Riley dead, but Sallie lived with her children in Hall County.

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

- (1) Dick Wilkerson
- Nasper Wilkerson.
- (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: 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: My grand-father was Riley Wilkerson, who married Sallie Brunner. Their daughter Elizabeth Wilkerson married Stephen Pruitt, who is my father. ~~But~~ I claim through my grand-father, Riley Wilkerson.

REMARKS.

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

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Aug. 1907.
signed Sarah Mahina Whitter
My commission expires Dec. 31st, 1908. *H. N. Dyer Notary Public*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. A. Carter
and Rohie Pruitt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah Mahina Whitter who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and 38 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. A. Carter

Rohie Pruitt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires Dec. 31st, 1908. *H. N. Dyer*
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.

APP. #34507.

September 20, 1907.

Ben H. Sullivan,

c/o Hon. Thomas M. Bell,

Gainesville, Georgia.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of September 16, 1907, you are advised that the application of Sarah Malvina Whitter, of R.F.D. No. 6, Gainesville, Georgia, has been received and filed as No. 34507.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

COUNTY OF
EASTERN CHEROKEE
Rec. SEP 18 1907
No. 34507

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON.

Gainesville Ga. 9/16/07.

Hon. Guion Miller,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:--

Please inform me if the application of Sarah Melvina Alice Whitter, under the name of Riley Wilkerson, has been received. This application was forwarded from Gainesville, on August 14th, 1907, if same has not been received, please send another blank and allow the application to be made out again, as this must have been misplaced in the mails. A prompt response will be highly appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Ben H. Sullivan
Clerk to Thos. H. Bell.

No. 34507.

May 12, 1908.

Sarah M. Whittier,
Gainesville, Ga. R.F.D. 6.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why were your grandparents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees?

Did your parents or your grandparents live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Did any of your immediate relatives share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names and state when and where said payment was made.

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HWK/AIL

No. 34508.

Action: Reject

Name Mollie S. Crow and two children. Residence: Cumming Ga.

Reasons:

Blythe case

No. 34508

Name Mollie S. Crow

With No. Blythe

Remarks:

✓ 2085

No. 34508

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mollie Scott Brew,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

DEPT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 16 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: Mollie Crow
 Indian name: Unknown
2. Residence and post office: Cumming Route #4, Box 11,
3. County: Forsyth
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 29 years Born May 28 1878
6. Where were you born? Pumpkin Co, Ga.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: John A. Crow
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>Clarence B.</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Dec. 6, 1901.</u>
(2)	<u>Clyde C.</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Aug. 5, 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 W. Scott
 Indian name: none
 Mother—English name: Ella Scott
 Indian name: Unknown
 Maiden name: Ella Parker

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Co, N. C.
 Mother: Dalton, Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dahlonega, Ga.
 Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: now 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 dont know, Cherokee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Emory Nelson, Ga.</u>	<u>1881.</u>	
(2)	<u>Birdie Lumpkin Co. Ga.</u>	<u>1883.</u>	
(3)	<u>Joseph Nelson Ga.</u>	<u>June 15, 1884.</u>	
(4)	<u>Florence Nelson, Ga.</u>	<u>1886.</u>	
(5)	<u>Willie Nelson, Ga.</u>	<u>1890.</u>	
(6)	<u>Addie Belle Nelson, Ga.</u>	<u>1895</u>	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

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 FATHER'S SIDE: Joseph P. Parker
 MOTHER'S SIDE: Chambers
Nellie
Indian names unknown

18. Where were they born? North Carolina
 19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dahlonega, Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

<u>Nelson, Ga.</u>	(1)	<u>Ella</u>	<u>in Grand Mother</u>
<u>Dud. Div.</u>	(2)	<u>Millie</u>	<u>Chambers Side</u>
<u>Lumpkin Co.</u>	(3)	<u>Ada</u>	<u>I dont know</u>
<u>Spore. Div.</u>	(4)	<u>Frank</u>	<u>Whether Children are</u>
" "	(5)	<u>Augustus</u>	<u>living or dead.</u>
" "	(6)	<u>Fannie</u>	
" "		<u>Maude</u>	
" "		<u>Gordon</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 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: Mr W. Scott, J. P. Parker,
Johnathan Parker, Indian Names
unknown.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I claim Indian blood through my Grand father
Joseph P. Parker now residing at Grove, Ind. Ter.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Mollie Scott Crow)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.
H. F. McKinney, J. P.
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 Homer Head
and Jacob W. Dawdy, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Mollie Scott Crow,
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 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.

B. O. Jones Homer Head
J. W. Ferguson Jacob W. Dawdy
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires
Dec. 31, 1908. Wm J. Worley, J. P.
Cumpton 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.

34508

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 6 1907
No. 34508

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DEC 6 1907

Cummins Ga

Dec 3 1907

Special Commission
of the Court of Claims
has been appointed in
regard to the claims of
Jesse Cummins. Claims were
time ago and retained.
A card was
received from the
Director of the

34508 I have not
been able to find out if I am
entitled to any thing
Not if I am entitled
to a share of the funds
of the Cherokee Eastern
Cherokees if any one is
Please write me
to the address
Address Cumming Ga
Do not write to Mollie S. Crow

No. 34509.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Willist M. Hill and X children. Residence: Joy, Ark.

Reasons:

Nephew of #19511 and claims through the same source.

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Field, Agk ?

No. 345-09 White Co.

Name W^m Hill

With No. 19571

Remarks: 35-843, 40275.

These should all
group with 19511.
See testimony in 19511.

Number of # 19511

34509

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John W. 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.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 13 1907

34509

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 Marion Hill

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Joy

3. County: White

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 24

Born

July 6 - 1883.

6. Where were you born? Lafayette Co Mississippi

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)	Angus Anderson Hill	40	Feb 21 - 1866
(2)	Margaret Jane Hill	37	Sept 7 - 1870
(3)	Martha Annapolis Hill	34	Oct 6 - 1873 dead
(4)	Nancy Elizabeth Hill	32	June 4 - 1875 dead
(5)	May Minty Hill	29	Feb 22 - 1878
(6)	Andrew Nathan Hill	27	Feb 2 - 1880

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Andrew Jackson Hill Nancy Melipa Leitch

Father—English name: Andrew Jackson Hill

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Nancy Melipa Hill

Indian name: don't know

Maiden name: Nancy Melipa Leitch

12. Where were they born?

Father: in haty womba Co mississippi

Mother: Cherokee nation Alabama

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lafayette Co Mississippi
Mother: Lafayette Co Mississippi

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)	Jasper Anderson Hill El Paso Ark	Feb 27	
(2)	Margaret Jane Witt Calehorn County Miss	Sept 7	
(3)	Martha Myrtle Gigg Martha Elizabeth Hill	Oct 6	dead
(4)	Nancy Elizabeth Hill	June 4	dead
(5)	May Minty Hill Memphis Tenn	Feb 22	
(6)	Andrew Nathan Hill Lafayette Co Miss	Feb 2	

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 Hill	Jane Alexander Harris Hill
Nathan Quirk	Percy Emeline Hubbard Quirk

18. Where were they born? South Carolina Hill Quirk in north carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hill in Lafayette Co Miss
Quirk in Lafayette Co Miss

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Nancy Malaga	Oxford Miss
(2) Thomas Jefferson	Higgins White Co Ark
(3) Martha Adaline	Oxford Miss
(4) Eliza Permelia	Los Angeles California
(5) Meari Protilla	Pine Bluff Ark
(6) Sarah Ellen	Jay White Co Ark
Amanda K. Hill	Memphis Tenn
Mathew Leam	Oxford Miss

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: Anderson Hill
Nathan Quirk

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) Marion Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

J. S. Smith
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 20, 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 Robert Edgar Rainey
and Ralph Brown Andrews, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Marion Hill
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and himself years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Robert Edgar Rainey

Ralph Brown Andrews

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 20, 1907.

J. S. 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.

No. 34509.

May 13, 1908.

William M. Hill,
Roy, Ark.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why were your grandparents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees?

When did your parents or grandparents move from North Carolina to Mississippi? Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names and state when and where they were paid.

Were your parents or grandparents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by White people or Indians?

Respectfully,

HWK/AIL

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 12 1908
No. 34509

No 545-09
June 9/1908 Joy White Co
Ark

Hon Simon M. Miller
Special Commissioner
Washington D.C.

Sir

in regards to my parents not
being listed in 1851 i cant say
wether my grandpa in his own
enrols with the eastern cherokees
i cant say

my Grandparents moved to
Mississippi from North Carolina
in 1822, cant say wether they
lived with the cherokees

None were shared in any
payments, none were at all
interested. Respectfully, William H. Miller

No. 34510.

Action: Reject.

Name Maggie Wheeler and 7. children. Residence: Dalton, Ga.

Reasons:

Applicant's Grand-parents on both sides were slaves.

Miss. Test. P. 1340.

34510

Filed in
No. 345-60 Whitefield, CO

Name Maggie Whelan

With No.

Remarks:

Examined at
Boston, Mass. July
10, 1905.

No. 34510

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Maggie Wheeler

For share of mone, appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congre... approved June 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. AUG 23 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: Maggie Wheeler
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Dalton
3. County: Whitfield
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 41 years Born Oct 1865
6. Where were you born? Pickens Co., Ga.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Berry Wheeler - 51 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)	Arthur Wheeler	24	1883
(2)	Lela Wheeler	16	1891
(3)	Leopa Wheeler	15	1892
(4)	Philistine Wheeler	12	1895
(5)	Fred Wheeler	10	1897
(6)	Sibbie Wheeler	8	1899
(7)	Modica Wheeler & Esther Wheeler	2	1905

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Lot Griffin
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Caroline Griffin
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Caroline Townsend

12. Where were they born?
Father: Cherokee Co. Ga
Mother: Cherokee Co. Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee Co Ga
Mother: Cherokee Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1889
Mother: 1885

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)	Carte Griffin	1855	1877
(2)	Clara Macon	1850	1885
(3)	Manda Davis	1856	
(4)	Sarah Griffin	1863	1897
(5)	George Griffin	1866	1902
(6)	Gas Griffin	1872	

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.
Lot Griffin	
Jemba Griffin	

18. Where were they born? do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Lot Griffin	
(2)	Lewis Griffin	
(3)	Vina Griffin	
(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)

Maggie Wheeler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

S B Felner J.P.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

31 August Decr, 1908.

August erased & inserted by me S B Felner J.P. AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Comodore Hall

and _____, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Maggie Wheeler

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for ten years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Comodore Hall

J H Moore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

31 August Decr, 1908.

S B Felner
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.

August erased & Decr inserted by me S B Felner J.P.

No. 34510/

Maggie Wheeler, being first duly sworn and examined,
deposes and says:

My name is Maggie Wheeler; I was born in Pickens Co.,
Ga. 1864; I claim my Indian blood through both my father and
mother; my father and mother were slaves of white people;
my father got his Indian blood through his father and mother;
my father's parents were both held slaves by white people;
my mother got her Indian blood through her father; I never
saw my grandfather on my mother's side, and do not know whether
he was a slave or not; I have heard that he was a full blooded
Cherokee; my mother's mother was a slave of white people;
I have heard ~~that~~ my mother say that her father lived with
the Cherokee Indians in Cherokee Co., Ga.; I am regarded as
a colored woman in this community; my husband is a colored man.

Maggie Wheeler

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me, at Dalton, Ga.,
this 10th day of July, 1908.

E. H. B.
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

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No. 34510.

May 12, 1908.

Maggie Wheeler,
Dalton, Ga.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe? Were they admitted to tribal councils?

Were they ever held as slaves? If so, were they owned by White people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HVK/AIL

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 18 1908

No.

OFFICE OF
S. B. FELKER
Justice of the Peace

Ms 510

Dalton, Ga., 5/16 1908

Guion Miller
The Pine Corn
Washington
Dear Sir

In reply to yours of May
12 - will say: I do not know why
my parents were not enrolled with the
Eastern Cherokee in 1851.
My grandfather E. J. Jones was a full
blood Cherokee & I think he was
recognized & admitted to Councils
&c. My grand mother was on a
negro & was a slave owned by
white people

Yours truly
Maggie Wheeler

MR

No. 34511

Action: *reject*

Name *Fannie B. Elmore* and children.

Residence: *Whittier, N. C.*

Reasons:

Betsy Walker case

34511

No. 34571
Name James B. Walker
With No. Betty Walker
Remarks:

500 *Billy Walker*

No. 34511

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Fannie Burr Stone

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, 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: Fannie Burr Elmore
Indian name: Not known
2. Residence and post office: Wentworth B. F. D. No. 1.
3. County: Jackson Co
4. State: North Carolina
5. How old are you? 38 Born May 5th 1869.
6. Where were you born? Jackson Co N.C.
7. Are you married? yes.
8. Name and age of wife or husband: H. J. Elmore 41-9 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>None</u> x	x	x
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Thomas H. Welch
Indian name: Not known
Mother—English name: Mary C. Welch
Indian name: Not known
Maiden name: Mary C. Hyatt

12. Where were they born?

Father: Jackson County N.C.
Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Waywood Co N.C.

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August or Sept. 1893.

Mother: May 11 1889 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: My mother made application for under the Dawes Commission in 1896 + filed various affidavits proving her Indian blood back to Bessie Walker who is said to be on the rolls.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>None living they all died when very young.</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>William Welch</u>	<u>Nathan Hyatt</u>
<u>Polly Welch</u>	<u>Rutha Hyatt</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Waywood County N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Abbe Hyatt (Dead) Thos H. Welch Dead
- (2) Neta John Welch, Murphy N.C.
- (3) Alberto Elizabeth
- (4) Edward G. Hyatt
- (5) Katie Johnson
- (6) Nancy Walker
- Fannie McKinney
- Harriet Fisher
- Marta Sherrill
- Mary C. Welch

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 filed application with various affidavits attached with the Dawes Commission at Indian Bureau in 1896 to which I give reference.

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 give the Indian names for want of Interpreter. My grand father Hyatt was a son of Edward Hyatt and his wife Hannah, who was a daughter of Edward Leishwood and his wife Elizabeth, who was a daughter of Peter Walker.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Who was full blood Cherokee & on the Roll of 1830. My great grand father moved into the Indian Reservation about 20 years ago and was allowed land on account of his wife's Indian blood, as shown by the affidavits which is an ill with the Dawes Commission as above referred to.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Fannie Burr Elmore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

W. J. Miller
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 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 S. E. Varner
and J. F. Enloe, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fannie Burr Elmore who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 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.

S. E. Varner
J. F. Enloe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 21, 1908 W. J. Miller
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. 34512.

Action: Reject

Name: Mrs Jay W. Golson and 1 children.

Residence: Pensacola, Florida

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Ancestors did not live in the Cherokee domain. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

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Project ?

No. 345-12

Name Mrs. Jay M. Nelson

With No.

Remarks:

not on file

No. 34512

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Jay M. Golson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 1 1907
No.

34512

**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. Jay M. Golson,

Indian name: Hollinger

2. Residence and post office: Pensacola

3. County: Escambia

4. State: Florida

5. How old are you? I am 31 Born June 17, - 1876

6. Where were you born? Pensacola

7. Are you married? I married Mr. Jay M. Golson

8. Name and age of wife or husband: He is 43 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to the Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jay M. Golson Jr.</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Mr. George Spincy

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Mrs. George Spincy,

Indian name: Hollinger

Maiden name: Miss Petronella Lopez

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pensacola

Mother: Pensacola

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pennacola
Mother: Pennacola

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died about 15 years ago.
Mother: She died about 20 years ago

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 enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>I have none</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>William Spirey</u>	John Wilkins
<u>Mr William Spirey</u>	William Wilkins
<u>Miss Pauline Wilkins</u>	
<u>Her mother was a Hollingoe</u>	

18. Where were they born? The Wilkins came from England

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Blukely Baldwin County Alabama

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Miss Susca Wilkins</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Miss Pauline Wilkins</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(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 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: The Wilkins, Spicers and Hollingers are all well known as citizens from that date to now.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The Charles Wilkins was Clerk of the Baldwin County Circuit Court for years and a court member of the DePue's Bank.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mrs. Jay W. Golsom

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1907.

H. S. Linton
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 15, 1910, 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 Walter J. Bicker
and Ed. Wentworth who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Jay W. Golsom who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 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.

Walter J. Bicker
Ed. Wentworth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 15, 1910, 1910

H. S. Linton
Notary Public.

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foregoing application and statement, and have known me for 6 years and 10 years, respectively, and know me to be the identical person she represents me to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth and that the statements made by me are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Walter J. Baker
O. E. Oldenheath

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

H. S. Linton
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 15, 1910.

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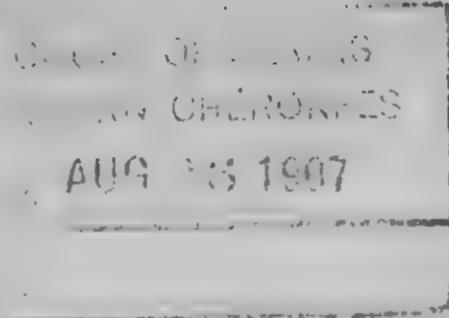
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Mr. Jay M. Gordon
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



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: *Mrs Jay M. Golson*
2. Residence and post office: *Pensacola*
3. County: *Panama*
4. State: *Florida*
5. Date and place of birth: *June 17, 1876*
6. Are you married? *I married Jay M. Golson*
7. Name and age of wife or husband: *he is 43*
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>Jay M. Golson</i>	<i>2 years</i>	<i>15 February</i>
(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: *I never was enrolled*

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

.....

.....

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mrs Jay M. Golson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *August*, 1907.

H. J. Luton
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb 15, 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 Walter J. Bicker and O. E. Wenthworth who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Jan M. Gibson who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 6 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Walter J. Bicker
O. E. Wenthworth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

H. S. Linton
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 15, 1910.

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No. 34579

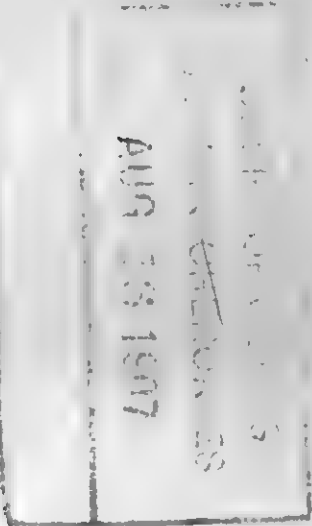
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Jan M. Gibson
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 94572

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*Card sent
8/13/07*

W. J. & B. Forbes
DEPARTMENT STORE.

123, 125 & 127 S. PALAFOX ST.
6 WEST INTERDENCIA ST.

Panama Colon Fla. Aug 28 1907.

Guion Miller

Washington Dc

Gentlemen on about the
18 of this month & forward to
you a Indian claim for
my wife & one child.

As yet I have not received
an acknowledge ment of the
same. Knowing that Aug 31st
was the last day that claims
could go in is why I write
this letter. Kindly advise
at as to above & you will
confer a great favor on us.

Resp. Mrs J M Golson

Jay M Golson Jr. }

By J M Golson Jr

These claims we swam to be for
a robbery. (A. M. Lerton)

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Mobile, Ala., August 9th 1907

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before this, but for my sisters absence from the city, I
I thought might know something of the matter you are
but I can find out more than I do.
I can only tell you that the Spivey family lives with
us at my fathers house in Baldwin Co. Ala for several
years, had two boys. Mrs Spivey one girl Josephine
& after Mrs Spiveys death the children remained with
us & finally, Mr Spivey took the two boys to Pensacola
adopted Trace the girl, who married a cousin of ours
the Van Dine of Baldwin Co, they both are dead
& left one child who is now Mrs Pos-Stapleton of
Baldwin Co. About the information you want
I happened to think of old, Lady Cure of Mobile
an own sister of Mrs Spiveys Mother & I saw Mr Adrian
D. Cure here son of old Lady Cure, who lives with A.D.D.
& he told me yesterday his Mother would go to Pensacola
in a day or two to spend a month & would give her

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Quion Miller
601 Quian Building
Washington
D.C.

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Mobile, Ala.

Mr Harry Greenwood

dear Sir-

Mother un-expectably having gone to Pensacola, would advise you
write Mr Golson to call on her in person, she can be seen either
at Mr James Wilkins or Mrs Angeline Wilkins, am sure she will
be glad to assist Mr Golson if she can, very truly yours & C

Adrian-B-Dure

No. 34513.

May 12, 1908.

Mrs. Jay M. Golsen,
Pensacola, Fla.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why were your grandparents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees? Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by White people or Indians?

Do you claim any Indian blood other than Cherokee?

Respectfully,

HWK/AIL

Special Commissioner.

No. 34513

Action: Reject.

Name Sarah E. Ellis and children. Residence: Winston-Salem, N.C.

Reasons: This party filed an application, but failed to sign and acknowledge same before a competent official. It was returned to the party for signature, etc., and although two letters were written, no answer has been received. We have no application from party before us, therefore can only decide "reject".

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No.

Action:

Name and children. Residence:

Reasons:

34513'

Sarah E. Ellis

App. No. 34513

April 23, 1908.

Sarah W. Ellis.

Hinton-Salem, North Carolina.

Madam:

Relative to your Eastern Cherokee claim, the following letter was addressed you by this Office on August 20, 1907:

"Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 34513, which is returned herewith. You are requested to sign and swear to this application, also have the affidavit filled out and sworn to by two witnesses. Kindly give this matter prompt attention and return the application to this Office."

To date, this application has never been returned and the matter is again called to your attention and you are hereby advised that, in the absence of its return for consideration, the same will not be taken up for adjudication.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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App. No. 34513.

August 20, 1907.

Sarah E. Ellis,

Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 34513, which is returned herewith.

You are requested to sign and swear to this application, also have the affidavit filled out and sworn to by two witnesses.

Kindly give this matter prompt attention and return the application to this Office.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

No. 34514

Action: *Repeal*

Name *Clawson L. Reed* and *X* children. Residence: *Alluwe, Okla.*

Reasons:

Grand nephew of # 7713,

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No. 34514 J J
Name *M. J. ...*
With No. 7915
Remarks:

34514
No. 7716

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Amos L. Reed.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
P. O. AUG 23 1907
No.

34514

**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: Amos L Reed

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Allamore, P. T.

3. County: Dist. 3,

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 21 Born Nov 1886

6. Where were you born? Missouri

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: Isaac Reed

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: M J Reed

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: M J Fry

12. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Born

Mother: 11 11

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)	<u>Hannah</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>Levi Reed</u>	<u>Mary A Reed</u>
<u>Thomas Fry</u>	<u>Margaret Fry</u>

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Indiana

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>James F. McCabe</u>	<u>Oroque Kans</u>
(2)	<u>Mary C. Casto</u>	<u>Ind Ten. Estella</u>
(3)	<u>Robert C. McCabe</u>	<u>King City Mo</u>
(4)	<u>William F</u>	<u>Michata Kans</u>
(5)	<u>Sarah L. Chase</u>	<u>Baumapaki Cal</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: Isaac Reed, m. g. Reed
Mary A. Reed, Levi Reed,
Childs tobacco or sticker Harmon

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 Amos L. Reed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August 1907.

R. H. Allen
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Commission Expires May 13, 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 C. W. Miller
and W. S. Trotter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Amos L. Reed
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 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.

C. W. Miller

W. S. Trotter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Commission Expires May 13, 1909, 190

R. H. Allen
Notary Public.

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No. 34515

Action: *Final*

Name: *W. W. Smith, Jr. and children.*

Residence: *Grange, Ga.*

Reasons:

W. W. Smith, Jr. and children are the same persons as 55384.

34515

No. 34575.

Name *Mr. B. Williams.*

With No. 33384.

Remarks:

No. 31515

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mr Brantley Williams

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the Decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 10 1907

*Jaboy Galt,
Canton
Ga*

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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 B. Williams

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Orange

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? _____ Born May 21-1883

6. Where were you born? Dawson Co

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Aurice (Smith) Williams Sept 7-1873

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>Alice G. Williams</u>		<u>Nov. 23-1904</u>
(2)	_____		_____
(3)	_____		_____
(4)	_____		_____
(5)	_____		_____
(6)	_____		_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Alfred Williams

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Amanda Chumbley Williams

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Amanda Chumbley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Unknown

Mother: Dawson Co. Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dawson Co. Ga

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: unknown

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.
#34518 - (1)	Jesse W. Williams Orange Ga	June 5 th 1876	
(2)	John E. S. Williams	Feb 20 1879	
#34517 - (3)	Joseph J. Williams Orange Ga	April 8 th 1885	
(4)	Lee S. Williams Orange Ga	Oct 4 th 1890	
(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.
Mass Williams	Thompson Chumbley
Rachel Williams	Elizabeth Chumbley

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? (Father) Dawson Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: maternal side

(1)	Thompson T Chumbley	Potts Mountain Ga
(2)	Mrs Chumbley	" "
(3)	Jackson Chumbley	" "
(4)	John Chumbley	" "
(5)	Joseph A Chumbley	" "
(6)	Arvinda Chumbley	" "
	Mary Cowart	" "
	Susan Reed	" "
	Armanda Williams	Orange 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: 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

Wm B Williams the son of Amanda Williams the daughter of Thompson Chumbley and Elizabeth neighbors who were the son & daughter of Mrs Patsy Chumbley & John and Sotha neighbors respectively.

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Jedy Katt my atty in fact to receive any receipt for all monies due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William B Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of Aug 1907.

Wm Galt
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907

Cherokee Co

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 E Mullinas
and Thomas Bryant, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William B Williams 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.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907

Wm Galt
Notary Public.
Cherokee Co

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. 34516.

Action: Reject.

Name Elizabeth E. Southern and 7 children. Residence: Rosswell, Ga.

Reasons: Sister of #24881, and claims through the same source.

34516

No. 34516
Name: *Eligible to Service*
With No. 124881

Remarks:

Sister

No. 31516

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth E. Southern

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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
Rec. AUG 14 1907
No.

Jabry Galt
Canton

91516 *Ga*

**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 E. Southern

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Roswell

3. County: Coobb

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? _____ Born March 16 1862

6. Where were you born? Cherokee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Andrew J. Southern

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>Isaac Southern</u>		<u>Nov 10 1888</u>
(2)	<u>Berry Southern</u>		<u>June 27 1884</u>
(3)	<u>Lord Farmer</u>		<u>Oct 2 1886</u>
(4)	<u>Arthur Southern</u>		<u>Dec 25 1890</u>
(5)	<u>Annie Southern</u>		<u>June 30 1892</u>
(5)	<u>Wabe Southern</u>		<u>Nov 5 1893</u>
(6)	<u>Julia Southern</u>		<u>Feb 28 1896</u>
(6)	<u>Charlie Southern</u>		<u>May 2 1899</u>
(6)	<u>George Southern</u>		<u>July 11 1901</u>
(6)	<u>Melanie Southern</u>		<u>Feb 19 1903</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John L. Wilson

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Susan S. Wilson

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Susan S. Robbitt

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hall Co. Ga

Mother: S. Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee Co Ga

Mother: Cherokee Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 10 1893

Mother: Jan 17 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)	Mary A. Mettler	Oct 30 1850	
	Richard O. Wilson	Feb 10 1852	
(2)	John D. Wilson	Apr 28 1860	
	Elizabeth South		
(3)	Francis C. Crow	May 18 1858	
# 34520 -	Nancy J. Phillips	Feb 3 1854	
(4)	Lucy S. Wilson	Nov 17 1867	
	Lou Nora Martin	June 14 1875	
(5)	Elizabeth T. Wilson	July 17 1865	
(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 Wilson	Daniel Robinett
Lucinda Wilson	Mary Robinett

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand father dead
Young mother Cherokee Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John L. Wilson	Dead
(2)	Elizabeth Simons	"
(3)	Nancy Bennett	"
(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: Elizabeth Southern, the daughter of John L. Wilson the son of John Wilson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I appoint Juby Galt my atty in fact to receive and receipt for all monies due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elizabeth Southern

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

Wm Galt
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 14, 1907

Cherokee Co.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Thos W Hogan
and Wm M Cannon, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth E Southern 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.

Thos W Hogan
Wm M Cannon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907

Wm Galt
Notary Public.

Cherokee Co.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 10 1909

No. 35516

D.W. STEELE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR
AT LAW,
ASHLAND, KY.

August 7th 1904

Chief of Court of Claims
Washington
D.C.

Dear Sir,
I forwarded to you
in the month of July in my claim No 31-5-10
as a claimant in the Eastern Cherokee Indian
Claims: will you please let me know whether
you received the evidence in my claim and
that of my children and if the evidence is
not sufficient please let me know and
I will furnish more proof and very much
oblige

Very truly
Yours
Wm. S. S. S.

R F D No 2
Arlona Ky

No. 345-17

Action: Rejection

Name: Robert B. Jones and children

Residence: Orange, Va.

Reasons:

has since terminated the same under as
no. 333-17

34517

No. 31517

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Joseph J. Williams

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 23, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. AUG 13 1907
No.

Jabury Galt
Canton
Go
L1517

**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 J. Williams

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Orange

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? _____ Born April 8, 1885

6. Where were you born? Dawson Co Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lilly Little Williams 21 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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Alfred Williams

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Amanda Williams

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Amanda Chumbley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Unknown

Mother: Dawson Co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dawson Co Ga

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Unknown

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)	Jesse G. Williams	June 5 1876	
(2)	John E. Williams	Feb 20 1879	
(3)	William B. Williams	May 21 1863	
(4)	Lee L. Williams	Oct 4 1890	
(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
Mass Williams	Thompson Chumbley
Rachel Williams	Elizabeth Chumbley

18. Where were they born? Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Thompson J Chumbley
- (2) Wm Chumbley
- (3) Jackson Chumbley
- (4) John Chumbley
- (5) Joseph A Chumbley
- (6) Amanda Chumbley
- Mary Cowart
- Susan Reed
- Amanda Williams

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:

Joseph J. Williams the son of Amanda Williams, the daughter of Thompson Chamberly & Elizabeth Neighbors, who was the son & daughter of Wm & Estey Chamberly and John & Bookie Neighbors respectively.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint John Holt my atty in fact to receive and receipt for all monies due me.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Joseph J. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

Wm. Galt
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907

Cherokee Co.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Thos Bryant
and Joseph J. Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joseph J. Williams who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 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.

Thos Bryant
Wm. Dabson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907

Wm. Galt
Notary Public.
Cherokee Co.

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. 343-18

Action: Rejected -

Name: *John T. Williams* and *1* children. Residence: *Orange, Fla.*

Reasons:

*Blaine, Florida, same error as
no. 338-11*

34518

34518

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Jesse M. T. 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

RECEIVED
AUG 11 1907
No.

*Jaboy Galt
Canton
Ga.*

34518

**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: James M. S. Williams

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Orange

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? _____ Born June 5th 1876

6. Where were you born? Dawson

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lois A. Hancock 28 yrs Williams

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>Lucas E. Williams</u>		<u>Aug 15th 1902</u>
(2)	_____		_____
(3)	_____		_____
(4)	_____		_____
(5)	_____		_____
(6)	_____		_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Alfred Williams

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Ananda C. Williams

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Ananda Chumbley

12. Where were they born?

Father: unknown

Mother: Dawson Co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dawson Co Ga
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: unknown
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 E. S. Williams	Feb 20 th 1879	
(2)	William B Williams	May 21 1883	
(3)	Joseph J. Williams	April 8 th 1885	
(4)	Lee L Williams	Oct 4 th 1890	
(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>Max Williams</u>	<u>Thompson Chubbly</u>
<u>Rachel Williams</u>	<u>Elizabeth Chubbly</u>

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dawson County Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: on maternal side

(1)	Thompson S Chubbly	Potts Mountain Ga
(2)	Wm Chubbly	" " "
(3)	Jackson Chubbly	" " "
(4)	John Chubbly	" " "
(5)	Joseph A Chubbly	" " "
(6)	Arminda Chubbly	" " "
	Mary Cowart	" " "
	Susan Reed	" " "
	Arminda Williams	Orange 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: 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: Jesse M. T. Williams, the son of Amanda Williams, the daughter of Thompson Chubbly

Delia Beth Neighbors, who was the son the daughter of Mrs. Betty Chubbly and John Paul Foster Neighbors, respectively.

REMARKS.
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Jaby Galt my atty in fact to receive my receipt for all monies due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Jesse M. T. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of Aug, 1907.

Wm Galt
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907.

Cherokee Co.

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 E. Mullins
and Thomas Bryant, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jesse M. T. Williams who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 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.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907.

Wm Galt
Notary Public.
Cherokee Co.

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. 34519.

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Dovie A. Williams* and *1* children.

Residence: *Orange, La.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

34519

Field 4a
No 346-19 ^{W. M. H. C.}
Name David A. Williams

With No.

Remarks:

No. 34519

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Davis A. Williams

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.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Dec. AUG 10 1907
No.

Jaboy Galt,
Canton,
61819 Ga.

**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: Dovie W. Williams

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Orange

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? _____ Born April 30 1879

6. Where were you born? Dawson Co

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jose M. J. Williams 31 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>Luther E. Williams</u>		<u>Aug 15 1902</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 A. Fausett

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Susan C. Fausett

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Susan C. Brown

12. Where were they born?

Father: Dawson Co. Ga.

Mother: Forsyth Co. Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dawson Co Ga

Mother: Met Bone

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: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	R. E. Fausett <u>John Fausett</u>	July 12 1876	
(2)	Lora M. Fausett <u>John Fausett</u>	Aug 5 1881	
(3)	Wm B. Fausett <u>John Fausett</u>	Nov. 29 1883	
(4)	Harley Fausett <u>John Fausett</u>	Jan 29 1886	
(5)	Mary Fausett <u>Walter Fausett</u>	Aug 26 1888	
(6)	Carrie Fausett <u>Carl Fausett</u>	May 29 1891	
		Feb 17 1895	
		June 6 1897	

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>Lorenzo Fausett</u>	<u>John Brown</u>
<u>Mahaley Fausett</u>	<u>Mamie Brown</u>

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dawson County Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Maternal side

- (1) Lillian Foster
- (2) Esther Hamilton
- (3) Susan C. Fausett
- (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 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: Dovie a Williams, the daughter of Susan W. Fausett, the daughter of Manuel Brown, the daughter of Hallie Martin.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Jody Galt my Atty in fact to receive all receipt for all monies due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Dovie Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14 1907.

Wm Galt
Notary Public.

Cherokee Co.

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 E Mulliner
and Thomas Bryant, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Dovie a Williams who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 19 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. E. Mulliner
Thomas Bryant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 11, 1907.

Wm Galt

Notary Public.

Cherokee Co.

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. 34519

July 30th, 1908.

Davie Williams,
Orange, Ga.

Sir:

You were notified to appear at Canton on July 8th, before my assistant, Frank D. Ryan and produce additional testimony in the matter of your application to participate in the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

You failed to appear and produce any witnesses, and as we will not be in your section of the country again for the purpose of taking testimony, it will be absolutely necessary that you answer each and every one of the enclosed list of questions at the very earliest possible date. If you cannot possibly answer any given question, so state, that we may know it has not escaped your notice.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FDR/WH

No. 34519.

May 12, 1908.

David A. Williams,
Orange, Ga.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your father was not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why were your grandparents not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees?

Did they ever live with them as recognized members of their tribe?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names and state when and where they were paid.

Were your grandparents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

HVK/AIL

Special Commissioner.

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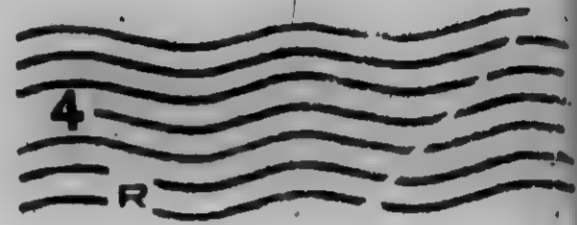
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No. 34520.

Action: Roswell, Ga.

Name Nancy J. Phillips and 3 children. Residence: Reject.

Reasons: Sister of #24881. and claims through same source.

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No. 34520

Name Nancy J. Phillip

With No. 24881

Remarks:

Sister

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Nancy J. Phillips

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Jabry Galt,
Canton,
Ga.*

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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 J Phillips

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Roswell

3. County: Cobb

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? _____ Born Feb 3rd 1854

6. Where were you born? Cherokee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John N. Phillips 37 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>Fred Phillips</u>		<u>Feb 13 1893</u>
(2)	<u>Luella Phillips</u>		<u>Jan 25 1895</u>
(3)	<u>Lida Phillips</u>		<u>Feb 19 1897</u>
(4)	_____		_____
(5)	_____		_____
(6)	_____		_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John L. Willson

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Susan S. Willson

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Susan S. Robineth

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hall County, Ga

Mother: South Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee Co Ga

Mother: Cherokee Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 10 1893

Mother: Jan 17 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)	Mary A. Masteller	Oct 30 1850	
	Richard A. Wilson	Feb 10 1852	
(2)	John L. Wilson	Apr 28 1860	Dead
	Elizabeth E. Southern	Feb 16 1862	
(3)	Francis E. Crowe	May 18 1858	
	Susan E. Wilson	Nov 17 1867	
(4)	Lee Wm. Marler	June 14 1875	
	Elisha J. Wilson	July 17 1865	
(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 Wilson</u>	<u>Daniel Robinett</u>
<u>Lucinda Wilson</u>	<u>Mary Robinett</u>

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandfather Wilson
Dead G. mother Cherokee Co.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John L. Wilson</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Elizabeth Simms</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Bennett</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: CW

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Nancy J Phillips the daughter of John L. Wilson the son of John Wilson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint J. H. Holt my atty in fact to receive any receipt for all moneys due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancy J Phillips

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.
Wm S. Salt
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907

Cherokee Co.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Thos W Hogan
and Wm M Cannon, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nancy J Phillips 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.

Thos W Hogan
Wm M Cannon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907

Wm S. Salt
Notary Public.
Cherokee Co.

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. 34521

Action: Admitted

Name: Lena Smallwood and 2 children. Residence: Ponca, Okla.

Reasons:

Duplicate of (1667)

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Name. Lena Smilwood

With No. 1667

Remarks :

No. 34524

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

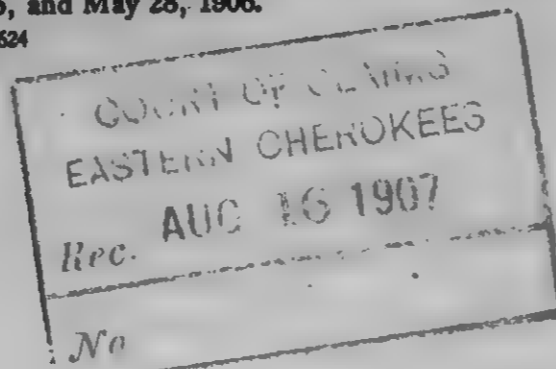
APPLICATION

Lena Smallwood
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Her Husband, Samuel Smallwood

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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34524

**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: Lena Smallwood

Indian name: "Porum IT"

2. Residence and post office: Porum IT

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 73 yrs Born 1884

6. Where were you born? Canadian Dist

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Husband Samuel Smallwood

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>Aunie Smallwood</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>July 28-1903</u>
(2)	<u>Richard Smallwood</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Jan 24-1905</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Dick Boggs (Tan 2 1851)

Indian name: "

Mother—English name: Jennie Boggs

Indian name: "

Maiden name: Jennie Hoal

12. Where were they born?

Father: Canadian Dist

Mother: Canadian Dist

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Canadian Dist

Mother: 11 "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1897 or 1898

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: Cherokee Strip Money.

Lands 1887

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Robert Charles Brothers</u>	<u>about 1887</u>	
	<u>Prime 17</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>Dont Rivers</u>	<u>Dick Hall</u>

18. Where were they born? Canadian Dist.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Canadian Dist

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Dont Rivers 2</u>	<u>Dont Know</u>
(2)	<u>Had one Brother</u>	
(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

Mother got Cherokee Strip money for me - and enrolled 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:

Don't know them

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Lena Smallwood, Baby is sick and cannot go before Notary Public & I Samuel Smallwood, her Husband, make claim for my wife Lena Smallwood, few claim on my wife's mother side - the claim January 1899 would have been accounted

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Witnesses to mark Lena Smallwood

(Signature by Samuel X Smallwood Her Husband)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

R. L. Peace
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 William Smallwood

and R. Z. Harper, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Samuel Smallwood Husband of Lena Smallwood,

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 0 years and

20 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 their claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Wm Smallwood

R. Z. Harper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

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R. L. Peace
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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App. No. 1667.

November 18, 1907.

Lena Smallwood,
Porum,
Oklahoma.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please inform this office, as near as you can, the date of your father's birth, and also where he was residing in 1851.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FSC/ELLO.

No. 34522

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Martha Spinks* and — children.

Residence: *216 W Walnut St.
Noblesville, Ind.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #29499, and claims through the
same ancestors.*

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No. 345221

Name Martha [unclear]

With No. 29499

Remarks:
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No. 34523

Name Joseph A. J. White

With No. 29499

Remarks:

Misc of #29499

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

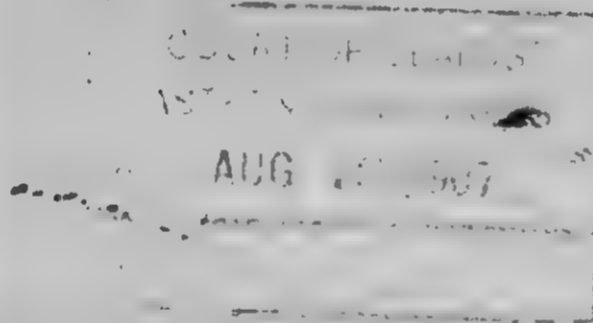
OF

Martha Spinks

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. N. Waterhouse



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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:

Martha Spinks

Indian name:

Not known

2. Residence and post office:

916 N. Walnut St. Noblesville,

3. County:

Hamilton

4. State:

Indiana

5. How old are you?

22

Born

Jan 1884

6. Where were you born?

Hamilton Co Ind

7. Are you married?

No.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

John Spinks age 30 years

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)	<i>No children</i>	—	—
(2)	—	—	—
(3)	—	—	—
(4)	—	—	—
(5)	—	—	—
(6)	—	—	—

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Edwin Brown

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Fanny Brown

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Fanny White

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Hamilton Co Indiana

Mother:

Hamilton Co Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Hamilton Co Indiana*

Mother: *Hamilton Co Indiana*

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)	<i>No Brothers or Sisters</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>Denson White</i>	<i>Parthenia White</i>
<i>Father Side</i>	<i>Mother Side</i>

18. Where were they born? *Wake* *Co North Carolina*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Hamilton Co Ind*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<i>John White</i>	<i>Noblesville Ind</i>
(2)	<i>Fineis White</i>	<i>Noblesville Ind</i>
(3)	<i>Fancy White</i>	<i>Indianapolis</i>
(4)	<i>Francis White</i>	<i>Sheldon Ind</i>
(5)	<i>Fanny White</i>	<i>Armadia Ind</i>
(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: Demson White

and Parthenia White. Came from
Drake Co North Carolina and was Cherokee
Blood in the Vains REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Demson White is my grandfather and is
a Half Blood Cherokee Indian and born in
North Carolina. Parthenia White is my grandmother and
is a full blooded Cherokee Indian and was born in North Carolina

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Martha Spinks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Aug 1907.

Geo Smiley
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 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 Lora O'Neil

and John Spinks, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha Spinks

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Lora O'Neil

John Spinks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

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Geo Smiley
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. 34523

Action: Reject

Name Joseph R. J. White and — children.

Residence: 216 W. Walnut St.,
Noblesville, Ind.

Reasons:

This application is a duplicate of #29500.

Duplicate of # 29500
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No. 29500

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Joseph A. J. 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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W. K. Katschauer

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**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 me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the 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 A. J. White
Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: _____

Noblesville # 216 N. Walnut St.

3. County: _____

Hamilton

4. State: _____

Indiana

5. How old are you? _____

56

Born _____

March 4, 1851

6. Where were you born? _____

Hamilton County, Ind.

7. Are you married? _____

NO - a widower -

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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	<u>No children</u>		
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Deerson White
Indian name: not known
Mother—English name: Parthena White
Indian name: not known
Maiden name: Parthena Godfrey

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wata County, North Carolina
Mother: " " " "

Hon Gideon Miller
Special Com^r

Dear Sir: Herewith find new application, in lieu of one made previously - This was made to correct errors

Respectfully

Witness Geo. W. DuBois Joseph A. J. ^{White} ~~White~~ ^{Ward}

of the 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 A. J. White
Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Noblesville # 216 N. Walnut St.

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 56 Born March 11, 1851

6. Where were you born? Hamilton County, Ind.

7. Are you married? NO - a widower -

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)			
(2)	<u>No children</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Denson White

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Parthena White

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Parthena Godfrey

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wata County, North Carolina

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hamilton County, Georgia

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1887

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.
✓ age 75 3/31/9	(1) <u>John A. White</u> <u>Adelphi, Ind.</u>	<u>1832</u>	
age 65	(2) <u>Henry White</u> <u>Atlanta, Ind.</u>	<u>1842</u>	
age 50	(3) <u>Frances White</u> <u>Sheridan, Ind.</u>	<u>1857</u>	
age 47	(4) <u>Mary M. White</u> <u>Indianapolis, Ind.</u>	<u>1865</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
Don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE
Joel Godfrey
Indian name not known
Sarah Godfrey
Indian name not known

18. Where were they born? State of North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) No not know
- (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: My grandfather Joel Gelfrey was a full blooded Cherokee Indian and died in North Carolina at the age of 110 years

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: Geo. W. Du Bois (Signature) Joseph A. J. White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of July, 1907.

Geo. W. 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 Bert Tice

and Lora Oniel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joseph A. J. White who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Bert Tice

Lora Oniel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 11, 1909. Geo. W. Du Bois
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. 34524

Action: Reject

Name Georgetta Clifford and X children. Residence: Indianapolis, Ind.

Reasons:

Ancestors were never enrolled. Does not establish genuine connection with Cherokee tribe. Probably negroes.

Misc. test. p. 1885.

Field Ind. 8

No. 34524 Marion Co.

Name Garyette Clifford

With No.

Remarks:

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Ancient not
on rolls.

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Georgetta Clifford.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

W. H. Matthews

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 15 1907

34524

**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: Georgetta Clifford
Indian name: Unknown
2. Residence and post office: 322 Euclid Ave Indianapolis
3. County: Marion
4. State: Indiana
5. How old are you? 51 Born 1853
6. Where were you born? Detroit, Michigan
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wm Clifford 41 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>Mayme Jones</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>1880</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 Jones Chambers
Indian name: Unknown

Mother—English name: Nancy James
Indian name: Unknown
Maiden name: Nancy East

12. Where were they born?

Father: Virginia
Mother: Ohio

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Michigan

Mother: Michigan

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't know

Mother: Dec. 1897

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)	None		
(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>Henry East</u>	<u>Sophia East</u>
<u>George Chambers</u>	<u>Nancy Chambers</u>
	<u>Henry East</u>
	<u>George Chambers</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Detroit, Michigan

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)		
(2)	None	
(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: _____

*Henry East, Sophia East, Nancy Chambers,
George Chambers.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Sophia East was a half-bred Cherokee Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Mrs Georgetta Clifford*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *Aug*, 1907.

Bert Deerp.

NOTARY PUBLIC,
222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.
My commission expires Nov. 9, 1908.

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 *James N. Kennedy*
and *Frank M. Fitch*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with *Georgetta Clifford*
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.

James N. Kennedy
Frank M. Fitch M.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190

Bert Deerp.

Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of court, or Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary.
NOTARY PUBLIC,
222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.
My commission expires Nov. 9, 1908.

Georgetta Clifford.

#54524.

Georgetta Clifford being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Georgetta Clifford, and I am 54 years old, and I live in Indianapolis, Ind. I claim my Indian descent through my mother, Nancy East. My mother was born in Cincinnati in 1839. She died in 1897. My grandmother's name was Sophie Lewis. She was born in Jefferson County, Ky. in 1805. She died in 1882, at Detroit Mich. My grandmother and mother both left Ky. in 1857, and went straight to Cincinnati, where my mother was born. My grandmother was half Cherokee Indian. I have heard my grandmother say that her mother was white, and that her father was a Cherokee Indian. An Indian ancestor first came from N.C., the south east so I have been told. My grandmother, Sophie East formerly Sophie Lewis, was free born, claimant exhibiting certificate from Jefferson County Court to this effect, said certificate dated Fourth day of Sept. 1857. None of my ancestors on my mother's side were ever held as slaves.

Georgetta Clifford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug. 1908, at Indianapolis, Ind.

Asst. to Special Commissioner
Court of Claims.

1888

No. 34524.

May 12, 1908.

Georgetta Clifford,
322 Euclid Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

When did your parents or your grandparents move from Virginia to Michigan? Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Were you held as a slave? If so, were you owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HVK/AIL

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 5 1908
No. 34524

SEP 5 1908

57 Denny St.
Indianapolis Ind.
Aug 31st -08.

Special Commissioner of
U.S. Court of Claims.
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir; In the matter of the
claim of Georgetta Clifford (No 34324)
for participation in the distribution
of the Eastern Cherokee fund; beg
leave to advise you that a reply
to your letter under date of May 12.
to said Georgetta Clifford was
forwarded to your office May 18/08.
answering all inquiries con-
tained in said letter, but I
am advised that my letter
failed to reach your office.

and that your inquiries were all answered by said Georgetta Clifford in person a few days ago in this city (Indianapolis) and that further answers are not required.

I shall be glad however to answer all further inquiries relative to said claim that you may deem necessary.

Very truly yours,

V. H. Davis. Atty

No. 34525

Action: Reject

Name Lora O'Neil and — children.

Residence: { 216 W. Walnut St.,
Noblesville, Ind.

Reasons: Niece of #29499, and claims through the
same ancestors.

No. ~~27~~ 345-25

Name *Lora L. Mil*

With No. *29499*

Remarks:

Wice of # 29499

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lora Annil

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1895, and May 20, 1890.

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W. W. Hatcher

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. AUG 15 1907 No. _____
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34525

**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: Lora Ormel
Indian name: NOT KNOWN
2. Residence and post office: 716 W. Walnut St. Noblesville
3. County: Hamilton
4. State: Indiana
5. How old are you? 22 Born 1885
6. Where were you born? Hamilton Co. Indiana
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)	<i>No Children</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John Ormel
Indian name: NOT KNOWN
Mother—English name: Francis Ormel
Indian name: NOT KNOWN
Maiden name: Francis White

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kalamazoo Michigan
Mother: Hamilton Co. Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hamilton Lee Indian

Mother: Hamilton Lee Indian

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)	<u>Epsther Omil</u>	<u>1890</u>	
	<u>age 16 Sheridan Ind</u>		
(2)	<u>Marys Omil</u>	<u>1892</u>	
	<u>age 13 Sheridan Ind</u>		
(3)	<u>Thomas Omil</u>	<u>1893</u>	
	<u>age 14 Sheridan Ind</u>		
	<u>age 471 George Omil</u>	<u>1886</u>	
	<u>Noblesville R.F.D. #7</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>Dunson White</u>	<u>Parthenia White</u>
<u>Father's Side</u>	<u>Mother's Side</u>

18. Where were they born? Wake Lee North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hamilton Lee Ind

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John White</u>	<u>Noblesville Ind</u>
(2)	<u>Henry White</u>	<u>Atlanta R.F.D. #10</u>
(3)	<u>Nancy White</u>	<u>Indianapolis Ind</u>
(4)	<u>Ann Lee White</u>	<u>Sheridan Ind</u>
(5)	<u>Joseph A White</u>	<u>Noblesville Ind</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: Dunson White

and Partenna White came from Wake Co North Carolina and was Cherokee blood in the vein

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Dunson White is my grandfather and is a Half Blood Cherokee Indian and was born in North Carolina Partenna White is my grandmother is a full Blood Cherokee Indian and was born in N. C.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lora O'Neil

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

Geo Smiley
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 20, 19010

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Bert Tice
and Joseph A. White, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lora O'Neil
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 3 years and 2 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo Smiley Bert Tice
Joseph A. White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1907.

My commission expires Sept 20, 19010 Geo Smiley
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. 345-26 =

Action: Rejected =

Name: *Leahni irat* and 3 children.

Residence: *Tamara, Ala-*

Reasons:

Leahni through the same source as 26681 -

No. 34526.

Name *Justin Lerat*

With No. 22231

Remarks:

No. 34526

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

P. S. in Serat

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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 CL.
EASTERN CHEROK.
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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: Calvin Serat,

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Bunch, I. T.

3. County: Cherokee Nation,

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? Thirty four Born Sept, 15th, 1873.

6. Where were you born? Southern Missouri.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lucy Serat. Age, 26.

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>Prescillar Serat,</u>		<u>Nov, 1st, 1900</u>
(2)	<u>Aquiller, Serat,</u>		<u>March, 28th, 02</u>
(3)	<u>Margeratt Serat.</u>		<u>March, 3rd, 1905.</u>
(4)	_____		_____
(5)	_____		_____
(6)	_____		_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Jerry Meyer Serat,

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Margerett Serat,

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Margerett Nail,

12. Where were they born?

Father: Dont know

Mother: Dont know.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April, 16th, 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: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Franklin Serat,</u>	<u>Aug, 11th, 65.</u>	
	<u>Lillie Serat</u>	<u>Nov, 5th, 72</u>	<u>Mch, 1907.</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>John Serat,</u>	_____
<u>Susan Miller,</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>Will Serat,</u>	<u>Siloam Springs, Ark</u>
	<u>Polly Ann Poor,</u>	<u>Gentry, Ark.</u>
(2)	<u>Nancy Lane,</u>	<u>Tupelo, I. T.</u>
(3)	<u>Joe Serat,</u>	<u>Stilwell, I. T.</u>
	<u>Mahilla Serat,</u>	<u>Dead,</u>
(4)	<u>Martha Rush,</u>	<u>_____ Oregon,</u>
	<u>George Serat,</u>	<u>Dead,</u>
(5)	<u>John Serat,</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(6)	<u>Calvin Serat,</u>	<u>Dead,</u>
	<u>Henry Serat,</u>	<u>Dead.</u>
	<u>Martin Serat,</u>	<u>Dead.</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:

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) Calvin Serat

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires April, 9th, 1909, 190 .

J. H. Nelson
Notary Public.

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 Cockrum

and George Cockrum, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Calvin Serat,

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.

James Cockrum
George Cockrum

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires April, 9th, 1909, 190 .

J. H. Nelson
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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Syr. Union Miller. Sir
in regards to Application
No ~~20~~ 34,524. from
Bridgman No 22231
Susan Miller Ortho was
inrolled for the year
1851 Sir in regards to
application 20,34524,
Gahlin Serat the
applicant I seen in
the papers the tolls had
been turned over to the
Court of Claims and it was
soon ready for payment
and of my claim notice
pleas and and let me know
what was the difficulty

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and address
of Alvin Serat,
Tahlequah, Okla

Let me hear
soon

Yours

Paul

Calvin Serat,

Stewart

Jud. Ter

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Rec. SEP 9 1907
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Sept. 10-07.*

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Mr Guion Miller
601 Aray Building

Washington D.C.

Sir I find

out a blank

and certain character
claim at Bank of

Bk. of Commerce
I want received

Card yet get the claim
was proved under Susan

Original No 22231

The old original was
address yours
William - Serat

circ. let JAN 8 1909

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Rec. JAN 8 1909

No. 34526

Calvin Serat.

Calvin Serat.

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Mr. James Miller
401 Gray Building
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir, I have heard
that the Eastern Immigrant
Payment was to be paid
off soon and I have a
check passed my application
No 23 34526 My
Application Papers was filed
at Bureau Ohio B.N.
Citizen Natirepublic the all
Enidgoal this 22231
James Miller. Please let
me know just when the Payment
will be and when

and

over let

JAN 8 1909

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 8 1909

No. 34526

Calvin Senat.

Calvin Senat.

Ray, Okla.

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Mr. Guine Miller
Special Commissioner of the
Court of Claims Sir
Said in your letter
in reply to my letter
that you would call
Mr. B. M. one of your
Assistant Commissioners
at some convenient
point to furnish
evidence if you
could not reach the
Commission as to my
Application for the
Eastern Cherokee -
Payment that I
Did the Eastern
Cherokee

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NY Postoffice
NY address
Tahlequah Okla.

Please permit
soon

Walter Senat,
NY application No

34526 -

No. 34327
Name Walter L. Howard and 1 children. Residence: Muldrow, Okla
Action: Admitted
Reasons: Grandson of #623 and
claims the same source.

34327

No. 34527

Name Walter L. Howard

With No. 25256

Remarks:

Suppl.

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Walter L. Howard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No.

34527

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Walter J. Howard
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Maldrow, I. T.
3. Town and post office: Maldrow, I. T.
4. County: Sequoyah
5. State: Ind. Ter.
6. Date and place of birth: 23 years California
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim a share by my Grandmother Nancy Martin who was living in 1851.
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: W. J. 21. J. M. Howard
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: William M. Howard
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Rebecca O. Howard
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Rebecca C. Martin
11. Where were they born?
Father: Arkansas
Mother: California
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: living Mother: living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

My mother was enrolled in Cherokee nation
Cancelled gross money & life money Perata & land
in Cherokee nation

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	George A. Howard	No date	3/10
(2)	Lyle M. Bowen	No date	age 22
(3)	William A. Howard	No date	age 20
(4)	Lillian M. Howard	No date	age 18
(5)	Charles G. Howard	No date	age 17
(6)	John Howard	No date	age 15
(6)	Frederick R. Howard	No date	age 12

16. 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 Howard	Elizabeth Howard
Jack Martin	Nancy Martin

17. Where were they born? Not known

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father side Arkansas
Mother side Fort Green, T. and California

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Mary J. Taylor	and John Martin
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(2) English name:	William Martin	Emma Taylor
Indian name:		
Residence:	California	Missouri, T. & C.
(3) English name:	Harvey Martin	
Indian name:		
Residence:	California	
(4) English name:	Ones Martin	
Indian name:		
Residence:	California	
(5) English name:	John Howard	
Indian name:		
Residence:	California	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

Enrolled in Cherokee nation. Cancelled for
gross money & life money. Not done for land

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Grandmother*
Maiden name Nancy Fox Taylor Great Grand
Father Fox Taylor
Great Grand Mother Maiden name
Widlyter

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.) *Walter S. Howard*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* day of *August*, 190*9*

My commission expires *2-17*, 190*9* *W. M. Blackard*
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. S. Martin* and
J. W. Goodman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
 say that they are well acquainted with *Walter S. Howard*, who makes the
 foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* 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.

J. S. Martin

J. W. Goodman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* day of *August*, 190*9*

My commission expires *2-17*, 190*9* *W. M. Blackard*
 Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

respectively, and acknowledged to be the identical person as represented by the signatures of the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by them are true, and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

F. L. Overman
Wm B Goodson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

Wm M. Blackland
Notary Public.

My commission expires 2-17, 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. 34527.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Walter S Howard

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: Walter L. Howard
2. Residence and post office: McLester, S. C.
3. County: Sequoyah Cherokee Nation
4. State: Missouri
5. Date and place of birth: Feb 17 - 1884 - California
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: age 21: Ella M Howard
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>Metha ^{my} Howard</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Sept 8 - 1905</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: enrolled for land Oct 24 - 1906
with the Cherokee Tribe of Indians

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I refer you to my mother's claim
Rebecca E Howard

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Walter L. Howard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

W. H. Blackford
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

2-17, 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 F. L. Martin and Jesse B. Goodman who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martin L. Howard who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 5 years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

F. L. Martin

Jesse B. Goodman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

W. M. Blackford
Notary Public.

My commission expires 2-17, 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. 34527.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Martin L. Howard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

No. *34528*

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Amanda Thomas* and *3* children.

Residence: *Gladesville, Va*

Reasons:

*Claim through the same source as
29230.*

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Field Va. ?
Reject No. 595-28 Washington Co

Name Amanda Thom

With No.

Remarks:

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No. 345-28

Name Amanda Thom

With No. 29230.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

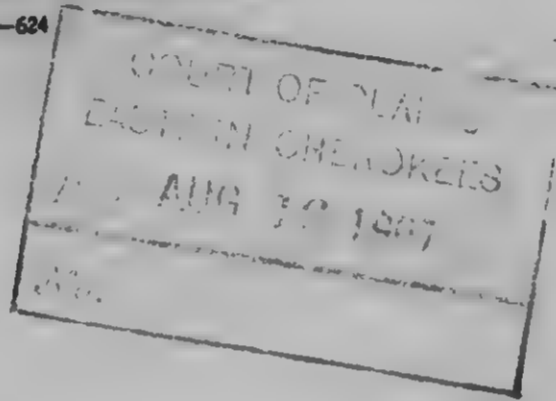
APPLICATION

OF

Amanda Thomas.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Amanda Thomas

Indian name: Keywood

2. Residence and post office: Glade Spring B.F.D. #2 Box 28

3. County: Washington

4. State: Virginia

5. How old are you? 42

Born Dec. 7 1864

6. Where were you born? Washington Co Virginia

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Joseph M. Thomas born Feb 5. 1869

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Not any

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Dorsey Keywood Thomas</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>May 6. 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Minnie B. Thomas</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>July 4. 1894</u>
(3)	<u>George V. Thomas</u>	<u>15 yrs</u>	<u>Nov. 17. 1892</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Stephen Calwood

Indian name: Stephen Keywood

Mother—English name: Nancy Calwood

Indian name: Not any

Maiden name: Nancy McNew

12. Where were they born?

Father: Washington Co Virginia

Mother: Washington Co Va near Altville

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Saltville Va Near Keywood, Virginia
 Mother: Near Saltville Washington Co Va

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Stephen Caswood died Dec 28th 1899
 Mother: Nancy Caswood died Aug 4th 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: Not anything

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Samuel Keywood</u>	<u>May 21st 1858</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Joseph B. Keywood</u>	<u>Nov 27 1860</u>	<u>...</u>
	<u>Phias Keywood</u>	<u>Nov 27 1862</u>	<u>...</u>
(3)			
(4)	<u>(Keywood is Indian name - English name is Caswood)</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

P.O. Museum Va

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
his	<u>Moses Keywood</u>	<u>John McNew</u>
wife	<u>Tobitha</u>	<u>Katey McNew</u>

18. Where were they born? Washington Co Va Near Keywood
 19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Near Saltville Va

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John M. Keywood</u>	<u>Born Aug. 12. 1809</u>	<u>Died 1881</u>
(2)	<u>Stephens "</u>	<u>" March 13. 1819 "</u>	<u>" 1899</u>
(3)	<u>Berry "</u>	<u>" July 20. 1833 "</u>	<u>" 1866</u>
(4)	<u>Margaret "</u>	<u>" April 24 1827 "</u>	<u>" 1873</u>
(5)	<u>Moses Jr. "</u>	<u>" May 4. 1822 "</u>	<u>" 1849</u>

X all lived in Washington County, Va

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: Not any

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

Stephen Sawood Jr a son of Moses Sawood
Stephen Keywood Moses Keywood

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving ^{her} his claim.)

Moses Sawood's Mother was a Eastern Cherokee Indian she was called Eastern Idle her short name Carter Berry Keywood she was Eastern Cherokee Indian and of no other tribe

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Amanda Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1907.

Samuel W. Keys
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 7th, 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 Samuel B. Dunn
and J. O. Kent, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Amanda Thomas who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 26 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Samuel B. Dunn
J. O. Kent
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires July 7th, 1908. Samuel W. Keys
Notary Public.

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For further information see the application.

No 29231

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. FEB 7 1910

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CLAIMS
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Glade Springs

Feb the 4th 1910

to the clerk of the
court of claims
write a claim. Kindly
ask you is it
decided a
indian claim yet
I write you some
time ago. I
ascended
that the
would be considered
I'd like to know

whether i can
gain it yet it
or that i have
up to the order of
the court as i
to see what
the trouble is i
said that several
judges in talking
to Mr Miller told
me that if it
is before the
court please write
me at once
your perfect
and the same

Glade Spring Va

Mr Givon Miller
Sir please inform
me if there is any
mistake it will ^{be} glad
to correct it is it is
on my part or my
brother's Samuel
Joseph or Tobias
Cedar wood Key wood

Yours Respect

Samuel Thomas

I, Samuel W. Keys, a notary public for the County of Washington, in the state of Virginia, do certify that Mrs. Martha Ferguson of Glade Spring, Virginia, a respectable white lady, after first being duly sworn, makes the following statement before me in my county aforesaid:

I am seventy years old, was born and raised in this County, and knew and was well acquainted with Moses Cawood of this county, whose Indian name was Keywood. I was raised up with his decedents, one of which is Amanda Thomas, whose maiden English name was Amanda Cawood. To my definite and positive knowledge the said Amanda Thomas is the grand-daughter of the said Moses Cawood. The Indian traits in the said Moses Cawood were very distinct, and from intimate association and family history I know that he was one-half Indian blood, of the Cherokee tribe. I have no interest whatever in any claim the said Amanda Thomas make make or establish to any rights as heir of said Moses Cawood.

Witness to me
B. H. Morris

Martha ^{hu.} Ferguson
Deponent.

Subscribed, acknowledged and sworn to before me this day as above stated.

Samuel W. Keys
Notary Public.

Please let me know
at your convenience

Respect

Amanda Thomas

Glade Spring Va

R F L no 2

Box 28

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. DEC 30 1908

No. 34528

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application
no 34528

Glade Springs Va

Dec 24 1908
Mr E. W. Miller
Washington D C
sir have you decided
my application yet
please let me know
i would be glad to know
about it you know
how any one ~~it~~ is
when there is money
coming to them they
~~we~~ would like to get
it as soon as possible

please let me soon
at your car

Respect
Amanda Thomas

Glade Spring Va

R F D no 2

Box 28

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 5 1908
No. 34528

addressee
Amanda Thomas
P. O. no 2 Box 28

circ. let.
MAR 5 1908

Glade Spring Va
march the 3rd 1908
Mr. Gideon Miller
can you give me
any information
about our indian
money where do you
think we will get
it i think i am due
my part of the money
and if you could see
me you would think
so too for i show my
indian blood and so
doer my children
please write soon
yourself
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addressee
Amanda Thomas

P. O. Box 2 Bot 28

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MAR 5 1908

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. SEP 19 1907
No. 34528

Recpt. Ford
Sept 20-07

Glade Spring
Meadowview

RFD #2 Box 38

Washington Co

Sept 17 - 1907

Mr. Guion Miller

Washington D C

Dear Sir I sent you my
application for an Indian
claim I sent it by registered
mail the 15th of August
1907 please let me know if
it was put on file. my 3 brothers
sent there application to you
a few days later and you sent
them a card given the No. please
give me my No. about 17 of
grandfather Moses Keywood
heirs sent in an application

for there ² Indian claim
and about all of them
received a card giving No. of
of there claims on file but
I please see to my
claim and send me the
No of it if you put it on
file and if not on file
please tell me why it
was not & redge & send
it to you the 15th of Aug
My witness I sent you
was well acquainted with
grandfather Moses Hayward
and knew him to be an
Indian so what do you say

Yours truly

Amanda Thomas

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No. 34528.

May 12, 1908.

Amanda Thomas,
Glade Spring, Va. R.F.D.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why were your grandparents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees?

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by White people or Indians?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names, and state when and where said payment was made.

Did your parents, or did you, ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe? Were you admitted to tribal councils?

Respectfully,

HWK/ALL

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 18 1908

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Glade Springs, Va

July the 17 1908

Mr Garrison Miller
Washington D. C.

Sir I have got the

testimony that

I wrote you a letter

if you have to read

one of your articles

here to take local

testimony if it is

not unnecessary

for you would you

writing my letter

to meet at the

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same time and
all place or will
They have to ~~some~~
turn with reference
to what
testimony will
you ~~and~~ require
of us if any
well to make
have not all too
many favor of
you so I will
close please write
soon as you can
Respect

Wm. de Thomas

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 2 1908
No. 34528

circ. let
JUN 4 1908

might happen
the old gentleman
is Mr. P. Ferguson
Ferguson the
husband of Mrs
Mentha Ferguson
Mrs. Perked
Amanda Thomas
Glade Springs^{va}
Route 2 Box 28

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June the 4 1908

Mr. Grison Miller
Sir if we need any
more evidence please
let me know at once
there is a very
old eye the man
here that knew
my Grand father
and he is had part
and is very feeble
i thought i had
better get his
evidence so if you
think i will need
it please let me know
at once something

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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to old gentlemen
is Mr P. Ferguson
Ferguson the
husband of Mrs
Martha Ferguson
Mrs. Perked

Amanda Thomas

Glade Springs ^{va}

Box 28

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Glade Spring Va
May 15th

Mr. Quinn Miller
Sir in Reply to your
letter I received you
wanted to know why
my grand parents
were never enrolled
I do not know they
may have been my
parents were not
slaves my immedi^{ate}
Relatives had never
shared in a ~~passage~~

perhaps it as i know
of my Greate Grand
mother was a earlier
eastern cherokee my
Grand father lived
with her my father
lived with my Grand
father and i lived
with my father.
The Ballwoods come
here from Maryland
with ^{the} indian i
suppose i can prove
my indian blood
if you want any
statement let me
know yours Respect
Amanda Thomas

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to send it please
let me know how it
you have got through
with my application
or not or what is
the trouble is why.
No please write me
as soon as you get
this your

34 228
COURT OF
29230

Respectfully
Yours
Rout 2 Bot

34 528

Delgado Springs Va
Oct the 12 th 1908
Mr. Guion Little,
Sir I write you asking
how you are spending a
long with the old place
I have been waiting
for your assistant to
come here I am ready
to meet him any
time or if you want
any more testimony
sent there I am ready

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to send it please
let me know if
you have got through
with my application
or not or what is
the trouble if any
so please write me
as soon as you get
this done

Respectfully

Amanda Thomas

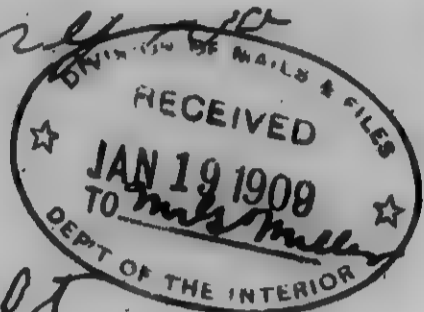
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Washington Co

Glade Springs
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Mr Roosevelt
Washington, D. C.
I write you can you
give me any
information why
congress can not
decide about the
indian money I
am one of the heirs
I sent my application
seven teen 17 months
ago Mr ~~of~~ Guion
Miller wrote me a

short time ago
that they had give
my application a
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to establish my claim
and can send more
if it is needed
~~it~~ please write and
let me know

Respectfully

Amanda Thomas

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my application a
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i think i have sent
sufficient testimony
to establish my claim
and can send more
if it is needed
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let me know

Respectfully
Amanda Thomas

R F J no 2

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THE WHITE HOUSE.

Respectfully referred to the
SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR
for acknowledgment and consideration.

By direction of the President:

WILLIAM LOEB, Jr.,
Secretary.



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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 10 1909
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Let

Glade Springs

Dec 7 1949
I have the report of the
at Glade Springs Washington
I write you asking
Kindly if our names
are all right

we have on our
there are some
is there is no
with me
correct it
do not think there
could have been any

mistake for we
have not up to the
order of
Please write me if
it is decided on soon
and what the time
is if any
yours Respectfully

Amanda Johnson

Glade Springs

Fort in Belmont

P.S. please write
soon as you get the

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Martha Junger
testimony to Mr
Guiso Miller two
years ago in subject
it was before
court

App. #34528.

December 10, 1909.

Amanda Thomas,
Route #2, Box 28,
Glade Spring, Virginia.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of December 7, 1909, you are advised that the exception you have filed in your case will be considered in its regular order, but it will probably be some time before the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether you claim to be an Eastern Cherokee Indian by blood through any other line of descent than through _____

If so, set forth fully the name of the ancestor through whom you so claim, who was living in 1835 or 1846, giving his or her full name, and the date of birth and death as nearly as possible, together with the exact place of residence of such ancestor in 1835, or 1846.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

matter has passed
to beyond your control why
did you answer instead
of the clerk we proved
what our Blanket called
for i ~~the~~ don't
think the mistake is
on our part
yours

Respectfully

Samuel Thomas

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
Rec. JUL 19 1909	
No. 34	528

Glade Springs Va

July the 16 1904

Mr Gideon Miller

Washington, D. C.

Sir I wrote to the court as
claim and is the matter
has passed beyond your
control you forward
my letter to the clerk
at the court I sent
Mr Jungerson
affidavit to you and I
can prove it I sent
it in private if you send
it to the clerk too, we
have proved we war at
Cherokee Indian blood
we filled our applications

all we was ask to knowe
then it was acknowledged
and filed and i have got
a Receipt to prove it
now i want that letter
to go to the clerk of the
court of claims i ~~addressed~~^{addressed}
it to him ~~or~~ we ~~to~~
will get a man to come
there and look up the
matter & for us ~~write~~
~~that~~ ~~is~~ ~~at~~ we proved
that we are of indian
blood now i want to hear
from the clerk ~~that~~^{he}
has got that letter ~~at~~
yours Respectfully
Commander Thomas

Mr. Miller

I wrote you that I had
Mr. Ferguson's affidavit
ready to read and you
did not write for it
you wrote me like you
would read a man here
to take local testimony
we was ready to meet
him we are going to
get more & a probe
and then we will get
man to come there and
see the clerk if we don't
hear from him if the
other

matter has passed
beyond your control why
did you answer instead.
at the clerk we proved
what our blanks called
for i ~~think~~ dont
think the mistake is
on our part
yours

Respectfully

Caranda Thomas

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JUL 19 1909 No. 34 528

before the court i have
got Mr. Inneson
affidavit ready to send
please write me at once
~~with~~ yours
Respectfully

amanda Thomas

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**COURT OF CLAIMS
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34928

Gladie Spring No

July the 12th 1909
to the court of claims
Washington D.C.

i don't quite under
stand what you want
~~to see us~~ to prove
please write plainly
and we will be glad to
give any information
reasonable to establish
our claim i sent Mrs
Jungerson affidavit
two years ago in reply
she testified that
Moses Keywood barwood
was ~~the~~ of indian
blood but it went

before the court I have
got the Jurisdiction
abridgment ready to send
please write me at once
~~Yours~~
Respectfully

Amanda Thomas

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**COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 14 1909
No. 34528**

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No. 34529

Action: Rejected

Name Laura Barber and 4 children.

Residence: Clifton, N.C.

Reasons:

Sizmore case

34529

No. 34529

Name. Laura Barker

With No. Sigemore "F."

Remarks :

No. 34529

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Laura Barker.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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 R. C. AUG 26 1907 No.
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34529

**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: Laura Barker

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Clifton

3. County: Ashe

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? _____ Born _____

6. Where were you born? Ashe

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. B. Barker Age 42 yrs

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)	<u>Belie Barker</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1889</u>
(2)	<u>Blide Barker</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1894</u>
(3)	<u>Douley Barker</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1899</u>
(4)	<u>Roy Barker</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1902</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Thos J. Jones

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Jansy Jones

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Jansy Thompson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ashe Co N.C.

Mother: Ashe Co N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ashe Co N.C.
Mother: Ashe Co N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 22, 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>Andrew Jones</u>	<u>1858</u>	
	<u>John Jones</u>	<u>1860</u>	
(2)	<u>Albert Jones</u>	<u>1862</u>	
	<u>Bebe Keller</u>	<u>1865</u>	
(3)	<u>Mary E. Witherspoon</u>	<u>1867</u>	
	<u>Nancy S. Blevins</u>	<u>1872</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>Christopher Thompson</u>
	<u>Sallie Thompson</u>

18. Where were they born? Ashe Co N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ashe Co N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Wilburn Thompson</u>	<u>(see)</u>
(2)	<u>Mohiley Beaman</u>	<u>Bigstone Gap Va.</u>
(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: Laura Barker a daughter of James Jones who was a daughter of Sallie Thompson who was a daughter of Elizabeth Stampfer who was a daughter of Ned Sigman a full blooded Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
By the decree of the Supreme Court of the U.S. of April 30, 1906 in favor of all citizen Indians who are to share pro capita with the Eastern Cherokees of N.C.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Laura Barker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Aug 1907.
L. K. Wittman
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 7, 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 M. F. Blevins
and David Blevins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Laura Barker
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.

M. F. Blevins
David Blevins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires June 7, 1909. L. K. Wittman
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. 34530

Action: Reject

Name Frank F. Brown and X children. Residence: Indianapolis, Ind.

Reasons:

Ancestors were not enrolled. Applicant fails to establish genuine connection with Cherokee tribe. Notified to appear and give testimony but failed to do so.

Field Release ?
No. 345-30

Name Frank E. Brown

With No.

Remarks: 345-31

Notified to appear
at Indianapolis, but
failed to do so.
Arrest on
or call.

4 file

No. 34530

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Frank Fowler 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.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 13 1907

H. H. Waterhouse

34530

**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: Frank Fowler Brown
 Indian name: unknown
2. Residence and post office: 706 - W 10th Indianapolis
3. County: Marion
4. State: Ind
5. How old are you? _____ Born Dec 29 1879
6. Where were you born? Indianapolis Ind
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)		<u>0</u>	
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Charles William Brown
 Indian name: not known
 Mother—English name: Sallie Brown
 Indian name: not known
 Maiden name: Sallie - Hughes

12. Where were they born?
 Father: Indianapolis
 Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Indianapolis

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)	Harry Brown Indpls	1872	
# 34531 - (2)	Julia Brown Harris Indpls Ind	1883	
(3)	Charles Brown Indpls Ind	1889	
(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
Jeremiah Brown	Agnes Hughes
Artemus Brown	

18. Where were they born? 71 Carolina

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:

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 Fowler Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

Chas. H. Stewart
Notary Public.

My commission expires

_____, 190____. My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 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 Albert W Roberts
and George W Hilliard, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Frank Fowler Brown 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.

Albert W Roberts
George W Hilliard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

_____, 190____. Chas. H. Stewart
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.

My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1907.

No. 34530.

May 12, 1908.

Frank P. Brown,

706 W. 10th St., Indianapolis, Ind.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Why were your grandparents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees?

Did your parents or your grandparents ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

When did your parents or your grandparents move from North Carolina to Indiana?

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by White people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HWK/AIL

No. 34531

Action: Reject

Name Julia Brown Harris and X children. Residence: Indianapolis, Ind.

Reasons:

Sister of #34530.

34531

No. 345-31
Name Julia P. [unclear]
With No. 34530

Remarks:



34530
~~Number of~~

No. 34531

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Julia Mann Harris

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. AUG 16 1907 No.

H. N. Matiskou

34531

**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: Julia Brown Harris
Indian name: not known
2. Residence and post office: 706 - W 10th St Indianapolis
3. County: Marion
4. State: Ind.
5. How old are you? 24 Born Jan 12 1883
6. Where were you born? Indianapolis Ind
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Leonard Harris 45 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Do not know
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: Charles William Brown
Indian name: Not known
Mother—English name: Sallie Brown
Indian name: not known
Maiden name: Sallie Hughes

12. Where were they born?

Father: Indianapolis
Mother: Lansville Ky

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Indianapolis

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Young

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)	Harry Brown Indianapolis Ind	1872	
(2)	Frank Fowler Brown Indianapolis Ind	1880	
(3)	Charles Brown Indpls Ind	1889	
(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
Jeremiah Brown	Grandfather white
Jarvis Brown	Agnes Hughes

18. Where were they born? N. Carolina

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: _____

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)

Julia Brown Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

Chas. H. Stewart

Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 190

My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 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

Danvera Donnell

and

Albert W. Roberts

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Julia Brown Harris

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and

12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Danvera Donnell

Albert W. Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190

Chas. H. Stewart

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.

My commission expires Nov. 2nd 1907

No. 34532

Action: Reject

Name: Geo. W. Hillyard and 2 children. Residence: Indianapolis, Ind.

Reasons:

Ancestors were not enrolled. Were not parties to Treaties of 1835, '36, and '46. Did not take part in Tribal proceedings. Applicant's evidence insufficient to establish genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.

Misc. test. p. 1888, 1889.

Field Ind? No. 345-3 2 Marion Co.

Name Geo. W. Hillward

With No.

Remarks: 4 files

Accession not on rolls.

No. 34532

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

George W. Hilliard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 13 1907
No.

H. H. Masterson

34532

**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 W. Hillyard
Indian name: not known
2. Residence and post office: 918 N California St Indianapolis
3. County: Morgan
4. State: Ind
5. How old are you? 61 Born Jan 11 1847
6. Where were you born? Halifax County N Carolina
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Susan 60 yrs
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Do not know
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>Lunsford Hillyard</u>	<u>76</u>	
(2)	<u>George Hillyard</u>	<u>43</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Lunsford Hillyard
Indian name: not known
Mother—English name: Lucy
Indian name: Lucy Locklayer
Maiden name: Lucy Locklayer

12. Where were they born?

Father: N Carolina Halifax Co
Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ind
Mother: Marion Co Ind

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1848
Mother: " 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: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>None of</u>		
(2)	<u>full blood</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?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Rebecca on Mellyard and Lucy Mellyard born Nov 21 44
- (2) Randolph Locklayer born July 10, 1815
- (3) Mary Rebecca Locklayer Nov 22 1818
- (4) Susy Elberton Locklayer Feb 21 1819
- (5) Susan Henry Locklayer Mar 22 1821
- (6) Retty Locklayer Jan 22 1824
- Lethro Locklayer Jan 22 1827
- Mary Locklayer Apr 5 1829

This is according to an old record book of the Locklayer family in 1860 the entries appear to be made at the time, because the names are differently spelled

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 claim Cherokee descent from Hilliard or (Hilliard) family and Locklear family

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) George W. Hilliard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

Charl Stewart
Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 190 .

My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 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 Claudia Walker

and Albert W Roberts, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with George W Hilliard

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that 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.

Claudia Walker
Albert W Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190 .

Charl Stewart
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.

My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1907.

Each
This book is in possession of Claimant

Charlotte L. Jones.

#38750.

Charlotte L. Jones, being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 76 years old, and I live in Indianapolis, Ind. 431 W. 14th St. I claim my Indian blood through my mother Charlotte Locklayer. My mother told me that she was about 3/4 Indian. She has been dead about 56 years, she died in Indiana. She was about 70 years old when she died. She was born in Halifax County N.C. I was a good sized girl when she came away from N.C. My mother got her Indian blood through her father, Hidy Manley. He lived and died in Halifax County, N.C. My grandmother, Betsy Manley was about a 1/2 blood, and she lived and died down in N.C. None of my ancestors were ever held as slaves. I know George W. Hilliard, he is my third cousin. I know Fred W. Wilkins, he is my nephew, his mother, Nancy Locklayer, is my sister. None of my ancestors ever got any money from the Government on account of their Indian blood.

Charlotte L. Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug.
1908, at Indianapolis, Ind.

J. J.
Sgt. to Special Commissioner
Court of Claims.

George W. Hilliard.

#34532.

George W. Hilliard being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 62 years of age, and I live at 441 Indiana Ave. Indianapolis Ind. I was born in Halifax County, N. C. I left there in 1849. There were two sections of us, and some of them came a little ahead. But they all came within two or three years of each other. You see they passed a law down there that all the free born people and the mixed bloods would have to get out inside of 90 days or they would be put back into slavery. They were colonized down here, the Waldens, Byrds, Jones, Locklayer, Hilliards, some of the Shecrafts, the Robertsons, Berts, Revels, and several others all lived down there in a sort of colony. They were not allowed to mix up with the slaves down there. These colonists were practically a tribe, and there were some full blood in among them. These people who were forced to leave pretty near owned half a county, but this was all taken away from them. They had to give it up to get away from there. I claim my Indian blood through both my father and mother. But I did not put in a claim on my father's side because I had no records of his family. My mother's name was Lucy Locklayer before she was married. She was probably born in Halifax County. She was over a 1/2 blood. She got her Indian blood through her the Locklayers. My grandfather Locklayer was named Samuel. His wife, my grandmother, was named Silpah. She was born 16th of Feb. 1815. US Henry Locklayer was born 21st 22 of March, 1821. She was my mother's sister. (This claimant offers a very old time-worn book in which there are original entries of births and deaths of his ancestors.) I have refreshed my memory as to the births and deaths of my people from an old family record book relative to people living at the beginning of 1800 which I herewith offer for your inspection. My grandmother Silpah must have been over a half blood. The Indians down there recognized us as Indians, and the people in the community in which I live recognize us as Indians. I know Benj. Locklayer, he is my second cousin, and gets his Indian blood the same as I do.

George W. Hilliard
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Aug. 1908, at Indianapolis, Ind.

J. C. [Signature]
Not. to Special Commissioner
Court of Claims.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAY 16 1908

No.

State of Indiana,
County of Marion,

Personally appeared George W. Hilliard, aged 61 years, whose address is P. O. Box 165, Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana, and upon oath declares as follows:-

That he is claimant for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, and in answer to letter dated May 12, 1908, he desires to state that the reason why he and his mother were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851, was because they had left North Carolina a couple of years or so prior to 1851, and had come to Indiana, and did not give the matter particular attention.

That the name of his grandfather was Samuel Locklear, but he cannot remember the name of his grandmother.

He never lived with the Indians, but he understand that his parents lived with them in a colony in North Carolina.

That relatives of the Locklear family shared in the former distribution for the Eastern Cherokees, but were paid in land, and not in money.

That he was never held as a slave.

He is unable to give the names of those who received land, or when or where they received the same.

George W. Hilliard

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Bert Delp, a Notary Public, within and for the County and State aforesaid, this 14th day of May, 1908.

Bert Delp

NOTARY PUBLIC,
No. 323 BOARD OF TRADE BUILDING,
Indianapolis, Indiana.
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES NOVEMBER 9, 1909.

paid
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No. 34532.

May 12, 1908.

George W. Hilliard,
918 N. California St., Indianapolis, Ind.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your mother was not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851. Why were you not enrolled at that time?

Give the names of your grandparents.

Did your parents, or did you, ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names, and state when and where said payment was made.

Were you ever held as a slave? If so, were you owned by White people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HWK/AIL

In re

Gen. W. H. Board

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Aug 18-1908

Mr Union Miller

Commissioner Christian Eastern Co
Washington D.C.

I Lucy Williard am about 85 years old, and was born in Halifax Co N.C. My Father's name was Henry Bird, mother name Bettie Bird nee Locklear. Grandfather name Dick Bird. Grandmother name Polly Locklear Bird. Came to Indiana with Locklears, Child Winburns. I am related to the Locklears and Williards we were driven out of N.C. in or about 1849 and settled in Indianapolis. None of our family, Locklears Williards were ever slaves. and my parents and grand parents were almost full blood Chesones I could tell them from other Indians, from their facial appearance.

Witness signed Lucy Williard

Ella Bowman

State of Indiana County of Marion ss. Personally appeared before me Lucy Williard, and makes acknowledgment of the above statement and statement as true.

Witness my hand and seal this 18th day of Aug 1908
F.D. Welch (Notary Public)
Commission Expires Feb 25-1911

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Dear Sir
Andromeda 2nd Aug 1870

Mr. Duiron Miller

Special Commissioner of the
Court of Claims Eastern
Sheridan Enrollment

Office in 431 W 14 St
Very Respectfully
Mrs Charlotte Miller

No. 34533

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Effie E. Peer* and *1* children. Residence: *Joplin, Mo.*

Reasons: *Niece of #4581.*

34533

*Claim through The
Home source
71581*

No. 34533
71581

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Eppie Esther Pur

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 10 1907

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**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: Effie E. Fisher Peer

Indian name: Land-state

2. Residence and post office: 225 1/2 - Grandview Joplin Mo.

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 26 Born 1881 July 2

6. Where were you born? Labette County Kansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: George W. Peer age 27

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>Delma Peer</u>	<u>3 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: Marshall Scott

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Rosie Anah Hyde

Indian name: Land-state

Maiden name: Rosie Anah Bowdani

12. Where were they born?

Father: Born County Ill

Mother: Franklin County Ill

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Barn County Ill

Mother: Franklin County Ill

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: December 31. 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.
(1)	<u>Jacob Scott</u>		<u>July 5/1902</u>
(2)	<u>Levie Anderson Scott</u>	<u>Cannt State</u>	
	<u>Smithfield Mo</u>	<u>Cannt State</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>Grant State</u>	<u>Cannt State</u>

18. Where were they born? Cannt State

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cannt State

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Cannt State
- (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: Father English name

Marshall Scott Mother English name
Rexie Annah Hyde formerly Scott

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My maiden name is Effie E. Scott and was placed on the rolls of the Dawes Commission

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Effie Esther Peer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

Marion Staples
Notary Public.
Barber County Missouri

My commission expires
March 10th 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 J. F. Pittinger
and Mattie O. Bard, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Effie Esther Peer who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for three years and seven 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. F. Pittinger
Mattie O. Bard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires
March 10th 1910, 1907.

Marion Staples
Notary Public.
Barber County Missouri

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.

I beg to remain
Yours very sincerely
Effie & Peer

No. 34533,

P.S. I have changed my street
~~Post office~~ Number just -
address Joplin Mo. Mo.
Del.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JUL 19 1909 No. 34533
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enc. let

Joplin Mo
July 16 - 1909
Mr Guion Miller
Washington D. C.

Sir, Replying to your
letter bearing date of
June 10, 1909. I beg to take
exception to your report
to the Court of Claims
In the first place I would
like to know if Mary Ellen
Riley's application has
been rejected. She is my
mother's sister and if
her claim is ignored of
course it is useless for
me to proceed further

As we are both trying to
get our rights under the
same strain of indian
blood viz. The Bowling family
The number of my
mothers claim is
28260. her application is
properly filled out and her
name is Rokeannah Hyde
Now if her claim is rejected
& I have no further claim
Please write and let me
know if her claim has
been reported favorably
and if it has I can furnish
sufficient proof that I
am her daughter
Expecting an early reply
over

I beg to remain
Yours very sincerely
Effie E. Peeler

No. 34533,

P.S. I have changed my street -
~~Post office~~ Number just -
address Joplin Mrs. Leona
Del.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JUL 19 1909 No. 34533
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enc. let

Thanking you for the
application blank &
remain yours very truly

Mrs. G. W. Peew

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
RECEIVED AUG 16 1907
No. 34533.

225 N. Sergeant ave
Joplin Mo
8.4.1907

Mr Gore Miller
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir

Owing to friction between
me and my relatives I
am unable to fill out my
application properly & can't
get the information from
them. However if you wish
further evidence you will
find my mother's
application properly
filled out - Mrs Roxie Hyde
in your office & also my
brothers Jess Anderson & Scott

Thanking you for the
application blank &
remain yours very truly
Mrs. G. H. Peew

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 28 1907
No. 345-33.

No. 34534

Action: Admitted

Name: Andrew Jackson Cobb and 1 child

Residence: Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons:

Son of #4634 and claims through same source

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No. 34534

Name Andrew J. Cobb

With No. 2049

Remarks:

Serial # 24634

No. 34534

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

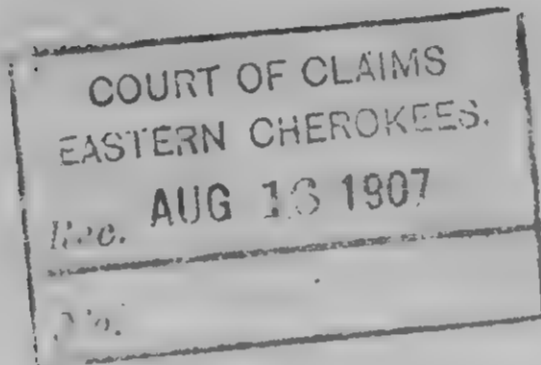
APPLICATION

OF

Andrew Jackson Cobb

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by 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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to the

**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: Andrew Jackson Cobb

Indian name: No

2. Residence and post office: Muskogee

3. County: Western District

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? Twenty two Born January 20th., 1885.

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter. near Muskogee, I. T.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lucy A. Cobb

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 A. Cobb</u>	<u>1 year</u>	<u>April 7, 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: James H. Cobb

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Alice Cobb

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Alice Chism

12. Where were they born?

Father: State of Georgia

Mother: Ft. Gibson, Indian Territory

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Born in Georgia in year 1851

Mother: Not yet Born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: January 5th., 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: Yes. Mother received what is known as Strip money and Old Settler money of Cherokees; Father is now a recognized and enrolled citizen of the Cherokee Nation

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Edward Cobb</u> <u>Muskogee, Ind. Ter</u>	<u>Aug. 26, 1881</u>	
(2)	<u>Charles Henry Cobb</u> <u>Muskogee, Ind. Ter</u>	<u>Feb. 22nd., 1883</u>	
(3)	<u>William Cobb</u> <u>Muskogee, Ind. Ter.</u>	<u>Mar. 17, 1888</u>	
(4)	<u>Susie Cobb</u> <u>Muskogee, Ind. Ter</u>	<u>July 19, 1890</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>Jack Cobb</u>	<u>William Chism</u>
<u>Susan Cobb</u>	<u>Susie Chism</u>

18. Where were they born? All born in Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father's side in Georgia
Mother's side in Indian Territory

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Ben Cobb</u>	<u>Father's side</u>	<u>Muskogee, I.T.</u>
(2)	<u>James H. Cobb</u>		<u>" " "</u>
(3)	<u>Edward Cobb (Deceased)</u>		
(4)	<u>Fannie Cobb</u>	<u>"</u>	
(5)	<u>Howell Cobb</u>		<u>Atlanta, Georgia</u>
(6)	<u>Lucy Cobb (Deceased)</u>		
7	<u>Charley Cobb</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: Yes, With Cherokee Tribe all my life.
Now have an allotment in the Cherokee Nation as a Citizen thereof.

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 give no others than those heretofore mentioned

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) Andrew J Cobb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

Myron White
 Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 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 Dave Whitewater
 and Ben Downing, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Andrew Jackson Cobb 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.

Dave Whitewater
Ben Downing

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 28, 1908.

Myron White
 Notary Public.

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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

[Handwritten signatures of witnesses]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1906.

Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec. 28, 1906.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

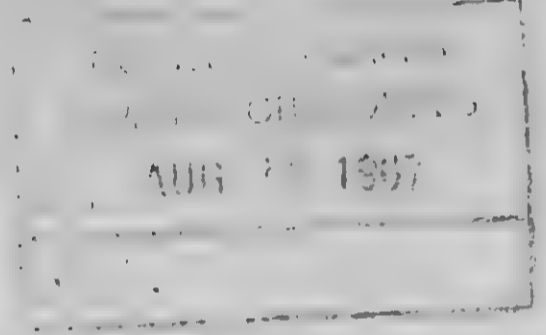
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Andrew Jackson Cobb

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: Andrew Jackson Cobb
2. Residence and post office: Muskogee
3. County: Western District
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: January 20th., 1885 near Muskogee, Ind. Ter.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Lucy A. Cobb, Twenty years of age.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>James A. Cobb</u>	<u>1 year</u>	<u>April 7, 1906.</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No. He was born one month and three days too late to receive an allotment as a Cherokee under our agreement with the U.S. Government

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Said minor child would be enrolled were the Cherokees now making any roll of their tribal members.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Andrew J. Cobb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of AUGUST 1907.

Myron H. White

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Dec. 28, 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 David Whitewater and Ben Downing who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Andrew Jackson Cobb who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 15 years and 13 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

David Whitewater
Ben Downing

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1907.

Myron White
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec. 28, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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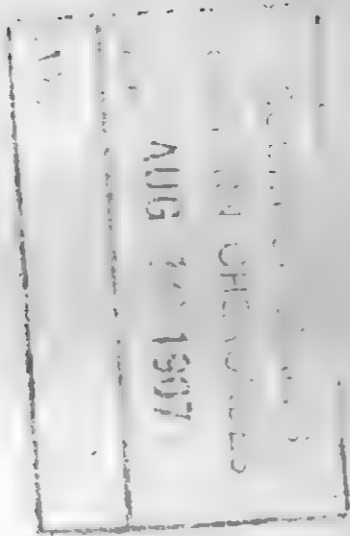
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Andrew Jackson Cobb
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.



If not called for in 15 days, return to
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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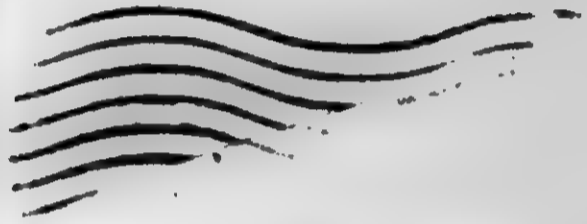
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No person shall use this envelope for the purpose of avoiding the payment of postage on any letter or other matter of any kind.
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Muskogee,
Okla.
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

801 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Andrew Jackson,
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 *wife and 1* 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 *7853*

A copy of all the names enrolled by me as entitled to participate in said fund has been forwarded to the following places, where said roll may be examined:

- Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.
- Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Oklahoma.
- Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.
- U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla.
- The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.
- The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma.
- The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.
- The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.
- The Clerk of Courts at:--
 - North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.
 - Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Coletawah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.
 - Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.
 - Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega, Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiwassee, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, have been printed and will be sold at \$2.50 each, and the proceeds applied to the cost of printing.

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,254 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

The Court of Claims in its order of June 10, 1909, has directed that all exceptions to my report shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., to be filed in the Court on or before the 30th day of August, 1909.

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909. Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

Please retain this circular and present it at the time of payment.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 34535

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Robt. Pierce* and *3* children. Residence: *Nowata, Okla.*

Reasons: *Claims through the same source as 16205.*

34535

No. 34533.

Name Effie E. Peer

With No. 4581

Remarks:

No. 345-35-

Name. Robt Pierce

With No. 16205-

Remarks:

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Robt. Pierce

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 20, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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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 Pierce
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Kawata
3. County: Northern District
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 34 Born Oct 10, 1873
6. Where were you born? Carl Co. Ark
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Tellie Pierce 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>Myrtle Pierce</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Jan 1, 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Arthur Pierce</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Dec 21, 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Hugh Pierce</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Aug 4, 1904</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Thomas Pierce
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Jocey Pierce
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Jocey Dawson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Thomas Pierce Carl Co. Ark
Mother: Jocey Pierce Carl Co. Ark

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Carl Co. Ark.

Mother: Carl Co. Ark.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 1883.

Mother: May 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: At Ahlayuap, Ind. T.

In 1883. Cherokee Indians.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Callie Pierce</u> <u>Arlon T.</u>		<u>1890.</u>
(2)	<u>William Pierce</u> <u>Arlon T.</u>		<u>1901.</u>
*27681 (3)	<u>Kenneth James Pierce</u> <u>Spavinaw T.</u>	<u>1875.</u>	
30538 (4)	<u>Orna Pierce</u> <u>Arlon T.</u>	<u>1879.</u>	
(5)	<u>Charles Pierce</u> <u>Arlon T.</u>	<u>1883.</u>	<u>1905.</u>
30537 (6)	<u>Effie Pierce</u> <u>Arlon T.</u>	<u>1885.</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>Pierce.</u>	<u>Robert Dawson.</u>
<u>Don't know.</u>	<u>Don't know.</u>

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) _____
- (2) Don't know.
- (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: 7th Census Roll of 1890.
1894 Ed Dawes Commission Census Roll of Keweenaw.

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)

Robert Pierce

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

J. D. Johnson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 23, 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 Charles Heady
and Mack Billingslea, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Robert Pierce
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 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.

Mack Billingslea
Charles Heady

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 23, 1911, 190.

J. D. 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 sworn to before a notary, etc.

No. 34535.

May 12, 1908.

Robert Pierce,
Nowata, Okla.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Do you claim Cherokee blood through both your father and mother?

Where did your grandparents live in 1835? Were they enrolled with the Old Settlers?

Have you been enrolled by the Dawes Commission? If so, give your number and indicate on what roll your name appears.

Were any of your ancestors held as slaves? If so, were they owned by White people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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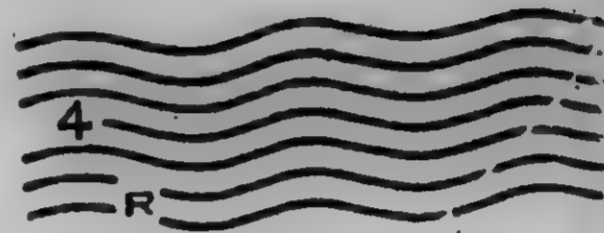
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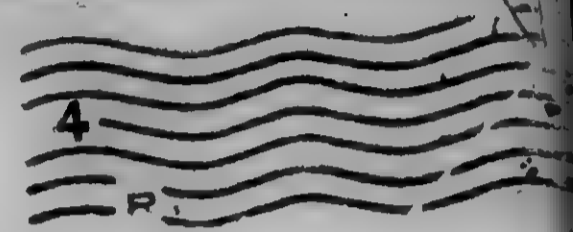
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Application No. 34535/

Robert Pierce,
Nowata, Okla.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that A. S. Marine, one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Nowata, on Tuesday, August 25, 1908, at 10 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 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.

No. 345-36.

Action: Reject.

Name: Marriett McDowell X children. Residence: Aradica, Indiana

Reasons:

Applicants claims through her grand-mother who was a slave.

See letter.

35425

Field: Ind. ?

No. 345-36

Name Marit McDowell

With No.

Remarks:

Reject
slaves

Emancipation not
on rolls

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No. 34536

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Marriett Mc Dowell.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 22, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES Rec. AUG 12 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: Harriet McFowell

Indian name: Raymond

2. Residence and post office: Jackson Township, P.C. Arcadia R. 9. 15.

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 87 Born 1823

6. Where were you born? Burton Co Kentucky

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marion McFowell

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>Bettie Porter</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>1859</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Henry Robertson

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Julia Raymond

Indian name: Raymond

Maiden name: Julia Raymond.

12. Where were they born?

Father: not known

Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Burton Co. Kentucky

Mother: In Burton Co. Kentucky

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Records has been destroyed and

Mother: dates are not known

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)	Joseph Roberson	Birth unknown	dead
	Linnie Henies	"	Living
(2)	Juddie Roberson	"	dead
	Biddie Roberson	"	dead
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

Joseph Roberson

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>Etta Roberson Joseph</u>	<u>Mr. Raymond</u>
<u>Biddie Roberson</u>	<u>Indian Raymond</u>
<u>India names are</u>	<u>Mrs. Raymond</u>
<u>unknown</u>	<u>Indian Raymond,</u>
	<u>Delson County Virginia.</u>

18. Where were they born? Delson County Virginia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Burton Co. Kentucky

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Julia Raymond
- (2) Reside In Kentucky
- (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: My Mother's name was

Julia Raymond; My Father's name was Henry
Roberson. My Great Grandfather on mother's side
was Mr Raymond, given name is unknown.

REMARKS.
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grandfather Mr Raymond 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.

(Signature) Henriette M. Howell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Aug, 1907.

J. J. Bishop Notary Public
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 26th, 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 Samuel V. White

and Emanuel McDonald, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Henriette M. Howell

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

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.

Samuel V. White

Emanuel McDonald

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 26th, 1909.

J. J. Bishop Notary Public
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. MAY 21 1908
No.

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Cardinal May 19 1918

Union Miller,

Washington D.C.

Sir, relative to my
claim as a descendant of
the Eastern Cherokee tribe
I will state that my
grand mother lived with
the Cherokee Indians and
was recognized as their
slave. I do not know
why my parents were
not included. I do not
know much about
my mother's
ancestry.
Yours Respectfully
Harold H. Proffitt

No. 34536.

May 12, 1908.

Harriott McDowell,
Arcadia, Indiana. R.F.D. 15.

Madam:-

Relative to your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund, kindly advise this office whether or not you were held as a slave? If so, were you owned by White people or Indians?

Why were you not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851?

Why were your parents never enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees?

Did you, or your parents, ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as a recognized member of the tribe?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HWK/AIL

No. 34537

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Laura Bowden* and *X* children. Residence: *Manson, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and claims this same source.

No. 34537-34540

Name

With No. 34359

Remarks:

Wm. A. ...
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No. 34537

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Laura Bowden
OF
Laura Bowden

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. AUG 16 1907
No.

34537

**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— Lurey Bowden
 English name: Bowden
 Indian name: Leabb
2. Residence and post office: Mandan Texas
3. County: Fustess
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 24 Born 1882
6. Where were you born? Fustess County Tex
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? Cherokees
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: has 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: G B.
Bowden both Clementis Bowden nee Smith
 Father—English name: Bowden
 Indian name: none
 Mother—English name: Smith
 Indian name: Leabb
 Maiden name: Bowden

12. Where were they born?
 Father: Fustess County Texas
 Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Spitwell County Tenn

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Bath 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>Stelly Bowden</u>	<u>1882</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u>Charley</u>	<u>1884</u>	<u>---</u>
(2)	<u>Missie</u>	<u>1891</u>	<u>---</u>
	<u>Laura</u>	<u>1892</u>	<u>---</u>
(3)	<u>Ada</u>	<u>1893</u>	<u>---</u>
	<u>Raman</u>	<u>1903</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

Jubara Bowden Farris Smith McCobb

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) I curist for them
- (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: 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 grand mother on the Smith side was a daughter of Jesse Leath who was a son of Farris Cobb Nee Francis Cobb who was a Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Laura Bowden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Evans
Notary Public.

My commission expires 16th April, 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. W. Bowden
and M. B. Stephens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Laura Bowden
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and her 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.

E. W. Bowden
M. B. Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires 16th April, 1910. J. W. Evans
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. OCT 15 1909

No. 34537

Manson, Tenn.
Oct. 11, 1909.

Mr. Guion Miller

Dear Sir

I will drop you a
few lines as I didnt
get to send up my
affidavit when the
rest did so I will
send you my name
and age and number
Emma Bardus was
born January 12th
1883 No 34537 If
you can help me
if you please if
I am entitle to any
share if you will
help me.

I will pay you
for your trouble
I will send you
my mother's name
and my sister's name
Lillian -
Borden -
Yours as ever
Laura Borden

No. 34538

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Clementine Bowden* and *6* children. Residence: *Manson, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and claims the same source.

34538

No. 34538

Name *Clinton Borden*

With No. 21063

Remarks:

Ex Libris

No. 34538

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Salmon P. Rowden

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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 AUG 13 1907 No

34538

**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— Blumentine Barnden Kie Smith
 English name: Smith
 Indian name: Leabb
2. Residence and post office: Mansun
3. County: Fentress County
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 45 Born 1864
6. Where were you born? Fentress County Tennessee
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Granville Barnden
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>Lony Barnden</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>1882</u>
(2)	<u>Stelly</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>1884</u>
(3)	<u>Charley</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>1888</u>
(4)	<u>Mina</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1895</u>
(5)	<u>Lusa</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1892</u>
(6)	<u>Albert</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1898</u>
	<u>Ed</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1900</u>
	<u>Raman</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Daniel Leabb was my mother's name

Father—English name: Smith
 Indian name: nan

Mother—English name: Stephens
 Indian name: Leabb
 Maiden name: Leabb

12. Where were they born?

Father: Fentress County Tennessee
 Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Franklin County Tennessee

Mother: Franklin County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dead. In 1862

Mother: 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: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Asa Smith</u>	<u>1845</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Jane</u>	<u>1848</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(3)	<u>Deborah</u>	<u>1857</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Shark</u>	<u>1853</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(5)	<u>Rebecca</u>	<u>1865</u>	<u>Dead</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>Richard Smith</u>	<u>Jesse Cobb</u>

18. Where were they born? Jesse Cobb was born at Franklin Co. Ala.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Franklin County Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Huldry Cobb</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Jesse Cobb</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Faura</u>		<u>Sally</u>	
(3)	<u>Deborah</u>		<u>Elizabeth</u>	
(4)	<u>Samuel</u>		<u>Jesse</u>	
(5)	<u>Thomas</u>		<u>Polly</u>	
(6)	<u>Jubru</u>		<u>Still living at Rife</u>	<u>Key</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 grandfather was Jesse Leahl a son of Harris Leahl. My father was Harris Coker who was a Cheerokee

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) Clementine Bowden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Evans
Notary Public.

My commission expires

16 April, 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. W. Bowden
and M. B. Stephens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Clementine Bowden who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. W. Bowden

M. B. Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

16th April, 1910

J. W. Evans
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 20 1908
No. 34538

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MAR 24 1908

Manson, Tenn,

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Hon. Guion Miller
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

We had a Eastern
Cherokee Claim filed
by J. W. Evans and
it seems like he
has kindly give it
over to R. Mc. Ginnis
who want 20% for
his work.

He are the Cobb
heirs.

We want to see

What is best for
us to do also if
we need any agt.
I have filed for
6 children under
age. My no is 34538

Clementine Bowden

My no is 34537
Laura Bowden

My no is 36664
Stellie C. Bowden
Please write and tell us
at once in regard to the
mutar

No. 34539

Action: *Repetid.*

Name *Mary E. Bowden* and *5* children. Residence: *Boatland, Tenn.*

Reasons:

2nd. Cousin of # 21063

1st Cousin once removed of # 34538

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No. 54539

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wm E Bawden

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906

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DEPT. OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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W. E. B.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Franklin County Tennessee

Mother: Franklin County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: Died 1887

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>Mortha Washington</u> <u>Ku. Smith</u>	<u>1870</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>D.D. Smith</u>	<u>1872</u>	<u>.....</u>
(3)	<u>James Smith</u>	<u>1875</u>	<u>.....</u>
(4)	<u>Garfield</u>	<u>1878</u>	<u>.....</u>
(5)	<u>Granville</u>	<u>1881</u>	<u>.....</u>
(6)	<u>Wige Smith</u> <u>Sherman</u>	<u>1884</u> <u>1887</u>	<u>.....</u> <u>.....</u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Franklin County Tenn.</u>	<u>name</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Franklin County Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Franklin County Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Elizabeth Lebb</u>	<u>Franklin County Tenn.</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>William Lebb</u>	<u>Franklin County Tenn.</u>	<u>.....</u>
(3)	<u>Fannie</u>	<u>Franklin County Tenn.</u>	<u>.....</u>
(4)	<u>Dahurab</u>	<u>Franklin County Tenn.</u>	<u>.....</u>
(5)	<u>Thomas</u>	<u>Franklin County Tenn.</u>	<u>Still Living</u>
(6)	<u>John</u>	<u>Franklin County Tenn.</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: 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 Grate Grandfather Jesse Lecht Was a Son of Famine Lecht The Famine Coker

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 + Bowden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of July, 1907.

J. W. Evans Notary Public.

My commission expires 16th April, 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. W. Bowden and M. B. Stephens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Bowden who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. W. Bowden
M. B. Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires 16 April, 1910. J. W. Evans 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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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 7 1907
No.

Boatland Tenn
Sept 3d. 1907

Mr Miller

The exact date of the
birth of Fred Bowden
is March the 15th 1906

Mary E. Bowden

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAY 16 1908
No.

No. 34539.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. May 6, 1908.

Mary E. Bowden,
Boatland, Tenn.

Madam:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the
birth of Fred Bowden, giving day, month and year. If any
of your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,

John Miller,

Special Commissioner.

AIL

Boatland Tenn May 12th 1908

*The date of the birth of Fred Bowden is
Mch 15th 1906. My children are all
living Mary E. Bowden*

*Do you need anymore proof in my case
or is it all rite*

App. No. 34539.

August 30, 1907.

Mary E. Bowden,
Boatland, Tennessee.

Madam:

Please inform this Office at once as to the exact date of
the birth of your child, Fred Bowden/

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

No. 34540

Action: *Rejected.*

Name *Martha Wingham* and *2* children. Residence: *Starpoint, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and claims this. same source.

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No. 34540

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wortha Warrington

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 12 1906 and May 29 1906

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. AUG 16 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— Martha Wingham ^{nee Smith}
 English name: Martha Smith
 Indian name: leabb
2. Residence and post office: Star Point
3. County: Pickett
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 36 Born 1870
6. Where were you born? Fentress County Tenn
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Geo. Wingham
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>Johnny F.</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1892</u>
(2)	<u>Wm Buckley</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Asa
Smith my mother was Edullis King
- Father—English name: Smith
 Indian name: leabb
- Mother—English name: King
 Indian name: Warr
 Maiden name: King

12. Where were they born?
- Father: Fentress County Tenn.
- Mother: _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 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: My great grandfather
Cobb was a son of Francis Cobb
Neé Francis Coker

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)

Martha Wingham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

J. W. Evans
Notary Public.

My commission expires

16 April, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. W. Barden
and M. B. Stephens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Martha Wingham
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. W. Barden

M. B. Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

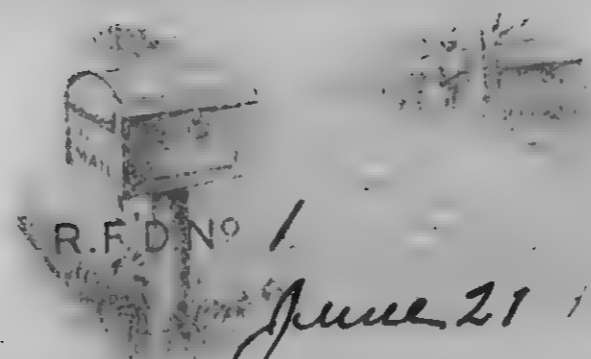
My commission expires

16th April, 1907.

J. W. Evans
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. JUN 25 1909
No. 345-40



June 21 1909

Byrdstown, Tenn.

Dear Sir I received a letter from you stating that my claim No. 34540 for participation in favor of the Eastern Cherokees had been rejected but there might be a possibility of working it in. So if you will furnish me with the required questions or send me blank questions or let me know just what proof that will be required to work my claim in it will be a great favor to me as I think I can furnish you with all necessary proof



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in regard to my claim
hoping that this will
be accepted and expecting
to hear from you at
once I remain as ever
yours Truly
Martha Hinnebaugh

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. OCT 30 1948

No. 345-40

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21063

18th Dec 1840

Dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in relation to the Court of Sessions in the County of East Lothian, and to inform you that I have been directed to enquire into the facts stated in your letter, and to report the result thereof to the Court.

No. 3-540

Proof of ...
Whether ...
be necessary for
me to ...
the ...
would ...
regard ...
the ...

No. 34541

Action: Reject

Name Jefferson Dishman and X children. Residence: Forbus, Tenn.

Reasons:

Uncle of #34331

34541

No. 34541

Name *[illegible]*

With No. 34331

Remarks:

No. 34541

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Jefferson Dishmon,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Albany

*F. A. Tabor, atty.
Albany, Ky.*

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: Jefferson Bishman
Indian name: name Bishman

2. Residence and post office: Hobers

3. County: Fentress

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 77 Born July 17, 1830

6. Where were you born? Fentress County Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Age 77 1828

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)	<u>Kalarenda H.</u>		
(2)	<u>Archa</u>	<u>47</u>	
(3)	<u>John</u>	<u>44</u>	
(4)	<u>Arvilda</u>		<u>Dec</u>
(5)	<u>Calvin</u>	<u>3-8</u>	
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Arch Bishman
Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Jennie
Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Cooper

12. Where were they born?

Father: in North Carolina

Mother: Fentress County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress County Tennessee

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 22 1879

Mother: July 4 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: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ambros</u>		<u>See</u>
(2)	<u>Nancy Beazer</u> <u>not known</u>		
(3)	<u>Mildie Branch</u>		<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Jane McChurch</u> <u>Horner Tenn</u>		
(5)	<u>Calvin</u> <u>Travisville Tenn</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>Jepson Dishman</u>	
<u>Mabbie</u>	

18. Where were they born? Grand father in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? See

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Joseph Dishman</u>	<u>See</u>
(2)	<u>Archa</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Milnes</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Thos</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Arde</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Woodub</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Mary Ramsey</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Sinle Brown</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Melly</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: 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 always heard from

my Parents that my Grandfather's
father was an Eastern Cherokee whose
wife was Kappa Dehman

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Francis A. Tabor of Albany
by M. Trew & Sampson Attorneys to
prosecute this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Jefferson Dishman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July, 1907.

M. F. Buck
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 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 Albert Rich
and Emmanuel Hatfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Jefferson Dishman
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 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.

Albert Rich
Emmanuel Hatfield
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1910, 190 M. F. Buck
Notary Public.

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Eastern Cherokee
Enrollment
Jefferson
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No 34541

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of
Gid Roman

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAR 15 1909
No.

G. H. Baker
Attorney

State of Kentucky.

County of Wayne.

In the matter of the Eastern Cherokee Indian enrollment to participate in the funds arising from the judgement of the Court of Claims and in favor of the descendants of Fizzie Dishman personally came before me the undersigned authority Sam Abbott. Who being duly sworn in relation to same makes the following statements viz. I am 78 years of age I was born and raised in Wayne County, Kentucky, my Post Office address is Slickford Wayne County Ky. I was personally acquainted with Fizzie Dishman, have heard her say many times that she was an Eastern Cherokee Indian of full blood she came to Wayne, County Kentucky, some where about 1840 she came from the Eastern Cherokee tribe in North Carolina, she is stated and that was generally understood by the neighbors that she belonged to the North Carolina tribe and was a full blooded Cherokee Indian she

possessed all the traits habits
and fashions in dress actions
and deeds of an Indian she was
of a dark yellow complexion
small in stature with straight
black hair and dark Black
Eyes from for which reasons
I can state from personal
knowledge that she was an East-
ern Cherokee Indian I was
also well and intimately acquaint-
ed with her son Jefferson
Dishman who was the father of
Archibald and Joel Dishman
they were light complected of their
mother ^{and her name is} Figgie Dishman though
not quite so black they possessed
the same traits and habits and
were great hunters they boasted of
their Cherokee and Indian blood
I have hunted with them they
were only recognized as Eastern
Cherokee Indians from their
spring the various Dishman
families of this section of
Kentucky and the adjoining
counties in Tennessee he
states that these facts are

from personal knowledge derived
from personal intimacy and
being acquainted with many
families of the Eastern Caro-
-kee Indians and being able
to tell them from those of other
tribes that I have no personal
nor financial interest in
this matter

attest

J. E. Wood,
T. B. Crouch,

x Sam^l Abbott
marks

Sworn to and subscribed before
me on this 15 day of March 1909
by Sam Abbott, whom I certify
to be well known to me to be
respectable and fully entitled to
credit and that the contents of
the foregoing affidavit was
fully read and understood
by him before swearing or
signing same I am dis-
interested in this matter

Official Seal
you Phillis
notary Republic

Proof of
assertion

Kizzie Dishman

Arch Dishman

Et

M. W. Church

Filed by
for Taber atty
at large



State of Tennessee } ss.
County of Fentress }

In the matter of the Enrolment of
the Eastern Cherokees, the decendants
of Nizzie Dishmon, by blood of
Eastern Cherokee descent, to secure
such shares as may be due her
decendants, arising from the
decrees of the U.S. Court of Claims
of May 18-1905 and May 28-1906, in
favor of said Eastern Cherokee.

Personally came before
me a Notary Public within and
for the County and State aforesaid
T. H. Upchurch, age 76yo, a
resident Traviville, Pickett County
Tennessee, being by me duly sworn
on oath states, that he was
acquainted with Nizzie Dishmon
and her decendants, have known
them for about 60 years. Nizzie Dishmon
was, dark or Copperas Colord, tall and
rather bony. Archie Dishmon a grand
son of Nizzie Dishmon claimed to
be a Cherokee Indian. Archie Dishmon
was a dark or Copperas Colord.
The said Nizzie Dishmon and her
decendants, have lived in the

States of Tennessee and Kentucky and
never affiliated with any other
tribe of Indians. and that my
understanding they all came from
North Carolina.

I have no interest in
the prosecution of this Claim.
J. W. Church

Sworn to and Subscribed before me
on this 6th day of August 1907. I
Certify that the above Witness is
well known to me to be respectable
and entitled to Credit and that the
contents of the foregoing Affidavit
was fully read over and understood
by Affiant before executing same
and that I have no interest in
the prosecution of these Claims

M. F. Buck.

Notary Public.

Proof of Arrest

or

Kingie Dishman

Arch. Dishman

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W. W. ...

Filed by

W. W. ...

Albany

Ky

State of Tennessee } S.S.
County of Fentress }

In the matter of the Enrollment
of the Eastern Cherokees the
desendance of Kizzie Bish-
man by blood of Eastern
Cherokee descent - to secure
such shares as may be due
her desendance arising from
the Decree of the said Court
of May 19th 1905 and May 29th
1906 in favor of said Eastern
Cherokees Personally came

before me a Notary Republic
within and for the County
and State aforesaid George
W. Branch Age 74 years
resident of Travis Hill Ten-
nessy by me duly sworn
on oath states that he was
acquainted with Kizzie Bish-
man and her desendance
for about 64 years and that
that they claimed to be of a
Cherokee descent - Kizzie Bishman
was tall and slender dark skinned
rather a Cypres collar she had

Complexion and appearance
of an Indian man Sam
Jefferson Dishman was of
yellow complexion affixed
further swears that the general
Kanner has always been that
they wear Eastern Cherokees
and that they came here from
N. C. to Fentress County Tenn
and them and their dependance
have lived Principally in Tenn
and by and never affiliated
with any tribe of Indians
I have no Interest in the
Prosecution of these Claims
George W. Crouch

Sworn to and subscribed
before me on this 6th day of
Aug. 1907 by the above named
witness whom I Certify to
be respectable and entitled
to Credit and that he read
the contents of the foregoing
affidavit before executing
Same I have no interest in
the Prosecution of this Claim
M. F. Buck.
Notary Public.

Proof of Amos
Jes.
Higgie Dishman
Arch Dishman
Ed

J. A. M. Church

Ed

W. A. Tabornally

Albany

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State of Tennessee } S.D.
County of Henderson }

In The matter of the Enrollment
of the Eastern Cherokees The
descendants of Kizgie Bishman
man by blood of Eastern Chero-
kee descentance to secure such
Shares as may be due them
arising from the Decree of the
U. S. Court of Claims of May 18
1905 and May 28th 1906 in
favor of said Eastern Cherokees
personally came before me
a Notary Public within and
for the County and State aforesaid
said Sarah A. Bishman
Age 70 years resident of Trav-
isville Pickett County Tenn
being by me duly sworn
On oath states that she
was well acquainted with
Arch. Bishman a grant
son of Kizgie Bishman
and have often heard him
say that he had Indian Blood
in him that he was an
Eastern Cherokee & said
that he was proud of his
Indian Blood his complete

ion Dark wore long straight
Black hair - and I led
them self the yellow man
and that the Dishman have
lived here from my earliest
Recollection I have no interest
In These Claims

Sarah A. ^{her} ~~X~~ _{mark} Upchurch

attest { 1 A. H. Crouch
2 J. E. Crouch

Sworn to and subscribed to before me
on this 6th day of August 1907.
I Certify that the above Witness is well
known to me to be respectable and
entitled to credit and that contents
of the foregoing affidavit was
fully read over and understood
by affiant before executing same
and that I have no interest in
the prosecution of these Claims

M. F. Buck

Notary Public

State of Tennessee }
County of Kentuck }
In the Matter of the estate
of the decedent of

Kizzie Dickman
Blood an Eastern Cherokee
to secure such Shares as may
be due there disbursement of
the Money arising from the
Decree of the U.S. Court of Claims
made of May 18, 1905 and May
29th 1906 in favor of the said
Eastern Cherokee personally
came before me a Notary public
do within and for the County
and State above said

Burrell Redman Age years
a resident of Travisville Tenn
being by me duly sworn on
Oath states that he is and has
been well acquainted with

Kizzie Dickman and her
children and grand Children and
great grand Children for
over 50 years Kizzie Dickman
-man was tall and bony her
Complexion was Dark or rather
a Coppered Color. I was told
by her People that They they was

Proof of Ambed-
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Filed by

H. A. Tabor et al

Attorney

H. A.

State of Tennessee 3rd
County of Hancock

In the Matter of the estate
of the decedent of
Kizzie Dishman
Abund an Eastern Cherokee
to secure such Shares as may
be due there disbursement of
the Money arising from the
Decree of the U.S. Court of Claims
made of May 18, 1905 and May
28th 1916 in favor of the said
Eastern Cherokee personally
Came before me a Notary public
do within and for the County
and State of Tennessee
Burrell Redman Age years
a resident of Travisville Tenn
being by me duly sworn on
Oath states that he is and has
been well acquainted with

Kizzie Dishman and her
children and grand Children and
great grand Children for
over 50 years Kizzie Dishman
was tall and bony her
complexion was Dark or rather
a Copper color. I was told
by her People that They they was

of a Cherokee or Indian
descent and had Indian blood
in them I further on a large
circle of her descendants living
I know and by know and
raised hear and that her descen-
dants have never affiliated
with any other Tribe of
Indians but have lived here
as citizens of Tennessee and
Kentucky

attest

J. E. Crouch

B. Bennett ^{his} Redman
mark

L. A. F. Crouch

I swear to and subscribed before
me on this 6th day of August
1907 I certify that the above
contents is well known to me
to be respectable and entitled
to credit and that the contents
of the foregoing Affidavit
was fully read over and under-
stood by Affiant before execut-
ing same and that I have
no interest in the prosecution
of these claims

M. H. Buck

Notary Public

No. 34542.

Action: *Wyle ch.*

Name *Wm. J. Hutchison* and *7* children. Residence: *Bentonville Ark.*

Reasons:

First cousin of Jos. L. Hutchison appl. no. 31644

& claims thro same source

No. 34542-55

Name

With No. 31644

Remarks:

Wm J Hutcherson
Raney J. "
Sched J. Goff
Myrtle L. Reed
Del Roy Hutcherson
Sarah E. Mahurin
Charley O. "
Abie H. Morris
Jesse S. Morris
Mary J. Morris
Geo H. Hutcherson
Wm. J. "
" " "
" " "
Jas. S. "

No. 34542

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wm J Hutcherson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

CLERK OF COURT
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec AUG 16 1907
No.

34542

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: William T. Hutcherson

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Bentonville

3. County: Benton

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 46

Born July 12th 1861

6. Where were you born? Berry Co. Mo

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Hutcherson

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ethel E. Hutcherson</u>	<u>25 yrs</u>	<u># 34544</u>
(2)	<u>Mattie L. Hutcherson</u>	<u>23 "</u>	<u># 34545</u>
(3)	<u>Nancy G. Hutcherson</u>	<u>21 "</u>	<u># 34543</u>
(4)	<u>Charles W. Hutcherson</u>	<u>19 "</u>	
(5)	<u>Jessie K. Hutcherson</u>	<u>16 "</u>	
(6)	<u>William W. Hutcherson</u>	<u>14 "</u>	

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

William P. Hutcherson, Nancy Sneed

Father—English name: William P. Hutcherson born

Indian name: Jan 12th 1838

Mother—English name: Nancy Sneed born

Indian name: Jan 11th 1846-

Maiden name: Nancy Sneed

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Missouri

All names of Hutchersons
 (Nancy E. Hutcherson 6 yrs
 Hutcherson 2 yrs
 Hutcherson 2 yrs)

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: ~~_____~~ 72 77 77

Mother: Musovvi

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: in 1864

Mother: 1864

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 do not know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sarah Mahman</u>	<u>age 1808</u>	
	<u>nee Hutchins</u>		
(2)	<u>W. T. Hutchins</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 Rago dala Hutchins</u>	<u>T. P. Sneed</u>
<u>Leda Hutchins</u>	<u>Francis M Sneed</u>
<u>nee Wade</u>	

18. Where were they born? Texas

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Texas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>William P. Hutchins</u>	<u>Lee Hutchins</u>
(2)	<u>Wm. Hutchins</u>	<u>Forn Hutchins</u>
(3)	<u>James "</u>	<u>Matthew Ford</u>
(4)	<u>Sarah Wynn</u>	<u>T. P. Sneed</u>
(5)	<u>Elyah Oaker</u>	<u>Francis M Sneed</u>
(6)	<u>Jane Hubbard</u>	<u>William Sneed</u>
		<u>Harriet Sneed</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: William Ragsdale
Hutchison, son of Jesse Hutchison
who married Thomas Mitchell daughter

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Thomas Mitchell was my
grandfather and he was
one of the Eastern Cherokee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness to mark
W. A. Dickson

(Signature)

William J. Hutchison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

W. A. Dickson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 2, 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 Geo. H. Jefferson
and J. Jefferson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with William J. Hutchison
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and
30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. H. Jefferson
J. Jefferson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 2, 1911. W. A. Dickson
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. 34543.

Action: Reject

Name Wm. J. Hutchison and X children. Residence: Bentonville Ark.

Reasons:

Great grandson of Jos. L. Hutchison apl. no. 31644; & El aims

thru same source.

34543

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Nancy J. Hutcheson.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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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: Nancy Jane Hutchison

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Beumontville

3. County: Bevilan

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 21 Born 1885

6. Where were you born? 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? 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: William J Hutchison

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Sarah Hutchison

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Butler

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mo

Mother: Mo

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: not dead

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)	Lehel Edna Goff	1881	
	Jenny P. Hutcherson	1899	
(2)	Myrtle Lehel	1883	
(3)	Chas W Hutcherson	1888	
	Edum J " "	1905	
(4)	Jessie M " "	1891	
(5)	Herbert R " "	1902	
(6)	William W " "	1893	
	Clarence E " "	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.
<u>William P Hutcherson</u>	
<u>Mary Hutcherson</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) William J Hutcherson
- (2) Sarah E " "
- (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:

my father was William J Hutcherson
his father was William P Hutcherson and his father was William
Rogsdale Hutcherson and his father was Jesse
Hutcherson whose mother was a daughter of Thomas Mitchell a
1/4 blood Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Nancy Jane Hutcherson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

W A Dickson

Notary Public.

My commission expires

_____ 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 S L Williams
and F W Reel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Nancy Jane Hutcherson
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and
8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

F W Reel
S L Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

1/2

_____ 1907.

W A Dickson

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. 34544

Action: *Reject*

Name *Ethel G. Soff* and *3* children. Residence: *Bentonville Ark.*

Reasons:

*Great grand daughter of Gov. L. Hutcherson apl. no. 31644
Declines this same amount*

34544

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Ethel E. Goff

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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.
AUG 16 1907

34544

**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: Ethel Edna Goff
Indian name: none
2. Residence and post office: Bentonville
3. County: Benton
4. State: Arkansas
5. How old are you? 26 Born 1881 - March
6. Where were you born? Baryls Mo.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert Goff - 26 yrs old
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? He belongs to none
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>Charles Goff</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Jan 21 1902</u>
(2)	<u>Elsie Goff</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1905</u>
(3)	<u>Hazel M Goff</u>	<u>9 months</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William T Hutcherson
Indian name: none
Mother—English name: Sarah Hutcherson
Indian name: none
Maiden name: Sarah Butler

12. Where were they born?

Father: MO
Mother: MO

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: not dead

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)	Mortimer Red	1883	
(2)	Nancy Hutcherson	1885	
(3)	Chas W	1888	
	Edwin J	1905	
(4)	James M	1891	
	Hubert R	1862	
(5)	William Worth	1893	
(6)	Clarence E	1898	
	James P	1899	

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 Porter Hutcherson</u>	
<u>Nancy Hutcherson</u>	

18. Where were they born? Tenn. + Mo.

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) William J Hutcherson
- (2) Sarah E. Mahum
- (3) one Hutcherson
- (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: my father was William H. Hesterson

his father was William P. Hesterson his father was William Rogdale Hesterson and his father was Jesse Hesterson whose mother was a daughter of Thomas Mitchell a 1/4 blood Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ethel Edna Goff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

W. A. Anderson
Notary Public.

My commission expires 1/2, 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 J. H. Peep
and J. L. Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ethel Edna Goff 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.

J. H. Peep
J. L. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires 1/2, 1911.

W. A. Anderson
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. 34545

Action: *Reject*

Name *Myrtle L. Red* and *2* children. Residence: *Bentonville, Ark*

Reasons:

*Great grand daughter of Jos. L. Hutcheson apl. no. 31644, and
Claims thro same source.*

34545

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Myrtle L. Red

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. AUG 13 1907

34545

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

Six:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the 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— Myrtle Lee Red, nee
 English name: Hutchinson
~~Indian name:~~ none
2. Residence and post office: Bentonville
3. County: Benton
4. State: Arkansas
5. How old are you? 23 yrs Born Aug 19 - 1882
6. Where were you born? near Newton Co Mo
7. Are you married? yes, to Charley Red
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charley Red
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>Clays May Red</u>	<u>2 yrs</u>	<u>Oct 28 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Harry J Red</u>	<u>5 mos</u>	<u>Mar 26 1907</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

William Thomas Hutchinson
 Father—English name: William Thomas Hutchinson
 Indian name: _____
 Mother—English name: Sarah L Hutchinson
 Indian name: _____
 Maiden name: Sarah L, Butler

12. Where were they born?

Father: Berry Co Mo
 Mother: Berry 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: Still living Bentonville Ark

Mother: Still living at Bentonville Ark

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

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Edna Hoff ne Hutchison	26 yr	
(2)	Ethel E. Hutchison		
(3)	Minnie Hutchison Charley W Hutchison		
(4)	Jessie M. Hutchison William W Hutchison		
(5)			
(6)			

*Edna E. Hutchison
Minnie E. Hutchison
Jessie M. Hutchison
William W. Hutchison*

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 Peter Hutchison</u>	
<u>Jacob L. Hutchison</u>	
<u>William Raydale Hutchison</u>	
<u>Ligea Wagon Hutchison</u>	

18. Where were they born? Father in Tenn and Grandparents in Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand Parent living in Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Ligea Mahan
- (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: My father's father was William Porter Hulseman his father was William Rowden Hulseman who was son of James Hulseman.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am certain that my great grand mother was daughter of Thomas Mitchell who was 1/4 Chinook Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Maryth Lee Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

W A Dickson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 2 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 S Dwyer

and C M Rice, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Maryth Lee Reed

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 16 years and

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person subscribed 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 S Dwyer
C M Rice

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

1/2, 1911 W A Dickson
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. 34546.

Action: *-Warrant*

Name *Lee Roy Hutchison* and *2* children. Residence: *Reutonville Ark.*

Reasons:

Heplers of Jos. L. Hutchison spl. no. 31644 and claims

thru same source.

No. ~~34540~~

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lee Roy Hutcheon,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

4-524

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. AUG 1 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— Lee Roy Hutcherson
English name: Lee Roy Hutcherson
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Bentonville
Benton
3. County: Arkansas
4. State: _____
5. How old are you? 31 Born _____
6. Where were you born? Benton Co Ark
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Myrtle Ellen Hutcherson
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>Clarence Hutcherson</u>	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Benton Hutcherson</u>	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: James G. Hutcherson
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Eliza Gaine Hutcherson
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Eliza Gaine Rogers

12. Where were they born?

Father: 72 11 11
Mother: i. Dent No

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tes 11

Mother: i Ben No

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: still 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)	William Hutchison		
	Arka Morris		
(2)	Arvid Foreman		
	Ben Hutchison		
(3)	Mary T. Mason		
	Ben Hutchison		
(4)	Edna Orison		
	Ben Hutchison		
(5)	George Hutchison		
(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 Rugdale Hutchison	
Lyda Wathe Hutchison	

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, residence, if possible:

(1)	James Hutchison	Bentonville Ark
(2)	Arka Hutchison	"
(3)	Elyphtha Ours	"
(4)	John Hubbard	"
(5)	J. M. Ours	"
(6)	Sam. F. Hutchison	"

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 Rogdon Hutchison, James Hutchison

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Thomas Hutchison, my grand
father, was a
Shoshone Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lee Roy Hutchison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

13 day of Aug 1907.

W. A. Jackson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 2, 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. S. Floyd

and

W. D. Mather

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Lee Roy Hutchison

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 him represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Floyd
W. D. Mather

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 2, 1908.

W. A. Jackson
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.

App. No. 24546.

August 30, 1907.

Lee Roy Hutcheson,
Bentonville, Arkansas.

Sir:

Please inform this Office, at once, the exact dates of the
births of your children.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

DEPT OF COMMERCE
EASTERN CHEROKEES

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No. 34546

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

August 30, 1907.

App. No. 34546.

Lee Roy Hutcheson,
Bentonville, Arkansas.

Sir:

Please inform this Office, at once, the exact dates of the
births of your children.

Very respectfully,

Gunn Miller
Special Commissioner.
per file.

WEA

Dear Sir;

The name and age of
my children are as follows

Clara Hutcheson - age 6 yrs Born - Dec 3 - 1900

Preston Hutcheson age 2 yrs Born April, 23 - 1905

Yours Respectfully

Lee Roy Hutcheson

App # 345-46

No. 34547.

Action: *Wage et.*

Name *Sarah E. Mahurin* and *2* children. Residence: *Bentonville, Ark.*

Reasons:

Wife of Geo. L. Hutcherson apl. no. 31644 and claims

thru same source.

No. 34547

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah E. Mahurin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 16, 1905 and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
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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: Sarah E. Mathurin
Indian name: Hutchins

2. Residence and post office: Bentonville

3. County: Benton

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 44 yrs Born 1863

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? Was married but my husband is dead

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>Charles Mathurin</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1885</u>
(2)	<u>Walter</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1888</u>
(3)	<u>Lafayette</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1891</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

William Porter Hutchins, Nancy H. Hutchins

Father—English name: William Porter Hutchins

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy H. Hutchins

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy H. Smith

12. Where were they born?

Father: June 13th 1822

Mother: June 14th 1844

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Terrell

Mother: Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1869

Mother: 1864

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

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16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William T Hutchison	age 44	
(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
	William Rags Old Hutchison	
	Ladda Wade Hutchison	
	Jesse Hutchison	

18. Where were they born? Texas

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Texas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William P. Hutchison	Terrell
(2)	Nancy	Terrell
(3)	West, F. Hutchison	Jane Hutchison
(4)	Gene	North
(5)	John	"
(6)	Tom	"

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 Raydun
Hutchinson, Son of John Hutchinson
Who is a Daughter of Thomas Mitchell

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Thomas Mitchell was
mother of the claimant, and I am satisfied
that he was made as a
check.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness: W. A. Jackson

(Signature)

Sarah E. Mahurin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

W. A. Jackson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 2, 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 Geo. H. Jefferson

and J. J. Jefferson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah E. Mahurin

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.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

1/2, 1911.

W. A. Jackson
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. 34548.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Charley O. Mahurin* and *1* children.

Residence: *Bentonville, Ark.*

Reasons:

*Grand nephew of Jos. L. Hutcheson, apl. no. 31644.
Claims thro same source.*

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Chorey O Mahurin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 23 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: Charley O. Mahum
Indian name: none
2. Residence and post office: Monticello
3. County: Benton
4. State: Arkansas
5. How old are you? 22 Born July 24" 1885
6. Where were you born? Benton Ark
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lon Mahum 23
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>Serene Mahum</u>	<u>1 yr</u>	<u>Aug 10" 1906</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Martin Mahum - Sarah E. Hutcheson

Father—English name: Martin Mahum

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Sarah E. Hutcheson Mahum

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Sarah E. Hutcheson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Indiana

Mother: Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Paul G. Mahum
Mother: Rebecca Mahum

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept 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)	John Mahum	1887	living
(2)	Lafayette Mahum	1892	Do
(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 Mahum	William Porter Hutchison
No Indian Name	No Indian Name

18. Where were they born? Indiana - Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Missouri Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William J. Hutchison	Child of W.P. Hutchison
(2)	Sarah E. Mahum	Do
(3)	W. J. Hutchison	Do
(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 a descendant of William Rossdale Hutchison a descendant of Thomas Mitchell, a Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I refer to claim of Melissa Rossdale Hutchison for further facts

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Charles O. Mahurin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

W. A. Dickson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 2, 1911

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavits must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. M. Batis

and F. F. Floyd, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charles O. Mahurin who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. M. Batis

F. F. Floyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

1/2, 1911

W. A. Dickson
Notary Public.

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No. 34549

Action: Rejects

Name: Akie H. Morris and 6 children. Residence: Bentonville, Ark.

Reasons:

Nephew of Jas. L. Hutcheson apl. no. 31644 & claimed

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wm. H. Morris

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 13 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ousey 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: Akia Henry Morris, nee Hutchison
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Bentonville
Benton
3. County: _____
4. State: Arkansas
5. How old are you? 37 yrs Born July 13 - 1870
6. Where were you born? Bentonville Ark.
7. Are you married? Yes to John B. Morris
8. Name and age of wife or husband: John B. Morris
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>Eva Morris</u>	<u>19 yrs</u>	<u>Aug 4 - 1888</u>
(2)	<u>James Morris</u>	<u>17 "</u>	<u>Aug 19, 1890</u>
(3)	<u>Frank Morris</u>	<u>14 "</u>	<u>May 8 - 1893</u>
(4)	<u>Ruth Morris</u>	<u>10 "</u>	<u>Sept 4 - 1896</u>
(5)	<u>Arla Morris</u>	<u>7 "</u>	<u>Sept 27 - 1900</u>
(6)	<u>Annie May</u>	<u>4 "</u>	<u>July 11 - 1903</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Jama Hutchison, Eliza Jane Hutchison
Father—English name: Jama Esen Hutchison
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Eliza Jane Hutchison
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Eliza Jane Rogens

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.
Mother: Bany Co Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Berry Co Missouri

Mother: Berry Co Missouri

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:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William James Hutchison	Oct 12 th 1866	
(2)	Lee Roy Hutchison		
(3)	George Warner Hutchison		
(4)	Ada Tongue ne Hutchison		
(5)	Mary Morris ne Hutchison		
(6)	Edna Vernon ne Hutchison		

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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
William Ross	
John Wood	
William Ross Hutchison	
Sarah Hutchison	

18. Where were they born? Texas

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jane Inman Hutchison	Elyabeth Oaks
(2)	William Porter Hutchison	Jane Hubbard
(3)	John Wesley Hutchison	Mentha Ford
(4)	Lee Roy Hutchison	Children of
(5)	Thomas Hutchison	William Ross
(6)	Sarah Vernon	Hutchison

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 was James Irwin Hutchens
His father was William Ronald Hutchens & his Jessie " "
whose mother Sarah Mitchell was daughter of Thomas
Mitchell 1/4 Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Archie Henry Morris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

J. N. Deel

Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 25, 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. M. Bates

and

Geo. Jefferson

who being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Archie Henry Morris

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

for 25 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. M. Bates

Geo. H. Jefferson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

January 25, 1909.

J. N. Deel

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. 34550

Action: Reject

Name Josie E. Vinson and ✓ children. Residence: Bentonville, Ark.

Reasons:

Kiece of Jos. E. Hutcherson apt. no. 31644 declared
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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

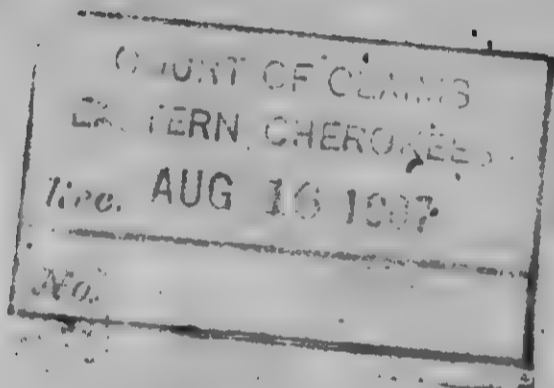
APPLICATION

OF

Joseph E. Vinson.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Josie E. ~~Wain~~ Vinson

~~None~~ Indian name: None Hatched

2. Residence and post office: Bentonville

3. County: Benton

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 19 Born Oct 16 2 1887

6. Where were you born? Bentonville Ark

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charles H. Vinson

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.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Edwin Hatched

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Elyza Jane Hatched

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Elyza Jane Rogers

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Do not know

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: I do not know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living at Bentonville Ark

Mother: Still living at Bentonville Ark,

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 Hutchison</u>		
(2)	<u>Anna Morris</u> <u>nee Hutchison</u>		
(3)	<u>Ada Torquon</u> <u>nee Hutchison</u>		
(4)	<u>Mary T. Morris</u> <u>nee Hutchison</u>		
(5)	<u>Lee Roy Hutchison</u>		
(6)	<u>George Hutchison</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>William Roydell Hutchison</u>	
<u>Lynna Wade Hutchison</u>	

18. Where were they born? Tenn

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>James E. Hutchison</u>	<u>Bentonville Ark</u>
(2)	<u>Lee Roy Hutchison</u>	"
(3)	<u>Elizabeth Oaker</u>	"
(4)	<u>Joseph Hutchison</u>	"
(5)	<u>Margaret Ford</u>	"
(6)	<u>George T. Hutchison</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: James M. Hutchison, William R. Hutchison
Hutchison, Jesse Hutchison

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Thomas Mitchell my grand
father's name father was '4
Cherokee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jessie Edna Varison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

J. Duane Tucker
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 30, 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 Geo H. Jefferson
and George M. Bates, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Jessie Edna Varison
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 19 years and
19 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that 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 H. Jefferson
George M. Bates

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 30, 1911, 1907.

J. Duane Tucker
Notary Public.

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