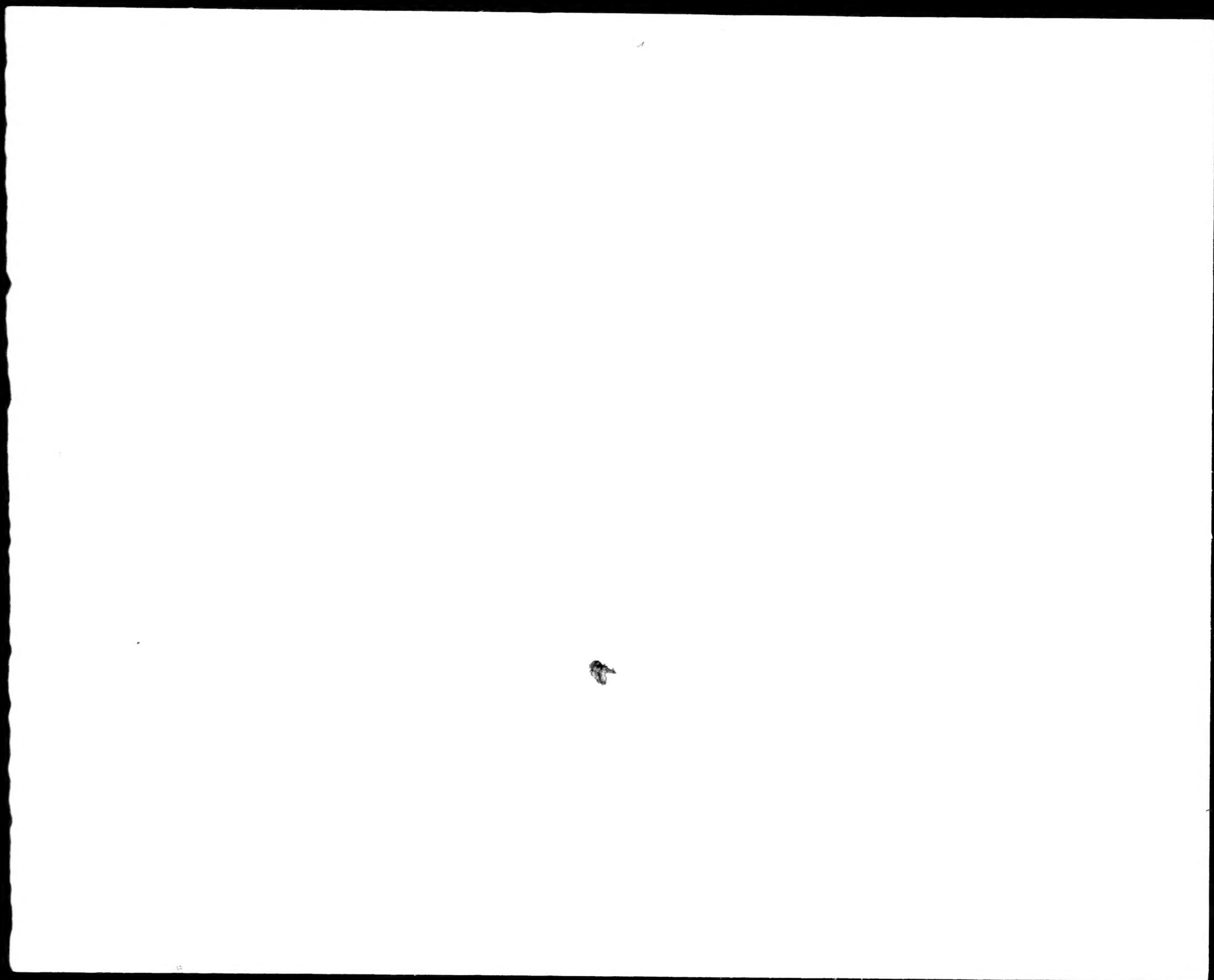
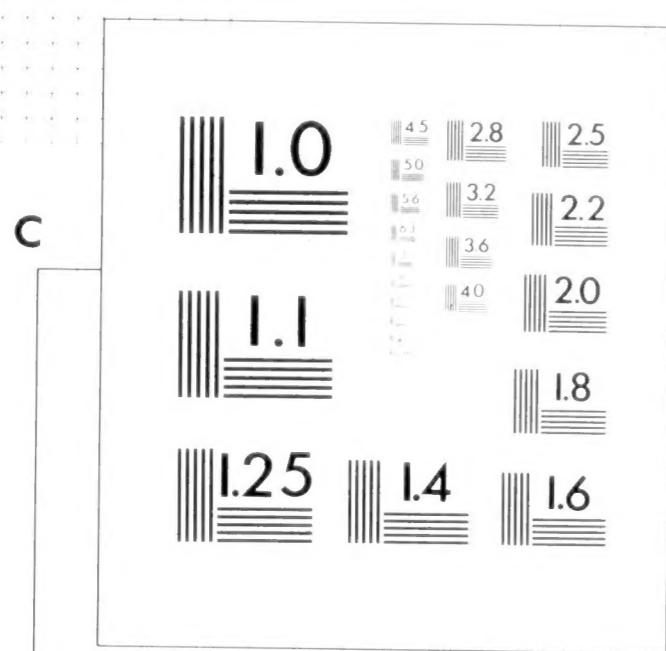


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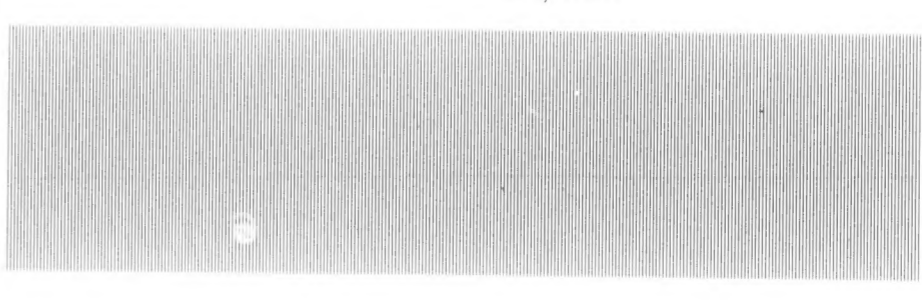
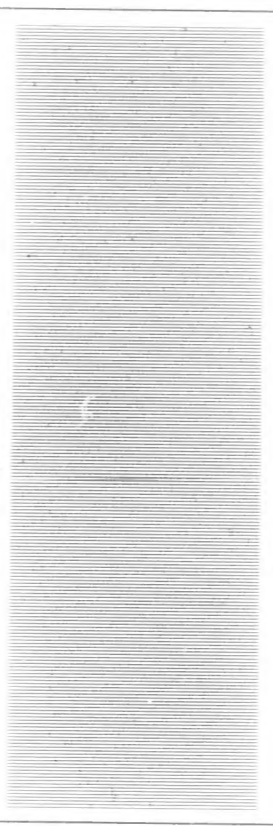
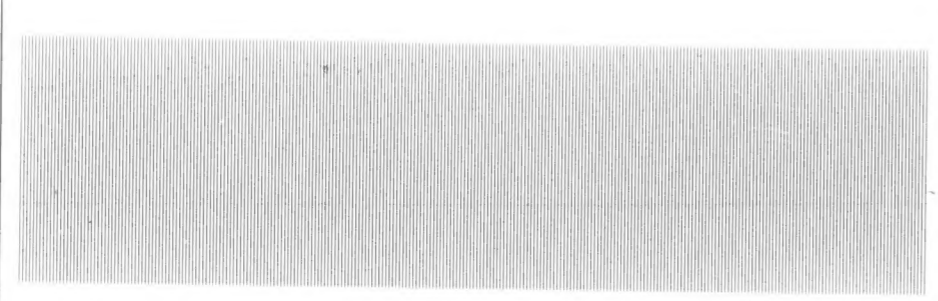
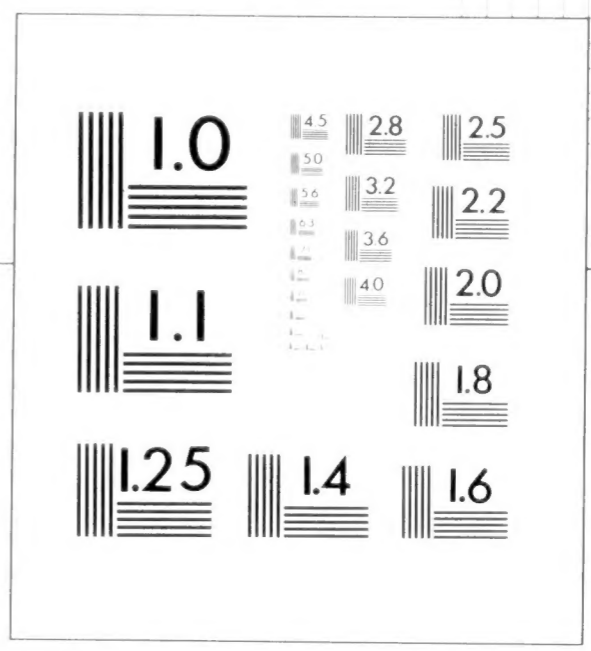




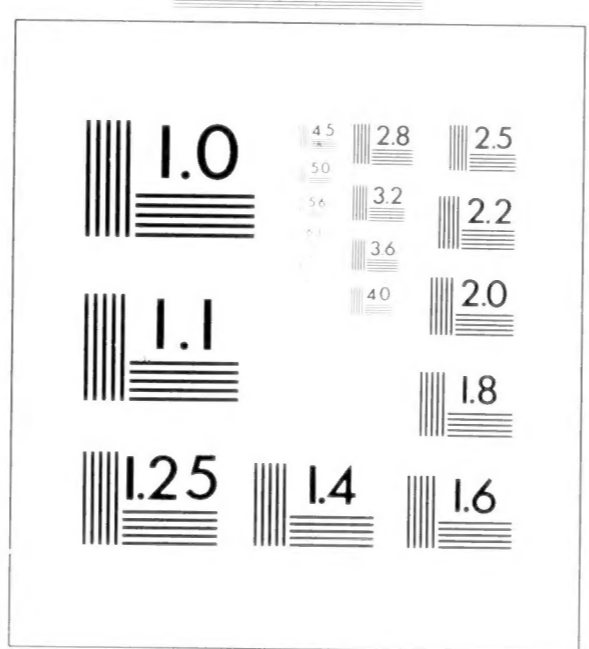
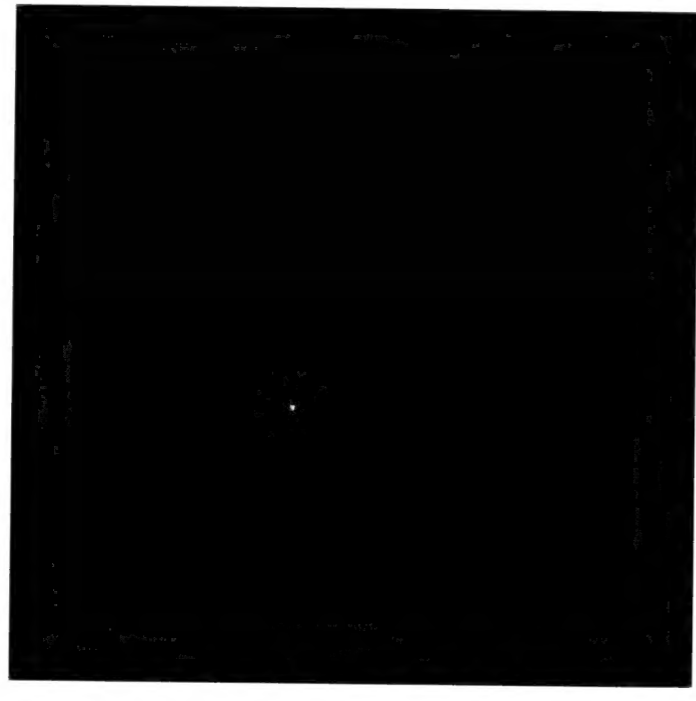
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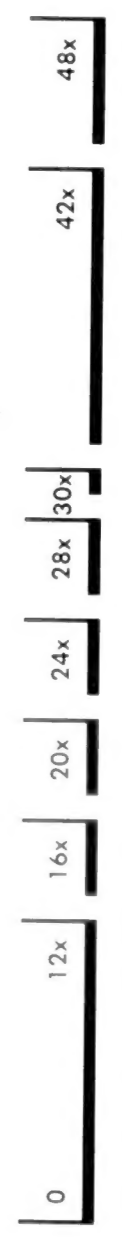


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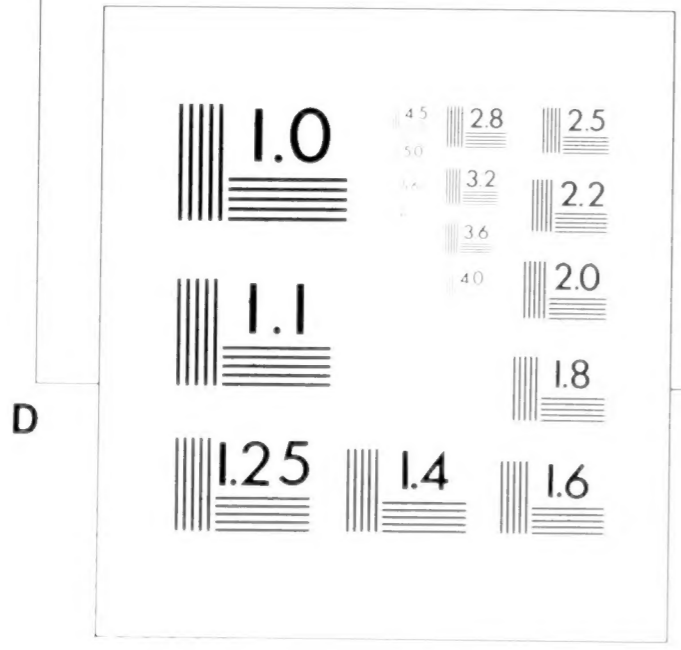
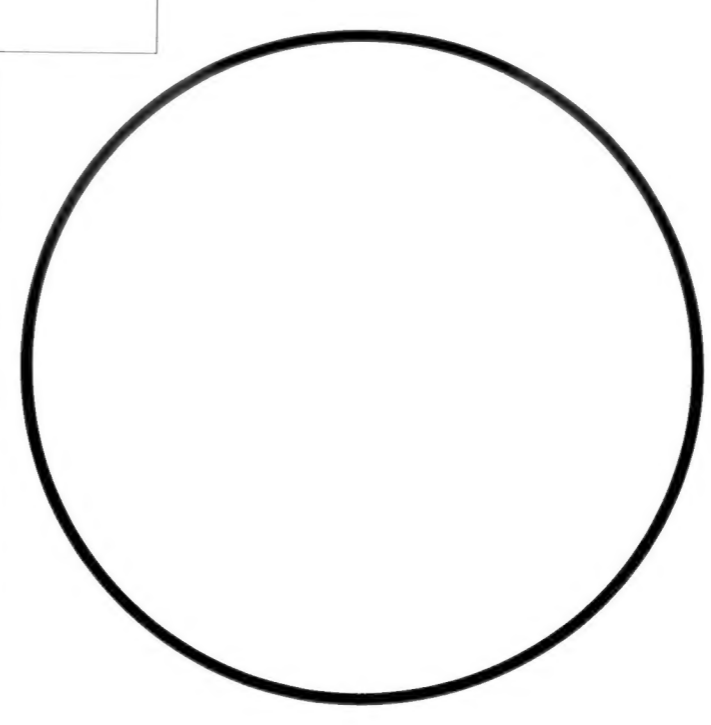
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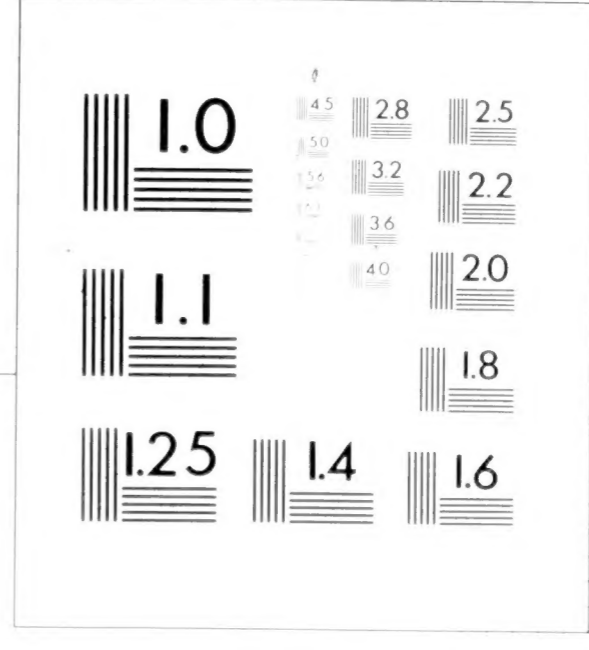


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INTRODUCTION

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

History

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### Records

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

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



Related Records

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

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

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

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

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

No. 37401

Action: *Reject*

Name *Alon (A. J.)* and *Y.* children. Residence: *Ula*

Reasons:

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No. 57-1-57

Name.....

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Remarks:

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No. 37402

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Allen Craze*

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

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**Special 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: Alex. Crayze

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

2. Residence and post office: yucca

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 21 years Born 29 November 1885

6. Where were you born? in Jackson county Alabama

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary J. Crayze

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: James A. Crayze

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

Mother—English name: Ang. J. Crayze

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

Maiden name: Ang. J. Shrader

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Decatur county Alabama

Mother: in Jackson county Alabama



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

Father: were not Born

Mother: were 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:

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John H. Craze	1879	
	Mulirie, Gray	24 1882	
(2)			
(3)	Nancy Powell	1883	
(4)	George Craze	1888	
(5)	Martha Craze	1891	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Craze	Henry Shrader
Jane Craze	America Shrader

18. Where were they born? Do not know

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

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

- (1) cannot give all their names
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

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

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

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) Alex. Cray

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

W. A. Seal  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

8 November, 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 N. B. Partin  
and John. Biddle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Alex. Cray  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and  
21 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

N. B. Partin

John. Biddle

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

My commission expires

8 November, 1908

W. A. Seal  
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. 37402

Action: Reject

Name Nancy Powell and 2 children. Residence: Yucca, Ala.

Reasons:

Daughter of #37400.

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No. 37402

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy Powell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Nancy Powell

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

2. Residence and post office: Yucca Alabama

3. County: of Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 23 years Born 16 November 1883

6. Where were you born? in Jackson county Alabama

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John M. Powell 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>Lucy E</u>	<u>5 years</u>	<u>1902</u>
(2)	<u>Jada M</u>	<u>2 "</u>	<u>1904</u>
(3)	<u>George M</u>	<u>5 months</u>	<u>1907</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: James A. Cray

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

Mother—English name: Any J. Cray

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

Maiden name: Any J. Schrader

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Decatur county Alabama

Mother: in Jackson county Alabama



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

Father: were not Born

Mother: were not Born

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)	John H. Cray	1879	
(2)	Malurrie Deay	1882	
(3)	Alet Cray	1885	
(4)	George Cray	1888	
(5)	Martha Cray	1891	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Cray	Henry Shrader
Jane Cray	America Shrader

18. Where were they born? do not 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) not possible
- (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:

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 J. Powell

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

W. J. Seal  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

8 November, 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 N. B. Parton  
and John Riddle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nancy Powell who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

N. B. Parton  
John Riddle

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

My commission expires

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W. J. Seal  
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No. 37403

Action: *Reject*

Name *John H. Craze* and *1* children.

Residence: *Scottsboro, Ala.*

Reasons:

*Son of #37400.*

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No. 37403

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Geo. H. Gray

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

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: John H. Cray

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

2. Residence and post office: Scottsboro

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 26 years Born November 16 1896

6. Where were you born? in Jackson county Alabama

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marie L Cray

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>Wilyde Cray</u>	<u>2 years</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: James A Cray

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

Mother—English name: Amy H Cray

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

Maiden name: Amy H Shrader

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Decatur county Alabama

Mother: in Jackson county Alabama

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

Father: were not Born

Mother: were not Born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: he is living

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: were not

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mabelle, Cray		
	Nancy, "		
(2)	Alex, "		
(3)	Geo, "		
(4)	Murtha, "		
(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, Cray	Henry, Shroder
Jane, Cray	Armenca, Shroder

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:

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- (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 have

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

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 H. Craze

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

W. J. Deal  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 8 November, 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 M. B. Partin  
and John Riddle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John H Craze who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know he 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.

M. B. Partin  
John Riddle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

8 November, 1908

W. J. Deal  
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. 37404 Action: *Reject*  
Name *Malissie Peay* and *3* children. Residence: *Yucca, Ala*  
Reasons:

*Daughter of # 37400.*

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No. 37401

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Mallissie Seay

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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  
RECEIVED ORIGINAL  
AUG 1 1906

37401

**Special 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: Malirie Beay

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

2. Residence and post office: yucca Alahamma

3. County: of Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 24 years Born Feb 16 1882

6. Where were you born? in Jackson county Ala

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James, W. Beay

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>John A. Beay</u>	<u>6 years</u>	<u>1901</u>
(2)	<u>Etta M. Beay</u>	<u>4 1/2 year</u>	<u>1903</u>
(3)	<u>Almetta</u>	<u>1 year</u>	<u>1906</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: James A. Crayle

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

Mother—English name: Any. H. Crayle

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

Maiden name: Any. H. Shrader

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Decalb county Alabama

Mother: in Jackson county Alabama



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

Father: were not - Bonne

Mother: were not - Bonne

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: never was

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John H. Craze	1879	
(2)	Nancy Powell	1883	
(3)	Alex Craze	1881-	
(4)	George Craze	1888	
	<del>Mantha Craze</del>		
(5)	Mantha Craze	1891	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Craze	Henry Shrader
Jane Craze	America Shrader

18. Where were they born? Do not know

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

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

- (1) cannot give all their names
- (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:

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) Malissie Beay

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

W J Deal J P  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

8 November, 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 N. B. Partin  
and John Riddle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Malissie Beay 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 herself to be, 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.

N. B. Partin

John Riddle

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

My commission expires

8 November, 1908. W J Deal 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.

App. No. 37404.

September 9, 1907.

Malissie Seay.

Yucca, Alabama.

Madam:

Please inform this Office at once as to the exact date of  
the birth of your child, Almetta Seay.

Very respectfully.

Special Commissioner.

WEA

EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 21 1907  
No. 37401

File

No. 37404

Yucca Ala. Sept 16. 07

Yucione Miller

Sir.

The exact date of the  
birth of my child -

Almatta - she was  
born October the 13<sup>th</sup> 1905.

Respectfully

William Seager

Yucca.

Ala.



No. 37405  
Name John R. Craze and 3 children. Residence: Fabius, Ala. Action: Reject  
Reasons:

Brother of #37400.

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on the 8th, day of November, 1906. That the original was to  
to full faith and credit, and his signature thereto I believe to be  
genuine.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Probate Court, at office  
in Scottsboro, Alabama, on this 1st, day of August, 1907.

*W. M. L. Litcher*

Judge of Probate.

No. 37405

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jno R. Cray*

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

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37405

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: John R. Craze

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

2. Residence and post office: Yaluis

3. County: of Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 43

Born January 1864

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

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jada Craze

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>Eliza Craze</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>1888</u>
(2)	<u>Lucy J. Craze</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(3)	<u>Annie Craze</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: John Craze

Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Fane Craze

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Overper

12. Where were they born?

Father: cant tell

Mother: cant tell

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

Father: in Decalb county Alabama

Mother: in Decalb county Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in December 1863

Mother: Died in August 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)	<u>Martha Cray</u>	_____	_____
	<u>James A. Cray</u>	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Mancy Cray</u>	_____	_____
	<u>Nerran Cray</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.

\_\_\_\_\_ James Cooper

\_\_\_\_\_ Lonecy Cooper

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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) Jane Cooper \_\_\_\_\_
- (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: cannot tell

REMARKS.

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

I cannot give the ages of my Brothers and sisters I am the youngest child

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

(Signature)

John R. Craze

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

31 day of July 1907.

W. J. Deal  
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

Peter Cooper

and

A. J. Millican

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John R. Craze

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

him for 30 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. Millican

Peter Cooper  
<sup>his</sup>  
mark

A. J. Millican

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

31

day of

July

1907.

My commission expires

....., 190

W. J. Deal  
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. 37406.

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Alfred M. Cassmore* and — children.

Residence: *Jersey, Ga.*

Reasons:

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No. 374.06

Name Alfred M. Passmore

With No. 6031

Remarks :

*Smith*

No. 37406

Sec. 1001

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

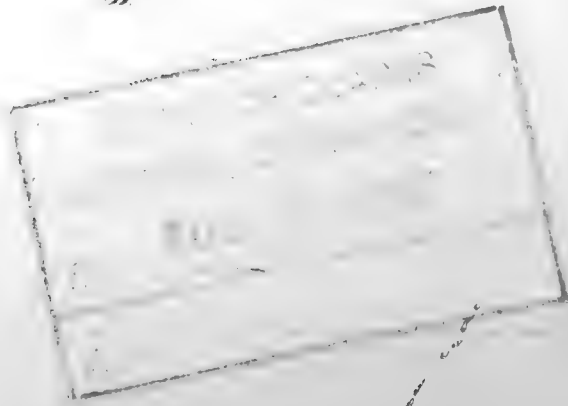
APPLICATION

OF

*Alfred M. Passmore*

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

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37406



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

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

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

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

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: They were not

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Alfred M. Papsmore	1852	
(2)	William Papsmore	1854	
(3)	James Papsmore	1856	
(4)	Margret Papsmore	1859	
(5)	George Papsmore	1861	1901
(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.	
Enoc Papsmore	Indian Unknown	William Watson	Indian Unknown
Aiseg Papsmore	Unknown	Polly Saunders	Indian Unknown

17. Where were they born? W. Va. Co. Mo.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Enoc Papsmore lived in W. Va. Co. Mo. My Grand mother Polly Saunders in W. Va. Co. Mo.

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

- (1) English name: Hardeen Papsmore  
 Indian name: Unknown  
 Residence: Clay Co. Va. died in 1862
- (2) English name: Leander Papsmore  
 Indian name: Unknown  
 Residence: Clay Co. Va. died in 1866
- (3) English name: Susan Papsmore  
 Indian name: Unknown  
 Residence: Clay Co. Va. died in 1870
- (4) English name: Wajah Papsmore  
 Indian name: Unknown  
 Residence: Clay Co. Va. P.O. Hazard Va. died in 1870
- (5) English name: Samuel Papsmore  
 Indian name: Unknown  
 Residence: Clay Co. Va. died in 1870

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

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

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

*I have endeavored to fill out this blank the best I could not having any record I have been governed by recollection of my family history being handed down as from father to son and son*

#### REMARKS.

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

*My minor children are as follows  
Willson Papsmore Johnathan Papsmore  
Amy Jane Papsmore Nelly Jane Papsmore*

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

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

(Signature.) *Alfred M. Papsmore*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *August*, 190*7*.

My commission expires

*April*, 190*7*

*Mathew J. Ingram*  
Notary Public.

#### 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. W. Gurley* and *H. J. Miller*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Alfred M. Papsmore* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *25* years and *26* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *said* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. H. W. Gurley*

*H. J. Miller*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *August*, 190*7*.

My commission expires

*April*, 190*7*

*Mathew J. Ingram*  
Notary Public.

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No. 37407

Action: Refuse

Name Mr. & Mrs. [unclear] and X children.

Residence: 1111 [unclear]

Reasons: [unclear]

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No. 37457

Name.....

With No.....

Remarks : H.S.

No. 37407

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

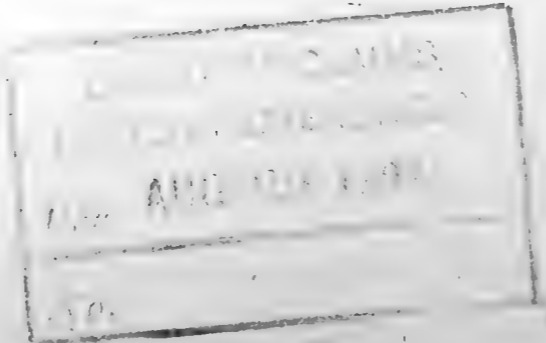
APPLICATION

OF

*Lela Clamphit*

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

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37407

**Special 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 Clamhitt*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

*27*

Born

*Aug 24th 1879*

6. Where were you born?

*Madison Co, N.C.*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

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:

*Eelis Norman*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Susan A. Norman*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Susan A. Peindexter*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Madison Co, N.C.*

Mother:

*do do do*

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

Father: East Bend N.C.

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: Mother has claim in

now no 14874

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	J. A. Norman	Aug 27th 1873	
(2)	D. C. Norman	July 12th 1875	
	Wick Norman	June 20th 1884	
(3)	Ley (Norman) Williams	Oct 30th 1886	
	S. A. Norman	Oct 12th 1887	
(4)	Bessie Norman	Jan 25th 1889	
	Loney Norman	Sept 12th 1891	
(5)	Hubert Norman	Nov 2nd 1896	
(6)	Maud Norman	Oct 13th 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>D. C. Norman</u>	<u>Thos D. Poindexter</u>
<u>Milla Norman</u>	<u>Margaret Poindexter</u>

18. Where were they born? Yad in leo (Shenandoah) N.C.

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

Yad in leo N.C.

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

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

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



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

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

REMARKS.

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

I claim through my mother Susan A. Norman claim no 14874

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

(Signature) Lela Clansfield

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

E. O. Beuker  
Justice of the Peace 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 Irene Latson  
and Beka Hendricks, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lela Clansfield who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for five years and six months ~~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.

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.....  
Irene Latson  
Beka Hendricks

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

My commission expires

....., 190

E. O. Beuker  
Justice of the Peace Notary Public.

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App. No. 37407.

September 9, 1907.

Susan A. Norman,  
East Bend, North Carolina.

Madam:

On August 22, 1907, your daughter, Iela Clampitt, made affidavit to an Eastern Cherokee application.

However, she failed to state her postoffice address, and you are requested to kindly supply this office with the same.

Enclosed you will find penalty envelope for reply.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

*by the*

COUNTY OF ...  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 31 1938  
No. 37407



37407

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

JAN 3 1908

*Lela Clampitt*  
*New Providence,*

*Iowa.*  
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 *Donahoe and*

*Bettie Pledge Ponderster.*

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.

*I claim no other relations to the Eastern Cherokee Indians than the one above mentioned.*

*Very Respectfully*  
*Lela Clampitt*

No. 37408

-Action: *Rejected*

Name *Demetria Kent* and 5 children.

Residence: *rent to 1/10*

Reasons:

*Asylum Case*

37408

No. 37400

Name *Jamaica E. Co.*

With No. *Wagon to file*

Remarks:

*11/11/11*  
No. ~~37408~~

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel E. Carter*

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

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37408



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—  
English name: Samuel E. Carter  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Paul Fort
3. Town and post office: Paul Fort
4. County: Mississipi
5. State: Ala.
6. Date and place of birth: Jan 1874, Greenville, Ala.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: by the right of my mother who was a daughter of Adley, the son who was a daughter of John J. Mang who was a son of Martin B. Mang, the wife Maryel, the daughter of Cherokee Indians
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Lee Carter age 24 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: John B. Bristow  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Elizabeth Bristow  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Elizabeth W. Bristow
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Greenville, Ala.  
Mother: Greenville, Ala.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Greenville, Ala.  
Mother: Greenville, Ala.
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: 1882 Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: was enrolled under the rolls under 1867  
1888 at her home Nancy, W. Va.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lorance M. Blankenship</u>	<u>1861</u>	
(2)	<u>Robert T. Blankenship</u>	<u>1865</u>	
(3)	<u>Samuel L. Melf</u>	<u>1868</u>	
(4)	<u>Lillian Popit</u>	<u>1871</u>	
(5)	<u>James M. Blankenship</u>	<u>1873</u>	
(6)	<u>William B. Blankenship</u>	<u>1879</u>	<u>April 15, 1907</u>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>H. P. ...</u>	<u>Robert M. ...</u>
<u>Elizabeth Blankenship</u>	<u>Bell Creek Mo.</u>
<u>and related to Cherokee</u>	<u>Salley ...</u>
<u>Indian name</u>	

17. Where were they born? all born in Buchanan Co.  
W. Va.

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

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

- (1) English name: James M. Blankenship  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: Paul Fort
- (2) English name: Lina Allen  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: Arbington West Virginia
- (3) English name: Mrs. ...  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: Ohio
- (4) English name: James M. Blankenship  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: Paul Fort
- (5) English name: William B. Blankenship  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: Paul Fort

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

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

Samuel 18... her mother Sally was born 1817

**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.

W. H. ...  
M. W. Anderson (Signature.) Samantha C. Carter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907

My commission expires

Dec, 1907

M. W. Anderson  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

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

Personally appeared before me R. M. W. Yott and E. B. McLean, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samantha C. Carter, 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.

R. M. W. Yott  
E. B. McLean

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907

My commission expires

Dec, 1907

M. W. Anderson  
Notary Public.

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*no* are true, and they have no interest whatever in *said* claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*R. M. Morgan*  
*W. B. Johnson*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* day of *Sept*, 1907.  
*W. M. Johnson*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *Dec 31*, 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. *37408*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Samantha E. Carter*

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. 37408.

1. State your full name: Samantha Elizabeth Carter
2. Residence and post office: Point Fork,
3. County: Madison,
4. State: North Carolina.
5. Date and place of birth: 1875, Yancey Co. North C.
6. Are you married? yes. Samantha Elizabeth Carter 32 years old
7. Name and age of wife or husband: ~~She is not married.~~
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Edwards Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Belle Carter,</u>	<u>14 yrs.</u>	<u>1891.</u>
(2)	<u>Robert "</u>	<u>12 "</u>	<u>1895.</u>
(3)	<u>Minnie "</u>	<u>8 "</u>	<u>1899.</u>
(4)	<u>Bonnie "</u>	<u>6 "</u>	<u>1901.</u>
(5)	<u>Carl "</u>	<u>3 "</u>	<u>1904.</u>
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes, 1901 Buncombe Co. N. C. Eastern Cherokee Indians, but have never recd. anything.

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) Samantha Elizabeth Carter

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

J. W. Anderson  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Dec, 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. M. Wgall and W. B. Anderson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samantha Elizabeth Carter who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 20 years and 6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by us are true, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
R. M. Wgall  
W. B. Anderson

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

W. B. Anderson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 9, 1907.

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No. 37408

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

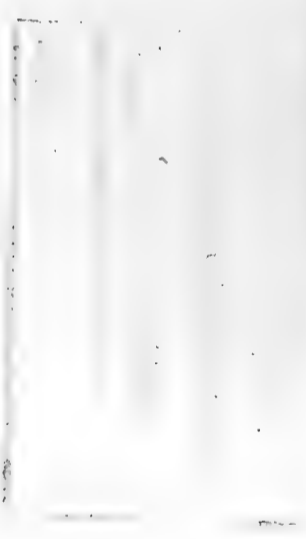
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Samantha E. Carter

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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



No. 37404

Action: *Divert*

me *Julia Wallace* and 3 children. Residence: *Whland, Ky.*

sons: *Suzanne Case*

37404

No. 37459-1000

Name .....

With No. *37459-1000*

Remarks:

*Judith M. ...*  
*Carrie ...*



*Suppl.* \*

No. 37499

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Judith Wallace,*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 19, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Judith Wallace*

Indian name: *None*

2. Residence: *Ashland Kentucky*

3. Town and post office: *Ashland Kentucky*

4. County: *Bond County*

5. State: *Kentucky*

6. Date and place of birth: *March 1<sup>st</sup> 1880; Floyd County, Kentucky*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Conrad Seymour who married Ellen Patton they lived in Bond County Kentucky, and are the grand parents of the applicant, Judith Wallace.*

8. Are you married? *Yes but am a widow*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Husband's name Samuel Wallace*

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

Father—English name: *John R Patton*

Indian name: *Had none*

Mother—English name: *Alifera Patton ne Prater*

Indian name: *Had none*

Maiden name: *Alifera Prater*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *in Floyd County Kentucky*

Mother: *in Bond County Kentucky*

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

Father: *Lived in Floyd County Kentucky*

Mother: *Lived in Bond County Kentucky*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *July 7<sup>th</sup> 1900*

Mother: *Still living*

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Alex. Patton	Dec 7 1885	living
(2)	Minnie Carnie nee Patton		living
(3)	Belle Patton		living
(4)	Lena Strubler		living
(5)	Carrie Patton		living
(6)	X		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Allen Patton	Newman Prater
Yonnie Patton nee Sizemore	Mattie Prater

17. Where were they born? I am not positive

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Were living resided in Floyd County Kentucky

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

(1) English name: Florence Allen (nee Patton) living

Indian name:

Residence: Floyd County, Kentucky,

(2) English name: Minta Patton (nee Patton) living

Indian name:

Residence: Floyd County, Kentucky,

(3) English name: Rebecca Prater (nee Patton) dead -

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name: Bettie Whitt (nee Patton) dead

(5) English name: Katie Strumbo (nee Patton) dead

Residence:

(6) English name: Burton Patton - dead

(7) English name: Wesley Patton dead.

Residence:

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

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

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Judith Wallace*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1907

My commission expires  
February 7, 1910

*Elizabeth H. Murphy*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me L. G. Hood and

Charles Kiser

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Judith Wallace

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*L. G. Hood*  
*Charles Kiser*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1907

My commission expires  
February 7, 1910

*Elizabeth H. Murphy*  
Notary Public.

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are one, and they have no interest whatever in claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*L. H. Hood*  
*Charles Green*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

1907.

day of *February 7th*  
*Elizabeth H. Malin*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *February 7th*, 1910.

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No. *37409*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Judith Wallace*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 17 1907  
No.

*Proctor R. Malin,*  
*Atty.*  
*Ashland, Kentucky*

## 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: Judith Wallace.
2. Residence and post office: Ashland.
3. County: Boyd
4. State: Kentucky
5. Date and place of birth: Lloyd County, Kentucky, March 1<sup>st</sup> 1880
6. Are you married? Widow
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Samuel Wallace was name of husband
8. To what tribe of Indians; if any, does he or she belong? Cherokees
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Virgil Wallace</u>	<u>nine years</u>	<u>May 18/1898</u>
(2)	<u>Quogue Wallace</u>	<u>Seven years</u>	<u>March 29-1900,</u>
(3)	<u>Lucie Wallace</u>	<u>Three years</u>	<u>Decr 1-1904,</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

### REMARKS

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

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\_\_\_\_\_

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

(Signature) Judith Wallace

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Eight day of September, 1907.

Elizabeth A. Murphy  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

February 7<sup>th</sup>, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me R. G. Hood and Charles Kiser who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Judith Wallace who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 16 years and        years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. G. Hood  
Charles Kiser

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

Elizabeth H. Murphy  
Notary Public.

My commission expires February 1<sup>st</sup>, 1910.

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No. 37409

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Judith Wallace

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

COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 17 1907  
No.

Frederic R. Maline,  
Atty.  
Abraham S. Brumback,

COURT OF CLAIMS  
SOUTHERN CHEROKEES.  
No. OCT 17 1907  
No.



PROCTOR K. MALIN,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR,  
ASHLAND, KY.

Ashland, Ky., Oct. 15, 1907.

Special Commissioner Court of Claims,  
601 Ourary Bldg.,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Herewith I enclose application of Judith Wallace for  
minor children in the matter of the claim of the Eastern Cherokees,  
which you will please file, and oblige,

Yours truly,

*Proctor K. Malin*

I Encl.

No. 37410

Action: Rejected

Name Carrie Patton and  children. Residence: island, Ky.

Reasons: Sizemore Case

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No. 37410

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

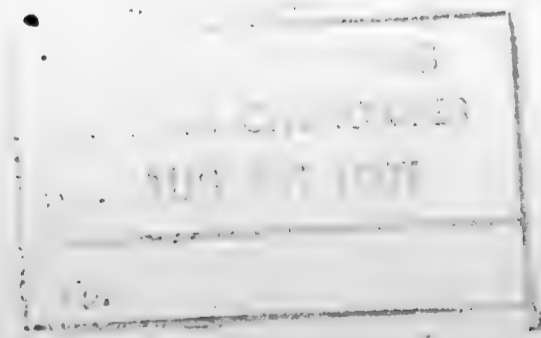
APPLICATION

OF

*Leanie Patton*

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

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37410

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: *Carrie Patton*

Indian name: *Cumine Patton*

2. Residence: *Ashland, Kentucky.*

3. Town and post office: *Ashland,*

4. County: *Boyd*

5. State: *Kentucky*

6. Date and place of birth: *December 27<sup>th</sup> 1877, Floyd County, Kentucky.*

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Jemie Sizemore who married Allen Patton and they lived in Floyd County, Kentucky. Allen Patton and Jemie Sizemore are the grand parents of the applicant, Carrie Patton.*

8. Are you married? *No*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Has none*

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

Father—English name: *John R. Patton*

Indian name: *None*

Mother—English name: *Alifere Patton nee Prater -*

Indian name: *Had none*

Maiden name: *Alifere Prater -*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *In Floyd County, Kentucky.*

Mother: *In Floyd County, Kentucky.*

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

Father: *Lived in Floyd County, Kentucky.*

Mother: *Lived in Floyd County, Kentucky.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *January 7<sup>th</sup> 1900* Mother: *Still living*



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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Alex Patton</i>	<i>Dec 7-1885</i>	<i>living</i>
(2)	<i>Uinnie Lewis-nee Patton</i>		<i>living</i>
(3)	<i>Bettie Taylor</i>		<i>living</i>
(4)	<i>Lena Strubler</i>		<i>living</i>
(5)	<i>Jadith Wallace-nee Patton</i>		<i>living</i>
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Allen Patton</i>	<i>Newman Prater</i>
<i>Jennie Patton-nee Segeuor-</i>	<i>Wanka Prater</i>

17. Where were they born? *I am not positive*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Were living and resided in Floyd County, Kentucky.*

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

(1) English name: *Floresinda Allen (nee Patton) living*

Indian name:

Residence: *Floyd County, Kentucky*

(2) English name: *Uinta Patton (nee Patton) living*

Indian name:

Residence: *Floyd County, Kentucky*

(3) English name: *Rebecca Prater (nee Patton) dead*

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name: *Bettie Whitt (nee Patton) dead*

(5) English name: *Katie Shumbo (nee Patton) dead*

Residence:

(6) English name: *Bunyon Patton- dead*

(7) English name: *Hesley Patton dead*

Residence:

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

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

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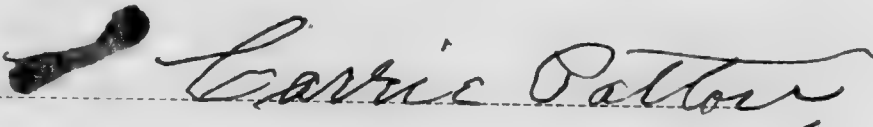
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(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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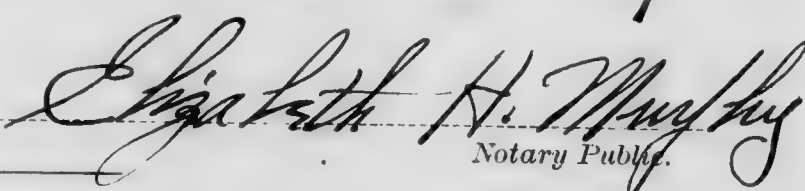
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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) 

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1907

My commission expires February 7, 1910

  
Notary Public

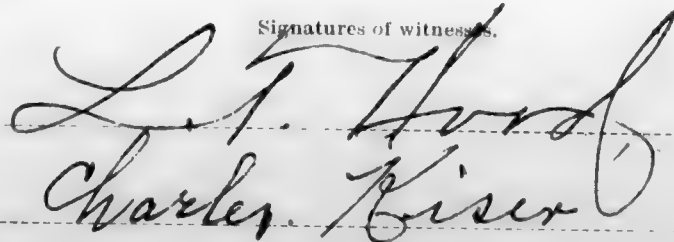
AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me L. T. Hoed and Charles Kiser, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Carrie Patton, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

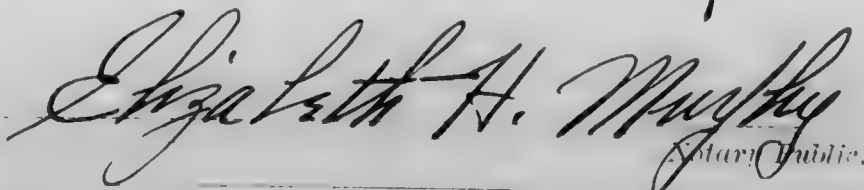
Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witness



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1907

My commission expires February 7, 1910

  
Notary Public

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No. 37411.

Action: Reject.

Name: James Johnson and 2 children. Residence: Lillian, Tenn.

Reasons: Applicant's ancestor not on rolls.  
Applicant failed to appear to give testimony.  
Also neglected to answer letter of inquiry  
in regard to family relationship.

37411



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No. 37411

Name James Johnson

With No. ...

Remarks:

Filed to office at Madison  
1862

Not an roll.



No. 37411

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

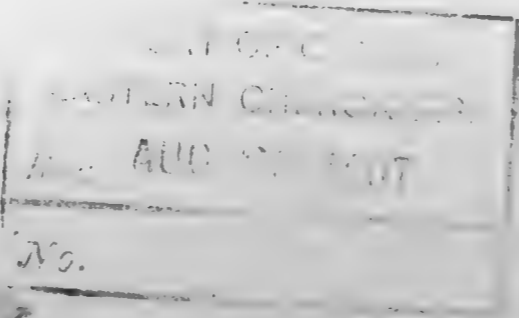
APPLICATION

OF

*James Johnson &  
2 children*

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

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: James Johnson

Indian name: " Saurin

2. Residence and post office: Lillian

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 36 Born 7 Feb - 1871

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Maudie Johnson 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>Minnie Johnson</u>		<u>Aug 12 - 1889</u>
(2)	<u>Hattie "</u>		<u>April 16 - 1903</u>
(3)	<u>Ed</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Perry Johnson

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Rutha "

Indian name: " Saurin

Maiden name: " Lavinia

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: N.C.

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

Father: N.C.  
Mother: 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living he is 83 years old  
Mother: died 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: Brothers people said to be

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Wash Johnson</u>		
(2)	<u>Belle</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>no recd</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>Robert Lammie</u>
	<u>11 11</u> )
	<u>Jammie 11</u>
	<u>11 Samlin</u> )

18. Where were they born? N.C.

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

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

- (1) Rutha Lammie
- (2) Ross 11
- (3) that's all I can recollect
- (4) Mary
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

*Mother's name Rutha Johnson*  
*Mother's name Rutha Lavin, the*  
*Mother's name Jane Lavin Maiden Jane*

REMARKS.

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

*Samlin a full Cherokee*

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

(Signature) *James Johnson*

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

*Geo W Isbill*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*Jan 1*, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *A J Talbot*

and *James W Laughter*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *James Johnson*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *43* years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*A J Talbot*

*James W Laughter*

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

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April 20, 1909

May 1, 1909.

James Johnson,  
William, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1861, and where was he or she residing in 1861-62, if living at that time? Were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1861-62?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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WESTERN CHEMICAL  
Rec. JUL 1 1908

Mr. Quinn, Chicago  
Sir My mother has been  
dead 15 years my father is  
still living he is 85 years old  
at his birth my grandmothers  
was raised in Chicago (at home)  
for some years without being  
raised in Chicago and she  
was raised in the Union  
and married Frank  
and they had 12 children  
and she was the 10th to be  
born my mother was  
born in Chicago and she  
was raised in Chicago and  
she was the 10th to be  
born

and take notice  
testify to their  
which he married at  
I understand a letter from  
for the ... at 50  
not saying ...  
Madisonville, Tenn.  
and today the 21 day of  
you ...  
did not ...  
...  
I have not handed  
out the ...

...  
I have ...

No. 37412

Action: Reject

Name: Celia C. Kelso and 3 children. Residence: Webb City, Mo.

Reasons:

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

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No. 37412

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Celia C. Kelso*

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

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ROBERTSON & COMPANY,  
SOLICITORS AT LAW,  
AND TRUSTEES.



37412

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: Celia Catherine Kelso maiden name Terrey

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Webb City, Jasper County, Missouri

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri No. 1302 West Aylor Street.

5. How old are you? 28 yrs. Born 30 day of Oct. 1879

6. Where were you born? Dallis County Texas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband Robert Lee Kelso age 34yrs.

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: Ruth Naoma

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
	Ruth Naoma Kelso	9yrs.	Nov 1899
(1)	Ruth Naoma Kelso	9 yrs.	Born Nov. 18th. 1899
(2)	Velma Pearl Kelso	7 yrs.	" July. 17th. 1900
(3)	Robert Earl Kelso	3 yrs.	" Feb. 1st. 1904
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

James Jackson Terrell,

Father—English name: James Jackson Terrell

Indian name: Do not know,

Mother—English name: Formalia Ann Matthews, ( Terrell )

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Formalia Ann Matthews

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mississippi

Mother: Alba, Coffee County Alabama, 1853

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

Father: Mississippi

Mother: #####

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1890

Mother: Still living

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lizzie Malone ne Terrill	don't know	
	William Perry Terrill	" "	
	Sarah Terrill	" "	
(2)	Mary Alice Dothridge ne Terrill	" "	
	James Washington Terrill	1877	
	Francis Angaline Ford, ne Terrill	1878	
(3)	Annie Terrill		Dead,
	Martha Terrill		
	Emela Pamela Sanders ne Terrill	1882	
(4)	Louis Talor Terrill	don't know,	
	Allen Viola Colden	" "	
(5)	Luther Nowel Terrill	" "	
	Follie Terrill		dead
(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>Elizabeth Northcott Born 1809</u>	<u>----- Matthews</u>
<u>were married Nov. 17th. 1850</u>	<u>Ruth Matthews,</u>

18. Where were they born? do not 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) David Terrill and six others whose names I 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: James Terrill Elizabeth Terrill  
----- Matthews and Ruth Matthews

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature) Celia Catherine Kelsu  
J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept. 27, 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 Mable Frost  
and Matthie Flowers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Celia Catherine Kelsu who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 16 years and 16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mable Frost  
Matthie Flowers

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

J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept. 27, 1907

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Ann. #37412

Aug 10, 1908.

Colia C. Nelson,  
112 1/2 St., O.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, I would like to know if you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee title. If so, at what time and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indian or mixed in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Who was the parent through whom you claim to be enrolled in 1867, and where was he or she residing in 1867-68, if living at that time? Were your grandparents on the side through which you claim to be in 1867-68?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, at what place of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,  
Gully.

Special Commissioner

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 37412.

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Washington D.C.

Mr Garrison Miller  
Special com

Washington D.C.

I am your of May 13 1908  
at hand I will answer as follows  
I am of the Cherokee tribe of  
Indians My Grand father named  
James Terrell and was a full  
blood Cherokee Indian and  
lived in Pike county Miss at the  
time that My father James  
Jackson Terrell was banished in  
1834 I have always been recognized  
as an Indian  
dont know why they were not  
enrolled in 1857

Mrs Celia C. Kelso

New City Mo  
1302 West of Jay St

Miss.

Appl. #37412

Celia C. Kelso being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Celia C. Kelso. I live at 1302 W. Aylor St., Webb City, Mo. I was born in 1878. in Dallas Co., Texas. I claim my Cherokee blood through my father, James Jackson Terrell. My father was born in Pike Co., Miss. in 1851. He is dead. He died in 1885. ~~and was~~. I made a mistake he was born in 1834 in Miss. He was in Miss. in 1851. Ever since I was born he has lived in Texas. He was in Ala. after 1851. My father never lived with the Cherokee Indians as a member of the tribe as I know of. He claims through his father, James Terrell. I suppose he lived in Miss. in 1834. I don't know whether my grandfather ~~was~~ moved to Ala. or not. I don't know whether he ever lived with the Eastern Cherokees as a member of the tribe. I think my grandmother was some relation to the Indians but very little. I don't know when and where she was born. Since looking at the copy of our records, which I have with me, I find that my grandmother was born in 1809. I think they were all in Miss.

Celia C. Kelso

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of August, 1908.

J. P. Black

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



No. 37413.

Action: Admitted.

Name Fannie Cunningham, and 1 child. Residence: Chelsea, Okla.

Reasons: First cousin of # 4190, and claims through the same ancestors.

Mother of applicant enrolled by Hester, No. 2236.

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No. 27413

Name Fanniel Cunningham

With No. 14241

Remarks:

*Book*  
No. *3741*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Fannie Cunningham (nee 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, 1906, 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: Fannie Cunningham, nee Roberts.

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

2. Residence: Chelsea, Ind. Ter.

3. Town and post office: Chelsea, Ind. Ter.

4. County: Cherokee Nation

5. State: Indian Territory,

6. Date and place of birth: Gwinnett County, Georgia, June 1, 1886.

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

I claim through my granduncle Johnson Rogers; through granduncle Love Rogers; through uncle Henry Lenoir; and through grandmother Ann C. Lenoir, nee Rogers.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: A. Judson Cunningham, 24 years of age, but not living.

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

Father—English name: Alexander P. Roberts,

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

Mother—English name: Emma Roberts

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

Maiden name: Emma Lenoir

11. Where were they born?

Father: Duval County, Florida,

Mother: Georgia

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

Father: Florida

Mother: Not living

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Living Mother: July 28, 1890



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Father was white. Mother was an Eastern Cherokee and lived in Georgia.

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

NAME	BORN	DEED
(1) <u>Mary E. Forbes (nee Roberts)</u>	<u>June 4, 1832</u>	<u>All living</u>
(2) <u>Estelle C. Wiggind (nee Roberts)</u>	<u>June 1, 1834</u>	<u>(Bryson, City, N.C.)</u>
(3) <u>Lucy M. Roberts</u>	<u>Sept. 10, 1838</u>	<u>Chelsea, Ind. T.</u>
(4) _____	_____	_____
(5) _____	_____	_____
(6) _____	_____	_____

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>White</u>	<u>John W. Lenoir, white.</u>
_____	<u>Ann C. Lenoir, Cherokee.</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

17. Where were they born? Both in Georgia

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

Walker County, Georgia.

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

- (1) English name: Henry Lenoir died in 1864 without heirs, was  
Indian name: enrolled on 1851 roll.
- (2) Residence: Mary O. Lenoir, living, Chelsea, Ind. Ter.
- (3) English name: Thomas R. Lenoir, died in 1890 or 1891.
- (4) Indian name: Sarah Francis Roberts (nee Lenoir) died in 1885.
- (5) Residence: Anna Roberts (nee Lenoir) Living at Chelsea, Ind. T.
- (6) English name: Albert Lenoir living in Alabama.
- (7) Indian name: Mama Roberts (nee Lenoir) (mother) died about July 28,  
Residence: 1890.
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

where. I am a citizen by blood but have no land in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, for the reason that the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes claims that I came to the Territory too late to establish my citizenship and secure land in the Territory.

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

My great grandmother was a Rogers; Granduncle Johnson Rogers; Granduncle Love Rogers.

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.) Fannie Cunningham

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

My commission expires never, 190

R. E. Coleman Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. E. Langford and Laura Coleman who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fannie Cunningham 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.

William E. Langford. Laura Coleman.

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

My commission expires never, 190

R. E. Coleman Notary Public.

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Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*William C. Langford.*

*Laura Coleman*

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

*R. Coleman*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *Nov 1*, 190 .

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

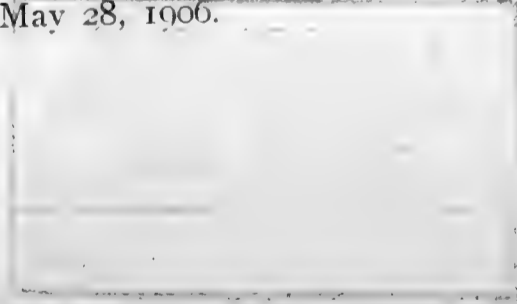
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Fannie Cunningham*  
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: Fannie Cunningham
2. Residence and post office: Chelsea, Ind. Ter.
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Gwinnett Co. Ga. June 1, 1886
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: A. Judson Cunningham 24 (Dead)
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>Hilma Cunningham</u>	<u>1 yr. 6 mo.</u>	<u>March 5 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: Have never been 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) Fannie Cunningham

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

D. J. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires never, 190 .



AFFIDAVIT

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Personally appeared before me William E. Langford and Laura Coleman who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fannie Cunningham who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for        years and        years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William E. Langford.  
Laura Coleman.

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Notary Public.

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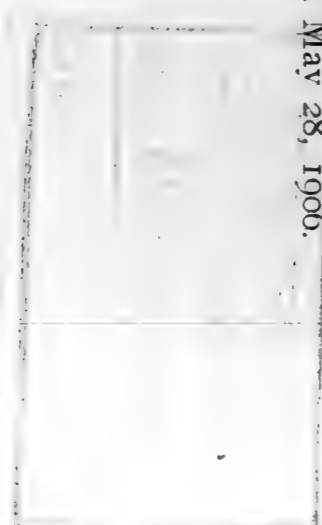
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Fannie Cunningham  
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.



Group #4190,  
App. #37413.

February 4, 1908.

Fannie Cunningham,  
Chelsea, Okla.

Sir:-

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

Respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

ED/ATL

*Stydie* No. *37414*  
Name *Stydie Hill* and *2* children. Action: *Rejected*  
Reasons: Residence: *Fairfax, N.C.*

*Wife of 35629, Claims thru same source*

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No. 37414-5.

Name .....

With No. 35629.

Remarks:

India Hill.

David Hughes.



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

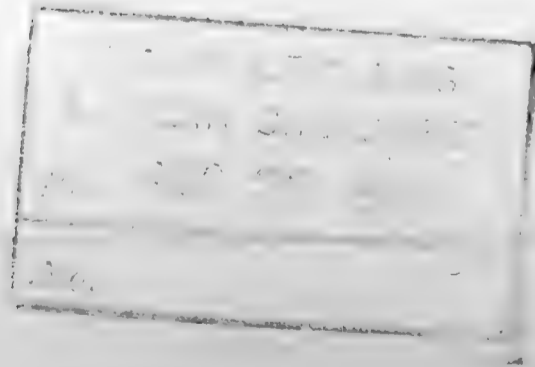
APPLICATION

OF

*Smith's Mill &  
2 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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*37411*

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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: Simpie Hill

Indian name: " Purchasefield

2. Residence and post office: Fairfax NC

3. County: Swain

4. State: NC

5. How old are you? 29 Born Dec. 15, 1883

6. Where were you born? Blount County Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. R. Hill 26

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>Viola Hill</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Nov. 7, 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Ray "</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>March 1906</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Joseph Hughes

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Nancy

Indian name: " Purchasefield

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Dalh County Tenn

Mother: Carter " "

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

Father: Polk County Tenn  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1871  
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:

Nathan's People were

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nathanial Burchfield		
	Hugh	" "	
(2)	John	" "	
	Elizabeth	" "	
(3)	Samuel	" "	
	Linda	" "	
(4)	William	" "	
	David	" "	
(5)	Lillie	" "	
	Ellen	" "	
(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 Burchfield  
Pettie

18. Where were they born?

Carter County Tenn

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

N.C. or Tenn

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

(1)	Nancy Burchfield	
(2)	Myra	" "
(3)	Samuel	" "
(4)	Jake	" "
(5)	Nathanial	" "
(6)	Lillie	" "
	India	" "

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Nancy Hughes  
maiden name Nancy Burchfield her father Wilson  
Burchfield & his Nathaniel Burchfield & his

REMARKS.

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

Wife Anna Burchfield maiden name Anna  
one Kenney a daughter Robert Kenney Grand  
mother was Nancy Baker maiden name Nancy Eastredge

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

(Signature) Sissie Hill

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

Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Samuel Burchfield  
and Sam Freeman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Sissie Hill  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. M. Isbill Samuel Burchfield  
Geo W Isbill Sam Freeman

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

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



No. 37415

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Samuel Hughes* and *6* children. Residence: *Medlin, Texas.*

Reasons:

*Stepher of 35629, Claims the same source  
Medlin, N.C.*

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No. 37415

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

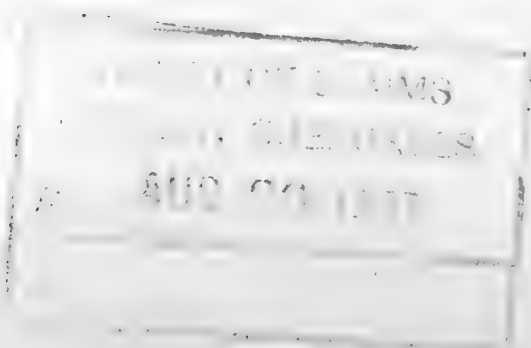
APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel Snyder &  
6 children*

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

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37415

**Special 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: Samuel Hughes

Indian name: 11 Birchfield

2. Residence and post office: Gre Lynn (Medicine<sup>2</sup>)

3. County: Swain

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 45 Born Feb 5 - 1862

6. Where were you born? Polk County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rodie Hughes 26

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)	Jessie	16	April 19 - 1891
(2)	Wilson	14	May 8 - 1893
(3)	Nathaniel	11	November 27 - 1895
(4)	Joel	9	March 5 - 1898
(5)	Thomas	2	Oct 22 - 1904
(6)	Ethel	6	Jan 4 1901

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

Father—English name: Joah Hughes

Indian name: 11 11

Mother—English name: Nancy 11

Indian name: 11 Birchfield

Maiden name: 11 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: Polk County Tenn

Mother: Carters 11 11



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

Father: Palk County Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1871

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: The Birchfields - sure

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mary, E. Hayes</u>	<u>no record</u>	
(2)	<u>Bryce</u> <u>11</u>		
	<u>John</u> <u>11</u>		
(3)	<u>Bliss</u> <u>11</u>		
	<u>Sisda</u> <u>11</u>		
(4)	<u>Wilson</u> <u>11</u>		
(5)	<u>Dannie</u> <u>11</u>		
(6)	<u>Lillie</u> <u>11</u>		
	<u>Ellen</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>Wilson Birchfield</u>
	<u>" "</u>
	<u>Bethie</u> <u>11</u>
	<u>" "</u>

18. Where were they born? Park County Tenn

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

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

(1)	<u>Nancy Birchfield</u>	
(2)	<u>Nathaniel</u> <u>11</u>	
(3)	<u>Myke</u> <u>11</u>	
(4)	<u>Samuel</u> <u>11</u>	
(5)	<u>Fredie</u> <u>11</u>	
(6)	<u>Lollie</u> <u>11</u>	
	<u>Anna</u> <u>11</u>	



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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother name Nancy Piles  
maiden name Nancy Burchfield her father P. Val  
Burchfield his father Nathaniel Burchfield

REMARKS.

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

his wife Anna Burchfield maiden name Anna  
Orre Kessin's daughter of Rubin McKenney  
Grandmother Nancy Baker maiden name Nancy Eastredge

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

(Signature) Samuel <sup>his</sup> Hughes

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

Geo. W. Esbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Samuel Burchfield  
and Mike Burchfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Samuel Hughes  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 24 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.

Geo. W. Esbill  
J. W. Langston

Signatures of Witnesses.

Samuel <sup>his</sup> Burchfield  
Mike <sup>his</sup> Burchfield

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo. W. Esbill  
Notary Public.

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No 37416

Action: Reject.

Name

Geo B. Elliott and his children.

Residence:

Carving, Tenn.

Reasons:

ancestors not on rolls, Did not appear to give testimony, Was neglected to answer letter of inquiry in regard to family relations, Does not establish genuine connection with Cherokee Tribe.

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*Business Card*  
No. 37416

Name *Geo. B. Elliott*

With No. ....

Remarks:

*nos. 37417-18,  
grouped herewith.  
To appear at Madison  
1000 term June 5-27-20  
not on rolls.  
G. B. Elliott*



No. 37416

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Geo B Elliott*  
*& 4 children*

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
AND COMPANY

NOTE



**Special 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: Geo B Elliott

Indian name: 11 11 11

2. Residence and post office: Carriager

3. County: Morroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 32 Born 24 Feb 1874

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Manda Elliott 28

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Son Elliott</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>8 June 1901</u>
(2)	<u>James</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>27 Jan 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Ara</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>16 Dec 1904</u>
(4)	<u>Wm H</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>5 March 1907</u>
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Harve Elliott

Indian name: 11 11

Mother—English name: Marcus

Indian name: 11 11

Maiden name: 11 Cooper

12. Where were they born?

Father: Blunt County Tenn

Mother: 11 11 11

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

Father: Texas

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 11

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

and with what tribe of Indians: Fathers People were

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Charley Elliott		
(2)	Manda 11		
(3)	Grover 2 11		
(4)	Mary 11		
(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 Elliott		John Cooper	
11	11	11	11
Rutha 11		Margaret 11	
11 11	11	11	Rosie

18. Where were they born? N C

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

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

(1)	Harve Elliott	Bart	11
(2)	John 11	Frank	11
(3)	Martha 11	Pat	11
(4)	Carroll 11	Philip	11
(5)	Mary 11	Leila	11
(6)	Mary 11	Abraham	11
	Melinda 11	Virginia	11
	James 11	Catharine	
	Lizzie 11		

Isaac was married twice

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

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

Elliott & his Father Isaac Elliott & his  
Father Jason Elliott

REMARKS. They were enrolled

(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) Geo B Elliott

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

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me James L Nelson

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

that they are well acquainted with Geo B Elliott

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Geo W Isbill

J. L. Wenzel

Signatures of Witnesses.

James L Nelson

Rutha Harris

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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Arch. 107410

Aug 15, 1934.

George W. Smith,  
C. Brewer, Wash.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grand parents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents or grand parents ever, either as white people, Indian or negro in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why were you exempt from the war when you were not enrolled in 1861, and where were you or your parents in 1861, if living at that time. Have you ever been a member on the side through which you claimed to be in 1861-62?

If your parents or grand parents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

WBB/ALS





*CVB.*  
Appl. #37416

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

May 13, 1908.

George B. Elliott,  
Coringer, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents or grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

*George B. Elliott*

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

*COMB.*  
Appl. #37416

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Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

*George B. Elliott*

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS



No. 37417

Name: *Mary L. Elliott* and *2* children. Action: *Reject.*  
Residence: *Coringa, Tenn.*  
Reasons: *Sister of # 37416*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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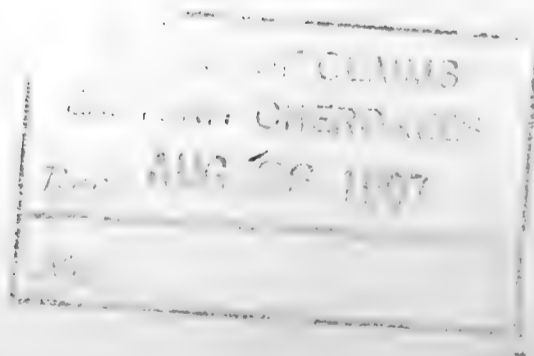
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary J. Elliott*  
*Per [Signature]*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Mary L. J. Elliott  
Indian name: ll
2. Residence and post office: Caines
3. County: Monroe
4. State: Tenn.
5. How old are you? 30 Born March 22, 1877
6. Where were you born? Blount County Tenn.
7. Are you married? Single
8. Name and age of wife or husband: ll
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>Artie L. Elliott</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>March 23, 1900</u>
(2)	<u>Margaret J. ll</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>March 27, 1903</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Wm H. Elliott  
Indian name: ll  
Mother—English name: Darcus  
Indian name: ll  
Maiden name: ll Coaker

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Cades Court Tenn.  
Mother: ll

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

Father: Tom

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>George D. Elliott</u>		
	<u>Char. E. "</u>		
(2)	<u>Amanda E. "</u>		
	<u>Israel J. "</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

*Record*

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>Isac Elliott</u>	<u>John Cooper</u>
<u>" "</u>	<u>" "</u>
<u>Rutha "</u>	<u>Margaret "</u>
<u>Martian " Loney</u>	<u>" Rawens</u>
	<u>N.C.</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>Henry Elliott</u>	<u>Franklin Elliott</u>
(2)	<u>John "</u>	<u>Pat "</u>
(3)	<u>Martha "</u>	<u>Phyllis "</u>
(4)	<u>Candice "</u>	<u>Letty "</u>
(5)	<u>Warry M. "</u>	<u>Abner "</u>
(6)	<u>Mary "</u>	<u>Arsenal "</u>
	<u>Maltidy "</u>	<u>Catherine "</u>
	<u>Jim "</u>	
	<u>John "</u>	
	<u>Rebecca "</u>	
	<u>Isac was married twice</u>	

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father's name was  
Haras Elliott this Father's name was Dec  
Elliott this Father was Jason Elliott

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 L. J. Elliott

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

Samuel Sobell

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

Martha A. Grant

and

George R. Elliott

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mary L. J. Elliott

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.

W. W. [unclear]

Signatures of Witnesses.

Martha A. Grant  
George R. Elliott

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

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. 37418

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Rutha Hovner* and *X* children.

Residence: *Spa Tenn.*

Reasons: *Uncle of # 37416.*

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No. 37418

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Rutha Harris*

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

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DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
AUG 26 1907

**Special Commission 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 Harris  
Indian name: " Elliott

2. Residence and post office: Spe

3. County: Murray

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 70 Born March 9 - 1837

6. Where were you born? Jackson County N. C.

7. Are you married? No My husband left me 20 years ago

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Joe Harris

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: Simon Elliott

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Beeva

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: " Harris

12. Where were they born?

Father: N. C.

Mother: " "



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

Father: dead

Mother: N.Y.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1848

Mother: 1855

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 1835 or 36

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Samuel Elliott		
(2)	Isaac 11	no record	
	Melinda "		
(3)	Huston 11		
	Melvinia "		
(4)	John 11		
	Synthia "		
(5)	Ben 11		
	Emley 11		
(6)	James 11		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

I can't give my Grand Parents names  
James Elliott My Father was  
a Cherokee

18. Where were they born? N.Y.

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

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

- (1) Samuel Elliott
- (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: said to be

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

Jason Elliott 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) Rutha Harris

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

Geo W Esbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me James L Nelson

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

that they are well acquainted with Rutha Harris

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 50 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Geo W Esbill

J. D. Doughty

Signatures of Witnesses.

James L Nelson

Samuel Burchfield

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Esbill  
Notary Public.

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

No. 37419

Name *Palma Davis* and / children. Residence: *Fairfax, N.C.* Action: *Appeal*

Reasons:

*Value of \$ 3629. Claims the same source*

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No. 37419.

Name *Palma Davis*

With No. 37414.

Remarks:

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

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Palina Davis &  
1 child*

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

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**Special 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: Palma Davis

Indian name: " Birchfield

2. Residence and post office: Fairfax

3. County: Swain

4. State: N. C.

5. How old are you? 21 Born 9 June 1886

6. Where were you born? Blount County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charley Davis 26

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>Betty</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Feb 4 - 1906</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: John Noyes

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Nancy

Indian name: " Birchfield

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Polk County Tenn

Mother: Warner County Tenn

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

Father: Polk County Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1871

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: Brothers People were

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nathaniel Birchfield		
(2)	Hugh	"	
(3)	John	"	
	Elizabeth	"	
(4)	Samuel	"	
	Sinda	"	
(5)	Wilson	"	
	Lavis	"	
(6)	Lillie	"	
	Ellen	"	

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.
	Wilson Birchfield
	" "
	Bethie
	" "

18. Where were they born? Carters County Tenn

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

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

(1)	Karey	Birchfield	
(2)	Emma		
(3)	Samuel	"	
(4)	Leke	"	
(5)	Nathaniel	"	
(6)	Lollie	"	
	Judie	"	

21. 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: brothers name Nancy Hughs  
maiden name Nancy Birchfield her father  
Wilson Birchfield & his father

REMARKS.

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

Nathaniel Birchfield his wife Anna  
Birchfield maiden name Annabone Kenny  
a daughter of Ruben & Bess Kenny  
Grand brother Nancy Baker maiden name  
Nancy Eastridge

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

(Signature) Palina Davis

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

Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Sam Freeman  
and Samuel Birchfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Palina Davis  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Isbill Sam. Freeman  
J. H. Wagoner Samuel Birchfield

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

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



No. 37420

Action: Rejected

Name Debra Hill

and 2 children.

Residence: Fairfax, U.C.

Reasons:

Referred to #13003 and claims this same source.

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No. 37420

Name Deaton Hill

With No. 13003

Remarks:

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No. 37420

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Decatur Hill  
2 children

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

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Decater Hill

Indian name: " Payne

2. Residence and post office: Fairfax N.C.

3. County: Swain

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 25 Born Dec 15 1882

6. Where were you born? N.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sindia Hill, 20

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Orjala Hill</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Nov 7, 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Ray "</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>March 6, 1906</u>
(3)			
(4)	<u>I place in this app for my</u>		
(5)	<u>children my husband has placed</u>		
(6)	<u>there in also</u>		

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

Father—English name: Ben Hill

Indian name: " Payne

Mother—English name: Helfia Hill

Indian name: " Payne

Maiden name: " Payne

12. Where were they born?

Father: N.C.

Mother: "

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

Father: Not Banned

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Alfred Hill		
(2)	Green " "		
(3)	Reese " "		
(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.
Elgia Hill	Green Payne
" Payne	" "
Delia Hill	Elizabeth Payne
" " "	" " "
Maria " "	Mary " Hopkins

18. Where were they born? NC

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

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

(1)	Alfred Hill	John Payne
(2)	Mary " "	Sam " "
(3)	Rachel " "	Mel " "
(4)	Sissie " "	Tim " "
(5)		Robt " "
(6)		Tom " "
		Joel " "
		Randy " "



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

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

*My father's name is Green*  
Hill his mother's name *Harriett Payne*  
*Mother's name* *Harriett Payne* *Father's name* *Green*  
*Payne his Father's name* *Green*  
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) *Deceator Hill*

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

*Geo W Loblill*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *Jan 1*, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Palina Davis*  
and *Samuel Hughes*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Deceator Hill* 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. *Palina Davis*  
*Samuel Hughes*  
Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires *Jan 1*, 1908. *Geo W Loblill*  
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. 37421

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Samuel Birchfield* and *no* children. Residence: *Cadys Cove, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Brother of 95629.*

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No. 37421-9

Name

With No. 37414

Remarks:

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No. 37491

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel Birchfield*

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

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Samuel Parsonfield

Indian name: "

2. Residence and post office: Cades Cove

3. County: Blount

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 63 Born 1844

6. Where were you born? Cades Cove

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mrs. E. Parsonfield 75

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>all over age</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Witson Parsonfield

Indian name: "

Mother—English name: Petty

Indian name: "

Maiden name: " Davis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cades Cove Tenn.

Mother: N.C.

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

Father: Tenn.

Mother: N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1883

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: Purchfield, M.C. Kimmey

Coastridges were

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Anna Purchfield</u>		
(2)	<u>Nathaniel "</u>	<u>None record</u>	
(3)	<u>Nancy "</u>		
(4)	<u>Sally "</u>		
(5)	<u>Jeak " Dead</u>		
(6)	<u>Indie "</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>Nathaniel Purchfield</u>	<u>Jas. C. Baker</u>
<u>" "</u>	<u>Nancy "</u>
<u>Anna</u>	<u>" Coastridge</u>
<u>" "</u>	<u>" "</u>

18. Where were they born? N.C.

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

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

(1)	<u>Nathaniel Purchfield</u>	
(2)	<u>Jahn</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Jeake</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Lamuel</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Bettie</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Sally</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Anna</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: \_\_\_\_\_

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. Father's name will say

Burchfield his Father Nathaniel Burchfield  
his wife's name Anna Burchfield, Maiden name

REMARKS.

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

Mrs. M. E. Kinney <sup>daughter of</sup> Robert M. Kinney  
Mother, Maiden name Nancy Eastridge  
of Cherokee.

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

(Signature) Samuel <sup>his</sup> Burchfield

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

Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan, 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 L. Nelson

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

that they are well acquainted with Samuel Burchfield

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 50 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Geo W Isbill  
J. T. Vaughan

Signatures of Witnesses.

Samuel L. Nelson  
Rutha Harris

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

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



No. 37422

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Geo M. Burchfield* and *2* children. Residence: *Cades Cove, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Stephens of 35629, claims the same source*

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No. 37422

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Geo M. Burchfield  
& children*

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

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EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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**Special 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. Burchfield

Indian name: " "

2. Residence and post office: Cades Cove

3. County: Blount

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 36 Born Oct. 14, 1871

6. Where were you born? Blount County Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Burchfield 27

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Wm Burchfield</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>March 16, 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Jennie "</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Feb 14, 1902</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>

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

Father—English name: Lamuel Burchfield

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Nancy E. "

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: " Davis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Carter County Tenn.

Mother: Blount " "

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

Father: Cades Cove Tenn

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Burchfield		
	George "		
(2)	Nathan "		
	Mrs " Dead		
(3)	Marion "		
	Wilson " Dead		
(4)	Mary Ann "		
	Susan "		
(5)	Catherine "		
(6)			

*No record*

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.
Wilson Burchfield	
" "	
Bettie "	
" "	

18. Where were they born? Tenn

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

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

(1)	Nancy Burchfield	
(2)	Anna "	
(3)	Samuel "	
(4)	John "	
(5)	Nathan "	
(6)	Harriet "	
	India "	

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *My Father's name Samuel Burchfield his Father Wilbur Burchfield his Father Nathanial Burchfield his wife Anna*

REMARKS.

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

*Burchfield maiden name, Anna M. E. ~~King~~ ~~is~~ daughter of Robert M. E. Kimer Grandmother Nancy Baker maiden name Nancy Estridge Cherokee*

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

(Signature) *George W. Burchfield*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16* day of *Sept* 1907.

*W. H. Oliver*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*Jan 1* 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *George H. Myers*  
and *J. C. Myers*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *George W. Burchfield* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

*J. V. Vaughn*

Signatures of Witnesses.

*George H. Myers*

*J. C. Myers*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16* day of *September* 1907.

My commission expires

*Oct. 23* 1910

*W. H. Oliver*  
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. 37422.

September 9, 1907.

George W. Burchfield,  
Cades Cove, Tennessee.

Sir:

Your Eastern Cherokee Application is returned herewith,  
and you are requested to swear to the same before a Notary Public  
or other proper official and return the same to this Office without  
delay. Also have your witnesses swear to their affidavit.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WBA

Enclosure.

CHEROKEE CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
SEP 20 1907

Wades Cove Tenn.

Sept. 16-1907

I hereby certify that I have  
scratched out the names of  
those witnesses that was on  
this claim, because of one  
being in N. C. and the other  
not known, and has  
wrote the present named  
witnesses herein stated  
in their place, who writes  
their own names.

W. H. Cliver  
Notary Public.

No. 37423

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Nathaniel Burdfield* and 10 children. Residence: *Cades Cove, Tenn*

Reasons:

*Stepher of 3 56 29, Claims thru same source*

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No. 37423

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

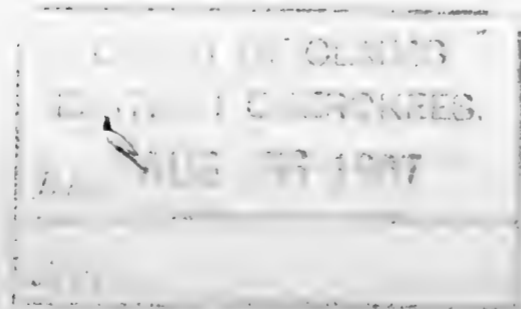
APPLICATION

OF

*Nathaniel Birchfield*  
*& 10 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 10, 1905 and May 28, 1906.

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37423

**Special 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: Nathaniel Burchfield

Indian name:           "          "

2. Residence and post office: Baden Cove

3. County: Blunt

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 44 Born 20 Aug - 1863

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elizabeth Burchfield 43

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>Gordelia Burchfield</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Sept 29 - 1886</u>
(2)	<u>Samuel</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Jan 27 - 1888</u>
(3)	<u>Nancy</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Feb 24 - 1889</u>
(4)	<u>Pleasant</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Sept 5 - 1890</u>
(5)	<u>John H</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>April 10 - 1892</u>
(6)	<u>Bruce</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>May 11 - 1894</u>
(7)	<u>Thea</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Oct 15 - 1895</u>

*My wife has put in an application also*

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

Father—English name: Samuel Burchfield

Indian name:           "          "

Mother—English name: Nancy

Indian name:           "          "

Maiden name:           "          Lewis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Carters county Tenn

Mother: Blunt " "

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

Father: Gades Cove Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: "

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Amanda Burchfield		
		see record	
(2)	Zeke "		
	Jahn "		
(3)	Geo "		
	Nathaniel "		
(4)	Wm "		
	Marian "		
(5)	Wilson "		
	Mary Ann "		
(6)	Drew "		
	Catherine "		

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.
Wilson Burchfield	
" "	" "
Bethie "	" "
" "	" "

18. Where were they born? Tenn

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

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

(1)	Samuel Burchfield		
(2)	Nathaniel "		
(3)	Zeke "		
(4)	Emma "		
(5)	Nancy "		
(6)	Lollie "		
	Judie "		

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

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

Burchfield his Father Wilson Burchfield & his  
Nathaniel Burchfield his Wife Anna Burchfield

REMARKS.

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

Maiden name Anna Mc Kenney he Father  
Ruban Mc Kenney Grand Mother Nancy  
Baker Maiden Name Nancy Eastledge

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

(Signature) Nathaniel Burchfield

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

Geo W Esbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Samuel Hughes  
and Geo B Elliott, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Nathaniel Burchfield  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and  
30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Samuel Hughes  
Geo B Elliott

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W Esbill  
Notary Public.

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



No. 37424

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Amanda Buckfield* and *2* children. Residence: *Lades Cove, Tenn*

Reasons:

*Kece of 35629*

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No. 37431

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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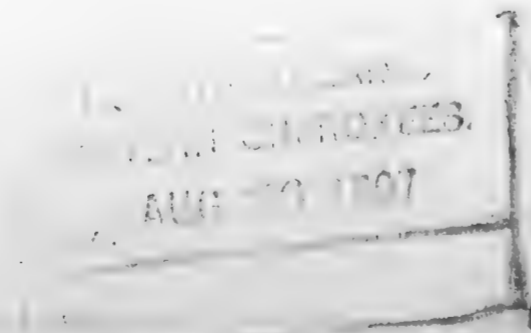
APPLICATION

OF

*Amanda Burchfield*

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

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37431

**Special 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: Cassandra Burchfield  
Indian name: ''

2. Residence and post office: Wades Cross

3. County: Blount

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 45 Born Dec 25 - 1861

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Liddie Burchfield	16	Feb 13 - 1891
(2)	Frankie	13	Feb 11 - 1894
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Samuel Burchfield

Indian name: ''

Mother—English name: Nancy

Indian name: ''

Maiden name: '' Harris

12. Where were they born?

Father: Carters County Tenn

Mother: Carters County Tenn



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

Father: Cades Cove

Mother: '' ''

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: ''

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mike Burchfield		
(2)	George	''	no record
(3)	Nathan	''	
	Tom	''	dead
(4)	Marion		
	Wilson	''	dead
(5)	Mary Ann	''	
	Susan	''	
(6)	Catharine	''	
	John M	''	

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.
Wilson Burchfield	
''	
Bethie	
''	

18. Where were they born? Tenn

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

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

(1)	Samuel Burchfield	
(2)	Nathaniel	''
(3)	Mike	''
(4)	Marion	''
(5)	Nancy	''
(6)	Halle	''
	Judie	''



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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father name Samuel Burchfield & his Father Wilson Burchfield & his Father Nathaniel Burchfield his wife

REMARKS.

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

was Anna Burchfield maiden name  
Anna <sup>her Father Ruben McKim</sup> Resney Grandmother Nancy  
Baker maiden name Nancy Edstridge

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

(Signature) Amanda Burchfield

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

Geo W Esbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Samuel Hughes  
and Nancy Burchfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Amanda Burchfield  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and  
30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J T Vaughn Samuel Hughes  
Geo W Esbill Nancy Burchfield

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W Esbill  
Notary Public.

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

No. 37425

Action: *Rejected*

Name *J. M. Buschfeld* and *no* children. Residence: *Cades Cove Tenn*

Reasons:

*Stepher of S 3629, claims the same source.*

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No. 37425

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*John B. Burchfield*

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



37425



**Special 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 M. Burchfield

Indian name: " "

2. Residence and post office: Cades Cove

3. County: Blount

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? ?? Born Feb. 14, 1874

6. Where were you born? Blount County Tenn.

7. Are you married? Single

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>Name</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 Burchfield

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Nancy E.

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: " Davis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Carter County Tenn.

Mother: Blount " "



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

Father: Cades Cove

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Jake Burchfield		
	George "		
(2)	Nathan "		
	John " Dead		
(3)	Merrin "		
	Wilson " Dead		
(4)	Mary Ann "		
	Susan "		
(5)	Catharine "		
(6)			

*No record*

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.
Wilson Burchfield	
" "	
Bettie "	
" "	

18. Where were they born? Tenn.

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

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

(1)	Nancy Burchfield	
(2)	Sydney "	
(3)	Samuel "	
(4)	Jake "	
(5)	Nathan "	
(6)	Dollie "	
	Judith "	

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father's name Samuel Purchfield his Father William Purchfield his Father Nathaniel Purchfield his Wife Anna

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.) Purchfield Maiden name <sup>Anna</sup> M. C. Kinney a daughter of Ruben M. C. Kinney Grand mother Nancy Baker Maiden name Nancy Eastbridge Cherokee,

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

(Signature) John M. Purchfield

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

Geo W Sobill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me George B. + Elliott and Samuel Hughes, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well-acquainted with John M. Purchfield who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark. J. Traughm

Signatures of Witnesses. George B. Elliott  
Samuel Hughes

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

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Sobill  
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. 37426

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Zeke Buschfield* and *no* children. Residence: *Cades Cove Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Stephus of 35629, claims the same source*

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No. 37426

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Lyle Burchfield*

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

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	No children		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

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

Father: Tenn

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Panchfield		
	Nathaniel		
(2)	Anna		No record
	Amanda		
(3)	Ann	Dead	
	Susan J.		
(4)	George W		
	John M		
(5)	Catherine		
	William R		
(6)	Ann	Dead	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Panchfield	
"	
Bettie	
"	

18. Where were they born? Carter, Tenn

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

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

(1)	Nancy Panchfield	
(2)	Anna	
(3)	Samuel	
(4)	Lekey	
(5)	Nathaniel	
(6)	Hollis	
	India	

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father's name Samuel Burchfield his Father William Burchfield his Father Nathaniel Burchfield his wife Anna

REMARKS.

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

Burchfield maiden name Anna Mc  
Riney a daughter of Rufus Mc Riney  
Grand mother Nancy Baker maiden name Nancy  
Eastredge a Cherokee

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

(Signature)

John Burchfield

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

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Nancy Hughes  
and Nathaniel Hughes, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with John Burchfield  
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.

J. T. Vaughn  
Geo W Isbill

Signatures of Witnesses.

Nancy Hughes  
Nathaniel Hughes

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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



No. 37427

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Tilda Brown* and / children. Residence: *Cades Cove, Tenn*

Reasons:

*Grand-niece of 35629, claims thru same source.*

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No. 37427

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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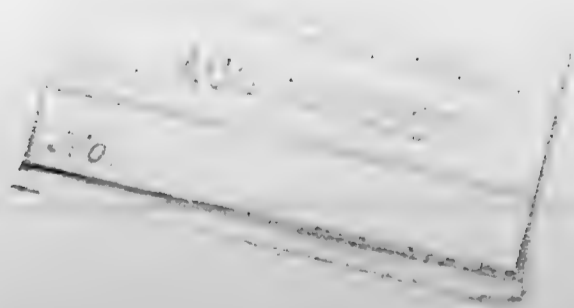
APPLICATION

OF

Silda Brown  
1 child

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

6-624



37427

**Special 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: Tilda Brown

Indian name: " Burchfield

2. Residence and post office: Cades Cove

3. County: Blunt

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 22

Born Feb 16 - 1884

6. Where were you born? Cades Cove Tenn.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charley Brown 23

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary Brown</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>May 10 - 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: Nathaniel Burchfield

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Elizabeth

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Blunt County Tenn.

Mother: " "

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

Father: not known

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: not known

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>David Birchfield</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Samuel</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>no recd</u>
(2)	<u>Nancy</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Pleasant</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>John</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Bruce</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Baxter</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Theodore</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Lee</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Jessie</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>Samuel Birchfield</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Joak</u>	<u>Hughes</u>
<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
<u>Nancy</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Nancy</u>	<u>"</u>
<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Birchfield</u>

18. Where were they born? Tenn

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

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

(1)	<u>Amanda Birchfield</u>	<u>Elizabeth</u>	<u>Hughes</u>
(2)	<u>Mike</u>	<u>Nathaniel</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Emelton</u>	<u>John</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Geo</u>	<u>Samuel</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Katharine</u>	<u>Wilson</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Jessie</u>	<u>Sillie Ann</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Mary Ann</u>	<u>Ellen</u>	<u>"</u>
		<u>Horrie</u>	<u>"</u>
		<u>Maida</u>	<u>"</u>
		<u>Elina</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: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father's name Nathaniel Burchfield his Father Samuel Burchfield & his Winson Burchfield & his Nathaniel Burchfield

REMARKS.

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

his wife Anna Burchfield maiden name Anna McKeeney her Father Ruben McKeeney Great Grandmother Nancy <sup>Baker</sup> ~~McKeeney~~ maiden name Nancy Castledge

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

(Signature) Tilda Brown

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

Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Plina Davis  
and Samuel Burchfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Tilda Brown  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person her represents herself to be, 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 W Isbill Plina Davis  
J J Tonger Samuel Burchfield

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

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



No. 37428

Action: Reported

Name Raney Hughes and 1 children. Residence: Farmington, N.C.

Reasons:

Sister of 35629

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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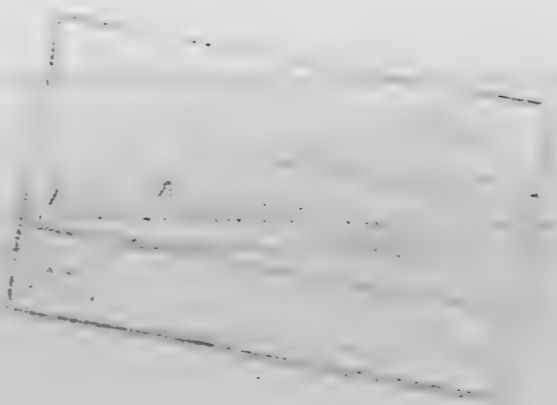
APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy Hughes*  
*Chickel*

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



37428

**Special 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 Hughes

Indian name: Birchfield

2. Residence and post office: Hairfox

3. County: Smair

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 61 Born 15 Nov 1845

6. Where were you born? Cherokee County N.C.

7. Are you married? no husband dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Hughes 69

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>all over age</u>		
(2)	<u>I have a granddaughter to raise</u>		
(3)	<u>&amp; I place her in this application with me</u>		
(4)	<u>her mother is dead she was my daughter</u>		
(5)	<u>her name Lillie Hughes maiden name Lillie Birchfield</u>		
(6)	<u>Gracie Hughes</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>April 29 - 1901</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: I pray you to consider the child as with me

Father—English name: William Birchfield

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Sally

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: " Baker

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee County Tenn

Mother: N.C.



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

Father: Tenn

Mother: N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1883

Mother: 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: The Birchfields were

& the Estridges were

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Anna Birchfield		
(2)	Nathaniel	no record	
(3)	Samuel		
(4)	Hollie		
(5)	Zeke	dead	
(6)	Judie		

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.
Nathaniel Birchfield	
" "	
Anna	
" "	

18. Where were they born? N.C.

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

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

(1)	Nathaniel Birchfield	
(2)	John	"
(3)	Zeke	"
(4)	Samuel	"
(5)	Belle	"
(6)	Sally	"
	Anna	"



21. 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: Mathus mine  
Wilson Birchfield <sup>his father</sup> Nathaniel Birchfield  
his wife was Anna Birchfield (Anna

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
McCormey (maiden name) her father  
Ruban McCormey) Nancy Baker (my Grand  
mother (maiden name) all cheeropus  
Nancy Estridge

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

(Signature) Nancy Hughes

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

Geo W Skill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W E Grant  
and James L Nelson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Nancy Hughes  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 29 years and  
50 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
W E Grant  
\_\_\_\_\_  
James L Nelson

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

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Skill  
Notary Public.

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

No. 37429

Action: *Repealed*

Name *Elizabeth Purcell* and 10 children. Residence: *Cades Cove Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Repealed of 35629, claims thru same source.*

37429

No.

37-129

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Elizabeth Birchfield*  
*3410 children*

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

6-624



*520-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: Elizabeth Birchfield  
Indian name: " "

2. Residence and post office: Badger Cove

3. County: Blount

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 43 Born Oct 6 - 1863

6. Where were you born? Polk County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nathaniel Birchfield 43

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)	Corelia Birchfield	20	Sept 29 - 1884
(2)	Samuel "	19	Jan 27 - 1888
(3)	Nancy Ann "	18	Feb 24 - 1889
(4)	Pleasant H "	14	Sept 5 - 1890
(5)	John H "	13	April 10 - 1892
(6)	Barnett B "	13	May 11 - 1894
	Baxter "	11	October 15 - 1895

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

Madam " " 10 May 13 - 1897  
Lee H " " 8 December 17 - 1898  
Jessie " " 4 Sept - 23 - 1900  
Father—English name: Joak H Hays  
Indian name: " "  
Mother—English name: Nancy "  
Indian name: " Birchfield  
• Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Polk County Tenn  
Mother: Carters county Tenn



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

Father: Park county Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1871

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: Mothers People were

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nathaniel Birchfield		
(2)	Hugh	"	
(3)	John	" dead	
	Oliver	"	
(4)	Samuel	"	
	Sizda	"	
(5)	Wilson	" (no heirs)	
	Hannie	"	
(6)	Lillie, Ann	" dead	
	Ellen	"	

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.
	Wilson Birchfield
	" "
	Bettie
	" "

18. Where were they born? Carters county 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)	Nancy Birchfield	
(2)	Nathaniel	"
(3)	Zeke	"
(4)	Samuel	"
(5)	Judie	"
(6)	Hollie	"
	Anna	"

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother same Nancy  
Nancy Maiden same Nancy Birchfield & her  
father Wilson Birchfield & his father

REMARKS.

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

Nathaniel Birchfield his wife Anna Birchfield  
Maiden same Anna Mc Kenney a daughter of  
Ruban Mc Kenney) my Great Grand Mother was  
Nancy Baker Maiden same Nancy Eastredge

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

(Signature) Elizabeth <sup>for</sup> Birchfield

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

Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Samuel Birchfield  
and James L Nelson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Birchfield  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 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 her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J. G. Benson

Signatures of Witnesses.

Samuel Birchfield  
James L Nelson

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Re. JAN 20 1908  
No. 37429

*W. E. ...*  
JAN 20 1908

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Dear Mr. Miller

Long St, Jan 16, 1908

Mr. Miller

Dear Sir  
please write and tell us  
whether or not your name is on  
the roll here are not...  
and if you are when we will  
get it are not.

your truly  
Elizabeth Archibald



No. 37430

Action: Reject

Name Walter P. Cochran and children. Residence: Bait Ground, Va.

Reasons: Son of # 37486

37430

No. 37430

Name Wylie P. Cochran

With No. ~~37430~~

Remarks: ~~37430~~  
37485

No. 37430

Name Wylie P. Cochran

With No. ~~Chick~~

Remarks:

~~37430~~  
37485

No. 37430

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Gaylie P. Cochran

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

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37430



**Special 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: Nylie Perry Cochran

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

2. Residence and post office: Bart Ground

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 33 Born January 18<sup>th</sup> 1874

6. Where were you born? Cherokee County

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Orew,

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 F. Cochran</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Mar. 9<sup>th</sup> 1896</u>
(2)	<u>Rufus M. Cochran</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Sept. 2, 1900</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Wiley Frank in Cochran

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

Mother—English name: Oziza Jane Howell

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

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

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: "

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

Father: Whitaker Co. Ga

Mother: Forsyth Co. Ga

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)	_____	_____	_____
(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>Mrs. Cooman</u>	<u>Francis Howell</u>
<u>Miss Jane Cooman</u>	<u>Laura Howell</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

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

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

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

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

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father's Great Grand Father on his Mother's side was one fourth Indian "Hard Griffin"

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) Wiley P. Cochran

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

Olin Fincher, O.S.O.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Ben F. Willingham  
and John McFarland, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Wiley Perry Cochran 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.

Ben F. Willingham

John McFarland

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

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1907. Olin Fincher, O.S.O.  
Notary Public.

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Appl. 57450

July 14, 1908.

Miss J. Coakley,  
1111 1/2 St. N.

Sir:

Relative to your application for registration in the N. Carolina State, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents were ever in the Georgia State. If so, at location and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents ever in the Georgia State. In case of persons in the Georgia State in which you and they have resided.

By way of the report filed when you did not su-  
walled in 1861, and there was no other residence in  
1861-62, at living at that time. Please have your grand-  
parents on the side through which you did not live in  
1861-62.

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves of Indian or white people.

Very respectfully,  
Wm. H. H. H. H.

Special Commissioner

CC/ALS



No. 37431

Action: *Report*

Name: *Lewis T. Cochran* and *X* children. Residence: *Bell Ground Ga.*

Reasons: *Son of - <sup>FP</sup> 37485*

No. 37431-5

Name .....

With No. 37430.

Remarks:

David T. Cochran  
Elisha  
Laurie  
George  
Walter C. Fisher

No. 37431

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Lewis J. Cochran*

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

37431



**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: Lewis Terrell Cochran  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground RFD #2
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 34 Born Aug 26 1873
6. Where were you born? Cherokee
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sandra Alda Hembree
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: Wiley Franklin Cochran

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

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Maiden name: Eliza Jane Howell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Co Ga

Mother: Forsyth " "



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

Father: Charaskee

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:       

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

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

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Robert &amp; Spruce</u>	<u>Francis Howell</u>
<u>Abel Cochran</u>	<u>Laura Howell</u>
<u>Nevels Cochran</u>	_____
<u>Anthony June Cochran</u>	_____

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)	_____	_____
(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.)

My claim is on my fathers side  
my fathers Great Grand father on his mothers side  
was 1/4 Indian: Hard Griffin

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

(Signature) Lewis Terrell Cochran

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

Oliver Fincher O.C.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Bert Williamson  
and Lee Richards, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lewis Terrell Cochran  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 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.

Bert Williamson  
Lee Richards

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909

Oliver Fincher O.C.  
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 37432

Name *Elisha F. Cochran* and *X*

Action: *Reject*

Reasons: *Son of - # 37485* children.

Residence: *Ball Ground Ga.*

37432



No. 37432

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Elisha F. Cochran*

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

37432



**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:

*Elisha Franklin Cochran*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Ball Ground R. F. D. #2*

3. County:

*Cherokee*

4. State:

*Ga*

5. How old are you?

*23*

Born

*Mar 22, 1884*

6. Where were you born?

*Cherokee 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:

*Wiley Franklin Cochran*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Eliza Jane Howell*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Cherokee County Ga*

Mother:

*Forsyth County Ga*

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

Father: Cherokee Co Ga

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(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>Navels Cochran</u>	<u>Francis Howell</u>
<u>Aulting June Cochran</u>	<u>Saura Howell</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

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

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

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

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

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My fathers Great Grand father on his mothers side was one fourth Indian "Hard Triffin"

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) Elisha Franklin Cochran

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

Oliver Fincher C.C.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Burr F Willingham and Lee Richards, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elisha Franklin Cochran who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 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.

Burr Willingham  
Lee Richards

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909 Oliver Fincher  
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. 37433

Action: Reject

Name Laura Cochran and X children.

Residence: Ball Ground, Ga.

Reasons: Daughter of # 37485

37433



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Laura Cochran*

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

6-624



37433

**Special 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 Cochran

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

2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Tn

5. How old are you? 25 Born Feb 25, 1882

6. Where were you born? Cherokee

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: Wiley Franklin Cochran

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

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Maiden name: Elyza Jane Howell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee County Tn

Mother: Forsyth Co Tn

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

Father: Cherokee Co Ga

Mother: Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

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

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

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

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

Navels Cochran  
Althiny Jane Cochran

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Francis Howell  
Saura Howell

18. Where were they born? Don't Remember

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.)

My fathers Great Grand father on his mothers side was a 1/4 Indian Hard Griffie

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

(Signature)

Laura Cochran

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

Olin F. Fisher C.C.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Ben F. Willingham  
and Lee Richards, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Laura Cochran who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 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.

Ben Willingham  
Lee Richards

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

My commission expires

July 1, 1909.

Olin F. Fisher C.C.  
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. 37434.

Action: Reject.

Name Evans H. Cochran and X children.

Residence: Ball Ground, Ga.

Reasons: Same as #37485.

37434

37434

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

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Erans K Cochran*

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

37434

**Special 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: Evans Kinsey  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground #2 RFD
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 31 Born June 8 1876
6. Where were you born? Cherokee
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: Wiley Frankline Cochran  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Eliza Jane Howell  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

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



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

Father: Cherokee

Mother: /

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: /

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(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>Nevels Cochran</u>	<u>Francis Howell</u>
<u>Anthony Jane Cochran</u>	<u>Saura Howell</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)	_____	_____
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(5)	_____	_____
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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

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

REMARKS.

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

my claim is on my fathers side his Great Grand father on his mothers side was an Indian: Hard Jeffie

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

(Signature) Evens Kinsey Cochran

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

Olie Fischer O.C.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Burt Willingham  
and Lee Richards, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Evens Kinsey who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 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.

B. Willingham  
Lee Richards

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909 Olie Fischer O.C.  
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: 37435

Action: *Reject*

Name *Arthur C. & Wilson* and *X* children.

Residence: *Bell Ground Ga.*

Reasons: *Wife's of # 37485*

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No. 37435

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Walter C. Wilson*

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



37435



Special 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: Cutting Caroline Cochran = Wilson

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

2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground Ga

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 27 Born Sept 12, 1880

6. Where were you born? Cherokee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Henry Wilson 30 yrs

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: Wiley Franklin Cochran

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

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Maiden name: Eliza Jane Howell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee County

Mother: Forsyth County



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

Father: Cherokee

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

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 4

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)	_____	_____	_____
(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>Novels Cochran</u>	<u>Francis Howell</u>
<u>Anthony Jane Cochran</u>	<u>Saura Howell</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Don't Remember

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.)

My claim is on my fathers side his great Grand father on this mothers side was 1/4 Indian - Hard Greffie

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

(Signature)

Aultry Caroline

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907. Wilson

Olin Tucker Esq.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Ben F Willingham

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

that they are well acquainted with Aultry Caroline Cochran Wilson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 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.

Ben F Willingham  
Lee Richards

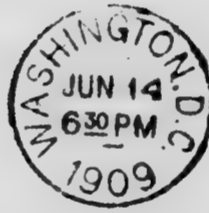
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909. Olin Tucker Esq.  
Notary Public.

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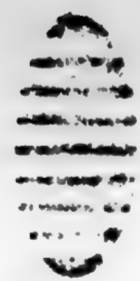
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Ball Ground,

Ga.

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

June 10, 1909.

*Cutting C. Wilson,  
Ball Ground, Ga.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 37430, 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. #37436

Name *Wm. H. Jetton* and *1* children.

Action: *Reject*

Residence: *Cullman, Ala*  
*R. 4, D#3*

Reasons:

*Claims thru same source*  
*as #17042.*

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No. 37436-7.

Name .....

With No. 17042

Remarks:

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7 1/2 7/16

No. 37436

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Wm. R. Jettou*

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

37436



**Special 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 Newton Jettou

Indian name: William Newton Jettou

2. Residence and post office: Cullman Co. Ala. P.O. No 3-

3. County: Cullman County

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 58 Born Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 1849

6. Where were you born? Marshall County Ala

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wortha D Jettou Born July 28<sup>th</sup> 1852

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>Lucy Angeline Jettou</u>		<u>Feb 29 1876</u>
(2)	<u>William M P Jettou</u>		<u>May 27 1877</u>
(3)	<u>James Thomas Jettou</u>		<u>Nov 20 1878</u>
(4)	<u>Lester Eddy Jettou</u>		<u>Dec 30 1883</u>
(5)	<u>Mary Katherine Jettou</u>		<u>Feb 22 1885</u>
(6)	<u>Martha Louisa Jettou</u>		<u>June 26 1886</u>

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

Forther Boston Jettou = Mother Eunice Davis =

Father—English name: Boston Jettou

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Eunice Davis = Eunice Jettou

Indian name: Eunice Davis =

Maiden name: Eunice Davis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Born in Marshall Co Ala

Mother: " " Marshall Co Ala

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

Father: Marshall Co Ala on Town Creek

Mother: Marshall Co Ala on Town Creek

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: = Dont know =

Mother: died in year 1859

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>George W Jettou</u>	<u>Dont know - now lives</u>	<u>Dallas Co Texas</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.  
Bill Jettou  
Dont know Grand mother  
None

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Milind Davis (Father)  
Rebecca Tony (Doris) Indian name  
Grand mother's Indian name was Elizabeth Tony-

18. Where were they born? Marshall Co Ala.

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

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

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) Dont 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: 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 claim through my mother whose maiden name was Davis she being a daughter of Rebecca Davis (Tony) who was a Cherokee Indian - and a daughter Elizabeth Tony who was a Cherokee Indian -

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

*William H. Getton*  
(Signature)

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

My commission expires

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*P. J. Burke*  
Notary Public  
Judge of Probate

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 Self

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

that they are well acquainted with William H. Getton

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.

*William Self*  
*Pat Self*

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

My commission expires

190

*P. J. Burke*  
Notary Public  
Judge of Probate

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UNITED STATES  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Mr. Lucian Wilson  
Dear Mr. Wilson  
I have received your letter  
of the 27th and am glad  
to hear that you will  
be applying for No. 34436  
I have voted to see that  
you have time to see  
me from you the present  
of course in this case  
- Best regards -

SHILOH & CHEROKEES  
No. 37436.

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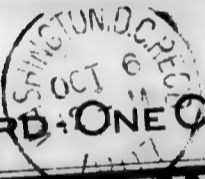
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No. 37437

Action: Reject

Name: Wm. M. Feather and 2 children. Residence: Cullman, Ala.

P. D. # 3

Reasons: Claims this same source as #17042.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*John M. P. Jettan*

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



37437



**Special 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 M P Jettou  
Indian name: same
2. Residence and post office: Cullman Ala RFD #3
3. County: Cullman
4. State: Alabama
5. How old are you? 3 yrs Born May 27 1877
6. Where were you born? Marshall County
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Minnie Lee Jettou
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>Mertie May Jettou</u>	<u>3 yrs</u>	<u>Jan 14<sup>th</sup> 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Bernard Watts Jettou</u>	<u>1 1/2 yrs</u>	<u>" 5 1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

name of father William H Jettou = Martha Delena Jettou  
name before marriage — moore — William H Jettou  
Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: William H Jettou  
Mother—English name: Martha Delena Jettou  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Martha Delena Moore

12. Where were they born?

Father: Marshall County  
Mother: Marshall County



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

Father: Monrovia County

Mother: not living in 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: now alive

Mother: now alive

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 - has filed application

to day - Cherokee

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Julie Angeline Jettou Cullman Co Ala	Feb 29 1876	
(2)	James Thomas Jettou Blount Co Ala	Nov 20 <sup>th</sup> 1878	
(3)	Jasper Eddie Jettou Cullman Co Ala	Dec 30 <sup>th</sup> 1883	
(4)	Mary Catherine Jettou Cullman Co Ala	Feb 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1885	
(5)	Martin Lewis Jettou Cullman Co Ala	June 26 <sup>th</sup> 1886	
(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.
Boston Jettou Grand father	Mary M Moore Grand mother
Bill Jettou Great Grandfather	Jake Moore " Father
Emmie Jettou Grand mother	Don't know
Belicia Dore Great Grand mother who was Cherokee Indian	

18. Where were they born? Monrovia Co - Father's people - Mother's people was born in North Carolina

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)		
(3)	<u>Don't know</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
(4)		
(5)	<u>Don't know</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 one that I know of except  
my father - 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 father who was the son of Eunice (Davis)  
married Jettou - she was daughter of Rebecca Davis - maiden name Tomy  
who was a Cherokee Indian and a daughter of Elizabeth Tomy who was  
an Indian of the Cherokee tribe

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

(Signature)

William M P Jettou

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

R J Burke

My commission expires

Notary Public

Judge Robate

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

Pate M Self

and

G M Green

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

that they are well acquainted with William M P Jettou

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

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

himself

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G M Green

Pate M Self

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

My commission expires

R J Burke

Notary Public

Judge Robate

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No. 37438  
Name Elmer P. Cox and X children. Residence: McEwen, Tenn. Action: Reject

Reasons:

Brother of #37182.

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No. 37438

Name Elmer Cox

With No. 37182

Remarks:



No. 37438

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Elmer Cox*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1907.

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*H.C. Richardson*  
*atty*

*Dickson*  
*Tennessee*

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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— Elmer T. Cox  
 English name:    "   "   "   "  
 Indian name:    "   "   "   "
2. Residence and post office: McQueen  
 3. County: Humphris  
 4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 23 Born May 26, 1884  
 6. Where were you born? Decatur Co. Tennessee  
 7. Are you married? Yes  
 8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Cox 18  
 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 Cox  
 Indian name:    "   "   "   "  
 Mother—English name: Sarah Wilson married name  
 Indian name:    "   "   "   "  
 Maiden name: Sarah Gibson

12. Where were they born?

- Father: Decatur Co. Tennessee  
 Mother: Decatur Co. Tennessee

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

Father: Decatur Co. Tenn. Not living

Mother: Perry Co. Tennessee Not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. 27 1868 1891. May 8,

Mother: Jan 10 1861 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)	Sena Keple	Nov. 9 1877	Living
	Janett Tenn.		
(2)	W. Cox	Dec. 29, 1880	..
	Sugar Tree Tenn.		
(3)	Sula Wright	Oct. 18 1882	..
	Campbell Tenn.		
(4)	W. Wilson	Dec. 28 1896	..
	Cannon Tenn.		
(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.
Jordan Gibson	Jordan Gibson
Nancy Gibson	Nancy Gibson
John Cox	.. ..
Unknown Cox	.. ..

18. Where were they born? W. Tennessee

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)	Sarah Cox Wilson	Cannon Tenn.
(2)	William Cox	dead
(3)	John Cox	Halloway Tenn.
(4)	James Cox	dead
(5)	Sallie Cox	Decatur Tenn.
(6)	Tobias Gibson	

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grandmother Nancy Gibson was a 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) Elmer T. Cox

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

W. C. Theodores  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 1905.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Mose Frayer  
and Will Nichols, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elmer T. Cox who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and 6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mose Frayer  
Will Nichols

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

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 1905. W. C. Theodores  
Notary Public.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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Garrison Miller

Chief Commissioner

Just a few word of in-  
formation a bought the land  
of the C. in there found  
I sent in an application for

the school fund application  
no. 37438 I would like to

know whether my claim is  
all right or not all so

you Tell me where  
all the claims are

Respectful  
E. J. Coe

No. 37439.

Action: *Rejected.*

Name: *Geo. W. Holland* and *6* children.

Residence: *Jeune City, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*U.S. # 35 888.*

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No. 37439.

Name *Geo. W. H. ...*

With No. *55000*

Remarks:



No. 37439

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*George W. Holland, 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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*H. C. Richardson  
att  
Dickson  
Tennessee*

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Dewitt Hallaud, Tenn. City Tenn. 1892.  
 Fred. Hallaud. " " " " 1894.  
 Clara M. Hallaud. Tennessee City Tenn. 1905.  
 Leanne Hallaud. Tennessee City Tenn. 1903.

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

Father: Sumpshris Co. Tenn.  
 Mother: Sumpshris Co. Tenn.

Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living now.  
 Mother: Sept. 1900

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 Hallaud M. Queen Tenn.	May 17 1871	Living
(2)	Alice Hall Dead		May 1906
(3)	Mertha Edwards M. Queen Tenn.	1875	Living
(4)	Vernon Hallaud Tenn. City Tenn.	1877	" "
(5)	Mollie Street M. Queen	1879	" "
(6)	Edwards Hallaud Tennessee Tenn.	1881	" "

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

FATHER'S SIDE: W. Hallaud  
 MOTHER'S SIDE: Berryman  
Mertha Hallaud Eleger. Berryman  
 " " " " Elvira. Berryman

18. Where were they born? North Carolina.

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

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

- (1) W. Hallaud Tenn. City Tenn.
- (2) Mary Hallaud " " " "
- (3) Anna Berryman " " " "
- (4) Sis Smith " " " "
- (5) Dade McVins " " " "
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

Dewitt Holland. Tenn. City Tenn. 1892.  
Fred. Holland. " " " " 1894.  
Peter May Holland. — Tennessee City Tenn. 1905.  
Learner Holland. Tennessee City Tenn. 1903.

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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: never

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

George W. Holland, Dr. 835 My Grand Father  
For the Eastern Cherokee Indian was the son of Related

REMARKS.

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

I have Seneca Recollection. Heard older ones say  
that that my Greatgrand father was a full blood  
Cherokee Indian from the East and that he was from  
North Carolina.

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

(Signature) G. W. Holland

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

W. C. Shepard  
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 P. J. Fuqua  
and John Davis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with G. W. Holland, Jr.  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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.....  
P. J. Fuqua  
John Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

..... 1909. W. C. Shepard  
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. 37440

Action: *Printed*

Name *Virginia Jones* and *5* children.

Residence: *Wendleton, Ky*

Reasons: *2 Liza more case*

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No. 3744B.

Name *Russell M. ...*

With No. *...*

Remarks:

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No. 37440

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Suzanna Moore*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Swanna Moore

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Danleyton

3. County: Greene

4. State: Kentucky

5. How old are you? 41 Born 1866

6. Where were you born? Magoffin Co Ky

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. M. Moore 44

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:

*Abraham Moore  
1903  
Russell Moore  
2-1905*

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Jessie Simon	21	1886
(2)	Jamer Moore	18	1889
(3)	Alex "	15	1892
(4)	Bessie "	13	1894
(5)	Minnie "	8	1899
(6)	John "	7	1900

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

Father—English name: Wm Allen

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Mary Allen

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Mary Wrenman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Magoffin Co Ky

Mother: " " "

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

Father: Magoffin Co Ky

Mother: Magoffin Co Ky

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: about 1870

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Wm. Allen La Rivier Mich.	1862	
(2)	Rebecca Argo	1864	1891
(3)	R. B. Allen Culway Ky.	1870	
(4)	Grace Allen Cypri Ky.	1870	
(5)	May Allen La Rivier Mich.	1874	
(6)	Frank Allen	1875	1879

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 Allen Co. Ky	Frank Williams Co. Ky
same	same
Grady Allen	Susanna Williams
same	(J. D.) Williams

18. Where were they born? Franklin Co. Ky

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

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

1) Frank Williams	La Rivier Mich.
2) Wm. Williams	Culway Ky.
3) R. B. Williams	
4) Grady Williams	
5) May Williams	La Rivier Mich.
6) Rebecca Williams	La Rivier Mich.
7) Frank Williams	Culway Ky.

21. 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 great grand father Indian name was Goulden English name George Sizemore

REMARKS.

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

Goulden, was an indian and father of Black Hawk and Black Hawk was my Great uncle I am a cousin of Susanna Amy claim No 22149 and John Sizemore

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

(Signature)

Susanna Moore

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

Geo. A. Cornum Clerk  
By R. M. Scott D. C.  
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 John Morely  
and Laura B. Scott, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Susanna Moore  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and 2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Morely  
Laura B. Scott

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

My commission expires

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Geo. A. Cornum Clerk  
By R. M. Scott D. C.  
Notary Public.

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claim No 29652



No. 371141

Action: *Rejected*

Name *F. M. Simpson* and *2* children.

Residence: *Wington, Va.*

Reasons:

*Insufficient Cause*

371141



No. 37441

Name. F. M. Thompson

With No. Sigmund "A"

Remarks :

A

37441

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

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*F M Thompson*

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

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10-28-11

**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: J. M. Thompson

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

2. Residence and post office: Abingdon

3. County: Washington

4. State: Virginia

5. How old are you? thirty-three Born 1873- November 8th

6. Where were you born? Ashe County N. C.

7. Are you married? yes

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

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Bessie May Thompson</u>	<u>ten years</u>	<u>June 1897</u>
(2)	<u>Clara Thompson</u>	<u>seven</u>	<u>Octo 20th 1900</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: H. H. Thompson

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

Mother—English name: Jane Thompson

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

Maiden name: Jane Thompson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ashe County North Carolina

Mother: Ashe County North Carolina

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

Father: not living

Mother: Ashe County North Carolina

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:

Sept 902 by W.H. Blevins filed by R.V. Belt, atty.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Winfield Thompson Leopold Ill.	May 28th 1878	living
(2)	Mary Thompson Nebraska	July 22nd 1882	living
(3)	Joseph Thompson Keokuk, Ill.	Jan 15th 1887	living
(4)	Harrison Thompson Abingdon Va	Apr. 16th 1889	living
(5)	Alex Thompson Abingdon Va	Feb 13th 1891	living
(6)	Blair Thompson Abingdon Va	Sept 21st 1895	living
(7)	Mattie Thompson		

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.

Eng. James Thompson

Eng. Calvin Thompson

18. Where were they born?

Ash Co N.C.

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

Ash Co. N.C.

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: Sept 1902 - Sept. at Washington  
D.C. with Cherokee Indian

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. M. Thompson a son of H. H. Thompson  
a son of James Thompson a son of Pally Thompson whose maiden name was  
Blum's daughter of James & Lydia Blum's whose maiden name was Lydia  
Sizemore, a daughter of Ned Sizemore 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 United States of April 30th  
1806 - the Cherokee Indians who have become citizens are to have equal  
per capita with the Eastern Cherokees of N. C. I accept that decree  
as final and ask enrollment thereunder

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

(Signature) J. M. Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug 1907.

S. A. Summers Deputy Clerk  
Circuit Court 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. P. Summers

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. P. Summers  
R. J. Summers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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S. A. Summers Deputy Clerk  
Circuit Court Notary Public.

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No. 37442

Action: Rejected

Name Sam. Jackson and X children. Residence: Albany, W. Va.

Reasons: D. Sizemore Case

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No. ....

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sam. Mitchem*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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 Sam. Mitchem  
English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: unknow
2. Residence: Wyoming
3. Town and post office: Algona
4. County: Meadowell
5. State: West Virginia
6. Date and place of birth: Wyoming co. W. Va  
Born May 4<sup>th</sup> 1889
7. 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 Ed. Sizemore a Cherokee
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: 24 years  
Martha Mitchem
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Sam. Mitchem  
Indian name: unknow  
Mother—English name: Amey Mitchem  
Indian name: unknow  
Maiden name: Amey Sizemore
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Meadowell co W. Va  
Mother: Wyoming co W. Va
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Meadowell co W. Va  
Mother: Wyoming co W. Va
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: CP

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sartha Mitchem	1870	Living
(2)	Raney Mitchem	1873	Living
(3)	Mertallie Mitchem	1878	Living
(4)	Elvira Mitchem	1881	Living
(5)	Rife Mitchem	1884	Living
(6)	Melch Mitchem	1886	Living

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Franking Mitchem	Uren L. Sizemore
unknown	unknown
Walter Mitchem	Raney Sizemore
unknown	unknown

17. Where were they born? Plains, Santa Fe Co. N.M.

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

Living in N.M.

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

(1) English name:	Youse Sizemore	Died 1878
Indian name:	unknown	
Residence:	Raney Sizemore	
(2) English name:	Raney Sizemore	
Indian name:	unknown	
Residence:	Wichita Co. N.M.	
(3) English name:	John M. Sizemore	
Indian name:	unknown	
Residence:	Arthur N.M.	
(4) English name:	Merry Jane Sizemore	Died 1891
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(5) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		

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

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

1 Red Libmore was a Cherokee Indian  
1 His son George Libmore was my grandfather  
Allen J. Libmore was my grandfather  
Moved from Wash. Co. Mo. 1836 & settled in  
Wyoming Co. N.Y.

REMARKS.

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

Red Libmore a Cherokee Indian  
Left Wash. Co. Mo. & settled in Eastern Ga. & then  
Western Va. in 1828. His name  
Remains the latter part of his name

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

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

(Signature.) Sam Mitchem

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

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

J. W. Beecher  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Arthur Bellings and  
Catherine Steele, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Sam Mitchem, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 11 years and 8 years,  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and  
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Sam Mitchem

J. A. Bellings  
Catherine Steele

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

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

J. W. Beecher  
Notary Public.

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No. 37443

Action: Repeited

Name John W. Hutton and X children.

Residence: Allyona, W. Va.

Reasons:

Winnons Case

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No. ....

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Welch Mitchell*

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

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37443

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name:

Welch Mitchem

Indian name:

unknown

2. Residence:

Wyoming Co NY

3. Town and post office:

Albion

4. County:

Madison

5. State:

West Virginia

6. Date and place of birth:

Wyoming Co NY  
born Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1887

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

through Ed. Sizemore a Cherokee

8. Are you married?

no

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

+

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

Father—English name:

James Mitchem

Indian name:

unknown

Mother—English name:

Emey Mitchem

Indian name:

unknown

Maiden name:

Emey Sizemore

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Madison Co NY

Mother:

Wyoming Co NY

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

Father:

Madison Co NY

Mother:

Wyoming Co NY

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>James Mitchem</i>	<i>1859</i>	
(2)	<i>Scartha Mitchem</i>	<i>1870</i>	
(3)	<i>Reamy Mitchem</i>	<i>1873</i>	
(4)	<i>Marcellie Mitchem</i>	<i>1879</i>	
(5)	<i>Elvira Mitchem</i>	<i>1881</i>	
(6)	<i>Rife Mitchem</i>	<i>1884</i>	

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
1	<i>Franking Mitchem</i>	<i>Queen Sizerone</i>
	<i>unknown</i>	<i>unknown</i>
2	<i>Cristeaver Mitchem</i>	<i>Janey Sizerone</i>
	<i>unknown</i>	<i>unknown</i>

17. Where were they born? *Blaine Co. Natashko Co. etc.*

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

*Wyoising Co. Wyo*

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

(1) English name: *George Sizerone* died *1878*  
Indian name: *unknown*  
Residence: */*

(2) English name: *Reamy Sizerone*  
Indian name: *unknown*  
Residence: *Narraville Co. Wyo*

(3) English name: *John Sizerone*  
Indian name: *unknown*  
Residence: *Boothfork Wyo*

(4) English name: *Harry Jane Sizerone* died *1891*  
Indian name: *x*  
Residence: *x*

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

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

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

Red Libmore was a Cherokee Indian  
His son George Libmore was my great grandfather  
His son Owen J. Libmore was my grandfather  
Moved from Ash Co. Va. to 1835 & settled in  
Myoming Co. N.Y.

REMARKS.

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

Red Libmore a Cherokee Indian  
Left Ash Co. Va. & settled in eastern Va  
on the western side in 1828 and there  
remained the latter part of his days

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

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

(Signature.) *W. H. Mitcham*

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

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

*J. H. Beecher*  
Notary Public.

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. Billings* and  
*Catherine Steele*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *W. H. Mitcham*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *11* years and *8* years,  
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and  
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in *said* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. A. Billings*  
*Catherine Steele*

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

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

*J. H. Beecher*  
Notary Public.

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



No. 37444

Name Thomas Esbridge and 3 children. Action: Reject.  
Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

Son of # 38801 and claims through the same source.

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~~Hamilton Co. Tenn.~~ <sup>Fried.</sup>  
No. 37444

Name Thomas Eskridge

With No. Project

Remarks:

# 38801,  
grouped beneath.

not on roll.

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

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas Eskridge*

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

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37444

**Special 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: Tomar Eskridge

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

2. Residence and post office: 411 line st- Chattanooga

3. County: hamilton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 31 Born April 16 1875

6. Where were you born? South Carolina

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Hubbon 47

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Ray Eskridge	7	Feb 13 1900
(2)	Annie Eskridge	5	Mar 12 1902
(3)	Walter May Esk.	3	Oct 21 1904
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Lucinda Jenkins

Father—English name: Dock Franklin

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

Mother—English name: Lucinda Jenkins

Indian name: Dont know

Maiden name: Lucinda Jenkins

12. Where were they born? Ozona

Father: At Dock Franklin

Mother: Lucinda Franklin





21. 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: \_\_\_\_\_

*Catal & grand J adk*

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) *Janner Eskridge*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21* day of *Aug*, 1907

*[Signature]*

Notary Public.

My commission expires *Sept 15 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 *Ella Gearing*

and *Della Nelson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Janner Eskridge*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *24 1/2* years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Ella Gearing*

*Della Nelson*

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

My commission expires

*Sept 15 1910*, 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. 37445

Action: *Accepted*

Name *Tom. Hawks* and *7* children.

Residence: *Colbourn, Tenn.*

Reasons: *Brother of 32340.*

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No. 37445

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Tom Hawks*

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

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37445



**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: Tom Huntz

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

2. Residence and post office: Calhoun

3. County: Memph

4. State: of Tennessee

5. How old are you? 59 years Born 1848

6. Where were you born? Memph Co. Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Huntz

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jim Huntz</u>	<u>20 years</u>	
(2)	<u>Elisey Huntz</u>	<u>19</u>	
(3)	<u>Lilie B Huntz</u>	<u>15</u>	
(4)	<u>Frank Huntz</u>	<u>12</u>	
(5)	<u>George Ann Huntz</u>	<u>8</u>	
(6)	<u>Martha Lee Huntz</u>	<u>6</u>	
	<u>Willie Huntz</u>	<u>3</u>	

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

Father—English name: John Huntz

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

Mother—English name: Fancy Huntz

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: unknown to me

12. Where were they born?

Father: in northcarolina

Mother: in northcarolina

**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: Tom Hawk

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

2. Residence and post office: Colbran

3. County: Memph

4. State: of Tennessee

5. How old are you? 59 years Born 1848

6. Where were you born? Memph. Co. Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wanda Hawk

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jim Hawk</u>	<u>20 years</u>	
(2)	<u>Elisey Hawk</u>	<u>19</u>	
(3)	<u>Lilie B Hawk</u>	<u>15</u>	
(4)	<u>Frank Hawk</u>	<u>12</u>	
(5)	<u>George Ann Hawk</u>	<u>8</u>	
(6)	<u>Match Lee Hawk</u>	<u>6</u>	
	<u>Willie Hawk</u>	<u>3</u>	

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

Father—English name: John Hawk

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

Mother—English name: Fancy Hawk

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: unknown to me

12. Where were they born?

Father: in northcarolina

Mother: in northcarolina

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

Father: in McMinn Co Tennessee

Mother: in McMinn Co Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1861

Mother: 1868

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 knowing

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>iean</u>	<u>1846</u>	<u>51 years</u>
	<u>Sam</u>	<u>1850</u>	<u>59 years</u>
(2)	<u>Casline</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u>55 years</u>
	<u>Jim</u>	<u>1854</u>	<u>53 years</u>
(3)	<u>Harmer</u>	<u>1857</u>	<u>50 years</u>
	<u>Emma</u>	<u>1859</u>	<u>48 years</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

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

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

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

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



21. 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*

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 was taught by my parents that i was Cherokee and Black Hawk indian mixt*

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

(Signature) *Tom Hank*

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

*J. D. Lyle* Notary Public.

My commission expires

*January*, 190*9*

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Sam Hacker*

and *William Shanlin*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Tom Hank*

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

*him self* 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. M. Hacker*  
*W. M. Shanlin*

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

My commission expires

*January*, 190*9* *J. D. Lyle* Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
No. APR 30 1908  
No.

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NO 32348

Swatara Penn  
4-28-1908

Special Comm, Sir,  
In reply to yours of 4-22-1908 will say  
in 1832 I was in the Territory in a  
militia taken there at that time that  
of father lived in Schuylkill County Penn  
in 1837 he never knew of any enrollment  
my Grand parents lived in 1838 in Pa.  
none of my people in bondage that  
I ever heard of, it was not lawful  
for us to be in bondage my father  
and the other people  
were all A, G, (Christians) I never  
heard of them or call though  
they all tried to keep off of the call  
of being taken to the States  
I don't know the expenses of them or

Appl. #32348

April 22, 1908.

James F. Hanks,  
Sweetwater, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, state where you resided in 1882, and why you were not enrolled at that time.

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1861, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, please state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CMB/ALS

No. ....

Action: .....

Name .....

and

children.

Residence: .....

Reasons:

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No. 37446.

Name Rachel C. Hick.

With No. 1489 J.

Remarks:

No. 37440

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Rachel C. Walker*

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

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name:

Rachel C. Hekey

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Wagon Cherokee Nation

3. Town and post office:

Wagon

4. County:

Western District

5. State:

Ind. Ter.

6. Date and place of birth:

Feb. 7, 1887, Cherokee Nation,

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Through ~~the~~ my  
Grandmother Rachel Hekey.

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

Father—English name:

Thomas P. Hekey

Indian name:

None

Mother—English name:

Lucinda Hekey

Indian name:

None

Maiden name:

Lucinda Gott

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Wagon District, Cherokee Nation, I. T.

Mother:

Long Snake District, Cherokee Nation, I. T.

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

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

living

Mother:

living

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Edna Crawford	2/3 1879	
	Geo Hickey	11/18 1880	
(2)	Nellie M. Hickey	9/2 1881	
	Richard Hickey	2/3 1884	
(3)	William Hickey	12/18 1888	
	John Hickey	5/23 1892	
(4)	Richard Hickey	5/14 1894	
	Mary L. Hickey	2/7 1896	
(5)	Madge Hickey	12/6 1875	1876
	Thomas Hickey	5/10 1882	1894
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Henry Hickey	John Gott
Richard Hickey	Margaret Gott

17. Where were they born? Tennessee and Georgia

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

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

(1) English name:	Nancy McDaniel, Muskogee, I. T.
Indian name:	Margaret West, Muskogee, I. T.
Residence:	Thomas P. Hickey, Wagoner, I. T.
(2) English name:	Henry Hickey, died in 1863
Indian name:	Mary Pettit, died in 1869
Residence:	George Hickey, died in 1871
(3) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(4) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	

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



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

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**REMARKS.**

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

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

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

(Signature.) Rachel C. Hickey

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

My commission expires

July 12, 1908

Robert A. Ross  
Notary Public.

**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. F. Jones and Dorothy Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Rachel C. Hickey, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 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.

W. F. Jones  
Dorothy Smith

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

My commission expires

....., 1908

Robert A. Ross  
Notary Public.

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

No. 37447.

Action: Admitted.

Name: David M. Daniel and 2 bro<sup>s</sup> children.

Residence: Pryor Creek, Okla.

Reasons:

Grandson of #182.

No. 37447

Name P.E. - Anderson  
Glen

With No. 182

Remarks:

37447  
No. ....

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*R. E. Sadler*

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

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37447



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

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

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

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

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

<sup>14</sup> David McDaniel, <sup>5</sup> <sup>17</sup> Kin McDaniel and Robert McDaniel by J. C. Sadler guardian  
Pryor Creek

Indian Tg.

William McDaniel

Judy McDaniel

Judy Morgan

Cherokee Nation Indian Tg.

" " " "

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

Father: Saline Dist. C.M. I.T

Mother: Tahlequah " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

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

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

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

and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee Per capita Payment  
in 1894 and all other payment in Saline Dist C.M. I.T

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

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

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

unknown

unknown

See Patsie Johnson nee  
Tatpole Application No.

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) Samuel Spunk Dead

(2) Rutha Ragdale Rose I.T

(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 *P. E. Sadler*  
*Guardian*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21* day of *Aug.* 1907.

*X M Watts*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. C. Hault*

and *H. C. Hunt* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *P. E. Sadler*

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*F. C. Stolt*  
*H. C. Hunt*

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

My commission expires

*3-26-* 190*9* *X 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.

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No. 102

LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

GRANTED TO

P. E. Sadtler

Guardian

OF  
Robert Mc. Spindler

Minor §

Filed the 25 day of

Aug A. D. 1906

Clerk,

By J. B. Davidson Deputy.

Recorded the day of

A. D. 1906, in

Guardian Record A, Page

Approved:

Judge.

United States of America,  
Indian Territory  
Northern District.

I Chas. A. Davidson Clerk of the United States Court  
for the Northern District of the Indian Territory do hereby certify  
that the within and foregoing is a full true and correct copy of  
the Letters of Guardianship issued to P. E. Sadtler on the 25th day of  
August, 1906 as the same appears of record in this office.  
Witness my hand this 21st day of August, 1907.

Chas. A. Davidson, Clerk.

J. B. Davidson



LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
INDIAN TERRITORY,
Northern DISTRICT.

ss.

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING:

Know ye, That, whereas P.E. Saddler

has, on this day, by the United States Court in Probate in and for the said Northern District in the Indian Territory, been appointed guardian for David McDaniel, Kin McDaniel, Robert McDaniel and Rogers McDaniel

minors, under the age of 21 years, by his entering into Bond to the United States of America for the use of said minors in the sum of Twenty-six Hundred (\$2600) Dollars,

and whereas the said P.E. Saddler

has this day filed his Bond in such sum to the United States of America for the use of said minors, which said Bond stands approved by the Court.

Now, therefore, he, the said P.E. Saddler is

hereby authorized and empowered to collect and receive all moneys, property, and effects, that are now, or hereafter may become due to his said ward, and in general to do and perform all and singular the duties devolving upon him as such guardian by law, or that may be enjoined upon him by the lawful order, sentence or decree of any Court having competent jurisdiction.

In testimony whereof, I, Chas A. Davidson

Clerk of the United States Court in Probate, in and for the said Northern District in the Indian Territory, hereto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, at my office in Pryor Creek, this 25th day of August, A. D. 1906

Chas A. Davidson, Clerk,

By J. C. Bringer Deputy.

37447

No. 102

LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

GRANTED TO  
P. E. SADDLER

OF  
Guardian

Robert McQuinn

Minor

Filed the 25 day of

A. D. 1906

By

J. B. Burgess

Clerk,

Recorded the day of

A. D. 1906, in

COURT OF CLAIMS  
Guardianship Record  
CHEROKEES

Approved: AUG 26 1907

No.

Judge.

United States of America,  
Indian Territory  
Northern District.

ss

I Chas A. Davidson Clerk of the United States Court  
for the Northern District of the Indian Territory do hereby certify  
that the within and foregoing is a full true and correct copy of  
the Letters of Guardianship issued to P. E. Saddler on the 25th day of  
August 1906 as the same appears of record in this office.  
Witness my hand this 21st day of August, 1907.

Clerk.

By J. B. Burgess

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H. W. ENGLEMAN  
CIVIL ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR

TOWN LOT AND SUBDIVISION SUR-  
VEYS GUARANTEED CORRECT. ROAD  
BRIDGE AND BUILDING PLANS AND  
ESTIMATES FURNISHED ON APPLI-  
CATION. CHARGES REASONABLE.

PRYOR CREEK, I. T.

Aug. 21 1907.

Special Commissioner of Court of Claims  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find 3 applications  
which you will please file

Yours truly

H. W. Engleman



No. 37448

Action: Admitted

Name: Lola Martin

and 2 children.

Residence: Greenvior, Ala.

Reasons:

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No. 37448

Name *Lola Martin*

With No. 832

Remarks:

No. 37418

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lola Martin*

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

6-624



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Lola Martin nee Mayes

Indian name: Do not know.

2. Residence and post office: Greenbrier

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 27 years old. Born 1880.

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Granville A. Martin. 31 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>Clarence Martin</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>1903.</u>
(2)	<u>Marie Martin</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>1904.</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Wiley B. Mayes

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

Mother—English name: Maggie Mayes nee McLaughlin

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

Maiden name: Maggie McLaughlin

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation

Mother: Illinois.



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

Father: in Cherokee Nation

Mother: in Illinois.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: About 22 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: Father was enrolled for strip and

grass payments.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Thomas Mayes	do not know	about 9 years ago
	Simon Mayes	do not know	
(2)	Edward Mayes	do not know	about 22 years
(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) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

*Handwritten signature: J. B. ...*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: For the Strip Payment and a Cherokee Allotment.

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)

*Lola Martin nee Mayes*

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

*P. E. Sadler*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

2/13/08.

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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. Whitaker*

and

*Oce Benze*

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

that they are well acquainted with Lola Martin nee Mayes

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. J. Whitaker*  
*Oce Benze*

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

My commission expires

2/13/08.

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*P. E. Sadler*

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. 37449

Action: *Reject*

Name *Robert E. Johnson, Jr. and X children.*

Residence: *St. Louis, Mo.*

Reasons:

*claims through the same source as # 30398.*

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No. 37449

Name R. H. E. Johnson Jr.

With No. 30398.

Remarks:

X



No. 37419

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Robt. S. Bennett

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

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Robert E. Johnson

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

2. Residence and post office: 2729 Walnut St. St. Louis, Mo.

3. County: St. Louis

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 23 years Born July 27, 1884

6. Where were you born? Wentworth, Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Etty Johnson 20

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

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 E. Johnson

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

Mother—English name: Anna E. Johnson

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

Maiden name: Anna E. Wright

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wentworth, Tennessee

Mother: Franklin, Tennessee

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

Father: Not living

Mother: Not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 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>Ella Lee Johnson</u> <u>Brentwood Tenn.</u>	<u>Nov. 9, 1882</u>	
(2)	<u>George M. Johnson</u> <u>2729 Walnut St. St. Louis Mo.</u>	<u>Oct. 28, 1885</u>	
(3)	<u>Samuel J. Johnson</u> <u>Brentwood Tenn.</u>	<u>Feb. 20, 1887</u>	
(4)	<u>Henry J. Johnson</u> <u>Brentwood Tenn.</u>	<u>Nov. 20, 1889</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.

George Johnson  
Frank Johnson  
Maria Johnson  
John Johnson

18. Where were they born? Wicklburg, Kentucky

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

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

- (1) John Johnson Brentwood Tenn.
- (2) William Johnson Brentwood Tenn.
- (3) George Johnson Brentwood Tenn.
- (4) Thomas Johnson W. Centerville, Tennessee
- (5) Robert Johnson Brentwood Tenn.
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mary J. Johnson, Fannie Edmondson, Matilda Dorch, John Edmondson.

REMARKS.

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

In Sept 1892 an affidavit was made out and sworn to by Mary J. Johnson claimant of Indian Service (my grand mother) and two witnesses, the same was filed with the Special Commissioner Mr. J. Miller by my uncle.

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

(Signature) Robert E. Johnson Jr.

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

Ces. L. Vaughan  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 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 R. E. Hunt

and J. W. Phillips, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Robert E. Johnson Jr.

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.

R. E. Hunt.

J. W. Phillips

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

My commission expires

July 7th, 1911

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

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Robert B. Johnson, Jr.,  
2729 Walnut Street,  
St. Louis, Missouri.

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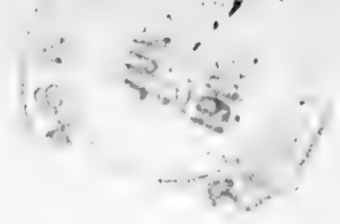
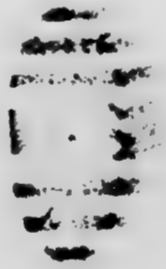
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family of 6 with a dog





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

June 10, 1909.

Robert E. Johnson Jr.  
St. Louis, Mo.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 3-7447, 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. 37450

Action: Rejected.

Name... James A. Dennis and 1 children. Residence: Hollis, Okla.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #30138.

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No. 37450-1.

Name .....

With No. 45

Remarks:

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No. 28057

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

James A. Dennis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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 Andrew Dennis  
Indian name: don't know

2. Residence and post office: Hallis

3. County: Greer

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 24

Born Oct 24 1883

6. Where were you born? Fulton county Arkansas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Pearl v. Derrick

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>Earl Dennis</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Feb 21 1905</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Owen B. Dennis Etta Bell Dennis

Father—English name: Owen B. Dennis

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Etta Bell Dennis

Indian name:

Maiden name: Etta Bell Eddings

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama Feb 20 1854

Mother: Missouri March 16 1865

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

Father: not living at that time born 2-20-1854

Mother: " " " " " " 3-16-1865

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: do not know

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary E. Hallis <sup>ne Dennis</sup>	Dec 4 1882	
	Millie Watson <sup>ne Dennis</sup>	Sep 18 1887	
	David Mark <sup>ne Dennis</sup>	June 14 1890	
	Laura B. Dennis	Sep 17 1892	
(3)	Ethel M. Dennis	Sep 12 1894	
	Louis O. Dennis	Oct-23 1900	
(4)	Herman W. Dennis	Mar. 21 1902	
	all of Hallis Oklahoma		
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Dennis	Andrew O Eddings
Matilda Dennis <sup>ne green</sup>	Millie Eddings <sup>ne Kirkland</sup>

18. Where were they born? do not know

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) W. A. Dennis	Etta Bell Dennis <sup>ne Eddings</sup>
(2) Pally Weatherwood	Martha J. Huffman <sup>ne Eddings</sup>
(3) Mark Dennis	Robert Green Eddings
(4) Jim Dennis	
(5) Owen Dennis	
(6) Ella B. Blanton <sup>ne Dennis</sup>	
Robert B. Dennis	

21. 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) James Andrew Dennis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of aug 1907.

J. L. Lankin  
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 R. R. Redings

and W. F. Sapp, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James Andrew Dennis

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 23 years and

23 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. R. Redings

W. F. Sapp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 11, 1909 J. L. Lankin  
Notary Public.

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*Walter A. ...*

*May 28*

1910.

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

Treasury Warrant No.

*9299*

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary

*964*

or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number  
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.

*Clara Brown*

*P. 27458*



*Hattwell this*

*May 28*

1910.

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. *9299*

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number *364*  
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.

*Cliver Brown*

No. 57451.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Millie D. Watson and -- children. Residence: Hollis, Okla.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #50189.

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No. 28057

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Millie D. Watson*  
*The Heirs*

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

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37451



**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.

I. State full name—

English name: Millie D. Watson) nee Dennis  
Indian name: Dont know

2. Residence and post office: Hollis

3. County: Greer

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 19 Born Sept 18 1887

6. Where were you born? Fulton county Arkansas

7. Are you married? yes,

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. H. Watson) 25 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: none

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>No children</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Owen D. Dennis) Etta Bell Dennis) Eddings

Father—English name: Owen D. Dennis

Indian name: dont know

Mother—English name: Etta Bell Dennis) nee Eddings

Indian name: dont know

Maiden name: Etta Bell Eddings

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama Feb. 20 1859

Mother: Missouri March 16 1865



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 Father: Not living at that time Barn 2-20-1854  
 Mother: " " " " " 3-16-1865

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: Don't know

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

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Mary Ethellis nee Dennis	Dec 4 1882	
James A. Dennis	Oct 24 1883	
David M. Dennis	June 14 1890	
Lana Bell Dennis	Sept 17 1892	
(4) Ethel M. Dennis	Sept 12 1894	
Louis O. Dennis	Oct 23 1900	
(5) Herman W. Dennis	Nov 21 1902	

all of Hallis Okla

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 Dennis	Andrew S. Eddings
Matilda Dennis nee Green	Millie Eddings nee Kirkland

18. Where were they born? Do not know

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) W.A. Dennis	Etta Bell Dennis nee Eddings
(2) Pally Leatherwood	Martha Nuffman nee Eddings
(3) Mark Dennis	Robert Green Eddings
(4) Jim Dennis	
(5) Owen L. Dennis	
(6) Ellen Blanton nee Robert B. Dennis (Dennis)	

21. 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) Millie Watson nee Dennis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of aug, 1907.

J. L. Lanekin

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 R. R. Ridings

and W. G. Sapp, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Millie Watson nee Dennis

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 who represents

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. R. Ridings  
W. G. Sapp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 11, 1909.

J. L. Lanekin

Notary Public.

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

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

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) Millie Watson nee Dennis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of aug, 1907.

J. L. Lamkin  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 11, 1909.

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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 who represents

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

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

Witnesses to mark:-

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. R. Ridings  
W. F. Sapp

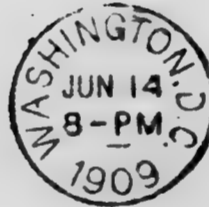
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 11, 1909, J. L. Lamkin  
Notary Public.

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~~Okla.~~

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

June 10, 1909.

*Millie D. Watson,*  
*Hollis, Okla*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 37451, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER  
OURAY BUILDING,  
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Miller S. Watson,  
Hollis,  
Okla.

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

601 OURAY BUILDING

Washington, D. C., <sup>9/10</sup>....., 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. <sup>37457</sup>....., 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. 37452

Action: *Refused*

Name *Melinda L. Spae* and *2* children. Residence: *Hoboken, N.J.*

Reasons: *Strength of Samuel H. ~~Prannon~~ # 1792*

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No. 37452

Name Maxim F. 7252

With No. 19999-

Remarks:

No. 37452

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Malinda Francis Mc Donald

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

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Perkins & Honefenger, Att'ys

322 & 323 Fernwell,  
Spokane,

Washington.

37452

**Special 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: Malinda Francis Mc Donald

Indian name: I do not remember having one.

2. Residence and post office: 0737, Pittsburg street, Spokane,

3. County: Spokane

4. State: Washington

5. How old are you? ~~Thirty-four years~~ Born May 3", 1873.

6. Where were you born? Monroe county, Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John W. Mc Donald

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Samuel C. Mc Donald</u>	<u>14 years</u>	
(2)	<u>Henry W. Mc Donald,</u>	<u>11 years</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Samuel Huston Brannan

Indian name: I do not remember it.

Mother—English name: Octavia Brannan

Indian name: Had none

Maiden name: Octavia Gunter

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Tennessee, I think in Monroe county.

Mother: In North Carolina, I think near Asheville.



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

Father: In Tennessee, I think in Monroe county.

Mother: In North Carolina, near Ashvill, I think

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Now living, Post office, Rockwood, Tennessee

Mother: Now living, Post office, Rockwood, Tennessee

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 if either were enrolled.

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

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Rebecca Rabbi Sweetwater, Tenn.	1868	
(2) Florence E. Ambrose Rockwood, Tenn.	1870	
(3) William H. Brannin Rockwood, Tenn.	1875	
(4) Joseph H. Brannan, in Colorado	1880	
(5) Jessie M. Summers Rockwood, Tenn.	1882	
(6) Tennessee Crumbaker Chatanooga, Tenn.	1884	

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 Brannan

Burton Gynter

(Cunningham)

I do not know my fathers mothers name. I do not know any Indian names

18. Where were they born? I do not know where any of my grandparents were born.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On my fathers side I think in Tennessee, Mothers side North Carolina

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

(1) I cannot give 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: In 1893 I made out papers, at Elberton, Wash  
They were filed at one of the offices in the Indian Ter. Cherokee Indians.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I am unable to give any Indian names;  
I think those were in the papers. These papers were mostly made up by people  
in Tennessee. All papers were sent to Joseph P. Bowers, acting as Indian  
attorney for me.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I am able to produce most all facts touching my descent from the  
tribe of Cherokee Indians, by getting affidavits from Tennessee.

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

(Signature) Malinda Francis Mc Donald

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

Bruce Blake  
 Notary Public.

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

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me C.W. Hunt and Fred C. Taylor  
 and Fred C. Taylor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
 that they are well acquainted with Malinda Francis Mc Donald  
 who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 11 years and  
2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
 knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C.W. Hunt  
Fred C. Taylor

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

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

Bruce Blake  
 Notary Public.

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of May 20, 1906, State into the children living as above set forth and that the statements here by

her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this, her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Malinda Francis McDonald*

*W. H. Hunt*

*Fred C. Taylor*

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

*W. H. Honefenger*

Notary Public,

residing at Spokane, Wash.

My commission expires Nov 14, 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. 37452

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

## SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Malinda Francis McDonald

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.

Perkins & Honefenger, Attys.  
322 & 323 Fernwell Building  
Spokane,  
Washington.

## 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. \_\_\_\_\_ I do not have the number.

1. State your full name: Malinda Francis Mc Donald
2. Residence and post office: 0737 Pittsburg street, Spokane,
3. County: Spokane
4. State: Washington.
5. Date and place of birth: May 3", 1873. Monroe Co. Tenn.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: John W. Mc Donald ; age 39 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? To none.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Samuel C. Mc Donald</u>	<u>14 years</u>	<u>Nov. 25", 1893.</u>
(2)	<u>Henry M. Mc Donald</u>	<u>11 years</u>	<u>July, 5", 1895</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	<u>My claim was made out and mailed the Court, Aug. 20, 1907.</u>		
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

### REMARKS

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

In my original application for myself, I gave as much of the facts as I am in possession of. I think I am able to give all necessary facts when I am apprised of what is required

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

(Signature) Malinda Francis Mc Donald

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

Isak Honefanger  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Nov. 14, 1907.

residing at Spokane, W. Va.



AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me C.W. Hunt and Fred C. Taylor who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Malinda Francis Mc Donald who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 11 years and 2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this, her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*[Handwritten signatures of witnesses]*

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

*[Handwritten signature of Notary Public]*  
Notary Public,  
residing at Spokane, Wn.

My commission expires Nov. 14, 1909.

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

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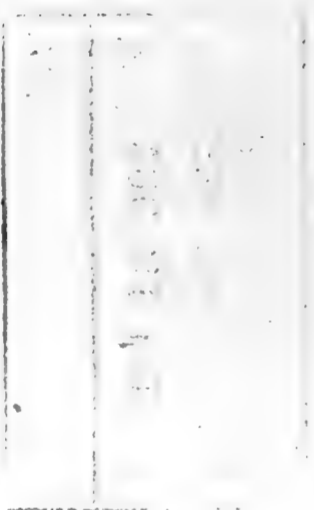
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Malinda Francis Mc Donald  
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.



Perkins & Nonenfenger, Attys.  
522 & 323 Fernwell Building  
Spokane, Washington.

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PERKINS & HONEFENGER,  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
322-23 THE FERNWELL. PHONE MAIN 6384  
NOTARY PUBLIC

J. P. PERKINS  
IRA HONEFENGER

SPOKANE, WASHINGTON. August, 20", 07.

Guion Miller, Special Com. Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building,  
Washington,  
D.C.

Dear Sir:- We here hand you Application of Malinda Francis Mc Donald  
for participation in distribution of funds of the Eastern Cherokee Indians.  
Whatever of proff is necessary to the establishment of this claim will  
be forthcoming on notice from your office.

We are attorneys for this claimant and any information desired by your  
office regarding the matter will be cheerfully given.

Very Respectfully,

Perkins & Honefenger, Atty's at Law,  
322 & 323 Fernwell Building  
Spokane, Washington.

No. 3745-2

Action: Exotic

Name: Richard L. Franklin and children. Residence: Glaston, Ga.

Reasons: Applicant or successors were never notified and did not appear that they were invited within the Cherokee Company in 1870 as recognized members of the title. It also appears that applicant and his parents were not involved with the title in 1871.

Miss. est. 1272

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No. 3745

*Lawrenceville, Ga.* Field

Name *Richard S. Fiedler*

With No. *W. F. Fiedler*

Remarks:

*not on rolls.*



No. 37453

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Richard A. Franklin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: *Richard D. Franklin*  
Indian name: *Cherokee*
2. Residence: *Gloster Ga.*
3. Town and post office: *Gloster. Ga.*
4. County: *Gwinnett*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Elbert Co. 1834*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *one sixth Indian blood of Cherokee nation. Through one my mother, Elisabeth Franklin*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: *Mahaly Jane Franklin*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Wiley E. Franklin*  
Indian name: *Cherokee*  
Mother—English name: *Elisabeth Franklin*  
Indian name: *Cherokee*  
Maiden name: *Elisabeth Dutton*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Habersham Co. Ga.*  
Mother: *Elbert Co. Ga.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: ~~Elbert Co.~~ *Gwinnett Co.*  
Mother: *Gwinnett Co.*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *1864*      Mother: *1866*

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Wm Franklin</u>	<u>1828</u>	<u>1877</u>
(2)	<u>Francis G. Franklin</u>	<u>1830</u>	<u>1895</u>
(3)	<u>W. E. Franklin</u>	<u>1832</u>	<u>1900</u>
(4)	<u>Thos. S. Franklin</u>	<u>1836</u>	<u>1864</u>
(5)	<u>Elisabeth Jane Franklin</u>	<u>1838</u>	<u>1895</u>
(6)	<u>M. M. Franklin</u>	<u>1840</u>	<u>1907</u>
	<u>W. M. Franklin</u>	<u>1842</u>	<u>living</u>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>W. E. Franklin</u>	<u>Francis Franklin</u>
<u>Thos Dutton</u>	<u>Little Dutton</u>
	<u>Cherokee</u>

17. Where were they born? S. C.

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

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

(1)	English name: <u>Wm Dutton</u>	<u>Dead</u>
	Indian name: <u>Cherokee</u>	
	Residence: _____	
(2)	English name: <u>Thos. Dutton</u>	<u>Dead</u>
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: _____	
(3)	English name: <u>Washington</u>	<u>Dead</u>
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: _____	
(4)	English name: <u>John Dutton</u>	<u>Dead</u>
	Indian name: _____	
	Residence: <u>Strawder Dutton</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(5)	English name: <u>Sarah Dutton</u>	<u>Dead</u>
	Indian name: <u>A. M. Dutton</u>	<u>"</u>
	Residence: _____	

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



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

*Thos. Dutton Cherokee*  
*W. E. Franklin*

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.) *R S Franklin*

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1907

*John P. Webb Ordinary*  
Notary Public

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 Britti* and *R N Hall*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *R S Franklin* 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.

*R N Hall*

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

My commission expires

Jan 1 1908, 190

*John P. Webb Ordinary*  
Notary Public

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years,  
respectively, and know him to be the identical person. he represents himself to be, and that  
on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by  
him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.  
W. H. Britt  
W. H. Britt  
Signatures of Witnesses.

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

John P. Miller  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1909.

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No. 27453

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Richard Franklin

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. 37453

1. State your full name: Richard S. Franklin
2. Residence and post office: Winneth, Cherokee Co. Ga.
3. County: Winneth
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: Albert County, Ga. Feb 4th 1853
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mahaley Jane Franklin 54
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.
<u>43178</u> (1)	<u>Wm. J. Franklin</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>1856</u>
(2)	<u>Martha E. "</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>1859</u>
<u>37479</u> (3)	<u>Nancy Louisa "</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>1879</u>
(4)	<u>C. L. Franklin</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>1876</u>
(5)	<u>Josephine "</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1888</u>
(6)			

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

### REMARKS

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

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

(Signature) Richard Franklin

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

John P. Webb  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me J. H. Britt and E. S. Brooks who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Richard S. Franklin who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 20 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that 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.

J. H. Britt  
E. S. Brooks

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

John P. Minto Ordinary  
Notary Public

My commission expires Jan 1, 1909.

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No. 37453

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Richard S. Franklin  
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.



Misc.

Appl. 37453

Richard S. Franklin, being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Richard S. Franklin. I live at Closter, Ga. I was born in 1834 in Elbert Co., Ga. I claim Cherokee Indian blood through my mother and her mother. My mother died in 1866 and was about 64 years old when she died. She was born in Elbert Co., Ga. I can't say where my grandmother was born, but she was in Elbert Co. when I first knew. My mother and her mother were always recognized as white people where they lived. My mother told me that she and her mother stayed in Elbert Co. with the Indians. I have never lived with the Indians. My father claimed Indian blood too. When I was born my parents were living with the white people. My father was recognized as a white man. He did not own land when I was born around here. My father and mother and grandparents never got any money or land from the Government on account of their Indian blood. I never heard of them being enrolled with the Cherokees. I don't know why I was not enrolled with the Cherokees in 1851 and 1882. I have heard of the Indians being driven away. My father helped to carry the Indians away. He volunteered to help carry them away. I ~~xxxxxx~~ suppose he was a soldier of the U. S. Govt. I don't know why my father, mother were not carried away with the Indians, but I suppose it was because they did not have enough Indian blood in them. I reckon when the Indians were driven away my father and mother were not recognized as Indians.

Richard S. Franklin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1908  
at Lawrenceville, Ga.

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

*Respect  
as*

Am. #37453

May 13, 1908.

Mr. W. H. Franklin,  
New York, N. Y.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Western Cherokee Fund, please state whether you,  
your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the  
Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you,  
your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people,  
or were you negroes in the communities in which you and  
they have resided?

By way of the parent through whom you claim not en-  
rolled in 1831, and were not on the roll existing in  
1835, do you claim that time. Were you, your grand-  
parents on the side through which you claim residing in  
1834-1835?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves of Indian or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

C. E. Allen

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
MAY 25 1908

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no 37453

Lawrenceville, Ga., May 22 1908

Mr. Genion Miller  
Washington DC

Dear sir

In answer to the questions as to  
my relationship with the Cherokee Indians  
Yes my Grand parents on my Mothers side  
belonged to the Cherokee tribe in 1834 & 5 in  
Forsyth Co. Georgia. Yes we were recognized as  
people. I don't know why they was not  
enrolled in 1857. My Grand Mother resided  
in Elbert County Georgia in 1834 & 5. In  
Elbert County Georgia. They were not slaves  
they were recognized as free people

Yours truly

R J Franklin  
Gaston Ga

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
May 25 1908

No. 37453

Lawrenceville, Ga. May 22 1908

Mr. Guion Miller  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

In answer to the question as to my relationship with the Cherokee Indians, My Grand Parents on my mother's side belonged to the Cherokee tribe. In 1834 & 5 in <sup>Elbert</sup> ~~Forsyth~~ County Georgia. Yes we were recognized, <sup>as</sup> white people I don't know why they was not enrolled in 1851. My Grand Mother resided in Elbert County Georgia in 1834 & 5. In Elbert County Georgia. They were not slaves they were recognized as free people.

Yours Truly  
Mahaley J. Franklin  
Gloster Ga

MB

No. 37454

Action: Tested

Name: Makala Frankie and no children. Residence: Dexter La.

Reasons:

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park in 35-67 as a private members.  
the note - they were recognized as white people.

White Test 3-12-74

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No. 37454

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mahaly J. Franklin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37454



**Special 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: Mahaly Jane Franklin

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Gloucester Ga

3. County: Spwinnett

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 54 years Born 1853

6. Where were you born? in Spwinnett

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Richard A Franklin

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 Parrott</u>	<u>23.</u>	<u>1884</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Silwin Osborn Margaret Osborn Dutton before marriage

Father—English name: Silwin Osborn

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

Mother—English name: Margaret Osborn

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

Maiden name: Margaret Dutton

12. Where were they born?

Father: in S. C.

Mother: in Spwinnett Co Ga

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

Father: in Summit Co Ga

Mother: in Summit Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in 1864

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>John B. Osborn</u>	<u>1850</u>	
(2)	<u>Harry Osborn</u>	<u>1854</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Osborn</u>	<u>1859</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>Claborn Osborn</u>	<u>William Dutton</u>

18. Where were they born? in S.C. in Ga

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

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

(1)	<u>Sullie Osborn</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Fanny Osborn</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Hardy Osborn</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Berry Osborn</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Levina Dutton</u>	
(6)	<u>George Dutton</u>	
	<u>Nancy Dutton</u>	<u>Nancy Dutton</u>
	<u>John Dutton</u>	<u>Jan. Dutton</u>
	<u>Maria Dutton</u>	<u>Andy Dutton</u>
	<u>Berry Dutton</u>	
	<u>Rhet Dutton</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: Spes. Dutton  
Leticie Dutton

Great Grand Parents on mother side

REMARKS.

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

my Great Grand Mother on my mother side  
was Margaret Maddox and was half Indian  
of the Cherokee Tribe

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

(Signature) Mahaly J<sup>r</sup> Franklin

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

John P Webb  
Notary Public

My commission expires

Jan 1 1909, 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 John H Britt  
and R H Holt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mahaly Jane Franklin  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 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.

John H Britt  
R H Holt

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

My commission expires

Jan 1 1909, 1908.

John P Webb  
Notary Public

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Mahaly J. Franklin being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Mahaly J. Franklin. I live at Glover, Ga. I was born in 1855. I was born in Swinett Co., Ga. I claim Indian blood through my mother's ~~xxxxxx~~ her mother and her mother. My great grandmother was half Indian of the Cherokee tribe. That is what my mother told me. My mother is living but did not file an application. She is 75 years old. She was born in Swinett Co. too. My grandmother's name was Nancy Lutton. She was born and raised in Swinett Co. My great grandmother's name was Letty Sutton. My mother and my grandmother were always recognized as white people where they lived. ~~xxx~~ I don't know whether my mother and grandmother ever lived with the Indians. I never heard my mother say anything about living with them. My mother and my grandmother never got any money or land from the Govt. on account of their Indian blood. I was living in Swinett Co., Ga. in 1882. I don't know why I was not enrolled with the Cherokees at that time. I never heard my mother speak of a Treaty the Govt. made with the Indians. I have heard her speak of the Indians being driven away. I don't remember anything she said only that I have Indian blood.

Mahaly J. Franklin.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1908  
at Lawrenceville, Ga.

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Very Sincerely,

Social Commission

No. 37455.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Jesse W. McMasters* and *4* children. Residence: *Manila, P.I.*

Reasons: *Witness not available. Was not show genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.*

37455

Missouri

No. 37455

Name Jesse H. W. Masters

With No.

Remarks:

Notified  
not out failed to  
appear at  
Dover Pa, Ark.

Mississippi

No. 37455

Name Jesse H. W. Masters

With No. ....

Remarks:

Notified  
not out failed to  
appear at  
Dyers Co., Ark.



No. 37455

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Case of the Masters*

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

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~~FILED BY  
ANDERSON & CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGT.,  
KONAWA, IND. TER.~~

37455

Special 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: Jesse K. Mc Masters

Indian name: Can't Remember

2. Residence and post office: Manila

3. County: Mississippi

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 41" Born Jan. 7- 1866

6. Where were you born? Near New Madrid, Mo.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband Sallie E. Mc Masters, age 35 yrs

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Albert C. Mc Masters</u>	<u>14 yrs</u>	<u>Sept. 17-1892</u>
(2)	<u>Zilpha N. "</u>	<u>12 "</u>	<u>Feb. 23-1895</u>
(3)	<u>Ethel L. "</u>	<u>6 "</u>	<u>Dec. 14-1900</u>
(4)	<u>Jefferson T. "</u>	<u>3 "</u>	<u>Apr. 24-1904</u>
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Wiley B. Mc Masters

Indian name: Can't give

Mother—English name: Sallie Mc Master

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

Maiden name: Sallie Goodwin

12. Where were they born?

Father: Near Good Springs, Tenn.

Mother: " Salem, Ark.

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

Father: Near Good Springs, Tenn.  
Mother: " Salem Ark.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> - 1897  
Mother: 1868

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)	Rachael A. Mc Masters	1858	1860
(2)	Savannah "	1860	1864
(3)	Susan "	1862	1897
(4)	Mollie J. "	1864	1891
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Mc Masters	William Goodwin
Can't give Indian name	Can't give Indian name
Rivett Mc Masters	Louana Goodwin
Can't give Eng. Indian name	No Indian name that I know of

18. Where were they born? Can't tell

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

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

(1)	Lee Mc Masters	Dead
(2)	John "	Dead
(3)	Rachael A. "	Dead
(4)	Savannah "	Dead
(5)	Jasper Goodwin	Dead
(6)	Sallie "	Dead

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

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

REMARKS.

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

*My Grandfather Mc Masters was raised up in the Camp of the Cherokee Indians. He was an Indian preacher and lived among the Cherokees for years.*

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

(Signature)

*Jesse K. Masters*

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

*R. L. Hilliford*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug. 23 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 John B. Stokes  
and L. M. Peyton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jesse K. Masters who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 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.

*John B. Stokes*  
*L. M. Peyton*

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

*R. L. Hilliford*  
Notary Public.

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Aug. 23 1910, 190...

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Aug 15, 1938.

James J. Westover,

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Federal Reserve Bank, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Federal Reserve Bank. If so, state when and where. Also you, your parents, and grandparents resided with a people, state the names of the people in which you and they have resided.

If you are present then you are not enrolled in the Federal Reserve Bank. If you are not present then you are not enrolled in the Federal Reserve Bank. If you are not present then you are not enrolled in the Federal Reserve Bank.

If your parents or grandparents were present, state whether they are living or dead.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

100-10005

No. 37456

Action: *Expelled*

Name *Stacey C. Armstrong* and 1 children.

Residence: *Terrell, Texas*

Reasons:

*Second cousin of 35351, Claims the same source.*

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No. 37456.

Name *Henry W. Armstrong*

With No. 35959

Remarks:

No. 37456

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mrs. Nancy Sorbhula Armstrong*

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



37456



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

SIR:

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

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

I. State full name—

English name: Nancy J. A. Thula Armstrong  
Indian name: Dennis

2. Residence and post office: Soydes Kaufman

3. County: Sevier

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 34 Born March, 17, 1872

6. Where were you born? Clinton Co. Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. B. C. Armstrong 34 yrs.

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>Leah Ann Armstrong</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Aug. 3 1892</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 Andrew Jackson White  
Indian name: Dennis

Mother—English name: Lorah Hattie White  
Indian name: Hos non

Maiden name: Lorah Hattie Farwell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Macon County Tenn.

Mother: Macon County Tenn.

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

Father: Ouston County Tennessee

Mother: Monroe County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Nov-24-1890

Mother: still living

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

and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I was aware of

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
Mr.	(1) <u>Hattie Ella Reed</u>	<u>10-24-1861</u>	
	<u>J. W. F. White</u>	<u>10-23-1863</u>	
	(2) <u>J. A. M. White</u>	<u>9-15-1865</u>	
}	<u>Charles M. White</u>	<u>7-4-1867</u>	<u>2-11-1897</u>
	(3) <u>Evan F. White</u>	<u>1872</u>	<u>9-26-1886</u>
	<u>Samuel B. White</u>	<u>10-1883</u>	<u>5-9-1899</u>
	(4) <u>Edmond D. White</u>	<u>5-2-1870</u>	<u>Livingston Tenn 70</u>
Mrs.	<u>Hessie C. F. Tis</u>	<u>1880</u>	
	(5) <u>James D. White</u>	<u>8-1877</u>	<u>Monroe Tenn</u>
	(6) <u>Rozora M. White</u>	<u>1879</u>	
	<u>Terrell, Texas</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 D. White English</u>	<u>Joseph Farther</u>
<u>only</u>	<u>Ellen Parker, maiden</u>
<u>Nancy White English</u>	<u>Woma of Farther,</u>
<u>Dennis, Indian</u>	<u>Grand mother,</u>

18. Where were they born? Nancy White-Dennis Caswell Co. Tenn N. C.

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

Farther in Monroe County Tennessee.

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

(1) <u>Pally M. White</u>	<u>Allons, Ouston Co Tenn</u>
(2) <u>John D. White</u>	<u>Livingston Tenn R. F. D.</u>
(3) <u>S. A. J. White my father</u>	
(4) <u>who is dead</u>	
(5) <u>Edmond D. White</u>	<u>Killed in Ouston Co.</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: Samuel Andrew Jackson White, son of Nancy White (Dennis), daughter of John Dennis, the Indian, of Caswell Co. N. C.

REMARKS.

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

See all Applications of the White family in Curston Co, Tenn, and all claiming descent from John Dennis of Caswell Co, N. C.

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

(Signature)

Mrs. Nancy Martha Armstrong

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

C. R. Buchanan, County Judge of Scurry County, Texas Notary Public

My commission expires

In November, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me A. W. Leinart

and A. P. Camp, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Nancy Martha Armstrong

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. W. Leinart

A. P. Camp

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

My commission expires

In November, 1908 C. R. Buchanan, County Judge of Scurry County, Texas Notary Public

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 6 1909  
No. 37456



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✓ Kaufman, Tenn.  
6/30 '07

Special Commissioner of the Court  
of Claims.

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir: I write you  
in regard to my claim of the Eastern  
Innocent Tribe, No 37456.  
to send some information in regard  
to same.

I also wish to state I have  
changed my address from that of  
in abdication [Snyder, Texas.] to  
Kaufman, Texas. R. 1. Box. 11.

yours very truly,  
Mrs Nancy D. Armstrong,  
Kaufman, Texas.  
R. 1. Box. 11.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JAN 7 1908  
No. 37456

*add changed.*

Snyder, Texas.  
Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1908.

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

Dear Sir: I am writing to you on  
my vacation to Mr. Miller in regard  
to my application No 37455. I am  
able to send Mr. Miller a check for  
to Carroll, Texas. as I am unable  
there to stay this week.  
I remain as ever,  
Sincerely,  
Arthur A. Amstrang.

No. 37457

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Samuel W. Swain*, and *1* children. Residence: *Wabash Ind.*

Reasons: *Ancestors not on rolls; Does not establish genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.*

*Misc. test. P. 1838.*

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No. 37457

Name *Paul W. Swan*

With No. ....

Remarks:

Not on roll.

No. 37457

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Daniel H. Swain*

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

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37457

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Daniel Worth Swain

Indian name: don't know

2. Residence and post office: Wabash

3. County: Wabash

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 34 Born 1872

6. Where were you born? Carolina

7. Are you married? yes Name Ida Swain

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ida 44

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>Gabriel Swain</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Dec 6 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: William W. Swain

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Mary Swain

Indian name: don't know

Maiden name: Mary Purson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Carolina

Mother: In Carolina

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

Father: Carolina  
Mother: Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died 1905  
Mother: died 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)	<u>John Swain</u>	<u>12 of 11</u>	<u>1883</u>
(2)	<u>William Swain</u>	<u>20 of 7</u>	<u>1880</u>
(3)	<u>William Swain</u>	<u>16 of 2</u>	<u>1880</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>John Swain</u>	<u>1883</u>
<u>William Swain</u>	<u>1880</u>
<u>28 of 11</u>	<u>1787</u>
<u>22 of 9</u>	<u>1871</u>

18. Where were they born? Carolina

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

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

- (1) Obid Swain
- (2) Jane Swain
- (3) Mary Swain
- (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: NE I

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) Daniel W. Swain

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

D. J. Brewer  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 29, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me H B Doye

and G. R. Rockwell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Daniel Worth Swain

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 us are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. B. Doye  
G. R. Rockwell

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

My commission expires

May 29, 1910. D. J. Brewer  
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.

Daniel W/ Swain.

#37457.

Daniel W. Swain being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 55 years of age. I live at LaBash Ind. I claim Indian descent through my father, Wm Y. Swain, who died 3 years ago. My father was 84 years old at the time of his death. He came from Guilford County, N.C. He moved west from Guilford County in 1855. He never got any money from the Government on account of his Indian blood. I have often heard him talk of his Indian blood, and he said that my great great grandfather married an Indian named Pocohontas. It is through this line of descent that I claim my Indian blood. My father was not to my knowledge recognized as an Indian. My grandfather on my father's side was named Jethro Swain. I have and you herewith my ancestral connections on the Indian side from the time of Richard Swain in 1606 down to Wm Yancey Swain in 1820 who was my father. This genealogy was furnished me by Laura D. North, a cousin of mine from Guilford College, N.C. who has secured the same from various sources, which I believe to be reliable. My grandfather, Jethro Swain, born in 1873, was living in 1855-6 in Guilford County, N.C. He was a recognized as a white man having Indian blood. My father never said anything to my knowledge about being enrolled. The Indian descent referred to above and furnished me by Laura D. North is as follows. ---Richard Swain born in 1606 who married Pocohontas and their son, John Swain born in 1633 and his son, Joseph Swain, born in 1673, and his son Wm Caleb Swain, born in 1708, and his son, Nathaniel Swain, date of birth unknown, and his son Joseph Swain, born in 1750, and his son, Jethro Swain, born in 1783, and his son, Wm Swain, my father, born in 1820.

*Daniel W. Swain*

Subscribed and sworn to before me his 13th day of Aug. 1908, at Marion, Ind.

*J. J. J.*  
Not. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 1 1908  
No. 37457



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Received of the  
Hon. Secy of the Navy  
the sum of \$1000  
for the purchase of  
the [unclear] [unclear]

Wm. H. [unclear]

Wm. H. [unclear]

No. 37-458

Action: 1000

Name: [illegible] and [illegible] children. Residence: [illegible]

Reasons:

[illegible handwritten text]

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No. 37458

Name Elmer Brown

With No. 10661

Remarks:



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

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Elmer 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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No. _____

*D. Q. Gardner.*  
*Platteville*

*851 E. 7th*

**Special 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: Oliver Brown  
 Indian name: Cuba City Wisconsin
2. Residence and post office: Cuba City Wisconsin
3. County: Grant
4. State: Wisconsin
5. How old are you? 22 yrs Born August 17, 1885
6. Where were you born? Cuba City Grant Co. Wis.
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marie Raine 22 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: none

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

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

Robert Brown Sarah Faherty  
 Father—English name: Robert Brown  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: Sarah Faherty Brown  
 Indian name: none  
 Maiden name: Sarah Faherty

12. Where were they born?

Father: I think in the Cherokee Nation.  
 Mother: Lafayette County Wisconsin

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

Father: Dont Know

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

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: I do not know

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Opene Mcbarnick</u>	<u>Sept.</u>	
	<u>Stockton Ill.</u>		
(2)	<u>Allie Brown</u>	<u>Sept.</u>	<u>January 23, 1901</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  
Cannot do so  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S SIDE  
Michael Faherty  
Ellen Faherty  
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 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

18. Where were they born?

In Ireland I think

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

Dont Know

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

(1)	<u>Francis Faherty</u>
(2)	<u>William ..</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 unless my father enrolled me

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

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) Elmer Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

J. Gardner  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept. 15, 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 Ernest Wedige  
and Sherman Hazelton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elmer Brown  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and 18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ernest Wedige  
Sherman Hazelton

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

My commission expires

September 21, 1907

J. Gardner  
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.



37458

OFFICE OF  
D. J. GARDNER,  
ATTORNEY.

PLATTEVILLE, WISCONSIN. August 23, 1907.

Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims.  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed you will find the application of Elmer Brown for his share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906 in accordance with a decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905 and May 28, 1906.

I trust this application will be allright as it is filled out as far as Mr. Brown is able to fill it.

His father now lives at Muskogee and if we had time we could furnish ample proof that Elmer Brown is the son of Robert Brown, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, as stated in the application.

I think that Robert Brown has made proof of the names and places of residence of his children.

I notice that the stenographer sent another letter like thid to you without enclosing the application and also in writing the one in regard to the Mrs. McCormick claim she stated that the residence of Robert Brown was Muskegon. It should be Muskogee as in this case.

Yours truly,

*D. J. Gardner.*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
Dag. AUG 26 1907  
No. 37434

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OFFICE OF  
D. J. GARDNER  
ATTORNEY

PLATTEVILLE, WIS., August 22, 1907.

Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims.  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed you will find the application of Elmer Brown for his share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30th., 1906, in accordance with the decree of the court of claims of May 18, 1905 and May 28th., 1906

I trust this application will be all right as it is filled out as far as Mr. Brown is able to fill it.

His father now lives at <sup>Muskogee</sup> ~~Muskegee~~ and if we had time we could furnish ample proof that Elmer Brown is the son of Robert Brown, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, as stated in the application.



OFFICE OF  
**D. J. GARDNER**  
ATTORNEY

PLATTEVILLE, WIS.,

I think that Robert Brown has made proof of the names and places of residence of his children.

I notice by reading a copy of the letter that was sent you this morning in regard to Mrs. McCormick, a sister of the boy, Elmer Brown that the stenographer made a mistake and put the place of residence of her father as Muskegon when it should be Muskogee as in this case.

Yours truly,

*D. J. Gardner.*

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 9299,

each for the sum of \$.133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 364  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

To: The First Nat. BK.  
Lead, S. Dak.

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No. 37459

Action: Report

Name Jan. R. Gutter and X children.

Residence: Wayton, Tenn.

Reasons: Nephew of 16745

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No. 37459

Name

With No. 16218.

Remarks:



*npk*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

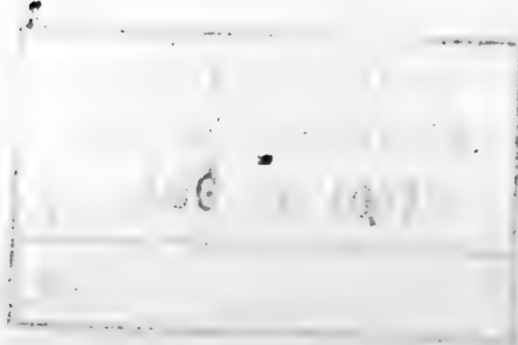
APPLICATION

OF

*Jas. P. Collins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern  
Cherokee Congress approved  
June 30, 1905, and the decrees of the  
Court, May 13, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*37450*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I know of one son of J. A. Callier  
Now in 1851 that

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No. however my uncles Lewis Callin and Robt Callin were by RT Hombright*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	George Callin	1888	
(2)	Henry	1888	
(3)	Lennie	1887	
(4)	Andy De-Bye		
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE: *Ruth* MOTHER'S SIDE: *Crumbly*

17. Where were they born? *Ga*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *State of Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *J. A. Ruth Cool Gate Otlea*  
 Indian name: *Jar*  
 Residence: *William Ruth - Chattahoochee*
- (2) English name: *Robert Ruth Memorial*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *No*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) James R Collier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 17, 1911

B. G. Murray Notary Public.

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. Coulter and G. B. Morris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James R Collier, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

R. J. Coulter G. B. Morris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 17, 1911

B. G. Murray Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 37460.

Action: Report.

Name: Carter Brown and 1 children.

Residence: Campville, Tenn.

Reasons: Brother of <sup>1st</sup> 37462

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No. 37460-1

Name .....

With No. 37402

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

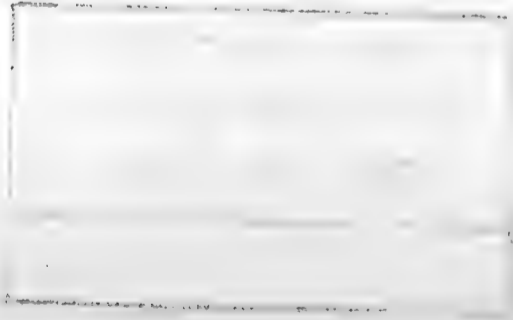
APPLICATION

OF

*Carter 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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37460

**Special 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: Carter Brown

Indian name: I don't know

2. Residence and post office: Camyville Tenn

3. County: Sevier

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 30 Born 1877

6. Where were you born? Union County Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mattie Quillen age 23

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary Brown</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: W. J. Brown

Indian name: I don't know

Mother—English name: Sarah Heathley

Indian name: I don't know

Maiden name: Sarah Heathley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Anderson Co Tenn

Mother: Sevier



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Anderson Co Tenn

Mother: Campbell, Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Oct 1 - 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: Cherokee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Hattie Peack</u>	<u>1875</u>	
	<u>Allie Swift</u>	<u>May 2 - 1873</u>	
(2)	<u>Jane Sellers</u>	<u>May 11 1874</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>John Brown</u>	<u>Linnay Brown</u>

18. Where were they born? Campbell Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not Living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Cannot
- (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 not as I know of

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Cumt

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim Cherokee Indian Blood from my great grand father on mother side James Gams, or James, justly he was called by both names and was a half Cherokee Indian. This has been proved & appeared with claim of Shields Lopez's claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Carter Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 1907.

M. D. Gleason

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct

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

Andrew Broyles

and

A. Wheeler

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Carter Brown

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 11 years and

4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

his to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Andrew Broyles

J. H. Wheeler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct

1907.

M. D. Gleason

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.

April 18, 1943

April 18, 1943

Dear Sir,  
Cincinnati, Ohio.

Reference is made to your letter of April 14, 1943, in which you request information regarding the status of the application for the position of Chief Clerk of the Board of Health, City of Cincinnati, Ohio. It is noted that the application was received on April 14, 1943, and that the same was referred to the Board of Health for their consideration. The Board of Health has not yet rendered a decision on the application.

It is noted that the application was received on April 14, 1943, and that the same was referred to the Board of Health for their consideration. The Board of Health has not yet rendered a decision on the application.

Your attention is directed to the fact that the position of Chief Clerk of the Board of Health, City of Cincinnati, Ohio, is a permanent position.

Very truly yours,

Special Assistant

W. J. [Signature]

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

WASHINGTON, D. C. September 24, 1907.

App. No. 37460

Carter Brown,

Caryville, Tennessee.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your application No. 37460,  
which bears two addresses.

You are requested to inform this Office at once as to the  
postoffice which you wish to have your mail sent to, and why you  
have given two address in your application.

Please give this matter prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

*John Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

WEA

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App . No. 37460

October 4, 1907.

Carter Brown,

Box 151,

Blue Ridge, Georgia.

Sir:

Your letter of September 30, 1907, from Caryville, Tennessee, in which you state that your correct postoffice address is Caryville, is at hand. At the same time, we are in receipt of a letter purporting to be signed by you from Blue Ridge, Georgia, in which you are made to say that your correct postoffice address is Blue Ridge.

You are advised that, unless you send us direct authority to forward your mail in care of Dr. Falls, Box 151, Blue Ridge, Georgia, all mail will in the future be addressed to you at Caryville.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA.

37400.

Respectfully returned with  
information that Blue Ridge  
Ga is correct that is the office  
I drew all my mail sent. The  
error was made by the one filling  
my blank application. hope it will  
no prove any thing serious in my claim  
Truly  
Yours

Carter Brown.





**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

WASHINGTON, D. C. September 10, 1907.

App. No. 37460.

Carter Brown,

Lock Box 151,

Blue Ridge, Georgia.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 37460.

It is noted that you have given two addresses, that given above and Caryville, Tennessee. You are requested to please notify this Office at once which is correct and why you have given two addresses.

Please give this matter prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

*Guion Miller*

Special Commissioner.

*per file.*

WEA

No. 37461

Action: Reject

Name Jane Sellers and X children.

Residence: ~~Cherokee, Tenn.~~  
Caryville, Tenn.

Reasons: Sister of 37462.

37461

No. 37-301

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jane Sellers*

*Worth 100-151 1/2 Ave. Dodge, Ga.*  
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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.

I. State full name—

English name: Jane Sellers

Indian name: dont know

2. Residence and post office: Cherrule Campbell Co. I want my share devoted to me

3. County: Blue Ridge Franklin County Ga. look for 153

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born May 11 1874

6. Where were you born? in Campbell Co. Tenn.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: my husband is 27 years old at the date of his name

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokee Tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Murphy May</u>	<u>is the only child I have</u>	<u>Born 10 Oct. 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: William Brown

Indian name: dont know

Mother—English name: Sarah Heatherly now Brown

Indian name: dont know

Maiden name: Sarah Heatherly

12. Where were they born?

Father: Caldwell County Tennessee

Mother: in Campbell County Tenn.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Union Co Tenn

Mother: Campbell Co Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died Oct 11 1890 is living

Mother: Oct 11 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: not as I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Allie Smith	May 2	1873
	Hila Leah by name		1875
(2)	Carter Brown		1876
	is all my children		
(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.
John Brown	Savany Brown

18. Where were they born? Campbell Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Emmat
- (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

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim Cherokee Indian Blood through my grand father on mother's side. He was T. J. - name passing Heathy & James. He was a half Cherokee Indian. It is possible with claim of blood to claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James Sellers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of May 1907.

W. J. Gleason  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec, 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 James P. Heathy

and Richard Ault, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Sellers

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 27 years and 3 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.

Marvillie Collins

Malon Miller

Signatures of Witnesses.

James P. Heathy  
Richard Ault

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of May, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct, 1907.

W. J. Gleason  
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.

BOARD OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES

SEP 14 1908

Vasper Tenn Sept 11-08  
Dear Sir as did not get  
your notice in time to  
meet you at Coal Creek  
Tenn the time you was  
there in regard to the  
claim in the Cherokee  
Mater if you want  
any more proof please  
advise and I will  
have it attended to at once  
Very Truly

Hily Leach  
Vasper  
Tenn



**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

App. No. 37461

September 25, 1907.

Jane Sellar,  
Caryville, Tennessee.

Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application.

It is noted that you have given two postoffice addresses and you are requested to inform this Office at once which is the correct address and why you have given two in your application.

Please give this matter prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

*Quinn Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

WPA



Respectfully returned with  
information that I request my  
mail address to be Lee Ridge ga  
is correct. The error was made by  
the party filling out the blank  
application & regret the error

Respectfully  
Hoi

James Sillars

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,

WASHINGTON, D. C. September 10, 1907.

App. No. 37461 .

Jane Sellars,  
Box No. 151,  
Blue Ridge, Georgia.

Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 37461.

You are requested to notify this Office why you have given two postoffice addresses in your application and which of the two is correct.

Please give this prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

*Quinn Miller*  
Special Commissioner.  
*per J. M.*

WEA



App. No. 37641

October 4, 1907.

Jane Sellars,  
Caryville, Tennessee.

Madam:

Your letter of recent date, from Caryville, Tennessee, in which you state that your correct postoffice address is Caryville, is at hand. At the same time, we are in receipt of a letter purporting to be signed by you from Blue Ridge, Georgia, in which you are made to say that your correct postoffice address is Blue Ridge.

You are advised that, unless you send us direct authority to forward your mail in care of Dr. Falls, Box 151, Blue Ridge, Georgia, all mail will in the future be addressed to you at Caryville.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WJA

No. 37462 Action: Reject.  
Name Hiley Leach and 4 children. Residence: Carrsville, Tenn.  
Reasons: Accertions not on roll, Does not show  
genuine connection with Cherokee tribe,  
Failed to appear to give testimony,

37462

*Completed*  
No. 37460

Name *Charles Brown*

With No. ....

Remarks:

*nos. 37461-2,  
grouped together.*

*not on roll.*

X

No. 37402

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Hile, Paach*  
~~*Hile, Paach*~~

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37402



**Special 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: Hiley Leach by Mingo  
Indian name: Abnot Hnon

2. Residence and post office: Argyle Tenn

3. County: Greene

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 32 Born 1875

6. Where were you born? Union Co Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Opelia 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>Samuel Leach</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>April 1, 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 Leach

Indian name: Abnot Hnon

Mother—English name: Opelia

Indian name: Opelia

Maiden name: Opelia

12. Where were they born?

Father: Madison County Tenn

Mother: Campbell

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Anderson Co Tenn

Mother: Ann

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Oct. 11-1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee

I cannot remember

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Alice Smith</u>	<u>May 2 1873</u>	
(2)	<u>Walter Brown</u>	<u>1877</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: John Brown

MOTHER'S SIDE: Larney Brown

18. Where were they born? Anderson Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Conrad

(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

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*I claim Cherokee Indian blood under my grand father name, though he was half Cherokee Indian, he was called sometimes among the whites in a like with the claim of several in Indian the*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Hiley Leach*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of May 1907.

*M. D. Brown*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct, 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

*James P. Heathley*

and

*Richard Ault*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Hiley Leach*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

*her* for 32 years and

3 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

*Mc Elie Collins*

*Alton Miller*

Signatures of Witnesses:

*James P. Heathley*

*Richard Ault*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of May, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct, 1907

*M. D. Brown*

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.

EASTERN  
Rec. NOV 7  
No. 37462

*direct*

NOV 4 1907

POSTAL CARD



*Miss Miller  
Washington D.C.*



57400

Cayville Tenn.  
Nov. 2-1907.

Dear Sir,

I received your card  
a few days ago, in regard to the Cherokee  
Indians. I want to know how long  
it will be till I get any money,  
or if I will get any at all. if you want  
any more proof about it let me  
know. answer soon.

Respt Harlie Liach



THE SPACE ABOVE IS RESERVED FOR POSTMARK.  
POSTAL CARD.  
THE SPACE BELOW IS FOR THE ADDRESS ONLY.

*div*  
NOV 4 1907

*Guine, Miller  
Washington  
D.C.*

No. 37463

Action: 7/2/63

Name: [illegible] and 7 children. Residence: [illegible]

Reasons:

37463

No. 37463

Name Eugenio Ruiz

With No. 28882

Remarks:



No. 37463

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Eugenia Priel.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37463

**Special 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: Eugenia Priel.

Indian name: Not known.

2. Residence and post office: Springfield (Ill) 633 E. Mason St-

3. County: Samuelson

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 40 yrs Born Aug 29, 1867

6. Where were you born? Deer Creek Co. Mo.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ardis Priel 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>Adair Priel</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> 1889</u>
(2)	<u>Estelle Priel</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>July 6<sup>th</sup> 1896</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Charles Parson Mason.

Indian name: Revels.

Mother—English name: Nancy E. Mason.

Indian name: Not known.

Maiden name: Nancy E. Knight.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Darke Co. Ohio.

Mother: Cincinnati, Ohio.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Parke Co. Ohio.

Mother: Cincinnati, Ohio.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 1<sup>st</sup> 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:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence, if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sidney Lett</u> <u>New Paris, Ohio.</u>	<u>Jan. 17, 1865.</u>	
(2)	<u>Malidia Goins</u> <u>New Paris, Ohio.</u>	<u>Mar 19, 1869.</u>	
(3)	<u>Frederick Mason.</u> <u>Crete, Ind.</u>	<u>Sept 7, 1877.</u>	
(4)	<u>William Mason.</u> <u>Cleveland Ohio</u>	<u>Feb 14, 1881.</u>	
(5)	<u>Houston Mason</u> <u>Crete, Ind.</u>	<u>Aug 31, 1884.</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.

Charles Parson Mason. George Knight.  
Sidney Mason. Sidney Knight

18. Where were they born? Charles mason and geo knight  
were born in Guilford Co N. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mason in Parke  
Co. O. Knight in Cincinnati.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John C. Mason.</u>	<u>Crete, Ind.</u>
(2)	<u>Margaretta McCown</u>	<u>Greenville, O.</u>
(3)	<u>Lillinda Stokes</u>	<u>Indianapolis, Ind.</u>
(4)	<u>Eugenia Harrison</u>	<u>Chicago, Ill.</u>
(5)	<u>Adorah F Knight</u>	<u>Atlanta, Ind.</u>
(6)	<u>George Knight</u>	<u>Atlanta, Ind.</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 Grandfathers were both half-blooded Cherokee Indians born in Guilford Co. N.C.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*Grandfather Mason's real name was Revels the he was named Mason by a man who taught him the Stone Mason trade*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Eugenia Price*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *August*, 1907.

*J. J. Boudon*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*September 16<sup>th</sup>*, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *B. Kirby and H. P. Hoden*

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Eugenia Price*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *21* years and

*25* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *shown* represents

*herself* 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 *her* claim

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*B. Kirby*  
*H. P. Hoden*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires

*September 16<sup>th</sup>*, 1907. *J. J. Boudon*  
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. 5 / 61

Action: .....

Name.....

( and / children.

Residence:.....

Reasons:

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No. 37464

Name *Quercus*

With No. 5050

Remarks:

No. 37464

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Jack Lautford*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Jack Lankford

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Mt Vernon

3. County: Morgan

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? don't know Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? Near Mt Vernon Tenn

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Can't remember to what age

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? to list of Kibbeddy Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Gracy Lankford</u>	<u>About 14</u>	<u>1893</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Wm Lankford

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Rebecca Morgan

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Cent State Ohio



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: near Mt Vernon to west of my  
Mother: Knowledge

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: been dead 7 or 8 years  
Mother: mother dead about 25

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 think they was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sarah McTeabaw		don't know
	Martha A Emery		---
(2)	Marion Lankford		---
	Joseph Lankford		---
(3)	Leather Morgan		---
	Bette depp		---
(4)	Frank and Jerry Balthard		---
	Jay Balthard		---
(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.

Mother was Rebecca Morgan

18. Where were they born?

don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Cant say

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: 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 Grand Father's name of my mother side  
was George Wess Morgan.

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)

Jack Lankford  
mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August 1907.

Newton S. Sitzler  
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 Newton S. Sitzler Notary Public  
and W. A. Kelso and W. S. Erwin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Jack Lankford  
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  
\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. Kelso

W. S. Erwin, Jr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

Newton S. Sitzler  
Notary Public.

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No. 37465

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary E. Kelso* and 10 children. Residence: *Mt. Vernon, Penn.*

Reasons:

- 1:- *No ancestors ever enrolled.*
- 2:- *" " party to treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.*
- 3:- *Shows no connection with Eastern Cherokee.*

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No. 37465

Name Mary E. Kelso

With No. ....

Remarks:

not on roll.

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No. 37465

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary E. Kelco*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37465

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name

*Mary Elizabeth Kelso*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Mt Vernon*

3. County:

*Monroe*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*34 years old* Born

6. Where were you born?

*Mt Vernon*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*W. A. Kelso, 45*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Geneviva Kelso</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>1892</i>
(2)	<i>William Kelso</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1893</i>
(3)	<i>Bathie Kelso</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>1894</i>
(4)	<i>Anna Kelso</i>	<i>11 8 months</i>	<i>1895</i>
(5)	<i>Mary J.</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>1897</i>
(6)	<i>Joseph Kelso</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>1898</i>
	<i>Etter Kelso</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>1901</i>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

*Merim May*

*5*

*1902*

Father—English name:

*3*

*1904*

Indian name:

*Kelso July*

*1906*

Mother—English name:

*and Mrs. Kelso July*

*1906*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Barber*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

*Jalapa 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 alive

Mother: Mother died 1888, to best of my knowledge

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Nancy Jane,</u> <u>William Van Buran</u>		
(2)	<u>Abigail</u>	<u>1870</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></u>	<u>Belle Johnson</u>
<u></u>	<u></u>
<u></u>	<u></u>
<u></u>	<u></u>

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Success in Nevada Co. Cal.

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: 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 mother was Betty Morgan  
My Grandfather name was Wess Morgan

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My Grandfather name as I have understood is  
George W. or George Washington

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary E. Kelso

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August 1907.

Newton S. Sitzler

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 Newton S. Sitzler Notary Public  
and M. J. Kelso and Fannie Sitzler, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary E. Kelso  
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 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Erwin, Jr

Fannie Sitzler

M. J. Kelso

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

Newton S. Sitzler  
Notary Public.

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Appln. No.

Mary E. Kelso

being duly sworn,

deposes and says:

old. I was born in Monroe County, Tenn. I claim Indian blood through my mother. Her name was Betty Morgan., before marriage. Wes Morgan <sup>My name is</sup> was her father and Jannie Morgan her mother. I do not know how old my mother was. She was about 45 when she died. I have no recollection of my grandmother and I don't know where either one was born. I do not know how much Indian blood my mother had. I have heard my uncle Van Morgan talk about my Indian blood. He is dead. I just heard him say he was part Indian. I never drew any Indian money and I never heard of my grandmother drawing any. We were all recognized as white people. I never was called an Indian as a child.

*Mary E. Kelso*  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Madisonville,  
Tenn., this 27th day of June, 1908.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

*Gail to establish claim*

*H. J. T.*

*Verny White*

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
*Rec.* JUN 5 1906  
*No.*

State of Tennessee  
County of Monroe

Personally appeared before me  
Newton S. Sigler Notary Public. W. L. Erwin Sr.  
The affiant swears that he is 72 years old,  
that he knew, Wes. Morgan, as he was called  
the Great Grand Father of Mollie Etleso.  
and that he was considered patcherokee  
Indian; The affiant swears that he  
think Wes Morgan, did about the year  
1849, or 1850.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this June  
the 2- 1908,  
W. L. Erwin Sr.  
Newton S. Sigler  
Notary Public.

Claim No. 37465

471. 13765

July 17, 1901

W. D. Wolfe,  
Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for naturalization in the Eastern District of Tennessee, please state whether you, your parents, or your grandparents ever resided within the District office. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents ever employed as white slaves, or in any other manner in the Confederate States in which you and they have resided?

I, W. D. Wolfe, through my attorney, do hereby certify that I am the father of the applicant, and that he was born on the 10th day of March, 1861, at the place of birth of the applicant, and that he is the son of the father of the applicant, and that he is the father of the applicant.

I, W. D. Wolfe, do hereby certify that I am the father of the applicant, and that he was born on the 10th day of March, 1861, at the place of birth of the applicant, and that he is the son of the father of the applicant, and that he is the father of the applicant.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

C. B. Allen



No. 37466  
Name: *Martha Brotherton* and *X* children. Residence: *Midland, Ark.* Action: *Rejected*  
Reasons: *Sister of 32284*

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No. 37466

Name *North Island*

With No. 84

Remarks:

No. 37400

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Montie Brantton.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 20, 1905, and May 20, 1900.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Martha Brotherton,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Midland, Ark.

3. County: Sebastian.

4. State: Arkansas.

5. How old are you? 49 Born 1859

6. Where were you born? Tenn.

7. Are you married? YES.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John D. Brotherton, age 54. born Oct 24, 1855.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? he is white, I am the Cherokee.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Willie K. Brotherton,</u>		<u>April 24th, 1875</u>
(2)	<u>Fannie Crabtree</u>		<u>Jan 11th, 1877.</u>
(3)	<u>Edd J. Brotherton,</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>Sept 15, 1879.</u>
(4)	<u>Johnnie O. Brotherton,</u>		<u>Jan 7, 1882.</u>
(5)	_____		_____
(6)	_____		_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Joseph Odum,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Sarah C. Odum,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Haynes,

12. Where were they born?

Father:  North Carolina

Mother:  Tenn.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: X Tenn

Mother: X "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: X May 11th 1900

Mother: X July 16th 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. not that I knew of---

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	J. K. Odum,		1868.
(2)	Mary Price, Midland, Ark.	1825.	
(3)	Eva Hart, Midland, Ark.	1840.	
(4)	Julia Jones, Bonanza, Ark.	45.	
(5)	Lucy McKissack, Potosi, I. T.	41.	
(6)	Tennie Billings, Midland, Ark.	37.	

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.	
1.	Abraham Odum.	3.	Haynes
2.	Elizabeth "	4.	Haynes

18. Where were they born? X

North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? "

do not know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) all unknown to applicant.
- (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 claim + right is through James Kibe he was a full blood Eastern Cherokee.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
This application is made to secure share of the emigrant money by me as such Cherokee--and in accordance with the general notice from competent authority---

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Martha Brotherton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of AUG., 1907.

R. A. McEaton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

8-19, 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 P. Boyd  
and Tom. Patterson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha Brotherton, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Philip Boyd  
Thomas Patterson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of AUG., 1907.

My commission expires

8/19, 1908.

R. A. McEaton  
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. 37466. (32284)

Martha Brotherton, being first duly sworn,  
deposes and says:

My name is Martha Brotherton; I was born in Smith Co., Tenn., 1859; I claim my Indian blood through my mother and none through my father; my mother was born in Smith Co., Tenn., 1838; my mother claimed her Cherokee blood through her mother; I don't know the given name of my mother's mother; I don't know the maiden name of my grandmother; I don't know where or when my grandmother through whom I claim was born; my grandmother claimed her Indian blood through her father, James Kerby; I have seen my great grandfather; I think my great grandfather was born in Mississippi; my great grandfather died in 1861 or 62; in 1865 my mother and grandmother were living in Smith Co., Tenn.; in 1866 I don't know where my great grandfather was living; my mother and grandmother never lived with the Cherokees as a member of the tribe that I know of; my great grandfather was a full blood Cherokee; ~~neither~~  
~~xxxxxxanyofthexxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~  
~~enrolled~~ I don't think my mother and grandmother ever came to Ind. Terr.; I don't know whether my great grandfather ever came to the Ind. Terr. or not; I have heard that my great grandfather was enrolled, but I do not know at what place; I never made application to be enrolled before the Dawe's Commission; my mother and grandmother were not enrolled that I know of; in 1881 my mother was living in Smith Co., Tenn.; my grandmother through whom I claim was dead at that time.

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Witness my hand and sworn to before me, at Fort Smith,  
Ark., this 11th day of September, 1908.

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Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.



No. 37467

Action: - 0 00 - 00

Name: [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear], Ala.

Reasons:

[unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

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No. 37467

Name.....

With No. 34700.....

Remarks:

No. 37467

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Geo. W. Hall*

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37467

**Special 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 M. Hall

Indian name: Hollinger McAfee & Higgins

2. Residence and post office: Ridge way

3. County: Escambia

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 41 years Born in A.D. 66

6. Where were you born? in Escambia Co. Ala

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Davis Hall age 20 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>Annie Lee</u>	<u>12 years</u>	<u>May 1895</u>
(2)	<u>Sadie Irine</u>	<u>1 year</u>	<u>Sep 1906</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Storka Hall

Indian name: Hollinger McAfee & Higgins

Mother—English name: Martha White

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha White

12. Where were they born?

Father: Jack Springs Baldwin Co. Ala

Mother: Jackson Co. Fla

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: I do not know

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living at present

Mother: living at present

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 never before

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John H Hall	A.D. 66	/
(2)	James Hall	.. 64	
(3)	Edwin Hall	.. 76	
(4)	William Hall		dead
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James H Hall	Pollicorn Mary Meafee
Hollinger M'afee Higgins	Hollinger Meafee Higgins

18. Where were they born? I do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I do not know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) James L Hall
- (2) Mary Hall
- (3) William Hall
- (4) Alex. Hall
- (5) Mehria Hall
- (6) Starker Hall



21. 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 been

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

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 W Hall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

August, 1908.

A. J. Brandon  
Justice of the Peace  
for Greenville County Ala

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 L. Swell  
and D. F. Featherwood, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John W Hall 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 us are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James L. Swell  
D. F. Featherwood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

August, 1908.

A. J. Brandon  
Justice of the Peace  
for Greenville County Ala

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.

The State of Alabama, )

Escambia County. )

I, M.F. Brooks, Judge of Probate in and for said county and state, hereby certify that A.G. Chaudron, whose

genuine signature appears to the annexed certificate, is a Justice of the Peace in and for said county and state, duly commissioned and qualified, and all his official acts as such are entitled to full faith and credit.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Probate Court, this the 23rd day of August, 1907.

*M. F. Brooks*  
Judge of Probate.

No. 37467

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John M. Hall*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.  
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37467

LIBRARY OF THE  
MUSEUM OF MODERN ART  
1000 5th Ave  
New York, N.Y. 10017  
37467

Huntsville Ala June 29 1908

Ernest Miller Special Commissioner

Dear Sir your kind salutation from  
the 27 and was very sorry I did  
not recieve your order in time to

meet Charles Bradley your agent  
at the Huntsville Hotel I have been  
to the hotel and found he has been there  
about 10 not there now I live about 4  
miles from Huntsville and don't get  
my mail very often Please advise  
me what to do Thanking you  
in advance I remain

Respectfully

John Hall

Post office

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Huntsville

as I don't go to the  
post office often will you  
Please send my mail to care



EXHIBIT CHECK  
No. SEP 4 1909  
No. 37/167

Wallace Ala

Aug 23, 1909

Mr Fenton Miller  
Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
of Eastern Cherokee.  
Enrollment.

Dear Mr-  
Miller I received your  
letter stating that my  
application N<sup>o</sup> 37467.  
Was rejected unless  
that we could make  
further proof as to  
the indian name &  
inglish name of  
our grand mother.  
her age in 1835 and  
51. all to

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 at those dates. which  
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 Post Office was  
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 1835 and Belville Ala  
 in 1851. and as  
 Grand mamo was  
 only 1/4 indian she  
 never claimed so  
 only with some folks  
 & said her blood belonged  
 to the Eastern Cherokee  
 tribe. She was a  
 Mackee before she  
 was married to Hall  
 Whetter that was an  
 indian name or  
 english name.

available to Sat. and  
 where would I find  
 a interpreter that could  
 tell me. And your  
 honor if this letter in  
 your judgement would  
 in any way would  
 open up my proof  
 as to my claim  
 would you please advise  
 me as to whether I  
 could get it in or not  
 after 31 day of Sept.  
 as it would  
 bring many pages to  
 my home for the little  
 mite through you honoring  
 our best statement  
 please  
 John W. Hall



No. 37468.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Emmett Blair Quick and 4 children. Residence: Marfa, Texas.

Reasons:

Cousin of #19511 and claims through the same source.

No. 37468

Name Ernest B. Smith

With No. 195-11

Remarks:

*Case No. 11, 1906*

No. 37408

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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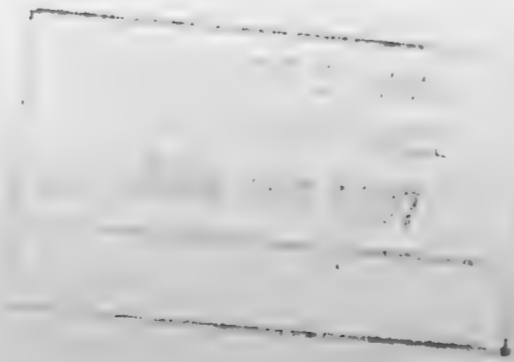
APPLICATION

OF

*Emmit Blair Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*37408*



**Special 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: Emmell Blair Quick

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Marfa

3. County: Presidio

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 44 Born March 8<sup>th</sup> 1863

6. Where were you born? La Fayette, Louisiana

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mosella Quick - age 43

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>Kathleen</u>	<u>11 yrs</u>	<u>June 21<sup>st</sup> 1896</u>
(2)	<u>Lore</u>	<u>9 "</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(3)	<u>Pauline</u>	<u>7 "</u>	<u>August 1<sup>st</sup> 1900</u>
(4)	<u>Miriam Joe</u>	<u>5 months</u>	<u>March 1<sup>st</sup> 1907</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Mother's name before marriage Melvina Faust

Father—English name: Nathan Quick

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Melvina Quick

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Melvina Faust

12. Where were they born?

Father: June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1815, in North Carolina

Mother: Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> 1830



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Oxford, Mississippi

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August 6<sup>th</sup> 1906

Mother: Alive

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>James Quitte</u> <u>Severn, Ark</u>		<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Matthew J. Quitte</u> <u>Oxford Miss</u>		<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>William Quitte</u> <u>Oxford, Miss</u>	<u>Aug 28 1859</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Mary C. Quitte</u> <u>Severn, Ark</u>	<u>Jan 28 - 1861</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Emmitt B. Quitte</u> <u>Marpa, Tex</u>	<u>March 8 1863</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Joseph Quitte</u> <u>Left one child</u>	<u>March 1<sup>st</sup> 1861</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(7)	<u>Nathan W. Quitte</u> <u>Oxford, Miss</u>	<u>Jan 28 1871</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.

William Foust

18. Where were they born?

North Carolina

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) \_\_\_\_\_
- (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 who died Aug. 6<sup>th</sup> 1906 & born June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1815  
was named Nathan Quick - knew of no Indian name*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*My Grand Mother named on Mother's Side was named  
Stout -*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Emmett Blair Quick*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*, 1907.

*J. Humphris*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. G. Tempest*

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Emmett B. Quick* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *who* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. G. Tempest*  
*J. Hawthorne*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires *June 1<sup>st</sup>*, 1908. *J. Humphris*  
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. 37469

Action: *Admission*

Name: *John J. ...* and *x* children.

Residence: *...*

Reasons:

*...*

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No. 37469

Name. Betty Robinson.

With No. 17915.

Remarks:



No. 37469

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Betsy Robinson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Betsy Robinson

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Columbia

3. County: Prayoria

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 56 yrs Born 1851

6. Where were you born? Prayoria County Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: William Robinson 64 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>Columbia Robinson</u>	<u>40 yrs</u>	<u>1867</u>
(2)	<u>Mary E Robinson</u>	<u>38 "</u>	<u>1869</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Mark Waddy

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Ailsy Waddy

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Ailsy Pitts

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Brayoria County Texas

Mother: Polynia Co Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: ~~No Record~~ 28 October 1894

Mother: No Record

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)	Jane Waddy Sr	no record	living
(2)	Robert Waddy	68 700	4
(3)	Eli Waddy	1841	4
(4)	Amelia Govey	no record	4
(5)	Amanda Zimmus	no record	4
(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.

No Record

No Record

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

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)

Betsy Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires

November, 1908.

ex officio J. W. Hanks J. P. Prec-2 and  
Notary Public. in & for  
Brayoria Co Tex

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. P. Underwood

and J. L. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Betsy Robinson

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 whom represents

herself to be, 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.

J. P. Underwood  
J. L. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires

November, 1908.

J. W. Hanks J. P. Prec-2  
Notary Public.  
Brayoria County Texas

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 37470.

Action: *Ref.*

Name *Jon Chambers* and *1* children. Residence: *Zouatta, U.C.*

Reasons:

*Niece of # 3682 and claims through the  
same source.*

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No. 37470

Name Lumber

With No. 3602

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Lane Chambers*  
*x / 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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**Special 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 Chambers  
Indian name: " Nicholson

2. Residence and post office: Tombola

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 27 Born Feb 11 - 1880

6. Where were you born? G.A.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Andrew Chambers 26

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>Pearl - Chambers</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>30 April 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: Julius Kizzey

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Margaret

Indian name: " Nicholson

Maiden name: " Stark

12. Where were they born?

Father: G.A.

Mother: " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: GA

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Archie King</u>	<u>24 Sept 1871</u>	
(2)	<u>Minnie</u>	<u>23 April 1875</u>	
(3)	<u>James</u>	<u>5 Dec 1877</u>	
(4)	<u>Rester</u>	<u>11 Feb 1878</u>	
(5)	<u>Matilda</u>	<u>14 May 1880</u>	
(6)	<u>Sabine</u>	<u>20 May 1882</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>James</u>
	<u>John</u>
	<u>" " " "</u>

18. Where were they born? X

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? GA

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) John
- (2) Minnie
- (3) James
- (4) Elizabeth
- (5) " "
- (6) " "
- " "
- " "
- " "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother name Margaret King  
mother name Sarah M. Smith  
father name James Nicholas

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

her father James Nicholas

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Andrew Chambers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

J. J. Hayes J.P.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 20, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W M Vaughn  
and L E Carrall, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Andrew Chambers who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark. Signatures of Witnesses.  
W. M. Vaughn \_\_\_\_\_ +  
L. E. Carrall \_\_\_\_\_ +

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Dec 20, 1909. J. J. Hayes 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.



No. 37471

Action: Reject

Name Austin King and children. Residence Madison Ala

R.F.D. no 2

Reasons:

Applicant's parents were  
slaves  
(see letter)

No. 37471

Name *Austen King*

With No. ....

Remarks:

\* 40163,

*grouped beneath.*

*not an rolls.*



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No. 3771

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Austen King*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: Auster King

Indian name: Don't know my Indian name

2. Residence and post office: Edgewood Ala. P. O. no. 2

3. County: Etowah

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 24 Born July 21, 1883

6. Where were you born? St. Clair county, Ala.

7. Are you married? No - never been married

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: Tom King

Indian name: Don't know

Mother—English name: Dust King

Indian name: No Indian

Maiden name: Dust Bullington

12. Where were they born?

Father: my understanding is he was born in Ala. near Mobile Ala. and came to St. Clair Co. Ala. from vicinity of

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

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: Died about 10 or 12 years ago

Mother: 3 years ago last June he died

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>Pers King</u>	<u>25 years old</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u>Maggie King</u>	<u>30 years old</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.  
Don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
My mother was a negro

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 anything about

(2) my father's side

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



The State of Alabama }  
Calhoun County }

Present  
Mr. O. N. Shanks, Notary  
Public in and for said State  
& County personally appeared  
N. J. Dewell and who being  
by me duly sworn accord-  
ing to law on his oath did  
swear as follows: - My  
name is N. J. Dewell, and  
I knew Tom King the father of  
Austen King. Tom King  
told me in his lifetime that he  
was one-half Cherokee  
Indian & one-half negro.  
And he looked like he had  
Indian blood in him - he was  
rather colored, he generally  
wore his hair (which was  
black and coarse) long - it  
even hung down his  
shoulders, and he had high  
cheek bones, and his eyes  
were keen and black. Tom  
King told me that his father  
was a full-blood Cherokee  
Indian.

Indian  
per  
Father



King and Agga Laws are  
children of Tom King by his  
lawful, negro wife. I have  
no interest whatever in  
this claim.

Signed

W. H. Sewell

Witness to and subscribed  
before me on this 23 day  
of August, 1907.

O. W. Sharpe

Notary Public.

My Commission expires  
May 21, 1909.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: me

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the ~~last~~ English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Tom King

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Tom King, my father, was a half Cherokee Indian and half negro, and he often told me that his father was a full blood Cherokee Indian. My father could talk the Indian language.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses:  
J. P. Snider

(Signature)

Austen King

J. P. Snider

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

O. W. Sharpe  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 21, 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. L. Collins

and W. F. Sewell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Austen King

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 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.

H. L. Collins

W. F. Sewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

May 21, 1909.

O. W. Sharpe  
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.

Reverend  
Attorney

1000  
Fiedmont, Ala  
From  
Austen King



May 21, 1909.

Miss Mary  
Metairie Phillips

present on the subject, in  
the city. In - portion  
I have heard reports to set  
my husband up as a special  
agent on the city and speak at  
about with them.



Power of Attorney

The State of Alabama,

Calhoun County,

Know all men by these presents: That I, Austin King, do hereby constitute and appoint, and by these presents do hereby constitute and appoint, J. W. Berry, of Piedmont, Ala., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place, stead and behalf to prosecute for me before Hon. Union Miller, Special Eastern Cherokee Indian Commissioner, or his deputy his successor, or for me before any Commissioner, or Court or Department of the United States of America having jurisdiction of Eastern Cherokee Indian Claims until final completion of such and for my heirs and assigns and my claim is an Eastern Cherokee Indian for lands or money due from the Government of the United States of America to



Eastern Cherokee Indians, or  
their descendants or heirs;  
and T. Pen. Kern, my attorney, has  
authority to do and he shall and  
every act and thing whatsoever  
requisite and necessary to be done  
in and about the premises as  
fully to all intents and purposes  
as I might or could do if per-  
sonally present at the doing thereof;  
and T. Pen. Kern, my attorney, is  
hereby given authority to receive  
into his possession (and I direct  
that all payments or remittances  
be made or sent to T. Pen. Kern,  
but to no one else) from the Gov-  
ernment of the United States of  
America, or its agents, any  
money, checks, drafts, war-  
rants, vouchers, or any in-  
strument of my said Indian  
claim; and T. Pen. Kern, my attorney,  
is hereby given authority by me  
to sign my name to all drafts,  
checks, vouchers, drafts or  
warrants and all other nec-  
essary papers in the execu-  
tion of my said Indian claim;  
I hereby ratifying and confirm-  
ing all the above.

shall carefully do or cause  
to be done in and about the  
premises by virtue hereof.

All of my deed relating to my  
Eastern Cherokee Indian claim  
& request be sent to me at Edmont,  
Ala in care of J. D. Newmyer.

In testimony whereof I have  
hereunto set my hand and seal on  
this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, nineteen  
hundred and seven (1907)

Austen <sup>his</sup> King  
mark

LS

witnesses:-  
Mercurio

J. O. Smider

The State of Alabama,  
Calhoun County

I, <sup>Be it</sup> <sup>do</sup>  
know that on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day  
of August, nineteen hundred  
and seven, before me, by under-  
signed, a Notary Public in &  
for said State and County her-  
sonally appeared Austen King,

to me well known  
to be the identical person who  
executed the foregoing power  
of attorney, and he acknowledged

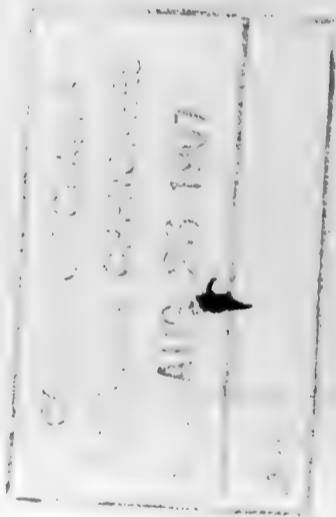
him, and the contents fully explained to him, he acknowledged the same to be his act and deed. I have no interest, present or prospective, in his claim. In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on the day and year last above written.

O. W. Sharpe  
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires  
May 21, 1909.

James  
Attorney

Edm. Berry  
Sidmont, Cal.  
E. com-  
Quoten King





ATLANTA  
EASTERN CHEESEES.  
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Emory Miller Washington D.C.

Your of 13<sup>th</sup> recd in reply will say that my  
Father told me that his Father was a full blood  
Indian and his Mother was a Negro woman  
and a slave and that he was born a  
slave in Lee Co Ala 1/2 Indian My Father  
moved from Lee Co, Ala to St Clair Co  
Ala where I was born my Mother was  
a Negro My Grandmother Father and  
Mother were all slaves of white people  
There never was any doubt of my Father  
being a 1/2 blood Indian by people that  
ever saw him anything that I can do  
tell me know. Resp - Austin King

April 18, 1851

April 18, 1851

Am. M. S. Co.  
No. 11, N. Y. St.  
New York, N. Y.

Sir:

I refer to your early offer of participation  
in the Boston Standard. I have since that time,  
your reports, or communications ever copies with the  
Chronicle & Co. If so, state your name & address,  
your reports, or communications ever copies with the  
Chronicle & Co. in the same way in which you had  
they have received.

I have the honor to inform you that I have  
received your letter of the 18th inst. in  
reference to the Standard & that I have since your  
communication to the Standard & that you did not  
inquire in

I have the honor to inform you that I have  
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reference to the Standard & that I have since your  
communication to the Standard & that you did not  
inquire in

Very respectfully,

Spencer C. ...

...

No. 37472

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Sallie Baker* and / children. Residence: *Thelma, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Applicant & ancestors born & raised several  
hundred miles east of the nearest point of the  
Cherokee domain in 1835. None were ever  
enrolled & are unable to establish any connection  
with the Cherokee tribe.*

37472

No. 37472

Name Sallie Baker

With No.

Remarks:

Not on rolls.



No. 137-1712

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lucie Baker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 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.

Number 67-N-CLEK'S CERTIFICATE THAT A MAN IS A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE USED TO ATTACH TO A MAGISTRATE'S WARRANT, INSURANCE PAPERS AND PROBATING DEEDS, ETC., WHEN SENT OUT OF THE COUNTY. - Printed and for sale at Harrell's Printing House, Weidon, N. C.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,  
 Watauga County }  
 I, W. H. Little  
 Clerk of the Superior Court of said County, do  
 certify that W. H. Little  
 whose genuine signature appears to the  
 foregoing W. H. Little  
 is, and was at the time of signing the same, an acting Justice  
 of the Peace for said County, and full faith and credit are due to his official acts.  
 Given under my hand and official seal, this the 21 day of August 1907

Clerk Superior Court Watauga  
 County.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Henrietta Baker</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>April 13 1867</u>
(2)	<u>Edith Baker</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>April 6 1872</u>
(3)	<u>Jenny Baker</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>April 2 1882</u>
(4)	<u>Liza Baker</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>March 1 1886</u>
(5)	<u>Stella Baker</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>May 20 1890</u>
(6)	<u>It</u>		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: unmarried

Spencer Pinkins, Bitha Baker  
 Father—English name: un  
 Indian name: un known  
 Mother—English name: To Little Baker  
 Indian name: un  
 Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: unknown  
 Mother: Watauga Co. N.C.

Number 567-N.—CLERK'S CERTIFICATE THAT A MAN IS A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE USED TO ATTACH TO A MAGISTRATE'S WARRANT, INSURANCE PAPERS AND PROBATING DEEDS, &C., WHEN SENT OUT OF THE COUNTY.—Printed and for sale at Harrell's Printing House, Weldon, N. C.

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,**

*Wilmington* COUNTY.

I, *J. T. Belcher* Clerk of the Superior Court of said County, do certify that *J. L. Latham* whose genuine signature appears to the foregoing *certificate* is, and was at the time of signing the same, an acting Justice of the Peace for said County, and full faith and credit are due to his official acts.

Given under my hand and official seal, this the *21* day of *August* 190*7*

*J. T. Belcher*  
Clerk Superior Court *Durham* County.

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: Sally Baker.

Indian name: I have none

2. Residence and post office: Thelma.

3. County: Halifax

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 65

Born April 1 1842

6. Where were you born? Halifax Co N.C.

7. Are you married? NO



9. Of 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)	Henrietta Baker	40	Sept-13-1867
(2)	Eelie Baker	35	April 6 1872
(3)	Jenny Baker	28	April 2 1882
(4)	Liza Baker	22	March 1 1886
(5)	Stella Baker	17	May 20 1890
(6)	JT		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: unmarried

Spencer Jenkins, Bitha Baker

Father—English name: un

Indian name: un known

Mother—English name: Dorothy Baker

Indian name: un

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: unknown

Mother: Walden, N.H.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Halifax, Co. N.C.

Mother: Halifax, Co. N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: I don't know

Mother: Aug - 92 - 1875

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Peter Baker	1839	1892
(2)	William Baker	unknown	
(3)	Sallie Baker	Sept 1842	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.

Amnathin Kins  
Lakvra Shee-ittian

Betsy Baker  
Lakvra Shee-ittian

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

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) Sallie Baker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this th 20 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 1, 1908.

J. L. Wadman  
Notary Public.  
Justice of the Peace

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Sandy Baker  
and Ben Garner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sallie Baker who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person that represents her self to be, and that the statements made by both 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.

O. L. Jones

Sandy Baker  
Ben Garner  
witness

Subscribed and sworn to before me this th 20 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 1, 1907

J. L. Wadman  
Notary Public.  
Justice of the Peace

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Encl. 57472

July 11, 1908.

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the application for a license to sell and distribute the product of the American Cyanamid Company, known as "Fertilizer," in the State of New York. The application was filed with the State Department of Agriculture on the 10th inst. and is now pending for consideration. I am sorry to hear that you are unable to visit New York at the present time, but I am sure that the delay will not be long.

I am sure that you will be satisfied with the result of the application. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the result of the application. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the result of the application. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the result of the application. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the result of the application.

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Very respectfully,  
S. J. [Name]

Special Commissioner

S. J. [Name]



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COURT OF CLERKS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 13 1907  
No. 37472

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NOV 13 1907

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COUNTY OF CLATSOP  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Dec. MAY 21 1908  
V.

appl. 37472.

May 19 1908

W.B.  
Thelma. N.C.  
names of witnesses  
that will testify to  
me being a true  
descendant of Cherokee  
Indian

addresses -

Hillard Joney -  
Kitchener, D.C. N.C.

Louisa Miller.  
Kitchener, " N.C.

Murtha Banker -  
Kitchener, " N.C.

Thomas Archady.  
Rosemary, D.C. N.C.

any of these people will  
testify to me being of Cherokee  
Indian blood very Respt your  
Sallie Baker.



Benny Williams as my  
for home and Bear father  
is Duster and Brother  
By the father and mother

Sullivan Baker

No. 37473.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Samuel D Suggs, and 2 children.* Residence: *Audubon Ga*

Reasons: *Claims through same ancestor  
as 16319.*

37473

No. 3147

Name C. T. ...

With No. 10342

Remarks:

37473

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Samuel D Suggs*  
OF  
*Audubon*  
*Gordon Co Ga*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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*  
*A. J. [unclear]*  
*[unclear]*

37473



**Special 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:

*Samuel G Suggs*

Indian name:

*Spraggon or Quinn*

2. Residence and post office:

*Audubon*

3. County:

*Gordon*

4. State:

*Georgia*

5. How old are you?

*49*

Born

*1858*

6. Where were you born?

*Gordon County*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*45. Susan*

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>Coralee Baccus</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>1887</i>
(2)	<i>Lilla D. Baccus</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>1885</i>
(3)	<i>Berry Suggs</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>1891</i>
(4)	<i>Sam B Suggs</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1902</i>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*James Suggs*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Polly Cox Suggs*

Indian name:

*Prayvivor Quinn*

Maiden name:

*Polly Cox*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

*in Tennessee*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: W Gordon

Mother: u

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1865

Mother: ~~1899~~ 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: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>W M Sugg</u>	<u>1850</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Hilton Geo</u>		
(2)	<u>Sarah Halden</u>	<u>1848</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Wenderson Geo</u>		
(3)	<u>Mary Baker</u>	<u>1853</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>George Colson</u>		
(4)	<u>John Gwynn</u>	<u>1887</u>	
	<u>Resnow, Geo</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.

Poley Pignore  
Jacob Cline  
 Gt Grand Father was  
Absolom Cox

18. Where were they born? Spigon Pignore + Cline in NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? the older Cherokee

Grand Parents were in the CA?

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.)

*The Indian Parents were in the Removal  
Prigmore Clinic + Co. were ancestors  
of the Cherokee of which my mother Polly  
Suggs was a descendant.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Samuel G. Suggs*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Sept 1907.

*John Hill*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. H. Brown

and Wm Taylor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Samuel G. Suggs

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Wm Taylor*  
*D. H. Brown*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Sept 1907.

My commission expires July 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

*John Hill*  
Notary Public.

NOTE—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



**Power of Attorney.**

Know all Men by These Presents, That I,

*Samuel G. Suggs*

of *Gordon Co* *Georgia*, in the State of *Georgia*

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling

and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to *prosecute my claim for an interest in the fund for Eastern Cherokee under the Act of the Court of Claims & Act of Congress*

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *August* Nineteen Hundred *seven* *Samuel G. Suggs* (SEAL)

Signed in presence of *John Hill J.P.*  
*J. H. Warner*  
Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF *Georgia*  
COUNTY OF *Gordon* SS.

Before me, a *J.P.*, in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared *Samuel G. Suggs*

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *August* Nineteen Hundred and *seven* *John Hill J.P.*



No. 37474.

Action: *Rejet*

Name *Kaura Cooley* and / children.

Residence: *Whitley, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Brunhelle Case.*

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No. 37474

Name Laura Colby

With No. 2356

Remarks :

No. 31474

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Laura Coley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Do not know

Mother: Stanly County, N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1891

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)	J.W. Underwood, Albemarle, N.C.	1879	
	E.D. Underwood, Concord, N.C.	1881	
(2)	S.M. Underwood, Concord, N.C.	1883	
	Margret Burleyson, Bloomington, N.C.	1887	
(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.

Do not know

Joseph Merton

Margret (Peggy) Merton

Indian name

(Maiden) Margret Hattay

Stanly County N.C.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Stanly County N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Ortage Merton

(2) John Merton

(3) Lincoln Merton

(4) William Merton

(5) Harvey Eford

(6) Isaac and Underwood

Joseph Merton, Edmund Merton

Oliver Merton, Jesse Merton, \*

Lindsay Dunn, Vivie Green, Ellen Hattell

Mantha Williams

*Isaac Merton, Bloomington N.C.  
Vivie Green, Albemarle N.C.  
Ellen Hattell, Bloomington, N.C.*

Hartwell

- x Jesse Martin, Bloomington N.C.
- x Vinnie Loner Albemarle N.C.
- + Ellen Hartwell Bloomington, N.C.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Murdock Underwood,

Sue Underwood (Grand daughter of Elizabeth Boushells (Indian of Eastern Cherokee tribe and wife of Egidius Mottan

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Elizabeth Boushells was my great grand mother and a member of the Cherokee Indians she married my great grand father Egidius Mottan

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Laura Jane Baley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

A. P. Harris  
Clerk Superior Court  
Notary Public

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

William E. Durr

and

Davidson Whitley

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Laura Jane Baley

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. D. Durr

William E. Durr

Davidson Whitley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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A. P. Harris  
Clerk Superior Court  
Notary Public

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North Carolina )

Stanly County )

We, Davidson Whitley of Big Lick, Stanly County, N. C. and W.E. Furr of Albemarle, Stanly County, N.C., each for himself first being duly sworn: say that we were personally acquainted with Elizabeth Brumbello for a number of years; that she was the lawful wife of Ezekiel Morton of yeras ago; that she was a member of the Cherokee Indian tribe; so known, accepted and recognized by all who knew her.

Davidson Whitley is sementy ~~#####~~ Six years of age. W.E. Furr is seventy five years of age.

Sworn to & subscribed  
before me -  
this Aug. 23 1907  
J. P. Harris, C.  
Clerk Superior Court

*Wm. E. Furr*  
Davidson Whitley  
an oath

Witness, J. Harris



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 14 1910

No. 37474

circ. let.

Jan 13<sup>th</sup> 1910

Mr - Guion Miller

Dear - Sir

We would like  
to hear from  
our Application  
No 37474 ~~Gamma~~  
Gamma - Daley

At the mark of

Margaret J Buckley

We would like to  
know if our Application  
was rejected and  
the third Monday  
of October we are at  
No 36336

*Sereathy* No. 37475 Action: *Reject*  
Name: ~~*Sereathy*~~ *Riley* and *3* children. Residence: *Hillsboro Ala.*  
Reasons: *Sister of # 32522*

37475

No

Name

With No.

Remarks:





No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Constitution Riley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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.

I. State full name—

English name: Samuel Riley

Indian name: Samuel Carter

2. Residence and post office: Hillsboro

3. County: Lawrence

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 23 Born April 6<sup>th</sup> 1884

6. Where were you born? Cherokee North Carolina

7. Are you married? Yes to R. B. Riley

8. Name and age of wife or husband: H. 2

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: Three

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Provia Mahall</u>	<u>six</u>	<u>Sept 18<sup>th</sup> 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Muntle Lee</u>	<u>Three</u>	<u>July 9<sup>th</sup> 1904</u>
(3)	<u>Winnie Lou</u>	<u>Two</u>	<u>Sept 17 1905</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: J. J. Carter

Indian name: J. J. Carter

Mother—English name: Fannie Adeline Carter

Indian name: " " "

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee N. C. with Lieutenant

Mother: Cherokee N. C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee N.C.

Mother: Cherokee 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:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
	(1) <u>F. R. Carter</u>	<u>1878</u>	<u>✓</u>
	(2) <u>Roseanna Carter</u>	<u>1879</u>	
<u>Mamma to</u>	<u>Geo Johnson</u>		
	(3) <u>S. A. Carter</u>	<u>1881</u>	
	(4) <u>James Carter</u>		
<u>Mamma</u>	<u>B. R. Stewart</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>Carters</u>	<u>Carters</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Henry Carter</u>	<u>Red Clay Ga</u>
(2) <u>William Carter</u>	<u>Chocktan Ala. D. T.</u>
(3) <u>Benny Carter</u>	<u>Demopolis Ala.</u>
(4) <u>Fate Carter</u>	_____
(5) <u>Sarah Hilton</u>	<u>Demopolis Ala.</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: not as I 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: Center

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) Serenity Riley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

A. W. Bailey  
Justice of the Peace Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 1st, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. D. Odum

and J. J. Perry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Serenity Riley

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and

4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. D. Odum  
J. J. Perry

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. D. Odum  
J. J. Perry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 1st, 1907.

A. W. Bailey  
Justice of the Peace Notary Public.

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**A. W. BAILEY**

MERCHANT  
AND  
COTTON BUYER

HILLSBORO, ALA. 8/23 1907

Guoin Miller Esq  
Washington D.C.  
Dear Sirs

We have an other  
Girl born Feb 13<sup>th</sup> 1907  
I did not know whether to  
put it in or not

Yours Truly  
R. S. Riley

37475  
incl.

Tulahoma Ala  
July 26 1908

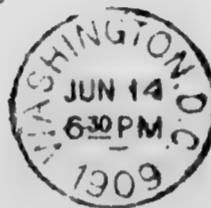
Mr. Susan Kinn  
Special Commissioner  
Washington D.C.  
Dear Sir

Sincerely Riley filed her  
claim Aug 1907. arising from  
the judgment of the court of claims  
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees  
No of her application is 37475  
Please let me hear from  
you & very much oblige

Yours truly  
J. L. James  
Notary Public

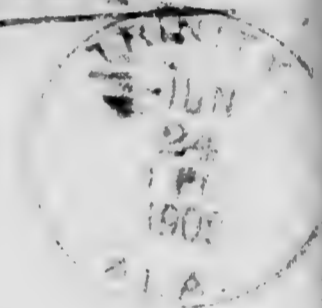
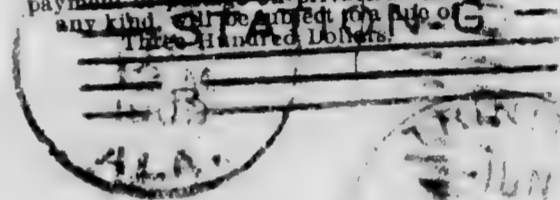
For Sincerely Riley

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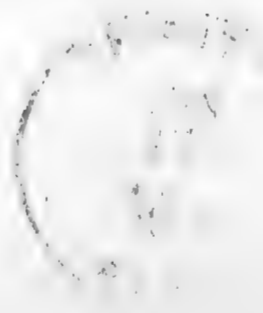
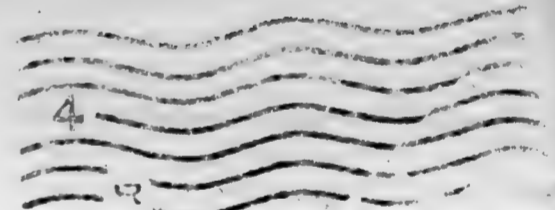
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Ala.

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*HFD*





SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Seaworth & Kelly,*  
*Wilmington, N.C.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *2775*, 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. 1111

Name.....

Action.....

Reasons:

and \* children.

Residence: m!

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No. 37476.  
Name *Maria A. Egan*  
With No. 37476  
Remarks:

*Crossin*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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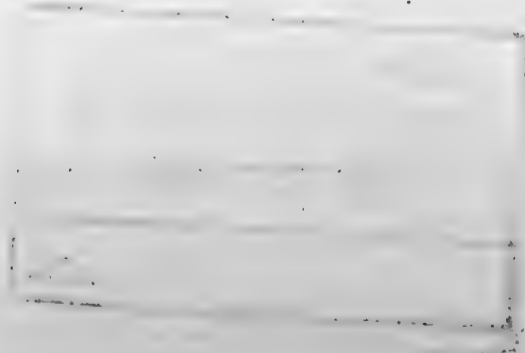
APPLICATION

OF

*Martha A. Emery*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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:

*Martha A. Emery*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Mt Vernon*

3. County:

*Moore*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*To best of knowledge 48.*

6. Where were you born?

*Near Mt Vernon Tenn*

7. Are you married?

*No*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	.....	.....	.....
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

*Father: Larkford Mather now Rebecca Morgan*

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Rebecca Morgan Larkford*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Rebecca Morgan*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Father: Born in Franklin Co Tenn*

Mother:

*Mother: About Tenn*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bath near Mt Vernon Tenn

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died about year 1900

Mother: don't know about 20 or 25 years

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sarah Mc Keehan,		
	Mariam Lankford,		
(2)	Joseph Lankford,		
	Leather Morgan.		
(3)	Bettie, dead.		
	Lack Lankford.		
(4)	Lay Family Lankford.		
	Jessie and Frank both dead.		
(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.

\_\_\_\_\_ Rebecca Morgan \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

18. Where were they born? Father born in French Lick Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? near Mt Vernon Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: pan hat

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 name was George Wesley Morgan

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grandfather name and Mother did was George Wesley Morgan.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Martha A. Emery

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August 1907.

Newton S. Sigler  
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 Newton S. Sigler Notary Public  
and W. A. Kelso and W. L. Ervin who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha A. Emery  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ to be, 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. A. Kelso  
W. L. Ervin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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Newton S. Sigler  
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. 37477

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Gayfield Harris* and *2* children. Residence: *Mariposa, Tenn.*

Reasons: *Concator were not enrolled, Mathew was a slave.*

*Miss. Test. P. 830-31.*



No. 37477 *Field*  
1888

Name *Garfield Harris*

With No. ....

Remarks:

Not on roll.

*Field*  
*Maryville, Tenn.*

*upheld with ...*  
*...*  
*...*

No. 37177

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Garfield Harris*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special 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: Garfield Harris

Indian name: Chait gins. Hane gong atten

2. Residence and post office: Manville

3. County: Blount

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? Twenty five Born Oct. 19, 1881

6. Where were you born? Blount County Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes -

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lilly Harris, Age, 26 -

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>Margaret</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(2)	<u>Lizzie</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Andrew Harris

Indian name: Chait

Mother—English name: Harriet Harris

Indian name: Chait

Maiden name: Harriet Gray

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina, is my information

Mother: North Carolina, is my information





21. 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 do that

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am full 3/4 Cherokee, my hair is straight and black, my cheek bones high and I show my Indian blood strongly

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Garfield Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

Jno. McClain

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 26, 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 R. R. Crapp, D. L. Bryan  
and J. R. Boyles, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Garfield Harris  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 1/2 years and  
1 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses ~~to mark~~

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. R. Crapp

J. R. Boyles

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.


My commission expires

April 26, 1910

Jno. McClain

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.

Application No. 37477: 

Maryville, Tennessee, May 16th 1908.

Special Commissioner of The Court of Claims, Eastern  
Cherokee Enrollment, Washington, D.C.

In answer to your inquiry of the 13th  
Inst., will say:

My Father was almost a Full Blood Cherokee, and  
formerly lived among the Cherokees, in western N. C.,  
as I am informed and verily believe.

I can remember, when he would leave home and go West, and  
stay away for months at a time: he would go to the Indian  
Territory - so, he said.

Indian-like, he would leave home, not telling where  
he was going, and did not tell his whereabouts, until he  
returned: so, I will state, that, my Father lived among  
the Cherokees, both in North Carolina and Tennessee.

My Mother, Harriet Gray was a Slave and owned by  
white people, although, she was fully Three quarter Indian;  
her hair was long and black - about three and one half  
feet long and as straight as could be.

I do not know whether my Grand Father or Grand Mother  
lived among the Cherokees, or with the Cherokee tribe of  
Indians: I heard them say often, that, the Cherokees  
came to their house often, and would stay for days at a  
time, and said the Cherokees recognized them as Indians.

This, or these occurrences occurred in Tennessee,  
before I was born.

As to myself, I will say, that, I have lived in  
the same neighborhood with the Cherokees, especially  
with one Full Blood Cherokee, name, Tom Bigham, and worked  
with him on the Railroad, in Tennessee, about four or five  
years ago.

My Parents and I have always been recognized as  
Indians, although, my Mother was a Slave, she was always  
a Cherokee Indian.

I don't know how my Grandparents were held, whether  
they were Free or Slave.

I do not know whether either of my Parents was born  
in 1851, if so, they were very young; and this accounts  
for their not having been enrolled 1851.

NO. 2.

I do not know where my Grandparents resided in 1835-  
-5, whether in the Indian Territory, Tenn., N.C. or  
Aia.

I am now Twentysix years old, and can not remember  
distinctly, whether my Grandparents showed more or less  
Indian than myself, except my Grandmother, who showed  
that she was Cherokee.

My Grandfather died before I was born. "Tom Bigman" died  
about a year and a half, or two years ago.

Having answered the enquiries, as best as I could,  
I beg to remain, yours obediently,

*Garfield Harris.*

State of Tennessee)  
County of Blount. )

personally appeared before Jno. L. Goddard  
a Notary Public for Blount County Tennessee, Garfield Harris,  
to me well known to be the identical person, he represents  
himself to be, and who signed the foregoing in my  
presence.

This the 16th day of May 1868.

*Jno. L. Goddard*  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Appl. #87477

May 13, 1908.

Garfield Harris,  
Memphis, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee Bill, I have state to you that  
your name, as far as I know, has not been included in the  
Grand Roll. I am, however, not sure. I am not, however,  
your name, and your name, is not included in this roll.  
I am not sure if your name is included in this roll.  
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Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CIT/MS



Affidavit.  
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Boyd M. Murray  
vs Re

Garfield Harris - claimant

No. 37477.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. JUL 29 1908 No. 37477.
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Affidavit of Bayd M. Murray Age 82 years, in the  
matter of Garfield Harris, Claimant No 37477, for  
participation of the fund of Eastern Cherokee,

State of Tennessee }  
County of Blount }

Bayd M. Murray, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says:-

I was acquainted with Andrew Harris and his  
wife Harriet Harris, I knew them about 15 years ago,  
Andrew Harris must have been about 50 years of age  
and Harriet between 35 and 40 years of age. They were  
at this time living on my farm in Blount County  
Tenn. They moved from my farm about 12 or 15 years  
ago and went to Atlanta and I have never seen them  
in either of these since, He left his wife and children with

Affiant states further:- I was well acquainted with  
Indians around in my settlement at the time above  
referred to and know the above persons to have been  
Indians, and they were considered and known by  
every one in the community as Indian descent  
Question 3. Affiant states that he does not know.

4. Affiant states that he does not know.  
Question 4. I am well acquainted with Garfield  
Harris the present applicant and have known him  
from 12 to 15 years. He is the son of Andrew  
and Harriet Harris.

Andrew Harris and Harriet Harris claimed to  
be of Indian descent, and I would so consider them  
from their appearance.

I do not know where they were born but  
when I saw them they were about thirty miles  
from the Chandler Indians.

I do not know that either of them ever received  
any money from the Government or from any  
source.

Boyd McCreary

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 27<sup>th</sup>  
day of July 1908.

William Deane  
Notary Public.

Appln. No. 37477.

Garfield Harris, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says:

My name is Garfield Harris. My age is 26 years. I live in Maryville, Tenn. I claim my Indian blood through my father and mother. My father's name was Andrew Harris. I do not know whether my father is living as he went off when I was a little fellow, and I have heard nothing of him since. I claim to have Cherokee blood. I do not know whether my father went off with the tribe but I heard him talk about being with them right smart. I do not know if he took part in their councils. I do not know in what state he was living in 1851. I think my father's father's name was Jesse Harris. I do not know how old my father would be. My father lived in Monroe Co., on the Tennessee river. I know of no reason why my father was not enrolled in 1851. My father did not look to be so very old when he went off. I do not know where my grandfather lived in 1851. I know of no reason why my grandfather was not enrolled. I don't think my father was ever a slave. I do not know that my father was ever known by any other name than Andrew Harris. The Indians came to our place in big droves and stopped. I never heard my father say anything about getting any money from the Government. My mother's name was Harriett Harris, before marriage Harriett Gray. She is not living. She died when I was about 13 years old. She said she was Cherokee Indian. My father wanted to get me away from my mother. My grandfather, on my mother's side, was Isom Gray. I know of no reason why he was not enrolled, as I have never seen him. I think maybe my mother was a slave. I think she was owned by white people. I have been recognized as Indian more than anything else. I associate with both white and colored. My Riley Cutt and Mr. Boyd McMurray, would know more about my father than I do, and their postoffice is Ips. My father lived with Boys McMurray went he went away.

*C. B. Gray*  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
Tenn., this 30th day of June, 1908.

*A. B. W.*  
Ass't to Special Commissioner of

*This man looks very much like  
Indian but I am not certain,*



Witness In re

Appln. No. 37477.

Joseph Layman, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Joseph Layman. I am 70 years old. I live in Maryville, Blount Co., Tenn. I was born and raised in a near Maryville. I know Garfield Harris and have known him ever since he was a child. His father lived with my brother in Knox Co. Andrew Harris would be in the 70ties if living. I know of no reason why his father (Andrew Harris) was not enrolled, as he looked to be a full-blood. I do not know to what tribe he belonged. I think I have heard that he was Cherokee. His mother showed Indian too.

  
Signature of witness.


Witness In re

37477.

Joseph Layman,

Joseph Layman. I am 70 years old. I live in Maryville, Blount Co., Tenn. I was born and raised in a near Maryville. I know Garfield Harris and have known him ever since he was a child. His father lived with my brother in Knox Co. Andrew Harris would be in the 70ties if living. I know of no reason why his father (Andrew Harris) was not enrolled, as he looked to be a full-blood. I do not know to what tribe he belonged. I think I have heard that he was Cherokee. His mother showed Indian too.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, at Maryville, Tenn., this 30th day of June, 1930.

  
Signature of witness.

Attest to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 20 1907  
No. 37477

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*NOV 20 1907*  
*of*  
*Washington*  
*D.C.*

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Court of Claims  
Washington  
D.C.

Maryville, Tenn. Nov. 18th 1907.

Com. Court of Claims, Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:- Application of Garfield Harris,  
for Per Capita of Fund, for Eastern Cherokee  
Indians was forwarded some time ago, and we have  
not been advised, if it were received and filed.  
May I be favored with the desired information?

Yours Truly,

*D. L. Bryan*  
Attorney.

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No. 37478.

Action: *Reject*

Name

*James King*

and 1.

children.

Residence:

*Burton, Ga.*

Reasons:

*reflex of # 3682 and claims through the same  
source*

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No. 37478-1

Name

With No.

Remarks:

Jan. King  
Lafayette

*Vol. 1000*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*James Henry 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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*37478*

**Special 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 King

Indian name: Michaelson

2. Residence and post office: Burton, G. A.

3. County: Robeson

4. State: G. A.

5. How old are you? 29 Born Dec 5 - 1877

6. Where were you born? G. A.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Allie King

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>Lamie King</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jubius King

Indian name: Michaelson

Mother—English name: Margaret

Indian name: Michaelson

Maiden name: Shook

12. Where were they born?

Father: G. A.

Mother: G. A.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: G A

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Arsenie King	Sept 4 - 1871	
(2)	Kassie	" " 1874	
(3)	Safayte	" " 1875	
(4)	Don	" " 1887	
(5)	Nester	" " 1888	
(6)	Barbara	" " 1889	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	Jacob Shook
	Victoria
	Jacob Shook
	Victoria

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? G A

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Jacob Shook
- (2) Victoria
- (3) Barbara
- (4) Elizabeth
- (5) William
- (6) John
- Martha
- Elizabeth
- Jacob
- Victoria

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Margaret King  
mother's name Margaret Hook Walker  
father's name Hook Walker's name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Joseph Nicholas but father John  
Hook

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Aug, 1907.

Wm Fincannon  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
25th day of Feb, 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 Mrs Sarah <sup>her</sup> Fincannon  
mark

and C. S. Black, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James King

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and him 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.

Sarah <sup>her</sup> Fincannon  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires  
25th day of

Wm Fincannon  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, where Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Ind:

, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before and not be executed before a notary, etc.

App. No. 37478.

September 10, 1907.

James King,

Burton, Georgia.

Sir:

Please inform this Office at once as to the exact date of  
the birth of your child,

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WBA

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. SEP 20 1907  
No. 37478

B. Stearns, C. C.  
September 1907

Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims  
Sir  
I refer to your letter  
about the birth of  
my child, John W. Stearns,  
March 21, 1856.

File

Very Respectfully  
Yours,  
John W. Stearns



Name Lafayette King and X children. Residence: Murphy, N.C. Action: Reject  
No. 37479  
Reasons: Nephew of # 3682 and claims through the same source.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Albert K. Ross*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special 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: Lafayette Kissy  
Indian name: Nicholson

2. Residence and post office: Murphy

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? yes Born 20<sup>th</sup> Jan 1843

6. Where were you born? Rabun County Ga.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Cordele Kissy 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</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jessie Kissy  
Indian name: 11  
Mother—English name: 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1841  
Indian name: 11  
Maiden name: 11 Shook

12. Where were they born?

Father: 11  
Mother: 11

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: GA

Mother: 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Arsenius King	Sept 24 - 1871	
(2)	Winnie	April 23 - 1875	
(3)	James	Dec 8 - 1874	
(4)	Sam	Feb 11 - 1850	
(5)	Hester	Feb 14 - 1853	
(6)	Mertine	Aug 14 - 1856	

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 Sprouk
	11 11
	James 11
	11 Michaelson

18. Where were they born? +

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? GA

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John Sprouk	
(2)	Rebecca	11
(3)	Mary	11
(4)	Elizabeth	11
(5)	Nancy	11
(6)	Isaac	11
	Martha	11
	Ryan	11
	John	11
	Ann	11



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Margaret  
King's name Margaret Shook  
Her brother James Shook, Maiden's name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

James Nicholson & his father John  
Nicholson Shook  
James of my people got their land in  
the territory

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lafayette King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

J. J. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 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 J. J. [Signature]  
and [Signature], who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lafayette King who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

[Signature]  
[Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 20, 1907. J. J. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 37480.

Action: *Warrant.*

Name *Daniel L. Micalf* and children. Residence: *Fairfax, Va.*

Reasons:

*May not have been*

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No. 37480-1.

Name .....

With No. *12-1-1*

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Donnie L. Metcalf.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: *Donnie L. Metcalf.*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: *Paint Fork,*

3. Town and post office: *Paint Fork,*

4. County: *Madison*

5. State: *N. C.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Born 1885, Madison Co., N. C.*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *by the right of my mother who was a daughter of Lovada M. Blankenship who was a daughter of Sallie Galeombe who was a daughter of John J. Manly who was a son of Martin B. Manly Sr. who married Kajah Van Co., Cherokee Indian.*

8. Are you married? *No.*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *John N. Metcalf.*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *Sallie L. Metcalf.*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Sallie L. Blankenship.*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Madison Co., N. C.*

Mother: *Ganey Co., N. C.*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Living.*

Mother: *Living.*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: .....

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Hughie Metcalf</i>	<i>1887</i>	
(2)	<i>Earl Metcalf</i>	<i>1900</i>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>James Metcalf</i>	<i>John Blankenship</i>
<i>Jane Metcalf</i>	<i>Lovada Blankenship</i>

17. Where were they born? *mother's side, Yancey Co., N.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *mother's side*  
*Yancey Co., N.C. father's side Madison Co., N.C.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: <sup>*mother's side*</sup> *Lorange M. Blankenship*  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: *Asheville, N.C.*

(2) English name: *Robert H. Blankenship*  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: *Pine City, Minn.*

(3) English name: *Sallie L. Metcalf*  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: *Paint Fork, N.C.*

(4) English name: *Lillie Proffitt*  
Indian name: .....  
Residence: *Wampler Yancey Co., N.C.*

(5) English name: *James M. Blankenship*, residence *Asheville, N.C.*  
*English* Indian name: *William R. Blankenship*, Dead.  
*English name* Residence: *Samantha E. Carter*, residence *Paint Fork, N.C.*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: .....

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *My mother was born 1868; her mother, Lovada M. Blankenship was born 1844; her mother, Sallie Halcombe was born 1817.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Samuel L. Metcalf*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *Aug*, 190*7*

My commission expires

*Dec*, 190*7* *W. W. Anderson*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. L. Carter* and *R. M. Wyatt*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Samuel L. Metcalf* makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *she* 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 *said* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. L. Carter*

*R. M. Wyatt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *Aug*, 190*7*

My commission expires

*Dec*, 190*7* *W. W. 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.



No. 37481.

Action: *Recd.*

Name *Lillie L. Metcalf* and *two* children.

Residence: *Fairfax, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Legal heirs*

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No. 37481

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Callie L. Metcalf*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: *Callie L. Metcalf.*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: *Paint Fork.*

3. ~~Town~~ and post office: *Paint Fork*

4. County: *Madison,*

5. State: *N. C.*

6. Date and place of birth: *Born 1868. Yancey Co., N. C.*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *By the right of my mother who was a daughter of Sally Halecombe who was a daughter of John J. Maney who was a son of Martin B. Maney Sr. who married Kajah Van Co. Cherokee Indian.*

8. Are you married? *Yes.*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *John N. Metcalf, age 47.*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *John Blankenship.*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *Lovada M. Blankenship.*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Lovada M. Halecombe.*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Yancey Co., N. C.*

Mother: *Yancey Co., N. C.*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Yancey Co., N. C.*

Mother: *Yancey Co., N. C.*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Died 1880.*

Mother: *Living.*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Mother enrolled on all the rolls from 1849 to 1883 at her home Yancey Co., N.C.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Lorany M. Blankenship</i>	<i>1861</i>	
(2)	<i>Robert H. Blankenship</i>	<i>1865</i>	
(3)	<i>Samantha G. Carter</i>	<i>1875</i>	
(4)	<i>Lillie Proffitt</i>	<i>1871</i>	
(5)	<i>James M. Blankenship</i>	<i>1873</i>	
(6)	<i>William R. Blankenship</i>	<i>1879</i>	<i>Died June 5-1907.</i>

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>M. P. Blankenship</i>	<i>Robert Halcambe</i>
<i>Elizabeth Blankenship</i>	<i>Bald Creek, N.C.</i>
<i>not related to Cherokee</i>	<i>Gallie Halcambe</i>
<i>Indians</i>	

17. Where were they born? *all born in Buncombe Co., N.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Yancey Co., N.C.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <i>Lovada M. Blankenship</i> <i>mother's side</i>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <i>Paint Fork, N.C.</i>
(2)	English name: <i>Lorina Allen</i>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <i>Arlington Washington</i>
(3)	English name: <i>Mira Ballard</i>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <i>Ohio</i>
(4)	English name: <i>James H. Halcambe</i>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <i>Bald Creek, N.C.</i>
(5)	English name: <i>Milton H. Halcambe</i>	Indian name: _____	Residence: <i>Bald Creek, N.C.</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Gilbert H. Halcambe Dead.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *my mother was born 1841 her mother Sallie Kalsambe was born 1817.*

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.) *Sallie L. Metcalf*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *Aug*, 190*7*

My commission expires *Dec*, 190*7* *A. W. Anderson*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. L. Carter* and *R. M. Wyatt* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Sallie L. Metcalf* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her self* and that the statements made by *us* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*W. L. Carter*  
*R. M. Wyatt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *Aug*, 190*7*

My commission expires *Dec*, 190*7* *A. W. 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.



Signatures or Witnesses.

*M. G. Carter*

*R. B. Barnett*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *September*, 1907.

*John H. Johnson*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *Dec 2*, 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. *37481*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

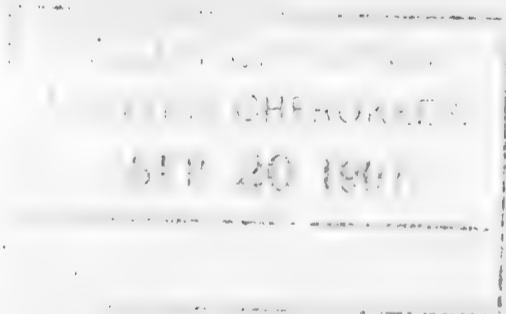
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Hallie L. Metcalf*

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. 37481.

1. State your full name: Sallie L. Metcalf.
2. Residence and post office: Paint Fork.
3. County: Madison.
4. State: N. C.
5. Date and place of birth: May 25, 1868, Gancey Co., N. C.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: John N. Metcalf, age 46 years.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Dominic L. Metcalf.</u>	<u>21 years</u>	<u>Nov. 21, 1885</u>
(2)	<u>Hughie Metcalf.</u>	<u>20 years</u>	<u>Jan. 9, 1887.</u>
(3)	<u>Earl Metcalf.</u>	<u>7 years</u>	<u>Feb. 16, 1900.</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sallie L. Metcalf

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Sept 1907.

N. W. Sullivan  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Dec, 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. L. Carter and R. M. Wyatt who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sallie L. Metcalf who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 15 years and 30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
W. L. Carter  
R. M. Wyatt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Sept, 1907.  
J. W. Anderson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec, 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. 37481

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

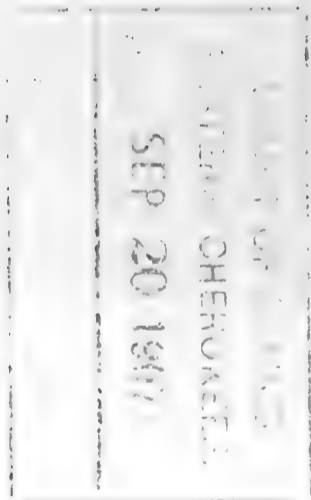
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Sallie L. Metcalf

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Fred David Lee*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**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:

*Fred David Lee*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Orange*

3. County:

*Orange County*

4. State:

*California*

5. How old are you?

*22 yrs*

Born

*April 20<sup>th</sup> 1885*

6. Where were you born?

*Springdale, Kansas*

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:

*David L. Lee*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*T. Elma Lee*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Tryphena Elma Way*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Columbus, Indiana*

Mother:

*Randolph Co. Indiana*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Louisa Co. Iowa

Mother: Thomtown, Boone Co. Ind

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living.

Mother: Still living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Albert A Lee Orange, Cal	Oct 24, 1862.	
(2)	R. Elizabeth Lee 343 1/2 Fremont Ave Los Angeles, Cal	May 21, 1865.	
(3)	Curtis B. Lee Tehachapi, Cal	March 30th, 1869	
(4)	Retha Lee Amie Orange, Cal	Aug. 27, 1873.	
(5)	Ila Lee Frick Whittier, Cal	Feb. 11th 1879	
(6)	Grace A Lee Orange, Cal	Oct 9th, 1888	

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.
David R. Lee. Born in Virginia	Henry O. Way Born in Wayne Co. Indiana
Polly Paine Lee Born in Virginia	(Nancy) Ann Millis (Fraser) Way Born in Guilford Co. N.C.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand father and Grand mother Lee in Louisa Co. Iowa. Grand father & Grand mother Way in Thomtown Boone Co Ind

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) John M. Lee, Oxford Neb.	Huldah Elizabeth Johnston
(2) Wm Paine Lee, Aldridge Neb.	Chrodema, California
(3) Froman D. Lee	Mary Matilda Brown 1015 W. 7th St Los Angeles, Cal
(4) Fitzgerald Georgie	R. 8th & 9th Orange, Cal
(5) Eliza M. (Lee) Myers	Curtis Elma Way, 1030 W. 4th St Long Beach, California
(6) Lacie, Iowa	Jane Ellen Sharpless Long Beach, California
	Alexa Elwood Way, 17 Central Ave Minneapolis Minn
	Lucinda M. Lunde Frazier Los Angeles, California
	Solara Edwin Way 1137 W. First St Los Angeles, Cal

21. 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: Fred D. Lee, son of Tryphena Elmer Lee, daughter of Henry W. Way, son of Nathan Way, son of Henry Way, son of Paul Way, son of John Way, son of Wm Way and Penelope V. V. V.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have all ways understood we were descendants of (C. Cherokee) Indians. But have not quite completed the chain, but will soon have it.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Fred David Lee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

W. H. Clayton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. L. Porter

and J. R. Adams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fred David Lee.

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. L. Porter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires

July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1909. W. H. Clayton  
Notary Public.

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Action:

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

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*Letter to 37117*

No. 37483

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lee*  
Tryphena Elma (May) Lee,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37483

**Special 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: Tryphena Elma Lee

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: R. F. D. No 1, Orange

3. County: Orange County

4. State: California

5. How old are you? Sixty three yrs Born April 21, 1844

6. Where were you born? Randolph Co., Indiana

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: David L. Lee. Age 68 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>Albert A. Lee</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>10-24-1862</u>
(2)	<u>Rebecca Elizabeth Lee</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>5-21-1865</u>
(3)	<u>Curtis O. Lee</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>3-30-1869</u>
(4)	<u>Netha Lee Umie</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>9-27-1873</u>
(5)	<u>Ma Lee Frick</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>2-11-1878</u>
(6)	<u>Fred David Lee</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>4-20-1885</u>
	<u>Grace Alda Lee</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>10-9-1888</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Henry Osburn Way

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: (Nancy) Ann Millis Way

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: (Nancy) Ann Millis Frazer

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wayne Co., Indiana

Mother: Guilford Co., North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Thorntown, Boone Co., Indiana

Mother: Thorntown, Boone Co., Indiana

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct. 8, 1900

Mother: Aug. 22, 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) Huldah Elizabeth Johnstone Elmodena, Orange Co., Cal.	4-3-1840	
✓ (2) Mary Matilda Brown 1015 W. 4 St., Los Angeles	8-27-1841	
✓ (3) Curtis Elma Way 1030 East 4 St., Long Beach, Cal.	9-8-1847	
✓ (4) Jane Ellen Sharpless, Long Beach, Cal.	1-1-1850	
✗ (5) Alton Elwood Way 17 Central Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.	1-29-1853	
✓ (6) Lucina Malinda Frazer <sup>Attadena, Cal.</sup> <del>Los Angeles, Cal.</del>	1-9-1857	}
✓ Lotan Edwin Way 1138 West 1st Los Angeles, Cal.	5-3-1860	

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.
Nathan Way Born 1782 Guilford Co., N. C.	Henry Frazer Born Aug 19, 1793
Huldah (Oxbun) Way Born 1782 Guilford Co., N. C.	Mary (Otwell) Frazer Born Dec. 12, 1798

18. Where were they born? All in Guilford Co., North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Nathan & Huldah Way, Dead.  
Henry & Mary Frazer, Thorntown, Boone Co., Indiana.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Nathan E. Way	Ann M. (Frazer) Way	} deceased
(2) John "	Gerusha R. Gossett	
(3) Anthony "	Fannie White	
(4) Huldah (Way) Johnson	Alson G. Frazer	
(5) Henry Oxbun Way	Eli B. Frazer	
(6) All deceased	Matilda Crosbie, Salem, Iowa	
	Abi Elliot, Marshalltown, <del>Iowa</del> Iowa.	
	Lotan <sup>s</sup> Frazer	
	Heber <sup>s</sup> Frazer	
	Eyena D. - z, Whittier, Cal.	
	Curtis O. Frazer, Marshalltown, Iowa	

21. 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: Tryphena Elma Lee, daughter of Henry O'Way, son of Nathan O'Way (Hidal O'Way), son of Henry O'Way, son of Paul O'Way, son of John O'Way, son of Wm. O'Way and Penelope Burin

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have long known that we are descendants of (E. Cherokee) Indians, but have not quite completed the chain, but soon will have it and mail to you.

I solemnly ~~swear~~ <sup>affirm</sup> that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Tryphena Elma Lee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

W. H. Clayton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. L. Porter

and J. R. Adams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Tryphena Elma Lee

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. L. Porter

J. R. Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Grace W. W. Lee,*

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

37484

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: Gae Alda See

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Orange

3. County: Orange Co.

4. State: California

5. How old are you? 18 yrs Born Oct. 9, 1888

6. Where were you born? Villa Park Orange Co. Cal.

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: David A. See

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: T. Elma See

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Stephena Emma Way

12. Where were they born?

Father: Columbus, Ind.

Mother: Randolph Co, Ind.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Louisa Co, Iowa.

Mother: Thomtown, Boone Co, Ind.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Albert Lee</u> <u>Orange, Cal.</u>	<u>Oct 24. 1862</u>	
(2)	<u>R. Elizabeth Lee</u> <u>343 1/2 S. Fremont Ave.</u> <u>Los Angeles, Cal.</u>	<u>May 21. 1865</u>	
(3)	<u>Curtis O. Lee</u> <u>Tehachas, Cal.</u>	<u>March 30. 1869</u>	
(4)	<u>Retha Lee Annie</u> <u>Orange, Cal.</u>	<u>Aug. 27 1873</u>	
(5)	<u>Lia Lee Grice</u> <u>Whittier, Cal.</u>	<u>Feb. 11. 1879</u>	
(6)	<u>Fred D. Lee</u> <u>Orange, Cal.</u>	<u>April 20. 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>David R. Lee</u> <u>Born in Virginia</u>	<u>Henry O. Way</u> <u>Born in Wayne Co. N. Carolina</u>
<u>Polly Paine Lee</u> <u>Born in Virginia</u>	<u>(Nancy) Mrs. Millis (Frazer) Way</u> <u>Born in Guilford Co. N. C.</u>

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandfather and Grandmother Lee in Louisa Co. Iowa. Grandmother Way in Thomtown Boone Co, Indiana

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>John M. Lee</u> <u>Osage, Neb.</u>	<u>Huldah Elizabeth Johnson</u>
(2) <u>Wm Paine Lee</u> <u>Holdridge, Neb.</u>	<u>El Modena, Orange Co. Cal.</u>
(3) <u>Yuman D. Lee</u>	<u>Mary Matilda Brown 1015 W. 4th St.</u>
(4) <u>Y. Fitzgerald</u> <u>Georgia</u>	<u>Los Angeles</u>
(5) <u>Eliza M. Lee</u> <u>Meyers</u>	<u>Curtis Elma Way 1030 E. 4th St.</u>
(6) <u>Sacana</u> <u>Iowa</u>	<u>Yane Ellen Sharpless</u>
	<u>Long Beach, Cal.</u>
	<u>Alton Howard Way 17 Kenner</u>
	<u>Lucinda Malinda Frazer</u>
	<u>Los Angeles, Cal.</u>
	<u>Lotan Edwin Way</u>
	<u>1138 W. 15th Los Angeles California</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: Grace Alda Lee daughter of Truphena Alma See, daughter of Henry D. Way, Son of Nathan Way, Son of Henry Way, son of Paul Way, son of John Way, son of Wm. Way and Penelope Verin.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have long known that we are descendants of (E. Cherokee) Indians, but have not quite completed the chain, but soon will have it and mail it to you -

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Grace Alda Lee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

W. H. Clayton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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Personally appeared before me H. L. Porter

and J. R. Adams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Grace Alda Lee

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. L. Porter

J. R. Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

W. H. Clayton  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Mr. Susan Miller:  
601 Quay Bldg.  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

On or about  
the 20<sup>th</sup> of August 1907. I mailed under  
the same cover as my mother's & sisters  
claims No 37483 and No 37484 for a share  
in the Money to be divided for the Eastern  
Cherokees. You never sent a card to me  
with my number on it, which should have  
been No 37485. It may have been overlooked  
in the Envelope in which it was sent.

Please look this up, and send me  
my number.

Respectfully yours

Fred D. Lee

Orange

Orange Co

California

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No. 37485

Name Wylie F. Cochran and X children. Residence: Ball Ground, Ga. Action: Reject

Reasons: Ancestors not on rolls. Was not estab-  
lish genuine connection with Cherokee  
tribe.

Misc. Nat. P. 1040



No. 37430

Name Wylie F. Cochran

With No. ....

Remarks:

nos. 37431-2-3-4-5,  
37485,  
grouped beneath.

not an roll.

No. 37485

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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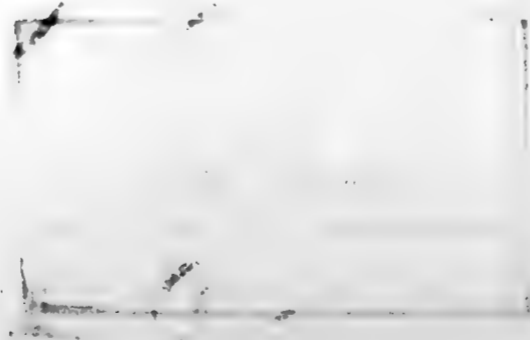
APPLICATION

OF

*Wiley F. Cochran*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37485

**Special 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: Wiley Franklin Cochran  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground R.F.D. #2
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 60 Born Jan 11, 1847
6. Where were you born? Cherokee County
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elizabeth Jane Cochran
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)	Lewis Terrell Cochran	34	Aug 26, 1873
(2)	Mylie Perry	33	Dec 18, 1874
(3)	Evans Kimsy	31	June 8, 1876
(4)	Caroline Altsmy	27	Sept 12, 1880
(5)	Laura	25	Feb 25, 1882
(6)	Elizabeth Franklin	23	Mar 22, 1884

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Wells Cochran  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Altsmy Jane Griffin  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina  
Mother: Franklin Co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee County  
Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 28, 1863  
Mother: Nov 2, 1853

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)	_____	_____	_____
(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>Robert Cochran</u>	<u>Hardy Greffie</u>
<u>Celie Cochran</u>	<u>Sarah Kelley</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)	_____	_____
(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 that far

back my Great Grand father on my mothers side  
was named was Hard Griffin

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Great Grand father on my mothers side  
was was always said to be a "Dustoon"  
"Hard" Griffin

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Wiley Franklin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907, Cochran

Oliver P. Tucker

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909.

Clerk Superior Court

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Ben F. Willingham  
and Lee Richards, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Wiley Franklin Cochran  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 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.

Ben Willingham  
Lee Richards

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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Oliver P. Tucker O.S.C.

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. 37485

Misc.

Wylie F. Cochran, after being first duly sworn,  
deposes and says:

I am 60 years of age; was born in Cherokee County,  
Ga., and have lived in this neighborhood all my life. I  
claim my Indian blood through my mother. I have never  
received any Indian money from the government and  
never tried to get any. ~~My mother~~ I do not know if  
my mother ever received any Indian money. She died  
when I was small. The Indians were taken away before  
I remember. I do not know if my mother lived with  
the Indians. Fact of the business is I never studied  
much about it until last summer. I never lived with  
the Indians and do not speak the Indian language.

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Wylie F. Cochran

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Canton, Ga.,  
this seventh day of July, 1908.

*Harold Netron*  
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Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

No. 37486

Action: *Rejected*

Name

*Geo. W. Mullins*

and

*5* children.

Residence:

*Somerset, Ky.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 31063 and claim. Also same name.*

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No. 37486

Name *William Thomas*

With No. 36106

Remarks:



*C* No. 7486

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jno. M. Mullins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*F. A. Zabor,*

*Albany,*

*2871 E. Ky*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: .....

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: .....

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	.....	.....	.....
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
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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) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1907.

\_\_\_\_\_  
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 \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

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Eastern Cherokee  
Application of  
John M. Mallory  
for Shares of money ap-  
propriated for the Eastern  
Cherokee Indians by the  
act of Congress approved  
June 30, 1906, in ac-  
cordance with the decrees  
of the Court of Claims of  
May 18, 1905, and July,  
28, 1906,

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims  
601 Burray Building Washington D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for  
such share as may be due me of  
the fund appropriated by the Act of  
Congress approved June 30, 1906 in  
accordance with the decision of  
the Court of Claims January 6, 1905,  
and May 28, 1906 in favor of the  
Eastern Cherokees. The evidence  
of identity is here with subpoenaed

1. State full name: John M. Mullins  
English name: John M. Mullins  
Indian name: "

2. Residence near origin: Somerset Pa  
3. County: of Putnam

4. State: of Kentucky

5. How old are you? 47. was in  
Tennessee and Tennessee. Where were you  
born in Tennessee County Tennessee

6. are you married? yes

7. name and age of wife or husband &  
wife's name: name Ora M. Mullins

8. To what tribe of Indians does he or she  
belong?

name all your children and their  
living or dead, giving ages.

Name:	Age:	Born:
1, Emma D. Mullins	20 years	1887
2, Benjamin H. Mullins	18 "	1889

	AGES	Year
3	Mathew M. Mullins 14 years	1891
4	John W. Mullins 14 years	1893
5	Mary D. Mullins 12 years	1896

6  
11 Give names of your father and mother and your mother's name before marriage

Father English name: Nathaniel Mullins

Indian "

Mother English " Mary Mullins

Indian "

Maiden " Mary Cobb

12 Where were they born?

Father: Fentress County Tennessee

Mother: Fentress County Tennessee

13 Where did they reside in 1854, if living at that time? Don't know

Father:

Mother:

14 Date of death of your father & mother

Father: Died in 1843

Mother: still living

15 Were they ever enrolled for money

or military land or other benefits

If so state when and where and

with what tribe of Indians

Don't know

16 Name all your brothers & sisters

giving ages and residence if possible

name: Born: Died:

- 1 John L. Mullins - 1858. Search
- 2 Sarah E. Lee about 1862 Casey County Ky
- 3 Charles D. Mullins 1873 Rendlesburg County Ky
- 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 Mullins	Jesse Cook

18 Where were they born: do not know where did they reside in 1860 if living at that time

19 Give names of their children, and residence if possible: Do not know

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3

4

5

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21 Have you ever been enrolled for money or annuities (and/or other benefits) if so state when and where and with what tribe of Indians. I have not to assist in identification claimant



should give full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grand parents back to 1836;

I appoint H. C. Tabor of Albany, Tryon my true and lawful atty, to prosecute this claim I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief

John M. Mulligan  
Sworn to and sworn to before me by the claimant John M. Mulligan this 14 day of August 1836  
my commission expires at the end of the next session of the senate

M. E. Jacobs  
Notary Public

personally appeared before me Margaret A. Tabor and William F. Tabor

Who being duly sworn on oath depose and say they are well acquainted with John M. Mulligan. They make the foregoing application and statements and have known him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their knowledge and belief and they have no interest

best of their knowledge and belief  
and they have no interest what  
ever in this claim

Margaret A Tartar. William F Tartar  
Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this 24 day of Aug, 1907,

M. C. Tartar  
Notary Public  
My Commission expires  
at the end of the next session of the  
Senate

No. 37487

Action: *Repeal*

Name *John S. Downs* and *3* children. Residence: *Repton, Ala.*

Reasons:

*Applicant fails to show any genuine connection to the Eastern Cherokee.*

*No ancestor ever enrolled. No ancestor a party to the Treaty of 1835-36-46.*

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Classified by *Ripley, Fred*

No. *37487*

Name *John S. Davis*

With No. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks:

*Not on rolls.*



No. 32487

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John S. Down*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37487

**Special 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 S Downes  
Indian name: John S Downes
2. Residence and post office: Repton
3. County: Concord
4. State: Alabama
5. How old are you? 72 Born May 17<sup>th</sup> 1835
6. Where were you born? Randall County Ga
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Caroline Downes age 72
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>D S Downes</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>1878</u>
(2)	<u>Forney Downes</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>1876</u>
(3)	<u>Jennie Bartlett</u>	<u>abt 40</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Isaac Downes

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Tempey Downes  
Maiden name: Tempey Venard

12. Where were they born?  
Father: South Carolina  
Mother: Birth Place unknown to her

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Florison Co Tex  
Mother: ~~Florison Co Tex~~ Randolph Co Ala

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died about 14 back  
Mother: " " 1863

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 never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lindsay Downs Monroeville Ala	Age 69	
(2)	Wes Downs Marshall Tex		1893
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Downs	Bill Vennard
Piggie McDaniel	Poley Vennard

18. Where were they born? all in South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

no record but think all dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Joe Vennard	Leanton Miss
(2)	Bill Vennard	Dadeville Ala
(3)	George Father side	
(4)	all dead so far as	
(5)	I na	
(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 money

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: no records

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim the Cherokee Indian blood on both father and mother side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John S. Downs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

W. H. Ellis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 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 L. F. Brantley  
and A. B. Bennett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John S. Downs who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 55 years and 40 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents claim to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. F. Brantley

A. B. Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 1908. W. H. Ellis  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 21 1908  
*No.*

#37487

MR

REPTON, ALA.

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1908

Special Agent

Washington

Dear Sir in reply to your letter of  
13<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Parents resided with Cherokee  
in Randolph Co Ala above Cherokee Gold Mine  
I was born at above place my Parents  
was reckoned as white people but  
was of the Indian tribe I cannot  
answer why they was not enrolled  
in 1857 <sup>with</sup> he was in Randolph Co Ala  
my Grand Parents whom I claim my  
Ind Blood Died in South Carolina  
Prior to 1834 they was not slaves  
that I was of but as I stated  
they was of the Cherokee tribe hope  
above may be satisfactory & beg  
to remain Respectfully

John S. Downs

Encl. 2127

July 11, 1908.

Dear Mr. [Name],

Sir:

I am glad to hear of your interest in the [Project Name] and in the [Location]. I am sure that your participation will be of great value to the [Organization]. I am sure that you will find the [Project Name] very interesting and profitable.

I am sure that you will find the [Project Name] very interesting and profitable. I am sure that you will find the [Project Name] very interesting and profitable.

I am sure that you will find the [Project Name] very interesting and profitable. I am sure that you will find the [Project Name] very interesting and profitable.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

No. 37488

Action: Return

Name: [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons:

[unclear]

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No. 37488

Name *fall 1902*

With No. 36918

Remarks:

No. 37488

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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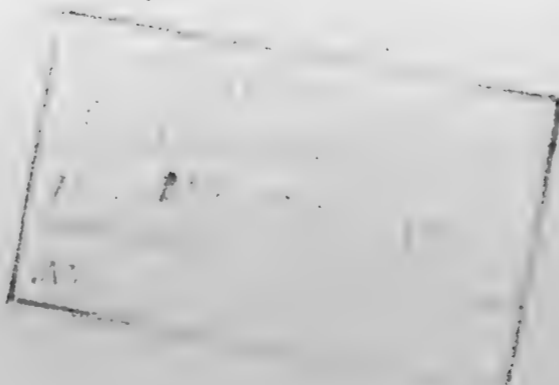
APPLICATION

OF

*Della Downs*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



37488

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Deller Downs

2. Residence and post office: Repton

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 25 Born Jan 14<sup>th</sup> 1882

6. Where were you born? Monroe Co Ala

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: D S Downs 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>Lacey Downs</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>Sept 23-1901</u>
(2)	<u>John Downs</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>apl 9-1902</u>
(3)	<u>David Downs</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Feb 6-1904</u>
(4)	<u>Willie Downs</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Jan 30-1906</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Steve B Blackwell

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Emma Boutwell Blackwell

Maiden name: Emma Boutwell

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: Monroe Co Ala

Mother: Harris County Fla

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lebanon County Pa

Mother: Lebanon County "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1871

Mother: Died 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Mattie Baggett</u> Age <u>24</u>	<u>Pa</u>	
<u>Joley Blackwell</u> Age <u>15</u>		
<u>Repton Pa</u>		
<u>Dadu Blackwell</u> " <u>14</u>		
<u>Repton Pa</u>		
<u>Jessy Blackwell</u> " <u>13</u>		
<u>Repton Pa</u>		
<u>Arthur Blackwell</u> " <u>8</u>		
<u>Repton Pa</u>		
<u>Lark Blackwell</u> " <u>7</u>		
<u>Repton Pa</u>		
<u>Susan Blackwell</u> " <u>1</u>		
<u>Repton Pa</u>		
<u>Repton Pa</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>Rayfus Blackwell</u>	<u>William Boutwell</u>
<u>Martha Blackwell</u>	<u>Sarah Boutwell</u>

18. Where were they born? The State of Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

I have no record of them in 1851

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Tom Blackwell</u>	<u>Repton Pa</u>
(2) <u>Nancy Pamy</u>	" "
(3) <u>Susan Clark</u>	<u>Leadbury Pa</u>
(4) <u>John Blackwell</u>	<u>Apex "</u>
(5) <u>Arch Blackwell</u>	<u>Repton "</u>
(6) <u>Drum Blackwell</u>	<u>Repton "</u>
(7) <u>Steve B Blackwell</u>	

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13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Leemanh Leunby Ala

Mother: Leemanh Leunby "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1871

Mother: Died 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mattie Baggett Repton Ala	Age 24 <del>27</del>	
(2)	Fizzie Baggett Repton Ala	23	
(3)	Lelar Ryals Orange Ala	22	
(4)	Luman Blackwell Repton Ala	20	
(5)	Rufus Blackwell Repton Ala	18	
(6)	Ida Blackwell Repton Ala	16	

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>Rufus Blackwell</u>	<u>William Boutwell</u>
<u>Martha Blackwell</u>	<u>Sarah Boutwell</u>

18. Where were they born? The State of Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

I have no record of them in 1851

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Tom Blackwell Repton Ala
- (2) Nancy Pany " "
- (3) Susan Clark Bartlesburg Ala
- (4) John Blackwell Ark "
- (5) Arch Blackwell Repton "
- (6) Dwight Blackwell Repton "
- (7) Steve B Blackwell

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Lindsay Maddox  
Caryville Fla  
Lore Dailly  
Mannie La

mother side Robt Boutwell  
Leontine Fla  
Liza Pritchett Repton Ala  
Ellen Hinson Bermuda "  
Martine Corlett Levot "

21. 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 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: have no record of them in 1835-

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim the Cherokee Indian Blood on both Father and Mother side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Della Downs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

R. H. Ellis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 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. C. Pritchett

and C. J. Carter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Della Downs

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known Her for 25 years and 5 years, respectively, and know Her to be the identical person who represents

Claim to be, and that the statements made by Her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in Her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. C. Pritchett  
C. J. Carter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, 1908. R. H. Ellis

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. 37489

Action: *Reject*

Name *Martha J. Davis* and *2* children.

Residence: *Cassville, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 30421.*

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No. 37489.

Name *Wright J. Fair*

With No. 30421.

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Martha J. Davis.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37489

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Leona Gilmore	18	1899
(2)	Mary Lou Davis	16	1891
(3)			
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Murray County Ga  
Mother: Murray County Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living  
Mother: Still Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Louisa Davis	1856	
	Sophona Davis	1858	
(2)	Abner Davis	1862	
	Fitz Davis	1864	
(3)	Mallie Jane Davis	1867	
	Bullet Davis	1871	
(4)	Larry Davis	1873	
(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 Gilbert Davis</u>	<u>Louquella Elzie Davis</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Murray County Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jenden Davis	Layton Tenn
(2)	Allen Davis	Calhoun Ga
(3)	Hennelle Wheeler	Ballou Ga
(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) Mary Jane Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1907.

J. J. Hawkins  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. D. Pittland

and Geo W Rapp, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary Jane Davis

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents

\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. D. Pittland  
Geo W Rapp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

J. J. Hawkins  
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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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. September 10, 1907.

App. No. 37489

Martha J. Davis,  
Cassville, Georgia.

Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 37489, which is returned herewith for your signature. You are requested to sign your name to this application, and, in answer to Question No. 8, state the name of your husband.

Please give this matter prompt attention and return the application to this Office without delay.

Very respectfully,

*Cyrus Miller*  
Special Commissioner.  
*per J. E. T.*

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Enclosure.

No. 37490

Action: Admitted

Name Lillie Goodall and 8 children. Residence: Claremore Okla

Reasons: Applicants parents enrolled  
by Dorman 297 Flint, Isaac &  
Rachel Downing Bear,

Serial Text P 2413,

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No. 37490

Name Lillie Saadall

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Remarks:

Cannot identify names  
of ancestors on rolls.

Yours truly

H. H. Flint

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Lillie Goodale*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 29, 1906.

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**Special 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: Lillie Goodall  
Indian name: Gu-do-yu-tli
2. Residence and post office: Claxmore
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 41 Born June 3-1865
6. Where were you born? In Cherokee Nation
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: James R Goodall age 48
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>Caroline Cannon</u>	<u>20</u>	
(2)	<u>Ma O Goodall</u>	<u>18</u>	
(3)	<u>Lena</u> "	<u>16</u>	
	<u>Elizabeth</u> "	<u>14</u>	
(4)	<u>William E</u> "	<u>12</u>	
(5)	<u>Robert F</u> "	<u>10</u>	
	<u>Levi F</u> "	<u>8</u>	
(6)	<u>Elisha L</u> "	<u>5</u>	
	<u>Samuel A</u> "	<u>3</u>	

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Drowningbear  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Rachel Drowningbear  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Rachel Brewster

12. Where were they born?  
Father: In Cherokee Nation east  
Mother: In Cherokee Nation

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Cherokee Nation

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1868

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:

They drew emigrant money in 1851 in Cherokee Nation

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Downing bear		Dead
(2)	Henry	"	"
(3)	Lucinda Blackme	"	"
(4)	Jane	"	"
(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>Not known</u>	<u>Not known</u>

18. Where were they born? In Cherokee Nation, east

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Mary Forman in Sweetwater
- (2) Dorcas " " "
- (3) Jerome bear my father
- (4) Rachel Downing bear my mother
- (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.

*In Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880 and am an 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:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
*I was left an orphan when 13 years of age and consequently know little of my facts. I am considered to be more than a half blood Cherokee.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Lillie Goodall*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*Edgar Anderson*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*4-26-*, 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 *J. Herbert Moore*

and *Samuel J. ...*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *...*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and

*10* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

*she* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Herbert Moore*  
*Samuel J. ...*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

*4-26-*, 1909, *Edgar 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.

...set forth, and that the statements made by  
Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. B. [unclear]*  
*Samuel Crocker*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires 4/12/11, 1909.  
*Edgar [unclear]*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 37490

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Lillie Goodall*  
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: Lillie Goodall
2. Residence and post office: Clammore
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. Date and place of birth: June 23-1865 in Cherokee Nation
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: James R Goodall age 48
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)	Mrs. Caroline D. Carman	20	
(2)	Ida O Goodall	18	Sept 24-1888
(3)	Leora "	15	Oct 22-1891
(4)	Elizabeth "	14	Feb 15-1893
(5)	William E "	13	Apr 23-1894
(6)	Robert J "	10	Apr 23-1897
	Levi "	8	June 10-1899
10.	Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:		
	Elisha L "	5	May 17-1902
	Dannul A "	3	Sept 17-1903

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My application was filed some time ago, but I have never received my number.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lillie Goodall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

Edgar Hansen  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

2/24, 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 C. V. Rogers and Sam C. Foster who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lillie Goodall who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 30 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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.....

C. V. Rogers  
Sam C. Foster

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

Edgar Sullivan  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 7/24, 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. 39490

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Lillie Goodall

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. 37491

Action: *Direct*

Name: *Wm. Fair, Edu. for 5 children.* Residence: *Cartersville, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 30421.*

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No. 37491.

Name *Wm Fair, Gdn.*

With No. 30421.

Remarks:

No. 37491

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

**Wm. Fain, Gdn.**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'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.

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1. State full name—

English name: William Fain Agent  
 Indian name: For Mission Children

2. Residence and post office: R. F. D. No 2 Leesville Ga

3. County: Bertie

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Major Fain	17	1888
(2)	Bernaman Fain	15	1892
(3)	Emily Fain	14	1893
(4)	Whaler Fain	12	1895
(5)	Robert Fain	6	1901
(6)	Georgiana Fain	32	1874
	William Fain	28	1878
	Annelle Webb	24	1882

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: William Fain <sup>23</sup> Father of the above Children

Indian name: English

Mother—English name: Sophrona Fain

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sophrona Davis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Bertie Ga

Mother: Murray Ga



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papers. + first name below  
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13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bartow Ga  
Mother: Murray County Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living  
Mother: Still Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<del>Rebecca Davis</del> Sophrona Davis	1856	
(2)	Hesterian Davis	1862	
	Julia Davis	1864	
(3)	Mallie Jane Davis	1867	
	Bullen Davis	1871	
(4)	Dovey Davis	1873	
(5)			
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are all corrected on these papers.

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.
Milburn Davis	Luzella Davis
Milburn Weedon,	Wavis
Luzella Elsey,	Wavis,

18. Where were they born? Baldwin County Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Murray County Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jendon Davis	Dalton Tenn
(2)	Allen Davis	Walhoun Ga
(3)	Hennrich Wheeler	Dalton Ga
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are all corrected on these papers.

21. 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) W. M. Fair

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

J. S. Hawks  
Notary Public.

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. Pittland  
and Geo W Sapp, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Fair who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

J. S. Hawks  
Notary Public.

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His 9 have had no children deceased since 1904

No. 37401

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Wm. Feln, Gdn.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 30 1907  
No. 37491

Cartersville Ga

Oct 28, 1907. R.P.D # 21307 no 49

Mrs. Gwain Miller Dear Sir

Did the minor children a plas  
Casion go in all right & have not  
heard anything of it since I  
sent in my last reply & have  
been looking for a hearing from  
you but I have not. have not heard  
anything of it since I sent you  
the order blank the last time  
so I will close waiting to here  
from you soon. W.M. Fair-

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* SEP 19 1907

*No.* 37491

Sept the 16th 1907  
Cartersville Ga  
R. F. D. #2

I correct those few names;  
I correct No 16, my Brothers &  
Sisters are, Georganna, Yshaw,  
her Postoffice, Cartersville Ga  
R. F. D. #2 Lilla, Rogers, her  
address is Cass Station Ga,  
Henrietta, Webb, Cartersville  
Cassville Ga; Sallie, Ma-  
Johnson, Pine Log Ga;  
Milburn, Grain  
Pine Log Ga; next myself  
Major Grain Cartersville Ga;  
R. F. D. #2 Benjamin, Grain  
" " Emily Grain  
" " Wheeler Grain, Cartersville, Ga;  
R. F. D. #2. Robert Grain  
" " "



(B)

our ages are as follows,  
Marganna Upshaw, born  
June 1875 Age 32 years  
Lillie, Rogers, born Oct. 1877  
Age 28 years, F Henrietta Webb,  
born Feb-1881, ~~Webb~~ age  
26 years, Milburna Fain,  
born Dec-1882, age 25 years,  
Sallie Mae, Johnson, was born  
April 1884 age 23 years,  
Major Fain, was born  
Aug-1888. Age 19 years,  
Benjamin Fain was born  
Jan-1892 age 15 years -  
Emily Fain, was born  
March 1873. age 14 years.  
Wheeler Fain was born May  
1875 age 12 years. Robert Fain,  
was born 1901 Jan-age 6 years.

(6) no 20  
 Louisa Davis, born 1856  
 Saffronia Davis, 1858  
 Nestaran Davis 1862  
 July Davis 1864  
 Mattie Jane Davis 1867  
 Butler Davis 1871  
 Wovey Davis 1873

5th How old are you my  
 age, about 60 years,  
 6th Where were you born  
 Cassville, Boone Co, Va,  
 7th are you married Dan,  
 8th the Husband's age <sup>about</sup> 60 years,  
 9th to what tribe of Indians,  
 Cherokee, Indians,  
 10th name all your  
 children; they are all  
 named on papers, B;

(17) 17 state English  
and Indian names of your  
Grandparents, on both father's &  
mother's sides if possible; one  
side; Milburn, Weedon,  
Davis; Luquillo, Elsey,  
Davis.

no 18

" 19 are correct on blank,  
if this is not correct please  
let me know at once  
in plain words my name  
is Major Fair Safford,  
Fair is my mother  
Milburn, Weedon, Davis  
is my Grandfather, &  
please let me hear from  
you; your friend  
Major Fair

App. No. 37491

September 19, 1907.

William Fain,  
R. F. D. No. 2,  
Cartersville, Georgia.

Sir:

On September 10, 1907, an Eastern Cherokee Application on behalf of your minor children was returned to you for signature, and this date it is returned to this Office unsigned, together with additional information on a separate sheet signed by your minor son, Major Fain.

Your application is again returned you herewith and you are requested to sign this application with your own proper name. There seems to be a misunderstanding on your part regarding what is necessary in this case; you are to sign your name on the third page of the application, after the word "Signature", and any corrections you wish to make, or any additional information you wish to give, should be written in the blanks in the application.

If any of your children are deceased, state the exact date of their death.

Very respectfully,

WEA  
Enclosure.

Special Commissioner.



App. No. 37491.

September 10, 1907.

William Fain,

R. F. D. No. 2,

Cartersville, Georgia/

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 37491, on behalf of your minor children .

You will find this application enclosed herewith, and you are requested to affix your signature to the same.

Please give this matter prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

No. 37492

Action: Admitted

Name Minnie Ross and X children. Residence: Senapat, Okla

Reasons:

\* This is O. K. through father Perry Ross appl. 947 since case has been adjudicated.

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No. 37492

Name Ella Risher

With No. *Mount*

Remarks:

*2nd Field*  
not on roll.

*Write part only 1855*  
*in the ...*

*...*

*Examine as to*  
*father + who has*  
*custody of child*  
*Also see whether*  
*father has included*  
*child in his appl.*

*JM*  
*2nd Field,*

No. 37492

Name. Ellen Rushen

With No.

Remarks: Full plate



No. 37492

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Ella Risher*

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special 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 Rushing *for her minor children*  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Lenapah

3. County: Cherokee Nation.

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? 32 Born 1874

6. Where were you born? Mississippi

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Frank Frank Rushington

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? No

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Minnie Ross</u>	<u>15</u>	
(2)	<u>Robert Lee</u>	<u>5</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Ervin Ginkins

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Flora Land

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Flora McIntush

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mississippi

Mother: Mississippi

*Handwritten notes in left margin:*  
Case of Ella Rushing (1) Child  
of John A. Perry Ross

Claim is only for this one (1) child  
this former husband Perry Ross.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Think they were living in ~~Mississippi~~ Mississippi

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: I do not remember seeing my father, thin he died when I was very small.

Mother: I was four years old when Mother Died

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 on any Indian Rolls

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John Lang</u> <u>Lenapah, Ind.Ter.</u>	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Mary J. <del>Lang</del> Brown</u> <u>Lenpah, Ind.Ter.</u>	_____	_____
(3)	<u>Alice Durant,</u> <u>Creek Nation, Ind.Ter.</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>Dont Know.</u>	<u>Friday McIntush</u>
_____	<u>Flora McIntush</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Think They were born in Mississippi

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>Dont Know.</u>	_____
(2)	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____





100-107602

May 10, 1906.

Miss Rushen,  
New York, N.Y.

Madam:

Relative to the application filed by you on behalf of your sister, Maria Ann, by your father, William, early in the year 1851, please state here and on separate sheets from the papers of the Bureau and precincts and state where they were born, where they resided in 1854-55 and 1857. Was he ever married to a white man, Indian or negro in the territory in which he lived?

As to parcel or by the name of Maria Ann, if you can be identified, indicate in what roll of the census she was enrolled, and if you can, if you still, certified by the Census Board, if so, state her number, and indicate on what roll her name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

MB/AM

App. No. 37492

George H. Brown being first duly sworn in behalf of Ella Rushem, deposes and says:

I am 70 years of age. I was born in Georgia. I came West in the sixties. I know the applicant. Her child, who is applying, is named Minnie Ross. She is 16 years of age. Ella Rushem is the mother of this child. She has no Indian blood. Perry Ross is the father of the child. Perry Ross and Ella Rushem were legally married. They were lawfully divorced in the Courts. Perry Ross recognizes Minnie as his child. She, Minnie, lives with her mother. I know that Perry recognizes Minnie as his child. Minnie has been to see her father, Perry, several times. He is not married again. I know that Minnie and Perry were lawfully married. A man named Joe Smith, a preacher, married them. Perry Ross is a half brother of mine on my mother's side. Minnie is enrolled by the Dawes Commission, No. 3623 (Freedman).

Geo H Brown  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Nowata, Okla. this 13th day of March 1909.

A S Maxine  
Asst to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

I can't  
tell whether  
or not  
this is the  
child of  
# 947.



This application is made  
for minor child Minnie Ross by  
a former husband - must have  
information about the child's  
ancestors was the child,  
enrolled by the Denver Commission.

No. 37493.

Name Daisy D. Moody and X children. Action: Reject  
Residence: Archiebold, Okla.

Reasons:

Sister of Myrtle M. Brooks appl. no. 35854 and  
claims thru the same source.

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No. 3749 =

Name Daisy D. W. T.

With No. 35-854

Remarks:

No. 37493

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Amey D. H. Moody*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Daisy Moody.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Archibald or So Mc Alester

3. County: Pittsburg

4. State: Ind. Terr.

5. How old are you? 29 Born 1878

6. Where were you born? Greenville Miss.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: David Moody age 37

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: have none

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Benjamin Holman Whitlock

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Harriette Malinda Whitlock

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Harriette Malinda Aysom

12. Where were they born?

Father: Born in Sparta, Bienville Parish La.

Mother: " " Parola Co. Miss.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bienville Parish La.

Mother: Panola Co Miss.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: died April 16 - 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: They never were enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Daisy Dean Moody</u> <u>Archibalds I.P.</u>	<u>June 3 - 1878</u>	
(2)	<u>Myrtle Maudie Brooke</u> <u>Greenville Texas.</u>	<u>Oct 25 1882</u>	
(3)	<u>Burner B Whitlock</u> <u>So. McAlester I.P.</u>	<u>March 19 - 1885</u>	
(4)	<u>Herbert B. Whitlock</u> <u>So. McAlester I.P.</u>	<u>Sept 12 - 1888</u>	
(5)	<u>Pansy Hally Whitlock</u> <u>Greenville Texas.</u>	<u>May 28 - 1892</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>Samuel Whitlock</u>	<u>James Axsom</u>
<u>Union Dist North Caro.</u>	<u>Jane Axsom</u>
<u>Martha Jeffries</u>	<u>Born in Mecklenburg Co</u>
	<u>North Carolina yr. 1818-</u>

18. Where were they born? All were born in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandpa Whitlock in La.  
Grandpa Axsom in North Panola Co. Miss.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Annette Whitlock Richmond Nashville Ark.
- (2) Anna Eliza Whitlock Lewis Springdale Ark.
- (3) Benjamin Holman Whitlock So. McAlester
- (4) Richard Whitlock California
- (5) Samuel Whitlock dead his son Benjamin
- (6) resides in or near Lake  
Charles La.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never have

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great grand parents on both sides lived in North Carolina in the yr. 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

To the best of my knowledge I have written out my family tree but there might be some mistake about my grand ma Jefferie's place of birth.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Daisy Dean Whitlock Moody

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1907.

E. Reese Boyd  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 31-1911

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Angie Dearen  
and M. R. Johnson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Daisy Dean Whitlock Moody who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 21 years and 24 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.

Angie Dearen  
M. R. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires

March 31-1911

E. Reese Boyd  
Notary Public.

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No. 37494.

Action: Reject

Name Milton J. Houston and 1 children. Residence: Bristow, Okla.

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.



No. 37494

OK

Name Milton T. Houston

With No. Partterville

Remarks:

Nos. 37495-6,

grouped inewith.

not on rolls.

Partterville -

37494

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Milton Thomas Houston*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*John B. Misern, atty  
Tulsa, I. T.*

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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: Milton Thomas Houston

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Bristow

3. County: Western District

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 52 yrs. Born March 12 - 1852

6. Where were you born? Lawford County, Arkansas

7. Are you married? no (widower)

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 0

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>Sumpter L. Houston</u>	<u>28 yrs.</u>	<u>1879</u>
(2)	<u>Ramantha M. Houston</u>	<u>26 yrs.</u>	<u>1881</u>
(3)	<u><del>Lena</del></u>		
(3)	<u>Lena M. Houston</u>	<u>24 yrs.</u>	<u>1883</u>
(4)	<u>Charles W. Houston</u>	<u>22 yrs.</u>	<u>1885</u>
(5)	<u>Olive E. Houston</u>	<u>19 yrs.</u>	<u>1888</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jonathan Milton Houston

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Fatima L. Houston

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Fatima L. Estes

12. Where were they born?

Father: Vernon County, Virginia

Mother: Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Miller County, Missouri

Mother: Miller County, Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: January 1894

Mother: August 15<sup>th</sup> - 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.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James D. Houston	1838	1864
	Edwin W. Houston	1840	Dead.
(3)	John Gibson Houston	1842	1864
4	Cynthia L. Houston	1844	1893.
(5)	Lizzie Houston	1846	1904.
6	Cornelia A. Houston	1848	1905.
(7)	Andrew J. Houston	1849	Lives Dallas, Texas.
8	Benjamin F. Houston	1850	Lives Miller County, Missouri
(9)	Alfred P. Houston	1853	Lives Miller County, Missouri.
10	William J. Houston	1854	Lives Miller County, Missouri.
(11)	Mary Catherine Houston	1851	Hillside, Indian Territory.

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

James Houston

do not know.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Andrew Estes.

Polly Gibson Estes.

No Indian name.

18. Where were they born? Andrew & Polly Gibson Estes, both born in East Tennessee.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Andrew & Polly Gibson Estes, lived in Miller County, Missouri in 1851

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Children of Andrew and Polly Gibson Estes.

(1) John Estes Dead.

(2) William Estes Dead.

(3) Jefferson Estes Dead.

(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.)

*Claims through Polly Gibson Estes, grandmother on mother's side, who was a sister of Col. John Gibson.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Milton Thomas Houston*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1907.

*Edw. J. Davis*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*September 18, 1910.*

Indian Territory,  
Western District. ss.

Personally appeared before me, Eliza Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on her oath deposes and says; that her post office address is Tulsa, in the Indian Territory; that she will be 80 years of age on the 20th day of September A.D. 1907; that she removed with her parents to Miller County, in the State of Missouri, about 75 years ago and that she grew to womanhood, married and continued to reside in Missouri until the year 1884; that during affiant's residence in Miller County, Missouri, she resided in the neighborhood where Andrew Estes and Polly Gibson Estes and their family resided; that she was well acquainted with and knew Polly Gibson Estes and the members of her family; that she knew Fatima L. Estes and also knew that said Fatima L. Estes was a child of Polly ~~Estes~~ Gibson Estes; that affiant knew Fatima L. Estes well and that said Fatima L. Estes attended a school in the neighborhood which affiant's father taught; that affiant knew of and well remembers the marriage of said Fatima L. Estes to Jonathan Milton Houston; that after said marriage said Fatima L. Houston and her husband Jonathan Milton Houston took up their residence and continued to reside ~~in~~ in affiant's neighborhood in Miller County, Missouri; that affiant knows Milton Thomas Houston who makes the foregoing application and statements and knows him to be a child of Fatima L. Houston and that affiant has known him from birth and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be and that the statements made by him are true and that affiant has no interest whatever in his said claim.

*Eliza Bowlin*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of August 1907.

*Frank F. Bowlin*  
Notary Public.

*My Commission Expires*

*May 27<sup>th</sup> 1909*

applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John B. Weaver  
and F. F. Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Milton Thomas Houston  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 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.

John B. Weaver  
F. F. Bowlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 18, 1910.

W. H. Davis  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

11  
April 17, 1908

May 12, 1908.

Milton T. Houston,  
Bristow, Okla.

Sir:

Let me refer to your application for parties who  
in the census were slaves of, or to whom the present  
owner of you of S. resided in 1850-55, if living  
at that time.

Were were your grandparents on the side through  
which you claim residing in 1850-55?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves of in fact or of the people.

If you were enslaved by the owner of the land, state  
your number, and indicate to what land your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

JOHN B. MESERVE  
Attorney at Law  
PHONE 988  
BAYNE BUILDING

*Milton Z. Houston*  
*37494*

Tulsa, Okla., February 28, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir,---

On September 10", 1907, I received a card of acknowledgement from you on applications, numbers, 37494, 37495 and 37496, for participation in the funds in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. Since that time we have not heard from you. May I inquire, what, if any disposition has been made in the premises and whether additional or further proof is required?

Thanking you in advance, I am,

Very truly,

*John B. Meserve*



COURT OF COMMONS  
EASTERN DISTRICTS  
Held MAY 2 1908  
No 37494

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JOHN B. MESERVE  
Attorney at Law  
ALEXANDER BUILDING  
TULSA, I. T.

Tulsa, I.T. Oct. 11th 1907.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Special Com. Court of Claims,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear sir:-

Will you kindly advise me what if any disposition  
has been made of the claims of Milton F. Houston, #37494, Fannie Mosby,  
#37495 and Nancy C. Johnson, #37496, for participation in the distri-  
bution of finds belonging to the Eastern Cherokees?

I am

Very truly,

*John B. Meserve*





Indian Territory,  
Western District. ss.

Personally appeared before me, Delany Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on his oath says: that his post office address is Tulsa, in the Indian Territory; that he is 73 years of age and that he removed, with his parents to Miller County in the State of Missouri, about 63 years ago; that he resided in Missouri until the year 1884; that he knew Polly Gibson Estes and Andrew Estes, her husband; that he was well acquainted with Fatima L. Estes and knew her to be a child of Polly Gibson Estes; that he knew of the marriage of Fatima L. Estes to Jonathan Milton Houston and that after said marriage said Fatima L. Estes and Jonathan Milton Houston continued to reside in said Miller County, Missouri; that affiant knew Lizzie Lucas well and knew her to be a child of Fatima L. Houston and Jonathan Milton Houston; that affiant knows Jonathan William Lucas and knows him to be a child of said Lizzie Lucas and that he has known said Jonathan William Lucas, who makes the foregoing applications and statements and has known him from birth and knows him to be the identical person he represents himself to be and that the statements he makes are true and that affiant has no interest whatever in his said claim.

Delany Bowlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of August 1907.

Frank F. Bowlin  
Notary Public.

*My Commission Expires*

*May 27<sup>th</sup> 1909*

Indian Territory.  
Western District. ss.

Personally appeared before me, Eliza Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on her oath deposes and says; that her post office address is Tulsa, in the Indian Territory; that she will be 80 years of age on the 20th day of September 1907; that she removed, with her parents to Miller County, in the State of Missouri, about 75 years ago and that she grew to womanhood, married and continued to reside in Missouri until the year 1884; that during affiant's residence in Miller County, Missouri, she resided in the neighborhood where Andrew Estes and Polly Gibson Estes and their family resided; that she was well acquainted with Polly Gibson Estes and the members of her family; that she knew Fatima L. Estes and knew said Fatima L. Estes to be a child of Bolly Gibson Estes; that said Fatima L. Estes attended a school in affiant's neighborhood which was taught by affiant's father; that affiant knew of and well remembers the marriage of Fatima L. Estes and Jonathan Milton Houston; that after said marriage said Fatima L. Houston and Jonathan Houston took up their residence and continued to reside in Miller County, Missouri; that affiant knew Lizzie Lucas well, in her life time and knew her to be a child of Fatima L. Houston; that affiant knew Jonathan William Lucas and knows him to be the child of said Lizzie Lucas and that she has known said Jonathan William Lucas, who makes the foregoing application and statements and has known him from his birth and knows him to be the identical person he represents himself to be and that the statements he makes are true and that affiant has no interest whatever in his said claim.

Eliza Bowlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August 1907.

Frank F. Bowlin  
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires

May 27<sup>th</sup> 1909

COUNTY OF ...  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
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37494

JOHN B. MESERVE  
Attorney at Law  
ALEXANDER BUILDING  
TULSA, I. T.

Tulsa, Indian Territory, Aug. 21st 1907.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Washington, D.C.

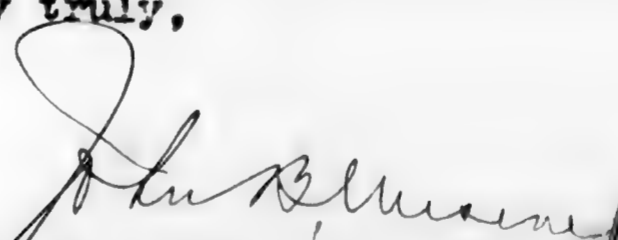
Dear sir:-

Enclosed herewith I hand you applications of Milton Thomas Houston, Nancy Catharine Johnson and Fannie Mosby, Eastern Cherokee citizens for enrollment as members of said tribe and for participation in the distribution of fund as per decree of May 28th 1906. Please advise me of any further proof which may be required and also please mail blank applications, both original and supplemental.

If there be any further extension of time in which to make proof and application, will you kindly advise me.

Awaiting your advices, I am

Very truly,



P.S. Affidavits of Eliza Rowlin & Delany Rowlin are in support of application of Jonathan William Lucas, which was recently filed.



No 37495

Action: Repet

Name James Young and 7 children. Residence: Missisqua

Reasons:

same ground as case no 31194

37495

No. 37495-6.

Name.....

With No. 37494.

Remarks:

Fannie Mosby.  
Nancy C. Johnson

No. 37495

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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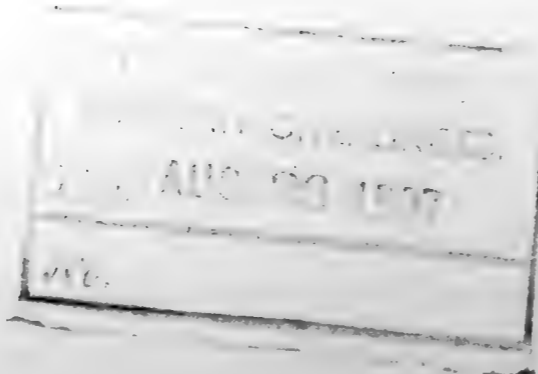
APPLICATION

OF

*Fannie Mooby*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



*John B. Meserve, atty.  
Tulsa, I. T.*

*57495*



**Special 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 Mosby.

Indian name: None.

2. Residence and post office: Hillside

3. County: Western District.

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? 36 yrs. Born October 17 - 1871.

6. Where were you born? Dallas County, Texas.

7. Are you married? yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William R. Mosby, aged 46 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)	<u>Lawrence J. Mosby</u>	<u>17 years.</u>	<u>1890.</u>
(2)	<u>Pearl R. Mosby</u>	<u>15 years.</u>	<u>1892.</u>
(3)	<u>Nannie B. Mosby</u>	<u>12 years.</u>	<u>1895.</u>
(4)	<u>Howard Mosby</u>	<u>10 years.</u>	<u>1897.</u>
(5)	<u>Lizzie V. Mosby</u>	<u>8 years.</u>	<u>1899.</u>
(6)	<u>Edward Mosby</u>	<u>3 years.</u>	<u>1904.</u>
(7)	<u>Ethel Mosby</u>	<u>3 years.</u>	<u>1904.</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John W. Johnson.

Indian name: None.

Mother—English name: Nancy Catharine Johnson

Indian name: None.

Maiden name: Nancy Catharine Houston.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Base County, Texas.

Mother: Miller County, Missouri.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Coass County, Texas.

Mother: Miller County, Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 27<sup>th</sup> 1899.

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: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William V. Johnson	1871	Lives Atop, Texas.
(2)	Samuel W. Johnson	1877	Lives Atop, Texas.
(3)	Pearl E. Jackson	1881	Lives Injolo, Indian Territory.
(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.

do not know.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jonathan Milton Houston  
Fatima L. Houston.  
(No indian name)

18. Where were they born? Virginia & Tennessee respectively.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Miller County, Missouri.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	James D. Houston	Dead
(2)	Edwin W. Houston	Dead.
(3)	John G. Houston	Dead.
(4)	Cynthia L. Houston	Dead.
(5)	Lizzie Houston	Dead.
(6)	Emelia A. Houston	Dead.
(7)	Andrew J. Houston	Dallas, Texas.
(8)	Benjamin W. Houston	Miller County, Missouri.
(9)	Alfred P. Houston	Miller County, Missouri.
(10)	William J. Houston	Miller County, Missouri.
(11)	Milton J. Houston	Araton, Indian Territory.

21. 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.)

Claims through Polly Gibson Estes, Greatgrandmother on mother's side and a sister of Col. John Gibson.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Fannie Mosby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

Edw. Davis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 18, 1910.

Indian Territory,  
Western District. ss.

Personally appeared before me, Eliza Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on her oath deposes and says; that her post office address is Tulsa, in the Indian Territory; that she will be 80 years old on the 20th day of September A.D.1907; that she removed with her parents to Miller County in the State of Missouri, about 75 years ago and that she grew to womanhood, married and continued to reside in Missouri until the year 1884; that during affiant's residence in Miller County, Missouri, she resided in the neighborhood where Andrew Estes and Polly Gibson Estes and their family resided; that she was well acquainted with and knew Polly Gibson Estes and the members of her family; that she knew Fatima L. Estes and also knew that said Fatima L. Estes was a child of Polly Gibson Estes; that affiant knew Fatima L. Estes well, and that said Fatima L. Estes attended a school in affiant's neighborhood which was taught by affiant's father; that affiant knew of and well remembers the marriage of Fatima L. Estes to Jonathan Milton Houston; that after said marriage said Fatima L. Houston and Jonathan Milton Houston took up their residence and continued to reside in affiant's neighborhood in Miller County, Missouri; that affiant knows Nancy Catharine Johnson well and knows her to be a child of Fatima L. Estes and also knew the husband of said Nancy Catharine Johnson whose name was John W. Johnson; that affiant knows Fannie Mosby and knows her to be a child of Nancy Catharine Johnson and that she has known said Fannie Mosby from her birth and knows her to be the identical person she represents herself to be and that the statements she makes in the foregoing application are true and that affiant has no interest whatever in her said claim.

Eliza Bowlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August 1907.

Frank F. Baubli  
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires

May 27<sup>th</sup> 1909

Indian Territory,  
Western District. ss.

Personally appeared before me, Delany Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on his oath deposes and says; that his post office address is Tulsa, in the Indian Territory; that he is 73 years of age and that he removed, with his parents to Miller County, in the State of Missouri, about 63 years ago; that he resided in Missouri until the year 1884; that he knew Polly Gibson Estes and Andrew Estes her husband; that he was well acquainted with Fatima L. Estes and knew her to be a child of Polly Gibson Estes; that he knew of the marriage of Fatima L. Estes to Jonathan Milton Houston and that after said marriage said Fatima L. Houston and Jonathan Milton Houston continued to reside in said Miller County, Missouri; that affiant knew Nancy Catharine Houston and knew her to be a child of Fatima L. Estes and also knows Fannie Mosby and knows her to be a child of Nancy Catharine Houston Johnson and that he has known said Fannie Mosby, who makes the foregoing application and statements and has known her since her birth and knows her to be the identical person she represents herself to be and that the statements she makes are true and that affiant has no interest whatever in her said claim.

Delany Bowlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August 1907.

Frank F. Bowlin  
Notary Public.

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May 27<sup>th</sup> 1909



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applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John B. Mearns  
and F. F. Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Fannie Moody  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and  
4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John B. Mearns  
F. F. Bowlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

September 18, 1910.

W. L. Davis  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 13 1908

No. 37495

circ. let.

JUN 18 1908

Hillside Okla

June 9. 1908

Special Commissioner

Washington

D.C.

Kind Sir my application  
is there for Eastern Cherokee

Money. if you need any more  
proof please let me know

Oblige Mrs Fannie Mosby

No. 37496

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Fanny C. Johnson* and *11* children. Residence: *Sioux Falls*

Reasons:

*Same as case No. 37495*

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No. 37496

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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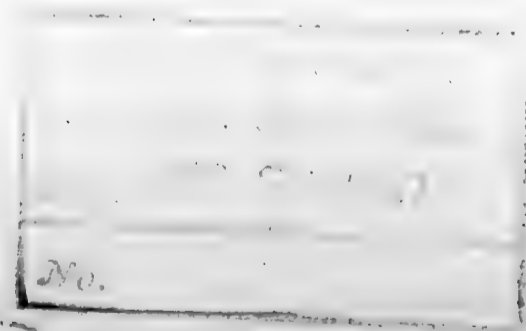
APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy Catherine Johnson,*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*John B. Massey, atty.  
Tulsa, I. T.*

37496



**Special 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 Catharine Johnson  
Indian name: none.

2. Residence and post office: Hillside Indian Territory.

3. County: Western District.

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? 56 years Born February 26 - 1851 -

6. Where were you born? Miller County, Missouri.

7. Are you married? yes.

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: John W. Johnson.

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>Fannie Mosby</u>	<u>36 years.</u>	<u>October 17 - 1871.</u>
(2)	<u>William V. Johnson</u>	<u>33 years.</u>	<u>July 6 - 1874.</u>
(3)	<u>Samuel W. Johnson.</u>	<u>30 years.</u>	<u>May 16 - 1877</u>
(4)	<u>Pearl E. Jackson.</u>	<u>26 years.</u>	<u>October 7 - 1881</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jonathan Milton Honaton.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Fatima L. Honaton.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Fatima L. Estes.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Virginia, Vernon County.  
Mother: Tennessee.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Miller County, Missouri

Mother: Miller County, Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: January 1894

Mother: August 15<sup>th</sup> 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. -

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James D. Houston	1838	1864
2	Edwin W. Houston	1840	Dead.
(3)	John Gibson Houston	1842	1864
4	Reynolds L. Houston	1844	1893
(5)	Lizzie Houston	1846	1904
6	Cornelia A. Houston	1848	1905
7	Andrew J. Houston	1849	Lives Dallas, Texas
8	Benjamin F. Houston	1850	Lives Miller County, Missouri
9	Alfred P. Houston	1853	Lives Miller County, Missouri
10	William J. Houston	1854	Lives Miller County, Missouri
11	Milton T. Houston	1855	Bristow, Indian Territory

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 Houston	Andrew Estes
do not know	Polly Gibson Estes
	No Indian names

18. Where were they born? Andrew & Polly Gibson Estes. Both born in East Tennessee.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Andrew & Polly Gibson Estes lived in Miller County, Missouri in 1851.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Children of Andrew and Polly Gibson Estes.

1	John Estes	Dead.
2	Whickman Estes	Dead.
3	Jefferson Estes	Dead.
(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.)

claims through Polly Gibson Estes, grandmother on mother's side, who was a sister of Col. John Gibson.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancy Catharine Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

W. H. Davis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires September 18, 1910.

Indian Territory,  
Western District. ss.

Personally appeared before me, Eliza Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on her oath deposes and says, that her post office address is Tulsa, in the Indian Territory; that she will be 80 years of age on the 20th day of September A.D. 1907; that she removed, with her parents to Miller County, in the State of Missouri, about 75 years ago and that she grew to womanhood, married and continued to reside in Missouri until the year 1884; that during affiant's residence in Miller County, Missouri, she resided in the neighborhood where Andrew Estes and Polly Gibson Estes and their family resided; that she was acquainted with and knew Polly Gibson Estes and the members of her family; that she knew Fatima L. Estes and also knew that said Fatima L. Estes was a child of Polly Gibson Estes; that affiant knew Fatima L. Estes well and that said Fatima L. Estes attended a school in the neighborhood which affiant's father taught; that affiant knew of and well remembers the marriage of said Fatima L. Estes to Jonathan Milton Houston; that after said marriage said Fatima L. Houston and her husband Jonathan Milton Houston took up their residence and continued to reside in affiant's neighborhood in Miller County, Missouri; that affiant knows Nancy Catharine Johnson and has known her from her birth and knows her to be a child of Fatima L. Houston and Jonathan Milton Houston; that said Nancy Catharine Johnson makes the foregoing application and statements and that I have known her from her birth and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be and that the statements made by her are true and that I have no interest whatever in her said claim.

Eliza Bowlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August 1907.

Frank F. Bowlin  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 27<sup>th</sup> 1909.



Indian Territory,  
Western District. ss.

Personally appeared before me, Delany Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on his oath deposes and says; that his post office address is Tulsa, in the Indian Territory; that he is 73 years of age and that he removed, with his parents to Miller County, in the State of Missouri, about 63 years ago; that he resided in Missouri until the year 1884; that he knew Polly Gibson Estes and Andrew Estes her husband; that he was well acquainted with Fatima L. Estes and knew her to be a child of Polly Gibson Estes; that he knew of the marriage of Fatima L. Estes and Jonathan Milton Houston and that they continued to reside in said Miller County, Missouri; that he knows Nancy Catharine (Houston) Johnson and knows her to be a child of Fatima L. Houston; that he has known said Nancy Catharine (Houston) Johnson, who makes the foregoing application and statements from the time of her birth and knows her to be the identical person she represents herself to be and that the statements she makes are true and that affiant has no interest whatever in her said claim.

Delany Bowlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August 1907.

Frank F. Bowlin  
Notary Public.

*Wm Garrison Eppier*

*May 27<sup>th</sup> 1909*



(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John R. Musgrave,  
and F. F. Bowlin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Nancy Catharine Johnson,  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John R. Musgrave,  
F. F. Bowlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

September 15, 1900.

Edw. Davis  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 37497

Action: Admitted

Name: Jas. H. Cloud and 4 children.

Residence: Foyil, Okla.

Reasons: by his legal guardian C. S. Wisley

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No. 37497

Name J. H. Cloud

With No. 1204

Remarks:

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No. ....

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF  
*James H. Cloud*  
*By B. S. Kinsley, Guardian*  
*Foyil, I. T.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act 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



*John T. Eggard, atty.*  
*Chelsea, I. T.*

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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.

I. State full name—

English name: James H. Cloud, by R. S. Tinsley, legal guardian.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Foyil, I. T.

3. County: Cherokee Nation.

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old <sup>is child?</sup> ~~are you?~~ seven. Born Sept. 6, 1899.

6. Where were <sup>he</sup> ~~you~~ born? Foyil, I. T.

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: Henry H. Cloud (Cherokee)

Indian name: "Don-a-hug"

Mother—English name: Mary L. Cloud, later Jackson (wife)

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary L. Tinsley.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation, I. T.

Mother: In Indiani. Clay, Co.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not then born.

Mother: Not then born.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't know P.O. address; but lives in Oklahoma.

Mother: Died about three 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: Mother was white; but father was enrolled for grass, bread, and strip payments; and has allotment.

16. Name all your <sup>the</sup> brothers and <sup>of the minor</sup> sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	None living.		
(1)	Samuel Cloud	died about 5 years of age.	
(2)	Lela Cloud	" " 3 " " "	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
I can't give the names; you will find these given by Henry C. Cloud, the father of the child, who I suppose has filed his own application, and who lives somewhere in Okla.	R. S. Tinsley, his guardian. Mary Jane Tinsley, nee Gilbert (both white)

18. Where were they born? Not absolutely certain, but the father of Henry C. Cloud, the child's father, was a full blood Cherokee, known as...

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In the Cherokee Nation.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Willie Cloud	living, Tryon Creek, I.T.
(2)	Neah Cloud	" near Tahlequah, I.T.
(3)	Joseph Cloud,	" " " "
(4)	Henry C. Cloud, father of child,	living in Okla.
(5)	There are two other girls married, whose names I can not give; <del>xxxx</del> one of which is dead, other living near Tryon	
(6)	Cloud, I.T.	

the child  
21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Born too late to draw any of the previous Cherokee payments, but he has an allotment in the Cherokee Nation, I.T. as a citizen by blood.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: To have give the ancestors as well as we can, and desired to refer you to the applications of Henry L. Cloud, the father of the child; and to his brother, Noah, Joshua, Cloud, who have made their individual applications. REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am the grand-father of the child, James H. Cloud, and also the legal guardian of the child and have his custody, and care for and support him. His father was divorced from the mother of the child, and has not helped support or maintain the child, since its birth.

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

22nd

day of August

1907.

B. S. Easley  
Edw. of James H. Cloud, minor  
John T. Ezgard  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov. 1,

1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Edward Byrd

and

J. A. Jordan

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

B. S. Easley, Grandfather & guardian of James H. Cloud.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for

20 years and

12

years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person

he

represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Edward Byrd

J. A. Jordan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22

day of

August

1907.

My commission expires

Nov. 1

1908.

John T. Ezgard  
Notary Public.

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No. 100

Action: 500

Name: J. J. and children.

Reasons:

37498



No. 37498

Name Arthur C. Brown

With No. 37117

Remarks:

*Nephew of 37117*

37498

No.

*See #40601*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Arthur 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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*37498*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Arthur Clifton Brown

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: 932 E. Vernon Ave., Los Angeles

3. County: Los Angeles

4. State: California

5. How old are you? 32 Born February 6, 1875

6. Where were you born? Columbus, Kansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 40

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 T. Brown

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary Matilda Brown

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary Matilda Way

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wayne Co., Indiana

Mother: Randolph Co., Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Thorntown, Boone Co, Indiana

Mother: Thorntown, Boone Co, Indiana

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: still living

Mother: still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ruth Ann Brown	6-25-1866	10-28-1871
(2)	Henry James Brown	10-16-1867	10-20-1867
(3)	Luther G. Brown	10-22-1868	
(4)	Manetho O. Brown	3-25-1871	12-22-1871
(5)	Eddy Leroy Brown	10-14-1872	
(6)	Alice Brown Chantry	4-8-1883	

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 Brown Born in Guilford Co., North Carolina	Henry <sup>Albion</sup> <del>Osborn</del> } Way Born in Wayne Co., Indiana
Ruth Brown Born in Surry Co., North Carolina	(Nancy) Ann Millie (Frazier) Way Born in Guilford Co., North Carolina

18. Where were they born? (Noted above) Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandfather and Grandmother Brown, and Grandfather and Grandmother Way - all were living at Thorntown, Indiana

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) John Brown, Los Angeles, Cal.	Huldah Elizabeth Johnston El Modena, Orange Co., Cal.
(2) Wm P. Brown, " "	Mary Matilda Brown 1010 W. 4th St., Los Angeles, Cal.
(3) Cynthia T. Stanley, " "	Tryphena Elma Lee R. 3. B. #1 Orange, Cal.
(4) Mary E. Hutchins Thorntown, Ind.	Curtis Elma Way, 1030 E. 4th St. Long Beach, Cal.
(5)	James Emma Sharples, Long Beach, Cal.
(6)	Alson Elwood Way 17 Central Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.
	Lucinda Melinda Frazier, Los Angeles, Cal.
	Loten Edwin Way, 1138 West 1st St., Los Angeles, Cal.





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# Hollenbeck Hotel.

AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN PLANS.

A. C. BILTCKE.

J. N. S. MITCHELL.

932 E. Vernon Ave.

Los Angeles, Cal. Aug. 24, 1907.

Mr. Guion Miller,  
601 Curay Building,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am sending to-day another application in place of the one I sent two days ago, that is, if the first one has not been witnessed to satisfactorily. In the former application my father signed as one of the witnesses.

My connection with the Eastern Cherokee is on my mother's side, and as I am of age, and living in a home of my own, my father would have no financial interest in the claim. If it was legal for his name to appear as a witness



HOLLENBECK HOTEL CO.

# Hollenbeck Hotel.

AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN PLANS.

A.C. BILICKE.

JNO. S. MITCHELL.

Los Angeles, Cal.

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You may destroy this application.  
In addition to the ones  
whose names appear as witnesses,  
I would refer you to Hon.  
James Mc Lachlan, the Congressman  
from our district, or to Senator  
Frank Flint, both personal  
friends of mine.

Very respectfully,

Arthur C. Brown.

932 E. Vernon Ave.



No. 37499.

Name

J. E. Agle, Gen. for 2

children.

Action:

Reject

Reasons:

Residence:

Albemarle, N.C.

Brunnhello Case.

37499

No. 37499

Name J. E. Apple Gdn.

With No. 2356 -

Remarks:

No. 37-199

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*J. E. Agle, Gen.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: *J. S. Agle, father of two minor children*  
Indian name: *Pianl agle & Death agle*

2. Residence and post office: *"Albermarle"*

3. County: *Stanly*

4. State: *N.C.*

5. How old are you? *Earle agle 7<sup>th</sup> Born Earle July 21, 1897*

6. Where were you born? *Death agle 7<sup>th</sup> Born Death Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> 1907*

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *39 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: *J. S. Agle*

Indian name: *" "*

Mother—English name: *Elizabeth Agle*

Indian name: *" "*

Maiden name: *Elizabeth Green*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Robeson County N.C.*

Mother: *Stanly County N.C.*



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: Elizabeth Ayle died

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<del>_____</del>	<del>_____</del>	<del>_____</del>
(2)	<del>_____</del>	<del>_____</del>	<del>_____</del>
(3)	<del>_____</del>	<del>_____</del>	<del>_____</del>
(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>Samr Ayle</u>	<u>David O. Green</u>
<u>" "</u>	<u>Lavinna Green</u>
<u>Obertine Ayle</u>	<u>Indian (Lavinna</u>
	<u>Martin</u>

18. Where were they born? Sturly County NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Sturly Co. NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Elizabeth Ayle - dead
- (2) Joel Green - Albemarle NC
- (3) Ernest Green - \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) Peter Green - Albemarle NC
- (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 Agle was the daughter of Lavinia Green whose mother was whose father was Joseph Morton, whose mother was Elizabeth Boursbello

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Earle & Heath Agle's mother (Elizabeth Agle) (nee) Green's great grand mother was Elizabeth Morton (Indian name Elizabeth Boursbello who died in 1856.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

J. E. Agle father of Earl & Heath Agle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug. 1907.

A. P. Harris

Clerk Superior Court

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

M. F. Little

and W. E. Darr, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with J. E. Agle

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.

M. F. Little

W. E. Darr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

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A. P. Harris  
Clerk Superior Court  
Notary Public.

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No. 375-00

Name: Louisa J. Scott and 1 children.

Action: Reject

Reasons:

incester through whom claim  
is made, married a white man  
about 1800 & left the tribe - have since  
been recognized as white people -  
were not parties to treaties of  
1835-a - 46.

(See letter)

No. 37500 Reg.

Name Laura J. Scott

With No. ....

Remarks:

Nos. 41212-13, 37518,  
37516-17,  
grouped beneath.

Not on rolls.

Rejected

ancestor (his name claim  
is made named a white  
man in about 1800 & left  
the tribe have always  
been recognized as white  
people - never been enrolled

(see letter to Bureau)



No. 37500

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

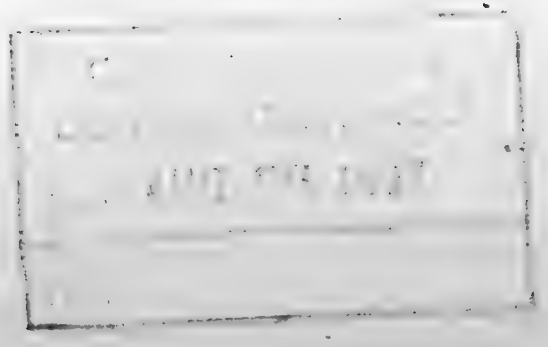
APPLICATION

OF

*Louisa J. Scott.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37500

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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: Louisa Jane Scott

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Canton R.F.D. # 1

3. County: Waywood

4. State: N. C.

5. How old are you? 57 Born Oct 18 - 1850

6. Where were you born? in Buncombe Co N. C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: George M. Scott age 67

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. in Waywood Co N.C.
(1)	<u>Perry Lincoln</u>		<u>Feb 28 - 1874</u>
(2)	<u>Zeddie Lee</u>		<u>July 7th 1880</u>
(3)	<u>Arthur</u>		<u>Feb 25 - 1885</u>
(4)	<u>James Wily</u>		<u>June 27 - 1887</u>
(5)	<u>Rufus May</u>		<u>May 8 - 1889</u>
(6)	_____		_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James Wesley Martin

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Polly Martin

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Polly Hall

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Buncombe Co NC.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died May 31<sup>st</sup> 1881

Mother: died Jan 24 - 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: never enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mansy West</u>		
(2)	<u>Sallie Scott</u>		
(3)	<u>Harriette West</u>	<u>Dec. 28 1842</u>	
(4)	<u>Mary Clark</u>		
(5)	<u>Gerius Hurbin</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.	
English	<u>Hubri</u>	<u>Harbin</u>	English	<u>Enoch</u>
"	<u>Sarah</u>	<u>Jurbin</u>	"	<u>Nancy</u>

18. Where were they born? no record

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Impossible we have no record
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never 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: Father side Martin & Lewis  
Mother side Hull & Johnson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Grand mother Johnson was one half Indian  
and belonged to the Eastern Cherokee Tribe  
It is Publicly known that I am a descendant of the  
Eastern Cherokee Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Louisa Jane Scott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 2 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. S. Smathers  
and Harriette Presley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Louisa Jane Scott  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
50 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Smathers,  
Harriette Presley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 2 1907

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 22 1908  
*No.*

Special Commissioner - Court & C. 1114  
601 Curran Building Washington D.C.

Dear Sir in reply to your letter of  
inquiry relative to my claim #37500  
I beg to say that my Great Grandmother  
did reside with the Eastern Cherokee tribe  
back about the date of 1800. in Western N.C.  
but she married a white man & left the tribe  
about that time. Since we have been  
recognized as white people although it  
is generally known to the present time that  
we are related to the Indians & to the  
reason she was not enrolled in 1851 she  
was not living at that time.  
In the date of 1834-35 she resided with  
her daughter in Haywood Co N.C.  
my Grand parents were never slaves at all.

Respect-

Louisa J. Scott

Danton R.F.D. #1

N.C.

C. H. B.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 19 1909  
No. 37500

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London 10th May 1911  
Dear Mr. ...  
I have just received your letter  
of the 4th and am glad to hear  
that you are well. The same  
pleasure and amusement I will  
try to give you as you please  
and that is my duty.  
I have done all you wanted  
me to do.  
Yours truly  
Edmund ...



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
REC. JUN 22 1908  
No. 37500

*circ. let.*

JUN 22 1908

# 37 6-00

Quinton N.C.

June 19<sup>th</sup>, 1908

Mr Guion Miller

Dear Sir

I wrote you some time  
ago in reply to your  
letter of inquiry and have  
never heard any more  
of the matter at all. and  
as I am very anxious  
about the matter I would  
be glad you would please  
advise me in regard to  
what is doing in my favor  
if anything at all.  
Sincerely  
G. H. Stamps enclosed

for reply. Begging your  
pardon for this letter  
and thanking you in  
advance for your favor  
I remain your as ever  
Louisa J. Scott

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37500

circ. net

NOV 12 1908



Canton N.C.  
Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1908

Mr Gideon Miller

Dear Sir

referring to my claim of  
no 37.5<sup>00</sup> in favor of  
the Eastern cherokees.  
wey to ask if anything  
has been done in our  
favor yet. We are all  
anxious to know.

Please give any  
information you  
may have and Pardon  
my inquiring

Louisa Scott



No. 37501

Action: Admitted

Name Lonnie Orinton and — children. Residence: Sequoyah, Okla

Reasons:

By David Orinton, Gdn.  
Applicant is a cousin of Henry Bradfulwater # 2748

No. 375-01

Name *Tris Luntan*

With No. 6980

Remarks:



*Cassin*

No. 37501

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

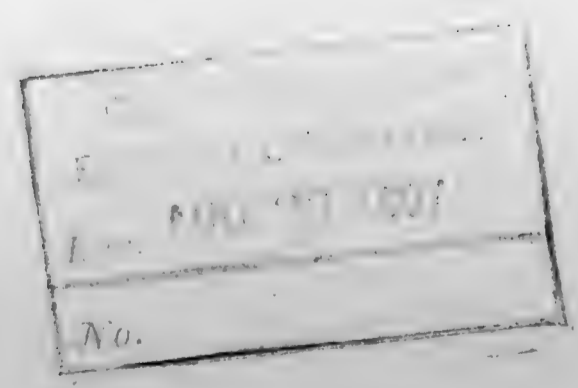
APPLICATION

OF

*Louis Luntan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



37501

**Special 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: David Duntou as Beneficiary

Indian name: Louis Duntou - Son of George

2. Residence and post office: Bushy

3. County: Sequoyah

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 32 Born in 1875

6. Where were you born? Elletts District

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lou

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>Louis Duntou</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(2)	<u>He is my nephew and</u>		
(3)	<u>has no guardian</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Louis Duntou, Leatha Duntou, Bean

Father—English name: Louis Duntou

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Leatha Duntou

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Elletts District

Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Sault Ste Marie

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 3<sup>rd</sup> day Jan 1904

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: all payments made since their birth

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Isaac Dumont	Flint Hill	
	J. M. Dumont	" "	
(2)	George Dumont	" "	
	David Dumont	" "	
(3)	Frank Dumont	" "	
	James Dumont		
(4)	Johnson	"	
(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) Louise Dumont is a son  
 (2) of George Dumont, who  
 (3) is my brother and  
 (4) as he does not live with his  
 (5) father, I make this claim  
 (6) for him, as his mother and  
best friend.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Laurie Linton has enrolled for monies in 1894, and

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: as above stated I make this claim for the minor Laurie Linton age 17'

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The father of Laurie Linton minor, has not made the claim for him for this fund and I make same out that he may receive his share

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Laurie Linton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

Chas O. Faye  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

2/28, 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

Joe Rigoby

and J. W. Bunge, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Laurie Linton

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.

Joe Rigoby  
J. W. Bunge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

2/28, 1909

Chas O. Faye  
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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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*Tomie Quinton by Dore Quinton, Gen.,  
Sequoyah, 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 *21882*

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 Forum, Oklahoma.

The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.

The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.

The Clerk of Courts at:--

North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.

Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.

Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.

Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega, Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiawassee, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, have been printed and will be sold at \$2.50 each, and the proceeds applied to the cost of printing.

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,254 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

The Court of Claims in its order of June 10, 1909, has directed that all exceptions to my report shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., to be filed in the Court on or before the 30th day of August, 1909.

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909.

Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

Please retain this circular and present it at the time of payment.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



No. 375-02

Name: Gracie B Acton and

Action: Reject

Reasons:

children.

Residence: Columbia Mo

Applicant born 1828 in Ky parents  
also born in Ky prior to the Treaty  
of 1835- and were not parties to  
said Treaty never lived with Cherokees  
enrolled with them or shared in their  
payments.

37502

No. 37502

Rej.

Name Green B. Acton

With No. ....

Remarks:

Rejected.

applicant born in '28 in  
Ky. - his parents also  
born in Ky. - never enrolled  
parent land with title

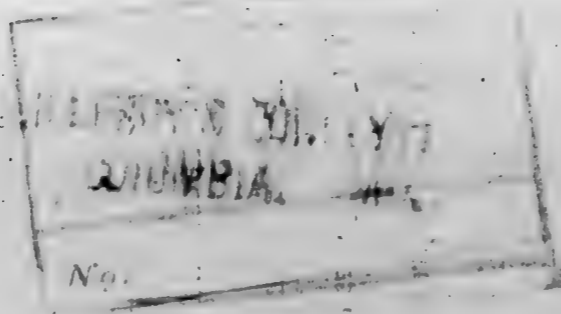
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF  
*Green B. Acton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



37502



**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 decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
 English name: Green B. Acton  
 Indian name: Not that I know of
2. Residence and post office: Columbia Mo.
3. County: Boone
4. State: Missouri
5. How old are you? 81 Born 1825
6. Where were you born? Garrett Co. Kentucky
7. Are you married? Yes three times <sup>1<sup>st</sup> Martha A. Stine</sup> <sup>2<sup>d</sup> Mary Ann</sup> <sup>3<sup>d</sup> State</sup>
8. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: 1<sup>st</sup> Dead 5-2 years 2<sup>d</sup> Living
9. To what tribe of Indians does he ~~she~~ belong? Eastern Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

- |     | NAME              | AGE                 | BORN.                            |
|-----|-------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | Paulina J. Acton  | Married             | Died long ago - left no children |
| (2) | Sarah Green Acton | Married three times | Dead                             |
| (3) | James H. Acton    | Dead                | but left a family                |
| (4) | Pleasant R. Acton | "                   | " " " " " "                      |
| (5) | Warren W. Acton   | 5-2                 | Living El Paso Tex.              |
| (6) | Francis Acton     | Died                | at the age of ten years          |
|     | Laura B. Acton    | Married three times | Dead                             |
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:  
William Acton and Chariz Acton

Father—English name: William Acton  
 Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Chariz Acton  
 Indian name: None  
 Maiden name: Chariz Grindstaff

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: Kentucky at Powell's Valley  
 Mother: Kentucky at Powell's Valley



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Not Living  
Father: Boone County Missouri  
Mother: Boone County Missouri

14. Date of death of your father or mother:

Father: Died About 36 years ago  
Mother: Died About Sixty One 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:

Never Enrolled War  
Kuson of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

- | (1) | NAME.          | BORN.      | DIED.                |
|-----|----------------|------------|----------------------|
|     | Sam Acton      | About 1811 | 1850 on the Plains   |
| (2) | William Acton  | About 1813 | 1870 in Iowa         |
| (3) | Harrison Acton | About 1815 | About 1885           |
| (4) | Aaron Acton    | About 1818 | About 18 years ago   |
| (5) | George Acton   | About 1823 | 18 years ago in Iowa |
| (6) | Samuel Acton   | About 1827 | 1865, Kans           |
|     | James Acton    | About 1828 | 1869 or 1870         |
- As some of brothers*

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.

Jacob Grindstoff  
Susan Grindstoff  
Daughter of  
Housekeeper

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Grandfather Jacob Grindstoff  
Died at Pomel's Valley Kentucky - Grandmother Susan Grindstoff died in Boone Co. Mo. in 1851.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- |     |                    |   |
|-----|--------------------|---|
| (1) | Henry Grindstoff   | Died in Indiana   |
| (2) | Abraham Grindstoff | Died in Boone Co. Mo.                                       |
| (3) | Isaac Grindstoff   | Sullivan Co. Mo.  |
| (4) | George Grindstoff  | Boone Co. Mo. died in the Civil War                         |
| (5) | William Grindstoff | Boone Co. Mo. died in 1865. Was a soldier in the Union Army |
| (6) | Charles Grindstoff | Acton died 61 years ago                                     |
| (7) | Kate Grindstoff    | Died several years ago                                      |

21. 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: This Applicant's Mother was Charity Acton Gindstoff Acton who was daughter of Susan Gindstoff who was a half blood Cherokee Indian and her mother's father was David Housheller. They were never enrolled though some of them may have been.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Applicant's Grandmother came through to the Court. She lives to the age of one hundred and eighty years old. She was born at a long house on a plain and lived with an Indian woman and said she was a half blood Cherokee. Some of the descendants of her husband Gindstoff now living took her much for a Indian.

Cannot find name

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Green B. Acton (Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1907.

M. R. Roberts  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 9, 1910

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John W. Carlisle and James M. Boswell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Green B. Acton who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 50 years and 45 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. Carlisle  
James M. Boswell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 9, 1910

M. R. Roberts  
Notary Public.

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No. 37503

Name: Katherine H. Grandall 4 children.

Action: Reject.

Reasons:

Residence: Oklahoma City Okla.

Claims through the same source

or # 3711442.

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No. 37503

Name Katharine K. Randall

With No. 34680

Remarks :



No. 37503

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mrs Katherine K. Crandall*  
*to four heirs*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT  
KONAWA. IND TEL.

*Filed*  
*Aug. 26/07*

37503

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: Mrs Katharine K. Crandall

Indian name: Miss Katharine K. Davis

2. Residence and post office: Oklahoma City, P.O. The same

3. County: Oklahoma

4. State: Oklahoma Territory

5. How old are you? 36 years Born Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> 1871

6. Where were you born? In Washington County, Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: unknown

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>Lawrence Decatur Crandall</u>	<u>8 yrs</u>	<u>April 5<sup>th</sup> 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Heathie Bell Crandall</u>	<u>6"</u>	<u>April 11<sup>th</sup> 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Percy Nathaniel Crandall</u>	} <u>Twins</u>	<u>April 11<sup>th</sup> 1905</u>
(4)	<u>Ellen Elisabeth Crandall</u>		<u>April 11<sup>th</sup> 1905</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Lawrence Decatur Davis

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Mildred Ellen Davis

Indian name: Mildred Ellen Eldridge

Maiden name: Miss Mildred Ellen Eldridge

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Halifax County Virginia

Mother: In Halifax County Virginia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Halifax County Va.

Mother: In Halifax County Va.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Is still living

Mother: Is still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They were never enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
Ages, 49 <sup>yo</sup> (1)	Champion Thomas Davis	Nov. 11 <sup>th</sup> , 1858	Living
47 <sup>yo</sup>	Edward Turner Davis	April 7 <sup>th</sup> , 1860	"
45 <sup>yo</sup> (2)	Leon Davis	Oct 27 <sup>th</sup> , 1861	"
43 <sup>yo</sup>	Mary E. Davis	Oct 18 <sup>th</sup> , 1863	"
40 <sup>yo</sup> (3)	Stephen Scatur Davis	March 4 <sup>th</sup> , 1866	"
37 <sup>yo</sup>	Mildred Portia Davis	" 6 <sup>th</sup> , 1869	"
32 <sup>yo</sup> (4)	Wallis Cordelia Davis	May 14 <sup>th</sup> , 1874	"
31 <sup>yo</sup>	Sue Capulet Davis	July 27 <sup>th</sup> , 1876	"

(5)

(6)

All my Brothers & Sisters are still living

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

(No Indian blood) Thomas Davis

Bolling Eldridge was my great Grandfather

"

Richard Eldridge, my Grandfather (Indian)

Susan C. Davis

Mary Smith Eldridge, my Grandmother

Grandfather & Grandmother Davis were born in Halifax County Va.

Richard Eldridge was born in Halifax County Va. Mary Smith was born in Prince Ed

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in, 1851, if living at that time? In Halifax County Va.

In Halifax County Va. (Both Families)

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Gaspard W. Davis (Davises)

(Eldridges) Geo. Eldridge (Dead)

(2) Christopher H. Davis

William " "

(3) Stephen Neal "

Richard " "

(4) Champion Thos. " (Dead)

Buck " "

(5) Jacob & Sallie "

Leah B. " "

(6) Susan C. Davis

Daniel B. " "

Mary Davis (Living)

Nannie " "

Robert B. " "

Ellen " "

L. O. " "

Henry " "

Geo. S. M. " "

(all dead)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have never been enrolled

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father was born in 1836  
My Grandfather + Grandmother David + My Mother " " " 1840  
were living in 1835. Also my Grandfather + Grandmother Eldridge  
were living in 1835. --

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My descent dates back to the marriage of Thomas Eldridge to  
Miss Bolling, who was fourth in descent from Pocahontas.  
(See) Bishop's Meaders "Old Churches, Ministers, + Families of Virginia"  
My Father + Mother are also the prime movers in the Pocahontas Monument,  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and  
belief.

(Signature) Katherine K Crandall  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.  
B. F. Williams  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
April 4, 1911, 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 Miss Pearl Titus  
and Jimmie Sparks, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mrs Katherine K Crandall  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for one year and  
two years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mrs Pearl Titus.  
Jimmie Sparks  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires  
April 4, 1911, 1908. B. F. Williams  
Notary Public.

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Handwritten note: Crandall  
#250,00



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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For Mrs. Katharine K. Grandall

+  
four heirs.

Oklahoma City

Oklahoma

Oklahoma County

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Territory of Oklahoma  
COUNTY OF Oklahoma

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Katharine K. Crandall  
for the county of Oklahoma, state of Oklahoma do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioner's Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is 1533, West 1st Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Mrs Beale Titus Katharine K. Crandall  
Signature.

James Sparks  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Oklahoma County of Oklahoma. Be it known on the 19 day of Aug. 1907  
personally appeared Katharine K. Crandall, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires apl. 4 1911 B. F. Williams  
Notary Public

[L. S.]

And now to witness 19 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle  
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 19 day of August 1907  
W. M. Davis  
Notary Public

No. 37504

Action: Admit

Name Dorey D Welch and 3 children.

Residence: Ballard, Okla

Reasons:

Niece of #343.

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No. 3750 4  
Name Owen J. Welch  
With No. 343.

Remarks:



No. 37504

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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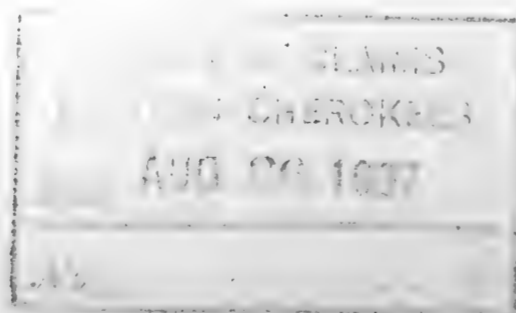
APPLICATION

OF

Devey D. Welch

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



37504

**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: Dovey D Welch

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Ballard

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: Ind Ter

5. How old are you? 26 Born Jan 24 1881

6. Where were you born? Idaho

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Welch 38 Yrs

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>Harry Welch</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Aug 27 1901</u>
	<u>Roy D " "</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>June 29 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Ira C " "</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Feb 25 1906</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Edward Cannon

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Lucinda Cannon

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Lucinda Cantrill

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Arkansas

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: **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 NA Ind Ter**

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Carrie Cannon		Dead
	Sharley " " "		Ballard Ind Ter
	Ira " " "	31 years	" " " "
(2)	Claud " " "	29 years	" " " "
	Maud " " "	24 years	" " " "
	Auda " " "	22 years	" " " "
	(Claud " " "	20 years	" " " "
	Ruth " " "	13 years	" " " "

(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.

Urba Cannon White

Elisabeth Cannon Cherokee

White

18. Where were they born? **Georgia**

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

**Georgia**

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Edward Cannon	Ballard Ind Ter
	Sarra Cannon	Claremore "
(2)	William " " "	Siloam Springs Ark
	Price " " "	:" " " " " " "
(3)	Oscar " " "	Ballard Ind Ter
(4)	John " " "	Siloam Springs Ark
	Jennie " " "	Pega Ind Ter
(5)	Ollie " " "	Dead
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes Cherokee NA ind Ter

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Dont 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 Dovey D Welch)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of August 1907.

R. A. Odle  
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 Henry Morris  
and Nay Welch, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Dovey D Welch 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.

Henry Morris  
Nay Welch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

190 .

R. A. Odle  
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. 37505

Name Russell J. Tallent and no children. Action: Rejected  
Residence: Warrenton, Tenn.

Reasons:

Applicant is a deserter of 18218,

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No. 37505-37513

Name .....

With No. 18218

Remarks:

Russel J. Tallent  
Wm A "  
Alfred J "  
Esther Gray  
Wm W. McKee  
Martha J. Speck  
Mary J. Brown  
Lucy A. Hawkins

No. 37505

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Russel J. Dalton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37505



**Special 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.

*The Murray Grandmother card is 20621*

1. State full name—  
English name: Russel J. Talley  
Indian name: McKinney
2. Residence and post office: Tariffville Ga.
3. County: Manuel
4. State: Tenn.
5. How old are you? 21 Born March 4, 1886
6. Where were you born? Manuel Co. Tenn.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Minnie Talley 21
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<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: Alford J. Talley  
Indian name: McKinney  
Mother—English name: Man C. Talley  
Indian name: McKinney  
Maiden name: Sanders

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Tenn.  
Mother: "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: The McKinney were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Talbot		
	Russel "		
(2)	Johnny "		
(3)	Charley "		
(4)	Man "		
(5)	Julia Ann "		
(6)	Oliver		

*No record*

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.

Russel Talbot  
" "  
Mary C. "  
" " McKinney

18. Where were they born?

Tenn W. W. Sanders

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) Edward J. Talbot
- (2) Caroline "
- (3) Man "
- (4) Marytha "
- (5) Samuel "
- (6) Sadie " Wm
- Jasper "
- Felix "
- Jephtha "
- Anna "
- John "
- Sally "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father's name Alfred J. Tallent & his mother Elizabeth Tallent Maiden

Name May Saunders her mother Elizabeth Saunders

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Maiden name Elizabeth Ellison  
mother was married twice 1<sup>st</sup> Saunders &  
W C Runney

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Russell J Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.  
Geo W Lbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Martha Spadling  
and Septa Tallent, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Russell J. Tallent  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 16 years and  
16 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person 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.

Martha Spadling  
Septa Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Lbill  
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. 27586

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Miss D. Tallent* and *no* children. Residence: *Trenton, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Applicant is a carrier of 10218*

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No. 37506

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

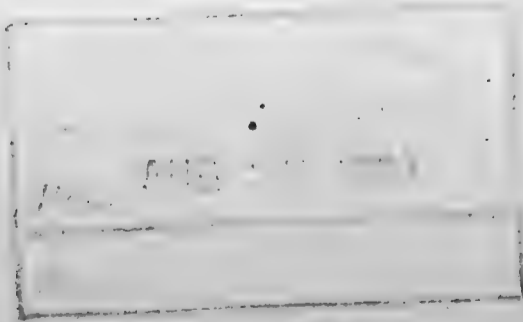
APPLICATION

OF

*Wm A. Patton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



37506



**Special 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.

*No of mothers card 20521*

1. State full name—

English name: *Mrs G. Talley*

Indian name: *" Mc King*

2. Residence and post office: *Taylorsville*

3. County: *Murray*

4. State: *Tenn.*

5. How old are you? *37*

Born *Sept 18, 1869*

6. Where were you born? *Blount county Tenn.*

7. Are you married? *Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Catherine Talley 26*

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)	<i>Martha</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Russell Talley*

Indian name: *" Mc King*

Mother—English name: *Mary C. Talley*

Indian name: *" Mc King*

Maiden name: *" Sanders*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Tenn.*

Mother: *Ga.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 18-84

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)	Mrs J. Tallent		
	Mary C. "		
(2)	Merritt J. "		
	Adeline "		
(3)	Fet "		
	Ande "		
(4)	Festrig H. "		
	John H. "		
(5)	Anna E. "		
	Sarah E. "		
(6)	Miriam J. "		
	Sam M. "		
	Coop Co		

*No record*

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 Sanders	Josephine Tallent
" "	" "
Elizabeth Sanders	Elizabeth "
" Ellison	" Ellison
	S.C.

18. Where were they born?

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) A. J. Sanders
- (2) Mary C. "
- (3) Sarah " Dead
- (4) Nancy " "
- (5) James McSperry
- (6) Josie " "
- Margaret " "
- Thompson " "
- Morty 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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 Mary C. Tallent  
her mother Elizabeth Sanders maiden name  
Elizabeth Ellisons  
mother was married to John Sanders  
second man Andrew P. Finney  
(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) A. A. Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W. Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Archibald Finney  
and A. J. Tallent, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mr A. Tallent who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
G. G. Gough

Signatures of Witnesses.  
Archibald Finney  
A. J. Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908. Geo W. Isbill  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 37567

Action: *Accepted*

Name: *Alfred J. Talbot* and *no* children. Residence: *Warrentonville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Applicant is a cousin of 18218.*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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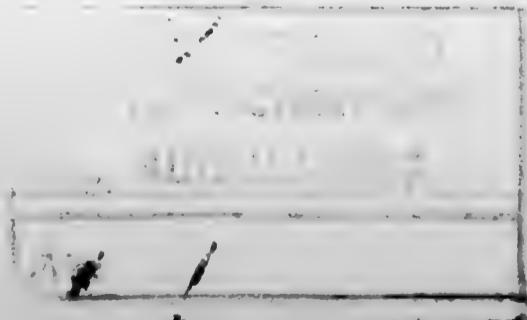
APPLICATION

OF

*Alford J. Tallent &  
children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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20569

**Special 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.

*No of mother's card 20521*

1. State full name—

English name: *Wilford J. Tallent*

Indian name: *W. McKersney*

2. Residence and post office: *Tripville (Carrollville)*

3. County: *Wagoner*

4. State: *Texas*

5. How old are you? *47* Born *May 12 1840*

6. Where were you born? *Texas*

7. Are you married? *Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mary J. Tallent 33*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>John Tallent</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>March 4 - 1888</i>
(2)	<i>Charley "</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>May 20 - 1892</i>
(3)	<i>Wm " "</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>Sept 10 - 1896</i>
(4)	<i>Julian "</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>May 4 - 1904</i>
(5)	<i>Olivia "</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>May 1 - 1898</i>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Reuben Tallent*

Indian name: *W. McKersney*

Mother—English name: *Mary J. Tallent*

Indian name: *W. McKersney*

Maiden name: *W. J. Saunders*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Texas*

Mother: *W. J.*



21. 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: <sup>Mother's name</sup> Mary C Tallett <sup>her mother</sup> Elizabeth Saunders Brainerd <sup>name</sup> Elizabeth Ellison

<sup>Mother was married twice 1st man</sup> John Saunders <sup>2nd man</sup> Thompson Andrew McKenny  
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) A. J. Tallett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

Geo W Sobill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Arch Dur  
and W A Tallett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with A J Tallett who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 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. Geo W Sobill Signatures of Witnesses. Arch Dur  
J T Trench W A Tallett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires June 1, 1908. Geo W Sobill  
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. 37508

Name

*Letha Tallent*

Action:

*Registered*

Reasons:

and *no* children.

Residence:

*Honore, Tenn.*

*Applicant is a cousin of 18218.*

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**.EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Jeppha Tallent &  
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, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



37508

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

*The No of Brothers application is 20421*

1. State full name—

English name: Ziphka H Tallent

Indian name: " " Me Kimmey

2. Residence and post office: Tron Soco

3. County: Sevier North

4. State: Tenn Tenn

5. How old are you? 47 Born Aug 12 - 1860

6. Where were you born? Bradley County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Harvey Tallent 37

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Jessie Tallent	18 -	July 9 - 1889
(2)	Heller "	16	May 15 - 1891
(3)	Carrie "	14	Aug 29 - 1892
(4)	Arqa "	12	Sept 25 - 1894
(5)	Sally "	9	Aug 27 - 1897
(6)	Harmer "	6 -	Sept 9 - 1900
	Sona "	4 -	Feb 10 - 1903

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Mamma " 1 - April 29 - 1906

Father—English name: Russel Tallent

Indian name: " " Me Kimmey

Mother—English name: Mary E Tallent

Indian name: " " Me Kimmey

Maiden name: " " Sammons

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: # B. A.

*Route #1*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:       *Tim*      

Mother:             

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:       *1884*      

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:       *The McKennys*        
      *were*      

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Wm A Tallent</i>		
	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>		
(2)	<i>Martha</i>		
	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>		
(3)	<i>Texie</i>		
	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>		
(4)	<del><i>Kath</i></del>		
	<i>John H</i>		
	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>		
(5)	<i>Sarah</i>		
	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>		
(6)	<i>Samuel</i>		
	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>		
	<i>Jasper</i>		
	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>		
	<i>Joseph</i>		
	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>John Saunders</i>	<i>Jephtha Tallent</i>
<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>
<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>Elizabeth</i>
<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>	<i>      <i>  </i>      </i>
<i>Ellison</i>	<i>Ellison</i>

18. Where were they born?       *S C*       (*Elizabeth Ellison*)

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?       *Tim*      

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<i>Andrew</i>	<i>Jane McKenney</i>
(2)	<i>Nancy</i>	<i>Josie</i>
(3)	<i>Sarah</i>	<i>Thompson</i>
(4)	<i>Martha</i>	<i>Margaret</i>
(5)	<i>Josie</i>	<i>second husband</i>
(6)	<i>by first man</i>	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*Mother's name Mary G. Tallent Maiden name Mary G. Saunders her mother Elizabeth Saunders Maiden*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*name Elizabeth Ellison she was lastly married to Andrew Mc Kimmey & lastly known by Mc Kimmey*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Jefftha Tallent*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *aug* 1907.

*Geo W. Isbill*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *Jan 1*, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Martha Spradling* and *Katie Williams*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jefftha Tallent* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *30* years and *30* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Martha Spradling*  
*Katie Williams*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *aug*, 1907.

My commission expires *Jan 1*, 1908. *Geo W. Isbill*  
Notary Public.

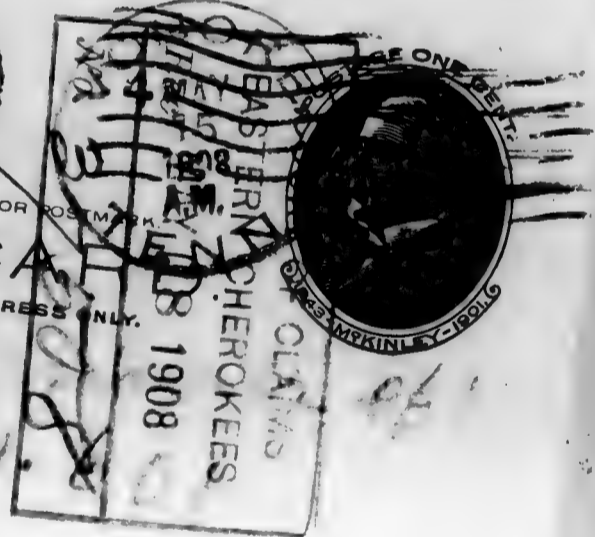
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WASHINGTON, D.C.  
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1:30 AM  
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Court of Appeals  
Washington  
D.C.

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May 15 - 1908  
Special Commissioner of the  
District of Columbia  
Washington, D.C.  
We have pre-arranged  
for a number of  
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D.C. by the  
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18218

March 9, 1908.

Group #30365, App. #37508.

Jeptha H. Tallent,  
Toco, Monroe Co., Tenn.

Sir:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the birth  
of your child, Lona Tallent, 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.  
No. JAN 26 1910  
No. 37508

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No. 37508

Route 1. Anson, Tenn.

Jan 22. 1910

Mr. Lillian Miller.

Dear Sir will you  
please write me and let  
me know whether you received  
our Application, No. 37508  
for full consideration  
or not. Please write once  
more. Please write and  
tell me whether we have  
anything in the ground  
or not.

Yours Truly,  
Jephtha Tallent

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
RECORDED JAN 27 1909  
No. 37508

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JAN 27 1909

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W. H. ...  
Jan 23 1904

Mr. John ...

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No 37508 for ...  
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No. 37569

Name *Texano Gray* and *no* children. Residence: *Tanipville, Tenn.*

Action: *Accepted*

Reasons:

*His name is a cousin of 1800*  
*11*

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No. 37509

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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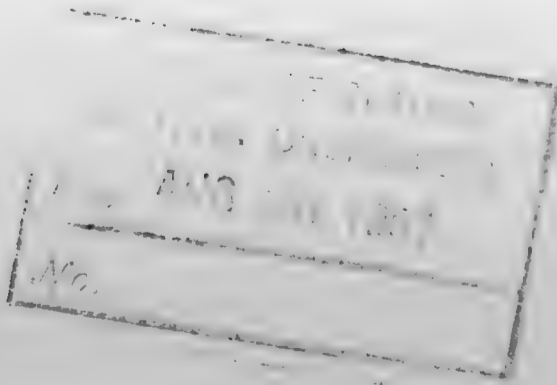
APPLICATION

OF

*Jessie Gray &  
3 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Texamer Gray

Indian name: " Saunders

2. Residence and post office: Taripville

3. County: Murray

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 49 Born March July 5 - 1858

6. Where were you born? Murray County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ralph Gray 55

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)	Carrie Gray	14	Dec 10 - 1893
(2)	Willie "	12	Feb 12 - 1895
(3)	Thomas "	10	Sept 18 - 1897
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Russel Tallent

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Mary "

Indian name: " " Saunders

Maiden name: " " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: F E Tenn

Mother: F G A



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:       Tenn      

Mother:       17      

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:       1884      

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:       John Saunders      

      drew land in the west      

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Minnie</u>		
	<u>Caroline</u>		
(2)	<u>Martha</u>	<u>no record</u>	
	<u>Sally</u>		
(3)	<u>Addie</u>		
	<u>Anna</u>		
(4)	<u>Gasper</u>		
	<u>Erup</u>		
(5)	<u>Jackson</u>		
	<u>Jephtha</u>		
(6)	<u>Samuel</u>		
	<u>John</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>      </u>	<u>John Saunders</u>
<u>      </u>	<u>      "      "</u>
<u>      </u>	<u>Elizabeth</u>
<u>      </u>	<u>      "      Ellerson</u>

18. Where were they born?       D C      

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?       Tenn      

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Jack Saunders</u>	<u>John McKenny</u>
(2)	<u>Mary E</u>	<u>Josie</u>
(3)	<u>Nancy</u>	<u>Margaret</u>
(4)	<u>Sarah</u>	<u>Thompson</u>
(5)	<u>Martha</u>	<u>dead</u>
(6)	<u>by her first man</u>	<u>(by her second man)</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: Mother Mary & Tallent Maiden  
name Mary & Saunders her Mother Elizabeth

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Saunders Maiden  
name Elizabeth Ellison

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Her Father John Saunders  
he drew his land in the west

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Texaner Gray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

S M Tallent

and

W A Tallent

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Texaner Gray

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and

25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W A Tallent

W A Tallent

S M Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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No. 37510

Action: *Rejected*

Name, *Minnie Mullkaps* and *no* children.

Residence: *Tomball, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Applicant is a cousin of 828*

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No. 37510

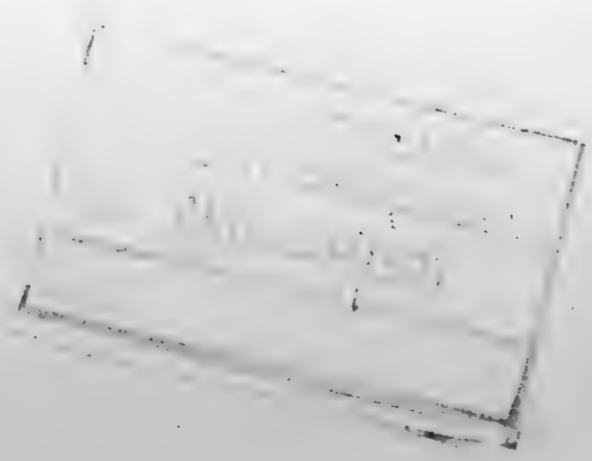
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

*Minnie Phillips &  
6 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37510



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Minnie Millsaps

Indian name: " Saunders

2. Residence and post office: Tripville

3. County: Wovvov

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 33 Born June 2 - 1874

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wm Millsaps

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)	Mary Millsaps	14	April 28 - 1893
(2)	Sally "	12	May 10 - 1895
(3)	Allie "	10	March 11 - 1897
(4)	Hosie "	8	Dec 18 - 1899
(5)	Wm "	2	Feb 10 - 1904
(6)	Eppie "	6	Sept 20 - 1901

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Russel Tallent

Indian name: " McKinnis

Mother—English name: Mary b Tallent

Indian name: " " Saunders

Maiden name: " " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: GA

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1884

Mother: living ~~mother's~~ 75y

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: said to be

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Caroline Tallent	11	
(2)	Martha	11	no record
	Dolly	11	
(3)	Ardie	11	
	Anna	11	
(4)	Jasper	11	
	Jehamer	11	
(5)	Jasper Croft		
	Jackson	11	
(6)	Jephtha	11	
	Amuel	11	
	John	11	

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 Saunders
	11 11
	Elizabeth 11
	11 11

18. Where were they born? D C

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)	Jack	Samuel	Jane	McKinney
(2)	Mary E	11	Jessie	11
(3)	Nancy	11	Margaret	11
(4)	Sarah	11	Thompson	11
(5)	Martha	11	children of second	
(6)			husband	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother name Mary & Tallent maiden name Mary & Saunders  
mother Elizabeth Saunders maiden name Elizabeth Ellison

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) Minnie Millaps

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of aug 1907.

Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W H Tallent  
and J M Tallent, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Minnie Millaps who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W H Tallent  
J M Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Isbill  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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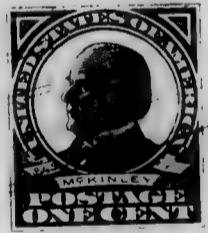


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No. 37571

Action: *Suspected*

Name *Martha J. Spadling* and no children. Residence: *Yanville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Applicant is a cousin of R. J. S.*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Martha V. Spradling  
& children

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— *No man's land 20521*  
 English name: *Amtha J Spradling*  
 Indian name: *" " McKenney*
2. Residence and post office: *Tasville*
3. County: *Monroe*
4. State: *Tenn*
5. How old are you? *55* Born *Oct-3 - 1851*
6. Where were you born? *Tenn*
7. Are you married? *yes no husband dead John*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *John Spradling 54*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Steller Spradling</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>Oct 22 - 1888</i>
(2)	<i>Pria</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>Nov 7 - 1893</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Russel Tallent*  
 Indian name: *" "*

Mother—English name: *Mary C "*  
 Indian name: *" " Saunders (or McKenney)*  
 Maiden name: *" " "*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *S A Tenn*  
 Mother: *G A "*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:     Tenn    

Mother:     "    

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:     1884    

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:     Grandmother was    

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Caroline Talbot		
	Maria	"	
(2)	Adeline	"	no record
	Texie	"	
(3)	Arthur	"	
	Geoffrey	"	
(4)	John H	"	
	Anna E	"	
(5)	Sarah E	"	
	Samuel	"	
(6)	Minnie	"	
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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.

         John Saunders      
         "      
         Elizabeth      
         " McKenney    

18. Where were they born?     S. C.    

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)	A. J. Saunders	Jane McKenney
(2)	Marye "	Margaret "
(3)	Sarah "	Thompson "
(4)	Nancy "	Josie "
(5)	Marta "	second husband
(6)	first husbands	children
	children	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name Mary E  
Tallent maiden name Mary E Saunders a  
daughter of John Saunders his wife Elizabeth

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Saunders maiden name Elizabeth  
Ellison

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Martha Spradling

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of aug 1907.

Geo. W. Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A J Tallent  
and Katie Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Martha Spradling  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A J Tallent

Katie Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo. W. Isbill

Notary Public.

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App. No. 37511.

July 2, 1908.

Martha J. Spradling,  
Tarville, Tennessee.

Madam:

With reference to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, will you please state what relation  
you are to Joseph A. Sanders, of Hill City, Tennessee.

Please be prompt and refer in your reply to No. 37511.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

HCB/WBA



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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 21 1910  
No.

St. Petersburg, Feb 15 1851

My dear Mother  
I received your letter of the 10th  
and was glad to hear from  
you. I am well and hope  
these few lines will find  
you the same. I am  
to a great degree  
as usual. I am  
and hope you  
will be the same.

Yours affectionately  
John J. Smith

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* AUG. 3 1908  
*No.* 37511.

June 30 1955

San Jose, Cal.

Mr. John Miller

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 16 1908  
No. 44134.

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except some and I thought  
there might be overlooked  
so I will leave  
your name

Amell Harris

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Jennette Monroe  
Madisonville July 14 1908  
Mr Miller  
Special Commissioner I thought  
I would write you a few  
lines dont want to bother  
you much but why was we  
not notified as to our  
claim when you <sup>was</sup> here  
at madisonville my ~~home~~  
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forget Tallant would be  
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EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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No. 37511

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July 28 1864

Dear Mother  
I received your kind letter  
in reply to yours of the 21st  
and was glad to hear from  
you. I am well and hope  
these few lines will find  
you the same. I am not  
very well at present, but  
I hope to see you soon.  
Love  
Your affectionate son  
John J. Spaulding

No. 37512

Name Mary J. Dennis and no children. Action: Rejected  
Residence: Trenton, Tenn.

Reasons:

Applicant is a cousin of 182 P.  
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mary J. Bivins*  
*+ 3 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37512

**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: Mary J. Pivins

Indian name: M<sup>c</sup> Kimmey

2. Residence and post office: Parisville

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 22 Born Nov. 11, 1884

6. Where were you born? Monroe

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jim L. Pivins 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)	Jutarah B. Pivins	7	March 2, 1900
(2)	Jahn "	4	Jan. 1, 1903
(3)	Clarence "	1	Feb. 10, 1905
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: A. J. Tallent

Indian name: M<sup>c</sup> Kimmey

Mother—English name: Mery C. Tallent

Indian name: M<sup>c</sup> Kimmey

Maiden name: Samuels

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Named

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I the M<sup>c</sup>Kimmy's Merc

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary J. Tallent		
	Russell "		
(2)	Jahnn "		
(3)	Charles "		
(4)	Mrs "		
(5)	Julie Ann "		
(6)	Olliver "		

None

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.

Russell Tallent  
" "  
Mary C. "  
" M<sup>c</sup> Kimmy

18. Where were they born? Tenn Laurens

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) Alford J. Tallent
- (2) Coraline "
- (3) Mrs "
- (4) Worthy "
- (5) Edith "
- (6) Vesper " Minnie
- Lewis "
- Leahthe "
- Anna "
- John "
- Sally

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *Father's name Alfred D. Tallent & his mother Martha Tallent Maiden name Mary Sanders*

*his mother name Elizabeth*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*Sandra Maiden name Elizabeth Ellison  
Mother was married twice, 1st to Sandra  
& 2nd to MC Riney*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Mary J. Bivins*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*Geo W Hill*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*Jan 1*, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. H. Tallent*

and *Martha Spradling*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Mary J. Bivins*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *18* 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.

*Joseph Tallent*  
*Martha Spradling*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

*Jan 1*, 1908 *Geo W Hill*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. MAR 17 1908  
No. 37512

Applicant  
Lost

Spec Commis<sup>o</sup>ner of Claims  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir.

Your inquiry rec<sup>d</sup>  
as to my son Clarence Binns  
age. He was born  
Feb 12<sup>th</sup> 1906.

Yours Resp

Mary J. Binns.

Pariffville, Tenn.

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March 9, 1908.

Group #90365.

Mary J. Bivins,  
Tariffville, Monroe Co., Tenn.

Madam:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the birth  
of your son, Clarence Bivins, giving day, month and year.  
If any of your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

AIL

No. 37513

Name Lucy A. Hawkins and no children. Action: Rejected

Reasons: Residence: Tazewell, Tenn.

Applicant is a cousin of 18218

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Luey Ann Hawkins*  
*& 3 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
AUG 1906  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

37513

**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: Lucy Anne Hawkins  
Indian name: " " " McKernsey

2. Residence and post office: Tripville

3. County: Warren

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 25 Born June 10 1881

6. Where were you born? Tripville Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Kellie Hawkins 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>Eazkie's Hawkins</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>May 10 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Fater</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Nov 12 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Rema</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>March 3 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Alford J Tallent

Indian name: " " McKernsey

Mother—English name: Mary C Tallent

Indian name: " " McKernsey

Maiden name: " " Saunders

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

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: the Mc Kennys were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Tallent	unrecd	
	Rosale	"	
(2)	Johnny	"	
(3)	Charley	"	
(4)	Wm	"	
(5)	Julia Ann	"	
(6)	Oliver	"	

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.
	Rosale Tallent
	" "
	Mary
	" " McKenny
	" " Saunders

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)	Alford J Tallent	
(2)	Caroline	"
(3)	Wm	"
(4)	Martha	"
(5)	Samuel	"
(6)	Robert	" & Annie's "
	Jasper	"
	Levie	"
	Levitha	"
	Anna	"
	John	"
	Ellen	"

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father's name Alfred  
J. Tallent & his mother Mary E. Tallent maiden  
name Saunders her mother Elizabeth

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Saunders maiden name Elizabeth Ellison  
brother was married twice to Saunders  
& Mr. Kenney

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lucy Ann Hawkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

Geo W. Ishill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James W. Gaugheter  
and J. A. Jenkens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lucy Ann Hawkins  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James W. Gaugheter  
J. A. Jenkens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W. Ishill  
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. 37514.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Henry A. Shook* and *5* children. Residence: *Free, Ga.*

Reasons:

*nephew of #3682 and claims through  
the same source.*

37514

No. 37514-5

Name .....

With No. 3682

Remarks:

Henry A. Shook  
Elisha F. Nicholson

No. 37511

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Henry A. Shook*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

37511

**Special 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 A Shook *head*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_ *see letter*

2. Residence and post office: True

3. County: Townso

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 45 Born 1862

6. Where were you born? in Townso Co Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Margaret A. Shook 42 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Malv Shook	21	1886
(2)	Mary Shook	18	1888
(3)	Fannie Shook	16	1891
(4)	Perry Shook	15	1892
(5)	Isaac Shook	13	1894
(6)	Thomas H. Shook	11	1896
	<i>not space for all my children</i>		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Alexander A. Shook

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Annice ~~Castell~~ Shook

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Annice Castell

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Townso Co Ga

Mother: in South Carolina



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Towns Co Ga

Mother: In Towns Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: never enrolled

as I remember

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
P.O. (1)	John G. Shook Macon N.C.	1860	
P.O. (2)	Marion Gantt Tusculum Ga	1864	
P.O. (3)	Angeline Burrell Macon N.C.	1866	
P.O. (4)	Nicholson Shook Tusculum Ga	1868	
P.O. (5)	Sallie Hooper Maconville Ga	1870	
P.O. (6)	Barnett Shook Tusculum Ga	1874	

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 Shook</u>	<u>Jane Shook</u>

18. Where were they born?

My Grand Father in Pennsylvania  
and Grand Mother in Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In Towns Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Barnett Gove Shook
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: never to my  
recollection

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 Alexander A. Shook  
and my mother Timura Shook. my Grand father was  
John Shook and my Grand mother was Jane Shook

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my great Grand father was Senae Nicholson  
and my great Grand mother was Rebecca Nicholson and  
Rebecca Nicholson was a granddaughter of Charles Lydon  
and her mother was Rebecca Danglewage who  
was a full blooded half Red Cherokee Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Henry A. Shook

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

John P. Dunning  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
May 18, 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 Thomas B. Potter  
and J. W. Dayton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Henry A. Shook  
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.

Thomas B. Potter  
J. W. Dayton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires  
May 18, 1909. John P. Dunning  
Notary Public.

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May Shoote was Burned 22 of march 1893  
Wade Shoote was Burned 27 of march 1896

Thomas, A. Shoote was Burned 17 Dec. 1897  
John L. Shoote was Burned 2 of April 1900

Frank B. Shoote was Burned 12 of Feb. 1903  
Dudley Shoote was Burned April 2 - 1907

My wife Emily  
A. L. Shoote

Wade Shoote  
Wade Shoote as he is ~~now~~ dead.  
1897-1907, this name is correct  
time etc

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 16 1907  
No. 28

3682

*Hand*

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

App. No. 37514

WASHINGTON, D. C. December 3, 1907 .

Henry A. Shook,  
Tree, Georgia.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly advise this Office as to the names and ages of your children, stating the day, month, and year of birth.

If they are all living, so state; if any are dead, state the day, month, and year of death.

Please give this matter prompt attention and refer to the number of your application in your reply.

Very respectfully,

*John Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

WDA



12-12-07

Dear Sir:-

Marion Shook was Banned Nov 9<sup>th</sup> 1884

Mary Shook was Banned Oct 18<sup>th</sup> 1888

Fannie Shook was Banned 31<sup>st</sup> of ~~March~~ <sup>Dec</sup> 1890

Percy Shook was Banned 22 of March 1893

Maak Shook was Banned 27 of March 1896

Thomas H. Shook was Banned 17<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1897

Edie Linn Shook was Banned 2 of April 1900

William H. Shook was Banned 12 of Feb 1903

Fair B. Shook was Banned April 2 - 1907

Dr. Shook was Banned April 2 - 1907

Mrs Linn

J. H. Shook

*[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten text]*

RECORDED  
COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
DEC 16 1907

3682

No. 37515

Action: *Reject*

Name *Elisha N. Nicholson* and *1* children.

Residence: *Lee* *Ga.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 3682 and claims through the same source.*

37515

*Cousin.*

No. 37515

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Elisha F. Nicholson.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern 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.

6-624



37515



**Special 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: Eliza F. Nicholson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: The

3. County: Torono

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 40 Born Dec 12. 1865

6. Where were you born? Torono County Ga.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elisa A. Nicholson age 32

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Francis S. Nicholson</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>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: Jonathan Nicholson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elisabeth A. Nicholson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Elisabeth A. Eller.

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Tennessee

Mother: in Torono County Ga.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Thomas Co Ga

Mother: in Thomas Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in Sept 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: no never

To my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Melinda G. Elber	149	
P.O.	Francis D. Nicholson		I don't remember
(2)	James M. Nicholson	1863,	
	P.O. Pine Ga		
(3)	Samantha M. Nichols		Dead
(4)	Harvey Nicholson		Dead
(5)	Blair Nicholson		Dead
(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 Nicholson</u>	<u>Rebecca Nicholson</u>

18. Where were they born? In Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Cannot give it

(2) Cannot give it

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never Leeds

To my knowledge

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

William Isaac Nicholson and my Grand Mother was  
Rebecca Nicholson and my great Grand Mother was  
a full blooded Quaker and my Grand Father was a  
Cherokee Indian full blooded Quaker

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Grand Mother Rebecca Nicholson  
was a Quaker and my great Grand  
mother Rebecca Ferguson was a full 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)

Elisha F. Nicholson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

John P. Barrong

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 18, 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

Thomas B. Patter

and

J. W. Dayton

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Elisha F. Nicholson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

21 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Thomas B. Patter

J. W. Dayton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

May 18, 1909.

John P. Barrong

Notary Public.

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No. 37516 Action: Reject  
Name Fredrick @ West and 2 children. Residence: Canton, N.C.  
RFD 1

Reasons:

Nephew of #37500. Son  
of #37518.

37516

No. 37576-8

Name .....

With No. 37500

Remarks:

Fredrickson C. 71004  
Mary A. 71001  
L. W. Little 71004



No. 37516

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

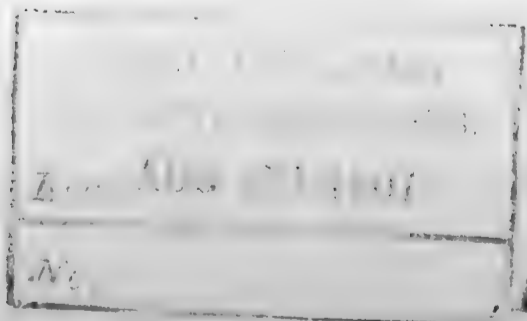
APPLICATION

OF

*Frederick C. West.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



37516

**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:

*Fredrick C. West*

Indian name:

*have no Indian name*

2. Residence and post office:

*Canton B F A # 1*

3. County:

*Haywood*

4. State:

*N.C.*

5. How old are you?

*29*

Born

*Sept 19<sup>th</sup> 1878*

6. Where were you born?

*Haywood Co*

*N.C.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Sela West*

*31 years*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*none*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Claudie</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>Haywood Co. N.C.</i>
(2)	<i>Carter</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>" " "</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Marion West*

Indian name:

*No Indian name*

Mother—English name:

*Harriette West*

Indian name:

*No Indian name*

Maiden name:

*Harriette Harbin*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Haywood Co N.C.*

Mother:

*Haywood Co N.C.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Haywood Co N.C.

Mother: Haywood Co N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died March the 23. 1901

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: never Enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>have no Brother 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.

John S West

Mahala West

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James W Harbin

Polly Harbin

18. Where were they born? Grand mothers in N.C. Grand fathers in S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Grand father Harbin's family

Francis father  
West's family

(1) William West dead Nancy Harbin

(2) John " " dead Sarah " " dead

(3) Benjamin " " " " " " " "

(4) Isaac " " dead Harriette " " " "

(5) Marion " " dead Louisa " " " "

(6) Bettie " " " " " " " "

Mahala " " " " " " " "

Louisa " " " " " " " "

impossible to give Residence of all of them

21. 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: Mother side, Harbin, Hall & Johnson  
Father side, West, Robinson & Clark

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Great Grand mother Johnson was a half Indian  
and belonged to the eastern Cherokee tribe  
It is Publicly known that I am a Decendant of the  
Eastern Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Fredrick C West

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 2<sup>nd</sup>

1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. A. Sanchez

and

Harriet Perry

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Fredrick C West

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. Sanchez  
Harriette Perry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

July 2<sup>nd</sup>

1907

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

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OFFICE OF CLAIMS  
TERRITORY OF CHEROKEES.  
JUL 13 1908

37516

Canton  
R.F. & #1 N.S.  
July 11<sup>th</sup> 1908

Mr. Guion Miller Special Commissioner  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir We are very anxious  
about our claim. We have been  
scratching the papers to find out  
something but have not been able  
to see any thing relative to them  
So I send stamp for reply  
to know about claims of  
Harriette West # 37518  
and Fredrick B. West # 37516

Please answer to either one of  
us and oblige F & West

Culherson. N.C.  
Cherokee Co. July 7<sup>th</sup> 09

Mr Guion. Miller.  
Washington. D.C.

Dear Sir,

I want to ask  
you in regard to my claim  
no 37516 and also that  
of my mother Harriette A. West.  
no 37518 we filled out our  
application blanks and had  
them sworn to at Canton P.O.  
Waywood Co. N.C. And we received  
your letter of June 10<sup>th</sup> stating that  
we have been rejected now I do not  
know what course to pursue as  
I told the truth in my application  
and the whole truth and I don't

purpose to tell a lye for the  
money that justly belongs to  
us. If there is anything that we  
can do that is Honorable if you  
will kindly advise I will do it, I am  
a minister of the Gospel and am  
giving my time to the work of helping  
my people to be Good honest Christian  
American Citizens and I need all  
the money I can get honestly to help me  
in my work, I know that we are  
intitled to our share of the funds  
and I hope that you will advise me  
what to do. I pray the Good Lord to  
Care and direct you in the way of Justice  
to us all. yours, Fredrick C. West.



P.S. If we need any blanks  
Please send them to us  
and we will be very grateful to  
you for the same. F.B.W.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 8 1909  
No. 37516

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No. 37517

Name *Mary A. Clark* and *1* children.

Action: *Reject*

Reasons:

Residence: *Canton, N.C.*  
*R.F.D. 1*

*Sister of #37500.*

37517

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No. 37517

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary A Clark*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



37517

**Special 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: Alamy A. Lewis

Indian name: no Indian name

2. Residence and post office: 1111 1/2 St. N. E. Wash. D. C.

3. County: Washington

4. State: D. C.

5. How old are you? 61 Born July 10, 1845

6. Where were you born? Hampton, Va.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Minna E. Lewis 65

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>Bascom</u>	<u>40</u>	
(2)	<u>Bessie</u>	<u>32</u>	
(3)	<u>Marian</u>	<u>21</u>	
(4)	<u>Frank</u>	<u>18</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Alamy A. Lewis

Indian name: no Indian name

Mother—English name: Minna E. Lewis

Indian name: no Indian name

Maiden name: Minna E. Lewis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hampton, Va.

Mother: Hampton, Va.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Barnstable Co MA

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May the 31 1850

Mother: Nov 24 1855

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Nancy</u>		
(2)	<u>.....</u>		
(3)	<u>.....</u>		
(4)	<u>.....</u>		
(5)	<u>.....</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>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>
<u>.....</u>	<u>Nancy</u>
<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</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: 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: English: Martin ...  
Indian: ...

**REMARKS.**

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I ... was ...  
and ...  
...

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Mary A. Clark)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

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J. S. ...  
Notary Public.

**AFFIDAVIT.**

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. D. Smathers  
and Harold Presley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary A. Clark  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
50 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. D. Smathers  
Harold Presley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

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...  
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. 37518

Action: *Reject*

Name *Harriett A. West* and  children.

Residence: *Canton, N.C.*

Reasons:

*R.F.D. 1*

*Sister of #37500.*

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No. 37518

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Harriette West*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Marriette A. Hunt

Indian name: never had an Indian name

2. Residence and post office: Benton R. F. D. No 1

3. County: Haywood

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 64 Born Dec 28 1842

6. Where were you born? Haywood Co N.C.

7. Are you married? yes But now a widow

8. Name and age ~~of wife~~ or husband: Marriette West 48 dead

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>Friedrich</u>	<u>29 years</u>	<u>Married to me</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. Harben

Indian name: no name

Mother—English name: Polly Harben

Indian name: no Indian name

Maiden name: Polly Hull

12. Where were they born?

Father: S.C.

Mother: N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Blount Co N.C.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died May 21 1881

Mother: Jan 24 1875

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never Enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mandy Scott</u>		
(2)	<u>Sally Scott</u>		
(3)	<u>Mary Clark</u>		
(4)	<u>Virius Harbin</u>	<u>none</u>	
(5)	<u>Louisa Scott</u>	<u>Oct 18 1830</u>	
(6)			

*Record of house*

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>Duke Harbin</u>		<u>Enoch Hall</u>	
<u>Sary Harbin</u>		<u>Nancy Hall</u>	

18. Where were they born? no record

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) In possible 5 fine names have no record
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never 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: Father Harbin Grand father Harbin  
mother Side, Grand father Hall Mother Lewis  
" Mother maiden name Johnson.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Grand mother Johnson Has one half Indian  
and belonged to the Eastern Cherokee  
It is Publicly known that I am a descendant of the  
Eastern Cherokee Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Harriette of West)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Febary, 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 [Signature]

and Harriette Presley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Harriette Johnson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 50 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

[Signature]  
Harriette Presley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>d</sup> day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Febary, 1908.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

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No. 37519

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mrs. Spadling* and *no* children. Residence: *Taniffville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Spadling is a cousin once removed of 1821*

*11*

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No. 37519-24

Name

With No. 18218

Remarks:

Am Spading  
Russell D. D.  
Lynne  
Gene Ward  
Mary Mason  
Lynley Spadling

No. 37519

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

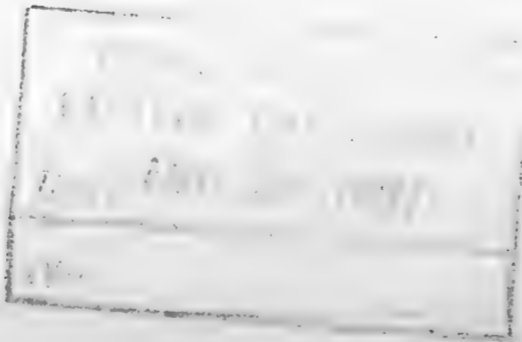
APPLICATION

OF

*Wm Spradling*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37519

**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: Mrs. Spadling  
 Indian name: McKinney
2. Residence and post office: Jarriffville
3. County: Warren
4. State: Tenn.
5. How old are you? 24 Born May 17, 1882
6. Where were you born? Tenn.
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband: —
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? 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)	_____	_____	_____

*No children*

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Jahn Spadling  
 Indian name: " "  
 Mother—English name: Martha  
 Indian name: " Saunders  
 Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: Tenn.  
 Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tom

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1899

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:

The Mc Kinney  
& Sanders were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Russell Spading Tetamer "		
(2)	Mary " Emily "	<i>Edward</i>	
(3)	Walter "		
(4)	Prayer "		
(5)	John "		
(6)			
(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.

Russell Tallent  
"  
"  
Mrs C. "  
"  
Mc Kinney  
Tom

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) Callie Tallent
- (2) Martha "
- (3) Edaline "
- (4) Jasper "
- (5) Tetamer "
- (6) Jack "
- Leatha "
- Anna "
- John "
- Samuel "
- Mina "
- Minnie "



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: F. J. J.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother name Martha Spradling Maiden name Martha Tallent + her mother Mary C. Tallent Maiden name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Mary C. Saunders her mother Elizabeth Saunders Maiden name Elizabeth Ellison

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) W. Spradling

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

Geo. W. Sobill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. M. Tallent and M. A. Tallent, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Wm. Spradling who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. W. Sobill W. M. Tallent  
J. T. Vaughn Catharine M. Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908 Geo. W. Sobill  
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. 37520

Action: *Accepted*

Name *Reuel O Spradling* and *no* children. Residence: *Tanngulle, Tenn*

Reasons: *Spliceantist a cousin one removed of 182*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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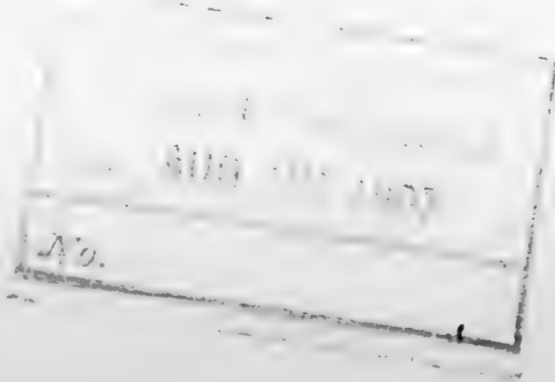
APPLICATION

OF

*Russell D Spradling*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Russell S. Shradling

Indian name: M. E. Jimmy

2. Residence and post office: Tariffville

3. County: Marshall

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 26 Born July 1, 1880

6. Where were you born? Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jessie Shradling 30

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)	<u>Jack Chitchee</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jas. Shradling

Indian name: "

Mother—English name: Martha

Indian name: " Sameters

Maiden name: "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tom

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1899

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:

The Mc Kimmys & Saunders were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Tetamer	Gradling	
(2)	Mary	"	
(3)	Franky	"	
(4)	Heller	"	
(5)	Dryor	"	
(6)	Jahney	"	

*Handwritten signature/initials*

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.

Russel Tallent  
"  
"  
Mary C. Mc Kimmy  
"  
"

18. Where were they born?

Tom

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

"

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Callie Tallent
- (2) Mary "
- (3) Adaline "
- (4) Jessie "
- (5) Tetamer "
- (6) Jack "
- Leatha " Michigan
- Anna "
- Lynn "
- Agnes "
- Samuel "
- Wm "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: T-Trail

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Martha  
Trading mother name Martha Tallent  
her mother Mary C. Tallent maiden name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Mary C. Sanders her mother Elizabeth  
Sanders maiden name Elizabeth  
Ellison

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Russel G. Shading

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

W. H. Tallent

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. Tallent  
and W. H. Tallent, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Russel G. Shading who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Tallent  
W. H. Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

Notary Public.

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No. 752

Action: *Fixed*

Name *Wm. Spradling* and no children. Residence: *Tamworth, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Applicant is a "causid" once removed of S.S.*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Texamer Spradling*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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No.

37521



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: Texanne Spradling

Indian name: 11 Me Kinney

2. Residence and post office: Tarapville

3. County: Marion

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 30 29 Born Feb 24 - 1877

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Spradling

Indian name: 11 11

Mother—English name: Martha

Indian name: 11 Samuels

Maiden name: 11 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: 11

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: +

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1899

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:

the McKennys

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Spradling		
(2)	Russel	11	not record
(3)	Wm	11	
(4)	Hirley	11	
(5)	Heller	11	
	Gair	11	
(6)	Dyer	11	
	Johnny	11	dead

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	Russel Talbert
	11 11
	Mary G 11
	11 11 McKennys

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)	Calie	Talbert
(2)	Marta	11
(3)	Adaline	11
(4)	Jasper	11
(5)	James	11
(6)	Jack	11
	Lepta	11 & Murre
	Anna	11
	John	11
	Willie	11
	Samuel	11
	Wm	11

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name is Martha

Spadling maiden name Martha Tallent  
& her brother Mary C Tallent maiden name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Mary C Saunders a daughter of John  
Saunders & her mother Elizabeth Saunders  
maiden name Elizabeth Ellison

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Texasar Spadling

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Katie Williams

and

S M Tallent

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Texasar Spadling

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.

Katie Williams

S M Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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No. 97522

Name: Joni Ward and no children. Residence: Tex. Tenn

Action: Rejected

Reasons:

Applicant is a "causee" removed of 52

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No. 37522

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lora Ward &*  
*1 child*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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No. 37522

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Isora Ward &  
1 child*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**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: Lovie Wood  
Indian name: " M & Timmy
2. Residence and post office: Ret
3. County: Marion
4. State: Tenn
5. How old are you? 21 Born Jan. 9, 1886
6. Where were you born? Tenn
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mrs Wood
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 Wood</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>April 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: Jahn Spradling  
Indian name: " "  
Mother—English name: Martha  
Indian name: " Sanders  
Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn  
Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: ''

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1899

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:

The M.C. Kimmey & Sanders were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Tetanus Shradling		
(2)	Russel	''	
(3)	Mary Finley	''	
(4)	Heller	''	
(5)	Pryor	''	
(6)	James	''	

No record

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.

_____	Russel Tallent
_____	'' ''
_____	Mary C. ''
_____	'' M.C. Kimmey

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) Callie Tallent
- (2) Mary ''
- (3) Adeline ''
- (4) Jasper ''
- (5) Tetanus ''
- (6) Jack ''
- John ''
- Ann ''
- John ''
- John ''
- Samuel ''
- John ''
- Minnie ''



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Martha  
Spadling Maiden name Martha Tallent  
祖母 Mary C Tallent maiden name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Mary C. Saunders her mother Elizabeth  
Sanders Maiden name Elizabeth Ellison

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lorrie Ward

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W Still  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S.M. Tallent  
and M.G. Tallent who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Jane Word  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and  
18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S.M. Tallent  
M.G. Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908. Geo W Still  
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. 37523

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mary Mason* and *no* children. Residence: *Fairfield, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Applicant is a 1 cousin once removed of 128.*

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No. 37523

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Mary Mazur & children

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Mosan

Indian name: M.C. Rimey

2. Residence and post office: Toriffville

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 28 Born July 3, 1878

6. Where were you born? Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert Mosan 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>Lena Mosan</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>May 30, 1902</u>
(2)	<u>Rena " "</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Sept. 27, 1904</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Spradling

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Mortha

Indian name: " Saunders

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1899

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: The M<sup>c</sup> Kinney +

Saunders were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Russel Gooding		
(2)	Mom "		
	Tetamer "		
(3)	Finley "		
(4)	Stella "		
(5)	Terie "		
	Ryan "		
(6)	Johnny " dead		

~~No record~~

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.
	Russel Tattenb
	" "
	Mary C. "
	" M <sup>c</sup> Kinney

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)	Callie Tallent	
(2)	Martha "	
(3)	Adaline "	
(4)	Jasper "	
(5)	Tetamer "	
(6)	Jack "	
	Leptha "	& Minnie
	Amey "	
	Jahn "	
	Lally "	
	Samuel "	
	Mom "	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835. Mother's name Martha  
Spadling Maider, name Martha Tallent  
This mother Mary C. Tallent Maider's name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Mary C. Saunders & her mother Elizabeth  
Saunders Maider, name Elizabeth Ellison

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary Mason

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W Sobell

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 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 Mr Tallent  
and Arch Dun, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary Mason  
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 she claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Washburn  
G. W. Sobell

Mr. Tallent  
Arch Dun

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan, 1907

Geo W Sobell

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 37524

Name Turley Spadting and no children. Residence: Warfield, Tenn.

Action: Rejected

Reasons:

Applicant is a 1<sup>st</sup> cousin once removed of 182/8,

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No. 37524

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Finley Spradling*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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No.

37524



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tom

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1899

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: The McKinneys

& Sanders were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Tetanna Spadaling</u>		
	<u>Russell</u>	<u>"</u>	
(2)	<u>Mr</u>	<u>"</u>	
(3)	<u>Delly</u>	<u>"</u>	
(4)	<u>Johnny</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

No record

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

FATHER'S SIDE: \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S SIDE: Russell Tallent

Mary C. "

Mary C. "

McKinney

Tom

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) Callie Tallent
- (2) Martha "
- (3) Pauline "
- (4) Jasper "
- (5) Peter "
- (6) Jack "
- Leatha " Amimie
- Emma "
- John "
- Sally "
- Samuel "
- Wm

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Matthe  
Spradling Maiden's name Matthe  
Tallen's name Matthe Mary C. Tallen's Maiden,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
name Mary C. Saunders her mother Elizabeth  
Saunders Maiden's name Elizabeth  
Ellison

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Fremley Spradling

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mr Tallen  
and W. A. Tallen who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Fremley Spradling  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and  
19 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. Tallen

W. A. Tallen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 37525

Action: *Reject*

Name *George W. Johnson* and *X* children. Residence: *St. Louis, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 30398.*

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No. 37525

Name Rev. M. Johnson

With No. 30398

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37525

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: George M. Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: 2724 Walnut St. St Louis Mo.

3. County: St. Louis

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 21 years Born Oct. 28, 1885

6. Where were you born? Brentwood 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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Robert C. Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Anna C. Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Anna C. Wright

12. Where were they born?

Father: Brentwood Tennessee

Mother: Brentwood Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living

Mother: Not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 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>Ella R. Johnson</u> <u>Brentwood Tenn</u>	<u>Nov. 9, 1882</u>	
(2)	<u>Robert C. Johnson</u> <u>2729 Walnut St. St. Louis Mo.</u>	<u>July 27, 1887</u>	
(3)	<u>Marley R. Johnson</u> <u>Brentwood Tenn</u>	<u>Feb 20, 1887</u>	
(4)	<u>Bessie A. Johnson</u> <u>Brentwood Tenn</u>	<u>Nov. 20, 1889</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>Mary E. Johnson</u>	
<u>Fannie Edmondson</u>	
<u>Mattie R. Cook</u>	
<u>John T. Tabb</u>	

18. Where were they born? Mecklenburg County Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Paris Tennessee

Mary Johnson Brentwood Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Mary E. Johnson</u>	<u>Paris</u>
(2)	<u>David Edmondson</u>	<u>Paris</u>
(3)	<u>John Edmondson</u>	<u>Paris</u>
(4)	<u>Thomas H. Johnson</u>	<u>Paris</u>
(5)	<u>Robert E. Johnson</u>	<u>Paris</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: Mary J. Johnson, Tanna Edmondson, Matilda Teresa Lake Tiller

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

In Sept. 1906 an affidavit was made out and sworn to by Mary J. Johnson, a descendant of Indian Cherokee possession by my grandmother, and two witnesses the same was brought before the Special Commission now in session by me under Thomas W. Johnson.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) George M. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

Geo. L. Vaughn  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 7<sup>th</sup>, 1911

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me R. E. Hunt

and J. W. Phillips, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with George M. Johnson

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.

R. E. Hunt.  
J. W. Phillips

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 7<sup>th</sup>, 1911

Geo. L. Vaughn.  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

*George M. Johnson  
St. Louis, Mo.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 37525, 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. 37526

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Richard Rickman* and *v.* children. Residence: *South Bend, Ind.*

Reasons: *Nephew of 33470.*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Richard Rickman*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. M. Wautonsy*  
*Att.*

*Burton & Gray*  
*Att.*

37526

**Special 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: Richard H. Ricketman

Indian name: nu Kman

2. Residence and post office: 729 Lakes at South Bend Ind

3. County: Sant Joseph Co

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 31 years Born 1876

6. Where were you born? Michigan

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? 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:

John B. Ricketman Mahalia Pambco

Father—English name: John B. Ricketman 35279

Indian name: nu Kman

Mother—English name: Mahalia Ricketman

Indian name: nu Kman

Maiden name: Mahalia Pambco

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ind

Mother: Ind



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Was not living at that

Mother: time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still lives

Mother: Died 10 years

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Edward Rickman		
(2)	Jessie Rickman Hambr		
(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.
Wm Rickman	Luelling Hambr

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ind

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) John B. Rickman

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) William H. Rickman

(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 Rickman

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grandfather being a full Blood Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Richard. A. Rickman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of aug 1907.

Will N. Bergan  
Notary Public.

My commission expires April 12, 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 James C. Thomas  
and Jennie Thomas, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Richard A. Rickman who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 22 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.

James C. Thomas  
Jennie Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires April 12, 1910, 190

Will N. Bergan  
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. 37527

Name *Los Nickels*

Action: *Reject*

and *—* children.

Residence: *Sublett, Ky.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #16346 and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

37527

No. 37527-28,

Name .....

With No. 16346

Remarks:

J. H. Wilson  
Wilson



16346

*Con...*

No. 37527

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Loe Nickles*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

37527



**Special 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: Las Nickels  
 Indian name: Cherokee
2. Residence and post office: Sublett
3. County: Magoffin
4. State: Kentucky
5. How old are you? 25 Born Feb 13 1882
6. Where were you born? Magoffin Co Ky
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Shant 33 Rachel Nickles
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>Not any</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Trumble Nickels  
 Father—English name: Trumble Nickels  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Mother—English name: Lincy Nickels  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Maiden name: Lincy Call

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: Magoffin Co Ky  
 Mother: Magoffin Co Ky

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wesnut Bone

Mother: Wesnut Bone

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died about 19<sup>th</sup> day may 1894

Mother: died about Feb. 15 1893

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lucas Nickles</u> <u>Sublett 14</u>	<del>1887</del> 1886	<del>---</del> <u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Wilber Nickles</u> <u>Sublett 14</u>	1888	<del>---</del> <u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>Gipsy Nickles</u> <u>Sublett 14</u>	1892	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>---</u>		
(5)	<u>---</u>		
(6)	<u>---</u>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>John Nickles</u>	<del>John Nickles</del>
<del>Cherokee</del>	<del>Cherokee</del>
<u>John Nickles</u>	<u>Rocky Nickles</u>
	<u>Cherokee</u>

18. Where were they born? Just know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wayne Co 14

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: Nisn

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Lunt Kraw

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)

Lus by Nickles

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Jasper Owens

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 9<sup>th</sup>

1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

James B. Owens

and

George M. Salje

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Lus Nickles

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and

years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James B. Owens

Lus Nickles

George M. Salje

James B. Owens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21

day of

Aug

1907.

My commission expires

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1908.

Jasper Owens

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. 37528

Action: *Repet*

Name *Wilber Nickels* and ..... children. Residence: *Sub. tt. Va.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #16346, and claims through  
the same ancestor.*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Walter Nickles*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

37528

**Special 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: Wilber Nickles

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Sublett

3. County: Magoffin

4. State: Ky

5. How old are you? 19 Born Jan 6 1888

6. Where were you born? Magoffin Co

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: Trinble Nickles

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Licy Nickles

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Licy Call

12. Where were they born?

Father: Magoffin Co 14

Mother: Magoffin Co 14

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died about the 19 of may 1894

Mother: " " " 15 of Feb 1893

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>Lawrence Nickles</u> <u>Sublett 17</u>	<u>1886</u>	
(2)	<u>Luc Nickles</u> <u>Sublett 14</u>	<u>1882</u>	
(3)	<u>George Nickles</u> <u><del>Sublett 14</del></u>	<u>1892</u>	
(4)	<u>Sublett 14</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  
John Nickles  
John Nickles

MOTHER'S SIDE  
George Nickles  
Cherokee

18. Where were they born? Kent Know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ky Wayne Co

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)

Wilber Nickles

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of July 1907.

Jasper Owens  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 8, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James B Owens  
and Green Salyer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Wilber Nickles  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and  
years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark

James B. Owens James B. Owens  
Green Salyer Green Salyer

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb. 8th, 1908. Jasper Owens  
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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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

*Wilbur Nickels  
Sublett, Ky.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *37528*, 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. 1

Action: 10-10-62

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

37529



No. 37529-31.

Name .....

With No. 37117.

Remarks:

Chas. C. ...

Wm. A. Johnson.

*Great Seal of 37117.*

*37529*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*John Harvey Kirby*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

*37529*

**Special 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 Harvey Kirby

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Whittier

3. County: Los Angeles

4. State: California

5. How old are you? 22 yrs Born March 31, 1885

6. Where were you born? Merma, Nebraska

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 William Kirby

Indian name: Don't know

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Kirby

Indian name: Don't know

Maiden name: Mary Ann Johnstone

12. Where were they born?

Father: Lewistown Illinois

Mother: Lacoma Iowa

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)	Cora Bell (Kirby) McElroy El Modena Calif	25 yrs Aug 6 1882	
(2)	Charley Curtis Kirby Whittier Calif	18 yrs Oct 10, 1888	
(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.

1 William Cloud Kirby 3 John Johnstone

2 Lucy A Kirby

4 Hulda Elizabeth Johnstone

18. Where were they born? 1. Virginia 2. Kentucky 3. Scotland. Indiana

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Kirbys at Mason Co. Mo.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Kirby	(1) Emmarillene Kirby dead	[Johnstone]	Mary Ann Johnstone Kirby Whittier Cal
	(2) Eliza Kirby "		Roderick Henry Johnstone Orange "
	(3) William B. Kirby "		Elma Jane (Johnstone) Keulin Pasadena "
	(4) Amanda Kirby "		Margaret Helen Johnstone dead
	(5) Ellen C. Kirby Masonville		William Donald Johnstone Orange
	(6) George W. Kirby dead		Mahinda Jewett Johnstone Smith dead
	7. James William Kirby	7.	Lillie May Douglas Elwood
	8 Edward C. Kirby dead	8.	Clara Elizabeth King "
	9 Emma C. Kirby "		



21. 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 Mary Ann Johnstone

daughter of Hulda Elizabeth Way (Johnstone) daughter of  
Henry C. Way son of Katherine Henry Way <sup>deceased</sup> and Paul Way son  
of John Way son of REMARKS: (Pendakie, ...)

(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 Harvey Kirby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

Nina H. Taber  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 20th, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. V. Marshburn  
and Richard W. Pearson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with John Harvey Kirby  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and  
7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that 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. V. Marshburn  
Richard W. Pearson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Sept 20th, 1910. Nina H. Taber  
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. 1-9

Action: 72

Name: [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons: [unclear]

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*Heat Application - 37117*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Charley Curtis Kirby*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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  
SEP 23 1907

37530



**Special 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 Curtis Kirby  
Indian name: Do not know.

2. Residence and post office: Whittier

3. County: Los Angeles

4. State: California

5. How old are you? 18 yrs. Born Oct 10, 1888

6. Where were you born? Lacona, Iowa.

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: James William Kirby  
Indian name: Do not know.

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Kirby  
Indian name: Do not know.

Maiden name: Mary Ann James

12. Where were they born?

Father: Lebanon, Georgia

Mother: Lacona Iowa



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)	Cora Bess Kirby El Modena Calif	25, Aug 6, 1882	
(2)	John Harvey Kirby Whittier Calif	22 yrs. Mar 31, 1885	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

1. William Cloud Kirby 3. John Johnstone  
2. Lucy A. Kirby 4. Hulda Elizabeth Johnstone

18. Where were they born? 1. Virginia 2. Kentucky 3. Scotland 4. Ind.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Johnstone  
Kirbys at Mason Co. Ill.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- [Johnstone's]  
Kirbys (1) Emmarillous Kirby Dead Mary Ann Johnstone (Kirby) white  
(2) Eliza Kirby Dead Roderick Henry Johnstone, Orange Co  
(3) William B. Kirby " Edna Jane Johnstone Meritt Pasadena  
(4) Amanda Kirby " Margaret Helen Johnstone Dead  
(5) Ellen C. (Kirby) Maranville Andrew O'Leary William Donald Johnstone Orange  
(6) George W. Kirby Dead Malinda Jennette Smith Dead  
7. James William Kirby Whittier Calif 7. Lillie May Douglass, El Modena  
8. Edward C. Kirby Dead 8. Clara Elizabeth King El Modena  
9. Emma C. Kirby "

21. 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 - Mary Ann Johnstone

daughter of Hulda Elizabeth Johnstone, daughter of Henry O. Kirby Way son of Nathan Way son of Henry Way son of Paul Way son of John Way son of REMARKS. Perlake

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Charley Curtis Kirby

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by my son Charley Curtis Kirby are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Mary Ann Johnstone, Kirby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of September, 1908.

Ralph F. Graham

September 15 1908

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. V. Marchburn

and Richard W. Pearson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Charley Curtis Kirby

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and

7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that 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. V. Marchburn

Richard W. Pearson

Ralph F. Graham

September 15 1908

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App. No. 37530.

September 11, 1907.

Charley Curtis Kirby,  
Whittier, California.

Sir:

There is enclosed herewith your Eastern Cherokee Application No. 37530, which you are requested to swear to before a Notary Public or other proper official.

Or, better still, have the application sworn to, if possible, by your father or mother.

Please return the application to this Office without delay.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.



No. 3 - 57 -

Name

Action:

Reasons:

and /

children.

Residence:

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*Price of 37117*

37531

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Ann Johnstone Kirley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37531

**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:

*Mary Ann (Johnstone) Kirby*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Whittier*

3. County:

*Los Angeles*

4. State:

*California*

5. How old are you?

*45-*

Born

*Jan 19, 1862*

6. Where were you born?

*Lacona Iowa*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*James William Kirby*

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)	<i>Cora Belle (Kirby) McClung</i>	<i>25-</i>	<i>Aug 6, 1882.</i>
(2)	<i>John Harvey Kirby</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>March 31, 1885-</i>
(3)	<i>Charly Curtis Kirby</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>Oct-10 1888</i>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*John Johnstone*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Hulda Elizabeth Johnstone*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Hulda Elizabeth Way*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Ross-shire, Scotland*

Mother:

*Randolph County Indiana*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Rosshire Scalland

Mother: Thorn town Boone Co Indiana

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>Roderick Henry Johnstone</u>              | <u>Aug 1, 1863</u>    |                       |
| <u>Orange, Orange Co, Calif</u>                  |                       |                       |
| (2) <u>Elma Jane Hewlin</u>                      | <u>Feb 13, 1865</u>   |                       |
| <u>344 Maringo ave. Pasadena Calif.</u>          |                       |                       |
| (3) <u>Margret - <del>Hobbes</del> Johnstone</u> | <u>Jan 14, 1868</u>   | <u>March 5, 1869</u>  |
| <u>Malinda Jennette Smith -</u>                  |                       |                       |
| (4) <u>William Donald Johnstone</u>              | <u>March 21, 1870</u> | <u>March 16, 1898</u> |
| <u>Orange, Orange Co Calif</u>                   |                       |                       |
| (5) <u>Lillie May Douglas</u>                    | <u>July 5, 1872</u>   |                       |
| <u>El Modena Calif</u>                           |                       |                       |
| (6) <u>Clara Elizabeth King</u>                  | <u>Nov 30, 1876</u>   |                       |
| <u>El Modena Orange Co Calif.</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>Roderick Johnstone</u>       | <u>Henry Ogden Way</u>                 |
| <u>Barron Rosshire Scalland</u> | <u>(Nancy) Ann Millis</u>              |
| <u>Ann Mac Intosh Johnstone</u> | <u>Barron Wayne Co Indiana</u>         |
| <u>Barron Rosshire Scalland</u> | <u>(Nancy) Ann Millis Way (Frager)</u> |
|                                 | <u>in Guilford Co North Carolina</u>   |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand Father & Grand Mother Johnstone  
Rosshire Scalland & Grand Father & Grand Mother Way Thorn town Indiana

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- Hellen McLennan Hulda Elizabeth Johnstone
- John Johnstone El Modena El Modena Orange Co California
- Mary Johnstone McKay Mary Matilda Brown 1015 4th St. C.
- Ann Johnstone Bassett Trayphen Elma Lee R. 3rd St. Los Angeles
- Donald Johnstone Curie Elma Way 1030 6th St. Long Beach
- Marjorie, Neb. Jane Ellen Sharpless Long Beach  
Alson Edward Way 17 Central Ave Minneapolis Minn.  
Lucina Malinda Magister Los Angeles  
Lolan Edwin Way 1138 West 1st St. Los Angeles Cal.



21. 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 <sup>Grand</sup> <sup>Parents</sup> their parents and grandparents back to 1835: <sup>Parents</sup> John Johnston & Hulda Elizabeth Johnston

<sup>Grand</sup> <sup>Parents</sup> Henry Osburn Way & Nancy Ann Willis Way  
<sup>Great-Grandparents</sup> Henry Way & wife Charlotte; Paul Way & Mary Macy his wife; John Way  
and his wife name; William Way & wife Penelope Verrin

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have been told all my life I was decendant of an Indian squaw, and I have no reason to doubt it, as I look enough like it;

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary Ann Johnston Kirby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 1907.

Nina H. Taber  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 20, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. V. Marshburn

and Richard W. Pearson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Ann (Johnston) Kirby who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and 7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. V. Marshburn  
Richard W. Pearson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 20th, 1910.

Nina H. Taber  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF THE  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 31 1907  
No. 37531

*vide let.*

NOV 1 1907

Alfred Calif  
Oct-29-1907

Guion Miller

Special Commission  
of Claims

Washington

I have the honor to acknowledge  
the receipt of your application  
to establish a claim  
for the land in question  
and to advise you that  
it will be considered  
by the Commission  
at its next session.

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37531

Board of Trustees  
Claims of the (Roderick  
Henry Johnston)  
Cohen do not think  
claims will be settled  
it will cost a large  
sum of money soon  
and a bill  
Mary Ann Johnston  
Hilby  
Cynthia Hill

No. 37532

Action: Rejected

Name Mary Hill and 5 children. Residence: Dunnigan, Cal.

Reasons: Sister of #682, and claims thro' same source.

37532



No. 2753 Q<sup>11</sup>  
Name Mary Hill  
With No. 622

Remarks:

12412  
Kurtz

37532

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF  
*Thos J. R. Hill or*  
*Mary Hill*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37532

**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: Mrs T. R. Hill

Indian name: Mary Ridley

2. Residence and post office: Dunnington

3. County: Atala

4. State: California

5. How old are you? 47 Born Arkansas Nov 19, 1860

6. Where were you born? Arkansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mr T. R. Hill 47

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Frank	22 years	January 8, 1884
(2)	Bob	23 years	July 10, 1882
(3)	Lawrence	21 years	March 15, 1884
(4)	Carl	17 years	April 12, 1889
(5)	Maud	14 years	Feb 6, 1892
(6)	Mabel	12 years	1 May, 1894
	Harry Hill	7 months	April 1, 1900

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Taylor Binkley

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Sannie Bopie Binkley

Indian name:

Maiden name: Sannie Bopie

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mississippi

Mother: Tennessee

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: May 28 1901

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: Not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Alice Smith Decker Calif	Jan 25 1864	
	Berkeley		
(2)	James Ridley	Feb 3 1865	
	Los Angeles, Calif		
(3)	Maria Davidson	Mar 21 1856	
	Vallejo, Calif		
(4)	Walter Kennell	July 12 1847	
	Sacramento, Calif		
(5)	John Holister	Sept 12 1847	
	Berkeley		
(6)	John Ridley and three more boys	May 8 1872	
	all brothers		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Eliza Shoemate  
James Ridley

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Pope  
Jane Shoemate

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Arkansas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Taylor Ridley	died May 26 1901
(2)	Eliza Mills	
(3)	Wm Ridley	Rockland, Calif
(4)	Mary Ridley	dead
(5)	Mrs Fannie Hattie	Farming, Calif
(6)	Mrs Lysaette Ridley	San Jose, Calif



21. 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: Some of my ancestors were Spindines on my Grate Grandmothers side and Sweets that was the Indian name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have filled out to blank I had one some time did not get it in was sick so will end now hoping it will be alright Mrs J. R. Hill

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mrs J. R. Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

DuRay Smith  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

5<sup>th</sup> Feby 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 Marion Griffin  
and L. L. M. Salisbury, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs J. R. Hill

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 years and 25<sup>th</sup> 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.

Marion Griffin  
L. L. M. Salisbury

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires

5<sup>th</sup> Feby 1911

DuRay Smith  
Notary Public.

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*Received*

No. ....

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF  
*Tom D. R. Hill*

*Mary 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



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—  
English name: Mrs J. R. Hill  
Indian name: Mary Ridley
2. Residence: Dunningan
3. Town and post office: Dunningan
4. County: Nolo
5. State: California
6. Date and place of birth: Arkansas Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> 1860
7. 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 by right of Mother and Father Betina as they were Cousins, second Cousins and my Grand parents both on Father side and Mother were alive then
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mr J. R. Hill age 47
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Taylor Ridley  
Indian name:  
Mother—English name: Vinnia Pope  
Indian name:  
Maiden name: Vinnia Pope
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Alabama  
Mother: Tennessee
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Arkansas  
Mother: Arkansas
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: May 26 1901 Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: not that I know of

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Alice Ridley, Decker	Jan 25, 1844	
(2) James Ridley	Feb 3, 1845	
(3) Georgia Davidson	Mar 14, 1846	
(4) Clara Kendall	July 12, 1867	
(5) Orphanado	Sept 12, 1869	

<sup>10</sup> E. Ridley 24 (6) Cora Hollister, Ma 8-1872  
John Ridley, ages 30 Emer 28, Birt ridley 24.

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Luisa Shoemate	John Pope
James Ridley	Jane Shoemate

17. Where were they born?

Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Arkansas

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Taylor Ridley Died May 26 1901
Indian name:	Unknown
Residence:	Quinnigan
(2) English name:	Eliza "Mill" .. Nov. 1891
Indian name:	
Residence:	Black's Station Calif
(3) English name:	Bill Ridley
Indian name:	
Residence:	Rockland Calif
(4) English name:	Mrs Fannia "Hiatt
Indian name:	
Residence:	Quinnigan Calif
(5) English name:	Yafayette Ridley
Indian name:	
Residence:	San Jose Calif

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I have not



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*Some of my  
ancesters names were Sweet and  
Opindines I think that was the Indian  
name they settled in San Joaquin Co Calif  
in 1861 and 1862*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*We know that we are Cherokee  
have bin called that all the time  
John Sweet settled in San Joaquin Co  
heard his family on the road was married  
the Cherokee name Mrs Sweet was my Grand Mother  
sister in law is known to that name is day*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Mrs T. R. Hill*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*, 190*7*

My commission expires  
*5<sup>th</sup> Feb'y 1911*

*Du Ray Smith*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Marion Griffin* and  
*L. L. M. Salisbury*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs. T. R. Hill*, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *22* 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 witness

*Marion Griffin*  
*L. L. M. Salisbury*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*, 190*7*

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*5<sup>th</sup> Feb'y 1911*

*Du Ray Smith*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. APR 9 1908  
No. 37532

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APR 10 1908

Calicut 1985 Shaloch  
New Union Miller

Dear Sir

My application is  
Filed No 371572

Can you give me  
the information in  
regard to this as we will  
get our claim, and if  
it will be much

Thank you

Mr. R. Hill

Calicut  
1985 Shaloch  
New Union Cal

It is not a question,  
but I am a curious to know  
it it will be soon

No. 37533

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Willie Stewart* and *X* children.

Residence: *South Bend, Ind.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of 33471.*

*729 Maple St.*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sattie Steward*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*M. W. McHenry*



37533

**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: Laittie Stewart

Indian name: un known

2. Residence and post office: CR 729 Oklawaha St. S. Bend

3. County: Sant Judith Co. Ind

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 54 Born 1848 Jan 21 1853

6. Where were you born? Ohio

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 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)	_____	_____	_____

Have  
None

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Richard W. Stewart Nancy Dungray

Father—English name: Richard W. Stewart

Indian name: un known

Mother—English name: Nancy Ward

Indian name: un known

Maiden name: Nancy Dungray

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ohio Virginia

Mother: Ohio Virginia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 20 years

Mother: Died 40 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)	<u>Mary Cathery</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>Mary Steward</u>	<u>Narcise Dunsiguy</u>

18. Where were they born? Massachusetts

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>George Dunsiguy</u>
(2)	
(3)	<u>Sarah Rickman</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: 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: Nancie

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grandmother  
was a full blood  
Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lottie Stewart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of August, 1907.

Will M. Bergen  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 12, 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 Jennie Thomas  
and James L. Thomas, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lottie Stewart  
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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jennie Thomas  
James L. Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

April 12, 1910, 190

Will M. Bergen  
Notary Public.

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No. 37534

Action: *Reject*

Name *Nancy J. Gibson* and *7* children.

Residence: *Salyersville, Ky.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #16346, and claims through the same ancestors.*

37534

No. 37534-35

Name \_\_\_\_\_

With No. 16346

Remarks:

None - 1/2 Nelson  
Judge & Phelps

*Second Copy*

No. 37534

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy J. 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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*37534*



**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: Nancy J. Gibson  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Dalrymple
3. County: Magoffin
4. State: Kentucky
5. How old are you? 36 Born Feb'y 19<sup>th</sup> 1871
6. Where were you born? in Floyd Co., Ky.
7. Are you married? No.
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Harlan Gibson ~~and~~
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 Gibson</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>19 June 1890</u>
(2)	<u>Toney Gibson</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 1887</u>
(3)	<u>Sidney Gibson</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Mich 16<sup>th</sup> 1891</u>
(4)	<u>Pearlie Gibson</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>June 19<sup>th</sup> 1895</u>
(5)	<u>Mary Gibson</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>July 29 1899</u>
(6)	<u>Julia Gibson</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>July 28<sup>th</sup> 1902</u>
	<u>Allen Gibson</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Oct 19<sup>th</sup> 1905</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Squire Gibson Paulina Cole  
 Father—English name: Squire Gibson  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Mother—English name: Paulina Cole  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Maiden name: Paulina Cole

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: in Wolfe Co., Ky.  
 Mother: in Floyd Co., Ky.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Don't know think in Floyd Co, Ky.

Mother: " " " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: in 1899

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)	Sibby Gibson	the 16 <sup>th</sup> July 1877	
	Emily Workman	28 years old	
(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.
Bryson Gibson	Triny Cole
Fannie Gibson	Mariah Cole

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Floyd Co, Ky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Tura Gibson	Jerry Cole
(2) Burr Gibson	Buck Cole
(3) Aly Gibson	Adam Cole
(4) Betty Gibson	Louisa Cole
(5) Alice Gibson	Paulina Cole
(6) Kizziah Gibson	Triny Cole
Polly Gibson	John W. Cole
	Profus Cole

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

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)

Nancy J. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Augustus Arnett

and

T. J. Arnett

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Nancy J. Gibson

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.

Augustus Arnett

T. J. Arnett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

B. W. Higgins

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. 37535

Name George Nickels and 1 children. Action: Reject

Residence: Salpersville Ky.

Reasons: Cousin of #16346, and claims through the same ancestors.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*George Nickels*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

37535



**Special 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 Mickels

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Salyersville

3. County: Magoffin

4. State: Kentucky

5. How old are you? 22 Born May 8<sup>th</sup> 1885

6. Where were you born? in Magoffin Co. Ky.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Dona Gibson

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>Herbert Mickels</u>	<u>1 year old</u>	<u>Jan 25<sup>th</sup> 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: Jo Mickels

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Osma Cole

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Osma Cole

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Tenn

Mother: in Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Floyd Co. Ky.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: He is living

Mother: she " "

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)	Sam Nickels		
	Corra Nickels		
(2)	Charley Nickels		
	Idis Nickels		
(3)	Belle Nickels		
	Robt Nickels		
(4)	Kelse Nickels		
	Hobart Nickels		
(5)	John Nickels		
	Lizzie Nickels		
(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.
Jo Nickels	Don't know
Ona Nickels	Mary Row

18. Where were they born? in Floyd Co. Ky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Floyd Co. Ky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Green Nickels	Don't know
(2)	Martin Nickels	
(3)	Betty Nickels	
(4)	Squire Nickels	
(5)	Truy Nickels	
(6)	P Nickels	

21. 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) George X McKels

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug 1907.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires 7<sup>th</sup>  
Nov 14, 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 Leull Whitaker

and H. A. Vanderpool, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with George McKels

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Leull Whitaker

H. A. Vanderpool

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 14<sup>th</sup>

1908.

B. W. Higgins

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. 60

Action: .....

Name: .....

and ..... children.

Residence: .....

Reasons:

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No. 37536.

Name *Ila Lee Frick*

With No. 37467.

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Ala Lee Truck

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

37536

**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: Ila Lee Trick

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Whittier - R. F. D. No. 1.

3. County: Los Angeles

4. State: California

5. How old are you? 28 years Born Feb 11 - 1879

6. Where were you born? Cherokee, Kansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Raymond Trick - Age 27.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Not an Indian.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: None

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: David L. Lee

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Tryphena Elma Lee (Way)

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Tryphena Elma Way

12. Where were they born? .

Father: David L. Lee Columbus Indiana

Mother: Tryphena E Lee Randolph Co, Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Louisa Co Iowa

Mother: Boon 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.
36105	(1) <u>Albert A. Lee</u>	<u>October 24 1862</u>	
	(2) <u>Rebecca Elizabeth Lee</u>	<u>May 27- 1865-</u>	
	(3) <u>Rebeka Ann L. Amie</u>		
	(4) <u>Quartis D. Lee</u>	<u>March 30 1870,</u>	
	(5) <u>Fred D. Lee</u>	<u>April 20-1885</u>	
27050	(6) <u>Grace Alda Lee</u>	<u>October 9, 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>David R Lee</u>	<u>Henry Ozburn Way</u>
<u>Polly Peine Lee</u>	<u>Nancy Ann Willis Frayer Way</u> <u>was born in Guilford Co.</u> <u>North Carolina.</u>

18. Where were they born? Henry O. Way - Wayne Co Indiana

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? D. R. Lee Louisa Co, Iowa,

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) John W Lee - Oxford, Cal. Hulda Elizabeth Way Johnston
- (2) Wm W Lee - Holdrege, Neb. (El Modena Orange Co Calif.)
- (3) Thurmond Lee - Geo. Mary Matilda Frayer  
(1015 W. 4th St. Los Angeles) Calif
- (4) Caliza, Myra Lucinda Lee Stephen Elwood Way  
(Orange, RFD #1) Calif
- (5)  Quartis Elmer Way  
1030 S. 4th Long Beach, Calif
- (6)  Jane Ellen Strappiers  
Long Beach - Calif
- (7)  John Elwood Way  
(Central Ave Minneapolis)
- Lucina Malinda Frayer  
(Los Angeles Calif.)
- Laton Edwin Way  
(1138 W. First St. Los Angeles Calif)



21. 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: David L. Lee and Eliza T. Lee, Henry Gibson, Mary & Nancy Ann Miller, Trager May, Nathan May, Hubert Gibson, Henry May and wife Char. Lotte, Paul May and Mary Macy his wife, wife Penelope Kerri. REMARKS. John May and Wm May and  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have known always I had Indian ancestors

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ala Lee Frick

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

Nina H. Taber  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 20th, 1910.

NOTARY PUBLIC  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

#### 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 C. E. Pickering  
and A. C. Johnson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Ala Lee Frick  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 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.

Mrs C. E. Pickering  
A. C. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 20th, 1910.

Nina H. Taber  
Notary Public.

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No. 37537

Action: Reject

Name Sibby Gibson and 2 children. Residence: Salyersville, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of # 16346, and claims through  
the same ancestors.

37537

No. 37537-38,

Name .....

With No. 16346

Remarks:

Letting System  
Robt. D. D. D.



*Consent*

No. 37537

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Sibby 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.

6-624

37537



**Special 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: Sibby Gibson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Dalymville

3. County: Magoffin

4. State: Ky

5. How old are you? 25

Born Feb 1882

6. Where were you born? in Magoffin Co. Ky.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Black Spradlin

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>Bessie Gibson</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>June 7 1898</u>
(2)	<u>Napoleon Gibson</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>May 20 1901</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Squire Gibson

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Paulina Cole

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Paulina Cole

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Ky

Mother: 4

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Floyd Co Ky  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 18<sup>th</sup> 1899  
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: Na

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Harrison Gibson	Don't know	
	Tyra Gibson	"	"
(2)	Mirrit Gibson	"	"
	James Gibson	"	"
(3)	John Gibson	"	"
	Kiah Gibson	"	"
(4)	Samba Gibson	"	"
	Green Gibson	"	"
(5)	Nancy Gibson	"	"
	Emily Gibson	"	"
(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.
Bryson Gibson	Jerry Cole
Frank Gibson	Mariah Cole

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Floyd Co. Ky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Burl Gibson	Jerry Cole
(2) Tyra Gibson	Buck Cole
(3) Alex Gibson	Rufus Cole
(4) Pauly Gibson	Louisa Cole
(5) Alice Gibson	Paulina Cole
(6) Betty Gibson	Jerry Cole
Kizziah Gibson	John W. Cole
Kiah Gibson	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NA

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)

Sibby Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

B.W. Higgins  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

M.C. Kash

and

J.J. Arnett

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Sibby Gibson

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

M.C. Kash

J.J. Arnett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908. B.W. Higgins  
Notary Public.

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No. 37538

Action: *Reject*

Name *Roscoe Dale* and *—* children. Residence: *Salpersville, Ky.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #16346, and claims through the same ancestor.*

37538



*Cousin*

No. 37538

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Ascoe Dale*

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

375-38

**Special 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: Rosecoe Dale  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Salysville
3. County: Magoffin
4. State: Kentucky
5. How old are you? 49 Born Sept 18<sup>th</sup> 1856
6. Where were you born? in
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Katie Haddy
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: \_\_\_\_\_

Berry Dale Charney Cole  
 Father—English name: Berry Dale  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: Charney Cole  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Maiden name: Charney Cole

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Floyd Co Ky.  
 Mother: in Lawrence Co. Ky.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Johnson Co. Ky.

Mother: in " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1900

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)	Dan Dale	Jan 1 <sup>st</sup> 1850	
	Marion Dale	Aug. 1869	
(2)	Tobatha Dale	Oct 1865	
	Lewis Dale	July 1873	
(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
Reuben Dale	Jack Cole
Tobitha Dale	Katie Cole

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Berry Dale	Don't know
(2)	Frankie Dale	
(3)	Clear Dale	
(4)	Arthur Dale	
(5)	Charity Dale	
(6)	Juda Dale	
	Charvar Dale	
	Annanda Dale	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

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) Roscoe Dale

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

B. W. Higgins  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. A. Blanton

and S. F. Craft, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Roscoe Dale

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Blanton  
S. F. Craft

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

B. W. Higgins  
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 may be executed before a notary, etc.



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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Pascor Dale*  
*Shylasville, Ky.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *87508*, 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. 375-39

Action: Reject

Name: Frank Murphy and 3 children. Residence: Delyleville,

Reasons: applicants parents and grand <sup>ly</sup>  
parents born over 100 miles from  
Choctaw country - were not parties to  
treaties of 1835-4-46 nor shared  
in Choctaw payments; lived or associated  
with them.

37539



No. 37539

Name Frank Murphy

With No. ....

Remarks:

Nos. 39179-80, 39609,  
grouped beneath

Rejected

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all born & lived in Key  
been examined.

No. 37539

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Frank Murphy*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

37539

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Frank Murphy  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Salpuroville
3. County: Magoffin
4. State: Kentucky
5. How old are you? 30 Born Dec 11 1877
6. Where were you born? in Magoffin Co Ky
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Clara Grace
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. <sup>+</sup>
(1)	<u>Ella Murphy</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>May 8. 1900</u>
(2)	<u>Dora Murphy</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Aug 25. 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Ruth Murphy</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>June 7 1904</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Isaac Murphy Mariah Cornwell

Father—English name: Isaac Murphy

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Mariah Cornwell

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mariah Cornwell

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Magoffin Co Ky

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Do not know

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 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)	Rozella Murphy	Do not know	
	Melissa Murphy	"	"
(2)	Jeff Murphy	"	"
	Siddy Murphy	"	"
(3)	Tilly Murphy	"	"
	Huleena Murphy	"	"
(4)	Isaac Murphy	"	"
(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>Isaac Murphy</u>	<u>Jeff Cornwell</u>
<u>Hizziah Gibson</u>	<u>Do not know</u>

18. Where were they born? in Ky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Ky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Isaac Murphy
- (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: Na

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 Murphy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John W. Moore

and Frank Blair, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Frank Murphy

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John W. Moore

Frank Blair

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908. B. W. Higgins

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. 37540

Action: *Reject*

Name *Sirena B. Lemaster* and 2 children. Residence: *Huntington, W Va.*

Reasons:

1. No ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. " " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokee.

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No. 37540.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Sirena B. Lemaster* and 2 children. Residence: *Huntington, W. Va.*

Reasons:

1. no ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. " " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokee.

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*Yonkers, N.Y.*

No. 37540

Name *Serena B. Lemaster*

With No. ....

Remarks: *ball co. w. r.  
Maggie Co. Ky.*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Serena B. Lemaster*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37540

**Special 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— Serena B. Semaster  
 English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Huntington W Va. 1656, 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue
3. County: Cabell Co
4. State: W. Va.
5. How old are you? 36 Born Aug 4<sup>th</sup> 1871
6. Where were you born? in Magoffin Co. Ky.
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Frank Semaster
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>Unas Semaster</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Januel 8, 1891</u>
(2)	<u>Ben Semaster</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>April 17 1894</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Lewis Perkins Polly Pruett

Father—English name: Lewis Perkins

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Polly Pruett

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Polly Pruett

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Ky

Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Morgan Co. Ky.

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1896

Mother: Nov 9<sup>th</sup> 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: Na

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Eli Perkins	Don't know	
	Isaac Perkins	" "	
(2)	James Perkins	" "	
	Nancy C. Perkins	" "	
(3)	Ben Perkins	" "	
	Elizabeth Perkins		
(4)	Hiley W. Perkins		
(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>Isaac Puckett</u>
	<u>Katy Puckett</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>John Puckett</u>
(2)	<u>Sam Puckett</u>
(3)	<u>Green Puckett</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: Na

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) Serena B. Lemaster

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

B.W. Higgin  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L.C. Bailey

and J.A. Blanton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Serena B. Lemaster

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L.C. Bailey  
J.A. Blanton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908. B.W. Higgin  
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.



April. 37542

May 15, 1908.

Serena E. Reister,  
1656 - 11th Ave.,  
Huntington, W. Va.

Dear Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes by the authorities in which you and they have resided?

Was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-5, if living at that time? Were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-5?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

By

CLB/AM

Chief Clerk

No. 37541

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Nancy E Meredith* and

children.

Residence: *Allen Creek*

*Pa*

Reasons:

*applicant's parents were slaves*

*(see letter)*

37541

No. 37541

Rep.

Name Mary E. Meredith

With No.

Remarks:

# 37542,

grouped Meredith.

not on rolls.

Rejected.

App. card parents & gov. &

board name & date

(See rolls, etc.)

No. 1370311

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mary E. Meredith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. C. Richardson*  
*atty*

*Dickson*  
*Tennessee*

*1-563*



**Special 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: ~~J. J. Meredith~~ *Mary E. Meredith*  
 English name: *Mary E. Meredith*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Residence and post office: *Allen Creek*  
 3. County: *Wayne*  
 4. State: *Tennessee*  
 5. How old are you? *36* Born *Dec. 6, 1871*  
 6. Where were you born? ~~Wayne Co. Tenn.~~ *Mauy Co. Tenn.*  
 7. Are you married? *Yes*  
 8. Name and age of wife or husband: *J. J. Meredith 47*  
 9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *none*  
 10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Suler Bryant</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>June 1st 1881</i>
(2)	<i>Perlie Meredith</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>June 4. 1896</i>
(3)	<i>Patie Meredith</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>March 17 1903</i>
(4)	<i>Clorith Meredith</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>Sept. 6 1904</i>
(5)	<i>Clora</i>		
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: *Cumsoal Nicholson Jr.*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: *Caroline Nicholson*  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maiden name: *Caroline Wilson*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Mauy Co. Tennessee*  
 Mother: *Mauy Co. Tennessee*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Murray Co. Tennessee

Mother: Murray Co. Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 1872

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Muskogee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Oscar Nicholson Okla. Ter. Seaford	1874	Living
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Counsel Nicholson, Sr.	Muskogee
<del>John Nicholson</del>	" "
Ester Nicholson	" "
" "	" "
" "	" "

18. Where were they born? Murray Co. Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Murray Co. Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Counsel Nicholson Jr.	dead
(2)	Coraline Nicholson	dead
(3)	George Kullie	Bawington Indian Ter.
(4)	Amanda Counts	Donville Ill.
(5)	Amos Frazier	Mt. Pleasant
(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: Muskogean

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 Grand Mother  
Easter Nicholson was an  
Eastern 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 E Meredith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Bragg Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 13<sup>th</sup> 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Napier  
and Warren May, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary E Meredith  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 36 years and  
36 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.

+ Mena West  
+ Mena West

Signatures of Witnesses,

+ John Napier  
+ Warren May

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April 13<sup>th</sup> 1909. J. W. Bragg Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

AUG 26 1907



HENRY C. RICHARDSON,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW  
CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BUILDING  
DICKSON, TENNESSEE.

Dickson, Tenn. Sept 20 1907

Sir

Please fill  
Yours Truly  
H.C. Richardson

Appl. #37541

May 15, 1908.

Mary C. Meredith,  
Allens Creek, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

By what parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1861, and where was he or she residing in 1864-65, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1864-65?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indian or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

By

W.B./ALL

Clerk

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 23 1908  
*No.*

Miss. Creek. Tenn.

May 21, 1908

Greene Miller

Special Commissioner  
Washington, D.C.

Sir in Replying D. Yates & May 15. 18  
I will say that I was told by my  
Grandparents that they Resided  
With Eastern Cherokee. Title:  
in Maury County, Tennessee. but I do  
not know the exact date they was  
Recognized as Heavens. and held as Slaves.

That is why they was not  
Enrolled, 1851. In 1834-35 they  
they was living, and Residing in Maury  
County, Tenn.

My Grandparents and my  
Mother, through which I claim  
Resided in Maury County, Tenn.  
in 1834-35.

My Parents and grandparents  
was Slaves.

Respectfully, yours.

Mary C. Meredith.



Witness  
J. B. English

Myself  
Secretary of Agriculture

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rev. JUN 15 1908  
No. 1115

Allen's Case, Tenn

STATE OF TENNESSEE

County of Wayne

Affidavit in Cherokee Indian Claim No. 37541

On this 12 day of June 1908, personally appeared before me G. W. Bragg

a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, commissioned and qualified as such Mary C. Meredith a citizen of Wayne County, Tennessee, a

person with whom I am well acquainted, and whom I certify to be credible, respectable 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 in any department of the United States Government. The said Mary C. Meredith

having been by me first duly sworn, according to law, deposes and says:

That ~~she~~ was appointed H. C. Richardson, of Dickson, Tennessee, as ~~her~~ her lawful attorney to prosecute this claim to collection, for which ~~she~~ she agrees to pay him 25 per cent. of the amount coming ~~to her~~ to her in this case.

My Grand parents resided with the Cherokee Indians in North Carolina and was living there in 1834 & 1835. My Grand parents ~~they~~ were recognized as Cherokee Indians in the community in which they lived ~~they were recognized~~ I do not know why they were not enrolled in 1851 I never heard of such a thing until I filed my application in this cause. My Grand parents were slaves of white people were enslaved when they were young

NOTARY PUBLIC  
WAYNE COUNTY, ILL.  
JUN 15 1908  
No.

Witness  
G. C. English

<sup>her</sup> Mary C. Meredith  
<sup>marks</sup> Signature of Applicant

Sworn to and subscribed before me by Mary C. Meredith  
this the 12 day of June, 1908.

I further certify I am not directly or indirectly interested in the prosecution of this case. In testimony  
whereof I have hereunto signed my name and official seal of my office on this, the 12 day of June  
....., 1908.



G. A. Bragg Notary Public.  
Wayne Co., Ill.



No. 37542  
Name Rula Bryant and 1 children. Residence: Allens Creek Tenn  
Action: Reject  
Reasons:

Daughter of #37541.

37542



37542

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Suler Bryant*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

*H. C. Richardson*  
*att*  
*Dickson*  
*Tennessee*

37542

**Special 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— Suter Bryant  
 English name: " "  
 Indian name: " "
2. Residence and post office: Allens Creek
3. County: Wayne
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 22 Born June 1st 1885
6. Where were you born? Wayne Co, Tennessee
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Amas Bryant 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>Roberta Bryant</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>Sept 1894</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Jacob J. Meredith  
 Indian name: " "  
 Mother—English name: Mary E. Meredith  
 Indian name: " "  
 Maiden name: Mary E. Nicholson

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: Wayne Co, Tennessee  
 Mother: Maury Co, 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: Michigan

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grand Caroline Nicholson was an Eastern 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) Lula Bryant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

G. W. Bragg Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 13<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Napier and Warren May, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lula Bryant who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 years and 22 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

+ Mena West + John Napier  
+ Mena West + Warren May

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April 13<sup>th</sup>, 1909. G. W. Bragg Notary Public.

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No. 37543

Name Ben Perkins and X children. Action: Reject. Residence: Falmersville, Ky.

Reasons:

Brother of # 37540 and claims through the same source.

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No. 37243-

Name *John A. ...*

With No. 37243-

Remarks:

No. 37543

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Ben Perkins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Ben Perkins

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Dalyroville

3. County: Magoffin

4. State: Ky

5. How old are you? 47

Born July 22<sup>d</sup> 1860

6. Where were you born? in Magoffin

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rhoda Guttitt 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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Lewis Perkins Polly Puckett

Father—English name: Lewis Perkins

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Polly Puckett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Polly Puckett

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Morgan Co Ky

Mother: " " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Morgan Co Ky  
Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1896  
Mother: Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 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: Na

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Eli Perkins	Don't know	
	Isaac Perkins	"	"
(2)	James Perkins	"	"
	Nancy E. Perkins	"	"
(3)	Elyzabeth Perkins	"	"
	Selma B. Perkins	"	"
(4)	Mila Perkins	"	"
(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>Isaac Puckett</u>
	<u>Katie Puckett</u>

18. Where were they born? in Morgan Co Ky.  
19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Morgan Co Ky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Spencer Puckett
- (2) John Puckett
- (3) Flem Puckett
- (4) Bert Puckett
- (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: NA

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)

Ben Perkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Augustus Arnett

and

J. J. Arnett

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ben Perkins

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Augustus Arnett

J. J. Arnett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

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No. 37544

Name *Narcissa England* and *X* children. Residence: *Albia, Okla.* Action: *Admitted*

Reasons:

*Niece to William F. Melton (2158) and  
Nanus from the same source.*

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No. 37544

Name Nancy England

With No. 2158

Remarks:



No. 37544

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

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APPLICATION OF  
OF

*Marcella England*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Mercissee England  
 Indian name: not none
2. Residence and post office: Albia
3. County: Cherokee nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 20 Born Jan 13 - 1887
6. Where were you born? Cherokee nation
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: William England
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>Charles E England</u>	<u>5 months</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 F Melton  
 Indian name: not none

Mother—English name: Sarah E Melton  
 Indian name: not  
 Maiden name: Sarah E Luzzy
12. Where were they born?  
 Father: in Cherokee nation  
 Mother: in Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Both*

Mother: *Living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*on Cherokee and Cherokee allatee*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<i>Gracie Melton</i>		<i>Dead</i>
(2)	<i>Charles W. Melton</i>	<i>Nov 23 1855</i>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*Samuel Melton*

*Marcelline Melton*

18. Where were they born? *Grandmother Cherokee Nation East*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *in Cherokee Nation*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) *Charles E. England*

(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: 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: on Cherokee state estate

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) Narcissa England

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

M. Pharesworth  
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. W. Orr

and E. D. Ficklin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Narcissa England

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Orr  
E. D. Ficklin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

M. Pharesworth  
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. 37540

Name Mary H. Horner and 5 children.

Residence:

Action:

Reject

Jules, Tenn.

Reasons:

Daughter of W. E. Meloe (30817) and claims  
through same line.

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No. 37545-46.

Name .....

With No. 30817

Remarks:

Mary A. Horner  
Sarah R. McLeod

No. 37545

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Mary A. Horns

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Mary A Horner

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Lytle Tenn

3. County: Hickman

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 30 Born March 16 1877

6. Where were you born? Hickman County Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: George R Horner

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>Cladis D Horner</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1899</u>
(2)	<u>Harriette Horner</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(3)	<u>Vera H Horner</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(4)	<u>Amelia Horner</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>
(5)	<u>Carlton J Horner</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>
(6)	<u>Lucas W Horner</u>	<u>5 months old</u>	<u>1906</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William E McQueen

Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Melinda J McQueen

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Melinda Nelson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hickman County Tenn

Mother: Hickman County Tenn



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Williamson County

Mother: Not Born Williamson County Tennessee

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: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ruby E. Lyles</u> <u>Lyles, Tenn.</u>	<u>1872</u>	<u>living</u>
(2)	<u>John M. Cobby</u> <u>Lyles, Tenn.</u>	<u>1881</u>	<u>living</u>
(3)	<u>James E. King</u> <u>Coronet, Tenn.</u>	<u>1888</u>	<u>living</u>
(4)	<u>Jessie H. McKee</u> <u>Lyles, Tenn.</u>	<u>1891</u>	<u>living</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>William E. McKee</u>	<u>Elizabeth McKee</u>

18. Where were they born? Williamson County Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Williamson County

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Jessie Lyles</u>	<u>Lyles, Tenn.</u>
(2) <u>John McKee</u>	<u>Franklin, Tenn.</u>
(3) <u>Bell McKee</u>	<u>Lyles, Tenn.</u>
(4) <u>Sarah Hullerfield</u>	<u>Franklin, Tenn.</u>
(5) <u>John McKee</u>	<u>Franklin, Tenn.</u>
(6) <u>Edis McKee</u>	<u>Franklin, Tenn.</u>
<u>Caroline Tomlin</u>	<u>Warhuiss, 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 William E. McQueen  
mother Mahala J. McQueen Grand father John McQueen  
Grand mother Do not know

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.) Charles Blood  
My Grand father John McQueen was half Blood  
In my former id. I claim on my father side  
as full Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary H. Horner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

J. Jones NP  
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 Willie Bookman  
and James Collins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary H. Horner  
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.

Lelia Regan  
Wm. Cochran

Signatures of Witnesses.

James Collins  
Willie Bookman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July, 1908. J. Jones NP  
Notary Public.

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No. 37546

Action: *Refect.*

Name *Sarah A. McCord* and 1 children. Residence: *Tyles, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Niece to W. E. McGee (30817) and claims  
from same source.*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah A. McLeod*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37546



**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: Sarah A. McLeod

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Lyle

3. County: Hickman

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 30 Born March 11 1877

6. Where were you born? Hickman County Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Fleming B. McLeod 44 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong? Cherokee Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Cecil S. McLeod</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>April 11 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Walter E. McLeod</u>	<u>8 months old</u>	<u>Dec 17 1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: W. W. Lyle

Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Senie Lyle

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Senie McLeod

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: Whitman County Tennessee

Mother: Whitman County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died July the 23<sup>rd</sup> 1900

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>Sidney E. Custer - Lyle Tennessee</u>	<u>June 14 1862</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Francis A. Rodgers George D. Lyle</u>	<u>June 28 1863 Apr 11 1866</u>	<u>Died Died</u>
(3)	<u>Edward M. Lyle Darius L. Lyle Nehemiah L. Lyle</u>	<u>Aug 9 1867 Apr 30 1869</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Joseph M. Lyle Matter B. Lyle</u>	<u>June 22 1871 June 25 1875</u>	<u>Died Died</u>
(5)	<u>Nancy L. Lyle James R. Lyle Harold L. Lyle</u>	<u>Apr 29 1875 Apr 5 1879 March 6 1889</u>	<u>Died Died Living</u>
(6)	<u>Della M. Nelson W. M. Lyle Darius C. Lyle</u>	<u>Apr 21 1881 June 9 1884 Aug 4 1886</u>	<u>Living Living Died</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.

John Lyle William P. McGee  
Frederick Lyle Elizabeth McGee  
Grand father Ben McGee William County Tenn  
Grand mother Bedford Co Tenn William County Tenn

18. Where were they born? as above stated

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Whitman Co & Bedford Co and Wilkeson County

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>J. R. Lyle</u>	<u>Died</u>
(2)	<u>Joe Lyle</u>	<u>Ballsville Ky</u>
(3)	<u>J. W. Lyle</u>	<u>Lyle Tenn</u>
(4)	<u>Minnie Custer</u>	<u>New York Tenn</u>
(5)	<u>Margaret Lyle</u>	<u>Lyle Tenn</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: father W.W. Lyles mother

Sarah Lyles Grand father John Lyles Grand mother  
Fanny Lyles mother of William S. Lyles Grand mother Elizabeth  
McClure

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Grand father was of Cherokee Blood my Great Grand  
father McClure was half Blood Cherokee Indian  
... my mother side.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah A. McClure

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

July, 1908.

J. J. Jones Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah A. McClure 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.

Lelia Regan Joseph H. Hession  
Wm. Cochran Wm. L. Miller Geo. W. Cooper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July, 1908.

J. J. Jones Notary Public.

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No 3071

Action: ✓

Name ✓

and / children.

Residence: ✓

Reasons:

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No. 37547  
Name Annis W. Fisher  
With No. 2657

Remarks:

No. 37547

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

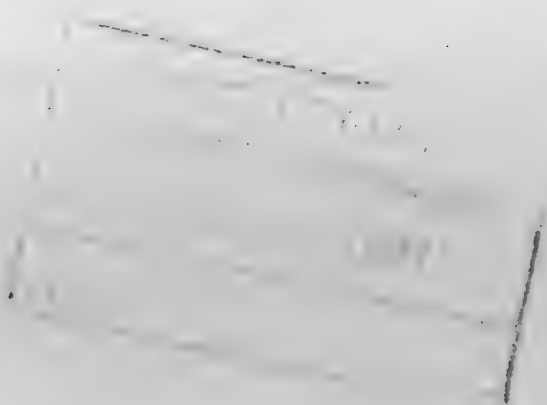
APPLICATION

OF

*Agnes M. 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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37547

**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: Agnes Montressa Jordan nee Landrum

Indian name: Not known

2. Residence and post office: Bushyhead

3. County: Dist. #4

4. State: Ind. Ter.

5. How old are you? 20 Born Oct. 31, 1886.

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Geo. W. Jordan Age 27

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>William T. Jordan</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Dec. 19, 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: Thomas L. Landrum

Indian name: Not known

Mother—English name: Nannie Landrum

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Nannie Rider

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation

Mother: Virginia Hill Chickasaw Nation

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: **Not born**

Mother: **not born**

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: **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 with Cherokees, on Bread Roll, Strip Payment and Dawes Comm.**

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<del>XXXXXXXXXXXX</del> Lula Cross	<del>XXXXXXXXXXXX</del> Jan. 19, 1887	<del>XXXXXXXXXXXX</del> Adair, I.T.
(2)	Lewis Landrum Daisy Marie Landrum	June 13, 1890	Foyil, I.T. Dec. 12, 1901 Foyil, I.T.
(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.
Thomas Landrum	Tuck Rider
Poline Landrum	Agnes Rider
Indian names unknown	

18. Where were they born? **Dont know**

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? **Dont know**

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<b>Dont know</b>	<b>Dont Know</b>
(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: ~~With Cherokees for Strip money and Chickasaws for land under Dawes Comm.~~

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Dont Know

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See fathers original application 1399

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Agnes Montreessa Jordan nee Landrum)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug. 1907.

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909  
My commission expires

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O. A. Johnson  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. Foyil  
and Thos. W. Hensal, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Agnes Montreessa Jordan nee Landrum who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. Foyil  
Thos. W. Hensal M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires Oct. 3, 1909

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O. A. Johnson  
Notary Public.

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No. 37548

Action: *Adopt*

Name *Polly Ann Nickel* and *6* children. Residence: *Hortense, Tex.*

Reasons: *Cousin of #16346, and claims through the same ancestor.*

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No. 37548

Action: *Adopt*

Name *Polly Ann Nickel* and *6* children. Residence: *Hortense, Tex.*

Reasons: *Cousin of #16346, and claims through the same ancestor.*

37548

No. 37528,  
Name *Polya. N. N. N.*  
With No. 16246,

Remarks:



*Claim*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Polly Ann Nickel*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37548

**Special 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: Polly Ann Nickel

Indian name: Eastern Cherokees

2. Residence and post office: Hortense

3. County: Magoffin

4. State: Kentucky

5. How old are you? 52 yr Born June 14/1855

6. Where were you born? Breathitt Co, Ky

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: N. P. Nickel age 45

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>Mack Nickel</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>Mar. 30/1885</u>
(2)	<u>Lulenia Nickel</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Dec. 30, 1887</u>
(3)	<u>Squire Nickel</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Mar 30/1889</u>
(4)	<u>Sally Nickel</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Feb. 9, 1892</u>
(5)	<u>Kate Nickel</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Oct. 15/1894</u>
(6)	<u>W. M. Nickel</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Apr. 30, 1896.</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

John Collins, Louisa Collins, Louisa Cole.

Father—English name: John Collins

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Louisa Cole

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Cole

12. Where were they born?

Father: Breathitt Co Ky

Mother: Floyd Co, Ky.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Breathitt Co Ky

Mother: Floyd Co Ky

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: none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Fielding Collins</u> <u>Iverson Ky</u>		
(2)	<u>Shepherd Collins</u> <u>Iverson, Ky</u>		
(3)	<u>Franky Collins</u> <u>Iverson Ky</u>		
(4)	<u>Ben Collins</u>		
(5)	<u>Wallace Collins</u>		
(6)	<u>Ronan Collins</u> <u>Hager Ky</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>Shepherd Collins</u>	<u>Tincy Cole</u> <u>Eastern Co</u>
<u>John Collins</u>	<u>Eastern Cherokee</u>
	<u>Marion Cole</u>
	<u>Eastern Cherokee</u>

18. Where were they born? Tincy Cole born in Eastern Co Ky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Floyd Co Ky

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Jerry Cole
- (2) Breck Cole
- (3) Louisa Cole
- (4) Perlina Cole
- (5) Adam Cole
- (6) John W Cole

21. 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:

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)

Polly Ann <sup>her</sup> Nickel <sup>mark</sup>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

J. H. Barnett

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 13, 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

Rube Gose

and

Stephen Gose

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Polly Ann Nickel

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 her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Rube Gose

Stephen Gose

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

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Jan 13, 1910.

J. H. Barnett

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No. 37549  
Name: Ruby Parker, Ira Parker, Forest Parker, Hettie Parker, } minor and children.  
Reasons: }  
Residence: 1160-29<sup>th</sup> Street, Columbus, Ga.  
Action: Reject

Niece and nephews of #4172, and claims through the same ancestors.

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No. 7549  
Name Thom. Parker  
With No. 37226 - 4172

Remarks:

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No. ....

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF  
*Maggie Parker widow*  
*of James B. Parker*

For share of mone, appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37549



**Special 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 Parker* *widow of James B.*

Indian name: *Parker Decided, for her minor children.*

2. Residence and post office: *1160-29th St Jackson City*

3. County: *Muscogee*

4. State: *Georgia*

5. How old are you? *35* Born *June 29-1872*

6. Where were ~~you~~ <sup>he</sup> born? *in Penn.*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ <sup>husband</sup> or husband: *50 years*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *I am white*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Rubie</i>	<i>12 years</i>	<i>in Troy Ala</i>
(2)	<i>Irma</i>	<i>9 "</i>	<i>" " "</i>
(3)	<i>Forest</i>	<i>7 "</i>	<i>" " "</i>
(4)	<i>Hettie</i>	<i>4 "</i>	<i>Goshau Ala</i>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of <sup>this</sup> ~~your~~ father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *James B. Parker*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *myself Maggie Parker white*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Maggie Stevens*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *in Penn.*

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Troyala not living*

Mother: *Troyala not living*

14. Date of death of <sup>his</sup> father and mother:

Father: *June 1893 July 1907*

Mother: *June 26 1890 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: *I do not know.*

16. Name all <sup>his</sup> ~~your~~ brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>W.A. Parker Fountainhead Penn.</i>	<i>1840</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>P.P. Parker Mary J. " "</i>		
(3)	<i>Hattie " " Pryor Creek I.T.</i>		<i>Living</i>
(4)	<i>Elias H. Parker Fountainhead Penn. Doubt. " Pryor Creek I.T.</i>	<i>19/5-1865</i>	<i>Living</i>
(5)	<i>Olinus M. " Fountainhead Penn. Sam " " "</i>	<i>10/8-1869 " 6/6-1872</i>	<i>" "</i>
(6)	<i>Maggie N.</i>		

17. State English and Indian names of <sup>his</sup> ~~your~~ grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Dempsey Parker</i>	
<i>Fannie " "</i>	

18. Where were they born? *Penn.*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Troyala in Penn.*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) *Ira Parker*
- (2) *James G. " "*
- (3) *Harvey " "*
- (4) *Alfred " "*
- (5) *Isaac " "*
- (6) *Ellis " "*
- Daniel " "*
- Francis Armon*
- Eliza W. Adams*
- Leah Ann Richman*
- Katherine Parker*

21. Have <sup>he</sup> you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I 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:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My husband's Grand mother was a Hargis.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Maggie Parker)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

March 1908

Messersmith  
Notary Public  
Muscogee Co 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 Armintha Goodrum  
and Hattie Parker, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Maggie Parker who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 1 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Armintha Goodrum  
Hattie Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

March 1908

Messersmith  
Notary Public  
Muscogee Co Ga

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App. No. 37549

September 16, 1907.

Meyer A. Goldstein, Notary Public,  
Care of Clerk of Muskogee County Court,  
Columbus, Georgia.

Sir:

On July 17, 1907, Maggie Parker appeared before you and made affidavit ~~an~~ an Eastern Cherokee Application.

The applicant stated as her postoffice address No. 1160 Twenty-ninth Street, Jordan City, Georgia. It does not appear from the postal guide, that there is such a postoffice and you are requested to please supply this Office with the correct address.

Penalty envelope is enclosed for reply.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 20 1907  
No. 37549



**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Very respectfully,

*Guinn Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

*1160. 29<sup>th</sup> St*

*The above address is Columbus Ga  
Meyer Goldstein*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Columbus,  
Ga.

June - 24 - 1909 -  
Mr. Elihu Miller,  
Washington D.C.,

Dear Sir -

Yours of the 10<sup>th</sup> just  
Received. and was glad to  
Learn that our claim passed.

Resting assured, you <sup>will</sup> hold  
us of any change that might  
take place thanking you of the  
past favor and we are waiting  
for your advice as what  
steps to take in future

Hoping to hear from  
you at any moment

Remain yours  
Truly  
Mrs. Maggie Parker,

#116C-29<sup>th</sup> St - Columbus Ga

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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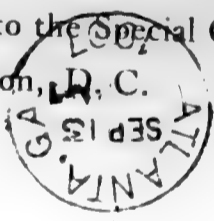
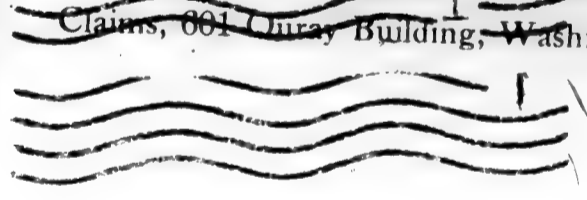
**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

601 OURAY BUILDING

Washington, D. C., <sup>9/10</sup>....., 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. 37549, 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. 37550

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Mollie Stewart* - and *x* children. Residence: *Sullivan, Ala.*

Reasons: *Claimant is a niece of Winfield Stewart # 33761  
and is rejected for reasons shown in that case.*

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No. 11550-51

Name .....

With No. 33761.

Remarks:

William Trent  
" "



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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mollie Stewart*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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37550



**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: Mollie Stewart  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Sallisaw
3. County: Sequoyah
4. State: Indian Territory (Okeahonia)
5. How old are you? 21 years Born March 29-AD. 1886
6. Where were you born? In 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? 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: <sup>3376</sup> William A. Stewart  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Henrietta J. Stewart  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Henrietta J. Fry

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Alabama  
Mother: Georgia



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: " "

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)	Matie Stewart Sullivan, D.C.	Dec. 13-24 1887	Living
(2)	Killie Stewart Sullivan, D.C.	March 16-1890	"
(3)	Elsy Stewart Sullivan, D.C.	Aug 27-1892	"
(4)	Lew Stewart Sullivan, D.C.	Nov. 3-1896	"
(5)	Leink Stewart Sullivan, D.C.	July 18-1899	"
(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 C. Stewart  
Margaret L. Stewart

A. O. Fry  
Matilda Fry

18. Where were they born?

Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William A. Stewart	Sullivan, Indian Territory
(2)	Winfield Stewart	" " "
(3)	Margaret L. Stewart	" " "
(4)	Leander P. Stewart	" " "
(5)	Opus J. Stewart	Dead
(6)	Orren P. Stewart	Stewart
(7)	Ernest A. Stewart	Sullivan, " "
(8)	Claud A. Stewart	" " "
(9)	Ralph Stewart	" " "



21. 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 A. Stewart and  
Frederica J. Stewart; William C. Stewart and  
Margaret L. J. Stewart

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My father was a son of William E Stewart who  
was a son of Mariah Stewart nee Gordon,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mollie Stewart,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug. 1907.

J. F. Shaeffer  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 20<sup>th</sup> A.D., 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 Chas. Holder  
and L. H. Looper, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mollie Stewart  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 9 years and  
8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Chas. Holder  
L. H. Looper

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