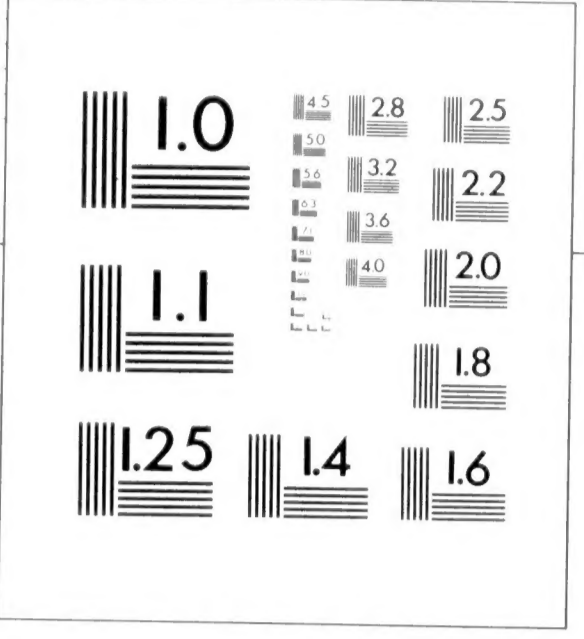
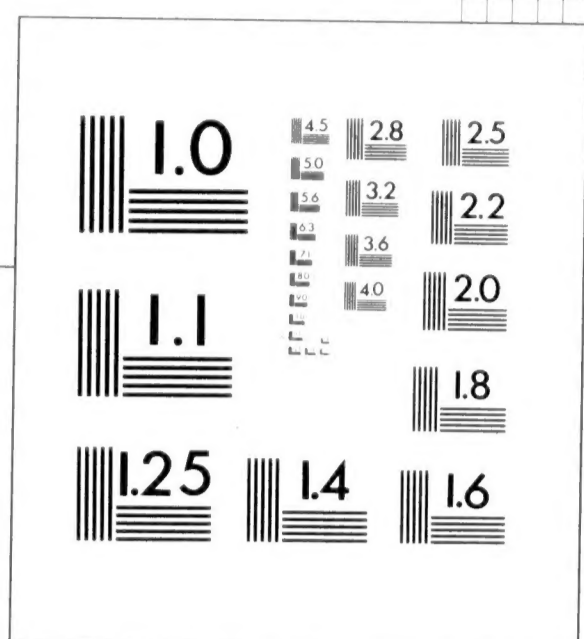


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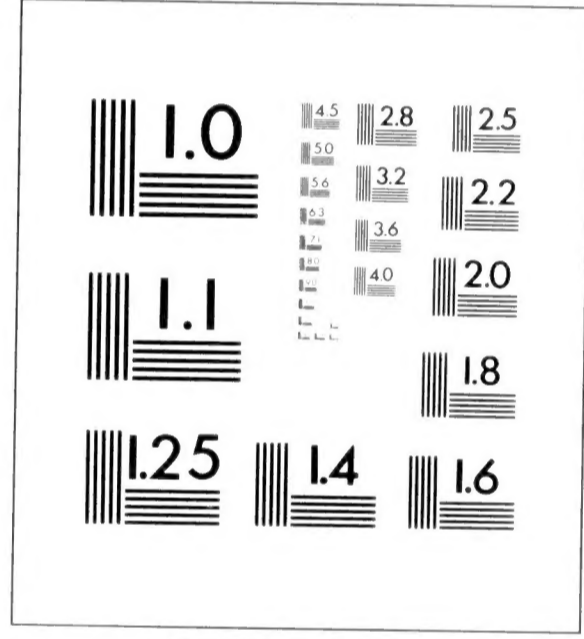
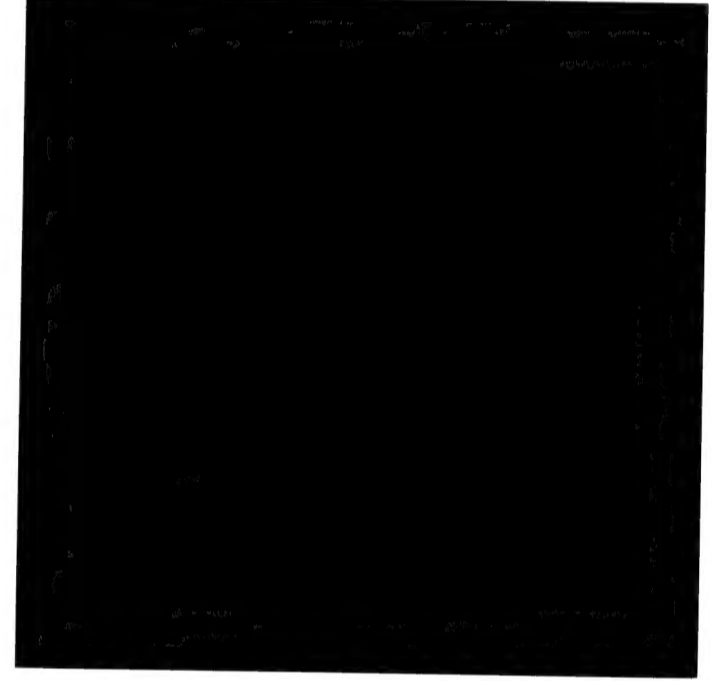
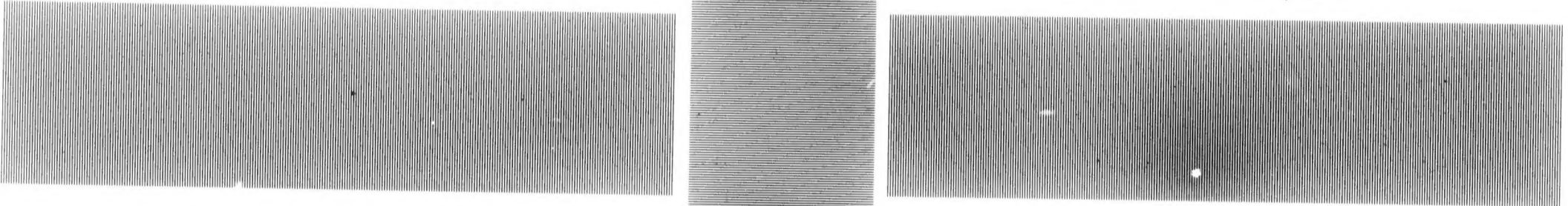


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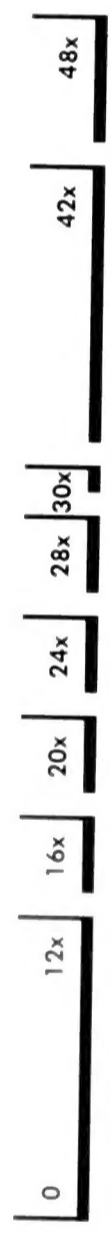


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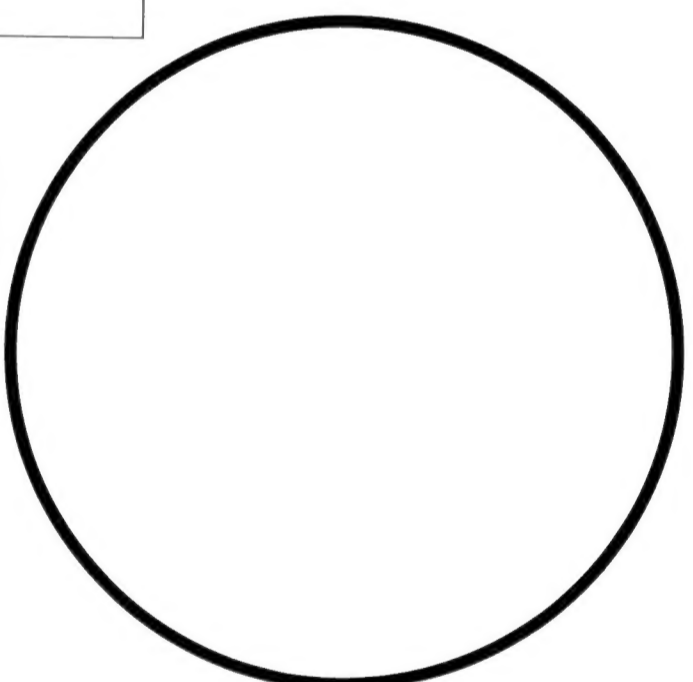


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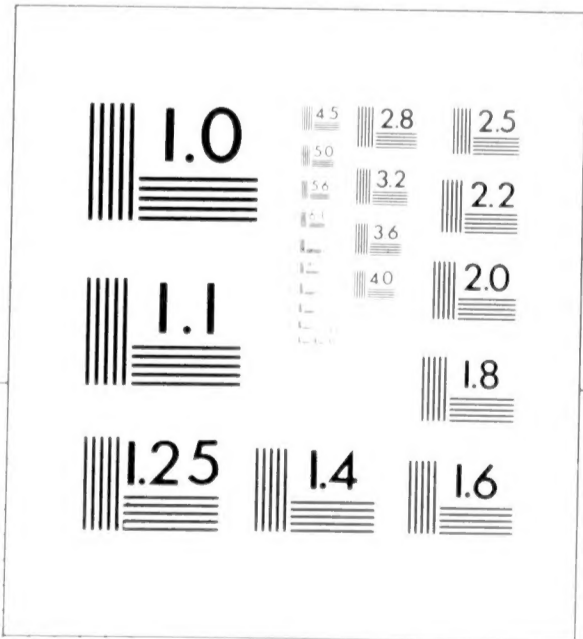
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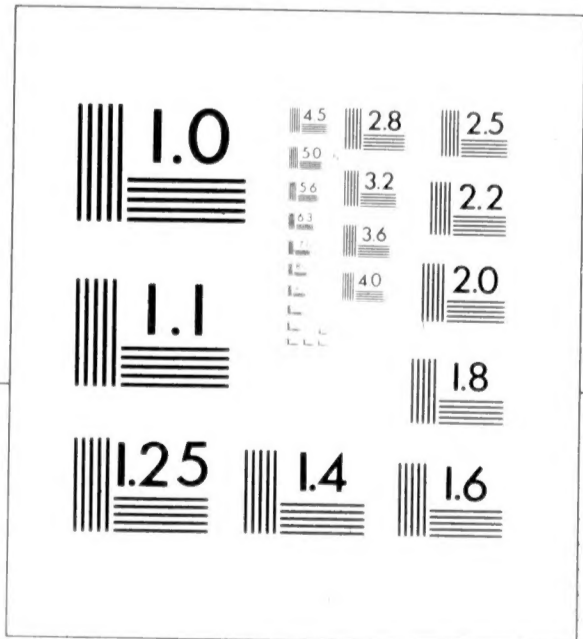


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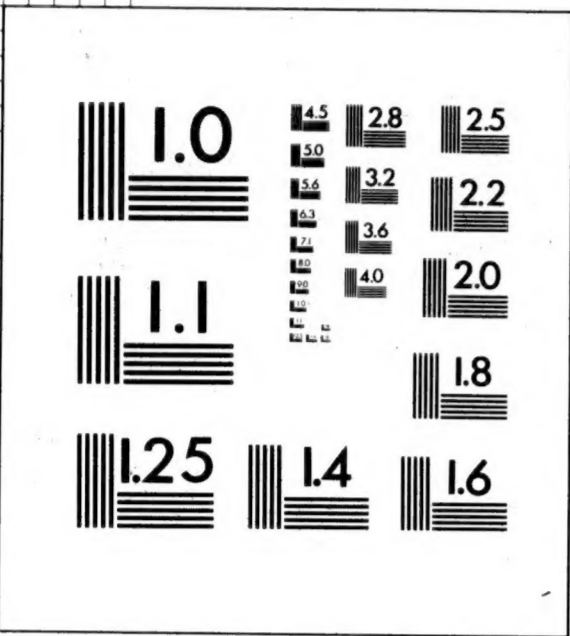
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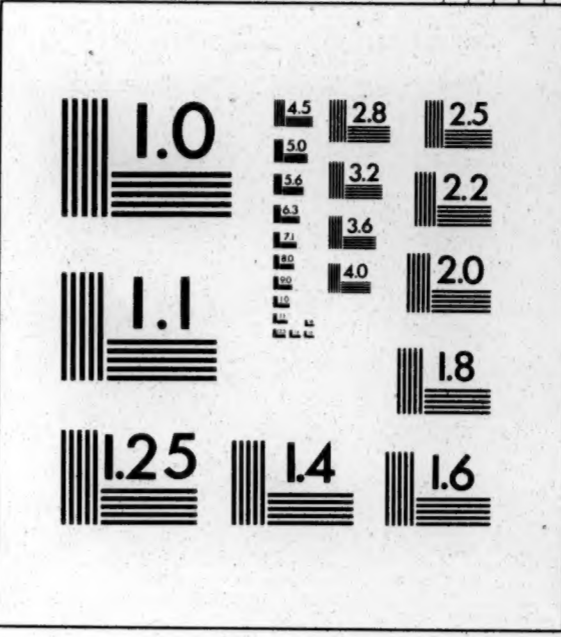


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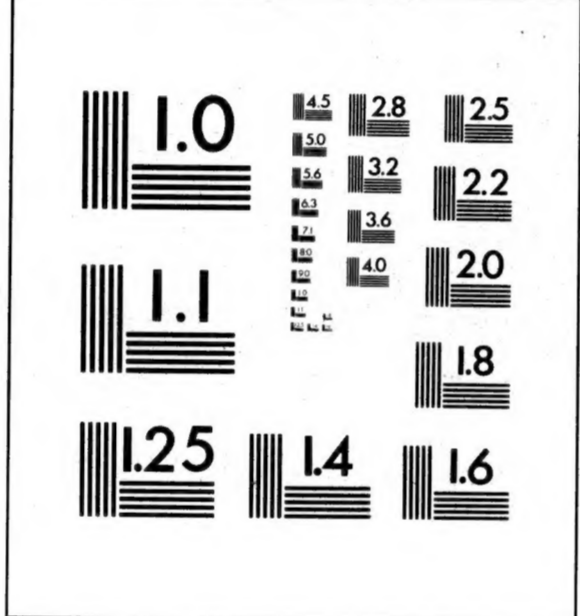
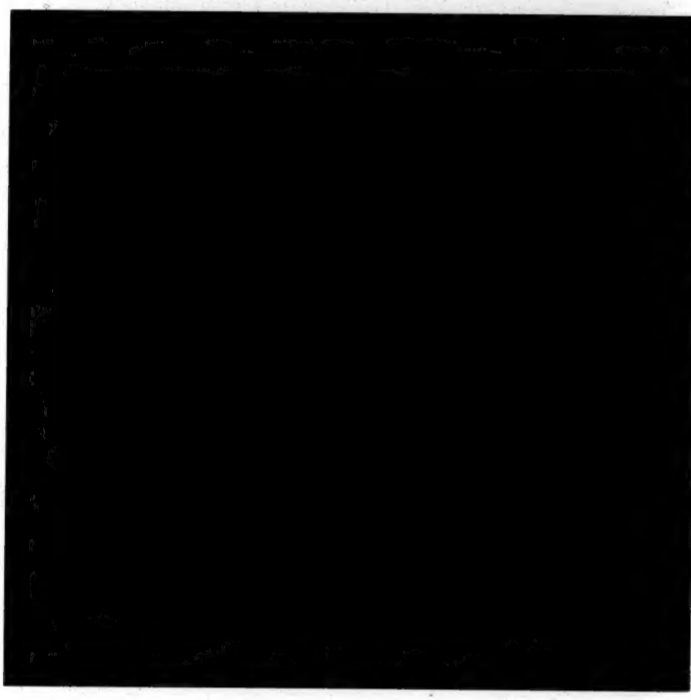
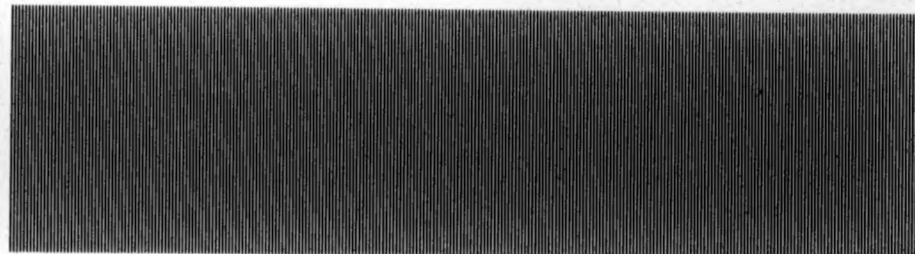
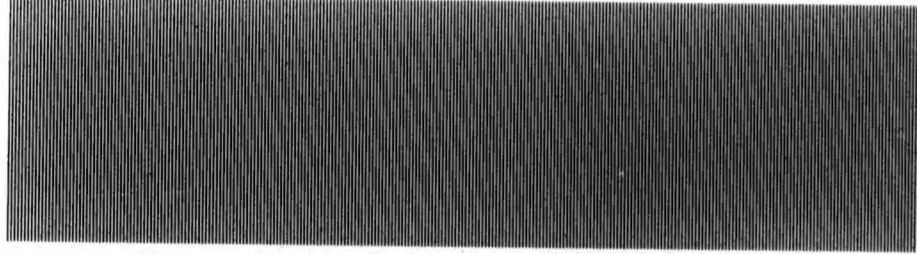
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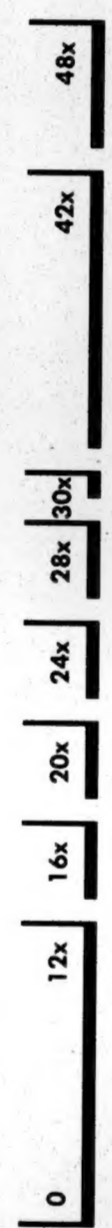


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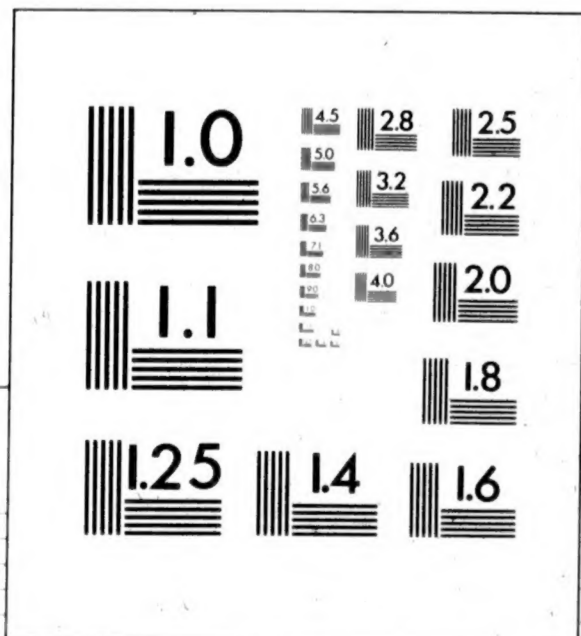
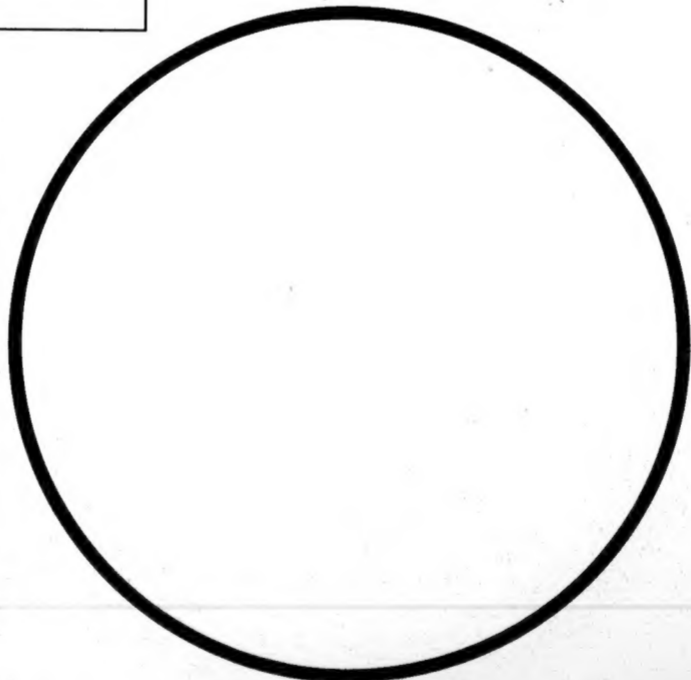
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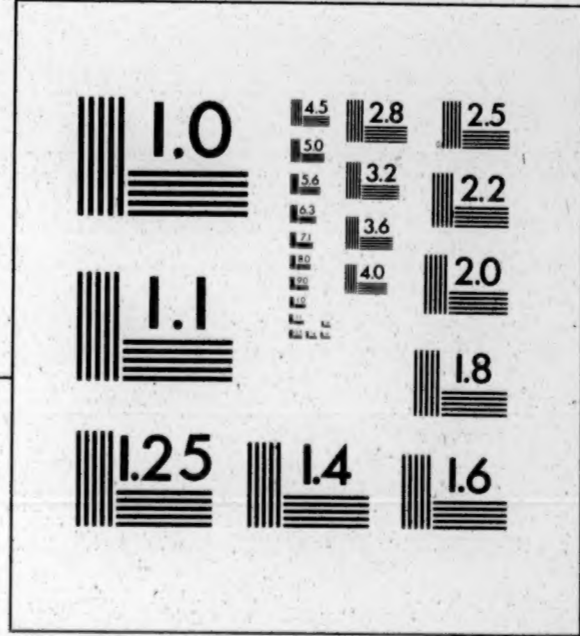


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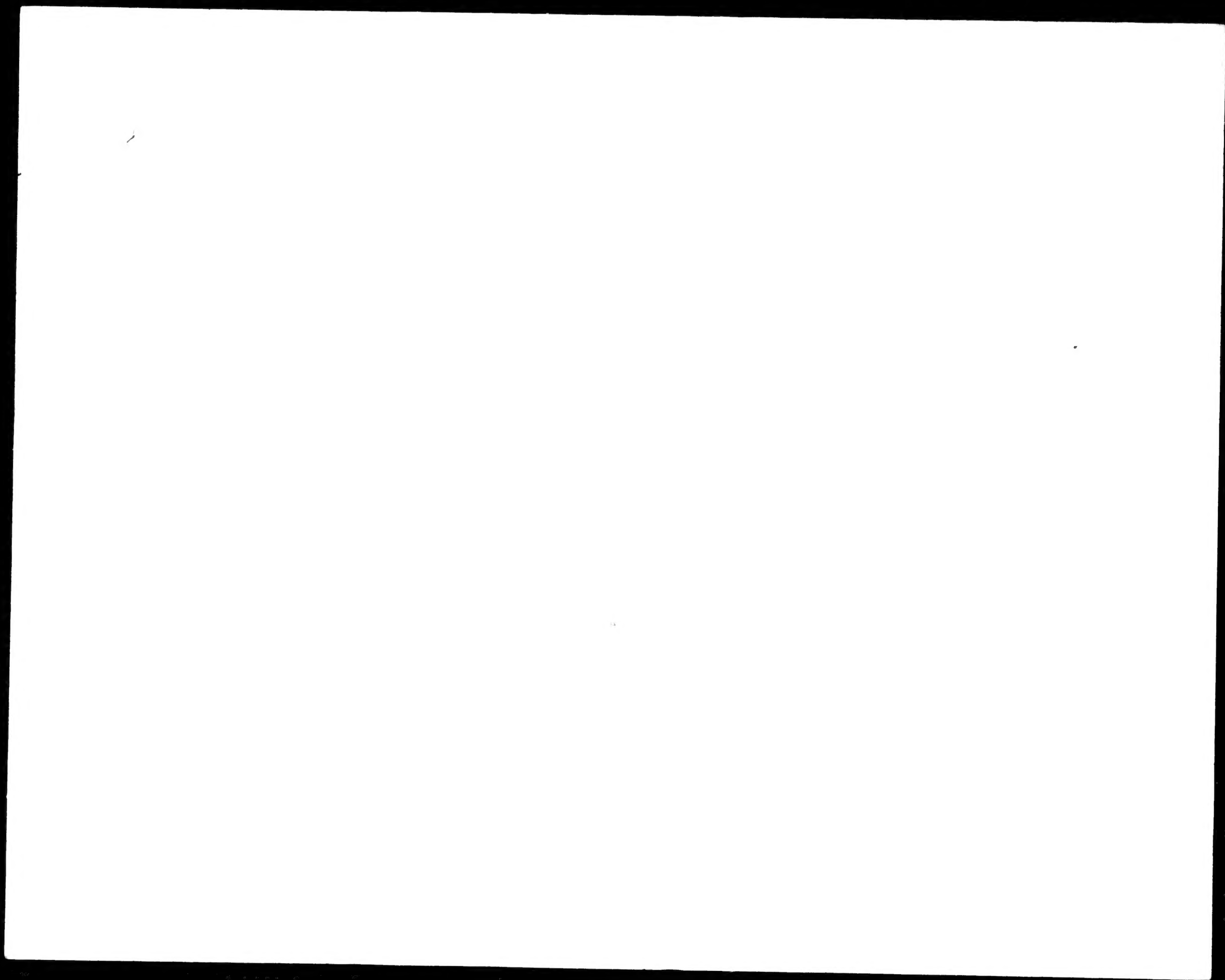


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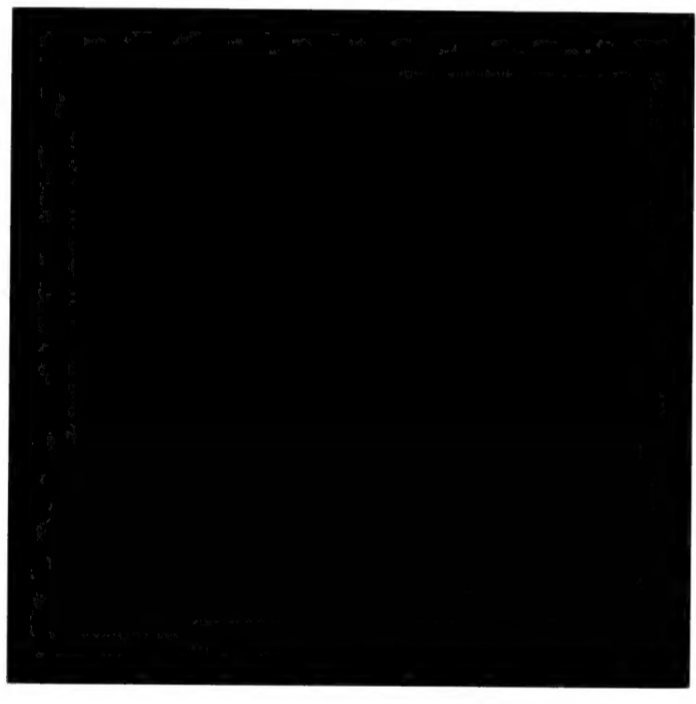
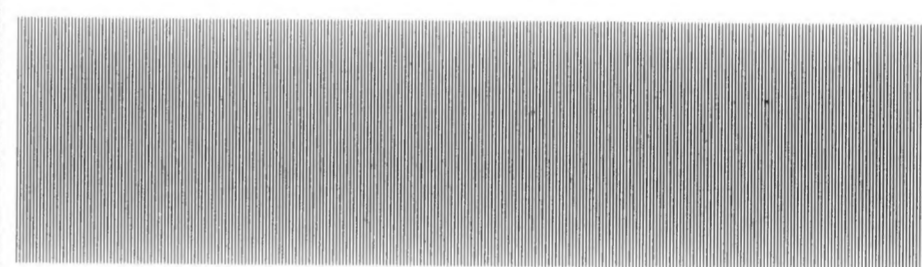
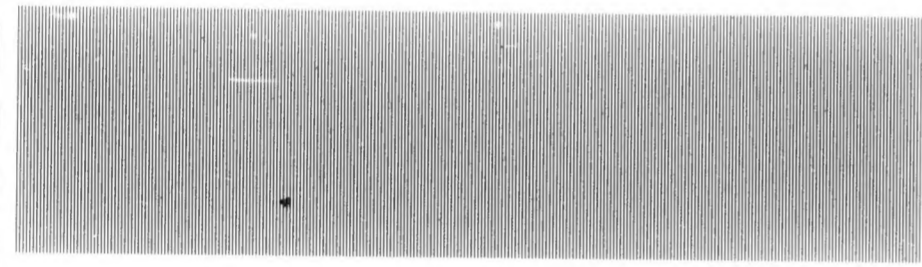


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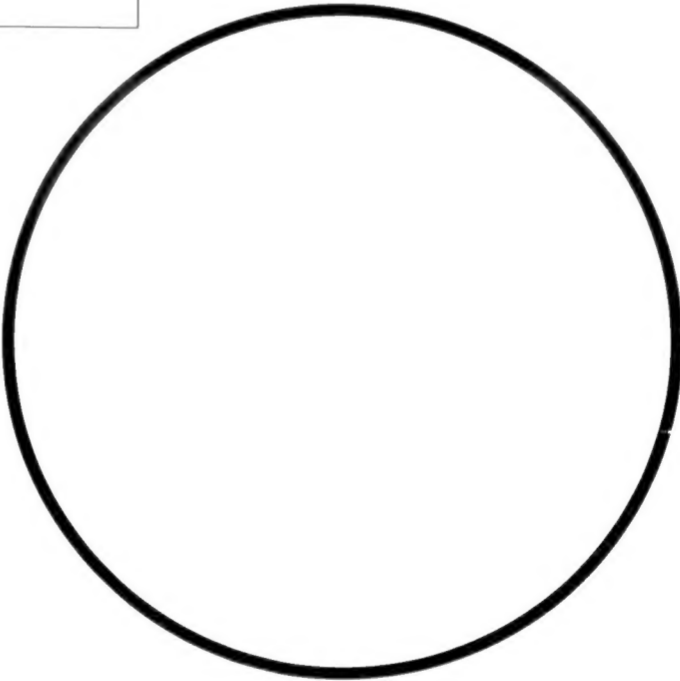

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INTRODUCTION

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

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. 38301.

Action: *Wager.*

Name *Sophronia Fountain* and *x* children. Residence: *Furnal Springs, Ala.*

Reasons:

*Crack case*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**  
*Creek and Cherokee.*

APPLICATION

OF

*Sopronia Fountain*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Sofronia S. Pomtiam  
 English name: Sofronia S. Pomtiam & Hooker  
 Indian name: Ape Hemery
2. Residence and post office: While he lived was Rural Springs Ala.
3. County: Monroe
4. State: Ala.
5. How old are you? 53 Born 1854
6. Where were you born? Peneville, Ala.
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Adam Pomtiam
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? don't know.
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Charlie Pomtiam</u> <sup>(now Tolison)</sup>	<u>35 yrs</u>	<u>14th of last May</u>
(2)	<u>Jim Pomtiam</u>	<u>32 "</u>	
(3)	<u>Lidia Pomtiam</u> <sup>(now Lett)</sup>	<u>30 "</u>	<u>June 2-1877</u>
(4)	<u>Oliver Pomtiam</u>	<u>27 "</u>	<u>Dec. 20th</u>
(5)	<u>Pomtiam, "</u>	<u>20 "</u>	<u>Feb 14th</u>
(6)			

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

Austin Crosby, M. Heseey Crosby.

Father—English name: Austin Crosby

Indian name: Hemery

Mother—English name: Heseey Crosby Hemery

Indian name: Heseey H. Hemery

Maiden name: Heseey

12. Where were they born? Monroe Co Ala.

Father: S. C.

Mother: Monroe Co. Ala.

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

Father: Agge Nemeryia  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother: Father has been dead 28 yrs

Father: dead 28 yrs.  
Mother: yet living.

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Brother Hooks</u>		<u>Living</u>
	<u>James</u>		<u>"</u>
(2)	<u>Mary</u> (Aunt)		<u>"</u>
	<u>Peter</u>		<u>dead</u>
(3)	<u>James</u> (now vickers)		<u>"</u>
	<u>Caroline</u>		<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Bilgey</u>		<u>"</u>
	<u>John</u> (Married)		<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Margaret</u> (Antony)		<u>Living</u>
	<u>born</u>		<u>dead</u>
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Agge Nemery</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Leonechu Co. Ala  
and in Nowroco, Ala

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

- (1) Stocho Mallekish
- (2) Mark "
- (3) Bell "
- (4) General "
- (5) Ellen "
- (6) Larry "
- Frank "

21. 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 that 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: Don't know.

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature) Sofronia Fountain

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

My commission expires Sept., 1908. S. H. Dailey J. P. Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. B. Kemp, Sr.  
and S. H. Dailey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sofronia Fountain who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 23 years and these years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person named presents herein to be, 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. B. Kemp, Sr. W. B. Kemp, Sr.  
S. H. Dailey, Jr. S. H. Dailey

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

My commission expires Sept., 1908. S. H. Dailey 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 38302.

Action: Admitted

Name *Madison Jordan* and *X* children. Residence: *Denison, Tex.*

Reasons:

*Son of #998. Mother born after 1851.  
Grand-Mother enrolled as "Caroline Lynch,"  
"373 Saline".*

No. 38302

Name Madison Jones

With No. 998

Remarks:

No. 38302

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

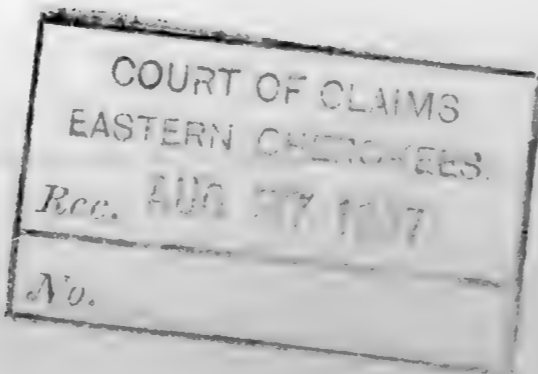
APPLICATION

OF

*Madison 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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38302

**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: Madison Jordan

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Dunson Texas

3. County: Grayson

4. State: Tex

5. How old are you? 24 Born Sept 8 - 1883

6. Where were you born? United Ind Terr

7. Are you married? no

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

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

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

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

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

Father—English name: Thomas J Jordan

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Reba J Jordan

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Reba J Bell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Was born in Ind Terr - 1850

Mother: Was born in Cherokee Nation Ind Terr

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

Father: in state of Mo

Mother: not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: young

Mother: young

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 in Broken Bow

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Jordan	1881	1896
	Madison Jordan	1883	living
(2)	Joseph Jordan	1886	living
	Walter B. Jordan	1888	living
(3)	Ed Jordan	1891	dead 1895
(4)	Carrie R. Herr	1879	living
	Viola J. T.		
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James J. Jordan	James M. Bell
Catherine Jordan	Caroline Bell
in state Mo	Ind Terr
in state Mo	State of Georgia

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)

*Madison Jordan*

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

*W. P. Green*

Notary Public.

*Grayson Co. Texas*

My commission expires

June 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

*C. V. Chandler*

and *R. E. Cameron*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Madison Jordan*

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.

*C. V. Chandler*  
*R. E. Cameron*

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

My commission expires

October 5, 1908.

*Will H. Byrd*

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
OCT 19 1909  
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Dear Mother  
I received your letter  
of the 14th and was  
glad to hear from  
you and to hear  
that you were all  
well. I am well  
at present and hope  
these few lines will  
find you all the same.  
I have not much news  
to write at present.  
I am your affectionate  
son  
John

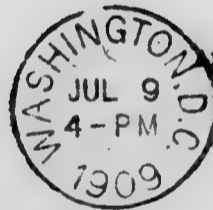
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Should you kindly  
investigate and find  
that the necessary  
papers are forwarded  
I will be glad to  
send you a copy

Yours Truly  
Wm. J. Ordway  
Box 711  
Linn, Ark.

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

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Wilson Jordan,  
Denison,  
Texas.



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

*Madison Jordan  
Lemson '34*

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 *15755*

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

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.

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

Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

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

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

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

The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.

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

The Clerk of Courts at:--

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 38303.

Action: Reject

Name Sylvester Taylor and 3 children. Residence: Sasakwa, 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 real connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

Miss. Test. P. 2167.



No. 38303

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(OK)

Name Sylvester Taylor

With No. Girado

Remarks:

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*Jan 10*

No. 38303

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sylvester Taylor*

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

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT  
COMMISSIONER OF CLAIMS



38303

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—  
English name: *Sylvester Taylor*  
Indian name: *Isom Taylor*
2. Residence and post office: *Sasakwa*
3. County: *Seminole*
4. State: *Indian Territory*
5. How old are you? *58 yrs* Born *March 8, 1849*
6. Where were you born? *In Alabama*
7. Are you married? *yes*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Emma Taylor, 42 yrs*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokees both*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Colonel Taylor</i>	<i>20 yrs</i>	<i>March 26, 1887</i>
(2)	<i>Billie Taylor</i>	<i>18 "</i>	<i>Sept 13, 1889</i>
(3)	<i>Emma Taylor</i>	<i>13 "</i>	<i>Feb 22, 1894</i>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: *Nathan Taylor*  
Indian name: *Isom Taylor*  
Mother—English name: *Annie Taylor*  
Indian name:  
Maiden name: *Annie Stone*

12. Where were they born?  
Father: *In North Carolina*  
Mother: *In Tennessee*

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

Father: *not Living*

Mother: *not Living, Born in 1812*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

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

Mother: *about 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: *No*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Eliza Taylor</i>	<i>dead</i>	<i>dont know</i>
(2)	<i>Margaret Taylor</i>	<i>dead</i>	<i>dont know</i>
(3)	<i>Julia or Judie Taylor</i>	<i>dead</i>	<i>" "</i>
(4)	<i>John Taylor</i>		
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Isom Taylor</i>	<i>Benjamin Stone</i>
<i>a Cherokee Indian</i>	<i>Beloth Stone</i>
<i>dont know Grandma's name</i>	

18. Where were they born? *I think North Carolina) dont know*

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

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

(1)	<i>Nathan Taylor</i>	
(2)	<i>Jesby Taylor</i>	
(3)	<i>Bert Taylor</i>	<i>I believe they are all</i>
(4)		<i>dead</i>
(5)		
(6)		

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents. Nathan Taylor and Annie Taylor, nee Stone. Grandparents Ison Taylor Cherokee Indian and Benjamin Stone & Selveth Stone

REMARKS. both English names

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I have always been taught that my Father and Grandfather Ison Taylor were Cherokee Indians and Grandmother Taylor was a Quarteroon.

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

(Signature) Sylvester Taylor

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

G. M. Davis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 17th, 1908, 190...

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. A. Marshall and J. P. Ramage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sylvester Taylor who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and 11 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Marshall  
J. P. Ramage

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

G. M. Davis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 17th, 1908, 190...

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Alvester Taylor*  
*Sasakwa*

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*Indian Territory*  
*Seminole 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 Indian Territory  
COUNTY OF Western District

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Sylvester Taylor  
for the county of Seminole state of Indian Territory do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special 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 Sasakwa, I. T.

J. H. Marshall  
J. T. Kamag  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Sylvester Taylor  
Signature.

State of Ind Ter County of Western Dist Be it known on the 22 day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared Sylvester Taylor, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires March 17th, 1910  
1907

W. M. Davis  
Notary Public

[L. S.]

And now to witness 22 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 22 day of August 1907

W. M. Davis  
Notary Public

Appl. #38308

May 18, 1908.

Sylvester Taylor,  
Sasakwa, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, state where the parent through whom you claim resided in 1834-35, if living at that time.

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.

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 1 1908

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Appt #38903

~~CHB~~

Hon. Genl. Miller

Dear Sir

In Reply to yours of the 18th  
Will state that my Parents  
Resided in Alabama in  
1834-35. My Grand Parents  
Moved from Tennessee to  
Whales Valley Ala. In an  
Early Day But I cant give  
The Date. Now if my parents  
were ~~ever~~ ever Slaves I never  
I never were informed of it.  
Nor I never was enrolled by  
The Daws Commision, as I know  
of

Now my Parents Died when  
I was small small and  
All I knew in regard to  
The matter is just what I  
was taught. ~~Happy~~

Respectfully Yours

Sylvester Taylor  
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Hon. Guion Miller  
Washington D.C.  
Dear Sir:

In reply to yours of the 18th  
will say my Parents Resided in  
Alabama in 1834.-35 my Grand  
Parents moved from Tennessee  
in an early day. to Whales Valley  
Ala. but I cant give the date of  
my Parents were never Slaves  
as I know of nor I was ever  
cursed by the Daws Commission  
that I know of. Now my Parents  
Died when I was small and  
all I know in regard. to the affair  
is just what I was taught.  
I have written you once before  
and I trust this will reach you  
all ok.

Respectfully yours

Sylvester Taylor  
Sasakwa Okla

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* AUG 7 1908

*No.*

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT AND COUNTY SURVEYOR,

SEMINOLE COUNTY.

Konawa, Okla. Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> 1908

Application No 38303.

Name Sylvester Taylor

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner

U. S. Court of Claims

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir

Sylvester Taylor said he forgot to say  
his Grandfather's name was Isaac Taylor or Isom  
By some people he was called Isaac and by others  
Isom Isom might have been a nick name for  
Isaac He was a Cherokee Indian abright  
application no 38303 for Eastern Cherokee funds -  
of Sylvester Taylor  
and P. B. Sasakwa

Seminole Co. Okla

Yours Truly

Anderson P Cagle

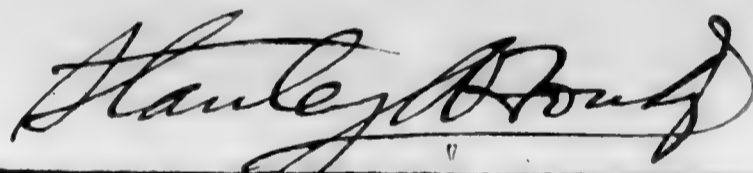
No. 38303

Sylvester Taylor, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Sylvester Taylor; my post-office is Sasakwa, Seminole Co., Okla.; I was born in Blount Co., Ala.; in the year 1848; I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my father, Nathan Taylor, who was a one-eighth Cherokee; my father was born in North Carolina; I do not know what section, in 1806; my father was in Alabama in 1835 at the time of the treaty; I do not know what year he moved from North Carolina; my father stayed in Alabama where he died in the year 1854; I know of no enrollment of my father and his people; they never received any money or land from the government; my father lived with the Indians about 1835; This is all I know.

Sylvester Taylor (Signed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of August, 1908, in Adair Okla.

  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of Court of Claims.

Reject -  
SATA



No. 38304.

Action: Reject.

Name Orlando Taylor and -- children. Residence: Sasakwa, Okla.

Reasons: Son of #38303. Claims thru same source.

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No. 38304.

Name Orlando Taylor.

With No. 38303.

Remarks:

*Rev 17 38303*

No. 38304

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

*Orlando Taylor*

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

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**FILED BY**  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**  
CLAIM AGENT  
KONAWA, IND.



*7088E*

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: Orlando Taylor  
Indian name: Isom Taylor
2. Residence and post office: Sasakwa
3. County: Seminole
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 31 Years Born July 15<sup>th</sup> 1876
6. Where were you born? In Tarrant Co. Texas
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)	<u>None</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:  
Father—English name: Sylvester Taylor  
Indian name: Isom Taylor  
Mother—English name: Emilia Taylor  
Indian name: Parker  
Maiden name: Emilia Parker
12. Where were they born?  
Father: In Alabama  
Mother: In Erath Co. Texas

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

Father: In Alabama Born in 1849-

Mother: In Texas n about 1845

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: "

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Henry Taylor	See 7 <sup>th</sup> 1880	
	Sasakwa J. T.		
(2)	Colonel Taylor		
	Sasakwa J. T.		
(3)	Billie Taylor		
	Sasakwa J. T.		
(4)	Reoma Taylor		
	Sasakwa J. T.		
(5)	Lonie Taylor		
(6)	Nathan Taylor		

17. 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 Taylor Indian	John Parker Indian
Annie Taylor	Sarah Parker
nee Stone	nee Frost
In North Carolina	

18. Where were they born? Tenn

Rutherford Co. Tenn

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

not living at that time.

In Tenn

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

(1) Bill Taylor	Ransom Parker
(2) Eliza Taylor	Billie Parker dead
(3) Margaret Taylor	Emmett Parker dead
(4) Julia or Judie Taylor	Johnnie Parker "
(5) Nathan Taylor	Joseph Parker "
(6) Henry Taylor	
(7) Jack Taylor	

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents Sylvester Taylor & Emma Taylor nee Parker both Cherokee Indians. Grandparents Nathan Taylor & John Parker both Cherokee Indians

REMARKS.

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

Great Grandparents Ison Taylor <sup>Indian</sup> and Grandmother Taylor was a Quarteroon.

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

(Signature) Orlando Taylor

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

Wm Davis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

My commission expires March 17, 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 U. S. Marshall  
and J. T. Ramage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Orlando Taylor  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and 11 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Marshall  
J. T. Ramage

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

Wm Davis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

My commission expires March 17, 1908.

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

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Orelando Taylor*  
*Konawa*

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*Indian Territory*  
*Seminole 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 Indian Territory  
COUNTY OF Western District

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Orlando Taylor  
for the county of Seminole state of Indian Territory do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERRSON 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 Sasakwa I. T.

J. A. Marshall Orlando Taylor  
U. T. Ramagl Signature.  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Ind Ter County of Western Dist Be it known on the 22 day of Aug 1907

personally appeared Orlando Taylor, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 1907  
[L. S.] W. M. Davis  
Notary Public

And now to witness 22 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 22 day of August 1907  
W. M. Davis  
Notary Public  
My commission expires March 17th. 1909.



No. 38305.

Action: Reject.

Name Mary A. Dethorage and 4 children. Residence: Bridgeport, Texas.

Reasons: Sister to #37412. Claims thru same source.

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*added to 3742*

No. 38305

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

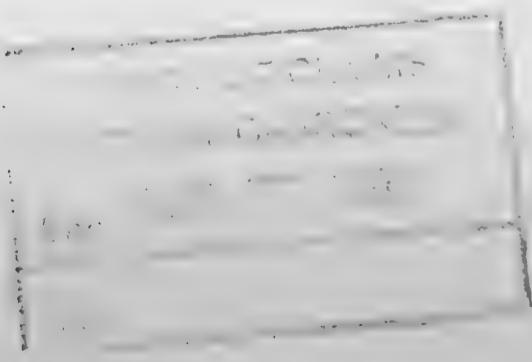
OF

*Mary A. Deatherage*

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

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - - IND. TER.



*38305*

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—  
English name: Mary A Deatherage  
Indian name: James Terrell
2. Residence and post office: Wise County Bridgeport P.O.
3. County: Wise
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 32 Born 3/15 1875
6. Where were you born? Walton County Florida
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wesley P Deatherage
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>Ray B Deatherage</u>	<u>12 years</u>	<u>7/14 1885</u>
(2)	<u>Murray M Deatherage</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>2/10 1887</u>
(3)	<u>Winnie M Deatherage</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4/6 1888</u>
(4)	<u>Leason S Deatherage</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>4/7 1900</u>
(5)	<u>John W Deatherage</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>9/14 1906</u>
(6)			

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

Father—English name: James J Terrell  
Indian name: James J Terrell  
Mother—English name: Bermelia A Mathis  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Bermelia A Mathis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pike County Mississippi  
Mother: Coffee County Alabama

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

Father: Like County Miss  
 Mother: Barn 8/15 1853

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 3/27 1851  
 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)	James W Terrell	7/28 1874	31y living Gage Ok
	Frances A Jose	10/4 1877	30 " Gage Texas
(2)	Leola C Kelso	10/30 1878	29 " Wash City Mo
	Edna P Saunders	2/5 1880	27 " Chico Texas
(3)	Lewis J Terrell	4/11 1882	25 " Gage Okla
	Ellen V Golden	9/27 1884	23 " Mallard Texas
(4)	Leuther N Terrell	6/14 1888	19 " Chico Texas
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE: James Terrell  
Elizabeth Terrell  
nee Northcott.  
 Both Cherokee Indians

MOTHER'S SIDE: Elizabeth Northcut

18. Where were they born? Mississippi

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

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

(1)	John N Terrell	dead	Elizabeth Northcut	Dead
	William W Terrell	"	William A Northcut	"
(2)	Agnes J Terrell	"	Thirza Northcut	"
	Marilla A Terrell	"	Hannah M Northcut	"
(3)	Mary S Terrell	"	James M Northcut	"
	Eden S Terrell	do not know	Sophiah A Northcut	"
(4)	Judith J Terrell	Dead	Fredy R Northcut	"
(5)	George W Terrell	"	Lusa A Northcut	"
(6)				

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grand Father James Terrell married in 1830 to Elizabeth Northcut - Cannot give date of birth of either

REMARKS.

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

Great-Grand Parents on the Grandmother's side John Northcott was born August 21, 1790, and Susannah Northcott was born June 11<sup>th</sup> 1789.

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

(Signature) Mary A. Deatheridge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

P. W. Winneke  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me A. L. Hutchison

and C. B. Adams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary A. Deatheridge

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. L. Hutchison  
C. B. Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

P. W. Winneke  
Notary Public.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Mary A. Deatherage*  
*Bridgeport*  
*Texas*  
*Wise County.*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Wise

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mary A Deatherage  
for the county of Wise state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERRSON 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 Bridgeport

A. L. Hutchinson  
C. B. Adams  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)  
Mary A Deatherage Signature.

State of Texas County of Wise. Be it known on the 19 day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared Mary A Deatherage, 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 any attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires May 31<sup>st</sup> 1909  
[L. S.] P. W. Sumner  
Notary Public

And now to witness 23 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 23 day of August 1907  
My commission expires March 17th, 1909. W. M. [Signature]

Bridgeport Tex Sep 20-

To Clerk of Court of Claims  
Washington D. C. I herewith  
Enclose an affidavit, Proving  
that our grand Father Ferrell  
Was living Jan. 1835 also  
1857. this affidavit is for  
Mary a Deatherage  
Bridgeport  
Wise Co  
Tex

file No 38305,



Name	Post Office	age	ab No
Mary A	Heatherage Bridgeport Texas.	34	38305
James W	Terrell, Gage, Ok.	33	41257
Francis G	Fore Ochiltree Texas	32	43522
Helia	Shelso, West Plains Mo	31	37412
Emily P	Saunders, Chico Texas	28	41470
Lewis T.	Terrell, Chico Texas.	24	41246
Ellen, V	Golden Mallard Texas	23	41679
Luther, G.	Terrell, Ok.	21	41469
William A	Terrell, Ok. Brady Ok. la.	41	41478

To the Clerk of the court of Claims Washington, D.C.

I will state to the court why I file  
This Bill of Exceptions for the reason why  
I claim that I was improperly placed on  
said Roll. Since I have found out the  
absolute facts in regard to the name of  
my great grand father which was sent in  
as Buck or More Terrell was only a nick  
name. His real name was Joe Terrell,  
he was married in North East Georgia  
to Anna Hewitt. My grand father James  
Terrell was born in North East Georgia  
he married Elizabeth Northcutt Nov 17, 1830.  
My father James J Terrell was born  
in Alabama, Sep 2, 1834, my grand  
father and family moved to Mississippi  
in 1849 and remained there until death  
Dec 6, 1863. In 1835 he was 28 years old  
In 1857 he was 44 years of age. Now as the above  
statement is correct I will ask the  
Court of Claims to allow me to file  
the Bill of exceptions on the grounds that  
I have been improperly placed on said  
Roll. By not knowing the exact name  
and Native names of our grand parents,  
how I gain a knowledge I am of Chero-  
okee Indian blood I was always taught  
by father, and was so recognized  
in the communities where I have lived  
Mary A. Leatherage

Sworn to and subscribed  
before me this 24 day of Aug 1909  
I. L. Evans, J. C. C.  
Notary Public in and for  
the County of Itaw  
at Pensacola Fla.

Received  
Sept. 23 1909.  
H.A.S.

~~No application~~  
~~on~~

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 24 1909  
No. 38305

To Whom it may concern.

I certify that I was personally acquainted with James Terrell and know that he was living in Amite county Mississippi in the year eighteen fifty one, but do not know the date of his birth. My Mother who was a sister of James Terrell and several years older than him informed me that he was born in Franklin county Georgia and his parents moved to Mississippi in eighteen-nineteen and he was about twelve or thirteen years old and he stayed in Mississippi until he attained his majority and then he went to Alabama and married there and stayed there several years and then he moved back to Amite county Mississippi and remained there until he died.

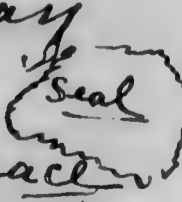
I think that was in eighteen sixty three or eighteen sixty four, James Jackson Terrell was born in Alabama I do not know the date or county, I have no interest in the claims or its prosecution, I am eighty three years old.

John G King  
Smithdale, Pa

R F P. no 3 box 46  
Mississippi

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day  
of September 1909.

J. F. Badon, Justice of the Peace



No. 38306-

Action: Rejects

Name: Alice E. Garrett and

children.

Residence:

Mullen, Nebraska.

Reasons: - Applicant was born in 1858 - in Missouri, and claims through Caroline Hutchinson, her mother - who was almost sure to have been living in 1835, - no such name appears on the Rolls of 1835 nor 1851. - Nor is Sarah Hutchinson the grand mother enrolled. She was born in Ga. - and they were all living in Tennessee at the time of these Enrollments. -

There is nothing to establish Cherokee connection, association, affiliation or recognition upon the part of claimant and her immediate ancestors at the time of the treaties of 1835 and 1846 - or since. The great-grand father Thomas Mitchell is only alleged to have been <sup>1/4</sup> Cherokee and there is no such name as Hutchinson enrolled in 1835 - and nothing to connect his descendants with the Cherokees. -

38306

No. 38306

Name Alice E. Gant

With No. ....

Remarks:

Not an roll.

Letter July 31, 1908.

There is a Thomas Mitchell on  
the Drennan Roll but there is  
nothing to show that he is  
related to this party. No subse-  
quent ancestor was ever  
enrolled.

See letter

Project.

No. 38306

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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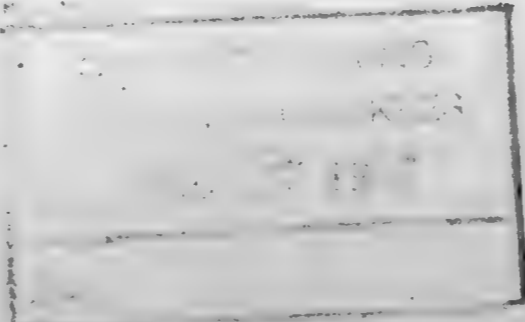
APPLICATION

OF

*Alice E. Garret*

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



38306

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Alice Elizabeth Garrett

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

2. Residence and post office: Waller Nebraska

3. County: Hooker

4. State: Nebraska

5. How old are you? 49 Born March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1858

6. Where were you born? Barry county Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Walter Henry Garrett - 55

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Walter Herbert Garrett		Sept-26-1880
(2)	Wesley Gertrude Garrett		April 27 <sup>th</sup> 1871
	Mrs. Florence Garrett		Feb 16 <sup>th</sup> 1877
(3)	Boy Crest Garrett		March 14 <sup>th</sup> 1885
	Clara Roscoe Garrett		Jan 1 <sup>st</sup> 1881
(4)	Earl Eugene Garrett		Sept-20 <sup>th</sup> 1888
	Sarah Wanda Garrett		April 9 <sup>th</sup> 1893
(5)	Lloyd Arlington Garrett		Sept 12 <sup>th</sup> 1896
	Ada Lee Garrett		Feb 26 1893
	Myrtle Garrett		Aug 13 <sup>th</sup> 1898
(6)	Reulah Jean Garrett		May 6 <sup>th</sup> 1900

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

Joseph Ham Caroline Ham

Father—English name: Joseph Ham

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

Mother—English name: Caroline Ham

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

Maiden name: Caroline Hutchinson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Yes ??

Mother: Yes ??



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

Father: Te 17 77

Mother: Te 17 77

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1899

Mother: about 1874

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

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.  
Jesse Hutcherson  
Sarah Hutcherson  
.....

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
i dont No mothers side  
it was Bin So Long

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Te 17 77

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 mother was a

Daughter of Jesse Hatcheson No. 400 Married Sarah Mitchell and she was a daughter of Thomas Mitchell and he was an Eastern Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

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

my mother was a sister to William Raysdal Hatcheson and Thomas Mitchell was his Grandfather on his Mother's side

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

(Signature) Alice Elizabeth Garrett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

My ~~commission~~ <sup>term</sup> expires

Jan, 1908

C. M. Barnaby  
Notary Public  
Chesapeake Court  
Woods Co., 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. M. Barnaby, S. H. Meyer  
and H. J. Lowe, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Alice Elizabeth Garrett who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 13 years and 14 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. H. Meyer  
H. J. Lowe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My ~~commission~~ <sup>term</sup> expires

Jan, 1907.

C. M. Barnaby  
Notary Public  
Chesapeake Court  
Woods Co., W. Va.

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

Appl. 38206

May 18, 1908.

Alice E. Garret,  
Nebraska.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Lott's 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 considered as white people, Indian or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

By what parent through whom you claim not enrolled is 1881, and where was he or she residing in 1881-85, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1881-85?

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

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CMB/ALS

7-31-08

App. #38306.

July 31, 1908.

Alice H. Garrett,  
Mullen, Nebraska.

Madam:

On May 18, 1908, a letter was sent you from this office requesting additional information in regard to your Eastern Cherokee claim. As we have never received a reply you are requested to send us the following information at once:

1. Why were you, your parents, and your grandparents, never enrolled?
2. Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?
3. Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846?

Give all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

Unless you can furnish the information requested above, your claim must be rejected, as the information given in your application is not sufficient to entitle you to share.

In replying, refer to No. 38306.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W.S./W.S.

COURT OF COMMONS  
EASTERN DISTRICT  
AUG 21 1900  
38306.

App. # 38306.

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

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Sta te of Nebraska, )  
County of Hooker ) ss. 7

In answer to the special questions hereto attached, I, Alice E. Garrett, of Mullen, Nebraska, do state on oath that I am a Niece of William Rogsdale Hutcheson of Bentonville Arkansas who has filed his formal application for his share of money appropriated for the eastern Cherokees Indians by act of congress approved June 30, 1906. William Rogsdale Hutcheson's mother was Sarah Mitchel daughter of Thomas Mitchell who was duly enrolled in 1851.

I know of no reason why my parents and grand parents were never enrolled, I do not know that they were or were not .

None of my ancestors were slaves, I do not know whether any of my ancestors were parties to any treaty.

My reason for thinking I am entitled to share in this fund is my relation to Thomas Mitchell who was enrolled and was  $\frac{1}{4}$  cherokee.

Alice E. Garrett

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this ## 17th day of August, 1908.

Wm C. M. Barney  
County Clerk.

No. 38307

Action: Repeal

Name Mary C. M. Thompson and 1 children. Residence: Rockmart, Ga.

Reasons:

Proof of genuine connection with the Eastern Cherokee insufficient. It appears that no ancestor was a party to the treaties of 1835-36-46. No ancestor was ever enrolled.

Misc. Test. P. 1021.

38307

No. 38307

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary J. M. C. 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.

6-624

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

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

SIR:

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

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Rocky Mount*

3. County:

*Polk*

4. State:

*Georgia*

5. How old are you?

*73*

Born

*January 26<sup>th</sup> 1834*

6. Where were you born?

*Carroll County, Georgia*

7. Are you married?

*Widow*

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)	<i>Nyatt E. Thompson</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>June 11</i>
(2)	<i>Naoma Thompson</i>	<i>50</i>	
(3)	<i>Joseph A. Thompson</i>	<i>45</i>	
(4)	<i>Louise Taylor</i>	<i>40</i>	
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name:

*Nyatt N. Williams*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Elizabeth V. Williams*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Elizabeth V. Wright*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Carroll County, Georgia*

Mother:

*Elbert County, Georgia*

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

Father: Carroll County, Georgia  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 75 years  
Mother: Jan'y 27 - 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>Marcell Williams</u>	<u>1836</u>	<u>about 1887</u>
(2)	<u>William Williams</u>	<u>1838</u>	<u>Rochester, Ga &amp; Co.</u>
(3)	<u>Jonathan Williams</u>	<u>1840</u>	<u>Alabama</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>Tidwell</u>	<u>Mary M. Vick</u>
<u>Charley Tabe</u>	

18. Where were they born? Dart Keweenaw

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

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

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) Dart Keweenaw
- (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 Isabella Margaret Clementine

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

A. H. Graefes  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 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 G. N. Peacock  
and L. M. Hatfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Mary Thompson  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 36 years and  
35 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. N. Peacock  
L. M. Hatfield

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

My commission expires March 8, 1908. A. H. Graefes, A. J.  
Notary Public.

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

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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *Marv J. M. C. Thompson*

*Rockmart,*

*Georgia.*

*R. R. #3*

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**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**

CLAIM AGENT,

**KONAWA, I. T.**

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Georgia
COUNTY OF Jackson

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mrs. Mary Thompson
for the county of Jackson state of Georgia do hereby
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in
said claim. My post office is Muskogee, Ga., P.O. #3.

G. M. Beacock
Mrs. C. W. Taylor
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Mrs. Mary Thompson
Signature.

State of Georgia County of Jackson Be it known on the 26 day of July 1907
personally appeared Mrs. Mary Thompson, 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 my attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 1st Feb 1908.
[L. S.] A. P. Cagle, A. P.
Jackson Co., Ga.

And now to witness 23 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 23 day of August 1907.

Notary Public for the State of Georgia
A. P. Cagle

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 6 1908  
No. 38302

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT AND COUNTY SURVEYOR,

SEMINOLE COUNTY.

Appl. # 38307

Konawa, Okla. June 30<sup>th</sup> 1908

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner

U. S. Court of Claims

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir

In answer to #38307 in the name of  
Mary J. M. C. Thompson, she says her people  
lived with the Cherokee Tribe. Before the Cherokee  
left Georgia in Carroll County, Ga and they  
always lived with them until the Cherokee left  
for the Indian Territory. My Parents were recognized  
as white people, and my Grandparents as Cherokee Indians  
No Negro Blood in our Veins. They resided in Carroll Co.  
Ga in 1834-35. The Relatives whom I claim under  
were dead in 1851. I believe. Consequently could not be enrolled  
they resided in Carroll Co. Ga. in 1834-35. Grandparents  
resided in Carroll Co. Ga too. The Indian Blood comes  
through my Father Wyatt N. Williams, Ind name Tidwell  
a great many of our relatives went to the Ind Ter  
But why my Parents and Grandparents were never  
enrolled I do not know. Father got his Ind Blood



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from his Mother. and she got her Indian Blood  
from her Mother. Great-Grandmother Mary Tidwell  
Cherokee Indian. Great-Great-Grandmother

Priscilla Tidwell Take

Great Great Grandfather Charlie Take an Indian  
Chief

My Father

Wyatt N. Williams. Indian name Tidwell  
Mary Tidwell Indian name.

Priscilla Tidwell married to Charlie Take  
Charlie Take Indian Chief.

M<sup>rs</sup> Thompson said she got her Indian Blood  
from her Father and he from his Mother, and she  
from her Mother, and I believe she meant to say  
Mary Tidwell was her grandmother instead of  
her Great Grandmother

Yours Truly

Anderson P Cagle

For M<sup>rs</sup> Mary J. M. C. Thompson

Rockmart, R. # 3.

Appl # 38307.

Polk County (Georgia)

*File with application*

No. 38307.

Mary I. M. C. Thompson, being first duly sworn and examined, deposes and says:

My name is Mary I. M. C. Thompson: I was born in Carroll Co., Ga. 1834: I claim my Indian blood through my father; I think my father was born in Carroll Co. in 1814: I make no claim through my mother; my father got his Indian blood through both father and mother: I do not know where my father's parents were born or when: they lived in Carroll Co., Ga.: my father never lived with the Cherokee Indians as a member of the tribe, he simply lived with the Indians as a white settler; I do not know whether my grand parents ever lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe: I think they lived as white people among Indians: in 1835 I and my father lived in Carroll Co., Ga.: in 1851 they lived in the same place: none of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever held as slaves: none of the ancestors through whom I claim ever went West with the Indians: none of my ancestors through whom I claim were ever enrolled and never received any money or land: my father's cousins, Massel Tidwell and John Tidwell, went West with the Indians, also James Tidwell: I have heard that they drew land and money in the Ind. Terr. as Indians and are living there in the present time.

*Mary I. M. C. Thompson*

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me, at Cedartown, Ga., this 7th day of July, 1908.

*Fred A. Baker*  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

This is so many pounds these 3  
days but he had my 3rd  
name and I wish it. For how  
I would do wrong; please tell  
me whether I did write  
wrong; and not things write  
you card!!! I expect

Wm. W. W. W. W.

CONFIRMED  
EASTERN EXPRESS  
JUL 16 1908  
38307

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Rock mart, by July 9<sup>1908</sup>

Mr. Anderson & Eagle  
Dear Sir: This was a man  
came to Cedar town from  
Osage last Tuesday the 7 and  
note to me to meet him  
there. I did not hear me what  
my Grand father's name was  
became I said I don't know I  
was not sure and I had  
thought that I made the mistake  
be. Their names was early  
I'd heard I'd well I did not  
see I'd well given name  
for me. That made me  
make the mistake with  
my, for tea; and I had some

16 miles from the bunting  
 and was herd down and had  
 to leave home that same night  
 and it looking just like it  
 was going to rain so we  
 got home and it was  
 a pitch and put a  
 down. Please try to find it  
 if it is necessary for me  
 that I made the Blunder  
 the name was J. A.  
 Baker from Washington  
 had a copy of the book  
 in the library of the  
 over

There is so many friends these 3  
days But he had my foot  
name and I inked it: for fear  
I would do wrong: He us tell  
me whether I did write or  
wrong; and set things write if  
you can!!! Respects

Mrs. M. S. Thompson

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EASTERN CHEROKEE

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My father's name is  
[unclear]

My grand father was  
[unclear] he had 3 grand  
The next great grand father  
[unclear] his name was [unclear]  
[unclear] grand  
father. My father's father  
was [unclear] he was the  
only [unclear]

It is now 10 years just  
[unclear] before you  
I had not understood  
[unclear] and started the  
[unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear]



It is not true that I gave the  
name of P. P. Person

It is not true that I gave the  
evidence that was taken at  
Bedford, which was given  
and the name of my  
father or the given names I  
was given after the ride  
there that I was not thinking  
of as I had given the name P.  
Person I did not use the given  
names their air names was  
to nearly sound like the given  
names their laughter  
being married P. P. Person  
and I did not account in  
the way that I have  
in fact from the time

over

when I could not find a  
failed to give the name

I will send you a list of the  
air names, and in the  
you to add them as you see fit,  
with any notes. As the other

aspects

Mary J. M. Thompson

as I have no other to send

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 16 1908  
No. 88327

*Ms. 1200  
W. H. ...  
...*

After 15 days, return to  
Rockmart, Ga.

RI  
JUL 10  
6 PM



After 5 days, return to  
*Mrs. M. S. Thompson*  
ROCKMART, GA.

REC JUL 10 6PM



NO. 10  
COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
RECEIVED JUL 16 1908  
No. 8837

*W. S. ...*  
*Chick*

No. 38308

Name: *Wm H. Robinson* and *3* children. Action: *Rejected*

Reasons: *1st. cousin once removed #21444* Residence: *Lampasas, Tex. Box 83.*

No. 38308

Name Wm H. Robinson

With No. 21444

Remarks:

No. 38308 *Field.*  
*Lampasas Tex.*  
Name Wm. H. Robinson

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

Remarks:

not on roll,

Asa S. Matthews  
#35133

should be grouped  
with this case

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CAGLE  
KONAWA*

No. 38308

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

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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: William H. Robinson

Indian name: can not remember

2. Residence and post office: Lampasas, Box 83.

3. County: Lampasas

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 56 years Born November 19<sup>th</sup> 1850

6. Where were you born? at Bellville, Austin Co Texas

7. Are you married? am a widower

8. Name and age of wife or ~~husband~~ her maiden name, Ida Eliza Watts

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>Clyde Robinson</u>	<u>16 years</u>	_____
(2)	<u>William Robinson</u>	<u>11 years</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Mabel Robinson</u>	<u>9 years</u>	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Osa Robinson

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

Mother—English name: Nancy Mobley

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

Maiden name: Nancy Mobley

12. Where were they born?

Father: some where in North or South Carolina

Mother: born at Decatur Ga

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

Father: Bellville, Austin Co. Texas

Mother: Bellville Austin Co Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in the fall of 1867 or 1868

Mother: is still living at Houston Tex

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>Wallace Robinson</u>	<u>Mobley</u>
<u>don't know Indian names.</u>	

18. Where were they born? don't know.

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

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

- (1) Ada Robinson Deceased
- (2) Jane Robinson
- (3) William Robinson
- (4) Sucretia Robinson
- (5) Dutlania Robinson
- (6) Joseph Robinson
- John B Robinson
- Ben F Robinson
- Nancy Robinson

21. 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 father was the first child of Wallace Robinson and I am the oldest child of my father and only one. can give you all the additional proofs if so desired

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

(Signature) W H Robinson

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

J. Wood  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W H Robinson Kyle Smith  
and W. F. Fisher, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with W H Robinson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and 50 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Kyle Smith  
W F Fisher

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

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

J. Wood  
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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Wm H. Robinson*  
*Box 83 / Lampasas*  
*Texas*  
*Lampasas County*

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CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Lampasas

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I W H Robinson  
for the county of Lampasas state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
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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 Lampasas Box 89

Hyle Smith W H Robinson  
W F Fisher Signature.  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Texas County of Lampasas Be it known on the 21 day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared W H Robinson, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid any attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 190  
[L. S.] J. Wood  
Notary Public Lampasas Co, Tex

And now to witness 23 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 23 day of August 1907  
My commission expires March 17th, 1909. W H Robinson  
Notary Public

Appl. #38308

May 18, 1908.

WILLIAM H. ROBINSON,  
Box 80,  
Lampasas, Texas.

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, at to place and when. 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 name through which you claim not enrolled in 1837, and where was he or she residing in 1837-5, or living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1837-5?

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

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 26 1908

No.

LAMPASAS, TEXAS.

May 22<sup>d</sup> 1908

Special Com Court of Claims Eastern Cherokee  
Enrollment

Dear Sir your letter just received,  
and I must inform you that I know  
but little of the family's ancient history,  
my father having died while I was a  
boy, but I will look up such information  
as you desire as far as I can, by consulting  
other members of the Robinson family  
who should be better posted than I am on  
such matters, and will give you the result  
of same, if you desire it, then, this much  
I can not say why my parent was not  
enrolled in 1851 if he was not, it was prob-  
ably through ignorance of his opportunity,  
all that I know of my grand parents were  
that they were originally from the Carolinas,  
emigrated from there to Alabama, and then  
to Texas, <sup>and Louisiana</sup> in the early days, but at what  
particular dates I am unable to inform  
you, do not know whether my ancestors  
at that time were recognized as Indians



LAMPASAS, TEXAS.

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and I am quite sure that there is no  
Negro blood in our veins unless it is  
possible that such could have happened through  
our Indian grandmothers  
and I could not say whether or not my  
grand parents resided with the Cherokee  
tribe. I am only sure of this, that I  
have always understood that on my  
father's side of the family that we were  
related to the Cherokee tribe. To see the  
portraits of either one of my aunts now  
deceased would easily establish that  
fact, as they all bore a very striking  
facial resemblance to a full blooded Indian  
woman, much more so than did my father.  
I suppose that you have sent similar letters  
to other members of the family, and hope  
that some of them may be able to give you  
the desired information, will do all in my  
power to assist you in any way that I can  
thanking you for your kindness I am etc

W H Robinson (CPLD 38308)

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 21 1908

No. 38308.

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT AND COUNTY SURVEYOR,

SEMINOLE COUNTY.

Konawa, Okla., July 17<sup>th</sup> 1908

Application No 38308

Name W. H. Robinson

Lampasas, Box #83.

Texas

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner

U. S. Court of Claims

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

Relative to Claim No 38308, for Eastern Cherokee funds: Indian Ancestors  
Father Asa Robinson, Grandfather Wallace Robinson  
Wallace Robinson resided in 1834-35, either in Marengo County or Sumter County, Alabama before that time. They lived in North Carolina they also lived in Charleston S. C. but nearly all their children were born in N. C. I believe he was himself born in Cherokee Strip, N. C. They lived with the Cherokee Indian Tribe in N. C. They also had some intercourse with the Cherokees after they moved to Ala.

Yours Truly

Anderson P. Cagle

Asa S. Matthews.

#35133.

Asa S. Matthews being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Asa S. Matthews, and I live <sup>in</sup> Grosvader, Tex. I am 54 years old. I know Wm H. Robinson, who has just testified he is a first cousin of mine. His father, Asa Robinson, and my mother were brother and sister. I heard the testimony of Wm H. Robinson which is substantially true, except I have always understood that the Indian blood comes through the Robinsons and not through the Bishops. We are making the claim through our common grandfather, Cornwallis Robinson, who died in Austin County, Tex. He died during the Civil War. My grandfather left Ala. and came to Tex. in about 1845. I am of the opinion that my grandfather, Cornwallis Robinson was 1/2 Cherokee Indian. I never heard of his getting any money from the Government on account of his Indian blood. My mother had baskets and other things that were given to her by the Indians on account of her relationship with them. My mother, ~~Brittania Matthews~~ Brittania Matthews, has been dead about 13 years. She died in Tex. at about 72 years of age. My mother was born either in N. C. or in Ala. and she came to Tex about the same time the rest did.

*Asa S. Matthews*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Sept. 1908, at Goldthwaite, Tex.

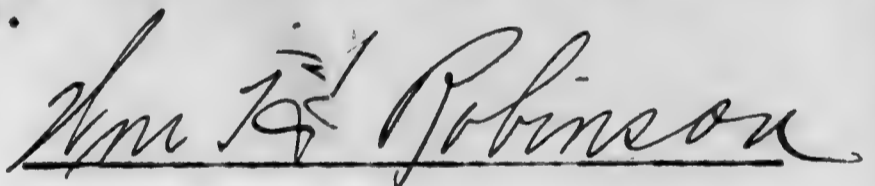
*J. E. Taylor*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.

Wm H. Robinson.

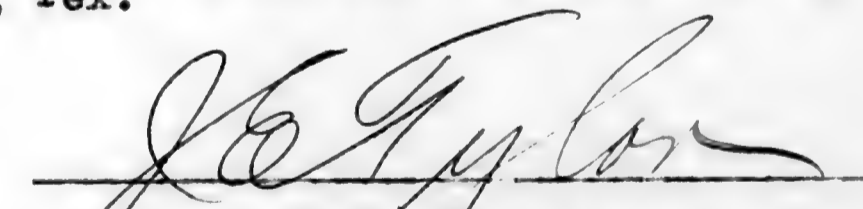
#38308.

Wm H. Robinson being first dgly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Wm H. Robinson and I am 57 years of age. I live in Lampasas, Tex. I claim my Indian blood through my father, Asa Robinson. He died in 1867, in Galvaston bay on a steamer. My father was born I think in Charleston S. C. but he lived in N.C. a great deal, and there is a possibility he was born there, for his father and mother were married in N.C. My father was 67 years of age at the time of his death, I think. I think ~~xxx~~ my father was a grown man when he came west. On his way from N. C. he stopped in Meringo or Sumpter County, Ala., where he must have lived a good many years. And then from Ala. he came to Tex. My father (it is my impression) that my father got his Indian blood through his mother, whose maiden name was Bishop, I do not know her given name. I do not know where or when she was born. I do not think she was living in my lifetime. I never heard my father talk to me about our Indian blood, but sometimes when I was a little fellow he would talk to us in the Indian language, just to tease us. I have heard other members of the family talk to me of my Indian blood. And I always ~~understood~~ understood that the tribe was Cherokee. My understanding is that they lived among the Indians in N.C. and even in Ala. when they went there. They visited and mingled to-gether back there.



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Sept. 1908, at Goldthwaite, Tex.

  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.

No. 38309

Action: *Repect*

Name *Mother Louisa Taylor* and *1* children. Residence: *Rockmart, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of Mary J. M. C. Thompson (38307)*

38309

No. 38309

Name Martha L. Taylor.

With No. 38307.

Remarks:

No. 38309

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Martha Louise Taylor*

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

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE  
INDIAN AFFAIRS  
AUG 27 1907

38309



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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. 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: Martha Louise Taylor

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

2. Residence and post office: Rockman

3. County: Polk

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 40 Born 1867

6. Where were you born? Polk County Ga.

7. Are you married? Yes Floyd County Ga.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charles Walter Taylor age 41

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: Thomas Jefferson Thompson

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

Mother—English name: Mary J. M. C. Thompson

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

Maiden name: " " William

12. Where were they born?

Father: Guinette County Ga.

Mother: Carroll County Ga.

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

Father: Carroll County Ga.

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Aug. 20 1900.

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>Wyatt S Thompson</u>		
(2)	<u>Maurice Elisabeth Rogin</u>		
(3)	<u>Joseph A Thompson</u>		
(4)	<u>Belle Sotherfield</u>		<u>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>Sidwell</u>	
<u>Charley Toke</u>	<u>Elizabeth V Williams</u>
	<u>Wyatt Williams</u>

18. Where were they born? Dunk Arrow

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

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

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) Dirt Arrow
- (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) Martha Louise Taylor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of Aug, 1907.

A. H. Graeger  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 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 G. M. Peacock  
and J. N. Hardage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Martha Louise Taylor who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 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.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. M. Peacock

J. N. Hardage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 8, 1908.

A. H. Graeger  
Notary Public.

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

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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *Martha Louise Taylor*  
*Rockmart*  
*Ga.*

*W.F.S. # 3*

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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 Georgia
COUNTY OF Polk

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Martha Louie Taylor
for the county of Polk state of Georgia do hereby
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in
said claim. My post office is Reckman Ga R. F. D. - 3

G. W. Peacock
J. R. Hardage
Martha Louie Taylor
Signature.

State of Georgia County of Polk Be it known on the 7 day of Aug 1907
personally appeared Martha Louie Taylor, 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 my attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires March 8 1908
[L. S.] A. H. Graefel, Jr.
Polk Co., Ga

And now to witness 23 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 23 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1908
A. H. Graefel, Jr.
Polk Co., Ga

Appl. #38307

May 18, 1908.

Mary L. C. Thompson,  
Rossmore, Ga.

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 in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Who was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1857, 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,

Special Commissioner

CLB/MS

No. 38310

Action: *Reject*

Name *Rachel Wood* and children. Residence: *Ridgedale, Tenn.*

Reasons: - *Claimant's mother, Catherine Alexander, was a slave and owned by John P. Alexander - from whom she takes her name. - (See affidavit.)*

*Claimant born in 1847 - of a slave mother herself a slave. -*

*She now has parents & lived any Cherokee connection - association or affiliation. -*

38310

No. 38310

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Rachel Wood*

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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

L. B. JONES.

*Atty*

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

38310



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Rachel Wood

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

2. Residence and post office: Ridgedale

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 60 Years Born in 1847

6. Where were you born? Selmer Co. Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sidney Woods Aged 70 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>Charles Wood.</u>		<u>1862</u>
(2)	<u>Mico Hardeman</u>		<u>dead</u>
(3)	<u>Milton Woods</u>		<u>Don't Know</u>
(4)	<u>Elizabeth Watkins</u>		<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>John Woods.</u>		<u>dead.</u>
(6)	<u>William Woods</u>		<u>29 Years old</u>
	<u>Lindsay</u>		<u>27 " "</u>
	<u>Robert Woods</u>		<u>22 " "</u>

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

Father—English name: Benjamin Burges

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

Mother—English name: Catharine

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

Maiden name: Catharine Alexander

12. Where were they born?

Father: South. Know

Mother: Hadersham County Ga

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

Father: Gilmer County Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died about 40 years ago

Mother: " Geby 1906

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

and with what tribe of Indian I think my father

was. my mother had no Indian blood

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Robert Alexander</u>		<u>Living</u>
	<u>Chattanooga Tenn</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>Sout Know</u>	<u>Richard Alexander</u>
<u>" "</u>	<u>Lena</u>

18. Where were they born? Habersham Co Ga

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

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

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

(2) None

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

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

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

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

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

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

REMARKS.

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

I claim Indian blood through my father Benjamin Burgess who was said to be 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.

Witnesses  
Willie Woods

(Signature)

Rachel Wood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 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

Willie Woods

and

W. R. Long

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

Rachel Wood

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Willie Woods

W. R. Long

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

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907 E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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

Appl. #38310

May 13, 1908.

Rachel Wood,  
Stagsville, Penn.

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 in the communities in which you and they have resided?

By was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1891, and where was he or she residing in 1844-45, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1844-45?

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

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CMB/ALS

Claimant states that she clearly and honestly believes that she is entitled to participate in the distribution of the fund in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and demands a fair and equitable imputation of her claim

Witness  
Beckel <sup>her</sup> Moresell  
Mary Miggins Watkins

Sworn to and subscribed before me on the day and date herein before written & certify that I have incinerated in this Claim & my Commission expires Oct. ~~29~~ 9th 1911

W. M. Matthews  
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Recd. MAY 25 1908

No.

app# 38,310

Chattanooga, Tenn.

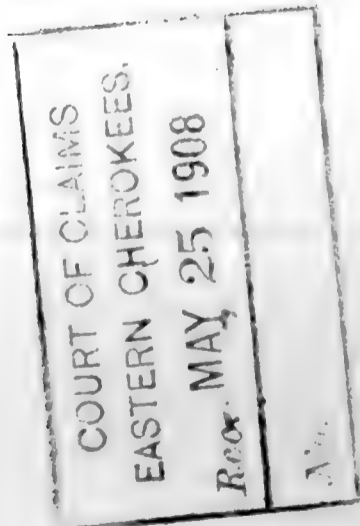
State of Tennessee }  
County of Hamilton }  
On this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1908  
Personally appeared before me  
a Notary Public, within and for  
said County: Rachel Wood, who being duly sworn  
by me: makes the following statement. To wit: That  
she, and her parents and grand parents, did live,  
and reside with the Cherokee Indians, in Gilmer  
County Georgia. That her grand parents, and parents  
were residing there, among the Cherokees, when they  
the Cherokees) removed from that section, and taken to  
the Indian Nation. That her father, Ben Burgess  
was a full blood Cherokee, Indian, and my mother  
was a half blood, and her name was Katherine Alexan-  
der, and they all resided in Gilmer County Ga  
in 1851. and my grand parents, resided there  
in 1835-1836. That, they were recognized as Indians.  
That her mother was a daughter of John P. Alexander  
a white man; That her father was a free Indian  
man. If her, claimant's mother, and grand parents  
were not enrolled at some of the dates mentioned  
claimant don't know, the reason why, unless it was  
a fact that they had no notice of such enrollments,  
being made, and had no opportunity, to enroll their  
names as Cherokee Indians. Claimant states, that she obtained  
all her information relative to her Indian descent  
from her parents, and they were known to be  
Indians, and called Indians by all who knew them

Claimant states that she clearly, and  
honestly believes, that she is entitled to  
participate in the distribution of the fund  
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and demands a  
fair and equitable investigation of her claim

<sup>her</sup>  
Rachel Wood  
witnessed by <sup>mark</sup> Lizzie Walters

Sworn to and subscribed before me on  
the day and date herein before written & I certify  
that I have no interest in this claim & my  
Commission expires Oct. ~~19~~ 9th 1911

E. H. Matthews  
Notary Public



No. 38311.

Name Milton Woods and 3 children. Action: Reject  
Residence: Coltuck, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 38310



No. 38311

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

*Milton*<sup>OR</sup> *Woods*  
*Self and 3 minors*

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

L. B. JONES.

*atly.*

CHATTANOOGA TENN.


38311

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Woods & 3 minors

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

2. Residence and post office: Oatthewah

3. County: James

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 41 years Born Sept 4 1866

6. Where were you born? Coweta County Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Addie Woods Age 30

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>James Woods</u>	<u>10.</u>	<u>Sept 14 1896</u>
(2)	<u>Viola "</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Apr. - 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Elfonso "</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Feb - 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Sidney Woods

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

Mother—English name: Rachel. "

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

Maiden name: Rachel. Alexander.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Walker County Georgia

Mother: " " "

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

Father: Walker County Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Ridgedale

Mother: " " 17

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Charles Wood Ridgedale Tenn	Don't know	Living
(2)	Mice Hardeman		dead
(3)	Elizabeth Watkin		Don't know
(4)	John Woods		Dead
(5)	William Woods Birmingham	29 years old	Living
(6)	Lindsay Woods Dolletobah Tenn	22 " "	"
	Isola Harris Chattanooga Ga	29 " "	"

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Don't know	Benjamin Burgess
" "	Cherine "

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Burgesses in Katersham County Ga. Don't know as to other side

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

Father's side	(1) James Woods	East. Chattahoochee Tenn
	(2) Ellen	Ridgedale Ga
Mother's side	(3) Martha Jgon	Don't know
	(4) Delia Sanders	Dead
	(5) Elvenia Belker	"
	(6) Cicero Alexander	"

21. 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 Indian blood thru my Mother and her ancestors*

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

(Signature) Milton Woods

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

E H Matthews  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 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 C R Sloug

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Milton Woods

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

Linz Wood

Signatures of Witnesses.

C R Sloug  
Preston Standifer

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

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews  
Notary Public.

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No. 38312

Action: Reject

Name Elizabeth Ricketts and 2 children. Residence: Sayre, Ala.

Reasons:

Daughter of #31178

38312

No. 38312.

Name Elizabeth Ricketts

With No. 031248.

Remarks:

*Waughites of 3178*

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*2 - No Children*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF  
*Elizabeth Ricketts*  
*Self and 2 minors*

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

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L. B. JONES.

*atly*

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

FOR CLAIMS  
IN THE  
U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Elizabeth Ricketts + 2 minors

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

2. Residence and post office: Sayre

3. County: Jefferson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 57 Born Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1849

6. Where were you born? Cherokee County NC

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Joshua Ricketts Age 57

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Augustus Ricketts	38	1869
(2)	Walter "	36	1871
(3)	Ida Penney	34	1873
(4)	Taylor Ricketts	25	1882
(5)	Viola Myers	22	1885
(6)	Fredrick Ricketts	20	1887
	Leona Lynn	18	1889

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

Father—English name: John Franklin

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

Mother—English name: Faney

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

Maiden name: Faney Rice

12. Where were they born?

Father: Duncombe County NC

Mother: Cherokee or Swayne Co NC

2 minors



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

Father: Cherokee County, NC  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 9 years ago  
Mother: Living at Soddy

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mathie Elder	1858	Living
	Soddy Penn		
(2)	Russeau Franklin	1869	"
	Soddy Penn		
(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
Jacob Franklin	William Buse
Peggie	Permitia

18. Where were they born? The Franklin in Buncombe Co. NC  
The Buses in Cherokee NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All in Cherokee County NC

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

Father's side	(1)	Jacob Franklin	Cherokee County NC
	(2)	Isaac	Indian Territory
	(3)	Sarah Raper	She died in 1861
	(4)	Benjamin Franklin	Indian Territory
	(5)	Earley	Don't know
Mother's side	(6)	Zilpha Stiles	Cherokee Co. NC
		William Buse	Indian Territory
		Elizabeth Standridge	Folk Co. Tenn
		Mahala Haney	" " "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I dont remember that I ever 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 Claim Cherokee Indian blood from my father and his father Jacob Franklin and his ancestors

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

Witnesses  
James Elder (Signature) Elizabeth Ricketts  
Fred

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

E. H. Matthews  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 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 Elder  
and Fred Ricketts, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Ricketts who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 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.

James Elder  
Fred

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires 9 Oct 1907.

E. H. Matthews  
Notary Public.

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

No. 38313

Action: Reject

Name Benjamin W. Wooten and 6 children. Residence: Whoddy, Tenn.

Reasons:

Applicant fails to show any genuine connection to the Eastern Cherokee. No ancestor ever enrolled. No ancestor a party to the treaties of 1835-36-46.

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Lucas Hickett

(uncle of  
applicant)

is associated  
with #319

which is an  
O.K. group.

Thank to

Yours  
Sincerely!

Field  
Hamilton Co. Tenn

No. 38313

Name Benj. W. Wooten

With No. ....

Remarks:

✓  
Write careful letter in this  
case - see slip herein.

No. 38313

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Benjamin Wooten*  
OF  
*for*  
*Self and 6 minors*

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

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L. B. JONES

*atly*

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
UNITED STATES

AUG 27 1907

E/ESB

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Benjamin W Wooten

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

2. Residence and post office: Whorley

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 38 yrs old Born May 19, 1869

6. Where were you born? Gordon Co- Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lizzie Wooten 24 yrs 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>Leona Wooten</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Febry 20, 1888</u>
(2)	<u>John "</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Sept 7, 1892</u>
(3)	<u>Pearl "</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>July 15, 1896</u>
(4)	<u>Clyde "</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>" 13, 1898</u>
(5)	<u>Samuel "</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>" 7, 1899</u>
(6)	<u>Edgar "</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Sept 19, 1905</u>

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

Father—English name: John Wooten

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

Mother—English name: Elizabeth "

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

Maiden name: " Wickett

12. Where were they born?

Father: State of Ala

Mother: Gordon Co- Ga

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

Father: Gordon Co Ga

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: I dont know

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Comm Young</u> <u>Indian Territory</u>	<u>dont know</u>	<u>living</u>
(2)	<u>Delia Chastee's Young</u> <u>Gordon Co- Ga</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Docia Jackson</u> <u>Pickens Co Ga</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>John N Wooten</u> <u>Pickens Co Ga</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>John Wooten Sr</u>	<u>Jack Wicketts</u>
<u>just br. mother</u>	<u>Jane</u>

18. Where were they born? Wootens in Pickett Co. Ga. The Wicketts in Gordon Co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wootens in Pickett Co- Ga The Wicketts in Gordon Co Ga

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

(1)	<u>John Wickett</u>	<u>dont know may live in IT</u>
(2)	<u>Elizabeth Younger</u>	<u>dead</u>
(3)	<u>Rebecca Roberts</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Sallie Knox</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Lemuel Wickett</u>	<u>living Fort Gibson IT</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: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

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

I make my claim thru my mother whose maiden name was Elizabeth Wickett and her ancestors. There is no indian blood from my father's side.

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

(Signature) Benjamin Wooten

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

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 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 Ellen West

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

that they are well acquainted with Benjamin Wooten

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 38 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.

Lorie King Ellen West  
O. M. Miller Charles McLean

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

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907 E. Matthews

Notary Public.

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

Appl. #38313

May 19, 1908.

Benjamin W. Wooten,  
Morley, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state through which parent you claim. Give the name, date and place of birth of that parent, and state where he or she resided in 1851. Give the names of your grandparents, uncles and aunts on the side through which you claim. Where were they residing in 1834-35 and 1851?

Were the parents and grandparents through whom you claim ever enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees. If they were, please state where and when. Where were your uncles and aunts on the side through which you claim residing in 1851?

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

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CLB/ALS

Claimant states that, he obtained all his information  
relating to his Indian blood from his mother  
and her father, Claimant's grandfather, who claimed  
to be  $\frac{1}{4}$ , or that his father was  $\frac{1}{2}$  and his mother's blood  
Cherokee Indian. Now Claimant is satisfied from  
all that has been taught him by his mother and  
grand father, that he was a good right to a portion  
of the fund in favor of the Cherokees, and demands a  
fair investigation of his claim.

B. B. Wynn

I swear to and subscribed W. W. Wynn  
before me on the day and date before  
written to certify that I have no interest  
in this claim.

W. W. Wynn  
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. MAY 27 1908 No. . . . .
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State of Tennessee }  
County of Hamilton } 1908. Benjamin W. Wooten, came  
before me, a Notary Public, in and for  
said County, and made oath to the following state of  
facts, to wit: That he claims his Cherokee Indian blood through  
his mother whose name, was Elizabeth Wooten, ne Wickett,  
that she, (mother) and her parents, claimants grand  
parents, lived in Gordon County, Ga, in 1835 + 1851. That  
his grandfather on his mother's side was recognized as a  
Cherokee Indian, and the U S Troops were gathering the  
Cherokees together to take them away from that section of the  
Country, and take them to the Indian Nation, or Territory,  
that his grand father, Jack Wickett, hid out in the  
mountains, to keep from going, or being taken by force, and  
he has been dead about 25 years. and claimant presumes  
that is the reason, that he was not enrolled, if it  
is a fact, that, his name does not appear on the roll of  
the Eastern Cherokees, any way that is the only reason  
claimant can give. that his uncles and aunts were named  
as follows; John Wickett, Lem. aunts Liney, Sarah & Queen.  
If none of them were not enrolled at any of the dates  
given, this claimant can't give any reason why, unless  
it was, that they had no notice of such enrollments  
being made, and had no opportunity to enroll their names  
as Cherokees, that his uncles and aunts all resided in  
Gordon County Ga; until two uncles and one aunt, left and  
went to the Indian Territory. That none of his parents or  
grand parents were slaves of either white people or Indians.

Claimant states that, he obtained all his information relative to his indian blood from his mother and her father, Claimant's grandfather, who claimed to be  $\frac{1}{4}$ , or "that his father was  $\frac{1}{2}$  and his mother's blood" Cherokee indian. Now Claimant is satisfied from all that has been taught him by his mother and grand father, that he has a good right to a pro rata of the fund in favor of the Cherokees, and demands a fair investigation of his claim.

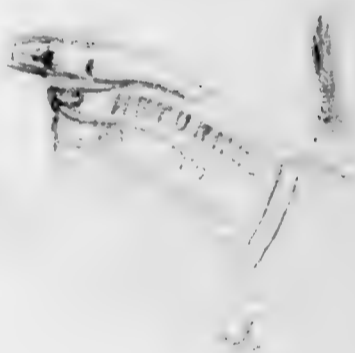
B. Benjamin

Sworn to and subscribed before me on the day and date before written & I certify that I have no interest in this claim.

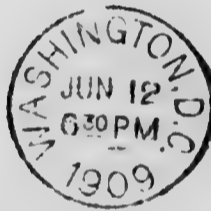
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**



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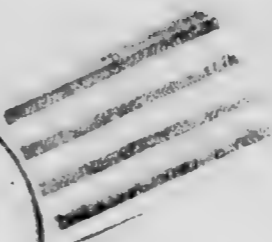
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

*Benjamin W. Wooten,  
Wholly, Tenn.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 38313, 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. 38314.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Alouzo Monroe Miller* and 1 children. Residence: *St. Elmo Tenn*

Reasons:

*replew of # 31222 and claims through the same source.*

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No. 38314

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF  
*Alonzo Monroe Miller*  
*for*  
*Self and 1 minor*

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

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**L. B. JONES.**

*atty*

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
AND  
GENERAL INVESTIGATION  
UNIT

38314

No.

**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: Alongo Monroe Miller, minor  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: St Elmo #218 Fairview Ave
3. County: Hamilton
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 29 yrs old Born Sept 7, 1877
6. Where were you born? Walker County Ga
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Aquilla Miller 37 yrs 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>Ernest Miller</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Dec, 2, 1901</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Henry Miller  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nancy "  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: " Nixon

12. Where were they born?

Father: Walker Co Ga

Mother: " " "

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

Father: Walker Co Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living Walker Co Ga

Mother: died 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: I dont know

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

died 1901  
 died long ago  
 living  
 Born 1868  
 18-  
 1879  
 (7) Jerry Miller  
 (8) Army  
 9 Silas  
 Walker Co Ga  
 (10) Adakilling Miller  
 Walker Co Ga

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William F. Miller Walker Co - Ga	1853	living
(2)	Ancie Ellison Miller	1856	died 1890
(3)	Mary Shields Walker Co Ga	1860	living
(4)	John Miller Walker Co Ga	1862	"
(5)	Sarah Powell Walker Co Ga	1864	"
(6)	Marcy Daniel Walker Co Ga	1866	"

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

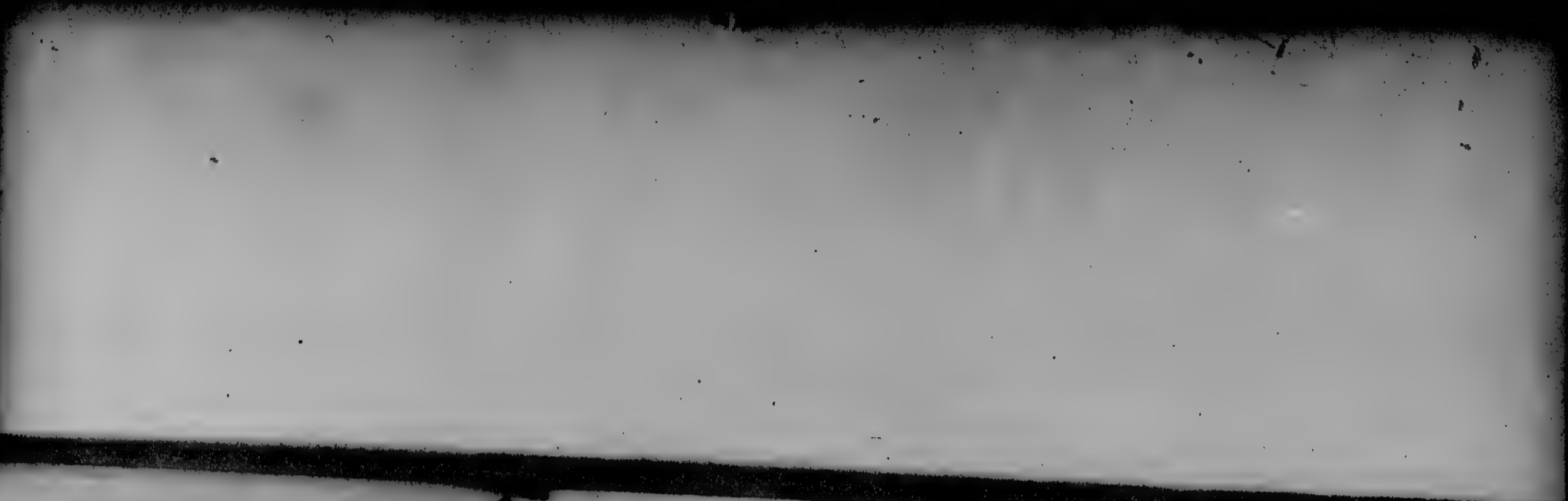
FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>John Miller</u>	<u>William Nixon</u>
<u>"</u>	<u>Myra</u>

18. Where were they born? dont know where the millers were born  
William Nixon in Walker Co Ga - Myra in Va

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

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

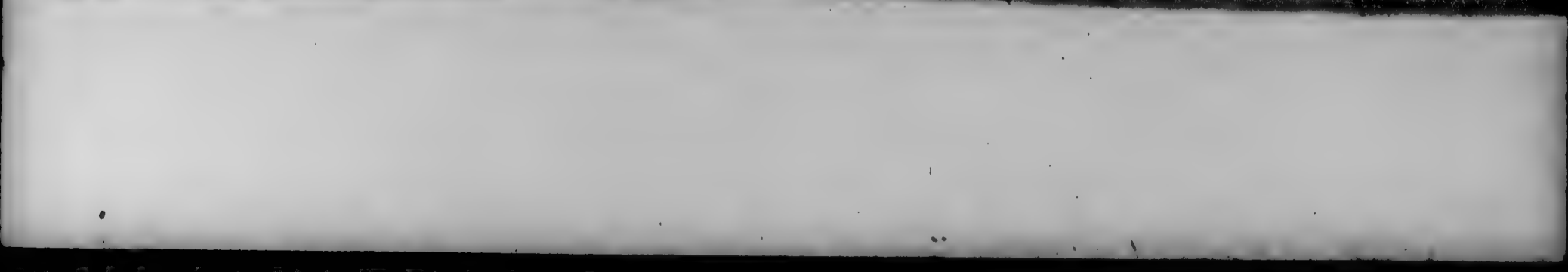
- (1) Jerry Nixon living Walker Co Ga
- (2) Mary A. Boylston Nixon " St. Cloud Tenn
- (3) William Nixon " Walker Co Ga
- (4) Bettie McAuliffe " " "
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_



17 State	16 Name	15. Wc	14. Da	13. Wc
	(7) Jerry Miller	Born	Died	
	(8) Henry "	1868	1901	
	9 Silas "	18 —	dead long ago	
	walker boka "	1879	living	
	(10) Ida Killingsworth Miller	1882	"	
	walker Co Ga			

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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: \_\_\_\_\_

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 get my Cherokee blood from my mother and her ancestors, who ~~was~~ <sup>is</sup> a daughter of William Hixon, whose mother was a Navo, a niece of John Ross

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

(Signature)

Alonzo Monroe Miller

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

W. Matthews  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 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

J. C. Rowden

and

James Taylor

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Alonzo M. Miller

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Rowden

James Taylor

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

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. Matthews  
Notary Public.

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No. 38315

Action: Reject

Name: Namie R. Butler and — children.

Residence: 974 Florida St. - Memphis, Tenn.

Reasons: - Claims Cherokee descent through her father Robert M. Jackson - who was not enrolled in 1851.

No Cherokee connection, association, recognition or affiliation established between claimants and ancestors at time of treaty of 1835-6 or since.

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No. 38315

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Nannil P. Butler*  
*Self and 3 minors*

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

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**L. B. JONES**

*atly*

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

U. S. CLAIMS COURT OF CLAIMS MAY 18 1905
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5/13/05



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Nannie R. Butler + minor

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

2. Residence and post office: 10 N. 24<sup>th</sup> St Chattanooga

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 40 Born Dec 22 1864

6. Where were you born? Jackson Co Ala

7. Are you married? I am a widow

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>Mathie L. Curtis</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>Sept 2 1884</u>
(2)	<u>Charles Butler</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>Mar 9 1886</u>
(3)	<u>Nell "</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Dec 27 1888</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Robert M Jackson

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

Mother—English name: Martha E

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

Maiden name: Martha E Green

12. Where were they born?

Father: Sequatchee Valley Tenn

Mother: In South Carolina

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

Father: Cherokee County Ala  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died Jan 4<sup>th</sup> 1907  
Mother: " 13 years ago

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

and with what tribe of Indians: I dont know

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Alsie E. Campbell	Dont know	Dead many years ago
(2)	John M Jackson	Dont know	Living
	Metreville Ala		
(3)	Nicholas W. Jackson	" "	Dont know, In Indian Territory if living
(4)	Robert Jackson	" "	Dead
(5)	William Green Jackson	" "	Living
	California		
(6)	Manna E. Gorton		Dead 4 years ago
	Mary L. Jackson		Dead
	Frank Jackson	Living in	Walker Co. Ga
	Francis Marion Jackson		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.
John Jackson	William Green
Eva	Alse Green

18. Where were they born? In South Carolina

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

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

Father's side	(1) Ransom Jackson	Dead
	(2) Alson	"
	(3) Andrew	"
	(4) John	"
Mother's side	(5) Myra Osburn	"
Father's side	(6) Libby Cook	"
"	" Susa Thompson	Living in Hill City Tenn

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

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

REMARKS.

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

*I claim Indian blood through my father and his ancestors.*

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

*Witnesses*  
*Alga S Scudder* (Signature) *Wannie R Butter*  
*J. T. Jackson*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

*E. H. Matthews*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 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 *Alga S Scudder*  
and *J. T. Jackson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with *Wannie R Butter*  
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 *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Alga S Scudder*  
*J. T. Jackson*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907. *E. H. Matthews*  
Notary Public.

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

Appl. 139315

May 13, 1933.

Winnie R. Butler,  
17 S. 24th Street,  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

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 "half-breed" Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

What is the exact date when you claim not enrolled in 1831, 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 Indian or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHE/173

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 19 1908

No.

Franklin's name

June 6<sup>th</sup> 1908

Dear Mr. Miller

Dear

Received subscription 38315-

in the amount of \$38,315.00. There is five (5)

blank lines that does

not state who Young

assistant is now staying

at or what time

of day as I do not

know of a boat

thought maybe it

is a matter of paper

work and let me

at once about it

Will send you a copy soon

The paper read,

Discovered

Francis R. Butler

974 Florida Ave

Memphis Tenn

P.S. I am living here in  
Memphis at present to see  
if I can't have my health  
better.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* JUN 19 1908

*No.*



Philadelphia, Jan 24th

Thomas P. Butler

10 N 24th Street  
Phila

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the payment of the assets of ... in favor of the ...

... of ...

... at ...  
... of taking  
...  
...  
...  
...  
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...

present at that time.  
You can ascertain when  
the sailing will take place  
by making inquiry at the  
\_\_\_\_\_ hotel.

Bring this with you

Lucian Miller

S. Special Com-  
As you see I don't  
understand the application.

7-27

App. No. 38315.

July 16, 1908.

Nannie R. Butler,  
#10 West 24th Street,  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

You were notified to appear to give testimony at Chattanooga, Tennessee, before a representative of this office, but you failed to appear. A letter was sent you some time since requesting additional information in regard to your claim, but no reply has as yet been received. Unless, therefore, you can furnish additional information, as requested below, your claim will be rejected. The additional information required is:

1. Why were you, your parents, or grandparents, never enrolled?
2. Were any of your ancestors slaves?
3. Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846?
4. State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply, referring to No. 38315, will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

38315

Memphis Tenn.  
July 21<sup>st</sup> 1908

Mrs. Quincy Miller.  
Special Commissioner.

Sir:-

I received your letter  
from Chattanooga to  
Memphis, it has been  
quite a while since I have  
been there, even if I  
was here I would not  
know where to meet  
you. I am sure you  
will not mind my not  
going to meet you  
at Memphis and will be  
happy you will be  
able to see if you can

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tell. I do not know  
why they were not  
enrolled. Not more  
of them was ever  
slaves. They lived around  
Crawford county and then  
some there to Sequoyia  
County Tenn. Thence from  
there to Walker county Ga  
where he died at. I left  
Crawford county unoccupied and  
I had a nephew (Frank  
Johnson), in charge, of it  
I have written to him  
several times, but cant  
get a letter from him  
I dont know what my  
nephew has done and  
if he has not gone

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JUL 31 1908  
*No.* 38315.

representation I wish you  
 should let me know  
 if I did not have the  
 of your hand in this I  
 would not try to claim it  
 if you could have seen  
 my father you would  
 said to you that  
 my father was not  
 that and no regard  
 they all say - I understand  
 the I would be hard  
 all ways been taught that  
 it had in your hand  
 in us. I have often heard  
 my father telling  
 us a lot of such  
 stories. I am of my  
 power to be in the

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 31 1908

No. 38315.



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could let me know  
if I did not have the  
Indian blood in me I  
would not try to claim it  
if you could have seen  
my Father you would  
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my Grandfather was not  
white Indian and red negro.  
They all say a living among  
the Indians we have  
all ways been taught that  
we had in Indian blood  
in us. I have often heard  
my grand father telling  
us a lot of fine little  
tales. I am of my  
lover to be in Chata

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as I am not able to  
travel. Will close hoping  
to hear from you early  
date.

Respectfully

Wm. L. Butler  
974 Florida St.  
Memphis Tenn

No. 38316

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Lillie M. Kearns* — and children. Residence: *Soddy, Tenn.* —

Reasons: — *Claimant's ancestors were not enrolled. —  
No Cherokee association established. —  
Ancestors were slaves of Indians  
(See letter of admission herein.)*

38316

No. 38316

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Lillie M. Kearns*

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

L. B. JONES.

*atty*

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.


38316

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name:

Lullie M Kearnes

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Soddy Dome Rt 3

3. County:

Hamilton

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

21

Born

July - 1886

6. Where were you born?

Hamilton County Ga

7. Are you married?

No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Cherokee Tribe

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)	No		
(3)	Children		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name:

Burton Kearnes

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary Kearnes

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mary Laster.

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Lumpkin County Ga

Mother:

Wacker " "

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

Father: Walker County Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Young at Saddy Tenn Rt 3

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 don't know

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Charles C Kearnes Spring City Tenn	1870	Living
(2)	Leontina C. Lewis Waisy Tenn	1868	"
(3)	Martha E Baker		died 1899
(4)	Amos J Kearnes Soddy Tenn	1877	Living
(5)	Minnie C Patton Soddy Tenn	1879	"
(6)	Thronia Penny Soddy Tenn	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
Hubbard Kearnes	Benjamin G Laster
Sarah	Minnie

18. Where were they born? Kearnes Habersham County Ga Laster in  
Greensboro Ga

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

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

(1)	Thomas Kearnes	Don't know dead
(2)	Adaline Mc Gill	"
(3)	Martha Coffman	Living in Walker Co Ga
(4)	Malinda Mc Gill	" " " "
(5)	Rachel	Hamilton Co 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:

REMARKS.

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

*I claim my Cherokee Indian blood from my father and his ancestors My Great Grand Mother Bennett was said to be 1/4 Cherokee Indian*

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

Witnesses B Kearnes  
J. M. Perry (Signature) Lillie M Kearnes  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug 1907.  
E. H. Matthews  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 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 Burton Kearnes  
and J. M. Perry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lillie M Kearnes who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 21 years and 18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B Kearnes  
J. M. Perry  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907. E. H. Matthews  
Notary Public.

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

Appl. #36816

May 18, 1900.

Lillie M. Kearns,  
Route 2, Gaddy, Tenn.

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. Have you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indian or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1831, and where was he or she residing in 1831-35, if living at that time. Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1831-35?

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

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CMB/AT



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 4 1908  
No.

5/29

1908

Dear Sirs

in answer to yours  
of the 5/18 1908 in Reply to questions  
asked that Resided with the Cherokee  
Tribe in 1830 in Habersham Co  
Georgia that was recognized as Indians  
that died before that and that Resided  
in Swainking Co Ga 1834, 1835 Slaves  
of Indians

Lillie B. Hearnes

CHD  
38716

No. 38317 -

Action: Reject. -

Name: Alonzo Kelly - and 1 children. Residence: 311 Montgomery Ave. -  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Reasons: - Claimants parents were slaves  
No Cherokee connection or recognition shown.

No. 38317

Name *Alouzo K*

With No. ....

Remarks:

# 43179,

*grouped to*

*not an roll*

*Revised*

*applicat<sup>n</sup> /*

*down*

No. 381317 -

Action *Reject.* -

Name *Alvin Kelly* - and 1 children. Residence: 311 Montgomery St. -

Reasons: - *Claims no parents in name  
No Cherokee connection or recognition shown*

381317

No. 38317

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Name Alouzo Kelley

With No. ....

Remarks:

# 43179,

grouped herewith.

but on rolls.

Repealed.

Apply with present...

No. 38317

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Alonge Kelley*

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

6-524

L. B. JONES.

*atty*

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
FOR EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
AUG 27 1907

38317

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Alonzo Kelley

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

2. Residence and post office: 311 Montgomery Ave Chattanooga

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 53 years Born April 14<sup>th</sup> 1854

6. Where were you born? Walker County Ga

7. Are you married? I am a widower yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lora Kelley

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Guy</u>	<u>27</u> <del>188</del>	<u>1880</u>
(2)	<u>Sofra Misner</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>1882</u>
(3)	<u>Bryzelton Kelley</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1884</u>
(4)	<u>Robert Lee</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1886</u>
(5)	<u>William Kelley</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1889</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Anderson Kelley

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

Mother—English name: Silvey "

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

Maiden name: Selvey "

12. Where were they born?

Father: In North Carolina

Mother: " "



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

Father: Walker County Ga  
Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 8 years ago  
Mother: " 30 " "

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lee Kelly Walker Co Ga	Don't know	Living
(2)	Samuel Kelly Beesomer. Ala	" "	" "
(3)	Duke Kelly William "	Died 13 years ago	Living
(4)	Chattanooga 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.
<u>Barter</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
<u>Moan</u>	<u>" "</u>

18. Where were they born? In North Carolina

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

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

(1)		
(2)	<u>Don't know</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

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

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

REMARKS.

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

I claim Indian blood from my father and his ancestors.

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

Joseph Kelley (Signature) Alonzo Kelley  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.  
Est Matthews  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 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 Charlotte Wilson  
and S J Patton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Alonzo Kelley who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 49 years and 30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

make Indian name: Charlotte Wilson  
Joseph Patton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907. Est Matthews  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 29 1908

No.

W. M. NIXON, President  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

THEO. L. MONTAGUE, Treasurer  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

WM. B. CRAWFORD, Gen. Mgr.  
Four Mile, Ky.



**CRAWFORD & COMPANY, LESSEES**  
**BLACK RAVEN COAL CO.**

MINERS AND SHIPPERS OF  
**BLUE GEM JELICO**  
**COAL**

ANALYSIS:

Moisture.....	2.28 per cent.
Volatile Combustible Matter.....	38.17 per cent.
Fixed Carbon.....	63.40 per cent.
Ash (light brown).....	1.20 per cent.
100.00	
Sulphur.....	68.100 of 1 per cent.
B. T. U.....	14786

Mines at Four Mile, Bell Co., Ky.

Main Office at 330 Market Street

Four Mile, Ky.

My father's mother, was Indian descent, and his father was white and recognized as such. Grandmother was slave and never lived among tribe. Mother and father were slaves of white people in states of Georgia and N. Carolina.

Dont know why my grandmother who lived at <sup>1834 + 35</sup> Millsboro N.C. in ~~1857~~, was not enrolled, Grandparents. dead in 1857. but both parents, were living in Georgia. dont know they were not enrolled

38317  
Alonga Kelly.  
311 Mont gomery ave.  
Chattanooga  
Tenn.

Accl. 43317

May 18, 1908.

Alonzo Kelly,  
62 Longmory Ave.,  
Memphis, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Act, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee people. 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?

Why was the parent through which you claim not enrolled in 1881, and where was he or she residing in 1881-88, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim resided in 1881-88?

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

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CEB/ALS

THEO. L. MONTAGUE, Treasurer  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

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Main Office at 330 Market Street

Four Mile, Ky.

Mother, was Indian descent, and his  
and recognized as such. Grandmother  
lived among tribe. Mother and father  
the people in states of Georgia and  
grandmother who lived at  
1834-35.  
in 1857, was not enrolled,  
ad in 1857, but both parents,  
Georgia. don't know they were not

Monza Kelly.

311 Mont gomery Ave.

Chattanooga

Tenn.

No. 38318.

Action: Admitted.

Name Samuel I. Davis,

and - children.

Residence: Harrison, Tenn.

Reasons: Nephew of #6292.

*Applicant's father Lafayette Davis, enrolled  
by Chapman #1619.*

*Enrolled by Heester #2722.*

38318

No. 38318

Name Sam. L. Davis

With No. 6292

Remarks:

6292



JUN 2 1910

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

Treasury Warrant No. 9690

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 728 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.

Samuel L Davis

Jdy

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*Refer to 6272*

No. 38318

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel L. Davis*

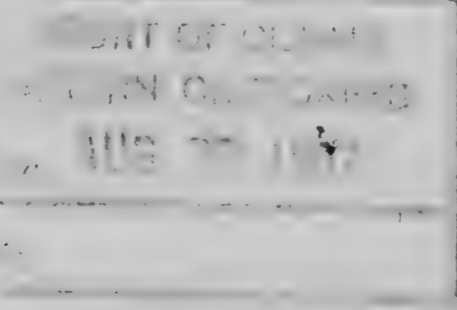
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**L. B. JONES.**

*Atty*

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—  
 English name: Samuel L. Davis  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Harrison  
Hamilton
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 38 Born Nov 4, 1868
6. Where were you born? Hamilton County Tenn
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nannie Davis aged 37
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee Tribe
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Father—English name: Lafayette Davis

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

Mother—English name: Nancy Davis

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

Maiden name: Nancy Murphy

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hamilton County Tennessee

Mother: Roane " 4

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

Father: Hamilton County Tennessee  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Norman Tennessee  
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 don't know I think  
my father has

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Bellie Blythe</u> <u>Soddy Rk. No 3 Tenn</u>	<u>1870</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Jefferson Davis</u> <u>Norman Tenn</u>	<u>1874</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Lane</u> <u>Retro Tennessee</u>	<u>1876</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Jackson Davis</u> <u>Retro Tenn</u>	<u>1878</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Lilla Davis</u> <u>Norman Tenn</u>	<u>78</u>	<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>Wesley Davis</u>	<u>William Murphy</u>
<u>Belle Davis</u>	<u>Doreus</u>

18. Where were they born? Davies in Hamilton County Tennessee  
Murphy in Roane Co

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

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

Fathers side	(1) <u>Cynthia Davis</u>	<u>Snow Hill Tennessee</u>
	(2) <u>Eliza Bell</u>	<u>Died about 30 years ago</u>
	(3) <u>Jade Wolf</u>	<u>" " 10 " "</u>
	(4) <u>Webb Davis</u>	<u>" in 1903</u>
	(5) <u>John Davis</u>	<u>Living in Alabama</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:

REMARKS.

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

*I claim Indian blood thru my father and his mother whose maiden name was Bellie Reed*

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

(Signature) Samuel L Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

E Matthews

Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 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 D. H. Laman

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

that they are well acquainted with Samuel L Davis

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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. H. Laman

J. E. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907.

E Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 21819

Action: Rec'd

Name: Wanda Albert

and 7 children.

Residence: 1000 1/2 W. 1st St. Chattanooga Tenn.

Reasons: \

to name the same as of 1910

No. 38319

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF  
*Claudia Abbott*  
for  
*Self and 1 minor*

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

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L. B. JONES

*Att'y*

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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AND INDEXED  
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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:

*Claudy Abbott*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*1609 Hawthorne St Chattanooga*

3. County:

*Hamilton*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*29 yrs* Born *Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 1878*

6. Where were you born?

*Dalton Ga*

7. Are you married?

*Yes.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*William Abbott*

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

*Cherokee. Tribe*

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Newman.</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>Sept 13<sup>d</sup> 1898</i>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name:

*Jackson Proyles*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Anna. Proyles*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Annie Clincher*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*In Tennessee*

Mother:

*Greenville S.C.*



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

Father: In. Tennessee

Mother: In. Greenville S.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Chattanooga Tenn.

Mother: died Oct 6<sup>th</sup> 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: I don't know

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Indianapolis Proyles Morrison	Apr 1. 1879	Living
(2)	Howard Proyles Morrison Tenn	Feb 16 <sup>th</sup> 1882	"
(3)	Margaret Proyles Chattanooga	18 1885	"
(4)	Mary Proyles Chattanooga Tenn	18 1885	"
(5)	Lilla Proyles Chattanooga Tenn	20 1894	"
(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
Grant Proyles	Don't know
Sydney	"

18. Where were they born? Don't know

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

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

*Travis side*

(1)	Benjamin Proyles	Macon Ga
(2)	Mary Dapp	Dalton Ga
(3)	Venice Proyles	Chattanooga Tenn
(4)	Matthie Harton	St Louis Mo
(5)	Lillie Proyles	Dalton Ga
(6)	Alice Hayes	Morrison Tenn

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

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

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim Indian blood thru my father and his ancestors

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

(Signature)

Claddy Abbott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 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

Mary Broyles

and

Annie Broyles

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

that they are well acquainted with

Claddy Abbott

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark:

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mabel Howell

Mary Broyles

Fannie Dwyer

Annie Broyles

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct

1907

E. Matthews  
Notary Public.

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No. 38320.

Action: *Reject*

Name *John C. Lawrence* and *X* children. Residence: *St. Louis, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Son of # 33516 and claims through the same source.*

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No. 38320-

Name Jno. C. Lacey.

With No. 33516-

Remarks:

No. 38320

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*John C. Lacey*

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

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*Halbert B. Case* *atly*  
13½ E. 8th St.  
CHATTANOOGA TENN.

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AUG 1907

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name:

John C. Lacewell

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office #3214 Olivet St. St. Louis

3. County:

4. State:

Missouri

5. How old are you? 35 yrs old Born March 10, 1872

6. Where were you born? Bradley Co. Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband Carrie E. Lacewell 40 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: William C. Lacewell

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Mary E

Indian name:

Maiden name: " " Hayes

12. Where were they born?

Father: Monroe Co. Tennessee

Mother: Bradley " "

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

Father: Monroe Co - Tennessee

Mother: Bradley " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living Rossville Ga

Mother: " " "

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joseph W. Lacey	Nov 26. 1869	living
	Rossville Ga		
(2)	Lucy C. Martin	June 30. 1876	"
	Chattanooga Tenn		
(3)	Rosa A. Binton	Dec. 26. 1878	"
	Rossville Ga		
(4)	George	March 7th 1868	"
	Dallas Texas		
(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.
Peter N. Lacey	John H. Hayes
Mary	Polly

18. Where were they born? Peter Lacey, Rutherford Co - N.C. Mary Lacey, Monroe Co - Tenn. John Hayes in Edgeville Dist. S.C. Polly, in S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? The Lacey's in Monroe Co - Tennessee & the Hayes in Bradley Co Tenn

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

(1)	Daniel H. Lacey	living	Agar Texas
(2)	Joseph P	"	near Lebanon "
(3)	Mary Cooper	"	dead
(4)	John H	"	Dalton Ga
(5)	Margaret Abbott	"	dead
(6)	George Lacey	living	Dalton Ga

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 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 claim Cherokee blood from both my father and mother, and refer to their claims heretofore filed.*

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

(Signature)

*John C. Lacey*

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

*Edgar M. Walker*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 26 - 1911, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. P. Dowdell

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

that they are well acquainted with John C. Lacey

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. P. Dowdell*  
*W. H. Dorsey*

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

My commission expires

Jan 26<sup>th</sup> 1911, 190

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to me well known to be the identical person who executed the foregoing Letter of Attorney, and the same having been first fully read over to him and the contents thereof duly explained, acknowledged the same to be his act and deed, and that I have no interest, present or prospective, in the claim.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office, the day and year last above written.

[L. S.]

*Benjamin A. Stuart*

*Notary Public*

I, *Joseph H. Woods*, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that *Benjamin A. Stuart*, Esq., who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit, was, at the time of doing, *Notary Public* in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *January*, 19*08*

[L. S.]

Clerk of the *County of Cook*

*Joseph H. Woods*

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE or NOTARY, then CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of character hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.

**POWER OF ATTORNEY.**

No. *38.320*  
CLAIM OF  
*John C. Lacwell*

FOR  
*His share Eastern Cherokee*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 24 1908  
No.

FILED BY  
*Halbert Blouse*  
*Chattanooga*  
*Tennessee*

[No. 24.]

# POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I, John C. Lacwell

of ~~the~~ Chicago, in the County of Cook, and State of Illinois,

have made, constituted, and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute, and appoint

Harbert B. Lease, of Chattanooga, Tennessee,

my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my name, place, and stead, hereby annulling and

revoking all former Powers of Attorney whatever in the premises, to prosecute before any

Department, or the Courts, or Committees of Congress of the United States until final completion,

for me, my Claim for such share as may be due me of

the fund appropriated by the Act of Con-

gress, approved June 30, 1906, in accor-

dance with the decrees of the Court of

Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906

in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

The number of my claim as filed with Gui-

on Miller, Special Commissioner is

38,320.

and to, from time to time, furnish any further evidence necessary, or that may be demanded,

giving and granting to my said attorney 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, with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that

my said Attorney or his - substitute, may, or shall lawfully do or cause to be done by

virtue hereof.

My Post Office address is #9305 Cottage Grove Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this Eighth (8<sup>th</sup>)

day of January - Nineteen hundred and eight (1908).

W. L. Lacey

W. L. Lacey

Two witnesses who can write sign here

John C. Lacwell

(Signature of Claimant.)

[L. S.]

State of Illinois, County of Cook, ss:

BE IT KNOWN, That on this Eighth day of January in the year ~~eight~~<sup>nine</sup>teen hundred and Eight (1908) —, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared John C. Lacwell to me well known to be the identical person who executed the foregoing Letter of Attorney, and the same having been first fully read over to him and the contents thereof duly explained, acknowledged the same to be his act and deed, and that I have no interest, present or prospective, in the claim.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office, the day and year last above written.

Barney A. Stuart

Notary Public

[L. S.]

I, Joseph W. Hoas, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that Barney A. Stuart, Esq., who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit, was, at the time of so doing, Notary Public in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of January, 18 1908

Joseph W. Hoas  
Clerk of the County of Cook

[L. S.]

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE or NOTARY, then CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of character hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

No. 38.320

CLAIM OF

John C. Lacwell

FOR

His share Eastern Cherokee

COURT OF CLERKS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JAN 24 1908  
No.

FILED BY

Halbert B. Buse

Chattanooga

Tennessee

Printed and For Sale by J. F. Sherry, Claim Blank Printer,  
No. 623 D Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

No. 38321 Action: Admit

Name Ruth Baker and X children. Residence Lynn, Va.

Reasons:

1st cousin once removed of  
Claimant's mother - grandmother  
enrolled as "Ka-ho-ka" at Fort

38321

No. 38321-2

Name Ruth Baker

With No. 906

Remarks:

JUL 20 1910

JUL 25 1910

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

Treasury Warrant No. 13349 -

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 4001 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.

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Sign for wife A. Baker

*1st. Commission  
of the panel*

No. 38321

**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION

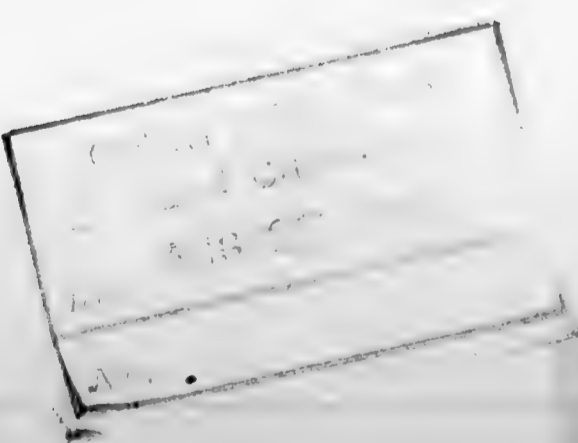
OF

*Ruth 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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*38321*

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Ruth Baker

Indian name: Ester

2. Residence and post office: Texanna St.

3. County: Dist 12

4. State: Ind Terr.

5. How old are you? 30 Born 1877.

6. Where were you born? Canadian Dist

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: A. Baker, Age 48.

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>Sam Baker</u>	<u>6 months</u>	<u>July 13-07.</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Dunkin Trader.

Indian name: Hatter Dunkin was all the name he had

Mother—English name: Pally Trader

Indian name: Halley

Maiden name: Pally Blackhawk.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Canadian Dist

Mother: Tablquah Dist



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

Father: Not living at that time

Mother: Not living at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died Aug 7 - 1912.

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: All moneys and for land in the Cherokee Tribe of Indians.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Rena</u> <u>Leader</u>	<u>1879.</u>	<u>1897</u>
(2)	<u>Ellen</u> <u>Leader</u>	<u>1880</u>	<u>1897</u>
(3)	<u>Ed</u> <u>Leader</u>	<u>1884</u>	<u>1903</u>
(4)	<u>Reggie</u> <u>Miller</u>	<u>1887</u>	<u>living</u>
(5)	<u>Andy</u> <u>Leader</u>	<u>1888</u>	<u>Living</u>
(6)	<u>Charles</u> <u>Leader</u>	<u>1890</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u>Sarah Leader</u>	<u>1885</u>	<u>Died 1887</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>Ed Leader.</u>	<u>Nick Blackhaw</u>
<u>Mary Miller ne Leader.</u>	<u>Sarah An. Blackhaw.</u>

18. Where were they born? Some where in the north.

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

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

(1)	<u>Jim Leader</u>	<u>Jessie Blackhaw</u>
(2)	<u>Tom Leader</u>	<u>Emley Blackhaw.</u>
(3)	<u>Will Leader</u>	
(4)	<u>Susan Gentry</u>	
(5)	<u>Alcy Graham</u>	
(6)	<u>Sammy Miller</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: All Land and money in the Cherokee Nation
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Cant give them.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Nothing at present

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

(Signature) Ruth Baker

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

J. H. Scott  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb'y 2, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. H. Scott  
and W. M. Wright, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ruth Baker who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses -- mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Scott  
W. M. Wright

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

My commission expires

Feb'y 2, 1908. J. H. Scott  
Notary Public.

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No. 3832.2 Action: Admission  
Name Peggy Miller and X children. Residence: Lexanna, W. Va.

Reasons:  
1st cousin once removed of  
Claimant's maternal grand-  
mother, enrolled as "Ka-ho-ku"  
at Flint # 90

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No. 38322

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mr. Peggy Miller*

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

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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: *Reggie Miller ne Trader,*  
Indian name: *None*
2. Residence: *4 miles north of Texanna Sp.*
3. Town and post office: *Texanna Sp.*
4. County: *Dist 12*
5. State: *Ind Terr.*
6. Date and place of birth: *1887 - Canadian Dist*
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: *Ed Trader & Mary Miller ne Trader and Nick Blackhaw & Sarah Ann Blackhaw.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Henry Miller 21 years.*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Dunkin Trader*  
Indian name: *Walter Dunkin Trader was all his name*  
Mother—English name: *Polly Trader*  
Indian name: *Taller Trader*  
Maiden name: *Polly Blackhaw.*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Canadian Dist*  
Mother: *Tahlequah Dist*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Not living at that time*  
Mother: *not living at that time*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Aug 7-1902*      Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: all money and for Land in the Cherokee nation

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

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Ruth Baker	1877	living
(2) Rena Trader	1879	1897
(3) Elley Trader	1880	1897
(4) Ed Trader	1884	1908
(5) Andy Trader	1888	living
(6) Charley Trader	1890	living
Sarah Trader	1885	Dead 1887

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Ed Trader	Nick Blackhaw
Mary Miller ne Trader	Sarah ne Blackhaw

17. Where were they born? Some where in the north

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Canadian Dist Cherokee nation

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

- (1) English name: Jim Trader Garter 271  
 Indian name: Tom Trader Dead 1885  
 Residence: Hill Bader not known
- (2) English name: Susan Trader lahlgnah 271  
 Indian name: Elcy Graham Texanna 271  
 Residence: Drusey Trader Dead not known
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: Ann Blackhaw, Dead 1884  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: Sarah Blackhaw Dead 1887  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. money and Land in the Cherokee nation

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

*Cared Give them no further Back.*

REMARKS.

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

*None worth speaking*

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.) *Peggy Miller*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24* day of *August*, 190*9*.

My commission expires *Feb 2*, 19*11*, *J. M. Scott*  
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 *Josee Good* and *Hick Downing*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Peggy Miller*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *12* years and *12* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Josee Good*  
*Hick Downing*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24* day of *August*, 190*9*.

My commission expires *Jan 1*, 19*11*, *J. M. Scott*  
Notary Public.

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No. 38323

Action: \_\_\_\_\_

Name

Wm. A. [unclear]

and

children.

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons:

Duplicate of 2372.

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No. 38373

Name Mary Crotchfield

With No. 2370

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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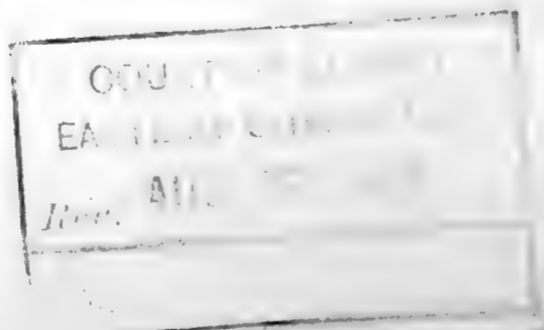
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Crutchfield*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1900, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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38323

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Crutchfield <sup>now Willis</sup>  
 Indian name: not known
2. Residence and post office: Tiawat
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 20 Born June 6-1886
6. Where were you born? In Cherokee Nation
7. Are you married? Have been, am divorced
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Benjamin Willis
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>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: Thomas Crutchfield  
 Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Sarah Crutchfield  
 Indian name: not known  
 Maiden name: Sarah Piersall

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: Jan 22 In Cherokee Nation  
 Mother: Illinois

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

Father: Born after 1851

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Jan 22 - 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.

Father on Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880, and was a Cherokee allottee

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Eli Spitchfield</u>	<u>Emigant Cherokee,</u>	<u>no</u>
	<u>Tiawak D.S.</u>		
(2)	<u>Lewis Spitchfield</u>	<u>age 16</u>	<u>Tiawak D.S.</u>
	<u>Sarah</u>	<u>" 14</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Baby Alice</u>	<u>" 10</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

They were whites

18. Where were they born?

Paternal grandfather in Cherokee Nation, east

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

Paternal grandfather in Cherokee Nation

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

- (1) Thomas Spitchfield my father
- (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 am a Cherokee allottee

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

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Refer to the application of my brother  
Edw. Louchfield, Emigrant Cherokee,  
Number

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

(Signature) Mary Louchfield

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

[Signature]  
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. C. Bushyhead  
and Edw. Louchfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Louchfield who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Bushyhead  
Edw. Louchfield

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

My commission expires

4/26/, 1909, [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. 38324

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Adline Hendrix* and *2* children. Residence: *Darby, N. C.*

Reasons: *Cousin of #27830, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 38324-5

Name .....

With No. 36267

Remarks:

Adrian Hendrix  
Allen Trickett

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Cousin of 27830

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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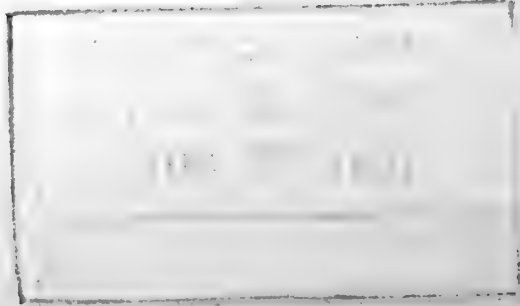
APPLICATION

OF

*Adeline Hendrix*

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

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4-23-18



**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— Adeline Hendrix  
 English name: Adeline Hendrix  
 Indian name: Cherokee
2. Residence and post office: Dorcy
3. County: Wilkes
4. State: NC
5. How old are you? 61 Born Oct 6<sup>th</sup> 1846
6. Where were you born? Wilkes County
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sanford Hendrix 44 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>George Hendrix</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>1868</u>
(2)	<u>Melvina Hendrix</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>1871</u>
(3)	<u>Janet Hendrix</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1884</u>
(4)	<u>Grover Hendrix</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>1886</u>
(5)	<u>Green Hendrix</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1889</u>
(6)			

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

William Triplett & Selena Triplett  
 Father—English name: William Triplett  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Mother—English name: Selena Triplett  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Maiden name: Selena Penly

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wilkes County NC  
 Mother: Caldwell County

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

Father: Wilkes County NC

Mother: Wilkes County NC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died 1843

Mother: " 1880

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>Stou Triplett</u> <u>69</u>	<u>1838</u>	
(2)	<u>Eliza Triplett</u> <u>67</u>	<u>1840</u>	
(3)	<u>Rudacill Triplett</u> <u>65-</u>	<u>1842</u>	
(4)	<u>Mark Triplett</u> <u>63</u>	<u>1844</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>Jesse Triplett</u>	<u>Suckin Triplett</u>
	<u>Cherokee</u>
	<u>Maiden Name</u>
	<u>Snakee Hodges</u>

18. Where were they born? Wilkes Co NC

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

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

(1)	<u>Lewis Triplett</u>	<u>Sallie Triplett</u>
(2)	<u>Wain Rod Triplett</u>	<u>Nancy Triplett</u>
(3)	<u>Dan Triplett</u>	<u>Jessie Triplett</u>
(4)	<u>Martin Triplett</u>	
(5)	<u>Russel Triplett</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:

Parents William Triplett Selena Triplett  
Grand Parents Jesse Triplett Snakie Triplett

REMARKS.

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

I am a descendant of the Cherokee  
Tribes

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

(Signature)

Adeline Hendrix

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

J. D. Sean

Notary Public.

My commission expires

oct 17, 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. K. Hodges

and

G. M. Triplett

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

that they are well acquainted with

Adeline Hendrix

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.

J. K. Hodges  
G. M. Triplett

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

My commission expires

oct 17, 1908. J. D. Sean

Notary Public.

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No. 38325

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Allen Triplett* and *5* children. Residence: *Darby, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #27830, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 38325

Name Allen Triplett,

With No. 27830

Remarks:

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No. 38325

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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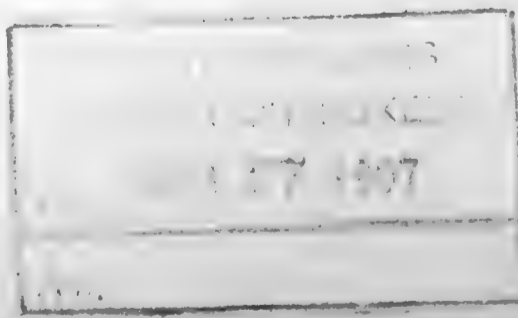
APPLICATION

OF

*Allen Triplett*

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

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38325

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Allen Triplett  
Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Darby

3. County: Wilkes

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 42 Born 1865

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

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rebecca Triplett 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)	<u>Anna Triplett</u>	<u>14</u>	
(2)	<u>Jimmy Triplett</u>	<u>12</u>	
(3)	<u>Joe Triplett</u>	<u>7</u>	
(4)	<u>Mary Triplett</u>	<u>5</u>	
(5)	<u>Connie Triplett</u>	<u>2</u>	
(6)			

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

Father—English name: J. H. Triplett # 35-7

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Eliza Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Eliza Hendrix

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wilkes County N.C.

Mother: Wilkes County N.C.

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

Father: Wilkes County N.C.

Mother: Wilkes County N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Palmer Hall</u>	<u>1863</u>	
	<u>Will Triplett</u>	<u>1862</u>	
(2)	<u>Jasper Triplett</u>	<u>1874</u>	
		<u>1875</u>	
(3)	<u>Talt Triplett</u>	<u>1</u>	
	<u>Ona Triplett</u>	<u>1872</u>	
(4)	<u>Noah Triplett</u>	<u>1878</u>	
	<u>Luther Triplett</u>	<u>1879</u>	
(5)	<u>George Triplett</u>	<u>1883</u>	
(6)	<u>Tommy Triplett</u>	<u>1888</u>	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Bill Triplett</u>	<u>George Hendrix</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>
<u>Selena Triplett</u>	<u>Millie Triplett</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>

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

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

North Carolina Wilkes County

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

(1)	<u>Stow Triplett</u>	<u>Kellie Hendrix</u>
(2)	<u>Mark Triplett</u>	<u>Samford Hendrix</u>
(3)	<u>Fred Triplett</u>	<u>Alfred Hendrix</u>
(4)	<u>Fade Triplett</u>	<u>Olga Hendrix</u>
(5)		<u>Delia Hendrix</u>
(6)		<u>Dosah Hendrix</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never 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: J. H. Triplett  
Eliza Triplett  
Grandparents Bill Triplett Selena Triplett

REMARKS.

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

I am a descendant 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)

Allen Triplett

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

J. D. Sean

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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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. Woods

and

J. A. Denny

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Allen Triplett

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John W. Woods

J. A. Denny

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

My commission expires

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1908.

J. D. Sean

Notary Public.

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No. 38326

Action: Reject

Name Emily Terry - and children. Residence: Lone Star, Texas

Reasons: Applicant was born in 1835 - and is not on the rolls of that year or 1851. -

no Cherokee connection or association established. -

Claimant states in ~~her~~<sup>a</sup> letter that her parents were slaves of Indians. Claimant herself likely a slave. -

38326

No. 38326

Reject

Name Civil, Texas

With No. ....

Remarks:

"S' laws of Indians."  
See letter

not on rolls.

Reject

No. 38326

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

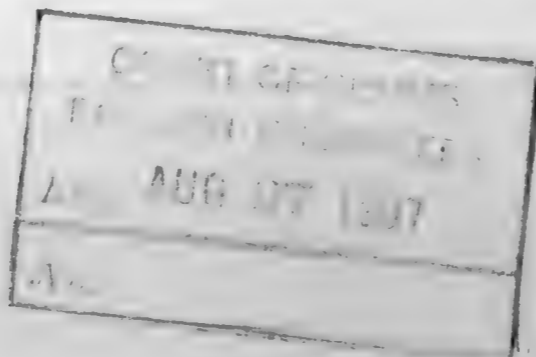
OF

*Mrs Emily Terry*

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

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**FILED BY**  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE.**  
CLAIM AGENT.  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.



38326

**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: Emily Prechard Perry

Indian name: Emily Stokes

2. Residence and post office: Cherokee County Texas Lone Star

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 72 years Born 1835

6. Where were you born? Alabama, Tuscaloosa County

7. Are you married? Married

8. Name and age of wife or husband: husband is 78 years

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>John T Perry</u>	<u>52 years</u>	<u>April 20, 1853</u>
(2)	<u>Thomas Perry</u>	<u>50 "</u>	<u>July 2, 1857</u>
(3)	<u>Matha S. Perry</u>	<u>42 "</u>	<u>April 4, 1866</u>
(4)	<u>Mary Perry</u>	<u>30 "</u>	<u>Mar 27 1870</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Henry Prechard

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Wallas

Indian name: Sara F. Stokes

Maiden name: Wallas

12. Where were they born?

Father: State of South Carolina

Mother: " " " " as well as I remember

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

Father: In Alabama, Marion Co.

Mother: In Alabama Marion Co.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't know

Mother: did 1867

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 neither one

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>all dead</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.  
Henry Peachard.  
English name; no  
Indian name or don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Wallace, English  
Indian, Stroaks.

18. Where were they born? all born in South Carolina Willard know.

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

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

(1) Don't know.

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Don't know

REMARKS.

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

Don't know of any

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

(Signature) Mrs Emily <sup>her of</sup> Terry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

A.C. Wher Notary Public  
and Office - Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. H. Dickson  
and Mollie Dickson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs Emily Terry who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Dickson  
Mollie Dickson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Nov. 15, 1907

A.C. Wher Notary Public  
and Office - Notary Public.

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

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Mrs Emily Terry*  
*Lone Star*  
*Texas*  
*Cherokee Co*

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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 Ga  
COUNTY OF Cherokee

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mrs Emily Terry  
for the county of Cherokee state of Ga do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special 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 Low Star.

J. H. Dickson  
Mrs Mallie Dickson  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Mrs Emily Terry  
Signature.

State of Ga County of Cherokee. Be it known on the 19 day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared Mrs Emily Terry, 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 Nov. 15 1908

A. C. Abercrombie Justice of the Peace  
Cherokee Co. Tex  
Official Notary Public

[L. S.]

And now to witness 23 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 23 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1908.

J. M. Davis  
Notary Public

Appl. #38326

May 18, 1908.

Edith Perry,  
Long Star, Texas.

Sir:

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

Why was the parent (brother) of your father not enrolled in 1891, and were you or the mother residing in 1891-92, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side that held you claim residing in 1891-92?

If your parents or grandparents were ever slaves, of what color were they of Indian or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioners

CHB/ALS

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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emily Terry

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Appl. #38326

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

May 18, 1908.

Emily Terry,  
Lone Star, Texas.

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. *yes* If so, state when and where *id do not know*  
your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people,  
Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and  
they have resided? *white people*

Why was the parent through whom you claim not en-  
rolled in 1851, and where was *she was dead* she residing in  
1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grand-  
parents on the side through which you claim residing in  
1834-35? *she was dead*

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

Very respectfully,

*Quinn Miller,*  
Special Commissioners

CHB/ALS

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 15 1908  
38326

Yours  
respectfully  
Emily Terry

Wahview Tex  
Emily Terry

This is all  
I know

Mee is a poor old lady  
and nearly blind

This the best  
Mee can do

No. 38327

Action: Reject

Name: Lara H. Terry, and 4 children. Residence: Silo, Okla.

Reasons:

Claim through the same source  
as # 29171.

No. 38377

Name Frank Terry

With No. 49171

Remarks:

No. 38327

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Lora Harwood Terry*

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

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CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

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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— Terry nee Howwood  
 English name: Mrs. Lora Howwood nee Terry  
 Indian name: Have no Indian name.
2. Residence and post office: Sils. Indian Territory  
 3. County: 25<sup>th</sup> Receding District  
 4. State: Indian Territory  
 5. How old are you? 50 years Born March 9<sup>th</sup>, 1858.  
 6. Where were you born? Hunt County Texas  
 7. Are you married? Have been  
 8. Name and age of wife or husband Henry Clinton Terry (Deceased)  
 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)	Billie Terry	29	July 9 <sup>th</sup> 1888
(2)	Carson Terry	27	1888
(3)	Frank Lesley Terry	24	1889
(4)	Miss Clara Scott nee Terry	22	1885
(5)	Cyrus D. Terry	20	1887
(6)	Stella Terry	18	1889
	Jamie C. Terry	15	1892
	Harold S. Terry	12	1896

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

James G. Terry & Catherine Terry nee Bales  
 Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: Catherine Terry  
 Indian name: Catherine Bales  
 Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Texas  
 Mother: Kentucky

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

Father: Hunt County - Texas.

Mother: Hunt County - Texas.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August 22<sup>nd</sup> 1889.

Mother: October 7<sup>th</sup> 1891.

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ann Terry</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(2)	<u>James Terry</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(3)	<u>Gerelda Terry</u> <u>Annie Terry</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(4)	<u>John Terry</u> <u>Clara Terry</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(5)	<u>Walter Terry</u> <u>Joe Terry</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(6)	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>James Bales</u>	<u>Rhoda Bales</u>
<u>—</u>	<u>(nee Landers)</u>
<u>—</u>	<u>—</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: None Nat.

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

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature) Mrs. Lora Harwood. Tim

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

R. F. Grafe  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 28<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 G. M. Stevens.

and R. L. Paer., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Lora Harwood.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and

27 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.

G. M. Stevens  
R. L. Paer

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

My commission expires

July 28<sup>th</sup>, 1908. R. F. Grafe  
Notary Public.

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

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Mrs. Lora Harwood* <sup>*Tex.*</sup>  
*Silo,*  
*Ind. Ter.*  
*Central District*

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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 Central District

COUNTY OF Indian Territory

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mrs. Lora Harwood

for the county of Central District state of the Indian Territory do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special 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 Silo Indian Territory

R. L. Pace

Mrs. Lora Harwood  
Signature.

Ernst  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Central District County of the Indian Territory Be it known on the 22 day of Aug, 1907

personally appeared Mrs. Lora Harwood, 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 my attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires July 28<sup>th</sup> 1908

R. F. Graper

[L. S.]

And now to witness 23 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1909.

W. M. Davis  
Notary Public

Nos. 38328

Action: Reject -

Name: Julius H. Kingsley and X children.

Residence: Rocky Hill

Reasons: Parents and ancestors were not enrolled in 1835 nor 1851.

No Cherokee connection or association established in this case.

Grandparents born in Canada

Parents " " Illinois.

No. 38328

Name Julius H. Kingsley

With No.

Remarks:

Pope Co.  
# 38329, 29173 ELLS  
grouped beneath

not on rolls.

Buy list,

Letter Aug. 18, 1908.  
Unless reply is satisfactory  
Reject.

No. 38328

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Julius H. Kingsley*

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

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**FILED BY**  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.





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

SIR: /

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Julius H Kingsly  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Bay City

3. County: Pope

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 22 Born 1880

6. Where were you born? Pope County

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Stella Kingsly

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: 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:

John H Kingsly, Ida Kingsly  
Father—English name: John H Kingsly  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Ida Kingsly  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Ida Snodgrass

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pope County Illinois  
Mother: Pope County Illinois

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

Father: was not Born at that date

Mother: Not Born at that date

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: Not until the Present time

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John M Kingsley	1878	
	Julia J. Kingsley	1887	
(2)	Luther S Kingsley	1889	
	Fannie S Kingsley	1892	
(3)	Gistie J Kingsley	1894	
	Jessie E Kingsley	1901	
(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 Kingsley</u>	<u>Sarah Brown</u>
	<u>was born in State</u>
	<u>of Tennessee</u>

18. Where were they born? John Kingsley Born Canada

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

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

- (1) John M Kingsley Bay City
- (2) Ellen Winslow Pope Co Illinois
- (3) Wade name
- (4) Ellen Lucy
- (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: This Grand Parents My Father Grand Mother Was Nancy Sadder

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) Julius H. Kingsley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

John Hodge  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me James M. King  
and Jennie H. Truillion who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Julius H. Kingsley who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 22 years and one years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. He represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James M. King  
Jennie H. Truillion

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March, 1909. John Hodge  
Notary Public.

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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *Julius H. Kingly*  
*Bay City,*  
*Ili.*  
*Pope 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 Illinois

COUNTY OF Peoria

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Julius H Kingsley for the county of Peoria state of Illinois do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

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James O. King Julius H Kingsley  
Harve Gregory Signature.  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Illinois County of Peoria Be it known on the 17 day of Aug 190... personally appeared Julius H Kingsley, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires March 1907  
[L. S.] John Hodge

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Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1908

Anderson P Cagle

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *John M. Kingsley*  
*Bay City,*  
*Ill.*  
*Pope County*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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That I John M. Kingsley

for the county of Peoria state of Illinois do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Peoria Illinois

James M. King John M. Kingsley  
Harve Gregory Signature.  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Illinois County of Peoria. Be it known on the 17 day of August 1907 personally appeared John M. Kingsley, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires March 1907 John Hodge  
[L. S.]

And now to witness 20 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1900.

said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant *is* personally known to me, and that *he* creditable person...

-L S.-

*John A. Adger*  
(Official Signature)

*Notary Public*  
(Official Character)

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*Indian* DIVISION

~~PENSION~~

No. *38328*

*Additional Evidence*

CLAIM OF

*Julius H. Tringale*  
*Bay City*  
*Miss.*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Charles Summers*  
*R. L. Weeks*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 23 1909  
No. FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.



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GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF Illinois  
County of Pepe } SS

In the Matter of Julius H. Kingsley # 38328  
vs Sherris vs The Eastern Cherokee

ON THIS 19 day of January A. D., 1909 personally appeared before me, A. Proctor Public in and for the aforesaid county, duly authorized to administer oaths, Charles Summers aged 58 years, a resident of Baylitz Pepe County, and State of Illinois whose postoffice address is Baylitz and R. L. Weeks aged 47 years, a resident of Baylitz Pepe County and State of Illinois whose postoffice address is Baylitz, well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, who being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

(NOTE: Affiants should state here how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify)

Makes following statement was raised in this neighborhood and was well acquainted with Sarah Brown mother of John M. Kingsley she being the grand mother of Julius H. Kingsley and have often heard her mother half sister Mrs Catherine King say that they were Cherokee Indian on this mother side they having come to this County between the years of 1835 to 1851 and have often heard them speak of their Indian origin that is the way I got my knowledge of the above facts R. L. Weeks makes following statements was acquainted with mother of John M. Kingsley the grand mother of Julius H. Kingsley I have heard people say that she was front Indian and say looked like the Indians I believe she had Indian blood

I further declare that I have no interest in said case, and am not concerned in its prosecution.

Charles Summers  
R. L. Weeks  
Signature of Affiants

If affiant signs by mark, two witnesses who can write sign here.

STATE OF Illinois

County of Pope } SS

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day by the named affiant....., and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant....., including the words.....

..... erased, and the words.....

....., added, and acquainted him with its contents before his..... executed the same, I further certify that I am in nowise interested in

said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant is..... personally known to

me, and that he is creditable person....

John Hodge  
(Official Signature)

--L S.--

Notary Public  
(Official Character)

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Indian DIVISION

~~PENSION~~

No. 38328

Additional Evidence

CLAIM OF

Julius H. Ingels  
Ben City  
Okla.

AFFIDAVIT OF

Charles Summers  
R L Weeks

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

me, and that *John* creditable person

--L S.--

*John Hodge*  
(Official Signature)  
*Notary Public*  
(Official Character)

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*Indian* DIVISION  
~~PENSION~~  
No. *38,328,*

*Additional Evidence*

CLAIM OF

*Julius H. Kingsley*  
*Bay City*  
*Ill.*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Ann Glen*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 23 1909  
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KONAWA. OKLA.

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GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF Illinois  
County of Pope } SS

In the Matter of Julius H. Kingsley # 38328  
To show in Evidence that he is

ON THIS 20 day of January A. D., 1909 personally appeared before me, A Notary Public in and for the aforesaid county, duly authorized to administer oaths, Ann Glen aged 62 years, a resident of Pope County, and State of Illinois whose postoffice address is Bay City and \_\_\_\_\_ aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County and State of \_\_\_\_\_ whose postoffice address is \_\_\_\_\_, well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, who being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

(NOTE: Affiants should state here how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify)

Remembers Mrs Nancy Sadders Grand Mother of John M. Kingsley and his mother Sarah Brown the Grand mother of Julius H. Kingsley and I have often heard them claim this this Indian Blood being of the Cherokee nation on Mrs Nancy Sadders side the Grand mother of John M. Kingsley Father of Julius H. Kingsley they claimed to have come to this County from Tennessee and was raised up with them my knowledge of the above facts was gained from playing with them and near Residence

She further declare that she has no interest in said case, and is not concerned in its prosecution.

Wm Jennings  
Rosa Jennings  
If affiant signs by mark, two witnesses who can write sign here.

Ann Glen  
mark  
Signature of Affiants

STATE OF Illinois  
County of Pope } ss

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day by the named affiant....., and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant....., including the words.....  
..... erased, and the words.....  
....., added, and acquainted..... with its contents before..... executed the same, I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant..... is personally known to me, and that she is creditable person...

-L S.-

John Hodge  
(Official Signature)  
Notary Public  
(Official Character)

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Enlistment DIVISION  
~~PENSION~~  
No. 38,326

Additional Evidence

CLAIM OF  
John H. Kingsley  
Bay City  
Ill.

AFFIDAVIT OF  
Ann Glen

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 23 1909  
No.

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CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

*Indiana* DIVISION  
*38328* PENSION  
No. *29173*

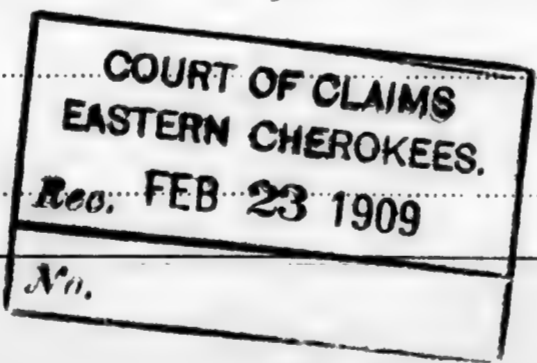
*Additional Evidence*

CLAIM OF

*Ellen Vinson*  
*Bay City*  
*Illinois*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Ann. Glen*



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CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

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contents before *me* executed *me* same, I runner century that I am in howise interested in  
said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant *is* personally known to  
me, and that *she* creditable person . . .

-L S-

*John C. Cagle*  
(Official Signature)  
*William R. Public*  
(Official Character)

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GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

County of \_\_\_\_\_

SS

In the Matter of Ellen Vinson # 29.173.

ON THIS 28 day of January A. D., 1909 personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid county, duly authorized to administer oaths, Ann Glen aged 62 years, a resident of Poppe County, and State of Illinois whose postoffice address is Bay City and \_\_\_\_\_ aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County and State of \_\_\_\_\_ whose postoffice address is \_\_\_\_\_, well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, who being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

(NOTE: Affiants should state here how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify)

hus Nancy Sadler the mother of Sarah Brown. Ellen Vinsons mother the grand daughter of Nancy Sadler and I always under stand that Nancy Sadler was Port Cherokee Indian in fact the whole family was considered Indians my best recollection they came to this <sup>county</sup> from Tennessee and was residing here A.D. 1857 my knowledge of the above facts is from near residence and personal acquaintance in fact they all looked like Indians to me

I further declare that I have no interest in said case, and am not concerned in its prosecution.

Geo. Wilcox  
M. C. Neely

Ann Glen  
mark

If affiant signs by mark, two witnesses who can write sign here.

Signature of Affiants

STATE OF Illinois

County of Peoria

SS

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day by the named affiant....., and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant....., including the words.....

.....erased, and the words Peoria County

....., added, and acquainted.....with its contents before she..... executed the same, I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant..... is..... personally known to me, and that she..... creditable person....

--L S.--

John Hauge  
(Official Signature)

Notary Public  
(Official Character)

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DIVISION  
Indiana  
PENSION  
38328  
No. 29173

Additional Evidence

CLAIM OF

Ellen Vinson  
Ray City  
Illinois

AFFIDAVIT OF

Anna Glenn

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 23 1909  
No.

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CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, OKLA.



*Judicial* DIVISION

~~PENSION~~

No. *29173,*

*Additional Evidence*

CLAIM OF

*Ellen Tinsom*

*Bay City*  
*Miss.*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Roberta A. Jeffords*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Feb. FEB 23 1909  
No.

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

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-L S-

*John Hodges*  
(Official Signature)

*Notary Public*  
Official Character

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GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF Illinois  
County of De Kalb } SS

In the Matter of Ellen Vinson # 29173.

ON THIS 27<sup>th</sup> day of January A. D., 1907 personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid county, duly authorized to administer oaths, Rebecca G Jeffords aged 81 years, a resident of Massac County, and State of Illinois whose postoffice address is New Liberty and aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County and State of \_\_\_\_\_ whose postoffice address is \_\_\_\_\_, well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, who being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

(NOTE: Affiants should state here how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify)

I was well acquainted with Nancy Sadler the Grand mother of Ellen Vinson and always under stood that Nancy Sadler was of Indian Blood of the Cherokee Nation in fact in my younger days that was our under standing that the whole family was of Indian blood they were residing in Pope County Illinois in the year 1851 my knowledge of the above fact is from near Residence and Personal acquaintance

I further declare that I have no interest in said case, and am not concerned in its prosecution.

Jessie Mrs. Bride  
Little Medley

Rebecca G Jeffords  
her

If affiant signs by mark two witnesses who can write sign here.

Signature of Affiants

STATE OF Illinois  
County of Peoria } SS

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day by the named affiant....., and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant....., including the words.....  
.....erased, and the words.....  
....., added, and acquainted her with its contents before her executed the same, I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant is personally known to me, and that she creditable person...

-L S.-

John Hodge  
(Official Signature)  
Notary Public  
(Official Character)

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Indians DIVISION

PENSION

No. 29173,

Additional Evidence

CLAIM OF

Ellen Johnson  
Peoria City  
Ill.

AFFIDAVIT OF

Richard A. Jeffords

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 23 1909  
No.

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

Appl. #28528

May 12, 1903.

Julius E. Kingsley,  
New City, Ill.

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, at what time and place. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, and are you now in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1857, and where was he or she residing in 1857-58, if living at that time. Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1857-58?

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

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CRB/A

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JUL 27 1908  
*No.* 38328.

Appl 38328

Reg City Sta  
7 7 1908

Genl Messrs.

Special Commission  
Sir

Reference to your  
correspondence in regard to  
my passport application  
submitted in 1875. I am  
in 34-1875. I am  
to fill in the application  
as required as  
I am descent but receiving  
as 1875. I am  
get an application for a  
passport but if this  
not I am  
letter of date May 18  
it has been missed

and I said I am not here  
 and I will not wait  
 to go until I hear  
 from you so please  
 write me what you  
 are good and I will  
 attend to it at once  
 find stamp envelopes  
 and please send soon  
 yours Resp  
 Gilbert Simpson  
 Bay City  
 Mich

7.5.9

#38328.

Aug. 18, 1908.

Julia H. Kingsley,  
Bay City, Ill.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, or your parents, or your grandparents were never enrolled.

Were any of your ancestors ever held as slaves? State the names of your grandparents on both sides. Were any of your ancestors parties to the Treaties of 1835, 1836 and 1846?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

Unless you reply to the above questions, your claim will be rejected.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FST/MLD



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Dec. SEP 5 1908  
No. 38328

Subject..... Teacher.....

Date..... Time Used..... Standing.....

Beulah City Illinois Aug 27, 1908  
To The Special Commissioners of the  
Court of Claims Eastern District  
Washington D.C. as to reason of  
my Parents and grand Parents not  
being enrolled on account of being away  
from home at time of enrollment  
none of my ancestors were held as slaves  
that I have heard of my Grand Parents  
on my Father's side was Jack Kingsley  
and Sarah Kingsley and on my Mother's  
side Thomas Throgmorton and Caroline  
Throgmorton were any of my Ancestors  
Parties to treaties <sup>of 1835-7, 36-40</sup> that I know of  
my reasons for thinking I am  
entitled to share in this fund  
is on my grand mother's Indian  
Blood

Respect

Julius H. Kingsley.

No. 38329

Action: *Reject*

Name *John W. Kingsly* and *5* children. Residence: *Bay City, Ill.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 38328.*

No. 38329

Name J. W. Kingsley

With No. 38328

Remarks:

No. 38329

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

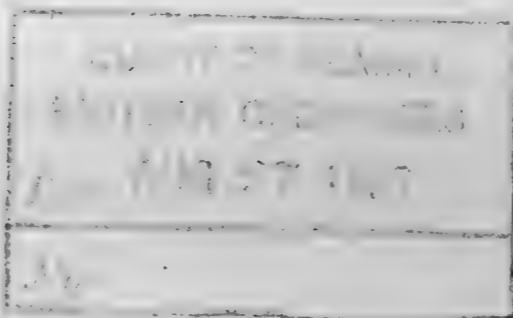
OF

*John M. Kingsley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern 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

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.



6-624

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: John M Kingsley

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

2. Residence and post office: Baylitz

3. County: Poplar

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 30 years Born 1857

6. Where were you born? Poplar County Illinois

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ida M Kingsley 40 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)	John M Kingsley	29 years	1878
(2)	Julius H Kingsley	22	1885
(3)	Leroy T. Kingsley	20	1887
(4)	Luther L. Kingsley	18	1889
(5)	Fannie L. Kingsley	15	1892
(6)	Pauline D. Kingsley	13	1894
7	Russell E. Kingsley	6	1901

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

Father—English name: John Kingsley

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

Mother—English name: Sarah Kingsley

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

Maiden name: Sarah Brown

12. Where were they born?

Father: John Kingsley was born in Canada

Mother: Sarah Brown born in Tennessee

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

Father: Pope County Illinois

Mother: Pope County Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1862

Mother: Died in 1884

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ellen Unison	1866	
	Martha Ann " Lucy		
(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.

Nancy Sadler

18. Where were they born? Nancy Sadler Tennessee

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

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

- (1) all dead
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

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

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

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My Grand Mother's maiden name was Nancy Sadler Grand Father was Bowen I don't remember his given name

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

(Signature) John M Kingsley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

John Hodge  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me James M King  
and Jennie de Trovillion, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John M Kingsley  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 50 years and 1 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James M King  
Jennie de Trovillion

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March, 1909. John Hodge  
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.



..... DIVISION  
*Indian* ..... PENSION  
..... No. *38329* .....

*Additional Evidence*

CLAIM OF

*John M. Kingsley*  
*Bay City*  
*Illinois*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Rebecca Jeffords*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 23 1909  
No. ....  
FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

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- L S. -

*John Shadler*  
(Official Signature)  
*Antony Durbin*  
(Official Character)

me, and that *John* creditable person ..... personally known to

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GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF Illinois  
County of Pope } SS

In the Matter of John Kingsley # 38329.

ON THIS 27 day of Jan A. D., 1909 personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid county, duly authorized to administer oaths, Rebecca A Jeffords aged 81 years, a resident of Massac County, and State of Illinois whose postoffice address is New Liberty and \_\_\_\_\_ aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County and State of \_\_\_\_\_ whose postoffice address is \_\_\_\_\_, well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, who being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

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was well acquainted with Nancy Sadler the Grand mother of John M. Kingsley and always understood that Nancy Sadler was of Indian blood of the Cherokee nation in fact in my younger days that was our understanding that the whole family was of Indian blood they were residing in Pope County, Illinois in the year 1851 my knowledge of the above facts is from her residence and personal acquaintance

I further declare that I have no interest in said case, and am not concerned in its prosecution.

Jennie McBride  
Lettie Medley

Rebecca A Jeffords  
notary

If affiant signs by mark, two witnesses who can write sign here.

Signature of Affiants

STATE OF Illinois  
County of Pope } SS

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day by the named affiant....., and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant....., including the words.....  
..... erased, and the words.....  
....., added, and acquainted her with its contents before the executed the same, I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant..... personally known to me, and that she is creditable person....

- L S -

John Hodge  
(Official Signature)  
Notary Public  
(Official Character)

To be executed before a Court of Record, or some officer thereof, having custody of the seal, a Notary Public, or Justice of the Peace, whose official signature shall be verified by his official seal, and in case he has none, his signature and official character shall be certified by a Clerk or Court of Record, or a City or County Clerk, unless such certificate is already on file in the Pension office, when such fact should be stated.

DIVISION  
Indian  
PENSION  
No. 28329

Additional Evidence

CLAIM OF

John M. Kungaly  
Bay City  
Illinois

AFFIDAVIT OF

Rebecca Jefford

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES,  
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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

me, and that *John M. Kingale* is a creditable person.

-L S.-

*John M. Kingale*  
(Official Signature)

*Notary Public*  
(Official Character)

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DIVISION

*Indian*

PENSION

No. *38329*

*Additional Evidence*

CLAIM OF

*John M. Kingale*

*Bay City*

*Ill*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Ann Glen*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
FEB 23 1909

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE.  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

Special Notice. The Civil Officer before whom this Affidavit is Executed should be careful to fill all spaces, both Caption and Jurat.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF Illinois

County of Peoria

SS

In the Matter of John Kingsley # 38529

ON THIS 28 day of January A. D., 1907 personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid county, duly authorized to administer oaths, Ann Glen aged 62 years, a resident of Peoria County, and State of Illinois whose postoffice address is Baylitz- Ills and aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County and State of \_\_\_\_\_ whose postoffice address is \_\_\_\_\_, well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, who being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

(NOTE; Affiants should state here how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify)

now Nancy Sadler the mother of Sarah Bowen John. M. Kingsley mother he being grand son of Nancy Sadler and I always understood that Nancy Sadler was part Cherokee indian in fact the whole family was considered Indians by best recollection they came to this country from Tennessee and was residing here A.D. 1851 my knowledge of the above facts is from near residence and personal acquaintance in fact they all looked like Indians to me

I further declare that I have no interest in said case, and am not concerned in its prosecution.

Geo. Vickers  
M. C. Neely

If affiant signs by mark, two witnesses who can write sign here.

Ann <sup>her</sup> Glen  
mark

Signature of Affiants

STATE OF Illinois

County of Polk

} SS

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day by the named affiant....., and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant....., including the words.....

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....., added, and acquainted her with its

contents before her executed the same, I further certify that I am in nowise interested in

said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant is personally known to

me, and that she is creditable person....

John Hodge  
(Official Signature)

-L S-

Notary Public  
(Official Character)

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DIVISION Indian  
PENSION

No. 38329

Additional Evidence

CLAIM OF

John M. King

Bay City  
Ill

AFFIDAVIT OF

Ann Glen

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
FILED FEB 23 1909

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA. OKLA.

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#38329-38328.

Aug. 18, 1908.

John M. Kingsley,  
Bay City, Ill.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, or your parents, or your grandparents were never enrolled.

Were any of your ancestors ever held as slaves? State the names of your grandparents on both sides. Were any of your ancestors parties to the Treaties of 1835, 1836 and 1846?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

Unless you reply to the above questions, your claim will be rejected.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FST/MLD

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
SEP 5 1908  
No. 28329



Bay City Illinois Aug. 27 1908  
Commissioner of The Court of Claims  
of Eastern Cherokee  
Washington D.C.

in answer to questions

My Grand Parents was not with Tribe  
<sup>at</sup> time of enrollment

Were any of your ancestors ever held  
as slaves answer not that I ever heard  
of names of my Grand Parents on Mothers  
side Grand Fathers name was Brown  
I dont remember his going name

Grand Mothers name was Nancy

Brown My Fathers name was Jack

Kingsley he was a Canadian I never  
knew any of his People who were any of  
your ancestors Parties to Treaties 1835-36

and 1846 I dont know My reasons  
for thinking that I am entitled to  
share in fund is on my Mothers Indian  
Blood of Tribe of Cherokee's

Very Respectfully

John M Kingsley

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No. 38330

Action: Admitted

Name: Mimmie L. Chambers and 2 children. Residence: Chermore Ala.

Reasons: Daughter of # 5657

Mother of applicant enrolled in 1851 in Flint # 171

38330

No. 38330.

Name Minnie L. Chambers

With No. 5582.

Remarks:

No. 38330

*May 18, 1905*

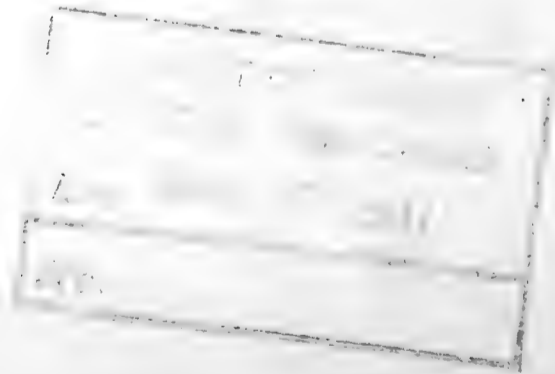
**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

APPLICATION OF

OF

Minnie L. Chambers,

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



*Starr & Patten, Attys  
Vinita Okla.*

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Minnie L. Chambers,

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

2. Residence and post office: Claremore,

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 42 Years Born July 2, 1864.

6. Where were you born? Spencer Academy, Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory

7. Are you married? Yea

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Teesey Chambers, husband age \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Joe Chambers</u>	<u>21 years</u>	<u>March 31, 1886</u>
(2)	<u>Evans, Chambers</u>	<u>19 years</u>	<u>January 6, 1888</u>
(3)	<u>Claud Starr Chambers</u>	<u>17 years</u>	<u>August 7, 1890</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Dr James P. Evans,

Indian name: White man--Non Citizen Cherokee Nation

Mother—English name: Emma J Starr (Applicant No 6582.)

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

Maiden name: Emma J Rider

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory

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

Father: Flint District Cherokee Nation, Ind Ter

Mother: Flint District Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dr Evans Died September 18, 1866

Mother: Emma J Starr Living see application 5582.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: My mother has been enrolled on all Cherokee Rolls since her birth except Old Settler rolls. She is now an allottee in the Cherokee Nation.

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>John C Starr Vinita IT</u>	<u>October 15 1870</u>	<u>Living.</u>
(2)	<u>Emma J Nuckolls, Grove IT</u>	<u>January 3th 1879</u>	<u>living</u>
(3)	<u>Ezekiel Starr Grove IT</u>		<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Susan E Nuckolls, Grove IT</u>	<u>February 11th 1884</u>	<u>July 13 1905</u>

Note: Susan E Nuckolls left a daughter Lula M Nuckolls, aminor. My other brothers and sisters dead never had any children, except Walter Evans whose children do not claim through my mother as he had a different mother.

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

See application of Emma J Starr my mother No 5582 which has a full family history.

18. Where were they born?

see # 5582.

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

See 5582.

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

- (1) See No 5582.
- (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 am on all Cherokee Rolls since birth and am now a Cherokee Allottee.

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

See No 5582 for full information as to this.

REMARKS.

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

I respectfully refer to application of Emma J Starr No 5582 of Vinita Ind Ter who is my mother and whose application contains a full and complete family history.

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

(Signature Minnie L. Chambers)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

April 13,

1908.

Joe Chambers  
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. Chambers

and A. G. Parsley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Minnie L. Chambers

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

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

hersef to be, 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. Chambers  
A. G. Parsley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

April 13, 1908.

Joe Chambers  
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.

J. C. STARR

GUY PATTEN

**STARR & PATTEN**  
ATTORNEYS & COUNSELLORS AT LAW  
VINITA, OKLAHOMA

August 24, 1907

Hon. Gaion Miller,

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

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed the application of Minnie L. Chambers of Claremore, I. T. for such share as may be due her of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905 and May 23, 1906 in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. Please acknowledge receipt of this claim. This claimant is a daughter of Emma J. Starr of Vinita, I. T. whose application number is 5582.

Yours truly,

*J. C. Starr.*



J. C. STARR

GUY PATTEN

**STARR & PATTEN**  
ATTORNEYS & COUNSELLORS AT LAW  
VINITA, OKLAHOMA

August 27, 1907.

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

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed the application of Ezekiel Starr  
for his share in the money due the Eastern Cherokees.

Yours truly,

*Starr & Patten,*

No. 38331.

Action: Rejected.

Name: James I. Lee and ---- children. Residence: Mountain View, Mo.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #30138.

38331

No. 38331

Name *James D. Lee*

With No. 30138

Remarks:

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38331  
No. 30137

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

James V. 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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UNITED STATES EASTERN CHEROKEES FILE NO. 30137
No.

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: James Isaac Lee

Indian name: James Isaac Eddings

2. Residence and post office: Mountain View

3. County: Howell

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 23 Born Nov. 11 - 1883

6. Where were you born? Howell Co Missouri

7. Are you married? No

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

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

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

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

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

Father—English name: William Caswell Lee

Indian name: William Caswell Eddings

Mother—English name: Mary M. Lee

Indian name: Mary M. Eddings

Maiden name: Mary M. Phipps

12. Where were they born? ,

Father: Missouri

Mother: Missouri

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: No

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	George C Lee Mountain View Mo.	May 1 - 1880	
(2)	Cynthia C Evans Mountain View Mo	Aug - 14 - 1881	
(3)	William A Lee Mountain View Mo	June 15 - 1887	
(4)	Nancy V.C. Lee Mountain View Mo	Nov. 2 - 1889	
(5)	Jessie L Lee Mountain View Mo.	Sept 19 - 1892	
(6)	Silas D Lee Mountain View Mo.	July 9 - 1897	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Ind. Name None  
John C. J. Lee

Ind. Name None  
John Bunyan Phipps

Ind. Name Elizabeth E Lee

Ind. Name Parilee Phipps

Ind. Name Elizabeth E Eddings

Ind. Name None

18. Where were they born? Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wright Co Mo. as to father's side as to mother's side - Not known

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

P.O. Mountain View Mo	(1) William Caswell Lee	William Henry Phipps - Mountain View Mo
White Church Mo	(2) Margaret Lucinda Anderson	Charley H. Phipps - (Dead)
Beggs I. J.	(3) Nancy Jane Ramsey	Sarah Caroline Lee - Beggs - I. J.
Clear Springs Mo	(4) Robert David Lee	Nancy Ellen Cunningham - (Dead)
Congo Mo	(5) Mary Serena Schneider	James Thomas Phipps - Mountain View Mo
Birch Tree Mo	(6) Martin Frank Lee	John Parker Phipps " "
Beggs I. J.	John Jefferson Lee	Noama Beller " "
Congo Mo	Isaac Henry Lee	
	Joshua M. Lee - (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: I claim through Elizabeth Eddings my Grand mother and Great Grand father Caswell Eddings and Great Grand mother Edna Eddings whose maiden name was Edna Moody who are all related by blood to the Eastern Cherokees

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 Isaac Lee

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

Abraham Coleman  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 8, 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 W. Durnell  
and M A Cunningham, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Isaac Lee  
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.

John W. Durnell  
M A Cunningham

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

My commission expires

April 8, 1909. Abraham Coleman  
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. 38332.

Action: Rejected.

Name..... Cynthia C. Evins ..... and --- children. Residence: Mountain View, Mo.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #30138.

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No. 38332

Name Cyril C. Ewins

With No. 30138

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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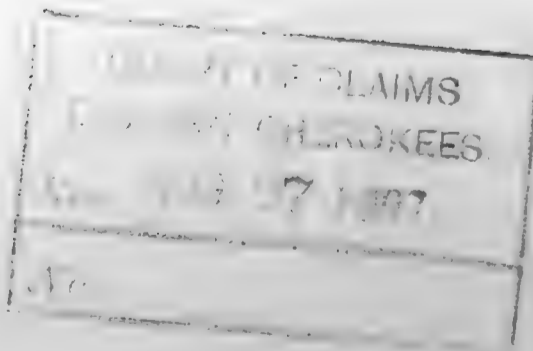
APPLICATION

OF

*Cynthia C. Evans*

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

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38332

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Cynthia Cordelia Evans

Indian name: Cynthia Cordelia Eddings

2. Residence and post office: Mountain View

3. County: Hawell

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 25 Born Aug 14-1881

6. Where were you born? Hawell Co Mo.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jessie A. Evans, aged 22 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>None</u>		
(2)	<u>"</u>		
(3)	<u>"</u>		
(4)	<u>"</u>		
(5)	<u>"</u>		
(6)	<u>"</u>		

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

Father—English name: William Caswell Lee

Indian name: William Caswell Eddings

Mother—English name: Mary M Lee

Indian name: Mary M. Eddings

Maiden name: Mary M. Phipps

12. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Missouri

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: No

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	George C Lee Mountain View Mo	May 1 1880	
(2)	James I Lee Mountain View Mo,	Nov. 11-1883	
(3)	William A Lee Mountain View Mo	June 15-1887	
(4)	Nancy V. C. Lee Mountain View Mo	Nov. 2-1889	
(5)	Jessie L. Lee Mountain View Mo	Sept 19-1892	
(6)	Silas D Lee Mountain View Mo.	July 9-1897	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John C. J. Lee Ind Name None	John Bunyan Phipps Ind Name None
Elizabeth E Lee Ind Name Elizabeth Eddings	Parilee Phipps Ind. Name None

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wright County as to father's side  
Mather's side no. Mason

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

Mountain View Mo (1)	William Caswell Lee	William Henry Phipps	Mountain View Mo
White Church Mo (2)	Margret Lucinda Anderson	Charley H. Phipps - (dead)	
Beggs I-T (3)	Nancy Jane Ramsey	Sarah Caroline Lee - Beggs, I-T -	
Clear Springs Mo (4)	Robert David Lee	Nancy Ellen Cunningham - (dead)	
Congo Mo (5)	Mary Serena Schneider	James Thomas Phipps	Mountain View Mo
Birch Tree Mo (6)	Martin Francis Lee	John Parker Phipps	" "
Beggs I-T	John Jefferson Lee	Neoma Beller	" "
Congo Mo	Isaac Henry Lee		
	Joshua M Lee - (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: I claim through Elizabeth Eddings my Grand mother and Great Grand father Caswell Eddings and Great Grand mother Edna Eddings whose maiden name was Edna Moody who were all related by blood to the Eastern 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)

Cynthia Cordelia Eddings

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

Abraham Coleman  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 8, 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 H. Durnell  
and M A Cunningham, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Cynthia Cordelia Eddings 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.

John H. Durnell  
M A Cunningham

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No. 38333.

Action: Rejected.

Name George C. Lee and 1 children. Residence: Mountain View, Mo.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #30138.

No. 38333

Name George C. Lee

With No. 30138

Remarks:

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No. 30137

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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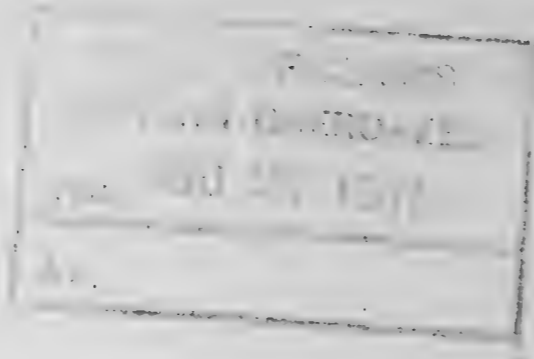
APPLICATION

OF

George C. 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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388333



**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: George C Lee

Indian name: George C Eddings

2. Residence and post office: Mountain View

3. County: Howell

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 27 Born May 1st 1880

6. Where were you born? Howell Co. Mo.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Eva M Lee age 24

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>Ada M Lee</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>May 6<sup>th</sup> 1906</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: William Caswell Lee

Indian name: William Caswell Eddings

Mother—English name: Mary M Lee

Indian name: Mary M Eddings

Maiden name: Mary M Phipps

12. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Missouri

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: No

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Cynthia C. Evans Mountain View Mo.	Aug 14 - 1881	
(2)	James V. Lee Mountain View Mo	Nov. 11 - 1883	
(3)	William A. Lee Mountain View Mo	June 15 - 1887	
(4)	Nancy V.C. Lee Mountain View Mo.	Nov. 2 1889	
(5)	Jessie L. Lee Mountain View Mo	Sept 19 - 1892	
(6)	Silas D. Lee Mountain View Mo	July 9 - 1897	

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Ind. Name -	John C. J. Lee None	John Bunyan Phipps. Ind. Name None Barilee Phipps " " "
Ind Name -	Elizabeth E. Lee Elizabeth E. Eddings	

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

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

Missourias to father's side. As to mother's side Don't know

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

P.O.	(1) William Caswell Lee	William Henry Phipps	Mountain View Mo
Mountain View Mo	(2) Margaret Lucinda Anderson	Charley K. Phipps	Mount Peal
White Church Mo.	(3) Nancy Jane Ramsey	Sarah Caroline Lee - Beggs J-J -	
Begg - J-J	(4) Robert David Lee	Nancy Ellen Cunningham	Dead -
Clear Spring Mo.	(5) Mary Serena Schneider	James Thomas Phipps	Mountain View Mo -
Congo Mo.	(6) Martin Fander Lee	John Parker Phipps	" "
Brick Tree Mo.	(7) John Jefferson Lee	Moma Beller	" "
Beggs J-J	(8) Isaac Henry Lee		
Congo Mo.	(9) Joshua M. Lee		

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I claim through Elizabeth Eddings my Grand mother and Great Grand father Caswell Eddings and Great Grand mother Edna Eddings whose maiden name was Edna Moody, who were related by blood to the Eastern Cherokees

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 Calvin Lee

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

Absalom Coleman  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 8, 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 W. Durrell  
and MA Cunningham, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with George C Lee  
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.

John W. Durrell  
MA Cunningham

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

My commission expires

April 8, 1909. Absalom Coleman  
Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 4 1909  
No. 38333

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Mountain View, Mo.

Dec. 31 — 1908

Mrs. Union Miller

Dear Sir

in regard to the Court of Claims  
of the Eastern Cherokees, I want  
to know if application  
No. 38,338. will share in  
distribution and when it  
will be divided please rite  
me in regard to these matters,  
Yours Respectfully  
George. Calvin Lee

Action: Rejected.

No. 38334.

Name: Martin L. Lee and -- children. Residence: Birch Tree, Mo.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #30138.

No. 38334-3-2-1

Name Martin L. Lee

With No. 30137

Remarks:

Gen. C. Lee  
Cynthia C. Lee  
James J.

38334.  
No. 30137

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Martin L 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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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES FILED AUG 27 1907 No.
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38334



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Martin L Lee

Indian name: Martin L Eddings

2. Residence and post office: Birch Tree

3. County: Shannon

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 47 Born March 7<sup>th</sup> 1860

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy J. Lee - aged 28 - at death and who is the mother of my two children. Lydia A. Lee is the name of my second wife who is living

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>Mary E. Lee</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>1881</u>
(2)	<u>Meloina J. Lee</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1884</u>
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

Father—English name: John C. J. Lee

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Elizabeth E. Lee

Indian name: Elizabeth E Eddings

Maiden name: Elizabeth E Eddings

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: East Tennessee on Stony River

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

Father: Knights County Missouri

Mother: Knights County Missouri

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.
P.O. Mountain View Mo (1)	William Caswell Lee	1852	
White Church Mo	Margret Lucinda Anderson	1853	
Beggs J. J. (2)	Nancy Jane Ramsey	1854	
Clear Springs Mo	Robert David Lee	1855	
Congo Mo (3)	Mary Serena Schneider	1858	
Beggs J. J.	John Jefferson Lee	1862	
Congo Mo, (4)	Isaac Henry Lee	1864	
	Joshua M Lee	1866	1888
(5)			
(6)			

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	Alford Lee	Caswell Eddings Ind. or English
	Ind Name none	Caswell Eddings Ind. or English
	Betsy Elizabeth Lee	Edna Eddings
Incl. Name	Betsy Elizabeth Selorge	Edna Moody. Maiden Name

18. Where were they born? Don't know

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

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

P.O. Mountain View Mo (1)	John C. J. Lee	Elizabeth E Lee
	(2) Billy Lee	Vile M. Eddings
	(3) Polley Terry	Darkis Eddings
	(4) Nancy 13 up	James W. Eddings
Ava Mo (5)	Robert N Lee	Serena Smittles
(6)		Isaac R Eddings
		John H Eddings
		Dennis Eddings
		William A Eddings
		Alford A Eddings
		Do it know addresses

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I claim through Elizabeth Eddings my mother and Grand father Cassell Eddings and Grand mother Edna Eddings whose maiden name was Edna Moody, who were descendants of the Eastern Cherokees

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) Martin L. Lee

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

Abraham Coleman  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 8, 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 W. Durnell  
and Chas Cunningham, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Martin L. Lee

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.

John W. Durnell  
Chas Cunningham

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

My commission expires

April 8, 1909. Abraham Coleman  
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. 38335

Action: Reject

Name Harvey L. Fowler and X children. Residence: Enfauca, Ala.

Reasons:

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

Misc. Test. P. 2720.

No. 3833.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Nancy Lucinda Fowler

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

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

SIR:

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

1. State full name—  
English name: Nancy Lucinda Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Bufaula, Indian Territory
3. Town and post office: Bufaula, Indian Territory
4. County: \_\_\_\_\_
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: 1842, McMinn County, Tennessee
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: through my grandfather  
Joseph Field:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. Are you married? No, (widow)
9. Name and age of wife or husband: William galvin Fowler (dead)
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Beeson Field:  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Nancy Jankster  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Nancy Martin
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Born McMinn County, Tennessee  
Mother: Kentucky
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Missouri  
Mother: Missouri
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: August 1873 Mother: January 15, 1872

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

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Calvin Lankster Field	Oct 26/1827	Sep 16/1906
(2) Martha Field	Mar 23/1829	Aug 1861
(3) John Newton Field	Aug 18/1831	(Don't know)
(4) Susanna Emma Field	Sep 18/1839	1894
(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.
Joseph Field	Susanna Lankster

17. Where were they born? Georgia

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: Don't know  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

REMARKS.

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

Robert Field is the brother of Joseph Field and Joel Field, Jediah (?) Field, John Field, Thomas Field of McMinn County, Tennessee are all brothers of Beeson Field, the father of applicant

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

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

(Signature.) Nancy Lucinda Fowler

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

My commission expires July 26th, 1910 Thos. F. 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 Lucy S. Henderson and Della Manners, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nancy Lucinda Fowler, 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.

Lucy S. Henderson Della Manners

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

My commission expires July 26th, 1910 Thos. F. Jones 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.



Appl. #38335

May 18, 1908.

Nancy L. Fowler,  
Eaufaula, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state where the parents through whom you claim resided 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.

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CRB/EB

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JUN 3 1908  
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Enfauka Okla  
May 27 - 08  
Mr Union Miller  
Washington D. C.

Sir :-

in 1834-35 my  
Parents and grand Parents  
lived in Tennessee they  
were not slaves.  
grand Father Field was  
one quarter Cherokee  
Indian I was not enrolled  
by the Doves comission that  
I know of

Respectfully

Nancy J. Fowler  
Enfauka Okla-

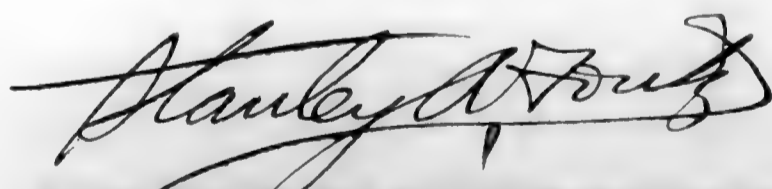
No. 38335

Nancy Lucinda Fowler, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Nancy Lucinda Fowler; my post-office is Eufaula, Okla.; I was born in McMinn Co., Tenn. in 1843; I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my father, Beeson Field; he was born in either McMinn Co. or Granger Co. about 1802; my father lived in McMinn Co. until 1846, when the family moved to McDonald, Mo.; my father had four brothers, namely, Joel, Judiah, John and Thomas; my father claimed through his father, Joel or Judiah Field and he was one-quarter Cherokee; my father often told me that he had Cherokee blood and his relatives who lived in the Cherokee Nation wanted him to come to the territory and take land, but he said that he would rather buy land in Missouri; I know of no enrollment of my parents and they never received any land or money from the government. All my fathers' people moved from Tennessee to Missouri.

~~Nancy Lucinda Fowler (Signed)~~

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Sept., 1908, at Eufaula, Okla.



Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of Court of Claims.

*Does not connect with rolls.  
Reject.*

*S.A.F.*

No. 38336

Name: David B Fowler and X children. Action: Repts. Residence: Sugar Hill, Ala.

Reasons:

Son of #38336 Claiming that  
same person

No. 3836-9

Name .....

With No. 3833 5-

Remarks:

David, S. 7500

Wm R

Laura T. "

Geo. B. "

son of 38335

No 38335

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

David Beeson Fowler

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 29, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Aug 27 1907  
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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**  
**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name: David Beeson Fowler

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

2. Residence: Eufaula, Indian Territory

3. Town and post office: Eufaula, Indian Territory

4. County: Western District

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Born April 22, 1869, McDonald County, Mo., Tiff City

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 great-grand father, Joseph Field:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy Elizibeth Fowler (nee Villines)  
, aged 48 years, and now dead

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

Father—English name: William Calvin Fowler

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

Mother—English name: Nancy Lucinda Fowler

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

Maiden name: Nancy Lucinda Field

11. Where were they born?

Father: McNary County, Tennessee

Mother: McMinn County, Tennessee

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

Father: Somewhere near Ft. Worth, Texas

Mother: In McDonald County, Missouri

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: April 2, 1891. Mother: now living



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

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

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Lula Bell Downing (nee Fowler)</u>	<u>Mch 22, 1871.</u>	<u>living</u>
(2) <u>Minnie May Palmer ( " " )</u>	<u>May, 1873</u>	<u>August, 1902.</u>
(3) <u>Emma Elizabeth Stanbury ( " )</u>	<u>Mch., 1875</u>	<u>living</u>
(4) <u>Christina Maud Perry ( " )</u>	<u>Dec. 24, 1880</u>	<u>living</u>
(5) <u>Edwin Leander Fowler</u>	<u>Nov. 10, 1877</u>	<u>living</u>
(6) <u>Laura Dale Fowler</u>	<u>Mch. 1883.</u>	<u>living</u>
(7) <u>Oscar Bennett Fowler</u>	<u>May, 1886.</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>Solomon Fowler</u>	<u>Beeson Fields</u>
<u>Elizabeth Lowery</u>	<u>Nancy Lankster</u>

17. Where were they born? Solomon Fowler, Alabama, Elizabeth Lowery, Tennessee, Beeson Fields, Tennessee, and Nancy Lankster, in Kentucky

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Solomon Fowler and Elizabeth Lowery in Texas and Beeson Fields and Nancy Lankster in Missouri

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

(1) English name: Mothers Side. Calvin Fields, died in 1904  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Des Moines, Iowa

(2) English name: Martha Fields, died August 1861.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: McDonald County, Missouri

(3) English name: John Newton Field, (dont know whether living or dead  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Went to Idaho when a boy

(4) English name: Susanna Emma Field, died in 1894.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: McDonald County, Missouri

(5) English name: Joseph Fields,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Cottle County Texas

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

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

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.) David Beeson Fowler

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

My commission expires July 26, 1910

Thos. J. Innes  
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 Charles Follansbee and D.C. Farrar, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with David Beeson Fowler, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Charles Follansbee  
D. C. Farrar

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

My commission expires July 26, 1910

Thos. J. Innes  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 1 1908

No. 38507

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AUG 4 1908

Guyon Miller  
Washington D C

Dear Sir

this is from application  
38507) would like to see if our  
claims have been approved.  
Mrs Frances L Fowler my mother  
told me that our claims was  
now under consideration, will  
you please let us know how  
they are considered, and  
if any thing further is necessary  
on our part, thanking you  
in advance for any  
information & remain yours  
Truly Mrs Julia A. Fowler  
Appleton City, Wis (R.F.P.H)

No. 58337

Action: Reject

Name: J. H. Moniz, et al and children. Residence: Cuernavaca, Olla

Reasons:

See description of 58335. Reason  
In accordance with

*Grainson of 38331*

No. 38331

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

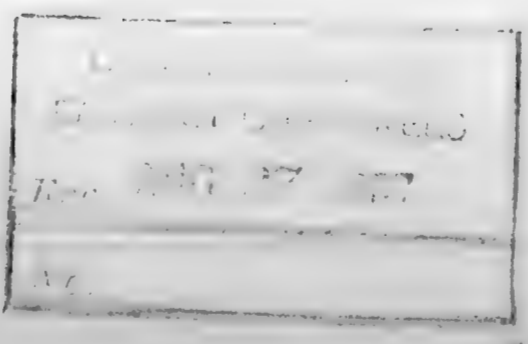
APPLICATION

OF

William Robert Fowler et.als.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decisions 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~~ <sup>William Robert Fowler, my son</sup> of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: William Robert Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Eufaula, Indian Territory
3. Town and post office: Eufaula, Indian Territory
4. County: Western District
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Newton County, Arkansas, June 5, 1891.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: David Beeson Fowler whose application is on file and through my mother, Nancy Elizabeth Fowler (nee Villines)
8. Are you married? No
9. Name and age of wife or husband: None
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: David Beeson Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Nancy Elizabeth Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Nanvy Elizabeth Villines
11. Where were they born?  
Father: McDonald County, Missouri  
Mother: Newton County, Arkansas
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: not born  
Mother: not born
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: living Mother: February 21, 1904.

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)	Samuel Larkin Fowler	Nov. 19, 1892.	
(2)	Stella Catherine Fowler	Nov. 21, 1894.	
(3)	Ivy Della Fowler	Mch. 5, 1896.	
(4)	Charley Oliver Fowler	September 25, 1898.	
(5)	Lucy Lucinda Fowler	Sept. 5, 1899.	
(6)	Lillie May Fowler	October 5, 1901.	

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	William Calvin Fowler	Robert Villines
	Nancy Lucinda Field	Matilda Whitley

17. Where were they born? William Calvin Fowler, McNary County, Tennessee

Nancy Lucinda Field, McMinn Co., Tenn. Robert Villines, Arkansas and Matilda Villines, Arkansas

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? William Calvin Fowler, Texas Nancy Lucinda Field, Missouri, and Robert Villines and Matilda Whitley in Arkansas

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

(1) English name: Mrs. Lucy Henderson

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

Residence: Eufaula, Indian Territory

(2) English name: James Larkin Villines

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

Residence: Boxley, Arkansas.

(3) English name: Edwin Leander Fowler, Oscar Fowler, Iulu Downing, Emma Stanbury,

Indian name: Christina Maud Perry, Laura Fowler, of Boxley, Ark.,

Residence: Eufaula, Ind. Ter., Athelton City, Mo., New Mexico, Davis, I.T., and Eufaula, I.T., respectively

(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: .....

~~The paternal ancestors on the fathers side are fully set out in the application of David Beeson Fowler. Also claim through great-grandmother on mothers side, Lucy Mannard, <sup>married Whiteley</sup> mother of Matilda Villines (nee Whiteley), mother of Nancy Elizabeth Fowler (nee Villines).~~

REMARKS.

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

~~I also desire this to serve as application for Samuel Larkin Fowler, Stella Catherine Fowler, Ivy Della <sup>Fowler</sup>, Charley Oliver <sup>Fowler</sup>, Lucy Lucinda Fowler and Lilly May Fowler, all minors, and brothers and sisters of the applicant, William Robert Fowler, and of the full-blood~~

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

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

(Signature.) *David Beeson Fowler*

Father of William Robert Fowler, et als.

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

My commission expires  
*July 26<sup>th</sup>*, 1910

*Thos. F. Inman*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Charles Follansbee and D.C. Farrar, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with David Beeson Fowler, who makes the foregoing application <sup>for his minor children</sup> and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*Charles Follansbee*  
*D.C. Farrar*

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

My commission expires  
*July 26<sup>th</sup>*, 1910

*Thos. F. Inman*  
Notary Public.

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

No. 5338

Action: *Wife's*

Name: *Anna ...* and *x* children.

Residence: *... ..*

Reasons:

*... ..*

*Daughter of* 38335

No. 38335

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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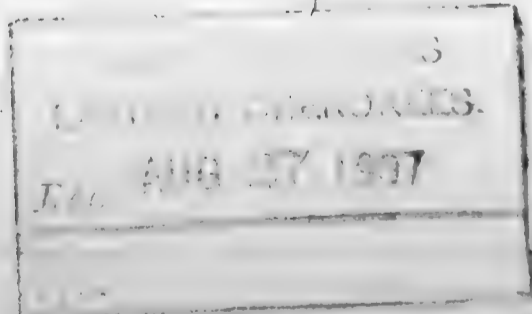
APPLICATION

OF

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Laura Dale Fowler  
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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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38335

**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: Laura Dale Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Eufaula, Indian Territory
3. Town and post office: Eufaula, Indian Territory
4. County: Western District
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Mch. 16, 1882, Newton County, Arkansas
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim through my great-grandfather, Joseph Field  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. Are you married? No.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Calvin Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Nancy Lucinda Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Nancy Lucinda Field
11. Where were they born?  
Father: McNary County, Tennessee  
Mother: McMinn County, Tennessee
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Somewhere near Ft. Worth, Texas.  
Mother: In McDonald County, Missouri
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: April 2, 1891. Mother: now living

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

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

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Lula Bell Downing (Fowler)</u>	<u>Mch. 22, 1871.</u>	<u>living</u>
(2) <u>Minnie Mat Palmer (")</u>	<u>May, 1873</u>	<u>August, 1902.</u>
(3) <u>Emma Elizabeth Stanbury (")</u>	<u>Mch. 1875.</u>	<u>living</u>
(4) <u>Christina Maud Perry (")</u>	<u>Dec. 24, 1880</u>	<u>living</u>
(5) <u>Edwin Leander Fowler</u>	<u>Nov. 10, 1877.</u>	<u>living</u>
(6) <u>David Beeson Fowler</u>	<u>April 22, 1869</u>	<u>living</u>
(7) <u>Oscar Bennett Fowler</u>	<u>May, 1886</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>Solomon Fowler</u>	<u>Beeson Field</u>
<u>Elizabeth Lowery</u>	<u>Nancy Lankster</u>

17. Where were they born? Solomon Fowler, Alabama, Elizabeth Lowery, Tennessee, Beeson Field, Tennessee and Nancy Lankster in Kentucky

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Solomon Fowler and Elizabeth Lowery in Texas and Beeson Field and Nancy Lankster in Missouri

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

Mothers side

(1) English name: Calvin Field, died in 1904  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Des Moines, Iowa

(2) English name: Martha Field, died August 1861.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: McDonald County, Missouri

(3) English name: John Newton Field (Dont know whether living or dead)  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Went to Idaho when a boy

(4) English name: Susanna Emma Field, died in 1894.  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: McDonald County, Missouri

(5) English name: Joseph Field  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence: Cottle County, Texas

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

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

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.) Laura Dale Fowler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th. day of August, 1906.

My commission expires July 26<sup>th</sup>, 1910 Thos. F. Turner  
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 Lucy S. Henderson and  
Della Manners, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with Laura Dale Fowler, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 24 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.

Lucy S. Henderson  
Della Manners

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th. day of August, 1906.

My commission expires July 26<sup>th</sup>, 1910 Thos. F. Turner  
Notary Public.

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No. 38339

Action: *Reject*

Name *Oscar B. Fowler* and *x* children. Residence: *Enfauca, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Son of 138335. Claimed through same  
name*

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Son of 38335

No. 38339

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Oscar Bennett Fowler

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1904, 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: Oscar Bennett Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence: Eufaula, Indian Territory
3. Town and post office: Eufaula, Indian Territory
4. County: Western District
5. State: Indian Territory
6. Date and place of birth: Newton County, Arkansas, May 26, 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 great-grandfather, Joseph Field  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. Are you married? no
9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: William Calvin Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Nancy Lucinda Fowler  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Nancy Lucinda Field
11. Where were they born?  
Father: Mc Nary County, Tennessee  
Mother: McMinn County, Tennessee
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Somewhere near Ft. Worth, Texas  
Mother: In McDonald County, Missouri
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: April 2, 1891. Mother: now living

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

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

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Lulu Bell Downing (Fowler)	Mch. 22, 1871.	living
(2) Minnie May Palmer (Fowler)	May, 1873.	August, 1902.
(3) Emma Elizabeth Stanbury (")	Mch. 1875.	living
(4) Christina Maud Perry (")	Dec. 24, 1880	living
(5) Edwin Leander Fowler (")	Nov. 10, 1877	living
(6) Laura Dale Fowler (")	Mch. 1883	living
(7) David Beeson Fowler	April 22, 1869	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.

Solomon Fowler

Beeson Field

Elizabeth Lowery

Nancy Lankster

17. Where were they born? Solomon Fowler, Alabama, Elizabeth Lowery, Tennessee, Beeson Field, Tennessee, and Nancy Lankster in Kentucky

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Solomon Fowler and Elizabeth Lowery in Texas and Beeson Field and Nancy Lankster in Missouri

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

(1) English name: Mother's side  
Calvin Field, died in 1904.

Indian name:

Residence: Des Moines, Iowa

(2) English name: Martha Field, died in August 1861

Indian name:

Residence: McDonald County, Missouri

(3) English name: John Newton Field (don't know whether living or dead)

Indian name:

Residence: Went to Idaho when a boy

(4) English name: Susanna Emma Field, died in 1894

Indian name:

Residence: McDonald County, Missouri

(5) English name: Joseph Field

Indian name:

Residence: Cottle County, Texas

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

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

The father of David Beeson at Field was Joseph Field

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.) as David Beeson Fowler

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

My commission expires July 26<sup>th</sup>, 1910

Thos. 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 Lucy S. Henderson and Della Manners, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with David Beeson Fowler, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 21 years and 21 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Lucy S. Henderson  
Della Manners

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

My commission expires July 26<sup>th</sup>, 1910

Thos. J. Jones  
Notary Public.

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

~~Turner & Liedtke,  
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Attorneys & Counsellors at Law  
Eufaula, Ind. Terr.

DEQ. H. PORTER.

K. B. TURNER.

Eufaula, Indian Territory, August 24, 1907.

Mr. Guion Miller,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I herewith inclose my application for my share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, together with the application of my mother, Nancy Lucinda Fowler, my broter, Oscar Bennett Fowler, my sister, Laura Dale Fowler, and my minor children, William Robert Fowler et. als. The application of the minors was not prepared on different forms, because they could not be had.

Kindly acknowledge receipt, and oblige,

Yours truly,

*David Buson Fowler*

No. 38340

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mattie H. Miller* and *X* children. Residence: *Claremore, Okla.*

Reasons:

*(Matter this same name - #10295)*

No. 38340

Name *Mattie H. Miller*

With No. ....

Remarks:

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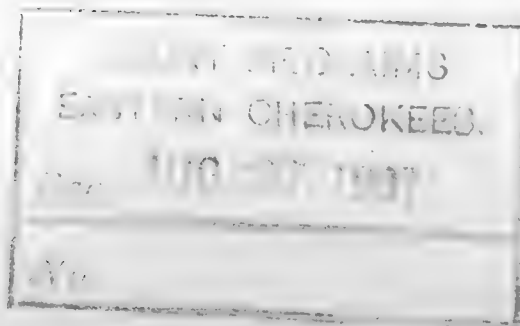
APPLICATION

OF

*Mattie H Miller*

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

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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: Martin H Miller

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Clarmore

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 23 Born Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> 1883

6. Where were you born? In Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: About M Miller

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>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: William M Goin

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Mary Goin

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Mary Bobin

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Tennessee

Mother: 11 4

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

Father: Benjamin J. Tamm

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Apr 1892

Mother: Sept 1892

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Cynthia Skaggs South West City		
(2)	Amanda Bobin residence not known		
(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.
Gaston and Cynthia	They were white
Goin ne McGill	

18. Where were they born?

Paternal grandfather in Cherokee Nation east

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

Paternal grandfather in Tennessee.

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

(1)	William M Goin	Dead
(2)	Francis M	"
(3)	Ernest	"
(4)	Jefferson C	"
(5)	Mary	"
(6)	Elizabeth Bobin	"
	Vardella Ryan	Clammore J. 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: No

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

Taban Tom lived in Cherokee Nation  
east in 1835.

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature) Mattie H. Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> 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 William M. Hall  
and Vandella Ryan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mattie H. Miller  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William M. Hall.  
Vandella Ryan.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

4/26/, 1909. Edgar Anderson,  
Notary Public.

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Appl. #38340

May 18, 1908.

Mattie L. Miller,  
Claremore, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, state where the parent through whom you claim resided 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.

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CLB/ALS

Vandella Ryan, -- being duly sworn, deposes and says:  
says:

My name is Vandella Ryan. My age is 60 years. I live in this District; have lived here 18 years. I lived in Going Snake District or Illinois; I am not sure which. I claim Cherokee Indian blood. I was enrolled by the Dawes Commission. I made application but was rejected. I never heard anything from it. I ~~got the money~~ did not get the strip money, and I applied in 1885 for citizenship, but did not get it. I claim Indian blood through my mother. My mother's name was Cynthia McGill. She married Carter Goin. She lived with me at the time of her death, and previously. She has been dead nine years. She applied for bread and strip money but did not get it. In 1851 she lived in Hamilton County Tennessee. We were not enrolled because my grandmother was sick and could not go with her to attend to it. They intended to come on but they died, - that is my grandmother and grandfather. My grandmother was a Cherokee woman and her name was Donaldson, before marrying McGill. Her given name was Nancy. She lived in Tennessee. They went from North Carolina ~~to~~ to Tennessee. They went from North Carolina to Granger County, and then to Hamilton County. I never heard anything about my mother's people being enrolled in 1835. My mother made affidavit before the Court that the reason they did not come on here was on account of not being able to be moved. My father has been dead a long time. I do not know whether he was on any rolls. My grandfather on father's side was Laborn Goin. I don't remember my grandmother. They came from North Carolina. I do not know whether they were regarded as Old Settlers. I do not know whether they are regarded as Emigrants. My brother is W. M. Goin and he was admitted at Tahlequah and recorded on the books, and J. C. Goin. My other brothers and sisters are all dead. My mother had a brother Wesley McGill who came here with the Cherokees. She had sisters: Betsey Goin, Sarah Wright, nee ~~Goin~~ McGill; Betsey McGill married my father's brother. My mother's half-brothers were Hare and Turnover. One was Jack Still, a cousin. Judge Ratler of Illinois was my father's cousin. Ellen Ratler was my father's first cousin. They never associated with any other tribe of Indians that I know of. None of my people were ever slaves. They never owned slaves that I know of.

*Vandella Ryan*  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Claremore,  
Oklahoma, this 29th day of August, 1908.

*A. J. Marice*  
Ass't to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims?

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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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

June 10, 1909.

*Mattie H. Miller,  
Claremore, Okla.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *38340*, 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. 38341

Action: *Rejected.*

Name *Vandella Ryan* and *X* children.

Residence: *Chimney, Ohio*

Reasons:

*Claim. the same case as # 10700*

No. 38341

Name Vandellia Kean

With No. 38309 ✓

Remarks:

No. 38341

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

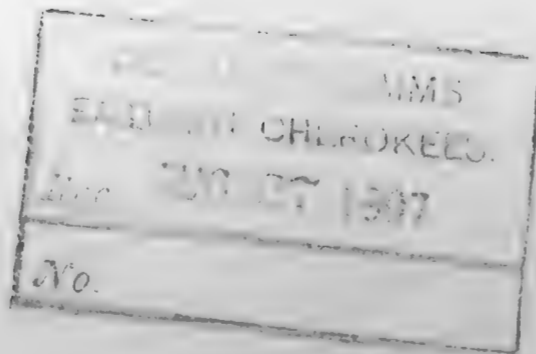
APPLICATION

OF

*Vandella Ryan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Vandella Ryan  
Indian name: not known
2. Residence and post office: Cherokee
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Indian Territory
5. How old are you? 59 Born June 26-1848
6. Where were you born? Tennessee
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jacob Ryan age 61
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>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: Barth Goin  
Indian name: not known  
Mother—English name: Cynthia Goin  
Indian name: not known  
Maiden name: Cynthia McGill

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Cherokee Nation east  
Mother: " " " "

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

Father: *In Tennessee*

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *About 1855*

Mother: *In 1899*

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>William M Goin</i>	<i>Dead</i>	
(2)	<i>Francis M "</i>	<i>"</i>	
(3)	<i>Preston "</i>	<i>"</i>	
(4)	<i>Elizabeth Bolin</i>	<i>"</i>	
(5)	<i>Jefferson Goin</i>	<i>"</i>	
(6)	<i>Minerva Goin</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.  
*Laban Goin*

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
*Grampton and  
William and Nancy  
McGill*

18. Where were they born?

*In Cherokee Nation east*

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

*In Tennessee*

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

(1)	<i>Preston Goin</i>	<i>Dead</i>
(2)	<i>Tillman "</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Harvard "</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Manilla "</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Nesley McGill</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)	<i>Leatha Goin</i>	
	<i>Lynethia " ne McGill</i>	<i>my father's mother</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: Don't know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835. My father, Carter Boni lived in Cherokee Nation, east in 1835.

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature)

Vandella Ryan,

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

Edgmon Anderson,

Notary Public.

My commission expires

4/26/1909, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

Julia Scruggs

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

that they are well acquainted with Vandella Ryan

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Julia Scruggs  
William M. Hall

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

My commission expires

4/26/1909, 1909 Edgmon 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.

Claremore, Indian Territory.

August <sup>the</sup> 24, 1907

To the Commissioner Union, Miller,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir I herewith in Close my Application  
for myself, Vandella, Ryan, also my  
Niece Mattie Miller, my nephew  
William L. Chapman,

if there is any Evidence needed you will  
find the papers with the Commissioner  
on Indian affairs but I do not know the  
~~man~~ number.

Citizen Ship papers and proffs of  
William M. Goin, Jeffican, B. Goin,  
Vandella, Ryan.

The first claim in 1872, the next two 1885.

respectfully,

Wm. Vandella, Ryan,

No. 38342.

Action: Reject.

Name Georgia Montbank and 6 children. Residence: Webbers Falls, Okla.

Reasons: Daughter of #1679. Claims thru same source.



No. 38342

Name *George W. Mankin*

With No. 1679

Remarks:

*Gaughtler #1679*

No. 38342

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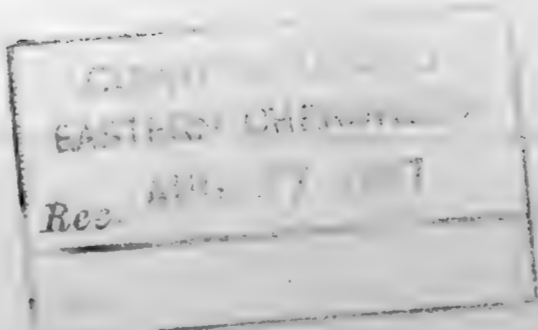
APPLICATION

OF

*Georgin Monk banks*

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

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

2. Residence and post office: Webbs Falls N.Y.

3. County: Dist 10

4. State: Indian Ter

5. How old are you? 37 years Born Nov 7" 1870

6. Where were you born? Webster Co. Mo.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Marchbanks age 37

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)	John Johnson	17 years	1882
(2)	Lilla "	15 "	1894
(3)	Artie "	12 "	1898
(4)	Noah "	9 "	1899
(5)	Dora "	5 "	1902
(6)	Joy Marchbanks	3 "	1904

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

Father—English name: John T Webb

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

Mother—English name: Sarah A Webb

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

Maiden name: Sarah A. Hensch

12. Where were they born?

Father: Loble Co. Alabama

Mother: Devin Co. Tenn.

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

Father: Madison Co. Mo  
Mother: " " Mo.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Jan 1" 1844  
Mother: living

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Adillon		March 13" 1849
(2)	Rhoda J. Jackson Haskell I.T.	Nov 13" 1858	
(3)	D. B. Wood Athol, Ind	March 7" 1843	
(4)	Monter E. Johnson Stigler I.T.	Oct 7" 1866	
(5)	John F. Wood Athol Ind	Dec 23 1877	
(6)	Ann Adams Haskell I.T.	Jan 1" 1880	

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James Webb	Calvin E. Hearsh
Eva Webb	Nancy Clark maiden name

18. Where were they born? Georgia & Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? do not know  
ever think Madison Co. Mo. or Cherokee Co. Mo.

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

(1)	Winnie Napier	
(2)	Daniel Hearsh	
(3)	Fineley Hearsh	dead
(4)	Rhoda Curtis	
(5)	Mary Hearsh	dead
(6)	Sam A. Hearsh	my mother

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

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

I think my grand  
mother drew money in Emigrant  
Payment 1852 - & was on roll  
1835 - & 46 her maiden name was Nancy Clark  
REMARKS.

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

I do not know name of Grand Parents  
on mother's side, I get my Emigrant blood  
through my Grand mother Nancy Clark

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

Georgia Monkbauck  
S. P. Potette (Signature)

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

J. Buchanan  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

6/28, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

John T. Nease

and

John Page

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Georgia Monkbauck

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and

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

herself to be, 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 Page  
John T. Nease

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

24 day of Aug, 1907.

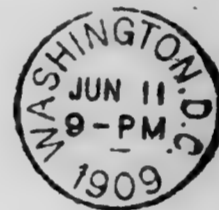
My commission expires

6/28, 1910.

J. Buchanan  
Notary Public.

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

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



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Georgia Montbank,  
~~Webbers Falls,~~  
Okla.

38342

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

June 10, 1909.

*Georgia Montbank  
Tribber Falls, Okla.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 38342 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. 38343

Action: Reject

Name Samuel J. Paek and / children. Residence: Kibler, Va.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. It does appear that no ancestor ever lived within the Cherokee domain and no connection whatever is shown with the Eastern Cherokees. This case is without merit.  
See letter.



~~Patrol~~  
No. 38343

Name Samuel J. Paek

With No. ....

Remarks:

Not on roll.

letter July 16/08.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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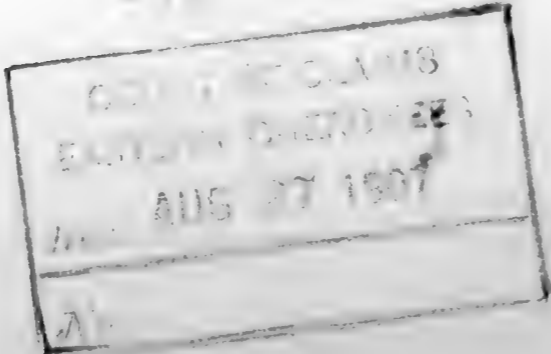
APPLICATION

OF

Samuel J Pack

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

<sup>6-624</sup> *addressee all  
mail matter to  
Peters Creek Va  
in care of E M Barnard*



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

SIR:

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

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

2. Residence and post office: Kibler C

3. County: Patrick

4. State: Virginia

5. How old are you? 24 years Born Feb 14 - 1882

6. Where were you born? in Patrick Co on the Blue Ridge Mountain

7. Are you married? I am

8. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Elean M Pack age 23 years

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

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

*There is a minor for which I claim*

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jasper M Pack</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>July 4 - 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: Thomas Pack Jr

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

Mother—English name: Louisa Pack

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

Maiden name: Louisa Cochran

12. Where were they born? in Patrick Co in the mountains of the Blue Ridge

Father: near the old Indian settlement

Mother: where their warriors & stone axes are found

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

Father: in Patrick so they were not born  
Mother: at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: he is living  
Mother: living

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Pack		living
(2)	Beth Pack		
(3)	Ida Pack - - married -		
(4)	Octavia Pack - - married		
(5)	William J. Pack		
(6)	Hannah Pack		

17. 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 Pack Sr	Nathan Cockran
Father of James Pack	Beth Cockran
my Grandfather	

18. Where were they born? in this country

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in the mountains of the Blue Ridge

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

(1)	I can't give them all	
(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: I have given them but I only claim through my Great Grandfather Isham Pack sr who was said to be one third of that Blood

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
This Pack family never affiliated with any other tribe of Indians but Cherokee which tribe once lived here in this neighborhood

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

(Signature) Samuel J. Pack

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

E. M. Barnard  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Mar 24, 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 Mahala Pack  
and Mina Bowman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel J. Pack  
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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

X Mahala Pack  
X Mina Bowman

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

My commission expires

Mar 24, 1911 E. M. Barnard  
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.

Appl. #38343

May 18, 1908.

Samuel J. Beck,  
Kibler, Va.

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?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1881, and where was he or she residing in 1884-85, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1884-85?

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

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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No. 38343

. July 16th, 1908.

Samuel J. Pack,  
c/o E. M. Bernard,  
Peters Creek, Va.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents or your grand-parents were never enrolled. Were any of your ancestors ever slaves? State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

by

F.T.S.-MSM.



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No. 38343

#38343

Peters Camp

Aug. 5 1908

Mr. Guion Miller,

Dear Sir, -

Your letter of inquiry, recd. in reply, will say. My self, for thinking and believing I was invited to participate in the Eskimo Land. as for the ones - all those whom I know have always acknowledged descent, in part.

Although some of them were even slaves or lived directly with the "tribe" But become mixed

by their association in  
some way. They were all  
uneducated. I never  
read papers, and for  
that reason I suppose  
were never before enrolled  
as knew anything about  
any enrollment being  
made at any time.  
They lived mostly in  
Patrick County Va. in the  
Mountains.

Yours truly  
James L. Pack,  
Mash

No. 38344.

Action: Rejected

Name: W. H. Fisher and 2 children. Residence: W. H. Fisher

Reasons:

W. H. Fisher, through the card and card number -

No. 38905

Name Engel, J. H.

With No. 19862

Remarks:

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No. 38344

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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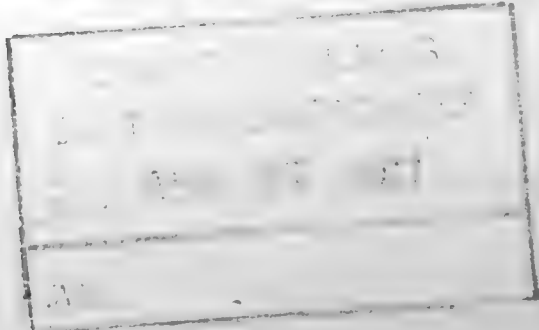
OF

*Elijah Jackson Pack*

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

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*Send all  
mail matter to  
Peters Creek Va  
in care of  
EM Barnard*



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Elijah Jackson Pack

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

2. Residence and post office: Kitler

3. County: Patrick

4. State: Virginia

5. How old are you? 27 years Born Aug 18, 80

6. Where were you born? in Patrick County on Dan River

7. Are you married? I am not

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

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

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

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

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

Father—English name: Arm Pack

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

Mother—English name: Mahala Pack

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

Maiden name: Mahala Bowman

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Patrick Co Va

Mother: in Patrick Co Va

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

Father: in Patrick Co

Mother: in Patrick Co

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1888

Mother: He 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: They were not

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Jimmie Pack</u>		
(2)	<u>Alley Pack</u>		
(3)	<u>Davis Pack</u>		
(4)	<u>Pussie Pack</u>		
(5)	<u>Molly Pack</u>		
(6)	<u>Nina Pack</u> <u>Mandy Pack</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>Green Pack</u>	<u>Norman Bowman</u>
	<u>(Maiden) Finney - Hooker</u>	
	<u>Name</u>	

18. Where were they born? on Dan River in Patrick Co Va

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

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

- (1) I cant give them all
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- (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: These are given of them  
I claim through my Gran mother Jency Hooker  
and there was some trace of this blood  
in my Granfather Green Pack

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

my People never had any affiliations  
with any other tribe but the Cherokee  
this being the only tribe who once lived here  
that we know

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

(Signature) Elijah Jackson <sup>his</sup> Pack

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

E M Barnard  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 24, 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 Mahala Pack

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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

X \_\_\_\_\_ Mahala Pack  
X \_\_\_\_\_ Nina Bowman

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

My commission expires

March 24, 1911 E M Barnard  
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. 31345

Action: ...

Name: ... and 3 children. Residence: ...

Reasons:

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31345

No. 38345-7.

Name.....

With No. 19862.

Remarks:

Jos. T. Hooker

Jos. H. "

Dra m. "

No. 38345

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

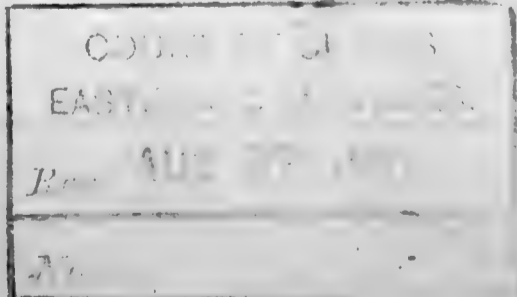
OF

*Joseph T. Hooker*

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

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*address all mail  
matter to  
Peters Creek Va  
in care of E. M. Bama*



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Joseph T. Hooker

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

2. Residence and post office: Campbell

3. County: Stokes

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 27 years Born Sept 8 - 1880

6. Where were you born? Patrick Co Va

7. Are you married? I am

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Emma E. Hooker 24 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? The same tribe she was a Fry before marriage

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

These are all names for which I claim

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Magnolia Hooker</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Dec 8 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Osburn E Hooker</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>July 11 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Alice E Hooker</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Aug 21 1904</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Leroy Hooker

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

Mother—English name: Leroy Ann Hooker

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

Maiden name: Leroy Ann Newman

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Patrick Co Va at the foot

Mother: of the Blue Ridge

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

Father: in Patrick Co Va

Mother: " " " " " "

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: They was not

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>James H Hooker</u>		<u>living</u>
(2)	<u>Ira Milton Hooker</u>		<u>1888</u>
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(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Jessie Hooker</u>	<u>James Newman</u>
<u>Betsy Hooker</u>	<u>Sally Newman</u>
<u>great grandfather</u>	<u>(these were English)</u>
<u>Samuel Hooker</u>	
<u>Indian</u>	

18. Where were they born? in Patrick Co Va on the Blue Ridge mountains

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

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

- (1) I can't 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: 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: those given go back beyond that date and they never had any affiliation with any other tribe

REMARKS.

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

I claim through the Hooker family descendants of Robin Hooker a full Blooded Cherokee Indian

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

(Signature)

Joseph T. Hooker

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

E. M. Barnard

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Mar 24, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W. H. Smith  
and Rebecca Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joseph T. Hooker 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

X W. H. Smith  
X Rebecca Smith

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

My commission expires

Mar 24, 1911. E. M. Barnard

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. 38346

Action: Decided

Name James H. Carter and 3 children. Residence: Winnfield, La.

Reasons:

Winnfield, La. till same course

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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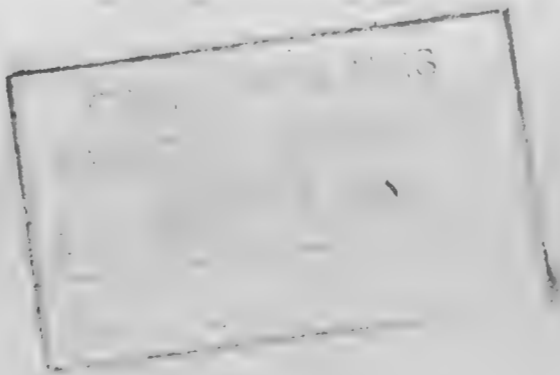
APPLICATION

OF

*James H. Hooker*

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

<sup>6-624</sup> address all  
mail matter to  
Peters Creek Va  
in care of E. M. Barnard



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: James H Hooker  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Campbell

3. County: Stokes

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 33 Born Apr 6 - 1874

6. Where were you born? Patrick Co Va at the foot of the

7. Are you married? I am Blue Ridge mountain

8. Name and age of wife ~~husband~~: Mary Hooker age 29 years

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

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

*Retain for these children they being minors*

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>James F Hooker</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>July 4 - 1900</u>
(2)	<u>Deborah Ester Hooker</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Oct 16 - 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Oliver R Hooker</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Mar 15 - 1904</u>
(4)	<u>Erastus O Hooker</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Dec 4 - 1906</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Leroy Hooker  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Lucy Ann Hooker  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Lucy Ann Newman

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Patrick Co Va at the foot of the Blue Ridge  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Father: in Patrick Co Va I think  
Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: They are both living  
Mother: .....

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>I have to many to set in on that</u>		
(2)			
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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.
<u>Jesse Hooker</u>	<u>James Newman</u>
<u>Betsy Hooker</u>	<u>Sally Newman</u>
<u>Great Grandfather Samuel Hooker</u>	

18. Where were they born? in Patrick Co in the mountains of the Blue Ridge

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

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

- (1) I cant 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: not that I ever heard 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: those named was living before that date

REMARKS.

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

I claim through the Hooker family who never affiliated with any other tribe the Cherokees was in fact the only tribe who ever lived here

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

(Signature) James H <sup>his</sup> Hooker

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

E M Barnard  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Mar 24, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W H Smith

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

that they are well acquainted with James H Hooker

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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

X W H Smith

X Rebecca Smith

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

My commission expires

Mar 24, 1911. E M Barnard  
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. 38347

Action: Revised

Name W. H. Baker and        children. Residence: Waukegan, Ill.

Reasons:

relative to road, the same as above.

No. 38347

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Geo Milton Hooker*

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

<sup>6-624</sup> *address all  
mail matter to  
Peter's Creek Va  
in care of L M Barnard*

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES By ACT OF 1907 No.
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Tha Milton Hooker

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

2. Residence and post office: Campbell

3. County: Stokes

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 24 Born May 29 - 1923

6. Where were you born? Stokes Co N.C.

7. Are you married? I am not

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

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>I have no children</u>		
(2)	_____		
(3)	_____		
(4)	_____		
(5)	_____		
(6)	_____		

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

Father—English name: Leroy Hooker

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

Mother—English name: Lucy Ann Hooker

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

Maiden name: Lucy Ann Newman

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Patrick Co Va

Mother: at the foot of the Blue Ridge mountain

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

Father: Patrick Co Va

Mother: .....

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: They were not

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>James H Hooker</u>		<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Joseph T Hooker</u>		<u>.....</u>
(3)	<u>.....</u>		<u>.....</u>
(4)	<u>.....</u>		<u>.....</u>
(5)	<u>.....</u>		<u>.....</u>
(6)	<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>Lease Hooker</u>	<u>James Newman</u>
<u>Betsy Hooker</u>	<u>Sally Newman</u>
<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>

18. Where were they born? in Patrick Co Va in the Blue Ridge mountains

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

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

- (1) I can't give them all
- (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: Those named go back beyond that date

REMARKS.

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

I claim this Blood through the Hooker family they had no affiliation with any other tribe

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

(Signature) Ira Milton <sup>hooker</sup> Hooker

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

E M Barnard

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Mar 24, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me W H Smith

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

that they are well acquainted with Ira Milton Hooker

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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

X W H Smith  
X Rebecca Smith

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

My commission expires

Mar 24, 1911. E M Barnard  
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. 38348.

Action: Reject

Name Martha J. Burge and 7 children. Residence: Smith, D.C.

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. 38348

Name Martha J. Buzen

With No.

Remarks:

not on roll.

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No. 38348

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

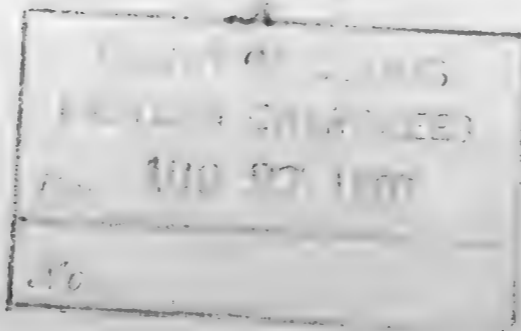
OF

*Martha J. Burger*

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

*Send all mail  
to E M Barnard  
at Peters Creek  
Va*



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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Martha J Burge

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

2. Residence and post office: Smith

3. County: Stokes

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 40 Born June 8 - 18, 67

6. Where were you born? in Patrick Va

7. Are you married? I am a widow

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: David C Burge Dec 65 years at his death - 1904

9. To what tribe of Indians does he ~~or she~~ belong? The Eastern Cherokees I suppose as his grandmother lived in their old

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: through her I claim for my children

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	William C Burge	19	Dec 4 - 1887
(2)	Jimmie Eva Burge	16	Nov 3 - 1890
(3)	Lucy C Burge	14	Apr 4 - 1893
(4)	Mary M Burge	12	May 27 - 1895
(5)	Sarah F Burge	9	Jan 21 - 1898
(6)	Hannie H Burge		May 22 - 1900
	Charlie A Burge		Mar 18 - 1903

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

as this claim is for my children through my husband he having a trace of this blood as he claimed I wife's father's mother

Father—English name: William Burge

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

Mother—English name: Sally Burge

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

Maiden name: Sally Simmons

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Patrick Co Va

Mother: Stokes county Va

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

Father: in Patrick Co Va

Mother: " " " " " "

14. Date of death of <sup>his</sup> father and mother:

Father: 1899

Mother: 1939

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 have ever heard of but claimed Relation with Eastern Cherokees

16. Name all <sup>his Brothers</sup> ~~your brothers~~ and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Columbus Burge</u>		<u>1904</u>
(2)	<u>Emily Burge</u>		<u>1906</u>
(3)	<u>Charlot Burge</u>	<u>about 1882</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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.
<u>John</u>	<u>Sally Cox (before marriage)</u>
	<u>(married John Simmons)</u>

18. Where were they born? Stokes Co NC

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

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

(1)	<u>I can not give them all</u>
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*has he*  
21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: he has not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I have given them back further than that date of my husband through whom I make this claim

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My husband claimed that his grandmother formerly Sally Cox was of this blood and that is my information

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

(Signature) Martha J. Benge

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

E M Barnard  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Mar 24, 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 Samuel H Fry  
and Isham Dalton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha J Benge 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

X Samuel H Fry  
X Isham Dalton

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

My commission expires

Mar 24, 1907. E M Barnard  
Notary Public.

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Appl. #38348

May 18, 1908.

Martha J. Bergen,  
Smith, N. C.

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 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,

Special Commissioner

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Peters Creek, Va.

June 23, 1908

Mr. Guion Miller, Spec. Com.

Dear Sir, -

In reply to your favor of May 18, 1908 relative to my application for my children for participation in the "Eastern Cherokee Fund".

I will give the following explanation. The claim for them was through their father W.C. Burge, deceased, who through his Grand Mother ~~Salt~~ formerly by maiden name, was "Ballie Cox", who did not live with the "Cherokee Tribe" at any time, but was recognized as being mixed with that blood. But lived among the white races. Being mostly of white blood. But I think from the best information I have, she died prior to 1851. And her descendants never heard of any enrollment at that date. She was married to John Burmons, and 1834 & 1835 lived in Rock County, Va.

She was never a slave being Free Born, and mostly of white blood.

Yours truly,

Martha J. Burge

address Mrs. Martha J. Burge, Smith, N.C.

No. 38349.

Action: Reject

Name Leas Patrick Cannon and 3 children. Residence: Randolph Texas

Reasons: It does not appear that applicants  
Ancestors were parties to treaties of 1835-  
6-46. Nor does it appear that they  
were members of the Cherokee tribe or recognized  
Cherokees.

Miscel Test P, 2216.

*Field*  
*Revised*  
No. 38349  
Name *Cleo P. Carson*  
With No. *1000000000*

Remarks:

*not on roll.*

No. 38349

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

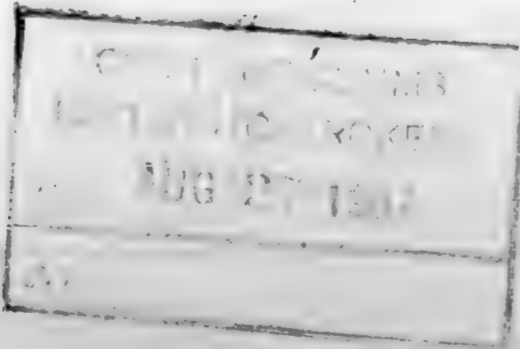
APPLICATION

OF

*Chas. Patrick Carson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: Cleo Patrick Aaron  
Indian name: L
2. Residence and post office: Leonard Randolph
3. County: Tanner
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 44 Born March 17-1863
6. Where were you born? Jefferson Co. Ala.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband Lula Aaron age 27
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:
 

	NAME.	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>Elizabeth E. Aaron</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>May 8-1902</u>
(2)	<u>Willie Cleo Aaron</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>May 6 1904</u>
(3)	<u>Thomas A. Aaron</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Sept. 4-1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
 

Father—English name: William Aaron  
Indian name: William Aaron Philyaw or Philyawh

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Aaron  
Indian name: ✓  
Maiden name: Elizabeth Butler
12. Where were they born?  
Father: In Ga. Don't know name of Co.  
Mother: In Ala. " " " "



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

Father: In Jefferson Co. Ala.

Mother: In Jefferson Co Ala.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dant Kew, about 1866.

Mother: Died July 27 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: No.

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

(1) G.W. Aaron NAME BORN FEBRUARY 29 1858. LIVING

Adelia D. G.

(2) William Aaron Dant Kew. Dead

(3) John M. Aaron Dant Kew Dead

(4) C.C. Aaron Dant Kew Dead.

(5) Emory Aaron Dant Kew Dead  
Have other brothers dead, but dont know names

(6) Corshie Aaron D 1904 Dead

Elizabeth Aaron 1880 Dead

Put Aaron have other all dead.

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

FATHER'S SIDE: Dant Kew Names Grand mothers  
MOTHER'S SIDE: Name on fathers side was Philyan or Philyanugh

18. Where were they born? I think in Ga.

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

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

(1) G.W. Woodruff. 1/2 brother to father

(2) Had some daughters but dont know names.

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(6)

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

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

Father Name  
William Aaron Philyan or Philyangh  
Grandmother on father's side Philyan or

REMARKS.

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

I base my claim on Father, William  
Aaron Philyan or Philyangh, a  
Cherokee Indian

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

(Signature) Cleo Patrick Aaron

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

Will H. Evans  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 30, 1909

Fannin Co. Texas

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

S. H. Craft

and

G. T. Martin & M. J. Shaw

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Cleo Patrick Aaron

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. H. Craft

G. T. Martin - M. J. Shaw

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

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909.

Burr Wright  
Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 20 1907  
No. 28249

Sent card  
9/21/07

9/16/57

Leonard T. B. B. B.

Quinn Miller  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

The application  
you sent me in regard  
to the Eastern Cherokee  
Indian claim was filed  
at once and forward  
to you by return mail  
some time ago

I have not heard anything  
from you please let  
me hear from you  
at once

Yours Truly  
C. P. Aaron

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JAN 29 1908  
No. 38349.

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C. A. WHEELER  
LAWYER  
Office in Court House

Reference: FIRST NATIONAL BANK  
NOTARY IN OFFICE

Bonham, Texas, Jan'y 25th. 1908

Hon. Guion Miller, Special Cm'r  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Relative to my claim for participation in the fund of the Eastern Cherokees no. 38349, beg to ask advise as to the present <sup>a</sup>status of the claim, and if further proof is required and the nature of same.

I also advise you that my present post office address is Randolph, Fannin County, Texas, instead of Leonard as heretofore.

Thanking you for advice as qbove requested, I am,

Very truly,

C. P. Aaron,

Randolph, Texas

Claim no. 38349

Appl. #38349

May 18, 1908.

Cleo E. Arron,  
Randolph, Texas.

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 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 1854-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1854-55?

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

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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Randolph Tex. May 25th. 1908.

Guion Miller;

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:- I have just received your letter of inquiry in regard ~~to~~ my participation in the Cherokee funds, I feel sure my grand parents on my father's side did reside with the Cherokee tribe in Alabama or Georgia, but I ~~cant~~ give the date.

As to our race, there is no negro blood in our family at all, we were ~~xxxxxx~~ recognized as Indians and went by our Indian name until after the death of my father about 1866, whose Indian name was Wm. Philyaugh or Philyaw, since that time we have gone by the name of Aaron, I dont know why my parents or grand parents were not enrolled in 1851, my grandmother's maiden name was Artelicia Philyaugh or Philyaw, ~~ids~~ my father through whom I make this claim lived in Georgia in 1834-35 at this time I think my grandparents were dead.

My parents nor grandparents were never slaves.

The No. of my application is # ~~XXXXXX~~ 38349

Hoping to hear from you often in regard to this matter

I remain Yours Very Truly.

C. P. Aaron

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#38349

Miscel.

Cleo P. Aaron being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 45 years of age. I claim my Indian descent through my father; my mother was a white woman. My wife is a white woman. My father claimed through his mother, Artelishia Philyou or Philyough. My father was born in Floyd Co., Ga., somewhere near Rome, Ga. My father was 55 when he died. When he left Floyd Co., Ga. he went to Jefferson Co., Ala. He was about 18 years old when he went there. He died in Jefferson Co., Ala. My grandmother died before the war. She was living in Jefferson Co., Ala., I think. She claimed to be 1/2 Cherokee. Don't know whether my father or his mother ever lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe. I am recognized as a part Indian in the community where I live. I went by the name of Philyou until my father died. Don't know whether my father or his money were ever on any Indian rolls. My father never received anything from the government; don't know whether his mother did or not. I did not make application to the Dawes Commission; this is the only application I have made. My father had half brothers on his mother's side. They went by the name of Woodruff. George W. Woodruff was the brother. He has half sisters but I don't know their names nor whether they are living or not. If my grandmother was enrolled, Philyou was the name under which she was enrolled. There is no one older than myself who knows anything about my Indian ancestry.

*Shows no indication of Indian blood*

Cleo P. Aaron  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Bonham, Tex. this 24th day of Aug. 1908.

JDP  
Ass't to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* APR 27 1909  
No. 38349

*circ. let.*

**SOUTHERLAND LUMBER COMPANY**

**RANDOLPH, TEXAS**

April 24th.1909.

Guion Miller,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I made application for enrollment, and made proof of my Indian blood; my No. is 38349. I employed one John Whorton Clark to attend to the matter for me and gave him my card, I have written to him and can't here from him: so I will ask you to advise me what has been done about the matter as regards my case.

Hoping to hear from you in regard to the matter I remain.

Yours very truly.

Cleo P. Aaron.

No. 38350

Action: Rejected

Name William W. Brown and 4 children.

Residence: St. Clair, Tenn.

Reasons: Arizona - Case

No. 382

Name Wm W. Brown

With No. Signature

Remarks:

No. 38300

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

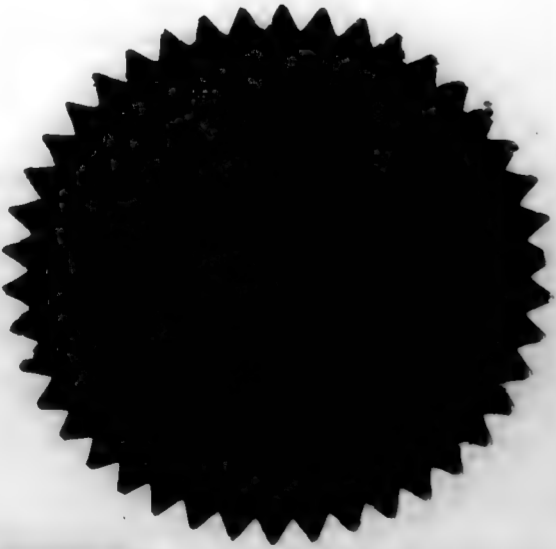
OF

William H. 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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INDIAN AFFAIRS
No.



CASE 75

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

SIR:

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

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

2. Residence and post office: Saint Clair

3. County: Dawkins

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 38 Years Born Dec. 28, 1869

6. Where were you born? Dawkins County Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Laura Cope Born Aug 15, 1877

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>Joy Clyde Brown</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Aug. 23, 1896</u>
(2)	<u>William Oral Brown</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Feb. 21, 1898</u>
(3)	<u>James Inad Brown</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Feb. 6, 1902</u>
(4)	<u>Berly Mc Inad Brown</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Oct. 20, 1905</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: James G. L. Brown

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

Mother—English name: Rebecca J. Brown

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

Maiden name: Rebecca J. Vermillion

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gap, Hawkins County Tenn.

Mother: Willow Springs, Russell County Va.



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

Father: War Isap Hawkins County Tenn

Mother: Steeleyville Scott County Va.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

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

and with what tribe of Indians: No.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Theophilus G. Brown</u> <u>Knorrville Tenn.</u> <u>George M. and Frank W.</u> <u>Brown (Tenn)</u> <u>Big Stone Gap Va</u>	<u>Nov. 13. 1861.</u>	
(2)	<u>John Spruce Brown</u> <u>Whitcomb Tenn.</u>	<u>March 12. 1864</u>	
(3)	<u>Samuel A. Brown</u> <u>Whitcomb Tenn.</u>	<u>Oct. 12. 1867.</u>	
(4)	<u>James C. Brown</u> <u>Bulletts Tenn.</u>	<u>Nov. 28. 1874.</u>	
(5)	<u>Hannie Brown</u> <u>Whitcomb Tenn.</u>	<u>Nov. 20. 1878</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>Thomas G. Brown</u>	<u>Wm. Vermillion</u>
<u>Sarah Sizemore</u>	<u>Marcy Owens.</u>

18. Where were they born? Father side North Carolina, Mother side in Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father side Mac Gap Tenn  
Mother side Russell County Va.

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

(1)	<u>Levill C. Brown</u> <u>Dead</u>	<u>Johns. H. Vermillion</u>
(2)	<u>Thomas G. Brown</u> <u>"</u>	<u>Archie B. Vermillion</u>
(3)	<u>Marcy Brown</u> <u>"</u>	<u>Augustus Vermillion</u>
(4)	<u>Andrew J. Brown</u> <u>"</u>	<u>Wm. Judah Vermillion</u>
(5)	<u>Chinyard Brown</u> <u>"</u>	<u>Mary E. Vermillion</u>
(6)	<u>Matth. C. Brown</u> <u>"</u>	<u>Sarah C. Vermillion</u>
	<u>James J. C. Brown</u>	<u>Rebecca J. Vermillion</u>
	<u>Whitcomb 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: J. G. B. Brown<sup>3d</sup> & Rebecca Brown  
Thos. G. and Sarah Brown, 1<sup>st</sup> and Nancy Linnell

REMARKS.

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

I am unable at present to give Indian name of my Cherokee ancestor, Sigenore, is the English name

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

(Signature) William W. Brown

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

D. J. Pleasant  
Notary Public.  
for Hanover County, Virginia

My commission expires

March 19, 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 W. V. Graham  
and T. C. Fullbright, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William W. Brown who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 years and 4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. V. Graham  
T. C. Fullbright

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My commission expires

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\* Erasure to correct mistake only. D. J. Pleasant  
N.P.

No. 38351

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Lucy Harris* and *1* children.

Residence: *Colagah, Okla.*

Reasons: *Daughter of #21150.*

No. 38957

Name Lucy Miller

With No. 21150

Remarks:

No. 38351

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

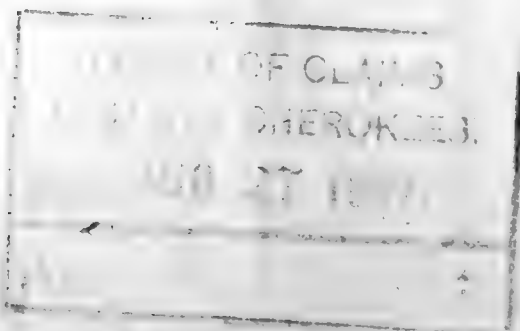
OF

*Lucy Harris*

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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: Lucy Harris nee Rogers

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Oolagah I.T.

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 25 years Born Aug 12 1882

6. Where were you born? Near Oolagah I.T.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Silas Harris 28 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> belong? None

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Luther Levi Harris</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>May 13 1904</u>
(2)	.....	.....	.....
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Rab. Rogers

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Rhoda Rogers

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Do not know

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Flint District I.T. Cherokee Nation

Mother: Do not know.

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

Father: In Cherokee Nation I.T.

Mother: Do not know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at ~~#####~~ Oolagah I.T.

Mother: Living at Oolagah I.T.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Both are Cherokee Allottees  
In Cherokee Nation I.T. and drew Grass and strip Money.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Jack Rogers	Now living at Coffey ville Kas.	age unknown
	Houston Rogers	" "	" Lenapah I.T. age unknown
(2)	Clem Rogers	" "	" Oolagah I.T. " "
	Jasper Rogers	" "	" Talala I.T. " "
(3)	Isaac Rogers	Aged 21 Years	
	Oolagah <del>#####</del> I.T.		
(4)	Clara French	Aged 28	
	Lenapah I.T.		
(5)	Rosie Rogers	Aged 27	
	Oolagah I.T.		
(6)	Grace Rogers	Aged 20 Years	Oolagah I.T.
	Margaret Rogers	" 17 "	" "

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jess Rowe

18. Where were they born? unknown to me

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) Rab Rogers, my father Oolagah I.T.

(2) Gracie Green leaf Tahlequah I.T.

(3) Houston Rogers Talala I.T.

(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: Drew Strip and Grass Money and as a Cherokee Allottee of the Cherokee Nation.

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

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) Lucey Harris

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

John E. Pemberton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 21, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me R. L. Farrar

and C. Graves, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lucey Harris

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. L. Farrar  
C. Graves

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

My commission expires

Dec 21, 1908, of John E. Pemberton  
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. 38352

Action: *Admitted*

Name *Samuel C. Manahan* and — children. Residence: *Nowata, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Nephew of #411, and claims through the same  
ancestors.*

No. 38352

Name R. J. C. T. M. K. H. C.

With No. 411

Remarks:

No. 38352

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

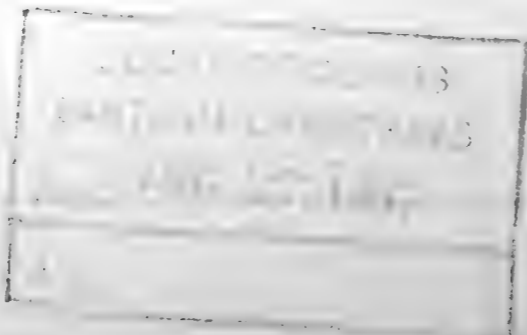
APPLICATION

OF

*Saml C. Marshall*

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

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38352

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

SIR:

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

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Nowata, Ind. Ter.

3. County: Nowata

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 22 years 9 mos. Born Jan. 12<sup>th</sup> 1885

6. Where were you born? Muskogee, Ind. Ter.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

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

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

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

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

Manahan, Susan Smalley (nee Manahan) Susan Adair

Father—English name: Frank Manahan

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Susan Smalley

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Susan Adair

12. Where were they born?

Father: Norwalk, Huron County, Ohio

Mother: Flint District, near Stillwell, Ind. Ter

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

Father: In Ohio

Mother: was born 1859

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died September 10<sup>th</sup> 1899

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: (Bread at Ft. Gibson (Strip) at Vinita (money) 1880 or 1881 and other annuities, except Odd-better money with Cherokee (money) Don't know date)

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Henry A. Manahan Coffeyville, Kansas	Dec. 17, 1883	_____
(2)	Sue Rosa Manahan Emma Manahan	Oct. 29, 1887 Mar. 2, 1890	Jan. 29, 1891 _____
(3)	Mary E. Manahan Frank Manahan Jr.	June 4, 1891 July 9, 1892	_____
(4)	Chas. W. Manahan William McK. Manahan	Aug. 27, 1895 Mar. 19, 1897	_____
(5)	Olive Manahan (A half sister)	Mar. 5, 1898	July 20, 1899
(6)	Mrs. Clara Blackard Muldrow, Ind. Ty	Feb. 19, 1880	_____

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Henry H. Manahan Nevada, Vernon Co. Mo.	Rufus B. Adair (Near) Salisaw, Ind. Ty.
Mary J. Manahan Nevada, Vernon Co. Mo.	Jennie Adair (Near) Salisaw, Ind. Ty.

18. Where were they born? Father's Side: In Ohio Mother's Side: (Near) Stillwell, Ind. Ty.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father's Side: In Ohio. Mother's Side: Flint District Ind. Ty.

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

(1)	Samuel Adair	Lenapah, Ind. Ty.
(2)	Susan Smalley	Nowata, Ind. Ty.
(3)	Mary Lemaster	Fairland, Ind. Ty.
(4)	Lizzie Bigby	Stillwell, Ind. Ty.
(5)	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____

Mother's Side

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes, for Strip Money, about 1890, at Lenapeh, Ind. Ty with Cheakles

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 Samuel C. Manahan)

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

J. P. Johnson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 23, 1911

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me E. F. Elliott and S. M. Cox, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel C. Manahan 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.

E. F. Elliott  
S. M. Cox

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

My commission expires July 23, 1911

J. P. Johnson  
Notary Public.

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No. 38353

Action: Admitted

Name Lucy Anna <sup>of</sup> ~~Thomas~~ and X children. Residence: Grove, Okla.

Reasons: 1<sup>st</sup> cousin once removed to #810.  
Daughter of #4324, same group.

No. 38353

Name Lucy Woodall

With No. ~~4253~~

Remarks: 810



No. 38353

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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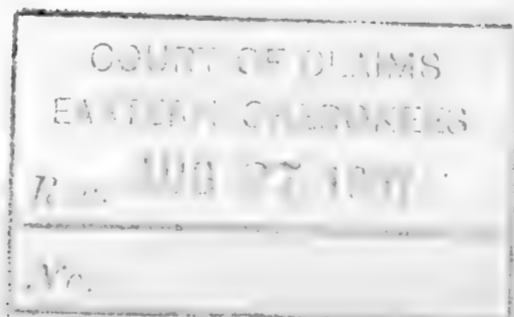
APPLICATION

OF

*Suey Anna Woodall*

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

Indian name: E. ni.

2. Residence and post office: Grove, Grove Ind. Ter

3. County: Northern District

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 28 Born 1878

6. Where were you born? Delaware District Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? No.

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

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? 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: George W. Woodall

Indian name: Oo-oo-oo-da-na.

Mother—English name: Susan Woodall

Indian name: Su-sa-ni.

Maiden name: Susan Muskrot

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter

Mother: Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter

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

Father: Not Living

Mother: Not Living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

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

Payments since 1875, Have their allotments of land

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Martha Cox ne Woodall Grove - Ind Ia	1877	
(2)	Louisa Hampton ne Woodall Grove - Ia	1881	
(3)	John D. Woodall Grove - Ind Ia	1884	
(4)	Nancy L. Woodall Grove - Ia	1893	
(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 H. Woodall	John Mustkrat
Allen Woodall	Martha Mustkrat

18. Where were they born? In the old Cherokee Nation

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation Indian Territory

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

(1) Charles Woodall	Susan Mustkrat
(2) William L. Woodall	James Mustkrat
(3) James J. Woodall	Levytha Mustkrat
(4) John P. Woodall	John Mustkrat
(5) Steve Woodall	Nannie Mustkrat
(6) George W. Woodall	William Mustkrat

21. 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. In all Cherokee payments since 1880. Have my allotment of land.

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

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My mother's no. is 4324

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

(Signature) Luzanne Woodall

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

J S Remson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me James P. Butler  
and Thomas J. Ballard, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Anna Woodall who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 26 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.

James P. Butler  
Thomas Ballard

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

My commission expires May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1908. J S Remson  
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. 38354.

Action: Admitted.

Name John D. Woodall and  children.

Residence: Grove, Okla.

Reasons: 1st cousin once removed to #810.  
~~Daughter~~ of #324, same grandpa.  
Son

No. 38354

Name Jack Marshall

With No. ~~4223~~

Remarks: 810

No. 38354

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John d. Woodall*

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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No.

38354

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

SIR:

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

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

2. Residence and post office: Brook Grove Ind Ter

3. County: Northern District

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 23 Born 1884

6. Where were you born? Delaware District Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Delia Morgan - 19 yrs

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

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

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

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

Father—English name: George H Woodall

Indian name: Do-we-su-da-na

Mother—English name: Susan Woodall

Indian name: Su-sa-ni

Maiden name: Susan Muehrat

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation Ind Ter

Mother: Cherokee Nation Ind Ter



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

Father: Not Living

Mother: Not Living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

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

Yes. In all Cherokee payments since 1875. Have their allotments of land

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Martha Cox ne Woodall	1877	
	<del>Lucy Anna Woodall</del> Brown	1879	
(2)	Lucy Anna Woodall		
	Brown - 97		
(3)	<del>Laura Hampton ne Woodall</del>	1881	
	Brown - 97		
(4)	Nancy Woodall	1893	
	Brown - 97		
(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 W. Woodall	Jake Muskrat
Ellen Woodall	Martha Muskrat

18. Where were they born? In The Old Cherokee Nation

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation Indian Territory

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

- (1) Charley Woodall, Susan Muskrat
- (2) William C. Woodall, James Muskrat
- (3) James T. Woodall, Cynthia Muskrat
- (4) John P. Woodall, John Muskrat
- (5) Stan Woodall, Nannie Muskrat
- (6) George W. Woodall, William Muskrat

21. 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. In all Cherokee Payments since 1880 have my allotment of land

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

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.) My Mother's No. is 4324.

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

(Signature) John D Woodall

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

J S Remson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 2<sup>d</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 P Butler  
and Thomas J Ballard who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John D Woodall who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 23 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.

James P Butler  
Thomas Ballard

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

My commission expires May 2<sup>d</sup>, 1908

J S Remson  
Notary Public.

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No. 38355-9999-5594

Action: Admitted

Name: Geo. W. McDonald and children. Residence: Forum, Okla.

Reasons:

No. 38355

Name Geo. W. Wood Donald

With No. 4999

Remarks:

*Br. - 557*

*No. 38355*  
*See # 9999*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*Geo. W. Mc<sup>of</sup> Donald*  
*for*  
*William C. McDonald*  
*son of G. W. McDonald*

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec AUG 27 1901
No.

*38355*

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

SIR:

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

*Supplemental application*

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

*My original # 9999*

1. State full name—

English name:

*Geo. W. McDonald*

*Dawson Com # 5007*

Indian name:

*''*

2. Residence and post office:

*Primer I T.*

3. County:

*Cherokee Nation*

4. State:

*Ind Ter*

5. How old are you?

*68*

Born

*March 1839*

6. Where were you born?

*Georgia*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Sarah E. McDonald*

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:

*Dawson Com.*

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
<i>16254</i>	(1) <i>Thomas V. McDonald</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>Jan 17 1861</i>
<i>5009</i>	(2) <i>Missouri M. McDonald</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>May 13 1862</i>
<i>5011</i>	(3) <i>Texas R. McDonald</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>Feb - 1865</i>
<i>5008</i>	(4) <i>William C. McDonald</i>	<i>?</i>	<i>Aug 1 1877</i>
<i>5010</i>	(5) <i>Ora P. McDonald</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>Apr 24 1877</i>
<i>5010</i>	(6) <i>Edward L. McDonald</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>Oct 19 1897</i>

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

*Collin - McDonald*

Father—English name:

*Collin McDonald*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Narcina McDonald*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Narcina Adams*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Georgia*

Mother:

*''*

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

Father: Georgia

Mother: ''

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1885 - 6 - or 7, Dont know

Mother: 1862

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 1852 Roll

in State of Georgia

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>Dont know</u>	<u>Dont know</u>

18. Where were they born?

They were born in Georgia

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>Dont know</u>	.....
(2)	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....

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

*in Cherokee Nation Strip Money & Lands*

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

REMARKS.

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

*This application is for purpose of obtaining McLean McDonalds claim & all because of my children*

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

*Geo. W. McDonald*  
(Signature)

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

*R. L. Peale*  
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 *Watt Ashkey*  
and *R. D. Boles*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Geo. W. McDonald* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *50* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Watt Ashkey*  
*R. D. Boles*

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

My commission expires

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*R. L. Peale*  
Notary Public.

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Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*M. H. Jackson*  
*E. B. Leavison*

25 day of *May*, 1907.  
*Geo. C. Blackstone*  
Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*6/10/1907* 190

My commission expires

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the 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. *9999*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Geo. W. 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.

COURT OF  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 23 1907  
No.

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 9999

1. State your full name: George W. M. Donald
2. Residence and post office: Ponnum
3. County: Western District of Cherokee Nat.
4. State: Ind Territory
5. Date and place of birth: Georgia 1839 age 68.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah E. M. Donald. age 65.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Citizen of United States.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Edward L. M. Donald,</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890.</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: Cherokee allotment.

### REMARKS

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

I am on the Cherokee Authentic Roll of 1880.

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

G. W. M. Donald  
(Signature)

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

Gold Blackstone  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires 6/30/1907.

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. H. Jackson and E. B. Callison who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Geo. W. McDonald, who makes the foregoing application and statement, 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 on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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.....

W. H. Jackson  
E. B. Callison

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

Geo. W. Blackstone  
Notary Public.

My commission expires 6/10/1909, 1909.

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

No. 9999

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

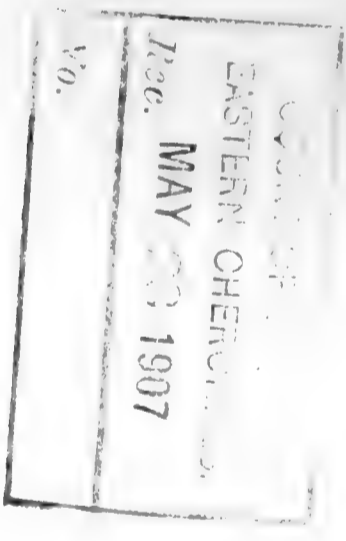
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Geo. W. 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.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 17, 1907.

Emily H. Callison,

Porum, Indian Territory.

Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your supplemental application.  
As you have never filed an original application, a blank  
is enclosed herewith for your filing.

Kindly give this matter prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

*Quinn Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

*Reference To Enclosed Claim.*

COUNTY CLERK  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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Thomas H. Elw  
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John  
Aug 19 1868

My dear wife  
My dear wife of my children  
H. M. McDonald Born January 18  
1868 29693

Emily M. McDonald Born  
Born Feb 20 1872

Laura M. McDonald Born 29923  
Feb 18 1875

William G. McDonald Born  
1st Oct. 1874

Oran B. McDonald Born 29772

April 24 1879

Margaret M. McDonald Born

May 13 1882 29772

Edward L. McDonald Born

Oct 18 1889 1919

George M. McDonald 9977

1871  
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Torun, Okla.

Nov. 28-08

Gen. Guion Miller

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to No. 39355-5574  
I will say that the reason  
I made application for  
William C. McDonald instead of  
him making it himself,

His mind is not sufficiently  
developed for him to be  
capable to attend to his business.

He <sup>has</sup> lived at home (with me)  
all his life.

Yours respt.

Geo. W. McDonald

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No. 3835-6

Action: Reject

Name Mary Burton and 3 children.

Residence: Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant received an allotment of land as a Creek and is enrolled by the Dawes Commission as a Creek - Roll No. 6809.

No. 3835 ~~7~~ 7

Name .....

With No. ~~2942~~

Remarks: 38356

Mary Weston  
Robt. Ligon  
C. L. Hill

No. 38356  
*Mice* *Q. 2222*  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Mary Barton*  
*Muskogee, J. 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.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
WASHINGTON, D. C.
NOV 17 1907
No.

38356

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Burton, nee Tiger,

Indian name: Me-ki-

2. Residence and post office: Muskogee

3. County: Creek Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 25 Years Born January 6 1882

6. Where were you born? Elk Creek ten miles South of Muskogee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. F. Burton, 36 Years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? White Man

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Rufus Burton	6 years	May 11, 1901.
(2)	Chestela (Indian name)		
(3)	Charles Burton,	4 years	Dec. 9, 1903.
(4)	Tsicoti (Indian name)		
(5)	Lucy Burton	1 Year 5 mo.	April 9, 1906
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Willie Tiger,

Indian name: Doat Khay

Mother—English name: Lucy Whitfield, (or Lucy Lynch nee Tiger)

Indian name: Lusi

Maiden name: Lucy Whitfield

12. Where were they born?

Father: Creek Nation Coweta — I.T.

Mother: Illinois District Cherokee Nation — I.T.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: I do not know, maybe Creek Nation

Mother: Illinois District Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1890

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: 1857, 1894 - Mother has Cherokee land

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Robert Tiger</u>	<u>June 11 1850</u>	<u>living</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>do not know</u>	<u>George Whitfield</u>
	<u>Nehi</u>
	<u>Sarah Whitfield</u>
	<u>Sarah</u>

18. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? do not know  
Cherokee Nation if living, Illinois District

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Mary Whitfield</u>	<u>dead</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Whitfield</u>	<u>living</u>
(3)	<u>Sophia Whitfield</u>	<u>dead</u>
(4)	<u>Lucey Whitfield</u>	<u>living</u>
(5)	<u>Annina Whitfield</u>	<u>dead</u>
(6)	<u>Sunhi Whitfield</u>	<u>dead</u>
	<u>Peter Whitfield</u>	<u>dead</u>
	<u>Charlotte Whitfield</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>now Peter</u>	
	<u>P.O. Muldrow, S.T.</u>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee tribe money 1894,  
Allotment of Creek Land,

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Burtar, nee Tiger

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

Joshua Ross,

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 30/1910, 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 Mary Whitfield

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary Burtar nee Tiger,

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.

Mary Whitfield  
Wm B. Mathe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

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.

*Mary Burton,  
Muskogee, Okla.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 28257, 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. 38357

Action: Reject.

Name: Robert Tiger and children. Residence: Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons: - Applicant received an allotment of land as a Creek Indian - and is enrolled by the Dawes Commission as a Creek - No. 6808. -

38357

No.

*Stephens 2222*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Robert Tiger  
Mus Rogee Jr.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'ray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Robert Tiger

Indian name: Suyki

2. Residence and post office: Muskogee

3. County: Creek Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 27 years Born 1880 June 11th

6. Where were you born? Elk Creek, Indian Territory

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: No

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? No

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

*(A large handwritten 'X' is drawn over the table, with the word 'None' written in the center.)*

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Willie Tiger

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Lucy Whitfield, (or Lucy Lynch nee Tiger)

Indian name: Lusi

Maiden name: Lucy Whitfield

12. Where were they born?

Father: Creek Nation, Coweta, Ga.

Mother: Illinois District Cherokee Nation

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Don't know

Mother: Illinois or Sequoyah Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died about 17 years ago

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Mother, Lucy Whitfield, 1851  
1894, Cherokee Strip money, Cherokee allotment

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mary Burton, nee Tye,</u>	<u>25 years ago</u>	<u>living</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

George Whitfield  
Ni e hi,  
Sarah Whitfield  
Selah

18. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation

19. Where did they reside in 1851 if living at that time? Winn Illinois  
District Cherokee Nation I. T.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Martha Whitfield, dead</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Whitfield, living</u>
(3)	<u>Sophia Whitfield, dead</u>
(4)	<u>Lucy Whitfield, living</u>
(5)	<u>Aprina Whitfield, dead</u>
(6)	<u>Sunkie Whitfield, dead</u>
	<u>Peter Whitfield, dead</u>
	<u>Charlotte Whitfield, Paten, living</u>
	<u>P. O Muller I. T.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 1894 Cherokee Strip money - Creek allotment of land -
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Robert Tiger

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

Joshua Ross  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 30 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 Wm R. Motte

and Mary Whitfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Robert Tiger

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 27 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Wm R. Motte

Mary Whitfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 30 1910, 190 . Joshua Ross  
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. 38358.

Action: Reject

Name Mary Silvent and 1. children. Residence: Kelty, Texas.

Reasons:

Sister of # 37039 and claims through the same source.

No. 38358

Name Mary Reber

With No. 37039

Remarks:



Sister.

No. 38358

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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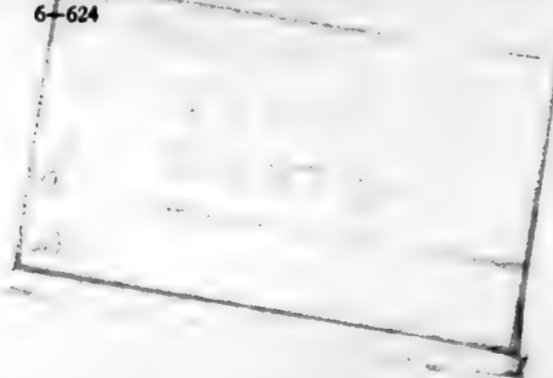
APPLICATION

OF

Mary Siliverut.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Mary Silivent (Hubbard)*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: *Kettys Angelina Co Tex*

3. County: *Angelina*

4. State: *Texas*

5. How old are you? *54 yrs.* Born *Aug - 11, 1853*

6. Where were you born? *Angelina Co Tex*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Thomas Silivent*

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>Allie Silivent Moulton</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>Oct. 25, 1871</i>
(2)	<i>Cassie " Leird</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>Mar 31, 1874</i>
(3)	<i>Drueglla " Oats</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>Sept 13, 1877</i>
(4)	<i>J.P. Silivent</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>Dec. 11, 1881</i>
(5)	<i>John " "</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>Nov. 10, 1884</i>
(6)	<i>Charlie " "</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>Aug - 22, 1887</i>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: *Thomas Hubbard*

Indian name: *Thomas*

Mother—English name: *Sarah Hubbard*

Indian name: *None*

Maiden name: *Sarah Merren*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Mississippi*

Mother: *"*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Texas, Angelina Co Marion.  
Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Lufkin Angelina Co Tex.  
Mother: died in 1870 Aug 11, 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)	John F. Hubbard	about 1855.	1903.
	Carolina "		1867.
(2)	Sarah Hubbard.		
(3)	Susan Hubbard.		1905
(4)	William W. Hubbard.	Oct. 24, 1866.	old.
	Lufkin Tex.		
(5)	Thomas Hubbard	Dec. 25, 1864	
(6)	Drake, J. J.		

17. 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 Conway Hubbard.	Nerren, Geo. grand.
Sarah Thoms, grand father.	Sarah Nerren
Mother's maiden name.	grandmother.
Name.	

18. Where were they born? grandmother Miss. Grandfather on father's side in South Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

On father's side they lived in Mississippi

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Peter Hubbard.	Pope Miss. dead.
(2)	John C. Hubbard.	dead
(3)	William	"
(4)	Elizabeth	Pope Miss.
(5)	Annie	dead.
(6)	Sarah	"

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Thomas Hubbard and Sarah Hubbard, father and mother, John C. Hubbard, and Sarah Hubbard, grandparents on father's side grandmother Hubbard was born in Virginia.  
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and

lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent. Indian blood came through grandmother Sarah Thomas on father's side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses E. S. Robb

(Signature)

Mary Silivant Hubbard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

W. B. Quinn  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. S. Robb

and R. L. Davis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary Silivant

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and

40 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.

E. S. Robb  
R. L. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909, 1909. W. B. Quinn  
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. 38359

Action: Reject

Name William Hubbard and 5 children. Residence: Duphin, Texas

Reasons:

Brother of # 370 39 and claims through the same source.

38359

No. 37359

Name William Hubbard

With No. 37039

Remarks:

Brother

No. 38359

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

William Hubbard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
819 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

38359

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Hubbard

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Lufkin

3. County: Angelina

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 40

Born Oct 24, 1866

6. Where were you born? Angelina Co. Tex

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Florence Brookshire Hubbard

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)	Clotilde Hubbard	15	3/27/1892
(2)	Sallie "	13	8/17/1894
(3)	Billie "	10	1/6/1897
(4)	Andrew "	7	10/6/1899
(5)	W. J. "	4	5/13/03
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Thomas Hubbard

Indian name: Thomas

Mother—English name: Sarah Hubbard

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Sarah Warren

12. Where were they born?

Father: Miss

Mother: Miss



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Marion Tex. Angelina Co.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living in Lufkin, Angelina Co. Tex.

Mother: Mother died in 1870 Aug. 11, 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)	John G. Hubbard	about 1855	1903
	Carolina "		1867
(2)	Mary E. Hubbard, Illinois		
	Kellys, Tex.		
(3)	Sarah Hubbard, Rowen		
	Manton Tex.		
(4)	Susan Hubbard		1905
(5)	Thomas Hubbard		
	& Drake, I.T.		
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John C. Hubbard	Nerren Gen. Grandfather.
Sarah Thomas's maiden name (grandmother)	Sarah Nerren, grand-mother.

18. Where were they born? grandmother in Mississippi, grandfather on father's side was born in South Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? on father's side they lived in in Mississippi.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Peter Hubbard	Pope Miss. dead.
(2)	John C. Hubbard	"
(3)	Will	"
(4)	Floyd	Pope Mississippi
(5)	Abner	dead
(6)	Sarah	do not know.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Thomas Hubbard and Sarah Hubbard father and mother; John C. Hubbard and Sarah Hubbard grandparents on fathers side grand mother Hubbard was born in Virginia.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent. Indian blood came through grand-mother, Sarah Thomas, on fathers side.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William Hubbard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug. 1907.

W. B. Quinn  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

E. B. Robb

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with William Hubbard.

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 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.

E. B. Robb

J. F. Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug. 1907.

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June 1, 1909

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Notary Public.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES,  
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No. 38390

*Thomas H. Ford.*

*Thomas Hubbard.*

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Descendants of John C. Hubbard & wife  
Mary Thomas d. of 2 full blood Cherokee,  
Grandfather Thomas Hubbard, age No.

1. Thomas Hubbard s. son of John C 80-38390  
Hubbard & Mary Thomas, 5 adults,
2. Mary S. Hubbard Sulhoim, d. of 54 —  
Tho. Hubbard & Mary Herren  
Children 1 minor & 6 adults
3. Sarah N. Ridgeway d. of Tho. 46-38391  
Hubbard & Sarah Herren, 7  
children, 2 adults,
4. Thomas Hubbard Jr. s. of Tho. Hub 42-37039  
bard & Sarah Herren, 6 minors
5. William<sup>W.</sup> Hubbard, s. of Tho. Hub-  
bard & Sarah Herren, 5 minors. 40-38359
6. John J. Hubbard, s. of Thomas  
& Sarah Herren 38-39374

Louisa Spratt

J. J. Hubbard Atty

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U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

601 OURAY BUILDING *9/21*  
Washington, D. C., ..... , 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. *38359*, 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. 275

Action: ...

Name: ... and ... children. Residence: ...

Reasons:

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No. 38365

Name N. A. Rodgers

With No. 9629

Remarks:

No. 38300

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Nathaniel T. Rodgers*

For share of money appropriated for the 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 29, 1900.

6-624



BELVA A. LEWIS

Attorney and Solicitor

1004 GREENE, NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nathaniel A. Rodgers

Indian name: Nathaniel A Rodgers as far as I know

2. Residence and post office: Ring

3. County: Randolph

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 46 Born September 10<sup>th</sup> 1860

6. Where were you born? Texas County Missouri

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to the Cherokees

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: William

Camp, Rodgers, mother name before marriage, Roda, Adline, Ellis

Father—English name: Nathaniel A. Rodgers

Indian name: Same as far as I know

Mother—English name: Roda, Adline, Rodgers

Indian name: Same as far as I know

Maiden name: Roda, Adline, Ellis

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Murray County Tennessee

Mother: in Murray County Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Texas County Missouri

Mother: Rite County Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: November 13<sup>th</sup> 1881

Mother: July 22<sup>nd</sup> 1882

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 did not but Father belonged to the Cherokee Tribe of Indians

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Roda E. Hewitt</u> <u>Yadkin Ark</u>	<u>July 19, 1855</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Sarah A. Honeycutt</u>	<u>Feb 28<sup>th</sup> 1857</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(3)	<u>Margret M. Kellett</u> <u>Wangum Texas</u>	<u>March 28<sup>th</sup> 1862</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Mary E. Rodgers</u> <u>Ring Ark</u>	<u>April 25<sup>th</sup> 1864</u>	<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>Sinthy J. Taylor</u> <u>Yadkin Ark</u>	<u>Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1865</u>	<u>Living</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>Nathaniel K. Rodgers</u>	<u>None known</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Texas County Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Benjamin K. Rodgers</u>	<u>White Co. Ark</u>
(2)	<u>Robert H. Rodgers</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(3)	<u>Nathaniel G. Rodgers</u>	<u>Marshall Mo</u>
(4)	<u>William Camp Rodgers</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: this is all I know. William Camp,  
Rodgers father Roda Collins (Ellis) or Rodgers mother  
Nathaniel N. Rodgers & Father Roda E. Camp (or Rodgers)

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A Lockwood of W sh. D. C. my true and  
lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nathaniel A. Rodgers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

Joseph S. Whitehead  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 14<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 N. C. Acree  
and Ida Whitehead, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Nathaniel A. Rodgers  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

N. C. Acree  
Ida Whitehead

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Sept 14<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

Joseph S. Whitehead  
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 30 1908  
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N. A. RODGERS, M. D.  
Prompt Attention to Calls at all Hours.  
Special Treatments of Diseases of the  
Eye, Ear and Nose.

Ring, Ark., July 26 1908

Mr. G. W. Miller

Quail Co. Va.

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir my application No 38360  
in the Eastern Cherokee fund and my  
sister No 38365

and the matter you is a matter  
is it all right or not and how can  
we get it to see it is all  
right I am yours  
truly  
G. W. Miller

Yours truly  
G. W. Miller

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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N. A. RODGERS. M. D.  
Prompt Attention to Calls at all Hours.  
Special Treatments of Diseases of the  
Eye, Ear and Nose.

Ring, Ark., July 27 1909

Mr. Justice Miller  
Washington D C  
Dear Sir, you, if I understand  
correctly stating that my claim  
has been rejected No 38360 &  
my sister also No 38365  
Now Mr. Miller - Will you  
Please see me on that ground  
the court of claims had to reject  
said claimer of his - Please  
send me some blank to fill  
out so I can file an exception  
in said cases  
Truly  
Yours,  
N. A. Rodgers

No. 38361

Action: *Reject*

Name *Willis D. Johnson* and *4* children. Residence: *Cleveland Okla*

Reasons: *applicant nor ancestors enrolled with or lived with Choctaws*

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*Yell Co. Ark. Field*  
No. 38361

Name Willis W. Johnson

With No. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: 43012-43015

Not on rolls.

Examined at Danville.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Willis D. Johnson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the order of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA ...  
Attorney and Solicitor  
... NORTH ...  
... C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Nellis Drew Johnson*

Indian name:

*Birch Wmn.*

2. Residence and post office:

*Waukegan*

3. County:

*Yell*

4. State:

*Arkansas*

5. How old are you?

*51 years*

Born

*1855*

6. Where were you born?

*Gilmer Co, Georgia*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Mary W. Johnson*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Demirith Johnson</i>	<i>27 years old</i>	<i>1880</i>
(2)	<i>Mary F. Johnson</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>1882</i>
(3)	<i>Ella J. Johnson</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>1880</i>
(4)	<i>John D. Johnson</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>1892</i>
(5)	<i>Thomas W. Johnson</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>1894</i>
(6)	<i>Lida W. Johnson</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1903</i>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Nathanial Johnson*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Mary Childress*

Indian name:

*Birch Wmn. <sup>grand</sup> daughter of Birch Wmn.*

Maiden name:

*Birch Wmn.*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*North Carolina*

Mother:

*✓*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: ✓ ✓

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1867- Jan 7th

Mother: 1896 Mch 9th

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Henry A. Johnson	1858	1889
	Chas J. Johnson	1860	1907
(2)	Nathaniel J. Johnson	1863	<u>    </u>
(3)	<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>
(4)	<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>
(5)	<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>
(6)	<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Willis Drew Johnson	No English name
No Indian name	Birch Wm.
<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>
<u>    </u>	<u>    </u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1)
- (2) can not answer this.
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:  
Parents Nathaniel Johnson and Mary Childress.  
M. Parents Neighbor Fields Birch Wmn.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and law  
ful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

This claim comes from mother's side.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

W. D. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August 1907.

N. B. Hall, 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

James P. Fryson.

and

J. M. Helms Jr.

\_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

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CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRACY.

STATE OF ARKANSAS,

COUNTY OF Yew

I, J. B. Law

County Clerk in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that

N. B. Hall whose genuine signature appears to the above and foregoing  
instrument is, and was at the time he signed

the same, a Justice of the Peace of said County, duly commissioned and sworn, that his commission is dated  
Nov 1st 1906 and will expire Oct 31st 1908 and that  
his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office,

this the 24 day of Aug 1907

J. B. Law Clerk.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office,

this the *24* day of *Aug* 190*7*

*J. G. Law*

Clerk.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Parents Nathaniel Johnson and Mary Childress.  
A. Parents Neighbor Fields Birch Wmn.

REMARKS.

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(Signature) W. D. Johnson

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H. B. Hall, Justice of the Peace.  
~~Notary Public~~

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James P. Ingram.  
and J. M. Nelson Jr., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Willis Dree Johnson.  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 26 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.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
James P. Ingram  
J. M. Nelson Jr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 H. B. Hall, Justice of the Peace.  
~~Notary Public~~

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Appl. #38361

May 18, 1908.

Willis D. Johnson,  
Waveland, Ark.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state where the parent through whom you claim resided 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.

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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Appl. #38361

Willie D. Johnson being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Willie D. Johnson. I live at Waveland, Ark. I was born in Ga. Gilmer Co. in 1855. I claim my relation to the Cherokee tribe of Indians through my mother. My mother's maiden name was Mary Childress. My mother was married about four years before I was born. She was born in N. C. in Wilkes Co., N. C. ~~ix~~ She died in 1875, and she was about 57 I believe when she died. She never lived with the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians as I know of. My mother's mother was related to the Cherokee Indians and her name was Sallie Burchum. She was born in N. C. I could not tell you whether she ever lived with the Indians. My mother never told me that any of my ancestors were ever enrolled. None of my ancestors received any money or land from the Govt. on account of their Indian blood. I never made application before the Dawes Commission. I do not make any claim through my father.

Willie D. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of September, 1908.

Harry C. Black.

Ass't to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

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June 24 08  
Mr. Union Miner  
Dear Sir

I'll endeavor to visit  
you a few times to see  
how you are getting on  
to come to Stuart Alta  
and I would like to  
see you before you  
leave here I want to  
see you by the 25th of  
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the house at once  
from your Respect  
O. W. L. Johnson



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Mr Guion Miller

Dear Sir

I will endeavor to write you  
a few lines in regard to my  
claim I want to know if you  
had any more Prop in regard  
to my case. if so you will  
tell me for I would like to know  
what you are going to do about  
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So I can get them I am getting  
easier to know all about my  
claim I think I have got Prop  
enough to get my claim all right

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and I wish you would write  
and tell me. So I will close  
for this time

hoping to hear from  
you soon I wish you  
will write in haste if you  
are not too busy from  
yours truly

Willie D. Johnson.

Stuart, Arkansas.

Stuart Alaska

Sept 8. 13. 1909

W.S. Curtis of Claims

Dear Sir

I will endeavor to write  
you a few words in regard  
to my claim if you want  
me to give you the main  
again write me at once &  
I will do so. I had a letter  
from Union Miller and he  
said that for to write to  
the W.S. Curtis & for me to fix  
it up in a pamphlet form  
do you have any thing  
that you would like to  
send at at once & write  
me at once what to do about  
my claim over

*Ans by cert. lit.*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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So I will close  
I will ask you to  
answer as soon as you  
get this

Yours Truly

Willis D. Johnson to  
Stuart Oklahoma.

Grant O'Leary

Jan. 20. 1910

Mr. Union Miller

Dear Sir

It has been some  
time since I have  
heard from the claims  
have they decided it or  
not if my claim is  
all right I would like  
to hear from you I have  
been waiting for you to  
write me you said in  
the last letter I had  
from you that you would write  
as soon as they decided it  
but I have waited some time  
and soon yours truly over

So sure & let me hear  
from you real soon  
Your Respt

Willis D Johnson

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JAN 29 1910 No. 38361
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No. 38362

Action: *Reject*

Name *Wm. S. Smith* and *2* children. Residence: *Ardmore, Okla.*

Reasons:

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No. 38362.

Name Wm. S. Smith

With No. 839.

Remarks :

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

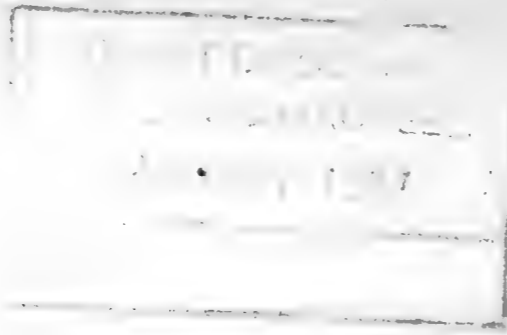
APPLICATION

OF

*Wm. S. 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 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: William S. Smith.

Indian name: William S. Smith.

2. Residence and post office: Ardmore Indian Territory

3. County: Carter, County formerly Pickins, County

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? forty six (46) Born March, 14th, 1861.

6. Where were you born? was born in Warren County Ky.

7. Are you married? yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary S. Smith, age 37 years.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She belongs no tribe of Indians only as intermarried Cherokee.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages FREDERICK B. SMITH,

NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1) <u>Frederick B. Smith,</u>	<u>Will be 16, 9-15-07,</u>	<u>9-15-1901.</u>
(2) <u>Jennie May Smith,</u>	<u>... 14, 12-2-07,</u>	<u>12-2-1903.</u>
(3) _____	_____	_____
(4) _____	_____	_____
(5) _____	_____	_____
(6) _____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Father's name

James S. Smith, & Mothers name was Eliza J. Smith, whose name was Eliza J. Perrin before marrying James S. Smith,

Father—English name: James S. Smith,

Indian name: has no Indian name.

Mother—English name: Eliza J. Smith,

Indian name: Eliza J. Perrin,

Maiden name: Eliza J. Perrin,

12. Where were they born?

Father: was born in Warren County Ky,

Mother: was born in Logan County, Ky,

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Warren County Ky,

Mother: In Logan County Ky.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living.

Mother: Died November 19th, 1898.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not to my knowledge,

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Frances E. Flow,	August, 6th, 1857	Jan, 17th, 1897.
(2) Benj. P. Smith,	February, 17th, 1859,	
Residence, Ardmore, I. T.		
(3) Thomas J. Smith,	April 22nd, 1863.	
Residence, Roff, I. T.		
(4) Mrs. Euphemia, R. Harvey,	August, 20th, 1865,	
Residence, Ardmore, I. T.		
(5) Carrie E. Thompson,	December, 2nd, 1867,	May, 8th, 1896.
(6)		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Benj. C. Smith, Thomas J. Perrin,

white man, white man,

Ellen O. Hill, Euphemia P. Perrin. (Indian name

white woman, Euphemia P. Travis.)

18. Where were they born? Father's side in North Carolina, mother's in Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Kentucky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Elizabeth R. Gardner, Died in Logan Co, in the year 1850.

(2) Elvira L. Green, Died in the year, 1861, in Logan Co, Ky,

(3) Benj. T. Perrin, Died in Logan Co. Ky, in the year, 1862.

(4) Eliza J. Smith, my mother, died in Ardmore, I. T. Nov. 19th, 1898.

(5) Carrie, D. Helm, Resides in Claremore, Ind. Ter.

(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, I made application to the Commission to the five civilized Tribes, for enrolment, but the application was never acted upon.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My mother's name in 1835 was Perrin, that is the name on my mother's side was perrin, and on my father's it was Smith.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William S. Smith.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug. 1907.

J. R. Riggs

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan'y 27, 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 F. K. West  
and J. N. Morgan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William S. Smith who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 17 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

F. K. West

J. N. Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan'y 27, 1910  
Southern District S.S.

J. R. Riggs

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.

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst.

in relation to the application for a license to sell and dispense intoxicating liquors in the city of New York.

The application in question is one of the many which are received by the Board of Health of the City of New York.

It is the duty of the Board to examine the same and to report thereon to the Board of Health of the City of New York.

The Board of Health of the City of New York is composed of the Mayor, the President of the Board of Health, and the members of the Board of Health.

The Board of Health of the City of New York is a body corporate and politic, and is authorized to do all such things as may be necessary for the health and safety of the City of New York.

The Board of Health of the City of New York is also authorized to make and enforce such regulations as may be necessary for the health and safety of the City of New York.

The Board of Health of the City of New York is also authorized to take such measures as may be necessary for the health and safety of the City of New York.

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I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,

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Appln. No. 1768.

November 27, 1907.

William S. Smith,  
Ardmore,  
Oklahoma.

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Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Western Cherokee, please state whether your parents were enrolled in 1851, and if not, why? You say in your application that they were living at that time. State also whether your grandparents, or any of them, were enrolled in 1851, and if so, when and where? Give the names of your aunts and uncles, and any other information which would tend to establish your right to participate in this fund.

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An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WST/STO.

No. 38363

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Benj. P. Smith*, and \_\_\_\_\_ children.

Residence: *Ardmore, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #839, and claims through the same ancestors.*

*duplicate of #*

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No. 38363

Name Benj. F. Smith

With No. 839

Remarks:

Case No. 839  
No. 38363

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Benj. P. 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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**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: Benj. P. Smith; ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~  
Indian name: ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Benj. P. Smith.

2. Residence: Argmore Ind. Ter.

3. Town and post office: Ardmore, Indian Territory.

4. County: Carter.

5. State: Proposed State of Oklahoma,

6. Date and place of birth: February 13th, 1859, in Warren County, Ky.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my mother, Eliza J. Smith, who was a daughter of Euphemia R. Perrin, who was a daughter of Benj. Travis, who was a son Jane Travis, (ne Jane Ross) who was a Cherokee by blood, and was a sister of John Ross and Lewis Ross whose names will be found on pages 16 and 18 of the roll of 1835 taken in the State of Tennessee.

8. Are you married? yes,

9. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Name of first wife, was Sallie Marr, and of present wife, Ethel McGee.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: James S. Smith,  
Indian name: White man,

Mother—English name: Eliza Jane Smith,  
Indian name: Eliza Jane Perrin,  
Maiden name: Eliza Jane Perrin.

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Warren County Ky,  
Mother: In Logan County Ky,

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Warren County Ky,  
Mother: In Logan County, Ky,

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Father still living Mother: Died November, 19th, 1898.

My children,

Name	Age,	Born
(1) Frances P. Smith,	Will be 18, 11-22-1907,	11-22-1899,
(2) Royce F. Smith,	was 15, 6-22-1907,	6-22-1892,
(3) Sidney T. Smith,	was 12, 7-22-1907,	7-22-1895,
(4) Robert Leroy Smith	15 months old,	May 20th, 1906,

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not of my knowledge.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Frances E. Flow,	August, 6th, 1857,	January, 17th, 1897;
(2) William S. Smith,	March, 14th, 1861,	
(3) Thomas, J. Smith,	April, 22nd, 1865,	
(4) Euphemia R. Harvey,	August 20th, 1865,	
(5) Carrie, E. Thompson,	December, 2nd, 1867,	May 8th, 1896.
(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.
Benj/C. Smith,	Thomas J. Perrin,
White man,	white man,
Ellen O. Hill,	Euphemia R. Perrin,
White woman,	Euphemia R. Travis, Indian Name,

17. Where were they born? Father's side in North Carolina, and mother's side in Tennessee.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Kentucky

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

On mother's side

(1) English name: Elizabeth R. Gardne  
Indian name: Elizabeth R. Perrin,  
Residence: Died in Logan Co, Ky in the year 1850,

(2) English name: Elvira L. Green,  
Indian name: Elvira L. Perrin,  
Residence: Died in Logan Co. Ky, in the year 1861,

(3) English name: Benj. T. Perrin,  
Indian name: Benj. T. Perrin,  
Residence: Died in Logan Co. Ky, in the year, 1852,

(4) English name: Eliza Jane Smith,  
Indian name: Eliza Jane Perrin,  
Residence: Died in Ardmore, Ind. Ter. in the year 1898, on Nov. 19th, I

(5) English name: Carrie P. Helm,  
Indian name: Carrie P. Perrin,  
Residence: Claremore, Ind. Ter.

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. No, I made application to the Commission to the five civilized Tribes for enrolment, but <sup>the application</sup> was never acted upon.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: On my mother's side the name was Perrin, in 1835, and on my father's it was Smith,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

~~I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood, of Washington D.C. my true and lawful attorney, and allow her a commission of ten (10) per cent.~~

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) B. P. Smith.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires  
Jan'y 27, 1910

J. H. Riggins  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me F. K. West and J. N. Morgan who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with B. P. Smith, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him or 17 years and 17 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.

F. K. West  
J. N. Morgan

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My commission expires  
Jan'y 27, 1910

J. H. Riggins  
Notary Public.  
Southern District I. T.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Aug. 8, 1908.

Application No. 38363 - 839  
Benj. P. Smith,  
Ardmore, Okla.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that Frank D. Ryan one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Ardmore, Okla. on Thursday, Sept. 3, 1908, at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by making inquiry of the principal hotel.

☛ If you are enrolled on the Final Rolls of Citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes, you should bring with you the number of your enrollment, and also the number of your Census Card.

☛ Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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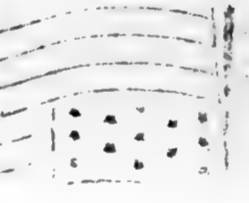
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Benj. P. Smith,

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Benj. P. Smith,

Return to writer unclaimed.

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Order





No. 38364.

Action: *Reject*

Name *John Volner* and *1* children. Residence: *Fowler, 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 connection with the Eastern Cherokees.*

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No. 38364

Name John Valuer

With No. ....

Remarks:

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Nos. 44387, 44400,  
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Not on roll.

Reject.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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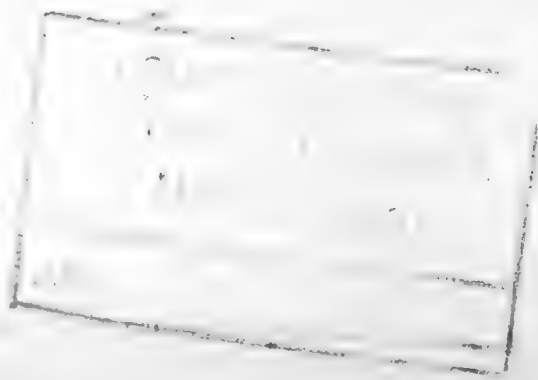
APPLICATION

OF

*John Volmer*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor.

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John Volner

Indian name: John Volner

2. Residence and post office: Fowler

3. County: Texas

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 69 yrs Born Dec 22 1838

6. Where were you born? Robinson Co. Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Amanda Jane Volner - 59 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)	William W. Volner	39 yrs	Sept 13 <sup>th</sup> 1869
(2)	Jeremiah Volner	35 yrs	Mar 25 <sup>th</sup> 1872
(3)	Sarah Ester Matilda Volner	32 yrs	Apr 13 <sup>th</sup> 1875
(4)	Alfred Volner	30 yrs	Dec 4 <sup>th</sup> 1877
(5)	Ellen Elisabeth Volner	28 yrs	Jan 13 <sup>th</sup> 1879
(6)	Harriet Isabel Volner	26 yrs	July 18 <sup>th</sup> 1885
(7)	Cynthia Matilda Volner	20 yrs	Oct 13 1887

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

(8) Albert Volner 17 yrs Oct 12 1890

Father—English name: William Volner

Indian name: William Volner

Mother—English name: Mary Volner

Indian name: Mary Volner

Maiden name: Mary Weeks

12. Where were they born?

Father: Near Guilford Courthouse N.C.

Mother: Penna

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Stopped in Union Co. Ill 1851

Father: Had started to emigrate from Tenn to Cherokee Nation and  
Mother: with my father

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1869

Mother: Died Jan 4<sup>th</sup> 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: never to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME	BORN.	DIED
(1) William W Volner	2 Cant give these dates without the family record.	1852
(2) Cynthia Volner	72 yrs	1888
(3) Elias Volner	Children all dead	1894
(4) Samuel Volner	Children all dead	1862
(5) Albert Volner	He left 6 children	1904
(6) Sarah Volner	no children	1901

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible: Harriet, died 1868, left 7 children, Elisabeth, died 1901, Matilda, died 1858, Mary, died 1858

FATHER'S SIDE: Samuel Volner, married Cynthia (I don't know knowher indian name) she was full blood Cherokee, I never saw her, my grand parents both died before the Cherokee started to emigrate to the Nation, my father came with them & I stopped there intending to make crop then soon shut stayed there till

18. Where were they born? Grand father was born in Germany and died, Grand mother was born with the Cherokee tribe in Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? both dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Thomas Volner Died in Tenn
- (2) Benjamin Volner Died in Tenn
- (3) All that I remember hearing about
- (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 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 given the names to the best of my knowledge

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

**I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.**

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John Valner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

Joel H. Short

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 18<sup>th</sup>

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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

Jas Young

and

M. E. Medham

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John Valner

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself

to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jas. Young

M. E. Medham

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My commission expires

March 18<sup>th</sup>

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Notary Public.

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Appl. #38364

May 18, 1908

John Balner,  
Fowler, Mo.

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, stat 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?

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 you were a slave, please state whether a slave of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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**REAL ESTATE, LOANS  
AND INSURANCE.**

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*JHS*

MOUNTAIN GROVE, MO., May 28, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

*3874 JHS*

Replying to your favor of the 18th inst., relative to application in Eastern Cherokee Fund, would say, neither myself nor family have ever lived with the Cherokee Tribe. My father lived with ~~the~~ Cherokee Tribe in Georgia until about 1843. He joined in with the tribe that emigrated through Tenn. and Mo., to Indian Territory. He stopped in Missouri at Turnback Mountain. My grand parents lived and died with the Cherokee Tribe. My father and grand parents were recognized as full blooded Cherokees. My mother and all my family are recognized as white people. My grandfather and grandmother died about 1836 and 1837. My father was in Tenn. in 1851 but said he was enrolled, I do not know personally. My grand parents were living with the Cherokee Tribe in 1834 and 1835 in Georgia.

This letter will answer for me and my family, for each of our claims as the answers for each of them would be similar to mine. Any further requirements in our claims will be promptly looked after.

Yours respectfully,

*John Volner*

Fowler, Mo.

*By Joel F. Short*

#38364.

August 10, 1908.

John Volner,  
Fowler, Texas Co.,  
Mo.

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, it will be absolutely necessary for you to answer each and every one of the enclosed list of questions at the very earliest possible date. If you cannot possibly answer any given question, so state, that we may know it has not escaped your notice. In your ~~reply~~ refer to application #38364.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Mountain Grove Mo 8/22/08  
Dear Sir - The enclosed documents  
are in answer to your request to  
John Volner, of 10<sup>th</sup> in St.  
Any further requirements in these  
Sherokee Claims will be promptly  
furnished. Respectfully  
Jesse F. Short

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Appl. # 56264

John Tolner  
Fowler Texas Co.

No.

Answer fully the following questions, putting your answers on a separate piece of paper or on the back of this paper. Please number your answers in the same order as the questions.

1. Give your name, age and post office address.
2. Do you claim your Cherokee blood through your father or your mother ?
3. Give the date of death of the parent through whom you claim and state how old he or she was at the time. Did the parent through whom you claim ever live with the Cherokees as a member of the tribe ? If so, state when and where he or she lived with the Cherokees.
4. Give the name and the date and place of birth of the grandparent through whom you claim. State whether he or she ever lived with the Cherokees as a recognized member of the tribe and set forth in your answer the County and State in which such residence was held and the year.
5. Were any of the ancestors through whom you claim ever held as slaves ? If so, state whether they were the slaves of white people or Indians.
6. Did the parent or the grandparent through whom you claim ever receive any money or land on account of having Cherokee blood.
7. Were you or any of the Cherokee Indian ancestors through whom you claim ever on any Indian roll ? If so, state the names of all those who were enrolled, setting forth when and where such roll was made and the various names, both Indian and English, under which each may have been enrolled.
8. Where were the parent and the grandparent through whom you claim living in 1835 and 1851 ? State fully the County and State in which each of the ancestors through whom you claim were living at that time.
9. Did any of the ancestors through whom you claim ever go west with the Cherokees ? If so, state where they were living when they went with the Cherokees and the place to which they went.
10. How are you recognized at the present time in the community in which you live ? That is, are you considered white, Indian or colored by people generally ? State how the parent through whom you claim was considered ? Your grandparent ?
11. Please indicate clearly any other facts you know about your Cherokee blood.
12. Where were you and your parents living in 1882 ?

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#38364- John Volners Eastern Cherokee Claim

- #1- 1 John Volner, Age, 71, Dec 22- 1837  
2 Fowler, Texas Co. Mo.
- #2- 3 Claim thro father  
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- #3- 5 Died Jan'y 1<sup>st</sup> 1870. He was 94 yrs at date of death.  
6 Grandfather was a recognized Member of the Cherokee  
7 people lived with the Cherokee in Georgia and left  
8 them in April 1837, and came to Robinson Co Tenn.
- #4- 9 Grandfather's name was Samuel Volner, dont know  
10 the date nor place of his birth, lived with the Cherokee  
11 as a full recognized member & died the same way.
- #5- 12 never heard of any of my ancestors being holders  
13 slaves.
- #6- 14 Neither land nor money that I ever heard  
15 of.
- #7- 16 Grandmother on father side, under the name of  
17 Sintie Knife; am not sure that Grandfather  
18 was on the roll. The enrollment was in  
19 Georgia, dont know the County.
- #8- 20 Father & Grandfather in 1835 in Georgia, Grand  
21 father in 1851 in Ga, Father 1851 in Tenn Robinson  
22 Co.
- #9- 23 no they were all dead <sup>except</sup> father, he came from Tenn  
24 thro Ky; then Ills, to the Turnbuck Mtn in  
25 Mo. then back to Union Co, Ills, and  
26 died there about Jan'y 1<sup>st</sup> 1870.
- #10- 27 I am considered white, tho most of people see  
28 that I am part Indian. Father was regarded as  
29 indian, Grandfather & Grandmother as full bloods
- #11- 30 I do not know any more than about that one  
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- #12 32 Parents dead. I was living in Texas Co Mo in 1882

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Guion Miller  
Special Commissioner  
Eastern Cherokee ~~reservation~~.  
Washington D.C.

I write to find out whether  
my claim No 38364 has been  
allowed or rejected.

We have been expecting to hear  
from you at least last August  
but have not heard a word as  
yet. I would like you to write  
by return mail.

John Colner

Fowler - Mo -

No. 3765

Action: 1/2/2

Name: [unclear] and [unclear] children. Residence: [unclear]

Reasons:

[unclear]

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No. 38360

Name Mary S. Rodgers

With No. 9629

Remarks:

No. 38365

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mary E. Rodgers*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

310 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

38365

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Mary E. Rodgers  
Indian name: Same as far as I know
2. Residence and post office: Ring
3. County: Remondolph
4. State: W. Kansas
5. How old are you? 43 Born April 24<sup>th</sup> 1864
6. Where were you born? Texas County Missouri
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband: None
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokee Tribe
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: William Camp Rodgers mother name before marriage: Roda Adline Ellis  
 Father—English name: Nathaniel A. Rodgers  
 Indian name: Same as far as I know  
 Mother—English name: Roda Adline Rodgers  
 Indian name: Same as far as I know  
 Maiden name: Roda Adline Ellis

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Murray County Tennessee

Mother: in Murray County Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Texas County Missouri

Mother: Rite County Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: November 13<sup>th</sup> 1881

Mother: July 22<sup>nd</sup> 1882

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 did not but Father belonged to the Cherokee Tribe of Indians.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Roda E. Hewitt</u> <u>Yadkin Ark</u>	<u>July 14<sup>th</sup> 1853</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Sarah A. Honeycutt</u>	<u>Feb 28<sup>th</sup> 1857</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(3)	<u>Margret M. Kellitt</u> <u>Manquum Texas</u>	<u>March 28<sup>th</sup> 1862</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Nathaniel H. Rodgers</u> <u>King Ark</u>	<u>Sept 10<sup>th</sup> 1860</u>	<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>Sinthy J. Taylor</u> <u>Yadkin Ark</u>	<u>Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1865</u>	<u>Living</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>Nathaniel H. Rodgers</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Texas County Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Benjamin H. Rodgers</u>	<u>White Co. Ark</u>
(2)	<u>Robert H. Rodgers</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(3)	<u>Nathaniel H. Rodgers</u>	<u>Wayville Mo</u>
(4)	<u>William Camp Rodgers</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: this is all I know William Camp's  
Rodgers Father, Roda Adline (Ellis) or Rodgers, Mother  
Nathaniel R. Rodgers, G-Father, Roda E. Camp (or Rodgers) G-Mother

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and  
lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent/

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary E. Rodgers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1907.

Joseph S. Whitehead  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 14<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 N. C. Acre  
and J. S. Whitehead, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary E. Rodgers  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

N. C. Acre  
J. S. Whitehead

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

Joseph S. Whitehead  
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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N. A. RODGERS. M. D.  
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Ring, Ark., April 5 1909

Mr James Miller  
Specia Commr  
Essex

Dear Sir you ad- Dec 30th 1908  
Received ad flight but we were  
that you said that our application  
has been given a Preliminary exam  
ination but it has not yet been  
finally acted upon. Now if Will  
you please let me know if my  
Claim No 38360.  
also my sister claim No 38365  
has been allow yet

Yours truly  
N. A. Rodgers &  
Marry E

No. 38366.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Willie Eastwood* and *2* children.

Residence: *Maxwell, Ala.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 7523 and claims through the same source.*

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No. 38366

Name Willie Eastwood

With No. 7523

Remarks:

*Third*

No. 38366

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

*Willie Eastwood.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney and Solicitor,

1117 F STREET, NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Willie Eastwood,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Maxwell

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: Ind Ter

5. How old are you? 36 Born 1871

6. Where were you born? Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Maggie Eastwood, age 27

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jewel Eastwood,</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(2)	<u>Willie Eastwood Jr.,</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Frank Eastwood,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Sallie Eastwood,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sallie Blewins

12. Where were they born?

Father: Texas

Mother: Cherokee Natin

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Texas

Mother: ~~1851~~ Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1873

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>Victoria, Sanders,</u>	<u>1866</u>	
(2)	<u>Arrizona Cunningham,</u>	<u>1868</u>	
(3)	<u>Jack Eastwood,</u>	<u>1869</u>	<u>1885</u>
(4)	<u>Frank Eastwood,</u>	<u>1873</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Jack Blevins,</u>	
<u>Susan Blevins,</u>	

18. Where were they born? Tennessee,

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Moved from Cherokee Nation to Texas In 1851

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Riley Blevins,

(2) Eckles Blevins

(3) Armstead Blevins,

(4) Sallie Eastwood,

(5) Paulina, Hoggard

(6) Arrizona,

Martin Blevins,



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

My Mother is Sallie Eastwood, her Father was Jack Blevins, who was the Son of Dick Blevins and Betsy Jones, 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) W. L. Self

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of June 1907.

My commission expires Jan 28 1901 1911, 190

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. L. Self

and John Brown who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Willie Eastwood

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and him 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.

D. W. Neal

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. L. Self  
John Brown

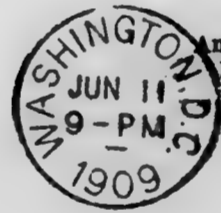
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 15, 1909

James F. Fleming  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
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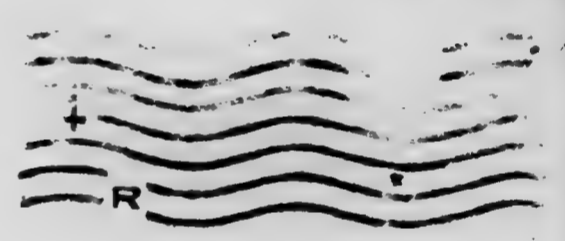
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Willie Eastwood,  
Maywell, Okla.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 38266, 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. 28367

Action: Succeeded

Name: Mrs. E. Lums and children.

Residence: Monte Vista, Colo.

Reasons: Wants to sell down #50.

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No. 38367.

Name *Wm. E. Surme*

With No. 1105.

Remarks:

1105  
No. 38367

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*J. C. Burns*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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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: Inez E. Burns

Indian name: Brown called (Swanee)

2. Residence and post office: Monte Vista

3. County: Rio Grande

4. State: Colorado

5. How old are you? 19 Born Sept. 6, 1887

6. Where were you born? Polk County, Missouri

7. Are you married? No.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: Single

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>[scribble]</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Dennis P. Burns

Indian name: Brown called Swanee

Mother—English name: Artelia E. Burns

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Artelia E. Patterson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Polk County, Missouri

Mother: " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Park County Missouri  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not until this claim

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<del>AT</del> <u>Konnie L Burns</u>	<u>Jan. 18, 1877</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Robert W. Burns</u>	
<u>No Indian name</u>	
<u>Mariah S. Burns</u>	
<u>Brown called Swanes</u>	

Father's side grand mother 18. Where were they born? Monroe County Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Park County Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Dennis P. Burns Monte Vista, Colo.
- (2) Thomas L. Burns Pleasant Hope, Mo.
- (3) John W. Burns " " "
- (4) Mary F. Burns (Bymes) " " "
- (5) William A. Burns Buffalo, Mo.
- (6) Robert L. Burns Pleasant Hope, Mo.  
Cordelia A. Bymes (Burns) " " "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: W

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Dennis P. Burns  
Son of Mariah S. Burns, Daughter of Thomas Brown  
Son of Alexander Brown who was on the Roll of 1833

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Inez E. Burns

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug. 1907.

Jesse Stephenson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 3, 1909.

My Commission will expire June 3 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 Edith M. Wilson  
and R. M. Maddox, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Inez E. Burns who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for one 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.

Edith M. Wilson  
R. M. Maddox

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 3, 1909.

My Commission will expire June 3 1909.

Jesse Stephenson  
Notary Public.

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Name: Ada Watson No. 38368

and 5 children.

Residence: McBay, Tenn. Action: Reject

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.

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No. 38368

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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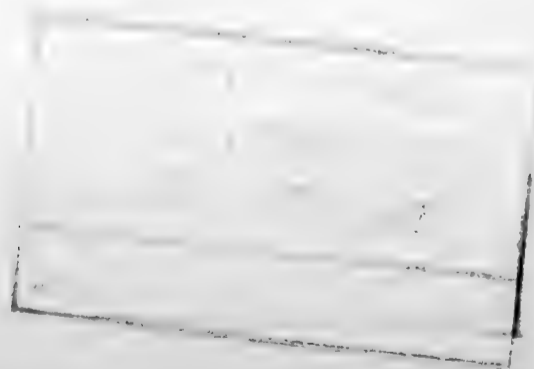
APPLICATION

OF

*Ada Watson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Delar Watson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: McLeary

3. County: Dalb

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 32<sup>5</sup> Born 1872

6. Where were you born? Tennin County Ga

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Calman Watson

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>Rado Watson</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1894</u>
(2)	<u>Minnie</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1898</u>
(3)	<u>Ethel - L</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(4)	<u>Nahest</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>
(5)	<u>Julie</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1897</u>
(6)	<u>Emory</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1906</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

nut sugar

Father—English name: nut sugar

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Melissa Taylor

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: nut sugar, Tennin Co Ga

Mother: Melissa Taylor in Tennin Co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tammie County Ga

Mother: Tammie Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1887

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

Cherokee Indian

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Rosie Waters</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.

Ben Sugar George Taylor  
Great Grandfather  
Jessie Campbell  $\frac{1}{2}$  Cherokee Indian  
Eastern

18. Where were they born? no Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tammie Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Polly Campbell Anna Campbell
- (2) Luella Campbell
- (3) Alfred Campbell
- (4) Eby Campbell
- (5) William Campbell
- (6) Rosie Campbell

21. 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:

unt sugar. Benn sugar  
milina Taylor. George Taylor

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

great grand father was Cherokee  
in line Jesse Campbell on sum  
pool

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Edgar Watson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

W J Mathews 90  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 30, 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 David W Song  
and en h Gass, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Edgar Watson  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known his for 11 years and  
31 years, respectively, and know his to be the identical person she represents  
his to be, and that the statements made by his are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark. Eli Tilley Signatures of Witnesses.

David W Song / David W Song  
David W Song / en h Gass

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 30, 1908 W J Mathews 90  
Notary Public.

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Appl. #38368

May 18, 1908.

Ada Watson,  
McCays, Tenn.

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 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,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 27 1908

No. 88368.

JUN 5 1908

~~W. S. Miller~~  
~~Washington, D. C.~~  
N  
McLays, Tenn.

May 25, = " 1908

Mr. Miller special. Commissioner.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear sir In Reply to yours of  
May 18 th. answer no 1. My People  
did Reside with the Indians, in  
Parrish Co. S. C. + Polk Co. Tenn. no 2  
My People was Recognized as  
Mixed Blood Indians, no 3. I do  
not know why My People was not  
Enrolled in 1851. no 4. My People was  
In Polk Co Tenn in 1834 + 5. and  
In 1851. no 5 I dont know whether My  
People was ever a slave or not

Yours very Respectfully, Ada Watson.  
McLays, Tenn

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHÉROKEES.

*Rec.* JUN 10 1908

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M P  
McCays Tenn June 8. = 1907  
Mr. Union Miller special Commissioner  
Washington D C

Dear Sir  
in Reply to yours of June 7. 1907  
Mr Miller No # 38368

Received. Sept 14. = 1907  
Yours Respectfully Ada Watson

McCays  
Tenn

Mc Cay Term June 11 - 1908

Mr Miller special

Commissioner of Census Washington D.C

Dear sir I see there is Commissioners  
all Round the Country after Census  
Mr Miller is it likely that I will have  
to appear before a Commissioner or not  
I will not be able to go any where  
after the middle of August for 1 or 2  
months yours very Respectfully

Ada Watson

Mc Cay Term  
Census No 34368

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*file*

Copperhill Tenn  
July 19<sup>th</sup> 1908

Mr Juan Miller  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

The reason  
that ~~a~~ reply was  
not made to your  
letter of recent date  
by Ada Watson was  
that she did not  
promptly receive it  
as it was delayed  
at this office on  
account of Postmaster  
not knowing her by

given name and  
the letter was replied  
to as soon as received  
by her

Respectfully  
L. A. Styles M



No. 38368

July 21st, 1908.

Edith Watson,

McCays, Tenn.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of July 18th, 1908, in which you state you did not receive our notice in time to appear before my assistant in order to give testimony in the matter of your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, you are advised that in case further evidence is necessary, you will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Assistant to Special Commissioner.

WEA/MSM.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 21 1908  
No. 38368

Mr. George Jackson, 714 1/2  
Mr. Miller  
Special Commissioner  
Washington, D.C.  
Dear Sir: I enclose receipt  
of money of \$100.00 with  
my best regards and constant  
attention to the matter  
and we will appear before  
you in the next few days  
to pay the money received at  
the time on the 7th of July and  
will hold until to you the  
matter and we will  
be sure to pay it as

Mr Miller will you kindly  
advise me what to do  
as Mr Watson is a way now  
Mr Miller will pay for a box  
in the office & get mail  
every day & i dont see any  
Reason why my mail  
was held from the 7 until  
the 14th. yours very respectfully  
Ada Watson  
McLays Tenn  
# 34368

App. No. 38368

July 29, 1908.

Ade Watson,  
McKays, Tenn.

Dear Madam:

As you failed to meet the party taking evidence in Indian claim cases in your county, and in view of the fact that final disposition is to be made of your case, it is necessary that you furnish this office with the information desired in the following questions:

1. Give the names of your ancestors through whom you claim your Indian blood, tracing down to your parent.
2. Why was your parent through whom you claim your Indian blood not enrolled in 1851? Why were your grandparents through whom you claim your Indian blood not enrolled at that time?
3. Did your parents or grandparents live with the Cherokees as recognized members of the tribe? Were they admitted to Tribal Councils? Give the names of your ancestors who lived with the Indians as recognized members of the tribe.
4. Did your grandparents ever make application for Indian money or lands? If so, state when and where.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

No 38369

Action: *Reject*

Name *Henry H. Hall* and children. Residence: *Paradise Texas*

Reasons:

*It does not appear that applicant  
ancestors were parties to treaties  
of 1835-6-46 nor enrolled with, or  
shared in payments to Choctaws,*

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No. 38369

Name Henry H. Hall

With No. <sup>12/11</sup> Uris Ct.

Remarks:

Not on rolls.

Notified at  
Bridgport, Tex.  
but failed to appear

*Paradise*

No. 38369

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Henry 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, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Henry Harrison Hall  
Indian name: Stone

2. Residence and post office: Paradise Texas

3. County: Wise

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 46 Born 1861

6. Where were you born? Basque County Texas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: wife 43 husband 46

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? the Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>J. W. Hall</u>	<u>25</u>	
(2)	<u>Myrtle Hall</u>	<u>22</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Arch Hall mother Margaret Stone

Father—English name: Arch Hall

Indian name: Margaret Stone

Mother—English name: M

Indian name: Margaret Stone

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Texas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1880 \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: 1874 \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nancy Hull	1862	—
	Mary Hull	1864	—
(2)	Joseph William Hull	<del>1865</del> 1868	—
	Margaret Hull	1870	—
(3)	John Hull	1872	—
(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.

\_\_\_\_\_ Guess \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

18. Where were they born? Illinois \_\_\_\_\_

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 hereby appoint BELVA A. LOO KWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and law  
ful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Henry L. Hall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires June 1, 1909. J. J. Carter 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 H. L. Hall  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents  
me to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. J. Phillips  
J. W. Wood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909. J. J. Carter Notary Public.

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Appl. #38369

May 18, 1908.

Henry L. Hull,  
Paradise, Texas.

Sir:

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Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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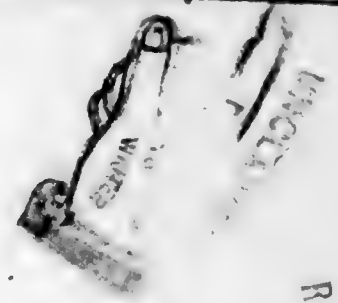
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Paragise, Texas.

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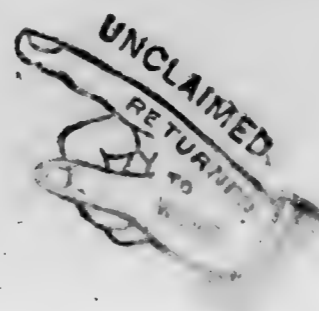
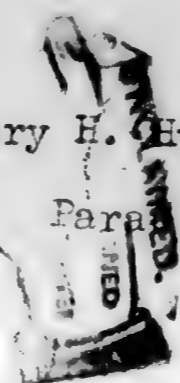
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Henry H. Hull,  
Paradise, Texas.



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No. 38370.

Action: Reject

Name Bell V. Cutcher and 8 children.

Residence: Sulphur, Okla.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled, nor does it appear that any ancestor ever resided within the Cherokee domain, nor was any ancestor a party to the treaties 1835-36 or 1846.

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No. 38370

Name Belle V. Cusher

With No. 38371

Remarks:

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grouped beneath

that are rolls.

No. 38370

Field

OKLA

Name Bill V. Cusher

With No. Ho. Steyer

Remarks:

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No. 38370

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Belle V. Lucher*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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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: BELL V. CUTCHER

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: HUGO INDIAN TERRITORY *Suphus*

3. County: CHOCTAW *Okla*

4. State: IND. TER.

5. How old are you? 41 years Born 1866

6. Where were you born? Fannin County Georgia.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: RR 44 years.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Walter .B.	26	1881
(2)	Horace E.	20	1887
(3)	Clinton B.	19	1888
(4)	John N.	17	1890
(5)	ORA M.	16	1891
(6)	James B.	14	1893
(7)	Clarence V.	12	1895
(8)	Bonnie L.	8	1899
(9)	Maurice S.	3	1904
(10)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: L.V. Crawford

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Phoeby L. Parris

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Phoeby L. Parris

12. Where were they born?

Father: Fannin County Georgia.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Georgia

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Both living

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never Enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Martha</u>	<u>1861</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Dora</u>	<u>1871</u>	<u>1897</u>
(3)	<u>Willie</u>	<u>1875</u>	<u>living</u>
(4)	<u>Ellen</u>	<u>1877</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Jula</u>	<u>1880</u>	<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.

Only recollection I have is that they were Trammells and Farris,

18. Where were they born? Don't Know

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) Cant Do thi
- (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: Cannot do this

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten (10) per cent

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Belle V. Cutcher)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

W D Lester  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1 1907, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James Wilson Abercrombie  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Belle V. Cutcher  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, 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 Wilson Abercrombie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

April 1 1907, 190 .

W D Lester  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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JAN 3 1908

Sulphur Okla.  
Dec 30 1907

Mr Guion Miller

Special Commissioner  
Dear sir I would be pleased  
to here some thing from claim  
application No 38370 as  
I have moved from Hugo in  
Choctaw Co to Sulphur in  
Murray Co. and as I have heard  
nothing since I got the receipt from  
it I would be glad to know when  
I may hear some thing so hope  
ing to here some thing from it  
I remain as ever yours

Belle V. Butcher



Appl. #38370

May 21, 1908.

Bell V. Cucher,  
Sulphur, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, state where the parent through whom you claim resided 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.

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CMB/ALS

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 8 1908

No.

Appl No 38370

W.A.D.

Sulphur Okla.

June 5 1908

Dear Sir

My Mother was not born until after 1835. My Grand father was living in North Carolina in 1834 and 35 to the best of my recollection. My Grand parents was no slaves.

I was never enrolled by the Dawes commission

Very respectfully

Belle V. Butcher.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
REC. OCT 14 1934  
38370

Change address

Lockhart Texas  
Oct 12 1908

Mr. Union Miller.

Dear sir

I write you this to let you know my where  
abouts should it be necessary to write us in  
regard to claim No 38370 my former address  
was Sulphur, Okla. yours Truly

Belle V. Cutcher

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 4 1909  
No. 38370

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Lockhart Texas  
Dec 31 1909

Mr Guion Miller

Special Commissioner

Dear sir will you please inform me  
when or about when the department will  
pay off the claimants of the eastern  
Cherokees

my application No is  
38370

Very truly yours.

Genl. V. Cutcher

App. #38370.

January 4, 1910.

Belle V. Cutcher,  
Lockhart,  
Texas.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of December 31, 1909, you are advised that the exceptions filed to my report will be taken up by the Court for final disposition on January 10, 1910, and until after that date I will be unable to announce the decision in any particular case in which an exception has been filed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.



No. 38371,

Action: Reject

Name Jas. W. Abercrombie and 4 children. Residence: Hugo, Okla.

Reasons:

First Cousin of # 38370 -

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No. 38371

Name Jas. H. [unclear]

Wid. No. 38370

Remarks:

No. 38371

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*J. P. W. Abernethy*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of March  
18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

11 E 3E 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Wilson Abercrombie

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Hugo IndTer

3. County: Choctaw.

4. State: Ind. TER.

5. How old are you? 36 years old. Born Jan. 22 1871

6. Where were you born? Blount County Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Pilkinton Abercrombie.

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>Maudie Ann,</u>	<u>10 years</u>	<u>1897</u>
(2)	<u>Dessie Agnes,</u>	<u>9 "</u>	<u>1902</u>
(3)	<u>James Albert,</u>	<u>5 "</u>	<u>1902</u>
(4)	<u>Fred Wayland,</u>	<u>3 "</u>	<u>1904</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John A. Ambercrombie

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mina Ann "

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mina Ann Partis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Fannin County Georgia.

Mother: Do. Do. Do.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fannin Co. Ga.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dont know but think about 1894

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: Never were enrolled.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mary Jane</u>	<u>Dont Know</u>	<u>living</u>
(2)	<u>Sarah Alice</u>	<u>1868</u>	<u>1880</u>
(3)	<u>Susan Ann</u>	<u>1873</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Robert Nathan</u>	<u>1875</u>	<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>John Simpson</u>	<u>1877</u>	<u>Living</u>
(6)	<u>William Andrew</u>	<u>1880</u>	<u>Living</u>
(7)	<u>Birtie Lee</u>	<u>1882</u>	<u>Living</u>
(8)	<u>Jeff</u>	<u>1884</u>	<u>1891</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

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.....	.....

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fannin County Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Cannot do this

(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: Cannot do this

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and law  
ful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James W. Abercrombie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

W.D. Lester

Notary Public.

My commission expires April 1 1907

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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.D. Lester J. M. Crutcher

and Bell V. Crutcher, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James Wilson Abercrombie

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 his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James M. Crutcher  
Bell V. Crutcher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

April 1

, 190<sup>8</sup>.

W.D. Lester

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 26 1908  
No. 38371

*Wine Pit*  
SEP 26 1908

Idaho Okla.

Sept 22. 1908

Mr Julian Miller

Special Commissioner  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir Please inform me  
what disposition has been made  
of my application for me and  
my children to participate in  
the Distribution of the eastern  
Sherokee fund. my Application  
Number is 38371. I base my claim  
on the same grounds as that of  
Sarah Jane Sutton. Application  
No 26781 who is my aunt. Proof of  
which I can easily make  
Yours Respectfully  
J. W. Abernethy



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 16 1909  
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FEB 17 1909

Hungd. Okla

Feb 10<sup>th</sup> 1909.

Mr. Jerion Miller

601 Broadway Washington  
D. C.

Dear Sir. Please inform me  
if any Disposition has been  
made of my claim No. 38371.  
I have been informed that my  
aunt. Sarah Jane Sutton had  
received information that she  
could draw some time in may  
if her claim is valid & dont  
see why mine should not be  
as her and my Mother is sister.

Yours Respectfully  
J. M. Abernethy.

Hugo O'Kla,

May 22<sup>nd</sup> 1919

Mr Quincy Miller,

Special Commissioner  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir. Please inform  
me if there has been any  
Disposition made of my Claim  
Application No. 38371. Yours  
Respectfully, J. W. Meresombis

No. 38372

Action: Report

Name: Madona Turau and 5 children. Residence: Coffey, Okla.

Reasons:

Ancestors do not appear on the rolls of 35 nor 57.  
They were not parties to the treaties of those dates.  
App was not enrolled by Dawes Commission.

Misc. Test. P. 2205.

Field = Okla

No. 38372

Name Madona Duncan

With No. ~~501 Fish Springs~~

Remarks: Ada

not an roll.

~~501 Fish Springs~~

No. 38372

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Madona Duran*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,**

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**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: Madora Duran

Indian name: have none

2. Residence and post office: Roff

3. County: Pontotoc

4. State: Ind Terr

5. How old are you? 42 Born Aug 6-1865

6. Where were you born? in Yell Co Ark

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Andrew M Duran

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)	John Brice Duran	2.2	1885
(2)	Ruth Altar --	19	1888
(3)	Bonnie Elizabeth	16	1891
(4)	Ola Yeary	13	1894
(5)	Albert Willard	11	1896
(6)	Oliver Lee	4	1903

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Lugh N. Ellison

Indian name: had none

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Ellison

Indian name: had none

Maiden name: Elizabeth Strait

12. Where were they born?

Father: Walker Co. Georgia

Mother: Montgomery do not Co - or

Post Office

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Walker Co Ga

Mother: Jefferson Co Arkansas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August 21-1902

Mother: Mar 11 1906

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Margaret Maria <sup>Present</sup> <del>Real</del> O O Adair Ark	Oct 21 1858	living

(2)	James Rufus Ellison Adair Ark	Sept 21-1868	- -
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(3)	Mary Ellen Adair Ark	June 17-1871	
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(4)	Hugh Powhatten Adair Ark	Oct 8 1874	
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(5)	Catherine Elizabeth	July 11 1877	
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(6)	Corra Modena	Oct 9 1879	
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	Leonora	June 2 1881	
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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.

Madison

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Powhatten, Strip

18. Where were they born?

Adair Ark

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Walker Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jane	Adair Ark
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(2)	Marjorie	Adair Ark
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(3)	Elizabeth	Adair Ark
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(4)	Powhatten	Adair Ark
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(5)	Julia	Adair Ark
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(6)		
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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: My mother's father had no Indian name that I know we get our Indian Blood from him

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

Madora Duran

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Madora Duran

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

E. Meritt  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 30 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 C. M. Hattenbach  
and Effie Stephens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Madora Duran  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and her 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.

C. M. Hattenbach  
Effie Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 30, 1910.

E. Meritt  
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.

Appl. #38372

May 21, 1908.

Madora Duran,  
Robbs, Okla.

Roff

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, state where the parent through whom you claim resided 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.

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 10 1908  
No. 38372.

Prof Child-6-6-1908

Wm  
Gus N. Miller Special Comm-  
Washington D.C.  
Dear Sir

In Reply to yours  
of J-21 concerning my claim  
#38372 were my Grandfather  
through whom I get my Indian  
Blood was living in Kentucky  
in 1834-35 near Bowling  
Green they were never slave  
My Grandfather was 1/4  
Cherokee my Grandmother  
was white I never was  
enrolled by Dawes' Law  
My Grandfather enrolled in  
1855 in Tenn. but he never  
moved to D.T. he started

To receive to the D & M  
Plan but never did get  
through he was murdered  
in Arkansas during Civil  
War My Grandmother  
died in 1865  
in further information  
you read let me know  
Yours Truly

Madona, Buran

Roff Pontotoc Co  
Ala

No. 38372

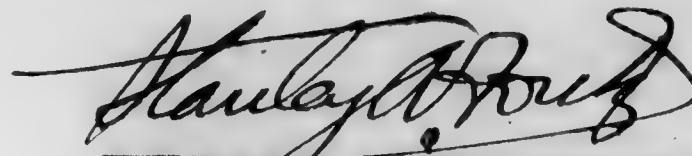
Madora Duran, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Madora Duran; my post-office is Roff, Pontotoc Co., Okla.; I was born in Nell Co., Ark. in 1865; I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my mother, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Strait; she was born in Allen Co., Kentucky in 1839; my mother claims through her father, Wright Strait; he was born in Allen Co., Kentucky in 1811; my father stayed in Kentucky until about 1846 and then moved to Arkansas where they lived until they died.

her  
~~Madora X Duran~~  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day  
of August, 1908, at Ada, Okla.

Reject  
S.A.S.



Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of Court of Claims.

DIVISION OF  
PROPERTY OPERATIONS  
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Robt W. May - 4-25-1904

Mr. Guion Miller

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir

I would ask  
you to allow me to cor-  
rect a mistake I think  
I made in my applica-  
tion. I think I gave  
my Grand Father's name  
as William if I did I  
errred as by searching  
record I find his  
name was Wright. ~~William~~  
St. William he died  
before I was born and  
my eldest sister has  
family record in ward  
and I have been away  
from any of people so  
I had forgotten his



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name if you need other  
evidence please let me know  
would you tell me what you  
think of my claim or give  
it a good or a doubtful  
claim and let know  
if I must give  
any more and if  
it can be corrected

hoping to hear from  
you soon

I am yours truly

Madora Duran

No. 38373

Action: Reject

Name Sarah E. Holcomb and 3 children. Residence: Carters, Ga.

Reasons:

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*Claim 914509*

No. 38373

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah E. Hollomb*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sarah E. Heecomb

Indian name: Sarah E. Linzey

2. Residence and post office: Carters Ga

3. County: Murray

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 29 yrs. Born 10-9-1878

6. Where were you born? Gordon Co Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Heecomb 26 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>Ethel Heecomb</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9-16-1898</u>
(2)	<u>Rody A "</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11-17-1901</u>
(3)	<u>Mary C. "</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>8-8-1904</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Daniel Deal, Mary Deal, Mary Parker

Father—English name: Daniel D Deal

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Mary Deal

Indian name: Mary Linzey

Maiden name: Mary Parker

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gilmer Co Ga

Mother: Gordon "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon 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: not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Marion Deal</u>	<u>9-9-1876</u>	
(2)	<u>Albert F "</u>	<u>4-22-1881</u>	
(3)	<u>Christopher C "</u>	<u>12-25-1884</u>	
	<u>Clarence C "</u>	<u>2-2-1887</u>	
(4)	<u>Day "</u>	<u>7-26-1889</u>	
(5)	<u>Arien W -</u>	<u>12-20-1891</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.

\_\_\_\_\_ Daniel D Deal

\_\_\_\_\_ Mary Deal whose

\_\_\_\_\_ maiden name was

\_\_\_\_\_ Mary Parker

18. Where were they born? Gilmer Co + Gordon Co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gordon Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Robert Parker
- (2) Mary "
- (3) Wm "
- (4) Lizzie "
- (5) Scott "
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my mother, Mary Ann whose maiden name was Mary Parker who is a descendant of Edith Linsley

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her commission of ten per cent.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah E. Holcomb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

~~Notary Public~~ Ordinary

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. W. Albertson and L. J. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah E. Holcomb who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

W. C. Campbell

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. W. Albertson

L. J. Smith

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My commission expires

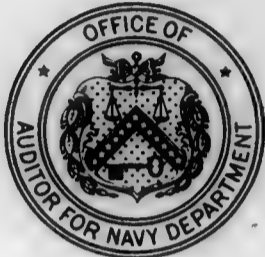
January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

W. W. Albertson  
~~Notary Public~~ Ordinary

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EASTERN CHEMISTRIES.  
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No. 38473



IN ANSWERING REFER TO NO.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

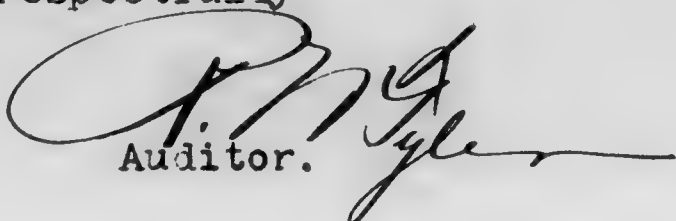
WASHINGTON Sept. 25/07

Guion Miller,  
Special Com. Court of Claims,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly advise me whether or not Emma Summers, of Columbus, Ohio, has filed a Cherokee Indian claim in your office for herself, and if so, what is the serial number. Thanking you in advance, I am

Very respectfully

  
Auditor.



App. No. 38473

September 25, 1907.

R. W. Tyler,  
Treasury Department,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of inquiry of September 25, 1907, regarding the Eastern Cherokee claim of Emma Summers, of Columbus, Ohio, you are informed that she has filed an application in this Office, No. 38473.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

No. 38374

Action: *Rejects*

Name: *Mrs. Mattie Simmons* and *5* children. Residence: *Saint Jo, Texas.*

Reasons: - *Ancestors through whom Indian descent is claimed - were not enrolled in 1835 nor in 1851.*

*Ancestors lived in Lauderdale Co., Ala., remote from the Cherokee domain and no evidence to show connection, affiliation, or recognition by the tribe at the time of the treaties of 1835-6 or 1848 - since the time of these treaties.*

*Office letter of inquiry of May 21, 1908, unanswered.*

*Claimant notified to appear before the Commissioner at Waukena, Okla., and again at Bridgeport, Texas, but failed to appear.*

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Field = Texas

No. 38374

Name Mattie Simmons

With No.

Remarks:

Notified at  
Maurice + Bridgeport  
but failed to appear.

S.A. Ju

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No. 38374

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mathie Simmons*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA W. WOOD

Assistant Collector,

619 F STREET, NORTHEAST

WASHINGTON, D. C.

HL 38 374

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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1. State full name—  
English name: My Mattie Simmons  
Indian name: Mattie Olive
2. Residence and post office: Spirit Jo
3. County: Montague
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 32 Born 1875
6. Where were you born? Landerdale Co, Alabama
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of ~~w~~ife or husband: Ed Simmons 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)	<del>Walter</del> Hettie	14	1893
(2)	William	12	1895
(3)	Leona	9	1898
(4)	Melvin	5	1902
(5)	Viola	2	1905
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:  
 Father—English name: William Olive  
 Indian name: Russells  
 Mother—English name: Olive  
 Indian name: ~~the~~ none  
 Maiden name: Angel

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: Landerdale Co, Ala  
 Mother: I do not know - but think in Ala

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Goundardale Co., Alabama

Mother: I do not know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1891

Mother: 1881

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
<u>Iron City Tenn</u>	(1) <u>Sallie Browley</u>	<u>1874</u>	
	(2) _____		
	(3) _____		
	(4) _____		
	(5) _____		
	(6) _____		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
	<u>William Olive</u>	<u>Angel</u>
	<u>Jone Olive</u>	
<u>Indian</u>	<u>Jone Russell</u>	

18. Where were they born? Ala. All of them I believe

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ala. Goundardale Co  
I suppose

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

<u>Hope Ala</u>	(1) <u>John Olive</u>	<u>Jim Angel</u>	<u>Thomas Ala</u>
<u>Dead</u>	(2) <u>William Olive</u>	<u>George Angel</u>	<u>" "</u>
<u>Rhodesville Ala</u>	(3) <u>J. B. Olive</u>	<u>Robert Angel</u>	<u>" "</u>
<u>Hine Ala</u>	(4) <u>Hugh Olive</u>	<u>Will Angel</u>	<u>Dead</u>
<u>Dead</u>	(5) <u>Wm Olive</u>	<u>Judie Pike</u>	<u>Rhodesville Ala</u>
<u>Dead</u>	(6) <u>Sick Olive</u>	<u>Russ McMillon</u>	<u>Paloska Tenn</u>
<u>Hope Ala</u>	<u>Tom Olive</u>		
<u>Plant-walk</u>	<u>Matilla Willace</u>		
<u>Dead</u>	<u>Jenna Mealer</u>		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: ~~William Olive~~

William Olive May Olive, William Olive Jones Olive  
Great grand Parents Russell's Court at present  
Give first name her

REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.  
The applicant has been in correspondence with relatives but have not received the desired information as to names of ancestors, etc.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mattie Simmons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug. 1907.

R.D. Latham

Notary Public. for

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909

Montague Co Texas

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J.J. Simmons  
and Maddie Simmons, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mattie Simmons who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 12 years, respectively, and know them to be the identical person o represents her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J.J. Simmons  
Maddie Simmons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909

R.D. Latham  
Notary Public. for  
Montague Co 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.

May 21, 1908.

Mattie Simmons,  
St. Jo, Texas.

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 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 1854-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1857-58?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, please state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. SEP 12 1908

No. 38374

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Application no 32374

Sep 9<sup>th</sup> 1902

St. Jo. Tex

my Union miller &  
am unable to meet  
J. Edward Tyler But I  
will tell you all I  
can as my people is all  
Back lost and I havent got  
much information from  
them But will try to  
get more later, as now  
I am going to <sup>tell</sup> you which  
side I get my indian  
Blood my great grand  
Poranty was rambles and  
their Poranty was  
Blas in gins and they

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was indians to the  
Best of my knowledge  
they was never mixed  
they lived in lodicall  
country also we are  
recognized as white people

Mrs. Mottel. Simmons

No. 38375

Action: Reject

Name Jule Mashburn and X children. Residence: Almond, N.C.

Reasons:

Cousin of # 2005 and claims through the same source.

38375

No. 38375

Name Jule Mashburn

With No. ~~No. Carolina~~ = Swain County

Remarks:

With 2005  
Fields

*second claim*  
*trial removed of*  
No. 38375 ✓

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

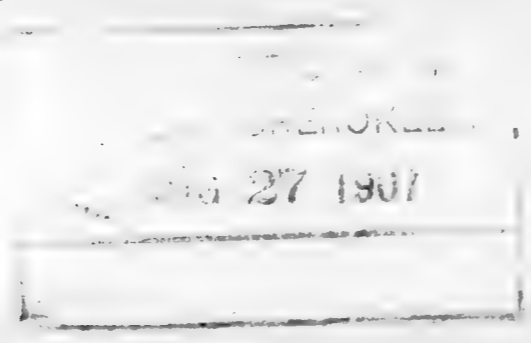
APPLICATION

OF

*Julie Washburn*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

38375

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Jule Mashburn  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Almond
3. County: Suwan
4. State: North Carolina
5. How old are you? 26 Born Baileys <sup>1880</sup> Ga
6. Where were you born? Rakun Ga
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: 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: Albert A. Mashburn #26138  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Margaret Mashburn  
Indian name: Maryant Arisk  
Maiden name: Maryant Crisp

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Burk co N C  
Mother: Burk co N C

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Macon or NC

Mother: Macon

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1884

Mother: 1884

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lehrinday</u>	<u>1870</u>	
	<u>Barbara</u>	<u>1872</u>	
(2)	<u>Ellen</u>	<u>1874</u>	
	<u>Burt</u>	<u>1876</u>	
(3)	<u>Kansas</u>	<u>1882</u>	
	<u>Masura</u>	<u>1884</u>	
(4)	<u>Joseph</u>	<u>1886</u>	
	<u>Thomas</u>	<u>1888</u>	
(5)	<u>Grady</u>	<u>1891</u>	
	<u>Chas</u>	<u>1898</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.

Mother - Crisp

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Macon or NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grate Granma Mary Thompson  
Grate Grate Granma Hester Black  
Grate Grate Grandfather Nathan Thompson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Jule Mashburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

B. O. Campbell JP  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1913

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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 Nancy Sawyer

and Jennie Crisp, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Jule Mashburn

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known 12 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Nancy Sawyer  
Jennie Crisp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April 1913

B. O. Campbell JP  
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.

Appl. #38375

May 21, 1908.

Jule Washburn,  
Almond, E. C.

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?

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,

Special Commissioner

CHE/ALS

MS 475

Jessie W  
June 6 1888  
Commissioner of Court of Claims  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

I date back to  
Nesler Island

Married Nathan Johnson  
Three daughters Mary married

Mr Cusp Luke son Nathan  
is my grand father

and Margaret Cusp is  
my mother

Margaret Washburn  
and Obey  
June Washburn

No. 38376.

Action: Reject

Name Med. C. Fisher and two children.

Residence: Bryson City, N. C.

Reasons:

Betsy Walker case.

38376

No. 38376  
Name Fred C. Fisher  
With No. 500

Remarks:

500

No. 38376

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Fred C. Fisher*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

6-624



BELVA  
Director,  
BUREAU OF NORTHWEST  
INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
38376

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 C. Fisher, Father, and natural Guardian of Children—

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Byson City - Byson City Post Office -

3. County: Swain County

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 58 Born 1849

6. Where were you born? Salisbury Rowan County N.C.

7. Are you married? Yes, 2<sup>nd</sup> time - wife of these children died 1901

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Fred P. Fisher 58 - (wife 37 when she died 1901 -)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to none, children Eastern tribe Cherokee -

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Sallie Fisher</u>	<u>13 years old</u>	<u>1894</u>
(2)	<u>Forest Fisher</u>	<u>8 years old</u>	<u>1899</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Fred C. Fisher

Indian name: White

Mother—English name: Sallie Fisher (mother of children)

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sallie Kline

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: Salisbury Rowan County North Carolina

Mother: Jackson County North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Salisbury Rowan Co N.C.

Mother: Not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: mother's father alive - husband's died 1861

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: Mother & Children's Ancestors were Eastern Cherokee

And were given lands in Indian boundary according to affidants - Father does not belong to any

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Kenneth Elise</u> <u>Swain Co N.C.</u>		
(2)	<u>Mary Millsaps</u> <u>nee Elise - Tennessee</u>		
(3)	<u>Elise</u> <u>Tennessee</u>		
(4)	<u>Nance Cable nee Elise</u> <u>Swain Co N.C.</u>		
(5)	<u>Vira Jenkins</u> <u>nee Elise Graham Co N.C.</u>		
(6)	<u>Bizzy Turner</u> <u>Tennessee</u>		<u>Dead</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Lehar Fisher and Eliza Fisher  
nee Eliza Caldwell

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Katherine Hyde Grandmother  
of Children's Mother - Sallie Fisher

18. Where were they born? Katherine Hyde Macon Co N.C. Fisher in Rowan Co N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Katherine in Macon Co North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>M. P. Hyde</u>	<u>Swain County N.C.</u>
(2)	<u>A. J. Elise</u>	<u>Swain County N.C.</u>
(3)	<u>M. Elise</u>	<u>Swain County N.C.</u>
(4)	<u>John Elise</u>	<u>Swain County N.C.</u>
(5)	<u>Maseltine Shuler</u>	<u>Swain County N.C.</u>
(6)	<u>Josephine Manoy</u>	<u>Swain County N.C.</u>

Grand mother of  
children - } Elizabeth Elise 2nd time  
Married to Nelson Bowers



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Ancestors were in Eastern Cherokee and were given land in Indian boundary as per affidavits

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: These children Sali's Forest Fisher are the great grand children of Katherine Hyde who was a grand daughter of Patsy Walker wife of Edward Leatherwood

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Fred C. Fisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 1910, 190

O. P. Williams  
Clerk Superior Court, Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. M. Taylor and J. V. Shope

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fred C. Fisher

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 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.

W. M. Taylor  
J. V. Shope

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 1910, 190

O. P. Williams  
Clerk Superior Court, Notary Public

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No. 38377

Action: *to be*

Name: *James P. & Mildred* and *x* children. Residence: *208, S.W.*

Reasons: *Admitted to H.S.*

38377

No. 38377

Name Geo. M. Allison

With No. 32180

Remarks:

No. 38377

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

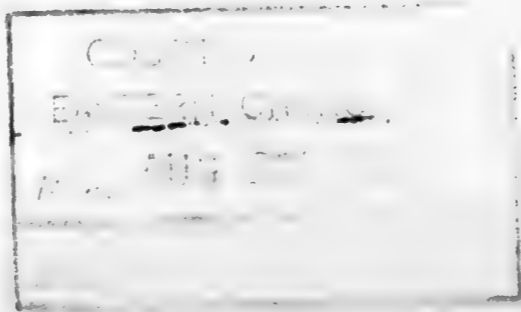
APPLICATION

OF

*George Melton Allison*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

819 1/2 ...

38377

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Melidon Allison

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Peck ~~Missouri~~

3. County: Sumner

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 40 Born Nov 2nd - 1866

6. Where were you born? Chariton, Lucas, Mo. Indian

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: ~~Ann~~

John Henry Allison - Ann Mariach Allison

Father—English name: John Henry Allison

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Ann Mariach Linn Allison

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Ann Mariach Linn

12. Where were they born?

Father: Indiana

Mother: Janesville ~~Ohio~~ <sup>Ohio</sup> Murkingdom

Co.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: indiannd

Mother: Zanesville Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1883 - Pittsburg Kans

Mother: Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1882 Pittsburg Kans

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 none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>James M. Allison</u>	<u>April 30, 1869</u>	
	<u>Permelia Allison Harper</u>	<u>Jan 5, 1865</u>	
(2)	<u>Emma Allison</u>		
	<u>Davis</u>	<u>Sept 15</u>	<u>1870</u>
(3)			
	<u>Rachel Allison</u>		
(4)	<u>Artton</u>	<u>August 18</u>	<u>1875</u>
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>John Allison</u>	<u>Henry Linn</u>
<u>Betsy Cooper</u>	<u>Mary Cunningham Linn</u>
<u>Allison</u>	

18. Where were they born? indiannd Ohio

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? indiannd

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) James M Linn Wellington Kans
- (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: ina nothing

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: great grand father  
Was full blood indian the indian  
names i never learn

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C / my true and lawful  
attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Witness to mark.

B.D. Dumbauld  
Belle Plaine Tenn. (Signature)

George McLellan Allison  
more

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

M. L. Haworth  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 18, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

George Guy

and

Enoch Guy

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

George McLellan Allison

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 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.

George Guy

Enoch Guy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 18, 1911.

M. L. Haworth  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
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George Mc Allison,

~~c/o Belva A. Lockwood, Att'y,~~

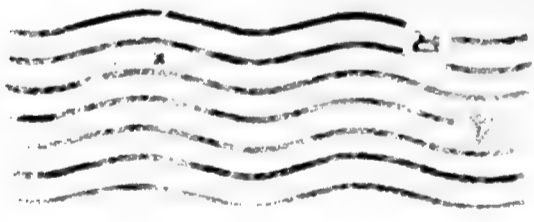
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*George W. C. Allison*  
*Park - Kansas*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 38377, 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. 38373

Action: Reject

Name LIZZI ALPHONSO and children. Residence Petersburg, Ga.

Reasons:

Cousin of #14004.

38373

*Case 9-14904*

No. 38376

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lizzie Whitson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOEYER CO.

Attorneys and Solicitors,

190 F STREET, NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, D. C.

*38376*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lizzie Albertson

Indian name: Lizzie Linzey

2. Residence and post office: Petersburg Ga.

3. County: Gordon Co Ga.

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 47 Born 1860

6. Where were you born? Pickens Co Ga.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marion Albertson 47 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)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Jasper N. Parker, Emiline Parker, Emiline Jackson

Father—English name: Jasper N Parker

Indian name: Linzey

Mother—English name: Emiline Parker

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Emiline Jackson

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina

Mother: Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon Co Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Sept. 14<sup>th</sup> 1900

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Robert Parker	9-5-1847	
(2)	Mary "	6-11-1860	
(3)	Wm "	1-24-1852	
(4)	John H "	6-27-1854	
(5)	Scott "	7-3-1868	
(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 Parker	
Edith " his	
in side grand was	
Edith Lingey	

18. Where were they born? B.C. Smith in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Gordon Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Julian Parker	Jasper N Parker
(2)	Wm "	
(3)	John "	
(4)	Mariah "	
(5)	Mary "	
(6)	Emeline "	

21. 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 that 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: my Grand Father William Parker & Grand mother Edith Parker whose maiden name was Lizzy

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lizzie Schertson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires January 1st, 1909

B. M. Sledge  
Notary Public Ordinary

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. Campbell  
and L. J. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lizzie Schertson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Campbell  
L. J. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

January 1st, 1909 B. M. Sledge  
Notary Public Ordinary

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 19 1909  
No. 8

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Post Office R. F. D. No. 1

Mar 17 1904

Mr. Guion Miller

I am sorry by this time you know who is and who is not  
going to get that claim paid off by the Cherokee Indian  
claim fund. I will give you the name of the man  
with whom you can get my name if you wish.

As usual

Wm. Guion Miller  
Post Office R. F. D. No. 1

No. 38379

Action: Reject

Name Wang, D. al and 2 children. Residence: Carters, Ga.

Reasons:

Conv. of #14004.

38379

Cause 9-14904:

No. 38379

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Mary Deal

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LUCKWOLD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Deal

Indian name: Mary Linzey

2. Residence and post office: Carters Ga.

3. County: Murray

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 37 Born 6-11-1857

6. Where were you born? Gordon Co Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Daniel Deal, 54

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)	Marietta Deal	31 yrs	9-9-1876
(2)	Sarah "	29	10-4-1878
(3)	Albert F. "	26	4-22-1881
(4)	Christopher C. "	23	12-25-1884
(5)	Clarauel "	20	2-2-1887
(6)	Don "	18	7-26-1889
	Arin "	16	12-20-1891

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Jasper N. & Edith Parker, Edith Jackson

Father—English name: Jasper N Parker

Indian name: " " " Linzey

Mother—English name: Emiline Parker

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Emiline Jackson

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina

Mother: Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon Co. Ga.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 9-14-1900

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Robert Parker	9-3-1847	
(2)	Mary "	6-11-1850	
(3)	Wm. "	1-24-1852	
(4)	John N. "	6-27-1854	
(5)	Scott "	7-3-1864	
(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 Parker	
Edith	
whose maiden name was Lurzey	

18. Where were they born? S.C. + North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gordon Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Julian Parker	
(2)	Wm. "	Jasper N. Parker
(3)	John "	
(4)	Mariah "	
(5)	Mary "	
(6)	Emeline	

21. 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 that 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: My Grand Father was Parker and my Grand Mother was Edith Parker whose maiden name was Lizzy

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. as my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary Deal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug, 1907.

B. M. Gudger ~~Notary Public~~ Ordinary

My commission expires

January 1st, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. A. Campbell  
and L. J. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Deal who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. Campbell

L. J. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

January 1st, 1909 B. M. Gudger ~~Notary Public~~ Ordinary

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 38380

Action: Reject

Name: Christopher S. Deal and X children. Residence: Ransom, Ga.

Reasons:

Section of 11904.

38380

*Case - 1490*

No. 38300

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Christopher C. Deal*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,**  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Christopher C. Deal*

Indian name:

*Christopher C. Linzey*

2. Residence and post office:

*Ranger Ga*

3. County:

*Gordon*

4. State:

*Georgia*

5. How old are you?

*24*

Born

*12-25-1883*

6. Where were you born?

*Murray Co Ga*

7. Are you married?

*No*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

\_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*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:

*Daniel D Deal Mary Parker*

Father—English name:

*Daniel D Deal*

Indian name:

*None*

Mother—English name:

*Mary Deal*

Indian name:

*Mary Linzey*

Maiden name:

*Mary Parker*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Gilmer Co Ga*

Mother:

*Gordon*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon 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: Not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Marrett Deal</u>	<u>9-9-1876</u>	
(2)	<u>Sarah E Deal</u>	<u>11-9-1878</u>	
(3)	<u>Albert F Deal</u>	<u>4-22-1881</u>	
(4)	<u>Clarence</u>	<u>" 2-2-1887</u>	
(5)	<u>Dan</u>	<u>" 7-26-1889</u>	
(6)	<u>Arien W</u>	<u>" 12-20-1891</u>	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Daniel D Deal  
Mary Deal whose  
maiden name was  
Mary Parker

18. Where were they born? Gilmer Co & Gordon Co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Gordon Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Robert Parker
- (2) Mary "
- (3) Wm "
- (4) Lizzie "
- (5) Scott "
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my mother, Mary Deal, whose maiden name was Mary Parker was descended from Edith Linzey

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Selva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Christopher Deal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

J. D. Gallman, Jr.  
Notary Public

My commission expires

January 21<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 M. W. Alburton

and J. H. Helcomb, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Christopher Deal

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J. W. Parker  
C. Slurry

Signatures of Witnesses.

M. W. Alburton  
J. H. Helcomb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

January 21<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

J. D. Gallman, Jr.  
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. 38381

Action: Reject

Name: Marietta Hill

and 1 children.

Residence: Ranger, Ga.

Reasons:

Card #14204.

38381

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No. 38381

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Marion 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



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
 English name: Marietta Hill  
 Indian name: Marietta Linguy
2. Residence and post office: Ranger Sn
3. County: Gordon
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 31 yrs. Born 9-9-1876
6. Where were you born? Pickens Co. Ga
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: George Hill 36 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>Edward R Hill</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>9-10-1903</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:  
Daniel D Deal, Mary Deal, Mary Parker  
 Father—English name: Daniel D Deal  
 Indian name: None  
 Mother—English name: Mary Deal  
 Indian name: Mary Linguy  
 Maiden name: Mary Parker

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: Pickens Co. Ga  
 Mother: Gordon Co. Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon Co. Ga.

Mother: Gordon 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: Not that I know of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sarah E Deal	10-9-1878	
(2)	Albert F "	4-22-1881	
(3)	Christopher "	12-25-1884	
	Clarence "	2-2-1887	
(4)	Dan "	7-26-1889	
(5)	Arin W "	12-20-1891	
(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

Daniel Deal  
Mary Deal whose  
maiden name was  
Mary Parker

18. Where were they born? Greener & Gordon Counties Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

Gordon Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Robert Parker
- (2) Mary "
- (3) Mary "
- (4) Lizzie "
- (5) Scott "
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835. My mother Mary Deal whose maiden name was Mary Parker who is descended from Edith Linzey

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Marietta Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

~~Notary Public~~ Ordinary

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me M W Audubon  
and L J Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Marietta Hill  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by 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. Campbell

M. W. Albertson  
L. J. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

~~Notary Public~~ Ordinary

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 38382

Action: Reject

Name: Albert F. Deal and 1 children. Residence: Carters, Ga.

Reasons:

Consist. of #11204.

38382

*Order of 14904*

No. 38382

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Albert F. Deal*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

38382

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Albert F Deal

Indian name: Albert F Linzey

2. Residence and post office: Carters Ln

3. County: Murray

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 26 yrs. Born 4-22-1881

6. Where were you born? Gordon Co Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Katy Deal, 18 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>Henry C Deal</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>11-30-1904</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Daniel M Deal, Mary E Deal, Mary E Parker

Father—English name: Daniel M Deal

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Mary E Deal

Indian name: Mary E Linzey

Maiden name: Mary E Parker

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gilmer Co Ga

Mother: Pickens " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon 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: not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Minnie Deal	9-9-1876	
	Annie "	10-9-1878	
(2)	Christopher C. "	12-25-1884	
	Clarence "	2-2-1887	
(3)	Daniel "	7-26-1889	
	Aaron "	12-20-1891	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE

Jasper N. Parker  
Emiline Parker

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Gordon Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Robert G. Parker
- (2) William "
- (3) Scott "
- (4) Lizzie "
- (5) Mary E "
- (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: My mother Mary E

Deal who is a daughter of Jasper W Parker who is a son of William & Edith Parker who descended from the Linkzeys

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I HEREBY APPOINT BELVA A LOCKWOOD OF WASH .D.C. MY TRUE AND  
LAWFUL ATTORNEY AND ALLOW HER A COMMISSION OF TEN PER CENT.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Albert H. Deal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of August 1907.

B. M. Gudger Ordinary  
Notary Public

My commission expires

January 1st, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. R. Eshed

and Daw Conington, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Albert H. Deal

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Max A. Lester

J. R. Eshed

A. S. Henry

Daw Conington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

January 1st, 1909

B. M. Gudger Ordinary  
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. 38393.....

Action: Reject.....

Name John H. Parker..... and 5..... children. Residence: Auburton, Ga.....

Reasons:

Order No. 11204

38393

*Case 9-14904*

No. 38383

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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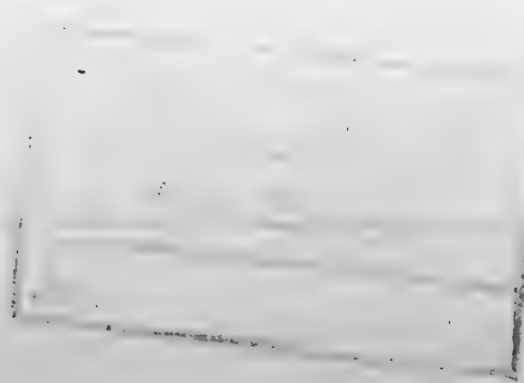
APPLICATION

OF

*John W. Parker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
E 38383 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John N. Parker

Indian name: John N. Linzey

2. Residence and post office: Audubon Ga

3. County: Gordon

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 33 Born 6-27-1854

6. Where were you born? Gordon Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Cynthia Parker, 46 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>Everett Parker</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>7-11-1840</u>
(2)	<u>Bessie</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>7-10-1893</u>
(3)	<u>Asa</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1-17-1894</u>
(4)	<u>Wilbur</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>3-6-1897</u>
(5)	<u>Lulu</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4-4-1901</u>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jasper N. Parker

Indian name: " Linzey

Mother—English name: Emeline Parker

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Emeline Jackson

12. Where were they born?

Father: S. C.

Mother: Tennessee



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon Co. Ga.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 9-14-1900

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
	Robert Parker	9-5-1847	
(2)	Mary "	6-11-1850	
(3)	Wm "	1-24-1852	
(4)	Lizzie "		1860
(5)	Scott "	7-5-1864	
(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 Parker	
Edith " her maiden name was Edith Linszey	

18. Where were they born? S. C. Mother in N. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Gordon Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Julia Parker Jasper N. Parker
- (2) Wm "
- (3) John "
- (4) Mariah "
- (5) Mary "
- (6) Eunice "

21. 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 that 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: My Grand Father John Parker & Grand Mother Edith Parker whose maiden name was Edith Linzey

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wasn.D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

B. M. Gudgeon Notary Public Ordinary

My commission expires

January 1<sup>st</sup> 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. A. Campbell  
and L. D. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John N. Parker 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. Campbell  
L. D. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

January 1<sup>st</sup> 1909 B. M. Gudgeon Notary Public Ordinary

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 38384

Name *Wm. L. Parker*

and *x* children.

Action: *Repe et.*

Residence: *Waverly, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Grand-nephew of 29965 and Claims through  
The same source.*

38384

No. 38384

Name William C. Parker

With No. 31667

Remarks:

No. 38344

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

*Witness*  
OF  
*Charles L. ...*  
*Wm. C. Parker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

Attorney and Solicitor,

*7 SE 88* 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*William Cleaveland Parker*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Waverly*

3. County:

*Madison Co. N.C.*

4. State:

*N.C.*

5. How old are you?

*20*

Born

*August 21, 1887*

6. Where were you born?

*Madison Co. N.C.*

7. Are you married?

*No*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*William Harry Parker*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*S. S. Parker*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*S. S. Anderson*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Madison Co. N.C.*

Mother:

*Madison Co. N.C.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Madison Co. N.C.  
Mother: Madison Co. 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)	Edy. Allen	October 8	
(2)	Ninetta Creson	23 1884	
(3)	Leonia Doad	22 1883	
(4)	Leania Parker	15 1887	
(5)	Alleghennia	14 1893	
(6)	Parker		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<del>Arthur</del>	Jackson Anderson
Allen Parker	Poley Anderson
Mary Parker	

18. Where were they born? in North Carolina  
19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
  - (2) \_\_\_\_\_
  - (3) \_\_\_\_\_
  - (4) \_\_\_\_\_
  - (5) \_\_\_\_\_
  - (6) \_\_\_\_\_
- unknown*

21. 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: Wilem Harry Parker  
Mary Parke. Prothey Hase her mother  
was a full Cherokee indian and to be

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~I hereby appoint Selva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William Chadland Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

M. 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

W. L. Carter

and R. M. W. Galt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with William Chadland Parker

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 us are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. L. Carter

R. M. W. Galt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec, 1907. M. W. Anderson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 38385.

Action: Reject.

Name Henry Barber and X children. Residence: Waverly, W. C.

Reasons:

Great Grand Daughter of # 29965 and claims through  
the same source.

No. 38375

Name Henry Parker

With No. 31667

Remarks:

*Great Grand Daughter*

No. 38385

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Sleny Parker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney and Solicitor,

110 F STREET, NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, D. C.

38385

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Arcy Sleny Parker*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Waverley*

3. County:

*Madison*

4. State:

*N C*

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

*Madison Co. N C*

7. Are you married?

*no*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>[scribble]</i>		
(2)	<i>[scribble]</i>		
(3)	<i>[scribble]</i>		
(4)	<i>[scribble]</i>		
(5)	<i>[scribble]</i>		
(6)	<i>[scribble]</i>		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Harvey Parker*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*S. L. Parker*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*S. L. Anderson*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Medowl Co. N C*

Mother:

*Madison Co. N C*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Medoul Co. N.C.

Mother: Madison Co 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:

(1) Isla L Allen October 8 1882

(2) Ninette Creson June 7 1884

(3) William C Barber 21 1887

(4) Leslie Doad April 24 1883

(5) Alleganice June 7 1893  
Barber

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Mary Parker  
Allen Parker

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jackson Anderson  
Paley Anderson

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) 1

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

*unknown*

21. 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: Wilem Harry Parker  
Mary Parker. Pathy. Hays. her mother  
was a full Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Henry Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

MW 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 W L Carter  
and R M Wgate, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Henry Parker 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 her self to be, and that the statements made by us are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W L Carter  
R M Wgate

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec, 1907 MW Anderson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 38386.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Alagamy Parker* and *X* children. Residence: *Waverly, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Great Grand Daughter of # 29965 and claims through the same source.*

No. 38386

Name Alagany Parker

With No. 31667

Remarks:



*Great Grand Daughter*

No. 12336

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Alagany Parker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

922 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

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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: Maganey, Parker  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Waverley  
3. County: Madison  
4. State: N.C.
5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born \_\_\_\_\_
6. Where were you born? Madison Co. N.C.
7. Are you married? no
8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Wilem Harvey Parker  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: L. S. Parker  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: L. S. Anderson

12. Where were they born?

Father: McDowell Co. N.C.  
Mother: Madison Co. N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Meadowl Co. N.C.

Mother: Madison Co. 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:

has not been enrolled

16. Name of your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ida L. Allen	October 25 1892	

(2) Ninetta Creson June 17 1884

(3) William B. Parker Aug 21 1887

(4) Stenna Parker January 21 1892

(5) Leonia Goad April 24 1883

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Mary Parker  
Allen Parker

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jackson Anderson  
Paley Anderson

18. Where were they born? N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

*unknown*

21. 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: Wilem Harry Parker  
Mary Parker. Rothery. Hays. her mother  
was a full Cherokee indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint Belva A. Hockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Alagany Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

NW 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 W L Carter

and R M Wyatt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Alagany Parker

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and

8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her self to be, and that the statements made by us are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W L Carter

R M Wyatt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec, 1907

NW Anderson  
Notary Public.

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No. 38387.

Action: Reject.

Name Florence Parker and X children. Residence: White Pine, Tenn.

Reasons:

Great Great grand daughter of # 29965 and claims  
through the same source.

No. 38357

Name Florence Parker

With No. ~~31667~~

Remarks: 29765

*Great Great Grand  
Daughter.*

No. 38387

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Florence Parker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

LS E. B. E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Florence Parker

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: White Pine

3. County: Jefferson

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 18 yrs Born 1889

6. Where were you born? Greene Co Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Geo Parker 22 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>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: Pete See

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Nancy See

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Nancy Kutschall

12. Where were they born?

Father: Greene Co Tenn

Mother: " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in 1895

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: 220

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Bruce Lee	1892	White Pine Tenn
(2)	Walter Lee	1896	" " "
(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 Cutchall	Martha Cutchall
In none	In none
Pres Lee	Susan Lee
In none	In none

18. Where were they born? Grand Forton Lin Green Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandmother In McCall h, c,

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Fanny Dalton	White Pine Tenn
(2)	Joe Cutchall	" " "
(3)	Ike Cutchall	Cooke County "
(4)	Mary Cutchall	White Pine Tenn
(5)	Bell Cutchall	" " "
(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:

Grand Parents not Born In 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint ELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Theresa Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

J. O. Williams  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

In 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 Varner  
and Sarah Varner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Florence Parker who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and 18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents 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.

John Varner  
Sarah Varner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

In 1910, 190 .

J. O. Williams  
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. 38388

Action: *Reject*

Name *John Forester* and *8* children. Residence: *Alread, Ark.*

Reasons:

*Nephew of # 529, and claims through the same ancestor.*

No. 38358

Name *1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10.*

With No. ~~34977~~

Remarks:

*524*  
*1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10.*

No. 38388

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*John Yarrister*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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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 Forrester

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Stread

3. County: Van Buren

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 48 Born June 1859

6. Where were you born? Macon Co, N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 45

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>Harriett</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>1880</u>
(2)	<u>Lee</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>1883</u>
(3)	<u>Alexander</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>1885</u>
(4)	<u>Judson</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(5)	<u>Russos</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1892</u>
(6)	<u>Alley</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895 also</u>

Nancy - 9 - 1898  
John H. - 4 - 1903

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Forrester

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Mason

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Mason

12. Where were they born?

Father: White Co, Ill.

Mother: Macon Co, N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Macon Co, NC,

Mother: " - " - "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900

Mother: 1899

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Martin</u> <u>Van Buren Co, Ark</u>	<u>do not know</u>	<u>1903</u>
(2)	<u>William</u> <u>Van Buren Co, Ark</u>	<u>1856</u>	<u>1903</u>
(3)	<u>James</u> <u>Swain Co, NC,</u>	<u>1873</u>	
(4)	<u>Jemmy</u> <u>Van Buren Co, Ark,</u>	<u>1875</u>	
(5)	<u>David</u> <u>Van Buren Co, Ark</u>	<u>1877</u>	
(6)	<u>Caroline Briant</u> <u>Macon Co, NC,</u>	<u>1879</u>	<u>Sindy, Frank, Addie, Harrester</u> <u>and Martha, Ivester.</u>

cannot give age nor residence.

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Cannot answer above questions myself</u>	
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Macon Co, NC,

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

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 HEREBY APPOINT BELVA A. LOCKWOOD OF WASH .D. C. MY TRUE AND LAWFUL ATTORNEY AND ALLOW HER A COMMISSION OF TEN PER CENT.**

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John Forrester

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

Thos. Jones, J.P.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 31<sup>st</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me David Waddle

and William Park, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with John Forrester

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 months years and

5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

David Waddle

William Park

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 31<sup>st</sup>, 1908. Thos. Jones, 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.

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No 38389

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Jennie Sanders* and *—* children. Residence: *Alread, Arkansas.*

Reasons:

*Grandniece of # 529, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

38389

No. 38389

Name James Landis

With No. 529

Remarks:

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No. 38389

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Jennie Sanders*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

68 ESE 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Fannie Sanders

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Alread

3. County: Van Buren State

4. State: Ark

5. How old are you? 32 Born 1874

6. Where were you born? Marion Co, NC,

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Henry Sanders

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: 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: Mason

Father—English name: Forrester

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Forrester

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Mason

12. Where were they born?

Father: White Co, Ill,

Mother: Marion Co, NC,

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Macon Co, Ark

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900

Mother: 1899

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Martin VanBuren Co, Ark.	do not know	1903
(2)	William VanBuren Co, Ark	1856	1903
(3)	James Swain Co, NC,	1873	
(4)	John VanBuren Co, Ark.	1879	
(5)	David VanBuren Co, Ark	1877	
(6)	Caroline Bryant Macon Co, NC,	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.

cannot answer

18. Where were they born? do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Macon Co, Ark.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) cannot
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

I see her cannot give age or res, Martha Jones and Margaret

21. 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 HEREBY APPOINT HERVA A. LOCKWOOD OF WASH. D. C. MY TRUST AND  
LAWFUL ATTORNEY AND ALLOW HER A COMMISSION OF TEN PER CENT.**

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Jennie Sanders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

Wm. Jones, J. P.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
Oct 31<sup>st</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me David Waddle  
and Elmer Waddle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jennie Sanders who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 9 months years and 3 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.

David Waddle  
Elmer Waddle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires  
Oct 31<sup>st</sup>, 1908.

Wm. Jones, J. P.  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
AUG 4 1908  
No. 38388

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Application # 38, 500.

Given this 20th day of October  
1878. I, the undersigned,  
do hereby certify that the  
claim of the 20th day of October  
1878 in 707. but as yet haven't  
received whether my claim for  
and children were allowed or not  
if allowed will you please  
notify me  
I am, Sir,  
Very truly and respectfully  
Yours,  
Wm. H. Weston.

Already

Wm. H. Weston  
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No. 38390.

Name Thomas Hubbard and X children. Action: Reject  
Residence: Lufkin, Texas.

Reasons:

Father of # 37039 and claims through the same source.

38390

No. 35390

Name Thomas Hubbard

With No. 37039

Remarks:

*Feather*

No. 38390

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas Hubbard, sen.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. NEWTON  
Attorney at Law

76 E. S. E. 319 F STREET, NORTHEAST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
 English name: Thomas Hubbard  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Lufkin
3. County: Angelina
4. State: Texas
5. How old are you? 80 yrs. - Born Jan. 28, 1827
6. Where were you born? State of Mississippi
7. Are you married? Widower
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Warren Hubbard
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She to none
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>John F. Hubbard</u>		<u>1855 - Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Mary E. Hubbard</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>Aug-11, 1853</u>
(3)	<u>Sarah Hubbard Kidney</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>Dec. 25, 1858</u>
(4)	<u>Thomas " "</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>" 25 / 1864</u>
(5)	<u>Ann W. " "</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>Oct. 24, 1866</u>
(6)	_____		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John C. Hubbard  
 Indian name: None  
 Mother—English name: Sarah Thomas Hubbard  
 Indian name: " "  
 Maiden name: Sarah Thomas

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: South Carolina 2/7/1790  
 Mother: Virginia 3/15/1793

Area

born 27/1829  
9. Sarah Hubbard  
10. Richard "Glyda" Miller  
Lived at Poken's house

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hubbard, Calif., State of Miss.  
Mother: " " " " " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in Miss. Can't give date  
Mother: " " " " " " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Caraway Hubbard	8/6/1810	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(2)	William "	9/1/1812	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(3)	Mary "	10/25/1814	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(4)	Nancy "	12/13/1816	<input type="checkbox"/>
(5)	Margaret "	4/10/1818	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(6)	Anna "	6/24/1820	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	7 Peter "	2/10/1822	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	8 Truman "	2/2/1824	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Can't say</u>	<u>Can't say</u>
<u>" "</u>	<u>" "</u>

18. Where were they born?

Can't say

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Can't know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Can't give the names
- (2) of grandparents children
- (3) " " " " " " "
- (4) " " " " " " "
- (5) " " " " " " "
- (6) " " " " " " "

9. Sarah Hubbard born 2/27/1829  
10. Richard Lloyd " " Jan. 30, 1832, Miss  
Lives at Pikes River

Dead

20.

19.

18.

17.

16.

15.

14.

13.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

*no*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of tenper ent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness *E. S. Rush* (Signature) *Thomas Hubbard*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

*W. B. Quinn*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *E. S. Rush*

and *R. L. Davis*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Thomas Hubbard*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *40* years and

*40* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*E. S. Rush*  
*R. L. Davis*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909

*W. B. Quinn*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* FEB 13 1908

*No.* 38359



Lupkin Glass

Angelina Co

February 10

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(1)

Mr. Belva A. Lackwood  
Enclosed please find  
one dollar \$1.00 as an  
advance fee to be deduct-  
ed from your percent  
when I am paid.  
This card came to me  
Saturday and it was  
mailed the third of

Yours Truly

Thomas Hubbard

2)

Thomas Hubbard

Mary Sullivan

Sarah Ridger Way

William Hubbard

I Thomas Hubbard's grand

father Thomas and grand

mother Thomas was full

Blood Cherokee ~~and~~

and Thomas Hubbard

mother was a full Blood

Cherokee and his father

was an American man.

Thomas Hubbard is ~~our~~

our father

~~He~~ We hired Mr Hackney.

14 years ago he claimed

to be one of your

Lawyers to tend to this

3)  
business we all paid  
him \$20 dollars a piece  
and he said that our  
great grand parents  
name was on the roll  
yours Truly

William Hubbard.

P.D. send to Thomas Hubbard  
Mail in care of  
William Hubbard and then  
he will get his mail  
P.D. Mr Hackney claimed  
to be sent ~~to~~ here by your  
courts to see us and we  
will never heard from  
him since

No. 38391.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Sarah Ridgeway* and *4* children. Residence: *Manton, Texas.*

Reasons:

*Sister of # 37039 and claims through the same source.*

Sister.

No. 38391

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Ridgeway*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-6-06



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sarah Ridgeway

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Mornton, Tex. Angelina co.

3. County: Angelina

State: Tex.

5. How old are you? 4 1/2 yrs Born 1861, Dec-25,

6. Where were you born? Angelina Co. Tex. Mariou

7. Are you married? widow.

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: William Ridgeway, d'd

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)	Jno. P. Ridgeway	24	Oct 5, 1882
(2)	Annie M. Silburn	22	Aug. 23, 1884
(3)	William E. Ridgeway	20	May 31, 1886
(4)	Tomyie	18	Feb 13, 1888
(5)	Robt. B. "	10	Sept. 2, 1896
(6)	Bentley D. "	8	Aug. 17, 1898

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father = Thomas Hubbard - mother = Sarah Hubbard <sup>maiden name</sup> Sarah Merren

Father—English name: Thomas Hubbard

Indian name: Sarah Thomas <sup>Thomas</sup>

Mother—English name: Sarah Hubbard

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Sarah Merren

12. Where were they born?

Father: State of Mississippi, Jan - 28, 1827.

Mother: State " Feb 27, 1829.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Texas, Angelina Co. & Marion  
 Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Lufkin Angelina Co Tex.  
 Mother: died 1868, Aug-11-

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John G. Hubbard.	1855	1903
	Carolina "		1863
(2)	Mary E. Hubbard.	1853 living	M- <del>1863</del> 1870
	Kelley, Tex.		
(3)	Susan Hubbard.		1905.
(4)	William W. Hubbard	Oct. 24/1866	
	P.O. Lufkin.		
(5)	Thomas Hubbard.	Dec 25-1864.	
	Drake, I.T.		
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Indian	John C. Hubbard.	Nerren (Geo.) grand
	Sarah Thomas (grand	father on mother's
	mother's maiden name	side. Sarah Nerren
		grand mother.

18. Where were they born? Grandmother in Mississippi. Grand father on father's side was born in South Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? on father's side they lived in Mississippi.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Peter Hubbard.	Pope Miss dead.
(2)	John Caraway Hubbard.	" "
(3)	William Hubbard.	dead "
(4)	Thoyd "	Pope Miss.
(5)	Annie "	dead
(6)	Sarah "	do not know.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Thomas Hubbard, and Sarah Hubbard, father and mother John C. Hubbard and Sarah Hubbard, grandparents on father's side grand mother Hubbard was born in Virginia.

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

Indian blood came through Grandmother, Sarah Thomas on Father's side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah Ridgeway

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

W. B. Quinn  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 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 C. A. Rush  
and R. L. Davis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah Ridgeway who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and 40 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.

C. A. Rush  
R. L. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909

W. B. Quinn  
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. 5746

Action: In fact

Name: [illegible] and [illegible] children. Residence: [illegible], [illegible].

Reasons: [illegible]

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No. 38392-95

Name

With No. 35200-

Remarks:

J. Reed -  
John E. Croghan  
Maurice B. W. Crane  
Cynthia Weston

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No. 38392  
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

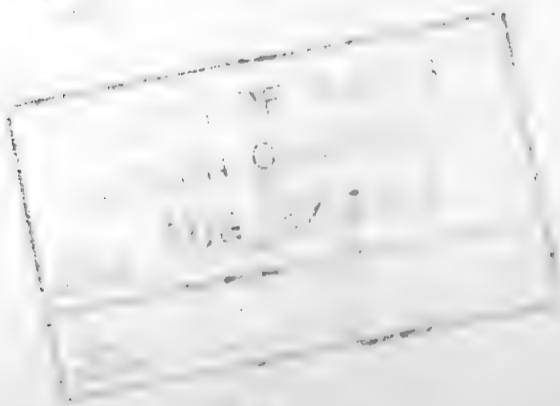
APPLICATION

OF

*James Franklin Reed*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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*W. A. Kellison*

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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 Franklin Reed

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Lacy Grove

3. County: Lynn

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 45 Born Feb 21, 1862

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ann Reed age 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)	<u>Francis Reed</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Sep. 3 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: Timothy Reed

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary Elizabeth Reed

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: Mary Elizabeth Reed Smitherman

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Green Co. Ill.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 30, 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Charley Reed</u> <u>Dougllass Kansas</u>	<u>Aug 27, 1866</u>	<u>35 201</u>
(2)	<u>Hardin Reed</u> <u>Sant Anna Cal</u>	<u>1870</u>	
(3)	<u>Cornelius Reed</u>	<u>1872</u>	
(4)	<u>Julia Estella Cogdon</u> <u>Lacygne Kansas</u>	<u>Dec 7, 1874</u>	
(5)	<u>Cynthia Ann Norton</u> <u>Lacygne Kans</u>	<u>Nov 21, 1876</u>	
(6)	<u>Lee P Reed</u> <u>Dougllass Kansas</u>	<u>Oct 19 - 1868</u>	
	<u>Nannit Bell McLean</u>	<u>June 2 - 1879</u>	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Reed

Reed

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Smitherman

Ruth Ann Smitherman

Indian Name M'Curley

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Rebecca Darnall Independence

(2) Mary Elizabeth Reed Lacygne Kansas

(3) Honey Ann Dunn dead 1873

(4) William Jefferson Smitherman dead 1883

(5) Jesse Munroe Smitherman Boise City Idaho

(6) Sarah Cordelene Dennett dead

7 Ruth Ann Plummer Dougllass

21. 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:

Grand Mother Ruth Ann Smitherman  
Great Grand Father Joseph Wisley Grand Father James Smitherman  
" Mother Rebecca McCarley Indian M. Carley  
Great Grand Father Jesse Smitherman  
" Mother Gemsey Smitherman

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.

James Franklin Reed  
(Signature) James Frank Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

Marion F. Casum  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
Mar. 28<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 A. Mitzel  
and Alfred Wilgus, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with James Franklin Reed  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. Mitzel  
Alfred Wilgus

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires  
Mar. 28<sup>th</sup>, 1910. Marion F. Casum  
Notary Public.

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No. ....

Action: .....

Name... *J. M. ...* and... *7* children. Residence: *...*

Reasons: *...*

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No. 38393

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Julia Estella Coghaw*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Atty



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Julia Estella Croghan

Indian name: M<sup>c</sup>Curley

2. Residence and post office: Lacygne Kansas

3. County: Lynn

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 32 Born Dec 7 1874

6. Where were you born? Bates Co Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William Lincoln Croghan

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>Cora May Norton</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>7-30-1896</u>
(2)	<u>Clida Harold Croghan</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>June 17 1903</u>
(3)	<u>Gracie Marie Croghan</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>July 29 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Thymothy Reed

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary Elizabeth Reed

Indian name: M<sup>c</sup>Curley

Maiden name: Mary Elizabeth Smitherman

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Green Co, Ill.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 30 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Franklin Reed	Feb 21 1862	
(2)	Charley Reed	Aug 21, 1866	
(3)	Hardin Reed	5 1870	
(4)	Cornelius Reed	1872	
(5)	Cynthia Ann Norton	1876	
(6)	Lee P Reed	Oct 19 1868	

Namir Bell McLean June 2, 1878

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Reed  
Reed

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Smitherman  
Ruth Ann Smitherman  
Indian Name M'Charley

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Terra Terra

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Rebecca Dammall	Independence Kansas
(2)	Mary Elizabeth Reed	Lacygne Kansas
(3)	Nancy Ann Dunn	died 1873
(4)	William Jefferson Smitherman	1873
(5)	Jesse Monroe Smitherman	Boise City Idaho
(6)	Sarah Cordelia Demmett	dead
7	Ruth Ann Phummer	Douglass

21. 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: Grand Mother Ruth Ann Smitherman  
Great Grand Father Joseph M'Curley Grand Father James Smitherman  
Great Grand Mother Rebecca M'Curley Indian name M'Curley  
Great Grand Mother Jesse Smitherman  
" Mother Jesse Smitherman  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Julia Estella Croghan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 28<sup>th</sup>, 1910.

Julia Estella Croghan  
Notary Public.  
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. Mitgel

and Alfred Wilson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Julia Estella Croghan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

M. G. Teasum,

A. Mitgel

Alfred Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 28<sup>th</sup>, 1910.

Marion H. Teasum  
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. 2222

Action: Infant

Name: Mrs. J. M. Jackson and 5 children. Residence: Lyons, Wis.

Reasons: ...

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No. 38894

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Nannie Bell McLean

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Nannie Bell McLean*  
*Wm*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nansie Belle McLean

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Lacygne Kansas

3. County: Lynn

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 28 Born June 18 79

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Miller McLean age 26

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>Goldie Tracy McLean</u>	<u>5 yrs</u>	<u>15 Jan 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Florence Marie McLean</u>	<u>3 yrs</u>	<u>Sept 12 - 1904</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Thomas Reed

Indian name: T

Mother—English name: Mary Elizabeth Reed

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: Mary Elizabeth Southerman

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Green Co Ill.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 30, 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Franklin Reed Lacygne	Feb 21, 1862	
(2)	Charley Reed Douglass Kans	Aug 21, 1866	
(3)	Hardin Reed Santanna (s)	1870	
(4)	Lee P Reed Douglass Kans	Oct 19, 1868	
(5)	Julia Estella Loggani Lacygne Kans	Dec 7, 1874	
(6)	Cynthia Anna Norton Lacygne Kans	Nov 21, 1876	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Reed

Reed

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Smitherman

Ruth Ann Smitherman

McCarten, Indian Name

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Rebecca Darnall	Independence Kans
(2)	Mary Elizabeth Reed	Lacygne Kans
(3)	Nancy Ann Dumas	dead 1873
(4)	William Jefferson Smitherman	dead 1873
(5)	Jesse Maurice Smitherman	Boise City Idaho
(6)	Sarah Cordeline Demott	dead
	Ruth Ann Plummer	Douglass Kans

21. 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: Grand Mother Ruthanna Smitherman

Great Grand Father Joseph McInley Grand father James Smitherman  
" Mother Rebecca McInley  
Great Grand Father Jesse Smitherman  
" Mother Jenney Smitherman

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) Garnie Bell McLean

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1907.

Marion H. Seasure  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 28<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 A. Mitzel  
and Alfred Wilgus, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Garnie Bell McLean who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses  
A. Mitzel  
Alfred Wilgus

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Mch - 28<sup>th</sup>, 1910, Marion H. Seasure  
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. 38395

Action: Reject

Name: *Charles J. [unclear]* and *6* children. Residence: *Lacynne, Kans.*

Reasons:  
*[unclear]*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Cynthia Ann Hartau*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. H. Harrison*  
*Attorney*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Cynthia Ann Horton

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Lynchburg, Tenn

3. County: Lynch

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 30 Born Nov 1 - 1876

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Orle Horton age 35

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>Anna Liza Horton</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Dec 9 1895</u>
(2)	<u>John Mack Horton</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>March 10 1895</u>
(3)	<u>L. Lora Horton</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Feb 1897</u>
(4)	<u>Martha Horton</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>April 1897</u>
(5)	<u>W. Horton</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Sept 1898</u>
(6)	<u>Emma Horton</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Nov 1 1901</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Henry Wiley Reed

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary Elizabeth Reed

Indian name: McDancy

Maiden name: Mary Elizabeth Smithman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 30 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Franklin Reed Lacygne	Feb 21, 1862	
(2)	Charley Reed Douglas	Aug 21 1866	
(3)	Lu P Reed Douglas	Oct 19 1868	
(4)	Hardin Reed Santama	1870	
(5)	Cornelia Reed	1872	
(6)	Julia Estelle Coghlan Lacygne	Dec 7 1874	
	Hannie Belle McLean Lacygne	Jan 2 1878	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Reed	James Smitherman
Reed	Ruth Ann Smitherman
	Indian Name M. Burley

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Rebecca Darnall	Independence Kans
(2)	Mary Elizabeth Reed	Lacygne Kans
(3)	Nancy Ann Dumm	Dead 1873
(4)	William Jefferson Smitherman	Dead 1873
(5)	Jesse Munnor Smitherman	Boise City Idaho
(6)	Sarah Cordelia Dumm	Dead
	Ruth Ann Plummer	Douglas

21. 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: Grand Mother Ruth Ann Smitherman  
Great Grand Father Joseph McKinley Grand Father James Smitherman  
" Mother Rebecca McKinley Indian Name McKinley

Grand Father Jesse Smitherman Mother Jersey Smitherman  
REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Cynthia Ann Norton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

Marion F. Teasum  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 28<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 A. Wilgus  
and Alfred Wilgus, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Cynthia Ann Norton who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

M. F. Teasum,

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. Wilgus  
Alfred Wilgus

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 28<sup>th</sup>, 1910.

Marion F. Teasum,  
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. \_\_\_\_\_ Action: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ children. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons: \_\_\_\_\_

38396

No. 2020

Action: Reject

Name: Wm. Small

and ... children.

Residence: Oklahoma City, Okla.

Reasons:

Conflict of interest.

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No. 38396-99.

Name

With No. 36815-

Remarks:

Went to  
Landing  
Poussin & Lander  
Marian



No. 38396

*See # 36817*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Robert Darnall*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*J. G. R. ...  
Atty*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Darnall

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Oklahoma City

3. County: Oklahoma

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 27 Born Oct 31 - 1880

6. Where were you born? Leury Co. Kans

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: Lorenzo Dow Darnall

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Rebecca Jane Darnall

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: Rebecca Jane Smitherman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Illinois

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 7-1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Darnall</u>	<u>Feb 20-1867</u>	<u>Jan 30-1892</u>
(2)	<u>Ira Darnall</u>	<u>July 1 1878</u>	<u>—</u>
(3)	<u>Marian Darnall</u>	<u>June 3 1873</u>	<u>—</u>
(4)	<u>Julious Darnall</u>	<u>May 4 1869</u>	<u>—</u>
(5)	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(6)	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>William Darnall</u>	<u>James Smitherman</u>
<u>Karah Darnall</u>	<u>Ruth Ann Smitherman</u>
<u>—</u>	<u>Indian name M<sup>c</sup>Curley</u>

18. Where were they born? Mother's side, Tenn., Father's side, don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father's side, in Missouri, Mother's side in Ill.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Becca Jane Darnall born 1842 Res Oklahoma
- (2) Mary Elizabeth Reed 1844 Res Kansas
- (3) Nancy Ann Darnall born 1846 Died 1873.
- (4) William Jefferson Smitherman 1848 died 1883
- (5) — — — — — Smitherman 1850 Res Idaho
- (6) Karah Caroline Darnall b. 1852 d. 1890  
with her husband Tom 1856  
res Douglas Kansas.

21. 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: *Grand Father James Smitherman*  
*Grand Mother Rebecca*  
*Father Jesse Smitherman*  
*Mother Jersey Smitherman* *Ind name M<sup>c</sup>Curley.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Robert Harnall*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23<sup>d</sup>* day of *aug*, 1907.

*L. H. Webb*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *July 27, 1910*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. J. Alfrey*  
and *J. L. Lawrence*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with *Robert Harnall*  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *26* years and  
*17* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents  
*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_ *J. J. Alfrey*  
\_\_\_\_\_ *J. L. Lawrence*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires *July 27, 1910*

*L. H. Webb*  
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. 38897

Action: Reject

Name: Walter J. and Mrs. Miller and 1 children. Residence: Boise, Idaho.

Reasons:

Good for 1910.

38897

No. 38397

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Halla G. ... erman*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. G. ...*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Walter Gordon Smitherman

Indian name: W<sup>c</sup> Curley

2. Residence and post office: Boise

3. County: Ada

4. State: Idaho

5. How old are you? 33 Born 1874

6. Where were you born? Justin Co. Mo.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Georgia Smitherman 27

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Dewey Arthur Smitherman</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1886</u>
(2)	.....	.....	.....
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jesse Smitherman

Indian name: W<sup>c</sup> Curley

Mother—English name: Matilda Elisabeth Smitherman

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Matilda Elisabeth Barnard

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: NO

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>Georgia Lee Johnson</u>	<u>1886</u>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>James W. Weatherman</u>	<u>Alvander Barnard</u>
<u>Mary Ann Weatherman</u>	<u>Carry Barnard</u>
<u>Indian name: Dr. Curley</u>	<u>None</u>

18. Where were they born? Father side Tennessee Mother side Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father side Ill. Mother side Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) James Lee Johnson Res. Illinois
- (2) Mary Ann Johnson Res. Illinois
- (3) George Lee Johnson died 1872
- (4) William Lee Johnson died 1882
- (5) David Lee Johnson died 1892
- (6) John Lee Johnson died 1913



21. 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: \_\_\_\_\_

*Grandmother Rebecca Smith* *Grandfather James Smith*  
*Father James Smith* *Mother Rebecca Smith*  
*Mother Rebecca Smith* *Indian name: M. Curley*

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) *Walter Gordon Smithman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug 1907.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 21, 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 C. H. Tyler  
and E. J. Matthews, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Walter Gordon Smithman who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and 13 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*[Signatures]*  
C. H. Tyler  
E. J. Matthews

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of August 1907.

My commission expires Nov 21, 1910.  
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.

NATIONAL ARCHIVES MICROFILM PUBLICATIONS

Application No. 38398 was not found among the records when the documents were filmed.

NATIONAL ARCHIVES MICROFILM PUBLICATIONS

No. 38399

Action: Reject

Name: [redacted] and [redacted] children. Residence: [redacted], [redacted].

Reasons:

38399

No. 35399

No.

*See # 36818*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Marian Darnall*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*P. D. K...  
1888*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Marian Darnall

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Independence

3. County: Montgomery

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 34 yrs Born June 3rd 1873

6. Where were you born? Cowley Co. Kans

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Edna E. Darnall born 1881

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>Ruthie R. Darnall</u>	<u>7 6</u>	<u>Oct 11-1900</u>
(2)	<u>Robert E. Darnall</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Aug-20-1902</u>
(3)	<u>Ralph H. Darnall</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>July 11-1905</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Lorenzo Dow Darnall

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Rebecca Jane Darnall

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: Rebecca Jane ~~Darnall~~ Smitheman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Illinois

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois Missouri

Mother: Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 9 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Darnall	1867	Dead 1892
(2)	Julious Darnall	1869	—
(3)	Ira Darnall	1878	—
(4)	Robert Darnall	1880	—
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

William Darnall  
Sarah Darnall

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Smitherman  
Ruth Ann Smitherman  
Indian name McCurley

18. Where were they born? <sup>side don't know</sup> Father's Missouri Mother's parents <sup>in Fern</sup> Illinois

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? <sup>side</sup> Father's side in Missouri <sup>side</sup> Mother's side in Ill.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Rebecca Jane Darnall born 1842 Res. Okaluma
- (2) Mary Elizabeth Reed July 12 1844 Res. Nauvoo Ind name McCurley
- (3) Nandy Ann Durr born 1846 died 1873
- (4) William Jefferson Smitherman born 1848 died 1883
- (5) Jesse Munroe " born 1850 Res. Idaho
- (6) Sarah Cordeline Demmitt born 1852 died 1890
- (7) Ruth Ann Plummer born 1856 (res) Douglass Nauvoo

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

*No*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Great Grand Father Joseph M<sup>c</sup>Curley      Grand F. James Smitherman  
" Mother Rebecca M<sup>c</sup>Curley      " Mother Ruth Ann Smitherman  
" Father Jesse Smitherman  
" Mother Genney Smitherman      Indian name M<sup>c</sup>Curley

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Marion Darnall*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*R. H. Webb*  
Notary Public.  
Commis. expires July 27, 1910

My commission expires  
*July 27, 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 *James J. Alfrey*  
and *J. L. Lawrence* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with *Marion Darnall*  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *30* years and  
*17* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents  
*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*James J. Alfrey*  
*J. L. Lawrence*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23d* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires  
*July 27*, 1907.

*R. H. Webb*  
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. 31/00

Action: *Evicted*

Name: *John J. ...* and 1 children.

Residence: *...*

Reasons:

*...*

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No. 38400

Name *Miss C. Dean*

With No. 38644

Remarks:

No. 38400

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Milissia C. Strain*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. R. Ralston*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Milissa S Strain

Indian name: Wafara

2. Residence and post office: Lavel

3. County: Benton

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 22 Born Jan 10 1884

6. Where were you born? Arkansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Albert J Strain 25 age

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Daisy L Strain</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>June 23 1904</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: J S Clark

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Amanda Clark

Indian name: Wafard

Maiden name: Amanda Wafard

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ark

Mother: Iowa

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:

Mother was enrolled at Tahlequah with the Cherokee Indian

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

(1) 

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Adam M Clark	No 22	1886
	Arkansas		

(2) 

(2)	Charley Clark	Jan 17	1890
	Arkt		

(3) 

(3)	Dora M Clark	Sept 23	1894
	I. I.		

(4) 

(4)	James Clark	Jan 11	1897
	I. I.		

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Wafard  
Indian name  
Wafard  
Wafard

18. Where were they born? Ind & Ky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Iowa

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes with the Cherokees  
at Tahlequah

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 Amanda Lelark  
Grandfather John Waford Great grand  
Father Adam Waford Indian name Wafard

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The following witness has not been acquainted with  
this person who makes this application, but for a short  
time. But she is the identical person just the same.  
and bring her she is a way from home. Makes the witness difficult to

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and  
belief.

(Signature) Milissia C. Strain

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1907.

J. H. Johnson.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 25<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 G. L. Rice.

and M. A. Rice, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Milissia C. Strain

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 1 years and

1 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to make

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. L. Rice

M. A. Rice

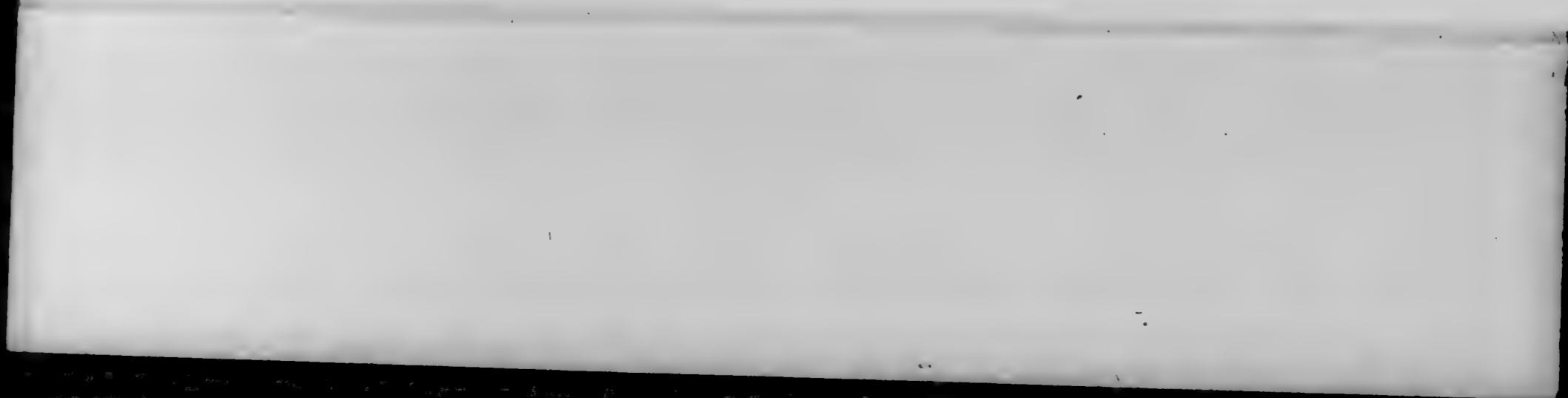
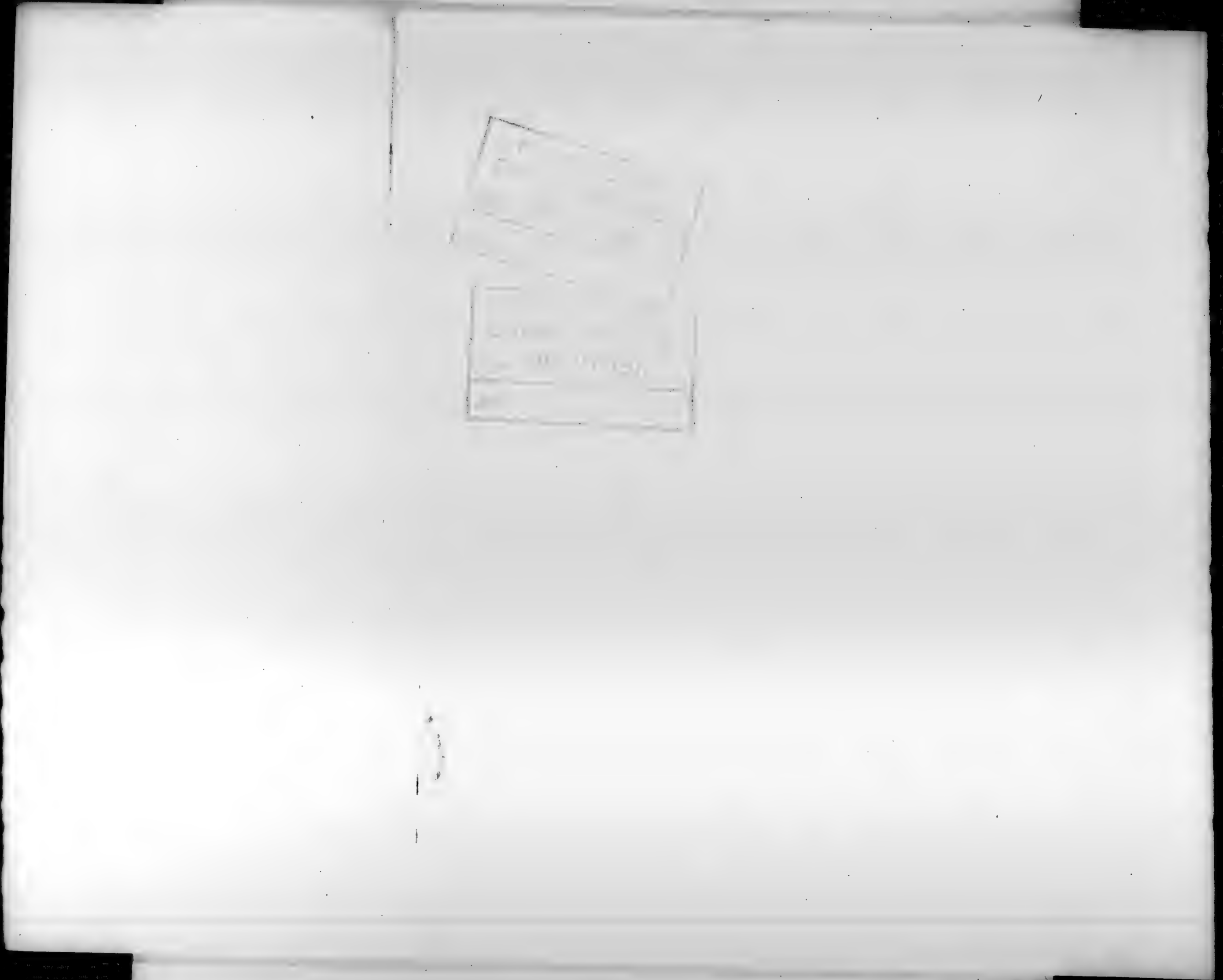
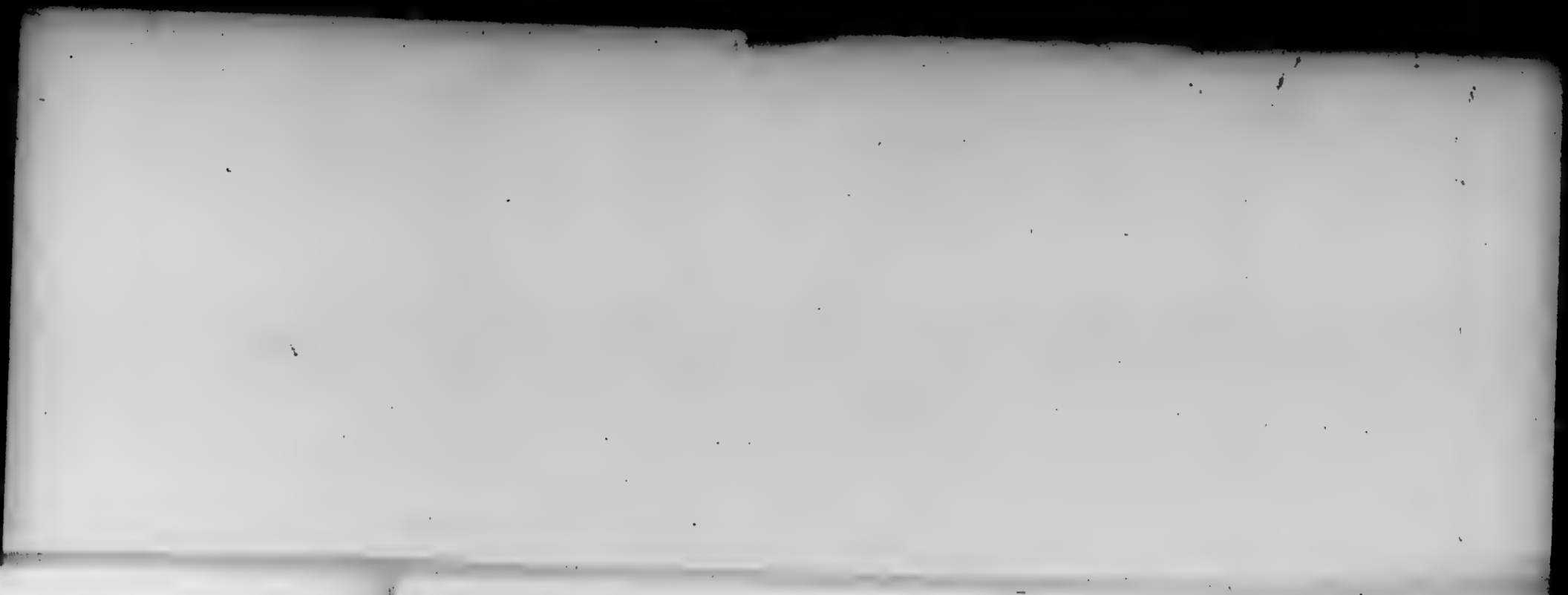
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 25<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

J. H. Johnson.  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



WILLIAM H. ROBESON  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
BOND BUILDING  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

August 27, 1907.

Guion Miller, Esq.,  
Ouray Building,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following applications  
in the matter of the distribution of the Cherokee fund:

Milissa C. Strain,  
Rebecca Jane Darnall,  
Robert Darnall,  
Marian Darnall,  
James Franklin Reed,  
Walter Gordon Smitherman,  
Julia Estella Croghan,  
Mamie Bell McLeane,  
Cynthia Ann Norton.

Very truly yours,

*Henry Peyton*

No. *38401*

Action: *Refused*

Name *Thomas C. Bray* and *1* children. Residence: *Greensboro, N.C.*

Reasons: *Coincidental case*



No. 38401

Name James J. Kelly

With No. 10000000

Remarks:

No. 38401

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Thomas Cawley 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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King & Kimball, Atty  
Greensboro N.C.

38401

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Thomas Crawley Bray  
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Greensboro
3. County: Guilford
4. State: North Carolina
5. How old are you? 34 Born May 19, 1872
6. Where were you born? Gaston County, North Carolina
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rona Andrew Bray Age 23
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Clarence Jackson Bray</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Sept. 27, 1903</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Rodney Franklin Bray

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Louisa Poinsett Bray

Indian name: None

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gaston County, North Carolina

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Near Hobson - in Surry County, N.C.

Mother: Near Hobson, in Surry County, N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: December 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:

None that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>R. W. Bray</u> <u>Cape Charles, Va.</u>	<u>1863</u>	
(2)	<u>M. F. Bray</u> <u>Me. Aris, N.C.</u>	<u>1869</u>	
(3)	<u>Maria Mieron Angle</u> <u>Me. Aris, N.C.</u>		
(4)	<u>John W. Bray</u> <u>Roxboro, Va.</u>	<u>1878</u>	
(5)	<u>Reice Arnett</u> <u>Laneth's Point, Va.</u>	<u>1883</u>	
(6)	<u>Samuel F. Bray</u> <u>Arnett</u>	<u>1885</u>	

List of deceased brothers and sisters

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Henry C. Bray

Maria M. Bray

None of my grand parents had Indian names

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Levise Pindexter

Maria Pindexter

18. Where were they born? Levise and Maria were born in Surry County, N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Surry Co. near  
Arnett, N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Robert F. Bray

Arnett, Va. (my father)

(2) William A. Bray

Hobson, N.C. Served in Civil War

(3) Annie V. Bray

Surry County, N.C. Deceased

(4) Maria F. Bray

Surry County, N.C. Deceased

(5) Lettie E. Bray

Surry County, N.C. Deceased

(6) Samuel P. Bray

Arnett

Applicant claims through his ancestors on his father's side - If it is desired that he furnish list of brothers and sisters of his mother

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 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:

Grandparents stated in answer to question 17 all living in 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through my father Robert F. Bray son of Maria Pinderter Bray who was a daughter of Robert Pinderter - who was a son of Thomas and Betty Pinderter. Betty Pinderter being a daughter of an Eastern Cherokee Indian Chief by name Donatoo. She was also known as Betty Pledge - having ~~been~~ married to Thomas Pledge.  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Thomas Crawley Bray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

Thomas H. [unclear]

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 20, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me C. E. Hooten

and W. J. Clegg, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Thomas Crawley Bray

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. E. Hooten  
W. J. Clegg

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept, 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.

List of living brides  
& sisters beneath.

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16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Henry C. Bray Mr. Ainy, D.C.	1861	1880
(2)	Lee H. Bray Mr. Ainy, D.C.	1868	1886 <i>Spain</i>
(3)	Mary Ellen Bray Mr. Ainy, D.C.	1870	1893
(4)	Lilly May Bray Mr. Ainy, D.C.	1878	1880
(5)	Abner R. Bray Mr. Ainy, D.C.	1880	1880
(6)			

List of living brothers  
& sisters

ROBERT R. KING. ASHBEL B. KIMBALL.  
KING & KIMBALL,  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,  
GREENSBORO, N. C.

Aug. 26, 1907.

Hon: Guion Miller,  
Special Comr. of the Court of Claims,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith application of Mr. Thomas  
C. Bray for a part of the appropriation of the Eastern  
Cherokee Indian fund, which will <sup>hope</sup> receive the attention of  
your department.

We would thank you to attach this letter to  
the application in order that any correspondence with  
regard to same may be had with us.

We should be glad to furnish you any additional  
information in our possession.

Yours very truly,

*Robert R. King*



26, 1907.

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any additional

Susan W. [unclear] No. 38402  
[unclear] for [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

Action: [unclear]

Name [unclear] and [unclear] children: Residence: [unclear] N.C.

Reasons:

[unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

38402

No. 38402-03

Name.....

With No. 18483

Remarks:

Eastern Star  
Small Smith

10495

No. 38402

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Luther Stafford*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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  
FOR INDIANS  
MAY 27 1907

38402

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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: \_\_\_\_\_

*Inson Stafford for Minor Children*

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

*Proximity  
Guilford Co*

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)	<i>Ruther Stafford</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>Nov 19 - 1883</i>
(2)	<i>John do</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>Oct 1 - 1884</i>
(3)	<i>Dadie do</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>July 22 - 1887</i>
(4)	<i>Lora do</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>Nov 21 - 1888</i>
(5)	<i>Henry do</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>Aug 18 - 1892</i>
(6)	<i>Curtis do</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>Mar 2 - 1899</i>

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: \_\_\_\_\_

*Andy Stafford*

*Linda Stafford*

*Linda Sells*

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

*Guilford Co*

*Guilford Co*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: For my th

Mother: For my th

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Jan 5 - 1899

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ed Stafford, Guilford G		
(2)	Dimmie do " "		
(3)	Neil do		deceased
(4)	John do For my th G		
(5)	Sam do Guilford G		
(6)	Minnie do do		
(7)	Mattie do do		
(8)	Daisy do do		
(9)			
(10)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

David Henderson

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Hannah Henderson  
M. N. Hannah Jones

Grandparents by Marriage to Lee Stafford.  
Lee Stafford was the son of Robt Stafford & Elizabeth Stafford

18. Where were they born? M. N. Elizabeth Henderson

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? No

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Elizabeth Henderson married Robt Stafford Kennett
- (2) Eliza do do " Pringle Stafford do NC
- (3) Emely do do " Wm T. Leque Kansas
- (4) Luey do do " Sam Pitts Indiana
- (5) David do do deceased
- (6) Duson do do do
- (7) Marta do do married Frank Shields For my th
- (8) Bartlett Ganey do (deceased) " Dimmie Hill do
- (9) Joe do do deceased

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*No*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835.

*Lee Stafford's*  
Grandmother who was Hannah Jones before marrying to David Hendricks was the daughter of Hezekiah Jones and Martha Jones who was his wife was the daughter of David Brooks & Sarah Brooks his wife  
REMARKS  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Said Sarah Brooks was the daughter of Joel Sanders and Mary Sanders. Said Mary Sanders was a Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Susan Stafford*  
Wife of Lee Stafford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*Geo. V. Fulp*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires *Sept 10<sup>th</sup>*, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *G. L. Dean*  
and *J. R. Stuart*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Susan Stafford* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* 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.  
*G. L. Dean*  
*J. R. Stuart*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires *Sept 10<sup>th</sup>*, 1908. *Geo. V. Fulp*  
Notary Public.

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No. 38403.

Name: Laura A. Smith and 2 children.

Action: Rejected

Reasons:

Residence: High Point, N.C.

1st Cousin of #18483.



No. 38403

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Laura A. 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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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 27 1907  
No.

38403

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Laura A. Smith,  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: High Pt  
3. County: Guilford Co  
4. State: NC
5. How old are you? 47 Born Apr 14 - 1859
6. Where were you born? Doornth
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Lewis Smith, 41
9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>Sarah L. Smith</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Jan 18 = 1891</u>
(2)	<u>Dorothy E. Smith</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Sept 21 = 1895</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Robert A. Stafford

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Stafford

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Elizabeth Henderson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Doornth Co

Mother: Do

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Norm the Co. Mo  
Mother: do do

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept 17 = 1892  
Mother: Oct 17 = 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)	Elias H. Stafford	Mar 31 - 1848	Living
(2)	Stiram L da	July 10 - 1852	"
(3)	Marcus L da	Apr 12 - 1855	"
(4)	Joseph P da	Oct 7 - 1861	"
(5)	Benjamin J da	May 26 - 1864	"
(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>David Hendricks</u>	<u>Hannah Hendricks</u>
	<u>Mrs. Jones</u>

18. Where were they born?

Mo

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

near Kerneraville Mo

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Elizabeth Hendricks	married Robt Stafford	Kerneraville Mo
(2)	Eliza da	" Pinkney	do
(3)	Emily da	" Wm Treague	Kansas
(4)	Lucy da	" Daniel Pitts	Indiana
(5)	Fannie da	deceased	
(6)	Dwain da	do	
(7)	Martha da	married Frank Shields	
(8)	Belle Janny da	(deceased) " Dimmie Shields	
(9)	Joe da	deceased	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Laura A. Smith's

Grandmother who was Hannah Jones before marrying to David Kendrick was the daughter of Ezekiah Jones and Martha Jones who was his wife. <sup>REMARKS.</sup> <sub>(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)</sub> David Brooks and Sarah Brooks his wife, David Sarah Brooks was the daughter of Joel Sanders and Mary Sanders, said Mary Sanders was a Cherokee Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Laura A. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

Geo. V. Fulp

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 10<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. C. Stafford

and J. A. Stuart, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Laura A. Smith

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 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. C. Stafford

J. A. Stuart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 10<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

Geo. V. Fulp

Notary Public.

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No. ~~38409~~ 38404

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Francis Pain* and *X* children. Residence: *Davidson, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Applicant claims through her grandmother who was a Catawba Indian.*

*See application.*

No. 38409

Rej.

Name Francis Pain

With No. ....

Remarks:

Rejected

Catawba

No. 38404

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Francis Pain*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 07 1907
No.

38404

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Francis Pain*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

*Davidson*

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

*Mecklenburg*

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

*North Carolina*

5. How old are you? *46*

Born

*Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1861*

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

*Mecklenburg County, N.C.*

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

*John Pain  
Catawba*

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~she~~ she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>None</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: *Viney Sloan*  
*Thomas Harris*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *Viney Sloan Harris*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Viney Sloan*

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

*Mecklenburg County, N.C.*

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Mechlenburg County N.C.

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 15 - 1881

Mother: July 4 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>Joe Sloan</u>	<u>dead</u>	
(2)	<u>Alex Sloan</u>		<u>1887</u>
(3)	<u>Pat Sloan</u>	<u>May 9 - 1852</u>	
(4)	<u>3</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.

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

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.)

*My fathers mother was an Indian of the Catawba Tribe I cannot give the Indian name as none of my people (mother, father, nor grand parents are living)*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Francis X. Cain*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *Aug.*, 1907.

*J. H. [Signature]*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*January 26<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

*Jas. A. Johnston*

and

*J. C. Rayle*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Francis Cain*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15<sup>th</sup>* 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 *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Jas. A. Johnston*  
*J. C. Rayle*

*Jas. A. Johnston*  
*J. C. Rayle*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires

*January 26<sup>th</sup>*, 1908.

*J. H. [Signature]*

Notary Public.

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Appl. #38404

May 20, 1908.

Frances Cain,  
Davidson, N. C.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you claim through your father or your mother.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

No. 38405.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Geo W. Payne.* and *1* children. Residence: *Baltimore, Md.*

Reasons: *Amcestans not on rolls. "Require!"*

*Base test P. 1687.*

Field, N. H.

No. 3524 ✓ Burcomb?

Name Sherman Payne

With No. ....

Remarks:

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No. 38405

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

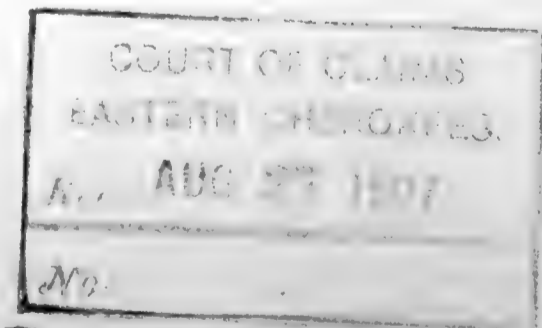
APPLICATION

OF

*George H. Payne*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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38405

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: George W. Payne

Indian name: George Payne

2. Residence and post office: Pittsboro N. C.

3. County: Buncombe

4. State: N. C.

5. How old are you? 69 Born Apr. 30 1838

6. Where were you born? Butterfords Co.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Victoria Payne 57 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)	Mary A. Laws	41 yrs.	July 27, 1866.
(2)	Wm. J. Payne	31 "	Jan. 29, 1876
(3)	Latha L. Hamilton	26 "	Jan. 22, 1881
(4)	Sarah Bratton	24 "	Feb. 18, 1883
(5)	Hattie E. Payne	15 "	Feb. 21, 1892
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: London Mills Sarah Payne

Indian name: Sarah Payne

Mother—English name: Sarah Payne

Indian name: Sarah Payne

Maiden name: Sarah Payne

12. Where were they born?

Father: Henderson Co., N. C.

Mother: Butterfords Co., N. C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Rutherford Co. N.C.*

Mother: *Rutherford Co. N.C.*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *don't know*

Mother: *died 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)	<i>J. W. Payne</i>	<i>don't know</i>	
	<i>Sondou Payne</i>	<i>1845</i>	

(2)			
(3)	<i>Wm. Payne</i>	<i>don't know</i>	<i>29150</i>

(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>don't know</i>	<i>Joshua Payne</i>

18. Where were they born? *Joshua Payne born Culpepper Va.*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Rutherford*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)		
(2)		
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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.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature George M. Payne)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 16, 1908

J. E. Swain  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. B. Brown

and W. A. Webb, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with George M. Payne

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known George M. Payne for 14 years and

4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. B. Brown

H. B. Brown

W. A. Webb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 16, 1908

J. E. Swain  
Notary Public.

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APPL. 708400

May 21, 1908.

George E. Payne,  
Biltmore, N. C.

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?

Why 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? Where 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

CHP/ALS

George W. Payne being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is George W. Payne. I claim Indian blood through my mother. I really don't know what tribe. When my mother told me she did not say what tribe. She said that her father was half Indian and her grandfather was a full Indian. My mother's mother was a white woman. I could not see her as to the tribe. I was born in 1838 in Suffolk Co., N. C. I never was a slave. My grandmother was a white woman, so my mother was a free woman, and therefore I was born free, according to the laws of N. C. and the laws of U. S. I filed an application here because I have been informed that there was no other tribe around where my grandfather came from. I claim through my mother and her father. He came from Halifax Co., Va. His name was John Payne.

George W. Payne

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July, 1908 at Asheville, N. C.

*Shack Bradley*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner,  
U. S. Court of Claims

*Repeat  
all  
negro.*

Appl. #38405

George W. Payne being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is George W. Payne. I claim Indian blood through my mother. I really don't know what tribe. When my mother told me she did not say what tribe. She said that her father was half Indian and her grandfather was a full Indian. My mother's mother was a white woman. I could not swear as to the tribe. I was born in 1838 in Rutherford Co., N. C. I never was a slave. My grandmother was a white woman, so my mother was a free woman, and therefore I was born free, according to the laws of N. C. and the laws of U. S. I filed an application here because I have been informed that there was no other tribe around where my grandfather came from. I claim through my mother and her father. He came from Halifax Co., Va. His name was Joshua Payne.

George W. Payne

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July, 1908 at Asheville, N. C.

Chas H Bradley  
Ass't to Special Commissioner,  
U. S. Court of Claims

*Reyes et  
al*

*Reyes.*

No 38406-56

Action: Reject

Name Wm A Brown

and \_\_\_\_\_ children.

Residence: Kansas City, Mo.

Reasons: a son of #56 and claims through same source. Reject for same reason as #56. This applicant is also included in supplement to #56.

No. 38406  
Name. Wm. A. Brown.  
With No. 56.

Remarks:

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No. 38406

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Am* *a 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 19, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. AUG 27 1907  
No.

38406

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*William A. Brown*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Kansas City*

3. County:

*Jackson*

4. State:

*Missouri*

5. How old are you?

*21*

Born

*July 25 - 1885*

6. Where were you born?

*Little Rock - Ark*

7. Are you married?

*No.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Cherokee*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<i>This young man says he has</i>		
(2)	<i>no children.</i>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Frank J. Brown*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Annie B. Brown*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Annie J. Dayton*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Prepda Miss*

Mother:

*Washington D.C.*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *was not born in 1851*

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: *Chelsea Ind. Ter. 1891*

*Cherokee Nation*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<del>John</del>	<i>at Little Rock Ark</i>	
	<i>Lollie or Laurel J. Brown</i>		<i>age 20</i>
(2)	<i>Flannet L. Brown</i>	<i>Little Rock Ark</i>	
		<i>Age 17</i>	
(3)	<i>Reulah B. Brown</i>	<i>" " "</i>	
		<i>Age 14</i>	
(4)	<i>Eugenia D. Brown</i>	<i>Chelsea Ind.</i>	
		<i>Age 5</i>	
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>A. S. Brown</i>	<i>Byron Bogutou</i>
<i>Jannette P. Brown</i>	<i>Laura A. Pritchard</i>

18. Where were they born? *Grandmother was born in Georgia*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *and living in Ind. Ter.*

*Cherokee Nation in 1851*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes at Chelsoad. Cherokee Nation

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My grandmother was the daughter of Austin Rider & Mary Rider.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William A. Brown.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires May 27<sup>th</sup> 1911, 1907.

Jennie L. Gain  
Notary Public.  
Within and for the County of Jackson State of Missouri.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me N. B. Dammberg  
and Jos. R. Sequichie, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William A. Brown who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

N. B. Dammberg  
Jos. R. Sequichie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

My commission expires Oct 11, 1907.

R. C. 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.

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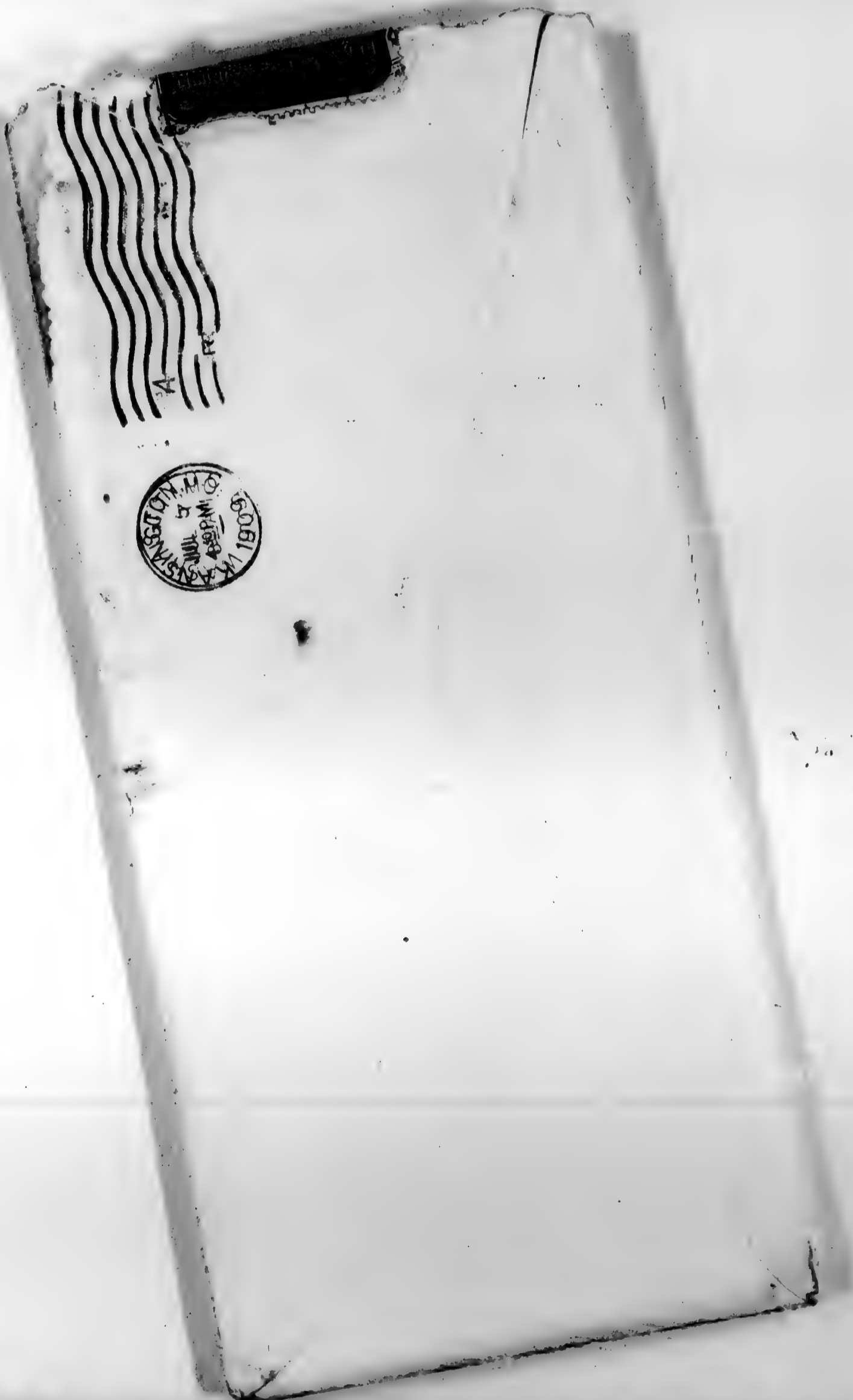
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Wm. A. Brown*  
*Kansas City, Mo.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 28406, 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.

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>9/21</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. 38416, 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.~~

ALTO S V S N C MON MILLER,  
Special Commissioner.

No. 21407

Action: Reich.

Name Walter H. Smith and 2 children. Residence: Beard, Va.

Reasons:

in case.



No. 38407-11.

Name.....

With No. Eph. Rizanore.

Remarks:

Margaret E. Tackett

Leupa "

Louisa "

Henry J. "

Louella Coggins.

No. 38407

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Margaret Elizabeth Puckett*  
*& 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.  
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No.

38407

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouzay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Margrett S Puckett

Indian name: unpuckett

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 46 Born 1860

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett county Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Harris J Puckett

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)	Laurie Puckett	25	1882
(2)	Tempa S Puckett	21	1885
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Sexton W Bailey

Indian name: unpuckett

Mother—English name: Tempa Bailey

Indian name: in H

Maiden name: Tempa Sizemore

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gwinnett county Ga

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Guinnett County Ga  
Mother: 111 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1872  
Mother: 1111 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:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<sup>1/2 brother</sup> Andy B Sizemore	1857	Dead
(2)	Ephraim W Bailey	1865	111
(3)	Malissie J Bailey	1862	1111
(4)	Milliam W Bailey	20 20 1867	Buford Ga
(5)	Minopie J Bailey	7-15-1869	Buford 11
(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.
Ephraim Sizemore	
J. unknown	
Jabitha Sizemore	
or	Mitchell in of C

18. Where were they born? Grand Father in Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in 111

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jane Sizemore	Dead
(2)	Good or Jabitha Sizemore	
(3)	Tempd Bailey	11111
(4)	Wm Sizemore	1111
(5)	Margaret Sizemore	1111
(6)	Wmlyh	1111
	Thomas Sizemore	111 in all 111
	Minnie Stacy	
	Fanna Sizemore	111
	Mitchell - Athens Ga	111

21. 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: Margrett & Puckett daughter of Terapa Sizemore, ~~she~~ the daughter of Ephraim Sizemore Henry or Tal his father  
REMARKS. Acherapee

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Margrett Puckett Acherapee through the Sizemore descent and the names of the Sizemore or on the Cherapce Rolls of 1835 or 1846.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Margret E. Puckett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August 1907.

N. Robinson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 23, 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 Andrew J. Pirkle  
and H. E. Hays, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Margrett & Puckett 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark: W. A. Halbrook Signatures of Witnesses: H. E. Hays  
A. J. Pirkle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires January 23, 1911.

N. Robinson  
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. 38425

Action: *Object*

Name: *Mike Pickett* and children. Residence: *Buford Ga.*

Reasons:

*Income tax*

No. 38408

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Tempa Puckett*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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CHIEF OF BUREAU
EASTERN CHEROKEES
FILED AUGUST 1907
No.

38408

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'ray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Tempa Puckett

Indian name: unpnown

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 21 Born 8-30-1881

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett county Ga

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: no

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? 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: Harris J. Puckett

Indian name: unpnown

Mother—English name: Margrett Bailey

Indian name: unpnown

Maiden name: Margrett Bailey

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gwinnett county Ga

Mother: .....



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Guinnett County 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: Cherokee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Quincy Puckett</u>	<u>8-5-1882</u>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Sutton J Bailey</u>	
<u>Tempa Sizemore</u>	
<u>nee Bailey</u>	

18. Where were they born? Guinnett County Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Aprain W Bailey</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Malittle J</u>	<u>    </u>
(3)	<u>William W</u>	<u>Buford Ga</u>
(4)	<u>Miriam J</u>	<u>    </u>
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no 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: Tempa Puckett Daughter of Margaret Bailey she daughter of Abraham Sizemore he son of Henry or Tal Sizemore

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Tempa Puckett acherapee through the descent of the Bailey and Sizemore Families and this names are on title of the Cherapee Roll

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Tempa Puckett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August 1907.

W. D. Robinson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 23, 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 Andrew J Purple  
and H. D. Hays, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Tempa Puckett 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. D. Hays  
A. J. Purple

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of January, 1907.

My commission expires

January 23, 1911.

W. D. Robinson  
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. 38409

Action: *Evict.*

Name: *William Whit* and children. Residence: *Swine*

Reasons:

*Eviction case.*

38409

No. 38409

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Lucas Pickett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
FILED MAY 27 1907
No.

38409

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Quincy Puckett

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Barford

3. County: Guinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 25 Born 1882

6. Where were you born? Guinnett

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: oo

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: Harris J Puckett

Indian name: not k

Mother—English name: Margrett 1111

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Margrett Bailey

12. Where were they born?

Father: Guinnett County Ga

Mother: 1111 1111 11

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett County 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: have not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Tempa Pucket</u>	<u>8-30-1883</u>	<u>Buford Ga</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Sector J Bailey</u>	
<del>Caroline</del>	
<u>Tempa Sizemore or Bailey</u>	

18. Where were they born? in Gwinnett county Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gwinnett co "

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Sprains W Bailey</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Malibee J</u>	<u>    </u>
(3)	<u>William W</u>	<u>    Buford Ga</u> <u>   </u>
(4)	<u>Minnie J</u>	<u>   </u> <u>    </u> <u>"</u>
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: same as at

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Lewis Bickett

Daughter of Margaret Bailey daughter of Ephraim  
Sizemore the son of Henry or Tal Sizemore  
REMARKS. Acherakee

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Lewis Bickett Acherakee through the Decent  
of the Bailey and Sizemore families and  
their names are on some of the Acherakee  
Rolls

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lewis Bickett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August 1907.

W. D. Robinson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 23, 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 Andrew J. Pirkle

and H. E. Hays, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lewis Bickett

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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. E. Hays  
A. J. Pirkle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

January 23, 1911.

W. D. Robinson  
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. 314/11

Action: *Review*

Name: *James P. Smith* and *1* children. Residence: *305 E. 2nd*

Reasons:

*See memo*

314/11



No. 38410

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Henry Isaac Puckett  
and 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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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
AUG 27 1907  
No.

0178E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 S. Puckett

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Barford

3. County: Guinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 26 Born 10-23-1881

6. Where were you born? Guinnett County Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mania age 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Gene Pucket</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1-28-1903</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 Puckett

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Mesta Puckett

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Mesta Johnson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Guinnett County Ga

Mother: 111 111 11

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gunnitt County, Ga

Mother: ||||| ||||| ||

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Died 1884

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not known

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sallie Ganney	11-22-1877	Buford, Ga
	Joellas Caggin	10-29-1879	" "
(2)	Stel Puckett	5-1-1884	" "
(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
Eliaz Puckett	Abraham Sizemore
Pallian Puckett	Jabitha Mitchell
nee Sizemore	

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Elizabeth Puckett	Ala
(2)	Georgiana	" "
(3)	J. B. Puckett	Buford Ga
(4)	Mary	" "
(5)	Saul	" "
(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: Henry J. Puckett son  
of 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: Henry J. Puckett  
son of Ballian Sizemore daughter  
of Ephraim Sizemore he son of Henry  
at Tal Sizemore

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Henry J. Puckett acherapee through  
the Sizemore family they are  
on some of the Cherapee Balls

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Henry J. Puckett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept, 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 Andrew J. Pirkle  
and S. J. Puckett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Henry J. Puckett  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

[Signature]  
[Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Sept, 1910.

[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. 38411

Action: Report

Name: James M. ... and ... children.

Residence: ...

Reasons:

...

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No. 38411

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

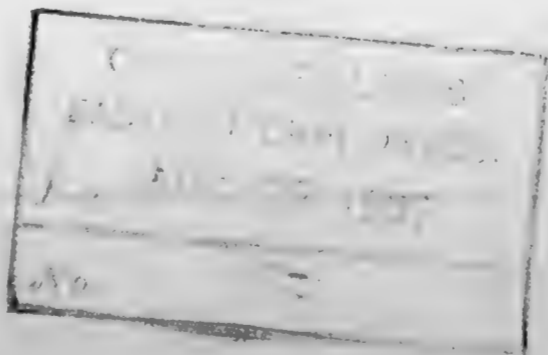
APPLICATION

OF

*Soellan Higgins*  
*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.

6-624



38411

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Laellar Coggins

Indian name: Wat Kwanan

2. Residence and post office: Ruford

3. County: Guinnett County

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 28 Born 10-18-1879

6. Where were you born? Guinnett County Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Coggins age 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)	<u>Leslie Bell</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>7-18-1903</u>
(2)	<u>James Arthur</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3-14-1905</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Snickett

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Mesta Snickett

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Mesta Johnson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Guinnett County, Ga

Mother: ||||| ||||| ||

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett County Ga  
Mother: 111 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living  
Mother: Died 1884

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none met

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sallie Young nee Puckett	11-22-1877	Rosford Ga
(2)	Henry S Puckett	10-23-1881	Rosford Ga
(3)	Etzel Puckett	5-1-1884	111 11
(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.
Lias Puckett	Appron Sizemore
Gallias Puckett	Fabittia Mitchell
Wes Sizemore	

18. Where were they born? Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gwinnett Co. Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Elizabeth Puckett	Rosford Ga	all
(2)	Georgia	111	Alabama
(3)	J. S. Puckett		Rosford Ga
(4)	Mary L. Puckett	1111	111
(5)	Sarah	1111	111
(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: Goeller Coggin's daughter  
of James Prescott Pallian's daughter  
she a daughter of Ephram's daughter  
the son of Tal or Henry

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Goeller's daughter Coggin's daughter through  
the Coggin family this name  
on the Roll up to 1835-1838

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Joseph Coggin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept

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 Andrew J. Pirkle  
and S. J. Prescott, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Goeller Coggin  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known she for 10 years and  
12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. J. Prescott  
A. J. Pirkle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept

1910.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 96412

Action: Rejected

Name *Alon Bagby* and *no* children. Residence: *Russford Ga*

Reasons:

*Brother of 96504. Claims the same source*

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No. 3842.  
Name Mrs Bagby  
With No. 36804 f

Remarks:

*one*  
No. 38412

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

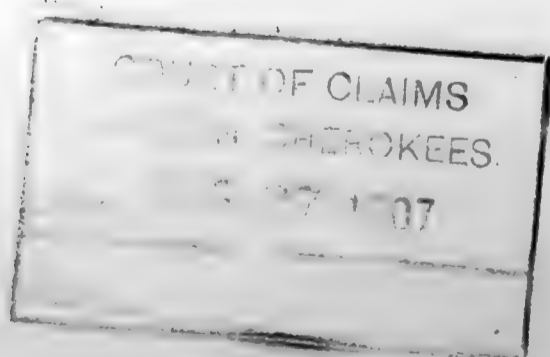
APPLICATION

OF

*Worce Bagby*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



*38412*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Woon Bagby

Indian name: dout

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: 27 Guinnett county

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 27 Born 1-15-1881

6. Where were you born? Guinnett county Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lillie age 19

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: Berry, C. Bagby 36508

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Margret

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Margrett Pugh

12. Where were they born?

Father: Guinnett county Ga

Mother: '' '' '' '' '' ''

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett county Ga  
 Mother: 1111 1111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Linny  
 Mother: 1111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mus nat

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lepton Bagby	12-24-1883	Buford Ga
(2)	William T. Bagby	11-16-1885	1111
	Early Bill	11-5-1889	1111
(3)	Berry Hunter	11-8-1890	1111
	Collie Bagby	12-8-1893	1111
(4)	Mylee	11-1-1896	1111
	Carry Odell	11-6-1897	
(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.
	Benjamin M. Bagby	
	Sallie M. 1111	
	or Sallie Fincher	

18. Where were they born? father in SC mother in Hank co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gwinnett co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Wancy Seals	12-26-1841	Buford Ga
(2)	ne Bagby		
(3)	Marius W. Strickland	2-15-1844	11 11
(4)	Elias F. Bagby	8-30-1846	11 11
(5)	Samson J. 1111	10-14-1849	11 11
(6)	William T. 1111	10-14-1849	plains by name Ga
	Maryan Barber	4-8-1852	Deer
	Manerva L. Pirkle	1-13-1858	Buford Ga
	August S. Bean	9-14-1860	1111

21. 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 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: Woon Bayby son of Perry Le Bayby and Sallie W Finches the daughter alias Finches the son of Elisabet, maid.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Woonnam Bayby acherake through the descent of the words and Finches of W. L. and the names are same as the Cherake Balls

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Woon Bayby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Aug., 1907.

J. Blackwood  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sep, 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 Miner L. Shadburn and J. M. Sewell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Woon Bayby who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Miner L. Shadburn  
J. M. Sewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

Aug., 1910. J. Blackwood  
Notary Public.

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No. 38413

Action: Rejected

Name John M. Sizemore and 2 children. Residence: Northfork, W. Va.

Reasons: Sizemore Case



No. 38413 and 38414

Name John & Maryan Sigmore

With No. "B"

Remarks :

No. 38413

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

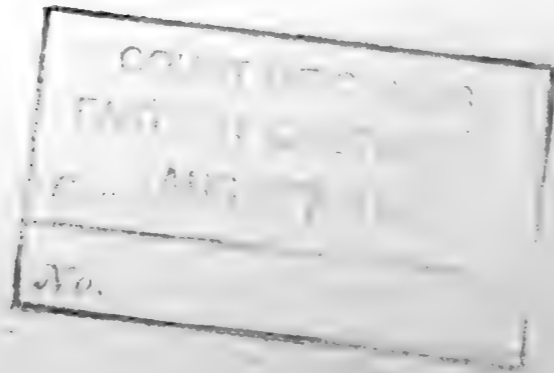
APPLICATION

OF

*John Mairon Sizemore*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



38413

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. 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: John Marion Sizemore  
Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Northfork

3. County: Meadowell

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 43 Born 1864

6. Where were you born? Wyoming Co. N. Va.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 25 years Maryann Sizemore #38414

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>Charly Sizemore</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>
(2)	<u>Edward Sizemore</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>
(3)	<u>Idia Sizemore</u>	<u>6 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: Owen Sizemore  
Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Mary Sizemore  
Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Mary Lambert

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ash county North Carolina

Mother: Bland county Virginia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wyoming county, West Virginia

Mother: Wyoming county West Virginia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 11. of April 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>George Sizemore</u>	<u>1847</u>	<u>1898</u>
(2)	<u>Oney Sizemore</u> <u>Wyoming co. W. Va.</u>	<u>1849</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>Reaney Sizemore</u> <u>Knova co. W. Va.</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Mary Jane Sizemore</u>	<u>1866</u>	<u>1888</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>George Sizemore</u>	<u>Rosana Hopkin</u>
<u>unknown</u>	<u>unknown</u>
<u>Garit Lambert</u>	<u>Finny Baldwin</u>
<u>unknown</u>	<u>unknown</u>

18. Where were they born? W. Va. Bland co. W. Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wyoming county West Virginia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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- (1) Owen Sizemore Herom Lambert
- (2) Ched Sizemore Phillip Lambert
- (3) Marion Sizemore Garit Lambert
- (4) Franklin Sizemore Joseph Lambert
- (5) Joseph Sizemore Sallie Lambert
- (6) Johnson Sizemore Lizzy Lambert
- Oney Sizemore
- Les Sizemore
- Betty Sizemore
- Reaney Sizemore
- Finny Sizemore

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

George Sizemore, letter in Wyoming town in 1836 from Wash Co. Ark  
Garret Lambert Lived Bland Co Va in 1836 was Bon Blanco wa

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Sed Sizemore a Cherokee Indian his son  
George Sizemore was my grandfather & his son  
Owen Sizemore was my father

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John Marion Sizemore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug 1907

J. H. Belcher

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 Byrd Lockard

and W. M. Workman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with John Marion Sizemore

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 23 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Byrd Lockard

W. M. Workman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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J. H. Belcher

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*John M. Lingenore  
Northfork, W. Va.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 38412, 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. 38414

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *William Sizimors* and *4* children.

Residence: *Northfork, W. Va.*

Reasons:

*Sizimors Case*

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No. 38414

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Maryann Sizemore*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Marryann Sizemore*

Indian name: *unknown*

2. Residence and post office: *Northfork*

3. County: *Putnam*

4. State: *West Virginia*

5. How old are you? *25* Born *1882*

6. Where were you born? *Wyoming county West Va*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *H. B. John Marion Sizemore* \*38413

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>Walter Sizemore</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1895</i>
(2)	<i>Levie Sizemore</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1899</i>
(3)	<i>Charley Sizemore</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1903</i>
(4)	<i>Edward Sizemore</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1905</i>
(5)	<i>Jedia Sizemore</i>	<i>6 months</i>	<i>1907</i>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *John Marion Sizemore*

Indian name: *unknown*

Mother—English name: *Milley Sizemore*

Indian name: *unknown*

Maiden name: *Milley Green*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Wyoming Co. N. Va*

Mother: *Wyoming Co. N. Va*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wyoming county West Va

Mother: Wyoming county West Va

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Marion Sizemore  
died 1890

Mother: Miller Sizemore  
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:

Born  
 Ed Sizemore 1879. Living  
 Harit Sizemore 1881. Living

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Larise Sizemore	1867	Living
	<del>Jincy Sizemore</del>		
(2)	Jincy Sizemore	1869	Living
	Wyoming to W Va		
(3)	Frank Sizemore	1871	Living
	Wyoming to W Va		
(4)	Ike Sizemore	1873	Living
	Wyoming to W Va		
(5)	Owen Sizemore	1875	Living
	<del>Poley Sizemore</del>		
(6)	Poley Sizemore	1877	Living
	Wyoming to W Va		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

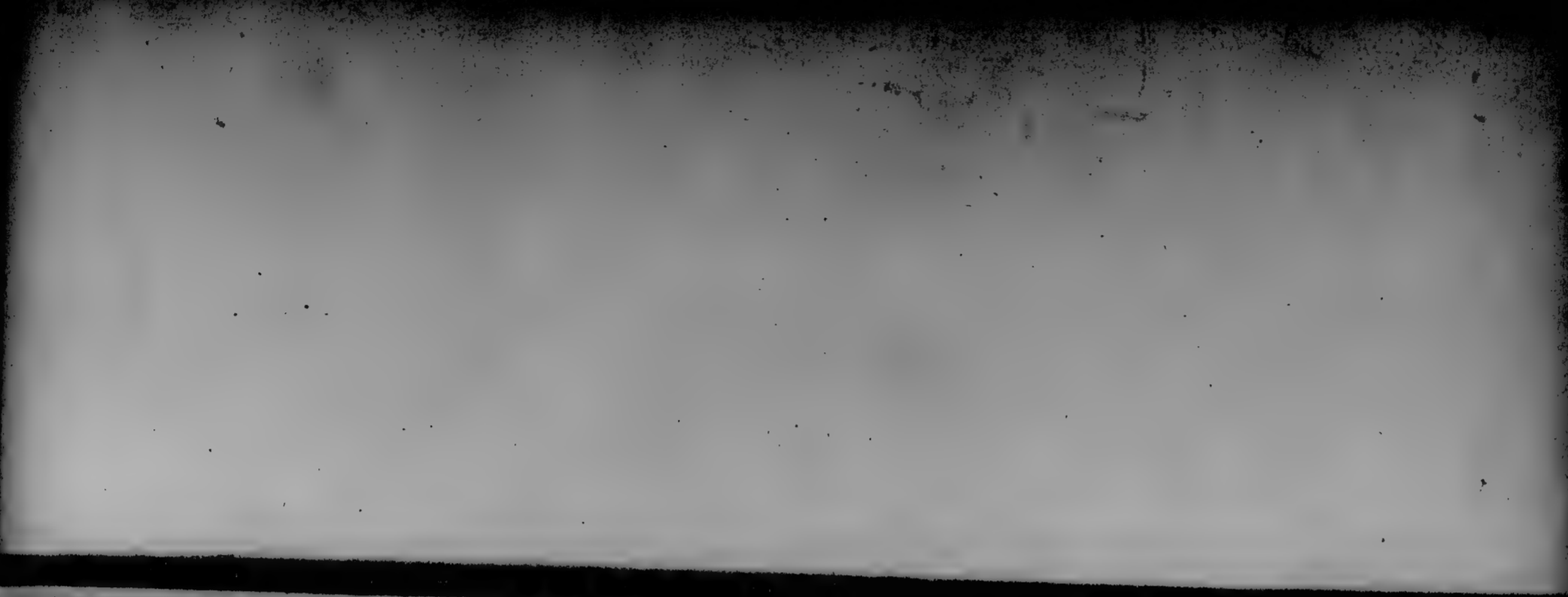
FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
George Sizemore	Poley Green
unknown	unknown
Jincy Baldwin	unknown
unknown	X

18. Where were they born? W Va to W Va

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Owen Sizemore Medley Green
- (2) Ed Sizemore Jane Green
- (3) Marion Sizemore Lilbidge Green
- (4) Franklin Sizemore Ja. Brouge Green
- (5) Joseph Sizemore
- (6) Solomon Sizemore
- Erney Sizemore
- Les Sizemore
- Billy Sizemore
- Rerley Sizemore
- Jincy Sizemore



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Ned Libmore 1879. Living  
Harit Libmore 1881. Living

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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:

George Sizemore, settle in Wyoming to Wawa in 1836  
Paley Green Lived in Wyoming to Wawa in 1836

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Red Sizemore was a Cherokee Indian his son  
George Sizemore was my grandfather his son  
Marion Sizemore was my father.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Maryann Sizemore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug 1907.

J. H. Belcher  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Byrd Lockard  
and Wm Workman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Maryann Sizemore  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 23 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Byrd Lockard  
Wm Workman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

J. H. Belcher  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



*Returned*

~~Mary Ann Sizemore,~~

~~Northfork,~~

~~Algonna W. Va.~~



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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

*Mary Ann Sizemore,  
Northfork W. Va.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 35414, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



No. 38415

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Shepard H. Thompson* and *1* children. Residence: *Kilgou, Texas.*

Reasons:

*applicants grandparents were slaves.*

*See letter herein.*

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No. 38415

By:

Name Shepard H. Thompson

With No. ....

Remarks:

Not Listed

Do not find name of  
ancestors on rolls.

Rejected

name shown &  
was not living at  
when in Cherokee County  
in '34 5.

(See letter book)

No. 38415

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

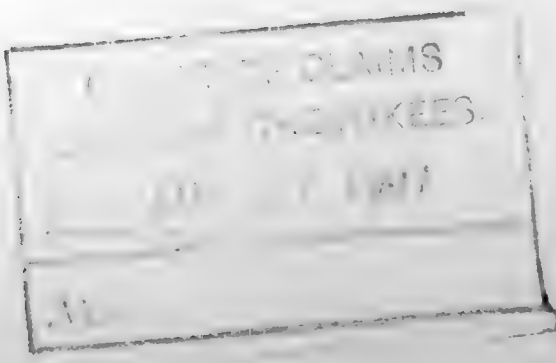
APPLICATION

OF

*Shepard H. 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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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sheppard Harrison Thompson

Indian name: Have none

2. Residence and post office: Kilgore

3. County: Gregg

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 49 Born June 12<sup>th</sup> 1858

6. Where were you born? Rusk County Texas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ida Thompson 45 years Old

9. To what tribe of Indians does  or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Devonah Thompson</u>	<u>25 years</u>	<u>Nov-24<sup>th</sup> 1881</u>
(2)	<u>Gertrude Thompson</u>	<u>24 years</u>	<u>August 24 1883</u>
(3)	<u>Stacy Thompson</u>	<u>22 years</u>	<u>Sept 4 1880</u>
(4)	<u>Travis Thompson</u>	<u>19 y<sup>s</sup></u>	<u>April 11<sup>th</sup> 1888</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Leash Thompson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Sarah Thompson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sara Samples

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wass County Georgia

Mother: Alabama

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Rusk County Texas

Mother: Rusk County Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: November 7<sup>th</sup> 1901

Mother: May 6<sup>th</sup> 1892

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Father was enrolled, but don't know dates, nor at what place, Eastern Cherokee tribe

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sam Thompson</u>	<u>Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1855</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>May Ann Thompson</u>	<u>in 1860</u>	<u>1865</u>
(3)	<u>Laura Thompson</u>	<u>in 1862</u>	<u>Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1902</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>Simon Thompson</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
<u>May Thompson</u>	

18. Where were they born? Waco County Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Rusk County Texas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Charlotte Thompson</u>	<u>Sheppard Thompson</u>
(2)	<u>Leah</u>	<u>Hansain Thompson</u>
(3)	<u>Sivia</u>	<u>Julia Thompson</u>
(4)	<u>Polly</u>	
(5)	<u>Deanna</u>	<u>All five in Texas</u>
(6)	<u>Carmi</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: Cherokee Roll 1890 or 1892

filed by F.B. Martin of R.C. Richards as agent

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grand Parents  
and Mary Thompson (Mother) Cash Thompson  
(Mother) Sarah Thompson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grand Parents moved from old Nation  
in 1835 lived Cherokee Nation in Salina District  
Moved to Texas 1848

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Shepard H. Thompson)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

R.F. Osborn J.P. and Ex officio  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me R.C. Richards

and G.A. Erwin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that ~~they~~ <sup>they</sup> are well acquainted with Shepard H. Thompson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

40 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by 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.C. Richards

G.A. Erwin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

190 R.F. Osborn J.P. and Ex officio  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Appl. #38415

May 22, 1908.

Shepard L. Thompson,  
Kilgore, Texas.

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?

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,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,**

**EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 22, 1908.

Shepard L. Thompson,  
Wilgore, Texas.

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?

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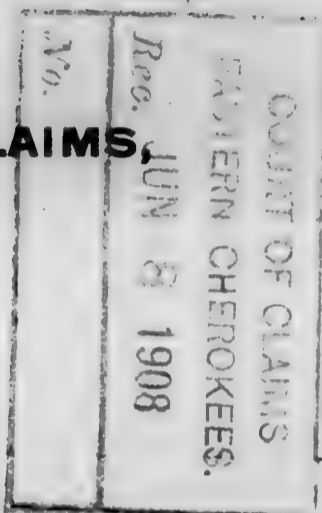
If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,



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Appl. #38415

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**



May 22, 1908.

Shepard H. Thompson,  
Milgore, Texas.

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?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1854-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1854-55?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

*Guion Miller,*  
Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

Kilgore, Texas June 1<sup>st</sup> 1908

Mr Quion Miller.

Sir. - In answer to your inquiry will say that my grand parents and also my father resided with the Cherokee tribe, first in Georgia and then in the Cherokee nation (in Ark) from about 1820 to 1848.

My grandmother and indian squaw stayed with some mixed blood white-Indian people, and having married a mixed indian-negro, was recognized as negro, but was not treated as a slave. My parents were, and I am recognized as negro.

My grand parents and parents had moved to Texas in 1851, but the reason they were not enrolled in # 1851 I dont know.

They moved to from Georgia to Ark about 1834 or 1835.

My grand parents were slaves of mixed blood white and Indians

Yours Respectfully

R.F.H. # 2 Box 38.

Shepard H. Thompson.

No. 38416

Action: *Repet.*

Name: *Mary Effelia Floyd* and *4* children. Residence: *Daugburn, Ark.*

Reasons:

*Sister to Anna M. Droke (36015)*

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No. 38416-18

Name

With No. 36015

Remarks:

Offia Lloyd  
Anna Gray  
Alice Thompson  
Anna Stewart

*no*

No. 38416

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Uffia Floyd*

For share of money appropriated for the 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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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES MAY 27 1906 No.
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*38416*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Mary Appelia Floyd  
 English name: Mary Appelia Stewart  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Pangburn
3. County: White
4. State: Arkansas
5. How old are you? 28 years Born Aug 16th 1879
6. Where were you born? Clifton Ark
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: W. D. Floyd, age 38 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Helen Viola Floyd</u>	<u>11 years</u>	<u>Nov 17th 1895</u>
(2)	<u>Louis Earle Floyd</u>	<u>6 "</u>	<u>Nov 20th 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Alie May Floyd</u>	<u>3 "</u>	<u>Oct 26th 1903</u>
(4)	<u>William Odun Floyd</u>	<u>1 "</u>	<u>April 10th 1904</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James Bird Stewart  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Frances Arkansas Stewart  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maiden name: Frances Arkansas Stewart

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother: Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: West Tennessee

Mother: Was not borned till 1854

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 8th 1888

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: Never enrolled for any claims

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Walter Stewart</u> <u>Paughburn, Ark.</u>	<u>April 8th 1872</u>	
(2)	<u>Anna Drake</u> <u>Paughburn, Ark.</u>	<u>Jan 23th 1874</u>	<u>Dec 15</u>
(3)	<u>Frank Stewart</u> <u>Paughburn, Ark.</u>	<u>Feb 20th 1877</u>	<u>33</u>
(4)	<u>Arthur Stewart</u> <u>Paughburn, Ark.</u>	<u>Jan 19th 1882</u>	
(5)	<u>Wm Gray</u> <u>Paughburn, Ark.</u>	<u>Jan 27th 1884</u>	
(6)	<u>Alice Stewart</u> <u>Paughburn, Ark.</u>	<u>April 11th 1886</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 Stewart</u>	<u>Malisa Cook</u>
<u>Wesley Thomas</u>	<u>Jane Post</u>

18. Where were they born? West Tennessee & Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? West Tennessee & Alabama

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Harrell Stewart</u>	<u>Francie Thomas</u>
(2)	<u>Hannah Stewart</u>	<u>Anna Thomas</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Stewart</u>	<u>Mary Thomas</u>
(4)	<u>John Stewart</u>	<u>Jane Thomas</u>
(5)	<u>Janice Stewart</u>	<u>Ridna Thomas</u>
(6)	<u>James Lind Stewart</u>	<u>Eda Thomas</u>
		<u>Lura Thomas</u>
		<u>Leba Thomas</u>
		<u>Dora Thomas</u>
		<u>Cal Thomas</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 Never for any claims

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I can not state any further back than 1851

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have been taught all of my life that some part Cherokee Indian. I feel sure that I have a interest there

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Offlis Floyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

W. B. Ellis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 4. 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. S. Holland M.D.

and J. A. Pangburn, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Offlis Floyd

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 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 their claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Holland M.D.

J. A. Pangburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 4. 1910

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 4 1908

No.

No 38414 Group #36015.

FDR

Pangburn Po White, Co., Ark. May 30th 1908  
Mr. Union Miller

Special Commissioner  
Dear Sir your inquiry at hand &  
sentence voted. My son William O -  
Floyd, was Bond. Aprial the 11th 1900  
I have no children Dead all my children  
is living 3 Girls and one Boy  
Yours Truly Mary C. Floyd

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 38416

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JAN 22 1909

36015-

Panigburn Ask  
Special Commissioner of the Dept  
of Claims

Eastern Cherokee Enrollment  
601 Murray Building

Washington, D.C.  
In Reply to your letter of  
the 9/11/07

concerning 1038416  
Will you kindly use, in  
my first letter in relation  
my wife's claims what has  
been done or what do you  
think in her part of the  
matter truly

W.V. Floyd  
Richard P. Floyd  
address. Panigburn  
Officia Floyd Ask

No. 38417 Action: Reject  
Name Ora Gray and 2 children. Residence: Pengburn Ark.

Reasons:

Sister to Anna D. Drake (\$6010')

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No. 38417

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ala 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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38417

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

*Ora Gray.*

English name:

*Ora Stewart*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Pangburn.*

3. County:

*White.*

4. State:

*Arkansas.*

5. How old are you?

*22 years*

Born

*Jan 7, 1884.*

6. Where were you born?

*Osborne Co. Arkansas.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband:

*Will Gray, age 27.*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he ~~or she~~ belong?

*Eastern Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Alta Gray.</i>	<i>16 months.</i>	<i>1902.</i>
(2)	<i>Agnes Gray.</i>	<i>1 day.</i>	<i>1904.</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*James Bird Stewart*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Francis Arkansas Stewart*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Francis Arkansas Thomas*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*West Tennessee*

Mother:

*Arkansas*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: West Tennessee

Mother: Not Borne until 1854

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 8th 1888

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: Never in Role of Government

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Walter Stewart	April 8th 1872	
	Neber Ark		
(2)	Wm. Drake	Jan 23th 1874	
	Pangburn Ark		
(3)	Frank Stewart	Feb 20th 1877	
	Pangburn Ark		
(4)	Opelia Floyd	Aug 16th 1879	
	Pangburn Ark		
(5)	Esther Stewart	Jan 19th 1882	
	Pangburn Ark		
(6)	Alice Norman	April 1st 1886	
	Pangburn Ark		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Demuel Stewart Melina Cook

Woodley Thomas Jane Post

18. Where were they born? West Tenn & North Carolina & Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? West Tenn & Alabama

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Carroll Stewart	Francis Thomas
(2)	Kate Stewart	Carrie Thomas
(3)	Mary Stewart	Mary Thomas
(4)	Martha Stewart	Van Thomas
(5)	Louise Stewart	Sidney Thomas
(6)	Louise Bird Stewart	Oda Thomas
		Lura Thomas
		Sheba Thomas
		Lora Thomas
		Ada Thomas



21. 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 for any claims

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I can not state any further back than 1851

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have been taught all my life that I am a Cherokee Indian and that I have a interest there

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Ara Gray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

W. B. Ellis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 4, 1910, 190.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. G. Holland M.D.

and J. A. Pamburn, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ara Gray

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years and

12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. G. Holland M.D.

J. A. Pamburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 4, 1910, 190 W. B. 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. 38418 Action: Reject  
Name Alice Norman and 1 children. Residence Payburn, Ark.  
Reasons:

Sister to Emma D. Drake (36018) and claims  
from the same source.

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No. 38418

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

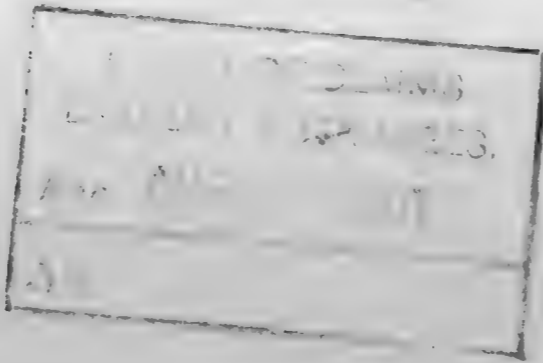
APPLICATION

OF

*Alice Norman*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



38418

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Alice Norman  
 English name: Alice Stewart  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Langhams
3. County: White
4. State: Arkansas
5. How old are you? 20 years old Born April 4, 1886
6. Where were you born? Dehus, Co. Arkansas
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: Ola Norman age 24
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>Clarence Norman</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>Feb 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: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: James Bird Stewart

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Francis Arkansas Stewart

Maiden name: Stewart

12. Where were they born?

Father: White, Tennessee

Mother: in Gasco, Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in West Tenn.

Mother: was not born until 1854

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died Dec. 8. 1888

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)	Walter Stewart	April 8 1872	
	Lynchburg, Ark.		
(2)	Anna Drake	Jan 23 1874	
	Pangburn, Ark.		
(3)	Emma Stewart	Feb 21 1877	
	Pangburn, Ark.		
(4)	Alvina Stewart	Aug 16 1879	
	Pangburn, Ark.		
(5)	Arthur Stewart	Jan 19 1882	
	Pangburn, Ark.		
(6)	Ada Gray	Jan 27 1884	
	Pangburn, Ark.		

17 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 Stewart	Woodlin Thomas
Martha Cook	married Jan Post
	Indian name

18. Where were they born? West Tenn. & C. Georgia & N. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? West Tenn. & Ark.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Harriet Stewart	Bernice Stewart
(2)	John Stewart	Samuel Thomas
(3)	Martha Stewart	Mary Thomas
(4)	Louis Stewart	Van Thomas
(5)	James Stewart	Sidnie Thomas
(6)		Ira Thomas
		Lura Thomas
		Shelby Thomas
		Lara Thomas
		Callie Thomas

21. 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 here

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: can not state any further back than 1851.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have been taught all my life that I was part Indian & feel sure that I have an interest there.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Alice Norman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

W. B. Ellis.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 4, 1910, 190.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. G. Holland M.D.

and J. A. Paryburn, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Alice Norman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 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 their claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. G. Holland M.D.

J. A. Paryburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 4 1910, 190.

W. B. Ellis

Notary Public.

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No. 38119-43581

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Clara M. Bennett* and *x* children. Residence: *Pickering, Kansas.*

Reasons:

*Dependent of #33215. Claimant  
in dependent's name.*

No. 38419.

Name Land J. Bennett

With No. 32245-

Remarks:



nephew of 33245-

No. 38419  
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Claud M 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 10, 1900, and May 20, 1900.

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W. H. Robinson  
6/17/88

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Johanna Ramech for Cloud Bennett.*

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.
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

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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Statement of John  
Bennett, Master of Claude  
M. Bennett in regard to  
Application for Citizenship  
with Eastern Chesapeake, whose  
Claims are now before the  
Special Committee on Claims  
at Washington D. C.

Application for party above  
mentioned to receive share in the  
division of funds, has been filled  
out according to plans set forth  
in printed Application and  
same forwarded to said  
party Claude M. Bennett, of

San Francisco California,  
for his signature before  
Notary. On account of delay  
which may work against  
said Application of  
Johnna Bennett, mother of  
said Applicant, hereby be-  
lieve his name may be  
considered for application  
and papers be forwarded  
by me immediately upon their  
arrival in this City which  
will not exceed three  
days. Respectfully

Mrs J R Bennett  
Herdida - Kansas  
August 26 1904

Augusta Kansas Aug 26 1907  
Hon W H Roberson Washington D C

My Dear Sir  
enclosed you will find a petition  
or statement of Mrs Johanna  
Bennett of Wichita, Kansas  
asking that her son Claude  
m Bennett be filed awaiting the  
The necessary application papers  
which will be duly forwarded  
to you just soon as received which  
will not be later than the 29 of this  
month if you can do anything  
for this party you will confer  
a great favor on the mother  
very truly yours

J M Harrison  
Augusta Kansas  
Butler co

No. 38420

Name Frank Stewart

Action: Repeal

Reasons:

and 3 children.

Residence: Fangburn, Ark.

Brother to Anna D. Drake (26015) and  
Clarius through the same lines.

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No. 38420  
Name Frank Steward  
With No. 36015

Remarks:

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No. 38420

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Frank 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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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. AUG 27 1907  
No.

38420

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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: Frank Stewart

2. Residence and post office: Dangburn

3. County: White

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 30 years old Born Feb. 20, 1877

6. Where were you born? in Cleburne Co. Ark.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Miss Minnie Stewart age 31

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? not to any at all

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Carrie Stewart</u>	<u>10 years</u>	<u>Jan 15, 1897</u>
(2)	<u>Edward Stewart</u>	<u>7. 11</u>	<u>Dec 27, 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Clencie Stewart</u>	<u>3. 11</u>	<u>1904</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: James Bird Stewart

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Francis Arkansas Stewart

Maiden name: Thomas

12. Where were they born?

Father: in West Tennessee

Mother: in Arkansas, Carl Co

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in west Tenn.

Mother: Born 1854

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died Dec. 8. 1888.

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: they never enrolled for any claims

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Walter Stewart</u> <u>Memphis</u>	<u>April 8 1872</u>	
(2)	<u>Anna Drake</u> <u>Pangburn Ark.</u>	<u>Jan 23. 1874</u>	
(3)	<u>Ophelia Stoyd</u> <u>Pangburn Ark.</u>	<u>Aug. 10. 1874</u>	
(4)	<u>Arthur Stewart</u> <u>Pangburn Ark.</u>	<u>Jan. 19. 1882</u>	
(5)	<u>Cora B. Say</u> <u>Pangburn Ark.</u>	<u>Jan 27. 1884</u>	
(6)	<u>Alice Norman</u> <u>Pangburn Ark.</u>	<u>April 4. 1880</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>Indian name Lemuel Stewart</u>	<u>Woodley, Elizabeth August</u>
<u>Walter Drake</u>	<u>married Jane Post</u>

18. Where were they born? W. Tenn. U.S. Georgia - U.S.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? W. Tenn. Alabama

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Harris Stewart</u>	<u>James Thomas</u>
(2)	<u>Anna Stewart</u>	<u>Carrie Thomas</u>
(3)	<u>Martha Stewart</u>	<u>Mary Thomas</u>
(4)	<u>Levin Stewart</u>	<u>Walter Thomas</u>
(5)	<u>James Stewart</u>	<u>Lillian Thomas</u>
(6)		<u>John Thomas</u>
		<u>Lucy Thomas</u>
		<u>Edna Thomas</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 never have for no claims.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: can not any further back than 1851.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

the only true proof I have is what my parents have always told me that I have a claim in the Indian rights.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Frank Stewart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

W. B. Ellis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec. 7, 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 H. Churchill  
and W. G. Holland M.D., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Frank Stewart who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and 14 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. Churchill  
W. G. Holland M.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Dec. 4, 1910, 1907.  
W. B. Ellis  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 14 1908

No. 38420

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MAR 14 1908

Danbury Ark

March the 10 1871

Will you please let me know  
what is done about my  
claim as application #38420

Frank Steward

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 11 1909

No. 38420

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JAN 11 1909



Pangburn Ark. Jan 7. 1909.

Mr Guion Miller  
Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims Appli-  
cation. No 38420. In regard  
to my claim I think it is  
time I am nowing something  
about it. if you please  
will you let me no when  
I will receive my share of  
the fund. as I am verry  
anxious to no please let  
no at once.

Frank Steward.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 26 1908  
No. 38420

36015

Nov 22 1904

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to the clerk of the <sup>court</sup> of the county  
Will you please report to me  
the proceedings of the court  
on application no. 38420  
and would be from the proceedings  
of the court of the third  
Monday in Oct

Yours truly

Frank Steward

App. No.38420.

November 26, 1909.

Frank Steward,  
Pangburn,  
Arkansas.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of November 22, 1909, you are advised that the exception you have filed in your case will be considered in its regular order, but it will probably be some time before the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 3 1910  
No. 38420

*enc. list*

Anna  
Drake

Poughkeepsie Clerk Feb 27. 1910

App no 38420

To the Clerk of the Court  
of the County of Dutchess I write in request  
of my sister Anna Drake  
she is now ill at this writing  
she ask me to write as she is  
now sick and not able to write  
if there could be information  
given us in regards to our  
claim arising from the  
last of Charles full settlement  
she wishes to know if it be  
possible a fact how long a time  
before it will be settled and  
the amount of funds there to be  
distributed

Truly yours Frank Howard

No. 38421.

Action: *Reject*

Name *James Gibson* and *1* children. Residence: *Farmington, W. D.*

Reasons:

*It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Applicant's grandmother was a slave. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.*

~~No. 38421~~

No. 38421

Name James Gibson

With No. 4 file

Remarks:

# 38422,  
grouped herewith.

Not on rolls.

Letter

July 14/08



No. 38421

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*James 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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*Jacob Stewart  
atty for  
applicant*

COPIES OF EASTERN CHEROKEES RE- AND ST 1107 No.
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*N. C.*

*1848E*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Gibson

Indian name: "Cherokee Indian"

2. Residence and post office: Farmington N.C., Farmington N.C.

3. County: Davie

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 73 years Born March 1858

6. Where were you born? Stokes Co. N.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sally Gibson 35-

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>Angeline Gibson</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Sept. 16-1891</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Colman Gibson

Indian name: None to my knowledge

Mother—English name: Angeline Gibson

Indian name: "Cherokee Indian"

Maiden name: Angeline Gibson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Stokes Co. N.C.

Mother: Stokes Co. N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Stokes Co. N. C.

Mother: Stokes Co. N. C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't know

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: No, not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Eliza Scott Winston, N. C.	Don't know	Living
(2)	Seymour Benton Don't know	" "	" "
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Gibson Name	Don't know
Samuel Gibson Name	Mary Gibson "Cherokee Indian"

18. Where were they born? all in Stokes Co. N. C. except mother's father - Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Stokes Co. N. C. except mother's father - Don't know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible.

Father's side,	(1) <del>James Gibson</del> Solom N. C.
	(2) Abner Gibson Wolkeham N. C.
	(3) Julia Gilman Greensboro N. C.
	(4) Rufus Gibson Don't know
Mother's side,	(5) <del>John Gibson</del> Died
	(6) Mary Golden Douberry N. C.
	Caroline Stewart Wolkeham Co. N. C.
	John 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: N

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Mother's Mother - Mandy Gibson was half Cherokee Indian. Lived in Carter Co. N.C.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Copper colored complexion - long hair - tight lips - prominent cheek bones & all the marks of Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James F. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug 1907.

E. E. Stump  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 5<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 Abraham Dulin  
and William Cuthers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Gibson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. E. Stump  
Jacob Stewart

Signatures of Witnesses.

William Cuthers  
Abraham Dulin

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 5, 1909

E. E. Stump  
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.

Appl. #38421

May 21, 1908.

James Gibson,  
Farmington, N. C.

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?

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,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

*Gibson*

*App. # 38421-*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 19 1908  
No.

*copy from 1908-1909*

Rockwell N.C.,  
June 8/1908  
Hon. Quin Miller  
Special Commissioner -  
Washington D.C.,

Dear Sir: -

In answer to your  
letter of enquiry of the 12th  
day of May 1908 and of file 38421  
will say that I do not know  
whether my parents or grandparents  
resided with the Cherokee tribe  
except they were Cherokee Indian  
and resided at or near Gumwater  
Stokes County N.C., & they were recog-  
nized as Indians on my father's  
side <sup>my father's side</sup> ~~side~~ <sup>side</sup>  
and I have been recognized as  
a colored man (negro) in the  
County in which I reside & have  
resided.

I do not know whether my grand-  
parents were enslaved or not, <sup>in 1857</sup>  
& my grandparents resided in  
Stokes County N.C., in 1834-5 -  
My grandfather was a slave of  
white paper & I do not know whether  
my grandfather was slave or not.

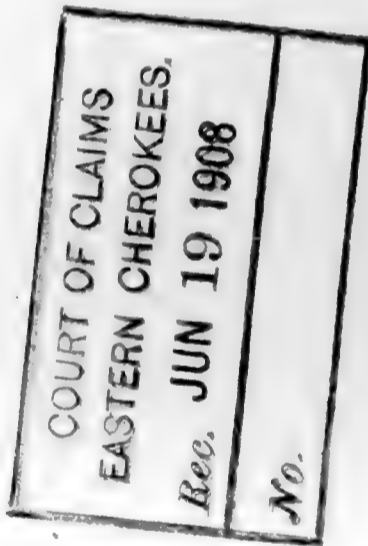
Subscribed and sworn to  
before me this 8<sup>th</sup>  
day of June 1908

J. B. <sup>his</sup> Gibson  
Mare

E. E. Strub  
Notary Public  
My Comm<sup>n</sup> expires June 5<sup>th</sup> 1909

Gibson

App. # 38421-





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# 38421.

. July 14th, 1908.

James Gibson,  
Farmington, N. C.

Sir:

On May 21st, 1908, a letter was sent you from this office requesting additional information in regard to your Eastern Cherokee claim. No reply has been received to that letter, and unless the additional information requested below is furnished, your claim must be rejected.

The additional information is:

1. Why were you, your parents or your grand-parents never enrolled?
2. Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?
3. Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846?
4. State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

by

P.S.T.-MSM.

No. 38422.

Action:.....

Name *Angelina Gibson* and ..... children. Residence:.....

Reasons:

38422

No. 38422

Name Gas Gibson

With No. 38421

Remarks:

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No. 38422

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*James Wilson &  
Angeline Wilson  
Chiefs*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

*Jacob Stewart  
atty for  
applicant  
Nashville  
T.C.*

No.

38422

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Angeline Gibson Gfomer*  
Indian name: *Chewer Gibson*

2. Residence and post office:

*Farmington, Farmington*

3. County:

*Davie*

4. State:

*North Carolina*

5. How old are you?

*16*

Born

*Sept 16 - 1891*

6. Where were you born?

*Davie Co. N.C.*

7. Are you married?

*No*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*None*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<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:

*Jesse Gibson*

Indian name:

*Chewer Indian*

Mother—English name:

*Sallie Gibson*

Indian name:

*None*

Maiden name:

*Sallie Long*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Davie Co. N.C.*

Mother:

*Yadkin N.C.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not known

Mother: Not known

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Calvin Gibson</u>	<u>Betty Long</u>
<u>None</u>	<u>None that knew of</u>
<u>Angeline Gibson</u>	<u>Frank Long</u>
<u>"Aheokha Indian"</u>	<u>Dunt Mow</u>

18. Where were they born? Mother side Yorkville W.Va, Father side in Stokes co W.Va

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mother side in Yorkville W.Va, & father side in Stokes W.Va

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Mother side	<u>Mattie Leathers</u>	<u>None</u>
(2)	<u>Ada Hendrix</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Rose Houston</u>	<u>Wachsville W.Va</u>
(4)	<u>James Long</u>	<u>Farmington W.Va</u>
(5)	<u>Lillie Long</u>	<u>Farmington W.Va</u>
Father side	<u>Clara Scott</u>	<u>Winston W.Va</u>
	<u>Synthia Benton</u>	<u>Dunt Mow</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 father Mutter & my mother - Mother was Cheyenne Indian descent - my father Mutter - my mother Gibson was half Cheyenne Indian in other words, never affiliated with any other tribe

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Tall of stature; Copper colored complexion - Long black hair - prominent cheek bones & the features of an Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Angeline Gibson  
(Signature of James & Dallis Gibson Parents)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

E. E. Sturck

Notary Public.

My commission expires June 5<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 Abraham Dulin  
and William C. Catheral, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Gibson & Dallis Gibson parents who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known them for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know them to be the identical persons they represents themselves to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. E. Sturck

Signatures of Witnesses.

Abraham Dulin  
William C. Catheral

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

E. E. Sturck

Notary Public.

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No. 38423.

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Ashery Frost* and *X* children. Residence: *Wochsville, U.C.*

Reasons:

*Applicant claims through his great grandfather who was a slave.*

*See letter herein.*

38423



No. 38423

Rej.

Name Alben Frost

With No. ....

Remarks:

Nos. 38424,

grouped together.

sent on rolls.

Rejected.

uncertain this when  
claim is made was a  
claim.

(see letter annex)

No. 38423

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ashery Frost.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jacob Slusark*

*atly.*  
*for Applicant*

*Wachsville N.C.*

REC. AUG 27 1907

38423 No.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Asbury Frost

Indian name: "Cherokee Indian"

2. Residence and post office: Wheeler, North Carolina

3. County: Davie

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? Fifty two Born about 1855

6. Where were you born? Davie

7. Are you married? No, wife dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None 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>John Frost</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>25-Dec-1879</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Frank Frost

Indian name: "Cherokee Indian"

Mother—English name: Elmina Frost

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Elmina Colon

12. Where were they born?

Father: Davie County, N.C.

Mother: Davie County, N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Swain Co. N.C.  
 Mother: Swain Co. N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1888  
 Mother: 1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No-

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Green Frost Farmingville	1840	Living
(2)	Lincoln Frost Troutman N.C.	1840	"
(3)	Elyse Frost Dead		Dead
(4)	Walter Frost Wachsville N.C.	1842	"
(5)	Rickard Frost Wachsville N.C.	Dead know	"
(6)	Ermy Frost Troutman N.C.	" know	"

+ Mary Frost - Dead -  
 Eliza Frost - Buried but her living  
 status is uncertain  
 Alice Frost -  
 Susan Frost -

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Tosny Holman	Easter Eaton
"Cherokee Indian"	Nour
May Frost	George Eaton
Cherokee Indian	Nour

18. Where were they born? Swain Co. N.C., except Watauga  
 Grandmother sent from as to Swain Co. N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Swain Co. N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

1. <u>Walter side</u>	(1) <u>Dead</u>	
2. <u>Father side</u>	(2) <u>Worth</u>	<u>Dead</u>
	(3) <u>Asberry Wiseman</u>	"
	(4) <u>Marion Furches</u>	"
	(5) <u>Richmond Young</u>	"
	(6) <u>Frank Frost</u>	"
	<u>Simon Frost</u>	"
	<u>Hailey Frost</u>	"

Martin  
Foster

+ May Frost - Dear -  
Ellen Frost Burnout her being  
Statesville NC  
Asheville - Cowpills " " Slab  
Statesville -

16

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(6) ...  
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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: My grand father, Tony Holman was son of Jonas Holman who was half Cherokee Indian. Well known by reputation and appearance & they never affiliated with any other tribe of Indians. The "Cherokee" tribe.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Jonas Holman was born in the Cherokee Nation in N.C., & remained with them principally & my grand father Tony had also long black hair high cheek bones, copper colored complexion. I remember him so he was of offshoot of Julius

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Asberry Frost

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

E. E. Hunt  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. C. Groves  
and Bailey Sheek, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Asberry Frost who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 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. E. E. Hunt  
Signatures of Witnesses. J. C. Groves  
Bailey Sheek

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909. E. E. Hunt  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 14 1908

No. 2572

JACOB STEWART.  
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

MOCKSVILLE, N. C.

Jan'y 13 1908

Hon. Gideon Miller - Special Commissioner  
Washington D.C.  
Dear Sir; - In accordance with your letter  
of the 17<sup>th</sup> of Sept. 1907 & endorse your application  
of Alice Spurr on behalf of ~~Anna~~ Children  
Hope it may not be too late to file  
said claims.

Yours Truly &  
Jacob Stewart



Appl. #38423

May 21, 1908.

Asberry Frost,  
Mocksville, N. C.

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?

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,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 25 1908  
*No.* 38423.

M.F.  
May - 23<sup>rd</sup> = 1908

Mocksville. Davie Co. N.C.

Mr.

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner

Dear Sir:

Your letter about my  
claim - no # 38423. = I will tell  
the best I know about it.

My Grand father - Jonas - came  
from the Cherokee Tribe - at what  
age - I dont know, as a Negro.  
and his Master was named  
Isaac Holman - and died with  
him - before the Civil War - as a  
Slave - I cant tell you about 1857 -  
I cant tell any thing about 1854. + 1855 -  
He lived, and died as a slave of White People

Very Respectfully

= Aberry - Frost =

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
Rec. OCT 13 1948  
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38423

Mock Drill. N. C. 1908

R. F. D. #2

Oct the 10

Gentle man I received a card from  
you some time ago concerning the  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment  
I would just like to no if there is  
any thing in it for me I  
real hope to hear from you soon  
application number 44356.

Alice & James To  
Givson Miller.

Special Commissioner  
601 Ourdy Building  
Washington.  
D. C.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 14 1909  
No. 38423

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Mocksville, N. C.,  
8/12/09

Mr. Guion Miller,  
Special Commissioner,  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment,  
601 Ouray Building,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Yours of June 10, 1909 notifying  
me of the rejection of my application,  
No. 38423 for participation in the  
fund arising from the judgment of the  
Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in  
favor of the Eastern Cherokees, has  
been received.

My grandfather, Jonas Holman, a  
full blooded Eastern Cherokee Indian

2.  
died in 1846 aged 80 years. This is  
witnessed to by Annie Ijames aged  
73 years and Wash Holman aged 78  
years of the town of Mocksville, Davie  
County.

Upon the foregoing statement I base  
my claim for participation in said  
fund and forward the same according  
to the order of the Court of Claims  
entered June 10, 1909. Please send  
me necessary application blanks &c.

Yours respectfully,

Asbury Frost.



No. 38424

Name

Richmond *[unclear]* and *11* children.

Action:

*Deport*

Reasons:

Residence:

*Holmes, D.C.*

*Brother of # 38422*

38424

No. 38424

Name *Richard Smith*

With No. 38423

Remarks:

No. 38424

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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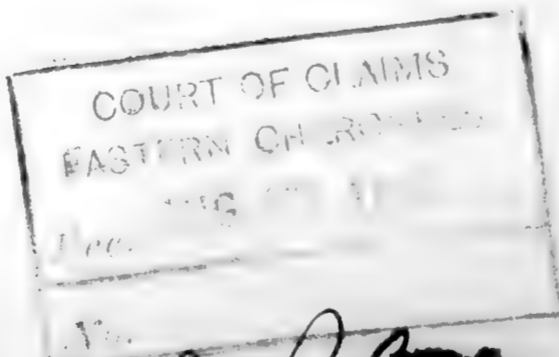
APPLICATION

OF

*Richardson Hunt*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*Jacob Stewart  
atly for  
Applicant  
Wachsull, N.C.*

72424

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Richmond Frost

Indian name: "Cherokee Indian"

2. Residence and post office: Holman, W.C.

3. County: Davis

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 56 Born March 1850

6. Where were you born? Davis County

7. Are you married? Been married but wife is dead—

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Melina Frost 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)	Franklin Frost	28	1879
(2)	Conella Frost	Dead	
(3)	Ossa Frost	24	1883
(4)	Ashery Frost	22	1885
(5)	Hilmore Frost	18	1889
(6)	Thomas Frost	14	1893
	Shrodsley Frost	10	1897

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage

Father—English name: Frank Frost

Indian name: "Cherokee Indian"

Mother—English name: Elmina Frost

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Elmina Edson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Davis, Co. N.C.

Mother: Davis, Co. N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Davis Co., W.V.  
Mother: Davis Co., W.V.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1888  
Mother: 1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No info to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Green Frost Farmington, W.V.	1840	Living
(2)	Simon Frost Lisburn, W.V.	1838	"
(3)	Eliza Frost Dead	Dead	Dead
(4)	Martha Frost Woodsville, W.V.	1842	Living
(5)	Asbery Frost Woodsville, W.V.	1855	"
(6)	Emory Frost Lisburn, W.V.	Dead	Dead

+ Mary Ann Dead -  
Ellen Frost Born - Don't know  
Stewart W.V.  
Adelaide Campbell  
Lisburn W.V.

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Tony Holman	Costa Colan
"Cherokee Indian"	None
Mary Frost	George Colan
"Cherokee Indian"	None

18. Where were they born? Davis Co. W.V. except maternal grandmother - Don't know as to her

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Davis Co. W.V.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Mother's side	Dead
Father's side	Dead
(2)	Nora Spore
(3)	Asbery Wiseman
(4)	Thomas Funder
(5)	Richard Young
(6)	Frank Frost
	Simon Frost
	Henry Frost

Mother  
Father

+ May 7th 1907 -  
eldest front beam - sent to know  
St. Louis Mo.  
Philadelphia Pa.  
St. Louis Mo.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grand father Tony Holman was son of Jonas Holman who was half "Cheerokee Indian" will know by reputation and appearance & they never associated with any other tribe of Indians than the "Cheerokee" so am informed. REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Jonas Holman was born in the "Cheerokee Nation" in N.C. & associated with them finally. My grand father Tony had long black hair, Copper colored complexion never associated with any other Indian tribe with his father Jonas Holman.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Richmond Frost

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

E. Estep

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant)

Personally appeared before me J. C. Graves  
and C. S. Graves, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Richmond Frost who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. Estep  
Jacob Stewart

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Graves  
C. S. Graves

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

E. Estep

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. 38425

Action: Reject

Name Lincoln Hirston and 4 children.

Residence: Fork Church, N. C.

Reasons:

No ancestor enrolled. No ancestor a party to the  
Treaties of 1835-36-46. No genuine connection  
with the Eastern Cherokee.



No. Carolina = Davin County

No. 38425

Name Lincoln Hamilton

With No. ....

Remarks:

Not an roll.

No. 38425

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lincoln 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, 1906, and May 26, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
AUG 27 1907

*Jacob Stewart  
atty for  
applicant  
Wachsville N.C.*

38425

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'ray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lincoln Hairston

Indian name: Cherokee Indian

2. Residence and post office: Hook Church NC, Mocksville NC N. D. 3

3. County: David

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? Forty one Born March 1st, 1866

6. Where were you born? David

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Patsy Hairston - 38

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>William Hairston</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Oct 15-1886</u>
(2)	<u>Lucy Hairston</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Oct 15-1892</u>
(3)	<u>Lil' Boy Hairston</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Sept 13-1892</u>
(4)	<u>Herman Hairston</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Nov 24-1892</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Austin Hairston

Indian name: "Cherokee Indian"

Mother—English name: Lucinda Hairston

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Lucinda Hairston

12. Where were they born?

Father: Stokes Co. N.C.

Mother: Stokes Co. N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Stokes Co. am informed

Mother: Stokes Co. " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1884 -

Mother: 1898

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Elizabeth Hairston	Stokes Co. N.C.	Stokes Co. N.C.
	Burgess Hairston	"	"
(2)	<del>Page</del> Grace Hairston	"	"
(3)	Nelly Hairston	"	"
	Henry Hairston	"	"
(4)	Birch N.C.	"	Living
	Linda Hairston	"	"
(5)	Adonai M.B. F.D. N.C.	"	Living
	Rich Hairston	"	"
(6)	Pocahontas Va	"	"
	Allen Hairston	"	"
	Pocahontas Va	"	"

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Frank Hairston	Stokes Co. N.C. father
None	
Grace Hairston	Nelly Hairston -
Cherokee Indian	None

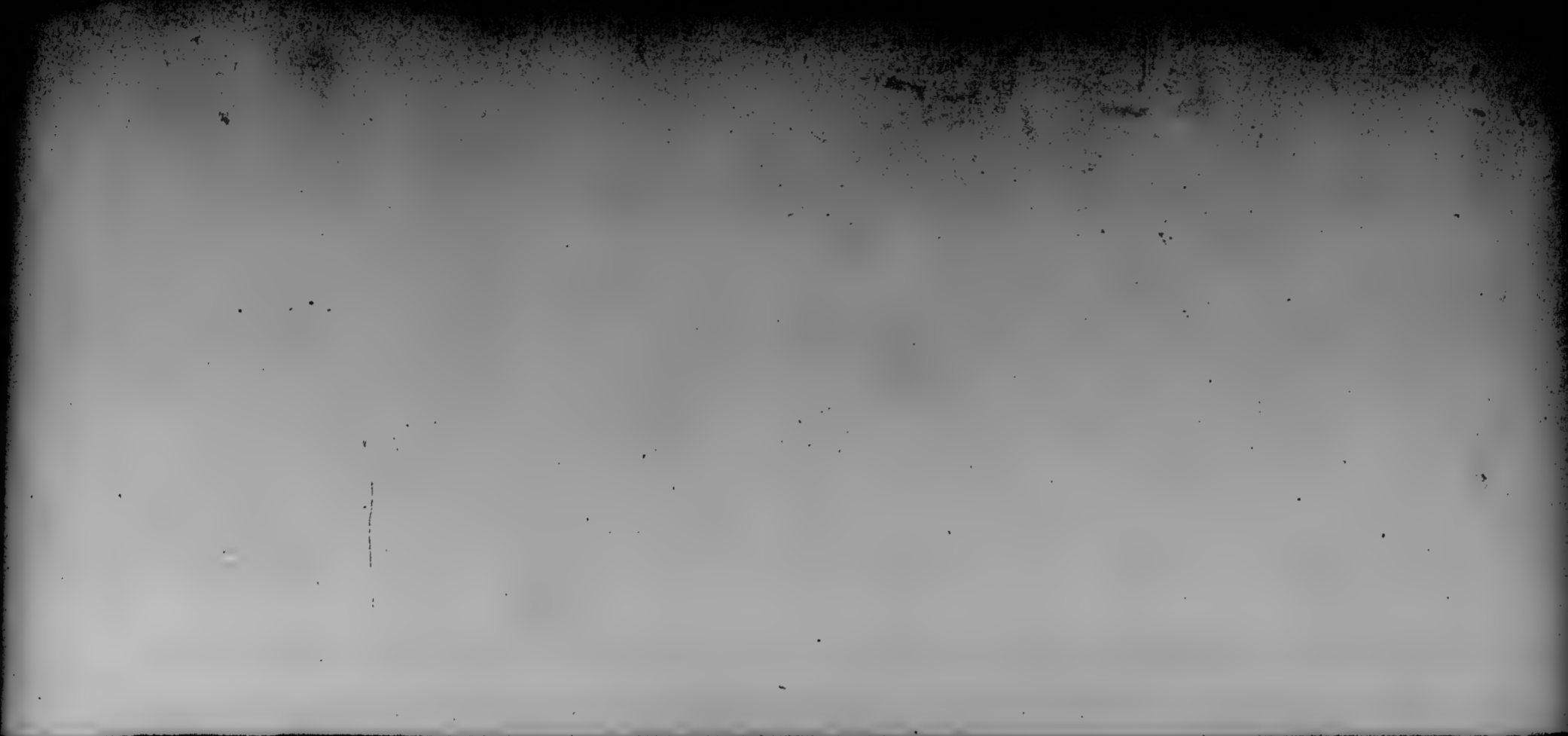
18. Where were they born? Stokes County am informed

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Stokes Co. N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

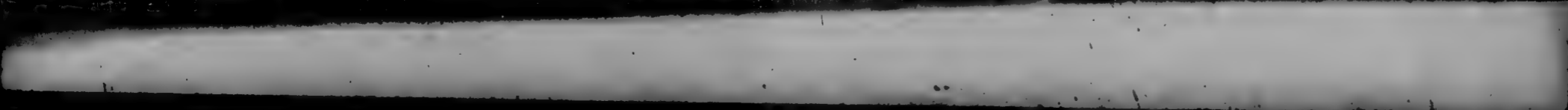
(1)	Frank Hairston	deceased
(2)	James Hairston	"
(3)	Burgess Hairston	"
(4)	Justin Hairston	"
(5)	Samuel Hairston	"
(6)	Batson Hairston	"
Matter side:-		
	Allen Hairston	deceased

Watson Hairston living  
 written N.C.  
 same others died when I was  
 small



Batsan Hantson Ling  
Winton N.C.  
Some others died when smoke

7/11/22



21. 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: Grand mother Grace Hairston  
~~that~~ was a full blooded Cherokee Indian and  
lived in or near Henry County Va and Stokes Co  
N. C. Her lips with a tinge of the Cherokees - Now afflicted  
with my other tribe REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grand mother had long black hair - Copper colored  
complexion. High cheek bones. Compressed lips  
and had all the marks of a full Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lincoln <sup>his</sup> Hairston

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

E. E. Hunk

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 5<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 Harry Lyons

and N. B. Byerly, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lincoln Hairston

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself, to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. E. Hunk

Signatures of Witnesses.

Harry Lyons

John S. Keen

N. B. Byerly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

E. E. Hunk

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.

JACOB STEWART,  
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

MOCKSVILLE, N. C.

Aug 26 1907

Hon. Guion Miller  
Special Commissioner  
Honorable Sir:- Washington D.C.

I have the honor to endorse  
your fine application of Eastern Churches,  
which I hope will be filed in our Court & hope they  
are in our favor - will endorse  
them later - Suppose you will acknowledge  
copy of same to me. Sincerely  
Jacob Stewart

Appl. #3845

May 21, 1908.

Lincoln Hairston,  
Fork Church, N. C.

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?

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,

Special Commissioner

CEB/ALS



Supplemental to  
application  
No. 38425-

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Eastern Cherokee  
Supplemental  
application  
of  
Lincoln Hairston

for share in money so  
appropriated for the Eastern  
Cherokee Indians by the  
2d of Congress approved  
Jan 30-1906 in accordance  
with the decrees of the  
Court of Claims of  
May 18-1905, and  
May 28<sup>th</sup> 1906

38425

Supplemental application to  
Claim # 38428-

Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims -

601 Perry Building, Washington D. C.,

Sir: I hereby make supplemental appli-  
cation for such share as may be due  
me of the fund appropriated by the Act of  
Congress, approved June 30 1906, &  
this is in answer to letter sent by you  
from your Honor dated May 21- 1908.

Question (1) - State whether you, your  
parents, or grandparents ever resided with  
the Cherokee tribe? If so state when &  
where?

Answer - My information is that my  
paternal grandmother was half Cherokee  
Indian. She never resided with the  
Cherokee tribe. She was born on a farm  
in North Carolina.

Question (2) were your grand parents and  
grandparents recognized as white people  
Indians or negroes in the censuses  
in which you and they resided?

Ans. My grand mother, father & myself  
& family were regarded as negroes in  
the censuses in which they resided  
& in which I reside - My grandmother resided in  
Cherokee Nation.

Question (3) <sup>(3)</sup> Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1857, and when was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time?

Answer. My grandmother was a slave in 1857 and was informed that she did not enroll in 1857. Being a slave she was property, as I am informed, and hence was not her own free agent. She and my father were residing in 1834-35 in North Carolina & was informed either in Stokes County or Davie County. Best information in my power.

Question (4<sup>12</sup>) Where were your grand-parents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

Answer. My best information is that they were residing in that geographical division of North Carolina which is now known as Davie County. But prior to 1837 it was a part of Rowan County, N. C.

Question (5-7) If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indian or white people?

Answer. My grandparents were slaves of white people. I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge.

(3)

best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Lincoln <sup>his</sup> & Hariston <sub>mark</sub>

subscribed and sworn to before me  
this the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 1908

E. E. Hunt

Notary Public.

my Commission expires

June 5<sup>th</sup> 1909

No. 38426.....

Action:..... Reject.....

Name..... Charley Chavers..... and X..... children. Residence :..... Franklin, N. C.....

Reasons :

Brother of #19477

38426

No. Carolina = Macon County

No. 38426

Name Charley Chavers

With No. ....

Remarks:

No. 38427-8,

grouped herewith.

Not an roll.

No. 38426.

Name Charlie Chavers

With No. 34295. 19437

Remarks: As are also 38428,

38427.

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No. 38426

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Charley Chavers*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 26, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
FILED MAY 27 1907

*A. W. Horn, Atty  
Franklin N.C.*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Chas Chavers

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Franklin N.C.

3. County: Macon

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 27

Born

Jan. 24 1880

6. Where were you born? Macon Co N.C.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? 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: Jeff Chavers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Charity Shepherd (Charity Chavers)

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Charity Shepherd

12. Where were they born?

Father: Rutherford County, N.C.

Mother: Macon County

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Macon County N.C.

Mother: Macon Co. - N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in 1888

Mother: died in 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)	James Chavers, <del>Franklin</del> Franklin N.C.	1856 -	Living
(2)	Mandy Martin Franklin N.C.	1868	Living
(3)	Lusk Chavers Franklin N.C.	1870	"
(4)	<u>I</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.

unknown

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard Shepherd  
Violet Shepherd

18. Where were they born? in Cherokee Co. N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand mother house  
in Macon Co N.C., Grandfather dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Comment Name 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: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father's name Jeff Clowers,  
Charity Clowers, Grand Parents or Mother's side, Richard  
Shepherd and Violet ~~Shepherd~~ both living in 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My mother Charity Shepherd was a 1/2 Indian  
Cherokee Blood, Grandmother Violet Shepherd  
was a full blood Cherokee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Charly Clowers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

Phurman J. Jarral  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 25, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. J. Moore

and

J. S. Sloan

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Charly Clowers

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 them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Moore  
J. S. Sloan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 25, 1907

Phurman J. Jarral  
Notary Public.

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Horn & Mann.

Lawyers.

Franklin, N. C.

A. W. Horn.

J. W. Mann.

Aug. 27 1905

Quinn Miller, Spec. Commr.

Dear Sir I enclose you 3 Applications  
in the matter of the Claims of the Cherokee  
Indians - viz: - Chas. Chavers, Lusk Chavers  
& Mandy Martin,

Respt

A. W. Horn

Appl. #38426

May 21, 1908.

Nancy J. Copeland,  
Crawford, Tenn.

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 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,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

No. 38427

Name Lush A. Chavers

Action: Reject

Reasons:

and X children.

Residence: Franklin, N. C.

Brother of 19437

38427

No. 38427-28

Name .....

With No. 38426

Remarks 1943

New File  
Lusk A. Charles  
Mandy Martin

~~19437~~  
Brother 7-19437,  
No. 38427

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Lush A. Chavers

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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



U. W. Horn, Atty  
Franklin, N. C.  
38427



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Joshua Chavers

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Franklin N.C.

3. County: Macon

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 37 Born 1870 May 2<sup>x</sup>

6. Where were you born? Macon Co. N.C.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Jeff Chavers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Charity Chavers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Charity Shepherd

12. Where were they born?

Father: Burkheadford Co. N.C.

Mother: Macon Co. N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Macon Co N.C.

Mother: Macon Co. N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1888

Mother: 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>James Chavers</u> <u>Franklin N.C.</u>	<u>1856</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Mabel Martin</u> <u>Franklin N.C.</u>	<u>1868</u>	<u>'</u>
(3)	<u>Chas Chavers</u> <u>Franklin N.C.</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>Not known</u>	<u>Richard Shepherd</u>
	<u>Niel Shepherd</u>

18. Where were they born? in Cherokee Co N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand mother in Macon Co N.C., Grandfather dead.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Cannot name 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: NI

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 Jeff Chavers, Mother's name Charity Chavers, Grand Parents are Mother's side Richard Shepherd and Violet Shepherd both living in 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Mother Charity Shepherd was 1/2 Indian Cherokee blood, Grand mother Violet Shepherd was a full blood Cherokee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Eusha Chavers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

W. H. Murray  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 25, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. S. Moore

and J. S. Sloan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Eusha Chavers

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 them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. S. Moore  
J. S. Sloan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March, 1909.

W. H. Murray  
Notary Public.

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No. 38428

Action: Reject

Name Mandy Martin and 1 children. Residence: Franklin, N. C.

Reasons:

Sister of #19347

~~Filed~~  
*Martin* of 19437.  
No. 38428

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mandy Martin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*A. H. Horn, Atty  
Franklin, N. C.*

38428

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Madey Martin

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Franklin N.C.

3. County: Macon

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 39 Born 1868 April 15

6. Where were you born? Macon Co

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Bea Martin, 51 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lin Johnston,</u>	<u><del>19</del> 19</u>	<u>1888</u>
(2)	<u>I have been married twice, &amp; this is</u>		
(3)	<u>son of my first husband Red Johnston,</u>		
(4)	<u>I have no children by Bea Martin my</u>		
(5)	<u>last husband</u>		
(6)	<u></u>		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jeff

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Charity Chavers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Charity Shepherd

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: in Macon Co, N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Waco Co N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: 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>James Chavers</u> <u>Franklin</u>	<u>1856</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<del>_____</del>		
(3)	<u>Lusk Chavers</u> <u>Franklin, N.C.</u>	<u>1870</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Char Chavers</u>	<u>1870 -</u>	<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>Franklin ne,</u>		
(6)	_____		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Not known

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard Shepherd  
Violet Shepherd

18. Where were they born? Mother in Cherokee Co

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand mother  
in Waco Co N.C. Grandfather dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Conant
- (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: M

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Charity Chowers Mother Name  
Grand Parents on Mother's side Richard Sheppard  
and Violet Sheppard both living in 1833

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My Mother Charity Chowers (or Sheppard) was  
1/2 Cherokee Indian, my Grandmother  
Violet Sheppard was full blooded Cherokee  
Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Maudy Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

W. H. Gorman  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 25, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. S. Moore  
and J. S. Sloan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Maudy Martin  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. S. Moore  
J. S. Sloan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 25, 1909. W. H. Gorman  
Notary Public.

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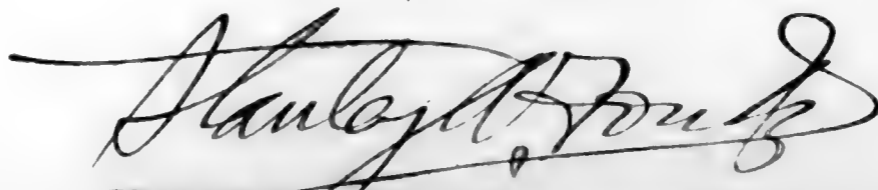
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Mandy Martin, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Mandy Martin and I reside in Franklin, North Carolina. I was born in Macon Co., N. C. in 1868. I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my mother, Charity Shaves. I wish to make a statement to correct my application: the name Chavers is also spelt Shaves. My mother was born in Cherokee Co., N. C., I do not know what year. She claims through her mother, Violet Shephard, who was a full-blooded Cherokee Indian. My father's name was Jeff Shaves and he was owned by a white family of the name of Munday. My mother was always recognized as an Indian, but we have always been recognized as colored people. I do not remember my grandmother, but my mother has always told me that she was born and raised and lived among the Cherokee Indians. I do not know where my grandmother was born. I know of no enrollment of my ancestors as Indians, nor did they receive any money. This is all I know in reference to the matter.

(Signed) Mandy Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Franklin, N. C., this 10th day of July, 1908.



Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

~~XXXX~~ Reject. S.A.F.

No. 38429

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Wm. J. Sizemore* and *5* children. Residence: *Martin N.C.*

Reasons: *Sizemore Case*

No. 38429

Name Eli G. Segerson

With No. John Segerson

Remarks: File

*7211*

*Dr. G.*

*45* No. 38429

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Eli G. Sigismore*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. AUG 27 1907  
No

*6078E*

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Eli G. Sigemore

Indian name: " " "

2. Residence and post office: Martin

3. County: Yadkin

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 45 Born 1862

6. Where were you born? Yadkin Co N.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Sigemore Age 43

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>Eugene Sigemore</u>	<u>21</u>	
(2)	<u>Berney " "</u>	<u>18</u>	
(3)	<u>Julius " "</u>	<u>14</u>	
(4)	<u>Gonah " "</u>	<u>10</u>	
(5)	<u>Berney " "</u>	<u>8</u>	
(5)	<u>Harley " "</u>	<u>6</u>	
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Abraham Sigemore

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Aley

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: Aley Smith

12. Where were they born?

Father: Yadkin Co. N.C.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Yadkin Co N.C.

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: Don't know 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>Isom Sigemore</u>	_____
<u>Patience "</u>	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Grandfather born in Va  
mother in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Yadkin Co 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: My Grandfather was Isson Sigemone, Isson Sigemone was a son of John Sigemone, John Sigemone was an Eastern Cherokee Indian Chief Doctor

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) Eli G. Sigemone

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug. 1907.

S. Carter Williams  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Apr 19, 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. S. Nicks  
and M. W. Wooten, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Eli G. Sigemone who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 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.

S. Carter Williams

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. S. Nicks

M. W. Wooten

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

Apr 19, 1909.

S. Carter Williams  
Notary Public.

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No. ~~38409~~ 38430

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Sidney Sizimorr* and *3* children.

Residence: *Marlin N.C.*

Reasons:

*Sizimorr Case*



No. 38430

Name Jedney Segewick

With No. John Segewick

Remarks: File

*Dr. J.*

No. 38430

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sidney Sijemone*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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  
INDIAN CLAIMS  
MAY 18 1907  
No.

38430

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sidney Sizemore

Indian name: " "

2. Residence and post office: Martin

3. County: Yadkin

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 33 Born 1874

6. Where were you born? Yadkin Co. N.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Laura Sizemore Age 33

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>Ruey Sizemore</u>	<u>12</u>	
(2)	<u>Paris " "</u>	<u>8</u>	
(3)	<u>Elmer " "</u>	<u>3</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Abraham Sizemore

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Et Alcy Sizemore

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: Alcy Smith

12. Where were they born?

Father: Yadkin Co. N.C.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Yadkin Co N.C.  
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)	_____	_____	_____
(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>Isom Sigemore</u>	_____
<u>" "</u>	_____
<u>Patience</u>	_____
<u>" "</u>	_____

18. Where were they born? va N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Yadkin Co 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: my grandfather was a son of John Sigemore, John Sigemore was ~~a son of~~ an Eastern Cherokee Indian doctor

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) Sidney <sup>his</sup> Sigemore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug. 1907.

S. Carter Williams  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Apr 19, 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. S. Nicks

and G. W. Wooten, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sidney Sigemore who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 33 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.

S. Carter Williams

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. S. Nicks

G. W. Wooten

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Apr 19, 1909. S. Carter Williams  
Notary Public.

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No. 38431

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Catherine Bouruder* and *9* children.

Residence: *Greenville N.C.*

Reasons:

*Ignorance - Poor*

No. 38431

Name Catharine Agnew

With No. John Agnew

Remarks: File

*7/11/06*  
*Dr. J.*

*41* No. 38431

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Catharine Bonnell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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*38431*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Catharine Bowender

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: #1 Yadkinville N.C. R.F.D. #3

3. County: Yadkin County

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 41 Born 1876

6. Where were you born? Yadkin Co. N.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: G. Bowender Age 45

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)	Rossie Bowender	19	
	Bob	17	
(2)	Julius	15	
(3)	Milas	12	
	Robert	10	
(4)	Roxy	8	
(5)	Hattie	6	
	Lillian	4	
(6)	Arthur	2	

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James Symone

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Malicia Symone

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Malicia Hair

12. Where were they born?

Father: Yadkin Co. N.C.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Yadkin Co. N.C.

Mother:                     "                    "                    "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother:                     "                    "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Eastern Cherokee 1907

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>Isom Sigmon</u>	_____
<u>Patience "</u>	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Virginia + N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Yadkin Co 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: my father was a son of Isom Sigmore, Isom Sigmore was a son of John Sigmore, John Sigmore was an Eastern Cherokee Indian Doctor was born in 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) Catherine Bowender

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

J. Carter Williams

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Apr. 19, 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 Charlie S. Nicks

and G. W. Wooten

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Catherine Bowender

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 years and

40 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J. Carter Williams

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. S. Nicks

G. W. Wooten

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Apr. 19, 1909.

J. Carter Williams

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: My father was a son of Isaac

Sigmon, Isaac Sigmon was a son of John  
Sigmon, John Sigmon was an Eastern  
Cherokee Indian Doctor was born in Chester

(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) Catherine Bouverder

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

S. Carter Williams  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Apr. 19, 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 Charlie S Nicks

and G. W. Wooten

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Catherine Bouverder

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 years and

40 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

S. Carter Williams

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. S. Nicks

G. W. Wooten

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Apr 19

1909.

S. Carter Williams  
Notary Public.

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No. 38432.

Name Cicero H. Hendricks and x

children.

Action: Rejected

Residence: Salem, N.C.

Reasons:

1st Cousin of # 18483.

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No. 38432

Name Oliver H. Hendrick

With No. 18483.

Remarks:

18495

No. 38432

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Cicero Harris Hendrick*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. AUG 27 1906
No.

38432

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Picero Harris Hendricks

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Winston Salem NC

3. County: Forsyth

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 56 Born Nov 4 = 1851

6. Where were you born? Kernersville NC

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mandy Hendricks m. n. Poindexter,

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: Louis Hendricks

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Anjinette Hendricks

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Louis Hendricks in Forsyth County NC

Mother: Anjinette Hendricks do do do



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Farmington County NC  
Mother: do do do

14. Date of death of your father and mother?

Father: Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 1853  
Mother: Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 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>Mrs Dorothy Jane Farmington</u>	<u>Sept 5<sup>th</sup> 1853</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>David Hendricks</u>	<u>Hannah Hendricks</u>
	<u>Mrs. Hannah Farmington</u>

18. Where were they born? NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Elizabeth Hendricks</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>married</u>	<u>Robert Stafford</u>
(2)	<u>Eliza</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Pinkney Stafford</u>
(3)	<u>Emily</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Wm Teague</u>
(4)	<u>Lucy</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Jane Pitts</u>
(5)	<u>Lucie</u>	<u>do</u>		<u>deceased</u>
(6)	<u>Anson</u>	<u>do</u>		<u>deceased</u>
(7)	<u>Martha</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>married</u>	<u>Dr. and child</u>
(8)	<u>Doc</u>	<u>do</u>		<u>deceased</u>
(9)	<u>Joe</u>	<u>do</u>		<u>do</u>
(10)	<u>Dorothy Jane</u>	<u>do</u>		<u>Dr. and child</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

Grand Mother who was Hannah Jones before marrying David Hendricks was the daughter of Hazeliah Jones and Martha Jones who was his wife was the daughter of David Brooks and Sarah Brooks his wife, said Sarah Brooks was the daughter of Joel Sanders and Mary Sanders, said Mary Sanders was a Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Cicero Harris Hendricks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190\_\_.

O. C. Bush, D. J. S.  
Notary Public.  
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 S. F. Cude

and A. P. Brown, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Cicero Harris Hendricks

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 11 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. F. Cude

A. P. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190\_\_.

O. C. Bush, D. J. S.  
Notary Public.  
Clerk Superior Court.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 38433

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Alfred Hendrix* and *—* children. Residence: *Darby, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 27830, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 38433-35

Name

With No. 35575

Remarks:

No. Filed  
Alfred Hendrix  
Gen. Lupton  
Orna Hawkins

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No. 38433

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Alfred Hendrix*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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No.

278 30

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Alfred Hendrix  
 English name: Alfred Hendrix  
 Indian name: Cherokee
2. Residence and post office: Darby
3. County: Wilkes
4. State: NC
5. How old are you? 53 Born Oct 1853
6. Where were you born? Wilkes
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rebecca Hendrix 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>Flora Hess</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>1865</u>
(2)	<u>Coft Hendrix</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>1867</u>
(3)	<u>Hill Hendrix</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>1869</u>
(4)	<u>Allie Sumner</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>1871</u>
(5)	<u>Sophia Dula</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>1873</u>
(6)	<u>Lettie Hendrix</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>1875</u>

*There is three more children*

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: George W. Hendrix  
 Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Mildred Hendrix  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Maiden name: Mildred Dula

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wilkes County NC

Mother: Caldwell County NC

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wilkes County NC

Mother: Wilkes County NC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't Know

Mother: Don't Know

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>J R Hendt</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	
(2)	<u>Samford Hendt</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	
(3)	<u>Elizid Lupttt</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	
(4)	<u>Dealey Lupttt</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	
(5)	<u>Dashed Japer</u>	<u>Don't Know</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>Danniel Lupttt</u>	<u>Franky Hendt</u>

18. Where were they born? Wilkes County NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wilkes County NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>J R Hendt</u>	
(2)	<u>George Hendt</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents George W Hendrix

Mildred Hendrix Grandparents  
Daniel Inplitt Frank Louby Hendrix

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a Descendant from the Cherokee Indians and am the 4th generation

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Alfred Hendrix

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

J. D. Seear

Notary Public.

My commission expires

oct 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

and Geo Hendrix, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Alfred Hendrix

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 14 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. D. Seear  
H. H. Hendrix

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

oct 14, 1908 J. D. Seear

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. 38434

Action: *Reject*

Name *George Triplett* and *—* children. Residence: *Darby, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 27830, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 38434

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

George Triplett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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38434

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Darby

3. County: Wilkes

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 24 Born 1883

6. Where were you born? Wilkes County

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: J. H. Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Eliza Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Eliza Hendrix

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wilkes County N.C.

Mother: Wilkes County N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wilkes Co. N.C.

Mother: Wilkes Co. 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: Never Was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Palmer Hall</u>	<u>1863</u>	
	<u>Allen Triplett</u>	<u>1865</u>	
(2)	<u>Jasper Triplett</u>	<u>1874</u>	
	<u>Talt Triplett</u>	<u>1875</u>	
(3)	<u>Ona Triplett</u>	<u>1872</u>	
	<u>Will Triplett</u>	<u>1862</u>	
(4)	<u>Luther Triplett</u>	<u>1878</u>	
	<u>Noah Triplett</u>	<u>1879</u>	
(5)	<u>Tommy Triplett</u>	<u>1888</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>Bill Triplett</u>	<u>George Hendrix</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>
<u>Selena Triplett</u>	<u>Millie Hendrix</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wilkes County

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Stow Triplett</u>	<u>Kellie Hendrix</u>
(2)	<u>Mark Triplett</u>	<u>Sanford Hendrix</u>
(3)	<u>Reuben Triplett</u>	<u>Alfred Hendrix</u>
(4)	<u>Hade Triplett</u>	<u>Eliza Hendrix</u>
(5)		<u>Delia Hendrix</u>
(6)		<u>Dorah Hendrix</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never 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: J. H. Triplett

Oliver Triplett  
Grandparents Bill Triplett Selena Triplett

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a descendant 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) George Triplett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

J. D. Seem  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

oct 17, 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 osco megle  
and J. M. Woods, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with George Triplett  
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.

osco megle  
J. M. Woods

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

oct, 1908. J. D. Seem  
Notary Public.

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No. 38435

Action: *Reject*

Name *Oma Hawkins* and *5* children. Residence: *Darby, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #27830, and claims through the same ancestors.*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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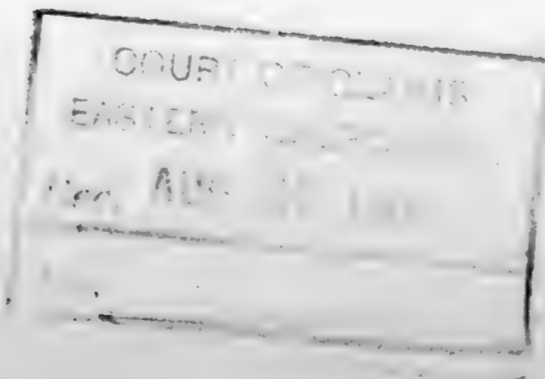
APPLICATION

OF

*Onna Hawkins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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38435

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'ray 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: Anna Hawkins

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Darby

3. County: Wilkes Co. N.C.

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 36 Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? in N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Kelly Hawkins age 36

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>Laura Hawkins</u>	<u>10</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Ben Hawkins</u>	<u>8</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Calvin Hawkins</u>	<u>7</u>	_____
(4)	<u>Daw Hawkins</u>	<u>5</u>	_____
(5)	<u>Bloom</u>	<u>1</u>	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Hendrix

Father—English name: Hadley Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Eliza Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Eliza Hendrix

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Wilkes Co. N.C.

Mother: in Wilkes Co. N.C.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in N.C.

Mother: in 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: never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Poliah Triplett age 43		
(2)	Will Triplett age 43		
(3)	Allen Triplett age 41		
(4)	Oma Triplett age 36		
(5)	Palton Triplett age 35		
(6)	Jasper Triplett age 31		

17. 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 Triplett Wherakee	George Hendrix Wherakee
Helene Triplett Wherakee	Millie Hendrix Wherakee

18. Where were they born? in Wilkes Co., N.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:

- (1) John Triplett
- (2) Mark Triplett
- (3) Rufus Triplett
- (4) Kelly Hendrix
- (5) Sandford Hendrix
- (6) Alfred Hendrix

21. 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:

parents Haden Triplett & Eliza Triplett Cherokee  
grand p William Triplett & Elene Triplett Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a descendant 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) Ama Hawkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

J. D. Gean

Notary Public.

My commission expires

oct 17, 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. Denny

and A. G. Wheeler, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ama Hawkins

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Denny  
A. G. Wheeler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

oct 17, 1908. J. D. Gean

Notary Public.

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No. 38436.

Action: Reject.

Name: Sarah Watson, and 6 children.

Residence: Warby, N.C.

Reasons: Daughters of #20970.

No. 38436

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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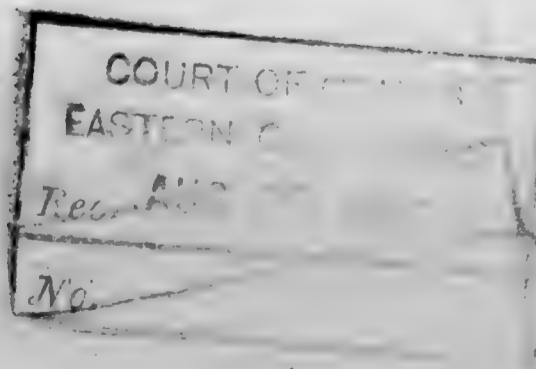
APPLICATION

OF

Sarah Watson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sarah Watson

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Worley

3. County: Wilkes

4. State: NC

5. How old are you? 47

Born 1860

6. Where were you born? Wilkes County

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Watson 51 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Horvian Watson</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>1879</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Watson</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>1881</u>
(3)	<u>Arthur Watson</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>1883</u>
(4)	<u>Avery Watson</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>1885</u>
(5)	<u>Alida Watson</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1889</u>
(6)	<u>Marshall Watson</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1891</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Solomon Keys

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Keys

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Elizabeth Waters

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wilkes County NC

Mother: Wilkes County NC

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wilkes County NC

Mother: Wilkes County NC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: Died 1897

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Horion Keys</u> 45-	<u>1862</u>	
(2)	<u>Rebekah Hendrix</u> 42	<u>1865 -</u>	
(3)	<u>Will Keys</u> 40	<u>1867</u>	
(4)	<u>Julia Dula</u> 33	<u>1874</u>	
(5)	<u>George Keys</u> 21	<u>1876</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>John Keys</u>	<u>Jess Walker</u>
<u>Sallie Keys</u>	<u>Rebekah Walker</u>

18. Where were they born? do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Wilkes County NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Mortha Walker
- (2) Sallie Church
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Parents Solomon Keys Elizabeth Keys  
Grand parents John Keys & Sallie Keys

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a descendant of the Crocker  
Tribes of Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah Watson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

J. D. Bean  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

oct 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 W. H. Hendrix  
and alen Triplett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Sarah Watson  
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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Hendrix  
alen Triplett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

oct 14, 1908. J. D. Bean  
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. 38437

Action: *Reject*

Name *Poleah Hall* and *4* children.

Residence: *Darby, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #27830, and claims through the same ancestors.*

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No. 35437

Name Patent Hall

With No. 35575

Remarks: 27

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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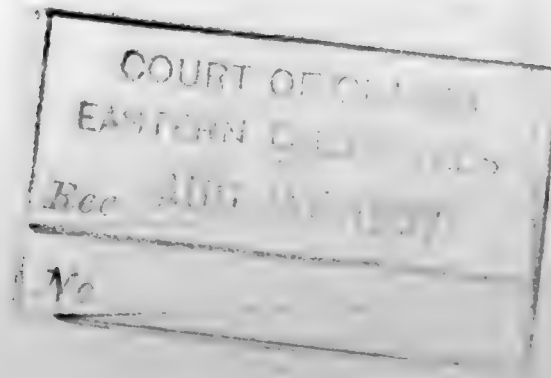
APPLICATION

OF

Paleah 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.

6-624



28437

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Faleah Hall

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Darby

3. County: Wilkes

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 43 Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? in N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Thomas Hall age 41

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>Annie Hall</u>	<u>18</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Georgia Hall</u>	<u>12</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Etter Hall</u>	<u>10</u>	_____
(4)	<u>Ruthie Hall</u>	<u>5</u>	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Hendrix

Father—English name: Aden Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Eliza Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Eliza Hendrix

12. Where were they born?

Father: in N.C.

Mother: in N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in N.C.

Mother: in 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: Never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Will Triplett</u> <u>age 42</u>		
(2)	<u>Allen Triplett</u> <u>age 40</u>		
(3)	<u>Uma Triplett</u> <u>age 36</u>		
(4)	<u>Malton Triplett</u> <u>age 35</u>		
(5)	<u>Jasper Triplett</u> <u>age 31</u>		
(6)	<u>Noah Triplett</u> <u>age 29</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 Triplett</u> <u>Cherokee</u>	<u>George Hendrix</u> <u>Cherokee</u>
<u>Selene Triplett</u> <u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Millie Hendrix</u> <u>Cherokee</u>

18. Where were they born? in Wilkes Co. N.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:

- (1) Staw Triplett
- (2) Mark Triplett
- (3) Rufus Triplett
- (4) Kelly Hendrix
- (5) Sandfred Hendrix
- (6) Alfred Hendrix

21. 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:

Parents Harold Priflett Eliza Priflett Cherokee  
Grand William Priflett Selene Priflett Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a descendant 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) Paleah Hall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

J. D. Sean  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 17, 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 Sanford Humber  
and J. A. Denny, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Paleah Hall  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person. She represents  
her 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Sanford Humber  
J. A. Denny

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 17, 1908. J. D. Sean  
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. 38438.

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Eliza Triplett,* and — children. Residence: *Darby, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 27830, and claims through the same ancestors.*

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No. ....

Name

*Elija Triplett*

With No. ....

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Remarks:

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No. 38438

Name *Olivia Triplett*

With No. ....

Remarks:

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Nos. 38543, 38608-9,  
38622,  
grouped herewith.

Not on roll.



No. 38438

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Olivia Triplett*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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

38438

**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— Olivia Luptett  
 English name: Olivia Luptett  
 Indian name: Cherokee
2. Residence and post office: Darby
3. County: Wilkes
4. State: NC
5. How old are you? 61 Born July 6 1846
6. Where were you born? Wilkes Co NC
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Haden Luptett 64 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)	Palmer Hall	43	April 12 1864
(2)	Wm G Luptett	42	Sept 9 1865
(3)	James A Luptett	39	Nov 17 1869
(4)	Mary Hawkins	36	Oct 6 1871
(5)	William Luptett	34	Nov 15 1872
(6)	Joseph O Luptett	31	March 8 1876

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: George Hendt  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Mother—English name: Milly Hendt  
 Indian name: Cherokee  
 Maiden name: Milly Dula

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: Wilkes County NC  
 Mother: Polk County NC

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wilkes County, N.C.

Mother: Wilkes County, N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 15 1888

Mother: January 29 1897

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<sup>69</sup> J. K. Hendrix	April 2 1838	1898
(2)	<sup>69</sup> W. M. B. Hendrix	Dec 28 1839	
(3)	<sup>67</sup> China Hendrix	Dec 24 1841	
(4)	<sup>64</sup> Samford Hendrix	Oct 27 1844	
(5)	<sup>63</sup> Dealy Light	April 16 1848	
(6)	<sup>59</sup> Alfred Hendrix	Aug 10 1858	
	<sup>57</sup>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>George Hendrix</u>	<u>Milly Hendrix</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>

18. Where were they born? Wilkes County, N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wilkes County, N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>J. K. Hendrix</u>	<u>Darby, N.C.</u>
(2)	<u>W. M. B. Hendrix</u>	<u>Darby, N.C.</u>
(3)	<u>China Hendrix</u>	<u>Darby, N.C.</u>
(4)	<u>Samford Hendrix</u>	<u>Darby, N.C.</u>
(5)	<u>Dealy Light</u>	<u>Elkville, N.C.</u>
(6)	<u>Alfred Hendrix</u>	<u>Darby, N.C.</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:

George Hendrick Milder Hendry parents  
Frankley Hendry grandparents

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a Descendant from the Cherokee Indian - and am the 4th generation

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elysa Triplett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

J. D. Sean  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

oct 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 John R Hodges

and J. D. Sean, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elysa Triplett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person 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.

John R Hodges  
J. D. Sean

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

oct 14, 1908. J. D. Sean  
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. 38439

Action: *Reject*

Name *Noah Triplett* and *3* children.

Residence: *Darby, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #27830, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 38439  
Name Mark Lupton  
With No. 35575

Remarks:  
Box Filed

No. 38439

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Noah Triplett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

38439

**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: Noah Triplett  
Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Darby

3. County: Wilkes

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 29 Born 1878

6. Where were you born? Wilkes County N.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Julia Triplett 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>Dolphus Triplett</u>	<u>6</u>	
(2)	<u>Della Triplett</u>	<u>4</u>	
(3)	<u>Bettie Triplett</u>	<u>1</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: J. H. Triplett  
Indian name: Cherokee  
Mother—English name: Eliza Triplett  
Indian name: Cherokee  
Maiden name: Eliza Hendrix

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wilkes Co. N.C.  
Mother: Wilkes Co. N.C.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wilkes County N.C.

Mother: Wilkes County N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never Was.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Palmer Hall</u>	<u>1843</u>	
	<u>Allen Triplett</u>	<u>1865</u>	
(2)	<u>Jasper Triplett</u>	<u>1874</u>	
	<u>Talt Triplett</u>	<u>1875</u>	
(3)	<u>Ona Triplett</u>	<u>1872</u>	
	<u>Will Triplett</u>	<u>1862</u>	
(4)	<u>Luther Triplett</u>	<u>1878</u>	
	<u>George Triplett</u>	<u>1883</u>	
(5)	<u>Tommy Triplett</u>	<u>1888</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>Bill Triplett</u>	<u>George Hendrix</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>
<u>Selena Triplett</u>	<u>Millie Hendrix</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wilkes County.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Stow Triplett</u>	<u>Kellie Hendrix</u>
(2)	<u>Marie Triplett</u>	<u>Sanford Hendrix</u>
(3)	<u>Rufus Triplett</u>	<u>Alfred Hendrix</u>
(4)	<u>Hade Triplett</u>	<u>Eliza Hendrix</u>
(5)		<u>Delia Hendrix</u>
(6)		<u>Dosah Hendrix</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never 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: J. H. Triplett  
Eliza Triplett  
Grandparents Bill Triplett Selena Triplett

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I am a descendant 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) Noah Triplett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

J. D. Sean  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
oct 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 J. D. Hall  
and B. S. Hanking, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with J. D. Triplett Noah Triplett who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John A. Deany J. D. Hall  
Allen Triplett B. S. Hanking

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires  
oct 14, 1908 J. D. Sean  
Notary Public.

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No. 38440 Action: Reject  
Name Lydia L. Brinlee and 2 children. Residence: Ada, Okla.  
Reasons:

Mother of #38599.

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No. 38440

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lydia J. Brinlee*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES Rec. AUG 27 1907 No.
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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lydia I. Brinlee, nee Price

Indian name: Wm Hall and Clayton

2. Residence and post office: Ada.

3. County: Chickasaw Nation, Pontotoc County

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? age 52 Born Apr. 5 - 1855

6. Where were you born? In Iowa

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William H. Brinlee, age 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)	David C. Brinlee	33 years	June 6 - 1874
(2)	Elgia J. H. Brinlee	29	Dec - 3 - 1877
(3)	Mittie E. Brinlee	31	Jan - 23 - 1876
(4)	Wm Merritt Brinlee	28	Dec - 18 - 1879
(5)	Willard P. Brinlee	24	Dec - 30 - 1882
(6)	Walter C. Brinlee	22	May - 23 - 1885

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Price

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Rezinah J. Price

Indian name: Hall & Clayton

Maiden name: Rezinah J. Hall

12. Where were they born?

Father: Virginia

Mother:

Lydia I. Brinlee age 16 Born Mar. 4. 1891  
 Howard J. Brinlee age 14 Born Apr. 20. 1893

Born: Dec 5 - 1850

Walter J. Brindle age 16 Born Mar. 4. 1891  
Edward J. Brindle age 14 Born Apr. 20. 1893

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gentry C. Mo.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 1858

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.
Lydia Brinlee's uncles and aunt (1) <u>Wm Hall</u>		
(2) <u>James Hall</u>	<u>Birth unknown.</u>	
(2) <u>Frank Hall</u>	<u>Last P.O. address</u>	
(3) <u>Mary Hall</u>	<u>Birmingham</u>	<u>Iowa</u>
Lydia Brinlee's Brothers (4) <u>Phineas F Price</u>	<u>Dead</u>	
(5) <u>George F Price</u>	<u>Don't know</u>	
(6) <u>Chambless, Tex</u>		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

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MOTHER'S SIDE.

Lucinda N Clayton Hall  
nee Clayton Indian  
Hiram C Hall Indian

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) William Hall
- (2) James Hall
- (3) Frank Hall
- (4) Mary Hall
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents John Price & Permelia H. Price, nee Hall, Indian name; Grandparents Hiram C. Hall Indian, Lucinda R. Hall, nee Clayton Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Lucinda R. Hall, nee Clayton's Mother was a Hodge's. dont know her Christian name

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lydia J Brinlee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

R.P. Good

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb-6, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. N. Fisher (40 years) and P. M. Cummings (6 years) who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lydia J Brinlee who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 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.

P. M. Cummings  
W. N. Fisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Feb-6-1911, 190

R.P. Good

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Lydia J. Brinlee*  
*Ada*  
*Indian Ter*

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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 Ind. Ter.  
COUNTY OF Sou. Dist.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Lydia J. Brinlee  
for the county of Pontotoc state of Indian Territory do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
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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 Ada Ind Ter

W. M. Walker  
W. M. Walker  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Lydia J. Brinlee  
Signature.

State of I. T. County of Sou. Dist. Be it known on the 15 day of Aug. 1907  
personally appeared Lydia J. Brinlee, 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 2/11-17 1917  
[L. S.]

R. P. Cagle

And now to witness 23 day of Aug 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of Aug 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1908

R. P. Cagle  
Anderson P. Cagle

No. 38441

Name *Walter E. Brinlee* and  children.

Action: *Reject*

Residence: *Ada, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Brother of #38599*

No. 38441

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Walter E. Brulee*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON, P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - - IND. TER.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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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: Walter E Brinlee

Indian name: Hall and Clayton

2. Residence and post office: Ada

3. County: Pontotoc

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? age 22. Born May 23, 1886-

6. Where were you born? Collin Co Texas

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)	<u>None</u>		
(4)		<u>None</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William H. Brinlee

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Lydia J. Brinlee

Indian name: Price, Hall & Clayton

Maiden name: Lydia J Price

12. Where were they born?

Father: 1850 Collin Co. Texas

Mother: 1855 Iowa

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Collin Co Texas Born 1850

Mother: Not Born " 1855

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)	David C. Brinlee	June 6 <sup>th</sup> 1874	

(2)	Sister Mittie B. Brinlee	Jan 23, 1876	
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(3)	Elgie John	Dec 3, 1877	
	William D.	Dec 30, 1882	

(4)	Wm M Brinlee	Dec 18, 1879	
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(5)	Walter E.	May 23, 1885	
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(6)	Jessie J. Brinlee	March 4 <sup>th</sup> 1891	
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(7)	Ida May	April 20, 1893	
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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.
Hiram Brinlee	John C. Price English
Bettie A Brinlee	Permelia F. Price
nee Mc Kinney	nee Hall Indian name

18. Where were they born? In Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Collin Co Texas  
Mother's Parents Virginia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Margert B. Brinlee	Phineas L. Price, dead
(2)	Richard	George T. Price
(3)	George B.	Chandler Texas
(4)	Sarah	
(5)	Hiram	
(6)	David	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: <sup>Parents</sup> William H. Brinlee

and Lydia J. Brinlee, nee Price Grandparents John C. Price, and Permelia F. Price, nee Hall Indian name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Great Grandfather Hiram C. Hall & Lucinda B. Hall, nee Clayton both Cherokee Indians  
Great Great Grandmother Hodges, dont know her given name

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Walter E. Brinlee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

V. R. Ford

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb-6

1911

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. H. Fisher

and

J. M. Cummings

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Walter E. Brinlee

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. M. Cummings  
W. H. Fisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Feb-6

1911

V. R. Ford

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Walter E. Brinlee*

*Ada*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Indian Territory  
COUNTY OF Southern Judicial District

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Walter E. Brindle  
for the county of Porter state of Indian Territory do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special 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 Ada

J. M. Cummings  
W. N. Fisher  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Walter E. Brindle  
Signature.

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personally appeared Walter E. Brindle, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Aug 6 1911  
[L. S.]

R. P. Ford  
Notary Public

And now to witness 23 day of Aug 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 Cagle  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of Aug 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1909.

R. P. Ford  
Notary Public

No. 38442

Name Wm Jas Skiggs and 1 children. Action: Reject

Reasons: Residence: Beebe, Ark

Father of (Mary Alice) Barger (35531)  
Claims thru same source

38442

No. 38442-44

Name

With No. 35977

Remarks:

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Wm D. "

Ida S. "

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Futures 35531.

No. 38442

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Wm. Jas. Higgs*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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ANDERSON P. LAGLE  
CLAIM AGENT  
KONAWI (IND TER)

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William James Wiggins

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Beebe

3. County: White

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 64

Born

March 9<sup>th</sup> / 1843

6. Where were you born? Larabee County Tenn

7. Are you married? No widower

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elizabeth Perciler Wigg 49 years Deceased

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

- |     | NAME                           | AGE       | BORN.                            |
|-----|--------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|
|     | <u>Beulah Pearl Wiggins</u>    | <u>14</u> | <u>Jan 3<sup>rd</sup> 1892</u>   |
| (1) | <u>Laura M Holloway</u>        | <u>27</u> | <u>July 27<sup>th</sup> 1871</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mary Alice Barger</u>       | <u>16</u> | <u>May 14<sup>th</sup> 1873</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Nora Langley</u>            | <u>31</u> | <u>May 31<sup>st</sup> 1875</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Franklin Dillman Wigg</u>   | <u>28</u> | <u>Feb 20<sup>th</sup> 1878</u>  |
| (5) | <u>Sola Rubie Coffey</u>       | <u>29</u> | <u>Aug 29<sup>th</sup> 1880</u>  |
| (6) | <u>Rosy Emma Robertson</u>     | <u>24</u> | <u>July 8<sup>th</sup> 1882</u>  |
|     | <u>William Solphus Wiggins</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>Aug 16<sup>th</sup> 1886</u>  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: George Washington Bartlett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mahaly Bartlett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mahaly Goin

12. Where were they born?

Father: in S C

Mother: Sothern Ill

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fulton County Ky

Mother: Fulton County Ky

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died May the 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

Mother: Died June the 9<sup>th</sup> 1864

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Anderson</u>	<u>Bartlett</u>	<u>Mar 30<sup>th</sup> 1838</u>
	<u>Quilman Ast</u>		

(2)	<u>John Manon</u>	<u>Bartlett</u>	<u>Sept 12<sup>th</sup> 1843</u>
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(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>Probit Wigg</u>	<u>William Goin</u>
<u>Nancy Ann Wiggs</u>	<u>Mahaly Goin</u>

18. Where were they born? Acersidian to the best history we have in Branson County Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fulton County Ky

if living no record of their death

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) All Deceased

(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: Elizabeth Perciler Briggs the Daughter of Mahaley Bartlett whose maiden name was Mahaley Goin who was born mar 28<sup>th</sup> 1817 and married her 29<sup>th</sup> 1832

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Grand father Goin was married in east Tenn and went from there to Ill and from there to Fulton County N Y.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William J. Wiggs Guardian

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug, 1907.

R. W. Cochran  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 20<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 G. W. Harvey  
and J. W. Burns, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William James Wiggs who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 21 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Harvey

J. W. Burns

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 20<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

R. W. Cochran  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Am. Ins. Mfgs,*  
*Beib,*  
*Ark.*  
*White Co.*

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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 Ark  
COUNTY OF White

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I William James Wiggs  
for the county of White state of Ark do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERRSON 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 Becke Ark

G. W. Harry  
J. W. Burns  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

William J. Wiggs  
Signature

State of Ark County of White Be it known on the 15 day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared William James Wiggs, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jan 21 1908 R. W. Cochran, Notary

[L. S.]

And now to witness 23 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 23 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1900 W. J. Davis  
Notary Public

#38442 - 35531.

Miscel.

Wm. J. Wiggs being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 65 years of age and live at Beebe, Ark. I claim for Bessie Wiggs, through my wife, who died in 1900. My wife claimed through her mother, Mahala Bartlett nee Goin - the daughter of William Goin. William Goin's wife was a white woman. My wife was born in 1850 in Fulton Co., Ky. Don't know where her mother was born but suppose it was somewhere in Illinois. My wife's mother died in 1864 in Fulton Co., Ky. She was born in 1819. I think Wm. Goin died between the years 1840 and 1850. He stole a white girl in Tenn. sometime in the seventeenth century and run away with her to Kentucky. They went from there to Illinois and from there into Kentucky. I don't know whether he lived with the Indians after he stole the girl or not. My wife's mother was raised in Ky. and southern Ill. and was among the Indians there but I don't know whether they ever lived with them or not. Don't know what tribe of Indians it was. Some claimed that William Goin was a full blood Cherokee and some said that he was only 1/2 Cherokee. My wife was recognized as a mixed-blooded woman. William Goin had a brother named Jim Goin. He died in Ky. about 1854 or 1855. Don't know whether he had any other brothers or not. Will Goin's family did not claim to be cousins to Jim Goin's family. They were related but they did not claim kin. Never heard that any of my wife's ancestors were ever on any Indian rolls. All the Goin family died there in Fulton Co., Ky.

*This deposal was verified by someone at the office  
to a person who was at the same place.  
A notice to take and meet me here.*

*Wm. J. Wiggs*  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Greenville, Texas this  
29th day of August 1908.

Ass't to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

No. 38443

Action: *Reject*

Name *Wm D. Nigge* and *7* children. Residence: *Bebee, Ark.*

Reasons:

*Brother of Mary Alice Barger (35531).  
Claims thru same source.*

38443

4352  
Order to 35531

No. 38413

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*William Dolfus Wiggs*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**FILED BY**  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE**  
CLAIM AGENT.  
KONAWA, INDIAN TERR.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. 1906  
No.

38413

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Dolphus Wiggs

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Beebe

3. County: White

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 21

Born Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 1884

6. Where were you born? White County Ark

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? 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 James Wiggs

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Percilen Wiggs

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Elizabeth Percilen Bartlett

12. Where were they born?

Father: Lanane County Tenn

Mother: Fulton County S G

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Harden county Tenn

Mother: Fulton county S C

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Died Sept 9<sup>th</sup> 1900 age 49 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)	Laura Holloway Bube Ark	July 27 <sup>th</sup> 1871	
(2)	Alice Barger Bube Ark	May 16 <sup>th</sup> 1878	
(3)	Dora Langley Bube Ark	May 31 <sup>st</sup> 1875	
(4)	Dillon Wiggs Center Hill Ark	Sept 20 <sup>th</sup> 1878	
(5)	Ressie Coffey Floyd Ark	Aug 29 <sup>th</sup> 1880	
(6)	Robt Robertson Roman Ark	July 8 <sup>th</sup> 1882	
	Bessie Wiggs Bube Ark	Jan 13 <sup>th</sup> 1892	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Probit Wiggs	George Washington Bartlett
Nancy Green Wiggs	Mahaley Bartlett
	Whose maiden name was mahaley Goin

18. Where were they born? George Washington Bartlett in S C  
Mahaley Bartlett in southern S C

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fulton county S C

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) William A Bartlett Quitman Ark
- (2) John M Bartlett Mt Vernon Ark
- (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 old Family record shows that my grand mother whose maiden name was Maholey Spin was born March the 23<sup>rd</sup> 1817 and married in Nov the 29<sup>th</sup> 1832 to George Washington Bartlett

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William Dolfus Wiggins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

R. W. Cochran  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 20<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

G. W. Harvey

and

J. W. Burns

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

William Dolfus Wiggins

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 14 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Am. D. Riggs*  
*Becke*

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*Ark.*  
*White County*

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Ark

COUNTY OF White

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I William Dolphis Wigg

for the county of White state of Ark, do hereby

make, constitute and appoint ANDERRSON 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 Buck Ark

G. H. Barry William Dolphis Wigg  
J. W. Burns Signature.

State of Ark County of White Be it known on the 15 day of Aug 1907

personally appeared William Dolphis Wigg, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jan 20 1908 R. W. Graham  
[L. S.]

And now to witness 23 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle  
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of August 1907  
My commission expires March 17th, 1909. W. H. Davis  
Peter J. White

No. 38444

Action: Reject

Name: W. E. Higgs and 2 children. Residence: Center Hill,  
Ark.

Reasons:

Cousin of (Mary Alice Barger (35531))  
Claimant thru same source.

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*Cover of 35531*

No. 38444

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

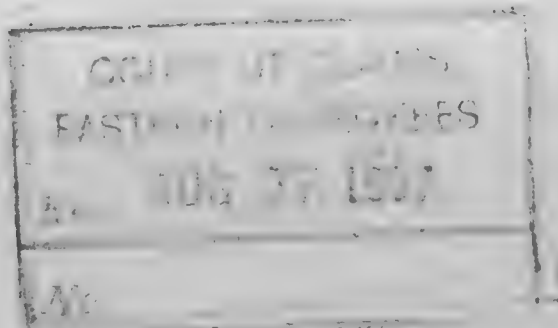
OF

*Ida C. Miggins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ida Elizabeth Bartlett. now Wiggs  
Indian name: Bartlett

2. Residence and post office: Center Hill

3. County: White

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 31 years Born Jan 13 1876

6. Where were you born?: Faulkner County Ark

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Francis M Wiggs Born Dec 13/850

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>Harvey Tildon</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>May 31 1897</u>
(2)	<u>Artemis Wiggs</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Dec 28 1900</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Marion Bartlett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Josephine Bartlett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Josephine Bauldridge

12. Where were they born?

Father: Fulton County Ark

Mother: Fulton County Ark

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fulton County Ky

Mother: Fulton County Ky

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Died Nov 20 1878

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Florence Jane Watkins</u> <u>Center Hill Ark</u>	<u>Aug 22-1871</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>John H. Bartlett</u> <u>Barling Ark</u>	<u>July 3-1873</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>Josiah W. Watkins</u> <u>Little Rock Ark</u>	<u>Nov 10-1878</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Edgar Burton Bartlett</u> <u>Barling Ark</u>	<u>Oct 20-1880</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>George Washington Bartlett</u>	<u>George Washington Bartlett</u>
<u>Mahaly Bartlett</u>	<u>Mahaly Bartlett</u>

18. Where were they born? George W Bartlett & Mahaly Bartlett  
in southern Ill

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fulton County Ky

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Melvin A Bartlett Quitman Ark
- (2) John M Bartlett Old Vernon Ark
- (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 John M Bartlett was the son of Mahaley Bartlett whose maiden name was Mahaley Sain and she married George W Bartlett Nov the 29<sup>th</sup> / 1832

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grand Mother was borned March the 28 / 1817 but we havent got the record of her death but she died in Fulton County Ky

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ida Elizabeth Wiggins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907

W D Welch

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 10, 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 Jas W Watson and J. A. Skilleen who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ida Elizabeth Wiggins who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 9 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person that 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.

Jas W Watson  
J. A. Skilleen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 10, 1908.

W D Welch

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Ida E. Riggs*  
*Center Hill,*  
*Ark.*  
*White 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 Ark  
COUNTY OF White

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Ida Elizabeth Wiggs  
for the county of White state of Ark 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 Center Hill Ark

Jas. M. Watson  
N B Majors  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Ida Elizabeth Wiggs  
Signature.

State of Ark County of White. Be it known on the 19 day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared Ida Elizabeth Wiggs, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 10 1907  
W D Welch Notary Public

[L. S.]

And now to witness 23 day of Aug, 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P Cagle  
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of Aug, 1907.  
My commission expires March 17th, 1909.  
W D Welch  
Notary Public



App. #38444.

December 27, 1909.

Honorable W. A. Oldfield,  
House of Representatives,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Your letter of December 20, 1909, addressed to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and making inquiry relative to the claim of Ida E. B. Wiggs, of Center Hill, Arkansas, has been referred to this office for reply.

I have the honor to state that the exceptions filed to my report will be taken up for final disposition by the Court on January 10, 1910, and until after that date I will be unable to announce the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
WASHINGTON.

DEC 28 1909

Enrollment  
application.

Guion Miller, Esq.,  
Special Commissioner, Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

There is inclosed herewith a letter dated December 20, 1909, from Hon. W. A. Oldfield, House of Representatives, relative to the application of Miss Ida E. B. Wiggs, of Center Hill, Arkansas, for enrollment as one of the beneficiaries in the fund to be distributed to the Eastern and Emigrant Cherokee Indians.

Mr. Oldfield has been advised that his letter has been referred to you with request that you inform him as to the present status of the claim.

Very respectfully,

*R. W. Anderson*  
Commissioner.

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COMMISSIONER.

VERY RESPECTFULLY,

Director of the Office  
referred to you with request that you inform him as to the present

to be  
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EASTERN CHEROKEE  
DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mr. Oldfield has been advised that his report has been  
submitted to the Eastern and Western Cherokee Indians.  
The submission of Mrs Ida E. B. Webb of Capitol Hill,  
Washington, D. C. is enclosed herewith a letter dated December 30,  
1909.

Washington, D. C.  
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER, COURT OF CLAIMS,  
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INCLOSURE 54054

FROM

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 27 1909  
No. 38444

House of Representatives U. S.  
Washington, D. C.

December 20 1909.



Hon. Robert G. Valentine,  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.  
Washington, D. C.

My Dear Sir:--

I have just received a letter from Miss Ida E. B. Wiggs of Center Hill, Arkansas, stating that she has furnished proof together with her application No., 38444 as a Cherokee Indian.

Will you kindly advise me as the status of her claim?

Yours very truly,

*W. A. Oldfield*

35531-

*L. Pope*

*Noted*

No. 38445.

Name Nancy J. Campbell and 2 children. Action: Reject

Reasons: Constitution never renewed Residence: Orester, Tenn.

to treaties of 35-6-46. Does not prove genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.

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Miller, Tenn.  
June 29  
H. C. B.



No. 28415

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy J. Copeland*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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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: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and 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.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Auray Building, Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the funds appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30th 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18th, 1905, and May 28th, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of indemnity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name: -----  
English name: Nancy Jane Copeland  
Indian name: Switzer
2. Residence and postoffice: Crowford
3. County: Owston
4. State: Ill.
5. How old are you? 28 Born July 7 1878
6. Where were you born? Scott County Tenn
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marian Copeland, age 42
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906.

	Name	Age	Born
(1)	<u>Ira Copeland</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Aug 18 1899</u>
(2)	<u>John Copeland</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>May 17 1903</u>
(3)	-----	-----	-----
(4)	-----	-----	-----
(5)	-----	-----	-----

11. Give name of your father and mother and your mother's name before marry

Father- English name: John M Switzer  
Indian name: Switzer  
Mother- English name: Crazy Switzer  
Indian name: -----  
Maiden name: Good

12. Where were they born? -----

Father: Scott Co Tenn  
Mother: East Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time.

Father: Scott County Tenn  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: Don't Remember

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits, if so state when and where, and what tribe of Indians.

No. Not as far as I know of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, give age and residence.

(1)	Name	Age	Died
	<u>Lu Scott Smith</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>Pomona Road Tenn</u>
(2)	<u>Barna Smith</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>Clay Co. Tenn</u>
(3)	<u>Pearly Smith</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Kentucky</u>
(4)			

17. State English and Indian name of your grandparents on both father and mother's side if possible.

Father: Eng Smith Mother: Engl Moreum  
Smith

18. Where were they born? Scott Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Scott Co. Tenn

20. Give name of all other children and residence if possible.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, lands etc. No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the English and Indian names, if possible of the parents and grandparents to 1855.

Indian Name of my Parents was  
Smith (who was the Indian)

I do solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Nancy Jane Copeland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

O P Rice

My commission expires.

April 1 1909

Notary public.

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AFFIDAVIT.

Personally appeared before me R A Wungham and Sith Wungham who being duly sworn, on oath deposes and that they are well acquainted with Nancy Jane Copeland who makes the foregoing application and statement 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 our knowledge and belief and that we have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witness:

J. H. Shacklett  
E. C. Ingram

Signature of witnesses.  
R A Wungham  
Sith Wungham

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the 24 day of Aug 1907.

O P Rice

My commission expires.

April 1 1909

Notary Public.

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Application  
of  
Sarah Jane Caplan

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 26 1908  
No. 38962

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FEB 26 1908

Feb 24  
~~Jan 31~~ 1908

Pines Tenn

To the special commissioners  
of the State of Tennessee  
I am writing you in case you need any  
more I can get all the  
I can get you need I have got the  
card the no. is 38902.

Nancy Capeland

Pines

Tenn



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN. 9 1908

No.

*CJB*

Crawford, Tenn. June 6th, 1908.

Special Com. of the Court of Claims,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of your of the 21st, May and beg to advise that my grandparents did reside with the Cherokee tribe and was under the name of Smithers, this was sometime back in the 30's. My grandparents was recognised as white people after they left the Cherokee tribe, and have been so recognised since they have been in Tennessee.

My grandparents was not enrolled in the year 1851 for the reason that they had left N.C. at that time and was living in Scott County, Tenn  
In 1834 & 35 my grandparents was living in North Carolina.

Your very truly,

*Nancy J. Copland*

*38445*

No. 38445.

Nancy J. Copeland, being first duly sworn and examined,  
deposes and says:

My name is Nancy J. Copeland; I was born in East Tenn.,  
1879; I do not know what county; I claim my Indian blood  
through my father, John Smither; my father was born in East  
Tenn. 1848; my father got his Indian blood through his father;  
~~my father got his Indian blood through his father;~~ I do not  
remember the name of my grandfather through whom I claim; I do  
not know where and when he was born nor where he lived; I do  
not remember of ever seeing my grandfather through whom I claim;  
neither I nor any of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever  
enrolled and never received any money or land; my father told me  
that he <sup>was</sup> half Cherokee Indian; neither my father nor my  
grandfather through whom I claim ever lived with the Indians  
that I know; none of them were ever held as slaves that I know  
of; I never heard of any of my ancestors through whom I claim  
ever going West with the Indians; I never heard of my father  
or any of the ancestors through whom I claim ever having an Indian  
name; I make no claim of Indian blood through my mother;

Nancy J. Copeland

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me, at Wilder, Tenn.,  
this 27th day of June, 1908.

J. A. B.

Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

Richard A. Winningham, being first duly sworn and ex-  
amined, deposes and says:

My name is Richard Winningham; I am about seventy-three  
years of age; I never saw the grandfather of Nancy J. Copeland,  
that I know of; I have known the father of Nancy J. Copeland since  
1893; John M. Smither, the father of Nancy J. Copeland, told me  
and admitted that he was about a quarter Cherokee; he was al-  
ways held to be part Cherokee Indian in this community.

Richard A. Winningham

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me, at Wilder, Tenn.,  
this 27th day of June, 1908.

J. A. B.

Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 11 1908  
No. 38448

NOV 11 1908

Carolina A. Van Zandt.

Account of  
Hanging limb Tenn  
Gideon Miller  
Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.  
I am writing to you in  
regards to claim no 38448  
has it his part in it  
and when will I get  
anything if ever - please  
give me all the details  
in regard to same claim

Respt

Her Carolina A. Van Zandt  
Hanging limb Tenn

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*Spokane*



**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

*Cline,  
Buckeye,  
Wash.*

You are hereby notified that in my report to the Court of Claims of May 1909, I have enrolled you ~~and your~~ <sup>7737</sup> ~~minor children~~ as entitled to participate in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of 1906.

Your number on this roll is 7737. 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: Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Okla. Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma. U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla. The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.

The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma. The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina. The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.

The Clerk of Courts at:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City, North Carolina; Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Tennessee;--Maryville, Benton, Madisonville and Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville, Alabama;--Center, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega, Georgia;--Cartersville, Spring Place, Jasper, Gainesville, Alpharetta, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, 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.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*Edi Cline,  
Buckeye,  
Wash.*

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 *7737*

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.
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- 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.

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Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 38446.

Action: *Reject*

Name *L. C. Stover*

and *3* children.

Residence: *Crawford, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.*

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No. 38446

Name L. C. Stover

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Remarks:

Not on rolls.

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No. 38440

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

L. C. Stover

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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  
INDIAN CLAIMS  
JULY 27 1907  
No.

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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: \_\_\_\_\_

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.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEE.

\_\_\_\_\_

APPLICATION  
of

\_\_\_\_\_

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

601 Curay Building, Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make applications for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30th, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18th, 1905, and May 28th, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokee. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name  
English name: L. C. Stover  
Indian name: Fuiley
2. Residence and postoffice: Crowford
3. County: Ovinton
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 34 Born Nov. 6 1873
6. Where were you born? Ovinton County Tenn
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name of wife or husband: F. G. Stover age 47
9. To what tribe of Indians does he belong? None
10. List all your children now living on May 28, 1906, and give their names

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>Wesley Stover</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Aug 24 1893</u>
(2)	<u>Nannie Stover</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Sept 27 1895</u>
(3)	<u>Mattie Stover</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>May 30 1897</u>
(4)	-----	-----	-----
(5)	-----	-----	-----
(6)	-----	-----	-----

11. Give name of father and mother and your mother's name in her native language  
Father English name: Tom J. Smith  
Indian name: Fuiley  
Mother English name: Catharine Smith



No. —

Eastern Shrokers  
Application  
of

W C Stoorn

COURT	1871
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Indian name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailen name: Harmon

12. Where were they born?

Father: Leitrus County Tenn

Mother: Overton County

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Overton County Tenn

Mother: Overton County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept 9<sup>th</sup> 1899

Mother: July 1896

15. Did they ever enroll for money, annuities, land, or other benefit under the Act of March 3, 1875, or any other Act of Congress, for the benefit of the Five Civilized Tribes of Indians.

No Sir, not as know of

16. Give the names of all persons, including yourself, who were enrolled under the Act of March 3, 1875, or any other Act of Congress, for the benefit of the Five Civilized Tribes of Indians.

- (1) John Smith Don't Remember
- Correllon Tex
- (2) D. E. Smith
- Illinois
- (3) J. W. Smith
- Georgia Tenn

17. State the name of the Indian name of your father and mother, if possible.

Father's name Fintley Mother's name Harmon  
Cobb.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Was was dead

20. Give the names of all their children, and residences, if possible.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for monies, annuities, land etc. No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the English and Indian names, if possible of the parents and grandparents to 18<sup>5</sup>

Cobb, Finley, Harmon & Smith

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. L. S. Tower

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907

O. P. Rice

Notary Public.

Attestation of me.

April 1 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

Joseph Robbins and Joseph Robbins

do hereby certify that J. C. Slower

is the same person as stated with J. C. Slower who

was born on the 20 day of Aug 185 years ago at Yes to the

Indian name the Group of the tribe

is Yes - to the best of my knowledge and belief

and that the same is true of this

J. F. Robbins

Joseph Robbins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

O. P. Rice

Notary Public.

Attestation of me.

1909,

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 20 1907  
No. 3846

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NOV 21 1907

Levi Ward Smith  
Nov. 18-1907

Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims.

you will please  
inform me if the above  
claim No. 38446 is  
sufficient for the above claim.

Very Truly Yours,  
G. H. Tower

Appl. #38446

May 21, 1908.

Es C. Stover,  
Crawford, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparants 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?

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,

Special Commissioner

CEB/ALS

LIBRARY OF THE  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
Rec. JUN 9 1908  
No.

CRAWFORD, Tenn. June 6th, 1908.

Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of yours of the 21st, May and in reply beg to advise that my grand parents resided with the Cherokee tribe about the year 1818, in N.C. and when they was residing in N.C. they was recognised as Indians, but when they moved to Fentress County, Tennessee. they was recognised as Indians and the latter generation was recognised as white people.

In the year 1851 they was living in Tennessee and did not know to be enrolled.

In 1834 & 35 they was residing in Fentress County, Tennessee.

The Findleys through whom I am making this claim was my great-grandparents and resided in Fentress County, Tennessee. in the years 1834 & 35.

I am also related to the Cobbs by marriage, They come from N.C. to Tennessee.

Yours very truly,

*OTB*

*J. C. Starnes*

*38446.*



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Dec. OCT 28 1904  
No. 38446

C/O 58446

Albion, Tenn.

Oct 26-1908.

Commissioner of Claims

Sir:

I have recently learned that Charles Barman on my mother's side was my great grandfather and ready to make the proof necessary please write and tell me if such proof will be necessary in the establishment of my claim to make it permanent

Yours truly  
J. M. Stover.

No. 38447

Action: Reject

Name W. H. Anderson and X children. Residence: Hanging Rock, Tenn.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

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No. 38447 *Rez.*

Name W. U. Anderson

With No.

Remarks: *Keep File*

# 38448,

*Grouped Lincville*

*That on rolls.*

*Rejected.*

*Left later in 1827-8 -  
always thought recognized  
as white people.  
never enrolled.*

*B. L. [Signature]*

No. 38447.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

D. M. Anderson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Re:                       
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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: \_\_\_\_\_

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.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public.

\_\_\_\_\_, 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.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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.           
Eastern Cherokee  
Application  
of  
D. N. Anderson

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Oursay Building, Washington, D.C.

Sir:  
I have your applications for such share as may be due me of the  
fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved March 30th, 1906, in  
accordance with the Decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18th, 1905,  
and May 22th, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokee. The evidence of  
identity is herewith submitted.

1. Full name: D. Anderson  
Family name: Anderson  
Indian name: Haugung Lule, Tame
2. Residence at present: Orion
3. County: Imperial
4. State: California
5. How old are you? 58 years May 28 1849
6. Where born: Futros County, Tenn.
7. Are you married? Yes.
8. Name of wife: Fida Anderson age 27
9. Name of children: None
10. Name of parents: \_\_\_\_\_

- ( ) Cordilia Anderson 26 March 5 1881
- ( ) \_\_\_\_\_
- ( ) \_\_\_\_\_
- ( ) \_\_\_\_\_
- ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Name of father: East Anderson  
Name of mother: Anderson  
Name of grandparents: Dicie (Edwards) Anderson



Indian name \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Edward

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father or mother:

Father: April 16, 1873

Mother: April 5, 1863

15. Have you ever applied for money, annuity, or pension on account of your Indian blood, or for any other purpose, and if so, what tribe of Indians?

No Sir

16. Give the name of the school or district, if any, where you were educated.

(1) W. W. Anderson Nov 1847

Arkansas

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

17. Give the name of the Indian name, if any, which you have used.

at residence English Anderson

Indian Anderson

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn

20. Give name of all the children, and their names, if any.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for monies, annuities, land etc. No

22 To assist in identification, applicant should give the English and Indian names, if possible of the parents and grandparents to 1875

Anderson

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. N. Anderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907

O. P. Rice

Notary Public.

My commission expires.

April 1 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

Personally appeared before me O. C. Conatser and S. S. Morgan who being duly sworn, on oath, they say that they are well acquainted with D. N. Anderson who makes the foregoing application and statement as above stated his for 25 years and 20 years respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief and that they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Signature of witnesses.

O. C. Conatser

S. S. Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

O. P. Rice

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1st 1909,

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 26 1909  
No. 38447

send  
notice  
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May the 21 1904

Barnespring Tenn

Dear Sir I will  
write you a few lines in regard  
to my Indians claim no. 38447  
will you please let me know if the  
same may be used to make if so  
let me know

D. K. Anderson  
Barnespring  
Tenn

App/ #38447

May 21, 1908.

D. N. Anderson,  
Hanging Lick, 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?

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,

CHB/ALS

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 9 1908

No.

Crawford, Tenn. June 6th, 1908.

The Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Yours of the 21st, day to hand and in reply beg to advise that My grandfather Anderson did reside with the Cherokee tribe about the year 1820 and for some 7 or 8 years thereafter, in the state of N.C. they were recognised as Indians while in the Cherokee tribe, but later when they moved to Tennessee they were and have been since recognised as whites.

My grandfather Anderson through whom I claim Indian blood was in Fentress County, Tenn. in the year 1834 & 35, and in the year 1851, and did not know of the fact that the enrollment was being done, therefore, they was not enrolled. I am,

Yours very truly,

D N Anderson

CHM

38447.

No. 38448.

Action: *Rej. et.*

Name *Cordelia A. Vaughn* and 1 children.

Residence: *Overton, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of # 38447.*

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No. 38448.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Cordelia A. Vanzandt*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. AUG 27 1907
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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: \_\_\_\_\_

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.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

\_\_\_\_\_, 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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No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Eastern Cherokee  
Application  
of  
Cordelia Vaugault

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make applications for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30th, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18th, 1905, and May 28th, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of indemnity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name  
English name: Cordelia (Anderson) Vauzandt  
Indian name: Anderson
2. Residence and postoffice: Ham. Crawford
3. County: Owsen
4. State: Tenn.
5. How old are you? 26 Born Mar 5<sup>th</sup> 1881
6. Where were you born? Fulton County Tenn
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lewis Vauzant 32
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906,  
and give their ages

	Name	Age	Born
(1)	<u>Wm H. Vauzandt</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Nov. 30 1897</u>
(2)	-----	-----	-----
(3)	-----	-----	-----
(4)	-----	-----	-----
(5)	-----	-----	-----
(6)	-----	-----	-----

11. Give name of you father and mother and your mother's name before marry

Father English name: D N Anderson  
~~Indian name:~~ Indian name: Anderson  
Mother English name: Elizabeth Anderson

Indian name Audroon  
Maiden name: Audroon

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Futrus County Tenn  
Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: Futrus County Tenn  
Mother: Futrus County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:  
Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother: Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1896 (about)

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, lands or other benefits? If so state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians.  
No Sir

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving age, and residence.  
Name Born Died

(1)	Name	Born	Died
	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____

17. State English and Indian name of your grandparents on both fathers and mothers side if possible.

Fathers side Audroon Mothers side. Audroon

18. Where were they born? North Carolina  
19. Where did they reside in 1851, living at that time? Tenn  
20. Give name of all their children, and residence, if possible,

21. Have you ever been enrolled for monies, annuities, land etc. No

22 To assist in identification, claimant should give the English and Indian names, if possible of the parents and grandparents to 1835

Anderson

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Cordelia Vanzant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907

O P Rui

My commission expires.

April 1 1909

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

Personally appeared before me O C Conatser and S Morgan who being duly sworn, on oath deposes and says that they are well acquainted with Cordelia Vanzant who makes the foregoing application and statement and have known her for 5 years and 20 years respectively, and know him to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief and that they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Signature of Witnesses.

O C Conatser

S Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

O P Rui

Notary public.

My commission expires

April 1st 1909,

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 26 1909  
No. 38448

send  
notice  
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May - 23 - 1909

Dear Judge Ten

Mr. Gavin Miller

Dear Sir

Am writing you in  
regards to those indian  
claims if there is  
anything of them going  
to be pay of in this  
month i am writing this  
if there should be any  
thing needed in claim  
No. 38448. my P.O address  
is Deer Lodge Ten

Carolina A. Vanzant

Deer Lodge Ten



No. 38149

Action: *Reject*

Name *Geo W. Heckart* and *3* children. Residence: *Colton*

Reasons:

*Son of #36142, Claims through name*

38149

No. 38449-52.

Name.....

With No. 36142.

Remarks:

Geo. W. Herbert  
Geo W. " Jan.  
Wm. A. "  
John "

36142  
p.m.

No. 38449

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

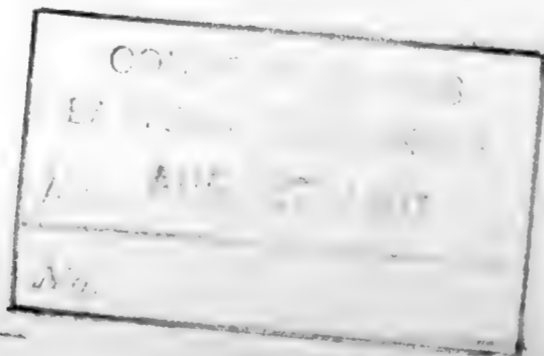
APPLICATION

OF

*Geo. Washington Herrick*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: George Washington Heckart

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Cotter

3. County: Butler

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 44 years Born May 9th 1863

6. Where were you born? Marshfield Webster Co Mo

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Amanda Pauline Heckart 40 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>Will Oscar Heckart</u>	<u>21 yrs</u>	<u>Dec 10, 1885</u>
(2)	<u>Ben Harmon Heckart</u>	<u>18 "</u>	<u>Jan 5, 1889</u>
(3)	<u>Harry Ernest Heckart</u>	<u>16 "</u>	<u>July 24 1891</u>
(4)	<u>Annabell Heckart</u>	<u>6 "</u>	<u>Feb 22, 1901.</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Heckart

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Nancy Heckart

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Nancy Pool

12. Where were they born?

Father: Butler Co Pennsylvania

Mother: Marion Co Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Waverlyville Shelby Co Mo

Mother: With husband at same place

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 1st 1882

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)	Elizabeth Walton Speaker	July 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1848	Oct 4 <sup>th</sup> 1895
	Margaret Mills Nichols	Sept 6 <sup>th</sup> 1850	1889
(2)	Ann Laura Colander	Sept 27 1852	
	Benny Michael Heckart	Feb 27 1855	
(3)	Fannie Estella Heckart	July 29 <sup>th</sup> 1858	
	All three Springfield Mo		
(4)	John Heckart	Sept 9 <sup>th</sup> 1860	
	Joplin Mo		
(5)	George W. Heckart		
(6)	Charles Columbus Heckart	Dec 6 <sup>th</sup> 1868	
	Augusta Ark		

17. 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 Heckart	Anthony Pool
Magdalene Heckart	Fanny Pool
	Don't know Indian name

18. Where were they born? Fathers side Butler Co Pa - mothers side Ballston Co Pennsylvania Ky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fathers side Both lived at Shelby Co Missouri mothers side Fanny Pool lived at Shelby Co Mo. Anthony Pool dead at that time.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Michael Heckart	Dead
	Adam Heckart	"
(2)	John Heckart	"
	Flora Heckart	" Colorado
(3)	Martha Boyd	
	Elizabeth Strayer	Dead
(4)	Catherine Barker	Butler Co Pa
(5)	Elizabeth Walton	Dead
	Amey Wright Wilson	
(6)	Nancy Heckart	Springfield Mo
	Amanda Carner	Dead
	George Pool	"
	John Pool	"
	William H Pool	Boulder Colorado

21. 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: Col Samuel Dawson (a white man) married Polly Rogers a full blood Cherokee Indian who had three sons named John W. Dawson who was my great great grand father and who was the father of my great grand father REMARKS John W Dawson who was the father of my grand mother Fanny Poet who was the mother of my mother.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) George Washington Heckard.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

E. J. Cameron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 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 B B Johnson  
and J. E. Gardner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George Washington Heckard 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 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.

B B Johnson J. E. Gardner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 12 1910, 190 . E. J. Cameron  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 18 1907  
~~No.~~ 38449

*Geo. J. J.*

DEC 18 1907

Gen. Miller

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir

Will you please  
advise if any disposition has been  
made of my claim No 38449  
for participation in fund arising from  
judgment of Court of Claims in  
favor of the Eastern Cherokee.

Very Resp

Geo. W. Heckart

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No. 38450

Action: *Reject*

Name *Wm J Heckart* and *X* children.

Residence: *1129 W. 9th St., Joplin, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Grandchildren of #36111 21, Plain  
from same source.*

*J. Childers*

No. 38450

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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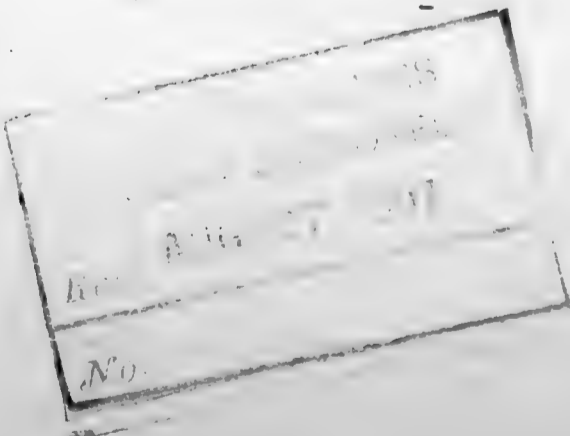
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APPLICATION

*George Washington Herbert  
for his three minor children  
Benjamin Hanson Harrison  
& Chabel Herbert*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: *to my husband's children*  
 I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— *Benjamin Harrison Heckart, Harry*  
 English name: *Ernest Heckart, Anabel Heckart*  
 Indian name: *None*
2. Residence and post office: *1429 West Ninth St Joplin*
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: *Missouri*
- \* 5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born \_\_\_\_\_
6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Are you married? *No*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *None*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *None*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: *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: *George Washington Heckart*  
 Indian name: *None*

Mother—English name: *Amanda Pauline Heckart*  
 Indian name: *None*  
 Maiden name: *Amanda Pauline Stephens*

12. Where were they born?  
 Father: *Marionfield Webster Co Missouri*  
 Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living at that time

Mother: Not living at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 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)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>John Beckart</u>	_____
<u>Nancy Beckart</u>	_____
<u>No Indian name</u>	_____
<u>Father side, 7- Butler Co Pa. M- Marion Co, Mo.</u>	

18. Where were they born? mother's side

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father's side, Walkersville, Shelby Co, Mo.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Elizabeth Walter Speaker dead
- (2) Margaret Mills Nichols dead
- (3) Anna Laura Callender Springfield Missouri
- (4) Henry Micho Beckart "
- (5) Fannie Estelie Beckart "
- (6) John Beckart "
- (7) George Washington Beckart Joplin Missouri
- (8) Charles Columbus Beckart Augusta Missouri
- (9) \_\_\_\_\_
- (10) \_\_\_\_\_
- (11) \_\_\_\_\_
- (12) \_\_\_\_\_

21. 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: Cool Samuel Dawson (a white man) married Polly Rogers a full blood Cherokee Indian who had three sons one named John W Dawson who was my great great grandfather who was the father of my REMARKS. great great grand father John W Dawson who was the father of my great grand mother Fanny Pool who was the mother of my grand mother Nancy Heckart who is the mother of my father.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements, made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. and I make this application for me  
(Signature) George Washington Heckart.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug 1907.

E. F. Cameron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
June 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 B. B. Johnson  
and T. E. Gardner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George Washington Heckart 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    represents himself to be, 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 or their claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. B. Johnson T. E. Gardner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires  
June 12 1910, 190  .

E. F. Cameron  
Notary Public.

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If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Benj. H. Heckart, et al.,  
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Benz. H. Heckart, et al.,  
1429 W 9th St.,  
Daplin, Mo.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *28450*, 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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